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AN OBJECT LESSON.

Time and money will both be necessary to improvement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but to those of Seattle, Portland, which had nearly six times the population of its rival twenty years ago, is very closely pressed by her now. The Portland paper goods is the assential processing to improvement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but this concession to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but this concession to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but this concession to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but this concession to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to be done, but this concession to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out what ought to do carry out what ought to do carry out what ought to carry out what ought to do carry out what ought to do carry out what ought to carry out what ought to do carry out what ought to every one. Unimprovement, and we would extend to carry out the distribution of patronage, the Colomist would cease to trouble itself about the distribution of patronage, the Colomist would cease to trouble itself about the distribution of patronage, the Colomist would cease to trouble itself about a question of the distribution of patronage, the Colomist would cease to trouble itself about a question of the distribution of patronage, th thirteen railway companies, that are looking to the West, to select that city as a terminal point. This leads the Oregonian to elaborate as follows:

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AN EXHIBITION AT VICTORIA.

Mr. Helmcken, M.P.P., has acted wisely in interesting himself in an exhibition to be held in this city next year. By the way, next year is the beginning of a new he will find very difficult to explain away. century. Why may we not have a Twentieth Century Exposition?

tainly not fiendish.

THE FINNS.

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In 1880 Seattle had a population of 3,000. In 1881 Victoria had a population of 7,000. The census taken a few months ago shows that there are over 80,000 people now resident in the city on the Sound. We suppose the population of 7,000. The census taken a few months ago shows that there are over 80,000 people now resident in the city on the Sound. We suppose the population of 7,000. The census taken a few months ago shows that there are over 80,000 people now resident in the city on the Sound. We suppose the population of 1,000. The subject is one of very great interest. He suggest that a special effort of this province by those finns, who have been driven out of the reason census taken a few months ago shows that there are over 80,000 people now resident in the city on the Sound. We suppose the population of our own city must be under 30,000. These things ought, as Shakespeare puts it, to give us pause. We can very well afford to take a little time to think over the reasons which have enabled our sister city to so outstrip us in the race the residence of the residence of the second of the residence of the second of the residence of the reason center to take leave of party politics in its local fairs, in order to accomplish the result of the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in order to accomplish the result of the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in order to accomplish the result of the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in order to accomplish the result of the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in order to accomplish the result of the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of party politics in its local fairs, in the leaves of pa

declares that to make the British preferential 33 1-3 per cent. was "probably a mistake," He says, further, that "there are unrivalled, and that the way to make the most of these things is by haring considerable force in the Conservative objection that the action (i.e., the preferential) is purely sentimental, as the British preferential is purely sentimental, as the British teriff presents no features applicable to make the most of these things is by haring that it possesses and devotion to what he considered to be his duty. Dewet has given us a lot objection that the action (i.e., the preferency objection that the action (i.e., the preferential) is purely sentimental, as the British preferency of the major of the province of the principal terms of the bis duty. Dewet has given us a lot objection that the action (i.e., the preferency All he can expect is to enable his countrymen to govern themselves. He may be very unwise in this; but he is cergether in Great Britain in order to de-THE FINNS.

gether in Great Britain in order to defeat the plans of those who aimed to ditions incompatible with his ideas of what was satisfactory. His stay in Properties For Sale By the B.C. government to facilitate the colonization lumbia can well afford for the present to Egypt, to which country he was driven The subject is one of very great inter- of a portion of this province by those take leave of party politics in its local by a famine in Canaan, seems to have

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servatives having, very unwisely, we think, employed all their organization in opposition to the provincial ministers at the recent by-elections. Mr. Foster, the recent by-elections of the provincial ministers at the recent by-elections. Mr. Foster, C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited. the recent by-elections. Mr. Foster therefore, has undertaken a notable con ract, and if he can win against the odds which he will have to face, will gain a triumph indeed

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That part of Vancouver which Duncan's station on the railway may be regarded as th is not only one of the most sections of British Columbia. before it a prospective prosper few, if any, agricultural distr hope to exceed.

A marked feature of Vancouve

is the difference in climate be calities not very far from each What the reason of this is may very easily determined, although less the relative positions of t tains have something to do with ing from the display of fruit at t chan Fair, it is impossible to re other conclusion than that the the Island now under considera very favorable summer weather



FRUIT DISPLAY

occurs in the vicinity of Victor though the latter is by no mean favorable. Probably the nights warmer in the interior than nea coast, and that counts for a grea in the perfect development of fruit. The people of Cowichan do not that district ever to become note the production of beef cattle, but already gained a high reputation dairying and great progress may pected in this line. It is also exceply favorable for the growth of pot pected in this line. It is also exceptly favorable for the growth of pota matter of no little importance: Coast region of this province, whe a rule potatoes have not that dry, quality so much prized. This the chan product possesses, and the fof itself sufficient to ensure for and bye a considerable measure of perity. A reputation for one goticle of agricultural produce has now made a district highly prosp. A striking example of this is af by Aroostook, Maine, which gai great reputation for its potatoes a by Aroostook, Maine, which gai great reputation for its potatoes at the New England States. The was the speedy settlement of the try. After a time the fame of the toes attracted the attention of manufacturers and "Aroostook b filled with starch factories. But a more by and bye.

Cowichan is a good locality for farming. It is not suggested that are large sheep ranges, but these a seem to do exceptionally well ther haps this is much due to the good ment exhibited by the Flockmaste sociation, which has done much prove the quality of the sheep.



COWICHAN I By E. A. Price.

The business of the Cowichan will always be mixed farming, wit cal emphase on dairying and fru cal emphasis on dairying no part o ish Coilumbia where the princip dairy farming as understoiod now can be tested to better advantage there. The people are in a posit make a thorough test of it, and the the characteristics so essential tessful dairying. There is no praise for a farming community to say that its people will make dairy farmers. Successful dairying piles intelligent application to fa as a business, cleanliness in ha milk and milk products and sound ness sense in disposing of the fiproduct. It also calls for good jud in handling the by-products, in indeed, very often is found the lamargin of profit. A good market at hand is also an essential featur this Victoria now affords, while smith will offer another from now We have a suggestion in this ofton to make to the people of Cow and the E. & N. management. In parts of England the farmers were ly inconvenienced in marketing the duce. They had to contend with ra charges which took away all the on small shipments. This is likely

charges which took away all the on small shipments. This is likely the case everywhere. No railway pany can afford to carry little I farm produce at the same rate as quantities, rot the farmen rangely. quantities: yet the farmer usually to ship his stuff in small lots. locality in England just referred arrangement was made with the rompany, under which one or mo were specially fitted up with l