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Such a storm as that which devastated Porto Rico a month or so ago, but tenfold intensified in fury, passed over Japan towards the close of August, working the destruction of no fewer than ten thousand homes, and claiming fully three so far been a veiled one, has now appast, and are now ready to sail for Man.

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came up to them and caught the man by the foot as he was being sucked down for the last time in a big swirl. Had he missed the foot the man would have been no more. Mr. Ferneyhough had a hard struggle to get

(From Wednesday's Daily Colonist.) THE LOCAL NEWS.

Victoria Clearing House.—The returns of the Victoria clearing house for the week ending September 19 were \$875,-158; balances, \$314,172.

Daughters of England.—A meeting of Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England, is called for this evening. A full attendance of members is request-

Harvest Festival. The annual harvest festival will be celebrated at St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, on Thursday evening. The preacher will be Rev. Canon Beanlands. Not Passed.—Yesterday's report of the

city council meeting inadvertently omit-ted mention of the fact that Ald. Will-iams' motion to have the city undertake he work of registering voters was de-A Big Nugget.-Mr. E. A. Morris is in receipt of a letter from his representa-tive in Dawson, telling of the finding of a big nugget on Bonanza creek. It weighed just 78 ounces, and at \$15 an onnce would be worth \$1,170.

To Investigate.—Constable Murray of the provincial police force leaves this evening by the steamer Queen City for Carmanah to arrest Sam, the Indian, who is said to have seriously wounded

Improving Their Lines.—The British Columbia Electric Railway Company are doing a lot of work on their lines. The Spring Ridge line has been re-ballasted, and now the Fort street road is receiving attention, new and larger rails being laid on that thoroughfare. The roadbeds are being made to last.

Could Not Come,-The local Orange men and others who were looking forward to a visit from N. Clarke Wallace, M.P., are disappointed that he has found it impossible to come to Victoria.

Columbia & Western to Be Pushed Through to Midway Without Delay.

An extra of the Greenwood Miner re-The Orangemen expected him last even ing, and arrangements were being made for a public meeting this evening, but yesterday Mr. Wallace telegraphed that he could not come. Col. Prior also received word from Mr. Wallace to the same effect.

Charges Withdrawn. - The charges gainst a number of city hackmen of ignoring the hack-stand regulations were yesterday withdrawn by the police, it being shown that the hacks only stood on the side of Wharf street while awaiting the arrival of steamers. Another charge withdrawn was that against Stn Wo, a Chinese laundryman, of refusing to pay the revenue tax for his employees. As the collector threatened to bring a fresh charge, San Wo paid the revenue taxes. May Fox was fined \$100 for keeping a house of ill-fame.

A Sign of Better Times.-The improv-A Sign of Better Times.—The improv-to complete all projected branches as ed condition of the trade locally—an im-well as main line. W. F. TYE.'" mense improvement being noted this year over last—has induced the resident bricklayers to revive their union, steps toward which were taken at a well-at-tended meeting in Pioneer hall yester-day evening. Mr. W. Heatherbell was

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Dilime had been too paralyzed with shock and the burial of its dead to prepare statistics. The less afflicted of the following figures as a partial sum-ary:

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Missionary Meeting .- Among the passengers arriving on last evening's Islander were the Revs. Dr. J. Robertson, superintendent of Presbyterian missions, Toronto; T. D. McLaren, Vancouver; W. A. Wilson, Vernon; D. McG. Gandier, Rossland; J. C. Hurdman, Calgary, and D. W. McQueen, of Edmonton. They are here to attend the half-yearly meeting of the home misall the missionary work of the Presby-terian church in the whole of British Columbia and Alberta, N. W. T. All sions accordingly.

To increase the value of these predictions. Mr. Denison has personally any meeting in St. Andrew's Presbythons. congregation is confidently expected, as all the addresses will be of special inter-

THE BRIDGE SUITS.

Mayor Redfern Will Recommend a Mo tion Looking to a Settlement.

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TRADE INCREASING.

Freights From San Francisco Heavi Now Than They Have Ever

Umatilla arriving from the Bay city at BARKERVILLE.

The cariboo Gold Fields are running a drain up from their pit to catch bed rock above and are said to be going through some remarkably good ground.

The ship was late in arriving, having encountered headwinds on the voyage. Her sister liner, the Walla Walla, was in in the evening, bound south, and sailed with the following cabin passengers booked from Victoria: S. Taylor, G. L. Dickson, F. F. Dickson, J. H. Chambers, B. F. Rendsma, James Cogan, Mrs. S. Taylor, G. W. Kouse, Miss M. Noble, Miss K. C. W. Kouse, Miss M. Noble, Miss K. M. Kellcher, Miss B. Beck, Miss Woodman, H. Kouse, J. W. Anthony, Walter Blackie, H. D. Stainer, Mrs. H. D. Stainer, Mrs. J. R. Miller, McL. Doherton, Mr. and Mrs. Halliday.

OVERDUE MERCHANTMEN.

Exceptionally Long Passages Being Made by Vessels Bound For British Columbia.

One hundred and twenty-three days from Montevideo is considered by ship-10 o'clock yesterday had manifested for

One hundred and twenty-three days from Montevideo is considered by shipping men to be a longer voyage than it should take a vessel not meeting with accident, yet that is the time the British accident, yet that is the time the British Solumbia Electric Railway Company are loing a lot of work on their lines. The Spring Ridge line has been re-ballasted, and now the Fort street road is receiving attention, new and larger rails being laid on that thoroughfare. The road-beds are being made to last.

Initiation and Social.—At the regular weekly meeting this evening of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., in addition to other business there will be the initiation of a candidate, to be followed by a social, with a short programme of songs, recitations, etc. Visitors will be made welcome.

Should take a vessel not meeting with accident, yet that is the time the British ship Drumlanrig is now out from that port. The trip from Liverpool to Montevide was a disastrous one, and her run here, it is feared, has been rough and stormy. Another merchantman due from Liverpool is the Langdale. She is a big vessel of 1.889 tons and commanded by Capt. Hunter. The next of the Liverpool fleet in line and order is the ship Waterleo, which is out 106 days. She was spoken on July 1 in 5 N., 23 W.

WILL BE COMPLETED.

railway:

"It having been reported throughout the country in the press that the railway would not be built into Greenwood this good producer for several life times to come.—Ashcroft Journal. main at Columbia for a long time to come, the editor of the Miner wrote to the chief superintendent at Trail, and to-

day received the following message by To R. E. Gosnell, Greenwood: "' Referring to your letter of the 5th we are doing everything possible to reach Greenwood at the earliest possible date. We have no intention of stopping work till we reach Midway. We are as anxious to get to Greenwood as the people of Greenwood are to have us come, and are doing everything we know

HINTS TO BEGINNERS ON THE

bricklayers to revive their union, steps toward which were taken at a well-attended meeting in Pioneer hall yesten and day evening. Mr. W. Heatherbell was chosen as president; Mr. F. Plows as secretary; and Mr. William Luney as treasurer. A delegate to the Trades and Labor Council will be named at an eadjourned meeting next Tuesday, in the Sir William Wallace hall.

A Good Show.—"The best that can be had" was what Messrs. Thall and kennedy made up their minds to when they were engaging the company for "Yon Yonson," which comes to the Victoria theatre next month. And so it comes that the title role in the comest it comes that the title role in the comest it comes that the title role in the comest is played by Arthur Donaldsen, who is recognized to be the best Swedish dialect actor upon the American stage. Mr. Donaldsen is not only an actor of great ability, but he is also one of the best will introduce a number of Swedish folk songs, and being a native of Sweden, he will introduce a number of Sweden, he will introduce a number of Sweden, he will sing them in their native tongue.

Foster-Baines.—At the R. C. Bishop's palace, Yates street, last evening, Mr. William M. Foster, a popular member of Victoria Typographical Union, was united in marriage 'to Miss Laura A. Baines, daughter of Mr. W. Baines, of Fort street. Rev. Father Althoff officiated, Mr. F. Baines supported the groom, and the bride was attended by the risiter, Miss Ethel Baines. Only the relatives of the couple were presents.

Missionary Meeting.—Among the passes sengers arriving on last evening's sengers arriving on last evening's Biceve me, is a joyless thing;

And have a brake which you can trust. Rut only use it when you must. A saddle hard, without a spring, Believe me, is a joyless thing; So buy a good one and confess Your springless one was comfortless. And never venture out at night Without a lamp to mark your flight, For where no law for this provides, The law of common sense decides. Decisive in your movements grow, Who hesitates is lost, you know. When dogs rush up, your chances count, If small, outpace; if large, dismount. And lastly, though not least, of course, Bestow great care upon your horse; And lastly, though not least, of co Bestow great care upon your horse; Neglect of rag and stint of oil Your bicycle will surely spoil. Be mindful of your ancient pride, And clean it after every ride.

CADBORENSIS. PECULIAR AND PERTINENT.

The French war office is rejoicing over a new civilizing influence which may outdo even the English dumdum bullet. It is a rifle invented by a Captain Daudeteau, and experiments have proved how deadly a weapon it is. At 2,000 yards the bullet went clean through a horse placed obliquely to the line of fire, the bones in the track of the bullet being shockingly smashed.

HOUSEKEEPING.

Foint Ellice bridge accident entered against the city, and whereas, it is desirable that the cases should be settled as speedily as possible; therefore, be it resolved that the legal advisers of the city be instructed without prejudice to the city's rights to endeavor to arrange with the plaintiffs for a settlement which would be mutually satisfactory, and that a committee consisting of the Mayor and Aldermen Hayward, Brydon and Stewart be appointed to consult with the City Barrister and City Solicitor as to the best means of bringing about the desired result."

"Pa, did you know ma long before you married her?" "No, my boy, I didn't know her until long after."—Tit-Bits.

If a woman is in good health there is no more beautiful employment than house work. Generally speaking, there is no happier woman in the world. But how different when every breath is pain, every step tortour! This state of health, in alne cases out of ten comes from derangements of the delicate, feminalne organs of generation. The family doctor enquires first concerning the delicate, feminalne organs of generation. The family doctor enquires first concerning not yet, tried others, do no "examination." From this the modest woman naturally shrinks. She is right. Except in very unusual cases of "female weakness" examinations are unnecessary. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a simple, natural remedy for these ills. It cares safely, permanently.

Send 31 one-cent stamps to cover cost of married her?" "No, my boy, I didn't know her until long after."—Tit-Bits.

Buffalo, N. Y. If a woman is in good health there is no

PROVINCIAL NEWS

COBBLE HILL.

Victoria's trade with San Francisco, as indicated by the freights brought by the Coast liners within the last two months, has increased nearly 50 tons a week over and above what it was last year, or what it has ever been. The

BARKERVILLE.

properties.

A syndicate of local people had secured several claims on Summit Creek and will arrange to begin work at an early day and will push the same energetically, believing that there is good pay in the bed of the

awred as a fair average of this gravel gives results, actually saved, of \$1.25 per cubic yard. The company now intend running a tunnel to be partly in gravel and partly in rock, some 2,000 feet through the ridge between An extra of the Greenwood Miner received yesterday contains the following in respect to the Columbia & Western railway:

"It having been reported throughout the country in the press that the railway aparty in graver and partry in rock, sometime railway the Downles Pass and the Odlum-Shepherd properties This will, when completed, furnish a dump for the entire group, or nearly all of it, and there will be water the season through of seldom less than 400 inches, sometimes running nearly 1,000, as it will the country in the press that the railway.

MINES OF CARIBOO.

wash up, but it will not be sent down until the big wash up is made, which will be be-fore very long. Ten thousand dollars was cleaned up at the Ward mine a few days ago. It is said to be the result of only six days work. Whether this report is true or not, it is taken from very rich ground, and the mine will make a record this season that will rease all interested in Cariboo mines. Senator Campbell at last reports was down 200 feet and everything is looking very

The Golden River Quesnelle will begin washing up the first of the week, with 30 or 40 men and more soon to be added.

The Gold Point Company are at work and are taking water from the North Fork

220 feet and everything is looking very

for their pumps.

Nothing definite has been learned from
the Newell Gold Dredging Company, which
is at work on the Quesnelle,—Ashcroft

ASHCROFT. Sam Adler, who crossed the Thompson years ago this fall, having gone up via Lillooet and the Fraser, spent a night in town tis week. Mr. Adler has within the the Northwest in general. He has probably done what no other man alive ever did. Forty years ago he rocked out of the gold to make a wedding ring for the lady he afterwards married. Twenty years it Granite Creek he rocked out the gold that was made into his daughter's wedding ring, and this season, in Atlin, he again set to work with a rocker and rocked out enough gold to make a wedding ring for his grand-daughter and presented it to her at her recent marriage. Can anyone

equal this record.

Mr. Alex. Bourdariat, of Paris, a mining engineer who has been examining the Co-lumbia group of mines on Quesnelle River, known locally as the French claims, reknown locally as the French claims, returned Thursday to Ashcroft and left this morning for Vancouver. He has had a force of from six to ten men employed for the past two months sinking shafts and prospecting the above named properties. He has been fortunate enough to have had the assistance of Mr. Warner, of the Carlboo mine, for a few days in looking up the water problem and thinks the company can get a sufficient quantity of water for successful hydraulicing from Beaver River and its resources.-Journal.

Perhaps.-Now that the English love America, the feeling will perhaps spread to the aristocracy of our own country.—Detroit Journal.

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Paine's Celery Compound is Always Victorious Over the Most Stubborn Diseases.

Some medicines require weeks of use be fore sufferers can realize any promising results, and the great majority of patents are worthless, and in many cases positively When, weak, broken down, sick and dis-

eased men and women have used Paine's Celery Compound for a single day their doubts varies, hope fills the heart, and they are added to the tens of thousands that gratefully sound the praises of a mediate the compound the praises of a mediant compound the praises. cine that truly possesses life-giving virtues.

If your life is in peril from such stubbor and desperate diseases, as rheumat' neuralgia, liver complaint. Bright' ease, resulting from impure blood not yet tried the medicine th' others, do not hesitate