

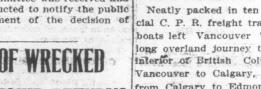
iter lines, wharves, frontages, and a a which they thought the work shound a done. This, he promised, he would in Aid of Funds of lay before the government at Ottawa and give his cordial support to. Public nece silles were to be considered in the

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Then the long climb to the summit event had attracted to town farmers, Then the long climb to the summit shortly commences, the glimmering waters of this most picturesque of mountain lakes showing itself amid the trees, fringed with the rich growth of timber, and towering away in the clouds, rises Mount Arrowsmith, to which a trall is now being made.

been serving in India for some time past; G. Stockel, a merchant at Yokohama; J. M. Talt, a tea merchant at Hongkong; A. T. Warrack, a banker, and A. P. Winston, a teacher.

MRS. AIKMAN'S DEATH.





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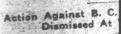
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plan in preference to private require Gordon Head, Dec. 21.-On Friday Shades of azure, tinted with the white nts. Sorby, scenstary of the associ-will prepare a pien at once and evening, the 15th inst., a concert was of the eternal snows, cap this great progress of the town, which is now given in the Cedar Hill Temperance mountain standing up in its grandeur cleared for over 450 acres, one being submit h to the association for ap-proval and transmission to Mr. Coste. hall by the pupils of the Cedar Hill amid its fellows, and whose beauties the arrival on the first train of a reschool. The concert was very well at- will be viewed in the days to come from Mr. Sorby's general plans for the imtended, and a dance followed the pro- the chalet just constructed by the to arrange for the opening of the provement of the harbor were before tended, and a dance followed the prot the company at the Lake station. As the branch, under E. V. S. McClintock of Mr. Coste at the meeting, and the branch. The functs will be device ascending track continues, suddenly branch, under E. V. S. McClintock of Kamloops, in the course of a few days. The victoria engineer, who has always as follows: Chorus, by school; there comes into view the matchless Temporary premises have been secured Mr. Sorby's scheme," which seems Medd, Lillian Mercer and Gisle Berton; downwards was elicited by this scenic comedy, "The Dissappointed Dutch- gem. likely to be the one adopted, contemp-Trestles, of which no less than 58 are man." lates the centering of railway terminals on the reserve, with bascule On Monday evening, the 18th inst., a social was held in the St. Luke's miles, bear tribute to the engineer of Ena, and shingles, V joints and floor-

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and another from Songhees Folat to Cedar fill Literary and Deparing so-Laurel Point. The latter would give ciety. The evening was spent very en-Laurel Point. The latter would give tety. The evening was spent very on above sea level, with a 2 per cent grade plant early in the new year. The be run to the outer wharves and the taker; song, Mr. Sparks; song, C ot. length along in the valley below, at-C. P. R. docks. Crossing to the whole-H. J. Cullin; song, Mrs. Hises; s sale district by the bridge at the foot Mr. Yates; song, Rev. H. A. f. The of Cormorant street, lines would run comic musical sketch, Capt. dn. south to the G. T. P. docks and north On Tuesday evening, the to the various mills on Rock Bay and a very enjoyable dance we held in ing to the passengers the suggestions seeking separate charters, and leaving Selkirk water. This would obviate the the Cedar Hill Temperance h il, under of the wild life of the country. necessity of passing the Causeway with the auspices of the Klick Rlub. A swaying cedar rocking with the un- cipal services which are needed, the a line of rails. The harbor would be large number attended, and a splendid steady, motion, of sudden agitation, residents think, can best be dealt with Aikman was dead. dredged out to remove the rocks and programme of dance music was ren- pointed, to a cougar scurring up the the entrance would be widened and dered. deepened. A deep-water line is pro- Miss Kathleen Offerhaus and Miss posed from point to point, marking the Mabel Irvine, who have been attendlimit for excavation by the public ing Normal school in Vancouver, are edge that no gun could for a season works department, and leaving it to home for Christmas holidays.

private owners to fill in and reclaim wharfage space inside that line? SECURE LABOR HALL.

Y. M. C. A. TAXATION. New Westminster, Dec. 21 .- The Y.

the owners of the present aport that building on the corner of Seventh free water and light, as it was a busi-street and Royal avenue. The pur-trass proposition and not a public util-ity and therefore such exemption would The Labor Temple Company was be discriminating against institutions The Labor Temple Company was of a similar character. formed some time are with the object of a similar character. of securing a permanent home for or-Ald. Dodds said the desire of the are of the usual trestle character, authorities on the matter is spoken of members of the Trades and Labor many of which are to be filled in with

ganized labor in the city. The present intention is to alter the building in such manuer that if will meet the requirements of the various the Council was that no discrimination be shown in favor of any one institution the Council was that no discrimination be shown in favor of any one institution the city is a thousand feet long, and requires is a thousand feet long, and requires is a thousand feet long, and requires is a thousand feet long. The many of which are to be filled in with in a few weeks time. This would af-ford access to a splendid pleasure beach, and open up a rich country. No one can leave the subject without labor unions for some time to come. the Trades and Labor Council did not of any of them is 140 feet. To this end, a concrete basement will know of the plebiscite, or they would Limited to eight miles an hour of be put in, and the large hall on the top floor will be enlarged by taking down they did, for the will of the people is railway, which has been constructed the partitions and including the ante the paramount thing with them. Mayor by Janse, McDonnell & Co., within the ms, thus making it large enough Lee said that the plebiscite was taken past two years, use a track which lacks for the meetings of the Street Railway under the old charter and that the the unevenness of a new roadbed, and union, the United Brotherhood of Car- council had no power now to grant the the coaches run as smoothly as if the penters and the Trades and Labor exemption, and that if the Municipal line had been in service for years. Many vesterday without incident and reach-Smaller rooms will be pro- Clauses Act were amended by the pro- of the cuttings are by the nature of Conncil.

vided for the meetings of the other vincial legislature to allow the grant- things of a somewhat heavy character, unions, a heating plant will be install- ing of exemption to the Y. M. C. A. the but the absence of tunnels is in distinct ed and the building otherwise mod- matter would again have to be submit- contrast to the inevitable necessities jelly-like bodies that inhabit the ted to the people. At a later date it is probable that The Trades and Labor Council com-to make the descent slowly, the track ge by squeezing the water out of its probable that the mulcation was about to take aim. The tempting to take her down to Sola ge by squeezing the water out of its probable that munication was referred to the finance runs in a long detour in order to find bedy and forcing itself into any narrow on the Scheneciady Railway Company's weapon was discharged and the bullet Creek she was caught in an ice jam ernized.

issued, and a new building erected committee. an easy grade, and entering the Al- crack.

Two or three incidents point to the Had Been Under Dr. Helmcken's Care China, Arrives From Orient camps of Foley, Welch & Stewart, on for Several Weeks With Headaches.

presentative of the Bank of Montreal A coroner's jury Thursday afternoon came to the conclusion that Mrs. J. A.

emporary mental derangement. Another is the activity of the Port Alberni branch of the Canadian-Pacific Lumber Company, which has bought about II o'clock Wednesday morning.

out the old Barkley Sound Cedar Com-Trestles, of which no less than 58 are required in the space of twenty-six miles, bear tribute to the engineer of miles bear tribute to the engineer of bridges across the harbon, one about the social was held in the St. Luke's miles, bear tribute to the engineer of the division, Mr. Bainbridge, after ing, and other necessities to supply the and another from Songhees Point to Cedar Hill Literary and Debating So-train approached the summit, 1,285 feet to Stream the summet summit, 1,285 feet to Stream the summet telephone conversation.

access in a straight time along Mon- Joyabi in playing games, and a spiel in parts which reduces speed to a spent many weary days and nights the value between out from Ogden Point, and spurs would lows. Song, Miss Marguerite Whit- length along in the value below, at-Municipally the town progresses ing from headache and mental trouble, she remained fast on the rocks. slewly, arrangements with Alberni not but for the last week she had been Capt. Archibald had little additionskill which has hewn a safe passage having been consummated for a joint practically well, and he had expressed at to say concerning the wreck and had their machinery removed. The for the line on the precipitous edge of scheme of incorporation, and each town hopes of her recovery in another week. floating of the Empress to that already cars containing the steamers arrived the steep mountains. Nor were want- seems inclined to go along its own way.

A the future to settle itself. The muni- H. K. Prior said he was called to the again ready for service, as the repair During the winter they will be rebuil

apart from one another, although bank from the new factor which had amalgamation must triumph over any SWEPT BY STORM.

come to disturb the wilderness, and a local jealousies which seem to threaten little later a deer, safe in the knowl- the united progress of the twin towns. Masset, Dec. 16 .- The worst storm pieces of salvage work ever accom- in railroad equipment and supplies for An interesting announcement has that ever passed over the north end of plished. The liner is now at the about 5,000 men, and it is unlikely that disturb its peace, came into view, and as quickly vanished. Other examples of animal life were, however, missing, intimation unofficially conveyed Graham Island struck Masset Inlet re- Uraga dockyards being surveyed and they will be able to transport any sencently. The Indians report that it was a report on the cost of the repairs eral freight until late in the season the fiercest blow known. The hospital will be made shortly. is planned to run large quantities of although bears are frequent to the through the visiting railway officials tent was demolished by a large tree Capt. Archibald with Chief Officer supplies down to Fort George on

that next summer it is the intention to falling across it. Fortunately it was Copper were on the bridge when the barges, 20 of which are now SECURE LABOR HALL. New Westminster, Dec. 21.—The Y New Westminster, Dec. 21.—The Y New Westminster, Dec. 21.—Organ-ized labor will no longer be homeless ized labor will no longer be hometess in the Royal City, megotiations which have extended over some weeks having been concluded by which the Labor Temple Company, Limited, becomes the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the spire and light, as it was a busi-the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath building on the corners of Severath the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the owners of the present labor hall building on the corners of Severath the spire corners of Severath the corners of Severath the corners of Severath the spire corn

New Masset. The residents intend sult the China, which was proceeding a couple of Fort George men are holding a sale of work during the at slow speed, cleared two reefs being another at Tete Jeune Cache Christmas holidays to aid in raising fore being stopped. It was an excep- The Upper Fraser is open for

funds for construction. The building tionally high tide at the time and it gation from about the end of A) will be erected on the property adja- became necessary for the salvor to October, though in June, when in a few weeks time. This would af- cent to the new schoolhouse.

VICTORY FOR UNIONS. No one can leave the subject without Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 22 -- What several tremendous storms but was great rapids, the Grand Canyon referring to the magnificent scenery from the Albernis, with their glorious is regarded here as a notable victory uninjured by them, which is a splendid the Giscome Rapids. At this latt

sunsets and wonderful cloud affects on for trade unionism is marked by the token of her construction. the purple peaks, promising an ever-signatures of President Horace E. An-recurrent pleasure to the resident, and drews of the New York state railways a magnet to the increasing flow of and President W. D. Mahon of

tourist traffic. The train returned to Wellington ed Victoria in the evening.

The sea cucumber-one of the curion of the Rockies and Selkirks. In order can practically efface itself when in dan- supplementary agreement settles all the window casement as Mrs. Wil- and last spring when her crew was at-

Ince entered her forehead.

on Japan Friday

the G. T. P. line.

Grand Trunk Pacific steel is almost through the mountains to Tete Jeune Cache, and in the spring work will be Aikman, whose death occurred Wed- After having placed his ship in ca- commenced on the Aldermere-Tete nesday last, came to her death through pable hands to be repaired Capt. Jeane Cache section of the road, 410 taking carbolic acid while in a state of Archibald, master of the R. M. S. Em- miles long. The problem of getting in press of China, which ran aground on supplies to this northern country has Mrs. C. H. Topp said she had spoken Awa Peninsula, Japan, last July and always been a difficult one and con-Mrs. Aikman over the telephone was floated off - few weeks ago, re- tractors have been forced to find a so-During their lution of their own. Mrs. Alkman had called her on the turned on the Empress of Japan from work on the section of the new road looked the picture of health despite his river steamers plying on the Skeens.

Dr. J. D. Helmcken said he had at- advanced age and the fact that he These sarried freight of all sorts to

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Somewhat over a year ago, the ad

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A month or so ago they were brought to Victoria under their own steam and hopes of her recovery in another week, investiged. He states that it will be He gave the cause of death as car-bolic poisoning. H. K. Prior said he was caned to the again tears be a most expensive job, house by his wife and found that Mrs. work will be a most expensive job, Aikman was dead. replaced and most of her interior re- the end of steel on the Fraser down t fitted. The captain considers the float- Fort George.

blast a channel through the rocks in freshets come, it may be necessary

order to get the steamship once again the steamers to lay up for a while

gold rush.

into deep water. While lying on the The river between Tete Jeune Car

rocks the Empress was battered by and Fort George, 150 miles, has

London, Dec. 22.-Salonica, European don agency, reports archy throughout. M pillage and briganda Twenty-seven -a taken place within within two hours' j all the victims h Christians, finding tain redress, are org the object of killing Bomb

Sofia, Bulgaria, tional assembly he torpellation was the anti-Christian donie

Premier Guechof number of arrests connection with and that' the perso crime will be tried The outrage refe mier took place on bomb was thrown persons being kille jured.

TRADE COMM

Ottawa, Dec. 22 cially that the five missionerships, many applications will not be filled Hon. George Foste and commerce. T Shanghai, Paris, and Havana. The plan to divide th to the various con

SHOOTING FATALITY.

Amalgamated Association of Street and L. Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 22 .- Mrs. Louise Wilhelm, mother of twelve proved the Upper Fraser to be navie Electrical Employees of America of an agreement whereby all of the Vanderchildren, was instantly killed when able by making the pioneer voyage up bilt trolley lines throughout New York she tried to shoot a rabbit through a to the Cache and back. The enterstate are brought under the jurisdiction of the Amalgamated agreement | which was signed in New York City, A

window of her suburban home. The trigger of the rifle caught in in the ice above Fort George Canyon