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The water commissioner reported r by C. K. McGill be granted. Adopt-Musgrave wrote enclosing a petiasking that messenger boys be

Ald. Yates thought the boys were a

yor objected. A vote was taken and prospects are encouraging.

been turned down before, explainto the streets committee.

the extra appropriation of \$200 for the water survey favorably. It was adopt-

A further report from the same body appropriating the sum of \$6,600 was also approved of. Included in this was the cost of a new prisoners' dock and witness box for the renovated police

Still other expenditures of \$283 were ecommended, including \$50 for the James Bay Athletic Association. War-AT COUNCIL MEETING rants were ordered drawn for the amounts.

On motion of the home committee David Coulter was permitted to enter

Mayor and Aldermen Grow Facetious the Old Men's Home. The park committee reported adversely to the proposal of the Tourist Association that sheep should be grazed at Reacon Hill Local butchers had been unwilling to loan the animals and there was no money available to purchase any. when His Worship took the chair at

Ald. Yates came out strong as an council meeting Monday only a

next year. There was quite a little argument as sheep eat it.

e last meeting were adopted as The mayor defended the harmless quadruped. He said that cricket clubs M. P. P., who addressed the in the old country always had sheep to cil in respect of a grant for enget good turf and their presence was ng the Dominion Trades Conunobjectionable.

Ald. Douglas said the grass had been propriation would be asked for cut this year. The fires had all oc-Day, and requested that the curred in the undergrowth, he said, of the expenses of the congress. and were most likely caused by careless people throwing away cigarettes. uing, Mr. McNiven pointed out The mayor took issue on this and said ecessary it was for a good imthe park was in a disgraceful condition n being given the visiting deleand, as a final spasm to defend the as to the hospitality of this part sheep, said: "I am prepared to put my A representative delegahand to a bond, with good cash to had been appointed, three from back it, for any damage a flock of council, three from the board of sheep would do if put on the park de and a like number from the next spring." es and Labor Council so there

After some more desultory talk the report was adopted and the matter will this time Alds. Vincent and Fulremain in abeyance until the next

ld. Yates asked if the labor people be satisfied with the usual The streets committee reported that Day donation. Mr. McNiven rethe present contractor for gravel was and would render an account of his he reconciled his socialistic principles Fullerton urged the necessity of unable to continue the supply. Leave stewardship. eral grant being given. He was was asked for the city engineer to proed to see the great interest taken cure other gravel at the best terms possible. Ald. Stewart stated the real he Mayor assured Mr. McNiven that would certainly give the paid was too low for the contractors gave a history of the two parties, Libto continue supplying gravel at the erals and Conservatives, from the time their favorable consideration. rnest Temple asked the extension present figures. They were losing of their inception in England to the

sidewalk along McClure street in money. The report was adopted. Ald. Stewart moved for permission to of his house. Referred to streets Taylor Fire Alarm Co. wrote of lot 1767, block 61, the old Cameron they bled the working people. He, as for a reply to a proposal to property. This was granted, as also ip the Old Men's Home with this permission to introduce the Stanley and as far as the business and other avenue permanent sidewalk by-law. The letter stated a catalowas being prepared with many strations, in which the writer hoped Liquor License by-law brought forth tion of the trusts and gigantic corporere could be included some of the an interesting statement from Ald. ations, and said that they were

buildings. Referred to home com- Davey. This by-law has been drafted by the aving a septic tank installed at his Davey has perused and digested it. sidence and asked no steps be taken It is now in the hands of Ald. Fellgarding sanitary arrangements there away on a holiday-who will give it it to Ald. Hall. This gentleman will Landsberg asked permission to look into the matter. When all these a totem pole in front of his pre- have had their turn separately the bylaw will be threshed out by the full Ald. Fullerton moved the request be committee and referred back most likely to the solicitor for amendment. Then the labor element. Ald. Stewart objected on the ground the revised document will again be at one placed in front of Aaronson's wrestled with by the solons and finally

and moved in amendment that council. e letter be laid on the table until this The North Ward Park by-law was then taken up and adopted. It will be not only gives something to the widow was a question of carrying out an Yates seconded the amendment, voted on by the ratepayers on August and orphans, but it has the effect of agreement, and was not the making of thich carried. The city clerk will have 30th. The mayor wanted the voting demaking corporations protect the lives a new grant. A former government and limbs of their employees. The sum had given the grant, which was over a the date was fixed as mentioned

at Calgary next month, and ask- the evening, were read and passed. g that Fire Chief Watson be offered | Salt water fire protection occupied ery facility to attend. Referred to the last few minutes before adjourn- ly James Dunsmuir as one of the worst province for 6,000,000 acres in the provment. Ald. Yates wanted a few enemies that labor has in the province, Mrs. Drosdovitch wrote offering to thousand feet of hose purchased for and one who is constantly breaking the to give them a single acre. They sold ep her buildings on Pandora street this auxiliary water supply. He was laws, yet, he said, this man has been the 10,000 acres of wild scraggy land a sanitary condition if given another informed the fire wardens had spent made by the Liberal party the lighten- for \$10,000. As a Socialist he took very ce. On motion of Ald. Stewart the their \$500 appropriation, so the matter ant-governor of the province. He said little interest in land or its disposition. tter was received and filed. The lady dropped. A hint was given that there he introduced a bill in the House in It never would belong to the workingad been given enough chances, the was scarlet fever in the Hillside dis- favor of compelling the railways to men until the socialists were in the trict and Ald. Vincent said there was grant passes to members without be- ascendancy, and then things would The city assessor reported on assess- quite a little sickness in town. He ing compelled to secure them as a happen. He advised the workingmen, ent under by-law 10. This will save was rebuked by the mayor for sug- favor, but rather it would give them as an election was coming on, to select city the sum of \$206.63, as its share gesting it.

over assessment, while \$26.25 has to The only manner in which fresh right. They refused to pass the bill, added for under assessed portion. water was mentioned at the meeting and only one Liberal voted for it. He laws of benefit to them. was the throwing out of a suggestion for a long time refused the passes. The city solicitor reported he had that when a fire alarm is sounded all Finally the Socialist party met and Mr. Hawthornthwaite at the conclu- Guests Entertained by the Lieutenant tered appearance on behalf of the residents stop sprinkling. This was resolved to accept the passes, As the y in the libel action brought by Wat- laid over until the water question meet- members of the other parties were acing, which will probably be held on cepting them the Socialists thought

toria Gas Company from the same | Adjournment followed at 10 p.m.

ARMY WORK.

ending the connection asked Special Services Held Sunday-Big Immigration Planned For Coming Year.

evented from riding bicycles on Salvation Army barracks Sunday, conunce avenue. It was signed by all ducted by Brigadier Smeeton, provintenants. Ald. Stewart pointed out cial officer for British Columbia and but not so when defending the rights the alley was private property Alaska, assisted by Adjutant Byers of nd the city could do nothing. He con- Calgary and Ensign Bloss of Vancou-

ered at each meeting. In the afternoon service Adjutant sance and that the C. P. R. should Byers gave some striking facts about advised the workingmen to select anthe work in Calgary, where great pro-other workingman and send him to gress had to do, he said, to preserve gress has been made. The Salvation the legislature, as he claimed such a He took in the great copper mines of ek them up inside the office. All the the work in Calgary, where great proas private property was to close it Army has the best band in Alberta, one day in twenty years. Ald, and its fame has spread for miles avey wanted to refer the petition to around. A great work has been going be police commissioners. Ald. Hall on in connection with the immigration police commissioners. Ald. Hall on in connection with the ininigration and the motion and said comscheme and many new people have leader of the Socialists, said he had to the Nichols Copper Co.'s refining works aints were also made of obscene lan- been brought into that city through the been charged with being the represen-Army's instrumentality. During the tative of capital. If this meant that amendment, Ald. Yates moved past year something like 10,000 people he represented every element in the at the C. P. R. be written to and re- have been brought into Canada, and community, including the workingmen, ested to abate what was considered next year plans are being laid to bring it was correct. Mr. Hawthornthwaite sance. Then the mayor offered out 50,000. This branch of the Army's had accused him of saying in Victake the matter up with the chief work is growing most rapidly, and is toria that he was unpledged to the police as the tenants on the alley commended most favorably by all the workingmen of this constituency, who

ick, was read. This proposition king he served throughout the war, re- effects of labor troubles, and the prices copper. The smelter of the company has Any one of the three wound would have ceived no less than 14 wounds, and was of metals were lower than they had seven blast furnaces each with a capa- caused almost instant death.

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the trouble was averted. When the

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smelter owners and told them that un-

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At the last session of the legislature

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conciled his ideas of socialism with his

Western land grant from the people of

taxes amounting to over \$450,000 on the

ment in the Kaien Island deal, and how

to these acts. Mr. Hawthornthwaite's

excuse was that he voted for some of

these measures because there were cer-

tain acts pending which affected labor

bills which he desired to have passed.

voter to register in a new precinct

thirty days before election, and the

other bill provided for weekly payment

of wages. One of these bills was de-

feated on the 9th day of March, and

the bill giving the 800,000 acres of land

to the C. P. R. was passed on the 10th

of March. In conclusion he said if Mr.

Hawthornthwaite could have his way

he would pull down the Union Jack

teachings of Christianity.

a few remained in the hall.

Closes Debate.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite in reply to Mr

million acres, and he and his collea-

ince and the government had refused

him to Victoria to assist in making

Those present gave three cheers for

STUDYING WESTERN METHODS.

Japanese Mining Engineer Pays Visit to

Boundary Mines and Smelters.

visited Phoenix on Thursday for the pur-

pose of inspecting the mines of the Gran-

Mr. Kojima is a mining engineer of

in the land of the Mikado. He has spent

Arizona. New Mexico and California.

Then he went to Colorado, Montana,

hydro-electrical works at Niagara Falls,

in New Jersey, and locomotive works in

burg. After that he went to Utah and

smelting works at Grand Forks.

One of these was the act allowing a

POLITICAL QUESTIONS the matter over, and they did so and

The Liberal Leader Places the Member For Nana mo in a Peculiar

The Rossland Miner of Thursday were reduced to eight hours. last says: J. A. Macdonald, K.C., memauthority on grazing and prophesied ber for the Rossland district and leader Mr. Macdonald said, he supported the fruit was well represented. Fully as that some of the aldermen would not of the opposition, and J. H. Hawthorn- eight hour bill. He asked the audience have a chance to vote on the matter thwaite, M. P. P. for Nanaimo, and if he was not right in the action which leader of the Socialist party in the he took in averting a shutdown of the House, had a joint debate in Miners' smeiters, with all of the attendant to what was done in London, and Ald. Union hall last evening. Each de- evils, when the same result sought to plays of this character. In addition Stewart thought that sheep were use- fended their individual action in the be accomplished in the bill was reach- there is a special showing of Kootenay less. A shepherd was required and he would be better employed with a scythe party which they represented. The would be better employed with a scythe party which they represented. The This question he would leave to the inat 3.10 by the clock. The minutes cutting the grass than watching the debate lasted from 8.30 till 11.30 telligence of the audience to settle. He o'clock. The leader of the Socialists said he supported the eight our law was brutally blunt in his allegations for the coal mines. It was in force in and imputations of the actions of Mr. Macdonald and his party, while Mr. good for them it would be equally good Macdonald had to at time be almost as merciless in defending himself, although he used the rapier, while Mr. like the member from Nanaimo, who Hawthornthwaite relied principally on only represented one class in the comthe bludgeon, and both wielded the munity. He refuted the idea that a weapons which nature and education workingman is not a taxpayer, and gave them, each after his own fashion.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite is a man with

askel how Mr. Hawthornthwaite reone idea, and is like a physician who vote in favor of transferring over 800,would cure all of the sorts of diseases | 000 acres of the unearned Columbia & by one form of treatment and one sort of medicine. He would cure all the province to the Canadian Pacific of the evils which the body politic is railway. He also asked him why he inflicted with by means of an extreme voted in favor of the C. P. R. evading form of socialism.

Rupert Bulmer called the meeting British Columbia Southern land grant, to order and stated that as it was a and showed by his vote that he favorjoint debate Mr. Hawthornthwaite ed the exactions, contrary to the terms would open it, Mr. Macdonald would of the grant, which the same railroad reply, and Mr. Hawthornthwaite would put on settlers on that land. He asked close. Mr. Hawthornthwaite was the how it was that he aided the governleader of the Socialists in the House

Hawthornthwaite's Speech.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite's speech lastreason for this report was the price ed for fully an hour and a half. He present time in Canada. The two older parties rotated in office, he said, introduce a by-law for the sale of part and no matter which one was in power a Socialist, represented the workers, elements were concerned they could go A query from the mayor as to the to Halifax. He spoke of the formaspreading so rapidly that everything was being gathered into their hands of the Anarchist. He was a man who E. V. Thompson wrote that he was city solicitor for some time. Ald. and the middle class was fast disappearing. Mr. Macdonald was a representative of the middle class and of capital. Then Mr. Hawthornthwaite ntil this contract had been furnished. his most serious consideration and hand at length charged Mr. Macdonald and audience arose and gave him three the party of which he is the leader hearty cheers and then proceeded to with, at divers times, defeating, either by themselves or in combination with ald requested them to be seated and to the Conservative members, a number of give Mr. Hawthornthwaite a hearing. bill which were intended to benefit

Mr. Hawthornthwaite told the audience, too, how he had, through his p was there without proper permis- introduced to the notice of the full party's holding the balance of the powcuring the passage of the Workmen's Compensation Act. This act, he said, of \$1,500 was not sufficient to compen The Pacific Coast Association of Fire two by-laws, permission to intro- duce which had been given earlier in hiefs wrote referring to the conven-\$2,500 when the opportunity came. He Kaien Island deal was concerned, the took occasion to denounce very severe- Grand Trunk Pacific had applied to the

the privilege of demanding them as a one of their own members and to send that they might as well quarter themselves on the enemy.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite returned to the question of Mr. Macdonald's and his party's alleged sins of omission and mission in the legislature. When the bill to reduce the hours of the men the smelters to eight came up Mr. Macdonald walked out of the House Special services were held in the and did not vote for it. He charged Mr. Macdonald with being eloquent in defending the interest of the Le Roi. of the toilers. He charged him and his party with defeating a number of with being generally lukewarm where man would truly represent their inter-

Lberal Leader's Reply.

Mr. Macdonald, in replying to the protection. Ald. Yates offered to with the same. Throughout British Co- so, and he went further than this and works of the Granby Co. The finance committee reported on Army barracks to hear this lecture. and were not paying dividends, and if cently completed its own refining works. place to-morrow.

the eight hour law was passed it meant the closing down of the smelters. This would have meant the stopping of work on every mine in Rossland camp and the Boundary. Was it the interest of all that the story of the strike be repeated, and that

Mr. Macdonald said he pointed out that the smelter owners and their em- PROVINCIAL DISPLAY ployees should get together and talk IS MOST ATTRACTIVE

bill came to a vote, he said, he got up vote against the smelter employees and Everything in Good Shape For the absented himself from the house. After Prairie Show That Opened Yesterday. less they got together and shortened

hour law. The hours in the smelters When the Winnipeg industrial fair opened on Monday British Columbia much space was occupied as last year when the provincail exhibit received the highest diploma awarded for dis-E. Annable, of Nelson. This will be the plaintiff firm and a cheque for \$1,000 member, are in the north looking into placed adjacent to the display under direction of the local government. R. M. Palmer, secretary of the prothe metalliferous mines, and if it was

vincial bureau of information, is in charge, assisted by W. J. Brandrith. secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association. Both these gentlemen were busily engaged the latter part of ther payment last week in designing and arranging the hundreds of feet of shelving that is required to hold the display. The fruit arrived on Sunday in first class shape and arrangements have been fresh specimens should any become damaged by too much handling. The exhibit is an advertisement of the resources of British Columbia that will be hard to beat. Though held at a date rather early for some sections of the province there is a most creditable display in which Victoria and other coast districts have been well looked after. No fear need be felt as to misapprehension as to its origin. Here and there are placards bearing in bold black letters the words "British Columbia Fruit," and Mr. Palmer or Mr. Brandrith will be on hand all the time to explain the exact location where every item of the exhibit was grown.

Victoria will have its special share n the display and that of an unique character. Secretary Cuthbert, of the Development & Tourist Association took with him a good supply of bulbs from "the little bit of Holland at Oak Bay." His well known enthusiasm for everything concerning Victoria is satisfactory evidence that this unthought of feature of the city's producwhole budget of literature, including

from the government building at Victhe newest booklet, "Impressions." toria and hoist in its place the red flag Much attention has been paid to sneered at religion and all the good handling the fruit has been perfect; recent instruction to growers on this please communicate at once. At the conclusion of Mr. Macdonald's important part of disposal having speech about three-quarters of the proved most useful. How well British Columbia products are prepared for the market was recently commented on in leave the hall, although Mr. Macdonthe Winnipeg Commercial paper, and they will have an opportunity during the industrial fair of further empha-They refused to return, however. Only sizing this desirable item in shipment and display.

MINERAL CLAIMS.

Macdonald stated that the Columbia & Two Locations Within a Couple of Western was given only that portion of the land grant which it had earned. It

Days Were Recorded in Victoria. Within the past couple of days two file at the local mining recorder's office. Herbert E. Elsden has staked out one on the south side of Mount Richards and christened it the "Prince Rupert." It is a relocation of the Lord Roberts. E. A. Price has also located an extension of the Tobago on the southeast branch of Robertson river, Cowichan

lake. If is called the Muriel, There is quite a lot of surveying being done in lieu of assessment work along the west coast, showing that holders are confident of the richness of their claims. Though the cost of survev is usually much in excess of the \$100 permitted to be recorded they are willing to let it go at that and put things in trim for procuring crown

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE

Governor at Dinner Last Evening.

An official diner was held on Monday at Government House to which the following guests were invited: The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsmuir, the Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Perrin, the J. Kojima, M. E., from Tokio, Japan, Hon, W. and Mrs. Templeman, the Chief Justice and Mrs. Hunter, Colonel and Mrs. Holmes, Hon. Senator and Mrs. by Consolidated, being shown over and Macdonald, Hon. Senator and Mrs. Riley, through the properties by Superintendent Mr. and Mrs. Justice Irving, Mr. and Smith, having already seen the Granby Mrs. Justice Duff, Colonel and Mrs. Jones. Captain and Mrs. Tatlow. Hon. Speaker and Mrs. Pooley, the Mayor and note, a graduate of the University of Mrs. Morley, Major and Mrs. Audain, Japan, and is in charge of the Ashio cop- Mr. and Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir, Mrs. dered it entirely a matter for the ver. Interesting addresses were deliv- measures intended to help labor, and per mines, one of the largest producers Bromley, Miss Drake, Miss Dunsmuir, Miss Elinor Dunsmuir, Miss Marion the laboring man was concerned. He six months in inspecting the largest and Dunsmuir, Archbishop Orth, Mr. Justice most important mines and metallurgical Drake, Colonel English, Captain Drake, works in the United States and Canada. Mr. Muskett.

FEATHERSTONE REMANDED. Minnesota and Michigan, visited the Man Suspected of Killing Mary Dalton Appeared in Court Monday.

Nanaimo, July 23.-Robert Featherstone, charged with the murder of Mary Jane the use of a car possible. Philadelphia, and steel works at Pitts- Dalton, appeared in the police court this morning and was remanded until Thurs-Nevada, where he inspected the world- day.

famous copper, gold an silver producers A post-mortem examination made by small fruit may conveniently be packed, in those states, not excepting the Homestake mine in South Dakota. Last of all three bullets had taken effect in the tween them and yet close fitting so as to e paying licenses and were entitled government officials who are in touch aided in electing him. He had said he visited the Boundary country and the girl's body. The first one had entered avoid spilling or end shake. Occupying the body, going clean through and comwith the same. Introduction and the work is progressing and with the same. The Ashio mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back. The Ashio mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back. The Ashio mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back. The Ashio mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back of her head, prospects are encouraging.

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The Ashio mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back of her head, never asked him for a pledge. He went is superintendent, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the same in the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the same in the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the same in the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the same in the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the same in the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull in the work is superintendent, and the back of her head, and are the shattering the skull in the work is superintendent, and the back of her head, and the The Ashlo mines, of which Mr. Kojima ing out at the back. The second had holding receptacle, having a perforated est fire in Grand Forks happened at one mayor deciared the "ayes" had it. The brigadier leaves by the Beatrice to Victoria as the representative of miles inland from Tokio, and are the shattering the skull. The wound in the Hall demanded a show of hands. on Wednesday next for Alaska to inspect the native mission work there. of the mining and business interests and spect the native mission work there. of the workingmen. He explained his On Friday evening next Capt. Davy attitude at the time it was proposed some 3,290 hands, and as many more in and was the last one inflicted. The Another petition requesting a per- is announced to give a lecture on the to pass an eight hour law for the the concentrating and smelting works of blackened powder-marked ring around anent sidewalk on the west side of Boer war, which promises to be of ex- smelter employees. He said that the the concern. Last year the Ashio mines the wound shows that the muzzle of the air entering at the aperture. uadra street, between Mason and ceptional interest. As a soldier of the country was just recovering from the produced about 15,000,000 pounds of refined gun had been placed to the forehead.

JUDGMENTS DELIVERED. Decisions Given in the County Court This Morning By Judge Lamp-

man.

On Tuesday Judge Lampman delivered judgment in two cases which were argued before him a few days

One of these was Lemon; Gonnason & Co. vs. Dunsmuir and Mesher. This was an action under a mechanic's lien for \$986.50, and was with respect to the appropriation of payments. In 1905 the defendant Mesher entered into Dominion Inspector Taylor is Making a contract to build a house for R. W. Dunsmuir. Mesher had been obtaining lumber from the plaintiff company this job, and for other contracts. On August 1st Mesher owed the plaintiffs about \$3,500, exclusive of \$2,250 for

which a note was payable October 4th. An agreement had been reached among Mesher's creditors by which he E. G. Taylor, Dominion fishery inagreed to pay each month the amount spector for Vancouver Island, arrived contracted for in the month. He in the city Tuesday at noon, D. G. S. premised, it was held, \$3,500 to the Quadra will leave to-morrow morning plaintiffs on September 1st. This was not received, and on September 2nd a on a cruise with the most of the memslip with the amount of lumber obtain- bers of the fisheries commission. Prof. ed during the previous month was Prince, chairman of the commission, made out. Mesher was seen by one of and Rev. G. W. Taylor, it will be rewas given by Mesher. The latter was reminded that this was not sufficient everything connected with the industo cover the amount promised. Mesher try in the northern waters. The retook the slip showing \$935 due on the maining members will go out on the Dunsmuir house during the month, Quadra Wednesday morning, and visit and Mr. Lemon held that he under- the west coast of Vaneouver Island. stood that Mesher would make a fur-

were entitled to judgment for the at the traps along the southwest coast amount claimed with costs, as the of the Island, the fisheries at Clayopayment of \$1,000 was not on the lum-ber furnished for the Dunsmuir house Coast, the halibut and the oyster beds.

account. Judgment was given in Hunter vs. B. C. Electric Railway Company. In ages to an automobile which an electric car bumped into on May 6th. The auto had been proceeding along Fort the United States side of the line.

street ahead of the tram car. The defence was that the car slowed up sudtime to avoid colliding with the auto. costs.

BOARD OF TRADE.

New Council Held Its First Meeting Monday-New Industries Recommended.

The new council of the board of trade held its initial meeting Monday, President J. A. Mara in the chair. A communication was read from the the Dominion government, has proposecretary, Dominion exhibition, to be gated, and that there are oysters now tiveness will meet with due recogniheld at Halifax, N. S., September 22nd in a healthy condition as large as his tion. As is usual, he has taken along to October 5th, advising the desirability of having an exhibit from the Pacific Coast. The matter was referred packing in the display. The method of to the fishery committee. Any citizens wishing to assist in the matter will

The Tourist Association asked for any information regarding new induswith the intention of submitting a pa- following colloquy took place: per in that connection to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association when it buildings?' meets in this city. In a preliminary report the committee on manufactures | ber--stated their report would embrace within the past couple of days two new mineral locations were placed on file at the local mining recorder's office rope walk would also be recommended.

To see where the lords sit."

Mr. Scholefield was hard put to it. It was also proposed to introduce the | Finally he explained that there wasn't fruit growing possibilities, the excel- a real live lord nearer than Saanich. lence of the hops grown near Victoria and the extensive iron deposits on the

south coast of Vancouver Island. E. & N. depot was introduced, and the secretary will write to C. P. R. officials calling attention to the incon-

being done in this connection. Protection to salmon was also taken up. In the Fraser river, as was shown surance policy wherein dispute was by the discussion, it appears that the made as to the payment of the policy regulations requiring that one-third of on loss by fire. A summons for directhe river be kept free of nets are not tions had been dismissed by Mr. Jusenforced. Attention was also directed tice Morrison on the grounds that there to fishing above the bridge at New was not jurisdiction. Westminster, which is a serious hindrance to salmon reaching the spawn- Justice Hunter, Mr. Justice Irving and ing grounds after having escaped the Mr. Justice Duff. The appeal was alnets at the mouth of the river. This lowed. was referred to the fisheries committee for report at the next meeting of

the council. inary one, a large amount of inaugural business was disposed of and the meeting was therefore much more lengthy than usual. In this connection one matter was the awarding of tenders for printing the annual report. That submitted by the Colonist being the owest it was accepted.

PATENT OFFICE REPORT.

Sibley's refrigerator box, which is of

small fruit may conveniently be packed, elicited. the central upper part of the box is an ice

COMMISSION WILL VISIT WEST COAST

Careful Study of Course Taken

by Salmon.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

will occupy perhaps ten days, and will His Honor found that the plaintiffs include inspection of the salmon fishing made for replenishing the supply of during the month of August, but on Prof. Prince and Rev. Mr. Taylor are expected back about the first of next

month. The members of the commission will this the plaintiff sued for \$978 for dam- then come together and probably in company with the commissioners Washington state visit the traps on

Inspector Taylor says that he is himself studying this season the run denly and did not allow the tram car of the salmon which is found along the south coast of Vancouver Island. He His Honor dismissed the action with will endeavor to find about what point they first reach the Island Coast. It is generally believed that it is about Cape Beale somewhere. He will then seek where the fish are heading for. His own impression is that these salmon are all making for the Fraser river spawning grounds. He will, however, gather all the information relative to

the course taken that can be got. Mr. Taylor says that above Cape Mudge he has found that the oysters planted by him, under the authority of thumb nail as a result of the reproduc-

STUMPED THE LIBRARIAN.

Lady Tourist Goes Across the Bay and Wants to See Imperial

E. O. S. Scholefield, the provincial tries that could be made profitable in librarian, usually preserves his savoir Victoria. A reply was ordered advising faire. But he was nearly knocked all that association that the matter had of a heap a couple of days ago by a been taken up by the board of trade lady tourist from the other side. The

"Please, sir, is this the parliament

"Yes, madam, the legislative cham-"Oh, my! I'm so glad; and please openings for a cooperage, brush and show me which is the House of Combroom factory and also nail, glass, mons and which the House of Lords. cheese and can manufacturing. Fruit I've come all the way from Portland

APPELLANT COURT.

The question of the congestion at the A Special Sitting of the Full Bench Was Held Tuesday Morning.

There was a special sitting of the venience at present experienced, and Full court on Tuesday for the purrequesting that steps be taken to im- pose of hearing an appeal in the case prove matters. This brought up the of B. C. Wire Nail Company vs. Ottawa importance of obtaining the removal Insurance Company. W. C. Craig, of of Indians from the Songhees reserve, Vancouver, appeared for the plaintiff, and a letter was ordered sent to the appellant company, and Harold Rob-Mayor and aldermen asking what was ertson for the defendant, respondent

corporation. The case is one arising out of an in-The argument was heard by Chief

TROUBLE AT SAANICH.

As yesterday's meeting was a prelim- Chinaman and White Men Engage in Row in Which Mongolian Is Hit.

There were lively times at the farm of Fred. Turgoose in Saanich on Tuesday through a mix-up between one of the Chinese and a white employee. The trouble arose over some trivial dispute, but the Chinaman went after the white man with a pitch fork. This was too much for the latter's equanimity, and V. D. Sibley, of Port Hammond, has he landed the Mongolian "one, two," on just received through the agency of kow- the jaw. The trouble then ended, the land Brittain, patent attorney, of Van- only result being a used up Chinaman. couver, a Canadian patent on an im- Mr. Turgoose reported the occurrence to proved refrigerator box for the shipment | the provincial police, but no arrests have of small fruits. The box has been de- so far been made. If it is considered signed to meet a demand from the fruit necessary the municipal authorities will trade for a means for the safe shipment take the matter up. There was quite of fruit in quantities too small to render an excitement when the news came to the city. The chief of police was informportable size, is fitted with removable Saanich, and it was only on reference to slat frames on which boxes or crates of the provincial authorities the facts were

ALARMING FIRE

Grand Forks, B. C., July 23 .- The largventilation is provided in the upper part | printing office owned by F. H. McCarter, of the box, but as it is not designed to valued at \$500, and three small dwellings circulate air through the ice box the drain | belonging to Charles E. Knapp, valued at outlet thereof is water sealed to prevent \$500, were totally destroyed. It is reported that Jones' furniture store was cover-To the small fruit growers of this pro- ed by some \$15,000 insurance. Mr. Jones vince shipping their produce to the near- is at present in the Similkameen district. est market this box should be of great. The brigade did good work and checked Ald. Stewart, but it was eventually reported dead on two different occa- been for years. The mines and other city of 200 tons daily, of which four are the fire, otherwise it would have consum sions. A big crowd is expected at the industries were at a very low ebb, now in use. The company has also re- The funeral of the murdered girl takes sent orders of considerable size for the ed the Yale hotel and other buildings Fraser valley and the Okanagan district. further up Riverside avenue.