

The Weekly Times

Victoria, Friday, February 1.

IN DUE TIME.

The Colonist must be in a rare state of desperation when it seeks to make a point out of the fact that the speech delivered by Mr. Laurier in Montreal on Tuesday last has not yet been reported in the Times. To this end it ignores the fact that reports of that speech could not possibly have reached here by this time, and it was well aware that to have a full report telegraphed would be an extremely expensive business.

Feed the Hungry. If the Salvation Army mean to do business this winter, its "food and shelter" scheme should be hurried up. If there are any hungry men now—and every person knows that there are many—next month or next spring will be too late to feed them.

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TO FEED THE HUNGRY. We are pleased to learn that the suggestion made in these columns yesterday, in regard to immediate action being taken in relieving the unfortunate poor, will be acted upon at once.

THAT DEFICIT. The deputation that waited upon the city council and asked that the deficit of about \$550—the only unpleasant legacy of the Aberdeen reclamation—be paid by the city, did not make out a good case.

criticism. Ald. Williams suggested the proper way to settlement, and we feel quite sure that if those most directly responsible for the deficiency will contribute in proportion to their ability, no great difficulty will be experienced in raising the amount required.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

Dr. Albert Shaw, the well known writer on municipal government, has brought out a book on municipal government which is sure to attract a great deal of attention at this time, when the advisability of reform in municipal methods is so warmly discussed.

The present evils of city life are temporary and remediable. The abolition of the slums and the destruction of their virus are as feasible as the drainage of a swamp and the total dissipation of its miasmas.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, during his recent tour of the Pacific Coast cities, made note of the fact that considerable discontent existed among the people, and it is understood that upon his return to Ottawa he caused an order to be issued from headquarters directing all Tory papers to expend every effort in an attempt to raise the depressed spirits of the people.

We notice that certain Tory papers have already adopted the suggestion and are publishing songs daily, but we are inclined to think that the people of Canada are to-day in little mood to hear of tuneless ditties ground from boodle organs.

alone. The people just now are busily engaged in work and prayer for a Liberal victory at the approaching elections.

Some days ago the Colonist severely lectured a gentleman whom it designated "the Vancouver liar," for having sent to eastern papers outrageously false and exaggerated accounts of the late floods.

The Davie government are so fortunate as to have incurred the censure of the Vancouver World in their selection of a superintendent for the insane asylum.

The Tory organ still professes to be exercised over the fact that not the "faintest echo" of Mr. Laurier's Montreal speech has reached the Times.

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ARRESTED IN PRISON.

A New York Thief Makes His Way Across the Continent.

New York, Jan. 26.—Detective Joseph Dowling, of Inspector McLaughlin's staff, will leave to-night for San Francisco to get a prisoner under arrest there, wanted in New York.

Trestop—Now let's look at that sign. "Don't blow out the gas!" "Hayrick—What does it mean?" "Trestop—they probably want us to call a boy to do it, so they can charge 50 cents more on our bill."



To Nursing Mothers!

A leading Ottawa Doctor writes: "During Lactation, when the strength of the mother is deficient, or the secretion of milk scanty, WYETH'S MALT EXTRACT gives most gratifying results."

PETITION OF E. M. JOHNSON

He Asks for a Full Enquiry Into Certain Actions of the Attorney-General. Full Text of the Petition as Read Before the Legislature Yesterday.

The petition of E. M. Johnson, read in the legislature yesterday afternoon, a reply to which will be given on Monday by Hon. Mr. Davie, is as follows:

Victoria, British Columbia, December 15th, 1894. To the Honorable the Speaker and the Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled:

Hood's Cured After Others Failed

Sarcoula in the Neck—Bunches All Gone Now. Sanguerville, Maine.

feet wide on each side of the centre of said creek, and which lease, made under the Placer Mines Act, 1881, and the terms and purposes thereof, are ultra vires of the crown or the said gold commissioner.

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To the Editor: In the Colonist parliamentary proceedings I read that on presentation of my petition Mr. Davie is reported as follows:

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"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.: 'Gentlemen—I feel that I cannot say enough in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla. For five years I have been troubled with scrofula in my neck and throat. Several kinds of medicines which I tried did not do me any good, and when I commenced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla there were large bunches on my neck so sore that I could not bear the slightest touch.'



WIRE CUTTING

Several of Them Brooklyn by This Morning.

Companies Running With Protection the Mill.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 31. This morning Roundsmen McGee arrested a motorman, and A. E. attempted to cut the corner of Bedford Fourteenth street.

The report that the wires cut during the night at headquarters of the strikers are evidence of them. The police chasing the wire cutting during the early morning hours of the 31st. The strikers are endeavoring to cut the lines of the Brooklyn by this means.

THE UNIVERSITY

Students Refuse to Attend in Statement in Toronto, Ont., Jan. 31. between the faculty and Toronto University. The night by the refusal of the 'Varsity' organ, to apologize for published in last week the university authority to allow the use of the lectures on political speakers. The reporter Montgomery of the accepted and a new edition of the 'Varsity' published an criticism the paper was and the editor expelled.

PARKHURST IN

Tells the People How to Rupt Office.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—The New York, lectured last night on his university in filled Central Music Hall was delivered under the Marquette club, and story of how Tammany in New York. He traced down the use of the propose to undertake such work as Dr. Parkhurst. He warned his all things to do no gun cartridges. The grand jury for his first sermon next step was to fill the grand jury threw up and I picked it up. few facts that I was not in quotation marks. I need for stating what is my own knowledge, I will, if I need be, to find the challenge. I did not get my facts then I gun on another Sunday pulpit with cartridges blank cartridges, and work for knowing what about than they had knowing what I was to He told at some length