THE MINISTER TO **RECEIVE ADDRESS**

REPORT PRESENTED TO BOARD OF TRADE

Will Be Incorporated in the Presentation -Address by Secretary of Toronto Navy League.

The principal business before the regular monthly meeting of the board of trade on Friday afternoon was the consideration of the report of the committee-appointed to prepare an address to to have turned over. We strongly urge arrival here. H. J. Wickham, secretary of the Toronto branch of the Navy League, addressed the board on the subject of uniting all the branches throughout Canada under one permanent secretary. After the meeting was called to lowing report was submitted:

The Council of the Victoria Board of Trade: In accordance with your instructions, your committee begs to report as follows regarding the various subjects which they would recommend should be more particu-larly brought to the attention of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries during his ap-proaching visit. Some of these subjects nave been under the consideration of snecial committees and their reports are annex- that passed between the board and the ed hereto:

Harbor Commissioners.-The views of the Knight seconded the amendment. Harbor Commissioners.—The views of the Board of Trade are fully set forth in the report of the special committee and corres-inquest and the information secured by inquest and the information secured by fon of your committee, there can be no doubt that a board of harbor commission-ers, with the powers suggested, would aid tions must be revised. Mr. Shallcross greatly in the efficient regulation of all matters connected with shipping and harbor, system to which objection was taken.

Recent investigations have demonstrated con's amendment, which was lost. that the system of inspection of vessels is not as thorough as it should be in order to Wickham, secretary of the Toronto give adequate protection to life, and in this connection the general supervision of a board of harbor commissioners could not fail to be of value.

ANNUAL OUTING JOHN G. COX. J. J. SHALLCROSS. J. SIMON. J. A. Mara moved that the report be adopted, and A. J. Morley seconded the motion. The latter paid a tribute to the way in which the co had done its work. ENJOYABLE DAY SPENT W. H. Marcon expressed regret that the report did not contain a reference to the subject of inspection of shipping at this port. He had prepared the follow-ing, which he moved be added to the

these requests should be endorsed by

Board of Trade.

Results of Land and Aquatic Sports-We desire to drawn your attention to the matter of inspection of steamboats and other vessels sailing out of Victoria. The Victorians Won the Baseball Match. Clallam inquest shows that vessels are inspected on a day previously arranged, and that 'n the past equipments have been bor rowed from other vessels and after inspe

OF NATIVE SONS

AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

tion have been returned to owners. Thursday the third annual picnic We also desire to draw your attention t the Native Sons of Vancouver Island the want of inspection of sailing vessels, was held at Shawnigan Lake. Large and especially of sealing schooners, several of which have been lost and are supposed tee-appointed to prepare an address to be presented to Hon. R. Prefontaine, properly qualified inspector as to the hull, the Strathcong hotel. No better spot properly qualified inspector as to the hull, ballast, boats and other equipment. could have been selected, there being an

Mr. Shallcross, chairman of the com-mittee, explained that this matter had excellent baseball diamond and a splendid race track for the convenience of those been exhaustively dealt with by the board, and there had been considerable while the nearby waters of the lake make of marine and fisheries. Reports of the ing in the aquatic portion of the proorder by President S. J. Pitts, the fol-owing report was submitted: due to a say that the ideal weather tempted many

Mr. Marcon still thought the report should contain a reference to the sub-view of the grounds and lake from the should contain a reference to the sub-ject. The question of human life should balconies of the Strathcona persuade not be placed in the background while many to spend part of the day watching business was given prominence. He the sports from this vantage point. There were in attendance the Fifth alluded to the terrible Clallam disaster, and the evidence regarding the inspec Regiment and the Nanaimo brass bands tion .at the inquest, and said that as During the progress of the sports in the now carried on it was a farce. afternoon the latter rendered a choice programme of selections, which were, Mr. Shallcross read the correspondence deputy minister on the question. A. W

eplendid selections. This concert was an investigation, and this is what they continued well up to midnight, a large found: Bloodspots just outside the door, number taking advantage of the oppor-tunity to enjoy a pleasant dance. About that time the train drew up at the depot enumerated the conditions of the present and the picnickers dispersed, some going up to Nanaimo and others returning to Finally a vote was taken on Mr. Marthis city.

One of the principal attractions of the afternoon was the baseball match be-tween teams selected from the Native Sons of Victoria and Nanaimo. The game, as can easily be imagined, was not absolutely free from errors. It was the the headquarters envoy, the speaker Harbor Improvement.—The expenditure on the improvement of the inner harbor carried at the Chambers of Commerce frequency of the latter that provided the comedy element, and the efforts of some does not produce the best results owing to its intermittent character, and in conse-a meeting of the Dominion Board of was laughable. Good humor, however, a guence the shipping and trade of the port is being seriously hampered. Your com-Victorians could have no idea of the lack when the last inning had been completed mittee would urge that a plan of improve-ment should be adopted and prosecuted until the necessary depth of water has been secured, as recommended in the re-

been secured, as recommended in the re-port annexed. In view of the greatly increased size of ocean steamers and the important develop-ment of the steamship communication, not only with the Orient, but with Europe, your committee would suggest that the at-tention of the Minister of Marine should be called to the mecessity of making such im-Association of Canada, under a perman-cent sector ary. He had interviewed called to the necessity of making such im-called to the necessity of making such im-provements by building a breakwater to Brotchie Ledge as will provide harbor

At a meeting of the Tourist Associa

LADYSMITH NOTES.

DRASTIC INTERPRETATION MEXICAN TRADE. Company Now Doing Business Has. Of United States Immigration Regula tions Source of Annoyance. Monopoly of, Lighters on Southern Coast. It is an undoubted fact that many of the laws on the other side of the line are Several firms in this city are awaiting interpreted with great elasticity; but ap- the award of the Canadian and Mexican parently this cannot be charged against | contract for a steamship service between the interpretation of the United States | the two countries. migration regulations. As is generally In regard to the prospective trade be-

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known these require anyone entering the United States, other than Canadians or tween British Columbia and Mexico the following facts, obtained from Messrs: Mexicans, to contribute the sum of two R. W. Clark & Co., commission merollars each to Uncle Sam's exchequer. chants of Vancouver, appear in the The other day a "German resident of Seattle came over to place his wife in one of the local hospitals, but before he News-Advertiser The whole question of building up a trade with Mexico and South American could return to the Sound he had to run could return to the Sound he had to run the gauntlet of requirements, medical or an independent line of communic

examination and all. tion such as is now proposed. After this That this is drastically overdrawing is done, it will be necessary for very the real object of the regulations is quite careful arrangements to be made apparent. According to a gentleman prominently identified with the United lightering and stevedoring work for the and loading of cargoes, as States immigration service, the intention lighters have to be employed at prac crowds of pleasure seekers went from Victoria, Nanaimo and points along the line and established themselves for the day on the heaunds adduning tically all the ports in question. So es-sential is this matter that the British vice-consul at Mexico, in one of his reports, intimates that it was being in a position to control the lighters and steve Mr. Reynolds, of London, England, pre-sident of the Pacific cable board, who dores that enabled the Pacific Mail lin to freeze out three different companipassed through here, had occasion to go that endeavored to enter into the coas to San Francisco. He was thundertrade. So keen is the competition in This struck when informed that he would have respect that a company will delay its to undergo the regulation test directed own steamers in order to monopolize the lightering facilities and available labor and ships have been delayed four or five against "aliens," other than Canadians or Mexicans. This is not a solitary ex-

rience, but one that frequently occurs. AN EXPLODED MYSTERY. days at Mexican ports on this account. Another official, speaking on this subject, says: "You will have a hard fight with the German and American lines, Bloodstains, a Smashed Transom, and a and will find that these own the port officials, who will probably, at first, do - Simple Explanation. everything they can to make things un pleasant for the ships' captains, as they successfully did with regard to the An-It was reported to the police Thursday that the entrance to the store of the glo-Chilean steamers, thus forcing them to retire from the trade." California Produce Company, on Doug-

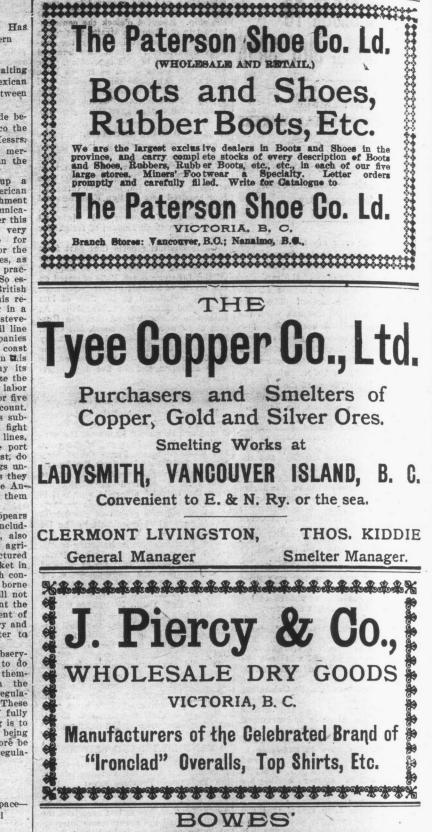
judging by the frequent applause, thor-oughly appreciated. In the evening the having undergone a visit by burglars. that all classes of canned goods, includ las street, presented the appearance of Fifth Regiment band relieved that of Detective-Sergeant Palmer and Constable ing fruits, yegetables, meats, fish, also Ananaimo, providing a lengthy list of Clayards proceeded to the scene, began dried fish, machinery, mining and agricultural, and other goods manufactured in Canada should find a good market in which was partially opened; the transom Mexico. But, as one of the British co smashed into a thousand fragments in-suls in Mexico reports, it should be born side, and a trail of blood leading to a in mind that the United States will not wash basin in the rear of the store. Here, indeed, was a bunch of clues that warm-ed the hearts of the investigators. But there was no evidence, outside of the there was no evidence, outside of the the the stablishment of canada, and it is up to the latter to mashed transom, of any burglary having | carry them through. Another important point to be observbeen committed, as the interior of the

store presented a normal appearance, if the blood stains be expected. Plainly the usual order, in which the discovery of crime precedes the discovery of clues, crime precedes the discovery of clues, was reversed in this instance. tions as to consular invoices, etc. These must be carefully studied and fully Here was a fine, large field for theory. complied with if successful trading is to Did someone push the transom through result. These regulations are now being revised, and care should therefore be and then fall after it, injuring himself result. in some way, and was he so upset by revised the shock that he forgot to carry out his taken to secure the amended regula

original intention, and instead made a dash for the wash basin, as indicated by the trail along the floor? But then again, EXHIBITION NOTES. merous Applications For Space Many Entries For the Annual

tions.

Boxing Tournament. As a result of the energy and enterprise displayed by members of the executive of the B. C. Agricultural Asiation applications for space for ex-



VOL. 35. ANOTHE BY Unable to Esca teries, Vess To-Day, Admiral Kamimura Vladivosto St. Petersburg, Aug. 1 pectation here is that vill fall at any moment. It is reported that Vice has left Mukden hurriedly vostock on receipt of the ne illness of Vice-Admiral Bez taken a serious turn and t miral was not expected to r The exact whereabouts Arthur battleships is still a which hinges Russian nava the Far East. Telegran them back at Port Arthur h confirmed up to this hour. that Admiral Togo canno say where they have gone officials declare they do no they refuse to believe that battleships not a single break through to Vladivosto Vice-Admiral Togo's re which is believed to 'nder others have not rejoined his more than probable that Ad oft, before going out, fixed a to which the vessels would separated, and it is more th that this rendezvous was a that this rendezvous was a cept at Port Arthur, the point being between Shang sin, the most southern of which is on the circular ro vostock. The Czarevitch was evide for this point when she we by the damages she sustai aside and enter Kiaochan. In this connection it is note the presence off the S of four battleships reported hai telegram and later sa cruisers, presumably th Diana and Novik, escorting flagship Askold. These take advantage of the Shanghai cable is laid no islands to sever the Japan cation with the continer reports that the Russian

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St. John and other points, and had re-ceived hearty assurances of support. He accommodation adapted more particularly to the needs of ocean steamers. The imhoped to receive the same in Victoria. portance to Canada of having a port direct-During the course of his remarks Mr. ly on the route between the Orient and Wickham referred to the recent fire here, and reminded the meeting that Puget Sound cannot easily be overesti-Fisherles.-Your committee begs to refer

to the special report hereto annexed, and having at hand the soldiers and sailors to render assistance in time of need. He they would especially call your attention e recommendations regarding a separalso forcibly pointed out that his mis-sion was wholly in the interests of the ate fishery inspector for Vancouver Island fisheries, the establishing of hatcheries and the protection of the deep sea fisheries. he accept the position of permanent sec-Shipping of Seamen.-Your committee

would recommend that greater facilities should be given for the procuring of crews Mr. Wickham was accorded a hearty for foreign-going ships as proposed in the vote of thanks and received an unmis-takable assurance of support. pecial report attached hereto. Lights and Buoys.—The present light-

After some further minor matters houses and buoys are quite inadequate to give sufficient protection to navigation, and were disposed of the meeting adjourned. the increasing amount of shipping in these PREPARING FOR MINISTER. waters makes it of paramount importance that further lighthouses should be provided. Special reports and correspondence are antion executive Friday afternoon it was

hered decided to install ten seats along Dallas Lights of Victoria Harbor.-The present road for the convenience of promenaders lights at and about the entrance to Victoria harbor do not give satisfaction. The fog provided the consent of the council and park committee is obtained. The com-mittee also resolved to place at desirable signal on Brotchie Ledge is not sufficiently distinct to be a safe guide, and the light points sign boards on the country roads. house at the entrance of the harbor is not When Hon. R. Prefontaine, so placed as to fully answer its purpose. It of marine and fisheries, arrives next is recommended that a lighthouse and fog week the Tourist Association will bring to his attention a number of important signal should be placed on Trial Island, and that a lighthouse should be erected near matters. Among these will be the desirability of the Arm being cleared out, the point called Nagel's Folly, northeast of Macaulay Point, the present light on Behabove the Gorge bridge, and the conren's Island being only maintained for harstruction of a canal connecting the upper bor purposes. Arm with Esquimalt. Another matter

A report on this subject, together with will be the preservation of the banks of correspondence, is annexed.

the Arm above the Point Ellice bridge Marine Hospital.-Your committee is for residential and tourist purposes. The pleased to note that since the report of the board to the department very great im-provements have been made at the Marine of trade to make the minister's visit a pleasant one. aospital. Your committee would, however, The meeting on Friday was presided ommend that the recommendations of over by Anton Henderson, vice-president. the board in regard to the system of main tenance and medical attendance should be adopted and that the furnishings of the hospital should be completed. (Special Correspondence of the Times.) West Coast Service.-Your committee re

A cabin near the E. & N. railroad track grets that the recommendations of the board in regard to this service have not yet. opposite the Grand hotel, occupied by miner named Nikovitch, was burned dow alted in a thoroughly satisfactory service being maintained. The West Coast of , yesterday. A spark from an engine started Vancouver Island is open to the Pacific the blaze. Nikovitch was at work at the time, and on his return at 4 p. m. he found face any weather. There is a considerable his home gone up in smoke. and growing trade on this coast, but your A bush fire is raging just south of the lttee is informed that it is not yet Portland hotel. Fortunately there are no houses in) its track. sufficient to make a larger steamer profitable. Your committee would suggest that Dr. Reynolds, of Vancouver, is in the city. was omitted by the committee in charge

increased subsidy on condition that an effi-cient service is maintained. the course of two or three weeks. For the ment of the excursionists. cient service is maintained. Marine Casualties .- In the opinion of pects when everything is in working order

the regulations that there is no inquiry in the new Williams block, opposite the held as a matter of course in all cases of Bank of Commerce. on a well earned vacation, which, it is expected, will extend over three weeks. He Shipping casualties in Canadian waters, with power to deal with the certificates of officers. Improvement of Victoria Arm.—Your com-mittee begs to attach a letter from the

James Bay Athetic Association urging that the rocks called the "S'sters" in Vi-toria Arm and the sand bank adjoining should be removed, and that the bonding on the Arm should be subject to regulations.

appended: Messrs. McGregor, McGill, W. Quesnelle, S. Randall, Gerrard, Har-which the gentleman quickly explained. He said he was lowering the transom to vey Hamilton, Mann and Huxtable. which supplied considerable fun for a couple of hours. Every race was keenly Victoria possessed an advantage over most of the other cities of Canada in contested, and it was seldom that any difficulty was experienced in securing entries, everyone going in for the sport with vim and enthusiasm. The 100 yard also forcibly pointed out that his mis-sion was wholly in the interests of the league, as under no circumstances could he accept the position of permanent secretary necessary should the plan be turing the first place just crossing about a foot ahead of F. E. Terriault, of Vic

toria. A great deal of interest centred in the fat man's race. Only three wer able to qualify for this contest, and be tween these the running was very even Sam Sea, ir., reached the finishing line

first, and was followed closely by John Nelson, who made the winner keep up a hard sprint from the start in order to capture the highest honors. A tilting match concluded these sports. Appended are the complete results: Three-legged race-1st, E. J. Cameron

and J. P. Sylvester; 2nd, J. Byrn and G. Moss. Sack race-1st, W. Munsle; 2nd, J. Byrn. Fat man's race-1st, Sam. Sea, jr.; 2nd,

John Nelson. Boys, under fifteen years-1st, Lyle Moss; 2nd, William Watson. Girls, under fifteen years-1st, Miss Hazel

Eagle; 2nd, Miss Edna McNaughton. All comers, 100 yards dash-1st, R. Ger rard, Nanaimo; 2nd, F. E. Terriault. There were four aquatic events, and each was most inferesting. Three pairs

entered the tandem canoe race, and Cameron Bros., who captured the first residential and tourist purposes. The ociation will co-operate with the board trade to make the minister's visit a asant one. power when he managed to out-man oeuvre all opponents in the up-set canoe

race. Following are the results of these events: Tandem canoe race-1st, Cameron Bros. 2nd, W. A. Williams and T. Geiger. Upset canoe race-1st, William Cullin

2nd, S. Cameron. Men's swimming race-1st, Kligg; 2nd Manp. Boys' swimming race-1st and 2nd, Mon rison Bros.

The outing was voted by all who pa ticipated as one of the most successful in the annals of the Native Sons. All de ney Pills tails had been attended to, and nothing

the Dominion government should give an He contemplates starting a paper here in that would tend to increase the enjoy. Rev. J. P. Westman, paster of the Cen

your committee it is a serious omission in to issue daily. He hopes to secure offices tennial Methodist church, left on Friday pected, will extend over three weeks. He

lar regard during the short time he has been here.

A CONTRACT STAT

ittee would recommend that Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.-147. ' for the government candidate.

This was the key to the situation. hibits are already being received. retary Swinerton announces that they vey Hamilton, Mann and Huxable. Towards the finish of the match a programme of foot races was commenced programme of foot races was commenced ed for the crimson trail to the washstand ed for the crimson trail to the washstand other neighboring places are sending envictim of the accident had to secure medical assistance. Thus was a mystery robbed of its most fascinating elements by a prosaic circumstance. Just previous to the receipt of the report by the a drunk was conveyed to the station with one arm in a sling, and some of the officers were inclined to connect him with the fall through the transom.

CASE ADJOURNED. Walter C. Nichol, of Vancouver, Is

Charged With Criminal Libel.

Walter C. Nichol was the first name called in the Vancouver police court on Wednesday morning. He was charged by the Baptist Association of Winnipeg with having published, or caused to be published, in the Province newspaper a dimeter which amounted to a criminal with having published, or caused to be published, in the Province newspaper a dispatch which amounted to a criminal libel on the character of Rev. Mr. Vin-cent and Miss Johnson of that city, though in the present case only the charge in regard to Miss Johnson is taken up. Messrs. Martin & Weart appearing for the plaintiffs and F. C. Wade, K. C.,

the plaintiffs and F. C. Wade, K. C., on behalf of the defendant, united in re-until the final round. In the lightweight questing an adjournment, which was class A. Jeffs, the present holder of that cup, must box D. McKinnon, who is also



WM. TAGGART'S KIDNEY DIS EASE CURED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Well-Known Tilbury East Farmer Tells the Tilbury News How Easily He Got Rid of His Trouble.

e won two years in succession before Tilbury, Ont., Aug. 12 .- (Special.)-Mr. Wm. Taggart, a well-known and highly esteemed farmer of Tilbury East, tells of his remarkable cure of long standing Kidney Disease by Dodd's Kid

"For about four or five years," says Mr. Taggart, "I was a sufferer from Kidney Trouble, and the scores of me I used gave me no relief. I was force to get up three or four times every nigh

and my life was simply miserable y and my life was simply miscrable. "At last I started to use Dodd's Kid-e ney Pills and I got relief from the first. After using two boxes I was completely cured, and you can bet I was a happy man. I cannot speak too highly of Dodd's Kidney Pills." All using completely an anged by All urinary complaints are caused by Diseased Kidneys. Dodd's Kidney Pills

always cure the Kidneys and therefore always cure urinary complaints.

Chas. J. Rogers, of Vancouver, is in the city. He is registered at the Vernon hotel

are not only coming from local met chants, but from outside points. Bus quiries, and the prospect is that all ac-commodation will be spoken for some weeks before the show opens. Particular attention having been paid the programme of entertainment it is probable that some difficulty will be experienced in arranging to have the attractions under consideration all come off within the exhibition week. To many the annual boxing tournament, under the auspices of the Victoria association, is a feature of the fair. This will be held in a marquee on the grounds adjoining the buildings, and promises to bze the most interesting of any yet held one of the most enjoyable he has ever had. He attributes the unusual length of the session to the obstructive tactics pursued by the opposition, particularly in the earlier stages. They contested every item in the estimates, no matter how trivial. Of course, there was a definite purpose beneath all this. The plan plainly was to keep the House in session as long as possible in order that the Tories could frank their campaign literature all over the country. Mr. Riley is confident that no expeditrying for the featherweight. The latter ents they can devise will save the Tory party from the impending avalanche. is said to be an exceptionally fine amateur, and many express the opinion that he will succeed in earrying off the He counts on sixty of a majority from the Maritime Provinces as far as the two championships. It is not likely that Ontario boundary, and he predicts that the West will easily go Liberal. R. L. anyone will challenge W. Fisher, the heavyweight champion. Mr. Fisher is

Ontario boundary, and he predicts that the West will easily go Liberal. R. L. Borden has lost caste in consequence of his tortuous course over the Grand Trunk Pacific railway bill. His attitude throughout on this important measure showed that he lacked the qualities of a leader. Mr. Riley was considerable amused at the attitude of the provincial govern-ment and its organs on the Grand Trunk Pacific question. It was apparent from the government's overtures to the rail-they were preparing a land grant that they were preparing a campaign cry. probably the best man in his class in the his tortuous course over the Grand Trunk province, and his ability to keep the rophy he won several years ago will probably not be questioned. The same promises to be the case with T. D. Des-Brisay, the holder of the A. B. C. chalenge cup, which was put up by the Agricultural Association for the best boxer of any class up to middleweights,

becoming the permanent property of any one man, and will therefore fall into the they were preparing a campaign cry. There was nothing in the howl of dismay which has arisen in the opposition be-cause the bill did not bind the company hands of the present holder if he succeeds in capturing it again this fall. to begin operations at this end. That

PROVINCE TAKES ACTION.

Wants Question of Jurisdiction Over Foreshore Determined.

had an assurance to this effect from the head officials of the company. Mr. Riley expressed the opinion that there would be another session of par-liament before the elections. Sir Wil-frid seemed to indicate as much when he enjoined the members to take a good, long rest, as he intended to do. Mr. Riley was accompanied by Mrs. Biler. province has taken action against the firm of J. H. Todd & Sons to have determined by the courts the question of jurisdiction over the foreshores which has long been in dispute between the Federal and Provincial governments. The writ was issued early last week, Riley.

and the action is for trespass and dam-ages, and an injunction to restrain the Lester W. David is paying a business firm from operating their traps at East Sooke without having the authority of the province. The traps are being oper-ated at present under authority of a Do-minion license. The matter cannot come before the visit to the city, accompanied by Mrs. David and child. They are at the Dominion. Mr. David recently took over the Ross-Mc-Laren mill, of Westminster, one of the largest milling businesses in British Colum-

bla.

Rosemary, Camphor and Borax Hair Wash Cleansing and stimulating. A boon to ladies and school children. Used once a week keeps the hair and scalp free from germs. 5c., 6 for 25c. Two packages by mail, 10c. Chemist and Druggist, 98 Government St., Cyrus H. Bowes, Near Yates St., Victoria, B. C. WANTED-We have continual inquiries for Vancouver Island farm lands. If your property is for sale write us at once, giv-ing full particulars, and we will sell it for you if it can be sold. Heisterman & Co., Victoria, B, C. MINERAL ACT. (Form F.) CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE. Iron Knob, Olga, June, Helen and Amazon Mineral Claims, situate in the West Coast Mining Division of Rupert District. Where located: On the southeast arm of Quatsino court until the long vacation is over, se the traps will not be interfered Sound. Take notice that I, J. Herrick McGregor, as agent for William Grant and Thos. S. Lippy, Free Miner's Certificate No. B89502, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certi-ficate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim. with this season. A member of the executive on Saturday explained that the case was merely a test one. GEO. RILEY, M. P., RETURNS. Predicts the Victory of Liberal Party at And further take notice that action, un Next Elections. der section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improve-Geo. Riley, M. P., returned from Ot-Dated this 20th day of June, 1904, A. D. tawa Friday evening after an absence of six months. He is looking in the best of "LAND REGISTRY ACT." ealth and says his trip to the Coast was

keep together and to rus JAPS OCCUPY NEW POSITIONS AT I Chefoo, Aug. 15.—Junks w here to-day, having left August 13th, brought repo Japanese occupied new pos day. The firing was heavy, tent, and indicated that being continued. being continued. The Russians in Port Art to be down-hearted. The me on the junks declare that the of the Japanese fleet before informed the Russian comm place that if the warships' In the Matter of Lot 1,615, Victoria City, and in the Matter of an Application on Behalf of Charles William Ringler Thomson for an Indefeasible Title to Same to the narbor after August 10th, were sunk by the Japanese would shell t lyddite. Same. Notice is hereby given that it is my in-tention to issue a Certificate of Indefeas-ible Title to the above land to Charles William Ringler Thomson on the 24th day of September, 1994, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate of writing by a person claiming an estate terest therein, or in any part the S. Y. WOOTTON Registra Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 21st June, 1904. NOTICE.

A Chinese who has arriv Liao Yang declared that t in the recent fighting in have been enormous on Do JAPS ARE WAITING FOR RUSS Kiaochau, Aug. 15 .- Th leship Czarevitch and boat destroyers are now in the local German government but it is improbable that will fight again in this war Capt. Truppel, chief o and civil administration of ate of Kiaochau, after hav rovisions for the neutr crews of the Russian way their stay here, . proceede board the Czarevitch. Th battleship were alarmed a of Captain Truppel's part their weapons. They w their quieted, however, and the c the Czarevitch was info was necessary that the Ru hauled down and remain the completion of repairs. vitch's flag was then lower pressive formalities, after Truppel visited each of stroyers whose flags also It is thought here that i persist in repairing their s

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agreed to rendezvous at

route to Vladivostock if the

Nevertheless, she Yangtse. A report this mor from Admiral Togo boats Maya and Amgi

wanthD-agents to sell for Childle's greatest nurseries. Bigger and better selection of varieties and specialties than ever. Liberai terms; pay weekly; exclu-sive territory; outift free. Send 25 cents for our pocket microscope. Everyone abould have one to examine plants and trees for inaccis. Stone & Wellington, Toronto. Out

this would be done Mr. Riley expressed no doubt, because he and other Liberals

had an assurance to this effect from the

MINERAL ACT.

NOTICE.

Hampton Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Victoria Dis-trict. Where located: On Mount Brenton. Take notice that I, Chas. E. Clarke, Free Miner's Certificate No. B89,214, intend,

WANTED-Agents to sell for Canada's

CHAS. E. CLARKE.