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improvements which would give freer SCHOOL TRUSTEES and better circulation from room to room. They also recommended that the the the search of City and Provincial News hall floor in the Boys' Central school be A Long List of Applicants for the Position of Inspector to the

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Appointment To Be Made at a Special Meeting To Be Held on Thursday Next.

City Schools.

graded. From Thursday's Daily. The board of school trustees met yes, terday evening in the office of the secser back to the committee with power to act. tary for the transaction of the business" that had arisen during the month. With the exception of Trustee Belyea, who is vate business brought up by the obsir-

absent from the city, all the members" man. were present. After the minutes of the previous

meeting had been read and adopted, the following communications were dealt with: From the Henry Hale Chemical Company, enclosing a catalogue of their goods. Received and filed. From Miss A. D. Cameron, principal of the South Park school, informing the board that had been no pupil teacher at that school during last term, and asking that one be appointed for this term. Received and laid on the table. M. Williams, principal of the Girls' Central school, and Principal Doran, of the Spring Ridge school, communicated with the board in reference to the requirements of their several schools. They wanted chalk, bells, hose, repairs to blackboard, fences, doors, etc. These letters were received and refer-

red to the supply committee with power to act. Pemberton & Sons gave notice that

the fire insurance on the Pemberton house; tyler. C. Hammond. gymnasium would expire on the 19th After the installation the members inst. Received and referred to the inbade farewell to P.D.D.G.M. G. Hickey, surance committee with power to act. who leaves shortly for England, and in For the position of principal of the

Boys' Central School, made vacant by the resignation of Principal Netherby, the following applications were received: From T. A. Wilson, L. Tate, Samuel Moore, O. H. Cogswell, A. W. Currie, Robert Landswell, S. Sheppard and J. C. Sorby. . The following applicants were will-

At the conclusion of the business of the ing to accept any position: Lottie A. Powell, Ellen Ray Lee, S. Blackwell, swarmed around the banquet tables, where Mr. J. Day, of the Esquimalt E. Caspell, Maggie S. Blackburn, Annie E. Fraser, Elizabeth E. Sylvester, Edith M. Dalby, G. H. Sluggett, W. N. Winsby, E. A. Huggard and C. J. Butchart, B.A., while R. W. Clark applied for a nosition at the high school.

For the position of inspector to the city schools there were 61 applicants. The S. Imperieuse. applications, which come with bulky references, from all parts of Canada and the U. S., were as follows: G. H. Armstrong, Toronto; A. C. Crosby, M.A., Forest; R. Sheppard, St. Mary's; P. J. Pilkey. M.A., Fort William: Hiram L. Smith, Belwood; D. H. Lent, Baltimore; Sylvanus Phillips, B.A., Tilsonburg; B. H. Davis, Toronto; W. R. Liddy, Port strains. Dover; E. S. Howard, B. A., Brampton; W. C. Simons, Lethbridge, N.W.T.; Rev. T. Clarke Robinson, St. Catharines; Stanley W. Matthews, Peterboro; D. B. to the M.W.G.M. of B. C. was pro-Dandeno, Williamstown; W. J. Christ-holm, Paisley; J. W. Odell, Coburg; J. burn and G.S. Quinlan responded. The

R. Street, Worcester, Mass.; W. J. Drope, Grimsby; W. Ben, Nayler, Mor-risburg; Minnie Smith, B. A., Orange-Bro. Hickey, and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly borored all provent court for Markey and after it had been duly ville: R. Galbraith, Killean: E. M. Bigg.

shored up and strengthemed and a new floor be put in the front hall of the From Tuesday's Daily. Girls' Central school, also repairs to -Wm. M. Vance, formerly editor of doors, blinds, etc. Referring to the the Monitor of Fort Scott, Kansas, uas grounds of these schools, they recomreceived notice of his appointment by the mended that the fences on School street and the lower portions of the fence on treasury department as commissioner of immigration at Vancouver. Vance is now Yates street, from the corner of School street to the boundary fence, be taken on his way to Vancouver. down and the grounds thrown open. -No. 2 company of the First Battalion Also that the dead oak tree near the enof the Fifth Regiment at a meeting held trance be removed and suitable trees yesterday evening decided to send three placed on the grounds. When the fences representatives to the provincial rifle meet are taken down the grounds will be yet having heard from the owner of the to be held at Nanaimo. The selection clothes. A drunk was convicted and diswill be made from the scores at the rifle On the motion of Trustee Dr. Hall charged. shoots to be held at Clover Point on this report was adopted and referred Saturday next and on the 24th inst. -The funeral of the late Mrs. T. R. The board then went into committee Collyer took place this afternoon at 2 p.m. from her late residence on Fort street, and later from St. Barnabas church. Rev. Mr. Haslam conducted the burial services both at the church and at MASONS AT A BANQUET. the cemetery. The pallbearers were William Endan, A. Oldershaw, J. John-United Service Lodge, A. F. & A. M. son, J. Griffith, M. Blacyere and R. Sem-Installs Officers. United Service Lodge, No. 24, A. F. & -The total number of subscriptions by A. M., Esquimalt, installed officers yesschool children to the Victorian Order half price. terday evening and after the installaof Nurses is \$298.50. The latest subtion held a banquet. The installation scriptions received are: West Side ceremonies were conducted by P.G.M. school, \$2; Mission City, \$1; North McKeown, with R.W. Bro. Hickey, as Ward, Victoria, \$8.05; Sapperton, \$2.95; Grand D. of C., assisted by S.G. W. J. W. Coburn; G.S. Quinlan, W. Bros. Cart-Upper Sumas, \$3.10; Vesuvius Bay, 40 cents; Kettle River, \$4; East Vancoumel. Netherby and Muir, and the officers ver, \$6.70; Big Bar Creek, \$2; Sumas, who were installed were: W.M., H. J. \$1; and Cache Creek, \$2. Geake; I.P.M., J. J. Beatley; S.W., Rev. C. Esnor Sharp; J.W., T. E. N. Wood--The Chinese cook of the steamer Ros gate; chaplain, Rev. W. D. Barber: alie and another Chinaman are in durtreasurer. G. Phillips; secretary, R. Olance vile in Port Townsend on the ford: S.D., F. J. Binley: J.D., T. D. charge of smuggling opium into the Unit-Roberts: Dir. of Cer., E. H. Pover: ored States. It seems that they have been ganist, E. Harding; I.G., F. J. Dean;

BRIEF COLALS.

in a Counensed Form.

in the business for some time past of Sr. Steward, A. Louton; Jr. Steward, G. smuggling dope, for a false floor was dis-F. Fletcher; Ass. Dir. of Cer., J. Woodcovered in the cook's galley and here on a search being made by the inspectors when the steamer arrived at Seattle 30 5-tael tins of opium were discovered. The opium was, of course, seized by the aurecognition of the services rendered by thorities him they presented him with a beautiful silver water cooler. And this was

-An investigation is being held at the Jubilee Hospital this afternoon into charges made by Mr. McHugh of Saa:1ich: of alleged ill-treatment of his son while the boy was a patient at the hospital. At the request of Mr. McHugh, a evening the members and their friends representative of the Times was sent to the hospital to attend the investigation. The newspaper man was told by one of hotel, had prepared a sumptuous repast. the nurses that the investigation was In preparing the banquet, however, he being held in the office. Upon applicahad been assisted by Mr. Pevrey, the being held in the office. Upon applica-tion being made for admittance, Dr. Richardson, the resident physician, re-fused it, and in fact denied that an in-vestigation was being held at all. vestigation was being held at all.

phion; and Mr. Lambert, chef of H. M. -Neil Jamieson, well known in Vic-W. M. Geake, the newly elected mas- toria, he having formerly resided here, ter, presided, and on either side of him died in San Francisco on Saturday 1851, sat I.P.M. Beatley and P.G.M. Mc- and his remains were brought here on Keown. There were over sixty at the the steamer Umatilla for interment. His tables, and a merry lot they were. mother accompanied the remains from Bantly's orchestra was present and en- the Bay City. Mr. Jamieson was a nalivened the evening with their sweet tive of Whidby island, Wash., and was 36 years of age. Until a few years ago Mr. Jamieson was a resident of Victoria, The toast to the Queen was drunk with all patriotism, and then, after the health his father, the late Michael Jamieson, of the craft had been drunk, the toast being street foreman. His sister, Mrs. H. Stanton, resides at Nanaimo. The funeral will take place at 9:45 to-morburn and G.S. Quinlan responded. The row morning from Hayward's undertak-

The Glad Tidings, the little mission

poured all over and about him. His

screams attracted the attention of the

crew and he was rescued quickly, but

not until he was scalded over the most

of his body. Cooper was stripped of ms

clothes and was able to walk ashore

membered, escaped from Constable Seeley on the West Coast, but was re-captured by that officer. Jensen is described as follows: Age, 24; height, 5 feet 4 inches; brown hair, fair complexion and rather slimly built.

Brought Over-They Will -Annie Smith, a Hydah Indian woman, was this morning fined \$10, or in default 14 days, for assaulting Mrs. Josephine Nelson. Mrs. Nelson went to the woman's house to pay a bill, and because she would not go in and be sociable, the Smith woman pulled her The Extra Steamers of the Northern Pacific Will Not Come Backhair, bit her and generally assaulted her. Eugene Frank, charged with having stolen property in his possession, was re-manded for another day, the police not

pany's steamer Pelican, Capt. Gove, ar--The steamer City of Nanaimo will leave the E. & N. railway wharf at 2 rived at the quarantine station from the o'clock on Saturday for North Saanich. returning at 9 o'clock in the evening. after the 103 Japanese brought by the The excursion is in aid of the Protestant steamer had gone through the usual pro-Orphans' Home, and on this account, as cess of disinfection, and any microbes well as for the enjoyable trip, it should be well patronized. Refreshments will be served on board the steamer by the members of the ladies' committee, which is a guarantee that everything will be nice, and those attending will not have to worry over a lunch basket. The fare for the round trip is 50 cents; children.

-About 2 o'clock yesterday morning, after his labours were ended, Baron von Kettler, proprietor of the Regent Saloon, on the corner of Johnson and Douglas streets, barred the door of his saloon and wended his way homeward. Imagine his surprise when about an hour afterward he was awakened by a hackman who had been sent by the nightwatchman to tell him that some one had broken into his saloon. He dressed hur-riedly, and accompanied the hackman down town, and on investigating he found that the bolt of the door had been drawn from the inside, showing that when he barred the door he must have locked someone in, who was hiding inside. He found the sum of \$18.25 miss ing from the till, but none of his stock of whiskies and other liquors was gone. He lost no time on discovering that he had been robbed to inform the police, who are now working one the case. The same morning Mr. Johnson, proprietor of the Trilby Theatre, locked a man in his place of business, but it must have been accidental on the part of both Mr. Johnson and the man, as nothing was stolen, and the only damage was a broken window by which the man made his escape from the building.

From Thursday's Daily.

-Mr. G. Hickey, who for the past five years has acted as carpenter at the naval yard. Esquimalt, is now about to leave the naval villar's to go back to England. He will leave as soon as his relief, Mr. E. Earl of Devonport, arrives. "The local treasurer of the fund to-

wards the establishment of the Victorian Order of Nurses announces that the total row in hand is \$325.05. The latest subscriptions are as follows: Local Council of Women, \$10; Hales public school, .70; triangle on the red ground then will be Harewood school, .55; Rossland school and Record children's fund, \$13.30; and East school, Vancouver, \$2.

-That good peaches can be grown in Victoria, and vicinity is being amply proved at the present time. Ald. Harrison, as usual, has a good crop in his orbhard in James Bay, and Mr. John R. & N. Co. to arrive will be the steamer Pelletier, of Fisguard street, has a tree

Hennebury. All of them were well PELICAN ARRIVES known in this city, where they had many

Go Fishing.

Willapa Repaired.

From Thursday's Dally.

friends, who have heard with regret the news of their death. What with Prof. Jordan's corals and Few Saloon but Many Japanese

branding machines and the restrictions placed upon pelagic sealing, the sealing business is in its decline. The significant fact that this year there are but thirty sealing schooners having their head quarters at Victoria hunting the seals, whereas there were sixty-four last year, shows plainly that the sealing men ar shows plainly that the sealing men are losing interest in the business. More than half of them prefer leaving their vessels tied up in the harbor and wan-dering about Wharf street, crying "Ichabod!" to going to sea at all. In the opin-ion of many of them it seems that one course will pay just about as well as The Northern Pacific Steamship Comthe other. Of the thirty who have clear. ed for Behring Sea, 19 sailed from Vic. toria direct, 10 from the Japanese coast and one from Victoria to the Copper Orient at an early hour this morning and islands. Of those which sailed from Japan and the one that sailed for Copper islands, all may not go into the sea.

Reports received at San Francisco that may have been lurking about then from the sealing fleets, both in northern baggage killed off, she came alongside the and Japanese waters, are that the season outer wharf. It was about 11 o'clock has been the worst ever known. Owners when she berthed and let her Japanese of a number of vessels in the Bay City passengers loose. The greater portion of have decided not to send their ships out the dusky little men are going to the next season. They are considering the canneries to act as fishermen. Among advisability of turning their atetntion to the Japanese the desire to go fishing hunting a species of white crane found seems strong, for it is with the utmost along the Central American coast. These difficulty that the Japanese members of birds produce feathers that bring good the crew are restrained from deserting. prices in the market. H. Anderson and The last time the Pelican was here seva companion have returned from a hunt eral of them disappeared, and to prevent this cccurring on this trip the ship's along the western coasi. They were gone one year, and Anderson says they quartermasters are lined up along the each made \$3,000. The birds are abundwha.f watching, and should any of the ant and easily shot, and it is his inten-Japanese attempt to desert they will imtion to return as soon as the weather bemediately bring them back. There were but three European passengers. Two are comes cooler.

carpenters named W. Luker and F. Ger-The steamer Danube, Capt. Meyers, ald, who have come by way of Calcutta, Straits Settlement and Yokohama from will sail for the north this evening at South Africa. They have been working 8 o'clock, extending her trip this time at their trade in Pretoria and are of the to Skidegate and calling at the various opinion that no one need be without work canneries and way ports en route. She there, for work is plentiful in every line. has a fair cargo of general provisions The other passenger is T. H. Flood, a has a fair cargo of general provisions Kobe tea merchant. He says that the and cannery supplies, and the following tea merchants and other business men of passengers are booked to sail on her Kobe and Yokohama are much agitated Mrs. (Captain) Meyers and family, who over the new United States tariff. The are going to accompany the captain on tea crop this season as far as can be as- the round trip; Mr. and Mrs. Corker, certained at present has been a good one missionaries, of the Canadian Mission all round. The Pelican did not bring a Society, who are stationed at Alert Bay very heavy cargo of freight, her whole and who are returning home after a trip cargo being about 1,500 tons, mostly tea, to Victoria; and H. E. Miller, a mining matting and general merchandise. About man from Spokane, who has his eye on 40 tons were landed here. The Pelican some mining property at Port Essing left this afternoon, continuing her voyage ton.

While the Pelican was lying at the

The large freight business of the past wharf one of the Japanese crew, after month, which was largely due to the fact looking with envious eyes at the Japanthat the merchants on the other side of ese passengers who were to go fishing. of Pacific were eager to rush much refused duty and tried to leave the ship. tea and other merchandise into the Unit-Capt. Gove restrained him and kept him ed States before the new tariff in that on board, and then summoning Provincountry came into effect, having in a cial Constable McKenna he threatened measure fallen off, the four extra steamto give him in charge. The Jap, not ers chartered by the Northern Pacific fancying the idea of languishing in jail, Steamship Company will, on the concluwent to Tacoma, where ne says he will sion of their present voyages, leave that go before the Japanese consul and secure

DEER PARK MINE.

italists of eastern Canada.

action was unanimous and harmonious

several parties anxious to secure the

stock could be secured. President Mul-

There seemed to be some difference of

opinion among the directors as to what

the public was entitled to know of the

deal. One gentleman declared it was an

outright sale, and said that as soon as

the necessary transfers could be made

work on the property would be recom-

menced on a bigger and more active scale

than ever. Mr. Mulholland said, how-

ever, that the new company was yet to

be organized, but that he had all ar-

rangements completed; that it was in-

tended to deal properly with all stock-

holders and allow them to take stock in

the new company, or arrangemen

would be made to purchase their stock i

they did not wish to accept the transfer.

The company, he said, would be officered

The Deer Park is said to be a pr

Without a Peer-Works Miracles

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is

Tacoma, Columbia; Olympia and Pelican. The Olympia is the next steamer Arrangement for Its Transfer to a Tor of the line to come to Victoria: she is onto Syndicate. now on her way here from Hongkong.

holland.

his discharge.

She will leave Yokohama for this port At the annual meeting of the Deer on Saturday; the 17th inst., arriving here Park Mining Company in the Rookery building last night a deal was effected by which the property was sold to a Toronto Monmouthshire, which is now on her way syndicate, represented by L. W. Mulhol

British Colum

VANCOUVER. On Monday evening Kitty waitress, was shot dead by Wm. J. Immel, who immedi after killed himself. Jealou parently the cause of the trag Askew was a step-daughter dron, who kept a little fruit store near the Market Hall months ago, and who was for the position of chief of and Kitty's mother are no Port Haney. She has live about ten years, and for t weeks has been employed as at the Boulder restaurant, fact, only just got home few minutes before the tr was 18 years of age, blonde and tall, with a fine figure. for some smallpox marks she would have been a prewith the patrons of the res popular on account of her a quiet manner. She had occu in Mrs. Casher's house on P between Seymour and Rich and it was on the street a of Richards and Pender, the baker's shop that the su'cide took place. William the dead girl's lover, who and then turned the gun on about 28 years of age and at height. He was a blacksmi but had done various othe work when unable to get regular trade. He went work last fall and only re about three months ago, and of his suicide he working smith's shop on Water str said to have been a good w a steady, industrious fello fault being his extreme, je Kitty, and his hasty temper, not improved by the sharp an him by his sweetheart. Som

rel resulted in the shooting. ver used by Immel was one It lay alongside him. Four chambers bore marks of ha cently emptied, while the the fifth showed that Immel ed to discharge it, but that ed fire. The first shot was corner of Richards and Pen and evidently the deceased not hit, as she ran out to t the street and then down street in a semi-circle. Int while fired away at her and in sending the leaden bullet message. The bullet that struck her just over the hear as he saw her fall, Immel tu volver on himself, and, evid it in his mouth, as the bul through the brain and came top of the head. Death must instantaneous in his case, bu an lived for a moment or two Mr. Dunn reached the spot

still gasping. A letter was received yest the foreman of the Golden C announcing another rich latest find is in the new No. nel, at a depth of 18 feet. foreman's own words, the o with gold."

On Sunday night the fishin opened, and quite a number went out. The run, however small. At a meeting of the Saturday in this city, it was pay not more than 10 cents

M.A., Parkhill; Frank E. Pirney, Norwood: J. Harold Putnam, Ottawa: R. A. Patterson, Perth; Sidney Silcox; Collingwod: R. F. Greenlees, Pictou: John Urquhart, Thamesford; N. Robertson, Drummond; A. Mowat, Meaford; W. W. Ireland, Fergus; Archibald Mc-Vicar, B.A., Mull; A. H. Smith, Moosomin, Assa.; G. B. Sparling, Deer Park; John K. Johnston, West Lorne; Neil McDougall, Parkhill; Thos. Jamieson, Vanleek Hill; C. W. Harrison, Grimsby; Robert S. Strath, B.A., Toronto; Walter K. Foucar, Barrie; J. D. Dickson, Niagara Falls; W. J. Hamilton, Cohurg: J C Hamilton Kingston D A Givens, Phoenix, Ariz.; W. Carlyle, Woodstock; Gilbert A. Smith, M.A., Toronto; Charles Brack, Collingwood; James Morgan, M.A., Barrie; A. McCulloch, M.A., Thorold; J. H. Long, M.A., L.L.B., Hamilton; H. de la Matter, Williamstown; John Houston, M.A., Clinton; D. D. Moshier, Toronto; J. M. Martin, M.A., Listowel; A. C. Cassellman, San Francisco; Frank H. Eaton, Kentville, N.S.; James Morris, Kincardine: Lyman C Smith Oshawa: W R. Robeson, Prescott; John McCool, B.A. Paisley; and Ernest E. C. Kilmer, Stratford.

After the lengthy list of applicants had been read the members of the board looked at the bulky piles of applications and references and reflected silently, each one endeavoring to evolve some plan to deal with them without holding an all-night, session. They seemed afraid to tackle the task, and after many suggestions had been made as to how to go about it, they finally laid over till next Thursday the applications, together with the applications for principalship and for positions on the teaching staff. 121 1 1 1 The finance committee reported recom-

mending the appropriation of the sum of \$178.63 for the payments of the accounts for the month. The secretary reported that the sum-

The mary of attendance for the month of June was adopted as below: Average daily, 1,873.59; average actual, 1,852.94; pupils actually in attendance, 1,992; average per teacher, 41.5. The motions of Trustee Dr. Hall, no

tice of which were given at the last meeting of the board, were allowed to stand over until the inspector is appointed. TrusteenDr. Hall reported in refer-

ence to the acquirement of land adjoin ing the Victoria West school as a play ground fonothe children. The committee, he said, were able to acquire a portion of the ground, but the portion directly adjoining the school the proprietor refused to sell. The committee recommended that the matter be accordingly

dropped. The report was adopted. The alterations and repairs committee reported regarding the proposed al-terations at the Central schools. They would like to have materially changed the ventilating system so as to give better ventilation, but as they had not the ssary funds they could not see their way clear to do so. However, they affecting the navivation of Cavadian recommended certain changes in the matter of ventilation, such as opening ment of marine and fisheries, Ottawa,

wents in the tops of partitions, and other | Canada.

God Bless the Prince of Wales." The next toast was steamer on which Rev. Thomas Crosby has been pursuing his missionary labors. the health of the worshipful master, profor a long time past in the missionary nosed by G.M. Rev. C. Esnor Sharp, W. fields of the Northern British Columbia M. Geake rep'ying in a brief but eloquent coast, arrived from the north yesterday address. "The visitors" was responded evening, and is now lying at her wharf to by P. M. Henderson, of Wascana above the E. & N. railway bridge. As lodge, Regina, N. W. T.; W. M. Richardthe reverend gentleman has changed his son, of Victoria Columbia lodge. No. 1; field of labor, he having been assigned Bro. A. Maxwell Muir, of Vancouver to the lower division of the British Co-Quadra: and P. M. Netherby, of Vanlumbia coast, the steamer will henceforth; couver-Ouadra: while S. W. Brett and make her headquarters at Victoria. S. W. Stewart, of the Victoria Colum-With his wife and family, who arrived bia lodge, replied on behalf of the sister down from the north on the Danube lodges. The press. proposed by Rev. C. a few days ago, Rev. Mr. Crosby has Esnor Sharp, the ladies and the Tylers taken up his residence in the city. toasts closed the proceedings. During the evening songs were intersporsed -William Cooper, a fireman of the amongst the various toasts by Bres. steamer Rosalie, was scalded more or less

Piper and Brown. seriously while the steamer was at Se-The city contingent arrived back in attle yesterday morning. Gooper was town about 1:30 s.m., a special car havtold by the engineer to go down into the ing waited to bring them back to the hold on some errand. Just as he reached city. the spot a cap blew off and the steam,

not the only presentation made, for the

worthy secretary, Brother R. E. Olford,

received in recognition of his services as

secretary a silver tea service.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Information Relative to the Magnetic Variations in B. C. Waters. The following notice to mariners rela-

Dr. J. B. Eagleson of the Marine Hospitive to the magnetic variation in British tal service thinks Cooper will be out Columbia waters has been issued by Mr. again in three weeks, for he is able to

F. Gourdeau, deputy minister of marine sit up, and the only scalds that are deep and fisheries: are the ones on his left hand and arm. Information received by this depart-

From Wednesday's Daily. ment from various source's appears to -Daniel O'Brien, a stone cutter by indicate that the magnetic variation in trade, died this morning at his residence, the waters between the mainland of 74 Kane street. He was a native of British Columbia and Vancouver island Limerick, Ireland, aged 77 years, and is changing more rapidly than is indicathad resided here for about nine vears. ed by the notes on admiralty charts. Heart disease was the cause of death. When Mr. Stewart surveyed Vancou-The funeral will take place on Friday ver harbor in 1891, he found the magmorning at 9:45, services being conduct netic variation to be 23 degrees 25 E.

ed at St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral. and the variation was set down as de--The funeral of the late Neil Jamie creasing 1 (one minute) annually. From recent bearings taken by Captain J. T. son took place this morning from the Walbran it would appear that the varia-Roman Catholic Cathedral, mass being celebrated by the Rev. Father Nicolaye tion at Vancouver is about 25 degrees E. magnetic variation shown on ad. and the service at the Ross Bay cemetery miralty chart No. 580, at Baynes Sound, is about 23 degrees 30 minutes. by the Rev. Father Leterme. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Recent observations by officers of the Thomas Deasy, O. Weiler, A. G. Sargi royal navy indicate the easterly variason, L. McNeil, A. McNeven and R.

Margetts. tion at that place to be more than 26 degrees. Similar reports from other lo-

calities indicate a rapid and well defined -Yesterday evening Rev. Dr. Campbell solemnized the marriage of Mr. Henry Crosby Marr and Miss Mary E. increase in the easterly variation. Mariners are warned that they may Cole. The wedding took place at the nd the easterly variation throughout First British Columbia waters greater than is shown on the charts, and are requested s'reet. o forward particulars of any observaons they may take for variation to the chief engineer of the department of marine and fisheries, Ottawa, conclusion of the ceremony.

All bearings, unless otherwise noted, are magnetic, and are given from sea

ward, miles are nautical miles, heights are above high water, and all depths. are at mean low water. Pilots, masters or others interested, arc rnestly requested to send information of dangers, changes in elds to navigation, notices of new shoals or channels. errors in publications, or any other facts waters to the chief engineer, denart

ed in the search. Jensen, it will be re- & Co.

that would do tolCalifornia. There are numerous trees in the city, all bearing well.

> -Dauntless Lodge, C.O.O.F., at their neeting on Tuesday evening, resolved to visit Fernwood Lodge on Friday evening. when officers will be installed and a social time will be held. Dauntless Lodge have elected the following as officers for the term: P.N.G., A. Neil; V.G., Thos. Diarham; Rec. Sec., H. Firth; Treas., J T. Pearse: Con., Dr. K. H. Carter: L.S. N.G., H. Martin; L.S.V.G., J. Allison; O.G. C. Moore; N.G., W. Gray; L.M. Jas. Tagg; Fin. Sec., J. B. Colvin; War S. Shore; R.S.N.G., J. Welsh; R.S.V.G.

Williamson I.G., H. G. Waterson; Lodge Surgeon, Dr. F. J. Hall.

-Rev. R. J. Roberts, of Kuper Island, has been appointed a member of the Sir Isaac Pitman memorial fund for the United States and Canada. The reverend gentleman, whose jurisdiction covers the, whole province, will be pleased to receive subscriptions towards this fund. As yet it has not been definitely decided as to what form the proposed memorial will take, but this will in a great measure depend upon the support accorded to the scheme by the public. Anyone desirous of contributing to the fund should address their contributions to Rev. R. J. Roberts. Chemainus postoffice.

-Yesterday while at Beecher Bay on olice duty, Provincial Officer McKena

isited Geo. Brown, who was shot some nonths ago by John Aiken. Brown can The buzz of the saw and the clang not live long. The once big, strong man is shrinking away, and it cannot be long before the end comes. The bullet, which entered his chin, was never extracted. and as there is a lump at the back of neck, it is believed that the bullet lodged there. As Brown is still unable to come to town, Aiken was to-day remanded for another eight days. In the interval a magistrate will go down and take Brown's evidence, so there will be no further delays. Much sympathy is expressed for Aiken, as it is believed that he fired fearing that Brown would take his life.

South American Kidney Cure the Oply Specific for Kidney Disease-A Liquid and Solvent - Never Fails.

KIDNEY GRIND

Medical science has proved beyond Presbyterian manse on Cook doubt that the solid particles which pass Mr. J. S. Ellgood supported the groom and Miss Janet Webster the through the kidneys in the ordinary bride. The happy couple left for the course of circulation-and which in time Sound on their honeymoon tour after the so grind and wear these organs that they become diseased and will not per-

form the functions for which they were -Harry Jensen, who was sentenced to created require a solvent to dissolve 18 months for a robbery committed on the and eradicate from the system there for-

West Coast, escaped from the chain eign substances, and the great South gang at the provincial jail to-day. The American Kidney Cure has proven to the guard's back happening to be turned to Jensen, that slippery individual scaled the fence and made off. It was several minutes before the guard missed him, stration of the fact that a solvent must and as Jensen had no irons on he got a be administered. If in despair use this good start of the officers. The provin-cial police were telephoned for and join- Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall

o the Orien' laden with lumber. The steamers now leaving the Northern Pacific line will not lie up by any means.

line. The only steamers to fly the white

the same old five, the steamers Victoria,

to Tacoma.

for there is lots of work for them to do on the other side. Steamers are far from | It was claimd by members of the old being a drug on the market on that side of the Pacific. for there is a great demand for steam tonnage. On the line running to New York and Europe rates The facts appear to be that there were have advanced, and all the steamers that can be obtained are being chartered to Deer Park, provided a majority of the run on those routes. In the Chinese and Japanese coast trade there is also a holland, however, refused to sell his great demand for steamers.

stock, as he had opportunities, he said, to place the property among his asso-The steamer Alki, of the Pacific Coast ciates in Eastern Canada. The directors Steamship Company, which arrived down / held two sittings, one in the afternoon from Alaska yesterday, will on her way and the other in the evening, and at the north on her next trip change her prolatter the deal was closed with Mr. Mul-

gramme and call at the outer wharf. Several passengers will embark here on their way to the fields of the golden north, among them being the members of a syndicate who are taking 60 head of cattle and 15 horses into the Clondyke country. They will take passage on the Alki to Chilcoot, and from there they will make their way in by way of the White Pass. The Alki will carry a large crowd of passengers and a considerable quantity of freight. The excursion steamer Queen, of the same line, is due on her way down from the north on Sunday. She is crowded with excursionists, and on her next trip upwards she will also be

crowded, for all her accommodation was taken up some time ago:

> by new men, who had plenty of means and stood high in the financial and minof the hammers of Turpel's shipwrights will cease to-morrow evening, and the ing world, and within thirty days he hoped to have the organization completed steamer Willapa with the colors of the C. and arrangements made to continue the P. N. Co. at her masthead will come off the ways on which she has rested for development of the property. the past few weeks. The steamer has ing property, and there seems to be little been thoroughtly refitted, and the carpenters have wrought wonders in her doubt in the minds of mining men but cabins. The bunks and fittings, which that with proper development it will bethe northern siwashes got away come a good mine. The property is lo-cated in Rossland. The old company had with when they looted the vessel as she lay on Enterprise reef, have all been replacabout 4,000 stockholders scattered over the globe. It was run with a flourish ed, and anyone who saw her as she lay at the wharf when Capt. John Irving for a while, but the funds were finally spent, and work was suspended several brought her in about it month ago will hardly know her now. She is to be put weeks ago .- Spokesman-Review, July 11. on the West Coast route, and in the

opinion of local mariners she is just the boat for that service. The Tees is to be placed on the northern route during the without a peer. This great remedy inbusy season.

stantly relieves the most aggravated and distressing forms of heart disease. The sad news of the death of Joe Andrews, or as he was sometimes is the surest and quickest acting for-known, Joe Cameau. a hunter on the mula for heart trouble known to mediscaling schooner Geneva, and the loss of cal science, and thousands of times has a boat from that schooner" containing the hand of the grim destroyer been three men. was to-day confirmed in a stayed by its use. If there is palpita-letter to Collector of Customs Milne, 'tion, shortness of breath, pain in left from the British consul at Hakodate. side, smothering sensations-don't That the three men who were lost from hay or you may be counted in the loss the yessel were drowned now seems list of those who have gone over to the certain, for it is upwards of two months since they were lost, and no word has in the world to day was not promptly since been heard of them. They are used.

Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall rated as dead by the consul, for he has sent over their effects and wages, as & Co.

well as those of Cameau. so that their Barrie, July 14 .-- A five-chambered revolvrelatives may get them. The three men for whom all hope has been given up are J. Collinson, whose relatives are now liv-ing at Mayne island, A. Hodgins and W. were confined,

land, president of the present comany, or, two-thirds of 10 cents if gear rather, disposed of to Mr. Mulholland, who is ready to place it with leading caped. Nearly all the fishermen to work, very few holding cents. The Indians and Jan company that a majority of the stock was represented at the meeting, and that the

nowever, reported to be very ed and angry with the white who were the first to go ba agreement to demand 15 cents tus white man" is frequently

NANAIMO.

Nanaimo, July 15 .- Repo een current for some tim Wellington Coal Company of presentatives of the Dunsmi draining Diver lake for the taking the coal which lies be tain parties propose taking act their right to this coal, on that the Island Railway or Act never conveyed any la the belt. The advice of so most eminent legal gentlemen sought and obtained in th which support the views of will object to the mining of by the Dunsmuir corporation so it is contended, belongs enti crown, as represented by the authorities, and any attempt by anybody will lead up to ble. To convey land covered such as lakes, etc., special mer be made thereof. At comm would take a specially drawn carry on such an intenti pretty clearly ascertained that covered by lakes has not been in the whole area of the conv A letter received by Mrs. from her husband, Mr. Wm. who is en route to the Yukon, Isaac Thompson accidentally self on May 16. He was in taking some clothes out of his he accidentally discharged his volver, with fatal effect. members of the Deeming party body of their deceased comrade island near Lake Marsh, and buried all that was mortal of lar young citizen. They placed the head of the grave, inscribi the name-Isaac Thompson. A short time since the pro

the Comet claim on Texada specimens at random from t and sent them a way for an ass port. A reply has just been which is very encouraging. In the specimens go \$45 to the to will be pushed on the claim this promising property.

Word has been received from kon to the effect that Mr. S goods merchant of Nana Mr. John Wilkinson, a coal mil same city, had sold out their their claims for \$50,000 each, nowever, a full interest in th rk, which is a good sized d which is likely to contain anoth more, as' it is an exception

The Vulcan claim, situated a of Mount Benson, in the vicin anaimo lakes, has been en ked for some time past. so your corresponden ormed, very good indeed. I