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to the endowment of the University. This is a great stride in the right direction. Its effects will be permanently felt. The establishment of a court of appeal is another measure which will characterize the session. We took occasion at the time to speak in hearty terms of approval of the spirit with which the members of the House discussed the budg-through the spirit was some sharp criticism.

about the resources of the province, it is impossible to speak too highly.

The present legislature does not suffer in comparison with any of its predecessors. Indeed if one should say that it is in many respects the superior of any that has preceded it, we do not know that the claim could not be sustained.

RAIL TO THE MAINLAND

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One year 100
Six months 50
Three months 55
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GENERAL KUROKI'S VISIT

His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor has been notified by the Secretary of State that General Kuroki, represently means now, at the time this city in the course of a few days, and he has been requested to extend to him such official courtesies as the general's stay in the city will permit. As the day when the disharge of the length of his stay here are unknown. It is impossible for the Lieutenant-Governor to say at present what he will provide his household with the length of his stay here are unknown.

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The Mainland will become a limporate take on a important to discovery the discovery of the man discovery the military authorities here to take on action, which would be a not pleased because the question of rall connection with the Mainland was not pleased because the question of the man dh is high representative sensition. At Seattle great preparations are length and the single representative states the sensity of the United States is coming to greet him and escort him to Jamestown. The Commander in Chief of the army of the United States is coming to greet him and escort him to Jamestown. The conqueror of Russia in the field, but because he representatives at Ottawa, no one can under the converse of the conqueror of Russia in the field, but because he represents our powerful ally across the Pacific.

We can quite understand that this steamer will stop at Victoria.

The decision of the Hudeon Bay control to the fact that his steamer will stop at Victoria and that he will provide his household with the very pleasing duty which has devolved upon him.

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We do not care to say very much

has been little or no loss of time, and nothing that could be called obstruction. The discussions have on the whole been carried on with good taste and without the engendering of any party bitterness. The tone of the House has been good, and we feethat we can congratulate the province upon the general ability of the gentlemen, who were elected last January.

As time passes it will probably be found that the most important measure of the session was that relating to the endowment of the University, This is a great stride in the right direction. Its effects will be perma-

speak in hearty terms of approval of the spirit with which the members of the House discussed the budget. There was some sharp criticism on the part of the Opposition, but no more than was quite excusable, even though it was completely answered by the government. It is the duty of the Opposition to criticize, and it cannot be said that they overstepped the mark or displayed any great partizan feeling. In regard to the observations made during that debate

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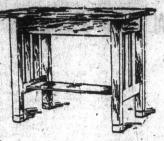
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July 2, 1902. Wachusett Mills. Worcester, Mass

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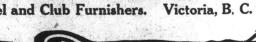
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by numbers and not low is, that a belief omparative recent or very many centu t was confined to a si , the descendants of is in part due to the very recently the of people, even am had very little know has transpired in the very narrow field, onfusion arising understanding of ancient peoples. very natural many people think name of the Deity the actual name of ward. Hence a signed series of letters of the Hindus "Om." of not very defined proaching very clo ians regard as Trinity, which is Ghost." It never oc sionary that he was which deserved If a Hindu had England signed by the third person in the churches would scandalized. This ionary had mistake his particular section cribes to the Deity, for self. One of the pract dhists by which they r which they claim to be ly are, superior to a roundings, is the co of the word "Om," ed position of the bod centration of the n source of all wisdom are disposed to regard foolish, but if we would the practices inculcate teachers, and substitu sign for the name of th or the other of His thr and do the same thin the practices taught by placing an algebraic s of names, it would the most learned of eco which precept was which pagan. Taking a world-wide

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