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tricts, by elaborate organ In contrast to the acti stag, in the lower house diet to-day the Centrists, niges and Socialists again a similar motion to con Bismarck on his birthd instance the governmen doption of the proposition jority.

The rejection of the n to cause a great dear o country. Richter, the I foresaw this when, a fe explained the reason w would oppose the proposi was not a question of p an aged statesman. Bis ed, still represented not be divided into the achieved so much in be unity and the Bismarch thoroughly hostile to L ter said "He does not cal career as finished. epportunity of influencia by the authority of his a policy which the Liber bat almost daily."

It is now decided tha liam will visit Bismarch taking with him his eld that his son may make quaintance of Prince Bis peror will stay six h three, as at first intende Emperor William rece to Prince Bismarck Emperor and Kings-I

ing reply to the messag esty to accept the respe of my gratitude for the ously sent, in which ye transferred the action opponents, concerning yet fully informed, into ful satisfaction. Bismar SEALING COMM

Arrangements Being Mac

for a New Behring

Washington, March 2 are being arranged for t new treaty between the and Great Britain conce sea seizures. The nego carried on in Washingto Hibbert Tupper and other men of the Dominion w co-operate with Sir Juli the British ambassador, terms of the treaty. probably be held this fall ed treaty is rendered n inaction of Congress on t seizures. Its purpose w commission to hear all the determine the amount to be paid to the seized being signed the treaty submitted to the senate and unless there is an e cannot be accomplishedcember. Another phase tion which may come u with adjustment of the framing of a new modus means of protecting the s Sea.

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Port Luis, Island of M 24. John L. Waller. f States consul at Tamat Madagascar, has been

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araguan canal shall h and a government com

Contractor Adams is Fined \$25 and away. Costs and Bound Over to

For Assaulting Inspector Howell at Haddington Island Quarry Last Wednesday.

Keep the Peace.

The provincial court room was crowded this afternoon when the Adams assault case was called. Justices of the Peace Ward and Pearson presided. The information as amended was read. There was a discussion whether the case should be tried under the summary trials act.

Deputy Attorney-General Smith said that Mr. Anderson was not present and he had been mistaken; that gentleman did not see the assault, as he thought he had done, and the only other witness for the crown was Mr. Mallandaine. He did not know whether the evidence would justify the court in disposing of the case summarily. The court had to decide that before the case went on. The offence had been committed in Nanaimo district, and that district was the proper place for trial. He asked that the case be made an indictable offence and he wanted other witnessess for the quarry, that was providing the court did not think that there was sufficient evidence to commit. The witnesses at Had- sault. dington Island were not here, and Mr. Mallandaine, the only person who saw the occurrence, was in the employ of

Mr. Helmcken said the defence was anxious that Mr. Adams should return much conversation. The entries should to Haddington Island to attend to his business. He did not object that Mr. Smith should see the witnesses from Haddington Island. He had no objection to an adjournment.

Deputy Attorney-General Smith said he had not had an opportunity of examining Mr. Mallandaine; he was of opinion that gentleman's evidence would not be favorable to the crown. Mr. Ward said that the court were pre-

pared to deal summarily. Mr. Smith said he might ask for a postponement.

Mr. Helmcken was prepared to give Mr. Smith time. Mr. Ward said there were too many adjournments. They had had plenty of

Mr. Smith said he was ready to go on with the charge, but to go on to trial was a different thing. The crown wit- and Mr. Adams said "How do you do?" nesses were 250 miles away. It was not to him in a fine manner. circumstances. He was convinced it was court.

prepared to go on. ment he would be prepared to go on, but loud tone. Mr. Howell was bleeding not if the case were to be tried summar- He could not hear what was going on;

continued to give the crown a chance to cut in the lip and one in the ear. see the witnes; he suggested Thursday

Mr. Ward: "The court has decided that the case will go on." Mr. Howell went into the box. He objected to Mr. Ward trying the case.

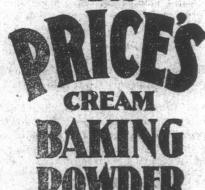
Mr. Ward was interested in the tug whole affair. Felos. The court objected to the statement

out fear or favor Mr. Smith asked the court to make a ested in the Adams contract, being a creditor of defendant and being part owner of the tug Velos.

Mr. Ward said that he supposed witness had reference to a company in the ear. The blow on the mouth was which he was interested. But since the the only one given. Witness pulled Mr. prosecution desired it the court had made Adams away from Howell. Howell

Mr. Howell swore that on Saturday. 12th instant, he was at Haddington Isfor the purpose of examining the quarry; he had instructions from the chief commissioner of lands and works. He took two letters to Mr. Adams. Mr. Mallandaine was also in the boat, and there was Captain Anderson. Mr. Adams was at Haddington Island. Mr. Mallandaine landed first and witness went ashore a few minutes later. Witness drew a diagram map of the landing to illustrate. He had some conversation with Mr. Joel and then walked over to Mr. Adams and handed him a letter from the curef commissioner and one from Archit t Rattenbury. Mr. Adams broke open the seal of the Chief Commissioner's letter and said "This is your bloody work. I wanted to catch you in a place like this. You will not leave here alive. I'll have your d-d life." Witness turned to walk away when Mr. Adams rushed at him and struck him on the right ear, making the blood fly out of it and bringing him to his knees. He received another blow in the mouth and a blow on

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Mr. Howell then gave way to Dr. cut on the lip, a bruise on the right knee | isfied in that manner.

would annoy a person a little. Mr. Howell, again on the stand, said: Adams had accused Architect Ratten-When Adams cooled down he asked him to shake hands and wash off the blood. Adams said there was a league of five who swore to do for him, and he supposed he would have to go to the penitentiary before the job was over.

There was laughter in court. Mr. Helmcken cross-examined. ed if he had a letter from the chief com-Mr missioner, Mr. Howell said yes. Helmcken wanted to see it. Mr. Smith objected to satisfying idle

curiosity. He wanted the point and the grounds stated in which the letter was Magistrate Ward said Mr. Howell was a government official. The court did not

want to see the letter. Witness said he had a diary and had made entries in it. He had made the entries within a few minutes of the as-Mr. Helmcken-Well, you could

have been very much hurt? Witness-That does not matter. It was an assault all the same. The court asked that there be not so

answer questions. Witness said the reason he did not deliver the letters before was that Mr. Adams was in conversation with Mr. Mallandaine. It was only 35 minutes from the time he left the Velos till he returned.

Mr. Helmcken-Why did you not deliver the letters at the first opportunity? Witness said he did deliver the letter at the first opportunity. Mr. Helmcken asked who gave the in-

structions? The reply was he received the letter from the lands and works department. Justice Pearson told witness to answer questions and not to argue.

Mr. Helmcken asked witness if would have hurt him to go and say "How do you do?" to Mr. Adams. Witness said he did go to Mr. Adams

right for the crown to go on, under the . A ripple of laughter ran through the Captain Anderson, of the barge Velos, Mr Ward said Mr. Smith ought to be said he heard someone talking very loud-

repared to go on.

Mr. Smith replied that under an indictMr. Adams and Mr. Howell talking in a they were too far away. Mr. Howell Mr. Helmcken asked that the case be came aboard. He was bleeding from a

The court asked how near he was to witness.

Witness could not give any idea. Deputy Attorney-General Smith said this was the trouble. He had understood that Captain Anderson had seen the

James Joel gave evidence that Mr. Adams opened the letter, read it, and and Mr. Ward said he did his duty with said: "This is some more of your d-d Howell made a reply, aut witwork." ness could not say what it was. Howell note of the objection that he was inter- tumbled down and Adams got hold of him by the coat collar. But there was only one blow struck. As Howell fell, his impression was, he struck a rock with his ear. Witness saw no blow struck on went aboard the boat and went away. Cross-examined, witness said Howell handed the letters in a curt sort of a land on board the Velos; he was there manner. Howell was not struck on the

ear. There was only one blow struck, and that on the mouth. The court-Were you there when the

ow commenced? Yes, sir. Will you swear that he only struck one blow?

Yes. sir. Did you shut your eyes? No. I did not. If any other blows had been struck

would you have seen them? Yes, I would. You would not swear that no other blow was struck? I did not see any other blow struck.

Where was the blow struck? On the mouth. Mr. Helmeken-Was there any blood in Mr. Howell's ear at the time the blow

was struck? I did not see it then. Architect Mallandaine said Adams swore at Howell, made a remark about a hornets' nest, took his coat off and rushed at him, striking him in the face. Howell fell and Joel and he pulled Adams off. Howell and Adams began dodging around some stones, Howell speaking to Adams. Adams at last cooled down and proposed to bury the hatchet and shake hands with Howell.

Did Mr. Adams only strike one blow? Yes, sir; I saw all that was going on. The court-How did Howell receive the ear wound?

By striking his ear on the rock. And you swear there were no more blows struck?

That concluded the case for the prose-Mr. Helmcken said he had no witness-

THE PUNISHMENT AWARDED the head which crushed his hat. Adams then attempted to kick him when down for the second time. Mr. Mallandaine It was the duty of Mr. Howell to go to took hold of Mr. Adams and drew him Mr. Adams and have given him his authority for coming on the island otherwise he was simply a trespasser. Jones, who was in a hurry to give his injuries were very slight. He asked the evidence, and was at once placed in the bench to inflict a small fine upon Mr. box. Mr. Howell was suffering from a Adams and held that justice will be sat

and a bruise on the right ear. The skin | Mr. Smith said the assault was brutal was not broken; it was only a slight and cowardly. The contents of the letabrasion. A blow or a fall could have ter gave offense to the defendant and caused the injuries. The knee injuries that was the cause of the assault. Mr. were caused by a fall. They would have Howell had merely carried out his duty. no permanent effect. These injuries The discrepancy between the evidence of Mr. Howell and the other witnesses was quite consistent with all telling the truth as far as they knew it. He wantbury and witness of damaging his credit. ed an example made of Mr. Adams. If the court inflicted a small fine Mr. Adams would go away and say he had the satisfaction of giving Howell a good thrashing. He asked that Mr. Adams be bound over to keep the peace at any rate.

The court-You did not ask whether Mr. Howell feared for his life. Mr. Smith contended the assault obviated any necessity of putting such a

question. The court then rose for ten minutes and returned and gave the verdict. The court considered that Mr. Howell could have acted differently and shown more courtesy to Mr. Adams; but that did not justify the assault. The evidence had been carefully considered and justice would be satisfied with a fine of \$25 and costs, and Mr. Adams was ordered to rive bonds to keep the peace himself in \$200 and a surety in \$200.

BRIEF LOCALS. Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

From Friday's Daily. -The steamship Miowera, Captain Stott, arrived from Vancouver about three o'clock and left about 4:30 outward bound for the south seas. She carried away a very fair cargo of general freight and the following passengers in the cabin. A. T. Higginson, H. A. Morris, W. R. Wilson, J. O. Muir, R. C. L. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Fay, R. G. Harvey, A. E. Harvey.

-A man named Brownlee alias Baker alias Lafelle, who broke jail at Westminister four years ago while serving a term of 18 months for highway robbery, was arrested here yesterday afternon by Constable Palmer. Some days ago Mr. Anderson, formerly of the provincial police service, saw Brownfee on the street and recognized him. He put the police on his trail. Then Governor Moresby came to the city and for a few days Brownlee kept shady. He was out again yesterday and was placed under arrest ing. Representatives to Supreme Lodge Spain arrived at Ahouset the Indians are by Constable Palmer. He denied that to be held at Chicago, June 11th, Gus said to have offened apposition to the arbe was the man wanted at first, but Leiser, Victoria; J. T. McIlmoyl, Saanrest of the deserter. later after Mr. Anderson identified bim ich, and H. Hay, New Westminster. The admitted his guilt. Under the name of next meeting of the Grand Lodge of sealers a great deal of trouble, and, it is Baker he recently served six months here British Columbia will be held at Victoria for stealing. He was taken to Westminister this morning by Constable Mc 1896. Kenna of the provincial force. He has some time to serve as he escaped after two months imprisonment.

-A Port Townsend dispatch of Monday says: "Archibald Anderson, third officer of the British ship Linlithgowshire, now in port, was accidentally struck by the ballast bucket to-day. knocked down into the hold and instant-Her captain died when the ship was goily insane, committed suicide by jumping overboard. Just before reaching Cape Flattery the second mate fell down the hold, and his injuries may prove fatal.

-Messrs. Prior and Earle, the present last evening selected by the Conservatives to contest the constitutency at the approaching elections. Col. Prior was and January sales. Some of the latter proposed by Edward A. Lewis and seconded by W. P. Winsby. Mr. Earle was | cent. proposed by R. P. Rithet, M. P. P., D. R. Ker reading the nomination in the absence of Mr. Rithet, and seconded by Napoleon Sabin. There being no other nominations the chairman declared Messrs. Prior and Earle the choice of the convention and those gentlemen addressed the meeting. Mr. McPhillips also made a speech.

From Saturday's Daily.

-The drowning of a man named Finn at Barclay Sound on February 1 was reported to the provincial police. He was n company with Captain Jamieson, formerly of the sloop Escort, and according to the story told by the latter was drowned by the upsetting of a boat. Search was made for the body but it was not found. Nothing is known of Finn or his antecedents.

-Hon. D. M. Eberts, attorney-general, is receiving the congratulations of his friends on his return by acclamation. There was a very small attendance at the Royal Oak on Saturday when W. J. Rout declared the result. Mr. Ebert's nomination paper was signed by Mr. John Sluggett as proposer, Mr. Francis T. Child as seconder, and Messrs. Alex. Robert Porter as assentors.

McKenzie. B. Evans, George Rogers and The local as well as national trade with China is apparently on the increase, and the merchandise of the east that comes by way of Puget Sound is crowding out the local business says the Seattle Press-Times. As an instance of this, Chin Gee Hee, the big Chinese flour shipper here, says that he has 500 tons that ought to be shipped on the steamer which es to produce. Mr. Howell could very will leave here in a few days, but he easily have stepped up to Mr. Adams cannot ship but one hundred tons beand told him the reason for coming to cause of the great amount of eastern Haddington Island. Howell passed by tonnage that has to be cared for first by Mr. Adams and did not take the slightest | the steamship company. Chin says he notice of him. Mr. Howell's evidence will have ten thousand sacks of low was contradicted by witnesses. Howell grade flour for shipment every month to said he was struck on the ear and the China for some time to come. To-day blood spurted and a second blow cut his he sent a letter to the Sprague roller mils Amegonia, Alum or any other adulterant lip through. Dr. Jones' evidence even company for terms on 3500 sacks, which contradicted Mr. Howell. The wound will go to China on the steamer followIn thest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

ABSOLUTELY PURE

ing the one about to sail. He says that THEY not altogether satisfactory, and eastern Washington may receive part of the future orders.

-News was received last evening of the death at Nanaimo of Catharine Sarah, relict of the late Thomas Chadwick Deceased came to Victoria in 1862 with her husband, and resided here until a few months ago when she went to Nanaimo where her daughter, Mrs. L. Foster, resides. Besides the daughter she leaves four sons, George Chadwick, with Thomas Shotbolt; Thomas Chadwick, of the money order department of the post | Mischief, which arrived in port at nine office; R. Chadwick, formerly with the this morning. The Mischief had a very Albion Iron Works company and A rough trip down, facing a head wind and Chadwick with Joseph Sommers. The a heavy sea all the way. remains will be brought to Victoria on Monday for interment.

William Rudge, a widow lady well- plied them for a consideration. Three known to Victorians, and for fifteen enterprising Japs, by name, George, years a resident of the city, has passed Frank Ko and Iso Kau, are in the proaway. She died at the residence of her vincial police station. They were arrestson Henry, 32 Fourth street, at 8 o'clock ed by Constable Leeson and their sloop, last evening. Deceased had long since a small craft without name or license, is passed the allotted age, being in her also held by the authorities, having been 87th year. Seven children survive her, brought down in tow by the Mischief. Henry, George and Mrs. F. J. Beek, When the party were arrested there who are living here, and four others who were 47 bottles of whiskey aboard and reside in different parts of the States the Japs had \$16.50 in their possession. and Eastern Canada. Mrs. Rudge had The constable had an interesting time a host of friends here who will grieve to trying to catch them, but when overlearn of her death, and their sympathy taken, they offered no resistance. They is extended to the sorrowing family. The say that they did not supply much liquor funeral will take place at 2 o'clock to-to the Indians, but the state of intoxica-morrow from the residence of her son tion of the Indians does not agree with Henry Rudge, 32 Fourth street.

-The officers elected at the A. O U. W. grand lodge meeting at Vancouver follow: Grand Master, W. Dudlong, Vancouver; Grand Foreman, J. E. Woods New Westminster; Grand Re- preliminary hearing will probably take ceiver, J. T. McIlmoyl, Saanich; Grand place this afternoon, Recorder, R. T. Williams, Victoria; G. Guide, F. W. Forsin, New Westminster; trouble at Ahouset, but no definite in-Inside Watch, J. Bullock, New West- formation has been obtained. Kilsomite christ, Ladner's Landing. Other import- Tommy, an Indian, deserted the chooner ant business was disposed of. The Vic- Triumph and Constable Spain went after

From Thursday's Daily. -The funeral of the late Robert Law-Rev. Solomon Cleaver conducted the sering friends.

deaths have occurred aboard the vessel. Mr. DeCosmos spoke on the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway ing to Valparaiso, and his successor, just and the advantages of railway connecance was small.

-The Hudson's Bay Company's fur four days. A large quantity of the varnembers of the Dominion house, were cases at a large advance on previous Victoria by the Maude. prices. Some seal skins have also been sold at an advance on the November

> -William Daley, arrested on suspicion the police court this morning and convicted of illegally occupying a part of but in default went to jail for a month. The police had every reason to suspect Daley, who is a hard character, but 96. could not connect him with the robbery, so he was charged with living on the re serve. Chief Sheppard and Constables McDonald, Mouat and Palmer have There Was Something Suspicious About worked on the robbery, and have secured nearly all the stolen property, but have not been able to bring the crime home to the thief.

> spired F. A. Roswell, secretary of the had tried to stop a strange steamer and posed of Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Van- in proceeding on her course. According conver. Nanaimo, Victoria and the to the story of the Conde de Venadito's ter to the Washington Poultry Journal, ern coast of Cuba on March 8 he sighted mit names of say four judges of national replied by raising the English flag. The abide by the choice of the majority. shots. The commander claims that he Also, in the event of making a circuit, did not desire to hit the steamer, but each club to deposit a guarantee equal that he fired the shots merely to cause penses. Also, that this guarantee be de- coast when the firing occurred. The or before February.' The Journal speaks on which she was fired at. It is also favorably of the proposal, but states that the reported here that they were landed on the Seattle club has already secured the the eastern end of the island some men would be necessary for the associations the Allianca in fishing smacks the night composing to accept his services.

WERE ALL

Three Japs Arrested for Supply-

ing Whiskey to Indians at Quatsino. Trouble at Ahouset Over the Desertion of an Indian-Catch

of Sealers. An interesting batch of news was brought from the West Coast by the

The Indians at Quatsino are all drunk; in fact they have been in a state of chronic intoxication for two weeks or -After a long and severe illness, Mrs. more. Whiskey has been liberally suptheir assertion: Two Siwashes and two Kloetchmen were brought down as witnesses against the Japs. There is little doubt that they will be convicted and their craft confiscated. The authorities have not yet decided on what counts, or Church, Victoria; Grand Overseer, A. E. on how many counts to prosecute. A

A rumor has it that there has been

said, there has been loss of life. A canoe on the second Wednesday in March, belonging to the scheoner Beatrice was reported lost. For four days no race of it could be discovered, and it was thought the Indians were drowned. Toward the end of the fourth day the canoe turned son took place yesterday afternoon. up and the Indians told a harrowing tale of suffering. Boats from other schoonvices. The remains were followed to ers have been missing but not for so long, the grave by a large number of sorrow- but report had it that one boat was supposed to be lost. To which schooner it belongs is not known. The Mischief had -Amor DeCosmos addressed a meeting many sealskins on board. From the Bely killed. In the last three months three at Cedar Hill schoolhouse last night, atrice she took 77 and from the Kate 95: they are lying at Friendly Cove. The Dora Sieward is at Euclulet. She delivered over 325 skins to the Mischief. after leaving that port, while temporar- tion generally for Victoria. The attend- The C. D. Rand and Walter Rich have just got to sea. The Mischief had a good cargo of freight and has as passengers two of the leading spirits in the sales have been in progress for the last Norwegian colony. Bishop Lemmens, who was at Kyoquot, was a passenger ious kinds of fur have been sold, in some down to Clayoquot. He will return to

A passenger from the West Coast says that the captain of the Dora Sieward reports having met a bark off the have been sold at an advance of 10 per Columbia river, the master of wnich reports giving food to two Indians in a canoe. He did not know to what vessel they belonged, but it is supposed that of being connected with the robbery of the canoe was the missing boat from the the Rock Bay Hotel, was brought into Katherine. An Indian aboard the Ehterprise was injured in the eye by the bursting of a cartridge. The catch rethe Indian reserve. He was fined \$10, ported is: Triumph, 74; Sapphire, 36; Libbie, 58; Saucy Lass, 8; Victoria, 57; May Belle, 56; Ainoko, 54; Katherine,

HOISTED THE BRITISH FLAG.

the American Steamer Allianca.

Havana, March 20.-The name of the Spanish warship that fired on the American steamer Allianca is now known. It. The success of the recent poultry is the Spanish cruiser Conde de Venadito. shows in Seattle. Tacoma and other This fact became public to-day when the cities on the North Pacific coast has in- captain of the cruiser reported that he Tacoma club, to propose a circuit comb had opened fire on her when she persisted Washington state association. In a let- commander, while cruising off the eastmaking the proposal, Mr. Roswell says: a steamer heading for Maisa point and "As the principal item in the circuit is shaping her course to the northeast. The the judge, I propose that each club sub- cruiser hoisted her flag and the steamer repute whom they may prefer. The cruiser again signalled the steamer to four names receiving the most ballots stop, but without effect. As the steamer to be voted upon again for one judge, proceeded at full speed, the cruiser first and the choice of the whole circuit to fired two blank shots and then two solid to each other, the whole amount which her to heave to. He asserts that the will be sufficient to cover the judge's ex- steamer was one and a half miles off the posited not later than the 1st day of authorities here have directed that a full September, 1895. I think the first show inquiry be made into the commander's of the circuit should be held in Decem- acts. It is reported that the Allianca ber, so as to get the last dates early in carried 24,000 rifles south on the trip services of I. K. Felch for its show in who were passengers on the Allianca. 1896, and if it went into the circuit it These men, it is reported, were taken off