

Co. Ld. oes, Etc. Co. Ld. r Co. RKKS H August 1st. Con- MANAGER. ain. ES. GERS. CAN Gham, sress on application. CO. VICTORIA, B. C. THE TITLE OF Victoria dependent Order of the of Lots 405 and 406, an Official Map of the British Columbia, and the "Quieting Titles" even that any person or diverse claim or claims the position herein of I. I. O. O. F., to those tly lots, numbers 405 ticularly described as ng at a point on the ad street, in the said runing in a south- the said east side line is intersection with ne of fifty-one feet tterly along the said feet five inches more ng angles in a tri- ance of fifty-two feet in a straight line is to the place of con- show cause why a De- does not issue to the said "Quieting Titles" quired to file a state- claim, verified by affi- with or on before the day of February in the forenoon, at a Declaration will be the Justice of the said I. I. O. O. F. affidavits of verifica- of the Registry of the toria, British Colum- the same and submit- be served upon money" upon the e, Peil & Gregory, Petitioners, Board of ion Square, Victoria, I. & GREGORY, for the Petitioners. ICE. I intend to apply Chief Commissioner for a license to pro- of land situated Quatsino Sound, com- the beach marked E, and running thence west 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 27th day of De- FOR SALE—The Cot- the Daily Times was years. The bed is fully or weakly con- as condition. Very low as price of promotion; 8. If Dr. oshald-aidman was not enabled to take to Europe at the expense of ex- Chief Hughes; 9. If ex-Chief Hughes did not have to purchase carriage from cash aidman; 10. Why the police

HE PERISHED IN THE SNOWSTORM

BODY OF MISSING C.P.R. ENGINEER FOUND

Montreal Alderman Wants a Royal Commission to Investigate Charges Against Police.

Winnipeg, Feb. 16.—The body of J. P. Vance, travelling engineer of the C. P. R., who perished near Battleford on Friday, reached Saskatoon today and will be taken to Strathcona for burial.

The new Winnipeg city directory just issued, estimates Winnipeg's population at 63,500. Of the thousands and some odd names that were in the 1876 directory only 85 appear in the new book.

Within the past two days a serious case of forgery has developed at Brandon. Some time recently a number of grain tickets were stolen from the books of E. O'Reilly, at Chater.

General Superintendent Leonard, of the C. P. R., has left for Montreal on important business in connection with the Western division.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Reports today show an extensive cold wave covering the United States west from Texas to Lake Superior, and extending into the Rocky Mountains.

Miss Annie Gillespie, a school teacher of Oshawa River, lost her year on Main street this morning, and when found her face and hands were badly frozen.

Toronto, Feb. 16.—In connection with the proposed union of the Presbyterian and Methodist home mission work, Rev. E. D. McLaren, Presbyterian secretary, is setting out immediately for the West.

Montreal Scandal. Montreal, Feb. 16.—Some time ago the city council named a committee to investigate certain charges of wrong-doing by members of the police force.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 17.—Honorary degrees will be conferred at the University of Pennsylvania exercises on Saturday next.

Palma, Island of Majorica, Feb. 17.—The Italian barque Iris, Capt. Somsinghere, from Pensacola on November 18th for Marsellus, has put into the Bay of Palma with several men on board the vessel suffering from what is believed to be the bubonic plague.

Winnipeg, Feb. 17.—Banfield's carpet and curtain stores on Main street were badly gutted by fire this morning between 8 and 9 o'clock.

KING EDWARD HAS OPENED PARLIAMENT

BRIILLANT SCENE IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS

The Speech From the Throne Refers to Alaska Boundary and Balkan Questions.

London, Feb. 17.—King Edward, accompanied by Queen Alexandra, and surrounded by the court and the officers of state, opened parliament this afternoon.

After the reading of the Queen's message, followed by the crowds which had been attracted by the fine weather and desire to witness the Royal pageant, did not lack entertainment during the long wait.

The Royal procession, consisting of six state carriages and escorted by Life Guards, left Buckingham Palace at 1.30 p. m.

All the great officers of state in varied uniforms were assembled at the Royal entrance of the House of Peers to receive the King.

Their Majesties were immediately preceded by the sword of state, carried by the Marquis of Londonderry.

After the reading, the procession reformed and advanced to the Peers' chamber, the Duke of Devonshire, the Lord Chancellor, and the Lord Speaker.

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RAILWAY ROBBERY.

Prisoner Says He and Partner Alone Were Concerned in Holdup.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 17.—A special from Butte, Mont., says: "George Howard has made a confession corroborating the story told by his partner, Cole, that they alone were concerned in the holdup of the Burlington train on the Northern Pacific last Thursday.

New York, Feb. 17.—Striving to rescue her pet dog, Mrs. Mary Thompson lost her life in East river.

New York, Feb. 17.—Two hundred and fifty men, captured by the police while waiting to see a prize fight, spent the night in the police station.

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AN APPEAL FOR UNION OF RACES

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH AT CAPE TOWN

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COMMISSION TO MEET AT OTTAWA

AND PREPARE REPORT ON FISHERY MATTERS

Any Further Documentary Evidence Forwarded to the Capital Will Be Considered.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Professor Prince, commissioner of fisheries, has been detained in Prince Edward Island by storms which made the crossing of the Straits extremely difficult during the last week.

In connection with the above it may be necessary to explain that the commission will receive any evidence, in writing, that any person interested in the fisheries, and especially in respect to the proposition to license traps, may feel inclined to tender.

WILL BUY STEAMERS

The Canadian Pacific Company Has Plenty of Business for an Atlantic Line.

New York, Feb. 17.—Sir Wm. Van Horne, chairman of the board of the Canadian Pacific, arrived here today from Havana.

When asked what the Canadian Pacific had offered for the Elder-Dempster fleet, Sir William said: "We have offered to pay or what our best offer for ships to carry a freight."

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COAL RATES INCREASED.

Freight Officials Decide on Making a Number of Advances.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 18.—Coal freight rates were advanced in keeping with the advances on other freight rates at a meeting of the leading freight traffic officials of railroads interested in the coal traffic from Pittsburg, Ohio and West Virginia districts.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 17.—A cyclone struck the passenger steamer Olive, which plies between Franklin, Va., and Edenton, N. C., at 9.30 o'clock last night, and sent her to the bottom of the Chowan river, off Woodley's pier.

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THE BOUNDARY JUDICIAL TRIBUNAL

WILL MEET AFTER DOMINION SESSION

Names of Canadian Commissioners Not Yet Submitted—Hon. E. Blake Retained as Chief Counsel.

Ottawa, Feb. 18.—Senator Fairbanks, chairman of the joint high commission, has written the Dominion government suggesting that the commission meet in March.

There will be two Canadian commissioners, but so far their names have not been submitted by the Dominion government.

ALL-BRITISH COLONY. Over Two Thousand Emigrants Will Leave for Canada Next Month.

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PING PONG AT DUNCANS.

Victoria Players Won Tournament—An Enjoyable Affair.

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