Wednesday Jan 11th.

The Graving Dock.

AMIENS, NOV 26. os evenement du jour, is the uestion, and the sweet waters divide the excitement with of Cities. Bismarck's school ken diplomacy promises to be by the cool audacity of Rusthe whole perhaps, it is better tear the Treaty to rage, than ears to wiggling out of its obli-The Czar's 'notice to quit,' om it may concern, is most there is no halting between ions, no breaking of the painto the Si k Man. France rubs with glee; the torch she has o Europe in July last, is doing Alexander wants Constantiis uncle covets Naboth's vinerieste, and Holland would be of seaboards for Northern Ger-Nephew and Uncle will racast of Europe. Giaour cursing oul. It seems we are likely to id scenes, and recall familiar After the Collective Note and Letter stages are passed, swords

ENGLAND WILL FIGHT, must, Italy ought, and Spain t is a bad wind that blows good, thinks France.

THE ENGLISH PILGRIMS. ve arrived f. om Paris at Versupply the latest news from the capital; but having consumed ays in the journey, ordinarily lished in half an hour appear to have lost the Money fails to purchase necet--butcher's meat is not to be had, reh is like that for the two grains at in the bushel of chaff - not the labor. Six ounces of meat amily of six, after four hours for even that ! Horse flesh is ot so plentiful The denizens of longical gardens have been reasted boiled, and Tom cais and lap re getting scarce, very seriously. onder peuple offer 20,000 france seat in a balloon. There is a compermanently sitting in Paris for ng projects for preparing and mg food. Biguon of the Cafe is the President of it. Suggestions unded from saw dust up to boneer mixed with other things.

NE -BROTH IS GOOD, WITH PLENTY OF BEEF IN IT, WE KNOW. cuitoary is a study just now. Of e best paying animals in the Zoonas pere, that first of amateur once succred at bear-steaks to vex loyars-commanded filteen francs nd. It is well-known that the of the abottoirs was largely allows run into the sewers. We have ed all that. Each drop is saved it were gold dust, and mixed with sc, the et cetera here means much. shes Parisians with 20,000 the ofd meat is turned out from diver, drice and spices. Beef and mutuet, are melted, and rendered butter. Bones are boiled into gelie, and Parisian ingenuity is disring something almost in the neted nothings. It is a true propositiontition has been signed and sent to King of Prussia to allow mothers children under two years to leave city. But where are they to go to? t Passy, an old lady's house was requiro come down for engineering wants; she aded so hard that her for -score years e successful. Being the widow of an airal the sailers claimed the right ato rd her, and the battery erected before, bed and on top of the house. She boards lodges the 'crew' in charge of the guns, has vowed to take her chance of The of the cannon will not inconvenience as she is as deaf as a post.

KING MOB ery sober in Paris just now and the govment have done wisely in allowing the -headed patriots to shut off steam by givthem their way in the clubs. Instead ed to the shop-ocracy that adulterates poor man's food. A few cases of lynchicstifiable only under the times in hich we live-would not be whelly wrong. some of these meetings a few women atmpted to speak but were told by the stersex, in the John Knox spirit of go spin. jades, go spin'-to go home and actand kimming the pot.

At Besumont, on the outskirts of Picardy, have met with a gentleman driven, nearly, ad by

HERTY SAXON SOLDIERS QUARTERED ON HIM. He has to cook for his hosts, aided by seon, as his servants have boited. The Idlers offer to assist him, but this is costly they expect extra wine for helping. o'clock a.m. they must have coffee, d butter, at 9 beef steaks, at noon boiled et and vegetables, at 3 coffee and chrose, 6 soup, meat, cheese and coffee. They bas to guard during the night his cellars. he soldiers he did catch there awore they A new order has been issued to-day, that ny person alluding to the movements of

he troops, will be store court MARTIAL. I am mum, except like the ladies al will ave my say. Events indicate that serious nd great things are on the point of taking Our losses during the combardment of .coal.
Disay so far have been 17 killed and wouldThe Weekly British Golonist

Governor to send down the Bill. During

the last session there were amongst the

elected members those who did not

hesitate to deny that the country desired

on it simultaneously with its admission

nto the Dominion. The appointed mem-

bers were expected to deny it. How

is 'aware that a very general opinion

prevails in favor of the adoption of Res-

possible Government; the appointed

members have doubtless, made a similar

discovery, and the elected members

have good reason to know that the

country earnestly desires the change

Under these circumstances, we

are quite prepared to find the

Ceuncil giving a unanimous vote in favor

dent in the history of British Columbia?

ty for some time to come. It must be mani-

to include the non property ewning class would present greater dangers here than in

older and more settled communities. While

we could wish to see every British subject

have a voice in the management of the affairs

of the country, we should deprecate a fran-chise which would enable the non property-

owning class to exercise a dominating influ-

appear, therefore, that in framing a franchise

for the colony, the greatest care should be

exercised with a view to a safe and conserva-

tive administration of the affairs of the colony.

Any such franchise as that under which the late elections were held will never do as the

basis of full self-government. In so far as the

number of members is concerned our opinion is already sufficiently known. We have no hesitation in saying that, for the present, the

true interests of the country would be better

served with a House of twenty than with a

larger number. Nor do we conceive the pre-

sent most loose and ill-defined qualification imposed upon members at all adequate. As the

matter now stands men without a dollar's

worth of property may and do find their way

into the House. It is all very well to say the electors ought not to be restricted in their

choice, and that it is capacity, not property, that is wanted. Much of our legislation is to protect and deal with property, and we see no

reason why it is not just as necessary—nay more necessary—to impose a qualification

upon the member as it is to impose one upon

the elector. In the earlier working of Respon-

sible Government in this colony, it would ap-

pear to be especially necessary that the doors

of the only Legislative bedy should not be

thrown open to every pennyless adventurer.

We are not unconscious, nor have we any desire to concest, that there are difficulties in

the way of establishing a substantial qualifica-

tion for electors and members in a country situated as this is at present, and that many

to arise from an opposite policy. The ques-

tion as to how the people are to exercise their

franchise, whether by the use of the ballot-

box or by open voting, we do not conceive to

possess much importance. The arguments usually urged in favor of the ballot do not apply with the same force here that they do in

apply with the same force here that they such countries as England, and we must countries as England.

fess to a preference for the honest, open voting

CANADIAN OATMRAL .- Fitty barrels of Ca-

by Mis. R. J. Mellouald.

radiso oatmeal came up on the Clara Light.

to which Englishmen are accustomed.

Wednesday Janua y 18th 1871. Mr Nathan's resolution for a bill in aid of the Graving D.ck was lost by one vote! It owes defeat to an adverse Government vote. Political Emancipation. We regret that the Executive should have Governor Musgrave told the Legislaconcieved it pecessary to cause a Governtive Council plainly, in his opening ment vote to be cast against the resolution. speech, that if they were of opinion that While admitting the force of some of the the change should not be delayed objections urged, it still appears to us that they are light when compared with the prac-tical arguments so well urged by the mover he would, after the adoption of the proposed terms of Union with Canada, be of the resolution as well as by the Hons Helmcken and Carrall. As for the heartprepared to introduce for their considerless support of the member for Victoria Disation a Bill to enlarge the number of trict, it was scarcely better than opposition. popular representatives, excluding nomi-What must be thought of one who makes such loud professions about guarding the innated members from the Council, so as terests of this section of the colony, applaudto enable a new Legislative body and ing to the echo the opposition of the A:torney-General to the Graving Dock the form of administration known as One particularly dislikes to impute unworthy Responsible Government to come into motives; but, regarding his strange conduct yesterday in the light of his absurd comoperation at the first session of the Legislature subsequent to Union. His perly taken out of his hands, one experiences Excellency does not, however, hesitate great difficulty in rep lling the disagreeable te express the opinion that the change suspicion that the member for Victoria District preferred the defeat of an important were better deferred for a few months, measure to the success of one whom he so as to afford the Executive a fair opthought proper to regard as a rival. The portunity of 'setting the house in order.' pretention that the question belonged to his district and should have been left to bim is While admitting that the opinion of the altogether too absurd. The question is emi-Governor, which can surprise no one, deleat of the resolution is extremely to be has on its side some cogent reasons of regretted; but we trust some other plan for policy, any one at all conversant with attaining the important object in view may be hit upon before the Council rises. public opinion in this Colony mas know that these reasons will not suffice to convince the people of the desirability Municipal Council. of delay. We may proceed a step far-TURSDAY, Jah 10. ther, and say that they fail to convince Present-His Worship the Mayor, Couns. The Governor may fairly be con-Russell, Gerow, McKay, Carey, McMillan gratulated upon the grace with which and Heathorn. he has intimated a readiness to subordi-COMMUNICATIONS. nate his own orinions to the popular will. From Willis Bond, asking permission to It cannot be doubted that the Legislamove a house. Permission granted. tive Conneil will avail itself of the opportunity thus afforded and ask the

From J Kriemler, calling attention to the dangerous state of the sidewalk of Store Frem E Mallandaine, in reply to a communication from the Clerk informing him of the dock, what amounts might not be lost in action of the council is the matter of his the future. One object in joining the Confedaction of the council is the matter af his collection of road and school taxes, in which Responsible Government to be conferred he does not concur in the decision of the all this is changed now. The Gevernor

him dae the Council.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to in form Mr Mallandaine by note that the Council wishes him to pay in the full amount claimed by the Council, and any new claim

by him will receive duc consideration. The Audit Committee submitted their report of their audit of the accounts of the Munipal Conecil for the year ending 1870, which cluded by urging upon the Council the was read and placed on file.

Tenders from W Bond and Arthur Sirong for grading and graveling Broughton and of immediate political emancipation. Langley streets, were read and on motion Would not such a vote mark a strange inci- their consideration was indefinitely pestpened Poundkeeper's report, showing the sumber of animals impounded during the month of December and the number of days spent is Amongst other things, it is to be presumed that the Bill to be sent down will establish an electorial franchise, fix the representation and

laboring on the roads, was read. Poundless were \$8 and labor—24 days—\$28.

Coan Carey moved that the Clerk be inimpose a qualification upon members of the local Legislature. In regard to the first there may be some diversity of opinion. In launchstructed to advertise for tenders to grade and tion present. ing out into full self-government, we are dis-posed to be somewhat conservative upon this. gravel Langley street from Fort to Broughon, and Broughton street from Government point. In older countries the property-owning element may be presumed to predominate. In this colony it would probably form the minori-

H F Heistermen for one month's rent, \$15.

Johnson street, \$50. E Marvis for a rake \$1 25. " Sloges b ence over the property-owning class. It would

times, \$10. by him for road and school taxes, \$9. J F McCreight for services connected

with the Municipal election, \$5,

The Council then went into Committee of the Whole on the street bylaws.

INSTALLATION - COLUMBIA LODGE No 2, I, LSS. After the installation the officers invited the mambers to a collation at the Oriental Restaurant.

Carey were appointed a committee to confer with His Excellency the Governor for the purpose of asking for the appropriation of an amount for the support of the public schools for the ensuing year. The estimated expense of two male and one female teachers, two as will sit here before the close of this year. plausible objections can be urged against such a policy. Yet, after making due allowance for practical difficulties and theoretical objections, it just comes to this, that the more schoolhouses, etc, is about \$5500. conservative peticy is much the safest just now, and the difficulties by which it is beset are by no means insurmountable. Indeed, they are not nearly as formidable as those almost certain

Tua Magistrate at Nanaimo has refused O Smallbones a license. Smallbones kept a groggery about 3 miles out of town, and it is

yesterday morning. stoni as tot a thirward His

Legislative Council.

TUESDAY, Jan 10. Council met at 1:20 P M. Present -The Hon the Speaker, Hon Chief Commissioner, Hon Collector of Customs, Hon Astorney General, Hon Dr Helmcken,

Hon Dr Carrall, Mr Nathan, Mr Nelson, Mr DeCosmos. Mr Skinner, Mr Bunster, Mr Alston, Mr Pemberton. Minutes of previous meeting having been confirmed.

The Speaker read a ME SAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR Confirming the Rules of Order passed by the

Mr DeCosmos gave notice that on Thurs. day the 12th inst, he should move that the petition for opening a road through Victoria District be considered.

GRAVING DOCK. Mr Nathan moved that His Excellency may be pleased to send down a Bill giving a guarantee, additional to that given by the Dominion Government, of 5 per cent on plaint that the question had been impro- £100.000 for a period of twenty years, dating from the expiration of that given by the Dominion Government to a company undertaking the construction of of a graving dock at Esquimalt according to clause 13 of the

proposed terms of Confederation.

The mover said be did not advocate the resolution as a sectional measure, but as one which, if passed, weuld confer lasting benefit upon the country. The object of this resolution was to render the amendment of the Terms unnecessary. When the Terms were arranged by the Delegates they doubtless thought the guarantee of 5 per cent. on one hundred thousand pounds sufficient o secure the dock; but they showed want of knowledge of the cost of so gigan-

tic an undertaking. His object now was to create harmony and satisfaction with Confederation. The dock would cost \$200.000. The one at San Francisco cost more than that amount, and the one at Brooklyn cost £350 000. Capitalis's were unwilling to risk their money in such an undertaking unless the interest was fully guaranteed. The Hecate, the Malacca, HM ships, and several merchant vessels have had to seek repairs else where, and large amounts of money were thus lost to the colony. If such amounts were lost in the past by the want of a dry eration was to secure material advantages. which, if not obtained, would render Con. Council, and also makes a further claim not lederation useless. Two hon, gentlemen made in his first account, and inclosing a had waited upon His Excellency to ask check for 17.84, the amount considered by an additional guarantee for the dry dock, and had been informed that the re-opening of the Terms would be impossible. Now the money expended in building this dock would benefit the whole colony-the farmers, the manufacturers and merchants, who would find here an enlarged market for their wares and products. He repudiated the idea that the project was a sectional one, and con-

> passage of the resolution. Mr De Cosmos, in rising to second, complained that the hon mover had trenched upon his District. He would, notwithstanding, second the resolution.

Mr Nelson moved that the question be taken into consideration in Committee of the Whole on Monday next. He looked upon the motion as purely sectional, and when so im-portant a matter was under consideration, he wanted to see the whole Mainland delega-

Mr Bucster seconded the amendment, as he wanted to see a full Board. There were other parts of the colony that were better to Wharl. Carried. Other parts of the colony that were better. The following accounts were presented and equitled to the dock than Victoria: A voice fall of tide at Napaimo than at La Henry Mills for cleaning culverts \$4. and the dock if built there wouldn't cost Townsend and Giffin for repairing win- half as much as if built at E-quimalt; the dows broken by workmen on the road, break sandstone there was the best on the coast;

and it was the only export port, except Baring stones, \$5.
Willis Bond for repairing culverts on rard inlet in the colony, and what was Esquimalt? The Council ought te distribute the favors all over the colony instead of con-Hayward & Jenkinson for labor at sundry fining them to sections. Hon Chief Commissioner deprecated the E Mallandaine for printed forms paid for deterring of business in the way it was proc posed to do with this motion. He thought it might be disposed of at once. He (the

or culvert at the junction of Pandora and eroment was that its construction there earnest attention, would be beneficial to the whole colony. He Upon the return of the Council the dehoped hon gentlemen also deprecated the remarks of the hon member for Nanaimo; and said that Esquimalt had been designated by three successive Admirals as the best place O. O. F.—The efficers-elect of this Lodge for the ensuing term were duly installed ast to oppose the resolution as premature and to oppose the resolution and true Government or any luture Government by voting for this resolution, unless it had been shown that he color, there was sufficient. He believed that the inducement was sufficient. He believed that the inducement was sufficient additional guarantee. No such that he may would undertake the work without an additional guarantee. No such that he having been made, he felt he must vote against the resolution.

However, when the resolution of the color was premature and to oppose the resolution and the resolution of the such that the inducement was sufficient. He additional guarantee. No such that he having been made, he felt he must vote against the resolution.

However, and the resolution of the such that the inducement was sufficient the part was this body last night Measrs McMillan and Carey were appointed a committee to confer with His Excellency the Governor for the purpose of asking for the appropriation of as

withdraw it. said Indians were in the habit of getting disposed of to-day, and believed that a vote federation was to derive material advantain its favor would be quite as satisfactory to ger. The dry dock was promised, and if we last report, made severe comments upon the people as if it had been carried in a re- were forced into Confederation without of the people as if it had been carried in a re- were forced into Confederation without of the people as if it had been carried in a re- were forced into Confederation without of the people as if it had been carried in a re- were forced into Confederation with the confederation were concerned by a statistical in a re- were forced into Confederation without was promised, and it we were forced into Confederation without was promised, and it we were forced into Confederation without was promised, and it we were forced into Confederation without was promised, and it we were forced into Confederation without was promised, and it we were forced into Confederation without a promised in a re- were forced into Confederation without a promised in a re- were forced into Confederation without a promised in a re- were forced into Confederation without a promised in a re- were forced into Confederation without a promised in a re- were forced in a re- were forced in a re- were forced in the confederation without a re- were forced in the confederation without a re- were forced in the confederation with the re- were forced in the confederation without a re- were forced in the confederation with the re- were forced in the confederation with the re- were constant. The US Revenue, Cut-r Lincoln, Capt consent to have them re-opened, but he by the resolution the dock would be com-Hooper, arrived in the harbor yesterday at means for meintaining the terms intact. He guarantee provided in the Terms was not 3 o'cleck, p.m., from Port Townsend, bad been told that no mainland member sufficient to induce its construction. Thu steamer Emma arrived from the Iple dare vote for this measure, but he intended to vote for it. He deprecated the terms Is-

taking, not as a sectional one. He had no lector of Customs, Mr Pemberton, Mr Nels doubt his constituents would be pleased to son, Mr Skinner. see the public monies s) wisely and judiciously expended as was proposed by this

Hon Attorney General rose to oppose the resolution because it was premature and would be nojust both to our successors and to the Dominion of Canada. No guarantee had been given by the Dominion Government. The terms offered by Canada had not been accepted and it was not correct to say that it had given a guarantee. This construction may be put upon the clause relating to the terms: That the Canadian Government will not guarantee anything unless the company undertaking the work are willing to take a certain amount of responsibility themselves. The terms were offered upon the understanding that we should remain exactly as we are. If the Governor were to send down the bill asked for, it segmed to him that we should be disturbing the terms we are called on to accept. If the Canadian Government had known that a lecal guarantee would be given, would it have given the guarantee it has? The Governer ought not send down a bill without first opening communication with the Canadian Government. Canada was to take over our liabilities existing at the time of snion, and how could we ask her to accent this additional Hability? [Mr DeCosmos-Hear. ] Esquimalt was guaranteed as the place at which to build this dock, that was settled. There could be no doubt about the dock being fixed at E-quimalt. Before the Council voted upon the resolution he would ask bon members whether it was not premature, and whether it ought not to be deferred for their successors.

Hon Dr Helmcken twitted Mr DeCosmos upon, the remark that he was not consulted cpon this question, and then proceeded to reply to the arguments of hon members who had preceded him. The guarantee in the terms, he said, was all the delegates could get, and they were told that if they required more the local Government must provide it. The sound of distant thunder was heard in their ears that the guarantee was insufficient. Hon Chief Commissioner-Whose thunder? The thunder of every letter that comes from London, not all signed by the same person, reporting that the guarantee is insufficient, and under these circumstances he felt that he was acting rightly in supporting the resolu-tion of his bon colleague. The dock was a national undertaking-Nova Scotia and New Brunswick made it so, and if this resolution were not passed the Canadian Government ight send down and say that the guaranee was insufficient and there the work must step for the present. We were told we must be just to our successors. He believed we must first be just to ourselves. If we pass this resolution how it was equi alent, in practice, to its becoming part of the terms. If the bill be passed now and go with the terms, the people ready to contract for the performance of the work would know what ment that the bill was an additional liability for the Duminton Government to pay was weak. It anyone could prove to him that the guarantee in the terms for the dock was not sufficient, he would have no hesitation in casting his vote in favor of extending the guarantee for 20 or 30 years. He did not consider the terms bound anyone in the colony and if they were repudiated on this queswould rest with the Canadian Government. There was no disguising the fact that the dry dock is the worm that caught Vancou. will have nearly a full cargo of whale and ver Island. (Mr DeCosmoo-No terminus?) dogfish oil for London. Oh, that's a question for another day. In con-clusion he hoped that the resolution would be County County The adjourned case of passed and the bill sent down.

THE REPLY AND GOVERNOR'S REJOINDER.

The Speaker-Gentlemen, I have just received a communication from the Governor that he is now in Government Buildings and prepared to receive the Council and the

On motion of the han Chief Commissioner the Council then adjourned during pleasure.
The Council waited upon His Excellency in a body and were thanked for the address in reply to the speech. His Excellency also Chief Commissioner) had held all along expressed his gravification at the assurance Conn McMillan moved that the Street that the only grounds upon which we could of the Council that the important marters Committee be authorized to make a drain arge the guarantee apon the Canadian Gov- committed to their care would receive their

bate on the washer washer will a line Harsh all a

DRY DOCK WAS RESUMED.

Mr Alston said he would not feel himself O. O. F .- The efficers-elect of this Lodge in the colony for a dry dock. He regretted justified in pledging this Government or any

having been made, he terr us have to should it be inconvenent in writing, to receive the same at this office, it will be handed to any Agent duly authorized the Chief Commissioner's arguments was so forcible that he was surprised the resolution.

This Connection of the same at this office, it will be handed to any Agent duly authorized the connection of the same.

JOSEPH W. TRUICH.

Lands & Works Office,

Victoria, Dec 16th, 1870. ernment stepped in now it will absolve the to bisd the future Government of the colony Dominion from a certain portion of the re- to pay \$25.000 a year for a long term of sponsibility which they now have. Besides, years. If the Council had a right to do it would be entirely premature to pass a that, they might vote away the entire future BOARD OF EDUCATION.—At a meeting of voice that would pledge the Government of revenue by the same means. No one round A surveyed Lands in the undermitted of this colory to the same means.

as will sit here before the close of this year sentative House with Responsible Governhe should feel no besitation in voting for the ment inaugurated. Were this Conneil to resolution. At present he must oppose it pass this guarantes, the very next House

and concluded by asking the hon mover to might unset it.

Hon Dr Helmeken—Impossible. Mr Nathan replied that the object of Con-

> The amendment was lost-7 to 4, Toe original resolution was then put and

struction of a wagon road from Yale to

land and Mainland. He knaw no geogra- lost-Ayes: Helmoken, Carrall, Nathan, Dephical distinctions, and looked upon the Cosmos, Bunster. Nose: Hon Chief Comdry dock at Esquimalt as a national under- missioner, Hon Attorney General, Hon Col-

THE ESTIMATES.

Mr Skinner moved that the consideration of the Estimates be postponed until Friday. Mr Nelson seconded, derstood that members in the interior had not been properly notified as to the time of

the sitting of the Council.

Bos Chief Commissioner asked the Council to consider that they would delay business for three days. He knew that one of the absentees had been notified that the Council would meet in the first week in Jannary. Mr Cornwall was certainly so notified. It was for the Council to decide whether it was advisable to delay legistation. The hon Speaker said that notifications

were sent to all the Mainlanders before the election that the Council would meet early in January.

Mr Skinner spoke in support of bis mos-

tion, stating that Mr Cornwall was not no-

Hon Dr Carrall and Mr Nathan thought that any item might be postposed at the request of honorable members; but the Council ought to get at work as speedily as pose

Mr DeCosmos, while favoring a postponement, was willing to sit up till 2 o'cleck in the morning to consider the Estimates. Hon Chief Commissioner-Weil, I am

not.
Mr DeCosmos contended that a postponement was desirable and then proceeded to review the various sums set down in the Estimates: the salary of the Governor, the salaries of the heads of Departments and other

Hop Dr Helmcken, thinking to avoid illferling on the part of the Opposition, moved that the House go into Committee of Supply merely to open it, and then it could rise till

Friday. Mr Nathan seconded and Mr Alston was called to the Chair,

The items in the Governor's department were passed without discussion, and the Committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again on Friday.

Council then adjourned till Thursday at 1

FROM SAN FRANCISCO. The schooner Clara Light, Capt Mitchel, arrived from San Francisco yesterday at 12 M, atter a run of 10 days She brings one hundred tons freight and is con igned to C T Millard. Fellowing are the passengers; Samuel Roack for Victoria. B F Kilpatrick, H Winfield and Albert Guild for Puget Sound.

THE steam r Grappler arrived from the Dowson-Deuglas whaling station yesterday. with a full cargo of oil (21 000 gallons) to be shipped on the Lady Lampson for England. The whalers also came down, having suspended operations for the seasor. The total they would have to depend on. The argu-ment that the bill was an additional liability entire yield 21.000 galloos.

> THE FLOOD. - One of the line-repairers South of Seattle reported yesterday that there is 6 feet of warer on the trail and that he was repairing the line by means of a boat.

OIL SHIPMENTS .- A large quantity of dog tion the onus of deleating Confederation fish oil will be shipped for San Francisco by the Pacific to day. The Lady Lampson

> Copperman vs Hodges came up yesterday and on motion of Mr Drake a non-suit was granted di osdi egom to beed a

The brig Edward Jones, new loading at mit London for Victoria, will come to Japion, Rhodes & Co. De lovel ston



TUDLE IN INVITUE.

NOTICE IS HEBEBY GIVEN THAT
the Grown Grants of Surveyed Lands in the former
tolony of Vancouver Island and its Dependancies (excepting only those in Victoria District) as well as on the
Minland of British Columbia, the purchase money of
which has been fully paid, will on oroper application for
the same be at once issued.

Such Crown Grrnts will be made out invariably in the

Such Crown Grints will be made out the manues of the original purchasers from Government, unless in such special cases as are provided for under the "Grown Grants Ordinance, 1870,"
Applications must be made by letter, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor General, giving the Christian and Surnames in tulk, of

neral, giving the Christian and Surnames in tull, of e pars as to whom the Crown Grants are to be made d enclosing the receipts for the purchase money of the Land referred to.
Should it be inconvenient for the person in whose name

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Quarichan,

Comiaken, Codar, Chemainus, Cranberry, Sooke Highland, Kennedy, Lake, North Sannich, Mountain, South Sannich, Navalmo, Shawnigan, 2 19

Shawnigan, Cewichan, the right to puchase which Lands is legally held by Pretention Record under the "Vancouver Land Promotations of 1861 and 1862," which Records a cre made attoms of 1861 and 1862," which Records a cre made prior to the 181 Junary, 1870, are hereby reg tred to pay into this Office the amount of the Installments due thereon, on or basis the 31st March neat casaing.

P. Command.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

Lands and Work lot the comber 1870. In Tawling of

TAR SCARDIO Bullew ni

HAVING LEABNED THAT CERTAIN interested parties are spreading the report that interested parties are spreading the report that chard's Express and Stage line will not continue to run regularly to Carlboo as heretofore, I beg to state as not only will that business be continued in all its past efficiency, but that arrangements are nearly matur for greatly reducing the rate of charges and increase efficiency of the survice, rs soon as the Spring opens deledaw

North America 531967 Wells, Fargo & Co, \$19,284, Total, \$104.-

The recipion of a wag or road from 1 ato to verified have full at the polis had been to lavir the providing for an increagnlation. We we take the feared that he should be the feared that he should be had for deare of the Government with which we exclusion of nominated members; and to be told that the funds could not be had for deare of the Government with which we exclusion of nominated members; and to