es made by the disgruntled officials that the C.P.N. teamer Danube would be r first return to American ward for her insistence upon Skagway on a former trip, n redeemed. As a matter of rage to and from the new completed early this morncularly devoid of incident. les of hard luck were being old at Skagway. There were ficulties to be experienced ng of the passes. The same phesying was being done he proportion of the disap-no late news was available per Yukon, which is in realnews centre worthy of conthe present time. At Skag-David Spencer and several ans were met with, the maall, having got their supe trail and returned pose of their live stock. ctoria this morning Mr. T.R. the sub-collector of custom who is down on official essrs. W. Tolmie and Frank ne Hurlburt expedition— he way, is said to have disng to the failure of food supyor Jorgenson, who has been the railway survey work from and two packers — Messrs. d S. L. Marlew. The weather orth is reported unusually bad indeed that the passed at anchor arrows, awaiting the cesthe fog to proceed down. was also passed on her way is a subject of surprise Danube's officers that she ached port ahead of them. they are quite unable to ex-the trip down the C.P.N the river steamer Eugene the customs authorities, and her way to the mouth of the er her little grand-stand play American out of flag, f port ran out of port in belief that the Bristol

ow and pick her up. The ipper is no fool, however, and to his owners for explicit awaiting which he is still Union wharf. His fear was he take the river boat as ginally intended he would elf liable to severe penalties e Bristol the Eugene is about a craft as could be imagined in waters of the North, particucondition that has already two dockings for repairs and was left behind. ope was sent in pursuit of e from Union, but no results

n when the Danube left that o Mr. James Lauderdale, en the returning steamer, who eleven or twelve miles up the OLONIST has been placed in of the very latest news from The Kingsley party was at that distance from the having had very fair sucair three horses, however, one shaps necessitating a lay over days. New trails have been id those places where a few many horses came to grief miring. The incessant rain ers the condition of both old new, equally bad for the adilgrims. The respesentative of York World arrived at Skagugust 22 from Juneau, bringing two tons of dynamite for blast ses, the conditions of his agree the committee being that no

s shall be allowed to pass over intil it is in shape. ng to some estimates there are sent time at least 1,000 men on the trail. Hundreds are ently waiting for others trail passable, and even with rce employed, it will take at days to render it possible for as to go through. Henderson. ctoria Transfer Company, ar-Shagway just before Mr. le left, and says it is impossible to survive long the work that nem on the mountain passes. with his train, not having lost orse. In one place where the ve been met mired the dead of one is used as a stepping nother to pass over on stench along the trail is ally burned there is still great:
of pestilence being created. pestilence being created. Richardson octor Richardson party is-one among those who went he Danube's previous trip who-ssed over to Tagish lake, and who came up on the Islander st trip are not further than the Summit. The Victorians as a away ahead of all others starte same time, and everywhere ing for themselves great credit. surmounting of difficulties is a strong feeling at present in returning to Wrangel if the ny will go in by this way when rush in the spring commences.

ESIDENT ANDRADE.

Head Chosen by the Republic of Venezuela.

s, Venezuela, Sept. 2.-The or President for the republic to-day. Owing to the great y of Don Ignacio Andrade, the andidate, Dr. Rojas Pauland eral Hernandez, who were run-the interests of the Conserva-nd Progressive Conservative Progressive Conservative espectively, retired from the

WOMEN IN COUNCIL.

The W. C. T. U. Hold Another Interesting Session and Pass Some Resolutions.

Standing Committees Appointed-Use of Narcotics Condemned-The Plebiscite Favored.

The consideration of reports constituted the chief feature of business at the W.C.T.U. convention yesterday. Practically all the committees reported, and into the schools of this province. much interesting discussion was evoked furtherance of the work in the several departments. A new branch of temperupon the suggestion put forward on Wednesday afternoon, and Mrs. Robson was named as the superintendent of the "Department of Food Reform." The same object will receive special considercomposed of Mrs. Spofford and Mrs. Jenkins, Rev, Ralph W. Trotter, Rev. J. C. Speer, and Dr. Lewis Hall.

The printing committee was drafted with Mrs. Spofford as presiding officer and Mesdames McGregor, Booth and Grant as associate members. Mrs. Gordon Grant will also serve as convener

of the introduction of life sustaining nembers, all of whom must be total ab-

Much interesting and valuable information as to the conduct of mothers' superintendent of petitions to prepare and circulate as soon as possible petitions to be presented to the Dominion House of Commons asking that the suggestions with regard to the providing of suitable employment and substantial meals to the working women of the West. Mrs. Spofford followed upon the topic of "Helpful Hints to Young Mothers," in which also Mrs. Lamb and Miss Breeze offered saveral practical times to be presented to the Dominion House of Commons asking that the wunnicipal voters' list be taken for the standard of votes on the plebiscite; also that the provincial legislature be petitioned to proffer the same request.

Resolutions were also passed favoring

volunteers, Mrs. Spain, Victoria; organi-

A. Cunningham, Westminster; conference with influential bodies, Mrs. J. B

Mrs. Spain, who received a hearty vote sixty and mends to the number of the of thanks, her paper also being ordered incorporated in the minutes and given for publication to the press. Mrs. Wm. Grant was chosen as superintendent of the department of calentific terror of the department of calentific terror of the department of the departmen brides sister. The following is a partial threatened invasion of the sheriff. Franciscution, Mrs. C. G. Major being given charge of the committee on literature and the Woman's Journal, and Mrs. R. Dudgeon, handsone pictures; Messrs. W. E. Ditchburn, W. M. Chas, Steele, J. A. Clarke, A. E. Belfrey, almong sailors, lumbermen and miners. The report on legislation, petition and franchise was received, and discussed by Rev. Mr. Trotter and Rev. Mr. Speer, Mrs. Spofford, Mrs. S. H. Brown and others, all of whom urged the necessity of petitioning the legislature for the extention of the franchise to the women of British Columbia, and it was finally decided that the superintendent of this department should wait upon all local unions and begin energetic work at once. Other reports were received during the day from the committees on the various branches of women's work. A pleasing feature of the day's session was the presentation to Mrs. Lamb of a magnificent basket of flowers from the world's president of the W.C.T.U., Mrs. Frances Willard—the presentors of which were two little British Columbians bear-ling her honoral.

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importance of instructing children of the evil effects of stimulants and narcotics upon the system, we recommend local unions to appoint a committee in each uhion, who shall with the permission of Sunday school superinten dents hav temperance taught regularly at stated intervals in our Sunday schools.

4. Believing that it is of the utmost importance while our children are receiving the education provided by on public schools they should also be pre-pared for life by a knowledge pared for life by a knowledge of some practical work which would in a measure prepare them for their future career; therefore be it resolved; that we through our pro

4. That the time having arrived when it is desirable to erect a new Refuge by the suggestions put forward as to the Home, that this convention empower the managing committee of the home, in conjuction with the provincial executive departments. A new branch of temper-ance activity was decided upon, acting to take such measures as may be neces-sary to further the work already begun.

> the event of any superintendent doing no work in her department for the first three months after her appointment, the executive shall appoint another to fill the office. 8. Resolved, that the local unions en-

courage a cash system of business in-stead of credit amongst their members. 9. That we recommend to the local Gordon Grant will also serve as convener of the plan of work committee, and Mrs. Jenkins as head of the committee on resolutions.

An interesting report upon "The use" which altogether debars that individual from any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of that decay is a superintendent to the local which altogether debars that individual from any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of that decay is a superintendent of that decay is a superintendent to the local which altogether debars that individual from any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of which altogether debars that individual from any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to being numbered amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan organized amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of the plan of organizing all the form any claim to be a plan organized amongst those to whom the name ladvent of the plan of the plan of organized amongst the plan of the plan of organized amongst the plan of th An interesting report upon "The use and abuse of narcotics" was presented by Mrs. Cunningham and provoked considerable discussion, while a letter was received from Mrs. Greig. the Dominion mittee, the superintendent of that department in each union being ex-officio convernor of this committee. The work of the committee would be to visit the other women of the place whose received from Mrs. Greig. the Dominion of this committee. The work of the committee would be to visit the other women of the place whose occupied by Mrs. Dickinson, carrying in received from Mrs. Greig, the Dominion names appear on the voters' list, ensuperintendent, urging support for the deavoring thereby to prevail upon them the contents of which are surmised to memorial to physicians against the use to register early each year and on elecof narcotics and intoxicants in the medition day to deposit their ballots in a corton day to deposit their outlook in a correct manner. We further recommend that as we again intend petitioning the Union to the Dominion Convention, and the constitution of the order in British franchise act, that members of local convention, and the constitution of the order in British franchise act, that members of local conventions are convented as to permit their outlook in a correct manner. We further recommend that as we again intend petitioning the legislature for an amendment to the place, a passer by noticed that fire that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to the place, a passer by noticed that fire that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to the place, a passer by noticed that fire that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to the place, a passer by noticed that fire that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to the place, a passer by noticed that fire that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to be placed as to permit the constitution of the order in British franchise act, that members of local building. Fortunately the flames were

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Riley Robins, who has on former occapions acquired an intimate knowledge of police court proceedings, appeared to Resolutions were also passed favoring Mrs. Gordon Grant was named as the plebiscite, with headquarters at Victoria convener of the plebiscite committee, also for a home for aged women, and for while other heads of departments were the enforcement of the law probibiting chosen as follows: Temperance groceries, Mrs. A. N. Sexsmith, of Eburne; of thanks were passed to the press and
systematic beneficence, Mrs. T. Scouler,
endorsing the memorial from the Supertors of thanks were passed to the press and Mrs. J. A. Gold, Victoria; soldiers and ing it to the physicians of British Col-

Kennedy, Westminster; railroad work, Mrs. T. H. Brown, Vancouver; unfermented wine at the Lord's table, Mrs. Mrs. T. H. Brown, Vancouver; unfermented wine at the Lord's table, Mrs. Gordon Grant, Victoria; heredity and hygiene, Mrs. J. A. Halliday, Comox; evangelistic work, Mrs. Forbes, Nanaimo; hospital work, Mrs. J. L. Macnaughton, Victoria; young women's work, Mrs. C. Schooley, Vancouver; and press work, Mrs. W. F. Henderson, Chilliwack.

The marriage of A. E. Greenwood filed that sale of friends and acquaintances who nearly filled that sale or edifice. The bride, who was given away by Mr. R. Dudgeon, was very prettily and becomingly attired. Miss M. Guthro and Miss Bird were the bridesmaids, and Mr. R. Greenwood of Port Townsend, a brother of the groom, was best man. Rev. Canon five years ago he groom, was best man. Rev. Canon five years ago he groom, was best man. Rev. Canon five years ago he groom, was best man. Rev. Canon five dollars in three months is surely inadequate for the support of the money, Noah promising to keep better control of himself hereafter.

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A paper on the enfranchisement of omen was contributed yesterday by party and friends to the number of over party and friends to the number of over

(From the DAILY COLONIST, September 4.)

Magistrate Macrae Is Kept Busy With a Large Grist of Cases.

Their Grievances-Arson, Vagrancy and Depravity.

kept the court in session all the morn- these determined women. ing and afternoon. There were one or two more serious cases, the most important being a charge of arson made forts which have hitherto been a part of against a neighbor on Discovery street, and when this neighbor, Catherine Dick-

inson, had, thanks to the gentleness of the Magistrate, overcome the disposition to garrulity which is characteristic of so many of the fair sex when they get into court, she testified to certain language having been used by the gentle Ellen which altogether debars that individual occupied by Mrs. Dickinson, carrying in her hand on two of the said visits a can, have been coal oil, a supposition which is based upon the fact that a very few

the place a passer by noticed that fire franchise act, that members of local unions not only systematically canvass for signatures to the petition but endeavor to enlist the co-operation of all those in sympathy with the movement.

The rigors of an arctic winter, the dangers to be encountered in traversing a trail which runs along the face of a mountain and to slip from which means certain death, the risks in unmerable which must exist in such a sympathy with the movement. to enlist the co-operation of all those in sympathy with the movement. sympathy with the movement.

That we recommend our provincial nounced to make itself apparent to those nounced to make itself apparent to those or contains and also to Chief. who put out the fire and also to Chief Deasy, who visited the scene on the following day. Accused, who cross-examined all the witnesses with some amount of acumen, was committed for trial, the recognizances to give evidence at the

> police court proceedings, appeared to answer to the charge of attempting to supply some of the Indians on the reservation with whisky. As fifty dollars was too large an amount for Riley to raise he went to jail for three months.

zation, Mrs. Spofford, Victoria; parliamentary usage and school of methods. Mrs. D. Jenkins, Victoria; mission work, Miss Bowes, Victoria; fair work, Miss A. J. McDougall, New Westminster; prison work, Mrs. H. Youdall, New Westminster: social purity.Mrs. D. same, and to the committee on decoration of hard swearing, and the magistrate; finding himself unable to reconcile the evidence of two of the witnesses, very wisely called to his assistance two supposedly disinterested parties. Noah Bates was the central figure around when the interest centred. Noah is a minster; prison work, Mrs. H. Youdall, New Westminster; social purity, Mrs. D. Spencer, Victoria; temperance of free house, Mrs. McGregor, Victoria; temperance of free house, Mrs. McGregor, Victoria; during convention.

Bates was the central figure around whom the interest centred. Noah is a strong looking young fellow of 18, and he was accused of having so far forgot ten himself as to strike a Mrs. Christiansen in the face. Mr. Crease appeared to defend and pleaded very earnestly that the heast available transportation facilitoria; flower missions, Mrs. T. C. S.

Two Well Known Victorians Married Yesterthat the benefit of the doubt should be the best available transportation faciliigust as soon as money, brains and must Westminster; railroad work, Miss Catherine Hill took place at Christ Rown. Vancouver: unfergiven to his client, but in the end the ties.

surely inadequate for the support of the most modest menage, and little surprise can be expressed at the fact that Mrs. Ellis had to raise \$24 on her own credit to keep the little house intact from a threatened invasion of the sheriff. Fran-

silled in South Africa, and the similarity of names led to the circulation of ru-mors which have caused much uneasiless to the many who knew the erstwhile

THREE BRAVE WOMEN. Reports From the White Pass Fail to Deter Them in Their Undertaking

Clad in serviceable suits of Mackinaw, Unneighborly Neighbors Ventilate cut after the regulation "bloomer" pattern, three plucky members of the gentle sex took passage at Victoria on board the City of Seattle bound for Skagway. The reports brought down from the North on Sunday have had no effect in Youthful depravity and unneighborly quarrels constituted the underlying causes for the major portion of the grist of cases which Police Magistrate Macrae had before him yesterday, and which

6. Resolved, that where practical our unions affiliate with the Women's Council, as through them we are sometimes better able to forward our work.

Ellen Burns, who appeared in the box with a crying baby in her arms. Ellen privations' of that Northern country it would not be unnatural to expect that son left for his home. some indication of doubt as to the step some indication of doubt as to the step they were taking might have been discernible in the demeanor of these latest pioneers to the Klondyke gold fields. But, whatever may have been the thoughts that intruded themselves upon their minds, no sign of weakening, no expression of doubt, made itself apparaments to the closest observer. Mrs. Nelson, who hails from Michi-

undergo all the hardships so graphically described by returning Klondykers. "Some women have got through safely," said she, with an air of determination country may all be pictured in realistic will total a much larger sum than either fashion, but go, and that without waiting for more favorable conditions, Mrs. Nelson would.

frail-looking highly cultured lady, who either of its three predecessors.—Nanai would seem to be more at home "callof acumen, was committed for trial, the witnesses being required to enter into ing "in Park Lane or cantering gently recognizances to give evidence at the band is a nephew of Lord Salisbury.

The fascination of the yellow metal is the panies operating the Ironsides and Knob sole influence which has brought them to try their fortunes in the frozen north. districts of Australia?

Some of the pleasantries indulged in by residents of the Spring Ridge district, and the inquiry into the same furnished opportunity for a goodly amount of hard swearing, and the magistrate finding himself unable to reconcile the evidence of two of the witnesses, very posedly disinterested parties. Noah

THE CITY.

THE ice-cream social to be given by

chosen as the rendezvous, is being looked forward to with much pleasurable anticipation. The date, as already an Woolley and J. P. Barkdoll.—Rossland nounced, is September 11. At a meet- Miner. ing of the sports sub-committee yester-day the following attractive features

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The circulation of runnors in regard to grant and pelege complete the case of the control of the control

. Kootenay Still Producing Rich Strikes.

had before him yesterday, and which even a momentary pallor to the faces of sentence of one year's imprisonment at hard labor.

> Coast, accompanied by a party of British scientists, who have been attending the Ex-United States Consul Col. Peter-

son left for his home in Kentucky yesterday. On the eve of his departure

on Fraser river islands. Mr. Nosse, Japanese consul for Cana-

BOUNDARY CREEK.

Hill in Long Lake camp, is expected Gold hunting would seem to be inherent from Spokane early next week. The in the Cecil blood, for who has not heard machinery is now between Grand Forks of the experience which the burly Marquis himself has had in the gold mining position immediately upon its arrival at districts of Australia? the mine. A good wagon road has been constructed by Mr. Hemenway from the Some of the pleasantries indulged in trio of brave women knows better than main road to the Ironsides.—Boundary

cial belonging to the smelter to-day said that as the requirements demanded i

Hope lodge, Degree of Honor, will be held on the 10th inst., instead of the 18th graphical union held on Sunday the following of the Rossland Typolowing officers were elected: President Ed. Abery; vice-president, Theo. Rusch The picnic arranged by the Fifth Regiment and for which Sidney has been secretary, John G. Egan; sergeant

Two Thousand Oregon Sheep for Fraser River Pastures-Nanaimo's Show.

Work on the Penticton Railway-

VANCOUVER, Sept. 2.—(Special)—A

Prof. Saunders is on his way to the

Mrs. Nelson, who haus from Michigan, accompanies her husband in the interest of the Louisville Democratic-Leader, and when seen at the Dominion Hotel on the eve of her departure she expressed herself as fully prepared to undergo all the hardships so graphically described by returning Klondykars.

Mr. Nosse, Japanese consul for Canadan Commissioner Anderson was being royally received in that country, and that he would receive a big reception at every place he visited in Japan.

The Nanaimo Agricultural Society has the contents of which are surmised to have been coal oil, a supposition which is based upon the fact that a very few minutes after her third and last visit to the place, a passer by noticed that fire the place that the The second member of the party, a hibition of 1897 will be much superior to

the smelter's capacity would be increased.

—Rossland Record. The District on the Lardeau is Called the

Out of 24 assays recently made of ore taken out of the Lade Bros.' claim on Gainer Creek the samples went \$200 to were arranged for: Bicycle race from Hillside avenue to 'Sidney; Victoria Cross race, football matches, tug-of-war and Balaclava melee. Other items will more and more attention in their direct content of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims. A packing of the content of the claims of the claims of the claims of the claims. A packing of the claims of the claims. A packing of the claims of the claims. A packing of the claims of t and Balaclava melee. Other items will be added and the programme promises to be sufficiently varied to afford interest and amusement to all comers. The officers of the day will be: Referee, Capt. Blanchard; Judges, Captains Blanchard and Jameson; Starters, Bombardiers Richardson and Hollyer. The officers and sergeants messes, and also the members of the different companies, will entertain their friends with that right royal hospitality which is inseparably associated with the name of the regiment.

The stand and Balaclava melee. Other items will be added and the programme promises more and more attention in their direction. Up and down the creek can be dead of the same kind of branchard; Judges, Captains Blanchard; Judges, Captains Blanchard; Judges, Captains Blanchard; Judges, Captains Blanchard and Jameson; Starters, Bombardiers ment work being done all along the line, but that, notwithstanding the difficulty of getting in supplies, considerable through it in the Lardeau country, which are now being located. This rock carries tellurium, a mineral which was not previously known to up Lemon creek has already been commenced, the owners of mining proposition in that high grade gold district.

Lemon Levis The officers are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch are several leads of the same kind of branch a Little Lankin James, although suffering just now from as complete an assortment of bruises burners discovered to an early date when sition, some years ago and abandoned as greatly improved. One of the most worthless. The present owners discovered that it was gold bearing by social particular to the means of ingress and egrees will be greatly improved. One of the most Ing just now from as complete an assortment of bruises, bumps and abrasions as can be conveniently crowded upon the surface of his juvenile anatomy, has good reason to rejoice that he is still alies to tall the talk of his advantage. good reason to rejoice that he is still alive to tell the tale of his adventure yesterday. To be dragged by the heels over the rocks of Church Hill behind a lithe way from \$60 to \$469 in gold. The Bythesea Wilson Was Not Slaughtered in South Africa.

To be dragged by the heels over the rocks of Church Hill behind a Cold Blow group is owned by the Brit-The circulation of rumors in regard to the alleged death of men who ultimately appear upon the scene to disprove them to the alleged death of men who ultimately appear upon the scene to disprove them to the alleged death of men who ultimately appear upon the scene to disprove them himself, and this is what happened to himself, and this hi

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RUSSIA AND FRANCE. They Will Try to Encourage Trade Between the Two Countries.

Paris, Sept. 2.—The minister of commerce, M. Bouchere, is quoted in an interview printed in the Gaulois to-day into the empire, and that policy had been crowned with success, many French, Swiss, Belgian and other manufacturers having established works in Russia. On the other hand, it is the aim of the the other hand, it is the aim of the French to encourage exports. Where large government contracts are to be obtained, French influence has succeeded in obtaining them. For instance, contracts have recently been obtained to construct eighty locomotives for Russia and build a new bridge over the Neva, but he added that individual enterprise must still exert itself.