

Colonist. The poetic merit. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1896. THE PREMIER'S SPEECH.

PRESERVE THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

An impression seems to prevail that if quarantine arrangements are good and if quarantine regulations are tathfully carried out, contagious diseases cannot be brought into the country by ships. But it should be remembered that it is an absolute impossibility to make a quarantine perfect-to carry it out with the precision of a chemical experiment. There are always.weak places in the system, and disease can be, and in practice is, smuggled into a country in the face of the most rigid the electors of Victoria. regulations.

This is so well known in Great Britain that quarantine there has gone into disuse and the country has to depend almost wholly on what is called its inner line of defence against disease. The question of quarantine is dealt with very fully in the Twenty-Second Annual Report of the Local Government Board. 1892-93. After dwelling on the efficacy of sanitary authorities, port, riparian seat in the Cabinet. Such an impudent the seat in the Cabinet. Such an impudent

sense of the term must know lives of our constituents. them quarantine or any other name very little indeed about the constitution -and have said against cholera, of their country, or they wish to throw 'Thus far shalt thou go, but no farther,' doubt on the validity of his appointa false confidence has been engendered, apathy has taken the place of efficient accomplish a political purpose. sanitary administration, and the con-Senator McInnes must be surprised to Senate. In the Senate are seated the sequence has been that vigor in quarantine restrictions has nearly always ister, and that, too, with the unwilling producing States, would imperil the

corresponded with laxity in public health administration, and with a high rate of mortality from preventable diseases, often including cholera itself." When the British Government had

presented to it the alternative of abandoning state quarantine restrictions or making their inland machinery for the preservation of the public health more effective, they chose the latter alternative, and with the best effect. They found, even as regards the danger of the importation of disease from abroad boards of health were a better safeguard than quarantine."

Dr. Thorne, in the same report, savs: "Former experience of cholera in England justifies that the presence of imported cases of the disease at various spots in the country will not be capable of causing much injury to the population, if the places receiving the infection have had the advantage of proper sanitary administration; and, in order McInnes throws a doubt on Col. abroad. make their self-defence as effective as knowledge concerning the mode in which epidemics of cholera (at least in this country) are produced."

We see from this that British health connected with this country and with nate of the United States. . . . . It character and committed to a policy make for this property and each made authorities believe that boards of health England." Such imperviousness to evi- is a fact doubly humiliating to Ameri- which it will not be easy to justify. The extraordinary efforts to get a man there England." Such imperviousness to evi-dence of the strongest kind is more like can pride that the utterances in foreign standards of right and wrong are con-dence of the strongest kind is more like can pride that the utterances in foreign standards of right and wrong are conare effective not only in preserving the affairs of our so-called statesmen in rep- siderably different in the small repubhealth of the inhabitants of both town mulish obstinacy than intelligent doubt. lics of the tropical South from what they race himself, while the Reynolds syndiresentative place are not taken seriousand country, but that they are the best ly by the world abroad. But where are in the great commonwealth of the HEALTH ADMINISTRATION. defence against the invasion of diseases would be the end of our perplexities if cold and calculating North. from abroad. And, after all, epidemics It is recognized by the legislatures of

we are glad to see that his lines are ap- mass. It is recognized in all civilized of the demonstrations of the propositions municipal, notably the license revenue. preciated so highly by so good a judge of countries that preventable disease can and problems of the First Book of Euclid sources by \$290,000 A further expecountries that preventable disease can and problems of the First Book of Euclid only be successfully combatted by a state as to appoint a commission to inquire dient was that of laying taxes upon the organization-a state or provincial board into the grievance of the denominational estates of deceased persons. It now

of health. This organization will cost minority in Manitoba. The subject is takes, except where the estate is small, Sir Mackenzie Bowell's speech in re- the province only a small sum of money completely threshed out, not a single a proportion of the property which the

Sir Mackenzie Bowell's speech in re- the province only a small sum of money completely threshed out, not a single people who are economical accumulate people who are economical accumulate ply to Senator McInnes' tirade on the annually. It is very much like a small appointment of Col. Prior to a seat in fire insurance premium to guard against the labor of the investigator. secured last year was \$298,000. There the Cabinet, which the reader will find a possible great loss by fire. Yet some Every impartial man must see, was very good reason for the precautionin another column, is well worth reading members of the Opposition in our Legis- whether he is Conservative or Grit-a ary measures upon which the Governby all who desire to form an intelligent lature, and, rumor says, some supposed supporter of religious education or an ment embarked, for there has been a constant increase in the expenditures, opinion on that much discussed subject. supporters of the present Government, advocate of secular schools—that the de- and, truth to tell, we do not see the end The Premier in simple language and in are so short-sighted as to move for doing mand for a Commission on the part of of them yet.

the clearest manner shows that Col. away with the Provincial Board of the Grits, whether they are in Winnipeg Nothing can be more unreasonable or Prior's appointment was perfectly con- Health. The province cannot afford to or in Ontario, is nothing more than a more unfair than, as the Times flipstitutional. He also shows from first to allow this—it wants no repetition of the device to gain time and to shirk the pantly does, to compare the financial last that the course which he pursued experience of 1892—which cost the question. position and methods of a young prov-

with regard to that appointment was province an immense sum of money. Both the Government and the Legislaaltogether fair both to Mr. Prior and to The time to prepare for war is not ture of Manitoba know well that the when a country is attacked by a foe- Administration have gone into this Man-

It is not very creditable to the intelligence or the honesty of the Liberals health matters. The Province must be that they would at any time have enter- tively little for the Government to do of Victoria that exception was taken prepared for its invasion by disease tained and eagerly considered any ad- and in which municipalities relieve the to the constitutionality of Col. Prior's this very preparation ensures its safety. vance towards a settlement that Mani- Government of a very large share of the to the constitutionality of Col. Friors this very large share of the the stablishment of a Central Board of toba might make. They also know that expenditure on roads, bridges, schools many of those of whom better things Health is a sensible and progressive they themselves have persistently denied and improvements generally. The many of those of whom better things \_\_\_\_\_\_ To abolish it would be a that the minority have any grievance Times would have its readers declaring that he was not a Cabinet retrograde movement, and would earn to complain of and that they believe that Ontario is ecominister even after it was known that our legislature the contempt of all in- have contemptuously rejected every pro- nomical because its Government is posal to settle the question fairly and Grit, but the Mail and Empire shows

Retrenchment is the order of the day amicably. Even now in the face of the conclusively that Grit Provincial govern-"On the other hand we have often denial of an accomplished fact could —therefore let the affairs of the Board judgment of the Privy Council Mr. ments are, as a rul be managed with all economy—but let Sifton asks the Legislature of Manitoba omical. It says: -therefore let the affairs of the Board judgment of the Privy Council Mr. ments are, as a rule, the reverse of econesty. Those who keep on declar- not the legislature stultify itself-and to declare "That no case has ever been

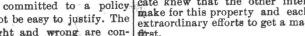
Mercier found Quebec expending \$3,ing that Col. Prior is not a show itself so devoid of all sense of duty made out for interference with our 000,000 a year. He added to the outlays, of imported infection have drawn cabinet minister in the fullest as to absolutely say we care not for the school law by the Dominion Parlia- increased the debt, and left the annual lives of our constituents

that the introduction to the resolution it was spending \$620,000. He has brought is merely the first part of the programme the amount up to a million in round fig-for the settlement of the question ures. When Mr. Greenway took hold of ment, to deceive the electors in order to all the fools and firebrands of the United arranged by Sir Donald A. Smith. We Now it is \$000,000, and there is a date of Now it is \$900,000, and there is a debt of are at a less to see in the resolution any \$4,000,000 odd, with nothing to show

States Congress are to be found in the grounds for such a surmise; the whole for it. find that Col. Prior is a Cabinet Min-men who, in order to enrich a few silver ment preliminary to an amicable settle-

senting to that appointment. But those Senate. Senators have joined the ignor- A little inquiry has shown them that most they say is that the appointment is have Senators made themselves with ezuela and the South American republics there they stop. They do not stultify with foreign nations that they have pelled to come to the con- their expectations may themselves, as Senator McInnes has lowered the character of the body to clusion that they are composed done, by declaring that it is unconstitu- which they belong and have made them- of men whose quarrels sensible Amerthat all local populations may Prior's position. "Even to-day "Nothing," says Harper's Weekly, of proteges and that it will not do for

upon every question brought before it- manuer in which the attention of the too much confidence in the statements of locating it as soon as the reservation upon every question brought before it man are in which the attention of the too much confidence in the statements was opened. Government Surveyor whether it be one of trade policy or of a world abroad is called to the degeneracy they make. If she has too much to do Reynolds is at the head of one of these fast line or a cable by which the differ- of our public men in high places by the with them she may find herself mixed syndicates and Collector of Customs ent outlying parts of the Empire may be treatment of foreign affairs by the Se- up in transactions of a questionable Hugh McCool the other. Each syndi-



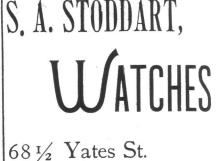




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## (From the Spokane Chronicle.)

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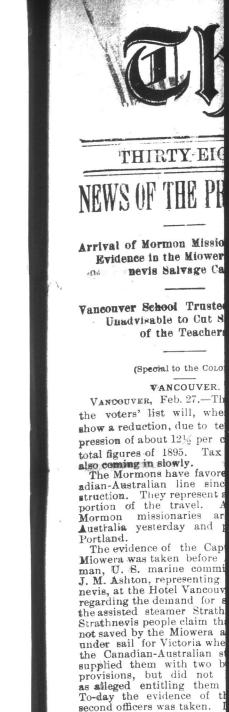
RACING FOR MILLIONS.

ince like British Columbia, in which the

Government is required to do nearly

everything, with those of an old province

The tone of the American press on the trouble or disturbances might arise into oust him from his seat in the Cab- their crazy resolutions would have subject of the Venezuelan boundary dis- cident to the rush for the new gold fields inet? There can be no doubt plunged a completely defenceless coun- pute has become greatly more moderate in the Colville reservation. He witnessthat if the Liberals could convince try into all the horrors of war. The that it was a few weeks ago. Our neigh- ed the wild stampede from Marcus when the Governor-General that Col. Prior's men who would have the United States bors are beginning to see that Great the word was given that the President appointment is unconstitutional, he mix itself up in the complications of Britain is not the greedy, unscrupulous had signed the bill, and says: "It was would without delay set about correct- European politics in order to attempt to monster that the tail-twisters, in and out the most exciting event I believe that I ing the mistake he had made in con- relieve the Armenians have seats in the of Congress, have represented her to be. have ever witnessed. The town was overrun with prospectors and all kinds tiberals whose opinion is worth listen- ant and thoughtless mob who are clam- the British case is very much stronger telligence that was to be the signal for ing to do not venture to assert that Col. oring for the recognition of the Cuban than they supposed it to be, and since the great race for wealth in the rich Prior is not a Cabinet Minister. The insurgents as belligerents. So ridiculous their attention has been directed to Ven- mineral country across the river. conflicts of a serious nature would be extraordinary and incongruous, but respect to the relations of their country generally, they have been com- the result of the wild scramble and be realized "My impression is that the very fact that everybody is looking for trouble will be the means of preventing it. One tional. It is no wonder that the Pre- selves the laughing-stock of thoughtful icans and honest Americans would not of the most exciting incidents of the mier expressed his surprise that Senator and intelligent men both at home and readily take up. They see that those rush from Marcus was the race for what republics are not a very promising set is known as the Le Fleur mine, on Fourth of July creek, about fifty miles from Marcus. This property is known when Colonel Prior is sitting " can be more painful to an American the United States to be too intimate in to be very valuable, and two syndicates S. A. STODDART, they can, it will be well for them to when Colonel Prior is sitting "can be more painful to an American the United States to be too intimate in to be very valuable, and two syndicates have regard to the present state of at the Council Board giving advice citizen proud of his country than the her intercourse with them or to place of locating it as soon as the reservation



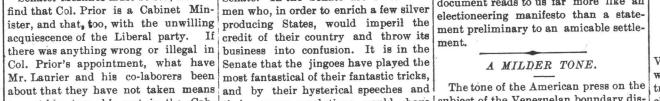
ble the case will be heard Majesty's Admiralty court h H.M.S.S. Royal Arthur a are in port. Mr. R. P. McLennan has

president of the Vancouver ciety, and G. Campbell secr Messrs. Robert Ward & C cupy premises on the corner and Homer streets as a bran Victoria establishment. At a special meeting trustees vesterday it was de was inadvisable to carry out ed cutting of teachers' salari age salary for teachers in the tricts of the province who the provincial government per month. while that of t teachers was some twenty-

month less. VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.-Th violently on Burrard Inlet and the warships in port we to put out an extra anchor. uccessful shouting part ing from Agassiz reporting r Mrs. Tapley, widow of Tapley, has returned to the c two children. The American schooner W

in port, and will load Moodyville.

Theatre-goers are talking ing performance of the Ta Co. and big houses are assu four performances. Westm be largely represented. The board of revision to on a reduction of a million d assessment of the city, makin \$14,000,000. Block 264 A ha duced 20 per cent., and 540,



of cholera and smallpox are not by any all nations that it is their duty to pro- they were?" means the greatest dangers against tect the inhabitants of the countries which the inhabitants of a country which they govern from the ravages of requires to be preserved. There are preventable diseases. China and Japan agents infinitely more insidious and are the home of smallpox and cholera. more deadly continually active in the British Columbia is thus continually murderous work of undermining the threatened from these sources, and the health of the community. And these danger is constantly becoming greater as agents are most successful. They kill intercourse becomes more frequent. thousands upon thousands of old and Two lines of defence exist for British young, rich and poor, in town and in Columbia: The external line of defence country every year. It should not for a -quarantine; the internal line of demoment be forgotten that scientific fence-general sanitation. The first line enquiry has proved that one death in of defence-quarantine-is a matter every three is caused by some disease over which the Dominion Government that obedience to the laws of health exercises exclusive control. The second could have prevented. These agents line of defence is altogether within the

work so quietly and so unobauthority of the Province. trusively that comparatively few As regards the external line of defence are aware of their existence. Chil--quarantine-this is such an interferdren die in their infancy, youths and ence with commerce that it is always obmaidens are cut off at the most promisjectionable. Quarantine is, after all, but ing stage of existence, and it seems hard a weak line of defence. It must, and to say that a very large proportion of always is, full of loopholes. Disease inthem are the victims of criminal neglect variably passes through this line of deand inexcusable ignorance, but such is fence; all history proves this to be the unhappily the case. Is it not the duty case. A country which relies upon quarof our legislators-their very first dutyto use any means that human skill has ease is relying upon a broken reed. devised to prevent this wanton waste of England, for these reasons, has done

life, this unnecessary addition to the sorrows of the community?

Experience has proved that boards o health can improve the sanitary condition under which people live. They can insist upon obedience to the known laws of health, and the Legislature, instead of taking steps to abolish the Provincial Board of Health, should do what it can to increase its influence and authority, defence, and has proved that by general might sit. and make it more effective. There is no institution of the Government capable of

the Provincial Board of Health. A HIGH COMPLIMENT.

doing more to advance the comfort and

Our readers who admired so heartily tral board. British Columbia has at the present evidence submitted to the courts, the to borrow or to add to the debt, the sum Mr. Clive Phillips-Wolley's spirited verses "The Sea Queen Wakes," will be time a Provincial or central Board of judgments and the representations of realized by this process being \$171,520. verses "The Sea Queen Wakes," will be time a Provincial or central board of judgments and the representations of The amount by which we have gone pleased to know that they have been Health, which has been in existence counsel, will, we may be sure, not take behind is therefore \$343,000 in round published in full, with a note of the now some three months. The object of the trouble to read a long and dry re- figures. Approximately the outgo was warmest praise, in the London Spec- the Board is to effect the general sani- port on a subject that has already be- ten per cent. more than the income.

away with quarantine.

warmest praise, in the London Spec- the Board is to effect the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more than the formation of the longer that the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more that the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more that the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more that the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more that the general san- port on a subject that has arready be ten per cent. more that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject that that the general san- port on a subject the general san- port on a subject the g Wolley deserves the compliment, and eages produce is one-third of the whole table or to test the logical soundness appropriated revenues that were largely the Driard.

MANITOBA'S "PROTEST."

FOOLS AND FIREBRANDS.

It has become quite evident that nearly

The resolution moved in the Manitoba listened to the tall talk of the tail-Legislative Assembly yesterday by Attwisters, only laughed good-naturedly torney-General Sifton was, in our opin- and told them frankly that they were haps the most desperate struggle for ion, merely another move in the Grit not half so angry as they thought they political game which Laurier, Greenway were, and that when they had blown & Co. have been for some time playing. their surplus steam off they would find river. There was no advantage to be What can be more hypocritical than the that they were making a great deal of led to the goal and that a tortuous one. expression of regret contained in the opening sentence of the resolution: " It is to be sincerely regretted that the repeated and earnest invitations for an much better friends to-day than they

inquiry have been absolutely ignored were a month or two ago. by the advisers of His Excellency, who ONTARIO'S FINANCES. propose without complete information themselves to ask coercive legislation We are told by the Times about On-

from a parliament the great majority of whose members are necessarily without a full knowledge of the facts relative to the past and present school systems of day, he made the almost unprecedented Manitoba."

announcement that the expenditure for Is it to be supposed that the courts of the past fiscal year had been less and Canada and the Judicial Committee of the revenue more than had been estithe Privy Council arrived at intelligent mated." antine to keep it free from epidemic dis- and equitable conclusions on the ques-A good deal depends upon the way in tion without a full knowledge of the which a story is told. It may be that facts relative to the past and present systems of education in others "distance lends enchantment to

Manitoba. The evidence heard at the the view," for to some of those who live As regards the second line of defence -general sanitation-all sanitarians re- trials, the arguments of counsel and in the capital of Ontario the financial cognize that this is the true defence the elaborate decisions of the judges are position of Ontario does not appear any against preventable disease, not only all accessible to members of parliament. thing like so brilliant as when it is veiwand are, we submit, more reliable sources ed from so distant a point as Victoria, B. smallpox and cholera, but typhoid fever, of information on the subject than any C. The Daily Mail and Empire of Tortyphus fever, scarlet fever, measles, glanders, tubercular diseases, etc. England report of Commissioners, however able relies entirely upon this internal line of they might be or however long they savs:

sanitation she can control the whole Anyone tolerably well acquainted with counts there was a balance of \$268,578 mass of preventable diseases. The the subject and with what has been lying to our credit at the end of 1894. mass of protection and the second and written upon it, must be During 1895 we expended \$5,705,055. the happiness of the community than having a complete health bureau or or- satisfied that it is not possible receipts as to reduce the credit balance "We like Diamond Dyes better than al

ganization, viz.: A central board of for a Commission to find out to \$87,580. In other words, there is a others on the market; they always give health, with sub or local boards to carry a single fact connected with it that is deficit on the year's operations of \$171,-bealth, with sub or local boards to carry a single fact connected with it that is deficit on the year's operations of \$171,-000. To bring the figures up to this When ladies ask for Diamond Dyes, they out the rules and regulations of the cen- not already well known. And members 000. To bring the figures up to this

of parliament who will not study the necessary to sell annuities, which means

Lane Gilliam, an offer of \$500 if he would make the race and get there first Good Seeds, Pretty Flowers, and Farm Requisites issued in Canada SENT TO ... FREE WRITE US BUYERS IT WILL PAY The Americans, too, are finding that Each party was watching the other closely. The word reached Marcus about 2:30 Wednesday afternoon when the they have wasted a great deal of hatred and abuse on the cool and good tempered and abuse on the cool and good tempered Britishers. The latter, while they McCool and Gilliam were both mounted on two of the best horses to be had They struck the trail across the river to wealth that has ever been witnessed. "The route taken was up the Kettle fuss about a matter of very little im- It was simply a question of the endurportance. And this has turned out to ance of the respective horses. It will be the case. John and Jonathan are give you an idea of what a struggle in was when I tell you that an ; average speed of ten miles an hour was mad over the rough trail for the entire dis tance. Who won? Why, McCool did Gilliam's horse proved the better of the two, and he beat McCool nearly half an hour Notwithstanding that, however McCool was first on the ground and tario's wonderful surplus-on paper,

cate make Mark Gilliam, a brother o

ario's wonderful surplus—on paper, posted the necessary notices of location 'and when Provincial Treasurer Har- first. Gilliam returned to Marcus yescourt made his budget speech the other terday. It is said the reason he did not locate the mine was because he did not care to be shot.'

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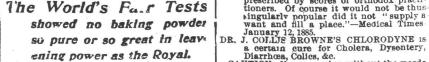
in this matter of finance as in some No Grumblers or Growlers When Diamond Dyes are Used. If your Grocer does not keep these in

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onto, in an article on Ontario's finances, factorily. Mrs. Thos. Lavin, Newark, Ont., says According to the Ontario public ac-"I find that Diamond Dyes are the best, as I always get good and fast colors from them. I have used other dyes, but they

During 1895 we expended \$3,758,595. are all inferior

Vice Chancellor Sir W. PAGE WooD stated publicly in court that Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that it had been sworn to. —Times, July 13, 1864. DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE IS THE BEST AND MOST CERTAIN REM-EDY IN COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION, NEURALGIA. RHEU-MATISM, &c. should always insist upon seeing the name on the package, as there are so mauy worthless dyes sold by dealers. MATISM, &c. DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLOBODYNE is prescribed by scores of orthodox practi-tioners. Of course it would not be thus singularly popular did it not "supply a want and fill a place."-Medical Times-Laurer 10.1965



WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Feb. 28.--who became insane in Carik has been brought to Wester lodged in the provincial ja examination.

A joint meeting of a comp the council and board of tra last night to consider the sm sitions. It was decided to an cilfor \$500 cash to enable the to secure valuable, desirable sary information. There are panies desirous of erecting iere.

A special important mee senior lacrosse club was held with closed doors. The quo warranto proceed

Ald. Holmes have been with

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Feb. 27.-A mee Nanaimo Angling Club will the Windsor on Saturday. H.M.S. Royal Arthur and called on Tuesday evening yesterday. The city council estimat ceipts for the year at \$3 this on a reduced assessmen call for tenders for a new bri nect with Newcastle townsit A number of miners are a arrival of the Willapa, whe leave for the Yukon. During the week business

markably quiet, but the outl more satisfactory. The sh coal have been larger. KAMLOOPS.

(From the Inland Sentin At an adjourned meeting o of trade, held on February 24 presidency of Mr. James M motion was adopted : "Whe opinion of this board it is un chants, traders and farmers ritors' that the C.P.R. Com continue the practice of supplies by means of a store resolved, that this board reg tributing of supplies by a grievance, and asks the through R. Marpole, superin remove its store car from th ritory.'

Some experiments have recently by a local company of testing the quality of som the town for brick-making a purposes. If the the experi-a success, sevaral brick buil. near future will be the result The Consolation last mo