THE VICTORIA TIMES. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1895. 6. ever, that as such it will receive your | careful consideration. F. W. Glover wrote again regarding THE NEW COURT REGISTRAR Best home decorated lamp shade, 1st PREVOST PROBABLY CAUGHT \$2.50; 2nd value \$1.50. SEWER PIPE CONTRACT the injuries he received by being struck careful consideration. I have the honor to be, gentlemen, Yours respectfully, A. FOSTER BARHAM, Manager B. C. Pottery Works. 44 Government street. Tea cosy, 1st \$3; 2nd box tea. by a street car Sofa pillow, 1st \$3; 2nd value \$2. Hand bag, 1st \$2; 2nd tea set-three Ald. Humphrey said the city barrister was of opinion that the city was not re-Local Lawyers Declare That He His Boat Seized by Customs Officers Letter From the Manager of the nieces. sponsible Should be One of Their Ald. Humphrey thought an explanaand Prevost Placed on San Drawn work, 1st \$5; 2nd cut glass B. C. Pottery and Terra Referred to the finance committee. tion was required from the sewerage · Profession. scent bottle Juan Island. C. McK. Smith, for A: DeCosmos committee. It seemed evident that the Cotta Company. One set table mats, 1st \$2; 2nd value wrote that the offer of the city to take outside company was trying to run out \$1.50. over certain streets without ceimburs the local company by cutting prices. One dozen dessert doileys, 1st \$5: 2nd ing the owners for money expended on Claim Made that it Would Expedite Pretty Strong, Case Against Fald. Water Committee Report Fixing Ald. Macmillan explained that when dozen cabinet photos. them, could not be accepted: Received the sewerage committee were given au-**Business and Cheapen** Patchwork quilt, 1st \$2: 2nd Japanese ing, New Westminster's the Duties of the Clerk of and filed. thority by vote of the council to put in Litigation. Inspector Northcott reported that the tea caddy. Registrar. Works Rejected. these sewers, they found that the en-Patchwork quilt-silk, 1st \$3: 2nd case old building at the corner of Douglas gineer, without any instructions from and View streets was a dangerou Pearline. Quilt-crazy work, 1st \$3; 2nd case of the council or the committee, had given Laid on the table. At a meeting of the lawyers of the nuisance. Superintendent Hussey last evening The mayor and full board were presan order to the Terra Cotta Company Market Superintendent Johnson city yesterday afternoon a resolution was Pearline. re eceived the first accurate account ent at last evening's meeting of the city Hemstitching-any article. 1st \$2: 2nd for \$900 worth of pipe for this norted that fees for August amounted passed declaring that the vacancies in how Registrar Prevost left Victoria work. It had been the rule of to \$127. Received and filed. the vacancies in the office of registrar The information was given by Haun council the city engineer to order what Smocking-any article, 1st \$2 ;2nd Mayor Teague drew the attention John J. Magee transmitted an order of the supreme court should be filled J. Lipsett, of Dungeness, well known i pipe he required from the local value \$1.50 the council to the application of Alex. of the Privy Council of Canada refusing with legal men, as outlined in these col-Victoria. Mr. Lipsett, who knew P company and the city paid for it accord-Best specimen fancy crochet-cotton McLean for re-admission to the Old umns some days ago, and it was further to reimburse the city for the care of the vost well, states that the missing real ing to a list. As a sample of how this 1st \$2.50; 2nd value \$1.50. Men's Home. He said something would decided to endeavor to get the governtrar arrived at Dungeness on the M lepers on Darcy Island and also refusworked, the city had 23,000 feet of 8-Best specimen fancy crochet-silk, 1st. have to be done with the man. ment to take such action. The meeting day morning following his disappearant ing to undertake the control of the leper \$3.50; 2nd 1/2 dozen 5 o'clock tea spoons. inch pipe in the pipe shed which had Ald. Macmillan said he was not a fit was held in the office of Bodwell & Irvfrom Victoria. He had crossed the guilt been there for four years and could not Fancy knitting, 1st \$3.50; 2nd perfumperson for the home, but arrangements ing and was largely attended. E. V. in a small sail boat, and was accon station. be used until near the completion of the night be made with the Salvation Army The city council asked the Dominion Bodwell was made chairman and Herpanied by a man who is well known The committee, with the object Plain knitted socks or stockings-wool work. to take charge of him. government to reimburse the city to the bert E. A. Robertson secretary. The along the water front. Prevost regis of putting a stop to this waste of pub-1st \$2.50: 2nd value \$1.50. This course was decided upon chairman in opening the meeting said amount of \$2037.39, the net cost of the tered at an hotel, seemed to be u lic money instructed the purchasing agent L. H. Solly and nine others asked for Plain knitted socks and stockings-cotthat everyone present knew the object supplied with money, and made no ... station, and to assume control of the Mr. Northcott, to call for tenders for an investigation into the action of the on. 1st \$2.50; 2nd value \$1.50. of the meeting. The appointment of a fort to conceal his identity. The station as was done in New Brunswick. Plain knitted socks or stockings-silk, When tenders were called for pipe. health authorities regarding the nuisregistrar of the supreme court was a who accompanied left shortly after their ance caused by the Canada Paint Con-Mr. J. W. Keller offered to deliver the 1st \$3.50; 2nd piece of silverware. The letter was received and filed. matter which affected them only indirectarrival for Port. Townsend, on pipe for \$2519. The Terra Cotta Co. Best six button holes on linen, 1st \$3: pany at their factory on Store street. ly, but was of the greatest importance Ald. Wilson suggested that the lepers steamer Wildwood, and must have man claimed that they were not being dealt Ald Partridge said the Company were 2nd \$2. to their clients and the public at large. his way back to Victoria, as last Thur be sent to Ottawa. Best made cotton shirt, 1st \$3; 2nd fairly with when tenders had been called making alterations which would abate It was highly important that the office day night he returned to Dungeness Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemens asked that for, as it was understood that the compair shoes. the nuisance. should be conducted in the best manner from Victoria on the steamer Evangel the St. Louis college property be exempt pany would supply the city with pipe in Best made flannel shirt, 1st \$2.50; 2nd Referred to the sanitary officer. possible, and he believed a legal man On the following morning, 'Friday, from taxation, the school in every way | the future. He would like to know who O. W. Jenkinson and thirty-three resivalue \$1.50. should be appointed to it. The registrar and Prevost again embarked in Ladies' night dress-hand sewn, 1st \$3; had the power to enter into an underlents of Craigflower Road asked for, a being a free school. Referred to the had a number of matters referred to small boat and left Dungeness in standing with the company? That light on that road. Referred to the him which required a good deal of judi-cial discretion. In the past probably 2nd \$2. dense fog. It is presumed that it was Children's pinafores, 1st \$3: 2nd value city assessor. would bind the city to buy pipe from electric light committee. Prevost's intention to board a foreign Hon. Secretary Renouf extended an in-John McDonald and others asked for the Terra Cotta Company at boom every legal firm in the city had experi-\$2. bound vessel in the straits. It is not vitation to the mayor and council to atfor all time. Alderman a water main on Hilton avenue. Refer-Child's summer dress-2 to 6 years, 1st prices enced trouble over the necessity of reknown whether he was successful, as tend the opening of the exhibition. Ac-Macmillan quoted the company's old red to the water committee. \$6: 2nd \$4. ferring petty questions, which should the Victorian who was with him, has price list and their new one. In their Child's winter dress-2 to 6 years, 1st The finance committee recommended cepted. have been settled by the registrar, to a The following letter was received renot yet returned home. old list ten-inch pipes were quoted at the appropriation of \$4,018 out of the \$6: 2nd \$4. judge. The expense of litigation had garding the contract for sewer pipes, Constable W. Bullock-Webster lei Darned socks or stockings, 1st \$2.50: 54 cents, in the new list at 45 cents; general revenue, \$8,032 out of the sewthereby been increased greatly, and the from A. F. Barham, manager of the B. this morning for Spokane to bring back 18-inch pipes were reduced from \$1.35 to erage loan, and \$354 out of the water 2nd \$2. speaker believed that and much other the other defaulting registrar, W. H. C. Pottery Works: \$1.28; junctions from \$2.16 to \$1.78, and Knitted counterpane, 1st \$2.50; 2nd works loan. Adopted. trouble would be avoided by having a Falding. The case against him is even Victoria, B.C., Aug. 30, 1895. The printing committee recommended \$5.40 to \$4.80. . On the Belleville street \$1.50. professional man in the office. He said worse, from all accounts, than the one To the Mayor and Corporation of the City Crochet, 1st \$2.50; 2nd pair silver order something like \$400 was saved, that tenders be called for printing bythat he thought it his duty to express against Prevost. Just before leaving Victoria: and another \$100 was saved on the othlaws and voters' lists. Adopted. bracelets. Gentlemen,-I should like to draw the athis opinion on the matter, and believed New Westminster Falding drew \$1100 er order, and the committee obtained a The street committee reported that if Rag mats, 1st \$5: 2nd case Pearline. that the opinion of the lawyers as a consisting of trust funds, from the bank. was not certain that the lane between Best collection of plain and crinkled reduction on the price of pipe already whole would have weight with the gov-He is charged with embezzling this tissue paper work, 1st \$2.50; 2nd value delivered and used at the old list Menzies and Louis streets was a public ernment when the appointment was money, and on this charge he will be price. He did not think the local thoroughfare. \$1.50 tried. company had been unfairly dealt with. Best dressed doll-hand sewn-girls The water committee reported as fol-H. B. W. Aikman supported what Mr. It is quite probable that Prevost, the under 15, 1st \$5; 2nd cut glass scent They had been given every advantage. lows: Bodwell said. He said all were missing registrar of the supreme court. The money saved to the city would be Victoria, 3rd September, 1895. hottle Victoria, 3rd September, 1895. Gentlemen: We, your water committee, beg to report as follows: That we consider the water works en-gineer, Mr. Jorgensen, should be held re-sponsible for any changes made thus far in the construction of the cofferdam or other works at the lake, and so as to avoid any possibility of extras being charged up to the city as the result of the changes agreed on the necessity of having prois by this time in the custody of Pro In the first place, I would refer to my reply to Mr. Northcott's letter of the 25th expended on improvements and the Home made fruit cake, 1st \$2.50; 2nd fessional men in the office and all that vincial Police Officer McKenna, as the workmen would get every cent of it. On reply to Mr. Northcott's letter of the 25th ult., calling for tenders for the supply of 18-inch pipe and fittings, in which I drew his attention to the fact that all the pipe originally contracted for between this com-pany and the city had been delivered. The reason for breaking this contract was, I understand, some change in plans on the part of the city authorities, and there was an undoubted understanding to the effect that this company should have the privil-ege of supplying the pipe required at fu-ture times. Notwithstanding this, I, at Pearline. could be done now was to express their following telegram was received by Manthe other hand he saw that the old em-Home made plain cake, 1st \$2.50; 2nd opinion in a resolution. ager William Christie, of the C. P. R. ployes of the Terra Cotta company were Pearline. S. Perry Mills agreed that a professiontelegraph office from Manager Cook on suing for wages. After the contract No prize will be awarded except for al man at the head of affairs could do the Pacific Postal office at Port Town was awarded to Mr. Keller the company first class work. In this division no much to expedite the work of the solicito the city as the result of the changes made by the engineer, that before the next payment is made to either the engineer send at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon: made another offer of 29 cents for 10names are to be placed on any article tors. He took occasion to say that Mr. Port Townsend, Wash., Sept. 4. inch pipe. The schedule price for this before the judging takes place. In this Prevost had brought a large amount of W. Christie, Victoria: Revenue launch division entries must be made to the secwas 54 cents. If the company can sell or the contractors an assurance received in writing that there are no tras charged, and that a thorough un common sense to bear on the work and verhauled Prevost in a boat near San 10-inch pipe now for 29 cents how much retary of the B. C. Agricultural and Inno exthat it had materially assisted in solving Juan Island Sunday or Monday; seized did they intend to make out of the city dustrial Association, and are to be exsome of the difficult legal points which standing be arrived at as to what allow hibited subject to the rules of the asso-

ture times. Notwithstanding this, 1, at the same time having regard to the general drop in prices since the time the contract was made, offered to meet him to any rea-schable extent on the **subject** of price. I may here add that the prices I eventually when they asked 54 cents for it? Mr. Keller was a ratepayer of the city and doing business here for years and could fairly claim equal consideration with guoted, and which were lower than the U. S. company by scme \$250, were precisely the same figures that I would have quoted in any case, and I can prove this statement. others here who made or dealt in pipe. In admitting him to competition for supplying the pipe the committee had shown Northcott having intimated that he only deal with this matter by sealed the Terra Cotta Company that they could not have a monopoly of supplying tender, I accordingly, on the 30th ult., filed my tender with him, at the same time entering my protest at the action taken by him on behalf of the city.

hish a weekly statement to the council de-tailing the amount of concrete laid and the exact amount of cement used, and any other information that is of interest in concity. The Terra Cotta Company had The result of this tender was as already stated, viz., that my price was about \$250 stated, viz., that my price was as already supplied many large and profitable orders below that of the Denny Clay Co., as rep-resented by Mr. Keller. My prices were supplied more than three-fourths of the nection with the work. supplied more than three-fourths of the Ald. Bragg said he had not signed the pased upon what I considered the fair supplied more than interior of the pased upon what I considered the fair pipe used. On imported pipe the profits market value of the pipe in question. I at the same time gratuitously gave the city the benefit of a reduction in the price of 10 inch pipe and fittings, amounting to 100 er on an address the first beau wirks and of manufacturers, the cost of freight, the profits of the dealer here and 35 per cent, duty had to be paid, and if the \$100.62, on an order wh with me on the 16th of July at the Terra Cotta Company could not compete schedule prices. My object in so doing was to convince the city authorities of my in-tention of dealing with them in a straightforward manner, and giving them with opposition thus handicapped he would ask what kind of profits did they want. The committee had simply done extras or deductions. their duty with the city's money, what the full advantage of any reduction I was prepared to make. The amount of this re-pate is made up as follows: prepared to make else would the council expect them to do? question of extras. Ald, Cameron did not think anybody had been unfairly dealt with. All men feet 10x6 T's, at 36c, 2.88 in the trade had been asked to tender \$100 62 for the pipe and the contract had been Trusting that I have made my meaning clear so far, I will now proceed to the second call for tenders, dated 22nd inst. awarded to the lowest tenderer. Neither the committee nor the purchasing agent this I replied on the 23rd inst., quot-the following prices: Nine-inch sewer at 32 1-2 cents per foot; 9x6 Y's at knew anything about the Denny Clay Company referred to by the writer. The s1.30 each; \$1.30 each; 10-inch sewer pipe at 45 cents per foot; 10x6 Y's at 1.30 each, these company had never offered to reduce their prices until there was competition. prices being computed on precisely the same scale as my previous tender. The aggregate amount of this tender on the The city had continued to pay the highthe clerk of the works. est prices for pipes while other materials had come down in price. The tenders pipe required is: C. Pottery \$1,178 45 nny Clay Co. 1,099 21 had been opened before the council and engineer. the engineer. The committee did not have the power to pay a local company Difference 79 44 a higher price than agents for other I did not hear of the result of this ten-der until the morning of the 27th inst. By that time I had the whole of the pipe required to make up the order. In process of manufacture. I understood that the pipe was required at once, and I had no option but to push on with the making so that there would be as little delay as pos-sible in delivery. I may mention here that I had in stock nearly all the nine-inch pipe required and about two hundred feet of ten-inch, with sufficient junctions to carry on the work until such time as I could deliver the remainder. The result did not hear of the result of this ter companies Ald, Partridge said Mr. Northcott was not to blame in the least. He was not duties. at the meeting when the contract for the pipes was awarded. He did not know men could compete against a Seattle company employing Chinese. to carry on the work until such time as a could deliver the remainder. The result of this transaction is to leave me with this pipe on hand, where it is likely to remain for some time. If, on the other hand, Mr. Keller had not got the contract, he, as an importer, would have been minus his commission, and that would have been the end of it. Ald, Hall thought all tenders should be opened at a meeting of the council. pose. Two members of a committee had awarded a contract. This he thought was unusual. The local company commendations were adopted. should have received some consideration. the end of it. There has been a great deal said about the protective duty and freight being suffi-Ald. Humphreys said the company could not be blamed for the fact that cleant margin for us. So it is in ordinary instances. But in the case of a cut like the present, made with the deliberate in-tention of driving us out of the market, the duty and freight is little or no help to us presented by two aldermen. a lot of pipes were stored in the pipe vard. It was the fault of former councils. The company had competed against several concerns for the supply of pipes and their price list was established on us. The Denuy Clay Co.'s price list for nine-inch pipe is the same as ours, 50c. per foot, off which their usual trade discount would be, say 50 per cent.: their tender given at that time. Ald. Wilson was sorry the contract had been awarded by the committee. the first week in November. If it had come before the council he would have voted for the local company. It would be a long while before the Am-33 3-4 without any allowance being made for freight, wharfage, cartage or breakage. Our price for this same pipe is 32 1-2c. delivericans sent to Victoria for anything they could get on the other side. The company were manufacturing a good ered. I have, I think, given facts and figures sufficient to prove that I have throughout endeavored to deal with the corporation in a fair and business-like manner, and that the price I have the price in the article and their prices were so low that a firm importing British pipes had the Mayor. decided to stop doing so. The committee had done one good thing. They had that the prices I have quoted are in no way above the market value. But without brought down the local company's a certain degree of reciprocity it is impos-sible that these works can continue to op-erate. It is for you, gentlemen, to consid-er whether it is or is not for the advantage of Victoria that they shall do so. prices. Ald. McLellan considered that all tenders should be opened before the counstrong To-Day. It is the only concern of a like nature in the province, and employs white men only, who are residents of Victoria and the neighborhood, and the wages they earn are spent here—at any rate for the most part. The amount of wages rid her the spent here. When the street committee wanted horse they had to ask the council for it, but when the sewcrage committee get a sum of money the council did not spent here-at any rate for the most part. The amount of wages paid by the company to the workingmen of Victoria from the time of its commencement in September, 1890, to the present date, as taken from the books of the company, amounts to \$83,-095.05. Should the works close it means in round figures that from \$15,000 to \$20,-000 will annually find its way out of the city. This is estimated on the past 12 months' trading, and I very much ques-tion whether, in that event, either the city or the present contractor will get their hear auvthing about it. The corporation should be the first to help local industries. The saving, \$79, was small to While the cost of the pipes the city. would mean a good deal to the workingmen engaged by the Pottery Comans. Ald. Bragg thought that in future all enders should come before the council. A committee should not award contracts without the consent of the council. The council was blamed for something it had nothing to do with Ald. Macmillan said other committees had claimed the same right as that exwas a sumptuous affair. ercised by the rewerage committee There would be a full report on the matter

R. T. WILLIAMS. WM. WILSON.

ance the contractors are to make for the reduction allowed in substituting one for two rows of plies in the construction of

he cofferdam. That Mr. Brown, the clerk of the works,

be instructed to keep a dlary written up daily in ink detailing the quantity and makers' names of cement received at the works, the exact quantity used, and a note made of any that may be returned as un-used or undt for use, and that he also fur-

report, as the mater referring to the following that up and at an opportune charges in the works and the duties of time too. After some further discussion by Arthe clerk of the works had been dealt with by the council. He thought the cher Martin Lindley Crease, J. A. Aikengineer should define the duties of the man, J. P. Walls, Thornton Fell and L. clerk of the works. Mr. Jorgenson had P. Duff, the following resolution was already said that there would be no framed and unanimously passed: Whereas the Law Society of British Co-umbia at its annual meeting, held at the lumbla at its annual meeting, held at the city of Victoria on the 4th day of March. 1895, passed a resolution in the following Ald. Williams thought that the pres ent was the proper time to deal with the terms: "Resolved, that in the opinion of meeting the registry offices of the Sup Court of British Columbia should be of this Ald. Partridge considered the rules Supreme laid down for the clerk of the works reor ganized, and that to each officer in the registry should be allotted certain specific functions to be performed by him, and that very childish. If the council did not have confidence in Mr. Brown they registry should be allotted certain specific functions to be performed by him, and that in the future appointments to the positions of registrars of the Supreme court should, as far as possible, be made from members of the profession. And whereas this meeting desires to re-iterate and endorse the principle embedded should make another appointment The Mayor said it must not be torgotten that the clerk of the works was rder the engineer. If the engineer is to be held responsible he should control terate and endorse the principle emb n the said resolution; Be it therefore resolved, that in the opin-Ald, Humphrey could not agree with ion of this meeting the public interest im-peratively demands that the present va-cancies in the offices of the Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia John Claussen Cannot Pay His Fine the report: The clerk of the works should receive his instructions from the the Supreme Court of British Columna should be filled by members of the legal Ald Cameron pointed out that the enprofession; And be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. the Attorney-General, with a request that the government give effect to the views professio gineer had asked for assistance several weeks ago. The assistant had been appcinted, but had not yet assumed his abov expressed R. T. Elliott in moving that a commit-The report was laid on the table tee be appointed to wait on the govern-The water commissioner recommended ment, personally present the resolution how he would have voted but did not that \$2,500 be appropriated for clearing think the local company employing white out Beaver Lake. The water was much and urge that its provisions be carried out, said that he believed such a course lower now and a great deal of work necessary as the government had unexcould be done. During the summer celled facilities for filing away docu-\$1,239 had been expended for the purments. Stuart Yates seconded the mo-He also recommended that the tion and it was carried. Mr. Bodwell 12 and 16 inch mains crossing the trestand Mr. Aikman were named on the les near the lake be covered. The re The resolution will be presented to the Ald. Bragg moved, seconded by Ald government at the earliest possible date. Macmillan, that the city be subdiv.ued into four wards, each ward to be re THE WOMEN'S EXHIBIT. jail this afternoon by Constable Abel. Ald, Macmillan explained that al Revised and Corrected Prize List Has though he seconded the resolution he was not in favor of dividing the city Been Made Public. No Steamship Could be Obtained into four wards. The matter should The revised and corrected prize list however, be laid over for some time. for the women's competitive and loan 'The motion was laid on the table until exhibit at the agricultural and industrial exhibition has been issued. It is from miss the trip from Sydney to Victoria Ald, Williams brought up the question the presses of the Province company, on September 16, and from Victoria to of establishing a home for old women. and is very neat. The prize list is as Sydney on October 16. It was impos-There was one case at least which follows: would have to be attended to. The wosible to secure a steamship in Australia Best collection of fancy work (one persuitable for the run, and it was decided man would either have to be cared for son's work), 1st prize \$10. to cancel the trip entirely. Notification or sent to her friends in the east. Best point or other lace, 1st \$6; 2nd to that effect was received here last even-The matter was left in the hands of ing by Geo. L. Courtney, agent of the \$4 Outline work, 1st \$2.50; 2nd box of The council adjourned at 1015. C. P. R., from the Vancouver office of peaches. the company. The Warrimoo will be Gold or silver tinsel work. 1st \$2.50; docked on her arrival at Sydney and WEDDED IN WESTMINSTER 2nd comb and brush. will only have to miss one trip, as there Applique work, 1st \$2.50; 2nd box tea. will be ample time to repair her in the Nuptials of Dr. Morris and Miss Arm Bedroom slippers, 1st \$2; 2nd pair interval. scissors. Embroidery in lace or other stitches, to arrive here about the first of the New Westminster, Sept. 4.-The most 1st \$5; 2nd lamp. coming week. She has a big general fashionable wedding of the year took cargo and a number of passengers in Kensington embroidery, 1st \$3.50; 2nd place this morning in Holy Trinity Caase Pearline. both cabin and steerage. thedral, when Dr. Osborne Morris, of Roman embroidery on white linen, 1si \$2.50; 2nd purse. Vernon, and Miss Rosa Selina; youngest Plain, 1st \$2.50; 2nd card case. daughter of ex-Sheriff Armstrong, were Netting, 1st \$3.50; 2nd photo frame. ordinary distinction of having been the united in marriage by Rev. A. Shildrick. Braiding, 1st \$2.50; 2nd pair vases. only blood purifier allowed an exhibit Miss Armstrong, sister of the bride, and Bead work, 1st \$2; 2nd value \$1. at the World's fair, Chicago, Manu-Miss Morris, sister of the groom, were Ladies' work, any kind, upholstered, fecturers of other sarsaparillas sought bridesmaids, and Miss Lillooet Armtion whether, in that event, either the city or the present contractor will get their pipe as cheap as they do now. We do not ask for any undue favor whatever at the expense of the ratepayers, but we do ask that so long as we will supply a good article at as cheap a rate as it can be ob-tained elsewhere we shall be given all the support and encouragement possible. I must apologize for having trespassed at such length upon your valuable time, but this is a matter of serious importance to this industry, and. I venture to think, to the community at large. I am sure, how, 1st \$5; 2nd dozen cabinet photos. by every means to obtain a showing of strong and Miss Nora Armstrong, maids Piano or table scarf, 1st \$3.50; 2nd their goods, but they were all furned of honor. Dr. George H. Duncan, of perfume atomizer. away under the application of the rule Victoria, was best man. The presents Embroidered table cloth, not linen, 1s numbered over 100. The newly wedded \$4: 2nd case Pearline. couple left for Victoria and the Sound Tatting, 1st \$3.50; 2nd music folio cities after the wedding breakfast, which Patching, 1st \$2.50; 2nd \$1.50. Best burnt work, 1st \$2.50; 2nd set adies' studs and links. **Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powdet** Rug for baby carriage, 1st S?: 2nd The letter was received and filed. World's Fair Highest Award. value \$2. [n. . . . s."

P. AE. Irving drew attention to what had already been done by the Law Society and said that they would be but

had come before him. The speaker also

praised the work of Arthur heast and

Harvey Combe, and said it would be but

an act of simple justice to reward their

J. Stuart Yates concurred in the opin-

ion that a professional man should oc-

cupy the post of registrar and expressed

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terday evening at a place known as the falls, about ten miles from Duncan's. Gabriel in company with T. Whidden. destruction would have been followed by ed while crossing the stream above slipp the falls, his head striking the projectthe falling of the pipe. The fire was ing bluff, and fell into a deep pool becarelessly started by someone yesterday low. Gabriel was an excellent swimand it spread very quickly in the dry mer but being stunned by the fall and brush and timber. In the evening i hemmed in by the rocks on either side reached the pipe line and Caretaker Lehhe was unable to get out and was soon man and Engineer Jorgenson with drowned before the eyes of his compancouple of men made a fight to keep i ions, who could give him no assistance. from catching. They had a long hard Police Officer J. Maitland-Dougall left struggle at the trestle, but managed for the falls this morning to recover the save it. There is considerable fire in body. Coroner Wellburn will probably the woods in that vicinity. hold an inquest. Gabriel leaves a wife The break in the main which would and three children. His wife left but have followed the collapse of the trestle

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his boat and turned him loose on the island. McKenna has probably captured him to-day. The reason for the seizure of the boat is very likely that Prevost failed to give very satisfactory account of himse, and was taken for a smuggler by to. crew of the revenue launch.

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A CALAMITY AVERTED.

Forest Fires Fought Back from the Wa Duncans, Sept. 4.-Alexander Gabriel, a halfbreed, well known around Victoria. ter Main Trestle.

was drowned in the Cowichan river yes-The trestle upon which the water main crosses the hollow on this side of Beaver lake came very near being destroyed by lake came very near being had the city fire last night, and if it had the city fire last night, or its

Washington.

to give bonds to keep the peace for a year, or in default go to jail for six months. He could not pay the \$10 fine, nor could he obtain two sureties for the peace bonds. He will, therefore, have to serve seven months, or six if the surficies run concurrently, which will at be pronounced excessively severe punishment, when the nature of the offense is considered.

esterday morning for the hop fields of would have been bad for Victoria as there would be a water famine at once and the city would have been at the WILL SERVE SIX MONTHS. mercy of any fire started.

THE TERMINAL CITY.

Lord Aberdeen and Party on Their Way Unless some of the friends of John to Okanagan.

Claussen come to his assistance he will. Vancouver, Sept. 4 .- Fred Goodmur have to serve a long term for assaultby came up in police court this morn ing Mrs. Lange. He was fined \$10 and ing. Evidence was given to the effect costs, or a month in jail, and ordered that he and the girl, Lizzie Scott, had agreed to run away. She swore in court that she had told him she was over 16 but could not swear that she was. Her grandmother, Mrs. Green, could not swear that she was not 16. The case was again remanded.

Thos. Quigley, who tried to commit suicide, recently by cutting his throat, came up to-day in speedy trials court Claussen sent for several of his and was allowed out on his own recognizance of \$1000 to appear when called. friends yesterday and to-day, but was Lord Aberdeen and party left immedi unable to get anyone to go on the ately upon their arrival here for Cold bond. He was taken to the Provincial stream.

Y. M. I. PICNIC.

The well-established reputation of the Y. M. I. as an entertainer doubtless accounts for the fact that several hundred excur-cursionists went to Sidney yesterday after-noon and evening. Nor were the pleasure-seekers disappointed. Without delay, upon atrival of the afternoon train, the commit-tee set to work and started the list of sports So keen was the interest taken by the set to work and started the list of sports. So keen was the interest taken by the spectators in the different evits that even the strains of the orchestra could not induce the picnickers to trip the light fan-tastic until the list of sports was exhaust-ed. Following are the prize-winners in the various races: 200 yards race- 1st, A. Willing; 2nd, C.

. Simpson. 100 yards race—1st. R. Carter: 2nd. A. Will

Willing. Boys' race, under 10 years—lst, R. Mc-Donald; 2nd, E. Roberts; 3rd, I. Keefe. Girls' race, under 10 years—lst, M. Tribe; 2nd, R. Silver. Y. M. J. race—lst, D. A. Kennedy; 2nd,

A. Willing. Boys' race, under 15-1st, Wm. Jones; 2nd, R. Stewart; 3rd, B. Johnson. Girls' race, under 15-1st, G. Verblest; 2nd, S. Cox. Smoking race-1st, H. Gilmaster; 2nd, A. Ladias' race, ict. M. Willing. The steamship Miowera is expected

Ladies' race-1st, Miss B. Gurthro; 2nd,

Miss M. Conlin. Potato race-1st, G. Truesdell; 2nd, W. Three-legged race-1st, G. Baker and L.

McDonald; 2nd, C. McDowell and Carter. Special prizes were donated by Mr. Geo. Riley as follows: 150 yards race, (open), \$3,

States, and boys' race, under 18,
won by G. Baker, and boys' race, under 18,
won by W. McIlmoyle,
The prizes for waltzing were won by
Mr. G. Truesdell and Miss Ure.

forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the -Which is worse, imprisonment for World's fair authorities in favor of life or a life long disease, like scrofula. Aver's Sarsaparilla was in effect as for example? The former, certainly, follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a would be preferable were it not that patent medicine. Is does not belong to Ayer's Sarsaparilla can always come to the list of nostrums. It is here on its the rescue and give the poor sufferer health, strength and happiness.

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