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Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias
—High Water on the Fraser
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(Special to the Colonist.)

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Dr. Watson, Indian Agent Lomas and
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On Tuesday last John Boyd and Tom
Hain, prospectors, well-known at Illecille-
waet, left with a packhorse well laden with
camping outfit, to commence where the
mineral belt crosses the trail from south-
west to north-west, and prospect right
through the Big Bend country.

As a result of the recent hot weather (80
degrees in the shade), the river is again
rising, but it will hardly reach last year's
high water mark.

A petition to Molson's bank has been ex-
tensively signed by business men, for the
establishment of a branch here.

The Donkey and Dan McGilvray has ob-
tained the contract for constructing the
Nakusp and Slocan railway.

Tommy Tapping, the three-year old son
of Robert Tapping, who was playing at the
back of the house, fell into the pool of
water at the intake of the Smelter Com-
pany's pipe and was carried over the dam.

Mr. Tapping, hearing nothing of the child
for some time, went to the pool, and found
the little fellow lying on the rocks below
with the water splashing over him. The
boy was dead.

Mr. Tapping is ill in bed, having been con-
fined with another son last Saturday.

The prospecting parties have gone up
the trail to Big Bend, on which the Govern-
ment has had seven men employed for the
past six weeks, under Wm. Mackenzie. It
is expected the work will be completed
some time next week.

From the Golden Era.

The steamer Annerly has only made one
trip and is now laid up at Jennings for re-
pairs. The passengers to Tolosa Pass
report a very rough trip, owing to drift-
wood and high water.

Haupt & Thompson, Rosendale & John-
ston have bonded their claims near "North
Star" to Wood's Cove, of Quebec.

A. W. McVittie, of Thunder
Hill, is endeavoring to put up an electric light
plant on the E. K. E. Co. diggings on Wild
Horse Creek.

On Tuesday last, near Hog Ranch, a
miner, by the name of Baker, slipped over
the side of the Duchess and was drowned.

Mr. Hogg, C. P. R. engineer, is at Fort
Steele, and is endeavoring to get the
Moyie route. He reports a party of en-
gineers now in the Pass (Crown's Nest)
working across from the east.

PLUMMER PASS, June 13.—Some forty
one years ago the eighteen-year-old son of
John Currie, then residing in the town of
Inverness, county of Megantic, Province of
Quebec, left his home to seek his fortune in
the far West, and was supposed to have
made British Columbia as a good field for en-
terprise, there, with a number of other fam-
ilies, came to the province, and subsequent-
ly settled down on Mayne Island.

Some few years ago Mr. John Patterson,
of New Westminster, who is well known in
mining circles, whilst in conversation
with Mr. Currie, asked him if he had
any relatives in this country, and upon him
replying in the negative, told him that he
knew a Mr. John Currie at Pemberton
Meadows, and that from the likeness he
thought that the John Currie of Pemberton
was the same as the John Currie of
Mayne Island.

This led to the discovery of the fact that
the John Currie of Pemberton was the brother
of the John Currie of Mayne Island, who
after leaving his home had wandered around
the coast of the Pacific, until finally settling
down he accumulated money and large
tracts of land, and is now considered a
wealthy man.

On hearing from his brother, John im-
mediately came to Mayne Island, and on
Wednesday last arrived here to be wel-
comed by his mother, brother and sister.

He is now forty-one years of age, and has
been in the mining business for many years.
He spent a pleasant time overlooking Mayne
Island and Galiano, and left again in the
early part of this week for his home, with
the hope of returning shortly to stay for a
longer period.

A FAREWELL TESTIMONIAL.—
The regular weekly meeting of the Ep-
worth League of the Metropolitan Metho-
dist church, last evening was of special in-
terest, in that it afforded the society an op-
portunity to tender the retiring pastor of
the church, Rev. Coverdale Watson, a
heartily farewell. During the evening a pro-
gramme was given, taking the form of a
presentation of a large and valuable valise, con-
taining some personal presents, such as a toilet
case, scent bottle, etc., and bearing the
inscriptions of the members of the Ep-
worth League of the Metropolitan church,
Victoria.

Accompanying the presentation was
the following address:

To Rev. Coverdale Watson:

Beloved Pastor,—We, the officers and
members of the Pandora Avenue Chapter of
the Epworth League of the Metropolitan Church
of Canada, desire to express to you our love
and appreciation of the valuable services to us
and our church during your sojourn with us.
You were not only our pastor, but you have
been to us a friend, a counsellor, and a
fatherly guide. Your life was a life of
faith and your faithful wife was in a great
measure a helpmate to you in your
new field of labor with our good wishes and
prayers for your success in your new
assignment in the providence of God return to
your home in the future as our pastor. As
a slight token of our affection we have pre-
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(Signed) L. DUNN, President.
E. B. BROWN, Secretary.

In reply to the address the Watson
made an appropriate speech, and the re-
mainder of the evening was spent in a
social manner.

REMYNY'S MUSIC.

Victorians Have Again the Pleasure
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of the Violin.

Successful Concert at Institute Hall
By Mr. Joseph Philo and
Associates.

For the second time in twelve years, M.
Edouard Remy, the great violin virtuoso,
appeared before a Victoria audience last
evening to charm, delight and instruct. On
this occasion he was accompanied by Mlle.
Sage, as pianist and accompanist, Mlle.
Methot (soprano) and Mr. Marshall (bari-
tone), presenting with their aid a pro-
gramme which, in musical excellence, was
the equal of any that has ever been listened
to within the walls of The Victoria.

The first number was a duet by Miss
Methot and Mr. Marshall, "Calm as the
Night," which was exceptionally well re-
ceived, the ensemble being remarkably fine,
notably in the abandon with which the
duet was sung. The second number was a
concerto in the violin, also in the violin,
showing that they are perfectly in rap-
port with each other—something only ac-
quired by constant appearance together.

While Miss Methot's voice cannot be
classed as powerful, it is very sweet, clear,
true and well trained—pleasant to listen to.
Her playing was of a fine, full, rich and
melodious. Unfortunately, her accompanist,
Mr. Marshall, was not so successful. His
Tosca, from Carmen, which fol-
lows, the audience, no doubt, waiting for
a glimpse of the individual, was not so
impressed.

In appearance Remy is decidedly ec-
centric; he lives for his art, and for his art
he is willing to sacrifice everything. He is
at the first stroke of his bow last
evening all thoughts of the individual were
lost in the enjoyment of the ex-
quisite melody of his music. M. Remy
has been in the many years he has held
highest rank as a virtuoso, and his sym-
phonic expression by which his music has
been won. He was first heard
in an exceedingly difficult composition
by Henri Brault, which was a
romance and march from Othello. His
rendering of this was like all virtuosos,
decidedly original. First among the char-
acteristics of his playing is his expression.
He is not a mere player, but a musician.
—and it is impossible to imagine a finer
player. His double stopping is another
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