The range of subjects with which the Women's Council will deal is, judging and the resolutions proposed, a very wide responsibility of administering the affairs from the standing committees appointed one. Committees were named on the fol-

Laws for the Better Protection of Woen and Children. Custodial Care of Feeble-Minded Wo-

Care of the Aged Poor. Aid for the Transvaal Contingent.

Bureau of Information, The Canadian Women's Hand-Book. Some of these matters do not come home to us here very closely, as, for example, the protection of women and children and the care of the aged poor. Neither has there been felt, so far as Mr. Tugwell, in which he complains of we are aware, any need for action in re-the delay of freight at Skagway. This gard to the custody of feeble-minded wo letter came to hand on Saturday, but thing, why not make one job of the subjects are of great importance in sentatives of the White Pass & Yukon which require it?" This question was other parts of Canada, if not here. The railway might be consulted on the subother parts of Canada, if not here. The railway might be consulted on the sub-raising of a loan for the Doukhobor wo-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may terday. There is much to be said in favor of the answer which the question state of the answer which the question and the greater than those which arise in the sub-raising of a loan for the Doukhobor wo-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may terday. There is much to be said in favor of the answer which the question auggests. Civic improvement means a subject concerning which we have a subject to the sub-raising of a loan for the Doukhobor wo-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may terday. There is much to be said in favor of the answer which the question auggests. Civic improvement means a subject concerning which we have a subject to the sub-raising of a loan for the Doukhobor wo-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may favor of the answer which the question auggests. Civic improvement means a subject concerning which we have a subject to the sub-raising of a loan for the Doukhobor wo-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may the subject. Inquiry shows that delays may the subject concerning which we have a subject to the sub-ject. Inquiry shows that delays may the subject to the subj

gent are matters upon which much might be said. Here in British Columbia we feel in the fullest degree the obligations resting upon us as Canadians to do whatever the most liberal patriotism can ask ever the most liberal patriotism can ask distant rivals. for the gallant fellows who went to distant rivals.

It is a many-sided question. It relates able to state that Mr. Graves, the presi-Orient, but the proper surveillance of the channels through which immigration comes from Europe and its sources.

In this connection the case of the Doukhober women naturally suggests itself. It cannot be wise to bring to this countiry people for whose relief it is necession. As Mr. Graves says, tion is spoken of, something more than sists in handling freight and passengers improvements. Is it not reasonable, have no authority to use, made a statekeeping undesirable people out must be as rapidly as possible.

wish to direct the attention of our visitof Canada where Sunday is observed in newspaper offices. Nearly every person ince goes home on Saturday night and does not return to work until Monday morning. In each office a few men work if the strike on the Fraser river was the ingent of the New Westminster Exhibition to special consideration this year. The strike on the Fraser river was the it would not be more than this.

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THE AGENT-GENERALSHIP.

Speaking in the house yesterday, Mr. Joseph Martin said that the reason why the Semlin government did away with the office of Agent-General in London, was the manner in which the incumbent of the position was discharging his duties. A bald statement like this may properly be met by an equally bald denial. It never was alleged that the late Agent-General did net efficiently discharge his duties. The habit of the members of the Semlin party, when in opposition, was to attack Mr. Vernon and say all manner of hard things about him, but he of Germany.

ing of the office. We do not believe that he foreigners since the people of China is better than a pound of cure," ever took the slightest trouble to ascer- were first brought into contact with tain how Mr. Vernon discharged his them. A fear seems to have selzed the duties. He simply found his colleague people and they are, as it were, in a conin the government determined to get Mr. Vernon out, and he assented. When the irresponsible for what they do. Several shoulders he was careful to insert in his platform that the office ought to be reestablished. The reason for closing the Japan the yellow race will learn its own office is not now very material, but it tremendous power and be tempted to ought not to go uncontradicted that it exercise it. As yet the Chinese have was because Mr. Vernon failed in the even less conception of what lies outdischarge of his duties. So far from this side of their country than we have of Press.
Raising of Loan for Doukhober We- being the case, he was an efficient officer, and one whose long familiarity with let them learn that there is a vast and the affairs of British Columbia made him rich world lying beyond their borders, an authority upon all subjects relating to and that they are strong enough to conthe welfare of the province.

DELAY AT SKAGWAY.

We print a letter this morning from was held over in order that the repre- whole business and pave all the streets,

their duty in the premises when the Canadian Wo-ferred from water to rail, when account more in the nature of an investment. men's Hand-book is a matter that calls for no comment.

The Press, Immigration and the subject of aid for the Transyaal Contingent are matters upon which much might gent are

hardly fail to be productive of good. | are handled, which provide special ing on a larger scale than has been at-Speaking of the Press, there is one facilities for its transportation at special tempted in this line hitherto. phase of newspaper work to which we rates. Where this cannot be done by reason of the small volume of business,

> Victoria freight at Vancouver. THE ORIENTAL QUESTION. had not, nor has it yet, made a declar- rights of individuals. ation of war. A report has come out

mainer of hard timing about alm, our mainer of hard timing about alm, or more than a custom and these matters are only the predicted evidence to show that goes by way of species Bridges. It micronality will be able to see their way delivered as a first growing business of and clear to give it effect at an early day. In this official position. The Semlin party in hope as we will that the present trouble that the outlook was very serious ingelies to see their way delivered as a first growing business of and clear to give it effect at an early day. In this official position. The Semlin party in the control of the fishermen and hope as we will that the present trouble that the outlook was very serious in ing the summer at least, be served with the control of the fishermen and the control of the fis opposition claimed to oppose the agentwill pass away, that the Chinese govdeed, and while the government did not mail twice a week by way of the Hope ernment could confirm a piece of news be a virtue. generalship on principle. They used to generalship on principle. They used to tell the country that the province had no need of an agent-general. When Mr. Martin attempts to excuse Mr. Semlin pass away, that the Chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not that the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government und not the chinese gov-deed, and while the government will discover some means to the member from Cariboo that the militia, he claimed that the house to the militia, he claimed that the house he militial he claimed that the house he militia, he claimed that th

and his government for their action in existed before the Boxer movement impressed by Mr. Pooley's views about the Hope Mountains, and it is alleged dition between sleep and wakefulness, writers claim that to give Japan a leading place in dealing with these condiquer it, and they may repeat in the Twentieth Century the events which led to the overthrow of imperial Rome.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS.

"If a little block paving is so good a

The delay in regard to personal bagsouth Africa to fight the battles of their
country. Every one will await with interest the request which the Council
shall make upon this subject, and we
think we can promise that it will have to
be exceedingly unreasonable not to meet
with the cordial endorsation of the people of this province.

Immigration is a subject upon which
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It is a many-sided question. It relates

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ince goes home on Saturday night and does not return to work until Monday shippers will be removed. At the same moderate tone of their speeches, It is moderate tone of their speeches, It is eminently proper that a matter of this for an hour or to two after midnight and for an hour or to two after midnight and Skagway. At the last meeting of the Skagway. At the last meeting of the The selling out of the military proper that a matter of the set it. On the whole it is a good thing to have Dewet in that part of the country. He is a dashing leader, but a few for an hour or two early in the Skagway. At the last meeting of the The calling out of the militia was ad- would do much to justify the continued morning, but every one is at liberty to Council of the Board of Trade there wersely commented upon by some of the imposition of this charge. At present speakers, and Mr. Ralph Smith seemed the men who pay the money get nothing to be under the impression that the gov- in return for it. The original reason giv- means by his reference to the 200 Welsh ernment was in some way responsible en for the imposition of a royalty was Fusiliers. The implication is that they for this; but such is not the case. Under that the government ought to get some assignments at noon on Sunday as on tother days; and in the discharge of the Pending the uncertainty which preregular duties they have to see people vails as to the fate of the legations in of the peace may call upon the militia to itself to many people who did not look not they were captured. during the day just as they do on week Pekin, there is a great deal of doubt as act in certain cases of emergency, and the very far ahead. Experience has shown during the day just as they do on week days. The editorial writers have to repair to their rooms and take up their United States minister escapes safe and in the matter at all. The best practice country sufficiently well without the impens, and the politicians and others se-sound, that nation is not likely to take in such matters is for the justices of the position of a heavy royalty. If the roylect Sunday as a particularly favorable any part in such effort as may be made peace to consult with the officers of the alty is to be continued it ought to be ex- Women's Council is the desirability of by-elections for five ministers, entailed day to interview them on subjects calling to discipline China and secure safer confor editorial treatment. The business of- ditions in the future. If all the min- for the responsibility of calling on the which pays it, for in this way it will do who attend as clerks in stores. This fices are opened and merchants and isters, except the German representative, aid of an armed force is a very serious the country as a whole more good than will commend itself to the public generothers come in to see about their adver- are found well, the situation will be re- one. It is not always possible to do this, in any other. Anything that tends to ally. It is a matter which the ladies tising, and the writers of advertisements lieved of much of its horror. What and Mr. Green was somewhat hasty increase the facilities for doing business have largely in their own hands. Most culties, the decision would meet with for large business houses do their work course Germany would feel bound to when he said the justices, who acted in in the North will redound to the advan- of the girl clerks are engaged in the dry popular approval. as on other days. Later on the compositate under such circumstances is not the premises, deserve censure. It is altage of the whole of Canada. We hope goods stores, and the ladies are the chief tors go to work, the telegraph operators are at their desks and all the hurry and patent right to the discovery of "The two sides to every question. Mr. Mcturmoil of a week day is on. It is safe Yellow Peril." He was the first promin- Phillips took what we think is the corto say that a Monday morning paper en- ent European statesman to realize that rect position, when he said that the house tails Sunday work for twenty people where a Sunday morning paper does for one, Yet some well meaning but ill-informed people in the East wish to compel us in it years ago, but their warnings were unthis extreme power of the justices is exish Columbia to adopt the heathen- heeded. The Kaiser put his views in the ercised, the facts ought to be made fully ish Eastern practice. Will the ladies form of an allegorical painting, which he known. On the whole, it is perhaps jus had executed under his direction, and it as well that the public should be remindcreated no little discussion when it was ed of the existence of this power on the shown to the world. When the news of part of the justices of the peace. It can-Baron von Kettler's murder reached not be made too clear that no man and Berlin, the Kaiser made a decidedly in- no body of men has a right to coerce feature about it is that she rode through Hammatory speech, in which he spoke of others in the matter of work or wages, dictating terms of peace at Pekin. Sin- When this is thoroughly well understood gularly enough, though terms of peace there will be a minimum of interference were talked of, the German government by capitalists or labor unions with the time, except when changing horses. She calls for the exercise of patience and sidewalk, when there was the whole

the premises, he is really excusing himself, assumed its acute stage. There has calling out the militia, which are, subthat a pass has been found, which is stantially, that "an ounce of prevention 1,400 feet lower than that surveyed by the C. P. R. This is a matter that will bear looking into, for if the construction

> THE FISHERMEN'S STRIKE. The calling out of the militia for the directly with the Coast, an effort might

purpose of protecting those men, who de-

sire to catch salmon and sell them at 20 cents each, is a demonstration that we are living in a free country and that no one may presume to dictate to his neighbor what he shall do in the matter of earning his livelihood. Men may go on strike, if they want to; but when they undertake to say that others shall not work, they are going beyond the law and must expect to be brought up with have already lost more than they would have made extra if their demand for 25 cents a fish had been complied with. They were induced to take their unwise attitude by a few agitators. The very great majority of the fishermen are law-abidby demagogic agitators, by men who he has not been heard from through the have nothing to lose. We are very sorpublished telegrams since before the ry that it became necessary to take the relief of Mafeking. If we have interfancy that British Columbians when once they other localities where freight is trans improvements is not a burden. It is but either there is law in this province or there is not, and the only way to the point referred to. We have expected learn what it is. The Canada and the learn what it is. The Canada and the learn what it is a matter that calls is taken of the fact that goods at Skagif we properly pave the business streets show that there is, under such circumthat he would descend upon the Trans-

ROADS TO KLONDIKE.

We find in the Seattle Times an inter

sary to mangurate something like a had like to the company are against to mangurate something in the analysis of the company are against to mangurate something in the analysis of the company are against the making of ed from Dawson, but whose name we fichal movement. But when immigrate delays of any kind. Their profit contherefore, to argue that the coming of ment to the Colonist a few days ago sub- to drive an enemy out would be an exkeeping undesirable people out must be to drive an enemy out would be an extended into consideration. Canada needs In regard to the transportation of more population and the making of further taken into consideration. Canada needs In regard to the transportation of more population and the making of further taken into consideration. taken into consideration. Canada needs perishable freight, this is a class of ther improvements will further add to population, and especially does this perishable freight whose the shipper must take a the related as that of ceedingly formidable task. At the same the same taken into consideration, canada needs perishable freight, this is a class of ther improvements will further add to Mr. Crockett speaks of time, it would be quite as difficult for the related as the same taken into consideration. freight where the shipper must take a the value of property within the city? two drawbacks, but the two are practi-Western Coast need it. We have resources that are unbounded; we have opportunities that are unsurpassed in the world for men and women of sobriety, industry and ordinary good sense. If the homes more fully impressed with this face than they were when they came of railway where improved the shipper must take a the value of property within the city?

If we drawbacks, but the two are practive to the enemy to get out. Our impression is that when once the Boers have been driven from the line of the railway company to put better facilities for such world, fall. We can readily be readily be readily be readily be readily be readily once the statement that one mining conposed with the immediate ago, be taken into the Yakon at all. The enemy to get out. Our impression is that when once the Boers have been driven from the line of the railway company to put better facilities for such world, fall. We can readily be readily be readily be readily be readily pactified by the failure of those responsible to put Rock Bay bridge in a profit of the railway company to put better facilities for the colly one, for given better facilities for such world, fall. We can readily be readily be readily be readily be readily pactified by the failure of those responsible to put Rock Bay bridge in a profit of the railway company to put better facilities for the city one, for given better facilities for the colly one, for given better facilities for the colly one, for given better facilities for the cally one, for given better facilities fact than they were when they came There are lines of railway, where im- hope that next year the city council will a pound. Mr. Crockett points out that here, their visit to British Columbia can mense quantities of perishable freight grapple with the question of street pav- where good roads exist the charge is after that. only 2 cents a pound; the difference between the two figures on the above ton- the advance of our army in the Transnage, \$28,000, would of itself be a very vaal is general. Dewet is making in a fair margin of profit. Unless it was un- northeasterly direction so as to join

MAILS TO PRINCETON. Mrs. Anderson, wife of the editor and because she is the first person to make the journey from Princeton to Vancouver in a day. Her actual travelling time was a little over twenty-one hours, and a part of this was taken up in waiting for the train at Hope. The chief from Princeton to Hope in about four-

government. Of course, what the Similkameen country needs is a railway to the Coast. This must certainly form a part of any plan which the government may bring down at a future ses THE WAR. We had a despatch yesterday morning saying that Gen. Carrington had defeat-

well be made to embrace such a road in

any general scheme decided upon by the

nor is it mentioned in a very elaborate index to geographical names in South Africa. We find a Salmis river, which is a branch of the Oliphant river, flowing into it about 20 miles north of Middleing, well-meaning people, who only ask burg. This may be the stream referred to be allowed to earn reasonable wages. to, although we say this under much re-They are quite prepared to accept the serve, for all maps and gazetteers are price which the canners can afford to at fault when it comes to South African give; but as is too often the case, their localities. Very great interest attaches sensible view of matters is overborne to the news from Carrington, because extreme step of calling out the militia, preted the despatch correctly, it will be very interesting to learn how he reached

> The retirement of the Boers from the neighborhood of Middleburg is reported between Pretoria and Middleburg. Presumably Ian Hamilton and Mahon have new members to talk. continued their advance eastward and orth of the Netherlands railway; so that if our surmise is correct and Car-

leave it at Machadodorp or in that vicin- pel the fishermen to do so. march readily enough, although at this

through this valley an attacking force must advance against the town. The road would be very easily defended, and President will not hold out much longer

This morning's despatches show that

It is not quite clear what Lord Roberts were released prisoners and probably un-

ON BEHALF OF THE GIRLS.

One of the matters that has been brought under the attention of the way about it.

gested carried out. The young ladies who are engaged in these stores of Vic-

GAME PRESERVATION.

Mr. Alan S. Dumbleton writes us letter on game preservation. It takes little courage for any person to move in of some thirty miles of highway will a matter of this kind, but we are sure open the Similkameen country to traffic that all true sportsmen, and every one who wishes to see the attractiveness of the Island maintained, will cordially endorse what he says. We fear it is only too true that the laws for the preservation of game and fish are frequently downward a resident of Victoria, aged violated, and the violations do the very injury of which Mr. Dumbleton complains. At present we have on Vancouver Island one of the most attractive fields in the world for sportsmen, either with the rod or the gun. If we can conserve our advantages in this respect, they will prove a mine of wealth to the country.

We venture to suggest that those perons, who see alike with our correspondent in this matter, should get together and form some sort of an organization for the protection of game and game fishes. An association can accomplish very much more than a number of individuals acting separately. The responsibility of action of any kind would be divided. The very existence of such an organization would have a deterrent effect upon those persons who now violate the law and all the canons of true sportsmanship.

he desirability of placing the government of that city in the hands of commis-

up the situation, it is going to be pretty Act, 1897," to neighborhood of Middleburg is reported hard to get business through the house to which the legislative authority of the from Bronhurst Spruit, which is midway very rapidly, for there is very much of a legislature of British Columbia extends. disposition on the part of some of the

matter of compulsory arbitration when he pointed out that, while it would be possible to compulsor.

The amount of the capital of the company is \$50,000, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each.

The head of the capital of the company is \$50,000, divided into 500 shares of \$100 each. rington is coming down from the north, he pointed out that, while it would be possible to compel canners to observe the province is situate at Alberni, and Geo. probable that the enemy will make no decision of a board of arbitration, it stand along the railway line, but will would be absolutely impossible to com-

At an informal meeting of the Prenier and Chief Commissioner of Public To carry on the mining and shipping of Works of New Brunswick with Mr. ores and minerals of all descriptions; all Dunsmuir and the members of his cabinet yesterday, the rights of the provinet yesterday, the rights of the prov-smelting and reduction of all minerals ince to the control of the fisheries within therein: the selling of the product of such the 3-mile limit was talked over. This smelters and of such mines hereinbefore very important subject has already reall such product and smelting hereinbemarch readily enough, atthough at this season of the year the nights will be very cold. Before Roberts can get ready and some of his colleagues. Mr. Helmolands of all kinds and the cutting of same to undertake this part of his work, ken, M.P.P., has also been looking into and the preparation of same for market, and the selling and freighting of same to spring will be coming on and conditions the matter. It will be an excellent thing and the selling and free states are selleng and the selling and free selling and selling and free selling and selling and free selling and selling mineral large selling mineral large selling mineral large selling mineral large. south of Lydenburg the plateau ends trol of these fisheries and the revenue mining properties and such other privilege with a sudden drop into a valley, and derived from them can be established.

correspondent signing himself "West Vic- pose and privilege of advancing moneys toria." The matter to which he refers is one of considerable importance, and it would be well if some others would express themselves about it. The intention of the railway company to put bettinue tied by the failure of those respon-erated, or that may sible to put Rock Bay bridge in a pro-per condition for traffic. We urge the propelling any craft for freight and passubject upon the immediate attention of sengers or either; also for the purpose the City Council.

A delegation waited upon the provincial government yesterday to urge the claims of the New Westminster Exhibi-water for the above purpose and for emergency. That the result of the effice, at Victoria, province of British Co-fort to carry on the Exhibition was in can do less harm there than anywhere part a legacy of debt is not a matter for surprise. The wonder is that the management did as well as they did, for they were certainly confronted with a combination of untoward circumstances. We are not able to form any opinion as to the ability of the government to meet the reasonable request of the Exhibition officers. The year has brought large and unexpected charges upon the revenue. An extra session of the legislature and a general election, with the months ago. Nevertheless we feel that if the government can see its way clear to help the Exhibition out of its diffi-

Complaint was made to the Colonist patrons of such establishments. If they yesterday that a lady was knocked down express a desire to have employers let on the Dallas Road by a bicyclist on the young ladies off for half a day each Monday night, and, though not seriously week, they can likely have their own injured, received so bad a shock that she was unable to leave her bed on the fol-The Colonist does not care to interfere lowing morning. It was very dark at Mrs. Anderson, wife of the editor and proprietor of the Similkameen Star, is in must admit, however, that it would like full speed without a lamp. On the same bout to board the speed without a lamp. The same full speed without a lamp. Take N to see some such arrangement as is suga car on Fort street and two ladies were getting off. A bicyclist ran into him, toria are as estimable and as exemplary and apologized for doing so, because the in their manner of life as any corresponding number of people in any other circles. did not do any harm, but if he had struck Very many of them, indeed, are refined the lady instead of the gentleman, there and intelligent and fitted to adorn any might have been a different story to tell. teen hours. The distance is sixty-five sphere. Their work, though not labori- He was endeavoring to rush past the car miles. She was in the saddle all the ous, is trying. It has its worries. It in the narrow space between it and the had two remounts sent ahead of her. courtesy at all times, even when tired width of the roadway on the other side. The explanation given by the AttorneyMr. Anderson accompanied her a part of nature rebels at the strain imposed upon A few nights ago a well known merchant from Pekin that the Chinese authorities General was in every way satisfactory. the journey, and a gentleman, who had her. If it can be arranged so that the was knocked down on the street by would apologize for the killing of the minister and make every possible reparation, but we have no hint as to how the canners and the fishermen, and had be with the men and the fishermen, and had be with the men and the fishermen, and had be with the men and the fishermen, and had which we wish to emphasize just now is the better for it in mind and body. We injury. This sort of thing must stop. bicyclist, who did not think it worth while to stop to see if he had done any injury. This sort of thing must stop forts. B.C. such a proposal would meet the wishes instructed their officers to swear in as that to get the mail from Vancouver to hope, therefore, that the effort of the Bicyclists must learn that pedestrians But these matters are only the presary. He produced evidence to show that

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Bicyclists must learn that pedestrians

have some rights left. Persons who are

goes by way of Spence's Bridge. It

merchants will be able to see their way

run into do not care to complain to the police, for usually the offending rider is Mr. Hunter, M.P.P., asked if the gov-

A Naval Visitor.—Rear Admiral Kautz, U.S.N., in command of the Pacific sion, arrived in the city yesterday. is accompanied by Mrs. Kautz and Flag Lieutenant L. M. Garrett, of the U.S.S. Iowa, the Admiral's flagship. The Iowa is at present at Port Angeles, but is expected to visit Esquimalt on Friday.

formerly 39 years.

MADIGAN—At St. Joseph's hospital, on the 22nd inst., Edward Madigan, a na-tive of Ireland, aged 70 years.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the matter of an application for a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to section three (3) range four (4) Somenos NOTICE is hereby given that it is my in ention at the expiration of one from the first publication hereof luplicates of the Certificates of

S. Y. WOOTTON, Land Registry Office. Registrar-General Victoria, B. C., 12th day of July, 1900

CERTIFICATE OF THE REGISTRA TION OF AN EXTRA- PRO-VINCIAL COMPANY.

"Companies' Act, 1897."

"Monitor Copper Mining Company, Ltd." I hereby certify that I have this day registered the "Monitor Copper Mining Company, Limited," as an Extra-Provinto carry out or effect all any of the objects hereinafter set fort The head office of the company is situate in the city of Jersey City, county of

issue or transfer stock, whose address is Alberni aforesaid, is the attorney for the

The objects for which the company has

the sale of all such commodit rectly or on commission, also for the pur on consignments of the above common-ties enumerated, as agents or as principals, and to do such aots as are inci-dent thereto; also for the purpose and the privilege of carrying on a general or limited merchandise store at or near mines and elsewhere; also for the pur-pose of and the privilege of operating a dise which may arise from and dent to the industries hereinbefore enum-erated, or boats propelled by any power and the privilege of creating, operating ing or any other purpose, and the de-velopment of electrical power for mining

[L.S.] S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

MINERAL ACT (Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE. Richard III Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Chemainus

District. Take notice that I, Lenora Richards, known as Mrs. S. A. Richards, Free Miners Certificate No. 48933B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Min ng Recorder for a Certificate of Improve-nents, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown

Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improve-Dated this 14th day of June, A. D. 1900.

NOTICE. Key City mineral claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division.

Where located:—Mt. Sicker, Chemainus

District.

Take Notice that we, A. Wasson and E. H. McKee, Free Miners' Certificates Nos. 39,600b and 48,901b, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Misling Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. ments.
Dated this 4th day of July, A.D., 1900.

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A REMEDY FOR IRREGULARITIES Agetin, Pharmaceutical Chemist,

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I will send to any lady a receipt for painfu or delayed periods. I will relieve in 2 to 3 d a y s. Absolutely harmless MORTON.

Provincial Leg

The Fraser River St the Chief Top Discussion

Mr. McInnes Im. Labor Bill-Chin striction.

So soon as prayers we flegislature yesterday, Mr moved the adjournment order to bring to its not affairs existing at Stevest ter would have come un the member for Nanaimo eral questions on the pay regarding the sending of officers to the Fraser rive that the volunteer soldier and New Westminster a ing Steveston gave, if p serious aspect to the trou Speaker Booth decided being treated in the asse more unusual fashion. very thorough-going, a members taking part in i receiving careful and with nte expression. Mr. Smith, in introduci

represented it very ably standpoint, Hon. Mr. Tu Kidd, who are both int salmon-packing industry, salmon-packing industry, have spoken to the quescanners' standpoint. The sumed by the administ premises was well set fort General Eberts and the Bride, while Messrs. Sm Oliver, with Mr. Gilmon matter from the point of opposition. The fourth Vancouver was almost that attempting to make capi matter, all the others apprayed business question. grave business question, of the sphere of par

side of the sphere of part leader of the opposition to the debate.

After a spirited retort of Joseph Martin, who had show that Mr. Smith wa in introducing the matter of the sitting, the member once plunged into the at once plunged into the the present time the situation ton was a most serious rnment had assured ernment had assured to they were giving the mat sideration. He had sev coming up to-day concern in sending over a numb policemen, but now the maturther complicated by hundreds of armed sold hundreds of arme hundreds of armed sold rounded this most impo These were there, it was tect the industry from the ists. And while no one iself repudiated all symplessness, yet he could not the fact that all over the had now gone forth that the military had been not the odium of the fair fair province. He would fair province. He wou ernment whether it were for them to interfere a most unfortunate condi-From what he could l

assured that there was good reason for this cal troops. The reports in paper had shown how meeted by the people of whose remarks that "if the transition has the first transition of the same transition of th whose remarks that "if I let the militia be the fi were in perfect accord w tion of the stand that the taking. This most ext been taken when there winstance of intimidatic authorities, and a single wrong-doing could not reant it. As a matter of the time the single was all the si tremity reached was all side of the dispute. It canners and it helped or was desirous to learn ment, in order that both the country might be in sufficient reasons could step such as this, whice was the last resort unstances. If such could would be the last to reledge it, and would give to such proceedings for peace and protection wafford. But he was fithat the fishermen had merit such extreme acc merit such extreme act as he could see, the on intervention was to ha eries of the rivers to t Japs, and drive the hon out of the industry. Be

Japs, and drive the hon out of the industry. Be played into the hands. But it was a shame nothing to resort to exhe did not wish to emernment, but he thou be in a position to call a and settle such dispute the opposite results of overawing the laborers. These men had the rightight to object and to use all fair means to in use all fair means to it in not taking a.h for held to be out of least went beyond their ru ference was nothing a

The matter hingel

The matter hingel of tion, and if the govern to give sufficient reason over of the specials, an was not found for the soldiery, he urged that use its influence toward of these forces.

He was happy to le ernment had tried to so of the dispute, but against the fairness of they had refused this cand he would say the if it were true that the it. Both sides havi against arbitration. he against arbitration, more necessary that ests a compulsory law conciliation should

statute book.
Hon. Mr. McBride from a riding adjoining trouble raged, he tool personal interest in it been made to the go fere, but it was a we unless these overtur made any consequent most likely to be fur had made representati had made representat ment, and when it a private property and were likely to be environment of the service of The strikers, howev within the law, but v

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