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THE WEEKLY TIMES Friday, Victoria, July 13, 1894.

THE ELECTION LAW. The election law of British Columbia is more honored in the breach than in the observance. It is a patent to every person who has taken part in an election contest that every clause in reference to bribery is openly violated.

DEUTEROPHIL MR. TURNER. Mr. Turner is fond of charging Mr. Beaven with telling only half the truth, but we fear the finance minister is not always careful to get even so near the mark as that.

THE ELECTIONS. The Times of course goes to press too early to be able to announce the result of the provincial elections, and there would be no utility in making any predictions at this juncture.

to hold Mr. Beaven responsible for the employment of alien labor on the sewers. That was a silly falsehood as well for every citizen knows that Mr. Beaven was not mayor at the time when the sewer contract was let.

DISPERATE MEASURES. No measure is too desperate for the government and its friends to use in the present situation. An illustration is furnished by the following letter from a prominent resident of the north division of West Kootenay.

PROMISING LAVASHEL. Hon. Mr. Vernon is making a desperate fight for his seat, though to all appearances the changes of his success are very poor.

THE TORONTO MAIL. The Toronto Mail of June 29 quotes a number of sentences from an editorial that appeared in the Victoria Colonist.

THE ELECTIONS. Speaking in anticipation of the Ontario elections some weeks ago, we indicated the probability of the Patrons of Industry securing the balance of power in the new house.

alone will largely account for what success they may gain. Both direct and indirect bribery have also been freely practiced on behalf of the government candidates, and if any person chooses to set the election law at naught he can easily find material for prosecution.

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THE ONTARIO ELECTIONS. Latest Reports Give the Government Exactly Half the House. According to the returns given in the latest Ontario papers the Mowat government has 47 straight supporters, or exactly half the house.

THE NORTHWEST MIRACLE. Mrs. Geo. Collinson is a well-known and esteemed resident of Prince Albert, N. W.T. This lady has had a remarkable recovery, having almost entirely restored her health and strength.

THE KENTUCKY STYLE. Mr. Underwood's Story of a Campaign in the Blue Grass State. John G. Underwood, who was elected lieutenant-governor of Kentucky on the same ticket with Luke Blackburn, is an amusing story teller, particularly when he is started on the subject of political stumpings in Kentucky.

LEADS TO BL. Depicting Fire Into a Wreckers Inst. Chicago, July 6.—Struck train on the Fort Worth street to-day. Strike Leaders in a Fire on Street. Chicago, July 6.—At a thing is quiet. The officials are waiting the troops before they reassemble.

FOOT DISTORTION IN CHINA. The Painful Operation Which Little Girls Undergo. In many provinces the small foot is almost a new novelty, as it would be in Ontario and New York, and in Tartar and Mongol districts, such as Manchuria, it has never been tolerated.

THE PATRONS OF INDUSTRY. The Colonist this morning treated the premier to a very liberal dose of taffy. Yet not long since it spoke of him in this way: "It is very difficult, we must admit, for Mr. Beaven to carry out consistently the role of moral purist."

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