The weather during this week has been similar to the preceding seven days, remarkably due and dry over the North Pactitic slope. The amount of bright sunshine recorded here was over eight hours per day, whereas no rain or snow fell; executed at the Carboo. This phenomenal weather was due to the prevalence of high barometric pressure over British Columbia and low pressure over British Columbia and low pressure further south. No storm areas have crossed this province from the Pacific, our which have been the prevalence of the contravard and light to moderate in force. Upon several days strong whids or moderate gales from the eastward were reported at Cape Flattery, elsewhere on the Coast from Vancouver laiand to California the which have been light to moderate in force.

Sharp frosts occurred on the Lower Mainland upon the first six days of the week, and upon two of these days the afternoon temperatures exceded 60 degrees. In Kootensy the weather has been comparatively mild and about the average in Carlboo. The temperatures have been moderate in the Yukon, at Dawson the temperature only fell below zero upon three days. The weather has been generally mild in Alberta, and light snow has fallen upon everal occasions over portions of the Terstorles.

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New Westimister—No rain or snow, highest temperature, 54 on 24t; lowest, 16 on 19th. Kamloops—No precipitation; highest temperature, 54 on 24th; lowest, 16 on 19th. Barkerville—A trace of snow; highest temperature, 54 on 24th; lowest, 16 on 19th. Dawson—Highest temperature, 34 on 18th; and lowest, 22 below on 23rd. 18th to 24th March, 1903.



March were \$397.186.

airs being made to the wharf on which it rested. ___

Columbia dedicated an organ given by sanctity of the human body.

-A fire broke out Thursday morning at the residence of Mr. Godfrey, corner were extinguished with little trouble by the fire department. The damage is estimated at about \$100.

-The secretary of the board of trade is receiving unsolicited numerous appli-cations for membership. This he attri-

conveniently situated for shipping purposes.

spacious apartment on the floor blemishing to a great avoce more suitable for the purpose.

Candless Tuesday wired an invitation miles less. to President Roosevelt to visit this city while he is touring the coast. The Presi-

Established Toward Progress is being made on the substructure of Point Ellice on the substructure of P , which Men are busy on the excavation of up-

Tickets for the performance can be secured at the Victoria Book & Stationery Store or at the door. weather during this week has been ery Store or at the door. In order to Esther" will make their return to him COMPANY TO HANDLE

-At the B. C. Electric Railway Company's shops at New Westminster the West's Issue of the Provincial

perial Limited service on June 7th, On that date the first train will leave Mon-Edward Owen Malins, of New We osely follow that of last year, trains ster district, during the illness of J. J. eaving Montreal on Sundays, Wednes- Cambridge, district registrar. days, Thursdays and Saturdays. The William Graham McMynn, of Greendaily express service will also be conwood, S. M., to be a magistrate under

-A correspondent writing from Vern-The total clearings at the Victoria 14 inches of snow fell, and there is now ver, barrister at law; Ainsley Megraw, clearing house for the week ending 24th about a foot on the level though the of Camp McKinney, J. P.; and the Honsheds on the C. P. N. wharf has been cattle in general are in splendid condiremoved. The huilding has stood from tion though not yet turned out and there early days, but, having passed its day is still plenty of hay on hand to feed of usefulness, was only in the way of

-Victorians will be delighted to learn that the Pollard Juvenile Opera Company On Sunday last the Lord Bishop of will appear in this city again in the near future. A letter received from a mem-Mrs. W. La Poer Trench to the North ber of the management states that the In the afternoon of the company will inaugurate its American same day, His Lordship preached a very tour shortly, and will probably open

here. A number of new faces will be constable and a registrar for the pur- Quade occupied the chair, and those seen in the organization which is said to roses of the "Marriage Act," vice T. D. present were Messrs, T. W. Paterson, be stronger in talent than ever of the older members have grad lated into the ranks of the senior company, and their places have been filled by recruits from the preparatory classes. Daphone Pollard and others of the principles who scored so many successes here will come. The company has been playing in Hongkong.

THE TRANS-CANADA

once. They are copper properties, and Quebec & Lake St. John railroad, before the Literary and Historical Society. Supreme court for the trial of civil In it Mr. Scott quotes from an interiew causes, issues and matters only, will be motion introduced in amendment by Mr. Part of the ship's crew are recent are motion introduced in amendment by Mr.

pallbearers: Wm, Ferris, P. Green, P. P. Green, P. P. Green, P. P. P. Pacific. It seems to me, however, that it would be a mistake to try to form a two words and J. Hughes.

There appears in the Gazette also a rumber of notices that application will be made for licenses to prospect for coal which has been announced for April 3rd of railway which have been located

line. To realize Mr. Blair's conception Geo, Douglas, Sarah S. Galbratth, J. D. transcontinental -Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American in my judgment, begin at the Quebec

Members of the Guild of the St.

Andrew's Presbyterian church spent a pleasant time in the school room of the Church Monday night. Games were play
Church Monday night. Game

to distances, as compared with the route via San Francisco and New York, From Yokohama to Liverpool the passage across the Pacific ocean would be 605 and across the Atlantic 195 nautical and essage wired an invitation of President Roosevelt to visit this city phile he is touring the coast. The President Roosevelt to visit this city and promotion of assaying and across the Atlantic 195 nautical distance would be 502 statute miles less, making a fotal saving on the whole distance of about 1.423 statute miles.

The first trustees are named as Sound service, gave every assurance that

THE WATSON PATENTS

Week's Issue of the Provincial Gazette.

The Gazette this week contains notice of the following appointments: Robert James Skinner, of Vancouver, timber inspector, to be a supervisor of

treal. The first one from Vancouver will leave on the 13th, The service will of the Supreme court for the Westmin-

wood, S. M., to be a magistrate the "Small Debts Act" in and for the county of Yale. To be notaries public in and for the

on, Oseyoos district, says that there was rovince of British Columbia: Harrey no rainfall or snow there during the Atkinson, of Summerland; Henry Granonth of February, but that during the second week of the present month about law; Walter William Walsh, of Vancou-

Kootenay, at Fernie.

william Dalby, of Victoria, to be mining division, collector of revenue tax for Atlivision, collector of revenue tax for Atdivision, collector of revenue tax for At-lin assessment district, provincial police laid on the table. President L. G. Mc-

Notice is also given that sittings of the

and 4th, will be held in the room above the council chamber in the city hall. At first it was decided to have it in the interest in the city hall, but the city municipal legislative hall, but the city superintendent has discovered that there in the city hall. At superintendent has discovered that there is a spacious apartment on the floor. Another of the British ship referred to a special committee to prepare and submit a princed of the growing requirements of the growing r angley, J. W. Adams, G. M. Judd, J. B. Langley, R. S. T. Galbraith, line. To realize Mr. Blair's conception | Geo. Douglas, Strah S. Galbraith, J. D. of a new national railway, it should, Gordon, Hugh Watt, Maud Langley, A.

while he is touring the coast. The President is expected to be in Seattle about 1,423 statute miles.

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acres of land for the purpose of the Shuswap school. This is to be available upon payment of the usual patent fee of \$10.

SHERIFF REDGRAVE DEAD. The Sterling Old Officer Passed Away at

Golden on Wednesday.

The death occurred at Golden Wednesday of Sherin Redgrave, well known to pioneers of this city and throughout the province. For years he served most capably as an instrument of justice, and when called by death was still in harness, despite his age. He was stricken down by heart disease while making an arrest.

The late Sheriff Redgrave was born on March Sth, 1831, in Birmingham, England. In 1852, he left the Old Country for Australia with Mrs. Redgrave and family. After-residing there for seven years he moved to South Africa. From there he returned to England and afterwards migrated to, Toronto.

In 1862 he came overland to British Columbia as a member of, an expedition which In 1862 he came overland to British Columbia as a member of, an expedition which was organized in the East. Falling a victim to the gold fever, he went to Cariboo and secured claims on Lightning and Williams creeks. He afterwards returned to the East, where he resided until 1874. In that year he went to California, and in the following year took up his residence in this city. In May, 1876, he again went to the interior, height in the employ of the bonds of matrimony on Monday Mr. J. Brown, of this city, and Miss Martha Saunders, of Extension. The ceremony took place at the home of the parents of the groom, and was private, only the immediate friends of the contracting parties being present.

—The C. P. R. will put on the Imperial Limited service on June 7th, On that date the first train will leave Montreal. The first one from Vancouver minster, to be a supervisor of the supervisor of the supervisor of the provisions of the government at Cassiar. In 1884 he was appointed sheriff, mining recorder, registrar and stipendiary magistrate for Kootenay. Off and on he resided in Victoria for many years, being at one time in charge of the old jail. He leaves a large family, Capt. Redgrave, of Fairfax, Virginia: Mrs. G. D. Troy, of New York; Harold Redgrave, of Vernon, B. C.; Mrs. M. G. Kerr, of Calgary; Sergeant Stroud L. Redgrave, of this city. In May, 1876, he again went to the interior, being in the employ of the government at Cassiar. In 1884 he was appointed sheriff, mining recorder, registrar and stipendiary magistrate for Kootenay. Off and on he resided in Victoria for many years, being at one time in charge of the old jail. He leaves a large family, Capt. Redgrave, of Fairfax, Virginia: Mrs. G. D. Troy, of New York; Harold Redgrave, of Vernon, B. C.; Mrs. M. G. Kerr, of Calgary; Sergeant Stroud L. Redgrave, of this city. In May, 1876, he again went to the interior, being in the employ of the government at Cassiar. In 1884 he was appointed sheriff, mining recorder, registrar and stipendiary magistrate for Kootenay. Off and on he resided in Victoria, Proy, of New York; Harold Redgrave, of Vernon, B. C.; Mrs. M. G. Kerr, of Calgary; Sergeant Stroud L. Redgrave, of this city.

MEETING OF COUNCIL OF BOARD OF TRADE

The Appointment of Harbor Commissioners Again Discussed This Morn-

Kootenay, at Fernie.

Henry Knight Dunn, of Vancouver. to cided that they should not be dealt with ed along lines already reported, on deck e collector of votes for the Vancouver until a report was received from the new apartments have been provided for city electoral district, vice Thomas Cun- special committee appointed at a former bar, smoking room, etc., and there re

The resolution moved by Mr. Shall-The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine street took place on Thursday afternoon from the parlors of W. J.

"I am inclined to think Mr. Blair is on the right track in proposing to the services and the following acted at pallbearers: Wm, Ferris, P. Green, P. Green, P. There appears in the Gazette also a gement of the harbor of the port of to Skagway, had crews on hand ready victoria, from Holland Point and to take the strikers' places. It is now be made for licenses to prospect for coal Inlet, and to execute and maintain such crew walking ashore that she was unworks' as may be deemed advisable to able to come down to Victoria on her last

ber of musical selections rendered. Next
Monday night will be religious night
with the Guild, while on Monday evening. April 13th, a literary entertainment
will be provided, at which R. E. Gosnell
will give an illustrated address on the
coronation.

The Tees weft as far down the
coast as Quatsino, but sighted only two
sealers during the whole run, these befollowing resolution: That no action be
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MADE FIRST TRIP TO LIVERPOOL SUNDAY

Iroquois Next of the East Coast Fleet To Be Hauled Out-Outgoing Oriental Liners.

The new ferry barge Sidney, the vessel ecently acquired on the American side nd altered here in the Turpel shipyard o meet the purposes of the Victoria Sid ney & Terminal Railway Company, has nade her first run in service. In tow of the Albion she went over to Liverpool or Sunday, carrying among other freight one of the largest engines that had been mployed on the Island line. Returning she took back a number of carloads of

The new barge has been fitted to acnodate eight loaded cars at a time She has no propelling power of her own being just a hull with sides well built up from the deck to prevent the sea from breaking over the deck and with bow closed in with a small house. The Sidney is the first of the Victoria

Sidney Railway Company's fleet ready to take her place in service. Others. wever, are nearing completion, so that by May, and probably some time be-

ORIENTAL LINERS.

Poses of the "Marriage Act," vice T. D. DesBrisay, resigned.

The resignation of J. W. Fairhall, of Thomson, C. H. Lugrin, Capt. Cox, G. Thomson, C. H. Lugrin, The presence of four large Oriental Comaplix, as justice of the peace, accepted.

Thomson, C. H. Bugnin, Cape. Cox, C. gave these piers a rather bas, appearance of the peace, accepted.

The communication from Mr. Shall—about the same time, but at the spacious ross was read by the secretary as follows: "I would venture to point out in connection with the proceedings last namely: Golden, 4th May, civil and criminal; New Westminster, 5th May, civil and criminal; Victoria, cations for membership. This he attributes to the general interest which is being taken in the board of harbor commissioners question.

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The promoters of the Trans-Canada and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May, civil and criminal; Vernon, 13th May, civil and criminal; Nevelstoke, 7th May,

M. Wake, W. Walford, H. Whistler, S.

-Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary whose experience as captive in the hands of the Meedendinan brigands attracted the attention of the world some cron be made. Miss Stone's tour, which has been very successful so far, is being has been very successful so far, is being managed by Major Pond.

-Members of the Guild of the St.

-Members of the Meatedonian brigands attracted the attention of the Members of the form the June of the Members of the hard of the Members

ports, and the Iyo Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line. The Achilles is the first of the Blue Funnel fleet of ships, which steamers are now running in conon March 10th. She brought about 350
tens of general freight to be landed at
the outer wharf, including the new
cranes for the coal shed of the naval
dockyard at Esquimalt. She has 3,000
tons of steel rails consigned to the C. P.
R. company, and to be landed at Moodyville, and about 7,000 tens, principally
cannery supplies. A partial description
of the Achilles has already appeared in
the Times. She is a ship of 4.484 consiegister, and a thoroughly modern freight
carrier.

The Iyo Maru brought for Victoria 65
Tons of general freight, 93 Chinese and

former had lost three of her crew as previously reported. They had made off with one of the boats and no tra them could be found. One man had been sent down from Victoria for the school and the owning company was of the impression that others were not needed. According to the company's advices the schooner has a catch of 53 skins.

THE NEW FERRY.

Victorians will have an opportunity of etting just a glimpse at the new C. P. N. ferry Thursday. If they hope to sed core of her they will have to be on hand omptly when the ship arrives, otherwise she will have gone before they have | make the following most liberal offer: atisfied their curiosity. The Princess Victoria passed San dress and agree to sell for us twelve

Francisco yesterday morning, and will therefore, it is thought, be here early to-morrow morning. Capt. Troup says that the steamer will call at Victoria, ABSOLUTELY FREE A BEAUTIbut that her stay will be very brief, and that no time will be allowed for a public Ladies' or Gents' size, or your choice of inspection. The ship has not got far twenty other premiums such as fine erough advanced for that, in fact she will look nothing like the picture or description of her given in the Times some months ago. That description and picture will represent the steamer when t completed. She is far from being finish-than 12 boxes to get taken to Vancouver, where the carpentry This is a bona fide offer from a reliable work and finishings are to be carried out. The Princess Victoria left Newcastle- lars worth of premiums to agents all on Tyne on January 29th, and her voyage when completed will have broken all Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills are cords made on the same run. So far

as known she has made three stoppages, ese being St. Vincent, Rio de Janiero and Coronal, where coal was taken

ORIENTAL SHIPS SAIL. There will be two departures from the uter wharf for China and Japan this fore that time, the Victorian and Iroquois will be in a condition to make "competition for trade on the eastern coast of this Island quite interesting."

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SEALERS COME ASHORE.

he schooner Enterprise has put into on as our authorized agent, port on the southern coast of Oregon. mind that you will not be asked to sell port on the southern coast of Oregon.
The trio are John D. Robillar, William any more than the 12 boxes and we DON'T WANT ANY MONEY un Palmer and an Indian. They report DON'T WANT ANY MONEY ur having lost their vessel one evening, and after you have sold them. We bear ing land. As they came ashore the boat liberal offer as a method of adver. capsized but plenty of help went to their Dr. Amold's English Toxin Pills. J capsized but plenty of help went to their delay, write at once and earn a be injury. Since their arrival ashore the two white men, a Portland dispatch Address ARNOLD MEDICINE CC says, have gone to work in a cannery.

REDUCED PRICES.

Seal skins sold in the London market -day for an average of sixty shillings

MARINE NOTES.

It is reported that the crews of the Union Steamship Company's vessels, Vancourer, have gone out on strike in sympathy with the strikers of the U. B. R. E. It is said the men's action is R. E. It is said the men's action is Northern capital.

Hon. Fred. Congdon, the new Governor of the Yukon, Mrs. Congdon and the members of his family, arrived in the city last evening from the Mainland. He is on his way to Dawson to assume the duties of his office. Some days will be spent in this city before leaving for the Northern capital. grievance with the company. The strikers' places on the steamers Cassiar, Comox, Capilano and Chemainus were promptly filled by non-union hands and promptly filled by non-union hands and promptly filled by non-union by the steamer Majestic. no particular inconvenience has resulted

On Easter Monday, April 13th next, the regular annual spring meeting under the auspices of the Victoria Hunt Club will be held at Colwood. The committee in charge of the preparations for this event have drafted a very attractive programme, and already entries are being received by the secretary, Lieut. Blandy. The programme follows: cents per hour, 50 hours to constitute

ollows:
Hatley Park Plate.—A steeplechase for

OPPORTUNITY.

For Getting a Beautiful Watch and Chain Free.-No Money Required. Every man, Woman, Boy of Girls Has the Same Opportunity Under-Our System.

In order to have Dr. Arnold's English Toxin Pills placed in the hands of all persons suffering from bad health we If you will send us your name and ad-

Pills at 25c. per box, we will give you. Pills and you don't have to sell any Lore concern that has given thousands of dolover the country. Remember also that well known remedy for all diseases of the kidney and bladder, Bright's disease diabetes, rheumatism, nervous troubles and female complaints, and are for sale by all first class druggists and dealers in edicines in all parts of the world. You

have only to show them to sell them. You are not offering something that the people don't know. Our watches are the regular standard size for Ladies or Gentlemen in Nickel or Gun Metal Core with handsome illuminated dials and reliable time-keepers, watches such as no letter or post eard we will send you post paid twelve boxes, together with our Il-A boat containing three sealers from ored card with your name and address lustrated Catalogue and beautifully col-

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PERSONAL

apiece. The pelts were those secured on the Falkland island coast, and it is believed that there were in the neighborhood of 10,000 skins offered for sale. The prices obtained were about 20 shillings less than those brought at the annual sales last fall, and are not very encouraging to the vessels operating in southern waters, which include two from this port.

John MacLaren, of the MacLaren Bros. the extensive lumbermen of Ottawa, is in the city visiting his brothers-in-law, Thornton Fell and Rev. Dr. Campbell. He is very hopeful of the outlook of the immediate development of the lumber trade of British Columbia. He was a couple of years in this province about ten years ago, while building the Ross MacLaren mill on the Fraser river. He is astonished at the marvellous progress Victoria and Vancouver have made since he last visited them. He intends to remain in British Columbia for several months before returning East. John MacLaren, of the MacLaren Bros.

in consequence.

Capt. Evans, master of the British ship
Bankleigh, was in the city Tuesday

W. F. Findlay, of the Vancouver Province, and S. R. Robb, of the Vancouver World, are in the city in connection with

THE POISONED SPRING .- As in nature After some debate it was decided, as stated, to leave the matter in abeyance until the report of the special committee was received.

Mr. Higgins also wrote in connection with the harbor commissioner question.

Hearing that she might lose a number of her Asiatic crew the officers anchored the steamer in th mony of thousands of cured ones. Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.-7

> road Company denied that his company had entered into a Rockefeller-Morgan-Pennsylvania combination, the obj York Central railroad. The directors of the National Club. Toronto, have established rules prohibiting serving of drinks to non-members

An official of the Pennsylvania Rail-

hours when they would be unable to secure them at hotels. The builders' strike at St. Catharines was settled on Wednesday. The men get an advance ranging from 2 to 41/2

introduced by members during those

SOUTHON-at New Westminster, on March 21st, the wife of H. S. Southon of a MARRIED.

BETWEEN TWO F

By Mrs. C. N. William Author of "Lady Mary of the

House," "The Woman is

"Queen Sweetheart," "F

Sport." "The Barn Stormer CHAPTER VII. Told by Juliette de Ne

Coward Conscience; and a Ga

Bluff. How I got through my par awful night I dont know.

When I first went out on t to take up my que at the end act, my brain was a blank. I remember a single line that I when I tried to project my n I saw no one on the stage. even see Maxime de Ribaum seemed to feel him looking felt his great love coming de chilled heart like a warming light. I felt the influence of for my success. For him fail. I had never failed, and

So it was, though I could not peated a word from my part went on the stage. I found swering cue after cue as them. Applause came surging ears like a great tidal wave ence was mine to do with yet for once.I feared it, as if a great tiger purring as it spring, for I thought-"What the thing I had done? What should cry out that Juliette France—that she had stoler of alliance and sent it to England! How those hands themselves together now me would itch to grasp my Still, I went on. An act ways go on-till she breaks. that she cannot be bent like men and I envy the other v not skilled to hide things

As I left the stage at last turned for five curtain calls of the first act, I met near m room men carrying large crowns and wreaths of flowers been thrown at me on the st round from the stage door. too, waiting for me. He had the box, and he followed i boudoir which adjoins my dreathere we were alone. And I minutes to spare him before I

for the next act. The touch of his hands strength and life once more. something wonderful in the to presence, of the human being best. For a moment one for thing else; the whole world I have firted with many me ally because it amused me; cause I had something to gai tical ends; but I never knew blessed feeling was until I n

de Ribaumont."
He is so tall and strongthan Neel Brent, whom I us the finest-looking man I had before I knew Maxime: and ment on his shoulder, just s eyes, without speaking a word then-for I was so worn in b with the strain of keeping up death the best Paradise wo my head on Maxime's shoulde fer two or three hundred even as the peaceful idea ca head back darted Remembr stinging adder. I remember I deserved Paradise, and h

·dear arms would put me awa if he knew me for the Judas For years I had been a p But I owed a gr and Russia, which I had father to pay. And besides to deceive a country from v deceive the man you adore. would all sacrifice a Cause; thad I suffered such acute t did at that moment, in the benorable, noble-cherished traitor; that even if ruin di whelm us, nothing-nothing

could wash the stain from th believed so pure. What can be worse for a v the secret knowledge that to lover's respect always she m black spot covered? Such needs no future punishment. all—all she deserves while on I realized it at that mon realization choked me. I could to Maxime. I could only sh

sob in his arms.

He thought it was but my ex in playing for the first time a trying part. I could see hear in his voice, that never shipped me as on this night had brought himself to ac I had insisted upon making, out of the difficulty in which hinvolved by the loss of the n had regarded me as the angel vation. Now I had news for his heart with joy. He wo love as my right, and hide th my treachery as long as I how long would it be? How that at this moment the treaty had not been discover the avalanche was not abou whelm us both?

The fear bade me cling cle ime, dreading that this might h embrace, that for the last tim light might be shining in his

"You were glorious, my day exclaimed. "I was so proud of I could hardly believe in my fortune. To sit there in the the whole house rise to you. shouting 'Bravo!' every ma your beauty and your genius, ye that you are mine; that no other