THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1896.

LET US UNITE.

lieve that the interests of the rich men | ly "stupid." to set one class against another.

man of average intelligence that the aggregate of the votes polled did not evidently impressed with the import- fairs in the United States and Canada citizens who are not rich suffer quite as much from bad city government as those nearly six millions and a half were poll-peared to be in his mind some doubt as on the lines of that of 1854 cannot be who are rich. If, for instance, the edfor Bryan and free silver. It is quite to what are the territorial waters of the looked for. During the last years of streets of the city are not kept in proper within the possibilities that when the Province. At any rate, there can be no that commercial arrangement Canada repair, if they are dirty and uneven, and next Presidential election is held more question as to whether or not the reaped the largest benefit owing, not to repair, if they are dirty and uneven, and next Presidential election is held more question as to whether or not the any stroke of statesmanship, but to extraordinary and unforeseen circumstanfrom one month's end to the other, who free silver candidate, for heresies, finan- ine league of the coast is British ces. A civil war raged in the States; are most inconvenienced, the people who cial and other, are, in the United States, Columbia territory. The foreigner farmers turned their ploughshares into are very well off, or those who have very long-tived. enough to do to make both ends meet? The hard working mechanic and his family have to use the streets quite as

It is natural to suppose that the famWithin that zone mackerel, herring,

No statesman would seek to draw a

No statesman would seek to draw a much as his rich neighbor. His wife ine in India is looked upon by pious lobsters are chiefly caught, and some comparison between the condition of things then and now—who has a proper and daughters are as greatly incon-Hirdus as a visitation of Providence codfish and halibut. We have no doubt venienced by the mid and the sent to punish them for their sins. In that in the waters of this Province there two countries. Sir Richard Cartwright's dust as are the wife and daughters former times sacrifices of goats and other are good fishing grounds within the policy out of office and that of many other Liberals ranged between "comof the millionaire, and they are animals were offered to propitiate the three mile limit. less able to get new garments in place offended or angry gods, and if the famine continued a human victim was the dust. The cabman's or the draveless of the gland or the alternative three mile limit.

The cruiser which is sent to keep off the poachers should also keep a look out the the dust. The cabman's or the drayplaced on the altar. "As lately as the
for the smugglers. The illicit traders

the United States: place Canada at the man's horses are as easily lamed by the famine of 1866, such a sacrifice was do business principally with the Indians the United States; place Canada at the greatest disadvantage, and weaken and loose stones on the streets as are those of the richest man in town, and, as all miles of Calcutta—a boy's head with of the richest man in town, and, as all miles of Calcutta—a boy's head with of is, we are told, quite considerable. vehicle which would be a trifle to the left before the idol, decked with flowers." rich man, would be a serious misfortune But the educated Hindus although

doctor, the merchant, or the lawyer; and pentance and prayer. so, of all the departments of the city There are rationalistic Hindus, who at-

keepers and the tradesmen. They edification of heathens: city improvements which would make "what can we puny mortals do but pray their lives pleasanter and more comfort- for the mitigation of the Divine wrath? able, and there being a large class of Human efforts at best must prove unwealthy residents who would, for the sake of the climate come to the city rulers and the ruled that these visits.

We have repeatedly urged that it is because of the sins both of the ruled that these visits.

Yukon country, and place the trade of that rich mining district in the hands of the ruled that these visits.

Privite rulers and the ruled that these visits. sake of the climate, come to the city rulers and the ruled that these visitafrom all parts of not only the Dominion, but the continent, employment would be more easily obtained than it is now, trade would be brisker, and it is now, trade would be brisker. it is now, trade would be brisker, and money would be more plentiful. Im
"to all classes of our countrymen, and to Hindus in particular to sultivate." agine the change that a large leisure to Hindus in particular, to cultivate lation would, no doubt, rapidly increase. We trust that the practicability of this dealing with public funds. Where and class who had plenty of money to spend only means by which the present disasroute will be ascertained without any would make in this city. And such a ters can be averted." It finds those unnecessary loss of time, for it would, class would on account of Victoria's disasters have been inflicted "for no no doubt, be a great thing, both for the class would on account of Victoria's many advantages be attracted here if it were only blessed with a city governwere only blessed with a city governtoo much in unreal concerns. Modern Yukon country were brought within ment composed of business men, who science can neither alleviate nor explain easy reach of the city of Victoria. principles. The change which men of to our Karma," i.e., to the Divine seprinciples. The change which men of this class made on a large scale in the golden treasures which our great Rishis smaller one in the city of Victoria.

mere talk of any kind. What is wanted ing to-day. We have provoked the gods, and they are punishing us not too are workers—men who are ready to ex- severely for our sins. There is no sub- The revenue last year exceeded the exercise their abilities and to sacrifice part severely for our sins. Inere is no subercise their abilities and to sacrifice part severely for our sins. Inere is no subpenditure by a comparatively small sum.

guide the actions of the cabinet of their time for the good of the city.

The sooner the citizens get rid of blathernor municipal debates," concludes the nor municipal debates," concludes the sooner the citizens get rid of partial debates, and the congress or concludes the nor municipal debates, and the congress or concludes the sooner the citizens get rid of blathernor municipal debates, and the congress or concludes the congress or skite councillors, men who can do nothing but talk and who make a mess of the absence of righteousness."

nor municipal debates," concludes the article, "can rescue the nation in the absence of righteousness."

696. The expenditure also exceeded the estimates, but the result left the balance is supposed that if the Craw's Nest and work which it is their duty to do, the In another article the Hindu editor on the right side. It is calculated that were built a great work would be done better for them and for the future of the city. What better is this city for all the jabber which its aldermen have indulged jabber which its aldermen have indulged some with its and some with in during the last three or four years? science with its endless sophisms and ture at \$4,113,494. It is proposed to les-

### talking.

ors was 7,122,724 and the number cast should be circulated broadcast. for those of Bryan 6,498,857. These figmillion that was claimed for him a short time after the day of election. There the Times seems to be struck by the repaper, says about the financial condition to him, and that he should understand that we are thoroughly in earnest about the connection. were four other candidates for the Presidency—Palmer, Levering, Matchett and the following passage:

the limes seems to be struck of Quebec:

semblance, for he ends his article with the following passage:

All throng

of the city are opposed to and different An examination of the popular vote from the interests of those who are not must convince those who deride Bryan

#### A HINDU TEACHER.

The citizens who are not well off need have ceased to offer sacrifices. They beof the Yukon country. The trade with

The citizens who are not well off need have ceased to offer sacrifices. They beof the Yukon country. The trade with

The Davies on this score can be set down they have not changed their religion police protection and well lighted streets lieve that the famine has been sent as a the mines in those northern regions is at for what they are worth. richer neighbors. Good, sweet, pure believe that all merely human means water is as necessary in the household that are used to avert it are futile. They of the carpenter or the black- believe that the only way by which the smith as it is in that of the offended deity can be appeased is by re-

Government, the householder who has tribute the famine to strictly natural just enough to live on derives quite as causes and who believe that the only much benefit from their being made effectual way to lessen the sufferings of efficient and kept in good order, as the the people and to bring about a return largest property owner in the city. We of plenty is by the use of means devised venture to say that the delay in replacing the Point Ellice bridge caused greater inconvenience and loss to the class of citizens who are not considered well-to
India. The great majority take the control of plenty is by the use of means devised by human skill and forethought. These from the south, very easy. It follows the sum of plenty is by the use of means devised by human skill and forethought. These from the south, very easy. It follows the minority among the native population of takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes from the south, very easy. It follows the minority among the native population of takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes from the south, very easy. It follows the will give the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes from the south, very easy. It follows the minority among the native population of takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes from the south, very easy. It follows the sum of the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes from the south, very easy. It follows the sum of the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the other routes and loss to the class of the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly direction through a compared with the country "clean and honest takes a northerly directi in good circumstances.

If this city of Victoria had a city government that knew how to make the most of its resources and that had no other object than to make it what it ought to be, and it could easily be made ought to be, and it could easily be made ought to be, and it could easily be made on the pleasantest place to live in integration of the pleasantest place to live in integration of the present in the present of the pleasantest place to live in integration of the pages of history from 1874 to 1878. Mr. Davies, Mr. Blair and Mr. Tarte have made a very poor commence association, representing a branch of the pages of history from 1874 to 1878. Mr. Davies, Mr. Blair and Mr. Tarte have made a very poor commence association, representing a branch of the policy from 1874 to 1878. Mr. Davies, Mr. Blair and Mr. Tarte have made a very poor commence association, representing a branch of the policy for the policy for name and other of the policy for the policy for name and to study their religious books, in order that their punishment that knew how to make the ment may be lightened. When the process of the policy for name and other of the process of the policy for name and the process of the policy for name and the process of the policy for name and the process of the process of the policy for name and the process of the polic ought to be, and it could easily be made striking article headed "The present try that lies between the river and the priving poor men of their bread and reason tor depriving poor men of their bread and reason tor depriving poor men of their bread and resonmittee to meet the committee to to be, the pleasantest place to live in in visitations of God are a punishment for lake. The distance is variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the priving poor men of their bread and re-lake. The distance is variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the priving poor men of their bread and re-lake. The distance is variously estimated and their families to the committee to meet the committee of the poor men of their bread and re-lake. the Dominion of Canada, who, we ask, would derive the most benefit from the Times describes the articles that appropriate the most benefit from the Times describes the articles that appropriate the data from 120 to 165 miles. The greater part of this country is in British Column and the promising cless provided in that short written it must be short written it must be short written it must be short written in must be change? We have no hesitation in peared in that sheet, written, it must be answering the wage-earners, the shop- remembered, by a "heathen," for the remembered, by a "heathen," for the remembered it remembered it

city of Birmingham would be made on a have preserved for us in the Shastras are

But this change cannot be effected by

| lying despised. . . It is for their unrighteousness the Hindus are suffering to-day. We have provoked the gods of that Province, if not in a perfectly | Blair is making the trip at this inclem-

shibboleths is too weak a weapon to strike down the calamities which God the men had been dumb and spent the inflicts on the human race. strike down the calamities which God inflicts on the human race. . . . Repent and reform. Our Hindu countrymen should at this juncture turn over the realizable assets amounting to the realiza

Such men believe that true frindulum display a fairly nearbily condition. We brade with fire Davies the one softary may not be making headway against the voice that raised itself on this question are the control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of the part of Mr. They Ferla M D control of the part of t Palmer was the candidate of the Old medieval corruptions to the spirit of stream as rapidly as we would like, but was that of Mr. Thos. Earle, M.P., and Palmer was the candidate of the Old Democrats, who repudiated the candidacy of Bryan. The Populists voted for Bryan for President and Watson for Vice President in quite a number of the Which the world has seen. Such a system of the most philosophic systems of the save money by the conversion of the debt and to reduce our obligations by the most part of politics arouse our satisfying the railway companies' claims.

I take it that Mr. Davies went from that meeting feeling that railway connection with Kootenay was not a very burning debt and to reduce our obligations by satisfying the railway companies' claims. states; but the figures we have given are tem sees in the present famine a Divine satisfying the railway companies' claims, but, irrespective of politics, arouse our-The vote of the Electoral College will hough it demands that the officials shall ture.

not be in proportion to the popular vote.

''If the McKinley electors," says the New
York Herald, "should receive the certifiance and a general supplication to the cates, his vote as the figures now stand

mill be 276 and Brand 171. The line and a general supplication to the Deity. For it recognizes, constantly and fied at that courteous and civil treatwill be 276 and Bryan 171;" that is, consistently, that behind and beyond ment accorded the Hon. Mr. Davies by McKinley will get 105 more votes than the popular forms in which the Divine your Conservative journal, and by many It is to the interest of all the inhabiBryan. This is, owing to what a Canadian and be worshipped lies the one self-existent God. The present crisis has who showed him that respect due to a tants of Victoria that its affairs be well contemporary denominates "the Amerbrought into prominence the fact that minister of the crown. Considering all conducted by competent men, who have ican stupid style of voting." A style Hinduism is as plastic as ever, capable this, was Mr. Davies justified, in cold

from the interests of those who are not so well off are either ignorant and unand the cause he advocates, that the opthinking or they are deliberately and for ponents of free silver can hardly afford deep sea fisheries and of taking meastheir own selfish purposes endeavoring to despise the Boy Orator and his follow- ures to prevent smuggling in the north- his public speech of last Friday to pass ing. A cause that can command six ern parts of the province was brought to unnoticed. It does not take much thinking or deep thinking to convince an honest deep thinking to convince and honest deep thinking the condition of a second deep thinking the conditio citizens who are not rich suffer quite as reach fourteen millions, and of these ance of both these subjects. There ap- forty years ago were entirely different Eastern side of the Dominion the "in- nity of disposing of her products in a

subjects the trade of the extreme seasons of the year Juneau is quite a lively trading town. Many of those who get their supplies at that American port are British subjects who, if they could get into the country by a shorter and less difficult route, would gladly take the less toilsome journey. Such a route it is said has been found. It is almost wholly through British.

During the Mackenzie administration one of the greatest of the Liberal to Washington to negotiate a treaty. The attitude he assumed there, whether on his "knees" or on all fours I know not; but the result of his mission was a failure—for which no blame was attached by the Conservatives. I predict that the present government will also through British.

During the Mackenzie administration one of the greatest of the Liberal if you will insert the same in your next issue:

"My Dear Sir:—I desire to draw the attention of your association to the invitation that has been sent out on behalf of the government to all who are interested in the revision of the tariff.

COUR PRICE country covered with low hills. A road, will have to reverse the record they in- views before the committee. answering the wage-earners, the shopremembered, by a "heathen," for the say that gold can be found in last Friday night that the Mackenzie it in quantities more or less government appointed him one of the

### THE QUEBEC BUDGET.

The budget speech of the Quebec Minsatisfactory condition, are improving. ent season for the purpose of obtaining revenue exceeded the estimate by \$75,- parliament. There are not wanting eviestimates, but the result left the balance is supposed that if the Crow's Nest road

THE OFFICIAL COUNT.

men should at this juncture turn over the pages of their sacred books and see for themselves what are the causes which give rise to such calamities. Select passages from the Shastras with transla- nearly \$15 a head of the population.

men should at this juncture turn over the pages of their sacred books and see for themselves what are the causes which ligations at the present time \$22,156,346, with the Crow's Nest road only, the propagation of the population. According to the official returns, the give rise to such catamities. Select number of votes cast for McKinley electrons in English and the vernaculars. This considering that Quebes is not by sponsibilities of government of the Koottons in English and the vernaculars. tions in English and the vernaculars This, considering that Quebec is not by enay country, while all the advantages Our readers cannot but see that the heavy debt. This large debt was chiefly It is, therefore, of the utmost import. ures give McKinley a majority of 632,above is very much like what an earnest
contracted in granting subsidies to railance that during the visit of Mr. Blair 867. This is considerably less than the Christian teacher would say under ways. This is what the Montreal Star, that the views of this part of the province should be made thoroughly clear million that was claimed for him a short similar circumstances. The writer in which is not by any means a partisan vince should be made thoroughly clear to him, and that he should understand

All through, the Provincial finances at the recent meeting of the board of Such men believe that true Hinduism display a fairly healthy condition. We trade with Mr. Davies the one solitary tem sees in the present lamine a Divine punishment for sin. It seeks escape, not by unavailing human efforts (alligence when fully before the Legislative views we ourselves have on this

HON. MR. DAVIES' SPEECH.

To THE EDITOR:—The Liberal party no other object in view than the welfare and the convenience of the citizens.

Which would give the office to the candidate who might be largely in the minor-ity appears a good deal worse than more.

Those who try to make the electors besite to make the electors are maked to make the electors and the electors besite to make the electors are maked to make the ele cord, after the victory won and the cooling of the heat of a general election? THE RICH NORTHERN COUNTRY. He did not come here on a political mission, but on a business one, conse-

who fishes within three miles of the swords; manufactures were paralyzed; shore is no doubt a trespasser. On the production of all kinds almost ceased—

There was something said at the same governments have always been desirous meeting about securing to British to negotiate a commercial treaty with the States on equal terms without an

In promising clean government and your province. "Amid so many perils," it wrote, "what can we puny mortals do but pray for the mitigation of the Divine wrath?"

"Amid so many perils," it wrote, considerable. But the principal use of the Stickeen route, as far as is now ton." that for six weeks services he seen, is that it will open the way to the was offered the very large fee of \$6,000, promised for \$14,000. How do these opening up the great Northern country.
That country is thinly peopled now, but dealing with public funds, where and when his private interests were con-cerned. What would the legitimate fee be in a private case of the same duration? Probably \$1,000 or \$1,500.

### THE PEOPLE'S RAILWAY.

W. J. MACDONALD.

To THE EDITOR: - During the next railways and canals, in the Dominion government, will be in our midst. Mr. about the end of January in Victoria. representatives this connection. I say this because

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FARMERS AND THE TARIFF. TO THE EDITOR:—The following let-

less difficult route, would gladly take the less toilsome journey. Such a route it is said has been found. It is almost wholly through British territory and it is through British territory, and it is, join in discrimination against Great charged with the investigation. As the

"I am, my dear sir.

Yours sincerely, "SYDNEY FISHER. "Minister of Agriculture 'G. H. Hadwen, Secretary Dairymen's Association of British Columbia, "Duncan, B.C."

In regard to this matter I would suggest that the agricultural societies throughout the province take up the question through their directors or executive committees. Let these sit with the present tariff before them, considering what items affect them adversely, afterwards submitting the whole question to a general meeting of their members. This, I think, would be preferable to the holding of public meetings without previous preparation.

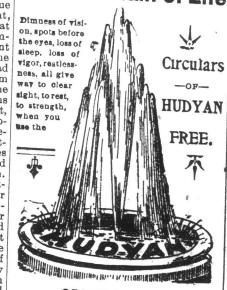
The question, apart from party politics, is peculiarly important to British Columbian farmers, as, whereas British Columbia imports farm produce the other provinces export the same, it behooves us, therefore, to make our opinions heard if we do not wish to be

Any resolutions referring to the subject can be forwarded to me, and committees appointed could report at the few days Hon. Mr. Blair, minister of annual meeting of the Dairymen's Asso-G. HADWEN, Secretary.

Duncan, Dec. 14. (Mainland papers kindly copy.) St. Catharines, Dec. 15. — Both the old and new canals were closed at 5 p.m.

to-day for the winter.

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### NOTICE. Assessment Act.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision and Appeal will sit as follows:—

For the Electoral Districts of Victoria City and Cassiar:—At 46 Langley street, in the City of Victoria, on Monday the 28th and Tuesday the 29th days of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock a.m.

a.m.

For the Electoral District of South Victoria:

At the Royal Oak on Saturday, the 19th day of December, 1896, at 11:30 o'clock a.m., and at John Camp's, South Saanich, on Saturday the 26th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon. For that portion of North Victoria Electoral District known as North Saanieh:—On Saturday, the 12th day of December, 1896, at the Sidney Hotel, Sidney, at 12 o'clock noon. For the Electoral District of Esquimalt:—On Friday, the 18th day of December, 1896, at Henry Price's, Parson's Bridge, at 11 o'clock a.m. Frice's, Parson's Bridge, at 11 o'clock a.m.

For that portion of the Electoral Districts o'Comox and Cassiar known as the Cosst, Rupert Sayward and Quatsino Land Districts:—At 46
Langley street, Victoria, on Monday the 21st day of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock a.m. For that portion of the Cowichan-Alberni Electoral District known as Barclay and Clayo-quot Land Districts:—At Langley street, Vic-toria, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of December, 1896, at 11 o clock a.m. Dated at Victoria, this 24th day of November,

S. PERRY MILLS, Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal. del-3wd&w



Lease of Timber Limits, QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLAND.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the EALED TENDERS will be received by the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to 40 clock p.m. on Thursday, 21st January, 1897, from any person, persons, or corporation, for permission to lease the under-mentioned lands for the purpose of cutting spars, timber or lumber, subject to the provisions of the "Land Act," and amendments thereto, viz:—

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 23rd November, 1896. n28-lm

AYLMER, Dec. 16.—C. D. Fuller's grain elevator here has been destroyed by

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