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THE SUPREME COURT.

Reference was made in the Colonist yesterday to the great accumulation of business before the Appellate Court. The matter seemed to be of sufficient importance to warrant a little inquiry, and we have learned that lately more than half the Full Court business in Victoria consists of appeals coming from Dawson.

HAS ORATORY DECLINED?

A new Ajax has arisen to defy the lightning by throwing doubts upon the eloquence of Cleo, and what is worse, seeing that he lives in Boston, by accusing Daniel Webster of posing. This has started a controversy in the United States papers as to whether in point of fact oratory has declined, and if the noted speakers of by-gone days were such powers as they are said to have been.

In these things, as in most others, each generation has its standard of taste, but as the aim of oratory is to convince, so always the ability to produce conviction will be the supreme test of oratorical skill.

One trouble with speakers nowadays is that so many of them depend upon newspapers for their reading, and the majority of those who listen to them have already read about all there is to say on the subjects they talk about.

But behind all attempts at oratory there must be the man, and the man must have faith in his cause and faith in himself. He must have all things sincere. If we have little true oratory nowadays, may it not be because we have too much self-seeking among public men? To use a common phrase, the knowledge that he is "working a graft" must necessarily be like a cold draft to any speaker. It makes a man a coward, and the coward cannot be an orator.

We do not believe that oratory is declining. It may be changing its form. It is true that while speakers are many, orators are few, but this always was the case. There were many speakers in Ancient Rome, but how many people can name one orator, except Cicero? Moreover, oratory is only appropriate to certain occasions. The man who tries to be an orator when discussing some everyday matter of business is sure to succeed only in making an exhibition of himself, and most matters discussed in public are of an everyday character.

When you come to think about it you will realize that you had an ancestor among those not very prepossessing fellows, who used to live in caves and spend their leisure in scratching rude pictures of mammoths upon pieces of bone. You not only had one ancestor there, but all your ancestors formed a part of such a community.

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SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE. A RELIABLE YOUNG MAN wishes position in office or warehouse. Can furnish good credentials. Address W. Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE. ENGLISH LADY seeks position as housemaid, waitress, musician, 64 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

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TO LET-Furnished front room. Every convenience. 91 Blanchard Avenue. 112

TO LET-Furnished rooms. Electric light and bath. No other rooms. 13 1/2 Pine Street.

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CLAIRVOYANCE. MADAME RAAB, Clairvoyant and lecturing medium. Gives sittings daily at 108 View Street.

LOST AND FOUND. LOST-On Saturday, 15th inst., between Johnson and Chatham streets, on Government Street, purse containing a sum of money. Finder please return to this office. Reward.

LOST-On Gordon Road, a brass wheel hub. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Colonel office.

LOST-A purse containing a sum of money, etc., on E. & N. train, yesterday noon. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Colonel office.

LOST-English setter with Victoria license dog tax tag No. 275. Apply Colonel office.

LOST-Ladies' gold watch between Johnson and Chatham streets. Finder please return to Colonel office and reward.

LOST-On Dallas Road, lady's unlined gray jacket. Finder will please return to "E." this office.

LOST-Monday afternoon, marten neck fur box with tails. Return to Colonel office.

LOST-Scottish terrier, white haired; color brown; prick ears; weigh, 18 lbs. new collar on neck; answers to the name of Rosal. Reward, W. C. Adam, Proving Office, Duncan, V. I.

TO LET-A furnished 8-room house and bath. Apply 213 Budeville Avenue.

TO LET-Ten-room house, 112 Pandora Avenue, all modern conveniences. Repairs to suit tenant. Apply J. W. Mellor, or B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

TO LET-Desirable modern house, James Bay, immediate possession. Helsterman & Co.

FOR SALE-Port roomed cottage furnished. Douglas Street, 312.

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FOR SALE-Three houses, 2 rooms, bath and pantry. Pembroke Street, 312.

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FOR SALE-Three cabbage plants, 25c. per 100. Apply 1,000 Mt. Tomlin Nursery.

POULTRY, LIVE STOCK, ETC. FOR SALE-Shepherd pony and cart. New harness. Apply 3 St. Lawrence St. 115

FOR SALE-Two cows, fresh calved. Apply "T. N."

FOR SALE-Box torrier, valuable. (With pedigree.) Only \$10. Owner leaving Victoria. Address Box 578.

FOR SALE-Two or three choice cocker spaniel pedigree pups. Black and red. Apply to Dr. Milne, 98 Douglas Street.

FOR SALE-HOTELS. COUNTRY HOTEL-with 100 acres of land, containing 17 rooms; excellent farming. Will be sold cheap or leased for 5 years. Apply to H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

FOR SALE-RESIDENCES. DUNCAN-144 miles from railway station, residential property consisting of 29 acres first class land, all cleared; modern 8 roomed house, stable and outbuildings. J. H. Whitmore, Real Estate Agent, Duncan, V. I.

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FOR SALE-RESIDENCES. COOK AND NORTH PARK STREETS-2-story building, containing two stores, leased to responsible tenant; only \$2,500. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

FOR SALE-RESIDENCES. JAMES BAY-Corner lot and four dwellings, cheap; only \$500 each; must be sold to clear estate. Apply 40 Government Street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

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