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AN ENTHUSIASTIC NATIONALIST. Some of the advocates of Canadian na-

asm to see how our country can be at one must be obeyed implicitly. The lives of those who put faith and the same time "fast reaching" the thousands, the welfare of a nation and its altogether wrong.

Liberals, for Independence, and that it only requires a spark to kindle into a flame the ardor of the native sons." We should like very well to know what this means when it is interpreted into plain common sense Eng-lish. When this "spark kindles into flame" flame which is to consume the bond which connects Canada with the Mother Country. This enthusiastic Vancouver Nationalist have an independent country between the tells the world that "the old fogies and fossils, who are living in the dead past, in whom the fires of youth have long since tier disputes, which are annoying, and other burned out," are going to have a terribly difficulties which are pretty sure to arise hard time of it, by and by, "attempting to between countries that are conterminous. keep back the flood-tide of nationality that But the French evidently do not believe in the present, and if it does not produce some-thing infinitely stronger and saner than the west as the Mekong river, and they seem diatribe of the Vancouver Nationalist, determined that that river shall be the the fossils and fogies will have a very easy western boundary of their territory.

THE MALIGNANT SNOB.

hundred ways and some of them apparently will use it as they have Tonquin and Anontradictory. Perhaps the most hateful am, as a commercial preserve of their own. There will also be this difficulty—part of showing itself is in detraction and abuse, much of it very foul, of the people who territory in Burmah, and consequently, when

marks that were lately made about the lady

heights of nationality and "toil-ing slowly upwards." This ap-pears to be slightly contradictory, ing officer. It is no wonder then that no fast reachers are not slow toilers. We should like the poetic nationalist to explain how dangerous it would be to admit that it is one who is toiling slowly can reach the allowable for the subordinate officer of any heights of nationality, or any other heights, rank under any circumstances to refuse to obey orders. Disobedience might be folstrong in the principal cities of the East, than the loss of the Victoria and the hur among young Conservatives as among young dreds of brave men who went down with her.

FRENCH AGGRESSION

tween Great Britain and France. Siam lies European powers. It would prevent frondifficulties which are pretty sure to arise is sweeping all over Canada." If the nation. the buffer theory. They claim that the ality of the future is no stronger than that of territory of Annam, over which they now

The country which the French are absorb ing is rich, and, is it said, affords a good market for British products. When the French Snobbery, like vanity, shows itself in a exclude British trade by a high tariff. They hundred ways and some of them apparently will use it as they have Tonquin and Anoccupy the highest places in society. The the conquest is consummated, France and man or woman who cannot speak Great Britain will in that part of Asia be of a leader of society or some neighbors. This, as some British states-eminent person without a disparaging men who know a good deal about the East remark or an anecdote most likely apocry-believe, is not to be desired. Mr. H. S. Hallett, who is regarded as an authority on the submost conspicuous way that he is a snob and ject, says that by the annexation of Siam, that his alanderous talk is inspired by envy lying to the east of the Mekong, the terriof a very malignant kind. The slanderer tories of France in Indo-China will be of the great and high-placed is, in his fully doubled. The proportion of what has secret heart, a worshipper of those whom he been hitherto regarded as Siam, which the maligns, and would be anything or do anyauthority estimates to be one-third. He

The unspeakably mean and malicious re- says :--

A BIG ASSESSMENT ROLL.

of Taxes and Assessments of that city a few she makes terms with her enemies the we are told too that "the feeling is as lowed by consequences incomparably worse than the loss of the Victoria and the hun."

obey orders. Disobedience might be followed by consequences incomparably worse days ago completed their valuation of the better. The six months' supply of breadtaxable property within the city's bounds. They estimate it to be worth \$1,933,518,528.

This is an unimaginable sum. The principal item of this sum total is, as the reader near. must see, real estate. It is valued at The action which the French have taken \$1,562,582,393. Some of the estates in the in Siam may lead to a serious dispute be- city are of very great value. That of the late Jay Gould is assessed at \$10,000,000. what will it consume? How will it work? between Burmah, which is now a British Jay Gould paid taxes on only the twentieth States have begun to fatten their hogs on

ship to a financial standard problem of Total and the standard problem of the standard problem of Total and sake made by Admiral Tryon. He, it appears, ordered the ships to move in such a way and at such distances that a collision was inevitable. It is said that Rear Admiral Markham was ware of the antire of the people of Siam, the first of such a contingency and first of the people of Siam, and asked him what he was waiting for. He then obeyed the order, and in obeying it ran into the Victoria.

There are some who assert that under such circumstances, when inanceavring in time of peace, Admiral Markham was always of the such circumstances, when inanceavring in time of peace, Admiral Markham would have been just of the such circumstances, when inanceavring in time of peace, Admiral Markham was consulted to be presented to displace the victoria.

NOT A PROPHET.

"Nover prophesy unless you know" in the discipline of the subordinate of the college of the flat of the college of the subordinate of the college of the flat of the college of the subordinate of the subordinate of the subordinate of the subordinate of the college of the subordinate of the subordinate of the subordinate of the subordinate of the college of the college of the subordinate of the college of

would think that he would rather suffer the for 'hoodwinking the people of this coun-cent., whereas, of course, the Governmen ounishment of disobedience, dreadful as it try.' If to put a profit of £13,750,000 into will be able to borrow at a point or two less, than be the instrument of such a his pocket be to 'hoodwink' him, it is not Thus everybody will be happy all round." catastrophe. But if the order had been disobeyed, and property preserved and life little more 'hoodwinking' of the same sort."

Some of the members of the House of Lords
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were so cruel as to laugh at Lord Winchilsaved, there would, no doubt, have been Mr. Gladstone, in those days, had a very sea's proposition, but he was answered ser-Some of the advocates of Canadian nationality are very enthusiastic indeed. They have nothing but hard and contemptuous things to say of those who do not sympathings to say of those with them in their aspirations. One of the Vancouver nationalists is indignant half of those entitled to form an opinion on because the Colonist has "declared itself quite content to jog along as it is doing."

Mr. Gladatone, in those days, had a very high reputation as a financier. His opposition, but he was answered sermany, high in their profession, who would have testified that the movement could have testified that the movement could have testified that the movement could have testified that the movement on doubt sincere. He must have believed that it would be unwise, both irom a political would be unwis quite content to jog along as it is doing. Men have a wonderful tendency to be wise as he was, and far seeing as he was by many it is Lordship made it very clear, if the without daring to lift its eyes to the heights after the event. It is more than likely that believed to be, he was completely in the Government became such a large buyer of nationality which our brave young country. try is fast reaching; and which she will Tryon must have been mad when he gave from this investment of the people's money. And do a very great injustice to individuals. He never dreamt that it would be profitable. If, said he, "a Government were continumay be, but the path is blazoned out before in a court of law that the order was a most to the people in any sense, and there were ally to interfere with the markets, trade us and we have only to follow it to attain reasonable one, and no harm could come of no doubt thousands who believed that Mr. calculations would become unreliable." the goal."

This is very fine, no doubt, but it will puzzle these who are not so full of enthusithose who put faith in his judgment were the top of the market, and when it unloads its stores, if will have to sell at the bottom of the market." This is very easily seen but it seems to us that the great obje Everyone has an idea that the city of unnecessary, for if Great Britain were ever reduced to such an extremity that she will to Lord Winchilsea's scheme is, that it is few have anything like a definite notion of not be able to protect her commerce, her its enormous wealth. The Commissioners greatness will have departed, and the sooner

A NEW USE FOR WHEAT.

The farmers of some of the Western What is to be the modus operand:? Will possession, and Annam, which has been contained by France. It was hoped that Siam rebellion? Is that to be the nature of the would remain as a buffer between the possession only the twentieth states have begun to fatten their hogs on part of this, but it is not likely that his wheat. This would have been considered being will be so fortunate. The value of real estate in New York city has not by give the pigs wheat when there are so many sessions of Great Britain and those of any means come to a standstill. The in-france in Asia. It would be convenient to crease over last year's valuation is \$57,677,- exclaimed against as a sin and a shame, and 90. enough to bring down upon those who made such a use of the staple food of man valued at \$257,283,768, and that of non- the judgment of Heaven. But in these residents at \$24,772,646. Shareholders of banks are taxed on \$88,479,724. All these valuations are considerably in excess of those of last year. Personal property has, according to the assessors, increased over twenty millions, and the banks more than ten millions. The actual value of property, cents a bushel, and the farmer who raises it ten millions. The actual value of property, cents a bushel, and the farmer who raises it considerably above the assessed value, and there is an immense amount of wealth in the city of which the Tax Commissioners take no actual value of assessment considerably above the assessed value, and there is an immense amount of wealth in the city of which the Tax Commissioners take no actual value of \$20 for the privilege of hawking their goods. Veg. It is no wonder then that the farmers of the West looked about them for some more profitable way of disposing of their wheat the farmers who raises it craise the peddler's license fee to twice the present amount, so that in future Chinamen will, be obliged to pay \$40 instead of \$20 for the privilege of hawking their goods. Veg. etable purveyors' licenses are included, of course, the change taking effect on the 15th inst., the date on which the half yearly taken. with ward is \$85,081,075, which is said; wenty four factor that of last year. The said at \$825,081,090 over that of last year. The said that year they have received for it more than one doi. It was a small constitutionally, incur a debt beyond this.

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A GENERAL meeting of the shareholders of the Quantity and value of the food. He sold his hogs for four and a half cents a pound, and when he came to calculate the being boldly carried out. One-third of the food consumed by the population and t who is now the Duchess of York were repeated by this hateful place of snobs. And the abountable atories that are circulated about different members of the royal lated about different members of the

THE CITY

From the Daily Colonist, July 11. THE Great Northern office in this city was opened for business yesterday.

A LARGE number of men are working he new open drains on Cook street. An injunction was yesterday granted by Mr. Justice Walkem, in the Supreme court, to prevent the sale of the Driard hotel bar.

A LADY's gold watch and chain, which the owner to claim it.

A FINE large eagle was yesterday presented to the Provincial museum by Mr. Frank Norris, who shot the bird at Langford plains on Sunday.

In the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Sc ciety's tombola, Saturday, the following anmbers drew prizes: 513, 572, 409, 326, 1,019, 359, 1,075, 472, 220 and 595.

THE case of Vowell v. New Westmin Southern Railway Co., which was down for trial yesterday in the Supreme court, has been postponed by order until October. THE funds of the P. O. Home have been

swelled by the receipt of \$26 65 from the Reformed Episcopal church of Westminster, proceeds of a collection at the annual ser-mon to the Loyal Orange lodges of that MR. CUTHBERT'S new residence at Cad

boro Bay is a handsome cottage, standing near the beach in a very picturesque spot. There are several other residences in course of construction, giving to this quaint but popular neighborhood quite a settled ap-Mr. T. K. DRYDEN, who has been visit

ing Sooke for the past few days, returned yesterday, looking well and in the best of health. While in Sooke Mr. Dryden conducted several Gospel meetings, at which he gave plain, pithy talks. Mr. Dryden is be-

THE Street committee has at last taken action to clean out the dirty open drain on the south side of Fort street, from Cook up as far as School street. The smell from this drain has for weeks been simply horrible, and there have been constant complaints from residents in the locality as well as from passing pedestrians.

Bound copies of the Statutes of British Columbia passed during the session of 1893 were issued yesterday, along with the Journals of the Legislature, by the Queen's printer, Col. Wolfenden. The Sessional papers have not yet been completed, and will not be ready for some weeks. The latter will make a bigger volume than ever.

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both varieties is unsurpassed, and good and I didn't look very carefully; I thought evidence of the fruit growing capabilities of it was some kind of a gun." evidence of the fruit growing capabilities of Mayne Island soil, and also proof that it pays to grow good stock.

Telephone Company question. All con-struction has been stopped, but the ex-change service was continued and will not likely be stopped.

THE many friends of Mrs. William Har-ison, 238 Johnson street, will regret to lear of her death last night. She had for near of her death last night. She had for some time been a severe sufferer from rheumatism and a complication of diseases, from which there appeared to be no hope of her recovery. She had been upwards of twenty years in this city, coming out from Moville, Ireland, with her sisters, Mrs. Maslin, Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Field.

By invitation of the Esquimalt Waterworks Co., the Mayor and City Council will visit Goldstream and Thetis lake next Saturday, to view the reservoirs and works of the company. Leaving by a special train at 8:30 a.m., the party will first go to Thetis lake, where they will examine the source and works of the Victoria West and Recognized waster works.

THE officers of Segher's Council, No. Y.M.I., were installed last night by D. D. G. P. Fred. H. Lang. The officers for the ensuing term are: President, Rev. J. A. Van Nevel; First Vice-President, M. Steele; Second Vice-President, H. J. O'Leary; Recording Secretary, F. J. Sehl; Corresponding Secretary, D. Murphy; O'Leary; Recording Secretary, F. J. Sehl; Corresponding Secretary, D. Murphy; Financial Secretary, F. H. Lang; Treasurer, D. McDougall; Marshal, J. J. Swain; Iuside Sentinel, J. Lawless; Outside Sentinel, G. Beckingbam; Executive Committee, Thos. Deasy (chairman), W. H. Harris, J. Soanlan, J. Leonard and Rev. J. Leterme. At the conclusion of the installation ceremony the members held a banquet at the New York hotel, at which a number of toasts were proposed and a very pleasant

WILSON BROS, have been appointed repre-sentatives in British Columbia of Campbell, Marshall & Co., the big fruit exporting flem Mr. D. McRAE, of Cedar Hill road,

THE case of George Van Hirst, charged THERE was nothing new yesterday in the by the city police magistrate yesterday.

A MEETING of the B. C. Law Society was held yesterday morning for the transaction of general business. Nothing special was done.

A COMMENDABLE spirit of enterprise has been shown by the men of No. 3 company, B.C.B.G.A., Captain Smallfield, who have all but perfected arrangements for going into camp for seven days in the very near future. The idea originated with the men and the expenses incidental will be borne by them; a number of the boys have volun-teered for active service as cooks, and no doubt the camp at Macaulay Point will be a scene of military life and enthusiasm from the moment the first tent is pitched.

THE officers of Colfax Rebekah degree lodge were installed last evening by Acting Grand Master Sister Dempster, assisted by Grand Warden Sister Neil, Grand Secretary Connell, Grand Treasurer Sister Waller, Grand Marshal Sister Bishop, and Grand Inside Guardian C. W. Ross. The followspection there.

"Becher's Sterling Advance Tables for Importers," a new work compiled by Mr. W. S. Becher, accountant of the Hudson's Bay Company at Winnipeg, is just out, and the Colonist has received a copy from the author. The book is highly recommended by the leading importers of Eastern Canada, and it goes without saying that all importers throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion will readily adopt it, as its usefulness as a guarantee of accuracy and a time saver is apparent to all.

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paid a fraternal visit to Royal Dauntless lodge, of the same order, in the latter's meeting place in the Foresters hall last evening, when, after routine business had been disposed of, the right hand of fellowship was extended to the visiting brethren. ship was extended to the visiting brethren. During the evening addresses were made by Bro. Ottoway, P.D.D.G.M.; Bro. Grant, P.W.G., and Bro. Tagg, P.P.D.G., and songs were given by Brothers Leroy, Carter, Grant, Tagg and Owens. Eight new candidates were proposed for initiation at the next meeting of Dauntless lodge, when a reception will be given Fernwood lodge. The latter will assemble in their own hall, and will march, in full regalia, to the former's meeting place.

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From the Daily Colonist, July 12.

Mr. Justice Drake yesterday delivered judgment in the case of Croft v. Hamlin et al, in favor of the defendants.

School street, between Yates and Fort, has been closed to traffic until further notice, by order of the City Engineer.

Wilson Bros have been appointed representatives in British Columbia of Campbell, Marshall & Co., the big fruit exporting firm gramme was given strawberries and cream, and cake, were passed around, and the even-ing's proceedings were brought to a close in the usual manner.

NEWS OF

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Favorable Seas at Quesnell

(Special t VANCOUVER, July been appointed 3 Islands.

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at the Hotel Vancouv fore the Board of Tra Miss Lottie McCra for an extended visit The three city Or divine service at the Mrs. Maria D'Arc the residence of Mr Rev. H. W. Peck, sionary in Honolulu the Warrimoo. He tion on the staff of Methodist College.

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has started in business has started in business John Abrams, a Ses at the hospital on Sur the heart. Mr. Abra proprietor of the Tree On Sunday the 23rd man lodge, No. 1, will going by steamer Cor On Wednesday, Sillitoe will prese

cates given at St. L. Florence.

A Japanese was ki six miles up Seymous night, by a falling tre Wm. Brand, of the epartment, was pome wedding prese

The Haymakers Or Jericho yesterday, and The police have discess in the city use an their dead in, awaitin same house carry the leaving some food with renew the provisions a man telephoned to the ing a corpse had been for three days.

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ise the city for \$150.

WEST NEW WESTMINST Bole has decided that saue, and has ordered common jail during Lieut, Governor. Co tried to murder his Strawberries are chever before. On Satu per pound was the pri The first cargo of S the season will be brot on Wednesday.

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A Uniness convict is the deputy warden of out of a window in the Saturday night and tracaptured by the ster was sentenced to five toria Assizes for emberage of the control Late on Saturday ricklayer, slipped idewalk and broke The Royal Agri