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A QUEBEC BOODLER.

Detective O'Leary Arrives on British Soil Again With His Prisoner.

Paquin, the Defaulting Postmaster of Hull—Extradition Proceedings Successful.

Last night there arrived on the steamer from San Francisco, two passengers whose actions in stepping to shore were rather peculiar. The first, a tall good looking Irishman, while he seemed on the best of terms with his companion, a daintily dressed little Frenchman, was also noticeably watching his companion's every movement. The two took a hack to town, dismounted at the Victoria, and then walked slowly up to the police station where the little Frenchman remained while the other strolled down the street. At 1 o'clock this morning he returned to the station, and walking out again arm in arm with the small man, made his way down to the Yosemite with Jailor Allen alongside him.

On arriving at the wharf, a COLONIST representative got round into the baggage room, and accosting the taller of the two strangers asked him if he was not a Dominion Detective Officer. The answer was a straight one: "I am," delivered with a good touch of the brogue: "How did you find that out?" Then on being questioned more closely, and on hearing what was wanted of him, he stepped on one side and said:

"I will tell you all I can. That little man you see there with the spectacles is my prisoner. On the 20th of February last, the deputy postmaster of the city of Hull, Quebec, absconded, and it very soon came to light that his accounts were wrong to the extent of several thousand dollars. We heard nothing of him for some time, until two months ago when the Government received word that he was in San Francisco. They then despatched me to California, and I was not long in finding my man. Then the extradition proceedings commenced, and for some time the prisoner and his attorneys seized on every technicality they could to delay matters. At last, however, the Superior Court of San Francisco delivered him into my custody, and we left there on the steamer on Sunday last. His name is Paquin, and he has held the position of Deputy Postmaster for thirteen years. The thefts have been going on systematically for some length of time, and it was only a small incident that led to the necessity for his leaving the country. Two months before he left, he was married to one of the prettiest and best-connected young women in the city, and he shamelessly abandoned her when the crash came. He has given me very little trouble since we left San Francisco, and seems disposed to take matters quietly. He does not look or act as if he were at all ashamed of his position.

"My own name is O'Leary, and I have been connected with the department of justice at Ottawa for many years. I am leaving with Paquin on the Yosemite for Vancouver. We will then take the C.P.R. across the continent, and he will stand his trial as soon as we reach Hull. No doubt matters will go hard with him, but he will get no more than he deserves.

During this conversation Paquin stood by, a cynical listener, and took in this remarkably clear opinion of himself quite calmly. He asked the reporter, when it was concluded, whether he would not like to interview the hero himself. If so he had nothing to tell him beyond the fact that he had had "a bully time."

The party then boarded the steamer, and at 2 o'clock this morning left for Vancouver.

The Kaiser on His Travels.

BERLIN, May 31.—The Kaiser has decided to start on his trip to Norway on June 29th, and will return on August 4th, after which he will sojourn for a time at Cowes.

Free with His Bayonet.

BERLIN, May 30.—During the funeral of Max von Forckenbeck to-day many persons from the crowd climbed upon the railings of the drill grounds. The sentry of Emperor Alexander's regiment without a warning word advanced and thrust his bayonet through the arm of one of the crowd. Three policemen at once ordered away all persons standing near the railings and arrested one man who joined in the outcry against the sentry.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Interesting Mainland Items—All About Pilot Bay—Smallpox at Vancouver.

Suicide in the Penitentiary—Death of a Pioneer Priest—Albert Head Quarantine.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 30.—According to President Van Horne's suggestion a recherche restaurant—Japanese appointed—including Oriental waiting girls, will be started immediately, in the empty building of the Opera House block.

The Umatilla made this port from San Francisco, yesterday, the captain stated that, in San Francisco, the report was current that 900 people were down with smallpox in Vancouver. Acting on the rumor he refused to allow his passengers to land, on pain of being quarantined. When the captain was informed of the real state of affairs he wouldn't believe it, and sailed out of the Inlet as soon as practicable.

Richard Mansfield has cancelled his engagement at the Opera House here. An American railroad informed him that if he showed in Vancouver, they would quarantine him for nine days, as the place was reeking with smallpox. Wild rumors became current, through exaggerated reports sent by a certain Vancouver correspondent to an American paper.

Summer camps have been started at English Bay. Sam Robb, Lawyer McNeill and Schoolmaster McGarigal have taken the initiative.

Police Magistrate Jordan was rung up, on Sunday, to hear a statement of Miss England, of the Chinese Mission. She had been informed by one of her converts that Chinese suffering from smallpox had been taken out of Wing Wo's laundry, near the Ellsmere Hotel, on Saturday, at midnight. The authorities made an exhaustive search for particulars of this case, also the mysterious disappearance of Charlie Yip Yuen, Customs House interpreter, among the yellow population, but none of them "savied." It is said a Chinese detective will be employed, and it is expected startling developments will be brought to light.

S.S. Etta White has arrived from Stuart's Camp with a boom of logs.

Harrington, the man who was taken from an English Bay shack, a few days ago, to the pest house, died from laryngitis, superinduced by smallpox. It was learned that Harrington had visited Dupont street a few days before his illness. He, no doubt, contracted the disease from the same source as Tupper Thompson. Harrington is 56 years old, and has a wife and two sons living at Cadott, Wis., farming and pork raising. The deceased will be buried at once by the city. The wife and boys will not see their father or husband or be allowed to take possession of the body. Tupper Thompson is all but well, but is retained as a nurse for his fellow-sufferers.

The City foundry has been seized by the Bank of B.C. for a debt of $69,000.

The ss. Coquitlam, of the Union Steamship Company, will go to Behring Sea to collect the catch.

William Mellville made the best shooting of the Vancouver Gun Club. Eleven out of 15 birds.

Mrs. W. D. Creighton, a willing worker of St. Andrews church, was presented with a set of silver ware by a number of the congregation prior to her departure for San Francisco.

E. B. Herrson and A. H. Hawkins, left on the Comox, this morning, with 17 assistants for the Northeast coast of Vancouver Island, and will survey for the Provincial Government for the next four months.

W. E. Morey and his little son were upset from a canoe yesterday, in the inlet. Morey clung to the boat, holding his child until assistance arrived.

R. Hodson, an express driver, was found in his house this morning unconscious and suffering from apolexy. He is very low.

A Victoria man visited Dupont street last night. He evaded the guards. This morning a policeman would not let him past. He said he was married and must go home to his family. Unless he makes very special efforts to get around the law he will be obliged to remain in the house ten days longer.

David Wilson, who is largely interested in property here, committed suicide in the Westminster asylum.

A Floral Cantata will be given in Homer Street Church on Tuesday night.

Duncan McCormick, trustee of a large estate in Montreal, mysteriously disappeared from that city. He was seen here a short time ago by a former business associate. McCormick's Vancouver friend said nothing about the fugitive being in the city until he had gone South. His prospective destination at that time cannot be ascertained. McCormick looked very seedy, and is said to be disguised as a laboring man. He refused to recognize your correspondent's informant.

Steamer McTieve has arrived with a boom of logs.

Nothing will be done at Burnaby shoal this year.

Prof. Rea's concert in aid of the city hospital left him $23 in debt. He asked the council to make up the deficit. They declined.

The council has received a communication from the department of the Provincial Secretary asking if they were satisfied with the services of Police Magistrate Jordan, and were willing to pay him his present salary. If so they will officially appoint him under the new act. The answer was in the affirmative.

Mr. Henderson claims $360 damages on account of the Pesthouse being left near his building under construction. The city have referred the matter to their solicitor. The Chairman of the Board of Health says the Pesthouse cannot be removed at present.

Indignation was expressed by some Aldermen to-night over the alleged perfunctory quarantine of the China boats at Albert Head. A strong resolution was passed memorializing the Government to enquire into the matter and improve the quarantine system, as well as establishing a quarantine station at Vancouver for foreign boats direct for this port.

Bathing sheds will be conveniently situated soon.

An application of the celebration committee to vote $2,000 for July 1st celebration, which was referred to the Finance Committee and afterwards referred back to the Council by them, was favorably considered to-night at the Council meeting. It was not legal, however, to vote public money for any celebration but the Queen's birthday. So the resolution read, "to grant $2,000 for the celebration of the Queen's birthday on July 1st."

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 30.—Members of the Roman Catholic church will hold a meeting to-morrow to complete arrangements for a reception and an address to the dignitaries of the church from Quebec who are on their way to the coast. They are expected to arrive on Saturday.

A meeting of directors of the Kaslo Land Co. was held in this city to-day. Mr. Alex. Ewen, president, occupied the chair. The object of the meeting was to take steps to finish clearing the townsite of Kaslo city and grade the principal streets. A plan of operations was decided on, and the improvements will be carried on without loss of time.

The annual Methodist camp meeting is being held in Wells' Grove near Chilliwhack, and is largely attended. The wet weather has interfered to some extent with the proceedings but not with the interest and enthusiasm of those in attendance.

Jennettson, the smallpox patient on the Port Moody road, is getting well quickly. His companions who were quarantined in a shack near him were released by the health officers on Saturday, as they have been proven to be entirely free from the disease.

Reports from Chilliwack say the Fraser has risen two feet at that point during the last two days. The water is only three feet below the top of the bank at the landing. At Millers' landing on the Lower Sumas, the rise was the same, and the water is within 18 inches of the top of the bank. If the river continues to rise at the same rate for two days the lowlands in Sumas will be overflowed.

The great gathering of Indians at Mission for religious instruction has created a good deal of stir in that usually quiet district. The Indians from Fort Douglas, Chilliwhack, Langley, and other points arrived, on Friday and Saturday, in their canoes, and pitched their tents along the river banks. Yesterday, the steamer Delaware brought down from Hope 450 Indians to swell the throng, and, last night, 500 tents were pitched, making an interesting and picturesque scene. Over 2,000 are in attendance, and the programme laid out for gathering will be commenced to-morrow under the supervision of the Oblate missionaries.

Rev. Father E. C. Chirouse, O.M.I., died at St. Mary's Hospital, in this city, on Saturday night, from paralysis. The reverend gentleman was stationed at St. Mary's till January last, when he was obliged to retire from work and enter the hospital there. By his death the Roman Catholic Church loses one of its pioneer missionaries to the Pacific Coast. Father Chirouse having begun his work on the Coast in Oregon forty-six years ago, where he labored thirty-six years. He came to British Columbia in 1882, and some time afterwards was stationed at St. Mary's Mission. His work has always been that of a missionary to the Indians. He was born in the south of France and in the department of De La Drome, and was 71 years of age. He was an uncle of Father Chirouse, whose name has of late come before the public in connection with the Lillooet troubles. His remains were removed to the cathedral, where a solemn requiem mass was performed this morning by Bishop Durien, assisted by Rev. Father Fayard, V. G., Rev. Father Dontonville, and Bro. Whelan. The funeral took place this afternoon, to St. Mary's Mission, where the burial will take place.

A young man, Fred Bedel, was drowned in the Bruntee river Saturday evening last. Bedel was amusing himself on the saw logs floating in the river near the bridge. While moving from one log to another he slipped and fell into the water and was drowned. The river was dragged by a party of friends and the body was recovered yesterday.

David Wilson, a crazy man, who was found near the penitentiary about a week ago and sent to the insane asylum, committed suicide yesterday morning by hanging himself. On Friday he was violent and unmanageable and a strict watch was kept on him during that day and Saturday. Yesterday morning, however, he seemed quite composed when he arose at six o'clock and he was allowed to enter the lavatory with other patients to wash himself. Shortly afterwards a patient came running out to say that Wilson had hung himself, and a keeper, on entering the apartment, found him suspended by a towel which he had fastened around his neck from a hook in the wall. The body was released from its position but life was extinct. The hook was only four feet from the floor.

WEST KOOTENAY.

PILOT BAY, May 24.—All routes, including that from Revelstoke, being now open for the season, visitors and prospectors are finding their way in more freely. For the former the exquisite beauty and charm of the glorious rivers, lakes and mountains of this country are all sufficing, while the latter, ever hopeful, always enterprising, have before them a field of mineral wealth so rich and vast that the strikes already made, numerous as they are, have barely scratched a point on the surface of the country.

J. C. Hooker, the nimble little cruiser, has just located several really good iron claims opposite Balfour, some five miles in. He states than he will have a party of men at work on them at once. Several good silver and copper claims have also been taken up in the same locality.

It is reported to-day that another exceedingly rich strike has just been made eighteen miles up the river from Kaslo.

A confidential agent of the C. P. R. and Great Northern railroad has been staying at the Phair hotel, Nelson.

If the C.P.R. decide to tap the Slocan country, they will go in on the Nakusp route, from the Columbia river, while prospectors from the lake will enter from Kaslo, and thus no portion of this travel will pass through Nelson. Should the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railroad, however, be put through, travel from Spokane Falls will come there.

There appears to be more real work going on at Pilot bay than at other points. Dr. Hendryx's smelting works are materializing in very palpable form; the saw mill is in full swing, working overtime daily, while the Galena Trading Company's store is unexcelled in Kootenay. The townsite lies on a slightly elevated plateau, affording views of great beauty the length and breadth of the lake. The first part has been cleared and surveyed, and will, it is anticipated be put on the market early in June. Mr. W. M. Newton is the resident agent.

The season is very late; there are still six, eight and ten feet of snow on the mountains, where some of the best claims lie; but the recent hot days have effected a considerable rise in the waters of the lake, and the highest flood mark of recent years is expected to be reached next month.

The surface indications are excellent, the ledge being 100 feet wide and over two miles in length.

Close to Eldorado City, Slocan, a ledge over 3,000 feet in length has been found by W. H. Smith. One sample has assayed 150 ounces of silver, with a high percentage of lead. Several locations have been made in the vicinity.

Messrs. Poole and Ed Crockett, who went into the Lardeau last March, have come across some fine prospects in the neighborhood of Trout Lake.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

Mr. McEvoy, of the geological survey, has found garnets in the rock between Salmon river and Granite Prairie nearly equal in size to the Stickeen garnets, enclosed in a light grey micaschist, and forming, at least, half of the rock mass.

Felix Bouneau has discovered, up White Valley, a seam of coal, specimens of which have been pronounced to be of the best quality.

Last week, a clean up was made at the Quartz Mill, on the Rattler claim, Fairview, the value of the product being $4,500.

The wharf at Killarney, and the trail from Manashee to the Columbia, are to be proceeded with as quickly as possible, under the direction of Mr. Lumley.

More than fifty new claims have been staked off at Fairview since April 1st, the creek of this name and Boundary creek being the principal attractions for the present.

GOLDEN.

(From the Era.)

The Fish Creek and Illecillewaet mining camps stand pre-eminent for their richness, facts which the outside public are only now beginning to appreciate. Some fine ore has been brought in by D. W. Wolsey and G. Ritchie from Fish Creek, where a new discovery of importance is reported. Messrs. J. M. Kellie and G Gallagher have brought to the Illecillewaet mines a number of excellent pack horses.

A second J. P. is much wanted here.

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 31.—Ah Sam entered the rear of Welsh Bros. establishment at noon and surreptitiously abstracted from an open safe drafts that were valueless to him. He was arrested. Trial Wednesday.

An applicant for the police force to-day appears to be remarkably suited physically for a policeman. He is a Scotchman; 6 feet 9½ inches, and weighs 236 pounds.

The Cake Walkers failed to appear last night. Two reasons are given. Fear of smallpox or because one member of the company is owing a large amount of money in the city. There are several advertising and bill posting accounts due here, and a gentleman representing the creditors in Victoria will endeavor to collect from the company.

Ben Nevis, 108 days from Glasgow, has arrived with a general cargo, consigned to C. Gardiner.

Steamboat Inspectors Collister and Thompson are here to examine the Leonora and the Coquitlam.

J. Kerr Bell, on his tour around the world, has been visiting his nephew here, J. R. Bell, chemical analyst.

Mrs. Bridges, of Winnipeg, sister of L. G. McPhillips, is the guest of the Hotel Vancouver.

There is no mail from the East or Winnipeg to-day.

Miss Town, who is betrothed to H.T. Lockyer, bookkeeper in the sugar refinery, has arrived on the C.P.R. from London, Eng., in company with her brother.

The quarantine was taken off the Dupont street houses, this morning.

R. Hodson, express driver, who was stricken with apoplexy, on Monday, is dead.

A race comes off at Collingwood, on Saturday, for $200 a side, between Williamson's Lumpy and Sparrow's Irish Mac.

Two thousand Indians will be present at the pow-wow at St. Mary's Mission on Thursday. Fourteen tableaux of the Passion on Calvary will be presented.

A young man is alleged to have made himself popular some time ago, with the Methodist people here, by announcing that he was the son of a Methodist minister in Liverpool. He left hurriedly, leaving his board bill, a good deal of borrowed money and sundry bills due about town.

Wm. Lee, a Chinaman, threatened to quarter Mrs. Finny with a knife, owing to the lady's tardiness in paying his account. Lee was fined $5.

G. B. Scuitto, charged with assaulting Mrs. Mrs. Hudson for alleged duck stealing, was dismissed.

Excellent entertainments were given in the St. Andrew's and Homer street churches to-night. There were good audiences in spite of the rain.

A meeting of the Burrard Inlet Rowing club will be held on Wednesday to take action with reference to the members rowing at the Victoria regatta and to elect a captain.

There were 57 cases in the police court last month. Magistrate Jordan has made a splendid showing since he was sworn in six months ago. Out of some four hundred cases only one was appealed, and that unsuccessfully.

General-Manager Stangroom of the Bellingham Bay and B. C. R. R., was in conference with Mr. Van Horne, here.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, May 31.—A Chilliwhack Chinaman, who had been ill for some months, and whose friends deserted him, committed suicide in his cabin yesterday by hanging. Reeve Kitchen notified the Coroner, who decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

The Spring Assizes begin to-morrow. There are 17 cases on the docket.

The MacLaren-Ross Lumber Co. have decided to do no cutting this year. The lumber trade is too dull.

The barque Ursus Minor cleared at the Customs, to-day, for Sydney, N.S.W., with 500,000 feet lumber, from the Brunette saw Mills.

A man named Cummings was sent up for trial, to-day, from the District Court, for shooting and blinding an ox at Langley.

Advices from Yale, to-day, say that the river has risen at that point thirty feet since the freshet has set in, and, though ordinary high water has been reached, the river is still rising, and old-timers believe that unusual high water is certain. The cold rains of the last few days have not checked the freshet.

The Provincial Exhibit Association meets here, to-morrow, to decide on the exhibit to be sent to the World's Fair.

A telephone message was received from the Captain of the Vancouver Gun Club, yesterday, asking when the Club here would be ready to have a friendly contest with the Vancouver men, and arrangements were made for a match to come off on the Lulu Island grounds on Saturday afternoon. The Vancouver men will leave that city on the 1:20 p. m. tram, and the match will commence soon after they arrive here.

The R. C. Gun Club have a match to arrange for some day in the near future with the Royal Gun Club of Ladner's.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, May 31.—Receipts for refreshments at the Queen's Birthday Sports amounted to $464, which the Ladies' Committee decided to donate to the Fire Department for the purchase of a hook and ladder truck and fire escape. Probably an entertainment will be held in the future to swell the amount to a sufficient sum, if enough is not already on hand.

The Customs returns for May were: Import duties, $4,349.26; Sick Mariners' dues, $626.72; Oil inspection, $48.

The New Vancouver Coal Company's foreign shipments of coal for May were 28,775 tons; East Wellington, 3,461 tons; Wellington, 15,929 tons; Union, 9,240 tons.

Two men last evening were arrested coming from the wharves carrying some bundles, which proved to be corned beef in sacks. They at first said it was stolen from the "Glory of the Seas." They then said it was from the "Commodore." The different captains have of late missed articles from their ships, carried off doubtless in a similar manner.

The Queen arrived, this morning, on her way to Alaska.

Sailed—S.S. Empire, for San Francisco; bark Colorado.

At a meeting for the purpose of forming a new lodge of I.O.O.F., 75 persons expressed themselves as willing to join. It was decided to call the new lodge "Centennial Lodge." Grand Master Phillips, of New Westminster, will instal the officers on June 14.

As Mrs. W. E. Hickinson was coming into town, near the Lansdown brewery, a dog rushed out and bit her horse's heels, causing the horse to bolt, throwing Mrs. Dickinson from the saddle violently to the ground, though not seriously injuring her.

McMillan & Son have leased the store recently occupied by J. Bickle, on Victoria Crescent, and will open a first-class grocery in a few days.

S. M. Robins, superintendent of the Vancouver Coal Co., leaves, to-morrow morning, for a couple of weeks' trip. He goes to San Francisco.

PLUMPER'S PASS.

PLUMPER'S PASS, May 30.—The drowning accident, which occurred here on Wednesday morning last, is still fresh in everybody's memory, and those who witnessed the occurrence, say they will never forget it. Sympathetic hearts and willing hands were not wanting in offering their assistance in every possible way to the bereaved family, and it is pleasing to know everything is going along satisfactorily. Mr. Pope is sufficiently recovered to walk around, as also Dalton Deacon, but he having received a nasty blow on the shoulder from a stroke of the wheel, it is thought advisable to consult a doctor in the matter, and he will leave for Victoria, to-day, Monday.

Mr. A. Judson, of the Canoe Pass canneries, has been spending a few days here with friends, and returned on Friday morning, last. He says everything is quiet just now with the canneries, but the beginning of next month will put a new appearance upon everything, and give employment to a large number of men.

The people of the islands around here, were not far behind the cities in making the celebration of the 24th inst., a complete success, and though one could not expect to outnumber the multitude which were in Victoria at the time, still Gossip Island, which was the scene of all the merry-making and fun, held her own on that day, the interest taken in the day's doings being clearly manifested by the big "turn-out" of all the settlers for miles around, all doing their best in contributing towards the general enjoyment. Through the kindness of the ladies, a basket picnic was held, and lunch being served out at 11 o'clock, a general scamper was made for the "green," where dancing, racing, jumping and other amusements were indulged in, everybody enjoying themselves to their hearts' content. A final race was made again for the tea table, where justice was done to everything nice. Home being reached about 8 o'clock, the singing of the National Anthem was the outcome of long cheering, all being of one opinion that a most happy and enjoyable day was spent.

The tug Velos put in here for the night on Tuesday evening last. The crew were looking for a scow which they lost at the mouth of the Fraser during the stormy weather which prevailed at the time. They reported seeing a scow beached near the Sandheads, but so far have been unsuccessful in finding their own.

Mr. Harry Harris and family, of the Fraser River, were here last week on a visit to friends.

Mr. W. Harris and family, of Ladner's Landing, came down on Monday evening last to spend a few days. Mr. Harris returned on Friday morning's boat. Mr. Tom Bennett, of this place, accompanied him, his destination being also Ladner, where he has had a position offered him of night watchman in one of the leading canneries.

Mr. Foster Mawdsley left for Westminster on Sunday morning last, where he has obtained a position with a Government survey party, which will shortly be going north.

Decoration Day.

NEW YORK, May 30.—To-day was observed with great ceremony as Decoration Day all over the country, being taken part in by people of all shades of politics and of all races. Among the notable addresses were those by General Horace Porter, chairman of the Grant Monument committee, at Riverside Park, and ex-President Hayes, at Columbus, Ohio.

The Presidency.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—A Cincinnatti despatch to the Post, says Mr. Blaine will be ballotted for at the convention at Minneapolis, and if nominated for the Presidency will accept, Governor Forsaker being in all probability the vice-Presidential candidate.

H. M. S. CHAMPION BACK.

It Is Believed That the Quadra Can Be Successfully and Safely Floated.

The Sunken Rock Located in a Passage That Was Supposed to Be Safe.

H.M.S. Champion arrived last evening about 8 o'clock at Esquimalt, after a hurried trip to Rose Harbor, Queen Charlotte Sound, where the Government steamer Quadra was wrecked and sunk about a week ago. Captain Rooke, who was to examine the Quadra to see how badly she is damaged, and was also to ascertain the position of the rock on which she struck has made his report to Rear-Admiral Hotham, C.B., but, of course, the contents of the report are not yet public property. The Champion was not able to get within quite a few miles of where the Quadra is lying. Captain Rooke went ashore with a party of men and a couple of divers, and has made a complete examination of the steamer. The exact nature of the injuries, he has ascertained, and it is learned that he has every reason to believe that the Quadra can be safely and successfully patched so as to be floated down to Esquimalt and repaired.

With regard to the location of the rock on which the Quadra struck, what has been ascertained bears out in about every particular the statements made by Capt. Gaudin. The rock is in a channel marked on the charts safe and there was nothing whatever to show that danger was at hand.

The officers of the Champion are pleased at being able to get back so soon. Their trip northward was somewhat stormy, but the weather was in the main good.

QUADRA ROCK.

The Next Admiralty Charts Issued to Indicate the Position of the Hidden Danger.

Little Difficulty Expected in Repairing and Raising the Government Steamer.

The official report made by Captain Rooke, of H.M.S. Champion as to the nature of the damages of the Government steamer Quadra, was yesterday forwarded to Ottawa for the information of the marine department. The report states that the rock on which the Quadra struck is in mid-channel, and is covered by only about one fathom of water at low tide, whereas the chart shows 10 and 11 feet. Soundings were made on all sides of the rock, and the depth was found to be 5 and 6 fathoms. From the appearance of the injuries the Quadra has received, it is supposed she must have gone over the rock instead of grazing it. The plating was torn off both sides for a distance of 10 or 12 feet, and two feet up from the keel. There are two holes, neither of them very large, one about four feet from the stern on the starboard side, the other about nine feet in length on the port side. Divers from the Champion, who made the examination of the wreck, say that there will not likely be any great difficulty in raising the ship. Although it stated it is understood that the recommendation is that the repairing be done under water where the Quadra now lies, as she is on first class sandy bottom and is not in a position where she can sustain any serious injury by straining, etc. The holes will be patched up under water and afterwards the Quadra will be pumped out and towed down to Esquimalt, where she can be properly repaired in the dry dock.

In order to prevent any similar accident in future, a complete and thorough survey of the channel where the treacherous rock is has been made and the report forwarded to the Admiralty, so that the next charts issued will be more accurate. Following the custom in such cases, the cause of the Quadra disaster will be known as "Quadra rock."

There was considerable satisfaction expressed in the city yesterday when it became known that the report of the captain of the Champion was so favorable. At the time the Champion was in Rose Harbor the Mascotte had not yet arrived, but by this time, no doubt, the divers who went up are at work, and within a very short time the steamer will be brought down here. There have been no injuries received that cannot be repaired without any extraordinary cost.

IN USE 100 YEARS.

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND

Dr. Roberts' OINTMENT

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THREE IMPORTANT POINTS

Nothing is more worthy our serious attention than the keeping of our blood in good condition. And yet there are comparatively few people who give the subject any consideration at all. We ask you to read carefully the following:

1st THE SITUATION: Health depends on the state of the blood, and is immediately affected for good or for ill when any change takes place in the vital fluid. The blood conveys all elements which go to make up the organs of the body, and carries away all dissolved and useless material. Every bone, muscle, nerve and tissue, lives upon what the blood feeds to it. Moreover, every beating of the heart, every drawing of the breath, every thought flashing through the brain, every movement of the muscle or limb, needs a supply of pure blood, to be done rightly and well.

Mr. Chas. N. Hauer
Of Frederick, Md.

From the above Picture of Health one would hardly believe the original had ever known a day's sickness, and yet Mr. Hauer was for years a terrible sufferer from

Impure Blood

causing a scrofula sore on his leg. His voluntary statement is as follows:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

"Gentlemen: I have been reading the testimonial of John L. McMurray, of Ravenswood, W. Va., telling of a cure similar to my case. In 1870 I was taken to my bed with inflammatory rheumatism in my left leg, above the knee. I suffered terribly the whole fall and winter, and my physician did everything he could, but without success. As a result of poulticing, a sore formed, opened, and commenced running, and I was

In a Terrible Condition

And not only that, but in 6 months my physician was compelled to remove a piece of decayed bone, and I all the time suffering immense pain. I could not stand upon my leg, and I had to go with a cane and crutch. The last thing my doctor ordered was ½ grain sulphide of calcium pills. When I had taken about 1,000 of them I noticed my leg a little stronger, but the discharge would not stop.

How Do You Think I Felt

I could not go into company, I could not visit any where. I purchased half a dozen bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and commenced taking it regularly. I used nine bottles. My leg stopped discharging, healed up, and now I can stand all day upon it. I walk 5 to 7 miles for exercise and it does not affect me the least bit. Now it has been a little over two years since I commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and you can see what it has done for me. I am 30 years of age, and everybody in my little town knows me and how I used to suffer with my leg, but thank God for directing my steps when I purchased Hood's Sarsaparilla." CHAS. N. HAUER, 33 West Patrick Street, Frederick, Md.

Hood's Pills cure Sick Headache.

2d THE NECESSITY. The human race as a whole is in great need of a good blood purifier. There are about 2,400 disorders incident to the human frame, the large majority arising from the impure or poisonous condition of the blood. Scrofula, a disease as old as antiquity, has been inherited by generation after generation, and manifests itself to-day virulent and virtually unchanged from its ancient forms. If we are so fortunate as to escape hereditary impurities in the blood, we may contract disease from the germs in the air we breathe, the food we eat, or the water we drink.

Later—Cure Permanent

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Rev. Sylvanus Lane

Touches Upon a "Mystery of Mysteries."

A Thought for People Who Are Prejudiced.

Rev. Sylvanus Lane, A. M., of the Cincinnati M. E. Conference, in a voluntary testimonial accompanying a letter says:

"Feb. 12, 1892.

"We have for years used Hood's Sarsaparilla in our family of five, and find it fully equal to all that is claimed for it. Some people are greatly prejudiced against patent medicines, but I think a patent article is better than one unworthy a patent. How the patient can

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

hurt a medicine and not a machine is a mystery of mysteries to me." SYLVANUS LANE, Pastor M. E. Church, Groesbeck, Hamilton County, Ohio.

From the Sisters of Mercy

"We find Hood's Sarsaparilla to be a useful and valuable medicine, one we can recommend from experience." SISTERS OF MERCY, West Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O.

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3d THE REMEDY. In Hood's Sarsaparilla is found *the* medicine for all blood diseases. Its remarkable cures are its loudest praise. No remedy has ever had so marked success, no medicine was ever accorded so great public patronage. Scrofula in its severest forms has yielded to its potent powers, blood poisoning and salt rheum and many other diseases have been permanently cured by it. For a general spring medicine to remove those impurities which have accumulated during the winter, or to overcome That Tired Feeling, Hood's Sarsaparilla is absolutely unequalled.

Clifford Blackman

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As a blood purifier to remove the poison from the blood after Scarlet Fever, and as a tonic to build up the health and strength, Hood's Sarsaparilla is unequalled. Also after **The Grip, Typhoid Fever**, Diphtheria, Pneumonia, or other prostrating disease, the recuperative and building up qualities of Hood's Sarsaparilla are just what are needed. Read this:

"My little boy had Scarlet Fever when four years old, and it left him very weak and with blood **poisoned by canker**. His eyes became so inflamed that his sufferings were intense, and

For 7 Weeks He Could Not Even Open His Eyes

I took him twice during that time to the Eye and Ear Infirmary on Charles Street, but their remedies failed to do him the faintest shadow of good. I commenced giving him Hood's Sarsaparilla and it soon cured him. I have never doubted that it **saved his sight**, even **if not his very life**. You may use this testimonial in any way you choose. I am always ready to sound the praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla, because of the wonderful good it did my son." ABBIE F. BLACKMAN, 2888 Washington Street, Boston.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.