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Mr. Robert Ward, J.P., the Board, were unanimous that no one is competent to and thus keep the license iconsee himself. The appli-ordingly dismissed. as an old stand-by, and the the commissioners has been half a dozen times. When is made for a transfer of lihe party required to give no-hat all legal forms are com-he holder of the license, not

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ings at the Regular Monthly

ternoon the regular monthly e directors of the Jubilee Hos-L. There were present: Presi-Davies, and Mesers. C. Hay-tbolt, G. H. Brown, I. Braver-IcQuade, C. E. Redfern, Geo. Flumerfelt, and J. Braden, ment loan of \$25,000 was dis-thing was done in the matter, where it did last month. bra' report for the past month, ts of the matron, steward, and nt were received and handed ttee of the mouth for reference, as received from Foster Macsers. Heisterman & Co., for-eque for \$100, a percentage on the hospital with the Insurance Co. for the year 1891. cided that in the future an ailed record should be kept of door patients treated every hat the report should be regu-tted to the City Council as

od deal of discussion, it was resent a letter to the Municipal ng for a payment of \$5,000 to authorities, as compensation er of outdoor patients treated tal, and a committee, consist-esident, and Messrs. Hayward rielt, was formed to draft the t delay, and submit it to the thorities. It was pointed out e at present 58 outdoor city g treated regularly at the hos-good deal of discussion ensued y of the city to take care of its y of the city to take care of its

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World Enriched. ties of the present day for the of everything that will connaterial welfare and comfort are almost unlimited and of Figs was first produced s enriched with the only live known, as it is the only ch is truly pleasing and rethe taste and prompt and se the system gently in time or, in fact, at any time it is known the more pop-

It was to acquire, not to impart, information that the Commission was appointed to sit in British Columbia and to hear the evidence of men engaged in salmon fishing on the Fraser River and other parts of the province. This being the case we were more than a little surprised when we saw that the Chairman of the Commission objected to Mr. R. P. Rithet asking a witness questions through the Chairman of the Commission. Mr. Rithet has large interests in the salmon-packing business, the Commission is dealing with those interests, and if he is not allowed in an orderly way to ask a question, in order to elicit the truth, it seems to us the enquiry is not what it enght to be, fair to all the parties concerned. It appears to us that a Commission that really desired to get a knowledge of the facts connected with the fishery, would be pleased to get the help of a man of Mr. Rithet's ability and experience. He knows more about the fishery than any of the Commissioners, and is a better judge of the accuracy of the statements made by a witness. This is not said in disparagement of the gentlemen on the Commission, for Mr. Rithet has had opportunities of acquiring a knowledge of everything connected with the fisheries which none of them to do so. The Cobinet and the Opposition are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the heat to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the position are not quite in the same position in regard to the movement for an appeal to the pos It was to acquire, not to impart, informa-tion that the Commission was appointed to sit in British Columbia and to hear the eviacquiring a knowledge of everything con-nected with the fisheries which none of nected with the fisheries which none of them has enjoyed. In fact, he knows the greater part of what the Commissioners are supposed to be trying to learn. When we take into consideration the fact that the Commissioners are dealing with Mr. Rithet's interests, and that he knows a good deal about the fishery, we are quite at least to see why the Chairman of the

observation of its conditions on the Pacific coast, and not upon theories formed under an altogether different state of things in countries thousands of miles from British columbia. There is surely nothing unreal columbia, the surely nothing unreal columbia in this conditions on the Pacific they are at all skillful in reading the signs and supply of winter latents. Eggs have dropped 10 cents per dozen during the week. Fresh are coming in very freely, these crude conjectures as if they were absolute certainties. The ministers have not better thousands of the week. Fresh are coming in very freely, they were absolute certainties. The ministers have not better thousands of the time. But there are many who take the week. Fresh are coming in very freely, they were absolute the prices of the time. But there are many who take they are at all skillful in reading the signs of the time. But there are many who take the week. Fresh are coming in very freely, the week. F arrived at in the matter, if they have as yet made up their minds when the dissolution is to take place, which is not at all certain,

Rithet's interests, and that he knows a good deal about the fishery, we are quite at a loss to see why the Chairman of the Commission refused to allow him to put questions, through the medium of the Chairman, to the witnesses. This, it seems to us, is the very least that in common justice, he and others situated as he is, should be permitted to do.

We have heard complaints of the way in which the Chairman conducts the examination of the witnesses. It is said that he frames many of his questions in such a way that unwary witnesses are led to confirm the suggestions of the questioner rather than to state the facts as they appear to them. It is needless to say that this is not the way to elicit the truth. It is for this reason that "leading questions" are not permitted in courts of law, and they are

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just received the following telegram from Mr. Mara, M.P.: OTTAWA, March 9, 1892.

Hon. John Robson,

Provincial Secretary.

"Minister of Interior has promised to ask authority to throw open land in Kamloops agency to homestead settlement at one dollar an acre. Kamloop Agency comprises all land in railway belt east of Drynock."

(Signed) J. A. MARA.

Hon. Mr. Robson continued that he was well aware that the Dominion Government had done a serious injustice in keeping the lands locked up; but now it would appear that the difficulty would be settled. He, however, still would advise that the motion be carried.

The motion was carried.

INTESTATE STATES. How. Mr. Turner presented a return of the official administrators return of Intes-tate Estates to the 31st of December, 1891, as required by section 13, "Official Admin-istrators Act."

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

Mr. KEITH moved, seconded by Mr. Forster, "That a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor requesting him to cause to be placed before the House copies of all Orders in Council, correspondence, and other documents in any way connected with the carrying into effect of the desire of this House, as expressed last session by resolution, respecting the making of the Chinese Immigration Act of Canada more restrictive in its provisions."

Hon. Mr. Beaven supported the motion. He believed that the Provincial Government should take the matter up vigorously with the Dominion Government.

The motion was carried. CHINESE EXCLUSION.

COMMITTEE ON SUPPLY. HON. MR. TURNER moved, seconded by Hon. Mr. Robson, "That this House will, on Friday next, resolve itself into a committee of the whole to consider the ways and means for raising the supply to be granted to Her Majesty."

NELSON ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

Col. Baker moved the second reading of the Nelson Electric Light Company's Bill. Read a second time, to be committed Tues-day next.

SLOCAN LAKE LAND RESERVE.

Hon. Mr. Rosson presented a sumentary return to an order of the H for copies of all correspondence re Sl Land Reserve. Tabled. CATTLE RANGES BILL

COTTLE RANGES BILL.

COL. BAKER, in moving the second reading of the Cattle Ranges Bill, stated that this bill had the twofold object, of assisting in organizing the cattle ranching industry of the Province, and of assisting to preserve the pastoral lands. Though the quantity of good land in the Province might be counted

KASLO-SLOCAN BAILWAY BILL

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A discussion arose as to whether the Whole on the Municipal Bill (Hon. Mr. Beaver). Finally Bills No. 21 and 27, introduced by Hon. Mr. Davie and Hon. Mr. Beaven, respectively, were committed together.

The committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

HON. MR. BEAVEN: For a return of all orders in Council, and other documents not printed in the sessional papers connected with the land reclaimation scheme in Kootensy district, under the management of W. A. Ballie Groham, with a return showing the amount and nature of the work done during the year 1891 in connection with the said scheme.

MR. Kellis: To make certain amendments to the Consumers (Nelson) Waterworks bill, on the motion to adopt the report of the Councitee of the Whole.

Col. Bakers: To introduce a bill to amend the B. C. Railway Act, 1890.

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HON. MR. TURNER: To introduce an act
to create a Provincial Board of Horticulture.

MR. SWORD: To introduce an act to amend
the Drainage, Dyking and Irrigation Act.

BEHRING SEA.

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MR. COTTON said that his views were on the same lines as those of the hon, junior member for Yale (Mr. Semin).

MR. GRANT said that while he was one of the members representing the City of Victoria in the Legislature, he was not one of the members representing the City of Victoria in the Legislature, he was not one of those who believed the City of Victoria aught to have a right to all the waters within 20 miles of the city when they could not use it, and would only prevent private individuals or companies from utilizing it. This would require a notice to the large number of sealers which are arranging to go for the debate.

VICTORIA & ESQUIMALT TEL CO.

The Victoria & Company's Bill was read a second time; to be committed Tuesday.

SISTERS OF CHARITY.

The bill to incorporate the Association of the Sisters of Charity of Providence it in time to prevent them from taking seals. Her Majesty's Government would make their year opened by Mr. Wilmor remarking that the commission opened this afternoon, Mesars. Will-mot and Armstrong being present, with Mr. Winter, secretary. The proceedings were opened by Mr. Wilmor remarking that the commission opened this afternoon, Mesars. Will-mot and Armstrong being present, with Mr. Winter, secretary. The proceedings were opened by Mr. Wilmor remarking that the commission opened this afternoon, Mesars. Will-mot an active the filling of the city will render practicable. If Her Majesty's Government would nake their year opened by Mr. Wilmor remarking that the commission was to obtain information retaring the fill the providence of the mothers is the greatest. This would require a notice to the large number of sealers which are along the individual of

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SIR JULIAN'S ANSWER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29, 1892.

Sir, —Immediately upon the receipt of your note of the 24th inst. respecting a renewal of the modes vivendi in Behring Ses, and, in accordance with the wish therein surpressed, I telegraphed its contents to the Marquis of Salisbury. In that note, after observing that it is impossible to conclude the arbitration within the time originally set, and that the delays have been much greater on the part of Great Beltain than the United States, you proceeded to inform me that the new modes vivendi should be much the same as that of last year in form, that owing to the early date this year, it could be more effective; sealing in the North Pacific Ocean along the sales forbidden. After pointing out the great need of an effective, sealing in the North Pacific Ocean along the sales forbidden. After pointing out the great need of an effective, sealing in the North Pacific Ocean along the sales forbidden. After pointing out the great need of an effective, sealing in the North Pacific Ocean along the sales forbidden. After pointing out the great need of an effective, sealing in the North Pacific Ocean along the proposed Capilhan and the great need of an effective sealing in the part of the following seals while their destruction goes forward would be as if while an arbitration to the title of timber land were in progress one party should remove all the trees. I have the henor to inform you that I have received a reply from Lord Salisbury to the following seals while their destruction goes forward would be as if while an arbitration to the title of timber land were in progress one party should remove all the trees. I have the h

"Her Majesty's Government have received no information to show that so drastic a remedy as the stoppage of sealing is revealed at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort recessary for two consecutive seasons. On

struction of the new sheds for the Market Hall.

Word comes from Ashcroft that a little son of G. W. DeBreck was accidentally shot by a careless hunter. Mr. DeBreck left, to-day, for Ashcroft.

The Empress of China sails on Friday.

A party of missionaries arrived, to-day, tia C. P. R., for China. They are all Swedes or Norwegians from the Northern States.

A. A. Richardson is starting a millinery and dry goods store in Cope & Young's old stand.

A sea lion 12 feet long, 10 feet from tip to tip, weighing 1,200 pounds, is on exhibition here. It was shot a few days ago by E. J. Fader, near Cape Scott, and brought down by the Velos, to-day.