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From the Daily Colonist, Jan. 24. THE CITY.

Thanks: The Colonist desires to acknowledge, with thanks, the receipt of English papers from Mr. Beeton, B. C. Agent General in eat Britain.

Messrs. T. F. Sinclair, Kennedy, Munro and Davidson, a quartette of gallant Scots, eft for Tacoma last evening to celebrate Burns' anniversary in the City of Destiny.

Melancholia the Cause. At Ross Bay, on Sunday, an elderly lady, while suffering from relancholia, hurled first her niece and then herself into the sea. were rescued before any serious harm The Guard of Honor

The artillery will drill again this evening at the Market hall. The parade on Thursav is ordered for 1:15 p. m., in review order, and gaiters and great coats will be

The One Thousandth Trip. The captain and officers of the popular steamer Islander will, with their friends, elebrate the one thousandth trip of the pride of the C. P. N. fleet on Monday

Both the First Presbyterian and Calvary Baptist churches were crowded to the doors on Sunday evening, the attraction being special sermons by the pastors, Rev. Dr. Campbell and Rev. J. E. Coombes.

Elsewhere in this issue, Major C. T. Du-pont, president of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard railway, invites tenders for the building of the road from Nelson to Fort Sheppard, all bids to be in by the 16th Funeral on Sunday.

funeral of the late James Pusey. whose death is sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends, took place on Sunday, Rev. Geo. W. Taylor, of St. Barnabas, offi-ciating, and the following being the pallearers: Messrs. Wilkinson Savage, Blackmore, Austin and Dyer.

World's Fair Freight, General Traffic Manager George Olds, of

court, before Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, sitting as local judge in admiralty, with Capt. May, C.B., and Lieut. Stileman, H. M.S. Hyacinth, on the bench as assessors. Messrs. E. V. Bodwell and P. Æ. Irving appeared for the petitioners, D. M. Eberts and W. J. Taylor for the respondent. The suit is to recover \$5,000 for towing the Sargeant out of Barclay Sound. The case of the petitioner was completed when the for the petitioner was completed when the court adjourned until 11 this morning.

Pride of the Ridge lodge, I.O.G.T., held open house last evening, treating their friends outside the order to such a programme of music and recitations as is fre-Piano duet, Mr. Holden and Miss Banneid; song, Mr. Dermain; instrumental music, Messrs. Holden and Collis; song, Miss Col-lings; address, Rev. P. H. McEwen; song, Bro. Nicholas; piano solo, Mr. Holden; song, Mr. Gilroy; dance, Mr. Manson; song, Mr. Mathews; song, Mr. Samson.

At Calvary Baptist Church. "The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God," Ps. liii: 1, was the subject of last night's meeting. The pastor explained that the word "fool" did not mean a per-

that the word "fool" did not mean a person of no sense, but one who was empty or sapless. The whole scheme of redemption is directed at man's heart, not his head, so the statement contained in the text is aimed at the man who lives as if there was no God, not the man who simply states there is no God. The pastor stated that this man is an empty fellow, because if there is no God we do away with the facts of: 1. first cause; 2, intelligent cause; 3, life giving cause; 4, moral capacity; 5, Jesus having lived and having been an honest man, and 6, the Bible having any place in the world's history. There will be a meeting this afternoon at 2:30, at which Miss Miller, missionary in India, will speak.

COLUMBIAN NAVAL REVIEW.

Foreign Warships to Take Part in the

New York, Jan. 23.—The Times this morning says: It was learned last night in official naval circles that England proposes, in the event of the Prince of Wales visiting the Columbian Fair, to send her entire the Mayor's report be referred to the Sanitary committee to report on Wednesday the Columbian Fair, to send her chanted the Mayor's report be referred to the Sanitary committee to report on Wednesday review. It is learned that the secretary of the navy has been assured, so far, of the attendance of fully twenty-five foreign warships. The number may be increased to increased to increase the sanitary Engineer and the Sanitary Commissioners be notified that their services attendance of fully twenty-five foreign war-ships. The number may be increased to in-clude nine French ironclads and fast cruisers, seven Russian warships, six Ger-man vessels, five Italian, four Spanish and four Austrian vessels; also one Portuguese ship and possibly one Norweigan or Swedish ship. Chili will send at least one ship and perhaps two. Brazil, it is known, will send one vessel and there is a prospect of the Argentine Republic sending a representative vessel. It was rumored at one time that a fleet of fifteen British ironclads would put in an appearance, but this statement was calculated with the Council to obtain the use of five upper rooms in the City Market for five upper rooms in British North American squadron will send t least six ships, but in the event of the rince of Wales visiting the Columbian Position, it is positively known that the ritish force will be one of large propor-

St. John, N.B., Jan. 24.—A telegram received here this morning says that at ten o'clock the residence of T. A. Sullivan was burned at Bonny River village, near St. George, Charlotte county, and that Henry Sullivan, aged 14, eldest son of the owner of the house, and John Orr, of St. Stephens, aged 21, who were sleeping together, were burned to death.

QUEBEC, Jan. 24.—The bakers of this city have raised the price of bread to 16 cents.

School Board upon the subject of overgrowding.

Upon resuming the session Ald. Munn moved that the request of the Trustees be complied with at a nominal rental. An amendment was made placing the rental at \$15 a month for each room.

The matter was dropped on an adverse vote against its adoption.

A motion by Ald. McKillican, that ten-

THE ALDERMANIC BOARD

Discuss Important Communications at a Special Session-Dr. Watt's Disputed Account.

The Government Propose a Money Saving Method of Adjustment -The Indian Reserve.

There was a full attendance at the special neeting of the City Council held last evening with His Worship Mayor Beaven presiding. The reading of the minutes was To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria: law, as reported from committee, was duly

On the Mayor's recommendation, the by law which provides for the closing of a portion of Craigflower road was allowed to remain on the table, the date for its coming into effect being left black and its coming left bl

and allowances in connection with the sewer age works for the month of December, 1892, was rejected.

That it is presumable that similar claims will be made for the month of January, 1893 and in due course for the ensuing months unless some further action is taken by the Council.

That the rejection of the motion to pay for services rendered in December, 1892, indicates a desire to discontinue the services, but does not absolutely say so.

That the contract entered into with Mr. McBean in 1890, according to schedule rates amounted originally to \$219.970.44, and the addition made by the Council after the contract was let, increased the cost of the work by over \$50,000.00.

That work was done by Mr. McBean, to the value of \$192.396.78, up to the time the contract was terminated, and \$174.654.86 paid thereon, leaving a balance of \$17.744.92 due according to the report of the City Council by the Commissioners, dated 1st November, 1892, at the expiration of the tornact passed on 31st August, 1892, and he was notified on 1st September, 1892.

That according to clause 48 of the contract, ten days' notice is sufficient to terminate the contract.

General Traffic Manager George Olds, of the C.P.R., has issued a circular notice to agents and shippers as to the transportation of freight consigned to the World's Columbian exhibition at Chicago. The company will take exhibits to Chicago at full current tariff rates, and will return them free to the point at which they were received. Those who are sending anything to the World's Fair will find it to their advantage to inquire at the office of Mr. Allan Cameron, agent of the company, for full particulars and regulations.

C. P. N. Co. v. Sargeant.

The suit of the C.P.N. Co. v. Sargeant was heard yesterday in the Admiralty court, before Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, sitting as local judge in admiralty, with

The Sanitary Engineer also presented report on the same matter, as follows: His Worship the Mayor and Board of Alder

men:

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a letter from the City Clerk stating that the Council decline to sanction the payment of the accounts certified to and checks signed by the Sewerage Commissioners for amounts due to various persons to Sist December last.

From the newspaper reports it would seem that the Council are under the impression that the Commissioners have no money to their credit other than a sufficient sum to cover the balance which may become due to Mr. Mc. Bean under his contract at the expiration of the term of maintenance some three months hence.

ALD. STYLES and Baker contended that the employes on the sewerage work should be notified that they would no longer be re-quired, as there was no money left to pay

Commissioners be notified that their services will be no longer required.

ALD. Brace seconded the amendment, on the principle of stopping expenditure when there was nothing with which to meet it. The original resolution was carried.

The Library committee recommended that the offer of the Journal of Commerce to

school purposes, to prevent over-crowding in the present buildings.

ALD. BELYEA and MCKILLICAN strongly

ALD. BRLYEA and MCKILLICAN strongly opposed the proposition both for the sake of the children and also on account of the effect on the building, but principally the former.

The Council here adjourned to the committee room to hear a deputation from the

received here this morning says that at ten School Board upon the subject of over-

ders be invited for the printing of 500 copies of the report for 1892, was carried.

ALD. BRAGG moved that a public meeting of the citizens be called to take into conideration the acquisition of the Indian

Reserve by the city.

ALD. BELYEA stated that he had ready s resolution to have something "done." The citizens had heard enough "talk"; it would please them better to see some steps taken in the matter. The motion was carried.

The following letter was read from the Deputy Attorney General with reference to the account of Dr. A. T. Watt for professional services during the smallpox epi-

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 7th inst., in the matter of the account of Dr. A. T. Watt against the city, or settlement in regard to the amount of the account.

It may now be presumed that the only objection to the payment of the bill is on account of the unreasonableness of the charges. The

remain on the table, the date for its coming into effect being left blank until the Council passes a resolution dealing with the subject and the usual notice has been g ven in the Gazette.

The Mayor next presented the following statement:

The undersigned begs to direct the attention of the Council to the following:

At a meeting of the Council held on the 18th instant a motion to place the sum of \$407.50 in the health roles which was designed to secure payment of just accounts by parties increasing the commissioners to paysalaries and allowances in connection with the sewer age works for the month of December, 1892, was rejected.

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Your obedient servant,
(Sd) A. G. SMITH,
Deputy Attorney-General,
ALD. BELYEA said the principle involved
in this bill was of great importance. The
Government seemed to Government seemed to have power to con-tract bills to any amount and then require payment by the Council on the threat of putting the sheriff in possession. He favored a postponement of the question until legal advice could be obtained. This was acquiesced in by the remainder of the Council, and an adjournment was made till Wednesday evening.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Inquiry Into the Loss of the "Con tinental"-Bark "Assel" Arrives from England.

The "Burt" Makes a Fast Trip-Sealers Off to Sea - A Long Looked for Charter.

The British bark Assel, 761 tons, Capt. H. A. Gilmour, reached Esquimalt harbon i. A. Gilmour, reached Esquanday sunday evening, being 155 days out from London, Eng., with a full cargo, consisting of 1,292 tons of general merchandise, consisting of 1,292 tons of general merchandise, consigned to R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd. The Assel sailed from London on August 20, and for a week experienced fresh S. W. gales in the Bay of Biscay. Coming out of this district of distress she struck the N. E. trades, which drove her along very slowly and quietly until the Cape Verde islands were sighted, when a hurricane was encountered. The equator was crossed on Section 10. The equator was crossed on September 20, and after feaving the S.E. trades the bark had light and contrary winds to the Straits of Le Maire, which were reached on November 1. After a delay of forty-eight hours in shelter of Staten island, caused quently presented on lodge nights "for the good of the order." The result was a well pleased audience and the promise of many new members. The following was the programme presented last evening:

Piano duet, Mr. Holden and Miss Banfield;

Bean under his contract at the expiration of her three months hours in shelter of Staten island, caused by a strong S. W. gale, the bark passed not the case; there is now in the bank to the programme presented last evening:

Piano duet, Mr. Holden and Miss Banfield; Mohun.

I have the honor, etc., (Signed) KDWARD MOHUN.

When a strong southeast gale rose, driving her before it for 48 hours. When the gale abated the Assel was off Nootka Sound, noticed there was a discrepancy between a long distance out of her way. On returning to the straits the American tug Collising gnored the amount due to the Terra Cotta took her in tow and brought her within gnored the amount due to the Terra Cotta took her in tow and brought her within safe distance of Victoria. The only vessel spoken which asked to spoken which asked to be repor-ALD. Belyea contended that provision had to be made for the payment of the bills already due, some of which were for salhas about 80 tons of naval stores to dis-charge at Esquimalt before coming around to Victoria, where the remainder of her cargo will be landed.

SEALERS OFF TO SEA. A fleet of four sealing schooners got away yesterday—the Penelope, Capt. F. Cole; C. H. Tupper, Capt. W. E. Baker; Carlotta G. Cox, Capt. Byers, and E. B. Marvin, Capt. Gould. The latter two, carrying crews of 23 and 27 respectively, are for the Japan coast, but both will work their way across. The Penelope, with a crew of 20 whites, will, it is expected, keep in her old sealing grounds, while the Tupper with 24 men, may or may not hunt in the same waters.

THE OLD DOMINION. The steam barge Spratt's Ark went around to Esquimatt yesterday to assist in clearing the bark Dominion's anchors, which were in some way foul of the navy moorings. After the anchors had been hoisted the Dominion was taken alongside the wharf where she will remain for a short time, sail. ing then for Vancouver to receive new spars

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Supposed Whiskey Smuggler Comes

The sloop Continental, of New What In sloop Continental, of New Whatcom, is ashore on the rocks at Clayoose and in great danger of being smashed to pieces on the rocky beach. She has been stripped of all her rigging and, in fact, everything moveable. She is a sixteen ton boat and is apparently new. Her owner, or at least those who had chayer of her and those who had charge of her, and who arrived in the city the other day, tell a very plausible story as to how she ran ashore.
They claim that she was heading for some far inland port when she struck. This story,

removed his office from Wharf to Broughton street, a little above the Custom House. He will be at home in the new quarters by

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Overcrowding Still the Topic of Discussion by the Board of Trustees.

The Temporary Use of the Market Hall Refused by the City Conneil. The Board of School Trustees met last

night, with Chairman Hayward presiding, and all the trustees present. Principal Netherby read a circular which that the Boys of the Central school be not their report.

The Board adjourned at 10:30 p.m. he had received from the Board requesting weather the boys had the privilege of wait-

ing indoors, but when the bell was rung they assembled in the yard, a process tak ing four or five minutes. He was anxious to know from the Board whether it was the intention to keep the boys in during recess in wet weather, or allow them to roam about the yard. A couple of classes could be accommodated under the shed. According to the School act the teachers were obliged to remain with

the pupils for five minutes, and they might object to remain with them longer. TRUSTER RICHARDS, as the one who originally brought the matter before the Board, said that his reason for doing so was that he observed that the girls in rainy weather assembled outside; this was not dvisable.

PRINCIPAL NETHERBY :- Now you have eached the point. Are we to oblige the children to stop in during wet weather.

The little fellows will shoot out in the rain, and it is questionable whether it would be etter to keep them indoors or allow them under the shed. TRUSTEE RICHARDS-My idea was that

hey might be assembled under the sheds. TRUSTEE YATES did not consider it necesary to assemble the children outside. PRINCIPAL NETHERBY explained that it rould be difficult to assemble the children n the school room. The matter was left to the discretion

he Principal.
Caretaker Huxtable, of the Central school, wrote complaining that the care of twenty-two rooms and a furnace was too much for any one man.
TRUSTEE RICHARDS concurred, and moved that the salary of the janitor, now \$60 per

nonth, be increased by \$20.

TRUSTRE LOVELL—It is too much work for any one man at this season of the year, at all events.

It was decided to increase the salary \$20 per month from January to March. Principal Netherby, of the Central school, and Principal Paul, of the High school, asked for supplies. Mr. Netherby complained that the open drain on Moss

reet was dangerous to the health of chil dren attending the school.

TRUSTEE SAUNDERS concurred. He had

f damage.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT drew attention to the want of better sanitary arrangements in These matters were referred to the Supply committee, and a copy of Miss Bradley's complaint ordered to be sent to the church

be well to secure the support of the other cities of the province in asking for the de-sired changes in the School Act. TRUSTER MARCHANT drew attention to

he fact that Mr. Hawkey, of Victoria West ol, had some 40 scholars enrolled, and had but accommodation for 34. He suggested the enlargement of the school room at a cost of about \$100

TRUSTEE LOVELL said that the subject had been up before, and in the prospect of a more radical change, it was not deemed ad-visable to spend more money on the build-

ing.
THE CHAIRMAN—If we establish the new graded school it may relieve this overrowding.
TRUSTRE MARCHANT pointed out that all the children attending the school came from the immediate neighborhood, so that the proposed new grading would not affect this particular school. TRUSTEE LOVELL seconded the motion, but

Trustee Richards moved an amendment postponing the matter indefinitely. This TRUSTEE RICHARDS moved in favor of the

purchase of extra desks.

THE CHAIRMAN suggested that this matter be deferred until the Board laid its vants before the City Council. TRUSTEE RICHARDS-We have \$2,600 on

"1. The hing of the salaries for the temporary school now being appointed.

"2. The advisability of creating two new permanent graded schools in the city; conference to consider sites of schools, plans of buildings, number and salaries of teachers.

"3. The subject of night schools.

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SATISFACTION EXPRESSED

At the Selection for Bishop Made By His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury.

The English Press on Rev. Mr. Perrin -Meeting of the Executive of the Synod.

at a largely attended meeting of the Executive of the Anglican Synod held vesterday afternoon at the Synod rooms on Broad afternoon at the Synod rooms on Broad George Bain, the driver of the Telegraph street. The business of the day was to re-Hotel bus, had his ankle put out of joint ceive the two letters regarding the new yesterday morning. Having returned from bishop referred to in Sunday's Colonist.

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By the selection was the selection was a successor to Rt. Rev. Bishop Hills, and the selection was and attended to the limb. generally approved.

Accompanying a portrait of Rev. Mr Perrin, the London Graphic prints the following:

"The newly-appointed Bishop of British Columbia, Rev. William Wilcox Perrin, "The newly-appointed Bishop of British Columbia, Rev. William Wilcox Perrin, vicar of St. Luke's, Southampton, was ordained in St. Mary's, Southampton, in 1871, by the Bishop of Winchester, Dr. Wilberforce. He remained curate of St. Mary's until 1881, when he accepted the living of St. Luke's, from which vicarage he has been now appointed Bishop. Mr. Perrin has hitherto held the offices of chairman of the Southampton School Board and warden of the Refuge, in addition to having the care of the Home of the Good Shepherd and other Church institutions. The new Bishop is well temperance advocate, and as, occurs, wery hard worker in parochial matters. His appointment to the diocese of British Columbia was made by the Archbishop of Can-TRUSTEE SAUNDERS concurred. He had terbury, to whom the power of appointment was delegated by the Synod of the Church in British Columbia. Bishop Hills, whose seen a couple of dezen gris obliged to take a flying jump over the open drain.

Miss Bradley wrote complaining that the children attending Sabbath school in James Bay ward school building did a great deal consecration of the Bishop Designate will take place in about three months time. The power of consecration has, in this case again been delegated to the Archbishop of Canter

bury,"
Referring to Rev. Mr. Perrin's selection complaint ordered to be sent to the church trustees having the use of the school.

A number of communications were received from teachers already in the employ of the Board seeking promotion, and from others asking for appointments in the event of vacancies.

Seterring to Rev. Mr. Perrin's selection, the Canadian Gazette says:

"That a clergyman who had only served one curacy and filled only one living, should be made a bishop, is a remarkable instance of preferment. During Mr. Perrin's incumbency the population of St. Luke's parish has very largely increased. of the Board seeking promotion, and from others asking for appointments in the event of vacancies.

TRUSTER YATES, as one of the committee appointed to inquire into the complaint of Mrs. Truran; reported that they had investigated the matter, and recommended that Miss Truran be allowed to stand an examination similar to that to which the other pupils had been subjected, and that if successful, the girl be promoted to Miss Armstrong's class. Miss Truran will be notified by Miss Armstrong as to when the examination will be held.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT announced that the committee appointed to provide additional school accommodation were not in a position to report.

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TRUSTER YATES explained that one of the sites selected was the City Market building, but as there was a proposition then before the City Council, the report was not in readiness for presentation.

THE CHAIRMAN suggested that it might be well to secure the support of the other red changes in the City of the city of the changes in the City of the city o for the management of the well-organized day schools of St. Luke's. Until this year, however, he did not seek office on the School Board, but when he did he succeeded. At the present moment he is Chairman of the Southampton School Board, and his services in that position have been and his services in that position have been such as to secure the hearty co-operation and support of his fellow members. In other social matters Mr. Perrin is also well known. As Warden of the Southampton Refuge (wnich is connected with the Diocesan Home of St. Thomas's, Basingstoke) and the Home of the Good Shepherd (specially working on preventive lines) he is an active worker. For several years he has held the position of Chaplain to the First Hants Artillery Vol-Chaptein to the first Hants Artillery Volunteers, and in these and other directions, not omitting general diocesan work, he has earned in Southampton the character of a hard worker. He is well known, it should be added, far beyond Southampton as a temperance advocate—but what else could be expected of a clergyman who went to St. Mary's only three or four works. Mary's only three or four months after Rev.
Basil Wilberforce became its rector, and
who has ever since been so intimately asso

ciated with 'the Canon'?

TRUSTEE RICHARDS—We nave \$\(\xi_2\),000 on hand; let us pay for them out of that.

THE CHAIRMAN—The Mayor takes the view that this credit has lapsed.

TRUSTEE RICHARDS contended that this whom is not more than twelve years, were brought up at the Police court yesterday,

TRUSTEE RICHARDS—We nave \$\xi_2\,000 on Newsboys Amusements.

Max Barnett, Ed McMillan and John Stewart, three newsboys, the oldest of whom is not more than twelve years, were brought up at the Police court yesterday,

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They claim that she was heading for some far inland port when she struck. This story, however, is discredited by those acquainted with the shores of the West coast. It is their belief that the men were smuggling liquor to the Indians at that station when their boat came to grief.

The cabin passengers who left by the steamer Umatilla for San Francisco yesterday morning: Dr. A. W. Corel and wife, E. N. Batstone, A. Clement, G. J. Mc. Craley, R. Horton and wife, John Miller and wife, Mrs. K. Randall, Miss J. E. Harris, Capt. Linn, P. Kennedy, J. Aitkin, R. T. Clark, C. E. Goodman, Miss A. Sutherland, Miss Dunn, R. A. Welsh, P. T. Dunn, W. T. Cooksley and wife.

Capt. H. G. Lewis, shipping master, has removed his office from Wharf to Broughton and the stranged of the cannider sites of schools, plans of the motific sites of schools, plans of the motific sites of schools, plans of the work that this contended that this wom is not more than twelve years, were brought up at the Police court yesterday, charged with throwing stones at Chinaman happened to pass, the oldest of TRUSTEE RICHARDS contended that this was not so.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT quoted from the School Act to show that the necessary funds should be voted by the City Council within the City council within their body at Capt. The boys were congregated at Campbell's corner selling their papers when a Chinaman happened to pass, the oldest of TRUSTEE MARCHANT quoted from the School Act to show that the necessary funds and the Victor Council within the City council within the city and the City Council within the city and the City council within the city is an out of the Police quit when the Police out the School Act to show that the necessary funds and the Police out the propers when a Chinaman happened to pas pleaded for mercy. His Honor discharged them with a caution, but making them realize that even a Chinaman has certain rights and privileges which cannot be en-

From the Daily Colonist Jan. 25. THE CITY.

A Change of Dates. The amateur performance of the Scottish nelodrama "Rose of Ettrick Vale," set for

the 31st inst., has been postponed until February 4 and 8, at the Imperial theatre. The annual Bible society collection will

be taken up in the various Protestant churches of Victoria on February 19, and the year's affairs will be discussed at a meeting called for March 16. Ald. Henderson gives notice that he wil for information as to what rights the cor-poration have in the James Bay flats, and

hether the foreshore rights are private or public property. Is Slowly Getting Around. Mr. I. B. Nason, M.P.P., who was open ated on for cancer at the Jubilee hosnital will not be able to take his seat when the House opens to-morrow. He is slowly improving, and it is hoped will quite recover

Salmon Fisheries Regulations, Those interested in the salmon fisheries who may have been anxious as to the regulations to govern the coming season, need be in doubt no longer. As may be seen from the COLONIST'S special Ottawa corre-Venerable Archdeacon Scriven presided spondence, it is officially announced that the regulations will be the same as those

The Klootchman's Blanket. Victoria has been honored of late with some visitors from the Sound cities which she could well afford to do without. One of these gentlemen, giving his name as William Lewis, on Monday evening entered the cabin of a klootchman, on Store street the cabin of a klootchman, on Store street, and having assaulted the woman, carried off her blanket. She reported the matter to the police, and Lewis was taken in cus-tody. He admitted his guilt to the magistrate yesterday, and was sent up for months, without the option of a fine.

Dominion Illustrated Monthly. and warden of the Refuge, in addition to having the care of the Home of the Good Shepherd and other Church institutions. The new Bishop is well known all over England as a strenuous temperance advocate, and is, besides, a very hard worker in parochial matters. His Crichet in Cande Dant W CCS Lindy Cricket in Canada, Part IV, G.G.S. Lindsey, lustrated; The Misericordia in Floren Alice Jones, illustrated; Choirs and Choir Singing in Toronto, S. Frances Harrison, illustrated; One Puritan's Christmas, Hunter Duvar; Scraps and Snaps, F. Blake Crotton; My Maid, Mary E. Fletcher; The Railway Mail Clerks of Canada, C. M. Sin-clair, illustrated; The Late Chief Justice Ritchie, portrait; In the Library.

Two Thousand Bollars Allowed. The case of the C.P.N. Co. v. "Sargeant" was concluded in the Admiralty court yesterday before Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, sitting as local judge in Admiralty, and two assessors, Capt. May, C.B., and Lieut. Stillman of H.M.S Hyacinth. Mr. D. M. Eberts, Q.C., who appeared with Mr. W. J. Taylor for the defendants, claimed that on the evidence the case was reduced to one of towage. After Mr. E. V. Bodwell had argued his side of the case, the court gave judgment for the plaintiff, holding that the C.P.N. Co., the owners of the Maude.

was similar to that of the Victoria Board on this question."

Accident to a Hese Reel.

The fire department was called out at 1 o'clock yesterday to a burning chimney at 112 Pandora street. The hose reel from the Deluge house was the first to put out, but when turning Douglas street the snap at the bit of one of the horses opened and the rein got loose. Driver McKenzie immediately jumped from his seat to make matters right, but while doing so the fire engine got ahead of him. To make up for lost time he urged on his horses, but when turning up Pandora street the wheel of the reel got foul of the tram car tracks and a complete upset was the result. The firecomplete upset was the result. The firemen were badly rolled round in the mud, but escaped further injury. The hose carriage was broken but the horses escaped. Without losing much time the firemen got Without losing much time the firemen got the reel from the City Hall and proceeded on their journey, only to find that on their

Driard hotel for the past week. Driard hotel for the past week. They are on a tour of pleasure, and have had a very pleasant time. Mr. Davies, who is a gentleman of nearly seventy years, was yesterday morning descending to the dining room, when he accidentally stumbled, falling a distance of some fourteen feet. His injuries are of a serious nature, including a severe concussion of the brain, a broken arm, a badly bruised leg and a number of more or less serious abrasions. He was inarm, a badly bruised leg and a number of more or less serious abrasions. He was immediately taken to his room and Surgical assistance summoned. The injuries were found to be fatal, and he died at 9:30 last night. Mr. Davies is one of the most prominent men in his section of the country, leing the proprietor of level and the country, prominent men in the being the proprietor of large smelting works and the owner of considerable rich mining property.

WILTON GROVE, Jan. 24.—James Armstrong, M.P. for South Middlesex, is dangerously ill at his residence near here.

A PROTRACTED MEETING.

The Affairs of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Discussed at the Annual Meeting.

Decision to Reduce the Pastor's Salary-He Will Appeal to the Congregation.

A protracted meeting was held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening. It was the annual gathering of the congregation to receive the reports of the various committees, etc., and was well attended. Rev. P. McF. Macleod presided, and

opened the meeting with prayer. The report of the session was read, reviewing the work of the church and alluding feelingly to the great loss sustained in the death of the late Hon. John Robson. The managers' report went into the financial standing of the congregation, showing an indebtedness of some \$40,000. It recommended that, with the approval of the pastor, his stipend be \$3,000 per annum instead of \$3.750.

nstead of \$3,750.

Mr. McMicking moved an amendment to the report, reducing the pastor's salary to \$2,000 per year. A very lively discussion ensued.

The amendment was ultimately put, and the result of the ballot showed 75 for reducing the salary to \$2,000, and 51 for fixing it at \$3,000. The Sabbath school report showed 21 of

The Sabbath school report showed 21 of an increase during the year, bringing the membership up to 200.

The election of managers resulted as follows: Messrs. J. R. Robertson, W. J. Dorman, James Anderson, T. Rodell, J. Whitelaw, J. Lewis, Alex. Tait and W.

Hogarth.

Votes of thanks were passed to the managers, the choir, the Ladies' Aid, etc., and at 12:15 a.m. a motion for adjournment was moved for the second time during the

Before putting the motion the chairman said that he would avail himself of an early opportunity of calling the congregation together for the purpose of ascertaining their feeling as to whether they wished him to continue in the pastorate. He did not believe the action of the pastorate. lieve the action of the meeting would be endorsed by the congregation.

Mr. J. B. McKilligan did not think, in justice to the reverend gentleman himself, that this would be a wise course to pursue.

I say this in all kindness," concluded the Rev. Mr. Macleod-I have been experiencing the "kindness" of Mr. McKilligan and others for some months past.

Mr. McKilligan objected to the chairman emphasizing the word "kindness," and using it in the sense he did.

Rev. Mr. Macleod continued to say that he would call the congregation together.

he would call the congregation together again at an early date, and denied the right again at an early date, and denied the right of the meeting to reduce his salary without reference to the Presbytery.

Dr. Milne denounced the meeting as a "packed meeting," and a general uproar followed, amid which cries of "throw him out," "six down Milne," "who packed it?" etc., were heard. The Doctor repeated his assertion and the scene was renewed. Finally the motion to adjourn was put, and the benediction pronounced at 12 30.

yet presented by this talented musical graph of the plaintiff, holding that the C.P.N. Co., the owners of the Maude, should be allowed salvage, which the assessors fixed at one-tenth the value of the ship, viz: \$2,000.

They are against Commissions.

Mr. C. R. Townley, inspector for the Board of Fire Underwriters of New Westminster, has written to Mr. J. G. Elliott, inspector for the Victoria Board, the folter of the annual meeting of your Board: "Commission or brokerage, which has been a sore subject for some time past, was pronounced against decidedly after a long destate, although the Mainland agents favor the payment of commission to loan and investment agencies effecting insurance on the properties they represent." This statement is incorrect. The subject of brokerage and commission was discussed at our annual meeting on the 17th inst., and decided against, so that this Board's action was similar to that of the Victoria Board on this question."

yet presented by this talented musical organization. Before the hour of 8 the hall was crowded, and many arriving later were unable to obtain admittance, although the hall has recently been enlarged. The choir stepped on the platform to the strains of Piper Robertson's bagpipes, which were obtained by him from a man who had them on board Nelson's flagship "The Victory," at the battle of Trafalgar. Mr. Russell and Miss O'Neil were unable to obtain admittance, although the men on board nelson's flagship "The Victory," at the battle of Trafalgar. Mr. Russell and Miss O'Neil were unable to obtain admittance, although the men on board nelson's flagship "The Victory," at the battle of Trafalgar. Mr. Russell and Miss O'Neil were unable to obtain admittance, although the mainland them on board Nelson's flagship "The Victory," at the battle of Trafalgar. Mr. Russell and Miss O'Neil were unable to obtain admittance, although the hall has recently been enlarged. The choir stepped on the platform to the strains of them on board Nelson's flagship "The Victory," at the battle of

Plano Solo—"Scotch Airs," Mr. G. F. Watson Song—"Caller Herrin" Miss Jameson Song—"The Auld Pair o' Tawse," Mr. J. G. horus—"Maggie Lauder,"...

Johnston—That statue at the tomb of your wife's mother is a beautiful work of art. Why did you select the figure of a Thompson—Because I thought there ought to be somebody weeping at her grave.—

exas Siftings.



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