Yesterday's Ball Games Had to be Postponed on Account of Rain.

Close Match Between the Amities and Wellington-Other Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

AMATEUR MATCH. Victorians have been fortunate this year in seeing two splendid exhibitions of the American national game; the first when the Victoria league team defeated Seattle, and the second when on Saturday the Amities defeated Wellington by 2 to 0. Saturday's match was one of the best ever seen on a Victoria diamond, the game being fast and interesting from first to last. Wrigglesworth was in the box for Victoria and Lawrie. he pitchede a star game. He has complete control and uses some good and effective curves. He was well supported, Huxtable as usual eatching the game without an error, while the field was the strongest the Amities ever had. The "old reliables," Duck and Gus Gowen, gathered in all the flies that Partridge held down first, where he is Jackson took good care of second and loss. third respectively. Scott at short did some good work. For Wellington, King pitched well throughout, while Simmons did not allow any to pass. All the positions were well held down, and it was not through lack of hard work and conscientious playing that the visitors

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lost. The following is the score:

AMITY.

ary—Iwo base hits. Wrigglesworth, 6, s. Struck out, by Wriglesworth, 6, 7, Earned runs, Victoria, 1, Base, by Wriglesworth, 2; by King, 2, game, 1:45. Umpire, Mr. S. D.

PACIFIC LEAGUE.

It was raining both at Portland and Tacoma yesterday, and in consequence both ball games had to be postponed. On Saturday Portland won from Seattle by 11 to 8, and Tacoma from Victoria by 8 to 5. Babbitt was in the box for What Victoria needs is another pitcher like Darby. Captain Gus Klopf has signed James Hughes, who is now on his way from Southern California, Saturday's match has been protested on the ground that the Tacoma team did not supply the requisite number of new A POOR GAME.

Tacoma, May 8 .- There was very little in Tacoma, May 8.—There was very little in yesterday's game between the Tacoma and Victoria teams to please the fans. The game was a very poor exhibition of ball, and was lost by Victoria, the score being 15 to 6. Victoria picked up towards the end, but Tacoma had too big a lead. Pitts was in the box for Victoria. During the game Tip O'Neill sprained his leg and is laid up. The score by innings follows: Tacoma 1 4 1 0 3 2 0 1 3— Victoria 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 2—

pitches-Pitts 1. TACOMA SHUT OUT. Tacoma, May 9 .- Victoria played great ball yesterday and more than made up for their defeat of the day before. While "Klopf's chappies" up 19 runs in eight innings they did not | was kilocked out in the third round by allow a single one of their opponents to an upper cut, and his head hit the floor cross the plate. Darby pitched a great game, and Kossuch played his position scious. McAuliffe and Rogers were arbehind the bat perfectly. The Victoria boys all played well, stealing no less

is the score by innings: SCORE BY INNINGS.

than 12 bases. Tacoma's battery was

Ferguson and Brandenburg. Following

SUMMARY.

Hits, off Ferguson 18; off Darby 2; Errors, Tacoma 6, Victoria, 1; runs earned, off Ferguson 7; two base hits, Victoria, 4; three base hits, Darby; left on bases, Tacoma 3, Victoria 6; stolen, Tacoma 2, Victoria 12; doubles, Whaling and Darby; bases on balls, by Ferguson 3. Darby 1; hit by pitchers, Darby 1; struck out, Ferguson 4, Darby 5; passed balls, Brandenburg 4; wild pitches, Ferguson 1. Time, 1:50. Attendance, 500.

At Portland—Rain. SUMMARY.

THE TURE.

KENTUCKY DERBY. Louisville, Ky., May 8.-To Willie Sims, rather than Ben Brush, beongs the credit of victory in the twenty-sec ond Kentucky Derby. The great son of Bramble was not fit for a brushing race such as he had vesterday afternoon, but under the care and guidance of Sims urday between the Barracks eleven and he landed the coveted prize and the first the Victoria College team was won by Kentucky Derby ever run at the shortened distance of one mile and a quarter. All the honor and the \$5,000 which and Kelly 26. Goward made 31 for the went to Ben Brush properly belonged college. to Ben Eder and had it not been for the stable boy who essayed to pilot the son of Fonso, there would have been several lengths of daylight between Ben Brush and Ben Eder, which should have showed the way under the wire.

RACE MEETING. The track has been put in excellent week under the auspices of the Polo club, and the meeting should be

ing ever given in Victoria. Entries for all the races close on Monday next. London, May 8 .- This was the opening day of Kempton Park spring meeting. Mr. Leopold De Rothschild's Moor won; Mr. Beauchamp's Marton sec

KEMPTON PARK. London, May 9.-Mr. T. Worton's Victor Wilde won the Jubilee stakes, Capt. Greer's Kilcock second, Mr. H. McCalmont's, The Lombard, third, at Kempton Park to-day. Mr. Richard Croker's "Americus" was among fifteen horses which started to-day in the race for the Jubilee stakes, three thousand sovereigns, but was not placed.

VACHTING

CELEBRATION RACES. The yacht races to be held on May 23rd are to be sailed in full view of ectators on Dallas road. The course decided upon by the committee is from a line off Finlayson's Point to buoys off Clover Point, thence out to sea, from there west around the San Pedro and back to Finlayson's Point. officers are: Judges, Captain Foot and Captain J. D. Warren; referee, Captain Balcom; time keepers and starters. Messrs. A. H. Burns, T. Lawrie and W. Croft; official measurer, Mr. T.

New York, May 11.-The schooner yacht Serkara, owned by S. S. Foley, of California, which went ashore on Londoner reef, on the Massachusetts coast Thursday night, has gone to pieces. The owner and his family were not on board at the time. The Sekara was 160 tons and was richly furnished. She came to came their way and Lenfesty in right Boston about a week ago to fit out for did not overlook any opportunities. a pleasure trip down the eastern shores. The crew escaped by rowing ashore now perfectly at home, and Wilson and The yacht cost \$20,000 and is a total

> BATTLEGROUND CHOSEN. Toledo, Ohio., May 11.-Toledo has been selected as the point for the in-ternational yacht race between the Toronto, the championship to go to the winner of three out of five races which will be sailed August 24th, and suc-R. H. E. ceeding days. The city of Toledo puts up \$1500 in gold for the winner. Great interest is shown here, and Toledo will hold high festival on the occasion, which will attract yachting men from all over North America.

THE WHEEL. REQUIRES TOO MUCH VIGOR."

London, May 11.-In spite of the fact that many new cycling clubs have been organized and that Hyde park is thronged with cyclists, there are signs that the so-called "wheel craze" is on the wane among the leaders of fashion. Several of the latter who were the first to take to bicycling are now always to be seen in the park on horseback.

ANOTHER DREAM.

Albany, N.Y., May 11.-Six strong lunged and muscular legged bicycle riders, mounted on the machine known as the sextuple, will endeavor this week to prove that the bicycle can beat an express train. The race will be with the Empire State express. The six riders will weigh about 145 pounds each. The track will be six miles straight away on a road parallel with the route of the New York Central flyer, near this city, and the race will be for half a mile. Only an improvised track has been laid Victoria and pitched well, considering it will require two moles for the sexthat he is not used to the position tuplet to get properly started, and after it has been run against an express train, from three and a half to four miles will have been gone over before the sextuplet can be stopped. The inventor believes that the machine can cover a mile in 35 seconds. The team. which will be made up of nine men, are: John Dudd, of St. Louis; Fred Rau, winner of the Chicago road race of 1894; Fred Loughead, the young Canadian champion; John Lawson, the "Terrible Swede": Fred Weage, and W. S. Kenyon, of Chicago: F. W. Benkey, of Mount Clements, Mich.; S. E. Frederickson, the Nebraska champion.

> THE RING THE MANLY ART.

New Britain, Conn., May 8.-In a boxing match between John Houlihan many drivers they are considered the and Patrick Nolan here last night, Houlihan was knocked out in the 11th round and rendered unconscious. He was not restored at midnight and the doctors believe that the injuries

will prove fatal. MORE MANLY ART. Louisville, Ky., May 9.-Sam Rogers, of Louisville, tried to box four rounds piled last night with Jack McAuliffe, but so hard that he was rendered uncon-

BIG FISTIC TOURNEY. San Francisco, Cal., May 11.-The National athletic club has all but arranged for the biggest pugilistic tournament ever held in this city. The programme as planned is to consist of ten-round set-to between Sharkey and Tom Williams, of Salt Lake: Danny Needham and Bill Gallagher; Patsy Corrigan, the Australian cyclone, Billy Smith, Australian, and Arthur Walker and Fred Muller, of the San Francisco club. The contests are virtually settled and it is expected that all the men will sign articles to-day. A match is contemplated between Dan Hawkins and Owen Zeigler. As the victorious Chevenne, who has a record latter weighs 138 pounds and Hawkins only 130, Hawkins refuses to concede so much weight and will not fight unless Zeigler trains down. This Zeigler the distance polerefuses to do.

CRICKET.

WON BY THE BARRACKS. The match at Macaulay point on Sat the former by 142 to 44. For the barracks Spong made 38, Barraclough 37,

LACROSSE INTERMEDIATE SCHEDULE.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia Intermediate Lacrosse Association was held Saturday afternoon at New Westminster, the delegates presept being Messrs. W. F. Norris, Nanashape for the races to be held to-mor- imo: J. H. Diamond. Vancouver, and W. L. Edmonds, New Westminster, Victoria being unrepresented. There one of the brightest and most interest- were also present Mr. L. A. Lewis,

Committee and the

president, and Mr. H. J. Walton, sec-

retary. 1896: Hon. president, S. M. Robins, Nanaimo; president, L. A. Lewis, New Westminster: 1st vice-president, J. F. Murray, Victoria; 2nd vice-president, B. D. Presley, Nanaimo; secretary-treasurer, H. J. Walton, Vancouver; council, W. F. Norris, J. H. Diamond, L. Tait and H. L. Edmonds. Referees were chosen as follows: New

Westminster. C. W. Snell and J. J. Cambridge; Vancouver, A. E. Suckling races are to be sailed on Saturday, May and E. A. Quigley; Victoria, C. S. 23, so as not to interfere with Campbell and F. Cullin, Nanaimo, Dr., battle or the rowing regatta. The following schedule of matches

vas arranged: May 30th-Vancouver vs. New Westminster at New Westminster. May 30th-Nanaimo vs. Victoria at Victoria.

June 13th-New Westminster vs. Nanaimo at Nanaimo June 13th-Victoria vs. Vancouver at Vancouver.

June 27th-Nanaimo vs. New Westminster at New Westminster. July 18th-New Westminster vs. Victoria at Victoria. July 18th-Vancouver vs. Nanaimo at

July 25th-Nanaimo vs. Vancouver at Vancouver. Aug. 8th-Victoria vs. New West ninster at New Westminster. Ang 22nd-Victoria vs Nanaimo at Nanaimo.

Aug. 22nd-New Westminster vs. Vancouver at Vancouver.

CHESS.

Georgetown, Ky., May 8.-Mr. J. W. Showalter, of this city, champion chess player of the United States, will meet the famous player Berry in a match of seven games up, for \$2000 and Lake Michigan Yacht Club of Chicago, the championship of the United States, and the Royal Canadian Yacht Club of on May 20th. The match will be played in Boston.

THE RIFLE ASSOCIATION MEETING. ASSOCIATION MEETING.

At a meeting of the council of the British Columbia Rifle Association held yesterday afternoon the following resolution was passed: "That the prize meeting of this association for 1896 be held at the Central Park range provided that by the 1st of June it appears to the deputy adjutant general that the range will be in a satisfactory condition, as to target accommodation and otherwise, for holding the said competition; failing which the meeting shall be held on the Goldstream range."

The meeting will be held on July 30th, 31st and August 1st. 31st and August 1st.

ONE CREDULOUS ELECTOR

Who is Still Ready to Swallow the "Cabinet Minister" Story." In The Province of last Saturday it

Mr. Prior, M. P., is a cabinet minister of full rank." Five dollars was offered to the first voter who would do so. The offer was accompanied by the re- ers are Messrs. E. E. Evans, C. E. mark: "Some may think this offer rath- Dunbar, Osborne Plunkett, and Macer rash in view of the hard times, but I think it is easily worth five dollars to \$500,000. know who is the callowest simpleton in a city of about twenty thousand inhabitants." Shortly after noon to-day a six-foot-four individual, who is deout for six miles. This is necessary, as district No. 8, as "Blackwood, James, civil engineer, 1 Jackson street," called at the Province office and duly signed the declaration in the presence of the editor of that paper, and received the reward, remarking: "If there are any more five dollar bills knocking around let me know." The incident shows that there is at least one man in the city who still labors under the cabinet minister delusion, and it is just as well that his identity should be known. It is noticeable though, that there was not much of a rush to win that easily earned five dollars.

FAITH OF BLIND HORSES.

It may surprise most people to be told that a judge of good horse-flesh would for one moment consider the purchase of a partially blind animal. Yet by most desirable. They are good for this reason: the same reasons that make a baby fearles of danger. It entrusts itself entirely to the man

behind it, who controls it with a pair of leather reins. It will rub its nose against a locomotive, ignorant of what it means. It will treat a rough pathway with the surety of foot of a mountain goat. There is nothing to confront its vision that can cause it alarm. Nor does its blindness interfere with its flight. It will travel as rapidly as though it could see its way, trusting entirely to the control of the driver, moving entirely by the impulse of its hand. There is no thought nor theory. The reports of the turf prove it. thinks the Philadelphia Times. One of the fastest horses that summon the warning whistles of the Fairmount jark guards to-day, and which is driven by a well known Philadelphia merchant, is

absolutely blind, and never stumbles. The famous pacer, Emma, who is known all over the country, and who has travelled the eastern circuit many years, and enjoys a record of 2:164, makes her pace in darkness. Robert Steel is the owner of a famous sire, Epaulet, who has been blind for many years, and won many races when he travelled the turf. The many-timed of 2:141/4-that may not be entirely accurate, but it is thereabouts- rushed to ah early next week. victory without ever being able to see

DIED.

MARTIN—At Grove Cottage, Esquimalt, on the 7th Inst., Elizabeth Martin, a native of London, England, aged 69 years, relic of the late Thomas Martin. The funeral will take place on Tuesday, May 12th, at 2:30 p.m., from the residence as above, and at St. Saviour's Church a few minutes later.

Friends will please accept this intimation.

Mrs. Wheeler never wears bloomers, "Mrs. Wheeler never wears bloomers, does she?"
"No. Her husband convinced her that it was better not to."
"How did he succeed in doing that?"
"He brought home a pretty little skirt and announced that the first time she appeared on her bicycle in bloomers he would go along with her in skirts and see if the rule was so poor that it wouldn't work both ways."—Chicago Post.

ROYAL Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength .- U. S. Government Report

BRIEF LOCALS.

The following officers were elected for Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Connensed Form.

> From Friday's Daily. -Mrs. Elizabeth Martin, relict of the late Thomas Martin, died yesterday at her residence. Esquimalt road. deceased lady was a native of England.

-Last night the celebration finance committee, decided to make an appro-priation of \$500 for yacht races. These 23, so as not to interfere with the sham -The annual examination of candi-

dates for public school teachers' certificates will be held in Victoria, Vancouver and Kamloops commencing on Friday, July 3. All candidates for first class grade A certificates, including graduates, are required to attend in Victoria.

on Lansdowne road, owned by Mr. John | a dollar to let him go, but this only Haggerty. Someone broke into the building and set fires in several of the ed with supplying liquor to Indians went rooms. scorched but the fires were not hot fine of \$50. enough to burn the wood.

-Two foreign companies, organized to assist in the development of the Orphans' Home was held yesterday afmineral wealth of the province, gives ternoon. One of the orphans, a minor, notice of incorporation in the B. C. Gazette. One is the Van Anda Jopper and Gold Co., of Seattle, with a capital of her accumulated savings that been \$5,000,000, and the other is the Knight | monthly placed to her credit in the Sept. 19th-Victoria vs. Vancouver at Templar Gold Mining Co., of Spekane, bank. After considerable discussion it with a capital stock of \$500,000.

> -Whiskey brought another couple of entitled to the proceeds become of age Indians and two Chinamen to the police or marry. An application for the ad-court this morning of The indians were mission of an infant of fourteen months in June 1893. As the candidates fined \$5 each for drunkenness and one old was referred to the standing comof the Chinamen \$50 or two months mittee on reception for investigation for supplying liquor to the Indians. The resignation of Mrs. James McGre-The case of the other Chinaman arrested for the same offence was adjourned until Monday. It is a mistake to believe that fines imposed upon Indians The matron of the home gratefully ac- to our country's progress, by the adjail in default of payment.

-J. H. Falconer is having some difficulty with the Seattle customs officials. The plant for the canning factory. which he is to establish in Seattle, was taken to Seattle in bond, but Collector Macdonald of that port refuses to allow duty. A deputation of the Searrie J. chamber of commerce yesterday interviewed the collector in Mr. Falconer's behalf, but no satisfactory arrangem nt Chinese passengers will join her here. was made.

-In the current issue of the B. C. Gazette, notice of incorporation is given of the Victor Gold Saving Machinwas suggested that not one voter in Vic- and provisional trustees are C. S. Dougtoria could be found to sign the follow- las, George L. Allan, and Alexander "I firmly and honestly believe that Bethune, and the capital stock \$500, 000. Another company giving notice is the Bunker Hill and Blackwood Mining Co., also of Vancouver. Its promot-Ivar Campbell, and the capital stock is

-At the meeting of the Jubilee hospital board last evening, the different reports for the past month were receivscribed on the voters' list for polling ed and adopted. The cost per day for each patient during April was \$1.75, the increase in the average over the previous month being due to the smaller number of patients. Twentythree patients were received during April, the total number treated being 49, of whom 23 were free. Donations were gratefully acknowledged from Mrs. Nicholles, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons, Mr. G. H. Byrnes, Mr. Galpin, Mr. Dodds, St. Saviour's church, Mr. Joshua Davies and Mr. Elford.

-Yesterday at Nanaimo Jasper Hilligas, who was recently arrested by Constable Hutcheson on Denman Island, was arraigned before Judge Harrison under the speedy trials act charges, namely: Breaking into Eccles' house; stealing Fletcher's boat: breaking into D. Cowie's place and steafing trict, on Saturday afternoon. stealing two pairs of government blankets. His honor sentenced him to three remaining four charges might at some Gambling. subsequent period be brought up against him.

From Saturday's Daily.

minster. -George Knowles and Francis Mc-Kinney, better known as "Old Larry," left this morning for the provincial ome at Kamloops. They were formerly residents of the city home.

-A number of friends have in contemplation an excursion to the East the latter part of June. The cheap rate ing the death of Mrs. Fell, wife of will probably induce a large number to visit friends in the East. The leading promoter is Mr. O. H. Cogswell, of this city.

-The marine department has arranged with Mr. Charles Hayward for the removal of the bodies of the captain and crew of the Janet Cowan, from Carmanah to Ross Bay cemetery. The the Quadra, which leaves for Carman-

-An adjourned vestry meeting of St. M. Miller secretary. The church committee consists of Messrs. James Gart-Nicholson, jr., and H. N. Shaw; and the auditors are Messrs, L. C. Johnson and ed a vote of thanks for securing the funds for building the new rectory.

-The education department has isned a circular, directing that the subject of agriculture be added to the course of study in graded and common

Applications for entrance to the high Johnson has been working in ol will not be required to pass un ent logging camps on the Sc examination in this subject until after last four years. He first notice the expiration of one year from this disease some two months ago. date. The text-book authorized for use is "Public School Agriculture" (Mills & ed a purse of \$30 and sent him Shaw), published by the J. E. Bryant Seattle general hospital for tree Co., Toronto.

-Ah Sing, a Chinese vegetable peldler, was this morning sentenced to two months with hard labor for stealing swill from the Dominion Hotel. The wily Chinese did his stealing in a systematic manner. The swill had been sold to a competitor for \$7 a month. but this did not appear to affect Ah Sing's conscience. He started by taking a small quantity of the refuse and kent on increasing his share until at last he emptied the barrels. This made the man who was paying \$7 a month for it open his eyes and he complained to Mr. Jones, the proprietor. An of.icer was detailed to watch the place with the result that Ah Sing was last -An attempt was made a few days ago | night caught "red-handed." He offered burn a two-sterey unoccupied house Constable Smith, who made the arrest, aggravated the offense. Ah Yeoug charg The floors and walls were to jail for four months in default of a

> -The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' committee of the Protestant who has been placed at domestic service, requested the transfer to her of was decided not to entertain applications of this character until the parties gor was accepted with regret, and Mrs. William Denny was unanimously chosen to fill her place on the committee. Most of those fined go to efault of payment.
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> The matter of the following donations during April: Milk, daily, R. E. while not doing any injustice to an Knowles; clothing, Mrs. Hutcheson and Mrs. Earle; the Colonist, daily, from the publishers; ashpan, A. Lewis; and potatoes. Hastie & Bannerman.

From Monday's Daily.

This evening the R. M. S. Empress the material to come in under the head of China will sail for the Orient. of "tools of trade," which are free from Among the passengers will be Mr. R. Ker, of the firm of R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., who goes over on sealing business for his firm. A number of

-Children's services were held in the Centennial Methodist church yesterday, the children taking a prominent part in the singing. In the afternoon the anery Co., Ld., Vancouver. The promoters | nual reports of the Sunday school were | to so amend the school law that the read and addresses were given by Rev. clergyman or representative of any de . P. Hicks and others.

were arrested last evening and charged schools, at stated times, was a most with having committed an aggravated reasonable one, and that it ought to assault on an Indian. The case was re- have been accepted by the minority as manded until to-morrow, by which time it is possible that the police will have evidence that robbery was the object of

arrest of Jas. Hailey, who was summoned for vagrancy but did not appear. The charge against Frank Reinhart now looking for a final settlement of this was withdrawn as he promised to go to disturbing question—the strife and in work. The charge against Samuel tolerance which are provoked by denon Henderson for neglecting to support his inational differences and religious ranwife was also discharged, he having come to an agreement with his wife.

On Saturday the committee having so far as the public school system of in charge the sports to be held on Beacon Hill by the boys of the public schools on May 23rd, canvassed the city for prizes. They met with splendid success, the business men approached with the importance of assisting a trunk line one exception donating prizes for the to open up the great country in the different events. The prizes not yet collected will be called for on Wednesday.

-The funeral of the late Katie and pleaded guilty to the first of five Hill, daughter of H. M. customs, Sault Ste. Marie, took place from the residence of Mr. David Stevens, Lake dis-The sera watch; breaking jail at Alberni, and vices at the Cedar Hill church and customs, excise, fishery and other dues cemetery were conducted by Rev. J. and to eastern monopolists, over tw W. Flinton. The pall bearers were million dollars a year in excess of the years' improsinment with hard labor. Messrs. E. Harrup, J. M. Leigh, A. The judge warned the prisoner that the Daniels, J. Black, J. Holmes and P.

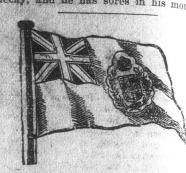
-Percy Whittall has in contemplation another visit to Victoria, the scene of the first acts in his rather checkered -Ada Meredith, a young woman who career. Since Percy left Victoria he nas has been an inmate of the police station visited both Australia and the Orient will support no man or set of men the for several days, will this evening be and as usual succeeded in getting into taken to the asylum at New West- trouble. At Yokohama he saw the inside of the jail, where he was to remain until he could make preparations to leave the country. Capt. Harris, of the schooner E. B. Marvin, engaged Whittal as a member of his crew, and there- retarded by a ruinous tariff and by ma fore after the sealing season Victorians may expect to see the young man.

-A telegram was received this morn-been crushing the energies of her peo ing from Santa Barbara, Cal., announc- ple, who have been leaving the country Thornton Fell, clerk of the legislative assembly. Mrs. Fell has been an invalid for a number of years, and for some time has been residing in California for Bad government has checked, to an exthe benefit of her health. Mr. Fell was tent simply incalculable, her progre with her at the time of her death. The but it has not-only because it had deceased lady was the eldest daughter time in eighteen years-irretrieval of Rev. Dr. Reid, of New Westminster and a sister of Mr. S. Reid of this bodies will be brought to Victoria on The remains will be brought to Victoria for interment.

-The return of the West Coast seal-Luke's, Cedar Hill, was held Thursday legal business of selling liquor to Ining fleet has given an impetus to the ilevening. Mr. H. A. King was ap- dians. With a view of obtaining his pointed rector's warden, Mr. James share of the business, John Morris, who Gartley people's warden, and Mr. T. is an adept at it, returned to town, and yesterday his cabin was turned into a retail liquor establishment. Hundreds ley, H. A. King, T. M. Miller, J. W. of Indians visited the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received, the failure of the legal to the cabin and were supplied with fire water before the bia has received. police could catch Morris. But finally toward evening he was caught and this T. M. Miller. The Ladies' Guild receiv- morning he was convicted on two charges and as a result he spend two years in the provincial jail. Two Indians who imbibed too freely of Morris' liquor were fined for drunken-

-Mayor_Wood of Seattle has sent a schools. After August, 1896, instruction to Mayor Beaven ask- shall be inaugurated in its stead. tions must be given in this subject at ing upon what terms, the corporation least twice a week to all pupils in the will add another leper to the Darcy Isfourth and fifth readers. The same at- land lazaretto. The unfortunate man tention must be given to the teaching is Abel Johnson, a Russian Finn, who of agriculture as is given to physiology. is now in the Seattle general hospital.

He says he is 42 years old and wife and four children in Finland portions of his body have comme decay, and he has sores in his



To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria:

Gentlemen: We respectfully solice your votes and support at the general election for the House of Commons, which we will be candidates in the terest of the Opposition party.

In our opinion the time has arrive when, for the welfare of Canada and to ensure a revival of prosperity in this constituency and throughout the Do minion, a change in the federal adm istration is absolutely necessary.

We fully endorse the Opposition plat. form, adopted at the Ottawa convention that party we are opposed to the ruin ous fiscal policy which has now had a trial of eighteen years, and are of opinion that the "highest interests of Canada demand a removal of this obstacle while not doing any injustice to ar class, will promote domestic and fo eign trade and hasten a return of prosperity to our people, and to that end we believe that the tariff should be reduced to the needs of honest, economical and efficient government."

We believe in provincial rights, and will oppose coercion in any form :0wards the provinces of the Dominion in respect to matters upon which they have been entrusted with the powers to legislate. In the matter of the Manitoba School Question we are of opinion that the offer of the Greenway government nomination would have the right to im--James McNeill and James Madden part religious instruction in the public a compromise and by all parties as a liberal and adequate compliance with the judgment of the privy council. We are still in hope that, along these lines -A warrant has been issued for the and under the policy of concillation of Mr. Laurier-to whom all Canada is cor will forever disappear from the arena of Canadian politics, at least in our country is concerned.

We will support a progressive railway policy, and if elected will strongly urge northern part of British Columbia, which a transcontinental line would tra-

verse a rich and yet uninhabited region. We are opposed to the "bleeding pr cess" whereby the province of British Columbia has been forced for years to contribute to the Dominion treasury sum returned to us for all purposes.

We believe that it is possible to a minister public affairs absolutely free from the scandals that have been marked characteristic of the rule of the present and late administrations, and will shield criminals, whitewash boo lers, or condone corruption in high places.

We believe in Canada and have faith in her future. Her progress has been administration in every department the public service. High taxation has at the rate of one hundred thousand a year to find in the United States opport tunities to live denied them at hom ruined both the people and the count With an electorate influenced by pr ciple and right, there is still great hop for our country, and especially for the province with its immense natur wealth and magnificent opportuniti for expansion.

Keeping in mind, then, the great is sues upon which you will be called pronounce a verdict-remembering non-progressive state of the country, unfair treatment which British Colu tective tariff, the debasement of adian political life by ministers of crown, and all minor questions-we pectfully invite you to consider if time has not come for the electors Victoria to demand that the old ord of things shall be reversed and that new and a better system of governm Faithfully yours,

G. L. MILNE.

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WELLI Wellington, May are the head pupils ons of our school C. Fisher, W. J. Ma Joseph John.—Fift Morrison, Bessie Stephenson, Bertha ones. Fifth junior, opeland, Emma L. rford, Jane Hawor Mary Kerr, Orville rison, Florence Mor Fourth junior—Sam Savy, Alice Baker George Elliott. The mines have y so far this mont

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