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(From Friday's Daily.) The Water Expert.—After having fully inspected the situation at Gold-stream, Arthur L. Adams, the water-works expent, has returned to the city. He will next take up the Elk Lake phase of the question. (From Friday's Daily.) and from tests that have been made it appears the ore is of a uniformly high grade. Potatoes Higher—The price of island potatoes has advanced slightly. The crop was light last year, which partially

Back From Nanaimo.-W. H. Stum-bles, of the marine department of the Dominion government, who has been engaged auditing the accounts of the Nanaimo pilotage commissioners and harbormaster, has returned to Victoria, having completed his work.

The Herring Fishing.—It is reported from Nanaimo that no instructions have been received from Ottawa to cease sching for herring. The Board of Trade of the Coal City yesterday morning wired the federal government asking that telegraphic orders be sent to of-ficials to enforce the order-in-council.

Gone to Winnipeg.-R. Marpole, gen-eral superintendent of the C. P. R., leaves Vancouver today for Winnipeg to consult with Mr. William Whyte. second vice-president of the company. regarding several matters connected with the Pacific division.

pany, which it is expected will yield Grand Trunk

Re Sockeye Salmon-Following is the text re the orderán-council, regarding the catching of sockeye salmon, recently passed by the Federal Government: "It shall be unlawful to take or fish for sockeye salmon in any of the waters of the Fraser River, Strait of Georgia and Juan De Fuca Strait, lying east of the one-thundredth and twenty-fifth degree of west longitude, and south of the fiftieth degree of morth latitude, with any net, trap, seine, gill net, purse net, drag seine, or any other appliance for the catching of fish; or to sell, ex-port or otherwise dispose of, or to can, pack, salt or otherwise cure, any sock-eye salmon, whether specifically enumer-ated in this section or not, or shores adjacent within the limits above men-tioned, between the 10th day of July, 1906, and the 25th day of August, 1906, and 25th day of August, 1908." Potatoes Higher—The price of island potatoes has advanced slightly. The crop was light last year, which partially accounts for the scarcity. Much of the crop on the Mainland was shipped east, seriously depleting the provincial supply.

seriously depleting the provincial supply. Big Sale Promised—Present circum-stances would seem to indicate the ap-proach of a mammoth dry goods sale for the near future, when the whole con-tents of the bonded warehouse of Messrs. Lenz & Leiser, damaged by fire and smoke at the recent fire, will be disposed of by sale for just what they will fetch—at least this is just as rumor gives it.

and 25th day of August, 1908." August, 1908." New Train Service.—Sunday, March 5, has been fixed as the daie for the inauguration of the new train service on the coast line of the Great Northern. The new trains will leave Vancouver and Seattle at the same time. 3:45 p. m., and will arrive at the termini at 10:10 p. m. The time between Seattle and Vancou-will be six hours and 25 minutes. This time will be cut down materially before summer, as soon as the roadbed can be put in first-class shape after the main slope is now in one hundred feet and the eastern drift has been run in about 30 feet.

PROTECTION OF HUMAN LIFE. Mayor McLellan Wishes to Prevent Re-currence of Slocum Disaster. New York, Feb. 10.-With a view ourrence of Slocum Disaster. New York, Feb. 10.-With a view to preventing a repetition of the Gen-eral Slocum disaster, which cost a thou-sand lives, Mayor McLellan has sent a letter to all members of Cougress from New York city, which, he hopes, will lead to the adoption of federal statutes so that greater protection may be of-fered to human life on steamboats ply-ing in whand waters. In the letter he suggests an amendment to that section of the statutes which provides that the owner of a steamboat on which life is lost in an accident is tiable only to the amount of the value of the vessel after the accident. The proposed amend-ment would take from vessel owners the benefit of that statute if the loss of life, personal injuries or loss or damage be caused or contributed to by the insuf-ficiency or incompetency of the officers or crew, or by the lack of proper equip-ment on the vessel or by the omission to comply with any or all of the pro-visions of the statutes. **Officials Here** 

General Manager Morse and His Party Arrived Last Night,

Good Natured Talk of Some Possibilities and Some Probabilities.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Mr. F. W. Morse, general manager of the G. T. P. Railway Co., arrived in the city last evening, accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. George Car-ruthers, Mr. James Carruthers, grain-men interested in the Chicago & St. Lawrence Steamship Co., Mr. J. R. Stevens, engineer, and Mr. G. A. Mc Nicoll.

U. S. IEBPEREMENTIATIVES. Washington, Feb. 10.—The President has finally arranged for the transfer in the high European diplomatic posts which he contemplates putting into force March 4 or soon after. In addi-tion to those already announced, Am-bassador McCormick, now at St. Peters-burg, will be transferred to Paris to succeed Ambassador Porter. Geo. D. L. Mayer, ambassador to Italy, will re-place Mr. McCormick at St. Petersburg. Henry White, secretary of the embassy at London, will be made ambassador to Rome. Henry L. Wilson, at present American minister of Chili, will be made minister to Belgium, succeeding Law-rence Townsend of Philadelphia, who retires from the diplomatic service. Nicoll. Approached for the disual reportorial interview, Mr. Morse submitted himself with much good nature to the ordeal, his only regret, and that of the scribe, being that he could not furnish a very new newspaper story and a fame-mak-ing "scoop" for the gentleman of the fourth estate. "I have nothing to tell you," said Mr. Morse, "except that we are trying to get everything in shape for the com-mencement of work on the G. T. P." "Will construction be started on the Pacific coast this year?"

COAST-KOOTENAY. Hoch Listens Road to Be Built at Once if Provincial Subsidy Is Secured.

Subsidy Is Secured. "If we receive a subsidy from the provincial government, the direct line to the Kootenay will be built, the con-struction to start at once," Mr. Norman McLean said in an interview with the News-Advertiser. Mr. McLean has just returned from the East, and has assur-ances to the effect that assistance will be granted the proposed road by the Do-minion government. "The route of the projected line is well known," Mr. McLean said fur-the fact that this is a feasible way. Thus, if the line were constructed, the content between the coast and the Kootenay would be much shorter than at present, which would be a great con-venience to all kinds of business. It would, moreover, open up the country on the south side of the Fraser river, which now has no railway, and would make the rich Chilliwack valleys direct-ly tributary to this city." Chicago Bigamist in Court Accused by One of His Report That the Prisoner Has Confessed to Thiteen

THE LIVER TO BLAME.

Chicago, Feb. 10 .- Johann Hoch tolay, for the first time, heard himself ccused by witnesses and pointed out

accused by witnesses and pointed out to a jury as a bigamist while the man-ner of Mrs. Wecker Hoch's death was described. Before entering the jury room Hoch confessed, the police say, to having married thirteen of the thirty-nine women who claim him as husband, but denies he poisoned any. All along the route to the criminal court build-ings crowds were waiting, but all they saw was a covered wagon. The grand Jury room, where the in-So long as the liver is active in filter-ing the bile from the blood there is no biliousness and no constipation, because the bile is passed from the liver into the intestines, where it acts as a cathar-tic in keeping the bowels active. Be-cause of their direct action on the liver, as well as the bowels, Dr. Chase's Kid-ney-Liver Pills thoroughly cure consti-pation, the real cause of nine-tenths of the common ills of life.

Victims.

Marriages.

**To Evidence** 

saw was a covered wagon. The grand jury room, where the in-quest was held, was filled with wit-nesses, officials and newspapermen when Hoch arrived. Mrs. Emille Fisch-er Hoch, his latest spouse, Mrs. Bertha Sohn, Mrs. Edna Rencken, one of Hoch's "wives"; Mrs. Delfuelgo, an in-terpreter, and Mrs. Kleippel, a friend of Mrs. Fischer here, were the only wo-men in the room. At the inquest Hoch sat at the head

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(From Saturday's Daily.) Find Near Angeles.—A promising mining strike is reported to have been made a few miles south of Port Angeles,

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WHOLESALE-HENDERSON BROS

A Touch of Winter-Commencing early yesterday morning and continuing all yesterday. Worning and continuing all yesterday. Victoria was "in the grip" of a small sized "storm king," a fierce wind from the north added to a tem-pleasant and unusual conditions. Water pleasant and unusual conditions. Water in consequence. The fall in tempera-ture was the lowest recorded in Vic-toria this winter. Snow and sleet fell or Vancouver Island and the lower Mainland, and rain on the Washington and Oregon coast. In the Northwest in Coreson coast. In the Northwest

equalized." Asked if the end sought in the propos-ed chamber was not already met by the department of agriculture, Mr. Lubin answered: "No, because the thousands of documents and facts from throughout the world are too numerous to be mas-tered by a minister of agriculture, hav-ing no means at his control to establish the authority of the facts, his jurisdic-tion being bounded by his own nation and his powers being limited and pre-scribed by law. He also has no power to influence other nations which acts and reacts upon his own nation."

and Oregon coast. In the Northwest intensely cold weather prevails. The Fall Fair—Judging from the riews expressed by members of the ex-cutive of the B. C. Agricultural Asso-ciation and prominent citizens generally, the outcome of the meeting at the city hall on Tuesday next to discuss fall fair possibilities, will be that a decision will be reached not to hold an exhibition this year, but on the other hand to heartify co-operate in an endeavor to make the big Dominion show at New Westmin-ster a conspicuous success. It will be the local organization will press for the adoption of a permanent agreement with the local organization will press for the adoption of a permanent agreement with the Royal City Agricultural Associa-ternately in Victoria and Westminster since the Cariboo pioneer—Mr. Harry Wilcox, one of the Cariboo pioneers and miners, is spending a short time on the coast before leaving on a trip to his naives. Start to Buill. She will be built we the tenders for the supply of machine-gince he left England and with the association of three years he has been a resident of British Columbia—37 years in Cariboo. Watson Price, another pion-eer, and one other whose name cannot he recalled, went to Caraboo with thim. Mr. Wilcox has been a shareholder in several good proporties in Cariboo with there to cariboo. Watson Price, another pion-eer, and one other whose name cannot he recalled, went to Caraboo with thim. Mr. Wilcox has been a shareholder in several good properties in Cariboo with thim. ternately in Victoria and Westminster. Cariboo Pioneer-Mr. Harry Wilcox, one of the Cariboo pioneers and miners, is spending a short time on the coast before leaving on a trip to his native place in Cornwall, Eng. It is 43 years since he left England and with the ex-ception of three years he has been a resident of British Columbia-37 years in Cariboo and three years in Granite creek. He went to the States in '62 and in '65 to Victoria, going directly to Cariboo. Watson Price, another pion-eer, and one other whose name cannot be recalled, went to Cariboo and the Maverly. He had claims on Grouse and Lowhee creeks and was interested with Messrs. Tregellus, Jones and Ogden in the Elev-en of England when it was sold to Brem-ner and his assocrates.

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sible to help us out in this work." with reference to the choice of ter-minus, the only inspiration the reporter is able to convey as the result of his in-terview is that it will probably be locat-ed at one of the following points, or perhaps some other place: Port Essing-this they would not only consent to pay normal prices, but would eagerly desire it, as in the end prices would become equalized." Asked if the end sought in the propos-the merear in Vice the the end sought in the propos-ed chamber was not already met by the in Vice et fell

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**EXTRAORDINARY ACT** 

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Witte was at home at the time and the police made a systematic and morougn examination of all the private papers in the house. The correspondent adds that when Minister Von Plehve was assas-sinated he was carrying an order to the Emperor for his signature authorizing just such a requisition for M. Witte's papers. It looks, therefore, the corre-spondent says, as though the new in-terior administration is beginning just where Von Plehve left off.

CLOSED OR OPEN SHOP.

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Debate Between Samuel Gompers and a Manufacturer.

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