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anywhere along the route, except at the crossings.

The final ceremonies at the cemetery, though simple, were very impressive. Several speeches were made by the representatives of the Independent party, and by Honveds, who served under Kossuth. After the singing of a choral the coffin was placed in a temporary vault. At this moment a touching spectacle presented itself. The immense assemblage gathered outside the counterry fell upon their knees and offered a silent prayer. The ceremonies concluded, the crowd quickly dispersed.

The Hungarian premier has received from Franz Kossuth a request for an audience. This is taken as an indication of his desire to become reconciled to the Government.

### HOME RULE.

DUBLIN, April 3.-At a meeting of the Dublin, April 3.—At a meeting of the Parnellite section of the Irish National party to-day, Mr. John Redmond made a speech in which he declared that Home Rule would be in no worse position than it is now if the Tories were to come into power to morrow. A resolution was passed urging all members of the Irish party to devote their energies to bringing about an early dissolution of Parliament.

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### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Important Report From the Engineer on the Improvement of Elk Lake.

There was a full attendance at Friday ever ng's Council meeting, His Worship Mayor Reague presiding. Among the communications received were the following: F. G. Jordan, of the Victoria Cemen

period of years, to be determined by the Council. Referred to the Water committee John Adams and several others petitioned the Council for an electric light at the cor

the Council for an electric light at the corner of Fourth street and Hillside avenue. Referred to Electric Light committee.

The managers of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, and the Risdon Iron and Locomotive Works wrote offering respectively to tender for supplying the necessary plant and machinery for the new electric lighting system. Referred to Electric Light committee.

A. C. Ewart informed the Board that he would be glad to furnish plans and specifications for the new power house, which offer was referred to the proper committee. M. Morritsey offered the necessary site, and his communication took the same course. The Brussels Fire Engine works submitted particulars of some of their most modern engines. Referred to the Fire Wardens.

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The report was received and referred to the Water committee, the members of the board to receive copies.

Belyea & Gregory, on behalf of Mr. Sani-ger, wrote asking for compensation for in-juries sustained by being thrown into an open drain on Yates atreet. Referred to Sewerage committee.

arket Superintendent reported re-calling \$84 for March. Received

present structure, although secure for at least another two years, is insufficient for traffic. His Worship would like to see the proposition somewhat more extended, taking in the land now lying behind the bridge.

ALD HARRIS said the idea is not to run into any great expense, but in view of the increasing traffic, and the proposed buildings for the Dominion and Provincial Governments, it is time to make a move of this sort. He thought that the City Engineer abould prepare specifications for the guidance of those desiring to compete.

ALD. LEDINGHAM pointed out the necessity of the Council ascertaining the city's rights in regard to water frontage so as to save trouble or delay afterwards.

ALD HARRIS took it that under the municipalities act all these water fronts may be expropriated, although he was not prepared to go into the matter.

ALD. DWYER complimented the mover on bringing forward this idea. He hoped that something would be done, for the city has spent a considerable sum on this bridge and has nothing for it; moreover, he would like to see some step taken towards reclaiming the mud flats'as a whole.

ALD. STYLES in favoring the project, would have the accepted plans become the property of the city.

ALD. BAKER moved that the resolution remain over for a week, the city barristers in the meantime to be consulted as to the water front rights. Carried.

The finance committee reported recom-

The following letter on the quality of British Columbia hops to J. G. Colmer, secretary to the High Commissioner, and forwarded to His Honor the Lieut. Governor, has been kindly sent to the Colonist for publication:

31 East India Avenue, E.C. London, March 1, 1894.

London, March I, 1894.

J. G. Colmer, Eaq.

Dear Sir,—Re Rritish Columbia hops: in reply to your inquiry, many of the sample lots of the past season's growth which have reached this country have given great satisfaction, and many of our brewing friends have advised us that, subject to the East Kent character being maintained, the B. C. hops are to be preferred to any that are imported; and, further, "would carry all before them"

So far this is, of course, very satisfactory; but it must not be forgotten that the industry is as yet in its infancy, and the trial lots in question may or may not be representative of future yields. In the case of Californian hops, although they started well it was not long before our brewers discovered that they acquired a peculiar flavor characteristic of nearly all the hops grown on the American continent. Whether this flavor comes from the nature of the soil, or, what is far more likely, from the method of curing, it is the one thing which tella against Americans, and if it were successfully overcome we have reason to believe our buyers would prefer them to the continental and even the English hops.

In reporting upon British Columbia hops, we are compelled to draw our deductions from California, the latter having an established position on this market, and doubtless the former will have much in common in the way of characteristics. The Californian hops on the average give a larger hop artract than East Kents, but while it would be possible to brew a beer entirely with East Kents, Californians require blending with a milder growth, in order to keep down the above-mentioned peculiar flavor.

If the B. C. hop growers give the necessary care and attention to the enring of their hops, we are of opinion that this question of flavor can be overcome, in which case they would certainly have preference over Californian.

We remain, (Sd.) E. Norman & Co. 18th

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# SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

tchmen Will Tackle the English Again on Saturday — Winni-peg's Cricket Scheme.

C. H. Gibbons, chief consul for British Columbia of the Canadian Wheelmen's Columbia of the Canadian Wheelmen's association, returned Tuesday evening from Toronto, where the annual meeting of the association was held about ten days ago. The prospect of securing a Dominion race meet for the West, which was put forward by the British Columbia delegate, is a very dim one, for the manifold reasons which the distance of this Province from the wheeling centre of Canada creates. It was however suggested as an alternative that a cyclists' excursion from the East be arranged in connection with the Provincial meet at Victoria, in 1895, and before the cyclists left Toronto, forty-two promises had been secured from bicycling enthusiasts who will take advantage of the Occasion of the Victoria meeting to visit the Conat, four of the prospective visitors being crack Ontario riders. The excursion can be very conveniently and advantageously arranged, and the proposition received the endorsment of Eastern approval from its inception.

ANNUAL ELECTIONS.

The meeting of the Vancouver Bicycle club on Monday night at the Hotel Vancouver was well attended and the various reports were of a most satisfactory nature. The officers elected for this season were as follows: Hon. Presidents, F. C. Cotton, M. P. P., J. C. Molagan, and D. Oppenheimer; President, J. M. Boweli; Vice President, J. G. Woode; Captain E. B. Deane; Scoretary, A. A. Boak; Assistant-Scoretary, C. Barker; Treasurer, C. S. Phillip; Committee, C. S. Milne, J. Laurenson and M. Gintzburger.

as of the work of the part of the control of the co for it was the bazaar in aid of the Jubilee hospital, and who would grudge a helping hand to that institution, whose aims are to care for the sick and alleviate suffering?

A glance around the hall proved that the work had been well planned and carefully executed. One could not help buying where there was so much to please all tastes and fancies. Here was the gorgeous and mysterious witches cave, presided over by Miss Tillie Erb and Miss Gertie White, who didn't look at all alarming, though dressed in the regulation pointed hat and other attire that properly belong to the mystic profession. Close by Miss Barbara Keast and Miss Lou Nelson dispensed from a pretty booth candies of all kinds, that looked as they should—good enough to eat. If fancy work or dolls were desired, the very next stall, prettily decorated with yellow as the properly decorated with which to meet the Chinese demand. After the holidays business at the stock exchange was resumed with more spirit. The market for American railway securities was better, except for a temporary setback following the veto of the American seigniorage bill, which led to the closing of speculative secounts. The promised boon in American breweries was nipped in the bud by a collapse in the shares of the St. Louis breweries companies. Grand Trunk and other Canadian securities were better on the properly of a market for American railway securities was better, except for a temporary setback following the veto of the American seigniorage bill, which led to the closing of speculative secounts. The promised boon in American breweries was nipped in the bud by a colla Miss Lou Nelson dispensed from a pretty booth candles of all kinds, that looked as they should—good enough to eat. If fancy work or dolls were desired, the very next stall, prettily decorated with yellow as the prevailing color, held just the very best of all kinds, and Mrs. Yates, Miss White, Miss Erb, Miss Jackson and Miss Thain paid strict attention to the wants of all customers. Early as it is in the season, one could not help wondering how the wealth of foliage and flowers that formed the floral booth had been secured. Bunches of beautiful jonquils, pansies and other early flowers gave brilliant color and fragrance. Miss Seabrook and Miss Heisterman presided over the booth, and just across the way Miss Haynes and Miss S. Heisterman refreshed the wearied wanderer with ice cream and other delicacies. The bakery, next door, with cakes of all kinds spread out invitingly, was under the charge of Miss Austin and Miss B. Keast.

The Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Dewdney arrived shortly after half-past two and, with Hon. J. S. Helmeken and several ladies, were conducted to the platform, where the Lieut. Governor in a few pleasant words opened the bazaar, complimenting the ladies in charge on the beautiful display and congratulated them on the bazaar, assuring them it would be no fault of theirs if it did not turn out successfully.

It was a success, too, for as the aftern con rolled along more and more people dropped in, and selling became very brisk. High tea was well patronized, and then came a slight bull, preparatory to the concert in the evening.

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It was in the evening that the fair merchants made the greatest sales. Not the least pleasant, if not the most material, portion of their stock was the fare provided by Mr. W. Edgar Book in the shape of a short, but admirably selected musical programme, hich Mr. Haines orchestra of young ladies, whose performanceslicited genuine applause, were Misses V. Heisterman, Grahame, Brown and Todd. Miss Lulile Erb medical properties and the street of the question of bi-metallism, repointed by the Chamber of Agriculture to consider the superson, and a pleasing excountion orested a mest favorable impression. As an encore she gave "Twilight Time." Mr. Willism Time." Mr. Willism Time." Mr. Willism Time. Mr. Willism Time." Mr. Willism Time. Mr. Willis

rels to her successes a cital of "The Little He

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

ontingent of Eastern Wheelmen May Attend the Provincial Meet Next Year.

son, always a favorite, was listened to with no small pleasure in a somewhat sweet aria, "Staccato Polka" (Mulder), which was warmly redemanded. Mr. F. Victor-Austin played "Mazurka" (Wieniowski), and "Carnival de Venice," the latter his own arrangement, and was, as usual, treated with well deserved applause for his studied and careful, as well as smooth execution. The last number was a trio, "This Magic Wove Scarf," in which Miss Wey, Mr. Aspland and Mr. Buck participated, and rendered with much pleasure to their hearers. At the close Mc. Savannah took a flash light view of this charming picture of flags, flowers and pleasure seekers.

To-day there will be a lunch served by the ladies from noon till 2 o'clock, and at one there will be an auction of the articles remaining unsold from yesterday. This gives a chance to secure some real bargains.

LONDON, April 3—The parliamentary election in the Romford division of Esax resulted in the choice of Wigrain, Conservative, over Bethel, Liberal, by 683 majority.

BELGRADE, April 3.—Prime Minister mitch has resigned, and the King has sumnoned M. Nicolaievitch to form a new

BRUSSELS, April 3.—The new ministers addressed the chamber of representatives for the first time to-day. They announced the introduction of measures to protect agriculture. The Liberal members strongly protested against this part of the pro-

municated to Her Majesty's government. How far these views had prevailed he could not say.

RAILWAYS IN CANADA.

MONTREAD, April 3.—The annual report of the Minister of Railways of the Dominion, which has just been made public, shows that, during the last fiscal year, there were sixty five main lines of railway in operation in Canada. The number of miles of completed railway was 15,320. The number of miles in continuous operation was 16,020. Compared with the returns of the preceding year this shows an increase of eleven new railways, representing 1,316 miles of main line. At the close of the fiscal year the paid-up capital amounted to \$872,156,475, an increase of \$85,680,064 compared with the previous year. The gross receipts were \$52,942,397, an increase of \$5,198,571; working expenses, \$36,616,033, an increase of \$1,276,180.

SILVER DEPRESSION.

# TACOMA'S ELECTION.

Exceptionally Deep Interest Beirg Taken in Municipal Politics— The Parties Interested.

american Protective Association to the Front—The Populists and Their Policy.

TACOMA, Wash., April 3.-(Special)-

Municipal politics absorb almost the entire attention of all classes just now. Probably never before in the existence of Tacoma has there been so much interest taken in an election. The hard times have depressed semining amoold from pesterday. The states of the actions of the state business so much that many otherwise busy men are comparatively idle. Their thoughts naturally drift to politics. In better times

amount of freight from one end of the continent to the other, or from one city to an adjoining one. This, they say, will do away with the cry of "over production."

### CAPITAL NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) OTTAWA, April 3.—Strong representation eached the Government to-day from British Columbia on the subject of the Behring

Columbia on the subject of the Behring Sea regulations. Hon. Mr. Davie sent a pressing telegram to Sir John Thompson, urging that measures be taken to protect Canadian interests. Messrs. Earle and Prior saw Sir John Thompson and Sir C. H. Tupper with the same object in view.

To-night Mr. McDougall, Cape Breton, asked if the Government had any information about the bill introduced at Washington yesterday, respecting the Behring Sea fisheries. The Premier replied that the Government had no information on the subject of the bill. No statute of the United States could affect Canadian subjects on the high seas. The matter of the regulations would be dealt with by Imperial legislation and the Canadian views had been fully communicated to Her Mejesty's government. How far these views had prevailed he could not say.

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OTTAWA, April 5 -Col. Pri president of the Dominion Ar n to day. The Governorin high praise of the Colone Terbert commended the good done in connection with the ! bian battalion of artillery.

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Pacific for its discriminatory fr Hon. Mr. Bowell said it was i that the pension system would the permanent forces.

In a speech to day the Hon. I son flatly denied the report of harmony between General Herbe

### TO CARRY OUT THE DE WASHINGTON, April 5.-The

passed the Senate bill to put in the recommendations of the Broourt of arbitration. The Pre court of arbitration. The Pre
Secretary Gresham learned of the Behring Sea bill a few more
the House had acted, and both gratification at the prompt respon gress in what is considered little national emergency. The Pres no intention of permitting lay to intervene, when the bill with the signatures Speak. I Vice President reach is expected to reach the White Easter notes. The with the sary steps for enforcing its proving forward with all possible rapid Secretary of the Navy has never official communication on the sut withstanding all reports to the and he has not yet issued any structions to the naval officers con the ships of the patrol force, but claim some time ago reached by the carry out the findings of the Pamal, Secretary Herbert has already every available ship to rendezvor Townsend or Unalaska by May 1.

### nd or Unalaska by May 1 ARRAPAHOE INDIANS

Washington, April 5 —The oner of Indian Affairs has rec following telegram from Captai following telegram from Captai Woodsen, acting Indian agent at Oklahoma, regarding the trouble the Cheyenne and Arrapahoe In the cattle men: "A courier arrived from Upper Wichute state on the latinst, in an altercation the Indian chief Hill and W. S. and T. S. Carter, at India on Panther creek, Chief Hahot twice by Breeding and mortal ed. He then got his gun and shot twice, killing him, and fired anoth Carter, breeking his arm. The Ir all peaceably disposed and were at living on their allotments and en farming, but fears are now entertathis affair will cause them to collect bands. Troops under command of bands. Troops under command of Hunter have been despatched to to of the trouble. The whites are greated and the newspaper reports of are greatly exaggerated.

# FISH AT THE FAIR.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—The e SAN FRANCISCO, April 5.—The e of fish which was opened in the aroade of the Horticultural and tural building this morning, was on most interesting features brought in connection with the exposition arrangement is that the different chants of San Francisco shall make from day to day during the week, a sisting of exhibits selected by the ors, without limitation on the particular and concessional interesting. The decidedly unique and interesting terday morning's meeting of Forei missioners, County Commissioners itors and concessionaires, a resolution passed to the effect that the concessionaires, a resolution of the concessionaires. passed to the effect that the report passed to the effect that the report previous action endorsing as a body on of the rate of admission was u and and was not a true statement use of the commission.

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