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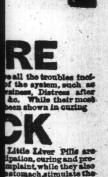
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launched, and the man, who was a strong swimmer, kept above water by a peroic effort until the boat was 60 yards om him, when he seemed to be sucked out of sight by an under-current, and was never seen again. No one knew his name or anything about him, beyond the fact that he was from Victoria and was engaged as night watchman on the

DR. FLETCHER'S LECTURE. Eminent Dominion Entomologist Addresses Alberni Horticulturists

on Seasonable Subjects.

Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture and superintendent of Farmers Institutes, returned from Alberni vesterday. having with him Dr. Fletcher, the Dominion entomologist and betanist, address ed a largely attender Farmers' Institute ing at Albarni on the evening of the 25th instant. Mr. H. Hills, president of the local institute, acted as chairman, and first introduced Mr. Anderson, who made a Sletcher an attentive hearing, as he was quite sure they would be well repaid. He concluded by expressing the hope that effect. all those who had questions-and he trusted they all would have some-would bring forward at the conclusion of Di

Fletcher's address.

Dr. Fletcher spoke on the benefits of the Farmers' Institute to the farmers and settlers. An account was given of the success of institutes in the East, due to success of instit the farmers meeting regularly to discuss matters of interest, even during the summer months, when many matters could be most advantageously discussed. Farmers should if possible find a representative in parliament from among themselves. The Central Institute might be termed a parliament of the institutes formed of the best men from individual institutes. Politics should as far as possible be kept out of the institutes. The officers of institutes should be live setting many they should with the statement of the institutes. The officers of institutes should be live setting many they should with not a thing to hinder. ould be live, active men; they should

Dealing with the friends and enemies of farmers, Dr. Fletcher said: The best way to find out the best methods of farming in any district is to get information from those who have made the greatest success of farming. British Columbia is suited to all kinds of mixed farming, and the Federal and Provincial governments are

doing all in their power to help the farmers by publishing bulletins and pamphlets, which may be procured by all who will ask for them. Samples of many new and valuable seeds are also being distributed. Canada is blessed from being free from poisonous anakes, and dangerous animals. Canada is blessed from being free from poisonous snakes and dangerous animals. The government in power always does the best it can for the general good of the country. The farmers and other taxpayers are paying for the experimental farms, and should make every use possible of them, if only from business principles.

The experiments with grasses at Ottawa was next described. Three hundred different kinds of wild grasses grow in Canada, and each one of these, of which seed can be obtained, is experimented with to find the value of each variety, and seeds of the most valuable kept for distribution among formers.

ing the line here.

This is the first street railway in Kootenay, and the only one outside of the Coast cities. Nelson's population has doubled within 18 months, and now

exceeds 6,000. SIR MACKENZIE NO DESERTER. The Ex-Premier Wants It Understood

That He Stands by His Party. Toronto, July 31 .- (Special)-An out door meeting was held by the Conserva-End. The chief speakers were Sir hoped those present would give Dr. entire accordance with the Conservative etcher an attentive hearing, as he was

CUDDLEDOWNVILLE.

If you want to see the queerest folk
In all the whole creation
Just take a coach on the choo-choo road
By the way of Winkum station.

It lies on the border of Dreamland,

should be live, active men; they should get their wives and daughters to the meetings, and they would then be far more interesting and instructive. Nor should any meeting be long or uninteresting; as soon as business is over close the meeting. Have special subject for each meeting.

The music of the June bug band, Are certainly a wonder.

## Week's News From Ottawa.

Thirty Million.

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The matter had been investigated, but took him on again, still holding his one third interest. Stuart said he was prepared to give names and prove the charges, if desired.

Mr. J. K. Smith stated that when he was coming down the river on the was coming down the feeling of satisfaction exists here over the speeches which were made and through the here over the speeches which were made and the winner of the basis acter, the chances are that at no distant here over the speeches which were made and the winner of the pacific Northwest changes and diditional government of the state of Washington, and is the winner of the Scatter the winner of the pacific Northwest and the winner of the pacific Northwest changes and diditional government of the pacific Northwest and the winner of the pacific Northwest and the winner of the Scatter the winner of the Scat steamer Anglican he saw one of the British Electric Tramway Company, There can be no doubt that the views crew fall into the water. A boat was launched, and the man, who was a strong swimmer, kept above water by a The spike was a gold one, and afterwards was presented to Mr. Drummow by Mayor Neelands. A large banquet

have done so because they fear to submit their case to an impartial tribunal. There was an ominous sound in the apwas held in the evening, at which representative men from all parts of the Kootenay were present. Hon. C. H. Mackintosh, Mayor Goodeve, of Rossland, and others spoke.

This is the first street railway in Kootenay, and the only one outside of many long years of dealing with English statesmen, his observation and experience had convinced him that their abiding weakness was an unwillingness to do anything which might hurt the feel ings or contravene the wishes of the United States.

The Premier, in the course of his remarks, deprecated the possibility of a resort to arms in order to settle the dis-pute, but he took occasion to give a tives to-night in Riverdale, in the East hopeless, and to intimate his diminishin expectations that an agreement coul with institute work generally, in the course of which he alluded to the impossibility of cherles spoke for three-quarters of an of which he alluded to the impossibility Charles spoke for three-quarters of an hour, being compelled to return to Otta-determination to support the government more convenient time of the year for the wa by the night train. He challenged in securing justice for Canada, but the a more convenient time of the year for the farmers, and stated that even now he could only remain in the province for a very short time, and therefore many of the institutes could not be visited. But inastmuch as Alberni was left out last year it afforded him much pleasure to be able this season to include it in the programme, and the head of the province for a damnistration to point to anything asked here is as to how far Great Britain is prepared to go in support of he colony. Canadians believe that their season to include it in the programme, and bowlet to state that the latter was in limits of concession have been reached in their offer to refer the whole question. is prepared to go in support of her colony. Canadians believe that their claims are just, and that the utmost limits of concession have been reached in their offer to refer the whole question arbitration tribunal shall not be a citizen of any of the Latin-American republic, which are regarded as being too much under the control of the United States. From this position Canada will not recede unless she must. As Canadians read history, England has always yielded in the past whenever the United States became sufficiently insistent. Will she do so again? It is hoped not, and this hope is founded largely on the fact that of late years the bonds of sympathy and interest have been growing closer be-tween the somewhat widely scattered portions of the British Empire. The eople of Canada followed the negotiaof the Anglo-American commission with deep interest, and were keenly disppointed as from day to day it became increasingly evident that nothing of im-portance was likely to be accomplished.

crucial issue, and the celebrated utterance of President Cleveland on the Venezuelan boundary dispute is being pointed to as a model which England should follow in case the United States

government cannot break the force of the startling revelations made by Mr. P. There has so far been days of the startling revelations made by Mr. Powell, M. P. There has so far been days of the startling revelations made by Mr. There has so far been days of the startling revelations of the startling revelations and A. W. Tidmarsh are from the Tacoma L. T. C., the former having only a day or so ago won his days of the startling revelations. but one ballot box scrutinized, and the conclusion is irresistible that 14 bogus ballots were substituted for good ones Even Liberal newspapers admit that Mr. Holmes must resign. He is the mis-rep-

## **Nothing New** In Politics. we highly bank or

Mr. Martin's Resignation Did Not Reach the Governor Until Last Evening.

Report Respecting Aulay Morrison Denied by All Those

Interested. is prepared to go in support of her colony. Canadians believe that their claims are just and that the utmost limits of concession have been reached in their offer to refer the whole question to arbitration without reservation of any kind, except that the odd man on the arbitration tribunal shall not be a citizen

Yesterday did not, as expected, bring 1888—Champion. ... C. R. Longe 1889—Ladles' singles. ... Miss Barkley 1890—Champion. ... C. R. Longe 1890—Champi consequently when seen later in the evening had not had time to take any action in respect to it. He said to a Colonist representative that he had received the resignation of the Attorney-General 1892-Mxed doubles......H. Combe and 

Week at Hand

mer having only a day or so ago won his need be said-he is well known wherever there are tennis courts and tennis players on the Coast or in Canada. He ranks the highest of the Dominion players; has won the provincial champion ship six times, and the Pacific North-west honors four times. He is the pres-ent ex-champion of the state of Washington, and winner of the international handicap championship at Niagara-on-

the-lake in 1896. As it will no doubt greatly interest the players eathered for the now opening tourney, the Colonist presents herewith the complete record of British Columbia's champions since the introduction of tennis to the province more than ten years ago; also the fixtures for the

opening tournament day: THE ROLL OF CHAMPIONS.

1886—Champion....J. Handcock 1887—Champion...J. Handcock 1888—Champion...J. T. Williams He had sent the resignation to the increasingly evident that nothing of importance was likely to be accomplished. There can be no question that the position of the Dominion government has been strengthened by the announcement that the commission will meet no more unless and until the Alaskan boundary question is in a fair way of settlement. There is no beligherent spirit here, the opinion of Mr. Morrison, who arrived in the city last evening, the report so no beligherent spirit here, the opinion of Mr. Morrison, who arrived in the city last evening, the report so no beligherent spirit here, the course is no beligherent spirit here, the course is a latent jealousy and dislike of the United States, which are thought of the United States, which are thought of the United States, which are thought of the Lieutenant-Governor and the Premier is an amanner which is not considered as a neighborly. This is regarded as a

MONDAY'S FIXTURES. 10:30—J. D. Hunter vs. R. B. Powell. 10:30—R. H. Pooley and Miss Keefer (owe 2-6) vs. F. J. Patton and Miss Patton (rec. 5-6)...Mrs. P. AE. Irving and Miss Drake vs. Miss Kitto and Miss M. Macrae. 11:15—H. S. Powell vs. Lieut. Oxlade,

minimize the matter, the ministerial members and newspapers supporting the government cannot break the force of

"Then the book plates arranged on a club's championship for the third successive year by defeating Arthur Remington. Fransioli and Tidmarsh together opportunity for the study of this fascinington. Fransion and Tidmarsh together hold the club championship in doubles.

Mr. A. T. Goward of this city, another formidable competitor, is the present holder of the Mainland championship of fortunate in obtaining the consent of vancouver 7 British Columbia, won last summer at Rev. Canon Beanlands to give lectures Vancouver: while of J. F. Foulkes little on these next Thursday evening, August on these next Thursday evening, August 3, in the large room of the Alexandra Club.

been soaned by Mr. R. R. Bayne, of this city, of Pompeiian and Indian mural decoration (also mediaeval stained glass, copied from old English churches), together with marble and precious stones inlay from the Taj Mahal, and tiles used in the Mayo memorial hall, Allalabad.

"Messrs, Challoner & Mitchell have also kindly leaved a most interesting and will-contested game. The playing of the Wests was very good, but they lacked the combination of the Bays, depending more on individual play, which no doubt contributed to their defeat. On the other description of the same of the sa

origin and uses of art, in which decurer traced from the earliest times the growth and design, from the first rude bone scratches on clay to the present beautiful forms and models, and showed how art, together with poetry and liferature, although subordinate to them, should be the means of elevating and enobling thought and life.

Barkley R. Longe s Barkley R. Longe instrumental in bringing this delightful exhibit to Victoria in the first instance, will give a talk on "Decorative Art," giving some information regarding the nature and object of the exhibit.

"It is hoped that the members of the Alexandra Club and their friends, as well as all lovers of art in its true and best sense, will avail themselves of these longers and instructive talks."

TEDDY HALE'S AMBITION.

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TEDDY HALE'S AMBITION. London, July 31 .- "Teddy" Hale, an Irish bicycle rider, started from Holborn viaduct here to-day in an effort to ride

cepted.

SLAIN BY A MILLINER.

## 1898—Open doubles.....Foulkes and Rithet 1898—Mixed doubles.....A. T./ Goward 1898—Ladies' doubles.....Miss Goward 1898—Ladies' doubles.....Miss Goward and Miss Macrae The Champions

1-Westminster....Latham .... 10 min. THE LEAGUE STANDING. Played. Won. Lost.

Junior Bays Win. The James Bays and the Victoria "Some very beautiful designs have Wests played the second match of the been loaned by Mr. R. R. Bayne, of this Junior League yesterday, which result-"Messrs, Challoner & Mitchell have also kindly loaned a most interesting collection of infaid sandal wood boxes and Hindu toys. Visitors found this a most attractive feature of the exhibition.

"A delightfully instructive and discursive lecture was given on Thursday evening by Mr. Mower Martin, on the lecturer traced from the earliest times the growth and design, from the first rude bone scratches on clay to the pressure on the lecture on the lecture of times. Jesse, Finlay"On, Welsh and McDonald did yeoman work for the Bays on the home. Simp-

6— " disher ... Finlayson ... 22 7— eitheand as bakennedy .... 21/2 DAMAGED IN COLLISION.

Liverpool, July 31.—The British steamer Ismore, Captain Crosby, from Montreal July 19, has arrived here slightly damaged, having been in colli-