

A DARING FORGER

Succeeds in Negotiating Worthless Paper for Small Amounts and Then Escapes.

The Name of Mr. R. H. Hall, of the Hudson's Bay Co., Made Use of.

Frank Miller, alias P. Lewis, alias P. E. Lewis, and probably a few other names, thought he would like a new outfit of clothes on Saturday night; so he went into Freeman's night parlors on Government street and invested in a new suit and some underclothes. To pay for these he produced a \$25 check signed apparently by Mr. R. H. Hall, manager for the Hudson's Bay Co.

The check, he explained, was for wages due him from the Hudson's Bay Co. Mr. Freeman, who has not lived long in Victoria, asked a neighbor about the check, and on being told who Mr. Hall was, cashed it, the man who presented it endorsing the name "P. Lewis" on the back.

A similar check was passed off on the Telegraph hotel, where Lewis had stopped under the name of Miller. An attempt to pass a third check at the California hotel failed. Both the passed checks on presentation to the Bank of British Columbia were paid, but on further examination it was found that Mr. Hall's name was forged. The words for the Hudson's Bay Co. which are printed on the company's checks, were on the forged papers placed there with a rubber stamp. One peculiar thing is that as a rule the Hudson's Bay Co. do their banking business with the Bank of Montreal, but as it happens some remittances for them came down to the Bank of B. C. from the interior, and were placed to their credit.

It is understood that Lewis, or whatever his real name is, had been a guest at the Telegraph hotel for some time, but the information was abruptly refused there by the barkeeper yesterday. A watch was kept on the steamer leaving Victoria, and on Tuesday night a man apparently answering the description of Lewis was located by Officer Redgrave among the passengers for the Sound. The barkeeper of the Telegraph hotel was immediately informed but did not seem inclined to swear to his identity, although he was quite sure as to the man. It is likely by now that Lewis is safe across on the American side.

THE CITY.

The funeral of the late Charles J. Burnes takes place at 10 o'clock this morning from St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral.

GEORGE DENNY'S English setter bitch has won the first prize (the Fagan cup) and the Ferris special prize at the Westminster exhibition.

A COLLISION between Mr. D. M. Eberts' station and a street car occurred on Government street yesterday evening, resulting in a wheel of the former being knocked off.

The Methcote public hall is being handsomely decorated for a harvest festival to be held to-morrow (Friday) evening. The programme of services arranged is an extremely good one.

YESTERDAY being the Day of Atonement was observed as a fast day by the Hebrews, and services were held in the synagogue both yesterday and on the preceding evening.

The Colwood hotel, at the Goldstream turn, has passed into the hands of Mr. William McNeill, formerly of the provincial police, who has many friends throughout the district, and who will doubtless make a popular and successful proprietor.

REV. P. MCF. MACLEOD, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of this city, has been invited to preach on Sunday next in the First Presbyterian church, Vancouver, the occasion being the anniversary of the opening of that church just a year ago, which services Rev. Mr. Macleod conducted. Rev. Mr. Maxwell will therefore supply the pulpit of the Central church. Rev. Mr. Macleod will also lecture in Vancouver on Monday evening, his subject being "The power of humor in public speech."

GEORGE and Uoum, the two Indians committed for trial for the assault on John McCabe on Sunday evening, relating to Tuesday night, paying into court \$500 each the amount of the bail. Mr. Mills, who was retained by Capt. Cox to defend the Indians, appeared in the police court yesterday, saying that he should have been present when the Indians were held on bail, and they were under the idea that the sum paid in when they were released was a fine which settled the case. In reply Chief Sheppard said that the Indians were told through an interpreter that they should stand at the Supreme court on November 20.

MISLEADING.

The Times has this printed in Tientsin: "The Emperor is proceeding in Emperor is taking infusing new armor of national military resources. It has been making with dummy ships, but there always a cruisers appearing off Shan Tung. The boats pains to counter the recent engagements were crippled more these were aware received contain false-pressures Emperor's de-pressures footing the from their late's experience has shown units of events prepared have been sys-"

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DEATH.

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put on the free list, it was thought it would advance anywhere from 20 to 30 per cent. The market for mutton sheep is depressed on account of large receipts. Cattle are bringing good prices.

Two Indians with intoxicants in their possession, and a Chinaman for supplying the liquor, were looked up by the police last night. They will come up in the police court this morning.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Calgary to the COLONIST says: "Robert Stevenson passed through here to-day" (Wednesday) "from Montreal with a carload of horses and machinery to start operations on a hydraulic gold mining claim on Granite creek, British Columbia."

The meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association called for Saturday night should be well attended. There will be a plentiful supply of blank declarations on hand, and all who have not registered their names on the Dominion voters' lists will then be given an opportunity of so doing.

AMONG the weddings which took place last evening was one at St. Andrew's (R.C.) cathedral. Mr. Gus Schneider taking to himself a bride in the person of Miss Elizabeth Irvine. Both are well known Victorians, the groom being an employe in Muirhead & Mann's factory.

This evening at 8 o'clock a full choral harvest thanksgiving festival service will be held in St. Barnabas church, which has been prettily decorated. Special music has been prepared for the occasion, and the Lord Bishop of Columbia will preach the sermon. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m.

AN HUNG, a Chinaman, who started a row with the intention of giving his friends a chance to raid the treasury, was very roughly handled in the melee on Tuesday evening. Several other Chinamen received occasions in the affray that ensued, but the bankers did not suffer any loss.

In St. Paul's church, Victoria West, yesterday afternoon Mr. Will George DeRoussie and Miss Eliza Jane Scott, daughter of Mr. John Scott, of the Highland district, were united in marriage by Rev. D. MacRae, assisted by Rev. R. G. Murison. This being the first marriage service in the church the bride was presented by the pastor with the customary family Bible.

The adjourned quarterly meeting of the British Columbia Board of Trade is to be held at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, when after routine matters have been disposed of a scheme for the thorough advertising of Victoria city will be discussed. The board reading room is now open daily, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and interest in it seems to be growing, though slowly.

The old suspect station at Ross Bay was burned down yesterday. Sanitary Inspector Conlin and Chief Deasy superintending the operations. Six minutes after the fire was set the whole thing was ablaze and rapidly reduced to ashes. Most of the contents were also destroyed. Anything worth saving, however, was well disintegrated and removed to the new isolation hospital.

The annual meeting of the Victoria & Sidney railway was held yesterday at the offices of the secretary, Mr. Robert Irving. The secretary reported that the road had not yet been taken over from the contractors pending completion of the final arrangements. The board of directors were re-elected, viz.: Messrs. P. C. Dunley, W. J. Macaulay, Julius Brethour, James Jeffrey and R. Irving. Mr. P. C. Dunley was re-elected president, Mr. Robert Irving secretary and treasurer.

AT LAST the count of the 4,000 and odd votes for the most popular man in the district at the late election. The result in the W. J. Pendry heads the list with 388 votes; J. H. Falconer follows close behind with 383, the O'Keil & Morris Co. are third with 293, the Beckman & Ker Milling Co. coming fourth with 151. Mrs. Keegan's exhibit, which was decidedly creditable, came fifth in the popular estimation. Only the figures of the first four prize-winners in the competition are given.

A SERIOUS accident occurred to Mrs. McCallum, wife of Capt. McCallum, on Tuesday evening. She had been visiting at the residence of Mr. R. Harvey on Fort street, and when after leaving there she re-entered the dog cart in which she had been driving the horse started too soon, and before she got under control brought the cart into collision with a telegraph pole. The animal thus frightened ran away, and the cart was soon overturned. Mrs. McCallum striking her head as she was thrown out and sustaining severe injuries. She was taken back to Mr. Harvey's, where she remains under treatment, the doctors being hopeful of her speedy recovery from the effects of the mishap.

UNDER the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society one of the most enjoyable socials of the season was held in the ballroom of the First Presbyterian church last evening. The room was prettily decorated for the occasion, but this was only one feature of the entertainment in which the ladies excelled. The refreshments were in considerable variety and choice in quality. One cake in particular was highly recommended for wedding purposes, but the owner prized it too much to part with it. Rev. Dr. Campbell presided and announced the following programme, which was well carried out: Instrumental solo, Miss Clara McGregor; recitation, Mrs. Waite; solo, Mr. Brown; vocal duet, Misses Milne and Baker; and piano solo, Miss Munroe.

The pleasing festival of the Ingathering of the harvest was becomingly celebrated last evening with special services in the pretty little church of St. James. The sacred edifice had been artistically decorated by the ladies of the parish, a conspicuous feature of the adornment being the palms, ferns, etc., which had been laid on the altar. Mrs. McTavish, and the music was exceedingly well rendered by the choir, assisted by Mrs. Greig, Miss Angus, Mr. Kingham, Mr. Muir, and Mr. Grizzell. Among the clerical participants were the bishop, who presided an eloquent and appropriate sermon; Rev. J. B. Hawtorn, by whom the service was sung; Rev. Canon Paddon and Rev. G. H. Marwood of the Royal Arthur, who read the lessons, and Rev. E. S. Akers, G. H. There was a good congregation, and the organ fund was increased by \$13.35, the amount of the offering. The order of service was as below:

Hymn 323.
Ely's Canticles.
Psalm Responses.
Proper Psalm, 101 and 130.
The King of Love My Shepherd Is.
Hymn 323 and 323.

When ostarth attacks a person of scrofulous diathesis the disease is almost sure to become chronic. The only efficacious cure, therefore, is Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which expels scrofula from the system and the ostarth soon follows suit. Local treatment is only a waste of time.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Trustee Lewis Takes His Seat at the Board—Overcrowded North Ward School.

Some Lively Talk About the Children's Day Procession—Collegiate Institute Affiliation.

When the school board met last night the result of the election of Mr. E. A. Lewis as trustee was read, and that gentleman on taking his seat was congratulated by his colleagues. The members of the board present were Mr. Chas. Hayward, in the chair, and Messrs. Lovell, Sanders, Glover, Marchant and Lewis.

Henry Croft wrote asking for fire insurance. Referred to the finance committee to act. The Liberal Association wrote thanking the board for the loan of chairs for the Laurier meeting at the city market building. Filed. A request from a parent unable to buy books, that the school trustees by giving her children free was referred to the supply committee to act.

Fred J. Claxton, who is advocating drill instruction for the public school boys, and citing the excellent results attained in Montreal schools by the formation of cadet companies, was invited to give a paper on the subject of the drill at the request of the board. He inspected the North Ward school boiler and fittings, gave some suggestions as to covering the pipes and slight alterations. Referred to Mr. Day, the board, with instructions to see that the changes are carried out so that the boiler is in good order.

Principal E. B. Paul, in behalf of the teachers of the High school, suggested that as the time for teaching was so short to long during school hours, the drilling be done after hours. A time table suggested by all the principals of the schools was also read. Mr. Paul's communication was received and his suggestions with the time table were referred to Mr. St. Clair, with a request to follow them up.

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HON. G. B. MARTIN.

Nomination for North Yale on October 17—The Election Seven Days Later.

Tribute to the Services and Abilities of the New Minister.

(From the Kamloops Sentinel Extra.) By extra of the British Columbia Gazette, issued on Friday last, it was announced that George Bohun Martin, member of the Legislative Assembly for the North Riding of Yale, had been appointed chief commissioner of lands and works. The seat, thus becomes vacant, and the writ has been issued for a new election. This was received by Mr. G. C. Tunstall, returning officer for the riding, and on Monday the usual proclamation was posted, by which the nomination is announced to be held at the court house, Kamloops, on Wednesday, October 17, and the election, should the necessary, on Wednesday, October 24.

We have pleasure in congratulating Hon. Mr. Martin upon his promotion to the cabinet position—the next most important after that of the Chief Minister. For twelve years he has been a member of the legislative assembly for Yale district, and during that period has been an unassuming but diligent worker. He has always had a place in the most important committees of the U. S. C. to which he has been appointed and recognized in a public way to no great extent as they might have been, but he has pursued the course of figuring chiefly in the public debates, and gradually his abilities have placed him among the leading members, until now he is enjoying the reward of his services in the honor just bestowed upon him.

To his faithful attention to his duties, on every and persistence may be attributed in no ordinary manner the liberal manner in which the governments has dealt with the needs of this part of Yale district. His course in the house has shown that whatever measure he takes hold of becomes all-important to him and he does not rest until he has secured the desired result. He has shown a keen interest in his taking charge of the lands and bridges department there will be seen a policy pursued even more progressive than in the past, and the closest attention given to the public works of the province. As he has hitherto secured for Yale his full share, if not more than his share, of the appropriations for roads, trails and bridges, now with the supervision of the public works throughout the province, it may with confidence be said that the department of lands and works will annually direct the expenditure of its full quota of the provincial revenue. Since the Hon. G. V. Fernon has retired from the councils of the province, his mantle could have fallen on no more worthy shoulders than those of Mr. Martin.

It will be generally regretted throughout the province that Hon. Mr. Vernon retired from public life. There are those in the opposition ranks who, when they learned of his departure from the province, regretted that the victory of one of their party, would rather it had been some other government member defeated than Mr. Vernon, and perhaps there are some who voted for the present government in the election of 1893, who would now be better pleased had Mr. Vernon been re-elected. Hon. Mr. Vernon retired with a record of valuable services rendered by the province, and the policy of his administration towards his constituents, even since his departure, has shown an eminent statesman who would have been a credit to the administration of his office. What were thought to be his able promises as a public worker, since his defeat he has carried out as fully as he could have had he been elected by an overwhelming majority. The contest in North Yale, if there is to be one, will be short and the election be before the legislature meets for the diet of October 17 on November 12 next, and it may be confidently expected that this riding will be represented by a cabinet minister. Mr. Martin has been an able and efficient private member, and in the wider scope for his labor we have the confident expectation that he will prove himself worthy of the high trust imposed upon him.

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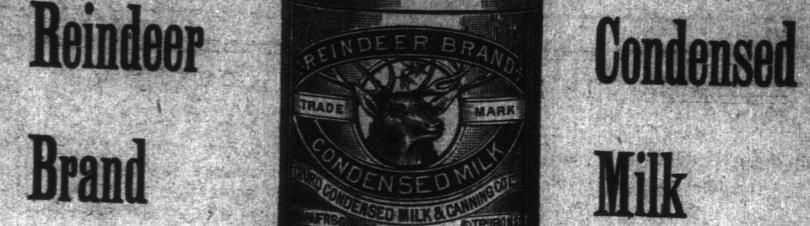
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U. S. PENSIONERS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Will you kindly insert the following in your valuable paper and oblige:

A meeting of U. S. pensioners and soldiers was held on the 5th inst. to form an association, to be known as "The U. S. Pensioners' Association," for the purpose of and reclaiming of their just dues from the U. S. Government. Eighty-seven old soldiers of English, Scotch, Irish, German and United States birth, and a number of Canadians were present. Mr. S. L. Kelly was chosen president and Mr. Patrick Farrell was chosen secretary. On taking the chair the president read several resolutions, one setting forth that the pensioners had taken legal advice which declared their claim on the U. S. to be just and good, and endorsing the proposal to form the association, and Senator Dolph to prosecute a suit against the Washington government for all money already due us or which may become due; also to demand \$1,000 for each and every soldier holding a pension warrant or certificate of same, and that O. M. Carter be retained as legal adviser. All pension soldiers can join this association by corresponding with the president.

forwarded to London via the C. P. R. The shipment comprises forty-three cases, and is shipped by Andrew Bechtel.

Bark Correyvrahan has finished discharging her cargo of coal in Esquimaux, and is now loading 250 tons of obolote naval stores. The steamship Empress of China arrived at Hongkong yesterday, and the U. S. S. Warrimou at Sydney on Tuesday. The Hudson's Bay Co. sent forward a shipment of 10,000 cans of milk to London, via the C. P. R. yesterday. The steamer Quads returned from her regular duties in the Straits of Georgia yesterday morning.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 10.—(Special.)—To-day was a day of sports. The old rival lacrosse teams, the Nineteens of Vancouver and the Moonlighters of New Westminster, crossed sticks, the latter beating the former by five goals to one.

In the football match between the Wanderers of New Westminster and the Vancouver Senators, the former won, four tries to nil. Following is the result of the aquatic events: Amateur canoe race, single blade—Macaulay Victoria. Indian canoe race (eleven paddles), Naimo v. Chilliwack—Naimo won. Amateur canoe race (tandem)—Watson and Askew, Victoria, 1; Wilson and Johnson, Westminster, 2; Bloomfield and Grey, Westminster, 3, and Vancouver, 4. Amateur canoe race (four single blades)—half mile—Victoria canoeists won again; victorians, Askew, Macaulay, Watson and Bellay taking first place for the Capital; Selkirk, Warrump, Charleston and Spring, of Vancouver, second.

The last race was between boats and canoees, Kennedy in a boat and the Messrs. Bloomfield, Askew and Macaulay in canoees. Kennedy won easily. The senior lacrosse match was a surprise to many. The Westminster team, minus Campbell, Caldwell and McKinnis, while Vancouver also had three juniors in the place of seniors. Vancouver won the match, four goals to one. Vancouver's games were won by scores of twelve, fifteen and twenty minutes respectively, and Westminster's in fifteen minutes.

The third Association football match of the season between the above teams took place yesterday afternoon at Ross Hill, and after a closely contested game resulted in a victory for the College by three goals to nil. At 6 o'clock the teams lined up in the following order:

Royal Arthur. Howard.....Goal.....College Chance.....Backs.....Greenfield Alexander.....Goalkeepers.....Goward Wigram.....Half-backs.....Wilson Wright.....Forwards.....Griffin o Clark.....Forwards.....Lawson Rice.....Forwards.....Higgs Napier.....Forwards.....Kitt o Stephenson.....Forwards.....Lawson

The College team, on winning the toss, selected to play up hill and succeeded in scoring two goals, which were shot respectively by Higgins and Lawson. On changing ends the Royal Arthur kept the ball pretty closely around the College goal, but owing to the good defense of Greenfield, fallen to score, and the College after passing down the field, scored their third goal, which was neatly shot by Goward.

FOOTBALL.

H.M.S. ROYAL ARTHUR V. VICTORIA COLLEGE.

The Victoria Rugby Football Club will have a practice game at the Hill this afternoon at 4:45 sharp. As many members as possible are requested to attend as several important matches will be played in the near future.

There was a meeting of the Westminster lacrosse club yesterday to consider the offer of the Victoria club to play in Victoria. The matter was not decided. The 250 ball continuous pool match between V. E. Ellsworth and J. C. Latimer, for a purse of \$50 presented by the management of the Belmont hotel, opened there last evening, the evening's score being: Ellsworth, 100; Latimer, 87. Play will be continued to-night.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—One thousand out-rippers, members of the cloak and shirtmakers' association, will strike to-morrow morning in sympathy with the cloakmakers.

BIRTHS.

CHARLTON—On the 9th instant, the wife of A. C. Charlton, of a son. DREWRY—On the 5th inst. at Victoria B.C. a daughter, Mrs. E. Drewry of the Land's and Works Dep. of the 9th instant, the wife of A. C. Charlton, of a son.

MARRIED.

MACDOUGALL-HAWKINS—At Victoria, on the 9th inst. by Rev. W. L. Clay, Mr. Angus MacDougall to Mrs. Maggie Hawkins, both of Tacoma, Wash. COLLIER WAGO—In this city, on the 8th inst. at St. James church by the Ven. Rev. Archdeacon Simeon, Hills Coulters, a daughter, youngest daughter of Edwin WAGO, of Toronto street.

DEEDS.

BURNS—In this city, on the 9th instant, of Bright's disease, Charles John Burns, a native of Victoria, fourth son of T. J. Burns, aged 51 years and three months. HAYES—In this city, on October 9th, 1894, S. S. Hayes, a native of London, England, aged 63 years and 6 months. RICHARDS—At 78 Carlton street, Toronto, on October 4, Hon. Stephen Richards, brother of Hon. A. R. Richards, of this city, aged 59 years and 6 months. TRAILL—In Hamilton, Ont., on the 24th ult. Mrs. Anne Cross, second daughter of Allan Trail.

DEPARTURES.

BUTLER—In this city, on October 3rd, Charles Butler, a native of Westmoreland, England, aged 81 years. BARRER—On the 9th instant, of heart failure, George Barrer, aged 61, a stevedore, native of Liverpool, Eng.