## EXPLOSION IN DUBLIN CASTLE.

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### CABLE NEWS.

Freat Britain and Portugal Agree on a Scheme for East African Development

Speculations for the Coming Session of the House of Commons—The Sealing Question.

## CAPITAL NOTES.

The Government Steamer Quadra Arrives at San Francisco-A Remarkably Quick Passage.

Sir John Thompson Gives the Statement of Organizer Preston a Flat Denial,

(From Our Own Corre OTTAWA, Jan. 2.—Sir John Thompson says that Organizer Preston's statement that the Government promised the Conthat the Government promised the Con-nollys to withdraw the prosecution against them if they contributed to the Kingston election fund, is an unnitigated falsehood. The Marine Department has been notified that the Government steumer Quadra has arrived at San Francisco, 76 days out. The Deputy Minister is delighted with her per-formance, he had given her 90 days to make the trip.

mediamist powers, and has performed num-prous small tests to the satisfaction of him-ted and those of his friends who were per-nitted to be present at the experiments. Among his acquantances is a young man

only justice to me, and certainly in the interest of science and progress."

"And what was his reply to your threat of proceeding to law?"

"He said that if I did, he would sue me for disturbing his rest, and entering his room."

Messrs. Myers and Hoffman, whom a reporter also saw, were convulsed with laughter. Said they: "It was the best joke ever got up—but the dickens of it—is it'll hurt Lukov's feelings to tell him that it was a joke now; he's a fellow that we all respect, and, in fact, think highly of. That's why we don't want him to feel unfriendly, and we're afraid he will get mad when we tell him the truth. But, oh, it was such a joke—a joke on Lukov, and a bigger joke on the Spiritual Society."

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## SUNDAY CLOSING.

The Licensed Vintners of the City Reluctantly Submit, and Enter a Vigorous Kick

They Will Close Their Doors To-Day, but Sunday Next Will See Them

A meeting of the Licensed Vintner's Asso-ciation was held in the Bank Exchange, yes-

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## Historical Sketch of British Columbia.

(Written for THE COLONIST.) Although in this new country, but as yet sparsely settled, a majority of the itants (if we except the aborigines), cannot apostrophize and say with the immortal Scottish bard, Sir Walter Scott, "This is my own, my native land;" yet, as it is the land of our adoption, and con-tains "peaks and crags," a "rugged strand," and is a "land of the mountain

Great Britain on the Atlantic seaboard.
The connection it has by the great Canadian 'Pacific transcontinental railway,
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of steamers to the Orient, along with its
international trade by land and sea from

Daring the progress of this expedition, Behring Straits was discovered and the Alaskan coast visited and taken possession of in the name of Russia. Fur trading stations were located at various points. The Spaniah authorities in Mexico, hear-The Spanish authorities in Mexico, hearing of the Russian movements, communicated with the court of Spain. Orders were issued to secure the whole coast north of California. A man-of-war was fitted out in 1774, with eighty-eight men, including two missionaries, with instructions to take possession of any Russian settlements they could find along the coast, and convert the natives. The expedition appears to have reached as far as the northern shores of Queen Charlotte the northern shores of Queen Charlotte Islands, and net finding any trace of Russians, returned to San Blas.

CAPTAIN COOK AND OTHER EXPLORERS AT

Between the years 1774 and 1778 several expeditions were fitted out by the Vicercy of Spain, in Mexico, to explore the coast northwards. Each expedition

"This is my own, my native land;" yet, as it is the land of our adoption, and contains "peaks and crags," a "rugged strand," and is a "land of the mountain and the flood," it is fit and proper that we should not only appreciate and admire its grand, romantic scenery and fertile valleys, but become acquainted with its history, so the rising generation, as well as those who are pioneer colonists, should have placed before them, comprehensively and clearly, a connected, succent sketch of the history of the Province. An intelligent knowledge of that kind will show what part they have taken, and how they have been instrumental in making British Columbia one of the most valuable jewels in Queen Victoria's crown. It will foster their patriotism, and lead them also to exclaim, "This is my native land!" Then as to its position, extent and genc.

British Columbia is the most westerly province of the British possessions in North America. Its position on the seaboard of the Pacific gives it, is a ger graphical sense, an importance similar Great Britain on the Atlantic seaboard. The connection it has by the great Canadian Pacific transcontinental railway, and by that company's magnificent fleet.

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A difficulty now arose as to the right of of steamers to the Orient, along with its international trade by land and sea from other sources, secure to it a commerce and standing, which, with its own under veloped resources, more especially the deep sea fisheries, cannot fail to place it high as a Maritime Province. The area of the Province, including Vancouver and Queen Charlotte Islands, is estimated at at 341,300 square miles. Its western boundary is

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which was made in 1872, the island was assigned to the United States.

EARLY NAVIGATIORS—1579.

There is nothing authentic in history to show that the early navigators in the North Pacific extended their explorations, on the west coast as far north as any portion of what now constitutes the westers frontier of British Columbia. The first trip eastward across the Pacific, is said to have been made in 1565, by Andres de Urdaneta, a Spanish friar and navigator. Sir Francis Drake is next mentioned as having made a voyage around Cape Horn, in 1579. He does not appear to have reached farther north than the bay near where San Francisco is now built, and where it is supposed he landed. In 1544 Francisco de Gali is also said to have speached the west coast from China, but nothing definite is known of his researches.

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HIATUS FOR 200 YEARS.

Subsequent to the time last mentioned, nothing further is in record of what transpired on the porthern portions of the nothing further is in record of what transpired on the northern portions of the Coast for about two hundred years. The Spaniards had entire possession, but their time and attention were so fully occupied with Mexico and Peru that they did not press their explorations northwards until after 1740, when a Russian expedition was fitted out under the command of Ivan Ivanvoich Behring, a Dane by birth, who had previously been selected by Peter the Great to take charge of an expedition to India.

\*\*BISCOVERIES BY THE RUSSIANS.\*\*

who cared only for their own profit. Thus commenced amongst the dwellers on the coast, an era of decadency, retrogression and poverty, which, along with diseases of various sorts, contracted by careless and immoral habits, has left only a feeble remnant of a race, who, a hundred years ago were warlike, vigor us and independent, numbering tens of thousands. The detribes of the interior. This is owing, in a great measure, to the manner in which they had been treated by the Hudson's Bay Co.

\*\*SWEEDING TRADE.\*\* IN MARINE STEES

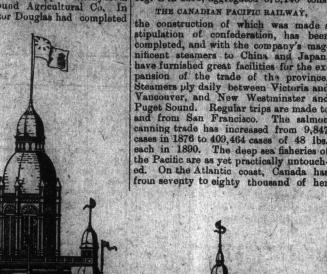
"SWEEPING TRADE" IN MARINE FURS From 1790 to 1812, it is narrated that there were 108 United States vessels, 22 English, 3 French and 2 Portuguese vessels engaged in the west coast trade. In the year 1802, more than 15,000 sea-otter skins were collected on that coast and carried to Canton. These enormous catches had the effect of reducing the number of had the effect of reducing the number of those valuable animals to such an extent that, in subsequent years, in many locali-ties, they became nearly extinct. The war of 1812, between Great Britain and the United States, caused a complete stagnation of the trade—the U. S. traders

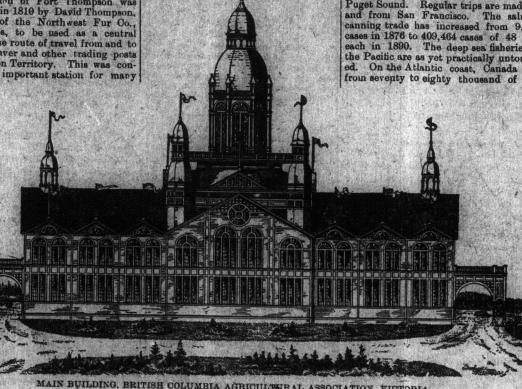
A SCOTCHMAN LEADS THE WAY. The first over-land passage north of the Rocky Mountains, to the western coast, was made in 1793, by Alexander McKenzie, a native of Inverness, Scotland, and a partner in the North-West Fur Company. This company was organized in Montreal in 1789, by a few Scottish merchants. They

was accompanied by friars, to recure the conversion of the Indians. The Spanish established their headquarters at Nocka Sound, in a central natural harbor on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Their commanders, Peres, Heccts and Qandra, explored the coast as far north as 55°. The celebrate Captain Cook, leaving England in 1776, reached Noctka in 1778, and continued his voyage and important of in appreciation of the accomplishment of such a perilous journey amongst unknown savages. The Hudson this royages.

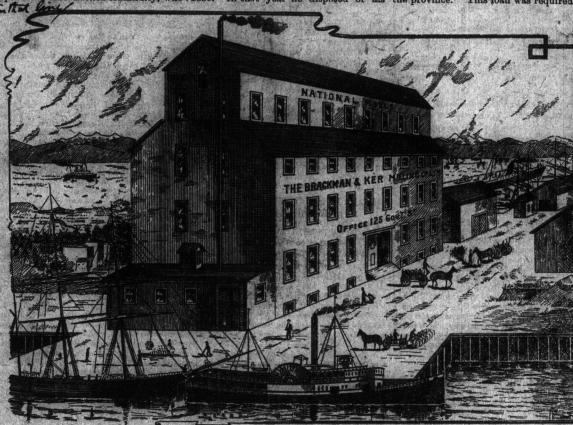
Younger Charlotte Islands.

Co., was transferred as speedily as practically the mainland, great progress has been made in the general affairs of the province. A railway has been built continued the trading post of Camosun the most important in the west. In a very short more (1847), a large trade was carried on from that place, with supplies chiefly from the Puget Sound Agricultural Co. In 1849 chief factor Douglas had completed and with the company's maginificent steamers to China and Japan, have furnished great failures for the province. A railway has been dufft conformation in the west. In a very short more (1847), a large trade was carried on from that place, with supplies chiefly from the Puget Sound Agricultural Co. In 1849 chief factor Douglas had completed and with the company's maginificent steamers to China and Japan, have furnished great failures for the province. A railway has been built conformation in the west. In a very short method was carried on from that place, with supplies chiefly from the Puget Sound Agricultural Co. In 1849 chief factor Douglas had completed as stipulation of confederation, has been confident to the north of Camosum the most in the general affairs of the province. A railway has been built confidence on the trading post of Camosum the most in the railway to the Puget Sound Agricultural Co. In 1849 chief factor Douglas had completed as stipulation of confederation, has been confidence on the province. A railway has been built confidence on the trading post of Camosum the m





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NEW ROADS, SURVEYS, BRIDGES, ETC. The influx of from twenty to thirty thousand gold miners in 1858 made it necessary for the protection of life and property to extend the government nearer to the mining districts on the mainland. New Westminster was chosen as the most convenient location. Frederick Savenage was appointed on the convenient of the conv connected with the opening up of the country, to keep pace with the growth of new and remote settlements, as yet only partially developed, but which become re-munerative when afforded the requisite in 1841, being guided by the decrease in furs, consequent on prospective immigration into Oregon, instructed chief factor Douglas to withdaw the headquarters of the Company at Vancouver to a suitable place farther north. The place where Victoria now is, was selected and a fort commenced (at first named Camosun), in 1842.

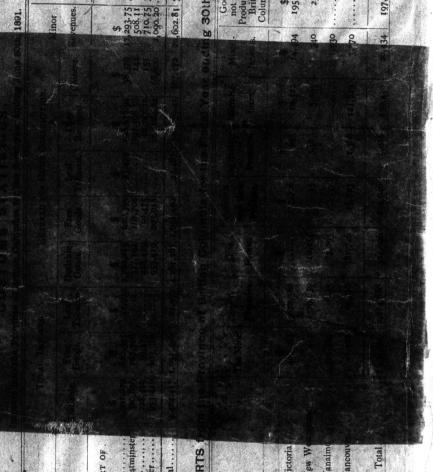
THE BOUNDARY OF 1846.

The 49th parallel of latitude was agreed on by treaty between Great Britain and the United States, to be the boundary line between Oregon and the British possessions. As a consequence the for trading business belonging to the H. B.

HOME AND FOREIGN TRADE.

In illustration of the extent to which the trade of British Columbia has grown within the past few years, the subjoined table will be interesting. The figures are made up to the 30th June List, the end of the fiscal year:

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## THE DEER OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

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Of the eight species of deer belonging to North America, six are known to occur in this Province. These are the mose, Cervus Alces; the wapiti or American elk, Cervus Canadensis; the woodland caribou, Cervus Tarandus, the mule deer, Cervus Macrotis; the black-failed deer,

certion, Macrotis; the black-tailed deer, Cervis Macrotis; and the common or Virginia deer, Cervis Virginianus; better known here as the white-tailed deer.

At the head of the list stands the moose, the largest of the family and, according to every authority, the most ungainly in form. The habitat of this animal in British Columbia is almost entirely confined to that portion of the Province lying within the water-shed of the Arctic, although of late years a few have been taken close to the Fraser river, in the neighborhood of Giscomb Portage. Giscomb Portage is a narrow strip of land between the two water-sheds, and a line drawn on the map from this point

The next on the list, and second largest of American deer, is the wapition of American deer, is the wapition of American deer, is the should mention here that the names of some of our American mammals are very misleading to people coming from older countries. For instance, our moose is the elk of Europe, and the animal we call elk, is identical with the stag or red deer of the British Isles; and our cariboo dalaska, including all the larger islands,



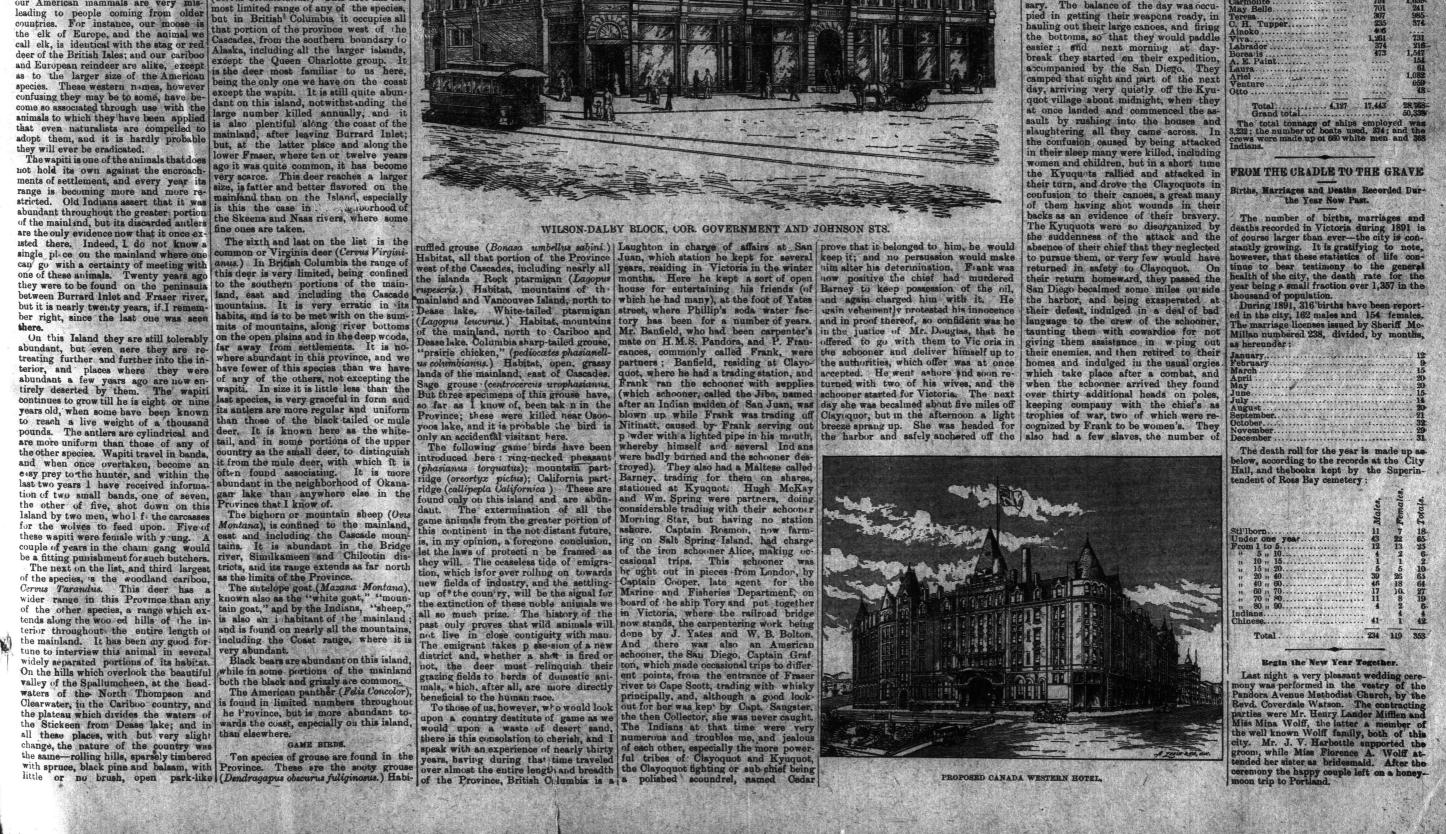
country wonderful for its fertile valleys which are yet waiting the advent of the settler; a country wonderful for its mineral wealth, which is yet almost untouched. But, outside all these, amid the faatnesses of her rugged mountains, along the groomy canons and rocky inlets which indent her six hundred miles of sea count in these words. the Mammon-inspired energies of these latter days will recoil, there is ample food and cover for all our game, and probably the day will never come when it must be said that it has disappeared from the land. Provincial Museum, Victoria.

## A REMINISCENCE OF

TANUARY 8, 1892

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I urking places in the East, and the yellow fever has only appeared in isolated cases. It is less that the reports of the Colonist with relative member of the future King of England to a lady who is, as nearly as a member of the grippe, however, has been going its rounds, and has evidently come to stay. What it is, exactly, or what is its cause, the erigin of the future King of England to a lady who is, as nearly as a member of the course of the year, was nothing more than sensational bosh or the drivel of journalistic indicts. The United States in not in a position to go to war, and, if it was, its citizens have too much common sense to go to war, about a matter of small importance.

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PARNELL. end of the year a very good understanding between France and Russia, and it appears, It is impossible to think of Ireland and events of next year will have to record the particulars of hostilities between the two countries.

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excuse for not prosecuting Fried? Do they not consider it a subject worth enquiring into? For our own part we have no hesita. Taken in the Fried Abduction Case. The

Hattie May, of Seattle, Leaves Her Home and Takes up Quarters in Victoria.

Attorney-General Davie Throws Out a Mys-(September 18.)

THE PRIED CASE. Further Evidence for the Prosecution—The Accused Parties Returned for Trial.

Our readers will, no doubt, find it impos ble to see what there is in these headings to squat the Attorney-General or any one For our own part, we say, fearless of ontradiction, that these head-lines reflect



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That crowd the COLONIST,—
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that fill our nearts with bliss,—
The grand display of pretty goods,
Shop window at their best,—
The school books scattered everywhere,
With little minds at rest,—
The lectioneering speeches,
At City Council session,
Their very guarded queries,
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The pleasant smiles of would-be Mayors,
Their winning, happy ways,
Their very gracious praise,
Their very gracious praise,
The Aldermanic candidates
Declaring they'll "not (b) stand."—
Are a few of the things reminding us
The New Year is at hand.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

The Pythian Ball. The annual ball of the Knights of Pythias will be held in this City on the 19th of February, the 20th anniversary of the order. The ball committee hold their first

February, the 20th anniversary of the order. The ball committee hold their first meeting on Monday.

Must Close Sandays.

The new liquor law, compelling the closing of hotels and asloons on Sunday, comes into operation with the new year, to-day, and the police are already making preparations for its enforcement.

A New Year's Ceremeny.

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necessary witness—a veterinary surgeon. Annual Celebration and Christmas Tree Interesting Proceedings.

The Post office.

As an index to the commercial growth of the city, the post office returns are highly creditable to Victoria. The annual income at the city office, for the past ten years, shows a steady increase, as follows:

10,730
20,727
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line proper has been extended 3,900 feet, to
the Driving Park and Agricultural Hall,
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4 he Douglas street line has been pushed
forward 3,700 feet further, to Tolmie
avenue. A new district has also been opened 

\*\* 18,785.86 much talked of Fifth Avenue cars of New York city.

\*\* 195,624.00 lu2.437.00 lu2.437.00 line to Beacon Hill are among the numerous new departures on the cards for this year; the company are alive, and do not intended to let any one walk who prefer to ride, and has a nickel in his pocket.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments: Charles E. Hope, of Vancouver, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia, and William J. Davis, Thomas Grafton and Wade H. Beach, Esquires, to be fence viewers in and for Bowen Island, in the Westminster district.

Under the provisions of sub-section 10 of section 6 of the Public School Act, 1891, and with the approval of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, as expressed by an Order in Council dated the 31st day of December, instant, the Council of Public Instruction has cancelled the first class, grade struction has cancelled the first class, grade held by Mr.

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Vancouver, Dcc. 31.—At the Vancouver post office during 1891 the stamp sale amounted to \$23,914.39. There were 16.—July....

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455 registered letters sent here, and 15,353 received.

During 1891 the inland revenue collections for the Vancouver district were as follows:

Spirits, \$43,167.13.

Tohacco, \$16,797.96.

Malt, \$8,103.05.

Cigars, \$5,794.20.

Licenses, \$1,105.00.

Petroleum inspection, \$1,470.90.

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In preparing the above the December returns are approximated.

The customs returns, including December, were: Duties collected, \$301,537.14; other revenue, \$65,908.57; total, \$367,-445.71 The first annual dinner of the Amalgamated Carpenters' Society of Victoria was held in the New York Hotel, last night, and proved to be a great success. Twelve months ago the Victoria branch of this world-known society was established, and since that data its growth has been as

AT THE NAVAL YARD.

months ago the Victoria branch of this world-known society was established, and since that date its growth has been as steady as its usefulness has been recognized. There are at present on its roll some fifty members, of whom any society might well be proud. Mr. J. Holmes, of Nanaimo, the senior member present of the Amalgamated Society, presided, and was ably supported by all in attendance. A few welcome visitors swelled the gathering, and the proceedings throughout were of the happiest character. "The Society," Contractors" were in turn toasted, as was also the "Press." Mr. Dean responded for the contractors, and complimented the members upon the success of the year, foreshadowing for the next twelve months a busy time. Songs, speeches, recitations, and convivial that all tended to make the meeting a pleasant one, coupled, of course, with the excellent dinner provided by mine hostess—Mrs. Johnson. It was served up in the best style of the New York, and all who know what that means will understand the appetising effect it must have produced.

The Amalgamated Carpenters greeted one another with New Year's greetings ere the proceedings were brought to a close.

Removed to the Heapital.

The unfortunate man Hannan, who attempted to commit suicide early Wednesday morning, was yesterday removed to the Jubileé hospital, his case demanding the very possible care. His condition was little changed last evening, and his chances of recovery are very doubtful.

During the month of December, the city librarian, Dr. McGregor, reports the issue of 2,850 volumes, 1,206 to ladies, and 4,644 to gentlemen. The highest number of for rewers in any one day was 216, and the average number 112. A total number of 87 new cards were issued during the month as 1 to ladies and 56 to gentlemen.

Crossley and Hunter.

Last night's meeting was well-attended, and fully up to the standard of the meetings since their inception. Mr. Hunter read as a lesson the 18th chapter of St. Luke's Gospel. Mr. Crossley took for his found to the mosting since their inception. Mr. Hunter read as a lesson the 18th chapter of St. Luke's Gospel. Mr. Crossley took for his contact and the comparison with those for the second and fully up to the standard of the meetings since their inception. Mr. Hunter read as a lesson the 18th chapter of St. Luke's Gospel. Mr. Crossley took for his

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A Growing Business.	The Christmas celebration of the inmates	1885 153,616 98 1885 152,818 34 1886 197,905 04 1886 184 306 24	
Messrs. George Powell & Co. are now fin-	of the Protestant Orphans' Home took place	1887 243,364 94 1887 242,931 27 1888 257,887 10 1888 256,750 66	B
ishing up the heaviest Christmas trade that they have enjoyed during the seven or eight	on Wednesday night, and, as usual, the	1889 450,025 58 1889 446,107 53	B
years that they have been in business in this	children, over whom Mrs. Walker exercises	1890 403,242 06 1890 401,576 05 1891 1891	283
city. Their new and handsome store, into	such motherly care, were full of health and spirits, and, besides, were scrupulously	The expenditure for the year just closed	T
which they moved, several weeks ago, is	clean, neat and well-behaved.	will exoced the income considerably, but	
thronged daily, and the amount of business disposed of, in very short order, is suppris-	Right Rev. Bishop Cridge presided, and	then the city has assets vestly in excess	D
ing. The new building in which the firm is	among others present in the large play-	of its indebtedness. The year's accounts had not been made up to the time of	
now at home, adjoins that of the Brackman	room were: Dr. Milne, M.P.P.; Mr. N. Shakespeare, Mr. James Hutcheson, Mr.	going to press, so that the expenditure can-	
and Ker Milling Co., on Government street,	John Russell, etc., besides members of the	not be given.	V
and the four floors are called into use by the requirements of the business. The floor sur-	ladies' committee and other friends. A	The receipts from water rates were as shown below:	
face amounts to 10,800 square feet, and the	large and well laden Christmas tree occupied		
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\$50,000.	tive appearance.	1880	100
A Big Robbery.	Mrs. Kent performed the pleasing duty	1882 22,360 00	at
At nine o'clock, last night, as the book-	of distributing the prizes and presents, the	1888	go
keeper in Lee Gow's store, on Fisguard	chairman accompanying their presentation with some very happy remarks of con-	1885	3397
street, was counting out his weekly receipts, a tall Chinaman entered the shop, and,	gratulation. Addresses were delivered by	1887 37.210 00	
seizing a handful of bills from the counter.	Messrs. Hutchinson, Russell and Dr. Milne.	1889	Ja
rushed out. The alarm was immediately	Mrs. Walker being warmly congratulated	1890 43,603 76	P
given, and in a very few minutes there	on the appearance and health of her charge, and the general conduct of the Home. Mr.	The police statistics would show an in-	M
were some hundreds of excited Mongolians in front of the place. Officer Abel, who	Russell made a holiday gift of 50c. to each	crease of crime, some 1,450 cases having	
was near by, started in the hunt, and in	child. The evening's entertainment was	been dealt with during the year, as opposed	Á
about fifteen minutes had captured the sus-	closed by the pupils singing a number of very pretty carols under the direction of	to 1,078 in 1890.	
pected robber, who, however, had none of	the Misses Walker.	CUSTOMS STATISTICS.	M
the booty on his person. The man was arrested and lodged in gaol. The parties to		CUSTOMS STATISTICS.	
whom the cash belonged, claim to know to	EVER EXTENDING.	Collections-Imports and Exports-Value of	
whom the robber gave it, and are	The Tramway People Constantly Improving	Free Goods.	
anxiously searching for the suspect. The amount stolen was \$500, in one \$50 bill, one	Their System.	The following official figures give some	O
\$10, and the balance in \$20 notes.		very interesting information with respect	
	Many important improvements have been made during 1891 in every department of	to the growth of the port of Victoria:	N
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ESQUIMALT DOCK. Versels Which Have Entered it for Repair During 1891.

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The following table, kindly furnished by Capt. Devereux, shows the number of vessels occupying the Esquimalt Graving Dock during the year, with their respective tonnage, and the number of days they were in dock. The receipts are, of course, not given for publication:

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THE SALMON PACK.

A Slight Falling Off (Buring the Year and Its Causes.

There has been a falling off of about \$4.000 cases in the pack of the past year. The official figures for 1890, were 399.912, and the total for the past year, which, of course, is only approximate, the full returns from the canneries not as yet having been received, is 304.978. The run on the Skeena has been about an average, but on the Frazer River and Alert Bay the past has been an off year. However, the reputation of the various canneries is gaining for them liberal support, and new establishments are being prepared for operation next season. The outlook for the year is encouraging. Following are the approximate returns for the past season:

Midnight boomed out from the City Hall, and in answer every bell and church peal in the city, every tugboat and steamer in the harbor, and every fish horn within a radius of three miles, helped to swell the noise and usher in the New Year with their mingled music. Prendy, brought to his senses somewhat by the continued shricking of a small tug whistle near the railway bridge, rot a hundred yards from where he lay, yawned and clutched lazily at the bank of mud and gravel near his head. The rain had abated to a gentle drizzle. Rousing himself, he attempted to climb through the boards above him, but his hands slid on the slippery wood, and he was deposited once more by the cruel hand of fate into the swimming slush underneath. Then he gave up the attempt in disgust and steamer in the harbor, and every fish horn within a radius of three miles, helped to swell the noise and usher in the New Year land, and susher in the New Year land, and thurch peal in the city, every tugboat and steamer in the harbor, and every fish horn within a radius of three miles, helped to swell the noise and usher in the New Year land, and thurch peal in the city, every tugboat and steamer in the harbor, and every fish horn within a radius of three miles, helped to swell the noise and usher in the New Year land, and church harbor

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THE PAVILION LICENSE.

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SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

A Special Meeting Called at the In-stigation of Alderman Richards . Results in His Departure.

Principal McLeod of the High School Dismissed From His Position by Council of Public Instruction.

A special meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held, last night. There were present: Messrs. C. Hayward (in the chair). McConnan, Saunders, McKay, and Rich-

ards. The chairman stated that the meeting had been called by him at the request of Mr. Richards, who, in a communication, decided that it would be well to place the matter of the insurance policy in the Union Insurance Company before a special meet-ing to be finally dealt with one way or the

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The communitations were then read as follows:

From T. C. Nuttall, informing the Trustees that the fire insurance policy of \$6,000 held by this company on the Central School building, expired on the 21st inst, and asking for a renewal. The renewal was granted.

From the teachers of the James Bay and Hillside Ward schools, asking for small additions to the furnishing of their schoolhouses. The requests were both granted, and the matter ordered to be attended to at once,

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authorized.

A long discussion then ensued on the merits of the case at issue. It was finally moved by Trustee Saunders that the Union Insurance Company, represented by Mr. F. G. Richards, should be paid the short rate from the 3rd of November to date, and the policy ordered cancelled.

Trustee McConnan seconded the motion, which was carried.

Trustee Richards then got up and put on his hat, remarking as he passed out, that he had had enough, and wishing the balance of the Board good night and the compilements of the season.

of the season.

The following letter was then read and laid on the table. In the absence of the city's representatives it was decided to let the matter stand over till next meeting of the Board.

WEATHER NOTES FOR 1891.

The mean temperature has been slightly lower than the average. The months of January, July, August, November and December being in excess of, and February, March, April, May, June, September and October, below the general average.

The hottest day was July 23, 83.6, and the coldest day, February 3, 20.00.
The rainfall has been excessive, being over 10 inches, the highest fall recorded and about 14 inches above the average yearly fall. The month of December contributed over 11 inches to the general rotal. month of December contributed over II inches to the general total.

Rain fell on 174 days, being over 50 days in excess of the usual average.

Three recent storms have been somewhat remarkable in force, and the barometer on tremorning of the 29th December fell to 28.30 inches, this is probably the greatest depression that has been observed here.

J. S. Whyte, Toronto, is registered at the

## VICTORIA'S PROGRESS.

The Most Sanguine Expectations More than Realized in Every Particular.

The City Extending in Every Direction, and Increasing in Wealth

New Buildings During the Year.

The growth -the steady growth-of Victoria is almost phenomenal, and from what has been done, even during the past twelve possibilities. A year ago to-day, THE COLonist predicted that e'er 1891 was numbered with the past, the building record would be better by about \$2,000,000. Many at that time were disposed to believe that the prospects were over-estimated, but the facts and figures published, this morning, will prove that the estimate was nuder, rather than sixty street. ONIST predicted that e'er 1891 was numbered that the estimate was under, rather than over, the mark. A complete list of the new buildings erected during the past twelve months, in the old city limits, is appended, and a formidable array they make. Among them are some of the finest business and residential structures in the Dominion, while hundreds of others are in contemplation, and, as soon as the season opens up, operations will be commenced. Among those now under way, and bidding fair to completion, are the new Roman Catholic Cathedral, the new Driard hotel, the Dalby & Wilson block, the Kirk block, and scores of other extensive business places and private residences. Within the past year the Five Sisters' block, the Hotel Dallas; the Dominion hotel, Brackman & Ker's Mills, the Jewel Block, Turner's Block, Weiler's Factory, the Agricultural Hall, the Doane Block, the Public Market, and many other buildings, solid, imposing and commodious, have been raised to meet the growing requirements of Victoria; and more will follow.

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Sixth street

Farrington, C.—One and one half story residence, Centre street.

Finlayson, R.—Additions, Douglas st.
Fullert. — Two storey residence, Centre street.

Farrington, C.—One story residence, Clarke and Pembroke.

Farrington, C.—One story residence, Centre street.

Farrington, C.—Two storey residence,

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Government and Bay streets.

Boscowitz, Jos. - New wharf—Belle, ville street

Butler, Captain—One storey cottage

— Lavid street.

Butler, Captain—One storey residence

Beswick, A.—Two residences — North

Park street

Blacker, James—Two storey residence
— North Chatham street.

Blackburn, James—Two storey residence
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Brown, P. R.—One storey residence—Vining street.

Bartlett Jackson—One storey residence—Third street.

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Burt, W. A.—One and a half storey residence—Rimonton street.

Burt, W. A.—One and storey residence—Rimonton street.

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O P. N. Co.—Waiting room — Wharf Carlaw, Mrs.—One storey residence—
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Church, J. E.—Residence—Cadboro
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St, Lawrence street. residence—Henry street
Caton, J. A. T.—One storey residence
—Michigan street
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Hobbs, Sarah—one storey residence, Johnson street.

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Hall, Mrs. Louis—two storey residence. Yates street and Kernwood road.

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Kirk, Mrs. E.-Two storey stores, Doug-Kirk, Mrs. E.—Two storey stores, Douglas Street.

Kay, J.—Two store residence, Menzies and Niagara Streets.

Kern, J. E.—Two storey residence, North Pandora Street.

Kermode, E.—Two storey residence, Henry Street.

King, S. E.—Two storey bakery Chambers Street.

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Estate—cabins, Chatham street
Lawson, Alex—cabins, Humbolt and
McUlure streets.
Lang, Wm -residence, Ayelon street
Lewis Lewis — three storey stores,
Yale-street
Lange, Mrs.—three storey residence,
Heckley street.
Lawrence, J. A.—two storey residence,
Parry street
Lester, Peter—two storey residence and
store, McClure street.
Leigh Bros.—additions to sawmill, &c.,
Pleasant street.

Walters, Wm.—Two storey residences,
Cook street...
Wills, Frank—Two storey residences,
Cook street...
Weller, John—Three storey furniture
factory, Hun boldt street...
Walter, John—Two store residences,
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Watter—Additions to re idences, Quadra
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street...

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Kingston street.
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storey residences, Superior st.....

The above list includes only the buildings erected in the old city limits, and is furnished by Assessor Northcott. His valuations may be taken as being accurate. Within the annexed district during the past year fully \$400,000 of new buildings have been erected. The list does not include contracts which were let in the latter part of last year, but on which work to the extent of \$250,000 has been done during the present year. This would bring the total building carried on in Victoria during 1891 to over two millions of dollars. Besides

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NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a tract of land, situate on the bay behind the Indian village on the Kemskwit River. Dean's Channel, Coast District: commencing at a post marked 'F. J. S. W. corner, planted at the north-west corner of F. Jacobson's claim, thence east 40 chains, thence north So chains to foot of mountain, thence west following the foot of mountain to coast, thence to the shore, and thence to the point or commencement.

Victoria, B.C., 6th Nov., 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given tice that 1 intend applying to the Commescing at the S. E. corner of the Indian Reserve, running 10 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence to the shore, and thence to the point or commencement.

Victoria, B.C., 6th Nov., 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make an application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 160 acres of land situated and Kemskwit, B. C., November 4, 1891, no27-2m-w

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that, sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief 'commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres, more or less, of Crown land, situated at the head of Alice Arm, B.C. commencing from a post marked W. H. Robertson, about two miles from the head of the Inlet, on the east side of the Inlet, running 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 30 chains west, or to the shore of the Inlet, thence along the shere to the place of commencement.

W. H. R. BERTSON.

Metlakahila, B.C., Nov. 7, 1891. no20-w2m

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chi f Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purcha-e 240 acres of land, more or less, commencing at a stake on Ship Channel, Harclay ound, hence 30 chains west, thence 40 chains south to A. Jackson's N. E. post of claim, thence 40 chains evet to line, thence following menderings of coast to point of commencement.

RODERICK Br.GG.
Victoria, October 29th, 1841. no27-2m w

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Kemskwit, November 4, 1881. no21-2m-w

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See a firer date I intend to apply to the Honry after date I intend to apply to the Honry work for permission to purchase the following described tracts: Liand situated in Quastino district: Commencing at the northwest corner of section six (6), Quastino district: thence running south eighty (89) of ains; thence we to see shore on Forward Inlet; thence following sees shore in a northerly and easterly direction to place of commencement, and containing 100 at a share in my business which in future will be carried on under the firm name of Henry hort & Son.

HENRY SHORT.

Nanaimo, Nov. 3, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make an appli ation to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, p purchase 160 acres of land sinated and described as follows: From a stake marked H. R. R. on the north cost of More-by Island, "Queen Charlotte group," on the shore of Gumshewa Inlet. Thence south 80 chains, thence sast 40 chains, thence North 80 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence wast 40 chains along the coast line to place of commencement.

PETER ROSMUSSEN, Victoria, Nov. 30th, 1891.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend making application to the rion. Chief Comissioner of Lands and Works' for permission to purel ass 200 acres more or less, Barclay cound, commencing at S. E., corner Indian Reserve next Forbes Island, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence following meanderings of shore to point of commencement,

F. G. RICHARDS.

Dated December, 4th 1891 G. RICHARDS. NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend making application to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land cummencing at a stake one half mile north of Kelp Islet Ship Channel Barclay Sound, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, to point of commencement.

A. J. J. J. AUK-ON. cast 40 chains, to point of commencement.

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Dated December, 4th 1 91.

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NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date 1 intend applying to the Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 ac es. Barcley Sound, commencing at Mr. C. Bryant's N.W. corner post, thence north 40 chains, west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, east 40 chains to point of commencement.

H. T. COLE. H. T. COLE.

Dec. 4th, 1891, NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend making application to the Honor-ble the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, Barclay Sound, commencing at A. J. Jackson's N.E. corner pos., thence 40 chains north, thence 40 west, 40 south, 40 east to noint of commencement.

NOTICE is hereby given of my intention to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, at their next sitting, for a renewal of my license to the Horse-Shoe Hotel, Chemainus.

MATTHEW HOWE. Dated Nov. 12, 1891.

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Noble, Wison-Two story residence, Croft street.
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a, B.C., 6th Nov., 1891. C. SPRING. Ens hereby given that 60 days after a lintend to make an application to Commissioner of Lands and Works, ase 160 acres of land situated and as follows: From a stake marked on the north cosst of More-by Island. Charlotte group,") on the shore of wa Inlet. Thence south 80 chains, ast 40 chains, thence North 80 chains, seet 40 chains along the coast line to commencement.

PETER ROSMUSSEN, a, Nov. 30th, 1891. de6 DE is hereby given that 60 days after te I intend making application to the lef Comissioner of Lands and Works' mission to purchase 320 acres more or clay Sound, commencing at S. E. coran Reserve next Forbes Island, thence s west, thence 80 chains south, thence g meanderings of shore to point of comment.

F. G. RICHARDS. ecember, 4th 1891 dell, w

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But the commotion on deck increases, and the shrieks of the women mingle with the noise of hurrying feet.

"I'll just go up and see what it amounts to," suggests William, and the suggestion meets with no opposition.

Out in the quiet moonlight men are rushing to and fro; orders are given in low, hoarse tones, and the buckets are being passed along quickly and quietly. Some of the crew had been stealing from the storeroom, and, their candle upsetting, the flame in an instant communicated with the spirits. The next minute, the room was in a blaze. Sternly the captain ordered those who were the the captain ordered those who were the cause of the catastrophe back into the burning room—their's was the fault and their's should be the dangerous work. The staterooms were robbed of their blankets, which, soaked in water, were blankets, which, soaked in water, were piled upon the flames with the purpose of smothering them. Still it seemed that the Fire King was not to be vanquished; and a thrill of horror ran through even the stoutest-hearted menfor land was four hundred miles away, and the flames were gaining the mastery. "There's fire in the second cabin, sir," whispers one of the men, and the captain's face pales for a moment, as he divides his forces for the attack.

Still the flames continue to spread, and still the flames continue to spread, and as if by common impulse, twenty or more roughs of the mines make a rush for the boats, which have been got ready for the

But the skipper anticipates their inten-tion, and orders them back. "Better not try that," he says sternly, "if you do, there'll be some dead among you." For a second the men fall back; and then, as one of their number mutters "I guess it's every man for himself, now," they again scramble madly towards

he boats.
But by this time the quartette have left their game, and are by the captain's side. Their revolvers are out, and they have an unpleasantly business like look. "Don't do it," is John's advice, and the hammer of his weapon clicks the proper emphasis to his words.

Again the rabble stop, and seizing the opportunity, the brave man continues, "There's lots of women on this ship, and you know it. If anybody goes in the backs, they go first, d'ye hear. You fellows phe is and help the crew. We've got to save the ship. Don't stop to talk how—to work."

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Co., the population is 10,800. These figures are about right. The population of the city has been growing every day during the year, both by natural increase and the large immigration which has been steadily pouring in. The development of the many industries, and the establishment of new ones, brought about a demand for labor which could only be filled from outside.

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189, and their crews num Post of the many industries, and the establishment of new ones, brought about a demand for labor which could only be filled from outside.

New Westminister has been engaged in many important undertakings during the year, and the sum of \$55,000 has been spent on them. Ten miles of new streets have been made on the older streets. The electric light system was got into good running are rearly in the year, the total cost of the works and outh being about \$100,000. The city is now lighted from one end to the other, as thoroughly as any on the cost. The corpor-tion also supplies incandescent lamps to stores, dwellings, &c. from which an income is derived which in the process of 1891.

The refer library building, completed at a cost of \$25,000, which gives a good service between Westminster and Surrey Muntoipality, was completed and commenced running last March.

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A bridge was built from the city to the head of Lulu Island, a portion of the mond Municipality—all at a total cost of \$65,000—was another forward move on the part of the city to hold and control, the business of the farming community.

The water works, the most important, and expensive undertaking the city has yet grappled with, were commenced a few months ago, and when finished, next. July, will have cost in the neighborhood of \$850,000. The system is pronounced by several expert engineers to be one of the very best on the continent. The west cannery in the continent. The water works, the most important, and expensive undertaking the city has yet grappled with, were commenced a few months ago, and when finished, next. July, will have cost in the neighborhood of \$830,000. The system is pronounced by several expert engineers to be one of the very best on the continent. The west cannery in the progress of the farming community.

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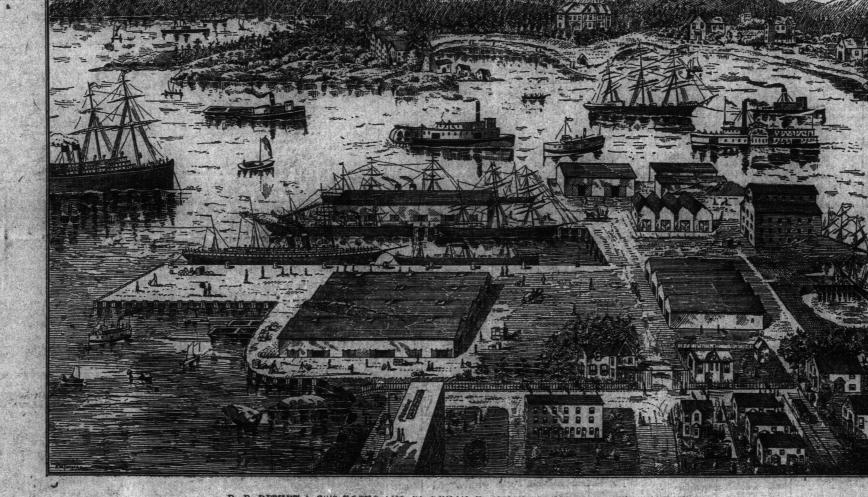
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The export of fresh salmon is becoming The export of fresh salmon is becoming an important industry in itself. Frozen salmon is shipped during seven months of the year to all the large cities in the east, the quantity for the season just closed having been 1,500,000 lbs. The first shipment of frozen salmon was made two weeks ago, when 40,000 lbs. were forwarded, via New York, to Hamburg, Germany

THE LUMBER INDUSTRY. The past year has been a busy one with the saw mills of the Royal City. The cut-has been larger than ever, and the num-ber of men employed considerably greater. has been larger than ever, and the number of men employed considerably greater. The Royal City Mills cut 19,000,000 feet of lumber; 16,000,000 shingles; 4,000,000 laths; 200,000 pickets; 110,000 salmon boxes, etc. Their shipments of lumber to the eastern provinces amounted to 350 carloads. These mills employ 425 men, and paid in wages \$320,000. The Brunette saw mills cut 14,000,000 feet of lumber; 7,000,000 shingles; 2,000,000 laths, and 100,000 salmon boxes. This mill gives employment to 200 men. The MacLaren-Ross mills, whose capacity is 300,000 feet daily, were only in operation a portion of the season. The Mechanics' mill and Galbraith's mill both made large cuts. The total cut of the made large cuts. The total cut of the Westminster mills is estimated at 60 000 Six cargoes of lumber we shipped to foreign ports.

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POPULATION. If in the matter of population New Westminster felt that it was badly treated (along with Victoria) by the census takers, it has still the proud distinction of leading every other city in the Dominion in the matter of increase during the last decade. The Dominion statistician gives decade. The Dominion statistician gives the increase at 342 per cent., but this is away below the mark. According to the

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DON ALD ROBERTSON.

C., November 30th, 1891.

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for the Esquimalt WaterWorks Co.
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er, 1891. HARRY M. PRICE.

ND AFTER this date I shall not possible for any debts contracted with written authority. W. F. TOLMIE. 2d day of September, A.D. 1891.

road to No. 5 shaft has been completed, and the product can be shipped with every facility. The company has stopped the bore at Harewood. It proved entirely satisfactory, and the sinking of the new shaft is progressing. A few new charters have been completed by the company for shipment.

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THE SCHOOL CONTROVERSY.

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A large number of token of respect toward. Robertson, yesterd took page from the Spring Ridge. The set by the Spring Ridge. The set by the Sprinualis deceased was a mer leaves many friends it large family, to lamer The faueral of Mrs. place, yesterday, afte church. The decea every popular, and she many. The pall bear W. J. Douglas, H. R. Costells and E. Coste

Douglas, H. I There was a large nd Labor Hall, last eing the installation ers' and Masons' forthcoming year: P. W. Bruce, vice-pre financial secretary; F. Adams, tary; and W. E. After the installation s gone into with variety of songs, colin solos, recitation

At 2:30 yesterday, rederick Randolph erment at Ross Bay o service at the h when the cortege Episoopal church, it Cridge and Rev. C. I funeral service. Thormed and headed band, followed by teorps), Courts Van Light A O.F., and the Makers' Iln on many markers' Iln on many markers' in an marker when the cortes of the Un on, man cemetery, where ted by Rev C. rs were Messrs. Langley J. M. Langley and ing the A.O.F.;

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EBY GIVE NOTICE that 60 days or date I intend to apply to the Chief sioner of Lands and Works for 250 land at Rivers Inlet; starting at a arked M, thence south 40 chains, thence chains, thence chains, thence objects to please of comments.

OE is hereby given that 30 days after te I intend making application to the mmissioner of Lands and Works for a rimbering purposes, of the following land in the Alberai District, Vancound, B. C.: Commencing at a post on t Lake, about half a mile south from the of Taylor River; thence West 5 arallel with the course of the river; North 1 mile; thence East 7 miles, parh the course of the river and lake; South half a mile to Kleecoat Lake; South half a mile to Kleecoat Lake; South half a mile to Kleecoat Lake; 5000 acres, more or less.

JOHN WHITE.

CE—Sixty days after date I intendaking application to the Chief Comprof Lands and Works for permission lasses 390 acres, more or less, on Uchulesit. Barclay Sound; commencing at the orner of Indian Reserve, Burrough lennes 80 chains west, thence 15 chains o shore line, thence following the rings of shore about 70 chains northence about 20 chains north, thence 35 less to shore of Uchucklesit Harbor, following the shore south-easterly to commencement.

W. R. CLARKE. Nov. 19, 1891. CE is hereby given that 60 days after to I intend making application to the e Chief Commissioner of Lands and for permission to purchase the followribed tract of land situated in Dean's Coast District, B. C., commencing at boundary post marked G. C.) of the vit Indian Reservation. thence nearly thalong the shore line 40 chains, thence hains, thence south 40 chains to the aboundary of the aforesaid Indian ion, thence west 40 chains to point of cement, containing 160 acres more or GEORGE CUNNINGHAM, the 4th day of November. 1891, at wit, B. C. From THE DAILY COLONIST, Jan. 6. LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Friday evening of this week has been a lected by the non-commissioned officers of Battery, R.C.A., for their first dance of the state o

public in carriages or on foot—all testifying to the popularity of the deceased and their sorrow at his demise.

For the Sayeralty.

Ald. A. J. Smith, by a card in this morning's issue, announces himself as a candidate for the mayoralty, in opposition to Hon. Robert Beaven. He has had long experience in the aldermanic board, and will no doubt run well.

memoers of the association

And still They Come.

Dr. Richard Morrison and ex-Alderman
M. Humber are the latest candidates for
municipal honors whose cards appear in today's paper. The former has seen service
as a school trustee, and the latter at the
City Council Board.

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An effort is being made to raise the Sierra, a craft of 25 tons, which was sunk in James Bay a few days since. She was owned by Chas. Spring, but sold some short time since to two Indians, named respectively, Thos. Cheemalet and Geo. Tainssun.

Corrig College re-opened, yesterday morning, after about two weeks' vacation. The attendance was much better than that of last year, the number of students present, yesterday, being about thirty-five. There are several yet to enter, among whom will be some from the other side.

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Died on Christmas Eve.

Mr. T. B. Macabe, of the Colonist, received a letter, last evening, from his home in Hamilton, Ont., informing bim of the death of his only sister, Miss Minnie Macabe, on Christmas eve. The deceased was in good health until four days before death.

The Council of the Board of Trade

of them, at least—out of town.

Mr. Robert Ward, as chairman of the Standing Committee on Fisheries reported verbally upon certain letters referred to his

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Future Use of the Douglas-Northern

Mails—Exploratory Surveys

of Coast Waters.

again at the call of the president, and rose at 1 o'clock. The quarterly general meeting is announce for Friday of the present week, when Mr. Beaumont Boggs will introduce the appended resolution:

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Whereas the mail between Canada and Great Britain is now forwarded via a United States port:

Mr. T. B. Hall presided, and present were Messrs. George Byrnes, D. R. Ker, Joshua Davies, A. B. Gray, W. F. Bullen, Robert Ward, C. E. Renouf, E. A. McQuade, and Thomas Earle. The few absentees—most of them, at least—out of town.

SHE IS A BEAUTY.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

Only Cuce Married.

In answer to a communication from W.
D. H., it may be stated that Charles
Stewart Parnell was an unmarried man before he was united to Mrs. O'Shea.

The Board of Trade.

Notices of the general meeting tomorrowhave been posted to all members of the
Board of Trade. Members not receiving
their notifications by mail should apply to
the secretary for them.

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ione. Thornton Fell for Lee Coy; Brydo Jack for Williams. The case was adjournantil this morning.

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Captain Walbran, of the new Government steamer Quadra, wishes it stated that his vessel has a measurement of 31 feet 6 inches in beam and not 21 feet 6 inches as a typographical error made the Colonist say, yes terday.

Of Interest to Travellers.

Commercial travellers of this province, up to the present time, have not had the privilege of travelling at reduced rates, as has been the case in the other provinces and territories of the Dominion. J. R. Kerr, of Kerr & Begg, has been appointed secretary of the Commercial travellers of this province, up to the present time, have not had the privilege of travelling at reduced rates, as has been the case in the other provinces and territories of the Dominion. J. R. Kerr, of Kerr & Begg, has been appointed secretary of the Commercial travellers.

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Mr. John H. Kerr has been temporarily appointed to fill the vacancy as Principal of the High school, created by the cancellations the certificate of Mr. J. P. McLeod.

Passed the Board. Mr. Walter Langley, well known in football circles, and who has sailed as mate in the employ of the C.P.N Co. for the past year, has just got through the examination for master's papers successfully.

Not Responsible.

Ald. H. A. Munn has received a letter from Hon. John Carling, Minister of Agriculture, stating that the Dominion Government does not consider itself entitled to pay the cost of transporting the lepers to Darcey Island.

From THE DAILY COLONIST, Jan. 5. LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

In Johnson Street Ward.

Mr. Geo, Mesher, sr., has announced himself as a candidate for the representation of Johnson street ward in the City Council.

His well-known ability as a business man should make him a useful member of the

Eighteen Chinamen are under arrest at Seattle, having arrived over from this city in a small sloop; they do not form the party referred to in Sunday's COLONIST, who no doubt are beneath the waters of the Straits.

A Thirsty Thier.

About 11:30 o'clock last evening a dishonest night bird took down one of the shutters from the window of B. Gordon's grocery, at the corner of Government and Fort streets, broke the window and helped himself to the bottles within. He then darted down Fort street to Langley, where he was lost in the darkness.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION. Additional Evidence Taken from Both

Sides Regarding the New Sew-erage Works.

Interesting Details Concerning the Much Discussed Box Drain.

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about them was right, were practicably in destructible.

N. C. Mayo, foreman of the works, deposed that the concrete in the sewers was of a uniform thickness, and never less than nine inches under the invert.

The proceedings were here adjourned until to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

PILOTS IN DANGER. Reported Loss of Ramsey and Newby—The Helen on the Rocks.

A LEPER CURED.

Cancer and Leprosy Found to be Antagonistic and Each Capable of Destroying the Other.

Interesting Experiments Which May Be the Means of Rooting out Two "Incurable" Diseases.

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THE NORTHERN MAIL.

TO THE EDITOR :- I am informed that the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company are holding back a portion of the mail which come down by the Thistle, and that they came down by the Thistle, and that they intend returning it again to the North. The reason given is that they are not now carrying the mail. Now, sir, I hold, that, having received the mail, they are bound to deliver it; and it is a crying shame that the people living up the coast should be put to further annoyance and inconvenience over their letters. What is wanted is for the Government to grant a good subsidy, and inaist on a regular and efficient service.

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POLITICS AND RELIGION.

The Public Schools.

After two weeks' vacation, the public schools of this city were yesterday recopened, and under very favorable circums stances. It is seldom that the roll-call is so liberally responded to on re-opening day. There were 423 girls in attendance at the Central school, and one each to the boys' department of the list—two to the boys' department of the manner of the list—two to the boys' department of the list—two to the boys' department of the list—two to the Bight School, and one each to the Ward schools.

Drunks held the fort in the police court, yesterday, and Philip Chalk, the only and lincomparable, headed the list.

To THE EDITOR:—A remarkable scene was enacted in the service conducted by Messrs. Crossley and Hunter during the warchight service, last Thursday evening. The whole congregation were asked to rise and sing the doxology over the fact that a measure had been secured to close our saloons from 11 pm. Saturday to 1 a.m. Monday. Shall we praise God that men are to be made hypocrites by law, and are deceived into thinking they are doing nonage to God by keeping their saloons open six days in the week and closed only one? Shall we not rather conclude that such measures are only in the interests of Sunday keeping and not of temperance? The mother who calls out to her boy on the street "Come in Johnny, you must not play ball on Sunday" is not teaching her son day. So we say with this Sunday closing statute, it is the Sunday sacredness, not the temperance principle that is being advanced. The same effort put forth for the suppression of the liquor traffic entirely would result in far greater success than outpeld with Sunday law schemes, which do not help the cause of temperance, but are only the thin end of the weige towards religious legislation.

TEMPERANCE. To THE EDITOR:—A remarkable scene was

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Experiments Which May Means of Rooting out "Incurable" Diseases.

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he patients that were Isaac Murray and Benjamin urray had that loathsome disd intestines. There is little een the diseases so far as the the patient goes, and both are the patient goes, and both are urable in the medical records carable in the medical records, ts have been sick for several the diseases had advanced to the then death would have been a sitor. Cancer and leprosy begin flammation of the skin, due to aism, and the diseases are carried m, and the diseases are carr m, and the diseases are carried ated tissues by infiltration. Dr. ived the idea of trying the the leprosy of an inoculation of was barely possible that the two the was barely possible that the two-htbeantagonistic. The injection of s made in the abdomen, and in each leper, and the effect was anxiously The leper took no interest in the g, as so many things had been done to so many things had been done thout benefit. About a week after ion he opened his eyes and began und him; his body was filled and strange sensations, and hope rough the misery in his soul.

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Hon. Mr. Dewdney Flatly Denie Davin's Charges That He Dealt in Regina Lots.

The Severest Judge on the Bench Preside at the Boodlers' Trial.

OTTAWA, Jan. 6 .- The Government H office that Canadian products will receive the most fayored nation treatment in the Spanish islands—Chba and Porto Rico to July 1st, despite the recent reciprocity treaty between Spain and the United

to Glenn county, in search of J. M. Martin and wife, the latter being the rightful heir to a fortune left by her father, ex Congressman Cross, of Vermont, about fifteen years ago. Bertha Cross met Martin in Washington, D. C., but, as her father opposed her marriage, the young couple eloped, and several years later came to California. The mother of the girl has since died, and last July her father died, leaving a fortune of about a million dollars to his only daughter. The detective has been searching since the father's death, and finally located the daughter in Glenn County. Mrs. Martin and her husband have been living in poor circumstances, and one month ago

More to Green County.

Storks and Bonds. In New York.

New York, Jan. 6.—The fields in to establish an institution of 1886, for the object, as stated in the securities. The company was formed in 1886, for the object, as stated in the securities of 1886, and the object, as stated in the securities of 1886, and the object, as stated in the securities of 1886, and the object, as stated in the securities.

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offered, and they are shipping that way. He didn't think that the matter of "differentials" would come before the Transcontinental Association until January 14, when that association will meet in New York. In the meantime the Canadian Pacific is giving shippers lower freight rates than the Transcontinental Association. The passenger ontinental Association ates are not affected.

rting paper of this city, challeng ter Hanlan or Gaudaur to a race se or four miles for \$1,000 a side, fair course in America, the race se off in the latter part of May or Ju

Pennsylvania Celificies Fleeded.
Shamorin, Ps., Jan. 6.—Over 4,000 miners and laborers employed at the Pennsylvania, Greenridge, Spring and Fernand collieries, between here and Mount Carmel, are idle on account of the high water. It has been raining at intervals for the last two weeks, causing the mines to flood more than for a number of years.

Houston, Texrs, Jan. 6.-Last night, with the arrival of the Southern Pacific train from the East, some one entered the express office in the Grand Central depot and robbed the safe, which had been left unlocked, of a number of C. O. D. pack-had ages. The express officials will not make known the amount of the loss.

while all the Wells, Fargo people were bury with the arrival of the Southern Tacility treaty between Spain and the United States.

The Lincolneounty nomination takes place on the 21st, polling on the 23th.

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Armagh. He is suffering with influenza and congestion of the lungs. He was created Archbishop in 1886. New York, Jan. 6. - A Tribune special from Chicago says that Lady Henry Somer A Yankee Mining Swindle. from Chicago says that Lady Henry Somerset, accompanied only by her maid, reached Chicago, late last night, and went to the Auditorium Hotel. She had a long conference with Miss Frances E. Willard, and went to a private house on the North side, whereshe will restfor some time. Lady Somerset will study at the Moody Bible Institute and inspect the various missions about the city. Her idea is to establish an institution in England similar to the Moody Institute.

LONDON, Jun. 6 .- The bankrupt court has rdered a strict inquiry to be made into the ormation and the whole history of the Uni-

CABLE NEWS.

aden Powell Anticipates an Early

and Satisfactory Settlement of the Behring Sea Dispute.

erman Railway Retrenchment—The Primate of Ireland III—Marriage of Social Leaders

Beaten by an Insane Convict.

Trofessor Webb is a candidate for Parliament, was one of the founders of the Fabian Society, which comprises the highest type of Societism in England, and holds a professorship in the University da. She Shenan-An offi

Prosecution for Political Discussion

A Lordly Spaniard Dead.

MADRID, Jan. 6.—The Duke of Dureal, indee of Spain, and a member of theroyonly, died of influenza.

The Queen of Roumania Dying.
London, Jan. 6.—It is reported that the octors in attendance on the Queen of Roumania despair of saving her life.

The France-Bulgarian Dispute.

London, Jan. 6. The statement that the ulgarian givernment politely declined to scind the decree expelling the French urnalist, Chadouine, from Bulgaria, has sen confirmed. A Paris special says there no reason to believe that the matter will arranged amicably. cell of a convict named Swi

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Official figures show that the exports of cutlery from Sheffield to be United States, last year, were of less can half the value of those of the preced-

To Succeed Consul Hitt.

London, Jan. 5.—Major Francis Frigott, attached to the American consulate's office is one of the deputies, will, it is reported, take the place of consul-general, made vacant by the resignation of George C. Hitt.

Raglish Steamship Owner Dead.

Liverpool, Jan. 5.—Frederick Richard Leyland, head of the firm of F. Leyland & Co., steamship owners died yesterday.

Co., steamship owners. died yesterday.

Refrenchment on German Railways.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—A sensation has been caused by the publication in the socialistic papers of a confidential circular sent by the government to the directors of the different state railways. The labor agitators make political capital out of the circular, which they aver plainly shows that the government is inimical to the interests of the laboring class. The circular declares in effect that the prerent financial position is such as to render, necessary the adoption of a policy of the circular declares in effect that the prerent financial position is such as to render, necessary the adoption of a policy of the circular declares in effect that the prerent financial position is such as to render, necessary the adoption of a policy of the circular declares in effect that the prerent financial position is such as to render, necessary the adoption of a policy of the rendered that they must reduce the wages of employes and diamiss all whose services can possibly be dispensed with.

Trouble in Tanglers.

MADRID, Jan. 6.—Owing to the threatenng condition of affairs at Tangiers in Mo-cocco, the Thunderer and another British

war vessel have appeared off that port and the British minister has, it is reported, notified the governor of Tangiers that a force of British will be landed to maintain order and protect foreign residents unless the governor is able to assure the safety of the town against the rebel tribes in the

Church Persecutions in Mexico. City of Mexico, Jan 5.—The president ted States Gold Placers Company, which concern recently failed in a manner most disastrous to numerous persons who had invested in its securities. The company was formed in 1886, for the object, as stated in the prospectus. of acquiring the Cotton

A Grand Buke Bead.

VIENNA, Jan. 6.—Prince Frederick Gustave of Saxweiler-Eisenbach is dead. The dead prince was the third son of the Grand Duke Charles Augustus, brother of the reigning Grand Duke, Charles Alexander John of Saxeweimar-Eisenbach.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

mia, the Indian Murderer, Still Un-respited—Four Men Drowned in the Fraser.

Court—Vancouver's Late Stipendiary Magistrate.

VANCOUVER.

board the Batavia were numerous. Needless to say, they received a hearty welcome from the officers, crew and passengers. The passenger list included Mr. and Mrs. St. John, Miss A. T. Brown, W. Guttridge, J. S. Gifford, C. H. Sillifant and C. T. Kufferath, with 44 Chinese and a couple of Japs. For some days previous to arriving at Honolulu, the weather was exceptionally bad, but having bid a temporary adien to that port, the elements seemed to favor the ship, moderate south-easterly winds being the worst that had to be contended with. The Batavia leaves port to-night.

Among her mails is to be found some interesting reading. Of course the recent rebellion in China is handled freely. Speaking on this topic, the Hongkong Daily Press says:— VANCOUVER, Jan. 6.—J. C. Hansen, who set for New Westminster for a couple of ays, was seen there on December 18th. Ie said he was coming back to Vancouver.

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MONTREAL, Jan. 6. — President Horne's prediction has been verified. Canadian Pacific gross traffic earnings last year were about \$20,200,000, and about \$8,000,000. Emia, the Chilcofen outlaw, sentenced to hang for the murder of a Chinaman twenty-one years ago, and who was respited for ninety days from 29th October last, has been taken back to Clinton, his place of trial, and will be hanged on the 29th instrunless his sentence be commuted in the meantime. Emia appears indifferent to his

The Fraser River Freezing company have received a telegram to ship another car of frozen salmon to Hanburg, Germany. A carload, consisting of 15 tons of fish, will be forwarded at once.

tenances of the scholars showed they had enjoyed the holidays. Miss Lawson, of Victoria, has been appointed principal of the girls' school. The schools were all fairly attended, and the pupils intend devoting their time to study in order to win the handsome prizes held out for the midsummer examinations.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

portant Matters Referred to the Favorable Consideration of the Incoming Council.

Winding Up the Year's Business-Annual Reports Deferred.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held, last night, at the Council Chamber. There were present:

Committee.
Ald. Renouf—Oh, no. Let us understand it. It seems to me that there must be a

possible, therefore, be it resolved, that the Street committee be requested to interview Mr. G. A. McTavish, with a view to ascer-

taining what arrangements can be made with him to open up Wallace street to connect with Humboldt, and report to the

Council at its next meeting.

Ald. Coughlin: It is scarcely worth

mistake.
The Mayor—I think not.
Ald. Renoul—We paid \$3,000 in June or July last. How is it double that amount Hen Mr. MacKenzle's Election Confirmed.

MARKHAM, Jan. 6.—Evidence was offered
in support of the protest against the return
of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie to the Commons or East York, and it was dismissed with

now?

The Mayor explained that since July the city was responsible for half the amount of the teachers salaries and fuel, etc. This year, however, they would get half the provincial taxes collectable in the city.

The communication was referred to the Finance Committee, to be paid if found correct. The Ontario Legislature Convened. Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Ontario Legisla-mre has been called for February 11th. rect.

The residents of Harrison and Pandora street petitioned for a sidewalk. Petition referred to Street Committee.

A by-law regulating Chinese wash-houses was introduced.

The report of the Street Committee was read recommending a variety of works to "the favorable consideration of the incoming Board."

The Police committee reported on a charge preferred against the police—that of

Madame DeBoucherville Dead. MONTREAL, Jan. 6. — Madame De Boucherville, wife of the Premier of Quebec, died lest night at her residence, Boucherville. Her death was sudden and unexpected.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—The South Winnipeg and Manitou nominations were held, to-day. Mr. Cameron, Liberal, and Mr. Spragne, Conservative, are the candidates in the field in South Winnipeg, and Huston, Conservative, and Tees, Liberal, in Manitou.

Funeral of Col. Herchmer.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—The funeral of the late Col Herchmer took place here, to-day, and was largely attended.

Arrested for Murder.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Leon C. Labelle was arrested, to-day, charged with the murder of his wife, Catharine Labelle. On the possible, therefore, be it resolved, that the possible in the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing clothes to be removed from the charge preferred against the police—that of allowing c

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CHICAGO, Jan '3.—Chu Yu Ling, a high caste young Chinaman who has been attending school in Paris, is at the Richelleu, or his way home to China. He expects to devote a couple of weeks to the coast cities. "It is a mistake to suppose that thins with the represented at the world's fait by an official exhibit," said Chu Yu Ling. "The Chinese poyerment did not, and will not, are ply to the invitation to take part in the apposition. You pass laws forbiding our people to land on American soil, and you can except expect us to land our shift of the apposition. You pass laws forbiding our people to land on American soil, and you can except yerpoet us to land our shift of the people who are the fair, if space can be obtained, and it is to phrise information on that point that I am here.

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COMMUNICATIONS. the British Columbia Land & In-Co. -asking for a refund of \$1,770 on improvements on the prope l clients. Referred to City Bar. same course was taken with the

d S. Duck.
the proprietor of Everett's salooning against additional taxation on sed hotel.

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oughlan—Is the license throughout
\$200? I think the matter ought to ed to the Licensing Committee, well aware, Mr. Mayor, that sevole in the trade are only paying \$60

were taken into the city they were ying \$60 per annun, and it was conhard to jump them up to \$200. Last y only paid the \$60, but this year Il have to pay \$200, the same as the

consequently decided to inform ett that the Council had no power Taylor wrote, claiming \$150 for done to the Pierre block by reason ooding of the cellars.
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meeting, called as a mass meeting, tended by members of the four local—Dauntless, Waverley, Pride of the and Fernwood—was the result of a sition to establish a colored lodge of the this city. Though the four der in this city. Though the four were represented, only Pride of the and, Fernwood voted, 130 strong, so sult of the vote finally taken can be sed only as expressing their views. contains no reference to color Canadian Order have inserted Canadian Order have intertedord "white" in referring to persons
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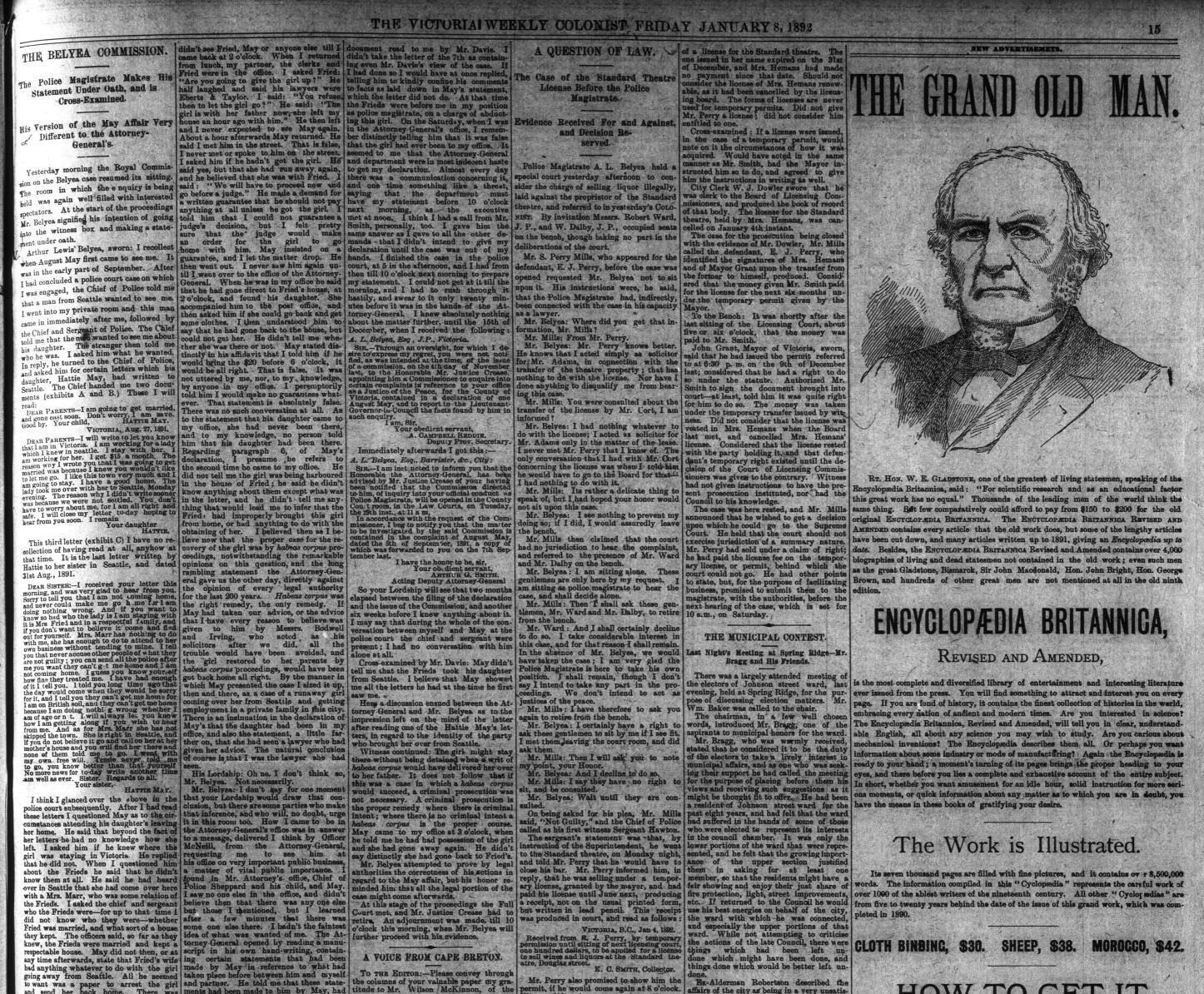
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of a license for the Standard theatre. The one issued in far name expired on the 31st of December, and Mrs. Hemans had made no payment since that date. Should not consider the license of Mrs. Hemans renewable, as it had been cancelled by the licensing board. The forms of licenses are never used for temporary permits. Did not give Mr. Perry a license; did not consider him entitled to one.



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Sunday, the largest number ever reported in any one day in that city.

Murderers McElvaine and Tressea, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be electrocuted during the week beginning February 8.

The Washington Southern railway company at Shelton, Wash., has ordered a general reduction of loggers' wages.

Charles Olsen, a Chicago milk-dealer, was murdered by unknown persons on Sunday

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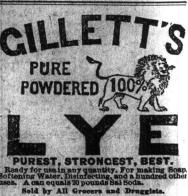
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