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Semi-Weekly Colonist.

FORTY-THIRD YEAR

THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST, FRIDAY, MAY 31 19)1

Burned

At Stake

Negro Murderer Meets a Horrible Fate From a Florida Mob.

Kills a White Woman and Is Hunted Down By Her Friends.

Repetition of Scene That Has Become Common in the

Barlow, Fla., May 29 .- Fred. Rochelle, negro, thirty-five years of age, who at oon yesterday assaulted and murdered Mrs. Lena Taggett, a white woman of this city, was burned at the stake here Intend to this evening, in the presence of a throng of people. The burning was on the scene of the negro's crime, within 100 vards of the principal thoroughfare of this city. At 10 o'clock yesterday morning Mrs. Taggart went fishing alone in a Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Sifton Will small row boat, in Paiaco creek. This is in full view of the public thoroughfare. A few minutes before noon, deciding to return home, she rowed her boat to the bridge and made it fast. A negro man was fishing from the bridge at the time. Mrs. Taggart started home and had proceeded only a few steps into the swamp toward the open prairie thence to the street, when she was approached by Rochelle, who had been hiding in the swamp. He seized her and she broke loose and screamed and ran from the swamp into the prairie, where he overtook her. Rochelle killed the woman by cutting her throat from ear to ear. He then walked to the negro who had been fishing on the bridge, and who was thoroughly frightened, and asked him what he should do with the body. He was told to leave it where it was, but unheedful of this request, he took the bleeding form in his arms and carried it back to the swamp, threw it down, and escaped into the interior of the swamp.

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security of the sense of the crimos on the claims of the proposed of the propose of the crimos. The bridge when the bridge were security of people of all ages, who were resoluted to provide the present through the propose of the crimos. The propose of the crimos of people of all ages, who were resoluted to the security of people of all ages, who were resoluted to the propose of they surrounded the prisoner and took up the march to the scene of the crime. He was half dragged, half carried to the bridge, enveloped by a great throng of people of all ages, who were resolute and determined, but quiet and orderly. Scream after scream broke from the wretch's quivering lips, followed by groans and prayers for mercy. At the bridge the mob turned toward the prairie, and then into the swamp, and to the scene of the negro's crime. By common consent burning was to be the penalty. The stake was the only suggestion as to the proper explaiting of the crime, and without organized effort, and was placed by the stake on the very spot where Mrs. Taggart was murdered. The negro was then chained to the stake. He pleaded for mercy, but in the crowd around him, silence was the only response. Before the chains around his body had been made fast, cans of kerosene were passed to the front, and one of the leaders stepped to the negro and slowly and deliberately poured it upon him and his clothes until clothes and barrel were well saturated.

It was then 6 o'clock, the crowd was growing, and business in the city had practically been suspended. When the match was applied the blaze quickly leaped skywards. For fifteen minutes the body burned, and a half hour from the application of the match only the charred bones were left as a remainder of a negro's crime and his fate. The crowd dispersed as orderly as it gathered and at 8:30 tonight the city was quiet.

ARBITRATION SOCIETY.

MONTGOMERY MEMORIAL.

Quebec. May 29.—(Special)—The following is the wording of the inscription which is promosed for a bronze tablet to replace the wooden one that marks the spot where Gen. Montgomery was killed in an assault mon Quebec on the 31st of December, 1775: "Here fell Richard Montgomery, general of the continental American on December 31st, 1775, who, after braving the rigors of a winter's march, met his death while leading his sallant men against a gallant foe."

Winnipeg, May 29.—(Special)—William Whyte, assistant to the president of the C. P. R., left on this afternoon's train for Montreal. From there he goes to New York and will sail by steamship Germanic, of the White Star line, for Orange Grand Lodge of British North America, which meets in Winnipeg during exhibition week, regarding rates, Delay through Siberia by the new road. They will be away about four months.

RIUNED HARVEST.

New Haven, Conn., May 29.—The machinists employed in the works of Sargent & Co., who have been on strike for ten days, to enforce the demand for a nine-hour day, went back to work, the company having acceded to their demands; 65 machinists are employed in the shop.

Of Faith

Debate in United States Presbyterian General Assembly

terian General Assembly

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 29.—All the
machinists and helpers in the brass
foundry and machine works, one of the
largest plants in the country devoted
to the manufacture of car wheels, struck
today for nine hours. The strikers number 150.

terian General Assembly
Is Finished.

Amendment Accepted Providing
for Preparation of a Re-

BUBONIC PLAGUE.

Man in London Suburb Supposed to Have It Slightly.

London, May 29.—At Willesden, an outlying suburb of London, a man supposed to be suffering from the lightest

Visit the Yukon in July.

RUINED HARVEST.

Confession

vised Statement.

But in No Way to Impair Integrity of System of Doctrine.

Philadelphia, May 27.-The Presby-

See Dawson the next general assembly for such disposition as may be judged wise, a brief statement of the reformed faith expressed as far as possible in untechnical The Battle of Lookout Fought Over terms. The said statement is to be prepared with a view to its being employed

New York, May 27.—Justice Gildersleeve, in the Supreme court today, decided that the anti-scalping law passed by the legislature this year was unconstitutional. The justice said that while it was unusual for a special term of the Supreme court to pass upon the constitutionality of a law, it would nevertheless not enforce laws which were manifestly invalid.

ORANGEMEN EN TOUR.

Yale, May 29.—This afternoon the river was 37 feet above low water mark, having risen giver fince this morning.

Berlin, May 29.—Germany, in the opinion of the Vossicsche Zeitung, will need to import 1,500,000 tons more wheat, and 760,000 tons more

ICELANDERS DROWNED."

Many Fishermen Lost in Recent Acci- Another dents on West Coast

Copenhagen, May 28.—Several serious accidents have occurred among the Wert Icelandic fishermen, many persons being drowned. A large boat was capsized near the West Manna islands, and 29 men and women perished. BOMB EXPLODES

Attempt to Blow Up New York Jewelry New York, May 29.—At 1:10 this (Wednesday) morning a supposed dyna

(Wednesday) morning a supposed dynamite bomb exploded in front of Gleason & Co.'s jewelry store, 135th street. Windows were broken and there was great excitement. As far as known no one was injured. The police are investigating.

McKINLEY'S SUCCESSOR. tor Fairbanks of Indiana Na

Philadelphia, May 27.—The Presbyterian general assembly adopted the revision committee report today.

Dr. Moffat moved the following amendment:

"We recommend that this committee be instructed to prepare and to submit to the next general assembly for such dispersion of the property of the statement that Indiana will stand behind Mr. Fairbanks of Indiana, who arrived in Chicago today, is authority for the statement that Indiana will stand behind Mr. Fairbanks in his race for the honor.

ANCIENT HISTORY,

pared with a view to its being employed to give information and a better understanding of our doctrinal beliefs and not with a view to its becoming a substitute for or an alternative of our confession of faith."

"We further recommend that this committee be instructed to prepare a revision of chapter III, chapted X, section 3, chapter XVI, section 7, chapter XXII, section 2 and of the secretary of war has approved the finding of the board of which Major. Gen. Brooke was charman, appointed to investigate the claim of Major William F. Smith, U. S. A., retired, that he and not Gen. Rosecrans conceived the plan for the relief of Chattanooga, Tenn., by military operations to be conducted in Lookout valley, October, 1863. The board found that Gen. Rosecrans devised the plan.

Chicago May 28.—Preliminary steps towards establishing a coroner's office at the headquarters of John Alexander Dowie's "Zion," Twelfth street and Michigan avenue, were taken yesterday by Attorney Edward J. Smejkal of the state board of health." Working in conjunction with the coroner's office Smejkal has been busy gathering a mass of evidence to lay before the state board of health at its meeting here today. The grand jury today will commence its investigation into the methods of treatment that obtain in Zion, bearing especially upon the death of Mrs. H. W. Judd. Dowie's attorney last night conceded that the inquisitorial body would vote an indictment, but added that an indictment did not mean conviction.

EIGHT HOUR LAW.

London, May 28.—The International Miners' conference now in session in London, and which is attended by many continental delegates, passed a resolution today in favor of a universal eight hour day. The chairman, Mr. Wm. Abraham, expressed the belief that parliament would mass an eight hour lew in 1902. M. Cotte, delegate to the French miners, said that if the eight hour bill now before the chamber of deputies did not progress rapidly, the French miners were prepared to declare a strike.

THE TWO SHAMROCKS. Lipton Will Send the Pair to the United States.

London, May 28.—The British thirdclass cruiser Pegaeus is stranded off
Graine Spit, outside Sheerness. Tugs
have failed to tow her off. She is being
lightened, and it is hoped she will float
at the next high tide.

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to
the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aided
by Carter's Little Liver Pills. They not
may relieve present distress but strengthen
ie st Mach and digestive apparatus.

Explosion

Forty Five Men Believed to Have Perished in Tennessee

Relief Gangs at Work But Little Hope of Saving Any Lives.

Disaster Supposed to Have Been Caused by a Naked

Chattanooga, Tenn., May 27 .- A specal from Dayton says that an explosion of mine dust occurred in the New Richland coal mine of the Dayton Coal & Iron Co., at 5 o'clock, this afternoon and that the dead bodies of twelve white miners have already been taken out of The Telqua the outer drift and that five more are known to be dead.

It is stated that 45 men, all white were at work in the mine and it is feared all have perished. Relief gangs are at count of debris in the shaft, the work has been slow and tedious.

The mine is a new one and extende about 2,000 feet. The explosion is thought to have been caused by an open lamp carried by one of the miners. The mine is remote and several miles from Dayton and details are difficult to obtain. A explosion similar to this occurred at the old Richland mine of the same company by which 28 miners lost their lives.

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Pretoria, May 28.—The Boer General Schoeman and his daughter have been killed, and his wife and two others have been badly injured by the explosion of a shell. General Schoeman and his famility and some friends were examining a 4.7-inch lyddite shell which they kept in the house as a curiosity, when the shell exploded, killing the general on the spot, mortally wounding his daughter and severely injuring his wife and two other persons.

General Schoeman was a great Krugerite. He led the commando of Colesa berg and surrendered on the occupation of Pretoria. He was afterwards captured by the Boers and released when the British occapied Barberton. The general then went on a police mission, was retaken by the Boers and was again released when the British occapied Barberton. The general then went on a police mission, was retaken by the Boers and was again released when the British occapied Barberton. The government now has the sametime captured by the most and the nature of the customs and the nature of the customs and the mover, and it therefore becomes constitutional in congress to make all need that time General Schoeman had resided in Pretoria.

INVESTIGATING ZION.

Dowie's Methods in Chicago to be Inquired Into.

Linear Schoeman and his daughter have been situation to the fullest extent so called insular policy of the daministration could fine a serior for government now has the administration color for government now has the administration color for government now has the administration color for government needs recalled insular policy of the administration color for government new has the administration color for governing these court for governing these islands as their needs recalled, and the coal is better for color for government new has the administration color for government new has the administration color fo

Before the Courts.

Rochester, N. Y., May 27.—For the third time the question as to Sunday closing of the Pan-American exposition was brought before the appelate division this afternoon. Since the case was last before the court the lawyers employed have agreed upon the facts on which the action is based. The movement is veiled under a motion for the removal of two Buffalo police commissioners on the grounds that they have been direlict in performing their duties in allowing the exposition to remain open on May 5 to 12. Attorney Westwood, for the petitioner, Oscar Ghapman, charged that although the police were for the grounds, the power of the police commissioners was not abridged. Lawyer Cunneen, of Buffalo, appeared in opposition to the motion. He said that the police commissioners have relied upon the fact that there was, and is a police force appointed by the governor doing duty at the Pan-America grounds, and believed that the exposition police would preserve the peace and prevent violation of the law, and that they had been force

of the law, and that they had been forced to act upon the assumption that the Pan-American police force was doing its duty. The court reserved decision. A decision may be handed down tomorrow or one week from that time.

Coal Fields

work, but on account of the immense Sensational Reports of the Finds in the Skeena River Country.

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JOINS THE RACE.

La Presse of Montreal Sends a Couple of Men Round the World.

Montreal, Que, May 27.—Another competitor in the big all-round the world race has come to the front. The Canada.

Montreal wo of its best reprince to make the circle of the globe.

They left tonight for New York, where they take the fast S. S. Kaiser Wilhelm they take the fast S. S. Kai partment, who surveyed the Crow's Nest coal fields for the government last year,

Ottawa hackmen to the number of 140 are to dine with His Excellency Thursday.

Major Maude, the new military secretary to Lord Minto, arrived today.

Rise Reported at Yale of a Foot. As I think they could be landed at the Pacific terminns of the trans-Siberian railway and sent inland a good distance cheaper than the same goods could be handled via St. Petersburg.

FAREWELL SERMON.

Rev. Mr. Vrooman Leaving Winnipeg for Vancouver.

Winnipeg. May 27.—(Special)—Rev. W. A. Vrooman, who has been called to the Congregational church, Vancouver, May 27.—(Special)—Rev. W. A. Vrooman, who has been called to the Congregational church, Vancouver, May 29.—(Special)—Some time ago W. E. Moody, a Methodist minister Severs His Connection With Zionites.

Vancouver, May 29.—(Special)—Some time ago W. E. Moody, a Methodist-minister, severed his connection with the British Columbia Methodist conference to join Dowie's Zionites. A letter received to be more imminent than for years.

CANNERS' ASSOCIATION.

Vancouver, May 27.—(Special.)—The Fraser River Canners' association has been formally organized with every cannery on the river in the syndicate. The last act was consumated today in the taking over by the syndicate of the Albion cannery formerly owned by Mr. Wortzburg. The money has been paid over to the bank by the ravnery, and a manager appointed.

Candidates at North Brant and East Huron.

Paris, Ont., May 29.—(Special)—North Brant Liberals have re-nominated the present member, D. Burt, as candidate for the local legislature.

Brussels, Ont., May 29.—(Special)—Archibald Bishop. member for East Huron, has been re-nominated the present member, D. Burt, as candidate for the local legislature.

Huron.

VOIUME LXII

Question of Pan-American Exhibition Departure Of Troops

Forces of the Various Powers. Are Being Withdrawn From China.

British Transports Arrive to Carry the Soldiers Back to India.

Expression of Approval of Count Von Waldersee's Tact and Courtesy.

Tien Tsin, May 29.-Two British transports have arrived at Tong Kn to troops direct to India. Another transport will arrive today to take the

Beluchi regiment to Wei-hai-Wei. Gen. Voyron, the French commander. expects, now that the evacuation has been decided upon, that France will countermand the order holding her troops temporarily in China. He antici-

pates the early arrival of the French 'Gen. Lorne Campbell, the British com mander here, says the international sit-uation at Tien Tsin is better than at any time since the arrival of the troops, though on the departure of the Americans the Russians objected to the Brit-Deposits Are Said to Be of Vast ish hoisting their flag on a bridge when the United States flag was taken down,

London, May 29.—(Special)—Geo, Moncrieff, K.C., ex-M.P., West Lambton. died at St. Joseph's hospital here last alight. He had been ill for some time. He was a successful commercial lawyer. Toronto, May 29.—(Special)—Mrs. Oronhyatekha, wife of the head of the I. O. F., is dead.

Kineardine, May 29.—(Special)—Mrs. John McLeod was caught between the wheels of her buggy, the horse becoming restless, and was crushed to death. Halifax, May 29.—(Special)—City Auditor John A. Bell died suddenly this.

IMPERIAL LIMITED.

Winnipeg, May 29. — (Special)—Thenew Imperial Limited time card of the C. P. R., will go into effect on June 10. The trip from Montreal to. Vancouverwill be made in the same time as last year—100 hours. The train leaves Montreal at 9:30 a.m., arrives at Winnipeg two days later at 6:30 a.m., and will reach Vancouver on the fourth day at 1 p.m.

Proceedings and Assembly Adjourns.

Philadelphia, May 28.-The 113th Presbyterian general assembly was dissolved at 6:15 tonight by Moderator Minton, after having been in session for

sembly convened, the equanimity of sioners was disturbed by the introduction of personalities. The troumittee. Rev. Dr. J. D. Moffatt suggest ed a change in the minutes of yester day's session so that the records would show that a new committee had been appointed to revise the creed, regardless of the old committee, of which Rev. Dr. Charles A. Dickey, of this city, was chairman. His suggestion was adopted,

satisfaction for the murder of Paul charman. His suggestion was adopted, and Rev. Dr., J. E. Moffatt. of Cumberland, Md., moved that Moderator Minton be elected chairman of the committee. This incensed the friends of Dr. Dickey, and although Dr. Moffatt. motion prevailed, the subject was revived later in the session by Rev. S. J. Nichols, of St. Louis.

Dr. Nichols moved to reconsider the motion, but as he had not been present during the early debate, he was declared out of order. The motion to reconsider was then renewed by Rev. W. D. Crockett, of Canton. Pa. Realizing the delicacy of his position, Moderator Minton relinquisited the chair to Vice-Moderator Picton. The matter was finally adjusted by Dr. Dickey, who advised the assembly against reconsidering the motion, saying he was confident there had been no attempt to cast any reflection upon him, but that the commissioners merely desired to honor his successor as moderator.

Dr. Dickey's friends wanted the election of the chairman to be made by the committee, in which event, it is conceded, Dr. Dickey would have been relected. The motion, however, was lost. There are still six members of the revision committee to be appointed, but Moderator Minton said today that he had not yet made any selection. The closing hours of the assembly were devoted to routine matters.

NEED ASSIGNANCES

NEED ASSISTANCE.

Oxford, May 28.—No satisfactory advices having yet come from the United States concerning the financial conditions of the Oxford-Cambridge, Hardison of the Oxford of the

nad to tie up to wait for ice to clear Hell Gate.

NEWFOUNDLAND QUESTIONS.

Premier Bond Reaches Home and Reports Progress.

St. John's, Nfid., May 28.—Premier Bond returned here today from his mission to England and Canada. The French shore matter is awaiting the action of the French government. The Canadian cabinet is still considering the Bond-Blaine convention. A settlement has been reachced with contractor Reid, and the whole railroad question will be re-adjusted pending the session of the legislature. Premier Bond's cabinet begins a consideration of the rnilroad problem next Thursday, when the terms of the compromise will be disclosed.

Ruf Dykes Will Prevent Serious.

CAPTURE A TOWN.

French Troops Carry Walled City by Assault.

Paris, May 28.—A despatch received here from Gen. Voyron at Tien Tsin, and dated May 26, says that a reconnoitering party came upon a walled town 19 kilometres northeast of Ting Chau. The town authorities refused to open the gates, whereupon the French artillery opened fire, the wall was breached and the town taken. One French infantryman was wounded. Gen. Balloud is scouring the country with a column of French troops and is supporting the Chinese regulars.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver. May 28.—News comes from New Westminster that the rise in the river for the last 24 heurs has been steady and with continued warm weather the water may rise as high as in 1894; but nothing like the damage done in that year is expected, owing to the number of substantial dykes constructed since that time.

BLOWN TO PIECES.

Three Men Killed by Explosion of Dy-

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 28.—Three men employed on the new electric canal being constructed between Canton and Wilkesbarre, were instantly killed by an explosion of dynamite today. They were employed in the blacksmith shop, and without any warning a big box of dynamite exploded. The frame shanty was blown to pieces and the three men hurled bigh in the air and killed.

OBJECTS OF INTEREST. China Would Pay Indemnity but Not Four per Cent,

Pekin, May 28.—The Chinese plenipotentiaries have informed the ministers of the powers that the court has notified their willingness to pay indemnity to amount to 450,000,000 taels, but

CHANGED COMMANDER.

Resigns from the Guards in Favor of Rosie Booth.

London, Mov 28.—The resignation is gazetted of the Marquis of Headfort, a lieutenant in the First Life Guards, presumably because he married Rosie Booth, the actress.

CARDINAL GIBBONS.

TO SCALE MOUNTAINS. Edward Whymper, the Climber, Coming to British Columbia.

Two Factions Were Pulling to Get Their Own Men Appointed.

To British Columbia.

Montreal, May 28.—(Special)—Edward Whymper, known as the champion mountain climber of the world, will arrive in Canada shortly. He had booked to sail on the Parisian on her last trip, which had to be cancelled on account of an accident. The object of Whymper's visit is to tackle Assiniboia mountain, in the Rockies, a peak mountain climbers have been trying to reach for three years. The Matterhorn was first successfully scaled by Whymper. He is the most expert climber known, and has written several books on the subject. Whymper will bring four guides with him. Besides climbing Mount Assiniboia, the climbers will prospect for mineral wealth, and it is anticipated that their work will cover three summers. Banff will, be the base of their operations.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Presbyterian Church in United States Does Not Approve of Them.

Desmoines, Iowa, May 28.—By a vote of 90 to 63, the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church this afternoon adopted the report of the judiciary committee upon the change of creed with regard to article 15. This is interpreted to mean that the admission of members of secret societies to the church is forbidden, and according to some of the delegates, it expels from the church those who are now members of secret orders.

TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

But Morocco Cannot Give Back the Life She Has Taken.

Paris, May 28.—The government of Morocco has agreed to give France full satisfaction for the murder of Paul Pousett, the wealthy planter, who, with his son-in-law, was murdered by pirates

upper Yukon valley up to last Saturday. Among the fifty first-class passengers Mglish University Team Asking Aid to and C. N. Robertson. There is little

new to tell of the Klondike. On Friday morning the only obstruction to free navigation of the Yukon between Lake Bennett and Dawson was the ice jam which stopped steamers at Hell's Gate, the steamers Bailey and Zealandia being at that point waiting for the ice jam to break. It was thought then that the river would be clear by

But Dykes Will Prevent Serious Damage of Previous

ALBANY ACCIDENT.

Conductor of One of the Wrecked Cars Under Arrest.

Albany, May 28.—On a warrant issued by Coroner Meredith of Rensseler county, Charles T. Johnson, who was conductor of the southbound car wreeked in the collision on Sunday, on the Albany & Hudson railway, was tonight placed under arrest. He is in the Troy jail and will be charged with criminal negligence, resulting in death.

Locomotive Works Machinists Win

Their Fight.

Dunkirk, N.Y., May 27.—The strike of the machinists employed by the Brooks locomotive works was settled tonight. All the men who struck will be taken back without discrimination, the union is recognized, a shop committee will adjust grievances and fifty-five hours shall constitute a week's work.

Young Italian Attempts Suicide and

Makes Astounding Confession.

Municipal Amendments

Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken M. P. P. Offers an Explanation Which Is Criticised.

Appointment of Fire Chief Defered-McDowell to be Re-Instated.

Last night's meeting of the city council was more remarkable for a display of oratory on the part of the members than for the amount of business disposed of. A letter of explanation from Mr. Helmcken, regarding the amendments long discussion. The appointment of a new chief of the fire brigade was deferred till next Wednesday evening, as was also the consideration of the School by-law. The matter of band concerts in the park also gave rise to considerable lebating and was not finally disposed of. There were present, His Worship Mayor Hayward, Aldermen Kansman, Williams, Cameron, Stewart, Yates, Cooley, Hall Beckwith and Brydon. COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communications were H. Dallas Helmcken, K. C., M. P. P.,

City of Victoria:

RE MUNICIPAL CLAUSES ACT AMEND
MENT ACT. 1901. No. 99.

Gentlemen: I have the honor to acknowledge the receivt of pour communication of the Zist instant in reply to mine of the 13th instant, and while you are good enough to thank me for the letter, you also include copy of a resolution which was passed in acknowledgment of same, viz:

"Resolved, that this council expresses its regrets that strenuous efforts were not summary the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary that the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary that the country of the assential that strenuous efforts were not summary that the country of the strength of the country of the strength of your resolution is certainly based upon an entire misconception of what took place with regard to this bill, and a milsunderstanding of the rules of the house, which is pardonable, and I am, therefore, afraid that you have been unwittingly ied into an error in passing the resolution. You will recollect that on the 19th of January last I wrote to you, advising you that the Bouse of Assembly was called together for the 21st February, and asking you then to have whatever amendments at the earliest moment. To this communication your honorable body balaced in possession of the proposed amendments at the earliest moment. To this communication your honorable body advising you of the organization.

On the 4th of March I wrote your honorable body advising you for the organization of the called the condition of the called the condition of the called the condition of the proposed amendments at

Ald. Brydon seconded the motion.

Ald. Yates, who was not present at last meeting, said he considered the council was to blame in the matter in not presenting the proposed amendments sooner, though the city members might have pressed the second reading. He moved that the letter be filed.

Ald. Stewart seconded the amendment ggested.

On the 4th of March I wrote your honorde body advising you of the organization ment.

Ald. Beckwith accepted the amendment, but Ald. Brydon, who seconded, declined to acquiesce. He insisted that the legislative committee of the council presented the proposed amendments early in the session, and not at the close as stated in Mr. Helmcken's letter.

Ald. Williams moved an amendment to the amendment,

That Mr. Helmcken's letter be acknowledged and the writer be thanked for his concise explanation as to why the amendments to the Municipal Clauses act were not passed by the legislature.

The petition of B. Nicholas, and others, regarding improvements to Upper Johnson street, was referred to streets, bridges and sewers committee.

Ald. Stewart moved that the council proceed to ballot on the appointment of a chief of the fire brigade to replace Chief Deasy, whose term of office expires on May 31.

Ald. Yates moved that the matter be deferred till Wednesday evening.

Ald. Kinsman and Ald. Hall supported the motion.

ACDOWELL'S REINSTATEMENT.

Paris, Berlin, London WEILER BROS. VICTORIA B. C.

Clauses Amendment Bill "at an earlier stage of the session?" as stated in your resolution, when, on your own showing, your own amendments, although repeatedly asked for, were not presented till the 2nd of April, and continued to come in until the 9th of May. Surely it is only fair that this matter should be considered? Therefore, in justice to my colleagues, who have been loyal throughout, it appears to me that fair play requires that the resolution in question should after this explanation, be reconsidered forthwith and expunged from your minutes, and I trust that your honorable body will view it in the same light. I also have to say that on Monday, the 13th instant, I had a long conference with His Worship the Mayor, and explained to him exactly how it was that the bill did not become law. Furthermore, I know Alderman Cameron is familiar with all these facts. I must add my thanks to Alderman Williams, who was good enough to champion the cause of the city members.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, J. STUART YATES,
H. COOLEY,
JOHN HALL,
J. L. BECKWITH,
THOMAS A. BRYDON,
R. T. WILLIAMS.

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Up-to-Date Styles

WEILER BROS.

Our first consignment of Fall Goods in the Upholstring, Drapery and Curtain line are now on sale, and we can only say that for coloring, artistic effect

Latest Novelties From

Ald. Stewart said the chief should have a permanent assistant. The efficiency of the brigade required such an officer. He moved that the report be Ald. Cameron believed the office of assistant chief should be combined with some other duty that would fully occupy his time.

his time.

Ald. Yates asked for justice to McDowell, as he considered he had been
unfairly treated.

Ald. Kinsman regretted having signed
the requisition and would like to see the
wrong done to McDowell remedied.

Ald. Yates moved that the report be
adopted, and that the fire wardens be recommended to reinstate McDowell at
assistant chief.

BAND CONCERTS.

lows:

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in Council Assembled:
Gentlemen: Your Park Committee having considered the undermentioned subject, beg to report as follows:
That the City band and Fifth Regiment band were requested to state how many concerts they would each give for \$250. The Fifth Regiment band reply that they will give six concerts on alternate Sundays for \$240, and the City band state that they will give six concerts and a complimentary one for the sum of \$250.

Your committee would therefore recommend that agreement be made with the Fifth Regiment and City bands for the giving of twelve concerts on alternate Sundays in terms of their respective offers, the first concert to be given on Sunday, June 2, 1901.

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All of which is respectfully submitted by JOHN HALL.
J. STUART YATES.

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Ald. Yates pointed on Sunday should not be allowed to interfere with Sunday school or church services.

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Ald. Kensman agreed with Ald. Beckwith, and seconders he hands are engaged on Saturday afternoons.

The mayor considered that, as all the concerts, and many objected to Sunday amusements, it was only fair that some of the concerts should be given on week days.

The report was withdrawn to permit the committee to carry out the amendment.

Ald. Yates withdrew his amendment.

Ald. Beckwith accused Ald. Williams of misrepresenting him. He had not criticised Mr. Helmcken's letter, but he wished the public to understand that the city's amendments had been presented in ample time.

Ald. Cameron wished to put himself right. He repeated what he had said before, that there had been too many cooks. He did not blame the city members, it was one of those unfortunate affairs where the city's interest had been sacrificed in the press of business.

Ald. Williams amendment was lost,

Accounts aggregating \$7,502.89, were ecommended for payment.
The council then adjourned.

GOLDEN ASSIZE.

Recommendations Made by the Grand Jury to Chief Justice.

At the recent assizes at Golden the grand jury made the following presentment to the Chief Justice:
To the Honorable A. J. McColl, Chief

Justice:
May it please Your Lordship: We the grand jury of North East Kootenay beg to extend to you a hearty welcome on this the occasion of your first visit to our district in an official capacity and hope you may long be spared to fill the high office which you so much adorn.
We desire to bring before Your Lordship's notice the following recommendations:

tions:
1. That a registrar of cattle and horse brands be appointed for North East Kootenay, as the district has long been without one.

Kootenay, as the district has long been without one.

2. That the court room be provided with a proper system of ventilation, which it at present entirely lacks.

3. That the present jail be enlarged and some accommodation be provided for female prisoners. Also that a kitchen be added, as at present all the prisoners' meals have to be cooked in the corridor adjoining the cells.

4. That a resident doctor be appointed health officer for Golden.

5. That a constable, without other duties, be provided for the town. In view of the rapid growth of Golden, we consider this absolutely necessary in the interests of law and order.

6. We further humbly beg to recommend that our present sheriff, Mr. S. S. Redgrave, be granted a superannation pension by the government, he having reached the age of 70, and having for the past 17 years faithfully and truly performed the duties of sheriff in this district to the entire satisfaction of the community, by which he is held in the highest esteem.

And we, your petitioners, shall ever pray.

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His Lordship expressed his appreciation of the personal references in the presentment, and informed Mr. Innes, who was present that he would take great pleasure in doing something he had never done before, to wit: He would write personally to the Attorney-General fully endorsing the views of the grand jury in every particular.

Frederick McIllmoyle, Abraham Roberts second.

Bicycle races—2 mile, free for all, won by Abraham Roberts, Edgar Brethour second, Joseph Lawson third.

Bun-eating contest, won by Wr. Simpson, jr., Archey John second.

Tug of war between North and South Saanich, best two out of three. After many struggles North Saanich pulled the boys from the south across the mark twice in succession, thereby winning the contest.

contest.

Boat races— Men's ¾-mile, one rower and one steerer, 1st, Wm. Dernberger, puller; Joseph Lawson, steerer. Second, Wm. Young, puller; George Reid, steer-

Boat race, 4-mile, boys 16 and under, one rower and one steerer: First, Harry Musgrave, rower; George John, steerer. Second, George Reid, rower; Jock Rob-

Second, George Reid, rower; Jock Roberts, steerer.
Football game for boys under sixteen, won by picked team.
After the sports, all present sat down to a very sumptuous supper prepared by the ladies, the evening ending with dancing, music being given very kindly by J. McNeil of the steamer Iroquois.
Byerybody went home hoping soon to have the pleasure of being with the members of Court Saanich, I. O. F. upon as an enjoyable day as that spent on the 24th day of May, 1901.

BEATS THE WORLD.

Irishman Makes Long Jump That is a London, May 27.—In the Irish Championship games at Dublin today, P. O'Connor, of Waterford, covered 24 feet, 9 inches in the jump, beating all previous records.

AGREED.

With the Union. Utica, May 27.—The machinists who struck at Stafford and Holts' knitting machine manufactory in Little Falls a week ago, returned to work today, the firm having signed the union agreement

Railway Agent Is Missing

George Leightner of Northern Pacific Left City on Friday Night.

Travelling Auditor of Company Is Now in Charge of Office.

George Leightner, general agent for the Northern Pacific railway in this city, has been missing since Saturday, and his office is in charge of Mr. W. P. Bird, travelling auditor of the company. Mr. Bird and another official from the auditor's department at Tacoma, arrived in the city on Friday evening rather unexpectedly, the auditor having been over but a short time becoma, arrived in the city on Friday evening rather unexpectedly, the auditor having been over but a short time before on his regular visit. That night

the general agent went over to Vancouver and was seen in the Terminal City of Saturday. Where he went from company's officials are now trained a company's officials are now trained in some a rule of hunting down those of their clients.

nished his bonds and who make a rule of hunting down those of their clients with whom he had associated, would be hardly correct. Since coming to Victoria some six months ago, he has led a fast life, associating with a set who keep "all night sessions," and who stint themselves in nothing. He was ensily led, and in fact was one of those who are their own worst enemies, spending money with a lavish hand. The large amount he spent was accounted for by the report that he had a private income, but the developments of the last few days go to show that he had nothing beyond his salary, which, would hardly allow of the extravagances included in.

The amount of his shortage is not known. When spoken to yesterday morning, Mr. Bird said he was not yet in a position to make a statement, but that one would no doubt be forthcoming in a few days. He had been sent over to make an examination of the office, and had charge until this work was completed.

There were all kinds of rumors on

The Line To France

Contract Signed For Steamship Service For Which Bonus Is Given.

Additional Vessels Chartered to Carry Canadian Hay to South Africa.

P. E. I. Population Shows Decrease, New Brunswick and N. 8. Increases.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, May 28.-F. H. Clergue, of Sault Ste. Marie, today signed the contract for a steamship service to France for which a subsidy of \$100,000 was voted by parliament last session. For the first year Clergue's line will make

Mr. Blair leaves for England next week on private business.

Mr. Mullen, ex-M.P., was in town today. He had an interview with Sir Richard Cartwright, at which it is understood he pressed his claims for the next vacant Ontario senatorship.

The department of militia was notified by Lord Strathcona today that Trooper Another Firm Accepts the Agreement W. J. C. Brown died of dysentry at Bloemfontein on the 21st May. His

next of kin is Samuel Brown, of Kirk-town, Ont.

Seven additional vessels are charter-ed to carry Canadian hay to South Af-Prince Edward Island will show a de-

crease in population, and New Brunswick and Nova Scotia an increase, by the census.

John Hardie, chief clerk of the marine department, died today.

The department of labor last month investigated seven complaints of violation of the alien labor law. In three cases the violation was not proven; the other four cases are pending.

ELECTION PROTESTS.

A Number of Trials in Ontario Fixed for Hearing.

Toronto. May 28.—(Special)—The house having risen, the following election trials have been posted:

West Durham, June 7, at Whitby, before Chief Justice Falconbridge and Judge Street, against Thornton, Conservative

VANCOUVER GUARANTEE FUND.

Four Thousand Dollars Has Been Promised For Gold Purchase. Vancouver, Msy 28.—(Special.)—There was a special meeting of the Board of Trade last night to hear the free assay canyassing compilities.

RHODE ISLAND MURDERER. Killed His Wife, a Farm Hand and

CUBAN CONVENTION.

Platt Amendment Carries by a Majority of Only One Vote.

ADMIRAL SEYMOUR NOW.

London, May 28.—Vice-Admiral Sir Edward H. Seymour, who has been commander in chief of the China station since 1898, has been promoted to the rank of admiral.



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South grates on them in the hours of impotent weakness. The marble colonnades the semi-tropical foliage, the sweet-scented flowers, and the fire-lit Mediterranean are, after all, poor substitutes for life and the work that makes life worth living. To every invalid here the posts from home are the great events of the day. The English girl lying not far from me grasps eagerly even the dryest paper in her mother tongue, and finds relief even in the parliamentary reports of the Continental Europe has found a new Con

Seattle, May 25.—R. Onffroy, promoter of two years ago the rush continues unchecked.

As one steps out of the train from the north, at Nervi, the chief resort on the Italian Riviera, one seems to enter a new world.

From London to Liguria the cold has seemed hourly to grow more intense. Paris is gloomy, in Burgundy they are doing a great trade in warm, wolf-skin overcoats, and even after the Alps are crossed snow lies a foot deep to within a few miles of the coast. At Genoa but eight miles away, the one complaint is of the cold.

Seattle, May 25.—R. Onffroy, promoter the new salmon packing combination on the Pacific Coast, which rivals the Alaska Packers' Association, says that the deal has been practically completed for the purchase of 46 canneries on the coast from Alaska to California. The establishments purchased are the largest on the coast, outside of those owned by the Alaska Packers' Association. The combine will operate under the name of the Pacific Packing & Navigation Co., with a capital of \$25, 000,000. Its headquarters are in Seattle.

GONE EAST.

Seattle, May 25.—R. Onffroy, promoter then we salmon packing combination on the Pacific Coast, which rivals will be made, as arrangements have been made with the Trail smelter to ship the entire contents of the ledge.

TO RESUME WORK.

Wabash Striking Machinists Have Reached Agreement.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 28.—Striking machinists of the Wabash railroad here and at Springfield, Ill., have reached an agreement with the management and will resume work on Friday next.

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Continental Europe has found a new winter playground.

When, eighteen months ago, indignation against the hotel keepers of Southern France reached a climax, it was suggested that travellers should try the fairer regions of the Italian Riviera.

The suggestion has borne fruit, and this spring the whole region from Quinto to Spezia is swarming with tourists. Every hotel and pension is as full as a Margate lodging house in A sugust, and though hotel keepers have in many cases added 50 per cent to their prices of two years ago the rush continues unchecked.

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delay, carrying railway officials and a large staff of British medical officers and hospital appliances.

As soon as the news became known, the Germans and Fremch at once came forward and courteously offered every assistance. Owing, however to the exmeditions stens which had been taken by Major Whittall, railway staff officer, at Tientsin, by the R. S. O. at Lofa and their staffs, the moment the first news came through, the officers of the British administration did not find it necessary to avail themselves of this huppane offer.

Further particulars of the death of Major Browning mear Shanhaikwan on the 21st wit, appear in the China Times, Major Browning, with a small party of Sepoys of his regiment, was proceeding along the line of railway from Shanhaikwan, appearently for the purpose of making an inspection. He was rounding the hills which lie behind the town and the railway line when a large body of armed brigands, said for have numbered about a thousand, who had been watching the small party from the hills, fired upon them, killing the officer and wounding a Senoy. The men got under cover and made their way back to their post, where the circumstances were renorted and a large round made their way back to their post, where the circumstances were renorted and a large round and the rounding the little post, where the circumstances were renorted and a large rounding diseases were renorted and a large rounding the officer and wounding a Senoy. The men got under cover and made their way back to their post, where the circumstances were renorted and a large rounding diseases were renorted and a large rounding disease of the orange River Colony. It was because Lord Roberts relied implicitely on the holds.

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A WAIL.

Oh, ther're strikin' oil in Texas,
They are findin' fortunes there,
And 'most every hour Wall street
Makes another millionaire;
Folks are digging up old kettles
Full of gold, the papers say—
Seems that I'm about the only
One that has to work away.

Money's got so 'nation plenty
That the banker bars the door,
And he won't give no inducement
For deposits any more;
All the folks are speculatin',
Making thousands every day,
But I have to keep a-workin'
In the same old-fashioned way.

Steamer Tartar of the C. P. R. line, is due from Yokohama on Tuesday. The Empress of India sails for the Orient tomorrow Capt. LeBlanc is reported to have been appointed to the command of the steamer Amur.

money refunded, mistakes every reasonable complaint.

NELSON GROCERS.

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Their Successors.—Rev. R. Hughes of the James Bay Methodist church, and Rev. J. P. D. Knox of the Victoria West Methodist church, both leave the city this week, the former on a tour of Great Britain before he enters the Victoria University to continue his

Harry is so absent minded: he went up to dress for a party once, and went to bed instead. H'm; that looks to me like a fine case of presence of mind.—Chicago Record Herald.

"Tis clear that plain pedestrians Will never get on well
With scorchers till they learn to wear A light and clanging bell.

A BOOK FOR MOTHERS

Little Ones-Given Free. "Baby's Battles; A Message for Mothers," is the title of a very handsome little pamphlet just issued by Dr. Williams' Medicine Company. It is devoted entirely to the care of infants and small children and tells the mother how to aid her little ones in the emergencies of every day life. It describes the ills that commonly afflict children and tells how to treat them. This little book is one that should be in every home where there are infants or small children, All mothers who send their name and address on a post card to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., will receive a copy of this book free of charge. Mention the Colonist when writing.

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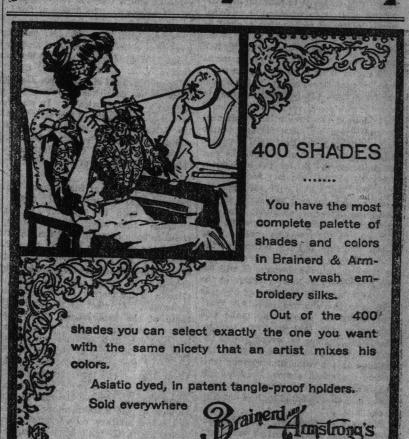
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DUKE OF CORNWALL. A Magnificent Reception on Arrival at Sydney.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 27.—The Br'tish steamer Ophir, having on board the
Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and
York, arrived here at 11 this morning.
She was joined outside the harbor by a
squadron of seven government vessels
conveying the premier, Sir Wm. Lync,
the ministers and federal officials. As
the squadron entered the roadstead, the
Ophir leading, the Russian cruiser Cromoboy from the Atholbright anchorage,
fired a royal salute. The British cruisers responded, hoisting the Russian flag.
The harbor was crowded with shipping
and excursion craft, and the shores were
limed with thousands of spectators. The
sum shone intermittently. When the
Ophir came to anchor s'vers boarded
by the Governor-General, the Earl of
Hopetoun, Sir Frederick Darley, Lieut,
Governor of N. S. W., and the Russian
admiral—The Duke and Duchess landed at 2 o'Clock, and were greeted b, enthusiastic crowds. The decorations were
magnificent, and a brilliant military escort awaited the landing of the Duke
and Duchess.

RACE DATES.

September 21 Fixed as Opening of
America Cup Contests.

New York, May 27.—The Royal Ulster Yacht club has cabled the Young the received
preserior of the Chlorodyne, that the whole story of
the defendant Freeman was literally
untrue, and he regretted to say it had
been sworn to.—Times, July 13, 1864.

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810 HEWARD as will lend to the conviction of anyone stealing the Colonist from the doors of subscribers.

THE POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

The presentment of the Grand Jury in regard to the Point Ellice Bridge will force that important question onc more to the front in municipal affairs, and we understand that it is to be followed up by the presentation of petitions to the City Council on the same subject. A short time ago the Council of the Board of Trade had the matter up, but decided to leave it to be dealt with by a full meeting of the Board. Although the facts of the case are familiar to most people, it may be well to review

The present bridge was built to replace that destroyed in the lamentable accident of 1896, and is avowedly only temporary in its nature. Permission was granted by the Department of Public Works to construct such a bridge only rements of traffic will cost in the large cars, makes it imperative that the value in which the Gazette indu bridge, if it is to remain the principal of a stronger nature than might be required if only the traffic of the city had to be considered. If the requirements of Victoria West alone had to be taken into account, the present bridge would do for a time. It is contended that in view of the moral responsibility alleged to rest upon the Provincial government in connection with the disaster to the other structure, the Provincial Treasury should meet a part at least of the cost of replacing it. So far the application for such aid has not met with encouragement. It is also contended that, in view of the expected settlement of the Songhees Reserve question, and the opening of that tract to occupation, it is not well to determine to erect a more costly structure at Point Ellice than the demands of a portion of the west side of the city call for, because it will become necessary to build a bridge at the foot of Johnson street any way and this will give the shortest and best route squimalt. Those who make this contention say that present requiresments can be met by strengthening the existing bridge, and thus postpone the expense of a permanent structure until a more convenient season. We think this is a fair statement of the case, and also that the issue presented by it is not very

We suggest, however, that there is another phase of the question which will greatly aid in solving it. It is admitted that a bridge at Point Ellice is a neces sity, no matter what may be done with the Songhees Reserve. It is admitted also that the present bridge is only tem porary, and must ultimately be replaced by something better. Would it therefore not be wise to erect there a structure that will be of a permanent nature and equal to any probable requirements of the future? The proposed bridge at Johnston street can be left until the need of it arises, which undoubtedly will be as soon as the Reserve is thrown open. But let us deal with the facts as they exist, not import into the dis cussion elements that have not arisen. and which, when they do present themselves, may come up in a different form to what we now imagine. There will be needed sometime, and not at a very distant date, a first class bridge at Point Ellice. Is it not better to provide for It now, rather than patch up the present one and replace it with another later that will not be quite what it ought to be. If there is to be a permanent bridge at Point Ellice, to be used by street cars, it ought to be equal to any traffic likely to arise within the city limits. It will do no harm, even when the bridge is put up at Johnson street, the Skeena. to have another at Point Ellice equally strong, for surely it would not be wise terday, we spoke of its development be-

easily settled.

.A STRANGE PROCEEDING.

out a good many people would like to now why the bill against the Savoy was thrown out. Rev. Mr. Hughes, who nstituted the prosecution, was informed, he says, by the counsel for the accused, that a plea of guilty would be and he was asked to intercede to secure and he was asked to intercede to secure as light a punishment as possible. With this object Mr. Hughes called upon the This district can best be reached from prosecution, and the defence.

HOW HISTORY IS MADE.

connection with the Intercolonial railway, and says:

The federation of Canada's five provinces in one Dominion was being encouraged by the government, largely with a view of the Imperial significance couraged by the government, largely with a view of the Imperial significance of a project for connecting the Atlantic and Pacific coasts by an intercolonial railway. Such a railway, it was thought, must be the future highway between Great Britain and most of her important colonies in the Pacific Ocean. It might have great importance from a military point of view; and above all it should prove to be a trade route—the shortest way from England to China, Australia, and New Zealand, and a safer and cheaper way than that which involved the maintenance of Gibraltar. Malta and Aden. This was its aspect before the days of the Suez canal. The Duke of Newcastle's choice of Mr. Watkin was a wise one. He examined the route, reported favorably on the project, and did much to advance it.

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Imperial government was to confederate eration, was being promoted to secure lantic to the Pacific. It was promoted on the understanding that it should be by the Colonial office chiefly in the hope regarded as temporary. To build such that the union with the English-speakregarded as temporary. To build such that the union with the English-speak and we believe that if it were properly apparently does not think the matter unwillingness to put up with the common the structure as will meet the ing Maritime Provinces would put an and we believe that if it were properly consideration. It is not not the streets where bushes grow by the apparently does not think the matter unwillingness to put up with the common that the union with the streets where bushes grow by the property of Canada as the property of C end to the friction between Upper and understsood, the people of Canada as worth serious consideration. It is well parative isolation of farm life. Every west of Menzies furnishes a striking exrequirements of traffic will cost in the end to the friction between Upper and a whole would regard it as easily among the bridge is on the line of the Esquitements of traffic will cost in the end to the friction between Upper and a whole would regard it as easily among the bridge is on the line of the Esquitements of traffic will cost in the end to the friction between Upper and a whole would regard it as easily among the cost of Menzies furnishes a striking extension of farm life. Every west of Menzies furnishes a striking extension of the Esquitements of traffic will cost in the end to the friction between Upper and a whole would regard it as easily among the cost of Menzies furnishes a striking extension of the Esquitements of traffic will cost in the end to the friction between Upper and a whole would regard it as easily among the cost of Menzies furnishes a striking extension of the Esquitement of the Esqu extend from the Atlantic to the Pa the naval station calls for the use of and all the fine talk about its Imperia mere tommy-rot. The design of the In-Provinces with the Canadas, as they were then called. It was first proposed about 1831 by John Wilson, of St. Andrew's N B It was discussed repeat edly and in 1852 Sir Francis Heucks went to the Maritime Provinces on a mission connected with it. It was regarded as a commercial necessity by all British plan is better. It is said to be the British North American provinces, and the Maritime Provinces absolutely refused to enter the Confederation un-

less the construction of such a line was provided for The statement that Sir Edward Watkin examined the route and reported favorably upon the project Upon what route is he supthe other. He came to Canada, so the much less danger of disorder. and while military considerations had something to do with its location, the

influence of Quebec had even more. SOME WON'T BELIEVE IT.

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THE SKEENA VALLEY

Our Vancouver correspondent was a ttle astray in his geography in his reerence to the Gould mine. He spoke of it as being in Omineca. It is really on the Skeena, about seventy-five miles from the sea. It is a very promising property and others in the same vicinity give indications of becoming good proucers. Further up the river at Lorne Creek, an extensive hydraulic property being developed, so that Hazelton and the sea we are likely to have established at a very early day ne of the busiest inlustrial communities in the province. The coal mines of

In a brief reference to this district yes The land is very fertile. It produces those dimensions.

hay in great luxuriance and a consider- It is proposed to utilize "the chain of able quantity is cut every season. The rivers and lakes from Georgian Bay to grass stands as high as a man's head. Montreal," and a glance at the map There are places where wild barley grows, and it is as tall as the grass. The direct route possible from Lake Huron winters are colder than on the Coast, to the head of ocean navigation on the grows, and it is as tall as the grass. The but there is no wind worth mentioning. St. Lawrence. It will be 430 miles long The Skeena freezes up in January and spring opens about May 1, that is, plant-canal will ascend 60 feet, and thence ing begins then. This gives a long sea- to Montreal it will descend 621 feet.

tion of the Grand Jury was regarded something being done to provide means and those flowing into Lake Huron, a agriculture, but it is quite possible that with astonishment by the judge, the of communication with it. When this has been done, we may look confident the Ottawa river channel a distance of water under the keel of a boat that is It is no part of the duty of the Cololy for very rapid progress. But the vally for very rapid progress. But the valnist to reflect upon the manner in which citizens discharge their sworn duties in any instance, but the facts as stated all the way across the province. Indeed, and this at 50 cents a ton toll would above create an unpleasant sensation. we would probably not be far wrong in give an income of \$3,500,000. To this ford the little timely assistance to farm-If they are correct, it seems as if there saying that no portion of British Colum-must be added whatever sum will be ing that will accomplish the desired reis need to cultivate public sentiment bia has a brighter future in store for it charged on vessels returning to the lakes. along certain lines, so that there will than that which lies between the Coast Allowing \$700,000 for working expenses be no chance that persons, who are at the mouth of the Skeena and the east-THE SEMI WEEKLY COLONIST be no chance that persons, who are at the mouth of the Skeena and the eastof an offence, will be acquitted of Peace River valley. The placers and estimated cost. any responsibility by what transpires in hydraulic mines of the Omineca are all The sources of traffic are the grain ed into British Columbia last year 44, ready well known, and it is also known that there is considerable land in that ada, iron ores from Lake Superior, coal to be able to produce sheep just as well LEWIS—On Tuesday, May 21st. the wife of Mr. F. B. Lewis, of a son. neighborhood well fitted for settlement. The Canadian Gazette is usually re- Many deposits of silver, gold and copper lable, but it had a reference to the late have been found, although it has not Sir E. Watkin the other day, which been thought advisable to develop any now be transported because of high shows how the facts of even recent of them, owing to the cost of transportahistory are distorted. After reading it tion. What is known as the Omineca we felt like quoting the writer who Mining Division is divided into two said: "O, it's history is it? Then I parts of the Rocky Mountains, through descriptions destined to points reached not a portion of this foreign supply be know it is not true." The sketch tells which there are at least two favorable from the lakes. of Sir Edward's services to Canada in passes. East of the Rockies there is a magnificent stretch of farming land. and the case seems strong enough to The descriptions of it in the early re- warrant the Dominion in lending its ports on the routes for the Canadian Pacific railway read like fancy sketches. In this cross section of the province way will do much for Eastern Canada.

> vinces was being encouraged. At the with not one-tenth of the potentialities of that now under consideration, treat-Lower Canada. The effort made by the if some one ought to dedicate his whole

> > AN INDUSTRIAL MOVEMENT.

A movement is on foot in Great Brit ain to unite the employers and employchecking foreign competition at home and abroad, by reducing the cost of proluction. In America this end is being sought by the combination of capital. We think it will be admitted that the eting with great acceptance among both employers and employed.

There is great room for doubt as to the success of the American plan. It will work well enough as long as it is directed wisely, wherein it is like an absolute monarchy; but the danger is that there may not always be the ability to control the enormous concentrated in posed to have reported? If the Gazette terests. There is also the additional eans the route of a railway from the danger from hostile labor combinations Atlantic to the Pacific, it is ludicrously which, to follow out the simile just emastray, for this was never examined by ployed, are like political revolutions, any one for years after his visit to against absolutism. The British plan Canada at the instance of the Duke of follows the lines of the British Consti-Newcastle. If what is meant is the tution, in that it contemplates the asroute of the Intercolonial railway as sociation of all classes interested in the afterwards built, we fancy that his re- control of the great manufacturing inport had very little influence one way or dustries. There is strength in this and

writer of the sketch says, before the The British experiment will be watch-Trent affair. The latter arose in 1861, ed with great interest, and if it proves and it was at least seven years after successful, it will undoubtedly be folwards that the route of the railway was lowed in other parts of the world. It decided by the Parliament of Canada, looks like the beginning of an industrial

A NAVIGATION PROJECT. The Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal company has issued a finely printed pamphlet setting forth the merts of the enterprise which it is promotng. It points out that a freight traffic of 40,000,000 tons has been developed on the upper Great Lakes. To handle this and convey it to the Atlantic coast two general systems of canals have been stablished, one in the United States and the other in Canada, but although the latter has been enlarged three times and the former once, and is being enlarged again, these systems are nothing like equal to the demands of the rapidly growing business. The argument for th present project is based in the first place pon the fact that the depth of existing anals is not equal to the requirements of the modern lake carriers. The report of the Deep Waterways Commiss appointed by the United States govern ment, is cited to prove that the greate lepth permissible in a canal from the that a greater depth cannot be con-templated is that the extra cost will ssitate an increase in interest that which so much is foretold, lie south of would more than counterbalance any possible reduction in freight rates by reason of the employment of vessels naving more than 20 feet draft. Thereto have only one line of communication ing followed by agricultural communibetween the city and the Naval Station ties. There is happily no room for doubt the maximum draft of vessels using such capable of carrying large cars. As for on this score. The Bulkeley valley, canals, and states also that the most the matter of government aid, if this is which extends southward from the economical vessels of 20 feet draft must not forthcoming for the Point Ellice Skeena, near Hazelton, contains fully be 480 feet long with a width of 52 Bridge, let the city file its claim and 600 square miles of good farming land, feet. The waterway which the company its recognition when the Johnson and another valley extending to the desires to see provided must therefore street bridge comes up for considera- north has fully half as large an area, be sufficient to accommodate vessels of

shows at once that this is the most

son, and as there is plenty of sunlight These differences in altitude would 430 miles, 367 are natural deep water navigation. There would be heavy work be overcome if the subject were dis distance of 25 miles, and the other in amount a little over 4 per cent, on the

> from Nova Scotia, beef, hog products, cheese and butter for export, lumber the cheaper varieties of which cannot freight rates, cordwood, pulp which it is expected will reach 1,000,000 tons per annum, iron, and merchandize of all

The enterprise is one of great interest, guarantee for a portion of the cost. Undoubtedly the opening of such a water-

attitude of the Laurier government to- 207 tons of hay and 22,387 bushels of wards the claims of British Columbia. oats; yet we surely ought to be able ni, on Friday. We are not able to gather from our to grow all we require of these articles. contemporary whether or not it thinks There is no way of getting at the the province has any case, which de- weight of butter purchased in Eastern serves consideration, but are inclined Canada to be used in this province, but ferences to the needs of British Colum- the requests preferred being "bolstered 913 pounds. We had also to import which is not exactly the language that lard. Other items might be quoted. would be employed if the Gazette thought the position of the province to demand from the Yukon, which is great government, and the latter will explain be at all meritorious. It seems to be and will be greater. It is not as it there it to the British government, if asked more desirous of making a point against the Colonist for venturing to think that ish Columbia or if the climate was unprovinces, namely, Upper Canada and ed liberally by parliament, we feel as justice would be done than to express favorable to agriculture. There is some any opinion as to whether British Co- thing in the fact that the land is often the idea that a public journal, clai to lead the opinion of one of the great be well doubted if there is any line of parties in Canada, should address it- industry which averages better in its self to the claims of the West, and returns than farming; there is certainly Hill on Saturday last were, we believe, should feel called upon to discuss them on their merits does not appear to have entered into the mind of our contemporary. This, indeed, seems to be the standpoint from which all Western claims are approached not only at Ottawa, but throughout the East. They are either looked at from the moneymaking standpoint, as in the case the Yukon, where the great desire has been to make money for the government, or from a purely political point

of view. The West is expected to take

a deep interest in all things affecting

the East and does so. There is need

for reciprocity in this respect.

UNITED STATES COLONIES. It will occur to many people that the Supreme Court of the United States has been promulgating a lot of platitudes in its decision in the Puerto Rice case. Even a judge of such a high tribunal cannot resist the temptation to pose on occasion. We are told that the United States can have no subject colonies, that the Constitution follows the flag, and that the President has no power outside of the Constitution. To quote the framer of the Declaration of Independence, "we hold these things to be self-evident." They seem to be a part of the fundamental law of the republic, and might have been taken for granted. Not so the conclusions from them, which appear to open some wery large questions, with the working out

of which there may be some difficulty. The United States by the Treaty of Paris, concluded at the close of the war. with Spain, acquired Puerto Rico and the Philippines, as fully as could be done by treaty, but as Congress has not yet formally declared these territories to be a part of the United States, their status is that of "war territories." which is a new phrase coined for the occasion. If Great Britain were at war with Spain and at the conclusion of hostilities a piece of territory should be ceded to us, it would at once become incorporated into the Empire and th Crown would immediately exercise jursdiction over it. In the case of the United States territory thus ceded cannot became a part of the Union until kept well watered, but the unpaved por- in Klondike. How much of this gold Congress has formally accepted it, and tions are said to be neglected. The will Victoria see? it must be governed by the military auproper authorities will please take nothorities, until such time as Congress passes laws applicable to it. There will e very little trouble in devising laws stablishing a form of government for such possessions. The great trouble will come over the matter of revenue. and the trade relations between such territory and the United States. In the case before the Supreme Court it she might be making a private survey the continent. This horrible sta was held that duty cannot be collected or at least a tour of observation so as things is utterly without excuse. upon sugar imported from Puerto Rico. to find out the best way to get in be-If this rule is to be applied to the hind Esquimalt. This is rather a start-Philippines also, the way will be opened for many disputes. If there can only be one rate of duties for the whole tercitory, under t'e flag of the United States, we will have the extraordinary ectacle of the government at Washagton clamoring for "an open door" in China, and shutting the door of the inland waters of foreign powers. We Philippines olso, the way will be opened suppose that the commander of the

This is the phase of the case, which naturally suggests itself first to

FARMING IN THIS PROVINCE.

Why should the Times apologize for this province? It is a question of ex treme importance and receives altogeth er too little attention at the hands of public men and the press. Our consuggestions. But might not this lack presiding judge. It is not surprising Kitimaat Arm, and it is hardly likely on two sections, one of them being on cussed more freely? It is doubtless that under these circumstances the actual that another year will pass without the summit between the Ottawa waters press, should be to discover how to af-wife of Louis Russell, of a son.

The dissemination of information bearing upon the importation of farm products that can be raised at home might be of much benefit. We importoutput of the Western States and Can- 741 sheep. Yet British Columbia ought as Oregon, from which state most of our importation comes. If this is not anything that can be done to change vince imported 69.167 hogs and 3,089,-608 pounds of hams and bacon. Canproduced at home? We import a considerable number of cattle and some salt beef, but the proportion which this bears to the total consumption of these articles shows that with a little effort the home market could be fully supplied from our own ranches. We imported 36.935 bushels of potatoes, and surely this was not necessary. We imported more apples than all the rest of Canada combined, and yet we boast that this is the greatest fruit growing province of the Dominion. We bought abroad 4, we sent to the United States for 563.from that country 203,541 pounds

> was a lack of good farming land in Brit- to do so. pensating advantages. We have a habit in Canada of looking | could be induced to clear a large enough to the government. It is conceded that space around the May Pole, and this in if there is anything, which the govern- terfered somewhat with the pleasure of We always have a few farmers in the to try to carry it out under the circum

> legislature, and we are told that the stances. country needs more of them in representative capacities. But does any one recall a suggestion made by a farmer in the legislature to advance the inter- is one thing about that portion of Brit ests of agriculture? We have seen them ish Columbia, namely, that an agricu offer suggestions as to the construction tural population will follow the miners, and management of railways, the rules which should govern the legal and mediare admirably adapted to mixed farm cal professions and the best methods of ing. We look for very rapid progress regulating mining; but when it comes in the north-central section of the proving to farming they have little more to propose than any one else. Who can make ince at a very early day. a practical suggestion of something which the government or legislature can do to advance the interests of British sons for the increase of the Sessional in-Columbia agriculture? The Times thinks demnity. If it is half correct, a man that a royal commission might help matters out. Perhaps it would, but as no tenced to the penitentiary than if elect provision has been made for such a ed to Parliament. And yet there commission, how would it do for the never a dearth of candidates, and ever farmers themselves to volunteer sug- these, who have been through the loss gestions We are sure that both the trials and discomforts, are always anx Times and the Colonist would be glad lous to go back again, to publish anything of the kind.

viction for a serious crime, ought to may get what he is asking for.

toria is going to do anything to secure the handling of the Yukon gold. Prob ably not. We are all rich enough here now. Then suppose we did something and were successful, what would we do for a grievance?

A correspondent wants to know if Vic

Complaint reaches us that the sprinkling of the streets is not being done satisfactorily. The paved streets are

do not know, but without knowing just A despatch last night spoke of their what the rule is in such matters, we being landed in an enfeebled condition think her presence there ought to be ex- through lack of food. Some of the plained. Our correspondent thinks that party starved to death while crossing she might be making a private survey the continent. This horrible state of ling suggestion, but not much more so than that given as an explanation in the gotten, namely, the change of opinion first instance, namely, that she was look- on the part of the Times in regard to ing for opium smugglers, for she would have no right to interfere with any such people there. We do not know if it is too severe in his judgment. He should customary for armed vessels to visit the remember that

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PETTIPIECE—At Ferguson, on Sunday, May 19th, the wife of Mr. R. P. Petti-plece, of a daughter. BOYLE-In Vancouver, on May 25th, the MALLOWMOT TAYLOR—On May 16th, at Vancouver, the wife of Thompson E. S. Taylor, of a daughter.

JUNE 15th, 1901, AT

MARRIED. ARIMER—DODDS—On Tuesday after-noon, the 28th inst., at the residence of Mr. J. B. McKilligan, by the Rey. W. Leslie Clay, Mr. John L. Larimer to Mrs. Mary Dodds, both of Seattle, Washington.

REEVE—MAHER—In this city, on May 22nd, C. L. Reeve, formerly of Hamp-shire, England, and Bridget Maher, formerly of Ireland.

MAHER-LEE-In this city on May 24th, Thomas Maher, formerly of Ireland, and Ellen Lee, formerly of Ireland. BARKER—CLARKE—In this city, on May 22nd, David Montgomery Barker, formerly of Nebraska, U. S. A., and Annie Alberni Clarke, formerly of Algoma District, Ontario.

2 years, by Little Mid from E'lysee (Elsie) winner San Francisco and B. C.) by Fellowcharm from Elsie S. (Elsmore's dam) by x Glenelg, etc.

4. Brown Colt. Wellowcharm from Elsie S.

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MONRO—At Alberni, on the 29th in Mrs. I. Monro, widow of the late H. Monro, a native of England, aged years. The funeral will take place from the res dence of her daughter, Mrs. Guillod, Albe

EMBRY-In this city, on May 21st, Sarah, the wife of John Emery, a native of Staffordshire, England, aged 64 years. SALISBURY—On the 24th inst., at Vancou ver, Jane Salisbury, wife of W. F. Salis bury, local treasurer of the C. P. R. SALSBURY-On the 24th Inst., at Vancouver, Jane Salsbury, wife of W. F. Salsbury, local treasurer of the C. P. R.

Grant will explain his action to his own

We are not having exactly a plague energy to the making the needs of Brit- lumbia is entitled to better treatment. hard to clear, but extensive areas exist erable host of them on the trees about six provinces namely: Upper Canada, ish Columbia known, and that every The Gazette is a leading paper in the to which this objection does not apply. the city. Householders ought to exersix provinces namely: Upper Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland, but it was only successful in respect to the first of the West for consideration at the leading paper. The claims of the West for consideration at the is that it is regarded as too slow a way fort will amount to much unless it is that it is regarded as too slow a way fort will amount to much unless it is tention from the Dominion which alone is needed to give the much-wished-for one of the most important questions in impetus to provincial development. We canada, for so much of the future of repeat that to British Columbians all others questions are secondary to this, West is developed. But the Gazette the coast in the hope of getting along in the streets require attention. Hungard the coast in the hope of getting along in the streets require attention. Hungard the coast in the hope of getting along in the streets require attention. Hungard the coast in the hope of getting along and thousands of clusters can be seen by any one driving along any of ise quick returns. There is also much

> none subject to fewer vicissitudes, and the first of the kind ever undertaken in when all has been admitted about the Victoria, but they will undoubtedly not land. ALL his household furniture and furisolation of country life, there are com- be the last. Owing to the heat of the But what can the government do? keep the children waiting until the crowd ment can do, it should be done. What the occasion. The plan as drawn up do the farmers themselves think of it. was all right, but it was deemed best not

Very interesting news comes from Omineca and the Skeena country. There for there are many excellent valleys that

The Toronto Star gives a let of neawould be a great deal better off if sen

A correspondent directs attention to This is a free country and the Colo- the condition of the Johnson street ranist would be the last paper to seek to vine, which has been declared by law close any one's mouth, but a certain to be an open water-course, but is at individual, who has just escaped con- present, he says, full of all kinds of putrid matter. He wants the Grand put a bridle upon his tongue, or he Jury to look at it and say what they 119 Gov't St., Victoria think of the existence of such a nuis ance in the very heart of the city.

> We are not as sure as we were abou British Columbia having an increase of representation when next Parliamen deals with redistribution. Quebec seen to have made a heavy increase, and that province is the measure of represent

A \$30,000,000 clean-up is anticipate

One of the vilest exhibitions that has A correspondent wants us to tell him lately been given of inhumanity is that what the Grant was doing in Saanich displayed in the treatment of the im-Arm, when she ran upon a rock. We migrants from Puerto Rico to Hawaii.

Our correspondent "Agricola" dire attention to a matter which we had for

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A Trip in the Fraser Valley

Success of the Dyking Works Road Making-New Westminster Bridge.

New Industry at Mission City Signs of Progress and Prosperity.

Hon. Richard McBride, minister of mines, returned on Monday evening from a trip to the lower Mainland. One object of his visit was to inspect the operations of the pumping stations on the factory manner. The water in the river has risen considerably of late owing to heavy rains, but the meadows are in fine condition, the dykes looking solid and substantial, showing that the pumps

and substantial, showing that the pumps are doing all that was expected of them. Work on the trunk road on the north side of the Fraser—the Dewdney road—is progressing satisfactorily. In a few weeks it will be complete across the Pitt Meadows, and the much-needed ferry will be in operation.

Mr. McBride visited New Westminster and found the people of the Royal City, and in fact those of the whole district, looking forward eagerly to the construction of the Fraser river railway and traffic bridge. The city council of New Westminster has gone to a great deal of pains and expense to secure reliable information as to the best site for the bridge, having engaged experts to take soundings and report upon approaches and every other detail of construction. The results of these investigations have been placed at the disposal of the government, and Mr. MeBride says the data thus obtained is invaluable, and will prove of great assistance to the chief commissioner of lands and works and his officials in their final determination of the bridge site. Hon. J. C. Wells is expected to arrive from the interior this evening, and he will take immediate action to further the plans and hasten the letting of the contract.

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eum. Experts are investigating, boring is in progress, and a very short time will decide the value of the discovery. The people of the district are very sanguine of success, and there is no doubt, if oil is located in quantity, that the future prosperity of the place will be assured. Mr. McBride is much interested in the indications, and hopes they may prove the existence of oil.

At Chilliwack a Dominion government survey party were preparing to begin the work of re-surveying the international boundary through the Mount Baker district. There has been considerable dispute as to the exact location of the 49th parallel in that portion of the province, and the United States and Canada have arranged for a joint survey to settle all doubts. The Canadian party is in charge of Mr. McArthur, who is busy securing pack animals and supplies, and will take the field in a few days. The settlement of this boundary question is of great importance, as there is a rich mining district in dispute, and work is being delayed pending a decision. The action of the Dominion government in sending Mr. McArthur to make the necessary survey and report, is due to the recommendation of the Provincial government who, last fall, transmitted a minute of council to Ottawa, pointing out the desirability of settling the dispute, and the delegates to Ottawa last winter again urged the Dominion to act immediately, with the gratifying result that there is every hope of an amicable adjustment of the vexed question during the present season. Mr. McBride reports that mining operations in the Mount Baker district are proceeding satisfactorily, with promise of, substantial results.

The people of New Westminster, Mr. McBride says are much pleased with

results.

The people of New Westminster, Mr. McBride says, are much pleased with the new service given by the Great Northern "Flyer" to Seattle, which makes the run in considerably shorter time than formerly.

Mr. McBride expresses himself as greatly pleased with his trip. He found the people busy everywhere, cheerful and hopeful, the country looking at its best, in fact, every indication of a season of prosperity and general improvement in all lines of industry.

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As a musical treat the concert given by the Kneisel Quartette of Boston, at Institute hall, last night, was unexcelled by any musical aggregation of its kind that has visited Victoria for many and the procuring a supply of atumping powder at reasonable price for their use, and they all declared their latention of availing themselves of the opportunity of the fruit trees in Westam and Some of the fruit trees in Westam and Some of the fruit trees in Westam and such proposes as the preformance of the grant and such proposes as the preformance of the program of the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the teaching that the plague will not recut for many appropriate that the plague will not recut for many appropriate that the plague will not recut for many appropriate that the plague will not recut for many appropriate the formal proposition of the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the world sproper and the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the world sproper at the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the world sproper and the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the ability of the performance of the preparations for a busy season. This is one of the years of plenty in the salmont and the stage of water in the Frascr this year, and average fine weather, the ability of the performance of the preparations for a busy season. This is one of the years of plenty in the salmon canning business, and all anticipate a big catch, so every available boat and net will be brought into requisition. At Mission City, Mr. MeBride was pleased to see the establishment of the Western Conadiain Condensed Milk (com).

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entertained that a good smoking tobacco may yet be produced. The department has had no difficulty in finding volunteers willing to co-operate with it by providing plots. Ten centres have been chosen in the counties of Cork, Clare, Derry, Dublin, Kerry, Kilkenny, Meath, Westmeath, and Wexford. A thousand plants will be grown at each centre and they will be taken equally from the following five varieties, viz: Virginia, Maryland, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, and Yellow Prior. The experiments are to be conducted so as to test the effect of climate upon the quality of the tobacco, and artificial manures are to be used.

The experiments will be watched and their results awaited with interest, not only in Ireland but in many other parts of the world, where a warm feeling exists for the "Old Sod" and its welfare. The growth of tobacco in Canada has a sessioned such propartiess as to place it. assumed such proportions as to place it now amongst our most important crops.

assumed such proportions as to place it now amongst our most important crops. The improvement in the growing and handling of the leaves in this country is most marked, and adds very materially to the value of the output.

It is only by experiment that we can learn what crops are best suited to a country. The apple, in which some parts of Canada now lead the whole world, is an entirely artificial crop, the fruit being indigenous to Egypt. So with others of our best articles of growth, upon which the greatest agricultural effort is expended and from which the largest returns are received. Indeed, those who are familiar with the tea-growing in the Himalayas, where the high-priced article is raised, have claimed that the climatic conditions in Canada are precisely similar, and they have no doubt that an excellent tea could be grown in such parts of the Dominion as have steady winters with the ground well covered by snow, and warm summers.

It would not be strange if Ireland and

Grand Jury

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Probably 75 per cent. of these are important Recommendations **Regarding Several Matters** of Public Interest.

It will sharpen your appetite, cure Necessity of New Bridge Point Ellice-The As. sizes Closed.

> The spring assizes closed yesterday af-The docket had been cleared on the day previous, so that yesterday's session was held only for the purpose of reeiving the grand jury's presentment. On the opening of court at 11 o'clock a.m., Mr. Roland Stuart, foreman of the grand jury, presented the following:

To His Lordship, the Honorable Mr. Justice Walkem, Presiding Justice;
Your Lordship: We the grand jury, duly empanelled and sworn, beg most respectfully to make the following presentment:

1. We congratulate Your Lordship up-on the exceedingly light docket, and are pleased to see that there are no very seri-

old the exceedingly light docket, and are pleased to see that there are no very serious offences.

2. We beg to inform you that we visited the city lockup, which we find altogether inadequate, and would recommend that larger premises be provided, more particularly with a view to separating the male from the female occupants, and that proper ventilation be provided, as at present none exists.

We strongly recommend that a police patrol wagon be procured immediately.

3. Point Ellice Bridge.—We inspected this bridge, and are now more strongly convinced than ever that the present structure is a standing disgrace to the city, and a menace to the public safety; and we recommend that steps be taken at once to provide (through the proper channels) the necessary funds for the construction of a new and permanent steel bridge, so that the city of Victoria may never again be called upon to witness such a catastrophe as that which occurred in 1896, and cost money enough to build several bridges in addition to the loss of some sixty valuable lives. In the meantime, in view of the enormous travel there is over this bridge we

the loss of some sixty valuable lives. In the meantime, in view of the enormous travel there is over this bridge, we would urge that some such temporary expedient, to strengthen the present structure, be resorted to as the city engineer has laid before us.

4. Jail.—We next visited the jail, and wish to express our satisfaction at the cleanliness and general maintenance of the institution.

5. Reformatory.—We visited the reformatory, and having found the accommodation totally inadequate and unsatisfactory, we are very glad to know that an appropriation has been made for a new structure.

6. In accordance with the request contained in the petition which Your Lord-

ship handed to us, we inspected the Johnson street ravine, and are of opinion that it is a public nuisance, and a menace to health; and in view of the fact

menace to health; and in view of the fact that such an existing evil can be eradicated for a comparatively small expenditure, we recommend that the proper authorities be urged to see that the nuisance be remedied forthwith.

We have pleasure in acknowledging the attention and courtesy shown us by the officers of the court and by the officials in charge of the various institutions visited by us.

All of which is submitted on behalf of the grand jury.

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(Sd.) ROLAND STUART,

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Depressed Hundreds of young

girls and women have to depend upon their own efforts to gain a livelihood, and there is no class more widely admired for their independence and pluck. whether it be behind the counter, in the office, the factory, or in the home,



work means close confinement---often in badly ventilated rooms. There is a strain on the nerves; the blood becomes impoverished; the cheeks pale or sallow; frequent headaches; a constant tiredness; a rapide palpitation of the heart on slight exertion; perhaps wrinkles and a prematurely aged appearance. If the first symptoms are neglected it may lead to a complete breakdown and perhaps that most dreaded of all diseases---Consumption. A tonic is needed and for this purpose

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But you must get the genuine, and only the genuine have the full name "Dr. Williams Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all dealers or sent by mail post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

day. He leaves a wife and two grand- Grant Being Miss Callawell, of New Westminster, has been appointed matron of the Maternity hospital here.

W. A. Planta, a brother of Ald. Planta, marries Miss Rawle of Seattle, there on Saturday.

Owing to the miserably poor attendance at the Kneisel Quartette concert tonight, Manager Lucas announced to the audience there would be no concert, and the money was refunded at the door,

STRANGE VANISHING. The San Francisco Bulletin of May 25, say that between the dusk of last Thursday night and the dawn of Friday morning, the wind that blew off shore wafted out of sight and beyond siguals the American bark Star of Bengal, the pilot boat Lady Mine, Captain Uhlberg and Pilot Frederick Jordan. When the fog closed down on the water beyond the heads the night before last, the bark was lying hove to with reefed sails. An hour previously the little pilot boat had started out bearing Fred. Jordan and Captain Uhlberg, the latter newly appointed commander of the Star of Bengal. Captain Henderson, who brought the Bengal thus far on her voyage to Australia, was in St. Luke's hospital, very sick, and Uhlberg had been commissioned to take the bark to Adelaide.

lines as the recent outing to the Island mines, and the pool would be very agreet that would result from such a visit from eity merchants interested in the Northern trade.

W. A. YOUNG DEAD.

He Was Manager at Northfield For Hamilton Powder Works.

Nanaimo, May 20—(Special)—W. A. YOUNG DEAD.

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Many Vessels Waiting Their Turn to Go On the Ways.

Government Notifies Pilots of Its Intention to Abolish Compulsory Pilotage.

As the United States revenue cutte Grant stands on the blocks in the cradle at the Star ways, the ragged holes in her hull bear mute evidence to the fact that she struck heavily on the rock in that she struck heavily on the rock in she was held fast on the rock after foundered. There are no less than four

on the ways for repairs.

The steamer Condor, now discharging a sugar cargo at Vancouver, is expected at Esquimalt shortly, arrangements being about concluded to repair her in the dry dock. Her hull will be cleaned and painted, and it is understood that repairs are also necessary to her engine room. In the inner harbor at Turpel's ways, the sealing schooners are receiving attention, and one by one the vessels of the fleet are being hauled out. caulked and overhauled, making them ready for the Behring sea cruise, which will soon commence. These works together with the smaller jobs on other steamers in service are making the caulkers and other workmen connected with the shipbuilding industry a busy set of men.

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KINGHURST STRANDED.

Seattle Tug Goes Ashore on Reed Bluff on Denman Island.

Victoria Was

Vancouver Team Defeated at Lacrosse After Hard and Rough Game.

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Haley Wilson Has HIs Jaw Fractured by Blow From Stick.

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many. "Reddy" McDonell was playing a fast, excellent game at centre, despite the fact that he is a light man, and G. The, W. Lorimer and Campbell did good work on the home, but the adsence of Haley Wilson and the fact that Frank Smith was not up to his usual good form, spoiled the combination somewhat. H. Jesse was off color too, but T. Spain, S. Norman and Dewar, on the defence, and the old stonewall, C. Cullin and E. Milne, with Dinsmore behind them, made a capital set of goal defenders, and at times when they made good runs, attackers as well. Milne, was playing an excellent game, and Cullin was as steady as a rock, while Dinsmore, albeit he did not get much work, played a very good game in goal, stopping a couple of very good shots. The throwing and catching of the Victoria players and their team work was also an improvement on the game of last Saturday.

From the face-off the game was fast,

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wanted to get some chickens and had been directed to Saanich Inlet as a good place to secure them. He had searched for the chickens in many places, having gone from Victoria to White's Island, to Friday Harbor, Whatcom, Bellingham Bay and elsewhere, but nowhere could he get his hen coop filled, and he was advised at one point to try

Accordingly the Grant started an hou earlier than usual on Thursday morning, and steamed up Saanich Inlet. The deserted rancherie above Village Point was made out, and with the aid of the was made out, and with the aid of the glasses was seen to be vacant. Capt. Tozier, when so informed, suggested that there was probably farm houses further along, and they had better go up a little further. He had hardly spoken when the vessel struck heavily on the rock. It was not the first visit of Capt. Tozier to Saanich Inlet with the Grant has been floated, the rumor to that effect published in Sunday's Coltant thaving been correct. She was life, was made out, and with the aid of the glasses was seen to be vacant. Capt. Tozier, when so informed, suggested that there was probably farm houses further along, and they had better go up a little further. He had hardly spoken when the vessel struck heavily on the rock. It was not the first visit of Capt. Tozier to Saanich Inlet with the Grant, for, the Captain said yesterday, the Grant was in there about a year ago, and secured some valuable

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Notice is hereby given that under an order dated the 21st day of May, 1901, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Martin, I., the undersigned was appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the above named deceased. Parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 21st day of June, 1901, and parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

WM MONTEITH,

WM. MONTEITH. Official Administrator. Dated 23rd day of May, 1901.

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Grand Jury Find "No Bill " in the Savoy Gambling House Case.

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tain recommendations regarding them STE, EL PLANT in their presentment. IN CHAMBERS.

Mr. Justice Drake presided in Chambers yesterday, and disposed of the following applications:

Re Montare et al.—Order made giving power to mortgage property. Wootton for applicants.

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or applicants. Lovell vs. Brackman et al.—Order to change defendants on affidavit of service being filed. Gregory for plaintiff, Alkman for defendant.

Re J. G. Norris, deceased.—Application for probate. Stands over for affidavit as to delay in making application. Wootton for applicant.
Crosby vs. Cunningham.—Order made, fixing trial for some day in July, not previous to 22nd. Fell & Gregory for plaintiff, Bodwell & Duff for defendant.

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Works in Operation in Cape Breton. The Montreal Witness has the following concise description of the operations at Sydney, N.S.:

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But steel rails, and not pig a retal, it is contended, shall constitute the larger part of the output of the Sydney plant, and when ingots are being made, the molten metal from the blast furnaces will be carried direct to the open-heart.

ALBERNI ENTERTAINMENT. How Victoria Day Was Spent in the

West Coast Mining Town. Alberni, May 25.—(Special)—On the evening of May 24 Alberni was treated to a novel and interesting entertainment at Brandt's hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of the Church of England of this place. It expaired of

DREYFUS UN HISMARTYRDOM

The Victim of One of the Most Terrible Mistakes of Our Time."

In Septen ber, 1896, after Dreyfus had been near. 'v eighteen months on the island, the orde." came to put him in irons at night. The commandant explained it was a me." "measure of precaution"

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Of the trial at Rennes, Dreyfus says little. The court condemned him with extenuating circumstances. "Since when," he pertinently asks, "have there been extenuating circumstances for the crime of treason?" He adheres to the declaration made on the day of his liberation: "I am resolved that all France shall be convinced by a final judgment that I am innocent."

The terrible story of the prisoner of the Devil's Island has stirred the hearts of men throughout the world. It is not all shadow, dark though it be in the main. It is a story of man's devotion and of woman's love.

The wrong done to Alfred Dreyfus called up heroes in France, men who sacrificed ambition, advancement and good report for the cause of justice and right; stout paladins whose deeds will live when their bones are dust.

When I read the loving and tender letters of Mme. Dreyfus to her prisoner husband, my mind goes gladly back to a scene in a fair Southern garden, where, under a clear blue sky and amid a wealth of flowers, I saw a happy family rejoicing in the return of him they had lost.

Vancouver, May 27.—(Special)—Spicer's shingle mill was destroyed by fire at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. The cause of the fire is said to have been \$10,000 and the in-

Spring Assizes Open Today

Ten Cases Set Down for Trial at This Sitting of the Court.

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ANOTHER CANNERY.

Japanese Canners to Establish a Can-nery on Skeena to Ship to Japan Market, McCulloch Will Stand Trial for Wounding Rivers.

Nanaimo, May 27—(Special.)—William McCulloch was committed for trial this morning on the charge of wounding Robert Rivers by shooting him with a revolver with intent to do grievous hodily harm in a disturbance in a Newcastle house on the 15th inst.

W. A. Young, manager of the Northfield branch of the Hamilton Powder works, is critically ill.

The treasurer's report of the Victoria Day celebration shows it was the most successful financially ever held in this city.

Market.

Among the passengers who will sail for the Skeena on the Tees on Thursday is T. Tsushima, president of the Hakkaido salmon canneries, which are situated at the northeen extremity of the Island of Hakkaido, and supply the Japanese army and navy with canned and dried fish. He is now on his way to the Skeena river to seek a location for a cannery and salmon fisheries. The plant will ship its product direct to Japan, and will, it is stated be one of the largest in the North. Mr. Tsushima, after spending about a week in Seattle, has left for Vancouver, whence he will leave by the Tees.

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Mr. Tsushima left Japan about a month ago. He made a careful study of the local cannery conditions and operations, and then spent a week or ten days in a tour of the Sound cities. During this time he kept a sharp lookout for new salmon canning machinery and new improvements in traps and other methods of catching the fish. He also made many inquiries concerning the conditions of Alaska and the streams of the southeastern strip of the territory. The result of these researches has caused him to make his trip to the Skeena river.

The Hakkaido salmon canneries, as has been stated, are the largest in the Japanese empire. The corporation controlling these canneries, of which T. Tsushima is president, is a very rich institution. Large contracts with the Japanese government have made it one of the strongest financial concerns in the empire. The step which that corporation is about to take has not been entirely unexpected by local salmon canners. Japan consumes an enormous amount of fish, both canned and dried. Although the coast of Siberia and the northernmost of the Japanese islands furnish a vast amount of salmon, the necessity of looking eisewhere for fish has been present for some time in Janan. For at least two years the ports of the Pacific coast have helped supply the Japanese market, but the sten now being taken by Mr. Tsushima is the first of its kind and is regarded as carrying much significance to this coast.

Chief Deasy's

The council then proceeded to ballot. he result being as follows:

OFFICIALS MAY VOTE.

Disenfranchisement Clause of the SemIn Election Act Repealed.

During the closing hours of the latte session of the legislature, a bill was passed which means much to the elvis passed which means the elvis passed whi

Negotiations for Settlement of Metal Workers Differences Fail.

Chicago, Ills., May 29.—All negotiations for a settlement by arbitration of the differences between the National Metal Trades association and the International association of Machinists, failed tonight, and a great strike throughout the country will be declared.

QUESTION OF PILOTAGE.

Government Notifies Pilotage Authority of Prospective Changes.

A few days ago, like a bolt from the blue, came instructions from the government at Ottawa to the pilotage authority for Nanaimo district, to revise and amend their rules so that pilotage in the waters of that district would thereafter be non-compulsory instead of compulsory, as it has been and is up to the present time. The orders came without warning, being given in a letter addressed to the Nanaimo pilotage authority, and was worded to the effect that petitions in that regard having been received from British Columbia merchants, the government had decided to abolish compulsory pilotage in those waters in the near future, and the pilotage authority was instructed to revise and amend its by-laws accordingly. The news came as a great surprise to the pilotas. As is known, the question has been discussed from time to time, but with the intricate waters through which ressels going to and from the mills and

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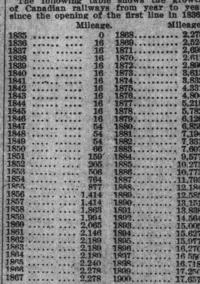
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Minto-Condron.—At the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Steffan, 340 Johnson street, Rev. W. Leslie Clay yesterday united in marriage Mr. John Minto, news editor of the Times, and Mrs. Clara B. Condron, daughter of the late S. Hague of Nanaimo. The groom was supported by Mr. B. C. Nicholas and the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Hague. The bride was attired in a gray travelling dress, trimmed with point lace and hat to match, and the bridesmaid wore a dress of green foulard. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Minto were driven to the steamer Utopia, on which they embarked on their way to Portland, where they will spend their honeymoon. They were the recipients of a great many presents. The groom's present to the bridesmaid, a necklace of pearls,

W. C. T. U. Meeting.—A meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Refuge Home, Cormorant street.

Sacred Concerts.—There were long crowds at Oak Bay and Beacon Hill on Sunday to hear the concerts by the Fifth Regiment and City bands, respectively.

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