

The Colonist

FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1889. BURNED SEATTLE.

Seattle has met with a terrible misfortune. The busy, thriving city of two days ago is now a few heaps of ashes...

THE SEWER SYSTEM.

It is to be hoped now that the Board of Aldermen have seen and studied Mr. Chipman's report...

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

The San Francisco difficulty is a serious one. It is to be hoped that the people of that city are allowed to manage their own affairs...

Although the United States Government will not permit ships sailing under the British flag to enter Behring's Sea...

An Appeal for Help from Johnston.

The People Subsisting on Cheese and Black Bread.

The Work of Clearing Away the Wreck in Progress.

A Syndicate of Speculators Trying to Buy Up the Choice Building Land.

Bedding and Wearing Apparel of Every Description Fully Needed by the Sufferers.

The Queen Sends a Message of Sympathy to the President by Sir Julian Pauncefote.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—Fifty boats were taken from the debris field in front of the Catholic church this afternoon.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—There has been a great scarcity of staple provisions during the last twenty-four hours.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—A leader of the party of speculators who are buying up the choice building land in Johnston.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—It is now eight days since the flood swept down the Conemaugh valley.

JOHNSTOWN, June 8.—The scarcity of food for the men, owing partly to lack of utensils to cook it.

DR. BULLEN, OF DISINFECTANT FAME.

HE BROUGHT WITH HIM FIFTY BARRELS OF DISINFECTANT.

NEW NOTES.

LADY AGRICULTORS.

THE COUNCIL MEETING.

THE SEAMAN VIEW.

THE ESTIMATED LOSS.

Brick and Stone to Replace Burned Wood.

The City to be Re-Built on a More Substantial Basis.

Tacoma to be Re-Built on a More Substantial Basis.

The Citizens Unanimously Decide that No Wooden Buildings are to be Erected.

Additional Losses—The Work of Re-Building Already Commenced.

Notes and Incidents of the Catastrophe—Three Lives Known to be Lost.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer, whose management has displayed a great deal of energy and enterprise.

There were ten real estate transfers recorded yesterday.

The Seattle Electric Light Company has ordered a new street lamp.

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CAPITAL NOTES.

The Columbia River Lumber Co. Incorporated.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for Eleven Months.

Sir John receives a Magnificent Greeting from the Students of the Toronto University—Duty on Lignite Presses.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, June 6.—The government will send a dispatch to England.

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DEPLORABLE BLINDNESS.

The catastrophe at Johnston was caused by the blindness of the people who lived in the vicinity of the dam.

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The carelessness of the people and the supineness of the owners of the dam will appear more surprising when it is known that warning had been given...

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Canadian highways, what would be the length of it? Through this was put hypothetically, we presume that it is what the Anderson Company prepared to do.

MR. HIGGINS' ACCUSATION. We are sorry that Mr. Higgins in the letter which he published today accused us of having charged and distorted the reference which he made in his letter of June 2nd to the Report of the Senate Committee.

AN INTERESTING COMPETITION. A very interesting competition lately held in San Francisco goes to show that the female intellect is not in any way inferior to the male.

A NICE POINT. The Supreme Court of California has just decided a nice point in the law of libel. A person who was very angry at something that had been written about him and wanted to punish his defamer as severely as the law would permit...

EDITORIAL COMMENTS. "FORTY-NINE" is the era from which the Californians date their prosperity. Modern California may be said to be like a child forty years old.

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THE LAND EXCHANGE. To the Editors.—With all other Victorian cities the city of Seattle is a city of contrasts.

THE PEACE RIVER. The Peace River region is a country of contrasts. It is a country of contrasts in its topography, its climate, and its resources.

INTERIOR NOTES. Prof. G. M. Dawson, D. S., F. G. S., arrived in town on Friday, and is a guest at the Grand Pacific.

GREAT BRITAIN IN PARIS. The director-in-chief of the Paris Exposition, in a speech which he made a few days ago, spoke in high terms of the encouragement which Great Britain had given the enterprise.

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From the... Mr. B... pointed... for pollution... and Mr. C... come out...

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia. NOTICE TO CREDITORS. The Public Trustee of the Estate of Thomas Edwin Wilson and all other creditors of the said Thomas Edwin Wilson against Hamilton Moffatt, Executor of the last will and testament of the said Thomas Edwin Wilson.

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E. G. PRIOR & CO., Sole Agents for British Columbia, Corner Government and Johnson streets, 1898-1899 South West W. VICTORIA, B.C.

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MR. WILSON'S LETTER.

It is not a little remarkable that Mr. Wilson should have only just now discovered that the exchange proposed by Mr. Semlin and agreed to in a modified form by the whole Legislative Assembly, was opposed to the true interests of the province.

Mr. Wilson drags the "C. P. R." into the discussion. He has not the slightest grounds for doing this. The Canadian Pacific has nothing to do directly or indirectly with the proposed exchange.

Mr. Wilson, without giving a single reason for the opinion he holds, declares that to exchange the lands of the railway belt for a block of land in the Peace River country, would prevent the construction of a second transcontinental railway.

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address himself to the performance of the more important duties of his office and will acquit himself in such a way as to remain the place in the eyes of these men which it is pretty clear he has already lost.

Mr. Wiman does not believe that Canadians are just now prepared for an exchange of territory. There is a large number of Canadians who are deeply attached to the Mother Country, and who prefer British connection to union with the United States.

Mr. Wiman says too short for either of these policies (retaliation and right of perhaps, offensive indifference) to work out a union of the English-speaking people on this continent.

It will be remembered that it was declared by the advocates of commercial union that it was not only intended as a preliminary to annexation, but that it would work so as to prevent the possibility of annexation.

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PROPOSED LAND EXCHANGE.

TO THE EDITOR: Upon your editorial on my letter dealing with the proposed land exchange, I notice that you accuse me of "making a mountain out of a molehill" and the good faith of those who differ with me in opinion which you remark is a question of the accuracy of your statement.

Turning up a dictionary I find the meaning of the word "manoeuvre" is "to play with address." This, when applied to those who aim to convey the Peace valley lands to the Dominion by means of an "insurance" which is manifestly a high piece of property in the application of a word comes upon me with surprise from a member of the Victoria Herald.

Mr. Semlin was a member of the opposition in the Dominion Parliament, and he is not a man who is likely to be deceived by the promises of a politician.

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CASORIA for Infants and Children. Advertisement for a medicinal product.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, Ltd. Advertisement for a real estate agency.

BEATS ANYTHING IN CANADA! Advertisement for a wool sock.

GILMORE & McCANDLESS, 55 JOHNSON STREET. Advertisement for a clothing store.

LENZ & LEISER, Government Street, VICTORIA. Advertisement for a clothing store.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. Advertisement for a baking powder brand.

MARVELOUS MEMORY DISCOVERY. Advertisement for a memory training product.

MAMA SAYS THE ROSEWATER. Advertisement for a perfume brand.

ERSKINE'S Boot & Shoe EMPORIUM. Advertisement for a shoe store.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Consumption Surely Cured

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