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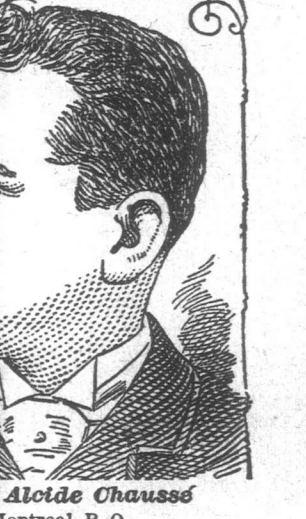
MP'S GALORE.

San Francisco Overrun with Vagabonds. Cal. Jan. 10.—The state convened on Tuesday last.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 10.—The B. Curtis, (Samuel of) She states that Curtis is endeavoring to secure a name.

from the Kootenay district, party fifth, stated that the men about ready to put in no doubt by this time in the concentrator was all to have been started up by the first work was to have Blue Bell ore, which was continuously and in good wharf at Pilot bay.

first work at the concentrator will be awaited with by people both in and out, very important era in mining Kootenay district.



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Alcide Chausse's Valuable Medicine

Given a Fair Trial Proves Its Merit. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for six months and am glad to say it has done me a great deal of good.

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla CURES

Hood's Sarsaparilla it has in fact cured many cases of liver trouble, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache, indigestion.

TORONTO AGAIN SCORCHED

Fire Visits the Wholesale District and Works Having Among the Buildings.

Another Half Million Goes Up in Flames—Firms Affected by the Fire.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Another great fire is raging in Toronto this evening, and at the present moment there is no telling what may be the extent of it. It has already far exceeded that of Sunday morning in the damage it has done.

At 10 o'clock the fire was under control and almost out. Wylde, Grasset & Darling's big building escaped. The loss will likely reach a million dollars.

Last evening's fire started where the Globe fire of Sunday left off. After burning furiously for a few hours, a fortunate downpour of rain prevented further damage.

The firemen are still playing on the fire, and for days will be busy cooling the ruins and preventing the spread of the conflagration.

Pure blood is absolutely necessary to enjoy perfect health. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and strengthens the system.

WASHINGTON WIRINGS.

To Adjust the Nicaragua Trouble—Agricultural Affairs.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The morning session of the National Dairyman's Association at Willard's hotel to-day was devoted principally to addresses containing suggestions pertaining to work of organization.

In the senate the house bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the South Canadian river, was placed on the calendar. The Aldrich resolution as to stationing of one or more ships of the navy at Honolulu again went over.

Excitement in Stock Market Over Strike in Constock Mine. San Francisco, Jan. 11.—The stock market in this city is excited this morning owing to news being received that the ore body of the Constock, Virginia mine is much improved.

A dispatch to the merchants' exchange from Elk, Montecino county, says: "A large steamer towing another steamer passed Point Arena at ten o'clock this morning going south."

Berlin, Jan. 11.—The Cologne Gazette advises Japan to make peace with China at once.

London, Jan. 11.—A Peking dispatch says at the instance of Li Hung Chang the emperor has issued an order for the arrest of the three generals who commanded the Chinese troops at Port Arthur.

A Shanghai dispatch says that the divers have patched up the Chinese warship Chen Yuen. She is now in good fighting condition.

Bibson Frocks—This cake is awful nice, mamma. (Silence.) This cake is awful nice, mamma.

"Oh, nothing, only when the new minister says you always ask him to have more."—Boston Courier.

THE FRENCH AT MADAGASCAR

Fort Farafatra Bombaraded—Hovas Fight Bravely But Were Defeated.

London, Jan. 11.—A Port Louis dispatch says news has been received from Madagascar stating that the French bombarded Fort Farafatra, near Tamatave. The Hovas bravely defended the fort, replying to the French fire with well directed shots with several guns.

ONDERDONK'S JOB.

Likely To Get Another Contract—Dr. Dawson's Promotion.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Haggart told your correspondent yesterday that Onderdonk promised him to employ none but Canadian laborers on the Trent Valley canal.

It is as good as settled that there will be a session before an election. If not to-morrow's Gazette a proclamation will be issued next week calling parliament to meet in February.

FOR CONSUMPTIVES.

Free Institutions to be Conducted by Gen. Butler's Executors.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—N. S. Baldwin, agent for the estate of the late Gen. B. F. Butler, confirms the report that the estate will conduct a free sanitarium for consumptives at Fort Union, N. M.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The Full Court Proceeding with the List of Appeals.

The full court, consisting of Justices Crease, McCreight and Walkem, are today hearing the plaintiff's appeal in the action of E. C. Gruner & Company vs. John Braden, M. P. P. and J. L. Stamford.

This is an appeal from the judgment of Mr. Justice Drake of November 29, 1893, whereby judgment was entered for the defendant Braden with costs. The action is brought to recover \$1081.52 for goods sold by E. C. Gruner & Company of Hamilton, to the late firm of Braden & Stamford.

Mr. E. V. Bodwell and Mr. A. E. McPhillips for the appellants, and Mr. C. E. Fooley, Q. C., for the respondent Braden J. G. McLean vs. The Inland Construction Company was down for trial to-day, but was settled by plaintiffs taking judgment for \$650 against the defendants and the defendants taking judgment against the Bank of British Columbia for \$750.

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SPAVIN, RINGBONES, ETC.

Cured by Dick's Blisters. third parties, claiming to be indemnified by them. Bodwell & Irving for plaintiff, McPhillips, Woolton & Barnard for defendants, and Davis, Marshall, Macneil & Abbott for bank.

A REFORM ADMINISTRATION

Committee of Five Appointed to Reorganize the Police Force of New York.

New York, Jan. 12.—The members of the legislature committee of the city club met last night to consider reform measures. They remained in session four hours. A resolution was adopted to appoint a committee of five to consider legislation affecting the police department.

THE PACIFIC CABLE SCHEME.

Hitt of the Foreign Affairs Committee Opposes Cleveland's Proposition.

He Objects to a British Company Having a Station on the Hawaiian Islands.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—Representative H. K. Hitt of Illinois, ex-chairman and at present the principal Republican member of the house committee on foreign affairs, said yesterday that while he agreed with President Cleveland that Hawaii should have the benefit of telegraphic communication with the outside world, he was strongly opposed to the suggestion in the president's message of Wednesday that a British company should be permitted to construct and operate a proposed cable line from Australia to British Columbia, touching at one of the Hawaiian islands.

GRAVE CHARGES.

Straw Men Said to have Been Placed on the Sound's Customs Pay Roll.

Tacoma, Jan. 11.—The grave charge of carrying straw men on the pay rolls of the Puget sound customs department has been made against Collector J. C. Saunders. It is understood that he denies the charge, and accordingly J. Tomant Steeb, who had the handling of the men employed at the interstate fair, as far as the pay roll is concerned, was to-night asked for an explanation of the matter.

ANNEXATION OF SAMOA.

New Zealand's Proposition Endorsed by the Australian Colonies.

Auckland, N. Z., Jan. 11.—Premier R. J. Sedden spoke at length in Kokitika to-day concerning Samoa and New Zealand and the three interested powers. He said: "New Zealand's offer to administer Samoa is unanimously approved by the Australian colonies."

SEVERE WEATHER IN EUROPE.

Storms All Over the Continent and in Great Britain.

London, Jan. 11.—The weather in England is intensely cold. There is skating in Regent's park. Rev. Thos. Podmore, vicar of Ashton Lee Willows, was found dead in the snow.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Before Jake Shafer left for Fort Wayne he remarked: "I see that there is a man in New York who wants to get up a match between myself and Fournil for \$500 a side. This is ridiculous. It would cost me three hundred dollars to practice for three weeks in New York. If there is anyone willing to back Fournil for \$2500 a side, or even \$2000, I'll play him any time he chooses. As to Ives and myself meeting again, that rests with Ives."

Red Hook, N. Y., Jan. 11.—F. Edda, the Japanese student who on Monday while in a delirium escaped from his room at St. Stephen's college at Annandale and disappeared, was found yesterday seated beside a haystack near Madison. He had suffered much from exposure. He had taken with him a razor with which to fight the Chinese. His idea was to walk to Japan and join the Mikado's army there. He now shows signs of returning reason.

VANCOUVER ELECTIONS.

Very Little Interest Taken in the Mayoralty Contest.

Vancouver, Jan. 11.—Very few voters turned out yesterday to take part in the municipal contest, many not being qualified on account of not having paid their taxes. The result follows: For the mayoralty—Henry Colline 686, Ald. McDowell 297.

Aldermen—Ward 1—J. Couplan, retired grocer, Vancouver. Ward 2—W. H. Gallagher, builder and contractor. Ward 3—H. P. McCraney. Ward 4—G. W. Thomas, contractor. Ward 5—W. P. Brown, carpenter. School Trustees—Messrs. McGowan, Murray and Brydone-Jack.



















Victoria, Friday, January 18.

HEALTH MATTERS.

Dr. Geo. H. Duncan, city health officer, in his annual report dealt with some matters pertaining to the public health which should, now that the hurly-burly of the elections is over, command the attention of the citizens and of the newly elected council.

The paragraph in the report which deals with the sewerage system should claim attention, for, as Dr. Duncan points out, there is serious danger of the spread of disease by the practice of using night soil as at present.

There are many other points in Dr. Duncan's able report which are deserving of attention on the part of the civic authorities and the citizens. In fact the whole report should give valuable assistance towards making the city cleaner, more healthful and more attractive, and a great deal of work, unfortunately, still needs to be done in this direction.

served castigation which the Colonist administers to those howlers this morning, is by far the most suitable thing which the Colonist has given utterance to for some time.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The people of San Francisco are just now most indignant over the appointment of "Mose" Gunst, a notorious gambler and friend of criminals, as one of the police commissioners for the city. This appointment was the work of ex-Governor Markham, who was just about to retire from his own office at the time.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Nanaimo, Jan. 15.—The nominations yesterday did not cause much enthusiasm. That was probably owing to the unfavorable state of the weather.

CRIME ON THE ISLANDS.

To the Editor: My attention having been drawn to a letter in the Colonist re Pimper Pass affairs, I would like to bring to light on these subjects than is therein shown.

IN A VERY BAD WAY.

The Mess Into Which the Finances of the Dominion Have Been Brought.

Why the Government Hesitates to Meet Parliament or the People.

From our own correspondent.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—It was not necessary to have a perusal of the public accounts of the Dominion for 1893-94 to show that the finances of the country were in anything but a satisfactory condition.

MOUNET-SULLY.

The Celebrated French Actor.

The features of Mounet-Sully are familiar to Canadians, as the great actor, during his American tour, played to delighted audiences in this country.

BLESSINGS OF PROTECTION.

Four Thousand Unemployed Men March in Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—About 4000 unemployed workmen surrounded the city hall this morning, and a deputation, introduced by Willis Darlington, interviewed the mayor.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

B. B. Osler, Q. C. Likely to be the Liberal Candidate for East York.

Canadians Holding Their Own at the Milwaukee Bauspiel.—Other News.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 17.—The Masons have decided to erect a building exclusively for Masonic purposes. The plans will be prepared at once and work commenced in the spring.

Jack McCulloch, the champion skater of Canada, goes east to-day to compete in the championship races.

A dispatch from Milwaukee states that the two Manitoba rinks still hold places in bonspiel competitions there.

MacLean, proprietor of the World newspaper, was fined one dollar and costs yesterday for publishing a Sunday paper on the day of the Globe fire.

Rev. T. Fenwick, of Woodbridge, in a published letter condemned the action of Lord and Lady Aberdeen in praying beside the hier of Sir John Thompson.

Amédé Chappelle, the murderer of Jessie Keith, of Listowell, will be tried before Judge Armour at Stratford on March 26th.

Hamilton, Jan. 17.—The fifteenth annual re-union of the Ancient Accepted Scotch Rite Masons of Canada, began yesterday in Masonic building.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Premier Bowell attended the council yesterday. It is understood the question of dissolution or session was discussed but no decision was arrived at.

DISPUTE OVER A NAME.

A London Doctor Claims to Have Patented the Word Anti-toxine.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Dr. Geo. Dixon, of London, who claims to be the president of the British Anti-toxine Club of London, and who claims to have patented in 1892 the use of the word "Anti-toxine" as a trade mark, is consulting lawyers here with a view to restraining infringement of his patent rights.

DOG SHOW.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 29, 30 and 31st.

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NO FOOT

People of Victoria Withdrawal of Officers B...

Expression of Op Cannot Read Ridicule

Very Few Hands G port of the A Measure

The council chamber was packed last night, no standing room left but not gain ingress, and who were satisfied by the doors.

At 8 o'clock the ball w Mayor Teague, who was the large meeting and manifested in the country.

This the speaker belied sioners' bill would be the omission and there were nder of the government anbers, whom the audience chance of hearing to-nigh offer no remarks himself.

Whereas at a public me 18th of January, instan, special purpose of discussi from the political atmosph and presided over by H Mayor, a resolution was u and hastily declared ca lawing tenor and effect.

Whereas from the finan sion, by the Finance M system on the ground th provincial government is o of at no distant date.

Be it therefore resolv plition of this subject, th Dominion government, ch change of the affairs of the present session, he sves to be incapable of d dicting its affairs, and s sentiture of the public r the secretary of this meet to forward a complete c Sir Mackenzie Bowell, p minion.

And whereas such resol press the views of this com the general assembly, th from the political atmosph and under these exist withdrawal by the elector pled to the support of of fore.

Be it resolved by the cit in a mass meeting assemb led resolution be rescindd Forsyth the said resolut meeting be requested to g the same prominence as th tion, there were few c He did not believe th loyal subject who would resolution. It was nece political feelings in such present.

Premier Davie said, t would be willing to give that would be said, but first to vindicate the act ement and clear the air from the political atmosph

At the last meeting th tack on the government, and that affected each a the province. The gove deavouring to build a rail way, that such a succe eding that such a m passed. He had heard th the present government would be difficult for him wise, when the citizen mosty sent supporters sion.

R. P. Rithet, M. P. P., felt confident that the p would support this reso themselves right before Mayor Teague said th referred to in Mr. Davie's down stairs in the cubbo Cheers and laughter fo nouncement.

He would ask the p he would wish to change his resolution in view of stance.

Mr. Davie replied that was done in the fact tha had been spread broad newspaper. The mere forwarders were not woork (havy) simply pig any other foolish resolut

Mayor Teague said th was declared at an end b tion was put. It was l ply as a good rack.

Mr. Davie.—Then it wa Shouts of "question," bisses.

Alexander Wilson took amid shouting and cheer other evening a meeting take into consideration ers' bill, and after that was introduced by a lay had one God, one quee







