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THE LEGISLATURE OF

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

The Real Property Act Will Be Re-Introduced-Wheat Shipment Over Canadian Northern.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 9.—The third a report will be made to the president through the secretary of state. oa, was opened this afternoon by Lt.-Av McMillan with the usual formali-There was a large crowd present. speech from the Throne has the llowing clauses of especial interest: The abundant harvest vouchsafed by ovidence has been a source of great rosperity to the province.
"The Canadian Northern Railway

Company have completed their line to Port Arthur and I anticipate that the rmers and traders of Manitoba will on experience the beneficent results rising from the construction of this ortant work. "I regret to state that the Federal

ernment have, notwithstanding the remous efforts of my government, as t failed to pay over to the province the imulated interest upon school moneys interest derived from the sales of chool lands. You will be asked to take easures to convince the Federal auhorities that the just demands of Manioba in this respect should be no longdisregarded. In consequence of the existing situation it may be necessary mend the School Act.

measure purely provincial in its char-acter, and urgently called for, will not again be disallowed.

ome other measures of public interest."
After routine business the legislature liourned till Monday evening. Wheat Shipments.

Fort William, Jan. 9.-The first shinment of wheat over the Canadian North-ern railway arrived at Port Arthur last eldest daughter of the late Sir David night, the consignees being the Lake of Macpherson, K. C. M. G., Toronto. the Woods Milling Company. The honor of making the first shipment of lungr over the Canadian Northern railway the Western market fell to Port Body Discovered in the Bottom of His Arthur's pioneer firm, the Vigars Company, who shipped this morning a carad to Brown & Co., Winnipeg. The ar was appropriately decorated. Author Entertained.

at the Imperial government had not was in Min tandards of life that prevail in Canada jured. and the dawn of brilliant prosperity for

Presentation to Capt. Leckie. Halifax, Jan. 9.-Capt. J. E. Leckie,

the Canadian Mounted Rifles, to-day presented with the Distinguished ervice Order for his services in South large number of officers.

By-Law Sustained. Oakwood, Ont., Jan. 9 .- The township of Mariposa by a majority of 252 has tained the local option prohibition by-law.

Farmer's Suicide. St. John, N. B., Jan. 9 .- Thomas Woode ent, Sunbury Co., committed suicide on nesday by shooting himself in the head. He was sixty-three years old.

Boy Killed in Foundry Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 9.-Harry Chapth by a revolving belt in Fisher's lry yesterday.

AUSTRIAN'S INVENTION. To Prevent Collisions Between Train

on Railways. New York, Jan. 9.—From Vienna she had proceeded.

Austrian electrician, has invented a em for preventing railway accidents

MUST OBEY POLICE.

Petershare Jan 11 -Owing to recent Petersburg, Jan. 14.—Owing to recent ences of a disposition on the part of populace to depure at the demands of ed to extend the cable to Manila within

CANAL COMPANY OFFER Will Be Considered by Isthmian Commission Shortly.

er, chairman of the Isthmian canal com-mission, stated to-day that he had received a cable from the officers of the Panama Canal Company in Paris, making a formal offer to sell all their property connection with the Panama canal AND SCHOOL MONEYS to the United States for \$40,000,000. M. Lampre, the secretary-general of the company, who is in Washington, stated that the cablegram was explicit, and covered all the property owned by his company in Panama, and that a Island of Samar Proves a Puzzle to copy of the cablegram had been filed with the American ambassador in Paris.

Admiral Walker said that he would

> TRAGIC DEATH OF HON. RICHARD R. DOBELL

Was Thrown From His Horse at Folkstone, England, and Instantly Killed.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier received a cable this afternoon stating that Hon. R. R. Dobell, member of the Dominion cabinet, without portfolio, was killed at Folkestone, England. He was thrown from a horse which he was riding. Death was instantaneous.

Hon, Richard R. Dobell, M. P. for Quebec West, was a son of the late Geo. Dobell, of Liverpool, Eng., where he was born in 1837, and educated at the col-lege in that city. He came to Canada oneys now paid to schools and to mercantile firm of R. R. Dobell & Co., Quebec. He was also president of the "The Federal government has, to the board of trade, and one of the harbor surprise and regret of my advisors, disallowed "The Real Property Act' passed rector of the Quebec Railway Bridge by this assembly. This act was so obviously beneficial that it has been decided perial federation movement, and in 1896 o re-introduce it in expectation that a assisted Lord Rosebery in founding the

British Empire League.

He was elected to the House of Comgain be disallowed.

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"Your judgment will be asked upon England in June, 1895, but lost the electron men." tion on a recount. He was elected to the same seat in 1896, and again at the last general election. He entered the Laurier administration on July 13th, 1896, being swera of the Privy Council and called to the cabinet without portfolio.

FARMER FOUND DEAD.

Wagon Box.

Minnedosa, Man., Jan. 9.-William Ritchie, a prominent farmer, whose home was about ten miles south of here, Toronto, Jan. 9.—The Canadian club was found lying dead in the bottom of onight banqueted Gilbert Parker, M. his wagon box at an early hour this P. The feature of Mr. Parker's address was his indignant protest against yard of a neighbor named McMullen, Rudyard Kipling's slurs on the game of with their ghastly freight, and were discricket, and his expression of regret dyard Kipling's slurs on the game of with their ghastly freight, and were dischet, and his expression of regret covered by the family. The dead man manner. It was formerly said that there adopted at the psychological moment a ness, and left for his home in the evenscheme for recruiting at the expense of the Mother Country an Imperial army away, and while beyond control smashthe Mother Country an Imperial army away, and while beyond control smashtotal number of saloons on the Escolta, but now not one is to be found there. The total number of saloons in the city is in the republic of Paraguay turns out seal is still being used in Canada and if 5,000 from Canada, 5,000 from Aus- ed into and upset a vehicle driven by ia and 10,000 from Great Britain. another farmer named Porter. The oc-He also spoke impressively of the high cupants of Porter's wagon were unin-

LOSS OF WALLA WALLA. Investigation Began at San Francis Yesterday-Master of Max Sub-

mitted Statement. San Francisco, Jan. 9 .- The official in frica. The presentation was made by vestigation into the cause of the colli-dent.-Governor Jones in the presence of sion between the steamer Walla Walla and the French barque Max last Thursday was commenced to-day before the

Capt Benoist, of the Max, submitte written statement to the effect that at the time of the accident his mate was or There was no fog. The lookout reported the lights of a steamer on the starboard bow. The mate thereupon notified him, and he went up on deck and seeing the light of a steamer, he went into his cabin to dress. While so engaged the collision occurred. The lights of his vessel were burning bright-Voodstock, N. B., Jan. 9.—Harry Chaply. Immediately after the stemmer was in thirteen years of age, was whirled to struck he rushed on deck. As the forepart of his ship was filling rapidly he was too busy issuing orders for the closing of the compartments to pay any attention to the other vessel. He ordered a torch lighted, however, to let the steamer know where he was, but, not seeing anything of the latter 15 minutes after the accident, he concluded that

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

Washington, Jan. 10.-The house committee on commerce took up the subject of the Pacific cable to-day. The train running into the trains meeting one another or from main question is whether the cable train running into the rear of anshall be constructed by the government or by private parties. George G. Ward, vice-president of the Commercial Pacific Cable Company.

stated that contracts had been made for two years from next November. Half the students are being vaccinated as rapidly as the work can be done. The only case of failure, the delinate models. It is printed that the payment of a fine of roubles.

New York, Jan. 10.—The board of the students are being vaccinated as rapidly as the work can be done. The mitted that none of the delegates will as that of H. H. Savage, a sophomore, roubles.

New York, Jan. 10.—The board of demand for an unconditional surrender managers of the Delaware & Hudson the students are being vaccinated as rapidly as the work can be done. The mitted that none of the delegates will mitted that none of the delegates will state of H. H. Savage, a sophomore, roubles.

The hearing will continue to-morrow.

TRYING TO STARVE North German Lloyd Steamer Crosse Atlantic at Reduced Speed **OUT THE NATIVES** New York, Jan. 10 .- The North Ger

GEN. FUNSTON ON THE PHILIPPINE SITUATION

Military Authorities—Filipinos Hard to Locate.

San Francisco, Jan. 10 .- Gen. Funstone, speaking last night of the progress of the war in the Philippines,

"There is little that can be added to the news that has been sent out from Manila by telegraph. In Batangas our in Leyte the situation is very promis-ing. Samar is a puzzle. The island is being raked from side to side by columns of scouts, but it is very difficult to lo cate the insurgents. The navy block-ade is very effective, however, and we

progressing satisfactorily, but military procession. rule*must be preserved in those pro-

San Francisco, Jan. 10.—Rev. A. L. Hazlett, a Methodist Episcopal preacher of Colorado City, Colorado, has returned from the Philippines. He went to the Philippines as the request of Gen. Macarthur and under the authority of the secretary of war to study and report upon the moral conditions in the islands, particularly at Manila. His report is that he found a gratifying con tion of affairs in the metropolis of the FATAL FIGHT IN THE Philippines. "Manila is the best governed city I

have ever seen," said Rev. Mr. Hazlett, "and I do not believe its equal in this respect exists in the United States to-day. The moral condition of the city is better than ever before in its history. Since the American occupation the arwere 400 saloons on the Escolta, but mannel"

OBJECT TO DRAMA.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" Be Withdrawn.

ington Opera House, asking that the play, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," never be played again at the opera house here.

They give as reasons that the best cando Insfran, president of the hygienic citizens are also as the control of the hygienic cando Insfran, president of the hygienic about Lexington were once slave owners, that the incidents of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" are not typical of slave life in the South, but of isolated cases, that the whip in hand, present a false idea of the history of the times to the children of the city, and are in disrespect of the southern gentleman and good citizens that Admiral Higginson, with his flag-

REDMOND IS CHAIRMAN.

Dublin, Jan. 10.-At a private meet-John Redmond was unanimously resishould prevail over Castro's force, elected chairman. The other office and committeemen were also re-elected The meeting decided to take immedi ate measures to fill the place of any Boer Delegates Maintain That Demand Irish member of the House of Commons who may be sent to prison.

VACCINATING STUDENTS.

mar Lloyd steamer Kaiserin Maria Theresa arrived to-day from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg, and reports an exceptionally stormy passage. The winds were from N.S., with heavy gales, snow and hail. Sometimes the gale would increase to hurricane force with violent gusts, which, with the enormous seas, would stagger the steamer. The captain said he was obliged to proceed at reduced speed in order to ease the

The seventh day out two stowaways crawled out on deck in an almost exhausted condition. They had stowed away in the hold, and after their provisions were gone they were driven by hunger to the deck. They will be turned over to the immigration authorities.

NEELAND'S ELECTION

A GREAT SURPRISE troops are making good progress, and Mayor Townley Congratulates the New Chief Magistrate—Residence and

Cattle Washed Away.

Vancouver, Jan. 10 .-- The result of the may be able to starve the insurgents out and compel a surrender of the armed mayor was the biggest surprise of the "The work of the civil commission is over Mr. Neelands during last night's

The valise, containing all the papers vinces where stubborn and influential leaders hold the ignorant and blood-thirsty natives in the palm of their hands and mould their opinions at will."

March Across Samar.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The navy decided more than last year's figures. The total expenditure on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as last year's figures. The total expenditure on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as last year's figures. The total expenditure on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as last year's figures. The total expenditure on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as last year's figures. The total expenditure on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account of the papers of asked to pass this year, and further subject of the papers of the papers of the province and influential account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account of the combined of the papers of and telegrams in the suit for damages on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account of the year of the papers of and telegrams in the suit for damages on capital account was \$6,701,208 as on capital account of the year of the papers of and telegrams in the suit of the grand total for the grand total, their combined asked to pass this year, and further on public was stolen last against Mrs.

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Seymour creek dam broke yesterday Lenaug to Basey. The column endured and a wall of water several feet high great hardships. Killed 13. Insurgents swept across the Delta at the mouth of

CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES

Senator Killed and Several Wounded-Presidential Succession the Cause of the Revolution.

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 10.—The rumors 109, and they are governed in a strict to be well founded. The revolt which there was anything in the point raised, broke out at Asuncion, the capital, was caused by the question of the presidential succession, the term of President Accord expiring in November of this Daughters of Confederacy Ask That Aceval expiring in November of this was unconstitutional.

of Gen. Caballero, Gen. Escodar, Col. ederacy, has sent a written petition to Senor Freitas. President Aceval resign-Charles B. Scott, manger of the Lex- ed the presidency and congress accepted Maude Ashlev.

itizens and old families living in and council, was killed, and Gen. Caballero

the South, but of isolated cases, that the reins of Paraguay has placed production and its advertisement with the reins of government in the hands of bloodhounds and pictures of an old vice-President Senor Hector Carvallo. negro in chains and a slave owner with Great excitement, prevails at Asuncion. Going to Venezuela.

country.

The petition is signed by four of the most prominent women of the Chapter, and is endorsed unanimously by the members.

REDMOND IS CHAIRMAN ines aboard. These precautions are ports. There was an increase of over taken, not with any offensive intent to \$8,000,000 in imports and over \$5,000,wards Venezuela, but merely to guard 600 in exports. ing of the Irish Parliamentary party, against an outbreak of anarchy and riotheld in the Mansion House here to-day, ing in the event that the revolution

EXPECT OVERTURES.

onditional Surrender Must Be Abandoned.

Amsterdam, Jan. 10.—The Boer dele gates in Holland evidently anticipate was no one on the craft. Princeton, N. J., Jan. 10 .- The authori- that some kind of peace overtures will ties are taking every precaution to prevent the spread of smallpox among the reticent as to their reasons for this be-

THE FINANCES FOR

BY TWO MILLIONS

REVENUE INCREASED

A Nominal Surplus of \$86,016.24 Over Ordinary Expenditure-A Constitutional Question.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.-The statement of revenue and expenditure for the six nonths of the present fiscal year, which nded on the 31st December last, has een issued by the finance department. The revenue shows a nominal surplus over ordinary expenditure of \$8,601,624. If the amount expended on capital account is taken into consideration there is still left a surplus of nearly two millions over and above all expenditures.

The revenue for the half year was \$27,683,855, as against \$25,731,656 for the same time last year, an increase of \$1,952,199, or in round numbers two millions. The expenditure was \$19,062,231

procession.

The valise, containing all the papers and telegrams in the suit for damages on capital account. The value of \$95,702,712, or 9.85 per cent.

Iron and coal alone yielded more than the suit for damages on capital account. lion dollars of this increase was upon the payment of railway subsidies and the balance is due to the increased amount paid on public works.

The details are as follows for the six months, compared with the same time last year: Customs, \$14,417,438; \$15. 810,647. Excise, \$5,350,643; \$5,787,957. Post office, \$1,594,237; \$1,685,000; For lie Works and Railways, \$2,930.695; \$3,196,805. Miscellaneous, \$1,438,643; OF LATEST REVOLT \$3,190,805. Miscellaneous, \$1,495,045; \$1,203,446. Total, \$25,731,656; \$27,683,-855. Expenditures, \$17,208,610; \$19,-082,231

Question of Legality.

J. McDougall, K. C., has raised a point that parliament was not legally called last year on account of the proclawas necessary. After the death of King ducers,

William IV., Queen Victoria used th

Will Apply for Divorce. Hartford Ashley, of Thurlow, Hast-

1st, 1902, in which to begin construction of its works and an extension of two of its works.

SIGHTED LIFE RAFT. Mendocino-No Person Aboard.

Seattle, Jan. 10 .- The officers of the steamer Edith, which has arrived from San Francisco, report having seen, 80 miles off Cape Mendocino, a life ratt from the ill-fated Walla Walla, There

SEVEN PER CENT. DIVIDEND.

SENTENCE COMMUTED.

binet was held this forenoon to disse of a capital case from British Col-Ah Kuong, a Chinaman, killed three

his countrymen and wounded three others with a gun, near New West-minster. There was no motive for the crime. The prisoner did not even know any of them. He simply ran up against them. The doctors have decided that the prisoner is a lunatic, and was insare whou he killed the strangers. This being the case, there was nothing left for the governor-in-council, but to remit the death sentence, and to hand the pris oner over to the provincial authorities to be cared for as a lunatic. Ah Kuons was to have been hanged on January

Attorney-General Eberts has wired that he will take charge of the prisoner, who is now in New Westminster jail.

MINERAL OUTPUT OF

THE UNITED STATES Value Exceeds That of 1899 by Over

Ninety-Five Million-Activity in Copper Properties. Washington, Jan. 9.—The value of the

forces there, which number about 4,500 men, in a few months. The army and navy are co-operated in an effort to inavy are co-operated in an effort in 1900 exceeded for the first time a logical survey report on mineral resources, which has just been issued. The forms of household art, and decorations, Iron and coal alone yielded more than

washington, Jan. 10.—The navy department has received the following cablegram from Rear Admiral Roberts at Cavite:

"Waller reports having completed a ten days' march across Samar from Interest Roberts at Cavite ten inches diameter, passed through to day and will be put in place to morrow. Sowneys great days march across Samar from Interest Roberts United States. The Mesaba range in Minnesota alone produced 8,158,450 long tons, or 30 per cent, of the total domestic productions. The total value at the mines of 27,553,161 long tons produced in 1900, was \$66,590,504, as compared with \$34,999,077 in 1899, a gain of 90.26 per cent. The report shows that the pig iron production in 1900 increased 9.24 per cent, in tonnage, and over six per cent.

in value over the record breaking year of 1898.

point that parliament was not legally called last year on account of the proclamation summoning it being issued in the name of Queen Victoria and before it met the Queen died and King Edward VII. reigned. Mr. McDougall is of the opinion that a new proclamation should have been issued under the King's name. Hon. David Mills, than whom there is probably no higher constitutional anthority in this country, says that parlia.

The yield for the year was valued at \$80-171,000 or again of \$8,117,600 over 1890. The silver output was of the commercial value of \$35,741,340.

The report notes great activity for the year in old and new copper properties. In 1890 the production of coal in the United States exceeded for the first time that of Great Britain. In 1900 the lead over Great Britain. In 1900 the lead over Great Britain in the ground that some leading the probably have probably no higher constitutional anthority in this country, says that parlia.

thority in this country, says that parliament was summoned under the great ment was summoned under the great britain. In 1900 the lead over Great Britain was much increased, thus fixing the United States in voters had voted in several divisions, they call have a right to vote seal, and therefore no new proclamation creased, thus nxing the United States in whereas they only have a right to vote the death of King the first place among the world's pro-FIGHTING EXPECTED.

Report That Nicaragua is Making Pre-

parations For War. Berlin Jan 9-The Kleins Journal rints the following dispatch to-day from

Hamburg: "Nicaragua is making extensive war Lexington, Ky., Jan. 10.—Lexington J. A. Escurra, the minister of war; ings, Ont., farmer, will apply to the par-tiating for the purchase of two other. Chapter, United Daughters of the Con-Senor Marro, a cabinet minister, and liament of Canada at the next session for warships, and has bought cannon, rifles liament of Canada at the next session for a bill of divorce from his wife, Sabra Maude Ashlev.

Applications.

Dawson City Electric Railway Co. will apply next session for incorporation. Parliament will be asked next session to incorporate the Bishop of the Orthodox Russia-Greek Catholic church for North America and the Aleutian Islands.

The Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal Company will apply to parliament for an extension of two years from May 1st, 1902, in which to begin construction

veston,-Gen, Alban, the commander of the Colombian forces, has received news that President Zelaya, of Nicaragua. has invited the other four presidents of Central America to attend a conference Craft From Walla Walla Seen Off Cape at Counto, Nicuragua, with the secret object of inducing them to enter into coalition against Colombia. MISS STONE.

lease is Imminent.

Stone by the brigands, who have held

her in captivity since September 2nd, is New York, Jan. 10.-The board of believed to be a question of hours.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—A meeting of the IN RURAL SCHOOLS

> WILL BE TRIED IN EACH OF PROVINCES

> Details of Sir William Macdonald's Generous Scheme-Aldermen to Again Go to Polls.

Toronto, Jan. 10 .- Prof. Robertson today forwarded to the government details of Sir William Macdonald's scheme for improving education in rural districts.

The communication contained the interesting information that the experiment is not to be restricted to Ontario alone, but will be tried at one place in each of the provinces. The intention is to consolidate five or six rural schools at a convenient point changing them into one graded school with a school garden and normal training room as part of the equipment. Sir William will defray the expense. The idea in brief is to introduce technical education for farm life nireral products of the United States into rural schools. Among the subjects will be: Dairying, pouttry keeping, beehilling exceeded for the first time a keeping, fruit growing, general gardening; and for girls, the preparation and

> Should the electric railway charters be granted, which the legislature has been

Conductor Injured.

William McKenzie, street car conductor, while endeavoring to replace a pole on a trolley, was struck on the head by another car and probably fatally injured.

Toronto University. The annual report of the Toronto Uniersity shows a deficit of \$9,850.37. Will Be Interesting.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—Signor Marconi, we have to Engined, made the interesting announcement at a luncheon tendered him by the Canadian society of Electrical Engineers to-day that at the annual convention of the society to be held at The most important gains in the gold production were in the Seward Peninsula of Alaska, the Cripple Creek district of Colorado, and in Arizona. The eral Electrical Co., had offered \$500 to

elect will resign in a body and go to the polls again.

INDIAN TRAGEDY.

Killed His Wife, Daughter and a Policeman and Then Shot Himself

Miles City, Mont., Jan. 10,-Fort preparations. She has purchased the German warship Armenius and is nego-

f its works and an extension of two fused to do."

Inquiry made here fails to confirm the statements contained in the dispatch of the Kleins Journal.

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Inquiry made here fails to confirm the diam coses was dispatched to bring him in. White opened fire upon the appear-

Colon, Colombia, Jan. 9.-Via Gal- Vasquez Charged With Attempting to Incite a Revolution Against

Zelaya. Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 11.-The government of Nicaragua has arrested General Vasquez, the former president of Honduras, from on board the South American Steamship Company's steamer Lucapel. The general is charged with attempting to excite a revolution in Censeen, 80
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lease is Imminent, London Jan 10.—The release of Miss in 1894 for the same offence.

GOING WITH THE RIFLES.

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IMPERIAL MINISTEES AND DUTY O, SUGAR

Important Meeting on Monday-The Erie Traction Company Has Bought European Canals.

London, Jan. 11.—One of the greatest American commercial enterprises in Europe has just culminated here. It consists in the securing of all-water routes for American cargoes of grain and other commodities from inland ports in the United States, to inland ports in Europe, and embraces the purchase by American capital of several British and other canals. Frank W. Hawley, vicepresident of the Erie Canal Traction Company, has been on this side several months, quietly securing concessions for the operation of European canals by electricity. The Eric concern to-day secured control of about five thousand miles of canals in England and on the continent. As a result cargoes will shortly be chipped on the same bill of lading from Buluth, Minn., to Brussels, Bruges, Ghent and Oelogne, and later to many points in the United Kingdom, France, Germany and Italy. At the forthcoming session of parlia-

ed to grant permission for the erection of Central Power Stations. For the propulsion of traffic on at least two British canals. These will be operated with American capital, though their

control wall nominally remain in British Mr. Hawkey said to-day to a represent-

ative of the Associated Press:
"Yes, it is true that the Traction
Company is making considerable progress in securing all-water routes by trically operated canals throughout Eurhave been able

To Get Control

of a portion of these, because their operation and maintenance expenses are over 70 per cent, of their gress receipts. The Birmingham. Grand Ingelian, 1 clear to the defence of the canal and harbors, socious 3 and 4 authorize the President to make accessary provision of a transmit and from the defence of the canal and harbors, socious 3 and 4 authorize the President to make such surveys as may be far removed as is the canal at Oakland California, where the power is transmit and from the defence of the canal as may to him in constructing the canal as may to him. ted from the Yuba river, a distance of 140 miles. Therefore it is merely a question of getting the necessary consent of parliament for the conveyance of this electric energy before the English canals will be equal to the canals of America and Belgium. Electrical energy has resulted in increased facilities with a corresponding reduction in the cost of opera-The condition of Sig Ellis Ashmend-

Bartlett, M. P., following a serious

Is Now Dangerous. vative interests, was born in Brooklyn. in 1892. His brother, William Lehman, married the Baroness Burdett-Coutts, whose name he assumed.

There will be a cabinet meeting here Monday, which bids fair to be most fateful to the history of the West In-dies, and may vitally affect the United States. Lord Salisbury and his colleagues will then decide whether Great Britain will put a countervailing duty on sugar. The Colonial Secretary will submit a statement, made upon the peachable evidence of the West Indian authorities, that if this step is no

The Sugar Industry

in the West Indian islands will be dead within a year, and the West Indies will be hopelessly bankrupt. The British sugar delegates to the Brussels conference will also report that there is no Maxwell of this place has written for likihood of the continental nations abolishing bounties, unless Great Britain she claims that Dodd's Kidney Pills declares her intention of imposing coun-tervaling duties, should the bounties be after she had tried almost everything continued. The preliminary sessions of the Brussels sugar conference have convinced the British delegates that the ment, suffered for a long time with kid-continential powers only desire, at the ney trouble, enduring the greatest pain

by a representative of the Associated were considerably increased by this. In-Press inclines to the belief that the cabinet will not consent to the imposition of countervailing duties for fear of rais- She says she used Dodd's Kidney Pills ing a storm of internal criticism from with the most remarkable results, bethe old school of free traders, who coning almost instantly relieved and in a the fire. stitute a formidable wing of the Union The memorandum which Mr. restored to good health. Chamberlain will present on Monday is worded more in the

Nature of an Ultimatum than any hitherto presented to the govand while it does not openly ecession, that phase of the ernment, threaten situation has been verbally communi-cated by the Colonial Secretary.

decision of the cabinet will be kept a profound secret at least until January 20th, when the British delegates return quite a sensation and Mrs. Maxwell's less telegraphy had taken place earlier. President Scrymser, of the South and the presidency of medals board in the militia department, Ottawa. to the Brussels sugar conference, It is full and frank statement of the matter control. He has been the subject of a great deal of in favor of government control. He untervailing duties, but the per-

MAYOR SUSPENDED.

Gener, Chief Magistrate of Havana, Was Removed From

Havana, Jan. 9.-Gen. Woods's reasons or suspending yesterday Miguel Gener, the mayor of Havana, were his alleged incompetency and his inattention business. The petition for the mayor's removal, signed by 23 of the councilmen CHAMBERLAIN EXTOLS of Havana, was seconded by Senor Nunez, the civil governor of Havana, and Diego Tamayo, the Cuban secretary of state. The second assistant mayor ow acting as mayor of this city. Civil Governor Nunez is conducting the inves-

tigation of Mayor Gener.

Gener has been the leader of the Maso faction in Havana, and is one of the officials who came out openly for Gen. Maso, the recent candidate of the Democratic party, for the presidency of Cuba. Gener has gained the enmity of the Cuban official element and of the councilmen of Havana. The local press has peen predicting his removal for a month Mayor Gener and attacking Gen. Woods, and says that the removal of the mayor f Havana was expected.

commander of the United States army ers attributed to the "Indiscreet ora-here, and the army is at the head of the tory of the Colonial Secretary." government. With the departure of Spanish sovereignty from Cuba our constitutional laws and guarantees fell. We are at the discretion of the commander of the army and of the political parties. Freedom of speech in the press and on ne platform exists by the sufferance of the military governor. As secretary of justice, Senor Gener had the support of Gen. Woods because he did what the nilitary governor wanted him to do; as the mayor of Havana, elected by the people. Gener has looked to the latter exclusively, and has ceased to be persona grata at the palace."

CANAL BILL PASSED.

Only Two Members Voted Against It-Work to Cost \$180,000,000.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 9.-The Hepurn Nicaraguan Canal Bill passed the House late this afternoon by practically an unanimous vote. Only two members out of 310 voted against it. Messrs. Flencher (Minnesota) and Lassiter (Vir ginia) were the two voting in the nega-

The bill, as passed to-day, authorized Canals which will figure in the President to secure from the votes

There are in the United of Costa Rica and Nicaragua, on behalf

Rosebery describes as 'vile, infamous of the United the English canals which will figure in the President to secure from the votes centre of said territory.

town, in Nicaragua, by way of Lake done us serious harm."
Nicaragua to a point on the Pacific Mr. Chamberlain sai

seem wise, and directs that in the con-struction of the canal the river San Jose and Lake Nicaragua shall be used as with and disposed of. far as they are available.

guarante, to the governments of Costa Rica and Nicaragua the use of the canal inter-oceanic canal, which I believe will and harbors upon terms to be agreed be a great advantage to the commerce upon for all vessels owned by said states of the world, as it will be of great ad-

and by citizens thereof.

The last section makes a present ap—

"I might have included the struggle propriation of \$10,000,000 to carry on this work, and authorizes the secretary for supremacy in South Africa, but I say He has been suffering from internal inflammation for some days. Sir Ellis
Ashmead-Bartlett, M. P. for the Ecclesall division of Sheffield in the Conser-N. Y., in 1849. He was formerly ciril section fixes the aggregate cost at \$180, lord of the Admiralty and was knighted 000,000, to be drawn from the treasury 000,000, to be drawn from the treasury on warrants of the President.

TO WEAK WOMEN EVERYWHERE

Mrs. Maxwell Tells How Much Pain and Suffering May Be Remedied.

A Very Interesting Statement by an Elora Lady—She Has Found a Pan-acea for All Female Weaknesses and Wants Every Woman in Can ada to Know of It.

Elora, Ont., Jan. 10.-(Special.)-Mrs.

This good lady, according to her state most, to amend the bounty system, and with a dizziness and headaches that that this is chiefly due to the hope of made her very ill. She was passing placating their own consumers, through what is always a critical period in every woman's life and her troubles

> very short time completely cured and

> She is very grateful and in her lette she says: "I cannot find words to express my gratitude to God for my mar vellous cure. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the greatest medicine in the world, especially for those of my age.

"I could scarcely move hand or foot I was so dizzy, and violent pains would shoot through my whole system, but most needless to add that the now thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills I was not certain that its Pacific Commercial Cable Co., said no arrange for a floral wreath to be sent from the ministers.

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Lieut.-Col. Smith's Appointment

COLONIAL PATP OTISM

Says the Colonies Must Be Consulted on Vital Questions-Count Von Buelow's Remarks.

Lendon, Jan. 11 .- Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, speaking at Birmingham to-night, took occasion to notice without entering into a con-La Lucha has been supporting troversy rejoinder the sarcasms shower-Gener and attacking Gen. Woods, ed upon him in the Reichstag during the past week, especially Count von Buelow's remarks. Referring to the ani-La Lucha, in its issue to-day, says:
"Cuba is occupied and governed by the well aware that it was in some quart-"What I have said," continued the secretary, "I have said and I withdraw-

nothing; I qualify nothing; I defend withing. As I read history, no British minister has ever served his country faithfully and at the same time been popular abroad. I therefore make allowance for foreign criticism. I will not follow the example that has been set me. I do not want to give lessons to a foreign minister, and I will not accept any at his hands. I am responsible only to my Sovereign and my countrymen. "I do not depreciate the importance of the good will of the foreign nations, but there is something more important. It is the affection and confidence of our

kinsfolk across the sea. Even our great lesses in the war that has been forced upon us have brought in their train one essing of infinite and lasting importance. That war has enabled the British Empire to find itself and has shown to all whom it may concern that if ever again we have to fight for our very existence against the world in arms, we will be supported by the sons of Britannia in every quarter of the globe. "How can I." said Mr. Chamberlai

Kingdom, 1,138 miles of canals owned of the United States, control of such a falsehoods, which have been disseminportion of the territory belonging to said great ated in foreign countries without a sylgood financial showing, but 2,768 miles states, as may be desirable and necesof English canals independent of rail- sary, on which to excavate, construct interference by responsible authorities? roads, show earnings of £729 per mile, and protect a canal suitable to the wants My opponents must find some other roads, slow earnings of £729 per mile, and protect a canal suitable to the wants which are greater than those shown by many American railroads. However, we such as may be necessary to secure the causes of hostility, which I do not think deserved, but which always come Section 2 authorizes construction from the Carribean sea to a point near Gray-

Mr. Chamberlain said that when the ocean near Brite, and also to construct present ministry came into office, it was proper supports at the terminus of said at a time when the country was at peace present ministry came into office, it was necessary and to empley such persons included the Venezuelan boundary ques-in constructing the canal as may to him tion, the Samoan difficulty, and the

"Our American kinsfolk," continued Section 5 authorizes the President to Mr. Chamberlain, "have agreed to a

coarsely expressed, we have at least been enabled to settle many substantial differences which might have caused inrnational conflict."

Extolling colonial patriotism, Mr. Chamberlain said: "Only a day or two ago I read in an influential Canadian paper an editorial which declared that the pro-Boers in England were injuring the Empire abroad, and destroying the unity which is our national safeguard. This is only a sample of the loyalty expressed in every colony of the Empire. This is a new factor in politics. You must hereafter consult the colonies upon every vital question of Imperial poli-

Mr. Chamberlain concluded by paying ributes to Lord Kitchener's stern reso ution, the army's cheerful courage and Lord Milner's wise administration.

NARROW ESCAPE.

NARROW ESCAPE. Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The government has the snub administered to Great Britain Four of Family Had to Make War under consideration the appointment of on the subject of the Prince of Wales Through the Flames. a commission to inquire into the whole earlier in the week, when the semi-of

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Jan. 11 .- The nome of Henry Plaunt was destroyed by fire early to-day, and the eleven inmates barely escaped with their lives. Four members of the family were horribly burned in making their escape from the house, their passage being present and made a speech. He was reeve through the mass of flames. A ten-year- of Bytown, now Ottawa, 50 years ago. honor of the late Queen Victoria or the a second story window. Plaunt escapted only in his night clothes, bareheaded the capital westward, but he hoped that and barefooted, and ran four blocks it would still remain where Queen Victory a storm to give the alarm. An through a storm to give the alarm. An explosion of a lamp was the cause of toria had selected it. Fifty years hence accordance with traditional internations

PROPOSED CABLE. President Scrymser is in Favor of Gov- an agitation for a capital farther west. THE NEW CURE ernment Control.

merce committee hearing on the pro-losed Pacific cable was continued to-Washington, Jan. 11.-The House comday, and Vice-President Ward, of the cabinet at to-day's sitting will no doubt tillible cure for Diseases of Women as ell as for Rheumatism. Diabetes, right's Disease and all Kidney disorers.

Said that if a dispatch from Madrid to Admiral Cervera had not been intercepted as a family physician. Pain-Killer for all ed the naval battle of Santiago would the little ills, cuts and sprains, as well as for all bowel complaints, is indispensable. Avoid substitutes there is but one Pale. ordered Cervera to leave Santiago. Ayold substitutes, there is but o

T AKING PRECAUTIONS.

Crev s on Trans-Atlantic Liners Leaving Corean Officials Guilty of Embezzlement Are to Be Put to Death. London Are Being Vaccinated.

London, Jan. 11.—The manager of on of the largest trans-Atlantic lines was effect that the checking of the govern-asked by a representative of the Assoment receipts from taxes and internal ciated Press to-day if he expected an unsent in London at the time of the cor-onation of King Edward. He said: "No. By May I fear we shall have such a smallpox scare and epidemic that Lon-don will be in quarantine when King Edward is crowned."

Sent in London at the time of the cor-the last six years.

Ye Yo Yok, minister of finance, ad-vises the Emperor to pass sentence of death on all officials who embezzled over 2,000. The Emperor's sanction was given

bargo, owing to the smallpox. The vaccination of the crews is only a preliminary to the same operation in case of passengers. The English shipping firms The Dowager Empress of China yessteps to protect health at the home Pekin.

THE MARQUIS OF DUFFERIN.

London, Jan. 13 .- The Marquis of Down, Ireland.

CALMON PICHEDIEC

FEDERAL CABINET MAY

-Hon. R. W. Scott on Future

of Canada. .

question of salmon fisheries in British

Lake Superior. Then there would be

The Late Hon. R. R. Debell.

It is understood that the late Hon. R.

IN THIS PROVINCE

APPOINT COMMISSION

THE LATE HON. R. R. DOBELL,

Saturday, January 11th.

tion, and 10,000,000 would be west of onation festivities of foreign monarchs

away

Being Thrown From His Horse at Folkestone, England,

NANAIMO NOMINATIONS.

Nanaimo, Jan. 13.-The following nom-

nations took place to-day!

For Mayor—John H. Cocking and

Graham, George Johnson, Thomas Brown, William Woodman, Morgan

Harris John D Stewart and Charles

Wilson, Middle Ward: Richard Booth,

J. K. Hickman J. S. Knarston Ed. C.

Barnes and Robert Brown. North Ward:

Charles McCutcheon, Afbert Cornfield, A. E. Planta, John James Hodgkinson

EMPEROR AND GORONATION.

Will Not Attend.

of His Majesty's birthday celebratio

FOR CANCER

Permanently Cures Cancers, Tumors

and Malignant Growths Without

Pain or Danger.

The new Constitutional treatment for

Cancer and all malignant growths is a

simple home treatment, pleasant to the

taste, and while destructive to Cancer germs is perfectly harmless to the most

delicate systems. It has entirely done

to Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

painful pastes and plasters

with dangerous operations and

School Trustees-Edward E. Taylor,

and Honey McAdie.

Tacoma, Jan. 13.-Mail advices from Seoul, Corea, via Yokohama, are to the usual number of Americans to be pre- not less than 10,000,000 yen have been ent in London at the time of the cor- embezzled by government officials during

Edward is crowned."

That this is by no means a pessimis-That this is by no means a pessimistic forecast is evidenced by the fact that the line referred to began this week to have crews of its ships vaccinated prior.

Among already been arrested. Among have crews of its ships vaccinated prior to leaving London for New York. Other lines are following its example, fearing say that the money taken by them was say that the money taken by the that any day the American authorities in payment for salaries or expenses in-may place London shipping under an em-

BRIEF DISPATCHES.

by the detention of vessels having on ministers, thanking them for the care board unvaccinated passengers or crews.

In this respect the shipping interests are abead of the United States consulate, which up to the present has taken no casion of their Majesties' re-entry to Kingston, Ont., Jan. 13.—The property of the present has taken no casion of their Majesties' re-entry to the

M Waldeck-Rousseau, the Premier of will define the entire policy of the government. As this occasion will be the opening of the ministerial electoral cam-Dufferin and Ava, formerly Governor-General of Canada, is seriously ill at Clandebery, his residence in County ter to St. Etienne, and about 100 senators and deputies will be present there.

SAIL TO-MORROW

HORSES ARE BEING PUT ON TRANSPORT

Prisoner Hangs Himself With Towel in Jail-Gilbert Parker and Recruiting in Colonies.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 13 .- All the Halifax, N. S., Jan. 13.—All the ed information to the effect that the militia bands in the city will escort the blockade west of Brandon has been Canadian Mounted Rifles to the transport to-morrow morning. The horses ment of grain. are being put aboard to-day, and the ship will sail at noon to-morrow. Yes Duchess of York on their recent visit to financial—loss which would be involved by verbal messages to several of the financial—loss which would be involved by verbal messages to several of the daministered holy communion to about

Prisoner's Suicide.

tan, a Frontenac county farmer, con-fined in jail awaiting trial charged with division of the department of agricul France, will deliver an important speech an unnatural crime, committed suicide by hanging himself. He had tied a men taking steps to protect public intertowel to the iron railing of the landing of the second flat and jumped off. He fruit, Mr. MacKinnon has appointed J. was simple minded.

Recruiting for Imperial Army. Belleville, Jan. 13.-In a speech at a anguet tendered him on Saturday night. libert Parker, M. P., the well known Canadian author, advocated recruiting or the Imperial army in the colonies and of sending Britishers to the colonies order that the colonies and Mother and may become better acquainted.

Speculation and Law Suits. Hamilton, Jan. 13 .- Henry Kronsein, an old and eccentric man, was bund in a hovel on Orchard Hill on norning suffering from pneuonia. He was removed to the hospital where he died. Kronsbein years ago onducted a large tailoring establishand was worth \$50,000. Bad peculation and law suits reduced him.

REVIEW OF MOUNTED RIFLES AT HALIFAX

O'Grady-Haly-Illinois Company Anxious to Fight With Boers.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 11.-Every availble man of the 2nd Canadian Mounted tifles paraded yesterday afternoon, They all mounted and equipped and arched through the principal streets nder the command of Col. Eyans of hey to this effect was received through the article viewed by thousands of people who ined the streets. Gen. O'Grady-Haly but in the absence of definite information iewed the parade, and in an interview afterwards said the men were a very ine body and made a splendid appearice on the street.

Anxious to Assist Boers New Orleans, Jan. 11.-Capt. L. Deviliers, of the Boer army, who is in this ity, is in receipt of a letter from H. C. Arnold, of Bloomington, Ill., declaring that he has organized in Illinois a company of young men all of whom served recent trouble with Spain, who are inxious to serve with the Boers in South of the sealing fleet, is safe at anchor in the frica, and who want to know if Capt. Devilliers can make arrangements for their transportation there. Capt. Devilliers replied that it is impossible to get

men to Africa Johannesburg Mines, Johannesburg, Jan. 11.-The chamber Wiliam Manson, jr.
Aldermen—South Ward: John W. of mines has issued a report showing that the output of the mines for December 1. of mines has issued a report showing ber was 52,897 ounces of fine gold, against 39,075 ounces for November.

BRONCHIAL AFFECTIONS, coughs and colds, all quickly cured by Pyny-Balsam. It has no equal. Acts promptly, soothes, heals and cures. Manufactured by the proprietors of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

Semi-Official Gazette Says the Kaiser Berlin Jan 11 -Following close after ficial North German Gazette denied that Columbia and to make a report upon the Columbia and the Col pointing out that the Prince had been At the inaugural meeting of the city invited at the request of King Edward, council to-day Hon. R. W. Scott was the North German Gazette to-day pointedly denies that Emperor William will atterd either the memorial service in Canada would have 20,000,000 popula- usage for sovereigns to attend the cor-

oppressive fullness after eating, bitter risings, belching, headache, dizziness, nervousness, with physical and mental sluggishness, prompt attention should be given to the condition of the digestive and nutritive systems. Not all these by the timely use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Perce's Golden Medical Discovery. It heals diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, perfectly and permanently, Many diseases, seemingly remote from the stomach, have their origin in a diseased condition of the on and nutrition. "Golden

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often prevent a serious illness. When there are

diseased condition of the organs of digestion and nutrition. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures through the stomach diseases which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach. and hence diseases of liver, lungs, heart and other organs are cured by use of the "Discovery." It contains no alcohol, neither copium cocaine or other parents. covery." It contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine, or other narcotic. It is a

true temperance medicine.

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." There is nothing else "just as good." "just as good."

"I was a total wreck—could not sleep or eat,"
writes Mr. J. O. Beers, of Berryman, Crawford
Co., Mo., "For two years I tried medicine from
doctors but received very little benefit. I lost
flesh and strength, was not able to do a good
day's work. I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's
Golden Medical Discovery, and when I had
taken one bottle I could sleep, and my appetite
was wonderfully improved. I have taken five
bottles and am still improving."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure con-

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation by curing the cause. They do not beget the pill habit.

NOTES FROM WINNIPEG. The Proposed Referendum on the Prohibitory Law.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.-The proposed referendum on Manitoba's prohibitory law continues, the uppermost topic among citizens generally. The action of the government in submitting the referenlum is approved by all except extreme prohibition advocates, but there is much difference of opinion as to the percentage of votes necessary to warrant the government in enforcing the act; and also varied opinions on the question of compensation to liquor dealers in case the act is declared law.

During the past week the C P R has moved 1,400 cars of wheat to Fort William, and the elevators there are now reported to be filled to their capacity.

Inquiries at the grain exchange elicit-

Winnipeg amounts to \$5,280.14. The compilation and revision of voters

lists for the electoral division of Portage la Prairie has been completed, and the announcement of the issue of a writ Kingston, Ont., Jan. 13.—Michael Rut-an, a Frontenac county farmer, con-W. A. MacKinnon, chief of the fruit ture, is in the city meeting the fruit ests in connection with the handling of J. Philip an inspector under the fruit marks act of 1901, which is designed to prevent fraud in the packing and marketing of fruit.

FILIPINOS SURRENDER.

Number of Natives in Batangas Province Will Lay Down Their Arms.

Manila, Jan. 10.-Col. Marisigan, Major Cobroa and a renegade priest, Castillo, who stole a valuable image of the Virgin from the church, by which he obtained large sums of money, have surrendered unconditionally to Admiral Bell, who is conducting the campaign against the insurgents in Batangas province. They had control of the district sea, including the towns of Banan and Guenoa. The agreement is that those chiefs will surrender absolutely on Monday every man and gun in their district. They estimate that 160 guns will be-turned in. Many men and guns have een captured during the past few days, The Troopers Parade Before General and small engagements occur daily.

ANOTHER COAST WRICK.

Schooner Seen Off the Coast Reported to: Be Minnie L. Paint.

From late advices received from the West Coast it would seem that one of the schoonnonth or so has met with disaster. bearing on the subject the Times refrained from publishing it.

When on the Coast the Indians reporting the wreck gave it as their opinion to the officers of the steamer that the wreck was that of a sealer. Supplementing this inteligence came a telegram from Alberni yes-Minnie L. Paint, but this is evidently a mistake, for there is no vessel of such a name in the British or American shipping lists, and there appears to be none that the United States army during the could by any misconstruction be mistaken as such. The well known Annie E. Paint, upper harbor, and there is no other name belonging to any of the fourteen schooners out sailed after the big storm of Christmas night, while those which left previously must have been well on their way down the

> The wreck, however, seen by the lightlouse keeper of Carmanah was that of a steamer. She was seen off Bonita Point. She was held in one position until 2 a. m. on the 7th by her anchors, when her stern was blown out.

A dispatch to the Times received from thing known of the fate of the crew The essel's name is again given as the Minnie-. Paint.

umor of Transfer of Spencer's James Bay Property to C. P. R. Is Denied

HAS NOT SOLD.

It has been persistently rumored of late that the C. P. R. has purchased the property belonging to David Spencer on the corner of Belleville street and Birdcage Walk, preliminary to erecting a palatial hotel there. It was further stated that Mr. Spencer had purchased Gypswick, the present residence of the Lieut.-Governor, and having disposed of symptoms will occur at once or in any single case, but any one of them indicates a disordered condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. and other organs of digestion and nutrition.

A prompt cure of these conditions will be effected his James Bay property to the big corporation, but it is understood he would not refuse to part with it if the financial consideration were satisfactory. He has, however, acquired Gypswick, the transfer having taken place some time ago. Vancouver papers are continually

surrecting the rumor that the Victoria dry goods merchant contemplates trans-ferring his business to that city. It is true that he purchased a lot there time ago and may intend establishing a: branch there, but the statement that he will remove his main store there is absolutely denied. Mr. Spencer has said of his sons repeated the assurance to a Times representative on Saturday.

VANCOUVER NOTES. Vancouver, Jan. 13.-Members of the

ew council took their seats to-day with the exception of Ald. Skene, about whose qualifications there is doubt clined to take his seat and a by-election in ward one will be held in a month. Mr. Skene will then run again An Indian named Harris fell over a cliff on Sunday at Sechelt and will die. He fell fifty feet.



DISCUSSING TH

ARRANGEMENTS M FOR COMIN

Capt. Troup Gives No H Service-Board Affilia Dawson City.

The quarterly meeting of Board of Trade was he afternoon. There were p dent McQuade Secretary Messrs. S. J. Pitts, J. A Johnson, Sehl, J. Mitch D. R. Kel, Geo. Courtene T. Earle, W. Christie, G. B. Fraser, sr., E. Wo Erskine, C. H. Lugrin, C. B. H. Heisterman, B. E. Grahame, Capt. Clarke, Mason and others. The pre ident outlined

which had been before the the quarter. S. J. Potts suggested tha sand copies of the article Knight in the London Spectoria should be distributed having no funds it was re Tourists' Association. A letter was read dealing tion with the Dominion Bo

from the secretary of that necessity for a Dominion of the conference of color at the time of the coro urged. The secretary read plaining that the Domini sembled the affiliated Chan merce in the old land. T penses were those for prin secretary's salary. The me board being during the Mara pointed out that one the city members could be delegates, thus entailing no board accepted the invitati affiliate with the Dominic

Senator Templeman, T. E. A. Flumerfelt and C. H. I elected to represent the box In reference to norther president mentioned the red the steamship superinte O. P. R. He understood tract for the new steamer given, but they would not b year. No information had | in regard to rates on the railway. The minister at been urged that he hear the tions of coast merchants be

ing to a tariff. D. R. Ker said if the C. not going to charter a pas for the northern route, the ing her home port in Van toria would have no pass all. Representations to the suggested, should be made

The subject of monthly quarterly general meetings duced by the chairman. P wasn't sure the system wor special meeting could be o time in forty-eight hours. C. H. Lugrin thought the took part in its affairs. on on the coast doing for the city with which it el was the Seattle Cham merce. It met monthly an Fifty to a hundred bus there once a month to discussifiairs. Ten years ago a que scarcely be got together.
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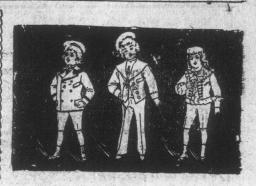


Annual Stock-Taking Sale

Following lines must be cleared out to make room for Spring Goods.

200 Men's Suits, 75 Macintoshes (best make), 109 Cravenette, Raglan and Raglanette Waterproofs, 150 Men's Fine Overcoats.

WILLIAMS & CO., 68-70 YATES ST.



DISCUSSING THE

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR COMING SEASON

Capt. Troup Gives No Hope of Direct Service-Board Affiliates With Dawson City.

The quarterly meeting of the Victoria Board of Trade was held yesterday afternoon. There were present President McQuade, Secretary Elworthy and elected members and the board rose. Messrs. S. J. Pitts, J. A. Mara, E. M. Johnson, J. Sehl, J. Mitchell, S. Jones, D. R. Ker, Geo. Courteney, Col. Prior,
T. Earle, W. Christie, G. A. Kirk, A.
B. Fraser, sr., E. Wootton, A. B.
Erskine, C. H. Lugrin, C. A. Holland,

The president outlined the business the quarter.

S. J. Potts suggested that a few thousand copies of the article by E. F. Knight in the London Spectator on Victoria should be distributed. The board having no funds it was referred to the Tourists' Association.

there once a month to discuss the city's affairs. Ten years ago a quorum could scarcely be got together. To-day its voice was heard throughout the United

ings be held. It would create more interest and enthusiasm. It was a loss to the city to have a board which did not do its duty. The resolution carried. The

for the resolution be present at the next meeting.

Capt. Troup, manager of the C. P. N., and the matter of a better passenger service was laid before him by the president.

Capt. Troup said the company was now weak in boats, not being able to get new steamers here for the summer. They would have to do with the Charmer for the ferry service this year. They would have to do with the Charmer for the ferry service this year. They had here muchle so far to charter a deal of the country that the resolution be present at the next meeting.

In morrow. The only point to be argued in this is on the question of demurrage, the other points raised when the application to perpetuate their dominance in the Legis basis by Mr. Croft in the face of exceptional difficulties, and his practical efforts toward having a smelter established at Osborne Bay for the treatment of the ores of the district have been in marked contract to the promised efforts to see an end put to the inequalities to see an end put to the inequalities which were perpetuated for a purpose by the predecessors of the present government. If Mr. Dunsmuir can rise above the country be constructed and operating the subsidy of politicians of a certain kind to the same end. From the point of view of the country be constructed and operating the assessment of lct 1, Albern district, was not completed on Saturday; the frequently referred to as scheming to have of exclusively another clause of the Lenorn has been opened up and put on shipping basis by Mr. Croft in the face of exceptional difficulties, and his practical efforts toward having a smelter established at Osborne Bay for the treatment of the ores of the district have been in marked contract to the promised efforts when the application to the propose by the previously existing Domlino railway shall be exclusively under the control of the Countrol of the c and make a five-day service. If they ould not his idea was to run the Hating on a ten-day service through to Vicoria. If she did so, however, it would Victoria and the company owing to both the people of Further argument of the appeal was theretoaling facilities being better in Vanouver and the cost of loading t coaling facilities being better in Van-couver and the cost of loading less.

The appeal in Haggerty vs. Lenora & Mount Sicker Mining Co. was argued this Wharves here were lower, too, making it handier to coal. She would stop at

Vancouver, come to Victoria, load her tract for hauling ore for defendants. The plaintiff appealed from part of the order up to Vancouver by the Charmer. made by Mr. Justice Drake on the trial, The Amur and Danube would also be appeal L. P. Luxton appearing in support of the appeal, L. P. Duff, K. C., opposing it. At

coal at Vancouver and then come down here, sailing from Victoria last of all.
Capt. Troup said they would have to ontinue making Vancouver the first and last port of call Mr. Pitts pointed out that by this

method they would lose their passenger trade to the Dolphin and City of Seat-Capt. Troup said they would have to

run the risk of that.

If another boat was scheduled she would follow the same arrangement. S. J. Pitts asked if the arrangement whereby Sound boats kept out of Van-couver and Victoria was to be continu-Capt. Troup said that no arrangement

In reply to another question Capt. Troup said he thought two companies had the bulk of the freight last year. Capt. Troupe was thanked for his pre-sence, and D. K. Ker for his framed photograph for the room.

H. H. Abbot and P. T. Patton, were

Legal Intelligence.

In the Supreme court of British Co-B. H. Heisterman, B. Boggs, H. M. In the Supreme court of British Co-Grahame, Capt. Clarke, C. Dubois kem delivered judgment in four cases. The appeal by plaintiff in Willams vs. which had been before the board during Bourke, an apeal from the Yukon territorial court, was dismissed with costs.

Tourists' Association.

A letter was read dealing with affilia- ing Company, Ltd., the appeal by the of the conference of colonial premiers aside and juugment entered in layor of the time of the coronation was the defendant company with costs, inurged. The secretary read a letter ex-plaining that the Dominion board re-sembled the affiliated Chamber of Com-tract mentioned in the pleadings was

tcok part in its affairs. The organiza-tion on the coast doing the most work as was also that of a claim for denurrance of the most work as was also that of a claim for denurrance of the more useful if more of the more of for the city with which it was connected age amounting to \$8,426.80; while the there once a month to discuss the city's to sea should not have been allowed, if six Ten years are a querym could to sea should not have been allowed, scarcely be got together. To-day its voice was heard throughout the United States and listened to. Meeting once a quarter was like courting a girl by going to see her once a year.

S. J. Potts moved that monthly meeting he held. It would create more in the second of t

do its duty. The resolution carried, The next meeting will be held on the third Friday of next month so as not to clash with other organizations, Mr. Mara suggested that every member who voted for the resolution be present at the next meeting.

Capt. Troup, manager of the C. P. N.,

district, was not completed on Saturday; further material will be put in by counsel.

The Deputy Attorrey-General mentioned this morning that he was bringing the as
On the streets this afternoon the Pre
microscotticn was cynically contrasted.

been definitely decided, but was sug-gested. the conclusion of argument judgment was delivered by their Lordships, dismissing the S. J. Pitts suggested that the Hating appeal with costs.

SUPT. JOS. HUNTER AND GANG DEMOLISH CRIB

N. Line by Trestle.

saws, and soon demolished it.

The whole incident is the sequel to the bitterness displayed by Mr. Dunsmuir toward the management of the merce in the old land. The only expenses were those for printing and the secretary's salary. The meetings of the board being during the session, Mr. Mara pointed out that one or both of the city members could be designated as Mara pointed out that one or both of the city members could be designated as delegates, thus entailing no expense. The board accepted the invitation, and will affiliate with the Dominion body.

Senator Templeman, T. Earle, M. P., A. Flumerfelt and C. H. Lugrin, were cleeted to represent the board.

Ltd., vs. Byron N. White Company, the appeal by the defendant company is discompany is discompany in the defendant company is discompany and the control of the Lenora property to Lady-board accepted the invitation, and will be permitted to stagger along as it phrase "make observations and try experiments" is to be struck out, as requested by counsel for the appellant, the defendant company is discompany is discompany in the defendant company is discompany in the lenoral property to Lady-board accepted to stagger along as it phrase "make observations and try experiments" is to be struck out, as requested by counsel for the appellant, the defendant company is discompany in the lenoral property to Lady-board accepted in the manifesto as to the defendant company is discompany in the lenoral property to Lady-board accepted to stagger along as it phrase "make observations and try experiments" is to be struck out, as requested by counsel for the appellant, the lenoral property to Lady-board accepted in the manifesto as to the possible effect. Probably the province will be permitted to stagger along as it has been doing for the past year until to the defend of the mountain from Sicker siding to the miss device and the company is discompany. The province will be permitted to stagger along as it has been doing for the past year until to the miss of the defend of the manifesto as to the province will be permitted to stagger along as it has been doing for the past year until to the order appeal of the mountain from Sicker siding to the miss of the defend of the manifesto as to the province will be permitted to stagger along as it has been doing for the past year until to the manifesto as the defenct. Probably the province will b A. Flumerfelt and C. H. Lugrin, were elected to represent the board.

In reference to northern trade the president inentioned the recent visit of the steamship superintendent of the contract for the new steamers had been given, but they would not be ready this year. No information had been received in regard to rates on the White Pass railway. The minister at Ottawa had been urged that he hear the representations of coast merchants before assent:

As the presence of the phrase in the order was carbined to by the other side. As the presence of the province of the E. & N., shunted in there to receive them. From Sicker siding the ore was carbined to the tracks of the E. & N. to Ladysmith, where it was loaded on the Oscar and other craft for transfer to the Tacoma smelter. Mr. Croft, who was carbined to rates on the White Pass about a dollar at the contract of the province of the province of the E. & N., shunted in there to receive them. From Sicker siding the ore was carbined to the contract for the above amend it is considered that the above amend the ore tumped down a chute into the ore cars of the E. & N. to the tracks of the E. & N. to Ladysmith, where it was loaded on the Oscar and other craft for transfer to the Tacoma smelter. Mr. Croft, who was carbined to rate a contract of the province of the previous of the E. & N. to the tracks of the E. & N. to Ladysmith, where it was loaded on the Oscar and other craft for transfer to the cross of the E. & N. to the previous down a chute into the ore cars of the E. & N. to the electorate of the electorate of the province of the E. & N. to the electorate of the Cortact o

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

fault of the government. Oh, no! 'Ine Ottawa administration, which has shown are fond of invidious comparisons. It is The Premier Temporarily Frustrates muir is not discouraged. He will take of all the railway construction necessary an Attempt to Cross the E. & another chance. He has adopted the to the reasonably rapid development of the Dominion Railway Act. E. & N. workmen took a locomotive out discrimination against corporations mend every scheme that emanates from words: down from Nanaimo to Sicker siding which may be on terms of special inti- such a source. rection of Supt. Joseph Hunter, M. P. thirds of the cost of this line, perhaps under the presidency of the present ince and the company." P., and, according to reports, the first their objections will be removed. The Lieut-Governor of Ontario, Sir Oliver This condition requires the company to ernment forced its policy through the attempt made to wreck the work was by attaching a line to it from the engine.

The discontinuous the reduced the more than their objections will be removed. The absolute control of House, after being fully warned of the freight and passenger rates shall belong consequences. The only conclusion The timbering, however, had been venues" and confesses he does not comsolidir put up by A. J. McLellan, under prehend how the expenses of provincial control of that day was not moved to way Act provides that the control of Loan Bill was designedly framed and directions from Mr. Croft, and this failed administration and development are to action. Still there is no doubt that there freight and passenger rates on Dominipassed for the purpose of preventing the tion with the Dominion Board of Traile defendant company is allowed, and the from the secretary of that body, and the from the secretary of that body, and the increased revenues, from Ot-system of the control of Loan Bill was designedly framed and development are to budge the timbering. The gang then fell upon the false work with axes and that is, increased revenues, from Ot-system of taxation which seems to bear control of that body and the directions from Mr. Croft, and this failed administration and development are to be met unless he secures "better terms," aside and judgment entered in favor of that body and the following the control of the Coast-Kootenay railthat is, increased revenues, from Ot- system of taxation which seems to bear control of the Dominion authority. way, and Mr. Dunsmuir's present statetawa. There are other and more con- especially heavy upon us and we hope Here, then, is an open defiance of the ment should be paraphrased to read as

with a few lines. But this one question dian Pacific.

to the electorate in the not improbable of incorporation has been passed by the adopted this policy either ignorantly or

The Premier has taken the people of British Columbia into his confidence.

House adjourns, which may not be until were the Canadian Pacific and the V., were pointed out on behalf of the V., V. British Columbia into his confidence.

June, and the negotiations may be long V. & E. The Canadian Pacific is a drawn out. The whole question of our Dominion railway, and the V., V. & E. that the Loan Bill should be so amended AT SICKER SIDING British Columbia into his confidence. June, and the negotiations may be long drawn out. The whole question of our was chartered by the parliament of that the company might legally enter policy of the business government has -undoubtedly above the average-will Canada, and is also a Dominion rail- into a contract with the government for proved a failure. But not through any then be gone into, and some facts may way. It is clear, therefore, that by rea- the construction of the railway, and that Ottawa administration, which has shown no disposition to co-operate in the application of this policy, is responsible for its death and burial. Still Mr. Dunsmyling not disposition to co-operate in the application of this policy, is responsible for about the fact that the people of this province are not able to bear the burden of all the railway construction precessory.

another chance. He has adopted the policy of Smith-Curtis, M. P. P., with slight modifications, and with the consent of the people and the indispensable assistance of Ottawa, will construct the assistance of Ottawa, will construct the government has always asserted its Coast-Kootenay road as a government willingness to render all reasonable as-The first overt act on behalf of Fre- Coast-Kootenay road as a government willingness to render all reasonable as- way under certain conditions which are stated that during a conference which mier Dunsmuir and the E. & N. railway against the management of the
Lenora mine on Mount Sicker and the
smelter people, took place on Saturday
night when Supt. Hunter and a gang of
new order of the that during a conference which
he had with the Executive he pointed
out that no company proposing to corbe imposed by the Dunsmuir government
or that it has no alternative but to comwords:

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The work was under the personal diThe work was under

fessions, but these are the principal ones. a conference may be arranged for the Dominion government—a direct derogation follows: The Premier's policy may be summed up discussion of the matter; that all the tion from the Dominion Railway Act, in a sentence. If Ottawa will supply light possible may be shed upon the sub- and an attempt unconstitutionally to under the legislation of last session, it the revenue, the government will spend ject, and if it be found that we have a vary the provisions of the British North is because we have purposely legislated it. If the co-operation of the federal substantial grievance that a way may America Act. In these circumstances, if that the Dominion could not co-operate government be not secured we are not be found for removing it. But it is not the Dominion government ratified this with us in assisting those undertakings, government be not secured we are not be found for removing it. But it is not the Dominion government ratined this enlightened in the manifesto as to the necessary, surely, to let our affairs re- legislation, it would also be acting unthey cannot be constructed by Provinpossible effect. Probably the province main in a chaotic state in the hope of constitutionally, nor could any sensible cial aid alone. will be permitted to stagger along as it better terms being arranged. The sub- man expect it to assist a company

POLICY.

In the somewhat remarkable document ment in railway construction. which appeared in yesterday's Colonist

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Fifty to a hundred business men met

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Figure 1 and 1 and 2 and 2 and 2 and 3 and 2 and 3 an with specifically. Taxation of mines, the building of the Coast-Kootenay rail- Another clause of the Loan Bill proshipbuilding, fisheries, etc., are dismissed way by any company except the Cana- vides that the plans and specifications

The inequalities of the present repre- only be changed by the Imsentation in the House have caused a perial parliament, and that authority great deal of bitterness, jealousy and ill- would not amend the act except at the togology between the content of the content

is probably all that is aimed at by his the province, and would therefore be- further confidence. Did it act ignorantadvisers. If a conference be arranged come a Dominion railway in the nature ly? In a letter written to the Chief and the level in the level of t

has been doing for the past year until ject can be taken up by any government, which, being bound to observe the conhas been doing for the past year until
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the electorate of the province of
British Columbia will take a hand in the British Columbia will take a hand in the THE GOVERNMENT'S RAILWAY is an open defiance of the Dominion goverament and a declaration of war against the persons who are expected to co-operate with the Provincial govern-

Deen urged that he hear the representations of coast merchants before assenting to a tariff.

D. R. Ker said if the C. P. R. were not going to charter a passenger boat for the northern route, the Hatting matcher for the property having been for the considerable amount of space is taken provinced that the selection of Mr. Brown as considerable amount of space is taken that the following province of the correct view is spoken of provinced by the railways 25 miles for 16 cents. Mont, on the defendants of the Province of the correct view is spoken of provinced by the railway and the flow of the Province of the correct view of the word, \$27,000.000 worth having been considerable amount of space is taken to considerable amount of t The subject of monthly rather than quarterly general meetings was introduced by the chairman. Personally he was the correct view. So far as this duced by the chairman. Personally he was tsure the system would work. A special meeting could be called at any time in forty-eight hours.

C. H. Lugrin thought the board would be more useful if more of its members tcok part in its affairs. The organization on the coast doing the most work and the following the most work and the motion was also dismissed, and the following operation of three of the smartest smelt-no of three of the smartest smelt operation of thr the policy of the government as Inid of legislation would assure the co-opera-

and conditions of the contract for the referred to by the Premier is a most im- The powers of the provincial and the Provincial road shall be approved by the portant one. He says the government Dominion legislatures are defined in the local authority. The Dominion Railway will introduce a redistribution bill, British North America Act. That Act, on the contrary, requires that such which shall be as "fair and comprehen- statute is the written constitution of plans and specifications shall be subject sive as possible." This measure should Canada. It was passed by the Imperial to the approval of the Federal governbe the first to be placed before the parliament; it cannot be altered or af-House, and we hope it will "prove satis- fected by any legislation of the of Dominion power, and an attempt to factory to all parts of the province." Dominion or of any province. It can create conflict between the two jurisdic

feeling between different sections of the request and with the consent of the tagonism to be created between the Doshall be exclusively controlled by the YOUNG—At Nelson, on Jan. 6th, the wife-Reitish Columbia Railway Act, whereas, of D. R. Young, of a daughter, ment. If Mr. Dunsmuir can rise above another, or which passes beyond the counsels of some of his present adthe boundaries of any province ion Railway Act. The result is that the wife of A. R. Waterfall, of a daughvisers and remove this grievance from and connects with a railway system out- ion Railway Act. The result is that this morning that he was bringing the assessor down from Alberni in order to ascertain definitely the facts as to the posting
tain definitely the facts as to the province of the Province or the Dominion.

The posting tain the province or the Dominion cannot coal the Loan Bill, the Dominion cannot coal the Loan Bill, the Dominion cannot coal or t our political life he will perform side of the Province or the Dominion, by reason of the conditions required by He will not only remove a source of ir- of Canada is also a Dominion railway. the construction of the Coast-Kootenay titation but assure fair representation So, of course, is a road whose charter railway. The Dunsmuir government with design. If it acted ignorantly, it event of the government coming to grief. Parliament of Canada. With design. If it acted ignorantly, it is manifestly incompetent and unfit to struction of the Coast Kootenay road the coast to the Boundary district must administer the affairs of the Province. simply means the indefinite postpone- have its connection either with the Can- If it acted with design, it is proved to ment of that work. That is probably all adian Pacific, which is a Dominion rail- have betrayed the trust which the peothat is desired at the present time, and way, or with some system outside of ple reposed in it and is unworthy of any

between the two administrations it of things. The only companies propos- Commissioner of Lands and Works on cannot take place until the Dominion ing to build the Coast-Kootenay railway the 4th of May, 1901, all these matters

ed to enter into an agreement if the "The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council government would amend the unconstitusiall have absolute control of the freight tional provisions of the Loan Bill. The gestion was that the bill as introduced

GOLD PRODUCTION.

Teronte, Jan Il.-According to the statement of Prof. Coleman, of the geological survey, the Dominion of Can-Another condition in the Loan Bill is ada ranks third in the list of gold pro-



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NESHITT—At Princeton, on Jan. 5th, the wife of J. A. Nesbitt, of a son, MANNING-At Revelstoke, on Jan. 5th, the wife of F. Manning, of a son. SHARM—At Rossland, the wife of G. A. Sharm, of a son.

COLLINS-At Rossland, on Jan. 5th, the wife of Charles Collins, of a daughter.

DILWORTH-M'LACHLAN-At Vancouver, on Jan. 8th, by Rev. Dr. McLaren, John Dilworth and Miss Kate B. McLachlan. VEREY-MORE—At Armstrong, on Dec. 21st, by Rev. T. G. McLeod, George Verey, of Okanagan Landing, and Miss Margaret More, of Armstrong.

ROWE-ROBINSON-At Enderby, on Jan. 1st, by Rev. T. G. McLeod, John Rowe and Miss Anne Robinson, of Tyne Head, B. C. CUNNINGHAM-HEWITT-At Vancouver, on Jan. 7th, by Rev. C. H. M. Suther-land, Herbert Cunningham and Miss. Rose Hewitt.

LEGISLATURE SUMMONED.

The members of the British Columbia Legislature have been summoned to choice of the Liberal convention, know- system the wandering units gravitated meet on the 20th of February. This ing that that body will nominate the to the stronger side—the side which held announcement will have a good effect in best man available. It is a case in which power and from which most favors were many, perhaps in some unexpected, in multitude of counsellors there is wis- to be expected. This has long been requarters. We are glad that the counsels dom. We cannot understand why it cognized as an evil, but within the last priment. Notwithstanding assertions to desires or the ambitions of individuals last and greatest upheaval of all resultthe contrary, there is a very large ele-should prevail as opposed to the choice ed in the opposition being transferred al enent of uncertainty as to the strength of of a convention representing the opinion most bodily to the government side. Nathe various parties in the House and as of probably the majority of the communiturally such spectacles have produced a the various parties in the House and as of probably the majority of the community such spectacles have produced a tion among the passengers. The chie amount of support Mr. Dunsmuir ity. But individuals have a perfect demand for measures calculated to put of police, who was on the car, took possible to put. can rely upon as the head of the pre- right to offer themselves for election if an end to them. But no declaration of sent administration. Profestations that they see fit. In a free country all per-the Premier is responsible alone to the sons have the privilege of offering their change this state of affairs. The Col-Legislature for his acts cannot alter the sons nave the privilege of offering their change this state of affairs. The Colhas been perpetrated, the police having onist speaks by the book when it says:

Services to the state, and no one should inquire whether loyalty to the whether loyalty to the whether loyalty to the whether loyalty to the state of affairs. The Colhas been perpetrated, the police having been notified that cartridges were placed on the car line near North Chatham and Cook streets covered to the last state of affairs. have been at work which have compeople as a whole, and a desire to serve tics when a leader comes to the front a short time ago. Doubtless it is the pletely altered the relationship of a large them or personal ambition be at the who will be able by reason of his per- work of some mischievous small boys, section of the House to the government. root of such desire. In either case sonal force and the strength of his po- who may not realize the serious nature. This change has at least given an important the would be nothing reprehensible in licy to command the united support of the authorities from making an exemple. pression of instability, and this impression cannot but have had a disturbing effect upon the business of the province faction to the Liberal government if a party with which he is associated. In which is richly deserved, and the police generally and especially upon the standing of British Columbia in places where to it as Victoria should be carried by lines in the local field will depend upon Some time ago a car wheel exploded a it is well to have a reputation for poli-one of its supporters. Such a victory leaders and not upon conventions." The track, and a passerby had a narrow estical consistency that cannot be im- would add to its prestige; as far as time must be opportune for such a polipugned. The community will be relieved strength is concerned, we do not know tical revolution. The change must be by the ball. to know that all doubts upon these but the weakness of the opposition is a brought about gradually and naturally, points will soon be set at rest. It the source of embarrassment to it. The fol. Discussions in conventions may educate government lacks the necessary strength lowing of Sir Wilfrid Laurier is quite public opinion up to the point necessary it is well that all concerned should large enough for all purposes, and it for such a momentous departure from know it. If it has the confidence of a will probably be increased by the bye- custom, but it is obvious that a declar sufficient majority of the House, it is elections about to be held. It is their ation by a mere majority can have little proper that the misgivings of the doubt- own interests the electors of Victoria effect unless the party on the opposite ers should be removed and that the con- must consider, therefore, in casting their side accepts the challenge and takes fidence which has so long been lacking ballots on the 28th. should be restored. If it should turn The policy of the government has trate all the forces. Mr. Dunsmuir has out that the opponents of the govern-ment are in a majority and are suffici-of the country. All its departments are Ministry and is supported by Liberals ently cohesive to follow an administra- presided over by able men-men so sup- and Conservatives in the House. Is it R. L. Drury, when asked this morning by street and the electric lighting system, tion chosen by one of themselves, again erior in endowments that the efforts of to be expected that if the Convention the Premier will have to be congratu- their opponents to bring them to con- of Liberals to be held shortly in Vanlated for facing the inevitable and per- fusion are almost pitiable. The suc- couver should pass a resolution in favor forming an obvious duty. If it be ne- cessors of Sir John Macdonald and Sir of party lines that he will divide the cessary to hold a new election to restore John Thompson have brought derision sheep from the goats and tell them to molifical stability it were well that the upon the Conservative party. That range up according? The same conmatter should be done quickly, for poli- party is still divided against itself, some, siderations apply to the party opposing tical turmoil has anything but a stimu- of its leaders still brandish the knives the government. There is no political lating effect upon business. Whatever with which they have been operating so Moses at the present time who could the result may be, the Premier is to be successfully. The recent mayoralty stretch forth his rod and create such an delicitated, for we are sure, what election in Toronto threw a great deal of arbitrary division of the electors, of ever, the opinions of his strikers who light upon the intriguings of these in British Columbia. counselled prograstination, that he has dividuals. Therefore it is no wonder no desire to remain in power in defiance that in some quarters it is considered to of the sentiment of the province. On be more tolerable for an independent the other hand, if he possesses the con- than for a Conservative candidate in Vicfidence of the House, he should be glad toria at the present time. But whether tion of a Western Party, possibly for the of the opportunity of setting all doubts there be a straight fight between the two purpose of assisting in putting its Westmpon the point at rest and silencing the political parties or whether there be clamorings of those who assert the three or more candidates in the field, porary is hard to please. Neither Con-

ACTIVE TIMES AHEAD. We suppose it is safe to assume that

the government will meet a full House

with a complete cabinet on the 20th of next month-somewhat more than five weeks from the present time. Such an assumption means that this short period activity. There is the vacancy in this ing any additional ordinary taxation upon should form themselves into a ring to city caused by the resignation of Mr. the ratepayers. He thinks \$300,000 extert concessions, the Eastern members Turner. There are too very desirable would complete the work as originally might combine to circumvent them. cabinet positions will waiting for men planned and that the increased revenue The better way would appear to be to gifted with ability and imbued with a which would result under the present avoid the creation of cliques and com adesire to serve their country. These system of taxation as applied to property bines. The government is kept fully From the Post, Buckingham, Que connected with the sewers, would pay the interest and provide a sinking fund on that a great many aspirants for such that a great many aspirants for such that a great many aspirants for such the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on the interest and provide a sinking fund on that amount. This is a matter that is worth inquiring into. When so large the interest and provide a sinking fund on the interest and ander unique circumstances, it has had siderable part of the city to remain in to face with a unique situation to-day. wards of fifty years and the health of The one Minister at selected to succeed the residents to be held in a constant cloubt that the government can secure the city limits are compelled to contrieven willing to serve as Ministers and bute to the maintenance of the system, their constituents. But the fact that ity of them are excluded from any benefities vacancies have existed so long may be taken as prima facie evidence that appliances. The effect of sanitation and the Fremier cannot secure men whom cleanliness upon health has recently been drawn particular attention to by the officials of the city of London. In one sec-To will be necessary to choose these men tion of the metropolis the death rate is the constituencies they represent rather That is the result of violation of sanithan the qualifications of the candidates tary or nature's laws, and, whether the themselves. This will probably be made residents or landlords be responsible is char when the names of the fortunate not a matter of importance. We have dice-holders are announced. A defeat gone to great expense in providing oureren in a single instance would be a selves with the "foundations" of a sewer serious thing for the government. It system, and if without additional cost, would confirm the prevalent impression as claimed, or a comparatively trifling that it does not possess the confidence further expenditure, that work can be of the country and this would have a completed, it would be folly to allow demoralising, effect upon the members things to remain as they are. who are trying to convince themselves that they might escape condemnation if they supported the Ministry, M: Booth is too ill to take his seat. It will be necessary to appoint a successor fo him in the Speaker's chair. This i another blow the government will feel agree. We have maintained that apvery keenly. On the whole the political season will be one of unusual activity both before and after the House

THE FEDERAL ELECTION.

secendancy.

short one. There will be two full weeks a member to give adequate reasons for to a few specially fast steamers for naval after the preliminaries have been settled the transfer of his allegiance. The purposes and the regular mail subvenfor the discussion of recent political developments, which should be ample for the past has been that the tie which out the largest number of ships annual-The Times has no desire, if it had the been strong enough. Many of our mem-

straight supporter of the government vote of the session was taken. As PLACED CARTRIDGE ON TRACK.

seat which has been so uniformly hostile other words, the introduction of federal intend sifting the matter to the bo

we believe the time has come for the servatives nor Liberals come np to its electors of Victoria to show that in political thought they do not lag behind the own, pechaps with a leader nominated

EXTENDING THE SEWERS.

Liberal convention.

positions have been vacant for several connected with the sewers, would pay a spost unique experience, and it is face a condition similar to a village for up-Chose who resigned was drawn from the state of jeopardy. The question of jusapposition side, and he was rejected by tice to the taxpayers generally inust the people. We suppose there is no also be considered. All who live within whose selection would be endorsed to while under existing conditions a majorwith special reference to the nature of double that of the most favored portion,

PARTY LINES.

With much of the article in the Colon ist this morning on party lines in provincial politics the Times is able to parently the only way in which stability was a man of independent means and in the public affairs of the province can served his country for years for no other be secured is by the introduction of reward than the approbation of his own meets, and very much depends upon the federal party lines. If such a change in conscience. He worked most assiduously. astuteness of the men at the head of cur political system were brought about to secure the establishment of a line of either side as to which shall gain the it would not create conditions which fast steamers between Canada and Great would prevent a member from withdraw- Britain. He did not live to behold the ing his support from one side and giving fruits of his labors. it to another whose policy more fully met his ideas of what was for the bene- It is worthy to note that the nation The Dominion campaign will be a fit of the country. But it would compel which pays no ship subsidies other than trouble with our political institutions in tions still dominates the ocean and turns even the most loquacious of disputants. binds our public men together has not lysewer, to force its opinions upon any bers have been elected as "independents" one; We should be pleased to see a and could not be placed until the first their honeymoon trip Friday evening.

elected here and we shall do all in our under natural laws large bodies attract power to secure the triumph of the smaller ones, so under our free and easy should be contended that the will or the few years it has become a scandal. The

measures which will solidify and concen

A WESTERN PARTY

The Colonist now advocates the forms ern Policy into operation. Our contem times by electing the nominee of the by itself. We have a very fair nucleus for a first-class Western Party already in the Liberal members representing constituencies west of Port Arthur. The dea is not new. It was indvocated be-

will be one of considerable political tending the sewer system without entailinformed upon the needs of the West by | We venture to say that in our tow through ship sucsidies to extend the business ere reaching his majority his Bay bridge contract he reviewed at trade of its western territory in foreign desire to succeed was such that no heed length, explaining the stand taken by the Point Ellice, as the waters above would not be the construction of a stope bridge at the interests of the city. The target he thought large, but they would not markets. We think when all things are was paid to keeping the body in the taken into consideration it will be found state of health necessary to stand a that the aid given by the government of Strain, and in consequence of the extra demands made upon the system it bethat given by the government of the United States. All the principal lines running steamers direct from British Cofumbia to foreign ports are subsidised. The Canadian Pacific line to China and Japan, the line to Australia and the steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, plying between Victoria and nore than the ordinary mail subsidies? As for stirring up the government to its duty, the Western members in this espect appear to have done fairly well. n previous articles we have shown that they have urged a policy of internal deelopment upon the ministers to fairly good purpose also. When the new ship ubsidy bill of the United States beomes law it will be necessary to conider its possible effects upon Canadian rade. In the meantime there appears to be no real necessity for either a Western Party or a leader to speak with

The tragic death of Hon, R. R. Dobell was a most lamentable occurrence. He

Thoughtless Individual Who Is Wanted by Police-Dangerous Practice.

Somebody whose bump of destruction must be abnormally developed yesterday placed a loaded rifle cartridge on the car track near the corner of Fort and Blanchard streets. It was struck by the six o'clock car wheel and exploded

This is not the first time this outrage

MR. DRURY'S EXPLANATION.

Replies to Allegations in Correspondence t Colonist-School Board Candidates.

in place of Mrs. Grant Mrs. Jenkins will be

the city engineer to meet the ratepayers the public and the ratepayers for all my periodically and ascertain what was actions on the school board, and whether I mostly needed.

And a candidate for school trustee or not I shall avail furself of and welcome every North ward, and promised that if reopportunity during the coming week, when public meetings are field to discuss municipal questions, to appear on the platform and discuss fully all matters pertaining to our schools and educational interests; and in view of Mr. Ridgway Wilson's letter to the Colonist, I hope he will the present on the Colonist, I hope he will be present on such occasions. To show how unreliable many that only those having sewer conmercial that the application of the colonists are in the colonists. It was erroneously believed by many that only those having sewer connection that the application of the colonists are a sewer connection.

Epilepsy Cureable. Mr. McCandless has a scheme, and a feasible scheme it seemes too, for ex-FLED MEDICAL SKILL

Mr. M. A. Gauthier, of Buckingham, Gives His Experience for the Benefit of Other Sufferers From This Terwhat the federal government of the East | ago as he is to-day, and for a good reaed States has done, or is about to do, son-he wasn't well. Having gone into came run down to such an extent that epilepsy or falling sickness resulted, and these lapses into unconsciousness becom-ing alarmingly frequent he consulted physicians and took some remedies, but of a stone bridge providing the Dominpity could be exchanged for some suiting Dr. Williams Pink Pills advertised
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any amendments in the Municipal Act

that would be proposed that the city will be the means of greatly increase. Company, plying between Victoria and the Post cannot no octed that San Francisco, are all assisted. Do the "Yes," said Mr. Gauthier, "for nearly oma and foreign ports receive anything falling fits, which took me without warnfour years I suffered from epilepsy or ing and usually in most inconvenient places. I am just twenty-four years of depreciated the valuation of property in ge, and I think I started business too one part 50 per cent., if it increased it Mrt Jeeves young and the fear of failing spurred in another 25 per cent. for the interests of North Ward, and me to greater efforts perhaps than was Watson Clarke, another of the candical Challenged Ald. Beckwith to point out good for my constitution, and the con-sequence was that I became subject to ture of the city's funds. He complained the North ward between Hillside avenue ment purchasing and printing the school those attacks which came without any of the treatment the outside districts and Bay street equal to the amount he warning whatsoever, leaving me terribly received. Seventh street, for which it had paid into the city in taxes. He ewarning whatsoever, leaving me terribly sick and weak after they had passed. I got to dread their recurrence very much. I consulted doctors and took their remedies to no purpose, the fits Pink Pills advertised and determined to try them. I did so, and the helped me so much that I got more and kept on taking them, until to-day I am as well, yes better, than I ever was, and am not troubled at all by epilepsy or the fear of the fits seizing me again. Think-

ing there may be others similarly afflicted, I give my story to the Post; it may perhaps lead them to give this great Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a positive cure for all diseases arising from impoverished blood, or a weak shattered condition of the nervous system. Every dose makes new, rich, red blood and gives tone to the nerves, thus curing paralysis, rheumatism, sciatica, heart troubles, anaemia, etc. These pills are also a cure for the ailments that make the lives of so many women a constant

cured from druggists or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box, or six thonate standing of the wards:

North Ward—Voters, 2,244; acreage, Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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FOR NORTH WARD

CANDIDATES ADDRESS MEETING IN SCHOOL

Redistribution, Park, Better Sewers, Streets and Economy in Civic Finances Favorite Themes.

A well attended meeting was address ed by the candidates running for North ward in the school, Douglas street, last night, R. Erskine was voted to the

In opening, Geo. Jeeves moved that the speakers be limited to a specified time in which to express their views.

Conforming with the suggestion Ald. Beckwith was given the first opportunity of speaking. He it was who was responsible largely for the calling of the meeting. When he entered the council three years ago his greatest ambition was that of carrying out permanent improvements. He was always an The election of school trustees next Thurs- advocate of a larger expenditure of the city funds in North ward because that manic contest. Already a large number section of the city represented about have announced their candidatures, but so two-thirds of the city's area. He touchfar none of the three retiring gentlemen has ed on different improvements effected signified his intention of coming out, while during his term on the aldermanic board, namely, the new main on Government a Times representative whether he would right eater the field, replied:

"I cannot say definitely until Monday whether I will be a candidate for school districts. He spoke in particular of trustee or not. I must decline to enter into what had been done for North ward, a newspaper controversy with any anony. and was of opinion that the wants of ous writer to the Celonist, or disappointed the ward might in future be considered together-that it might be possible for

mention that the arbitrator's estimate of the inspection of all drains and re-excest of construction of his plan was over \$2,000'in excess of the estimated cost by Ellice bridge structure. One other matthe same authority of the plan selected by ter he desired to mention; he would lot the board's his best to have the streets along which the railway passed macadamized and Mr. Jeeves asked if the railway com-

> In reply the alderman explained the terms of the hy-law compelling the com-pany to keep the road in repair between 460. th rails, and for two feet outside the ails, Mr. Turnbull then asked where the

Ald. Beckwith said he was not a con-

ocality.

Ald, Kinsman was the next speaker.

bridge was not built yet. All the sup-

was a good sample of what other streets the old one was not workable. Although in favor of solid improvements, he was opposed to borrowing money in-

that there were several important mat- age available for the purpose. He beters to come before the council luring with briefly. The redistribution of the North ward he again declared himself the council for the James Bay causeway in favor of, and pledged himself, if that refused was now being used for the elected, to do what he could towards the wrapper around which bears the the accomplishment of this desired end. full name—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills He argued that the present distribution for Pale People. Can be pro- was not equitable, and submitted the

NATIONAL CELEBRITIES

Declare Pe-ru-na to Be the Greatest Catarrh Remedy of The Age.

Hon. William Younga

blood, Auditor of the Interior.

writes from Washington, D. C., to Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., as

follows: "I've often heard of your

great medicine and have persuad-

ed my wife, who has been much

of a sufferer from catarrh, to tr Peruna, and after using one bottle

she has wonderfully improved. It

has proved all you have claimed

Hon. Rufus B. Merchant.

Superintendent and Dis-

bursing Officer, U. S. Post-

office. Washington, D. C., says:

"I take pleasure in commending

your tonic, having taken a bottle

of Peruna with very beneficial re-

sults. It is recommended to me

as a very excellent catarrh

Congressman David F.

Wilber, of Oneonta, N. Y.,

writes: I am fully convinced

that Peruna is all you claim for it

Congressman Irvine

Dungan, of Jackson, O., writes.

"I desire to join with my many

friends in recommending your

invaluable remedy Peruna to any-

one in need of an invigorating

spring tonic, or whose system is

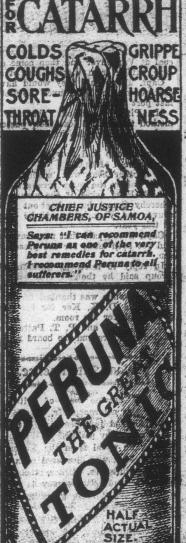
run down by catarrhal troubles."

We have letters from thirty-

eight members of Congress attest-

after the use of a few bottles."

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ing to the virtues of Peruna. ston, of Omaha, Neb., writes: mon walks of life use it as a "Peruna entirely relieved me of a family medicine. very irritating cough. I am a firm For book of testimonials address such trouble."

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"The Ills of Life," which can be secured at all up-to-date drug stores, and upon request is sent free to all, gives a short description of all catarrhal diseases, Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, U.S. A.

age, 374; value of land, \$3,927,000; imements, \$2,385,340. Total, \$6,312,-

South Ward-Voters, 1,343; acreage 1,781; value of land, \$3,294,070; im tractor, but assured Mr. Turnbull that provements, \$1,964,150. Total, \$5,258, there was plenty of good stone spitable 220, including government buildings and for the structure in the immediate convent hospital.

The mileage of the streets he gave as the taking over of the Indian reserve, The mileage of the streets are gave as and referring to the Darcy island laz-trollows: North ward, 43 miles, Centre and referring to the Darcy island laz-ward, 104 miles, and South ward, 281 cretto, declared himself opposed to the miles.

that would be proposed that the city members would be notified in good time, plies required for that bridge were brought from Vancouver. He had been opposed to the railway entering the plained of the bad streets in the northstreets without due compensation to ern part of the city, and promised, if those whose property suffered. The road elected, to bring about a general in-

for the interests of North Ward, and was proposed to give a grant of \$700, ferred to the bad drainage, and advocated the immediate construction of a were, which he considered disgraceful. As for the stone As for the sewer system, he asked why required for such a structure, he spoke workable. Al- of the high quality of that found on welson island, which he described as the best anywhere to be found, In regard to discriminately. He was a large pro- the building of the bridge, he wished to gerty owner, and believed in a systema-tic plan of carrying out all public im-tects he had worked with a great numprovements.

As a working man he asked for the suffrages of the working men. So far as city work was concerned, he was in mechanics. As a mechanic he thought favor of a fair day's pay for a fair day's that a segment arch was stronger than favor of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work, and if the ratepayers wanted taxes kept down, and the money spent economically, he asked that he be electadvocate for a park in North ward, and of the Baptist church here, made vacant by H. M. Grahame, the next speaker, said thought that there was plenty of acre- Mr. Williamson's departure. lieved in the local improvement principle method of carrying out public work. and in regard to the stone rejected by foundation for the new government building. In conclusion, he spoke of the inability of a number of workmen to secure work, of Americans being able to

Senator John M. Thur- Thousands of people in the combus. O. rovements, \$2,203,530. Total, \$5,802.- date heard. He had no intention of Central Ward-Voters, 1,074; acre- did so because he believed that unless the right man came out the improve He was satisfied with the way a num-ber of the nublic works were now being ber of the public works were now

carried out, and claimed a little credit provements now under way. He again criticized Aid. Beckwith's conduct in benefit from them. Mr. McCandless's government. He favored redistribution connection with the same. The James sewer scheme, he approved; he believed and personally believed that eight elect-Bay bridge contract he reviewed at length, explaining the stand taken by the different members of the council, and asked how it was that Ald. Beckwith had voted for awarding the contract for the supply of sandstone, involving what he considered \$1,800 extra expense.

The was in favor of the extension of the sewer system to as many parts of the city as possible. He was in favor of settle by the believed that this property could be exchanged for some suits of the E. S. P. railway, and seeing for the construction of a stope bridge at Point Ellice, as the waters above would be taxes, could be taxes above would be taxes, could be taxes, and the city. The taxes, the interests of the city. The taxes, the city is the cought of would be the means of greatly increas-

Mr, Jeeves said he had always worked going into the history of the affair

didate for the trustee board, and exment purchasing and printing the school books. This meeting then adjourned.

NOTES FROM CHEMAINUS.

ford sailed yesterday from Chemainus for Melbourne, with 1,137,861 feet of lur and the American barkentine Lahaina sailed this morning with 1,300,611 feet of lumber, bound for South Africa.

At present there are no vessels in port. vantage of the slack spell to make some necessary repairs to their general plant, and for that reason have clo plant for a week or ten days.

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Cantain Said He Would Steamer as Long Stayed With

Twenty-one of the sur wrecked steamer Bristol toria on the steamer Maje ing. They made Port To steamer City of Topeka came on to this city becau being the steamer's head where a number of the side. The major number, homes in San Francisco, ney there as soon as they

The story of the disaste last evening's Times was confirmed by the survivors, rections which might those relating to the exact which the ship was lost an abandoning the steamer hours. This is denied. known to have left the B ed away from the wree o'clock. The steamer, stru of time in which to laun Capt. McIntyre was opposition steamer, and was inte-by his vessel as long as

al ove the surface. of the survivors had seen boat launched. Pilot Robe MeIntyre, had held to the the steamer would not clared that he would rem long as it was possible the ship almost together. four hours and a half in th being picked up by the and when daybreak came tage. City cruised about for seven, the Bristol had compeared. The night had be dark and the rain descender. The steamer with her cargo of coal was ploughing throu the rate of about elev horr. She was going at ful when about half way be and Gray islands, near Dixe she came up hard and fast Pilot Roberts and Third were on the bridge, and say that the former in the

storm had got several po

Second Officer's V

proper course.

Second Officer Horgen awakened by the collision deck he at once realized who Both Capt. McIntyre and I were opposed to deserting The latter had said that would hang to the rocks and alarmed. Capt. McIntyre of the coal running out of th the ship, but never abando viction that all would be sa Accordingly he and the ot missing stayed by the strantil the last. All three boat of the surviyors, he states together, and at that time made no preparation to le The second officer has ther the missing ones. He did ship go down, and only le four or five hours later that appeared beneath the surfa What transpired in the inte the first three boats pulled the sinking ship that ther plenty of time for those rema o make their escape. Had so, however, it seems strang would not have been picked Cottage City, which cruised wreck when daylight broke.

Statement By Chief Chief Officer Smith, in his he disaster, stated that onthe 2nd they passed Law light about 8.30 o'clock. was squally with rain an winds. Lucy Island was the course of the vessel sha Shortly after 11 o'clock t

going full speed at the tim third officer and Capt. Rober The situation was taken cal hosts were removed to the owing to the boisterous against the starboard side were provisioned and equippe

The forward part of the st securely stranded on the recafter part affoat. Soundings showing 34 fathoms aft, 9 fat ships and about 4 feet fo vestigation disclosed that the part of the steamer was ba the coal in the forehold dropp the bottom into the sea. the captain said that he int main with the steamer as

stayed with him.

The weather became mo heavy seas broke over the rail, making it necessary to the boats from the sea to pr About 6 o'clock there was eve of the steamer slipping from and sinking. She vibrated a ed to starboard. The first of upon told all hands to take to and the lifeboat was lov lowering another boat he in by the craft in which from he vessel and it was

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OFFICERS' ACCOUNT liam Young-OF THEIR EXPERIENCE of the Interior. hington, D. C., to Columbus, O., as ten heard of your

Captain Said He Would Remain With Steamer as Long as She Stayed With Him.

HOW THEY ESCAPED

Twenty-one of the survivors of the ing. They made Port Townsend on the the steamer City of Topeka. homes in San Francisco, and will jour-ney there as soon as they are paid off. The proper co

homes in San Francisco, and will journey there as soon as they are paid off.

The story of the disaster appearing in
last evening's Times was substantially
confirmed by the survivors. One or two
corrections which might be made are
those relating to the exact position in
which the ship was lost and to the boats
abandoning the steamer at different
hours. This is denied. All three boats
known to have left the Bristol had pulled away from the wreck before 1
o'clock. The steamer, struck shortly atter 11 o'clock, and the crew had plenty
of time in which fo launch all boats.
Capt. McIntyre was oppraed to leaving
the steamer and was never to represent the condition of the
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long as she stayed with hum.

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an Irvine kson, O., writes. with my many mmending your long as it was possible to do so. All were driven in one direction, three of the survivors' boats had left the ship almost together. They were four hours and a half in the boats before Peruna to anyan invigorating hose system is rrhal troubles." s from thirtyseven, the Bristol had completely disappeared. The night had been extremely What the Congress attestdark and the rain descended in torrents.

The steamer with her cargo of 2,500 tons es of Peruna. ple in the comife use it as a monials address and Gray islands, near Dixons Entrance, ine Co., Colum-

stores in Canada. g stores, and upon proper course. atarrhal diseases. Second Officer's Version.

Second Officer Horgen says that he struck. He had retired, when rudely they left her. struck. He had retired, when rudely awakened by the collision. Hurrying on deck he at once realized what had happened and assisted in lowering boats. Both Capt. McIntyre and Pilot Roberts were opposed to deserting the steamer. The latter had said that the steamer Hinchlow, F. Wilson, H. Hoyen, C. W. the ship, but never abandoned his conviction that all would be safe on board.

Accordingly he and the other six now missing stayed by the stranded craft until the last. All three boats, with those of the survivors, he states left the ship. together, and at that time the seven had made no preparation to leave the ship. The second officer has therefore no opinion to offer in regard to what happened

Ridge Mothers' Club," field in the primary depends the interval is hard to say, but there is no doubt that after the first three boats pulled away from the sinking ship that there was still of time for those remaining aboard to make their escape. Had they done so, however, it seems strange that they would not have been picked up by the

Caief Officer Smith, in his account of the disaster, stated that on the night of the 2nd they passed Lawyers Island light about 8.30 o'clock. The weather was squally with rain and southeast Siveritz seemed to the club to express most fully the thought of the country of the co

going full speed at the time, with the third officer and Capt, Roberts on watch.

The situation was taken calmly, and the Amongst her characteristics the most fening purposes. boats were removed to the port side prominent are:

showing 34 fathoms aft, 9 fathoms amid- them.

ine Lahaina sailed 611 feet of jumber, no vessels in port. the coal in the forehold dropping through the bottom into the sea. To the officers In the eyes of th Co. have taken adell to make some nills, and do some eir general plant. closed down their on has accepted a

irch at Ladners r that place. Rev. he boats from the sea to prevent them at least equal to God. oted the pastorate ccumbing to the fury of the waves. re, made vacant by Root Compound

away shortly afterwards, her painter having been broken. She and the other two boats were driven before the wind and sea in a northwest direction. FROM THE BRISTOL

port side, and men were apparently en-gaged in lowering it. This, however, was the last seen of the steamer, which was submerged forward when the last boat left here. The three boats were driven to the northwest by the wind and MR. M'INNES IS NOT ea, which on several occasions nearly wamped the smaller craft,

About daylight they saw the smoke of a steamer to the southeast, which after-wards proved to be the Cottage City. She picked up the boat with the four men in it, and about half an hour later the

The other boat was not sighted until 11 o'clock. The Cottage City cruised in the vicinity of the wreck for some time but could find no trace of the steamer or the remaining seven men. She then re-sumed her voyage to Ketchikan, where wrecked steamer Bristol reached Victoria on the steamer Majestic last even-

Third Officer's Story,

by his vessel as long as she remained above the surface.

Second Officer Horgen says that none of the survivors had seen the skipper's which could have held the remainder, but as far as could be seen was never launched. Those in the boats had a the steamer would not sink, and de-clared that he would remain aboard as wholly at the mercy of the elements, and

being picked up by the Cottage City, bers beneath them that the shipwrecked and when daybreak came and the Cot officers and crew could congratulate tage City cruised about for the missing themselves on the termination of their

What the Steward Says

The steward of the steamer express the opinion that she was making thir The steamer with her cargo of 2,300 and the opinion that she was making thirdered when about eleven knots an hour. She was going at full speed ahead when about half way between Green was terrife. The captain and pilot having strong faith in the ability of the and Gray islands, near Dixons Entrance, she came up hard and fast on the rocks. Pilot Roberts and Third Office White were on the bridge, and the survivors say that the former in the darkness and storm had got several points off his proper course.

would have been saved had those who remained deserted the vessel when the others did. He did not however, think was not on watch when the Bristol that the Britel survived very long after

would hang to the rocks and was no way Ross, J. Smith and K. Kramm, fire-alarmed. Capt. McIntyre had been told men and seamen. In Chief Officers W. of the coal running out of the bottom of Smith's boat were A. Malmby and Eric

THE IDEAL MOTHER.

the missing ones. He did not see the mait. The attendance was very gratifying of down, and only learned some four or five hours later that she had disappeared beneath the surface.

The attendance was very gratifying of the danger to which the bard only learned some such was required, but fortunately the danger to which the d

so, however, it seems strange that they would not have been picked up by the Cottage City, which cruised around the wreck when daylight broke.

1. What in your opinion are the three chief characteristics of a good niother?

2. What is your highest ambition for tons of stone ballast in the barque's hold, and to remove this was all that hold, and to remove this was all that 3. Explain how it is that the little had to be done. One of the big ten-inch

Lucy Island was sighted and most fully the thought of all:

The ideal mother is a woman whose winds. Likey Island was signted into the course of the vessel shaped to pass Green Island.

Shortly after 11 o'clock the steamer ran on a reef off Grey Island. She was with unclouded views as to right and that the remove more was unclouded to the course of the vessel shaped to pass. The ideal mother is a woman whose highest object in High is to bring up her children physically and mentally sound, with unclouded views as to right and the the course of the vessel shaped to pass. The ideal mother is a woman whose highest object in High is to bring up her children physically and mentally sound, with unclouded views as to right and the thought the hold. Three hundred tons of the ballast was taken out under the direction of Alex. McDermott, and it was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the ballast was taken out under the direction of the ballast was taken out under the ballast was taken out

the boisterous sea dashing | She has a large amount of commonowing to the boisterous sea dashing against the starboard side. The boats were provisioned and equipped ready for requisition.

The forward part of the steamer was securely stranded on the reef, with the after part afloat. Soundings were taken placed before her by the expanding mind of the child, thus there is a complete understanding established between them.

showing 34 fathoms aft, 9 fathoms amid-ships and about 4 feet forward. In-She is forgetful of self and never al-light, consisting in the main of a broken vestigation disclosed that the forward lows anything to stand between herself keel and a comparatively small number part of the steamer was badly damaged, and duty, at no matter what sacrifice of of injured planks in her bottom. The

In the eyes of the child the mother repthe captain said that he intended to re- resents all that is good and holy. Her ing the dangerous position in which the main with the steamer as long as she love guides and comfort; and cherishes him. It is from her lips that he first The weather became more violent and learns of the loving All-Father. It seems therefore only natural that the little child should consider the mother

At the close of the regular session th About 6 o'clock there was every evidence club went into a committee of the whole to the steamer slipping from the reef nd sinking. She vibrated and careen- to starboard. The first officer therepon told all hands to take to the boats, nd the lifeboat was lowered. While tion to which all mothers interested in studying the best methods of childverboard by the seas, but was picked nurture and training are cordially in-by the craft in which were two of vited. The club will be "At Home" to

MINISTER OF MINES

Rumored Ruction Between the Premier and the Ex-Leader of the Opposition in the House.

There were persistent rumors on the street last night that W. W. B. Mcbeen sworn in as Minister of Mines. The story was told with great circum-

pumps, belonging to the B. C. Salvage

Association, was accordingly procured, and with this and the use of the vessel's

own pump the water was kept down sufficiently low to allow men to go into

necessary, and that the remaining two hundred tons would be required for stif-

At high water this morning the ship

holes in her bottom are not believed to

be very large, and altogether, consider

MINERAL ACT \

(Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

sconsor for Mr. McInnes in his claims Bejanson, D. Frazer, with A. J. Fraze to a cabinef position, the failure of the and Geo. Webb alternates. to have been sent.

With two ministers and a Speaker to select out of their available forces, the withdrawal of the Martin wing in the House would put the administration in a position of hopeless minority. Even without such a defection, its plight s desperate enough to be designated as

"strenuous."

The effect of the sudden call for a meeting of the House will be to create additional interest in the gathering of opposition members at New Westminster on the 15th. There is a possibility that in view of the House meeting a month later it may be considered inthe inconvenience and expense of making the trip to the coast so soon before the Port Angeles, Wash., Jan. 4, 1902 session. The date therefore may be ad-Mr. Robert Hutchinson, Victoria, B. C.

John Oliver, M. P. P., of Deita, has

THE SALVED SANTA CLARA.

VIEW WITH A GOOD SURF RUNN ING.

Premier to accept his nominee for Min- Resolutions similar to those passed at ister of Mines may have had something Vancouver were carried, and the dele-

OFFER OF ASSISTANCE.

Telegraph Operator of Port Angeles Offers Services to Electrician Hutchison.

Robert Hutchison, of this city, whose tecent successful experiments in wireless telegraphy were chronicled in the local press, has received a generous offer of the equipment of the great modern department stores, because experience has proved its advantages. It assistance from a telegraph operator of Port Angeles. This gentleman is heartily in accord with a scheme to establish communication between this city and ers, though its use would not be denied a great of the rectification of the service of the s advisable to put up country members to Port Angeles, and writes Mr. Hutchison as follows: Port Angeles, Wash., Jan. 4, 1902

vanced to one within a few days of the Dear Sir:-I notice in the newspapers that steamer City of Topeka yesterday, and came on to this city because of this port being the steamer's headquarters, and where a number of the men here retained and they taken adthat such a step was in contemplation. The proper course was for all to have However, Mr. McInnes is not Minister of the House has been set for February place my services at your disposal for the

Known to Customers.

time has one department usually unvisited by customers, and yet very essen-

you are making experiments in vireless telegraphy, and contemplate establishing down exhausted, or to drop fainting to women themselves are the witnesses,

the floor. Her shop-mates promptly different person, thanks to your kind ad-

have the needed restoratives.

Women the Sufferers. While the existence of the store hospital points to the sympathy of the mansomething from the floor may cause this great medicine for womanly ills. at certain periods. The hospital is good in its place. But what these women need is health, sound health. And sound health for them means the cure of those womanly diseases which are the primary cause of the physical weakness such women feel.

There is a cure for womanly diseases which has the testimony of tens of thousands of women to its perfect and permanent nature. It is Dr. Pierce's Favor- works wonders for weak women. able Prescription, the medicine which makes weak women strong and sick

women well. Friday morning the American barque ship found herself, her escape was al- of the Victoria fire department had seen

THE MODERN STORE. mark to my parents almost every day that it seems almost an impossibility for medicine to do a person so much good. During the whole summer I could scarce to do with the protest which is alleged gates were instructed to vote for party to have been sent.

It Has One Department Little ly keep up to walk about the house, and yesterday I walked four miles and felt better from the exercise. I now weigh 125 pounds. I read in your book of testimonials where a lady said Dr. Pierce's medicines were a "Thousand pounds of comfort," please let me add one thoutial to the good of the store. It is the case of complicated female disease in ts hospital department. The hospital is a worst form."

The Best Medicine for Women. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription can clerks, a majority of whom are women, temporary relief from pain. It is the and these women are those who almost best medicine for women because its exclusively use the hospital. It is not cures are radical, going to the root of an uncommon thing for the young disease and establishing perfect and per-woman employee of the store to sink manent health. To these claims the

who having tried in vain found in "Favorite Prescription" a complete and lasting cure.
"I feel more than gate-

ful to you for the benefit I have received from Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery," writes Mrs. Erive E. Woodin, of Millerton, Dutchess Co., N. Y., care humber of vears I had weakness, nervous headaches, irregularity, restessness at night and in but after taking three cription' and one of Golden Medical Discovery' feel that I am entirely cured. Have no more nervous headaches. night: in fact, feel like a

care for her, and she is assisted to the vice and wonderful medicine. I earnstore hospital where she may rest and early advise all who suffer from any similar troubles to write to Dr. Pierce at once. They will not regret it."

No Need to Be Sick

For the majority of women there is no agement with its employees, it also em-phasizes the weakness of the women for The figures show that out of every fifty whom the hospital is established women suffering from diseases peculiar Women who work must be prompt and to their sex forty-nine are cured by the regular in their duties or they are not use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescripwanted. The back may ache, every step
may jar along the spine until the head
throbs pitifully. The reaching up for a
box of gloves or the stooping to pick
something from the floor may cause.

acute pain, but the woman behind the counter must hold on until she drops, and regularity, dries weakening drains, heals she generally does. Then comes the inflammation and ulceration, and cures pospital, a brief rest, and some pallative female weakness. It is the best tonic for her present pain. Next month she and nervine for weak, worn-out and run may repeat the same experience; for it is noted that this liability to physical courages the appetite and induces refreshing sleep. It is a purely vegetable preparation, and cannot disagree with the weakest constitution

Weak and sick women are invited to correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.
"Favorite Prescription" makes weak

women strong, sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which

Free to Every Woman,

The best medical book free. Doctor "A heart overflowing with gratitude Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adas well as a sense of daty urges me to viser, the greatest modern medical work Friday morning the American barque ship found herself, her escape was alsanta Clara, which since the memorable storm of Christmas night has been hard and fast on Trial island, was floated the rocks, and towed into Esquiton the rocks, and towed into Esquiton the sargue was exampled to the crew from shore if mait. The salving obserations were conmait. The salving obserations were conmait. The salving obserations were conmait of the Victoria fire department had seen with the department had seen with the second with the second with the storm, and had driven furiously along the Dallas road in the hope of rendering some from the rocks, and towed into Esquiton were conmait. The salving obserations were conmait of the Victoria fire department had seen with the second with the storm, and had driven furiously along the Dallas road in the hope of rendering some from the rocks, and towed into Esquiton the department had seen with the second with the storm, and had driven furiously along the Dallas road in the hope of rendering some from the rocks, and towed into Esquiton the department had seen with the second with the storm, and had driven furiously along the Dallas road in the hope of rendering some from the rocks, and towed into Esquiton the department had seen with the second with the second value of the viscont and tell you of my wonder fully recovery," says Miss. Corinne C.
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BRIAVERY OF WOMEN

Passengers on Walla Walla Tell of Con- Chas. Nangle Charged With a Serious duct of Mrs. Hastings and Miss Williams.

The survivors of the Walla Walla accident speak in the most eulogistic terms as the result of which Miller is minus of the two, Victoria ladies who were in his left eye. The offence was committhe wreck and were saved. Of Mrs. ted on Christmas morning in the Palace Hastings a San Francisco paper says: "Mrs O. Hastings of Victoria was one of the women passengers who were one of the women passengers who were saved from going down with the steam-tween a couple of men when Nangle in-terfered, asking aim "what he had to do board. She was given a place in the second lifeboat that was lowered, along with a rise second lifeboat that was lowered, along with a rise second lifeboat that was lowered, along the second lifeboat that was lowered to second lifeboa with nine men and one woman. For four hours and a half the men used the oars in an attempt to reach land, and then the steamer Dispatch, which had gouged out, portions of it running from the steamer Dispatch, which had already picked up one boat, was sighted the socket to his cheek. by the shipwrecked men and women.

It was bandaged with a piece of raw beef, but the pain was intense, and Mil-

patch she retained her good spirits."

F. W. Daly, of Everett, who was one of the eight men on the raft with Miss Williams says the men placed her in the centre, and sought to protect her from the wind and wayes.

There he underwent an operation in time to save the sight of the other eye.

Dr. Frank Hall, who was examined this morning, stated that the injury could have been inflicted by a thumb

when day dawned," said Daly. "The the white of the organ which was totally destroyed. liams looked as if she might faint at Mills, who subjected the mjured man t for the maintenance of friendly relations and her willingness to receive advice in ledieve. She talked to us encouragingtener.

Williams was the braves of the on the ground that it believe. She talked to us encouragingteners in additional material. The interrogations covered ingly and in every way showed that she the man's past employment since he Progressive Chinese officials explain was made of the right stuff. The poor came here, ten years ago, which the Pekin, Jan. 9.—The Dowager Empress disapprovement that the Dowager Empress disapprovement for the Light same nere, ten years ago, which despress that the Dowager Empress disapprovement for the Light same nere, ten years ago, which is the despress that the Dowager Empress disapprovement for the Light same nere, ten years ago, which is the despress that the Dowager Empress disapprovement for the Light same nere, ten years ago, which is the despress that the Dowager Empress disapprovement for the Light same nere, ten years ago, which is the Light same nere, the light

discouraging word from her, and she next Tuesday.

GOUGED OUT AN EYE.

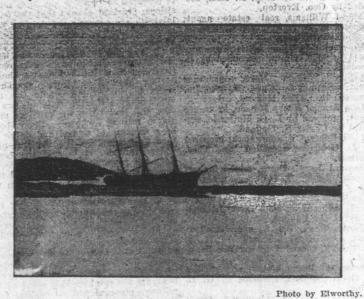
Offence-Painful Injury. Charles Nangle was charged in the police court this morning with doing bodily harm to Louis Miller, a sealer,

According to Miller's story he was endeavoring to intercede in a quarrel b think the injury so serious, but as a

Mrs. Hastings at no time lost her presence of mind, and acted as bravely as the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men. When picked up by the Distribution of the men when men and which we have a men and which we have the men and which

from the wind and waves.

"We were a sorry looking lot of people the white of the organ which was total-



RESTING IN A QUIET SEA.

CHINESE AFFAIRS Dowager Empress Renews Her Schemes on Return to Pekin.

Pekin, Jan. 9.—The Dowager Empress disapprover that the Dowager Empress disapprover as her pinched face and deep-set eyes to the issue. Counsel for the defence, on the other hand, claimed that they would have thought we were on a pleasing to shake the countries of the provided as he desired to shake the countries of the provided as he desired to shake the countries of the provided and her edicts are the countries of the provided and the countries of the provided and the provided and the countries of the provided and the provide

"Ptarmigan" and "Ta Tosca" Mineral Claims, situate in the Skeena River Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located: On Kitsalas Monntain. Skeena River, about 5 miles east of Kitsalas Canon.

Take notice that I, J. Herrick McGregor, acting as agent for S. Arden Singlehurst, Free Miner's Certificate No. 50523B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims. sacred hall in the Forbidden City. The rules of the dynasty forbid women to enter this hall and the Dowager Emiress has never before violated its sanctity. The Emperor will receive the foreign diplomats in this hall. Officials

send letters to the ministers of the for-eign powers here expressing her desire for the maintenance of friendly relations Williams was the bravest of all of us, Williams was the bravest of all of us, the bravest of the maintenance of the ministers of the for-was every minute, half drowning us, Miss Williams was the bravest of all of us, the bravest of all of us, the bravest of the ministers of the injured man to an exhaustive cross-examination, a great deal of which was objected to by the chief on the ground that it was not

the men. This boat had been cut away from the vessel, and it was impossible for the back without being wrecked. The lifeboat was then lowered with the second officer and thirteen others in it. And continuous and a second officer and thirteen others in it. And continuous and a second officer and thirteen others in it. And a choice programme will be present of the purpose of the p



(From Friday's Daily.) -The funeral of the late Wilfred Charles Goyette took place this afternoon from the family residence, Saanich. The cortege left the residence at 1.30 and interment took place at St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill.

During the past year twenty-three coroner's inquests were held in the city. Verdicts were returned as follows: accidental death, 10; natural causes,

(From Saturday's Dally.)

—Victorians are to hear another great cantata shortly. A chorus, nuder the direction of Gideon Hicks, will shortly the flagship would probably have on the journey.

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-The Victoria Teachers' Institute held very interesting paper on "Literature" forthcoming Provincial Teachers Insti-tute convention in this city during Eas-In concluding he says that Acapulco

signs were presented, among which was a metal cross from the children of the pleased at the prospect of soon reach-Lake public school. Many sympathizing ing England. friends were in attendance. The following acted as pallbearers: Masters J. Coverdale, W. Daley, H. Black, B. Smith, H. Turner and W. Lehman.

tensive work for the naval and minutary authorities. The store houses at the navy yard, the naval hospital and the barracks at Work Point have all been barracks at Work Point have all been having

(From Menday's Daily.) of \$100 for information leading to the of \$100 for intornation retains to the persons arrest and conviction of the persons who on November 29th fired three rifle out from England, and was considerably

of three months' imprisonment for fail-ure to provide medical attention to the throughout Great Britain and the United Rogers children, who died of diphtheria, unless he takes another appeal. A number of questions were reserved by Judge Montreal. Wonders will never cease.

Drake for reference to the Full court at The price must have been enormous, and the prisoner's request, and the prisoner was admitted to bail. On Saturday the Full court upheld Judge Drake's view on the questions submitted, and affirmed his conviction. It is not unlikely that the Zionists may carry an appeal to the Supreps Court of Canada and received the Family Herald and Weekly Star have in store for them a treat beyond their imagination. We understand this the Zionists may carry an appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada, and possibly to the Privy Council, as the effect of the Privy Council, as the effect of the Privy Council, as the effect of teresting—story, "The Man from Glensuch a decision would practically be to such a decision would practically be to oblige the sect to withdraw from the Herald and Weekly Star almost imme-Canadian field.

-Crofton, the new townsite at Osborne Bay, will see a large amount of Victoria capital invested during the coming year. The contract has just been let Wife of Wesleyan Chaplain Passed Away to K. Sharp for the erection of a large two-story frame hotel for M. Conlin and two-story frame hotel for M. Conlin and L. Casey, both of this city. The agreement calls for the building to be ready for occupancy by the first of March. The hotel will accomodate 75 guests and will be provided with all modern conveniences. Special provision will be made for the tourist business, of which the management expect to realize a seen completed and running. The functional management expect to realize a seen completed and running. The tourist business, completed and running. The function and Messrs. Conlin and Casey state that all their supplies for the house will be

The annual Burns's anniversary concept, under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church choir, will be held on Wednesday evening, the 22nd inst. This will be the fourteenth concert given by the choir under the direction of 1.

G. Brown, their popular choir inaster, and will be well up to the high standard of the terms of the union are not to be ready wo get only a little over one-third back in the squert-general's of-to the government must not forget the provinced by the provinced in the agent-general's of-to the government must not forget the own were will all the forces at Esquimat and Work Problem, will be held on Wednesday evening, the 22nd inst. This will be the fourteenth concert given by the choir under the direction of 1.

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cans lodge were then installed, after which an open session was held. An adournment was made later on to the oteh where an elaborate repast was partaken of. The toast list was very comprehensive and with recitations, songs and speeches it was not until the urs of the morning that festivi ties ceased.

WARSPITE BATTLES WITH HEAVY GALES

Flagship Experiences Rough Weather on Trip South-Condor Is Overdue at Honolulu.

offerings were numerous, as the last tokens of sympathizing friends. The remains were interred in Ross Bay remains were interred in Ross Bay the cemetery. The pall-bearers were: T. H. Jones, M. Cameron, M. Bantly, Thos. Russell, C. Thomas and J. Lawson. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Toughest in his experience, and in the weathered many a gale of the fiercest kind. Every loose thing on the decks of the vessel was carried away, while the cutters and even the heavy guns which are secured to the deck in such a way as to resist the strongest wind were feared for.

There are six aldermanic candidates for each ward, which includes all last year's each ward, which includes all last year's each ward, which includes all last year's each ward, which includes all last year's

One nine-pounder on the upper deck The nominations are as follows: Arc," which, it is hoped, will be ready he said was wrenched from its holdings, by April. Most of those who took part and for a short time created a lively time flying from one side of the ship to the other as the waves tossed her about. never been given in Victoria. It will Both cutters were nearly lost, and it be presented in the Metropolitan church. was only by the greatest efforts that these as well as the gun were saved.

Mr. Clarke says that he wondered at one time if, staunch as the vessel was its regular monthly meeting in the known to be, she would have the staycouncil chamber, city hall, yesterday afternoon. In the absonce of the president, seas which swept over the decks without some serious mishap. The big ship very interesting paper on "Literature" was pitched about by the wind and was read by the secretary, Miss Fraser, waves like a ninepin and the crew, in who explained her method of teaching the subject. The paper was followed by The meeting discussed the greatest care, lest they should be carried

ter week, after which an adjournment was reached with a bit better passage, but instead of storms the crew were troubled with the excessive heat. The -Yesterday afternoon the funeral of Warspite took on coal at that point, and the late Wilfred Charles Goyette took he describes the mixture of sweat and place from the parents' residence, Lake coal dust as most annoying. "Everydistrict, at 1.30 p.m., and proceeded to district, at 1.30 p.m., and proceeded to St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill. Rev. R. as larks amid the coal dust and sweat," Connell conducted religious services at the church and grave. Many floral detinues, is getting full of parrots and

No News of the Condor. Smith, H. Turner and W. Lehman.

A complete electric lighting plant has been installed at the Harrison Hot Springs by the Hinton Electric Company, of this city. The plant includes an engine and dynamo, with direct coupling, and the place is now adequately equipped with one of the most essential of modern requirements. The same enterprising firm has just completed extensive work for the naval and military authorities. The store houses at the advices. The anxiety concerning her wired, a staff of the firm's men having next it is probable that the Phaeton will been employed on this task for some go out in search for her. The Phaeton is now being made ready for sea. She is the flagship on the station. Feelings onday's Dally.)
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ont is offering a reward
ship's company for the missing vessel.
The Condor, it will be remembered, bullets through the window of the dwelling of Alex. Faulds at South Welling-ton.

out from England, and was considerably damaged. She was the smallest of the fleet stationed at Esquimalt, her tonnage being only 980 tons. She undoubtedly entering only 980 tons.

diately.

DEATH OF MRS. HICKS.

To-Day.

HALF OF CANDIDATES

PLENTY OF ASPIRANTS

The Mayor Was Returned Unopposed-A Large Field for the Various Posts.

only after a desperate struggle. The trip down he describes as one of the trip down h

FOR MAYOR. Charles Hayward, contractor; posed by Wm. Templeman, seconded by H. Dallas Helmcken, M. P. P. FOR ALDERMEN.

agent; proposed by J. A. Sayward, seconded by R. L. Drury. Watson Clark, farmer; L. Goodacre, seconded by Michael Mc-

North Ward.

Harry McAdoo Grahame, financial and insurance agent; proposed by C. F. Todd, seconded by Wm. Munsie.

Martin neither framed nor had he anything to do with framing the government railway policy, and never saw the George Jeeves, clerk of works; pro posed by R. Seabrook, seconded by Alex.

John Kinsman, contractor; propo Alex. Gilmore McCandless, gentleman;

Stewart.

Central Ward, Edward Bragg, contractor; proposed by Robt, Hicks, seconded by John Smith. Wm. Humphrey, gentleman; proposed moting the extension of the E. & N. by Wm. Templeman, seconded by railway north, to accept; and were con-Michael Baker

Alfred Philip Luxton, barrister-at-law; roposed by Wm. Wilson, seconded by Alex. Stewart.

George Henry Barnard, barrister-atlaw; proposed by Chas. Ed. Redfern,
seconded by Wm. Wilson,
Wm. Geo. Cameron, merchant; proposed by Wm. Templeman, seconded by
J. Fullerton

South Ward,
E. over the Hope Mountain depended upon receiving the Dominion subsidy
in addition.

In considering the cost of railway
construction in this province and the war construction in the grown or refused to be held up in that fashion,
the government has been denounced as
tools of the We were practically held up, and
with a gun to our head asked to surrender or submit to defeat. Because we
refused to be held up in that fashion,
the government has been denounced as

GOVERNMENT'S NEW POLICY.

FOR CIVIC OFFICE To the People of British Columbia -In view of the persistent criticism in the press and at public meetings, and the determined effort that has been made to defeat the government for real whole of the Dominion the government and as a defeat of the government, and with the press and at public meetings, and thirty years paid to the Dominion a defeat of the government, and with them in whatever degree the same period the debt of the Dominion the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with them in whatever degree the same period the debt of the Dominion the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with them in whatever degree the out the policy and intention of the latter of the government of the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with them in whatever degree the out the policy and intention of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and as a defeat of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government, and as a defeat of the government of the government, and with the policy and intention of the government sons that cannot be justified on grounds of public policy, I have decided to lay my views fully and frankly before the public The solution of our principal industries it deserved and the period the dept of the Dominion has been into the other hand, our position and policy were such as to justify the delay that solution. Hon, J. H. Turner last session and policy were such as to justify the delay that solutions are period the dept of the period the dept of the point fully known, defeat in Victoria would be very probable; but if, on served all encouragement possible, and the other hand, our position and policy were such as to justify the delay that solutions are period the dept of the point fully known, defeat in Victoria would be very probable; but if, on served all encouragement possible, and the other hand, our position and policy were such as to justify the delay that my views fully and frankly before the public. The following statement is an explanation of any position and of the policy of the administration, and later on there will be an opportunity on the found dead, 1; manslaughter, 2; suicide, 3; murder, 1.

The funeral of the late C. W. Christie took place to-day from the residence, 14 Pandora avenue, and later from the R. C. Cathedral. Father Kennedy officiated at the church and Father Alticiated at the church and Father Alticiated at the church and Father Alticiated at the grave. Deceased came to be found at the grave. Deceased came to be found at the grave. Deceased came to be found and provided and approved by all, I feel administration, and later from the platform to go more fully into details:

It is well known that the present situation as compared with one of the subject, pointing out clearly that of the crew of the H.M.S. Warspite, now on her way to England, in a letter date from Acapulco, it appears that vessel did not escape coming in contact with one of the storms which have been being officer, W. W. Northcott, declared the one of the storms which have been being officer, which can be a provinced to the crew of the administration, and later from the father that the crewspondence with the Dominion on the subject, pointing out clearly that of the subject, pointing out clearly that of the province, the greatly increased the pointing of the crew of the H.M.S. Warspite, and the crew of the H.M.S. Warspite, of the crew of the subject, pointing out clearly that the present situation as sumed that if I had not of the province, the greatly increased the pointing out the expiration of the time the crew of the definition on the subject, pointing out clearly that the crew of the indicated and approved by all, I feel that the crew-spondence with the Comminion on the subject, pointing out clearly that of the crew-spondence with the correspondence with the corresponde

affairs, and I had assurance from men representing all shades of opinion that they would support me in that effort. Since the present trouble began, I would will ngry have resigned had I seen any likelihood of a union of parties in the House under someone else able to form a stable government. My own business is sufficient to occupy all my time, and there can be no personal advantage to me in remaining in office. I am accused of joining forces with

Mr. Martin and being dictated in my policy by that gentleman, who, it is contended, having, as shown by the last general elections, lost the confidence of the country, is not qualified to advise or assist the government. I shall explain how that gentleman and other nembers of the opposition came to support me; but just here I wish to say absolutely that neither myself nor the John Leander Beckwith, commission government have been influenced or directed by them in any matters of policy or administration whatsoever. Not-withstanding all that has been said about an "unholy alliance" for the pur-

pose of defeating the V., V. & E., Mr. Martin neither framed nor had he anyment railway policy, and never saw the Railway Bill of last session until on the day it was laid before the House. That measure, I may add, was framed in accordance with what the governby John G. Cox, seconded by Wm, ment thought was the expressed and well understood wishes of the people Alex. Gilmore McCandless, gentleman: in regard to the measure of control the poposed by Thomas Shotbolt, seconded Walter D. Kinnaird.

Walter D. Kinnaird.

Control Ward. they believed to be sound public policy. The conditions were such as I was willing, as a private individual, in promoting the extension of the E. & N. ditional upon the co-operation we felt we were entitled to on the part of the Dominion government. If no railways have been undertaken under the legisla-There is still no news of the British sloop man-of-war Condor, which as stat-bookseller; proposed by Fred Carne, jr., have not yet received that co-operation. Our policy was strictly in line with the

seconded by Cuyler Holland.

John Samuel Henry Matson, insurance agent; proposed by L. G. McQuade, secand to railway companies there should be a measure of control and a feir reonded by Cuyler A. Holland.

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Thos. Roberts, customs clerk; proposed turn in moneys for the aid and principles granted. It is said the condi-Bernard Joseph Perry, mining broker; severe; but it must be remembered that rounds.

Bernard Joseph Perry, mining broker; severe; but it must be remembered that substantial aid was expected from Ottawa, and in our representation. Henry Young.

Benjamin Scarfe Oddy, real estate fered to modify our policy in any reagent; proposed by John Piercy, second-sonable way conformable with the views

British Columbia is the province that

vention between the governments to review the whole facts of the case, and by a fair, open and impartial investigation arrive at a readjustment.

De regarded as a tactical mistake of my own in regard to the personnel of the cabinet, could not be a sufficient cause plunging on a new election and plunging the country into political chaos the cabinet, could not be a sufficient cause of the industry may be investigated and reported upon at one time. Shipbuilding, the encouragement of

as the development of the country is years more.

Now, then, I come to my position in country. regard to Mr. Martin. Last session, as The letter addressed to Sir Wilfrid

V. & E. I shall not refer to the nature of the agitation or to those who promoted it. The cry was for competition in regard to railway matters and reviews the whole negotiations of last year.

Owing to the attitude of a number of the supporters of the government on this question, a crisis was created. A great deal that was mysterious was going on on all sides, and rumors were thick about the downfall of the government. No other government in British Columbia, possibly, ever had so much seconded by Max Leiser.

Thomas Irwin Worthington, gentleman proposed by Jno, Piercy, seconded by Simon Leiser.

Our policy was strictly in line with the Thomas Irwin Worthington, gentleteter and by personal interview before the V., V. & E. Company ever came to by Simon Leiser.

Our policy was strictly in line with the Columbia, possibly, ever had so much pressure brought to bear on it at any one time as was brought to bear on the government last year to accede to terms, the V., V. & E. Company ever came forward with their proposition at all. It was stated to the executive, and will not now be denied, that, with the exception of thirty miles at each end, the building of the main line of the V., V. with a gun to our head asked to sur-

Wm. Prout, seconded by O. W. Rogers.

Thornton Fell, barrister-at-law; proposed by E. Grow Baker, seconded by I. Sayward.

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The proposed by L. posed by E. Crow Baker, seconded by
J. A. Sayward.

John Hall, gentleman; proposed by L.

Goodacre, seconded by Thos. Shotbott.

Frances William Vincent, accountant; proposed by J. H. Lawson, seconded by
C. S. Baxter.

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

Edward Arman Lewis, contractor; proposed by Alex. Wilson, seconded by
W. J. Pendray.

M. J. Pe behalf, but so far as this particular line is concerned, where some one company der the terms of the act, and earn the subsidy for the sixty miles. In that case they were willing to wait forever, if necessary, to get the Dominion subsidy. Is there a man in British Columbia who has the handihood to say the government should have entered into such an arrangement? It was at Another matter of the greatest possible size and prostice of the country being the government should have entered into such an arrangement? It was at Another matter of the greatest possible size and prostice and prostice and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the government should have entered into the such an arrangement? It was at Another matter of the greatest possible size as the province uniting on a certain division of containing the province uniting on a certain division of the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the government should have entered into the content of the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the government should have entered into the content of the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time to come against the trade of the country being the greatest possible size and provide for all time t to such an arrangement? It was at that time I learned of a movement among certain members of the House, including some of my supporters, to defeat the government. This may be denied, as it else, has occupied the attention of the has been, but I had very good evidence of it, which even is not wanting in the interior, not yet reached by railjournals of the House; and had the opposition then joined hands with the defected element and the independents, the government would undoubtedly have been defeated. It was at that critical time that the members of the appear. time that the members of the opposition, who declared themselves in accord fill up the districts near our towns and with the railway policy of the govern- cities before going far back. The difment, volunteered their support, and I ficulty we find is not in getting settlers, Henry Young.

Benjamin Scarfe Oddy, real estate agent; proposed by John Piercy, seconded by F. A. Pauline.

Horace James Knott, superintendent Loan Association; proposed by R. B.

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M Horace James Knott, superintendent secure its co-operation. The public Loan Association; proposed by R. B. must understand that with our limited function of the public take upon myself the entire responsibility—but I felt that I was entitled, in filling one of the vacant portfolios, to recognize the support of the opposition at a critical time, by selecting Mr. Brown. As I have said, I may have railways proposed and get nothing from the easiest take upon myself the entire responsibility—but I felt that I was entitled, in filling one of the vacant portfolios, to recognize the support of the opposition at a critical time, by selecting Mr. Brown. As I have said, I may have said, I may have small boldings of thousands of farmers. Milne,

Richard Low Drury, insurance agent;
proposed by Michael King; seconded by John Cochrane.

The annual Burns's anniversary concert, under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church choir, will be held

Milne,

Bichard Low Drury, insurance agent;
proposed by Michael King; seconded by John Cochrane.

Dankrupt the province if it aided all the railways proposed and get nothing from the more in return. Few people realize that about four times the amount of revenue goes to Ottawa from British Columbia that is received from all sources in the province by the province in the most accessible districts. This we proposed the support of the opposition at a critical time, by selecting Mr. Brown. As I have said, I may have about four times the amount of revenue goes to Ottawa from British Columbia that is received from all sources in the province by the province in the most accessible districts. This we proposed the support of the opposition at a critical time, by selecting Mr. Brown. As I have said, I may have mistake, but whether right or small holdings of thousands of farmers in the most accessible districts. This we province by the provincial treasury, and wo get only a little over one-third back in the most accessible districts. This we proposed and get nothing from the session, and it will be found practicable and calculated to effect the settlement on small holdings of thousands of farmers in the most accessible districts. This we province by the provincial treasury, and wo get only a little over one-third back in the most accessible districts. This we proposed and get nothing from the will be found practicable and calculated to effect the settlement on small holdings of thousands of farmers in the most accessible districts. This we province by the provincial treasury, and that is received from all sources in the province by the provincial treasury, and the submit of the opposition province by the provincial treasury. The submit of the subm

tion, to defeat the government. For this government is prepared at the purpose our position has been misreppurpose our position has been misrepresented in every way possible. When the elections were held, I wanted, as leader of the government, to be in a position to lay a definite programme before the electors upon which all former supporters of the government and members of the legislature could unite—a practical businesslike programme. practical, businesslike programme.

The defeat of the government candidate in Victoria would, I have no doubt,

as the development of the country is concerned, will not compare with the policy of any other public man who has stated his views. I am willing that the policy of the government, as I shall over the Hope Mountain—and we wanted convention is agreemed with the Dominion rather than the province. We cannot afford a system of bonusing on the scale necessary if we so desired; but we will continue our representations, and hope if a convention is agreemed with the Dominion rather than the province. We cannot afford a system of bonusing on the scale necessary if we so desired; but we will continue our representations, and hope if a the point of the government, as I shall over the Hope Mountain—and we wanted the convention is arranged with the Domin-for comparison. The financial situation of that line. Hon. W. C. Wells, chief ion to have it included among the subfor comparison. The mancial situation from the point of view as between the province and the Dominion must be faced now or at some future time. I went East to take up the subject of the ask, in all fairness, if these are facts, who is entitled to the credit for honestwent bast to take up the subject of session a bin was prepared and printed, but there was not time to have it passthe several railway companies and the by striving, by making representations to the government at Ottawa, to improve the finances and to secure the development of the country? If any other government were in power to-morrow, it would find it could not make bricks without straw, any more than we can and the Christmas holidays intervening. without straw, any more than we can. So long as I am Premier I shall not the matter for consideration could not fisheries as a while. We believe that a depart in the smallest degree from the be fully decided upon. We have since man whose experience has been obtained,

regard to Mr. Martin. Last session, as everyone knows, when the government's Laurier, copies of which have been sent as applicable to stock interests of the below, when the government's policy in regard to railways was being formulated, and after it had been submitted to the House, tremendous president to the province, asking their commons from the province and the common from mitted to the House, tremendous pressure was brought to bear on us to accept the proposition submitted by the V.

V. & E. I shall not refer to the nature of the agitation or to those who pro-

hands with the Dominion government to build the line over the Hope Mountain into the Similkameen as a joint government undertaking, and give all railways full and equal running powers over it upon certain terms, the same as is proposed in the New Westminster bridge This would, of course, depend upon makrender or submit to defeat. Because we refused to be held up in that fashion, when built. In second to be held up in that fashion, wm. Geo. Cameron, merchant, proposed by Wm. Templeman, seconded by J. Fullerton.

Henry Cooley, contractor; proposed by Wm. Prout, seconded by C. W. Rogers, Thornton Fell, barrister at-law; proposed by E. Grow Baker, seconded by E. Grow when built. In so doing, I have stipudertake; and whether I remain in office

unproductive. I believe we should first

and Messrs. Conlin and Casey state that all their supplies for the house will-be purchased here. The contractor for the building is also a Victorian, although having recently been in Dawson.

On Saturday afternoon forty members of the local LO.O.F. lodges journey-bers of the local LO.O.F. lodges journey-ed to Duncans, where D. D. G. Bray-shav_{is} assisted by a team, initiated two the government must be the judge of this it is impossible for a legislature to up the burden of railway and shipbuild-ing and fishery development, or hand us

The government must be the judge of this it is impossible for a legislature to deal with all the details of a bill with-

political situation and, by pressing an elec- considered; and having this in view, the session to deal with the matter

The memorial of the mine owners.

consideration of the government, and as R. C. Cathedral. Father Kennedy omciated at the church and Father Althoff at the grave. Deceased cased cased cased cased and announced the
Victoria from Banffshire, Scotland,
Victoria from Banffshire, Scotl

It is said the government has no policy. I am willing that the people should say whether such a policy, so far

position we have taken in demanding of the Dominion government that we shall at least have our cause investigated and our chains, if well founded, recognized.

be fully decided upon. We have since been discussing and formulating plans on several most important subjects pre-liminary to the elections being held, and the meeting of the House, and we are now prepared to submit them to the theories are not applicable to conditions here.

works, in educational affairs and in many other respects, the government has done a large amount of work. Some of the changes involved may not have been for the time being popular, but they were

right and necessary. Many other matters have had our attention and consideration, but I believe that in the foregoing I have outlined a programme for any government to un-

FASHION AT

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Is direction which I have ality this time exceeds the wile imagination. One would say retty mundanes have wished to shamed of having doubted the ste in matters of elegance. It was really annoying that amusement, which can no amusement.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

The state department, Washington, has received a copy of the sur-rejoinder of the Russian government to its last brief in the arbitration of the claims of American sealers growing out of the seizure of vessels owned by them, amounting in value to about half a million dollars, in the waters of Asiatic Rus-

During the whole of 1900 no case of rables was found in England or Scotland, and it is asserted with confidence that the disesse, which had been present for centuries, has been entirely eradicated.

IT'S MIRACULOUS.

CATARRH, COLDS, AND HEADACHE CAN BE RELIEVED IN 10 MINUTES AND CURED. DR. AGNEW'S CA-TARRHAL POWDER IS A WONDER WORKER.

SOUTH VICTORIA LIBERALS.

The members of the South Victoria Liberal Association, and other Liberals,

Secretary.

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CTORIA ALS.

South Victoria d other Liberals. Hall on Friday y, at 4 o'clock, to Vancouver Con-

H. TANNER, Secretary.





FASHON AT THE PALAS DE GLACE.

Paris, Saturday.
A year ago I experienced a feeling of keen disappointment on visiting a resort which tashion has adopted as a select place of meeting, and which fully justifies the predilection. I refer to the Palais de Glace, and I regretted that my contemporaries, though not lacking in Imagination, had never thought of attempting to create more becoming costumes for skading, which is, and hour frost, and for polar temperatures, where reason triumphs over askion. But since the new conquest by man over thought of attempting to create more heart of the state of the prediction. When the importance of the first prediction which I have discovered. The reality this time exceeds the wildest flights of imagination. One would say that our pretty mundanes have wished to make one ashamed of having doubted their suprements of the situation.

When the atmosphere was warmed and the horizon limited it became necessary to the reality analysing the horizon limited it became necessary to the pretty skaters is such that I might, perhaps of the thirt widens very much at the bord with the heavy costumes former tasted in matters of degance.

It was really annoying that this charming amusement, which can now be enjoyed during the whole year, thanks to the mar-

glimpse of the light and flufty underwear. Frequently the blouse corsage is made to match the lining, and the effect is charming.

White shoes are far the prettiest, especially as their effect is increased by the silvery blade of the skate, as the whiteness blends with that of the immaculate surface of the ice. Thus shod, the pretty skaters resemble sylphs, appearing scarcely to touch the surface over which they glide.

One error that should be avoided is to wear black stockings with white shoes. It is an unpardonable fault, which completely spoils the effect of a recherche costume. This remark applies to all colored boots. The stockings should always match, especially as colored boots or shoes are much in favor just now.

In regard to blouses, hats, girdles and muffs, the boldest flights of fancy are tolerated. It is in the details that personal taste is displayed. Costumes all of one color are always the most dressy, and I will conclude by giving descriptions of the dresses and details which appeared to me likely to be most interesting to my readers.

A young and beautiful woman, who skated with the maestria of a Paganini of the steel, particularly charmed me. She wore a disess of red liberty velvet, pin spotted with white and lined with pale pink. The corsage, with its long basques, was very pretty, but not well adapted for the exercise, as she was constantly obliged to put it in place. A large capeline of pink mousseline de soie, trimmed with sable and curled ostrich feathers, completed this exquisite vision, making of her a pure Cheret picture. A piquant brunette contrasted as forcibly with her by her beauty as by her dress. She wore a soft drab hat, partly cowboy, partly musketeer, and turned up in front, with two red feathers. Her blouse was of full blue liberty satin, and her bolero had a turn-down collar of red panne. Her skirf, straight cut, was of full blue, and her swide waistband of india rubber clouted with steel; her boots were of drab deerskin, and the liming of the skirt of shaded grays.

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skirt cut in crenelations, which were edged with chinebilla.

Another costume was of drab cloth, embroidered with berried holly, giving a bright note, foreshadowing Christmas. Yet another was of bottle green ribbed velvet, trimmed with black and gold braid, and in her evolutions of a glddy waltz the wearer displayed underwear of the delicate white of water likes. Her toque was of Irish gulpure, trimmed with a garland of lilles, and her muff, in thesame style, recalled to mind the dream of Ophella.

I noted two other dazzling appartions, recalling to mind snow fairles or some hyperborean Valkyrie. One was in white velvet edged with chinchilla; her bolero, extreme-

ly short, showed beneath it a broad waistband of silver. From the wide sleeves emerged clouds of white mousseline de sole; white passementerie and silver tassels were mixed with the fur. The interior was cut up into illy petals of mousseline de sole spangled with dewdrops. The soft, white feit hat was trimmed with white brambles and edelweiss.

The other wore a fourreau of Irish gulpure, with an ermine stole down the front and continued round the skirt in a wide shaped flounce. Her ermine toque was trimmed with Christmas roses.

The flora displayed on muffs and hats this winter are exquisite, and at this resort charm even more by their originality. Among other illustrations I noticed a muff and toque of parma violets and pink camellas; a toque of holly and red bay, trimmed with a tiny band of chinchilla; a hat composed entirely of mistletce, tassels of red oak foliage, pine cones with fine silver needles—all the ornaments of the forest are laid under contribution, and from this harmony springs an infinite elegance which adapts itself marvellously to all the surroundings in which fashion deigns to disport herself.

A BUILDER-ARE YOU LOSING WEIGHT?-"The D. & L." Emulsion will always help and build you up. Restores proper digestion and brings back health. Manufactured by the Davis & Lawrence Co. Ltd.

DESCRIPTION OF DRESSES.

In the stylish skating costume shown above the short skirt is of elephant gray colored velvet, lined with white and trimmed with muslin flounces. Strips of cream-colored satin mark the outline of the apron and encircle the skirt near the bottom. The short bolero is trimmed in similar style. The chemisette is of lace, with a frill down the centre, and the undersleeves are puffed. Here also are represented some stylish afternoon dresses. One is of peau de suede cloth, ornamented with strips of black, satin, fixed by buttons of dead gold, which add to the apparent length of the figure. The collar yoke is of English point lace over a ground of black muslin. The skirt is edged with guipure, also over black muslin.

The other costume has a skirt of plumcolored velvet, edged with bands of skunk. The bolero is of seal, long in the front and back and loose over the hips. The collar, lapels and trimmings are of skunk.

LITTLE BRAVES .- Old time a quarter-



Tim-"You look tired."

Jim-"I am. You see, I'm engaged to three girls, and I'm trying to convince each one that the more money I saved on Christmas presents the sooner we can get married."



THE FALLACY OF FASHION.

Miss Phoebe Throstle, in "Qualify Street," ays: "There is a satisfaction in being ressed in the latest fashion that even region cannot give." Thousands of women all testify to the truth of this saying. And et there is another view of the question thich Miss Phoebe Throstle did not menion, but which is, nevertheless, as eminently true.

will testify to the truth of this saying. And yet there is a nother view of the question which Miss Phoebe Throstie did not mention, but which is, nevertheless, as eminently true.

There is a satisfaction in being dressed according to one's own individuality which no amount of fashion can give. This is a control of forgetting.

I once knew a woman who, to my mind, was always exceptly well dressed. She was always exceptly well dressed and the winter of them, and they colors, and they were never expensive. But it may have more of them, and can have them washed freely. A little old and key may be moulted a lake. Gray, white and lavender were here colors for summer, black for whiter. There is a satisfaction in being dressed. She was always exceptly well dressed. She was always exceptly well dressed. She will be a fashion plate or a dressed-up shop girl. I never shout her, but neither did she ever look like a fashion plate or a dressed-up shop girl. I never shall much money to spend on clothes, so from the outset I had to make my plans simple, but I put a large amount of breem, and they worked, will give a touch to a plain black gown which no amount of expectation. And more self to study the subject for myself. I never had much money to spend on clothes, so from the outset I had to make my plans simple, but I put a large amount of brain them. I knew that certain colors became me, so I decided to cling to them, rather than risk failure in experiments.

"I knew that certain general lines suited my face and figure, so I made up my mind that my dresses should always be moulded" We Americans are so imitative and so intitative and so

lacking in originality that the very idea of such an innovation would make most of my young lady friends' pompadours stand on end. And yet, dear young ladies, the French women, whose taste in dress you break your necks and pockethooks to imitate, do that very thing.

They are original. They do not conform to any castiron mode, but give their brains some play in dressmaking. Hence that je ne sais quoi about a French gown which defies copying.

Now, why not be French dressmakers yourselves? Study the subject. Eccome artists in it. If you do not want to do the manual labor yourselves, hire the hands to do it for you. But put your own brains into every dress you wear. Find what is becoming and wear it.

It may distress you at first to lose your place among the job lot of doils which the dressmakers turn out to strut in Fifth avenue every season. It may be some comfort to you, however, not to meet your living image as far as dress goes, chewing gum on a corner in company with other fashion plates, gotten up cheaply to imitate "the swellest dressers."

And, what is more, you will be expressing yourself in your clothes—if there is anything in you to express. Your men friends will admire you the more for it. Men are creatures of habit and like what they are used to. How often do we hear a father or brother say:

"Don't put on that new rig. I don't like you in it. Wear that brown, or green, or

used to. How often do we hear a father or brother say:
"Don't put on that new rig. I don't like you in it. Wear that brown, or green, or whitever it may be dress that you had last year. That's the pretilest thing you have."
"But, heavens, it is not in the style!"
"Isn't it?" says the poor perplexed man.
"Well, then, have one that's in style, but something like it. It was becoming."
Now, the truth is, the man was used to you in that dress, hence he liked it. It was you to him. Men hate anything that breaks into their habits. Let the men you know learn your style in clothes and they will come back to you with a delicious feeling of rest after the kaleidoscopic changes which they see each season work among their girl friends.

Above all, though, avoid extremes.
Because you are resolved not to be a fashion plate, don't turn deaconess.
Don't "adopt a costume" or wear big sleeves in a small sleeve year, or any other such strongminded monsense.

Adopt the happy medium, and let that medium become you.

There is the whole secret.

There is the whole secret. Your looks will gain by it. Your character will gain.

Your looks will gain up it.
Your character will gain limmensely.
Your pocketbook will gain limmensely.
And, best of all, you will be saved that inevitable nervous breakdown and trip to Philadelphia which lies in store for every American woman of to-day, and which is brought on by the desperate effort to "keep up" and to live everybody else's life instead of living your own and being yourself,
LOUISA M. GREEN.

of RABBITS AT PLAY.

Rabbits play in this way: Two of them—I have not seen it played with more—run quickly toward each other, and, when on the point of contact, each leaps into the air, but one higher than the other, clearing him completely. They come down with their tails toward each other, but instantly, with an as it were "Excuse my tail," both turn and run Taxense my tail," both turn and run and leap again, and this they will do from two or three to half a dozen times, always leaping up at the exact moment when they would otherwise come into collision, and one always taking the higher leap—sometimes an astonishingly high one—right over his companion. They never meet in the cir, nor can I see how. never meet in the air, nor can I see how this can be avoided, except by a plan or figure being mutually followed by them. as with ourselves in a game or dance. I believe that each clears the other aiternately, but I have not yet convinced myself of this. There is a less developed. form of this game, as where one rabbit runs up to another that is lying couched and jumps over him. He then couches himself, and, after a while, the other one, willing to return a politeness, runs more or less on them, with changes to keep within the limits of fashion. You would be surprised to see how easy it is to adapt one general design to the changing standard of the style, and I can wear a gown three times as long as another woman who goes in for extremes.

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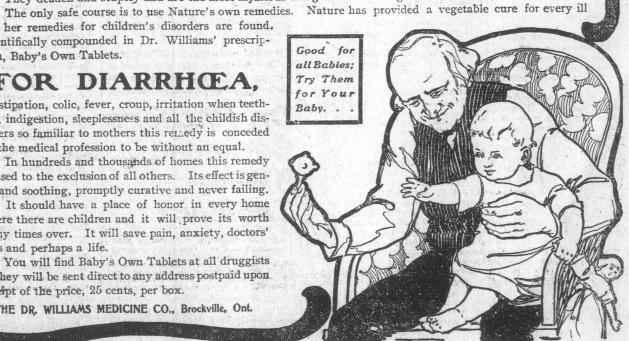
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MORE CANDIDATES FOR THE COUNCIL

MESSRS. CLARKE AND BRAGG IN THE FIELD

The Public Issues Discussed at a Live Meeting in Victoria West Last Night.

honors announced themselves at the said it was in itself an argument in These were Watson Clarke, of the Oak- It supported the city water system while Watson Clarke.

tion at the outset by asking why the cost little in maintenance. in the western suburb-had not been re-

pal reasons for seeking re-election was terest of \$400,000 in by-laws for sew- sons as men. The latter were better his interest in the Point Ellice bridge, erage purposes without receiving any calculated to inculcate manly sentiments he having been one of the first to advo- ber cate a new bridge rather than the ex- thought it never should have been closed. The power taken away from the trustees penditure of large sums for repairs to He would do his best to have the road by the council of public instruction was the old one. The people had signified properly maintained, and those who had also a serious matter. He also alluded their approval of that step.

He felt pride in his three-year record. during which he had striven to carry out a policy of progress and advance-

ing districts and not alone within the policing for the suburbs was also advo- and they were now uniform. fire limits. The policy of equal distri-bution of moneys between the three He also hoped to see the belt car line 1898, when the present mayor was chairmuch larger sum and more proportionate to its population and area.

the North ward, and it was therefore carriedy out in a business like manner. only fair that the North should receive endeavor to see that the crossings were larger consideration, but it was not allowed without hard work

tended to provide more lamps. Victoria wait until the Indian reserve question publishing text books. West had received additional illumina- was settled for a new school. tion, and more had been appropriated. The water service also had been ex- and sailors was not necessary. His

on Government street.

James Bay causeway was also alluded ment.

accede to the views of the minority. He was one of those who championed the W. H. Price asked the candidate if in

The new fire hall in Victoria West over with his family to the park. was another improvement for Victoria
West for which he had worked.

Mr. Jeeves thought an expenditure for way back and sit down."

was another improvement for Victoria such a purpose should be as nearly as The meeting broke up

suggested that the school board be apprised that the council could not enter-didn't reduce its rates. tain the appropriation of \$30,000 for a High school. They persisted, however, and a by-law had to be submitted. The board was a capable body, and quite as chile to look of the control of

figure Mr. Sorby mentioned, he thought the ratepayers would petition for a bylaw to raise the additional sum for its

The improvement of the city health tribution took place the better.

An appropriation of \$500 for Cadada, and \$700 for the Work Estate, and \$250 for Craigflower road were all needed, as well as a new sidewalk from cest and sinking fund on the \$400.000 capt. Gaudin's to the city limits. He also advocated the loop line of street car to the Gorge. The tram capter street car to the corpus and the live without getting any benefit. He had scheme whereby it would be possible to sever the city and not cost a cent more cost as cent more cost as cent more cost as continuous and cost as cent more cost as continuous and cost as continuous as continuous as continuous and cost as continuous as continuous and cost as continuous and cost as continuous and cost as continuous as continuous and cost as continuous as continuous and cost as continuous and cost as continuous as continuous and cost as con

bright future for the city. right future for the city.

W. Pedal asked why there were over in two years, and the whole city sewered

two hundred houses on sewer lines unconnected with the sewer.

Ald. Beckwith said that in all cases where possible, connection should be an entering the best of the suggested that it, would take by the present system. In regard to his position on the bridge question, he had suggested that it, would not be the suggested that it, would not be the suggested that it is not be the suggested that it

watson Clarke asked if the alderman done with the reserve before deciding

pany the money to lay rails on Govern-tled this summer a new bridge would be ment street.

city was obliged to meet the expense of cent.

port the extension of the city system of the city.

Ald. Beckwith said he would work for a more satisfactory service to Victoria Victoria. In reply to S. Matson, the speaker also

said he would work to put the Craig-flower road in good repair from Esquimalt road to the city limits.

H. Grahame, alluding to the three

neetings being held in the one ward, penditure there. North ward aldermanic meeting in favor of redistribution. Victoria West dates for the South and Centre Wards, Semple's hall, Victoria West, last night. should have a separate representation. through many municipal campaigns. per one. He pointed out the excessive

He was in favor of a permanent stone four The chair at last night's meeting was occupied by B. Boggs, who opened the meeting with a few playful remarks. He also gave the candidates food for cogitation at the character of the Gorge, of the natural tion at the outset by asking why the cost little in maintenance.

He was in favor of a permanent stone four years. They had even taxed the 14th, there will only be a fortnight in which to ventilate the public questions.

John Bell, of this city, will act as remany wreck outside.

John Bell, of this city, will act as remany wreck outside.

The Chair at last night's meeting was in favor of a permanent stone structure at Point Ellice, even if it cost vehicles. The present crowd should be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway, and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway, and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway, and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge, of which it was the gateway and it would be a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge of the structure at Point Ellice, even if it cost a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the Gorge of the structure at Point Ellice, even if it cost a good deal more. It was more in keeping with the character of the solution of the structure at Point Ellice, even if it cost a good deal more. It was more in

> would be a good idea to try the septic gretted the falling away of male teachtank system.

Since 1891 Victoria West had paid

Regarding the Craigflower road, he property on it should be reimbursed.

He favored setting apart part of the Indian reserve for school and park pur-

& N. railway swing bridge more expedi- would support a division of the city into An effort had been made to have the city's appropriations distributed in such

of the city.

George Jeeves thought additional

tended, and the necessity for it had presence in the field was due to the Point when the High School By-law was sub-been seen at Spencer's fire, which he Ellice bridge matter. The credit for a mitted. He didn't know whether it was thought could not have been controlled had the new mains not have been laid would keep the money here instead of Trustee Belye would keep the money here instead of being sent to the United States. Ald.

the maintenance of roads in the residen-tial portions. In this connection he paid He advocated the septic tank system oute to the efficiency of the city for Victoria West. He complained that taxes were piling up and outlying por- tem, but they weren't born in this coun-The satisfactory character of the tions, had to pay for permanent pave-

Regarding the Craigflower road, he al-interests, as he had over his own. He ter than ten years ago, and that had ways felt that ninety per cent, of the had had considerable experience and people favored its maintenance as a would do his best for the whole city and without adding a dollar of taxation. It

position of Victoria West. He always the event of summer band concerts befelt it was most unfair that the people should be obliged to pay out of their some of them in the North Ward. It own pockets to maintain their rights.

The new fire hell in Victoria West over with his fearly to the next of the next of

Regarding the controversy between the city council and the school board, he thought a strained relationship with that body was most undesirable. He had that the city main could be extended

able to look after its interests as the council. If a stone bridge could be built for the he left the board. He thought Victoria

law to raise the additional sum for its construction. The advantages of a solid stope structure in preference to steel were, he thought, so great that it would be structure in preference to steel were, he thought, so great that it would be structure in preference to steel were, he thought, so great that it would be a structure in preference to steel were, he thought, so great that it would be a structure in preference to steel were the structure in the structure in preference to steel were the structure in the structure in the s

The improvement of the city health could be brought about, he believed, only by the extension of the city sewerage system. He regretted the defeat of the septic tank by-law. The residents of the central portion, he thought, showed a selfish spirit by denying sewerage to the outside portions.

The Esquimalt and Craigflower roads should be improved similar to those to Clover Point and the outer wharf. The improvement of these roads was an important factor in the way of attracting tourist trade.

An appropriation of \$500 for Cadboro

An appropriation of \$500 for Cadboro site should be selected than that portion Regarding a school site a more central

people should be obliged to live up to their agreement, but the city should in sewer rentals, and this could be raise make it possible for the company to give to \$7.500 by enforcing the connection the very best service.

He also advocated redistribution into four wards, and would move in that direction. He closed with predicting a price of the control of the control

had voted to give the Tramway Com- on the matter. If the reserve was set-

Ald, Bekwith said he had opposed the would bring Victoria West into touch suggestion, but on finding that the com- with the rest of the city and enhance the pany had an agreement whereby the value of Victoria West property 25 per

new rails caused by paving, he was Regarding the water question, he obliged to modify his view. A question was then asked in which twas pointed out that the Esquimalt charge more than the city. He had advocated the purchase of the Goldstream that of the city, and asking if, in the event of the company refusing to reduce their water, the candidate would suppower in the vicinity of the city, and had power enough to run every engine in

> Regarding a pledge for repairing Craigflower road, he would not be bound ab-solutely. Having in view the total appropriation he would favor spendin that money in each ward judiciously, and if Craigflower road needed it more than any place else he would support its ex-

There was a large attendance of electronic of the North ward as compared to the others.

The pointed out the Campaigness of the North trenchment if elected. Only \$37 had been spent in his district, Oaklands, in

The chairman sought the suffrages of old Craigflower road—the family friend In regard to sewerage, he thought it the electors as a school trustee. He reers from our city staff. He didn't think Ald. Beckwith said one of his princi- \$7,500 toward the sinking fund and in- same service in the education of our

He also suggested a very thorough investigation into the financial question.

date for the Centre Ward. He advocat-He would do his best to have the E. ed the abrogation of the ward system, He

Dr. Lewis Hall disputed that different a manner as to do justice to the outly
Better roads, better lighting and better of the city. This had all been changed, text books were used in the ward schools

wards had been modified since his election so that the North ward received a much larger sum and more proportion.

built to the Gorge. He would also do man of the school board, in which he all in his power to secure for Victoria took a position on the financial relation west the same water service as the rest of the council and the board entirely dissimilar from that advanced by him If honored with their suffrages he to-day as mayor. The schools revenue All the new limits, almost, were in would strive to have the civic affairs some years had exceeded the expenditure one year by \$10,000. All the board In reply to electors, he said he would asked was fair play, but they refused endeavor to see that the crossings were to be saddled with something for which kept clear of cars in the neighborhood they were not responsible. In reply to a question, he said he didn't think there The lighting plant also had been ex- Another elector asked if they must was any outlook for the government

> An elector asked if the speaker would upport a new school for Victoria West. The speaker said he had tried to get \$10,000 in the by-law for Victoria West advisable to submit a by-law for an in-

Trustee Belyea was called on, but had mercy on the audience, it being then 11 The rapid extension of permanent paving left an additional sum-yearly for had acted like a commercial agent of the remarks. Victoria had required a good school building, but other districts required it just as bad. There were peoopposed the public school sys-

try and they would pass away in time.

He had been on the hoard six years, een attained within the last six years permanent roadway, and that this being North Ward in particular. He advocat-the case, it would be most unwise to ed repealing the salary clause for alder-her people couldn't support a good common school system for her people. The race for supremacy would not be to those

she did not have that it was time to "go The meeting broke up at 11.15 with

votes of thanks to the chairman, A HITCH.

China Must Grant French Demands Before Minister Presents Oredentials,

Pekin, Jan. 10.-The French minister, Beau, refuses to present his credenaudience of France and the new Chinese ministers, which had been arranged, has been postponed because of M. Beau's action. His colleagues are discussing whether to support him or not. A repetition of the Turkish incident is of the West Kootenay district, vice W. I Coopel and Trout Lake Mining divisions, cierk of the peace for the country of Kootenay. In the peace for the curry of the other peace for the curry of the peace for the peace fo

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ABOUT THREE WEEKS

The Local House Summoned for the 20th of Next Month-Speaker Booth's Condition.

The by-election in the city of Victoria to fill the vacancy caused by the and booty to the police station. unseating of Col. Prior will be held on cans did not represent the extent of the the 28th of this month, provided there wily Mongolians' raids upon some consign-These were Watson Clarke, of the Oaklands, and Ed. Bragg, who is familiar to the electors of this place, having been through many municipal campaigns.

It supported the city water system while it had one of its own. It would likely would-be aldermen had told them of the increase in taxation. He thereupon an although it helped maintain the city proposed to the operation of running, and the contest, if there be nounced his intention of running, and the contest, if there is a contest. The nomination will take water and also need a sewerage system of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed the city water system while water system while it had one of its own. It would likely also need a sewerage system of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed the city water system while it had one of its own. It would likely also need a sewerage system of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed to the city water system while it had one of its own. It would likely also need a sewerage system of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed to the city water system while water system while it had one of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed to the city water system while water system while it had one of its own, although it helped maintain the city proposed to the contest. The nomination will take the contest of the contest of the city water system while water system will be a contest. The nomination will take the city water system while water system water system water system water system water system water system w one, will therefore be short and sharp. Ross & Company's store. The police in As the Liberals do not nominate until mediately started out to find the remainder the 13th, and the Conservatives until the 14th, there will only be a fortnight booty under a wharf near the E. & N. rail-

turning officer for the election, if one which they intended to remove to China

As to the date when the House will way with two sacks when the sergeant' meet at Ottawa, that has not yet been eagle optic alighted on them. Seventeen decided, but it will probably be about the 13th prox. A special dispatch from town in the rear of the Chinese theatre by the Ottawa correspondent of the Times Sergeants Hawton, Redgrave and others states that at a meeting of the cabinet who were on the look out. held to-day the question of summoning parliament did not come up. The date was sentenced to two months' imprisonwill be decided early next week, but it ment with hard labor. Another Chinaman will likely be on the 13th.

Of more interest locally even than the ennouncement of the selection of a date commodious brick maision on Topaz for the Dominion by-election is that contained in the Provincial Gazette to the effect that the local House is to meet for the transaction of public business on the theft of a plank from a countryman, the 20th of next month. This was most was dismissed. unexpected, as several of the ministers have stated that it would not assemble before March, and perhaps May. The sudden decision to meet at an earlier date has occasioned considerable surlegislature would meet until a much leter date.

filled, and it is anticipated that a writ political situation in Venezuela is ranks.

Reports from Salt Spring island indicate that Speaker Booth, who has been very ill for a long time, is steadily failing, and that there is no outlook of his eing able to undertake his duties in the House. The necessity for the election of a Speaker from among the other members would still further weaken the overnment, already in desperate straits.

THE GAZETTE

List of Official Notices Appearing in the Current Issue.

The Official Gazette issued last night is almost barren of news with the exception of the proclamation summoning the provincial legislature for the dispatch of business on February 20th.

Notice is given of the following appointments: William Edwin Newcombe, of Trout Lake, M. D., C. M., to be resident physician at the said place. Thomas Cato Worsford, of 9 Staple Inn. London England, solicitor, to be a commissi of the city of Grand Forks, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia. Frederick Fraser, of the city of Revelstoke, to be stipendiary magistrate, government agent, assistant commissioner of lands and works. trar of hirths, deaths and marriages and registrar under the Marriage Act, for the Revelstoke division of West Kootenay, assessor and collector under the Assessment Act for the Revelstoke astials until China fulfils certain demands sessment district, gold commissioner for of the French government. The joint the Revelstoke, Hlecillewaet, Lardeau audience of France and the new Chi- and Trout Lake Mining divisions, clerk

J. Goepel. The resignation of William Laing Meason, of Lesser Dog Creek, as a J. P., has been accepted.

The time for the final revision of the sment rolls for 1902 has been extended to the 31st of January.

Regulations for the carrying out of the

Coal Mines Regulation Act are promul-A liquidator will be appointed at New Westminster on January 17th for the Athabasca Gold Mine, Limited, Inspectors Tolmie and Gibbins publish a list of health certificates under the Contagious Diseases of Animals Act.

\$180,000 to purchase the steamer Arab now at Liverpool, and carry on a general steamship business. The Royal Brew-ery Company has been incorporated with a capital of \$25,000 to acquire a brewery in New Westminster district and carry on a brewing business.

ALBERNI LIBERALS

Nanaimo, Jan. 11.-Alberni Liberals Ist, Dr. Zina Pitcher. These Tablets elected J. H. Bledsoe, J. King and J. cure promptly and permanently the Redford delegates to the Vancouver con ention at their meeting last night. They favor party lines and endoused the action of the associations which have protested assists the position taken by mail, The Dr. Zina Pirches Co., Toronto the Provincial Association.

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Wily Mongolians Caught by Sergt. Hawton Making Off With Stolen Lard.

this morning. He was proceeding on his rounds as usual when, shortly after 4 o'clock, his suspicions were aroused by couple of Celestials who were moving along Store street toward Chinatown. They had apparently come from one of the wharves. Each was loaded down with a sack contain ing some weighty objects, and their stealthy manner decided the officer to investigate Unobserved, he quickly drew up to them and grabbed the rear man by the shoulde That worthy let out a yell and dropped hi sack. His compatriot did the same, and started to lower the record toward the Chinese quarter. The officer found that pound full cans of lard, so he took his man This morning it was learned that twenty

Petween 10 and 11 o'clock Detective Paln empty eans belonging to the same consign ment were also found on a dump in China

In the police-court this morning the captured Celestial, Jung, pleaded guilty and is in the meshes of the law on suspicion share the isolation of his comrade in the

Charles Johnson was charged with drunk nness. He did not appear, so his bail was estreated. The case of Hong, charged with

BOMB OUTRAGES.

Wilemstat, Island of Curacoa Jan. 11. -Dispatches received here from Caracas, prise, as it was not anticipated that the Venezuela, announce that a bomb was exploded Tuesday last before the house Senor Mendoza, the minister of The vacancy in the representation of finance, and that other bombs were exthe city of Victoria has not yet been ploded in different parts of Caracas. The will be issued very shortly, as it is changed. The success of the revolution barely likely that the government will depends entirely upon the results of the meet the House with a vacancy in the landing of the adherents of Gen. Mateos

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3. From a point on the Company's line ear the narrows of Lake Manitoba to a bint between Edmonton and the Yellow lead Page. point between Edmonton and the Yellow Head Pass.

4. From a point on the Company's line near Swan River to the Pacific Coast at or near Skeena River, by way of the Pine River Pass.

5. From a point on the line east of Edmonton, in Alberta or Saskatchewan, to the Red Deer River.

6. From a point on the Company's line near Hanging Hide River (Saskatchewan) to the mouth of the Carrot River near Pas Mission.

Contagions Diseases of Animals Act.

A. St. G. Hamersley, Vancouver's city solicitor, gives notice of a private bill to amend the Vancouver Incorporation Act.

The Arab Steamship Company has been incorporated with a capital of \$180,000 to purchase the steamer Arab now at Liverpool, and carry on a general steamship business. The Royal Brewery Company has been incorporated with a capital of active active properties. The Royal Brewery Company has been incorporated with io acquire and noid indus outside of only indicated confirming the amalgamation between the Company and the Edmonton Yukon & Pacific Railway Company.

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Take notice that Edgar Dewdney and the Dewdney Canadian Syn., Ltd., Free Miner's Certificates Nos. B48972, B48973, intends, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of January, 1902, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be delinquent, sale by

Notice is hereby given that I intend to oply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands id Works for permission to lease 40 acres land, for hay making purposes, about the mile southeast of lot 148, group one, mmencing at post marked northeast cor-

Alexis Creek, Nov. 21, 1901.

Quesnelle Quartz Mining Co., Ltd.

WRITE FOR PRICE CHECKLARS

LCCATION OF WORKS, DIXON CREEK,

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Directors of said Company held on November 22nd, 1901, an assessment of (1/4) one-fourth of one cent. per share was levied upon the capital stock of said Comthe Mining Recorder for a Certificate of January, 1902, shall be deemed delinquent, Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements. der section 37, must be eemmenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

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len Death of Well Known Surgeon-The Toronto B Case Dismissed.

ito, Jan. 13.-The cru on here against Unite es received a set back t heard by Chief Justice W. Curtis was charged wi married Frances Lewis it 1890 we went to Ohio and 1901; secured a divorce contesting. He married Is. N. Y., Melinda Abbcott Toronto to live, and wa rged with bigamy. The ed the case because it h wn that Curtis was a Br and the second marriage n The judge's real opin came out when address isoner desired to evade by going to Ohio to get a

The West Durham Electi looks as if Jonas Thornt vative candidate in West cting payment of deposit p tead of through an agent. Se the Dominion Election Act payment shall be made by of any candidate otherv agh an agent. Last election remembered, Thornton viol by depositing a marked cl election was subsequently he ground of corrupt practite question of alleged settled.

Sudden Death. Thomas, Jan. 13.-This Dr. A. K. King fell dead while out of his rig in the stable. I me of the cleverest vetering in Canada. He was 45 and had an extensive pra-

Train Wrecked. nipeg, Jan. 13.—The arrive wreck , which occurred on Ouimet, 40 miles east of vesterday morning, by was composed of wheat st. At Ouimet a broken atered, which ditched the Debate on Address.

peg, Jan. 13.-A brief.s Manitoba legislature was ng at which the debate of ss in reply to the speech w Bravery Recognized.

ssociation has awarded p ificates to Leslie Jones and Narbonne of this city for br Business Man Dead. ilton, Jan. 13.-Herma president of the wholesale y Bros. & Co., died of pn orday evening, after a long

eceased was aged 70 and throughout Canada.

eal, Jan. 13.—The Canad

Restored to Standing. treal, Jan. 14.-The Ste ersy, which aroused much glican church circles the da a few months ago, has Archbishop Bond, it will bered, inhibited Prof. Stein, of the faculty of the Dioce, from preaching in the dio unt of erroneous doctrines ssion of the question gave unseemly incidents, and fir ed in Mr. Stein suing the As a result of the sett ein withdraws the suit, ap e Archbishop, retracts the er ne, and is restored to his ing in the church.

Lumberman's Donation. S. Bronson, a wealthy man, has made a large d IcGill university, to be expensed for the baccillus of tuber

Was Well Known Mason H. Isaacson, for the past 25 d secretary of the Lodge of (F. & A. M., and well known c circles all over the con to-night in the General hosp sult of a paralytic stroke. Gilbert Parker's Offer.

lleville, Ont., Jan. 14.—Ger, M. P., has, through Mayor offered to house the public modern up-to-date building ed by him on condition that t will take if over and m

Carnegie Also,

thia, Jan. 14.—Andrew Carneg d the public library board of 15,000 for a public library but lating that the town council p o meintain a library at a c