

THE GOVERNMENT'S RAILWAY POLICY

Legislature Asked to Give Power to Borrow Five Million Dollars.

For the Purpose of Aiding Construction of Roads in the Province.

And to Build a Bridge Across the Fraser at Westminster.

A sinking fund for the final payment of such stock, and, in any case, by the same order...

It will be paid in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council shall prescribe...

RAILWAY SUBSIDIES.

8. It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to grant for and to pay out of moneys raised under this act, a sum not exceeding four thousand dollars for each mile of the railway...

(b) For a railway from the present terminus of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway to the northern end of Vancouver Island...

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(d) That the railway obtaining the benefit of such subsidy shall be constructed wholly and as a continuous line within the province.

(e) That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council shall have absolute control of the freight and passenger rates to be charged by the railway...

(f) That the railway may be acquired at any time by the province at a valuation fixed by the arbitration board...

(g) That the conditions of this section may be varied at any time, and so from time to time and as often as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may deem advisable...

(h) That in the event of a charter being granted by the Dominion government for a line of railway over or parallel to the route proposed in this act...

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THEIR WAR LOAN.

It Has Been Subscribed for Six Times Over.

London, April 25.—Applications for the new war loan continue to pour into the Bank of England...

A FRENCH HOAX.

Report That Britain and Germany Planned War on France.

St. Petersburg, April 25.—Local speculation concerning the visit here of M. Delcasse...

INSUBORDINATE FUSILIERS.

Royal Munitioners Refuse to Parade to Show Disapproval.

London, April 25.—Two hundred of the Royal Munitioners refused to parade with the Royal Munitioners...

To Clear Up Their Doubts

Exhumation of Young Holloway's Body at Langley Is Ordered.

At the request of the attorney-general's department, Dr. Fagan, provincial health officer...

Germans Are Angry

Count Von Waldsee and United States General Have a Difference.

Washington, April 25.—Count von Waldsee and General Chaffee...

Each One Went to Guard Gate of the Forbidden City.

Beijing, April 25.—Many applications have been made to Mr. Rockhill...

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Bonn, April 24.—Crown Prince William of Germany matriculated as a student at Bonn university to-day.

Do Not Like Conditions Disloyal

Dutch Have Brought on Themselves.

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Honors For Canadians

An Additional List Received of Awards to South African Veterans.

Ottawa Metropolitan Rifle Team Wins the Inter Imperial Rifle Match.

Details of the Duke of Cornwall's Tour Are Not Yet Complete.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, April 24.—In addition to C. B.'s conferred on Colonel Otter and Drury, and Lieut-Colonel Steele...

Distinguished Services Order.

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Renewed Hostilities

Russia Has Been Actively Operating Against Chinese in Manchuria.

And Another Advance This Spring Is Declared to be Necessary.

London, April 23.—According to a despatch from St. Petersburg to the Daily Mail, official information is received that renewed military activity is beginning in Manchuria. Chinese troops are strongly entrenched at three points around Mukden. They are armed with good rifles and have 30 Krupp guns. To the eastward of Mukden near Tarchusen there are 12,000 men under the chief Boxer general, Lu Tanseu. To the northwest, near Kulo, there are 6,000 Chinese under the former governor of Mukden. To the eastward in Mongolia and near the Inshan mountain, there are 9,000 more under the Chinese General Schu. Admiral Aleksei has accordingly organized an expedition under Gen. Zerpik consisting of two regiments and five squadrons of Cossacks, 16 guns and a body of volunteers to operate against the three points mentioned. The first movement was successfully carried out in the beginning of April. Kulo, which is two hundred and fifty kilometers from Mukden, was stormed, and the ex-governor of Mukden was taken prisoner. In this action the Russians had 13 men killed and four officers and 13 men wounded. The advance towards the Turchusen position was then begun. Owing to the departure of most of the Russian troops from Mukden, the latter city has become very unsafe. Almost nightly Russians are found shot in the back. The situation in Southern Manchuria is disquieting and another advance of Russian troops will be necessary in the early spring. According to Russian advices, says the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times, Prince Lian has failed to produce a rising among the inhabitants of Mongolia, who are kept quiet by a wholesome respect for Russia. It is therefore declared to be untrue that an insurrection has broken out in Mongolia.

A DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Pitiful Case of Unfortunate Man and Wife in New York.

New York, April 22.—On the night of April 20 last, Alma Dougan was shot by her husband, Alford Dougan, in the flat house at 383 Lexington avenue, one shot entering her body and the other her throat. Her husband, who was arrested on the spot, is charged with the murder. The husband was arrested on the spot, and is charged with the murder. The husband was arrested on the spot, and is charged with the murder.

Waters Are Subsiding

In Ohio and Pennsylvania Worst Dangers of the Flood Are Passed.

Though in Kentucky There Seems Reason for Some Anxiety Yet.

Cincinnati, O., April 22.—The stage of the river here at 8 o'clock to-night was 51 feet, and rising at the rate of two inches an hour. This will mean 53 feet at 6 o'clock to-morrow, when troops will be all shut out of the Grand Central station. All of the railways have made arrangements for receiving and delivering freights at higher stations, so there will be no interruption here either to passengers or freights. Owing to the inability of steamers to go under the bridges, navigation on the river is suspended, but it can be resumed on Thursday, so far as the present rise is concerned. The residents of the tenement houses along the Ohio river front were driven from the first stages when the river reached a stage of 45 feet last night. The new hospital fact is that the bridge is obstructed in the lower Ohio, and there is less back-water than usual, and that the trouble will be registered in the Mississippi. So far the damage here has been limited to the lumbermen and others located along the river front. The entire line of shanty boats and other craft along the river front has been swept away, but so far without loss of life. The baseball park is located in Mill Creek valley, and will be under water when the stage of 50 feet is reached. The country around the Little Miami river is flooded east of this city. At Newport and Dayton, Ky., very many people have been driven from their homes. It is now believed that the Newport race-track will not be flooded, although the races are proceeding under very sloppy conditions. At Maysville, Ky., the river reached 50 feet at 2 o'clock to-night, and is rising at the rate of one inch an hour. The great rise will reach here to-morrow morning, when a stage of 52 feet will be registered. At Pittsburgh, April 22.—The flood is over. Notwithstanding the fact that early in the day there was every evidence of a renewed rise, the river has subsided to a level which is not expected to rise above the present stage. The Ohio river below here is not yet out of danger, because of heavy rains in the valley to the north and to-day. All up-river points reported the rain and snow having ceased and the rivers falling. At Atlanta, Ga., April 22.—Heavy rain has been reported in some sections, causing injury to cotton and other growing crops over the Southern States. Weather reports show light frost in the vicinity of Jacksonville, Fla., Meridian, Miss., and Charleston, S. C., Albany, N. Y., and Southern Georgia, reports the estimated damage to cotton at 50 per cent, and watermelons and cantaloups have been injured 25 per cent.

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NEW BRIDGE AT MONTREAL.

With Terminus It Will Cost Ten Million Dollars. Montreal, April 22.—The river St. Lawrence is to be spanned by a third bridge opposite this city. The New York Central has obtained a controlling interest in the Montreal Bridge Company, and the announcement is made that the work of construction will begin at once. The new board of directors elected is as follows: Henry Hogan, Montreal; President; Percival Clement, St. Lawrence; Vice-president; Seward Webb and Judge Hiram Stearns, New York; Hon. J. R. Thibault, Hon. T. Bouchette, Mayor of Montreal, Robert Bickardie, Montreal; and a representative of the Vanderbilt interest, to be appointed. The Dominion government will be asked for the usual subsidy of 15 per cent. of the cost. The estimated cost of the bridge is \$8,000,000, and terminals \$4,000,000 more. The New York Central now enters Montreal over the C. P. The new bridge, it is expected, will accommodate several other lines.

JAKE GAUDAUR

Wants Another Race to Be Roved at Rat Portage. Winnipeg, April 22.—Jake Gaudaur, of Rat Portage, issues a challenge to-day to Tom or any man in the back for a three-mile race, with a turn, to be pulled off at Rat Portage in August for \$2,500 a side and the world's championship. E. G. Conklin, one of Winnipeg's pioneer citizens, died suddenly on Saturday evening, aged 55. He was aged 55. Daniel O'Connell, a Winnipeg barber, was sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment at Stony Mountain. Oliver's repair shop at Lethbridge was burned yesterday; loss, \$3,000. "Murdered Four Children. Tramps Commit a Shocking Crime in France. Charente, Department of Euro, France, April 22.—This town has been horrified by the brutal murder of four children and attempted murder of their father, a farmer named Briere, residing in the neighborhood of Charente. Two tramps entered the farm in the absence of Briere yesterday evening. Killed four girls, aged 14, 11, 5 and 4, and a boy 7 years old, with knives and saws. Briere returned while the murderers were robbing the house. He heard his men enter the courtyard, attacked them and after a desperate struggle set them with four fatal wounds in the head. The murderers then escaped with the loot of 1,000 francs and a number of objects of value.

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MINES AND MINING

A Weekly Summary of Events. By H. Mortimer Lamb.

THE BOOM IN NOBLE FIVE. I was asked the other day why I had omitted to refer in my weekly notes on the Sunday Colonist to the Noble Five strike, in which so many Victorians, as shareholders in the company owning the property, are interested...

THE CLOSE-DOWN OF THE ST. EUGENE. After declaring a dividend of \$105,000, representing the profits on operation for the first three months of the year, the St. Eugene mine, without any special warning, was closed down last week...

FREE MILLING ORE AT NELSON. But if the Nelson is to receive a setback by the collapse of the Granite-White, what happens there is certain to be a searching inquiry into the reasons for the strike and wherefore as to the Nelson mine, will shortly be able to lay claim to another gold mine...

THE WINNIEBO REPORT. The statutory meeting of the Winniebo Mines, Limited, was held last week in Rossland, and some very interesting information was afforded shareholders...

A SMELTER FOR MIDWAY. According to a press dispatch Mr. James Breen, of the Dominion Copper Co., operating the Brooklyn and Stewiackwite mines at Phoenix, has definitely decided that Midway, by reason of its central position in an extensive mineral area is the most favorably situated spot for the site for large smelting works...

PLACER MINING ON ROCK. Recently the historic diggings on Rock creek and its tributaries in South Yale, where gold hunters in search of placer gold have been successful...

reached much more will be discovered. During the summer months the operations of "booming" creeks will be prosecuted. On Baker creek returning prospectors have struck a rich vein that will yield handsomely...

CONCENTRATOR FOR THE ENTERPRISE. The more important news from the Shovel is that a 100-ton concentrator is shortly to be installed at the Enterprise. This mine was most favorably reported on by Mr. J. D. Kendall for the purchasers, the Lardner and E. O. Goldfields.

PORTLAND SHOW. Other Victoria Doss That Won Honors in the West. Besides Charles Minor's Roy Montez, the most successful of the Portland show, was the one by O'Brien's Victor L. won in both the limit and open classes for English water, which not only affected transport, but also impeded the erection of the new plant, the completion of which was principally being delayed...

THOSE MOTHER SONGS. And the Strange People Who Frequently Sing Them. An amusing writer in the North American says: "I have to report a most remarkable thing. Four times this week have I seen a vaudeville show, four times yet not once did I hear the usual and swelling notes of a 'mother song' to believe? I know it is. But it is true."

MINISTERS DINE. Members of Ministerial Association Hold Annual Dinner. The members of the Victoria Ministerial Association held their annual dinner at the Victoria Cafe yesterday afternoon, and after enjoying the excellent repast that had been set before them, spent a couple of hours very pleasantly in the dining room under special illumination.

R. P. RIVETT HERE. Says He Does Not Know Anything of Proposed Sugar Refinery. R. P. Rivett arrived from San Francisco yesterday, and spent a busy day at his office yesterday. He was too busy to have anything to say to the people of Victoria; that is, he refused to do other things than talk to newspapers.

SALVING THE WILLAMETTE. Morans Have Despatched a Well Equipped Wrecking Party. The Morans have started their preparations to wreck the collier Williams, which was purchased by them at the recent sale of the wreck. A large party fully equipped with a most modern wrecking gear, has gone up to the scene of the wreck, having started from Seattle on Thursday.

Ask for Booklet. Descriptive of... Victoria, B.C. Cyrus H. Bowes, CHEMIST. 98 Government St., near Yates St. OPEN ALL THE TIME.

The Sailors of the Senator

Another Phase of the Ship's Difficulty Aired in Police Court. SOON ENDED. Married Life Proved Iridesome and Murder Followed. Chicago, April 20.—J. J. Gillen, an attorney, to-day killed his wife and then fatally shot himself in a hallway at 177 East Lake street. The couple had only been married a few months and soon separated.

WRECKERS PROCEED TO SALVE THE WILLAMETTE—THE QUEEN CITY SAILS. The troubles of the bark Senator continue. Some days ago the master changed his mind about taking the seven men who were in jail for desertion to sea with him, and the seven men came ashore. Some of the men went to W. von Rhein's boarding house, which makes a specialty of supplying crews to ships at Esquimalt, and were given some meals and money there, it being understood, according to those interested that four of the men were to be shipped on the bark Roland. When the time came for them to go on board the Roland they were not to be found, and on the boarding house master going down to see the steamer that night just before she sailed for the Sound, he found the four men on board. They found him about the same time as he found them and seeing the steamer they ran up the wharf and up the street with him after them. They said they found some time after three o'clock, and were taken to the police station, where they were held until the morning.

FIRST ANNUAL PRESS DINNER. An Enjoyable Evening for Newspapermen and Their Friends. Mr. James Anderson, of the Similkameen Star, was the host at a very enjoyable little dinner party at the Poodle Dog last evening. The occasion was the first annual sessional dinner of the active members of the press in the provincial parliament, and it was one of unalloyed enjoyment, thoroughly Bohemian and informal, as befitting such a feast. The guests were: Hon. D. M. Eberts, attorney-general; Messrs. Curtis, Green, Nelson, Green, Clarke and Bennett, representing the active press gallery; and Messrs. Bogle and J. E. McInnes, representing the outside press. The menu was in the best style of the Poodle Dog, and it was a guarantee of its excellence, that the menu was not only a feast, but a certificate of the soundness of the menu, and the health of the Government, Members of the Legislature, Mr. Holt, and the King, were drunk with courtesy and respect, and with a heartiness and originality, which rounded out the evening's enjoyment. Mr. Eberts and the government members present had to attend a caucus, they withdrew early, and the newspapermen followed their example, as the "demonstration" called for refreshment after the party broke up before 9 o'clock, p.m., regretfully, it must be said, and all hoping that this first annual press dinner might be the forerunner of many another as successful and pleasant.

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HOW THEY LOST DEWET

Reasons Why British Failed to Catch Him at the Orange River. Writing from Colesberg, Edgar Wallace, correspondent of the Daily Mail, says: Dewet being now safely across the river, and the odds against his returning being about 1,000 to 1, Colesberg is full of troops. White, Bruce-Hamilton, Plumer, Picher, and others I cannot remember have been in and out for the last few days, and Henniker, Crabbe, Thorneycroft and Monro are camped about the base of Suffolk Hill, waiting for orders.

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THE LOAN BILL.

That feature of the Loan Bill providing for an actual participation by the Province in the earnings of subsidized railways must receive a very heavy endorsement from the public who contend that the Province should share in their prosperity.

Another wise feature of the Loan Bill is the one providing for the payment of subsidies in the inscribed stock of British Columbia to be taken at its par value.

It is strange, too, that the main objection is directed not to the Bill as a whole, or rather to all the subsidies proposed to be granted, but one particular part of the Bill relating to the proposed line from the Coast to Kootenay.

The whole crux of opposition to the Bill, therefore, lies in the fact that the measure is not in accordance with the demands of the people for a participation in the profits and an adequate return for assistance given to railway enterprises.

so assisted under the provisions of the Arbitration Act, so that the formation of construction companies to enrich promoters is prevented or that sufficient provision is not made against overburdening the enterprises with bonded indebtedness, not that in fact every proper and necessary precaution has been taken to insure the construction of railways on a legitimate and business basis.

Hints and inducements have been thrown out that the Government has submitted its policy at the dictation of the C. P. R. although up to the present time it has never been alleged by the opponents of that corporation that it was given to suggestions of policy such as are contained in the Loan Bill.

Of course there are other stipulations and other conditions, but the foregoing are the most important ones. It is not that the Government is not to be congratulated for its policy, but that it is not to be congratulated for its execution.

We offer no apology for taking up the subject of British Columbia fisheries. The present magnitude and future importance of this industry is such that it demands and ought to receive the best consideration of the people and their representatives in the legislature.

The chief and practically only objection to the measure under consideration is that it gives to the government the authority to carry out the provisions of the Bill upon its own responsibility.

It seems to be about as good as settled that the Dominion government will do nothing for our fisheries. As we have already said, two administrations, or rather two political parties, have had the opportunity of doing something, and have been besought by the can-

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ners to do something, but practically nothing has been brought about. The title that has been done only emphasizes the neglect. We print this morning a copy of a memorial, which was yesterday laid before the government by the committee of the British Columbia Can-

A second point made in the memorial is that while British Columbia receives 60 per cent. of the revenue derived by the Dominion from the fisheries, the amount expended here is only 3 per cent. of the total expenditure.

THE TEACHERS' SALARIES. We print a letter from a committee of the male assistant teachers of the city. They are under the impression that their character was reflected upon in the Colonial editorial in regard to their application for higher salaries.

THE GOVERNMENT'S RAILWAY POLICY. The most important announcement of policy by the provincial government since assuming office is that contained in the bill submitted yesterday afternoon to authorize a loan of \$5,000,000 for the purpose of aiding the construction of railways and other public works.

TO NERVOUS WOMEN. Mrs. D. W. Crossberg, of 268 Richmond Street, writes to us that she has been cured of her nervous condition by the use of Dr. Cassell's Food.

THE MALE ASSISTANTS. To the Editor. It will be seen in the columns of your paper on Saturday morning that an editorial bearing upon the proposed increase of the salaries of the male assistants in the grammar grades in our schools.

Dr. Fletcher's Advice as to Precautions Against the Pests. The following excerpt from a letter from Dr. Fletcher, Dominion entomologist, to Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, regarding the cutworm larvae alluded to by Dr. Fletcher.

Members Are Taking Sides. The government's railway bill as published in the Colonist yesterday morning was the general subject of conversation on the streets Wednesday night and last interest was taken in the question as to the stand the members would take in connection with it.

THE NAVY LEAGUE. Officers of the B. C. Branch Elected on Tuesday Evening. At a committee meeting of the British Columbia branch of the Navy League held on Tuesday evening last, the by-laws of the branch were duly arranged.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE. CASSELL DISTRICT. NOTICE is hereby given that the reservation placed on Crown lands situate in the Bennett Lake and Atlin Minor Divisions of the Cassell District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette and dated 13th December, 1898, is hereby cancelled.

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The Senator Has Sailed

After Many Troubles the Bark Starts on Voyage With Full Crew.

Other Ships Get Sailors—Methods of Shipping Men at Sound Ports.

Members of the local Coast Seamen's Union, which body is fighting the crimp and the shipowners' association, do not hesitate to say that several cases of shanghai have occurred in Seattle during the winter. In one case three Swedes said to have been sent to Port Townsend. They were to work at \$4 a day loading a British ship at Port Hadlock. The men taken aboard the vessel were never landed until she reached port. An order had come from Port Townsend to Seattle for sailors. Money was high. These men were taken.

Cottage City Returns to Port

Ice Cut by Running Water in Some Places Along the Yukon.

Trails Are Getting Soft—Stumped from Dawson to Montana Creek.

The bill was reported complete with amendments. Third reading at next sitting of the house. PROTECTION OF CHILDREN. Hon. Mr. FROST moved the second reading of the Children's Protection and Reformation Bill. He explained that the bill was framed on similar acts in force in Ontario and in the Dominion of Wales. It was designed to give authority to charitable societies and persons to interfere in behalf of children neglected by their parents or guardians, to assume control of them and provide for their proper treatment, and for the reformation of vicious children.

The Blizzard At Cape Nome

One Occurred Late in January and Several Lives Were Lost.

While the report of a blizzard at Cape Nome early in the year, as telegraphed from Dawson to the Staggway papers, was exaggerated, there was a more serious blizzard here yesterday, refer to a great blizzard which occurred on January 22nd, and gives news of some deaths resulting therefrom. Among the victims was Mr. J. W. H. Bann, a well known and successful business man. He was on his way back when the storm hit. He was the only man who was not killed. He was the only man who was not killed. He was the only man who was not killed.

Provincial Legislature

Legislative Assembly, 32nd Day.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:15 p.m. Rev. W. H. Barraclough offered prayer. The following petitions were received. By Mr. Tait—From the Vancouver Board of Trade, asking amendments affecting deep water sailing. From Oliver Harvey and others, asking amendments affecting deep water sailing. From the Vancouver Bar Association, asking for a resident Supreme court judge.

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Pursuant to order of Supreme Court the magnificent property of 982 acres known as the Bear Lake Rancho, situated on Cariboo Road, between Quessel and Soda Creek, and fronting on the Fraser River, is offered for sale. The title is held under Crown Grant. About 200 acres of fine bench land are under cultivation and produce fine crops, 500 more acres of similar land with light brush, mostly cleared. Creek runs through property. Water record of 600 inches with abundant water supply. Extensive range for cattle in vicinity.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

IN PROBATE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HARRY ANDERSON, Deceased.

AGAIN COMMITTED.—In the city police court yesterday Fritz Plump was committed on the second charge on which he was arraigned, that of stealing a gold watch and chain, pistol, pin and purse from the residence of Augustus Bodway.

OUR HOBBY AGAIN

PROOF OF OUR WAGON HARNESSES.

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B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS.

Public Meetings.—Mayor Hayward has called two public meetings at the request of the citizens. Tomorrow evening the public will be asked to pass on the question as to whether the 24th of May shall be celebrated this year.

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THE AMENDED ASSESSMENT ACT

Text of Bill as Passed Through Committee in the House.

Following is the text of the Assessment Act, which passed the committee stage in the legislature yesterday.

Section 2 of the Assessment Act is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sub-section: (12) The term or expression 'income' wherever used in this act, shall, for the purposes of assessment...

Section 3 of said act is hereby amended by inserting therein the following sub-section: (15) So much of the personal property of any person as is invested in the stocks, bonds or debentures of a province...

Section 4 of said act is hereby amended by inserting therein the following sub-section: (19) So much of the personal property of any person as is equal to the just value...

Section 5 of said act is hereby repealed, and the following sub-section is substituted therefor: (20) The net personal property of any person when under three hundred dollars...

Section 6 of said act is hereby amended by inserting therein the following sub-section: (22) Household effects of whatever kind, books and wearing apparel, except...

Section 7 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 6 thereof: (24) Every bank, banking company, corporation or joint stock company...

Section 8 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 7 thereof: (26) When any person, body corporate, agent or trustee is assessed and taxed on the personal property from which his or her income is derived...

Section 9 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 8 thereof: (28) In the event of such written notice not being given, the Minister of Finance may designate any of his officers...

Section 10 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 9 thereof: (30) The chief executive officer, or duly authorized agent, of the person who is liable to pay the tax...

Section 11 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 10 thereof: (32) In the case of companies, associations or bodies corporate whose organization or business is conducted in this province...

Section 12 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 11 thereof: (34) In the case of any person, body corporate, agent or trustee being assessed and taxed under section 10 of the Assessment Act...

Section 13 of said act is hereby amended by adding the following sections after section 12 thereof: (36) In the case of any person, body corporate, agent or trustee being assessed and taxed under section 10 of the Assessment Act...

THE JEWISH BUTCHERING

Strict Regulations Governing Killing and Selection of Meat For Food.

In one of the big slaughter houses in this city a certain proportion of cattle, from 1,600 to 1,900 being slaughtered each week according to the Shechithah law.

"If he breaks the Sabbath he is no longer a shoebit, but his name is nabal, a miscreant. An animal, no matter how wholesome and fat, if killed by such a man, is called nebelah, or dead of itself."

"The shechitah is supposed to precipitate a much easier death upon the animal, because the blood has been absorbed by the members. The shechitah is a very solemn and forbidden to the orthodox Hebrew."

"A nail had penetrated the lining of the stomach," came the answer. "No, it had not injured the health of the creature. The meat is not kosher unless a steer get hold of a nail?"

"The increase of Hebrew population in New York prompted the importation of an official trained in the supervising of such matters in Russia, and the consumers had no guarantee that the meat they purchased as kosher was genuine."

"The chicken or goose to be executed is hanging by the legs from a hook over a wooden trough, and the water in the pipe is severed by a special apparatus, which is in the case of sters, the knives are kept sharp by the use of a special machine."

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"The big long-stalled enclosure where the slaughter goes forward is an impressive place. From the stairway pointing down to it, which stairs looks out on the East river, can be seen the cattle yard full of big steers just taken in from the fat-houses at the pier."

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Evidences of Progress

Scenes Along the Line of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway.

To those interested in the development of Vancouver Island—and they include every loyal Victorian—a trip up the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway will prove an object lesson more forcible than any that can be set forth in black and white.

"There are five rules relating to the immediate fact of the killing and the violation of any of these rules is a capital offence. The first rule is that the animal must be killed by a single blow of the knife."

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

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ST. LAWRENCE NAVIGATION.

First Vessels of the Season Have Reached Montreal.

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Fisheries of the Province

Provincial Government Asked by the Cannerymen to Assume Control.

Some Figures Showing Disproportion of Revenue and Expenditure.

Messrs. Bell-Irving, Farrell and Ker, representing the cannerymen, waited on the government yesterday morning and presented the following memorial:

To the Honorable Premier and Council of the Provincial Government of British Columbia.

In reference to the memorial presented to your honorable government on the 30th March 1901, the British Columbia Cannerymen's committee respectfully submit:

1. That the value of the fishing industry in this province according to the returns for the year ending 30th June, 1900, was \$2,792,548.

2. That the number of hands employed in fisheries boats and canneries was 16,977. These figures demonstrate the magnitude of the industry, and its vast importance to the general trade of the province; a fact which does not appear to have been fully appreciated by the Dominion government.

The revenue derived by the Dominion government from the same period was \$70,709, of this amount British Columbia contributed \$88,105.

The total government expenditure upon fisheries was \$411,717, of which British Columbia received \$13,862, the sum of \$2,742 being in connection with the hatchery. The extreme smallness of the relative expenditure to revenue in this province is manifest without comment.

It is respectfully submitted that the provincial government should assume and assume the control of the fisheries on the lines indicated in the memorial.

The suggested license fee of \$2.50 for each fisherman in addition to the boat puller's fee of \$1, is estimated to produce, on the basis of 4,500 boats, \$18,750, which, as the Dominion government expenditure for the year ending 30th June, 1900, was only \$10,000, the administration will amply provide for all provincial outlay for the same year.

It is suggested to levy an assessment on the output of the canneries, sufficient to provide at least \$375,000 per annum to be expended by the proposed fishery board in the manner following:

4 hatches on the Fraser River at \$7,000 each 28,000
1 hatchery on Rivers Inlet at \$7,000 7,000
1 hatchery on the Skeena River at \$7,000 7,000
Salaries and maintenance of 4 hatches 18,000
Cleaning spawning beds of log jams, etc., constructing sections of railways, etc., general conservation and the prevention of filching at the head waters by weirs, etc., with salaries and office expenses 15,000

The annual expenditure in maintenance of the first year, it is estimated, should not exceed \$23,000. There would, however, be added yearly at least one additional hatchery to keep up the supply of fish.

It is suggested to remedy the effects of past neglect of the fisheries by the Dominion government, that the fishery board be empowered to issue licenses for capital expenditure, not exceeding \$50,000, to be repaid in 10 years and repaid within five years.

The present uncertainty as to the intentions of your honorable government is a great and serious matter, and it is respectfully suggested that you should issue an order as early as possible, your intention in regard to the fisheries draft scheme, embodying more fully the ideas herebefore set forth.

On behalf of the committee of the British Columbia Cannerymen.
W. D. BIRDSONG, Secretary.

Spring Medicine

There's no season when good medicine is so much needed as in Spring, and there's no medicine which does so much good in Spring as Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Don't put it off till your health gets too low to be lifted.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will give you a good appetite, purify and enrich your blood, overcome that tired feeling, give you mental and digestive strength and steady nerves.

Peculiar to itself

Bad Feelings in Spring—In the spring the blood is very impure, and the system is very poor. I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. It did me much good. I think it is a wonderful medicine.

Mr. Curtis said he moved the resolution in order to permit him to make a personal explanation of his remarks which had somewhat altered since yesterday.

On the third reading of the bill to incorporate the Chillkat and Klehini Railway Company, Mr. Curtis pressed the adoption of the following resolution to be added to the bill on its second reading to the committee of the whole:

"1. The plans, specifications and conditions of any proposed contract for the construction of the railway shall be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council; and that the contract shall be submitted to public tender and competition under such conditions as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council shall see fit to impose, and no contract shall be awarded, or work commenced thereunder, until the like approval; and no mortgage charge shall be put against the line of railway beyond the fair cost of same and its equipment."

Also to add a new section as follows: "That no alien shall be employed on the railway during construction, unless it is demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council that the work cannot be proceeded with without the employment of such aliens."

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SCHEDULE "A"

An agreement made and entered into, between the Crown and the Vancouver Telephone Company, and the Vancouver Telephone Company and the Crown, in relation to the telephone system in the city of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, of the other part:

Whereas the company are engaged in the production of coal and the manufacture of coke in the Province of British Columbia, and it is desirable to secure for the smelters and refiners in the counties of Yale and Kootenay in the said province, a sufficient and adequate supply of coal and coke;

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That Old Pain Again.

It's an old enemy. You thought you had shaken it off, but the winter winds and the variable spring weather find the weak spot, and the old pain is back again—perhaps even worse than before.

If you have severe pains in the joints and the muscles—pains aggravated by cold and damp, so that you find it difficult to walk, or your shoulders ache so that it is a torture to get into your clothing, it is RHEUMATISM. Do not neglect it or your joints may grow so stiff that you will be permanently crippled. Liniments and outward applications are of no use.

Rheumatism is a disease of the blood and must be treated through the blood. There is only one always reliable, permanent cure for Rheumatism, and that is

DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

These pills have repeatedly cured the most severe cases of Rheumatism—cured even after doctors and other medicines had failed. They go direct to the cause of the trouble, drive it from the system and thus make permanent cures.

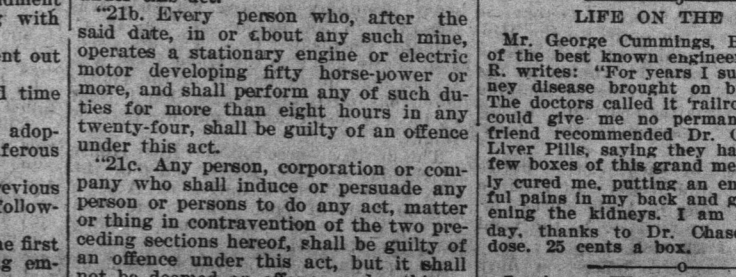
HERE IS THE PROOF.

Mr. Moise Laframboise, St. Scholastique, Que., says:—"During the years 1897 and 1898 I suffered very much from rheumatism. The disease settled in my knees, and I often endured the greatest agony in going about. I tried several kinds of medicine, but did not find relief. In the spring of 1899 I decided to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and purchased six boxes. Before these were all gone the disease had disappeared. As a sort of preventive I took a few boxes more the following autumn, with the result that I have not since felt an ache or pain. I naturally think there is no medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for rheumatism."

Mrs. A. Huscroft, Pittston, Ont., says:—"For several years I was very much afflicted with rheumatism, which at last became so bad that I was unable to move about or do any household work. I was treated by one of the best doctors in this locality, but the results were far from satisfactory. A neighbor who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with benefit urged me to try them, and after using four boxes I found myself restored to good health and have not had the slightest return of the trouble. As my experience occurred over two years ago, I think I may safely say the cure is permanent, and that other rheumatic sufferers will do well to try this medicine."

Pink colored pills in glass jars, or in any loose form, or in boxes that do not bear the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" are not Dr. Williams'. The genuine are put up in packages resembling the engraving on the left, with wrapper printed in red.

Sold by all dealers in medicine or direct from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50.



Mr. Hunter moved an amendment extending with an income of \$700 or less, instead of \$1,000, which was carried.

Mr. Gilmour moved an amendment that a discount of 20 per cent. be allowed to any person paying the tax to the collector on or before March 1.

Hon. Mr. Turner said the amendment was out of order, as interfering with the revenue.

Mr. Speaker ruled the amendment out of order.

Provincial Legislature

Legislative Assembly, 34th Day, Wednesday, April 24, 1901. The Speaker took the chair at 2:15 p.m.

Rev. W. H. Barraclough offered prayer.

Mr. Curtis presented a petition from mine owners of the Boundary district respecting the storage of explosives.

Mr. Ellison introduced a bill to amend the Fence Act, which was read a first time.

Mr. Gilmour introduced a bill to amend the Master and Servants Act, which was read a first time.

QUESTIONS. Mr. Tatlow asked the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works: Is it the intention of the government to extend the system of small holdings in Burnaby and South Vancouver during the present year?

The Hon. Mr. Wells replied: "Yes; if upon examination it is found that suitable lands are suitable for that purpose."

Mr. Tatlow asked the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works: What amount has been expended up to date on the following works: Barnet-Hastings road? Reformatory site? The Hon. Mr. Wells replied: "Barnet-Hastings road, \$4,981.75; Reformatory site, \$1,468.22."

Mr. McLennan asked the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works: Have any fence-viewers been appointed for Cowichan district? If so, who are they?

The Hon. Mr. Wells replied: "Yes; G. Bartlett and W. R. Robertson for South Cowichan district; James Dotson and W. G. Manley for Shewanishan district."

Mr. Neill asked the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works: 1. Does the Toronto and B. C. Lumber Co. hold any lease or lease of timber lands in the Alberni electoral district? 2. If so, what are (a) the number of such lease or leases? (b) the area of such lease or leases? (c) the annual rental of such lease or leases?

3. What is the total sum (if any) now due by the said company to the government of B. C. on account of such timber lease or leases in the Alberni electoral district, and inclusive of taxes, rents and interests chargeable on over-rent? 4. What is the total sum (if any) now due by the said company to the government of B. C. on account of any timber leases held by them within the province, and inclusive of taxes, rents and interests chargeable on over-rent?

The Hon. Mr. Wells replied: "1. Yes. 2. (a) 35,001 acres and 4,251 acres; (b) \$5,349.15 and \$432.10; (c) \$1,978.00. 3. \$18,520.50. 4. \$11,978.00."

MR. CURTIS' POSITION. Mr. Curtis moved the adjournment of the house to permit a discussion of certain phases of the railway policy.

The Speaker ruled the motion out of order as not raising a question of urgent public interest, the whole railway question being before the house.

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CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS. Results of English Games in Covered Court. London, April 24.—In the lawn tennis covered court amateur championship duties have been suppressed. The in- ities over the shelter of the province, may I respectfully ask if you would consid- proposition in this line. J. DUNSMUIR.

ARRIBATION. Genoa, April 24.—The striking dock laborees have accepted Premier Zanar- dell's decision as arbitrator in the mat- ter of their difference with their em- ployers.