

Saturday, December 19, 1868

The question of the Hudson Bay Company's claims to the territory lying between British Columbia and Canada, has assumed an entirely new phase since the arrival in London of the Canadian delegation.

Supreme Court.

This court has been occupied for the last four days in hearing the case of Mair vs Morton, which grew out of the ship Sarah Marsh running away from Sooke.

From the North.

Captain Harris of the schooner Margaret, from Fort Tongas, who arrived here on Thursday evening, gives us news confirmatory of the murderous outrage at Nanaimo.

A GOOD CHANGE FOR FARMERS.

A new threshing machine, with Separator, and everything complete, is advertised to-day by Messrs Findlay & Durham.

THE PELICAN.

We have before noticed the purchase of this steel propeller by the C O & M Company for this route. She is now lying at the Polson street wharf, San Francisco.

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The Police Court.

Editor BRITISH COLONIST:—Be pleased to insert in your paper the following facts relative to a case recently brought before the Police Court by me, on the 8th inst.

Removal.—The new store, on Government street, now in course of erection by Mr Gibbs, has been leased by Messrs Findlay & Durham.

Police Court.—George Richardson of the Victoria Hotel appeared before the Court yesterday, in answer to a summons against him on the complaint of William Lush.

Theater Royal.—Mr Plummer had a fair house last night considering the weather, and the fact that an entertainment, in which all depends on one person, however well he may acquit himself, is not attractive.

James' Bay Bridge Again.—We learn that the accident which happened to Mr Shakespeare the other day, is not the only one to be recorded.

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THOS. TUGWELL.

Joseph Howe abandons the Repeal Party and Corresponds with the Dominion Government.

HALIFAX, Nov 7.—A long letter appears in the Chronicle in answer to Judge Marshall's demand for explanations as to Mr Howe's present course and policy.

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"SELF-RELIANCE" in his letter yesterday struck the keynote to all our political troubles. The want of information as to our financial condition has created the discontent and want of confidence that for years has pervaded the public mind...

SMALL POX ON THE PACIFIC COAST.—The San Francisco Bulletin of November 27th has the following:—The small pox, which now afflicts not only this city, but the Pacific States and Territories, is the most serious calamity that has occurred to us since the drought of 1864.

THE COY FISHERIES this year are reported to have failed.—The New England fishermen complain that they have not been very successful this season in making large catches...

THE LECTURE.—Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather His Lordship gave an excellent attendance last night. The lecture and the illustrations were admirable—both of which we shall notice at greater length to-morrow.

A New Government Road Proposed.—EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—Will you allow me through the medium of your columns to direct the attention of the powers that be to the advantage of opening up another road to Esquimalt besides the one at present in use...

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A PURE AND POWERFUL TONIC. CORRECTIVE AND ALTERATIVE. Of Wonderful Efficacy in Diseases OF THE STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS.

PROTECTIVE PROPERTIES. Prevents Fever and Ague and Billious Remittent Fevers. Fortifies the System against Malaria and the evil effects of an unwholesome water; invigorates the organs of digestion and the bowels; Steadies the Nerves and Tends to Prolong Life.

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Are you sick, feeble, and complaining? Are you out of order, with your system deranged, and your feelings uncomfortable? These symptoms are often the prelude to serious illness.

DR. AYER'S PILLS are the paragon of all that have been discovered in the art of medicine. They have cured my little daughter of bilious colic upon her hands and feet, that had proved incurable for years.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Washington, D. C. 7th Feb. 1864. Sir: I have used your Pills in my general and hospital practice, and they have done me much good.

Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary, 616 Commercial Street, NEAR A STREET, San Francisco. Established in 1854, for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases.

Horrible Diseases. How many thousands of persons, both male and female are suffering from the effects of a venereal disease.

Remedial Emission. Seminal Weakness. Seminal Emission, the consequence of self-abuse. This solitary vice, or depraved excitement, is practiced by the youth of both sexes to an almost unnumbered extent.

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Mens' Clothing. Suits—Blue Beaver, Brown Beaver, Yarra Tweed, Silk Mixtures, Blue Witney, Fancy Doe, Black Cloth.

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Underclothing. Welsh Flannel, French Flannel, Canton Flannel, Lamb's Wool, Shetland Wool, White, Grey and Fancy Striped Merino, Undershirts and Drawers.

Hats. An Invoice of Townsend & Co's well known English makes; also, a beautiful and complete assortment of the Latest American Styles direct from New York.

AUSTRALIA. New South Wales.

Sydney, October 3, 1868. We have had recent warnings of a political crisis by the retirement from office of one of the chief supporters of the Panama line.

A fearful accident occurred at Sydney heads on the 14th ult. A female of ill-health, while intoxicated, fell off the cliffs, which are 400 feet high, and was dashed to pieces.

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The Weekly Chronicle AND CHRONICLE Saturday, December 1868. The long overdue a Bolence' reached ago; but we are only room for it to-day. We are bound in clearly, that there ha of \$161,316 in the ex- united civil list for with the expenditure when separate in al. He shows that of the present fiscal y 926 less than was support of the Maina Butt, he nowhere in h a comparison of the prove that the expen per capita, even as r great in 1868 as it w thermore, he fails to the expense of govern might not be materi at least one-half the- out in salaries devote ment and advance works. The figures of furnish a strong argu a continuance of nothing more; but very best answer to b the Government has charged with extrav wisely says, "the r know of the financial Colony in which the lot the better." W blame, we ask for the financial condition in has long been kep? ple" withheld, statis for years such as "Se duces, or has the Gov people and Govern together for the cor not give the people a Why not let "the pe frequently how the Why not call repres people" into the Cou his "Excellency inste them from a certai and officials? It is people have been a an opportunity "to with Governor Seym Reliance" guarantee nity will be afforde "Free Trade's" le enunciates a good p on earth he expects practice with the Government, we con to discover. The shackled with Cus better for any con systems distinct in Colony for creating support of an exper ly Government wou Trade on the Isand culture first and o tures next and dr Mainland, where pr they could supply their products and surplus here to und What we want her 1 g Reciprocity to one commercial sya tions - a system th farmer, the miller, turer, and open wid of the character th other able writers h But before we can have a simpler a Government, and R claimed will be the ed "area of taxa deficit that may occ

