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Good Start

thusiastic Meeting of the
Victoria Lacrosse Club
Last Evening.

actory Reports from the
Officers—New Occupants
of Chairs.

thusiastic meeting of the Victoria
Club was held last evening at
the hall, there being sixty members
present. Officers were elected for
the year, and the reports of the
previous year were read. The report
of the most satisfactory progress
in the past year was given by the
club for 1900, and all expenses last
year were balanced with a surplus
of the year of \$37.55. The total
receipts during the season amounting
to \$1,041.25, and the total disburse-
ments \$1,003.70, leaving a surplus
of \$37.55. The club is now in a
prosperous state, and the members
are anxious to see the club flourish
in the future.

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PROGRESS

Of Inquiry

Royal Commission Continues
Investigation of Charges
By Mr. Curtis.

Messrs Wells, Eberts and Todd
Among the Witnesses
Heard.

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The royal commission investigating
the Curtis charges against Premier
Dunsmuir and his ministers and
cabinet members, continued its
hearings at the Court house yesterday
morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. Curtis
present his counsel, Mr. Bond, and
the Hon. D. Eberts, Hon. W. C. Wells,
Hon. J. D. Prentiss, Mr. Greenfields
and Mr. Cassidy.

Mr. Bond began by asking for the
original contract, of which a copy had
been put in when Mr. Greenfields
was in the witness box, together with
Mr. Greenfields' telegram advising that
the contract had been signed, the
application for the Yukon railway for
the Yukon and all the correspondence
existing between Mr. Dunsmuir and
the Pacific Improvement.

Mr. Cassidy raised the point that
the original contract which had been
signed and sealed as in the possession
of the government, was a document
of state, and as such could not be put
in as an exhibit against the evidence.
Mr. Bond, however, had the printed
copy which had been brought down
amongst the returns of the legislature.

Mr. Bond then proceeded to identify
the letter which had been signed by
himself and Messrs Mackenzie and
Mann, and which was the subject of
the charges against Mr. Bond. He
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ROSSLAND OUTPUT.

Le Roi Mines Will Make a Record This
Month.

Rossland, March 29.—The ore produc-
tion of the Rossland camp for the week
ending tonight shows another increase.
The growth from the previous week is
not large, but is sufficient to indicate
progress towards the former standard
for the camp. The Le Roi mine ship-
ments are growing steadily and figures
for the present month will show an in-
crease over the best previous monthly
record that will be more substantial
than was expected. In May, 1901, a
record of 22,738 tons was established,
and this has already been passed dur-
ing the present month. Sunday's and
Monday's shipments will bring the re-
cord for this month a couple of thou-
sand tons over the old record. During
the week the Le Roi increased its out-
put to 6,200 tons, the Le Roi No. 2 sent
out 1,520 tons, the Centre Star 120 tons,
and the Rossland Great Western 400
tons.

MALCOLM ISLAND.

Mr. Kurikka Pleaded With Prospect for
Settlers.

Nanaimo, March 29.—(Special)—Mat-
ti Kurikka, president of the Kalevan
Kansalaistopisto company, who has
returned the Eastern and Middle States
in the interests of the Finnish colony for
Malcolm Island, is well pleased with the
results of his trip. In many cases those
who became interested in the scheme
are doing preliminary work in build-
ing houses and clearing land.

Mr. Kurikka intends shortly leaving
for Victoria to interview the manage-
ment, which holds pulp land concessions
on the island, with a view to ascertain-
ing whether work is to be pushed for-
ward. If the company will make con-
tracts for taking out pulp timber, wood-
ing will be done before the summer
season. If the company are not going
to do this, other branches will have to
be given attention, such as fisheries. In
Astoria a considerable number who are
well up on salmon fishing have intimated
their readiness to look on Malcolm
Island as soon as their present contract
expire.

Referendum
In Manitoba

Country Districts Will Likely
Vote in Favor of Prohibition
in Manitoba.

From Our Own Correspondent.
Winnipeg, March 29.—There
will be a heavy vote in Winnipeg
on Wednesday next, when the referen-
dum will be taken on the Manitoba
Liquor Act, restricting the sale of liquor
within the province. In Winnipeg it is
safe to predict that a large majority will
be rolled up against the act, but the
country districts are likely to go strong-
ly for prohibition.

A Brandon despatch says the high
water still continues. The Assiniboine
has risen two inches since yesterday,
and if the ice should jam, it will cause
serious injury to roads and bridges.

Miss Youngblood, of Portage la
Prairie, and Miss Annie Murray of this
city, have been notified of their selection
as teachers for South Africa.

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A Lively
Pursuit

Exciting Chase to Head Off the
Boer Army Close to
Klerksdorp.

From the first prisoners captured it
was learned that Gen. Delarey himself
was outside the actual cordons, having
slipped some distance westward, but Lie-
benberg, Kemp and other Boer com-
manders were inside the column of
troops.

The first body, consisting of about 500
Boers, sighted at 10 o'clock in the
morning of March 24, retreated at full
speed, making a gap between the
British columns. A race for the open-
ing ensued.

British mounted infantry, which had
already ridden forward, and had pressed
their tired horses until they gave out,
when the men jumped off and raced
forward on foot.

Some of the mounted men, however,
were able to gallop right into the gap
that had opened, and were seen to
charge back upon the Boer ranks. These
troops also succeeded in driving
back another body of Boers, whom they
were forced to desert the guns they
had captured from the convoy in Febru-
ary.

The Boers tried to get through several
openings, but on each occasion were
forced to double back, and the pursuing
columns could overtake the Boers.
Five Canadians who fell out of their
columns and had been taken prisoner, were
back, were surrounded by a Boer force
and made a splendid surrender. But, finally,
seeing the futility of their position,
they surrendered to the British.

The British, however, indignantly re-
fused to take any prisoners, and con-
tinued their single-handed fight until the
British killed. This was regarded as one of
the most interesting incidents of the day.
An instance of the resourcefulness of
the Boers was given by Liebenberg and
several hundred men. Driven advantage
of the confusion of the fight, he and his
followers assumed a formation similar
to that of a British column, and moved
up close to one of the numerous gaps in
the British lines, succeeded in reaching
this opening before the Boers were de-
tected, and got away.

The guns captured from Von Donop's
convoy were brilliantly captured by the
Scottish Horse, who charged up to the
muzzles of the artillery and rode the
Boer gunners back, and the latter had
a chance to fire.

TROOPS AT HALIFAX.

New Arrangements for Imperial Forces
Staff.
Halifax, March 29.—(Special)—The
new staff of the Imperial Forces, which
will be here next week, has been
arranged as follows: Col. Sir Charles
Mason, colonel in command; Col. B. G.
Morrison, deputy assistant adjutant-gen-
eral; Major Semple, deputy assistant
quarter-master-general; and Col. F. H. Hill,
deputy adjutant-general. Col. Booth
comes from Barbadoes.

BOUNDARY OUTPUT.

Mines Have Made Another Record For
the Week.
Phoenix, B. C., March 29.—(Special)—
Boundary mines have established a
new record again this week for ore ship-
ment, with a total tonnage of 10,400 tons,
as follows: Granby smelter, 7,744 tons; Moher
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REBELLIOUS PRESBIT.

Chicago Archbishop Issues Sweeping
Order Against Father Crowley.
Chicago, Ill., March 29.—In an official
letter sent to the Catholic priests in Chi-
cago today, Archbishop Pechen issued
sweeping orders in the controversy of
the Rev. Jeremiah J. Crowley and his
friends, with the diocesan authorities.
The letter reads:
"We hereby notify you that Rev. Jer-
emiah J. Crowley, public acts and
utterances have given grave scandal to
the detriment of religion, is in open re-
bellion to legitimate ecclesiastical au-
thority; therefore any priest of the diocese
of Chicago who assists him by moral or
financial aid, or in any way encourages
or prolongs his life, his Holiness re-
iterates once more the teachings he has
previously promulgated to the Roman Cath-
olic world. He deplores the renewed at-
tacks on the church and the recent ex-
cesses of humanity, instigating divorce,
and pictures the present condition of
society as having drifted into a state of
anarchy. He entreats the people to re-
turn to Christ and to the Roman Cath-
olic Church, as the only source of peace
and increase of happiness for the world
and work upon the differences be-

VICTORIA B. C. TUESDAY APRIL 1 1902

STAMPED NEAR KASLO.

Kaslo, March 29.—(Special)—
There is a placer gold excitement
on Cooper creek, 20 miles from
Kaslo.
The creek has been staked for
a distance of three miles, a com-
pany has been formed, and the
mine is being developed.
The company already has a force
of men at work, and the claim
is high as twenty-five cents to the
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VANCOUVER SHORTS.

Nanaimo Beats Y. M. C. A. Team at
Basketball.
Yankee, B. C., March 29.—(Special)—
In the annual Grand Prix road race
around the park, Bert Wood made
the best time, 27:30, or two minutes be-
hind the winner, who was in first
and G. Haddon second.

Nanaimo beat the Y. M. C. A. basket-
ball team yesterday afternoon, 22
to 20. The beating was a great disap-
pointment for the home team, as they
considered themselves well placed with
the league outside of Seattle.
The contest of the home team was
very good indeed, but the Nanaimo
visitors, both the hardy Nanaimo
visitors, were out in every respect for
their sport. They set a fast pace, and kept up
the pace until the Nanaimo team
lost ground rapidly until the game con-
cluded them out by two points.

SUDDEN DEATHS.

Farmer Blows Out the Gas-Lawyer
Has Heart Failure.
Owen Sound, March 29.—(Special)—
John Linley, a farmer from Maxwell,
was found dead in bed at the Seldon
Hotel, Owen Sound, at 11 o'clock
yesterday morning. He was 60 years
old, and had been in the city for
some time. He was a well-known
farmer, and was a member of the
Owen Sound branch of the Y. M. C. A.
The cause of death was heart failure.

WESTMINSTER
BRIDGE CONTRACT

Report That Vancouver Firm Is
Successful—Fergus Laid
Law Dead.
From Our Own Correspondent.
Westminster, March 29.—Engineer
Waddell, who is now in Victoria con-
sulting the government regarding the
contract for the reconstruction of the
Fraser river bridge, will, it is understood,
be in Vancouver by the end of the
month. The bridge is to be a steel
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SPRING AT TORONTO.

Warmer Weather and Opening of Navigation.
Toronto, March 29.—(Special)—Local
navigation was practically opened to-
day. The weather was so fine and warm
that 100 passenger cars came over from
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ASPEXYLATED.

Henry Newcombe of Toronto Accident
Killed by Gear.
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TURKISH ARMY.

Mobilization Apparently Due to Troubles
in Macedonia.
Constantinople, March 29.—The Tur-
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in batches of 40,000 men, each batch
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military exercises, but in view of the con-
ditions in Macedonia, considerable signifi-
cance is attached to the movement.

EAST SAILERS.

Schooners Race Across the Pacific.
Port Townsend, March 29.—A marine
race of more than ordinary importance
owing to the fact that both vessels broke
the record for the voyage across the
Pacific. The schooner "Fearless" was
yesterday by the arrival of the schooner
"Fearless" and "Salona" from Shanghai.
The "Salona" was the first to arrive,
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COLONEL GRIMM.

Officer Charged With Betraying Secrets
Not Executed.
St. Petersburg, March 29.—Col. Grimm,
the Russian officer who is charged with
betraying Russian military secrets to
the Germans, has been brought here
and is in close confinement. The state-
ments emanating from Vienna that Col.
Grimm has already been tried and sen-
tenced to death upon these charges by a
court martial at Warsaw, are incorrect.
He will soon be tried on charges here.
In any case Col. Grimm cannot be exe-
cuted, because he is a prisoner of war.
The military secrets is not a capital offense
unless that betrayal be made to a power
with which Russia is at war.

For His
Country

Cecil Rhodes Leaves the Bulk
of His Fortune For Mag-
nificent Scheme.

Fortune Will Promote a Vast
Imperial Plan of Edu-
cation.
Gun Carriage of "Long Cecil"
Will Bear His Body In
Capetown.

London, March 29.—The Daily Mail
says it is in a position to assert that
Cecil Rhodes left the bulk of his for-
tune, outside of some personal and
family bequests, to the promotion of his
vast imperial plan of education. The
project embraces every land where the
Union Jack flies, and the plan is to
found a university in each of the
provinces of the British Empire.
The Daily Mail adds that this idea of
better fitting younger Britain to cope
successfully with rival nationalities, was
a dominant scheme with Cecil
Rhodes, but that even his closest friends
had imagined the absorbing hold it had
obtained on him until disclosed by the
terms of his will.

Details of this plan of education will
be made public in a few days.
Cecil Rhodes, who died in 1902, was
the body of Cecil Rhodes was taken
to the parliament buildings here
during the morning of April 3, and
will lie in state in the vestibule till
3 in the afternoon, when it will be re-
moved to the Anglican cathedral, where the
first portion of the funeral service will
be read. The funeral procession will
afterwards traverse the principal streets
of Capetown, and will arrive at the
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Wireless
Telegraphy

German Inventors Want Inter-
national Conference to Reg-
ulate the Subject.

And Complain That Marconi
Will Not Reciprocate With
Them.
Great Inventor Explains What
Is His Position in the
Matter.

Berlin, March 29.—Slaby's proposal
for an international conference to reg-
ulate wireless telegraphy is already en-
gaging the attention of Germany, the
authorities of which country are now
drawing a circular note to be presented
to the United States, Great Britain and
France, proposing a congress for the
purpose of agreeing upon means to prevent
the high seas. According to statements
printed here, the above step is a direct
consequence of the reported refusal of
the wireless station at Nantucket to re-
ceive a message from Prince Henry on
board the Hamburg-American liner
Deutschland. The statement, called
Dr. Slaby's proposal, was issued from
Berlin to New York through Germany
has addressed a protest to the British
government against the Marconi people's
boycott against ships equipped with the
Slaby-Arco apparatus, is discredited
here.

New York, March 29.—Signor Marconi
issued a long statement tonight relative
to the controversy between his wire-
less telegraph company and the British
Slaby and Arco, referring particu-
larly to the refusal of the Marconi
company to allow communication be-
tween the Marconi land stations and
ships equipped with any system purport-
ing to be different from his system, un-
less by previous arrangement with the
Marconi company. Marconi goes on to
say:
"I wish to state that such refusal has
been and will continue to be made. I
cannot understand the attitude of the
British government, which during the last
four years have expended large sums on
the construction of wireless telegraph
stations, and which have now refused to
enter into an agreement which, as I sug-
gested, would practically secure to the
British government the right to use the
wires of the world, and which they are in
no way entitled to so long as the inven-
tors by patent law are respected in
civilized countries.

It is to be remembered further-
more, that the disability to communicate

They Saw Two Ships

Strange Tale of Ancient Vessels Lying Far Removed From the Sea.

Klondike Sun Tells of Finding of Petrified Ships by Indians.

The Klondike and the goldfields of the North are the home of many whose imaginations are sharpened by life in the mountains, and whose veracity is often attested to the limit, as those who have followed the many strange tales of the gold seekers of the world that were told by the "sourdoughs" who followed the Klondike trail.

The latest tale is of two petrified ships found resting in a lake of water at an altitude of four thousand feet above the level of the Porcupine river. The Klondike Sun, which publishes the story of the petrified ships, says that a party of Canadian Indians arrived at Dawson City, Yukon Territory, on the last day of the month, and reported that they had discovered the petrified ships near the headwaters of the Porcupine river.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

POINT ELIJAH BRIDGE

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Still in Suspense

Not Yet Known How the New Contingent Will Be Constituted.

Officers to Be Decorated by the Governor General Next Wednesday.

Father O'Leary Will Likely Be Sent to Mark Soldiers' Graves.

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KNOCKED OUT

Gains Smoots Bonnet on the Jaw and Ended the Fight.

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The Tontine Association

Fuller Extracts From the Judgment of Judge McGeer of Minneapolis.

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THE TOURIST ASSOCIATION

Executive Meet in New Rooms—Proposal to Hold Flower Festival.

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AT THE THEATRE

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COMPANY FORMED

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WOMAN ACCUSED OF FORGING RHODES' NAME

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INCREASE IN C. P. R. STOCK

General Meeting Approves of the Plan Proposed by Directors.

Montreal, March 27.—At a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific Railway company today, a resolution authorizing an increase of the company's ordinary capital stock to the extent of nineteen million five hundred thousand dollars over and above the present authorized capital of one hundred and sixty million dollars was unanimously adopted.

CARNegie LIBRARY

Vancouver Building Corner Stone to Be Laid by Masons.

Vancouver, March 27.—(Special)—The Knight Templars will be seen for the first time in uniform on the occasion of the laying of the corner stone of the Carnegie library on Saturday by the Rev. A. P. O'Brien, minister of the Anglican church, assisted by the Rev. J. H. Macdonald, minister of the Presbyterian church.

MARLBOROUGH HOUSE

Understood That Prince and Princess of Wales Will Live There.

London, March 27.—It is understood that the departure from Marlborough house of King Edward today, and the arrival of the royal couple at Marlborough house, will be the first time since the death of the late king that the royal couple will be seen in Marlborough house.

QUICK MURDER

Nothing Yet to Shed Light on the Mystery.

Brampton, Ont., March 27.—(Special)—Nothing to clear away the mystery surrounding the death of Quirk yesterday afternoon, when a man was shot and killed in the street, was the result of an investigation by the police.

IMMENSE DIVIDEND PAID TO DIRECTORS ON SMALL CAPITAL

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Delivered by carrier at 20 cents per week or mailed postpaid to any part of Canada...

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One year \$1.00, Three months .75, Six months .90...

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

ADVERTISING RATES. Rate measurement: 14 lines to the inch. Reading notices—20c per line each insertion...

LIBERAL DISCOUNT ON yearly and half-yearly contracts. For rates, etc., apply at the office.

CONDENSED ADVERTISING (CLASSIFIED)—One cent a word each insertion. Business or professional cards—Of four lines or under, \$2 per month.

\$25.00 REWARD Will be paid for such information as will lead to the conviction of anyone stealing the Colonist newspaper from the door of a subscriber.

READ LEGISLATION.

By certain decisions given by the Judicial committee of the House of Lords, our highest court, the status of Trade Unions under the common law of Great Britain, was defined. These decisions did not make any new law in reference to Trade Unions, nor did they place them under any restrictions not applicable to any corporation of the same, or similar character.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE. 25c. Suffering at the expense of a collection of parasites and a privileged class, when for that very class, he won his highest honor...

which they do not exercise proper control, whose dictates they are always ready to obey from a sense of loyalty...

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WITENAGEMOT. The voice into the lists with which the old man, garulous, round whose grows up a Younger World beyond his thought...

LACROSSE. Lacrosse is purely a Canadian game. In fact, it is the Canadian game, besides, a most beautiful sport, one in which makes great demands on the wind and limbs of the players...

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A Medicine That Will Cure Cases of Catarrh of Long Standing Deserves a Very High Place in the Annals of Medical Discovery.

Such a Medicine is Peruna.



COLONEL JOHN FRANKLIN WATERS, OF CHICAGO.

THOUSANDS of testimonials are pouring in every day of old cases of chronic catarrh that have resisted all treatment for years, being promptly and permanently cured by Peruna.

These reports do not all come from obscure places, signed by obscure people. A large proportion of these letters are written by men and women prominent in business and professional circles...

Peruna can be obtained for \$1.00 a bottle at all first-class drug stores in Canada. "The Pills 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.

Home Work for Ladies

CONGENIAL WORK. Lace making is a fascinating employment of absorbing interest, and with our Lace Loom the finest grade of Torchon and Valenciennes Laces...

THE NOTTINGHAM LACE CO., TORONTO, CANADA

WANT TO ENGAGE A FEW MORE LADIES IN ANY PART OF CANADA TO WORK FOR THE COMPANY AT THEIR OWN HOMES

Our plan is simple and is here fully explained. The work is also simple and easily performed on the Lace Loom furnished by us. With each Loom is furnished an Instruction Book with which the different kinds of lace can be made without a teacher.

CONTRACT ORDER FORM. To the Nottingham Lace Co., McKinnon Building, Toronto, Canada. Gentlemen: I desire to do the work as described in this advertisement...

Service Passion, Se Various

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The Good Church called many and varied well attended to a morning a hours' devotion Lordship Bishop...

At the evening of Allen was again the text from Exodus since shut with this rest. The events of the evening were followed by the most interesting and profitable of the evening...

WHAT ARE Ask Scores of

Remedy to

Files, or hemorrhoid sometimes called piles, which form in the rectum. They are large and inflamed veins, which are very painful. The best remedy is Dr. Chase's Ointment...

WOMEN'S CHRONIC CALED.



WOMEN'S CHRONIC CALED. ... I suffered from catarrh of the bladder...

LADIES

...fascinating employment of the finest grade of Torchon...

TO, CANADA

...shaded by us. With each Loom an independent living...

...the narrowest and easiest made, an immense variety of patterns...

...When these samples are made for us to sell, and we work back to us...

...We represent it to be, and we are anxious to get as many orders as possible...

Services On Good Friday

Passion Sermons Preached In Various City Churches Yesterday.

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Militia and Defence

General O'Grady-Hugh Complain Of Poor Turn Out at Mobilization

Objections to Carrying Out Mobilization on Statutory Holiday.

The following extract from the report of the general officer commanding in connection with militia matters in British Columbia will prove interesting to those most concerned.

HOW HOLIDAY WAS ENJOYED

Perfect Day Makes It Possible For Victorians to Spend Day in Country.

Victorians seem to be particularly fortunate in having perfect weather for their holidays.

REGIMENTAL ORDER

Changes in the Fifth Regiment by the Commanding Officer.

Major Ross Munro, commanding the Fifth Regiment, has issued the following orders...

NOTICES OF MOTION

Mr. Taylor Wants Information Regarding E. & N. Railway Bill.

Mr. Taylor has given notice of motion for a committee of the House to inquire into the expediency of whether the E. & N. Railway company has complied with the provisions regarding the sale of the land...

By Using Jay's Blend

13 Broad St.

Beautiful results are obtained renewing old or laying down new lawns, grass plots, etc. etc.

WHAT ARE PILES?

Ask Scores of People Who Endure the Wretched Itchy Burning Sensations of Piles and Do Not Know the Nature of Their Disease or the Remedy to Apply.

Piles, or hemorrhoids, as they are sometimes called, are small swellings in and about the orifice of the rectum...

A MODEL LANDLORD

The King Sets a Good Example to the People.

From London Leader. A writer in the St. James Gazette gives some interesting facts concerning the King's tenantry...

RAIN'S OBESSE

And Manitoba Is Recovering From Spring Floods.

Winnipeg, Man., March 28.—(Special.) The heavy rainfall ceased last night, but it illustrated in the case of the pent-up sinner, the thing hanging over his head...

RETURNING NORTH

J. Bernard Moore and His Claim to Skagway's Site.

J. Bernard Moore, who caused the controversy over the Skagway townsite, will return north Sunday on the steamer...

THE MOST NUTRITIOUS

EPSS'S COCOA

Prepared from the finest selected cocoa and the purest milk...

It's Just As Easy

GARDEN TOOLS

Lawn Mowers and Poultry Netting

Petalum Incubators

The most modern and successful Incubators in the world.

Capacity 54 eggs to 324 eggs.

(Victoria Colonist)

Provincial Legislature

Distribution Bill Reported to the House Complete With Amendments.

To Protect Creditors Passes Committee-Adjournment Till April 7.

Legislative Chamber, March 27, 1902. Speaker took the chair at 11:30.

J. P. Hicks offered prayer. Kild presented the following resolution from the Private Bills committee:

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Wreckage From Ship Altavala

Name Board of Lumber Carrier Found on Graham Island Shore.

A Condor Buoy-Contract For New C. P. N. Steamer Soon to Be Let.

A letter received yesterday morning from the United States Consul at Seattle, Wash., dated March 27, gives news of the finding of the name board of the Norwegian lumber carrier Altavala, which sailed from Seattle on January 4 for Liverpool with 50,000 cases of salmon.

The Altavala, a Norwegian ship of 1,100 tons, one of a fleet of 19 owned by J. Johnsen & Co., of Christiania, and like others of the fleet was formerly a British vessel, built at Glasgow in 1880. She was loaded by the British Columbia Timber & Trade Company, Columbia Timber & Trade Company, Columbia Timber & Trade Company, Columbia Timber & Trade Company.

While the finding of a name board of the Norwegian lumber carrier does not necessarily indicate that the ship has been wrecked, it will cause much alarm for the vessel, and will in all probability result in her being placed on the overdue list, and insured for not less than 20 per cent. Soon after she left the Straits, heavy southeast gales were blowing with tremendous violence on the 11th and another gale from the southeast prevailing on the 12th.

The Gyro-Castle and the Condor were blown to the northwest of Vancouver Island coast and thrown on their beam ends by these gales, which battered them considerably, the latter having two narrow escapes from going ashore, once near Hesquot and again at Flattery rocks, where she was only saved by the opportune arrival of the steamer Tacoma, after the gale had subsided and a heavy shoreward sea was throwing her overboard.

Nothing is known, however, of the Altavala's fate or of the whereabouts of a white board, bearing her name in dark paint, has been found on the island north of the strait, and that the two very heavy gales have raged since she left, the former of which was reported to have caused the loss of the schooner R. L. Morse, and the latter being the one which has caused the loss of the schooner R. L. Morse, and the latter being the one which has caused the loss of the schooner R. L. Morse.

With the increasing scope of science and wireless telegraphy, day may come when a storm-buffed ship may be able to tell the look-out man in his signal station on the island of the disaster that the storm threatens. The common use of wireless telegraphy would prevent much loss of life, much loss of property—and kill the insurance business.

The finding of a broken piece of a ship's boat, marked "Nanics," shows nothing. It may be from one of the many French motor boats which were wrecked on the coast of the French ship Nantes, which sailed from Portland a few days ago, or from the wreck of the French ship Nantes, which sailed from Portland a few days ago, or from the wreck of the French ship Nantes, which sailed from Portland a few days ago.

The two cases of salmon picked up on the other wreckage, although unidentifiable, were from the Red Rock, which left on the 11th, and the Condor, which left on the 11th, and the Condor, which left on the 11th, and the Condor, which left on the 11th.

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Will Remain In Manchuria

Russia Determined to Stay Despite Anglo-Japanese Treaty.

And Germany Will Not Take Any Final Stand Against the Czar.

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A meeting of representatives of the steamer companies having steamers on the Skagway route was held at the office of the C. P. N. company yesterday. The meeting was held for the purpose of discussing the proposed new route for the Skagway route.

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Along the Waterfront

Cottage City Arrives From Skagway and Northern Ports.

Brings Small Complement of Passengers—Queen City Tomorrow.

The waterfront was not as busy as ordinarily yesterday. The only arrivals other than the regular steamers, was the schooner City of San Diego, which was a trading vessel, which runs to the Indian villages between Victoria and Ketchikan, and is selling everything from potatoes to codfish oil.

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Advertisement for health products: We're Leading 'Em, All in Blankets, Hatters, Soaps, Harness and Boot Oil, etc.

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Advertisement for health products: FOR SALE, A number of good second-hand HACKS, GIBNEY CABS, ROCKAWAYS, etc.

Report Of Wreckage

Hardwood Panels Believed To Be From the Concor Washed Ashore.

Derelict in Barkley Sound - Sealers Reported - Fawn Still Fast.

Steamer Queen City returned from Cape Scott and was ported last night after a very fast passage. She was not expected until tomorrow.

The derelict thought to be the missing schooner Ametia of San Francisco was in Barkley Sound when the Queen City came down, and Capt. Towles spoke with a man who had been on her and on board the wreck.

The Queen City had a large number of passengers - a list was not furnished. The passengers included Col. Hayes of the Nainina mines; C. D. Newton, of the Golden Eagle mine; Rev. Mr. Elliott of St. James; and others.

After-Dinner Speeches Gave Himself an Epitaph.

The public assemblies in New York and Washington are discovering that Milton E. Allen, the Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, has graceful abilities as a speaker.

DOMINION EXPENDITURES IN VARIOUS PROVINCES.

The report of the Minister of Works recently issued contains details of the expenditures on the public buildings, the harbors, and other public works of the Dominion.

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Report Of Wreckage

When the lettering was completed the villagers all went out to view the shipwreck, and this is how it was described: "I expected this, but not so soon."

What is Life to You? If you are a victim of piles, as one person in every four is, you suffer from one of the most torturing ailments known to man, and may well wonder if this is really worth living.

The militia department has abolished the award of medals for gallantry in the field, and substituted the award of a sword throughout the whole service.

The materials used in the "D. & L." Emulsion are the finest the market affords, selected from the best sources in cases of wasting diseases, loss of weight or loss of appetite, with great benefit.

Mr. Fielding pointed out that his first budget speech had been introduced on St. George's Day, and his latest on the festival of St. Patrick.

Nine times out of ten Pain-Killer will be found to fill your needs as a household remedy, as a liniment for stiffness, and taken internally for all bowel complaints.

In B. McBride the opposition party has one of the most incapable leaders who ever occupied that position in the struggle for the franchise.

THE AGONY OF SLEEPSLESSNESS. Did you ever pass a single night in bed, trying in vain to sleep and longing for morning to come? This is the most dreaded symptom of nervous exhaustion and debility.

Smith Curtis has done some good work in the Legislature as a speaker, and he seems to have lost his head, and his confidence in his former friends.

If sick headache is misery, what is Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will not relieve the sufferer? This is the only small and easy to take.

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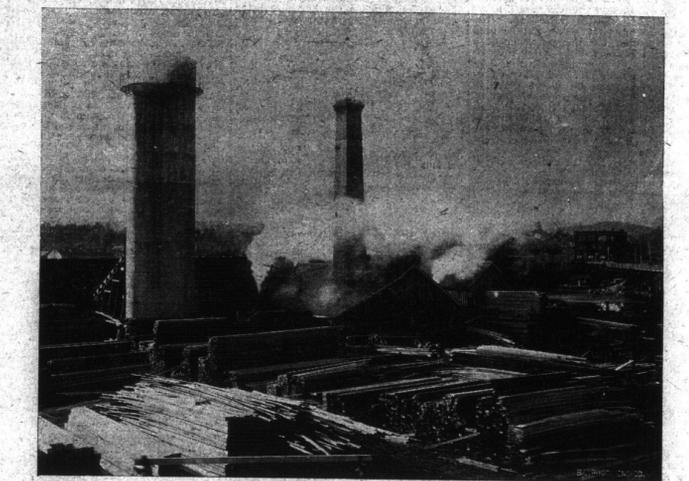
The expenditure on harbors and rivers is distributed amongst 300 places. The largest works are dredging the St. Lawrence river, \$2,128,128; Goderich harbor, \$1,148,000; Owen Sound, \$10,000; Port Stanley, \$14,000; Toronto and York river, B. C., \$24,921; Lower St. Lawrence, \$1,100,000; Onondaga, \$1,100,000; the main frame were North Shore, St. Charles, \$1,100,000; Athol, \$22,044; Bennett, Dawson, Athol, \$157,200.

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Pictorial Description of One of British Columbia's Oldest and Most Prosperous Manufacturing Concerns.

"VICTORIA'S INDUSTRIES."



SAYWARD LUMBER CO.'S YARDS AND MILL. Photo-Savannah.

In a review of the industrial establishments of this city it would be altogether fitting and proper to commence with those whose establishments have been almost coeval with the establishment of this fair city of Victoria.

In the year 1858 Mr. W. P. Sayward came to this city from California, in which state and the adjacent territory of Washington he had already acquired large lumber interests.

Mr. Sayward's first sawmill was erected in 1861, on the site of the present mill at Rock Bay, and for the past two decades has been one of the features of that end of the town.

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STANDARD RULES. To Be Shortly Applied on the C. P. R.

From Montreal wires. For some time past the C. P. R. has been carrying on school at various large cities throughout the Dominion.

The Dominion Day meet was awarded to Toronto, the executive of the C. W. Railway Association, having undertaken charge of it.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE. London, March 28.—A prayer for peace was the only novel feature of the observance of Good Friday in Great Britain.

RUSSIAN PRINCES. London, March 29.—In a despatch from St. Petersburg, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says that news has been received from Kaitai, Trans-Caucasia, that three Russian nobles, Prince Klonaz, Prince Valerian and Prince Galakidze, were executed March 3 for the murder of over 100 persons.

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