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of the meeting the petition was ed by almost all present. r. C. Bazett drew attention to the tisfactory state of the law on gages, and moved the following ion, which was seconded by Mr. Kinnon and carried: "That this IcKinnon and carried: ting draw the attention of our memto the present mortgage law, and ess upon them the necessity of alteration which shall protect the gagee from the present unjust ite, by which the property mortgnot sole collateral for the sum nced; also that they should en-or to secure the abolition of the gage tax." e Reeve said, as the political part of

usiness seemed completed, he would the meeting to consider whether thing might not be done to develop realth of coal which he belie our feet. He read a letter from oins, manager of the Vancouver Co., in answer to an inquiry on the of boring, and pictured the advanthe whole community which l arise from the establishment of a mine in our midst. He thought a subscription to meet the cost of might be the best way to advance patter, and expressed his readinces, e meeting endorsed the scheme, toe meeting endorse the list with \$10. e chairman suggested a committee juiry, which was supported by Mr. eaumont. Mr. James Evans pro-the Reeve, Mr. Beaumont, Mr. A. e and himself. This was seconde Beaumont and carried. Horn moved "that our members

structed to oppose the system of ing bonuses." This was seconded r. C. Bazett and carried. ved by the Reeve, seconded by Mr... ythe and carried, "that the secreforward copies of the resolutions to. embers and the press."

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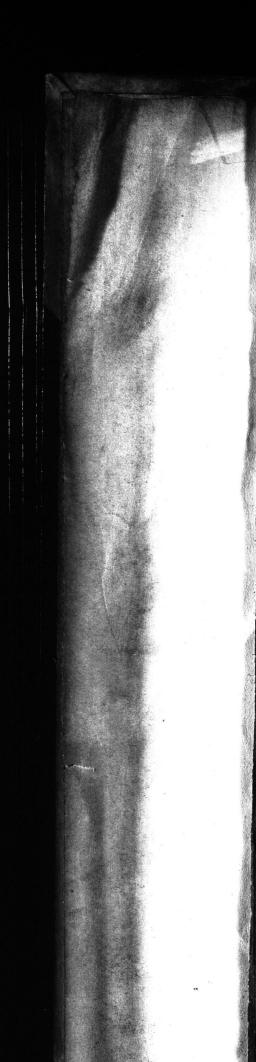
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umber of vessels have arrived that is reports trade juict, both wholesale and retail, with fair collections." HEALTH OF THE POPE. Loxpon, Feb. 13.—The report of the illness of the Pope has been adequately disproved by the heavy programme of functions for Lent and the anniversary functions for Lent and the anniversary functions for Lent and the anniversary in a poportiation for a deep water in g an appropriation for a deep water in the send of the interval of the during the force will be largely angeneted. A special stage has arrived at Ques-nelle carrying a party of the outer to mater to the sum and the sum and the appropriation for the sum and the

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# THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST THURSDAY FEBRUARY 18 1897

The Colonist. for; the amount reserved as working worthy of very close consideration.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1897. THE CRETAN QUESTION. Greece has demonstrated that the powers have been debating as to what should be done with Crete, Greece stepped quietly in add took possession should be done with Crete, Greece stepped quietly in add took possession of the island, for that is what the re-cent events there amounts to. This throws the responsibility of the next step in the premises upon Turkey or the great powers. Turkey will hardly undertake to dislodge the Greecian forces, although an invasion of Greece may follow. It will be a humiliating thing for the Sultan to be obliged to submit this piece of dispollment without doing anything more than enter a diplomatic anything more than enter a diplomatic protest; but that seems to be all that is left for him, inless, indeed, he takes the on this point which need not be speci-responsibility of precipitating war, and fied.

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responsibility of precipitating war, and fied. thereby jeopardizing the remainder of The Bill proposes to make a very maresponsibility of precipitating war, and thereby jeopardizing the remainder of his possessions. The proclamation of the Colonel commanding the Greek forces— that he had come to occupy the country —removes every doubt as to the nature of the crisis which has arisen. It can no longer be claimed that the object of the Greek expedition was to prevent the abuse of the Crete Chris-tians at the hands of their Mohame-dan rulers. It was to take the set out, and it appears to have done its work very effectively and quietly. This

work very effectively and quietly. This \$100, according to the number of memis certainly a very remarkable thing, bers. and we fancy that we would have to The whole act sppears to have been

and we fancy that we would have to search a long time before finding a his-torical precedent for the acquisition of and while there will undoubtedly be it does not lie in the mouth of the Spoterritory under such circumstances. some difference of opinion upon many kane papers to lecture Canadian legisla Diplomatic relations between Greece of its provisions, no one will deny that tures upon their duties to aliens. and Turkey have not been suspended, an effort has been made to meet the reand yet the former has done against quirements of the situation, which ad-

the latter, an act of the greatest hostil- mittedly calls for some legislation. ity. Invasion of the country of a friendly state and its virtual annexation to THE PRESS AND PATRONAGE. the invader is undoubtedly the most ex-

The Vancouver World is abundantly

nishes additional evidence that the spoke on the subject thought that, as the nishes additional evidence that the Turkish empire is an anomaly and an should have driven a closer bargain. We

whether this will be the end of the incident is of course uncertain. We in-cline to the view that it will be, so far rice in a ordinate with the people of British Columbia want newspapers to work for them for less than what would be a fair as Crete is concerned; but it is too much to expect that the example of the islanders will not be followed by comes to buying coal, cordwood, or stationery and we see no reason why some of the people of the Balkan pro-

they should do so when it comes to buyvinces, and while it is easy to undering advertising space. The leader of the stand how the powers could regard with a good deal of complacency the acquisi-Opposition was one of the gentlemen who thought the charge excessive. Are tion of Crete by Greece, when it comes we to understand that in the improbable to determining the political status of event of that gentleman's becoming preparts of the Balkan peninsula, very difficult questions arise. There is a possibility also that trouble may arise in Con-stantinople itself. The Sultan will lose cial rates? His possible "organs" enormously in prestige by this incident, and the Young Turk movement willgain in strength correspondingly. It is among the possibilities that the Sultan may determine to precipitate a crisis. Some ment to pay their organs something for their support. It would be interest-

his intention, if his empire was doomed. ing to know where Mr. Semlin obtained

comoters and the consideration there. powers on ungranted lands are matters JOFARMERS AULIANCE.

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DR. WALKEM'S journalistic experienc

structed to revise the constitution of the has taught him that the Bible and the society and submit it to the next meetnewspaper do not go well in double har-

CECIL RHODES is acting very much like a man who not only holds a good hand himself, but knows to a dot what the hand of the other, fellow is.

to send his name with his letter. The rule requiring this is invariable.

G. Clarke, A. Ferguson, A. S. Vedder, R. McBride, J. A. Skinner, E. Hutcher-son, H. T. Thrift, J. Ridley, Mr. Ewen and others, it was decided to make an effort to amalgamate the dairymen's and fruit. growper' association government flag will fly at the masthead when the session closes.

THE CANADIAN PRESS.

fruit growers' associations, under the name of the Farmers' Alliance of British Columbia. The advisability of inviting ALIEN LABOR IN CANADA. women to attend local meetings gener-The following resolutions were passed It is suggested that if there is no smelloration of the United States alien the following resolutions were passed it unanimously: 1. That the delegation appointed at the first meeting of the convention be instructed to urge upon the government the necessity for relief to be granted at abor law the Canadian government labor law the Canadian government should enact a similar law, copying the American statute word for word, and giving it the same interpretation as the Washington authorities. At present British Columbia is attracting a great deal of attantion and miners and speen once from the operation of the iniquitous mortgage tax, otherwise, the tax on the event of that gentleman's becoming pre-mier, he will require the papers support-ting him to work at less than commer-cial rates? His possible "organs" Citizen.

> NEWS FOR COLLECTORS. The Nova Scotia government has

KOOTENAY AND THE GOVERNMENT.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.

BY WAY OF VARIETY.

"Then," said Mr. Watts, describing the church entertainment to his wife, who had been too ill to go, "the Jones girls got up and eane solo..."

been too in to go, "the Jones girls got up and sang solo-"" "A solo?" asked Mrs. Watts. "How could two persons sing a solo?" "Why," said Mr. Watts, who would not acknowledge his mistake, "why-er-they had only half a voice apiece."

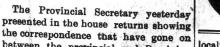
"The hair of that man," said Sparks, "turned white in a single night." "Dear ne," replied Miss Goeit, "I must get his ecipe. It takes three months to change he color of mine."-Philadelphia North American

Our most important towns are being

SONGHEES RESERVE. Return Presented Yesterday of the Correspondence Between British Columbia and the Dominion.

the Songhees reserve.

Provincial Government Strongly Urge the Settlement of the Long Pending Question.



between the provincial and Dominion locality; and whereas, it is highly desirable that effective steps be taken to accomplish the object aforesaid. "Be it resolved, that a respectful adwith the view of settling as speedily as possible for the removal of the Songhees Indians from the reserve within the dress be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, to request the Dominion government's consent to refer limits and placing them elsewhere. The correspondence was as follows:

the question of removal and settlement to a special commission consisting of three Extract from a report of the committee of the Honorable the Privy Council, commissioners, one to be appointed by approved by His Excellency on the 1st of April. 1898 :

commissioners, one to be appointed by the Dominion government, one to be ap-pointed by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, the two appointed to agree upon a third, and in the event of the two so appointed being unable to agree upon a third. some member of the "The committee of the Privy Council "The committee of the Privy Council have bad under consideration a lespatch hereto attached, dated 31st of January, 1396, from the Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia transmitting a copy of a re-port of the committee of his executive council, embodying a resolution passed by the legislative assembly of that pro-vince, asking that the question of the removal of the Songhees Indians from their reserve to a more suitable locality be referred to a special commission."

"(Sd.) JAMES BAKER, "Clerk Exec. Committee." be referred to a special commiss

"The Superintendent General of Indian

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tructed to revise the constitution of the society and submit it to the next meet-ing.
Mr. E. A. Haggen, of New Zealand, next addressed the meeting at consider-able length on the advantages of cheap money to develop a new country, also the different methods of obtaining cheap money through government assistance, and on farm security. He explained what the system had done for the Aus-tralian colonies. Germany, and parts of
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"The Superintendent General of Indian affairs, to whom the despatch was referred, reports that the system had done for the Aus-tralian colonies. Germany, and parts of Copy of a report of a committee of the honorable the executive council, dren, the land at present comprised in Governor-General on the 1st April, 1896, in reply to the resolution of the Legisla-tive Assembly of this province asking "The Minister further states that under the order in council of the 16th May, 1871, admitting B. C. into the that the question of the removal of the Songhees Indians be referred to a special

May, 1871, admitting B. C. into the Dominion, the Songhees reserve and other lands reserved for the use and benefit of the Indians, came under the trusteeship and management of the Do-minion government. An agreement was subsequently come to with the govern-ment of British Columbia respecting the allotting of reserves to Indians in that province, and under that agreement and in order to avoid future misunder-that province, and under that agreement a commission was appointed for that purpose. The decision of that commis-sion dated the 4th May, 1878, as to the Songhees reserve reads as follows:

and the title to this reserve will be vested Songhees reserve reads as follows: ""The land reserve of these Indians in fee simple in the Dominion govern-ment in trust for the Indians and with-

""The land reserve of these Indians in the harbor of Victoria appears to be the private property of the tribe by a written agreement made on the 30th A pril, 1850, between the chiefs and peo-ple and the agent of the H. B. Co. act-ing on behalf of the crown, and by the lan 1 having been formally set apart for their perpetual use and benefit, but the at their perpetual use for as they have au-

their perpetual use and benefit, but the commissioners, so far as they have au-thority in the matter, confirm this re-serve as surveyed to the Songish In-dians.' the Supreme Court of Canada.

The province from the operation of the iniquitous mortgage tax, otherwise, the tax on the islature of B. C. has, on several occations of the operation of this meeting islature of B. C. has, on several occations arging upon of farmers, the government should grant the government of that province the dependence of any settlement of this incomposition of this meeting in a the question has formed the subject of several communications between the dependence of several communications between the Dominion; but as the whole question is sufficiently important to guestion is sufficiently important to guestion.
3. That a report of this meeting be sent to the Victoria Colonisr, the Victoria Colonisr, the Victoria Colonisr, the Victoria Colonisr, the Victoria Contracted to the Province.
A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Haggen, of New Zealand, for his addited with the Dominion government and the Superintendent-General did not for the information of the province of the province of the servera. "The Minister observes that the leg- "The committee

tions which the Dominion government did not feel warranted in admitting, it was not thought desirable to treat of the removal of the Songhees Indians until something definite had been done as to ad, for his adthe larger question. "The Minister further observes that "(Sgd.) A. CAMPBELL REDIE, "Deputy Clerk Executive Council." the matter of the title of the Dominion government in reserves in British Col-umbia has been made by order in coun-

TROOPS FOR Movements of the Gr Warships of the P the Alert. King George's Proclam Islanders-Statemen Greek Minist

LONDON, Feb. 16.-A di

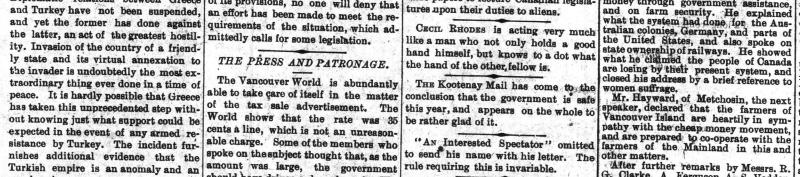
Times from Canea, dated ing, February 16, says tha there when the occupation of Crete was completed on Monday, February 15. T ers of the foreign squadron note to Ismail Bey, the ne governor, the successor to Berovitch, who had resign him that they had addre matum to the commodore fleet, requiring him to Cretan waters. They requ Bey to find a way of not surgents of the fact of sum to give up their arms, also them that the powers had ures to prevent Greece from in the affairs of Crete. An was also despatched with a to the lines of the insurgen to the lines of the insurgen He delivered the message, insurgent replied that they tain their present position definite reply in behalf of tionary assembly on Mo action will probably depend adopted by Colonel Vasses, of the Grecian force Island of Crete. Captai was sent to Platonia wher of the insurgents conducted camp of the Greeks. Co mained till night and th He said he did not recogniz vali, but would execute the King of Greece and occupy tain Mandato reports tha have two battalions of inf artillery and two mount gether with many Greek The Greek army of occupat up a position between

H.M.S. Camperdown an watching the neighboring of was heard all day in the was heard all day in the tricts. The Greek com not yet replied to the n sued by the powers. The two smaller Greek warships Canea to-day. One of the ships departed from the has set. The French crui mediately in the same direc thing now depends on the the Greek government. wh

the Greek government, wh ment is unenviable. Prime Minister Delyanni have forgotten the consequence in 1886, already done more than end himself of the accusation by ents of indifference to the

Hellenism. The situation at Retimo The consels argently dem mediate landing of troops pose of saving from pillage the Christians. A dispatch to the Daily

Vienna says it is report powers have addressed a co to Greece demanding the v her naval and military for island of Crete within 48 which the port of Pixaeus aded and general hostilitie The Athens correspond Standard says that the insu island of Crete are everywh loyalty to King George of hundred troops started to-d and will land on the isla Wednesday. Great quanti wednesday. Great quantum provisions and munitions of being dispatched to Crete. ministers, the German r excepted, have collectively government to recall the obut this is not regarded as an unbroken stream the tinue to arrive from Crete. A despatch to the Times says that the Memorial states that Fuad Pasha w the Turkish army corps or Thessalian frontier. The Constantinople pape that Assim Bey, the Turkis Athens, has been appointed of the counsel of state; also given an audience and din King at the palace last nig he is to return to Consta diately. A dispatch to the Daily A dispatch to the Daily Constantinople says that Minister of Marine Hæsa been ordered to prepare six A dispatch to the Time stantinople says that orde given for military measo Thessalian frontier for th checking any advance of C and to provide for any even may arise. Henry Norman, who we ington as special correspon ington as special correspon Chronicle during the disc Venezuela troubles, has ju Athens. He telegraphs that troops, carrying six gun landed at Kolunbard, seve Canea. Eight, thousand C them. If the powers had n marines Canea would have pied by the Greeks and Cr a few hours. The govern cially informed the powers is unable to reverse her p is unable to reverse is unable to reverse her p matter of occupation of Cre ATHENS, Feb. 16.-Minis Affairs Skouses, replying to ministers, said that the Greek troops to Crete is sive, but that it is calculat the island and strengthen t peace, for which matters G greatest solicitude. The Greek troops in Cr nounced, are advancing on proclamation of Colonel mander of the Grecian force is dated from the convent of is dated from the convent o reads: "Cretans, you are suffer present state of anarchy an to the excesses of a fanatic excesses which have as national sentiment and stirred the Hellenic p lamentable situation of the same race and esc



The Columbian has decided that the

to die fighting. There is a point beyond to die fighting. There is a point beyond which European diplomacy will have no influence with the Sublime Porte. This point will be reached if the religious stopped. It is not confined to this Prove fanaticism of the Sultan is aroused, and ince by any means, and has had a sort of the great question now is whether that point has been or is likely to be reached. Regarded from a Turkish standpoint the Cretan incident shows that the Mohamthose in authority. We do not believe medan ruler has no rights which Christian governments consider themselves bound to respect. Will this precipitate degree by the matter of patthe inevitable struggle between Islam ronage, but we cannot help it if some and Christianity? newspaper people think otherwise. There

THE COMPANIES ACT.

incorporated by special act; railway con-struction will be liberally assisted and A very important measure is the Com-ism, and it is high time that those peo-subject of legislation. West Kootenay panies Act, which was introduced by the ple who think a newspaper a fit object is certain to progress more rapidly than Attorney-General on Monday. It is for their sneers, and who feel at liberty ever. PRAISE FOR MR. CARLYLE.

is no more worthy or responsible profes-

hardly possible in a single article to deal to question its motives, were given to with all its noteworthy features, but understand that they are slandering an The government has been fortunate in its choice of a minerelogist for its minerelogist for minerelogis some of them may be mentioned. Sec- honorable profession and were held reits choice of a mineralogist for its mining bureau, and it should by all means and tion 20 provides that no company shall sponsible for it before the bar of public methods make the best possible use of his effective labor.—The Kootenaian. commence business until ten per cent. of opinion. its capital shall be paid up in cash. " ex-

clusive of any amount payable otherwise THE New York Times says that no There has been so much "firing than in cash." A statutory declaration that this amount has been subscribed must be filed with the Registrar. Pen-the United States with could be said of the United States with could be said of the United States with could be said of Colorer Hamiled that this amount has been subscribed of it. The same thing could be said of must be filed with the Registrar. Pen- the United States with equal ease and Calgary Herald. alties are attached to any violation of with equal truth. The Times is probably unaware of the number of American this provision.

The provisions in regard to what the people who are turning their faces prospectus shall contain are very full. towards Canada. There was a period in It must be signed by every person its history when the Times was trustnamed therein as director or as a pro- worthy. Being honest it failed, for New posed director. It shall contain :

York has little use for an honest daily. The contents of the memorandum of Then a manager was put in to popularassociation with the names and ad- ize it. He has resorted to the usual dresses of the signatories and the amount New York expedient of lying. of the stock subscribed by them respec-

An Ottawa dispatch says that the liketively; lihood is that the Crow's Nest Pass road The number of shares, if any, fixed by will be built by the government and be the articles as the qualification of a dicontinued to the Coast. We venture the rector:

Similar information as to the direcprediction that it will be rushed through from Lethbridge to Grand Forks as rators; pidly as it can be constructed.

The minimum subscription on which the company may do-business and the Northern and the Seattle, Lake Shore & I'm engaged to the wealthy Mrs. Grabster. Eastern railways are all seeking to get into Kootenay, how would it do to make them pay for the privilege and use the money to subsidize a line to the Coast. minimum amount payable on applica- Northern and the Seattle, Lake Shore &

The number of shares and debenture issued or to be issued fully or partly paid up and the consideration for them;

The names and addresses of the ven-dors of any property acquired by the company and how it is to be paid for. Full particulars as to commissions, preliminary expenses, payment to The names and addresses of the ven-

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his information on this point. It is about This is one instance in which a governdress. The choice of an official organ for the Farmers' Alliance of British Col-umbia was left to the delegation to meet in Victoria on the 23rd instant, it stopped. It is not confined to this Prov- ment.-St. John Sun. being representative of both Island and Mainland. It was finally arranged that the depu-THE COMPANIES ACT.

sanction from a lot of cheap people in The proposed new act handed down tation appointed to wait upon the gov-ernment should meet at the Oriental the newspaper profession, who were con-tent to be regarded as the paid lackeys of more than ordinary importance. It seems to get rather "close" to those hotel, Victoria, on the evening of the 23rd instant, and meet the government the following day (Wednesday), the 24th inthose in authority. We do not believe that any self-respecting newspaper is influenced in the slightest such as railway or mines.—Nanaimo

stant. The following is a list of the delegates as at present appointed, with other mun-icipalities to hear from: Messre. D. Rowan, Terra Nova; H. T. Thrift, Haz. element which might be come to between the two governments and the Indians a more suitable locality, the Minister further observes that if it is promised that the argement to refer the suitable locality of the suitable that the argement to refer the suitable locality of t Amere, A., Ferguson, Brownsville; Capt. Ihompson, Mission; R. G. Clarke, Hat-tic; R. McBride, Eburne; A. S. Vedder, Chilliwack; E. Hutcherson, Ladners; W. H. Hayward, Mechesin; and G. that the agreement to refer tion of the removal of the Songhees Indians to a commission, be made with-out prejudice to the claim of the Dom-Hodwin, Duncans.

ROBERT MCBRIDE, Sec'y, Farmers' Alliance.

the indians, he (the minister) would be disposed to recommend that, as suggest-ed in the resplution of the legislature of British Columbia, the question of the re-moval of the Songhees Indians to a more suitable location be referred to a com-Suitable location be reterred to a com-mission consisting of three commission-ers—one to be appointed by the Lieuten-ant-Governor of British Columbia, one by the Dominion government, and the two so appointed to agree upon a third; and in the event of the two so appointed heine unable to agree upon a third some

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Receipt acknowledged by Secretary of cil of 5th June, 1895, the subject of a reference to the Supreme court, and it cannot now be affected by any arrange-State 10th June.

Оттаwa, 11 June, 1896. "SIR,-I have the honor to acknow ledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst., conveying a copy of an approved minute of the Executive Council of B. C., made in reply to an order of His Ex-cellency the Governor-General in coun-cil of 1st April last respecting the referthe guesence to a special commission of the ques-tion of the removal of the Songhees Inbe accepted as a reserve for the Song-bees Indians, in lieu of their present reserves to the song-beerve, be conveyed in fee simple to the Dominion government, as the trustee of the song-the song bees Indians, in lieu of the song-bees Indians in the simple to the Dominion government, as the trustee of the song-the song bees Indians in the song to inform you that pending the receipt to inform you that pending the receipt of the copy of the Executive Council, which has been forwarded to the Hon. the Secretary of State and which will in due course be referred to the Superior due course be referred to the Superin-tendent-General of Indian Affairs for a Dominion government, as the trustee of the Indians, he (the Minister) would be

report, no official action can be taken in the minute. In the meantime the action of the government is noted by the department. "Yours obedt., etc., "D. C. SCOTT

Acting Dept. Supt.-General Indian "Affairs. "A. Campbell Reddie, Esq., Victoria, B. C."

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NELSON. [From the Nelson Miner.] It has been learned that Mr. Perry,

and in the event of the two so appointed being unable to agree upon a third, some member of the Supreme court to be the third commissioner. "The Minister, in case of the foregoing who is making the location survey for recommendation being approved, would the Crow's Nest Pass railway for the C. also recommend that Mr. Peter O'Reilly, P. R., has completed his work from the Indian reserve commissioner, be ap-pointed commissioner for the Dominion P. R., has completed his work from the mouth of Kootenay lake northward to Gultus creek, about half the distance to

"The committee advise that a certified the point opposite Balfour. The total exports of ore for the week, The total exports of ore for the week, copy of this minute be forwarded to the Lieutenant-Governor of British Colum-bia, for the information of his governas shown through the customs returns, amounted to 780 tons, valued at \$81,-107.30, an average value of \$103.98 per ton. The shipments of matte were 2023/ , tons, valued at \$69,872.75. The fotal

"The committee of the council sub-mit for the approval of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor the following re-solution passed by the legislative assem-by during the present session, namely: "Whereas, resolutions have at various times been passed by the legislature of the province of B.C., in parliament assembled, urging upon the Dominion government the desirability of obtaining the removal of the Sonches tribe of Ia apon the Dominion one small question?" "Certainly. What irability of obtaining is it?" "At wheech restaurang does the removal of the Songhees tribe of In-dians from the reserve to some suitable. land Plain Dealer.

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"(Sd JOHN J. MCGEE, "Clerk of the Privy Council."

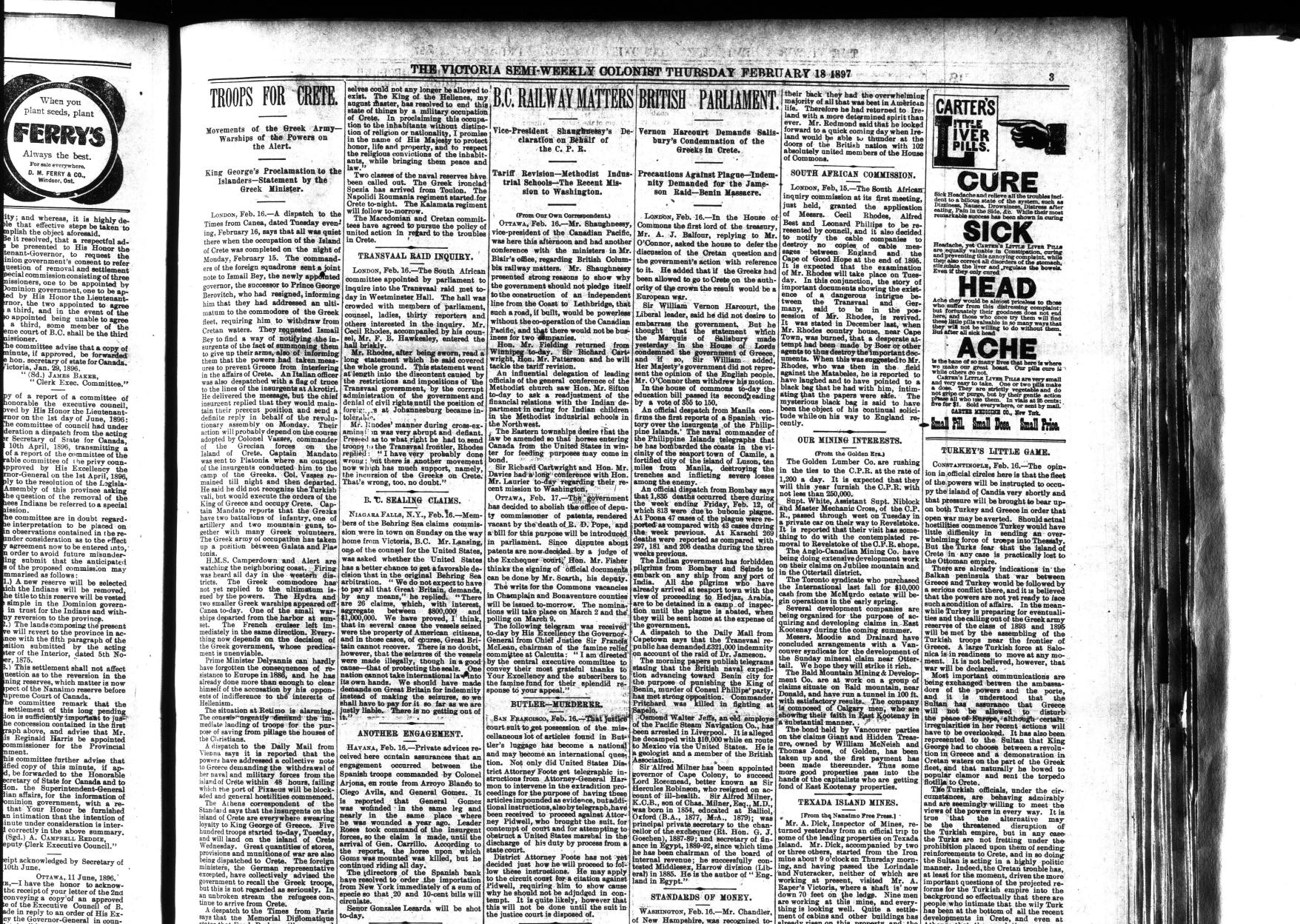
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in order to draw the attention of Europe

that Your Honor be furnished in intimation that the intention of inute under consideration is intercorrectly in the above summary. (Sgd.) A. CAMPBELL REDDIE, eputy Clerk Executive Council."

Ion. the Superintendent-General lian affairs, for the information of

eipt acknowledged by Secretary of 10th June.

Оттаwa, 11 June, 1896. rs,-I have the honor to acknowthe receipt of your letter of the 2nd conveying a copy of an approved te of the Executive Council of B. e in reply to an order of His Excy the Governor-General in counat April last respecting the a special cor a special commission of the ques-the removal of the Songhees Infrom their present reserve to a quitable location. In reply I beg orm you that pending the receipt copy of the Executive Council, has been forwarded to the Hor cretary of State and which will in urse be referred to the Superin-General of Indian Affairs for , no official action can be taken in ute. In the meantime the the government is noted by the ient.

"Yours obedt., etc., 'D. C. SCOTT ng Dept. Supt.-General Indian Lampbell Reddie, Esq., Victoria,

NELSON. [From the Nelson Miner.] s been learned that Mr. Perry, making the location survey for w's Nest Pass railway for the C. has completed his work from the of Kootenay lake northward to creek, about half the distance to nt opposite Balfour, total exports of ore for the week, wn through the customs returns, ted to 780 tons, valued at \$81,an average value of \$103.98 per he shipments of matte were 2023 alued at \$69,872.75. The total ore and matte shipped was

Dachshund-Why, Belle! Whatas come over yon? Come and me of this sausage. The Beagle hank you, Florine. The Dachs-What's the matter? The Beagle iog only I got so timed of the ing, only I get so tired of this dog existence! — New York

nt, I shall want a little luncheon ne theatre." "Yes, mon angel. uite propaire. But may I ask ullquestion?" "Certainiy. What At wheech restaurang does orthy father run a bill."-Cleve-

ministers, the German representative excepted, have collectively advised the government to recall the Greek troops, but this is not regarded as seriously. In The idirectors of the openant to the circuit court for a cuation as have resolved to order the importation to the circuit court for a cuation as from New York immediately of a sum of Pidwell, requiring him to show that 20 and 10 cent hills will why he should not be adjudged in but this is not regarded as seriously. In an unbroken stream the refugees con-

tinue to arrive from Crete. A despatch to the Times from Paris Senor Gonzales Lesarda will be shot this will not be done t to-day. says that the Memorial Diplomatique states that Fuad Pasha will command

the Turkish army corps ordered to the SANITARY CONFERENCE Thessalian frontier. The Constantinople papers announce VENICE, Feb. 16 .- The sanitary con-

may arise.

Bonin was elected chairman. The pro-gramme proposed by the Austrian dele-gate was read and it was decided to disand to provide for any eventuality which

Henry Norman, who went to Washcuss it to-morrow. ington as special correspondent to the Chronicle during the discussion of the Venezuela troubles, has just arrived at

EXTENSIVE FIRE. Athens. He telegraphs that 1,400 Greek

TORONTO, Feb. 16.-(Special)-The big troops, carrying six guns, have been landed at Kolunbard, seven miles from Canea. Eight thousand Cretans joined them. If the powers had not landed the brick warehouse of Anderson, Peacy & Co., Adelaide street west, was gutted by

marines Canea would have been occu-pied by the Greeks and Cretans within fire this morning. The large stock of paints, oils, varnishes and glass is a total a few hours. The government has offi-cially informed the powers that Greece

patch from Quepec: The rumor is once declared that within the last twenty Pugh Bros., wholesale cloak manufacturers, turers, and Reed Bros., manufacturers, both of this city, have assigned. It is rumored that N. C. Wallace is beturers, and Reed Bros., manufacturers, both of this city, have assigned. It is rumored that N. C. Wallace is beis unable to reverse her policy in the matter of occupation of Crete. concerning the Laurier-Greenway set-tlement will soon be made public. The mandement, has been ready for some time, but its publication has been de-layed on account of Mr. Fitzpatrick's mission to Rome, It is added that not ATHENS, Feb. 16.-Minister of Foreign ing urged to enter provincial politics and make a dead set on the Hardy govern-

Affairs Skouses, replying to the foreign ministers, said that the despatch of Greek troops to Crete is not aggres-sive, but that it is calculated to pacify the island and strengthen the European peace, for which matters Greece has the greatest coloiting. The failure of Mr. Garrick, a private banker at Mildmay, is reported. John Donaldson, M.D., inspector figheries at Collingwood, is dead.

greatest solicitude. The Greek troops in Crete, it is an-

nounced, are advancing on Canea. The proclamation of Colonel Vassoa, com-AGAINST MIXED SCHOOLS.

mander of the Grecian forces at Platonic, MONTREAL, Feb. 16 .- (Special)-A deis dated from the convent of Gonia, and cree of the first council of bishops of

the ecclesiastical province of Quebec, warning Catholics not to send their "Cretans, you are suffering from the warning Catholics not to send their children to mixed schools, was read at the different churches on Sunday. present state of anarchy and are exposed to the excesses of a fanatical populace-excesses which have awakened the

excesses which have awakened the national sentiment and have deeply stirred the Hellenic people. This lamentable situation of a people of the same race and same religion, having common destinies with our-

tempt. It is quite likely, however that

BACK FROM BUENOS AYRES.

the justice court is disposed of.

until the suit in

STANDARDS OF MONEY.

and Nutcracker, neither of which are working at present, visited Mr. A. Raper's Victoria, where a shaft is 'now down 70 feet on the ledge. Nine men are working at this mine, and every-thing is looking well. Quite a settle-ment of cabins and other buildings has already risen on this property and the place has quite an air of activity. From the Victoria the party crossed to WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.-Mr. Chandler, of New Hampshire, was recognized to-

day for a speech of which he had given notice on his resolution, reciting that "it is the sense of the senate that the United States should not permanently salt water. The Raven is a compara-

Athens, has been appointed a member Athens, has been appointed a member of the councel of state; also, that he was priven an audience and dined with the fring athen ghalee. Count Bonin Longar, striven an audience and dined with the fring striven for this expression of welcome diately. A dispatch to the Daily News from ad to provide for any eventuality which and to provide for any eventuality which and to provide for any eventuality which and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which any advance of Greek bands, and to provide for any eventuality which is and eventuality which is and provide for any eventuality which is and provide for any eventuality which is and eventuality which is and provide for any eventuality which is and provide for any eventuality which is and and the provide for any eventuality which is and and the provide for any eventuality which is an extill and provide for any eventuality which is and and the provide for any eventuality which is and and the provide

who hves hortheas of height, which as deep well and was drowned.
Beaupres warehouse and the Palace hotel stables at Gleichen, N.W.T., was destroyed by fire last night. The loss to destroyed by fire last night. The loss to the cholarly was one of the notable strokes and three hours, was one of the notable efforts of the present session, not only surance. S. S. Marshall, J. Stokes and the present session, not only while fighting the flames. The cause of the greesent session, not only while fighting the flames. The cause of the bitter sarcasm addressed to the fire is unknown.
APPROVED IN ROME.
Montrear, Feb. 16,--(Special)-La Minerve publishes the following dispatch from Quebec: "The rumor is once more circulated here that a collective work of the stat within the last twenty to more circulated here that a collective work of silver, and the last twenty to the stat a collective work of silver, and the last twenty to the silver has been a steady fall of prices, particularly in farm products, resulting from the last twenty to address there had been a steady fall of silver, and the last twenty to the demonetization of silver, and the last twenty to address the circulated here that a collective work of silver, and the last twenty to the demonetization of silver, and the last twenty to address there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver as there had been a steady fall of the silver astead the silver astead the s

turned to Union.

TOBONTO, Feb. 15 .- The death record this morning includes Alex. McDonald,

CANTON, O., Feb. 16 .- Maj. McKinley downward movement in prices, and caused him to seriously doubt whether of Toronto, aged 84; Geo. Dawson, of was confined to his room last night and the era of restored prosperity was near at hand. He was led to the conclusion, Brampton, aged 75; Charles Cornish, of his doctors advised him to see no visitors Toronto, aged 64; Wm. Winkler, of the until he has recovered from his cold. he said, that prices had not yet "touche

JOHN REDMOND'S THUNDER.

M.P., Parnellite member for the Water-ford constituency was met to-night by a number of his friends and escorted to the Independence club. Mr. Redmond in the constant of the member is the the second of the secon

in the course of his speech to the mem Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the iver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

LONDON, Feb. 13 .- John E. Redmond

Counts, was arrested here yesterday. In the course of his speech to the hord. Fisher registered at the Commercial bers of the club and those assembled there as the result of a system the handcuffs on Fisher in a house of ill-repute. Fisher and Canada and was feeling some says he wandered here as the result of a spree and his books are all right. Hord as C. Steen. The well known thief some great cities of the United States and Canada and was feeling some what fatigued and in no condition then to talk. He would say, however, that at

About Hood's Sarsaparilla and advised me to gives Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world. Friend that Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world. Friend that Hood's Columbus over a year ago.
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 About Hood's Columbus over a year ago.
 Dr. Phillips, at 9:30 o'clock to-night, said: "Mr. McKinley is doing nicely. He has been able to sit up part of the day and is quite comfortable. He will be about in a few days but will not be about in a few days but will not be about in a few days but will not be able to see callers this week. He may

able to see callers this week. He may be able to go to Cleveland at the latter part of this week if his condition con-

tinues favorable."

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M'KINLEY ILL.

MONTREAL, Feb. 17.-The C. P. R. traffic receipts for the week ending February 14 were \$323,000; for the same week last year, \$307,000.

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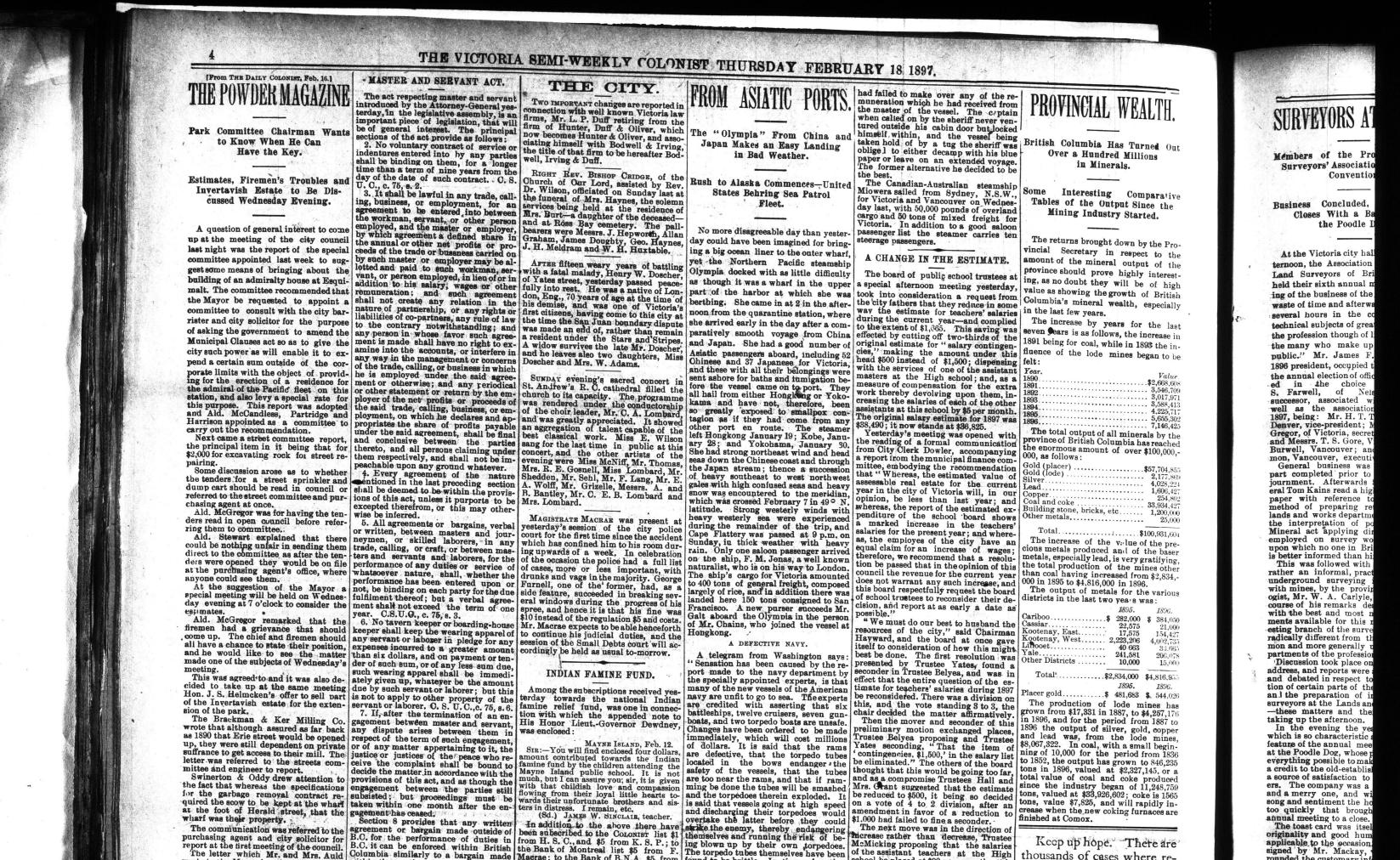
VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.-(Special)-Eugene Fisher, a Seattle brewery cashier, said to have been \$3,000 short in his accounts, was arrested here yesterday Fisher registered at the Commercia

only the attitude taken by the Canadian

bishops is once more approved of in Rome, but that a papal brief has been received reminding the faithful of the authority of the bishops."

DEFAULTER CAPTURED.

spree and his books are all right.



thousands of cases where recovery from Consumption has been complete. Plenty of fresh air and a well-nourished body will check the neat scroll and had below of 1897 surveying methods at work with the the progress of the disease. Nu-Une of the officers in charge of the navy ard, interviewed relative to the alleged with this argument Trustee Yates report and the changes being made, agreed—he thought, however, that the said: "The bow torpedo outfits are being removed from every ship in the navy, and we are now taking them from the battleship Massachusetts. We are he better to extinct the tot the to extinct the to extinct the to extinct th over a week to inquire into. There was no time like the present tritious foods are well in their according to Ald. McGregor, who wished RETURNS BROUGHT DOWN. way, but the best food of all VARIED AGONIES to buy the map at once. The Mayor, who had examined the map, expressed himself as satisfied that The following is the return presented is Cod-liver Oil. When by Hon. Mr. Turner in response to an order of the house for detailed stateneat, and the card as a FOR LONG YEARS. the the battleship intersection of all the al-terations, but they will amount to some millions of dollars, and will require over a year to complete." map, expressed number as basished that order of the house for detailed that it was the best one of the city ever pre-pared, at the same time due considera-tion should be taken before acting. The British Columbia Loan Act of 1895: partly digested, as in Scott's creditable to the artistic t Emulsion, it does not distion should be taken before acting. This seemed to be the opinion of the majority of the council, for Ald. Hatri-Man of Seventy-four Years A Man of Seventy-Iour Years Feels Young Again.
Paine's Celery Compound Gives Him New Blood, Activity and Strength.
The Great Medicine Removes His Troubles and Burdens.
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a gear to complete." A RUSH TO ALASKA.
Indications point to another rush to the thousands who returned from there last summer having had apparently no on the trip. Last Sunday the steamer of the Peace.
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Mr. Thomas R. B turb the stomach and the the High school be reduced to two, the services of Mr. J. N. Muir being disdivertissement commence The request of the Victoria District Fruit Growers' Association for a conferbody secures the whole bene-"The Queen "-Proposed fit of the amount taken. If The request of the Victoria District Fruit Growers' Association for a confer-ence with the council with a view to disyou want to read more about t let us send you a book. cussing the market by-law, and also se-curing the market hall for business and exhibition purposes during the coming SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville, Ont. fruit season next came up. The Mayor was given power to arrange for the meeting. The cemetery caretaker having sent in his resignation, it was accepted, and ap-plications are to be called at once for someone to fill the position. On receipt of the city clerk's usual weekly report as to how he had disposed of the letters he received during the week for the various committees, Ald. McGregor moved that hereafter any communication intended for the streets for the meeting. CROP SEED from country sub-..... 46 36 stamp duty, 5% per cent. on £420,000 £420,000 Sundry persons, 2 per cent. rebate on pre-. 12.731 25 We mail free our new SEED CATALOGUE for 1897, beautifully illustrated, and contain-ing a full description of the best introductions payment of calls... 2,646 02 Of the Peace.
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 March Torma well. "The New Officers"—P I. Garden. Songs and music. "The Ladies"—Proposed Twigg and acknowledged o Mr. W. H. Holmes. Flower and Vegetable Seeds communication intended for the streets committee be sent in three days previ-\$71,070 61 Less, premium on exous to a council meeting. "Too much red tape," called out Ald. cus to a council meeting.
"Too much red tape," called out Ald.
Harrison.
Ald. McGregor could not see it in that light, and stuck to his opionion. "We must have that in writing Ald. McGregor," said the mayor, and the workly alderman sought the assistance of the city clerk to draw it up. Then he made the round of the board trying to get a seconder but without success and had to drop his resolution.
Just before adjournment, Ald. Hall wondered whether the city were going to get the key of the old powder magazine. He believed that the carefaker of the drill hall had it, and would like to know if the city clerk to draw it the negative, so it etill looks as if the park "bloc" is not to be wiped out at once.
Mury triands vaterday accompanied WITH SUFTABLE ILLU The proprietor of the el on the east side of Gover Mr. Peter Metre, has disc itely and with suitable illu is meant by "woman's w It cost him his watch, MANY friends yesterday accompanied to the grave the mortal remains of Mrs. Cameron, of the Dallas rond, while those who found it impossible to attend in Less 57 days, personal matters ..... 570 1,390 00 Cameron, of the Dallas rond, while those who found it impossible to attend in person sent tokens of their sympathy for the afflicted family in the form of floral tributes to the worth and popularity of the departed lady. The services at the home and at Ross Bay were conducted home \$1.872 36 by the pastor of St. Andrew's Presby-terian church, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, business. If sick headache is missery, what are Car tors Little Liver Pills if they will positively ours it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take) while the following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Messre. A. Jack, J. D. Warren, W. Clark, D. McLean, A. Mc-Stub's Vegetable Blood Purifier-at all Leod and J. Mann. "go tro' him." She had I

The Brackman & Ker Milling Co. wrote that although assured as far back as 1890 that Eric street would be openent between master and servant, and dispute the termination of an en-station with although assured as far back as 1890 that Eric street would be openent between them in the state is street would be openent between them in the state is street would be openent between them in the state is street to get access to their mill. between to get access to their mill. between the partial contracting at the street would be openent between the partial to the street scone. Swinerton & Oddy drew attention to the fact that whereas the specification to the fact the specification to the specification to the street scone and that the specification to the specification the specification the specification to the specification the specification to the specification the specification the specification to the specification the specification the specification to the specification t a credit to the old-establis a source of satisfaction to ers. The company was a and a merry one, and wi song and sentiment the ho too quickly that brough annual meeting to a close. The toast card was itsel originality and good hum applicable to the occasion, signed by Mr. Mackay, rounded the customary inf toast, proposer and make with a little end-of-the-cea tion. For example the he ciation of Provincial Land ciation of Provincial Land British Columbia," was mounted on the ever-prese the picketman being a mounted. The chain bef suitable decoration. The side ornamentation ality of the designer. Its a brief outline of the pro the tables had been clea "The Queen "- Proposed Garden. "The Province "- Propose Palmer, and acknowledged the provincial cabinet. "Our Mines "- Proposed Hermon, and replid to by lyle. Hermon, and replid to by lyle. Camp Fire Yarns. "The Iron Horse" — Prope S. Drewry, and acknowledge Shaw and others. Song by Mr. R. E. Palmer. "The Departmental Servi by Mr. J. H. McGregor, and by Surveyor-General Tom Ks Song by Mr. W. H. Holmet "The press" — Proposed b or-General, Mr. Kaines, and by the representatives of th and Mr. W. A. Jowett, of th "That Reminds Me," N well. \$108, to learn, this bein amount of the winning in point. Ella H. Russell was the Ella H. Russell was the and the story that Peter b of the modus operandi show have been an adept in the co, with a fin-de-siecle m 29,166 ounces to the ten. Sunday evening to making joy herself; drank not wise enthusiastically; and awo morning lonely and witho ful companionship of his with sufficient suggestion just past to effectually dis had lost his head. Then he rounded up his c evening before and accused ing misappropriated his wa ables. That is what he me ed me for m' ticker and n the way he expressed it. tinue the dialect, Ella was little minute. tinue the dialect, Ella was little minute. Of course she had taken she said, but it was only feared some bad, dishonest "the tro' him "

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is Mr. Hame mored, seconded by Mr. Kennedy, for a return showing the made this motion was to show the number of land transactions in West Koote, ay, in support of the desire there for a registry office. The memory of land in West Koote.
Williams. The second as a substitute for Mr. Hunter, the present of clock. lead was, from the lode mines .322. In coal, with a small begin f 10,000 for the period from 1836 2, the output has grown to 846.235 n 1896, valued at \$2,327,145, or a alue of coal and coke produced the industry began of 11,248,759 valued at \$33,926,602; coke is 1565 value \$7,825, and will rapidly in ion of the line running to the coast. The announcement was made that the private bills committee sit to-day at 10 i.m. Mr. Booth was placed on the com-nittee as a substitute for Mr. Hunter, and fir. Sword as a substitute for Mr. Hunter, williams. Adjournment was reached shortly be-tore 4 o'clock. SIXTH DAY. TUESDAY, Feb. 16. The Speaker took the chair at 2 p.m. Prayers by Rev. S. Cleaver. DESTRIONS when the new coking furnaces are ed at Comox. Kccp up hope. There are usands of cases where reery from Consumption been complete. Plenty resh air and a well-noured body will check the

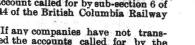
the Dominion.

ordingly agreed to.

Mr. Rogers, Cariboo – From Peter Curran Dunleyy, Theo. Lubbe and D. R. Hon. Mr. Baker thought the mover of Chief Commissioner who might, had he down. The debate was accordingly adjourned. Mr. Helmcken moved, seconded by Dr. Walkem, that an address be pre-sented to the Lieutenant-Governor praying him to move the Dom-tain rights and privileges incidental to tain rights and p LEGISLATIVE NOTES. The "clerical error" in regard to the The "Central for the designer. Its contents give
ab to ot its location is rather indefinite, a brief outline of the proceedings after tables had been cleared and the designer. The contents give it to the discovery, when he divertissement commenced:
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ed progress asked leave to sit again. Mr. Helmcken, before adjournment, drew attention to a letter in the Ross-



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mounted. The chain between affords suitable decoration. The side ornamentation was equally neat, and the card as a whole highly creditable to the artistic taste and origa brief outline of the proceedings after a brief outline of the proceedings after the tables had been cleared and the divertissement commenced: The Iron Horse"—Proposed by Mr. W. S. Drewry, and acknowledged by Mr. G. H. Shaw and others. Song by Mr. R. E. Palmer. Shaw and others. Song by Mr. R. E. Palmer. "The Departmental Service "—Proposed by Mr. J. H. McGregor, and responded to Song by Mr. W. H. Holmes. "The press"—Proposed by the Survey-or-General, Mr. Kaines, and acknowledged by the representatives of the local dailies and Mr. W. A. Jowett, of the Nelson Miner. "That Reminds Me," Mr. H. M. Bur-well. was true the reporter picked up a piece of the rock from the pile of samples and took it to C. M. Fasset, the well known assayer, who, after a brief inspection, unhesitatingly pronounced it the virgin "I have just bonded fourteen new <sup>11</sup> That Reminds Me," Mr. H. M. Bur-ell. "The New Officers"—Proposed by Mr. Garden. Songs and music.

Songs and music. "The Ladies"—Proposed by Mr. H. F. Iwigg and acknowledged ou their behalf by Mr. W. H. Holmes. location of the new camp, which in my estimation is destined to become a sec-ond Butte and Anaconda. This ore is WITH SUITABLE ILLUSTRATIONS. contained in an immense body that is well nigh inexhaustible. The ledge, which is well defined for a distance of

several miles, runs from twelve to forty feet in width on the surface and ex-The proprietor of the elite restaurant on the east side of Government stretet, Mr. Peter Metre, has discovered defin-itely and with suitable illustrations what is meant by "woman's winning way." It cost him his watch, a ring and a pretty scarf pin, of an sgregate valued strong the total amount of the winning in the case in point. Ella H. Russell was the instructrees and the story that Peter himself relates of the modus operand ishows the lady co targe number of mining men visited Sunday evening to making the lady en joy herself: drank not wisely fur timba monniship of his jewelry, but with miscince and the tory in the game of bur-co, with a fin-de-side larger running 29,166 ounces to the ton. He deroted wutch multi now Mr. Gaston has but end of the leave of sunday evening to making the lady en-struction of the size of the tory and without the cherer ful companiship of his jewelry, but with mester of the tory and saws to here and without the cherer ful companiship of his jewelry, but with mester of the leave of sunday evening to making the lady en-struction of the lady en-had locit his head. Then herounded up hiscomrade of the has so are as a newspaper ful companionship of his jewelry, but with the company the scale of the the lady such as as to effectually disprove that has had locit his head. Then herounded up hiscomrade of the evening before act as concesters and no doub when the exast location of the new wis-tric becomesknown a rush will be made with him tuti now ha The proprietor of the elite restaurant

ed me for m' ticker and m' ring," was the way he expressed it. But, to con-tinue the dialect, Ella wasn't fazed for a

Of course she had taken the things,

little minute.

Then he rounded up his comrade of the trict becomes known a rush will be made evening before and accused her of having misappropriated his watch and valu-ables. That is what he meant—"touch-



she said, but it was only because she fearel some bad, dishonest person would "go tro' him." She had left them with Purest and Best for Table and Dairy No adulteration. Never cakes.

be Dominion. Dr. Walkem suggested that, as several and others for a private bill for a rail-of each lot so transferred; (c.) The members were absent from the house, the debate be adjourned. This was ac-

received :

cordingly agreed to. Mr. Kellie moved, seconded by Mr. Hume, for copies of all correspondence between this government and any mem-ber thereof, and any person or persons, company or companies, in relation to the proposed construction of railways from the coast to the Columbia river, or to any part of the Kootenay district. Mr. Kellie said he wanted to know if any received: From William Marion Redpath and others, to incorporate a company to sup-ply water to the town of Trail. From H. T. Braydon and others, of the town of Trail, in support of a pri-vate bill re supplying of water to that town. Mr. Booth presented a report from the private bills committee, that the stand-ting orders in commettion with the unt

Mr. Kellie said he wanted to know if any real practical survey of this road had been made, if any scheme had been laid before the government, and if the pro-moters were worthy of having assistance from the government in aid of their road. The motion was carried. The motion was carried.

The motion was carried. Mr. Kallie moved, seconded by Mr. Hume, for a return showing the number Of West Kootenay Power and Light

of each lot so transferred; (c.) The amount of fees collected on such trans-fers." The motion as amended was carried. QUESTIONS. Mr. Helmcken asked the Attorney. General: 1. Was any action taken by the government on the finding of the coroner's jury on the investigation of the Point Ellice bridge disaster, which occurred on the 26th May last past? 2. If no action was taken, why were have done credit to any lightning change occurred on the 26th May last past?

vith the un-	not prosecuted according to law? The Attorney-General replied :	0
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Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, Dr. Chase's Ointment, Dr. Chase's Catarth Cure, and Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Tur-peatine, his latest and greatest discovery for all throat and lung affections. "I was sick for three years," says James Simpson, of Newcomb Mills. "I tried various alleged patent cures and several boxes of a certain pill which has been greatly cracked up. I got no re-lief. Then I tried Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Since, I have been able to work every day and feel like a new man. Your pills alone cured me at a cost of 25c." "I have been subject to severe colds every fall and spring." says Miss Hattie Delaney, of 174 Crawford street, Toron-to. "I used many cough medicines, but none cured me until at a cost of 25 cents

none cured me until at a cost of 25 cents I tried Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and

Turpentine." "My husband was troubled with the worst kind of piles," writes Mrs. Jane Potts, of Meyersburg, "He was often unable to work. Since using your Chase's Content has is completely cured. It is

intment he is completely cured. It is ruly worth its weight in gold instead

"A clerical error in an act of Assembly is an impossibility." Nevertheless cleri-cal errors do occur. A curious one very nearly crept into the act to incorporate the town of Milltown, N.B. Providing

artist in the world. • In presenting the return of the ex-penses incurred in connection with the loan of 1895 the Premier again laid em-

phasis upon the importance of the fact of the motion having been permitted to pass not being construed into a prece-dent. The government were willing to

give the house the information asked give the norse the information asked for, but the house ought to guard very jealously its rights in matters of this kind, and these extended far enough to give it full control over the provincial finances, and it is not necessary to ask the Lieutenant-Governor for in-formation regarding them. The house can order the information to be fur-nished.

The act for the incorporation and regulation of trading companies, introduced by the Attorney-General vesterday, con-tains 134 sections and a very copious ap-pendix in the form of schedules. Very many of the provisions divergence descent many of the provisions are new, and are based upon the Imperial Act, 53 and 54,

ictoria, Cap. 62. Many of the questions asked in the

house yesterday stand over for to-day. The information asked for is of such a character that it takes time to prepare it. Some of the matters dealt with in the questions would be more appropri-ately presented in the form of a motion

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There is not a leading Canadian who does not despise the kind of warfare into which such a contest would drag us. But it is ever the British policy to resent Railway rates than they have a greater degree of control hither to had said the work had over railway rates than they have hither to had?" The Provincial Secretary—"The question is now under consideration." Mr. Graham asked the Chief Commis-

for an address.



the encroachments of the Columbia river on the townsite, and he will prepare a report on the matter to be sent to Ottawa. Mr. Roy will have charge of the field work of the survey which has in view the finding out, if possible, of some method of preventing the recurrence of the overflow of farming lands on the Lower Fraser. He intends after getting the staff at work to visit the whole dis-trict subject to overflow before the spring

the staff at work to visit the whole dis-trict subject to overflow before the spring freshets and then after the high water in the summer will find out just what dam-age has been done. Consequently he will remain in the province several months. His headquarters will be at Westminster.

W.H. Hayward of Metchosin, returned He Will Prove It Free of Charge last night from Westminster, where he last week attended the meeting of the to Every Sufferer in Victoria. farmers' convention at Westminster. The object of the association, which has been named "The Farmers' Alliance of

e to laver y sufferer in victoria. It is but natural that sufferers from that terrible disease known as "Asthma," after treating with doctors and trying, without avail, numberless remedies advertised as "positive cures" have come to the conclus-ion that there is no cure for this most dis-tressing of diseases, and can be pardoned H for being still skeptical, when they learn that Dr. Rudolph Schiffmann, the recog-mized authority, who in thirty years of ex-perience as a medical practitioner, has treated more cases of Asthma and its kind-red than any living doctor, has at last ac-hieved success by perfecting a remedy which not only gives instant relef, even in thas bured thousands of sufferers who were considered incurable. The worst and most inveterate of cases, but thas cured thousands of sufferers who were considered incurable. The worst and most inveterate of cases, but thas cured thousands of sufferers who were considered incurable. The worst and most inveterate of cases, but thas cured thousands of sufferers who were considered incurable. The work and most inveterate of cases, but thas cured thousands of sufferers who were minds of many who have been duped by fraudulent nostrums, and that a personal test will establish the truth of his claims Dr. Schiffmann authorizes this paper to an-nounce that any sufferer from Asthma, Bronchitis, Nasal Catarra or Hay Fever, who will send thim their address plainly written on a postal card will receive a free trial package of Dr. Schiffmann's Asthma fure absolutely free of charge. To accept buiks most generous and extraordinary offer involves only the cost of a postal card and the remedy undoubtedly possesses the merit he claims for it, otherwise the Doctor would not openly invite sufferers to test it absolwtely free of charge, before purchas-ing; even paying the postage on the sample himself. This offer is not good after March lst, so persons desting to avail themselves of the same should prompty send their ad-dres British Columbia," is, Mr. Hayward re-marked, to bring about co-operation among the farmers of the proamong the farmers of the pro-vince so that they may work together for one common end—the benefit of the farming industry. Mr. Hayward was greatly pleased at the cor-dial manner in which the Mainland farmers greeted him as one of the Island representatives, and the meeting elected him as one of the vice-presidents of the alliance. He believes that these meet-ings of farmers and the interchange of views will be of benefit to all concerned and result in the arouth of a much de and result in the growth of a much de-sired co-operation among the members of the agricultural community.



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armers. it being one of the finest fer tilizers known, and is especially adapted to fruit growing and choice vegetable PURE FOOD AT THE FAIR.

AGAIN CHANGES HANDS. The Nicaraguan bark Dominion, which eff Puget Sound for Sydney some weeks

left Puget Sound for Sydney some weeks ago with a cargo of lumber, was recently sold in the Australian port by an order of the Admiralty court. She brought at auction  $\pounds I_{,600}$ . The vessel had been libeled by some of her crew for their wages. Local shipping men will prob-ably recognize in the bark the craft which was sold in Esquimalt not many vears ago to Cantain T. P. H. Whitelaw

powders." Exposure has doomed the impure pow-ders. The reasons which excluded them from the Fair should banish them from every kitchen. Following is a condensed list of the conyears ago to Captain T. P. H. Whitelaw, of San Francisco.

THE "RAND" REPORTED.

lenned pewders from the "Sanitary Era." "Calumet," "Kenton," "Forest City," 'Chicago Yeast," "Grant's Bon Bon," 'Hotel," "Taylor's One Spoon," "Snow 'Hotel," "Taylor's One Spoon," "Snow 'Aff," "Snow Ball," "Climax," "Rock-tt," "Evans," "Little Giant," "Echo," 'Empire," "Loyal." Captain Laverge, of the whaleback City of Everett, which arrived at Na-naimo yesterday for coal cargo, reports having spoken the sealing schooner C. D. Rand sixty miles north of Cape Blan-co. She had at the time 121 skins and asked to be reported " all well."

"Empire," "Loyal." Below will be found a partial list of the brands of alum baking powders sold in this market that have been examined and found

The newly organized Victoria Hockey Club yesterday completed arrangements for the use during the season of Oak Bay recreation park, and yesterday the work of putting the grounds in shape com-menced. They will be ready for use next week in all probability, and in the meantime an indoor match at the drill hall, is talked of. The ladies as well as the gentlemen are taking very kindly to the popular game, and the latest addis. I tion to the list of new clubs is a ladies' I association at Esquimalt. har H. Flitchors wayper association at Esquimalt.

Mr. E. H. Russell piano; Mr. G. W. Booth's solo in the Carnival Song by Dr. Arne was very well rendered, and the closing number was the Pilgrims Chorus from Tannhauser, with piano and string accompaniment, a fitting finale for a very delightful entertain-ment. Nearly every number was en-cored, the responses being in each case a repetition of the number. Mr. G. W. COMMANDER Pritchard, of the British naval expedition now advancing upon Benin, who was killed in the fighting at Sapelo as announced in the Coloxisr's despatches yesterday, will be well re-membered by many residents of Victoria and Esquimalt. He served on this station from 1887 to 1891 as navigating officer of H. M. S. Espiegle, and it is only about four months since his wife

only about four months since his wife passed through Victoria en route to Hawaii, where she is now visiting friends. The news of her bereavement

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ago through the vignance of the police it was discovered that at least there was reasonable ground to suspect that a game of some kind, played with cards, was in progress in the rear of Pouldio's cigar store, in which numerous colored

checks were used, known as "chip and red, white and blue, account "chips and red, white and Diue, accord-ing to nominal varying values. This to a good detective was a clue to the nature of the case and with so slen-der a piece of evidence to start with Ser-geant Hawton and Detectives Perdue and Palmer successful in developing McManus-On the 12th inst., at Northfield, B.C. Robt. H. McManus, Esq., late of Her Majesty's First Life Guards, aged 57.

geant Hawton and Detectives and Palmer succeeded in developing their case sufficiently to justify them in their case sufficiently to justify them in

CAMERON-In this city, on the 12th inst., at her residence, 64 Dallas Road, Mrs. C. Cameron, a native of Nova Scotia, aged 79 years. HAYES-On the 11th inst., at he residence of her daughter, Mrs. Burt, No. 56 Vancouver street, after a lingering illness, Mrs. Kuth Hayes, a native of Staffordshire, England, aged 85 years and 8 months.

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n years. Intered into paradise on January 9th, Amy M. (Bia), dearly loved daughter 7. C. E. Dobbs, of Valcartier.

h this city, on the 15th inst., at his nce, 42 Henry street, Rock Bay, James , a native of Lauder, Scotland, aged

ro, Feb. 17.—(Special)—At the n session of the Grand Lodge of V. there was a very animated n on the question of separating rio order from the parent or-on. T. M. Cornett moved that th of the order in Ontario, and and harmony of the order as a uld be best served by this grand er a settlement of all claims ations, both on its own behalf of the Supreme lodge, declaring and released from any further r obligation under the relief ny other law of the Supreme H. Nixon, of Toronto, secondption, which was carried unani-It was also decided that the es should be removed from St.

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 THE BEACH MARKERS.
 Provide state of the development of the large outlet for the large out Butter, fresh, per lb.... "Creamery, per lb... Delta, per lb... "Delta, per lb... "California, per sq. "California, per roll... Honey (Chilliwack) per lb... Hams, American, per lb... "Canadian, " "Boneless, " "Glasgow beef, per lb... Bacon, American. per lb... and many persons were leaving the room. It is felt that the resolution is of altogether too sweeping a character, and that an attempt to tie their hands so closely would place our representatives in a somewhat undignified position. ...... WESTMINSTER. WESTMINSTER, Feb. 16. - There is Bacon, American, per lb. "Rolled" widespread regret in the city and dis-Long clear " Canadian " trict at the death of Mrs. Bodington, "Canadian " Shoulders, hams, per lb... Golden Cottolene, per lb... MEATS-Beef, per lb... Sides, per lb... Veal " Mutton, " """ carcase, per lb... Pork, fresh, per lb... Turkeys, per lb... "" (Eastern)... Geese, per lb... wife of Dr. Bodington, medical superintendent of the provincial insane asylum. tendent of the provincial insane asylum. Mrs. Bodington is the fourth victim in the city of the scourge of grippe, which has afflicted quite a host of victims, most of whom have, however, happily recovered. Mrs. Bodington was born at Ufford, in Suffolk, and came to British Columbia with her husband about ten vears since, first residing at Hatzic, but years since, first residing at Hatzic, but latterly in Westminster. She was a lady deese, per lb..... Chickens, each..... of distinguished scientific attainment Pigeons, per brace..... Duck, Mallard, per brace and contributed occasional papers to the proceedings of various learned societies Dios, Maharu, per Baconne Eurs-Eastern apples, per lb..... Bananas, per doz... Granberries, per lb..... Oranges, Australian, per doz "Navel, per doz... Lepanese oranges, per box... and to the pages of high class serials. The branches of study to which she devoted most of her attention were biology, psychology and botany. Mrs. Bodington leaves to mourn her loss, in addition to her well known husband, two chil-dren at home, a young son, Miss Winnie Bodington, two other sons engaged in business in England, a third a barrister, in Paris. a fourth a physician in the Japanese oranges, per doz. Japanese oranges, per box. FISH—Salmon, spring, per lb. Halibut, per lb. Rock Cod, per lb. Smoked Salmon, per lb. Herring, per lb. Kippered Herring, per lb. Haddock, Finnan, per lb. Bloaters per lb. in Paris, a fourth a physician in the Oriental service of the C.P.R., whilst two daughters, Mrs. Hamilton, wife of the C.P.R. land commissioner at Winni-

peg, and Miss Bodington are living in

Bloaters, per lb..... Eastern oysters, per tin....

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Con. Baker's point is of quite as great importance as Mr. Adams' resolution. He took the ground that an export tax would retard the development of the mining country and discourage invest-ment in it. If such a law were enacted would be able to combine and put up the price charged for smelting. He be-

the phice charged for smelting. He be-lieved that it was greatly in the interest of the owners of mines of low grade ore. that foreign smelters should be allowed

f of the owners of mines of low grade ore. that foreign smelters should be allowed to compete for it. Col. Baker recognized that Mr. Adams sought to attain a praiseworthy object by his resolution, but believed that when he had given the subject further consideration he would see the fallacy of the proposal embraced in the resolution. Mr. Adams sought to increase the number of wage earners in the Province, but Mr. Baker suggested that by reason of the shutting down of the low grade mines more men might be discharged than any additional smelters discharged than any additional would employ.

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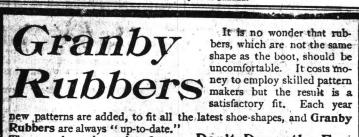
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At a meeting of the Chignecto Ship wealth. It was precisely analogous to Railway Company held in London hope the belt to the south, which, excluding Advance. was expressed that the Dominion gov- coal, was producing nine-tenths of all the

ernment, would shortly restore the sub- precious minerals in the United

here will be a central committee at



to be satisfied that way of conducting the tariff investigait was a work for the advantage of Can- tion, which exposes him to adverse critiada, and included the amount asked for cism, but adds that his critics ought to in the charges upon the revenue. The remember that he is a trained newspapin the charges upon the revenue. The point we wish to make is that the Mari-time Provinces were never deterred, when they approached the government with a demand for assistance, by any when they approached the government with a demand for assistance, by any considerations of modesty. A hundred and seventy thousand dollars a year for twenty years for a ship railway of doubtful value was certainly not a timid represent and the site as the site and the site as the sit not a timid request, and its con- he wants to know he wants to learn as cession certainly cannot be said to quickly and directly as possible. The have indicated anything like a niggard- paper must come out on time, and therely disposition on the part of parliament fore he gets into the habit of "cutting or the government. British Columbia might well take a leaf out of the book of man would take time to go around the across lots," so to speak, when another her Eastern sisters in this particular. corner.

The construction of the ship railway

The construction of the ship railway might prove to be of very considerable service to a certain class of shipping, but it would add very little to the popula-tion of the country, would open no new territory to settlement, would not facili-tate the development of any new re-sources. It was not claimed that by the expenditure of this rast fame to the part territory to murderers at last; that his territory to settlement, would not facht-tate the development of any new re-sources. It was not claimed that by the expenditure of this vast sum the revenue of the Dominion would be increased. The application was made simply on the ground that the railway would be a con-venience to navigation. It is not necessary to repeat that the assistance which British Columbia asks from Canada is for works of a different class. We ask for aid for railways; but we are able to point out that every mile of road constructed for the purpose of

of road constructed for the purpose of the ships were badly knocked about in a opening new sections of this province gale, four men being drowned and a means not only that facilities for the in- large number injured. In the next place, vestment of capital will be provided and the crack ship Indiana stood the strain that colonization will keep pace with of rough weather so badly that she was railway construction, but that the direct sent into port; the trouble was with her

railway construction, but that the direct result to the revenue of the Dominion will undoubtedly more than balance the charges entailed by it. More than \$33,-000 were collected in duties at the port of Nelson in January. The returns for the rest of the year will greatly exceed this amount. We probably understate the case when we say that Kootenay will pay the Dominion, directly and indi-rectly, in customs and excise more than

rectly, in customs and excise more than ers at the sessions held in that city india million dollars in 1897. It must be cates that no serious changes from the

rectly, in customs and excise more than a million dollars in 1897. It must be conceded that what has been done in Kootenay can be 'repeated in reserval parts of the 'province. It will probably be repeated in East Kootenay as soen as the Grow's Nest Pass road is built. That is to say the influx of population and the mining tion of securing the Intercolonial ren-

BY WAY OF VARIETY.

Calcutta, who will receive and adminis-ter the money subscribed at home, in India, or elsewhere. The central com-mittee will apportion the funds between Mrs. Wellment-Poor fellow! Have you the several provinces, and throughout the provinces local committees for towns and rural districts will be formed, as

and vill act under control will be formed, as provincial committees may determine, and will act under control of provincial committees. Periodical reports will be prepared concerning the expenditure of charitable funds and the results ach-ieved. ieved.

Reports of two large meetings are en-closed with the circular—one held at the Mansion House, London, and another at "I don't mind the city so much now-I'm getting accustomed to its ways." "Are you? How?" "Well, I used to turn two somersaults every time I got off a street car, and now I only turn one."-Chicago Record. Mansion House, London, and another at Calcutta. At the former the Lord May-or, the Duke of Connaught, Lord George Hamilton, Mr. George Curzon M.P., Sir R. Hanson, the Duke of Cambridge, and Mr. Sanderson, governor of the Bank of England, spoke, soliciting the assistance of the very large assemblage present, and referring sympathetically to the fa-mine sufferers. WOMEN'S ARMENIAN RELIEF.

nine sufferers. At home, in the city of Victoria, latest reports are as follows: Miss Jessie Wolley, \$1, and Mr. E. C. Arden, \$5.

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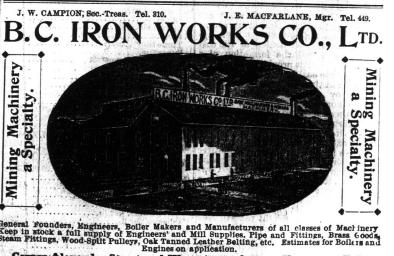
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diplomacy is framed.

Oriental diplomacy is framed. It has been announced in the n pers here that the Tuekish min Athens hus been appointed a me the council of state, and the Gree ister here, Mauricodato, is to be his passports, but as this dispatch the report has not been confirme the Sultan may have been ind the ambassadors to delay the ma There was an incident at the I theatre in the Stamboul quarter day evening which is regarded by people as being an attempt to a another outbreak on the part Mussulmans. Two Albanian sol the Yildiz palace guard, the most troops of the Sultan, who were the audience, suddenly discharge revolvers in the air, causing a panic. A rough-and-tum ble fight ed, during which a bystande wounded. Two of the guardsme arrested and taken to the neares depot, previous to being handed the military authoriting et the

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the military authorities at the kicsk. ATHENS, Feb. 17.—A battery artillery, commanded by Prince las of Greece, started to-day for I twenty miles from the gulf of Sa and military reserves are still be rolled. The Greek ironclad. which arrived here from Toulon day, is to be prepared for active with all possible haste. Eeinforce are being sent to the Greek to the island of Crete. The Greek to the island of Crete the Times says: biosting of the flags of the powers citadel of Canee by the side of the esh standard as reported by our of the descent of a few hundred Gree diers with proclamations. Dou the insurgents will soon submit first complete assurance must be that in no case will the island re the Statar's direct control." The Constantinople correspond the Times thinks that the power

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the Times thinks that the powers decided to occupy the Cretati scap the northern and western portions island, leaving the Greeks to enjoy selves in the mountainous regions interior. He believes that the are sick of Crete and are willing to render that unprofitable possess Greece if Greece will bind here assume an attitude of quiescen Macedonia.

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