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The Semi-Meekly Colonist.

THIRTY-EIGHTH YEAR.

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favor of a purely revenue tariff, says

'To this curtain lecture Mr. Laurie

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WINNIPEG, July 9.—Premier Green-

HENLEY REGATTA.

HENLEY, July 9 .- The course to-day

ing the Bucks shore even more than yes-

place in the umpire's launch in order to

New Haven crew, were in a skiff near the

Challenge cup the Leanders beat the

Thames Rowing Club as they liked

by two and a quarter lengths. Time, 7:43. The heat started at 12:30 p.m.

lenge cup, for eight oars, Emanuel College, Cambridge, beat Trinity Hall,

let, London R. C. beat Leander club.

lenge cup, four oars, Trinity College, Oxford, beat the London Rowing Club.

In the final heat for the Visitors

lege, Cambridge, beat Magdalen College,

The Leanders' time in the victory of

cup, was 7.06. The Leanders' time in the

race against Yale on Tuesday was 7 min

14 sec., and not 7 min. 1/4 sec. as stated.

how false the doctrine is."

DAMAGED BY THE HEAT.

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The Chronicle has a complimentary

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appears to have paid attention, for his

folio, but that will not be accepted.

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Cartwright Turned Down for Fielding and David Mills Shelved With a Judgeship.

Senator McInnes Called In Without Portfolio and Pacific Coast Liberals Are Wrath.

OTTAWA, July 9.—Two thousand people in a partial way. The leader seems to coliseum in Jackson park were thrown welcomed Wilfrid Laurier when he arhears; or is it that Sir Richard has
rived here at 8:35 to-night in response gained his point?"

accept the views of the last man he hears open this morning the band struck up
"Massa's in the cold, cold ground." At to His Excellency's summons. Beyond three hearty cheers when the Premier-designate alighted there was no demonstration. Accompanied by Mr. Belcourt, of Commerce. President Geo. A. Cox, of the latter bank subscribed \$30,000 to office. He prayed that the choice of the latter's mess at Mr. Laurier drove immediately to the Ontario. It is also stated that the busi-would redound to the glory of his coun-Russell house, where a large crowd was ness in London is still to be retained by try and his God. Senator White handawaiting him. After registering he shook the Bank of Montreal, while on this side ed the gavel over to Congressman Rich- presided, and was supported by the Earl hands with a few acquaintances and the account will be wholly with the ardson of Tennessee, who announced that the committee on resolutions was orderly from Government House made

The Liberal leader as yet has not ready to report, and called to the committee on resolutions was orderly from Government. arranged for to-morrow morning. Those stituency. who came up with Mr. Laurier were Major Sutherland, chief Liberal whip, and Messrs. Tarte, Borden and Fisher, prospective ministers. "Jimmy" Conpressed as Nicional Mr. Laurier as yet regarding a Northwest representative in read, which was done. The reading of the Prime way is in the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthusiast demanded that the passage be representative in read, which was done. The reading of the Prime way is in the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthusiast demanded that the passage be representative in read, which was done. The reading of the Prime way is in the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthusiast demanded that the passage be representative in read, which was done. The reading of the Prime way is in the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthusiast demanded that the passage be representative in read, which was done. The reading of the Prime way is in the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but says he has had no of both gold and silver, and one enthus and the city but say tagged himself on to the party but evi- question. dently he was not wanted and has no

show for a portfolio. From present appearances Mr. Lau-rier will not be able to submit his com-one ahead but ninety ballots have been silver. plete slate to His Excellency until held over to be argued on. Saturday or Monday. The difficulty lies in the Western representation, but it is thought that Sifton will be the man. Mr. Martin seems to be cordially detested by many of the Grits, and no one was more crowded which was more crowded which was wants him in office. British Columbia during the regatta. The weather was does not appear likely to get an office. during the regatta. The weather was hot and clear, with a strong breeze favoring the Probe store over the probe of the probe o

Quebec-Laurier, Tarte, Fisher and Ontario-Mowat, Cartwright, Scott,

Mulock and Paterson. Nova Scotia-Fielding and Borden. New Brunswick-Blair. Prince Edward Island - Davies.

Manitoba-Sifton (probable). It is believed that Laurier and Mowat will take the offices of president of council and secretary of state: Geoffrion. justice; Tarte, railways and canals; Fisher, agriculture; Cartwright and The Thames Rowing Club had the Berks Blair, trade and commerce and public works. Fielding is down for final result would be. The Leanders Davies will ikely get marine and fisheries and Scott postmaster-general. Borden will probably have militia. Mulock and Paterson are likely to get controller. and Paterson are likely to get controller-Charles Tupper had intended, the salaries will be raised to \$7.000 a year. Fitzportfolio. Pelletier will speaker of the Senate and Edgar of the Commons. David Mills, whom everybody expected to see in the cabinet. will be appointed to the Supreme court in succession to Judge Gwynne, on leave preparatory to retirement. Mr. Laurier Challenge cup, for four oars, Cains Colored Challenge cup, for four oars, Cains Challenge cup, for four oars, C to-day sent summonses to his colleagues, most of whom will be here to-morrow.

ago, and we have it still and guard it close y. We advertise because we would largely increase our already ex-tensive business. All do not know our business characteristics, nor the pe-business characteristics, nor the pe-business characteristics, nor the pebusiness characteristics, nor the pe-cuniary advantage to be derived from trading with us. We state everything cumiary advantage to be derived from trading with us. We state everything in truth, and all persons favoring us with their patronage can do so with the assurance of our desire to give the greatest satisfaction in Styles, Qualities and Prices.

Wrinkled Loveliness! Crinkled Prettiness! Puckered Beauty! Knotted Elegance!

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The Westside.

J. HUTCHESON & CO'Y.

umbia must have a 'full-fledged' minister with a portfolio. That is the demand which the four Liberal members from the Pacific province propose to make to Laurier. If the Liberal leader

is not prepared to accede to this request | They Enthusiastically Adopt the Silthere will be dissatisfaction and perhaps ver Platform and Adjourn Without Reaching a Ballot.

The Mail, commenting editorially on an article in the Montreal Witness in Fran Coinage A Lively Free Coinage—A Lively Debate.

wise to deal with the tariff peacemeal or CHICAGO, July 9.—As the doors of the accept the views of the last man he that the committee on resolutions was Christian Victor. his appearance at the Russell and it was stated whether he will sit for Quebec the platform Senator Jones of Ala- orable Artillery Company of Boston soon learned that an appointment for an East or for Saskatchewan, but it is be- bama to make the committee's report. dined with the Company of Fishmongers interview with His Excellency had been lieved he will sit for the former con- The silver ranks raised a cheer when to-day, an ancient and one of demand the free and unlimited coinage | nual revenue being estimated at £20,000. the rejected of Nipissing, had the cabinet or a settlement of the school the platform was concluded without any A Regina dispatch says that all the the minority was read by J. H. Wade, ballots are now recounted in the West of Ghio, the principal plank of which

Senator Ben Tillman, of South Caroida, opened the debate in behalf of free coinage. He made a most bitter speech, attacking the administration of dent Cleveland and denouncing the gold people of New York as slave drivers. silver vs. gold was a sectional one and would prevail. He said: "There is not certainly Mr. Laurier's selections, by ling the Bucks shore even more than yes-terday. By the invitation of Colonel a paper in this city that is not in the Willan, representative of the stewards of the Royal Henley regatta. Captain of give us a fair show." He concluded the city hall and were received by the Treadwell, of the Yale crew, occupied a by pledging the solid vote of the South Mayor and aldermen and a number of

to any good straight silver candidate. see the Leanders race, and Bailey and Clark, and several other members of the continuous committee, said he and Col. Domville, members-elect of the start. In the final heat for the Grand man that this was a sectional issue to to congratulate Mr. Laurier upon his ac-

In the seventh heat for the Thames speech this afternoon caused a furore.

TORONTO, July 9.—An Ottawa dispatch that crew over New College yesterday, to the Mail-Empire says: "British Col- in the fifth heat for the Grand challenge"

Ancient and Honorable Artillery the expedition from there into the Mattheward Restaurance of Posters Visit the Men of Boston Visit the

> editorial on the Yale crew and the con-test at Henley. It says: "No group of foreign visitors ever made a pleasanter impression and they have added an ex-Ceremonies of the Occasion-The Visitors Highly Gratified With the Function.

hibition of as genuine a piece of pluck as ever was seen in a sporting contest. The first half of LONDON, July 9.—Yesterday the memthe race was a magnificent spec-tacle. Nothing can efface the recollecbers of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston paid their respects to Her Majesty at Windsor end." That's all it is—a "Public Confidence" and trade treads on its heels. We gained the confidence of buyers many years ag, and we have it still and guard it close y. We advertise because we have its were the leading features, reached memory behind them. But the confidence of buyers many years ag, and we have it still and guard it close y. We advertise because we have its close y. We have the have y. We have the have y. We have the have y. We have th see. Americans may feel grateful to their countrymen for having left such a their countrymen for having left such a Waterloo station shout 10 o'clock, started to the Salisbury column with reference for Windsor Castle at 10:30 and reached Windsor at 11 o'clock, where they were received by the mayor and corporation, who presented an address of welcome The Chronicle's rowing expert dewhich Col. Walker briefly acknowledged scribes Yale as showing splendid pluck When Col. Walker received the mayor's address he saluted, thanking him, The Standard says: "Yale's defeat ing the Bostonians had not come to England as strangers, but as children to a is no reflection on their skill. Next to being victors ourselves we should have mother, who, after 250 years, still retained their ancient love for her. (Loud rejoiced with the triumph of our Ameri-

The sporting papers protest most strongly against the attempt made by cheers.) The procession then reformed, and an American reporter to prejudice the race by charging the English authorities where the guard at the entrance saluted Carstairs and other high officials of the of another nation."

Of course, in white goods we have the very best for the money, Nainsooks and Lawns from 12½ cts., India Lineas, From 10 cts per yard, Haireloth and imitation haireloth, at 16. 25c, and 35c, Crinoline (0c., Wigan 10c., Bateens 12½c. and 15c.

SALMON CANNERY AT SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, July 9—The new dock at the suspected by the Queen, after which they were entertained at luncheon.

At 1 o'clock punctually the Queen, dressed in black and carrying a black on the Nez Perce reservation is about burned up, the oat crop has suffered, and wheat is damaged to an extent of interlining, good as the best, 15 cts. per yard. Haireloth and imitation haireloth, at 15c. 25c, and 35c, Crinoline (0c., Wigan 10c., Imperial Bilesia, worth 25c., now 20c., Silkoline 15o. and 20c., Sateens 12½c. and 15c.

At 1 o'clock punctually the Queen, dressed in black and carrying a black sunshade, arrived in a carriage drawn by two gray horses, preceded by an outburned up, the oat crop has suffered, and wheat is damaged to an extent of five bushels to the acre. In the Palouse country oats suffered most, but the saluting point the Ancients presented with their fresh fish burned up, the oat crop has suffered most, but the saluting point the Ancients presented with their fresh fish burned up, the oat crop has suffered most, but the saluting point the Ancients presented with their fresh fish burned up, the oat crop has suffered and wheat is damaged to an extent of five bushels to the acre. In the Palouse was carriage with Her Majesty. Saluting point the Ancients presented with their fresh fish burned up, the oat crop has suffered and wheat is damaged to an extent of they were entertained at luncheon.

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from all points, is about 10 per cent. each.
The weather is moderating and further This This ceremony concluded, at the word of command from Col. Walker, the vistion, died here on Tuesday.

iting Ancients marched past, in differ ent formations, and the Queen expressed pleasure at the smart military appearance of the men. Her Majesty then drove past the east terrace, upon which the American ladies were assembled, and bowed and smiled to them repeated ly. The lady visitors bowed in response to the Queen's salutation, and there was

loud round of cheering. The Queen in addressing Col. Walker said: "I hope you had a pleasant voyage and I am glad to see you here." Walker merely bowed in reply. Majesty, speaking to Mr. asked after his health asked after his health. The Queen drove away amid ringing cheers from the Bostonians, who were later entertained at a sumptuous luncheon.

The visiting artillerymen were very highly gratified at the pleasant manner "Massa's in the cold, cold ground." At in which they were received by Her 10:52 Chairman White dropped the Majesty. Mr. and Mrs. Bayard dined

one of the new members-elect for Ottawa, of the latter bank, subscribed \$30,000 to office. He prayed that the choice of the Royal Artillery at the latter's mess at Mr. Laurier drove immediately to the the Liberal election fund for Western convention might be a man whose work Woolwich yesterday evening was as enof Denbigh, General Morris and Prince

The officers of the Ancient and Honsome of them heard the words, "We wealthiest of the London guilds, its an-The principal officers of the Honorable marked applause. Then the report of Artillery Company of London were also guests of the company. Both the Boston officers and the Londoners were in full The guests numbered one hundred and fifty, including Sir Evelyn Wood, quartermaster of the army, and many prominent merchants and city

APPRECIATES HIS POSITION.

MONTREAL, July 9.—(Special)—Vice- be delegated to corporations or indi-Admiral James Erskine, accompanied viduals. by a number of officers of H.M.S. Inpass unchallenged. The silver men, cession to the premiership. Mr. Lauwho had been plainly depressed by some rier said he appreciated to-day, in the of Mr. Tillman's radical utterances, gave this statement an earnest volley of applause. "I am a Southern man," he continued. "I carried a Southern continued. "I carried a Southern man," he continued. "I carried a Southern man," he continued the war, but The convention adjourned until 8 p.m. of the order given by England's great ies will be raised to \$7,000 a year. Fitzpatrick of Quebec will be solicitor-general. Sir Henry Joly and Senator
McIanes of British Columbia will
have seats in the cabinet without portfolio. Pelletier will be solicitor genout portfolio. Pelletier will be solicitor-genthe seventh heat for the Thames speech this afternoon caused a furore.
The convention adjourned at 12:30 do his duty, not only by Canada, but by the empire. England did not require help from anybody, but if ever the occahave seats in the cabinet without portfolio. Pelletier will be solicitor-genthe was for a new ticket.

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In the final heat for the Wyford ChalBryan, Altgeld and Williams, of Massathe loval support of the Canadian peochusetts. sented were those of Bland, Boies, world in arms, she could depend upon loyal-loyal because they were free.

SEETHING DISCONTENT.

London, July 9 .- A Bulawayo distoppo Hills against the Matabele has been temporarily abandoned. The African troops refused to fight owing to dis-satisfaction with the conditions of the service. The Daily Telegraph has an editorial commenting upon its African dispatches as showing the forces are quite iusufficient to cope with the rebellion. The Telegraph's Salisbury's dispatch says: "The camp is a mass of seething discontent. The officers disagree as to the methods of defence, while the members of the town committee are resign-

BULAWAYO, July 8 .- The discontent of the Africanders is on account of the nonfulfilment of Cecil Rhodes' promise to land grants. It is the opinion that at least 5,000 well mounted troops are re-quired here or the rebellion will last for vears.

CUBA'S POSITION.

MADRID, July 9 .- The chamber of deputies on Tuesday evening defeated a Carlist amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, to the effect that Spain ought to join the proceeded through the crowded, gaily beflagged streets to Windsor Castle, with the exigencies of her colonial and Mediterranean interests and in order to Colonel Walker and officers. The visit- resist "the perfidy of the United States." ors were greeted at the castle gates by the Keeper of Her Majesty's Private policy of the government, the premier declared that Cuba did not possess the Fleetwood Isham Edwards; by the Mas-elements necessary for independence ter of the Household, Colonel Lord Ed-and that by separating herself from ward William Pelham-Clinton, Sir John Spain she would only become "the prey

London, July 9.-Wm. Webb, sr., of Indlana. aged 92, the oldest resident of this sec-

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

rectly From the Treasury Department.

Importation of Pauper Labor Denounced-White, of California, Permanent Chairman-A Bolt.

CHICAGO, July 9 .- The following are additional clauses of the platform which were adopted at the Democratic conven-and adopted unanimously: tion yesterday:

practice of surrendering to the holders of views of his party on the matter, and reobligations of the United States an op- Gray) in July, if possible." tion reserved by law to the government,

the exchange for bonds and at an enor-mous profit to themselves, supply the easily discernible by the applaces that federal treasury with gold to maintain floated out. gold mono-metallism. Congress alone has the power to coin and issue money and President Jackson has declared this power could not

"We therefore demand that the power to issue notes which circulate as money be taken from national banks, that all paper money be issued directly by the treasury department, and be redeemable citizens, including Premier Laurier, Mr. in coin receivable for all debts, private

and public.
"We hold that tariff duties should could not allow the charge of Mr. Tili- Commons. Admiral Erskine took occasion be levied for the purpose of revenue, taxation be limited by the needs of government, honestly and economically

administered.
"We denounce as disturbing to business the Republican threat to restore the McKinley law, which has been twice ern musket during the war, but I repudiate the suggestion that this question knows any section." Flying flags and handkerchiefs and the approvation grar of 15,000 throats answered.

The convention adjourned wattle.

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The convention adjourned wattle. at the expense of the many, restricted The convention adjourned until 8 p.m. of the order given by England 8 great after adopting the silver platform. admiral on the day of the battle of Traffer present appearances Bryan, of falgar, "England expects every man to do his duty." He would do his best to their natural markets. Until the money question is settled, we are op-

> "There would have been no deficit in tion, is to appear before the resolutions Federal revenue during the last two committee to-day and call attention to years but for the annulment by the su-preme court of the income tax law contains no mention of the A.P.A. Mr. placed upon the statute books by a Dem- Dwyer says nearly all the Democratic ocratic congress. The obstruction to an income tax which the supreme court disdemning the A.P.A., and he thinks the covered in the constitution after it had omission in the national platform is an patch to the Daily Telegraph says that laid hidden for a hundred years must be inadvertence that will be corrected. The the expedition from there into the Mawealth may be made to bear its just the organization as un-American and share of the burden of the government. anti-American in policy and principle, We therefore favor an amendment to the will be urged for adoption. Mr. Dwyer Federal constitution that will permit the says if the committee declines to act, a

levy of an income tax.
"We hold that the efficient way of the convention. protecting American labor is to prevent the importation of foreign pauper labor to compete with it in the home market, and that the value of the home market to our American farmers and artisans is greatly reduced by a vicious monetary system which depresses the prices of their products below the cost of produc-

turn to that simplicity and economy which best befits a Democratic government and a reduction in the number of ing comments editorially upon the Chiuseless offices, the salaries of which cago convention as follows: "It is al-

drain the substance of the people. "Believing in the justice of our cause land certainly must feel gratified for the and the necessity of its success at the extreme frankness of the majority in polls, we submit the foregoing declaration of principles and purposes to the of the fact that one of the historic Amer-considerate judgment of the American ican parties is fairly captured by men people. We invite the support of all citizens who approve them and who desire to have them made effective through legislation for the relief of the people question of the weakness of the gold and the restoration of the country's pros- standard faction of the Democrats and

Brown, of Georgia, secretary. A recess powerfully assailed, it is difficult to look was taken then and all the silver men forward with confidence to any speedy was taken then and all the silver men forward with confidence to any speedy retired and held a caucus, at which the revival of American credit in the old permanent organization was fully agreed | world.' upon. The committee then adjourned until 8 o'clock, when it re-convened at the Democratic convention. This newsthe Sherman house.

secretary, Thomas J. Cogan, of Cincin-nati; assistant secretary, Louis D. The editorial in the Daily News on the

York, was presented by the gold men rency."

for permanent chairman, and he received 6 votes to 33 for Senator White. The remainder of the organization as presented by the silver people went through by acclamation, the gold men making no All Paper Money to Be Issued Di- nois, was the chairman of the silver caucus. R. S. Jordan was named as chairman of the committee to notify Senator

Bolt was the slogan of 150 Democrats at a meeting of gold standard men. Not a bolt from the convention-that was decided against-but a bolt from the ticket and platform that the convention makes. Every suggestion was received with applause. Every contrary suggestion was received in silence.

This is the significant resolution suggested by John P. Irish, of California, sound money delegation select a mem-"We are opposed to the policy and ber to return to his state and get the port back to the chairman (Senator

Senator Hill and National Committeeof redeeming such obligations either in man Sheehan were not present, but Gov. Flower and William C. Whitney, with "We are opposed to issuing interest- the aid of Col. Fellows, held up New bearing bonds of the United States in a York's end. The meeting was the most protracted of the convention, lasting uning with banking syndicates which, in til after midnight, and, though behind easily discernible by the applause that

Senator Gray, of Delaware, presided over the meeting when it began, but, having to leave to attend the meeting of the committee on resolutions, he did not return, and ex-Governor Flower took the chair. John P. Irish, of California, was the first speaker, and he was followed by General Bragg, William C. Whitney, Frederick R. Coudert, Frank-lin McVeagh and several others.

General Bragg was in favor of a bolt from the platform and ticket if the plans announced by the silver men were convention displayed a Democratic spirit, and he was therefore of the opinion that good Democrats could with honor and credit denounce their work.

Franklin McVeagh, of Illinois, and Delegate-at-large Coudert, of New York,

lution, but would not commit himself. General Bragg, who spoke very broadly, said he would not support the ticket. He was for a new ticket.

J. J. Dwyer, of the California delegaresolution will be offered on the floor of

NEW YORK, July 9.—The following telegram was sent from this city in answer to a communication received Wednesday morning:

"July 8.-To Judge Henry M. Goldfogle, of the New York state delegation, Auditorium hotel, Chicago: We recogtion and thus deprives them of the means of satisfying their needs. reans of satisfying their needs.

'' We denounce the profligate waste of city. Gold fever dying desperately, but the money wrung from the people by oppressive taxation and the lavish approduct is even. It appears that pressive taxation and the lavish appropriations of recent Republican congresses, which have kept taxes high while the labor that pays them is unemployed record will kill him. Be governed by the majority. Stick. Stand by the in price until they no longer pay the party. The nation's confidence in silver will force success to follow it as a safe metal. MAURICE B. BLUMENTHAL.

London, July 9-The Times this mornways well to know the worst, and Engcontrol of the convention. We take note who glory in dishonest acts and avow desire to repudiate national and private debts." Proceeding to deal with the The committee on permanent organization met immediately after the convention. General E. B. Dingley, of Ohio, was made chairman, and J. H.

Brown of Georgia secretary A received the strength of the silverites, the Times continues: "From a European point of view the whole situation is deplorable. With the fundamental principles of School Chairman, and J. H.

The Standard also has an editorial on paper says: "The leading silverites are In the evening the silver slate went through as follows: Permanent chairman, Stephen M. White, of California; fully that the honest money Democrats sergeant-at-arms, John Martin, Missouri; are utterly powerless. The platform is

gate will not be large in dollars. Wheat has been burned on slopes most exposed to hot winds in some portions, and in other portions is damaged but little. The estimates of damage, summed up from all points is about 10 per cent. campaign is in progress exposing the dangers and discredit attaching to a deliberate choice of a depreciated cur-

RECIPROCITY.

which the present Government propose cates for the free coinage of silver in the a system as Mr. Laurier, Sir Richard | The Report, we see, deplores the necesto do is to send a Commissioner to Wash- United States should not call themselves | Cartwright and the rest have over and sity that British Columbians are under ington to negotiate a treaty of recipro- bi-metallists, for they are really mono- over again represented it to be, if its of importing a very large proportion of city. The present does not appear to be metallists. They are the advocates of operation is calculated to make so bened the necessaries of life that they consume. a favorable time to treat with the United a single money standard, and that ficial a change in the circumstances of The sum spent every year for food that States for reciprocity in trade. The standard is silver. It is hard to tell the country and in the condition of its could be easily raised in the Province is presidential campaign is in full blast, what the condition of business in the inhabitants of every class, as they have very considerable. Its soil is and neither party will be willing to United States would be if its Govern-demonstrated time and again, why not very far from being barren, and enter into trade arrangements with ment redeemed its paper in silver dol- give it to the country at once? Why do its pastures are wide and rich. Canada which may be unpopular with lars worth much less than one hundred they stand trembling on the brink of It is therefore to be hoped that Britany considerable number of electors. cents each. If the law compelled every happiness and prosperity as if they be- ish Columbians before very long will We know that there are many influen- creditor to receive such dollars in pay- lieved that to take the plunge would be make such use of their natural advantial Americans who are strongly opposed ment of debts, no matter when contract- fatal? It is hard to account for their tages that it will produce at least all the to reciprocity with Canada as long as ed, the whole country would be in a nervousness and their timidity in any bread, butter, meat and fruit that they she retains her connection with Great state of financial confusion that would other way than that they have no faith can consume. Britain. Those who hold this view have be most deplorable. There is, no doubt, in their own cure for the ills of our The need of railway accommodation is said repeatedly and plainly that the only good sense and sound principle enough body politic. Then again, will not the insisted upon with considerable vigor in condition on which the United States in the States to prevent such a consum- uncertainty and instability which the the Report. The members of the Board course with Canada is that of political union. The Poston Standard discussing the subject of reciprocity with Canada lately said:

Nothing would bring about political United States than a commercial union, sides of the line, desire the former, it is likely to best be reached by the latter

The New York Sun is even more out-

spoken. It says: citizens. But while we speak frankly they are friendly to our institutions and convinced by experience that the inestimable privilege is procurable only by one course, amalgamation with

Canadians of both parties are, we betheir country and the United States, but it out in practice. none of them are prepared to give in exchange for that advantage, valuable do good. The minds of a great many prospect that has been opened out to not cure, and then the patient usually as it no doubt is, their allegiance to Great Britain. Observant Americans must see that Canadians as a people must see that Canadians are must see that Canadians as a people must see that Canadians are must see must see that Canadians as a people when, previous to the election, he expahave not the slightest desire to throw tiated on free trade, was only humbug- infancy, yet it is already producing very not imperative that one should accept the unation as a natural accessory to adin their lot with the citizens of the United States. There always have been United States. There always have been United States. There always have been United States and patriotic Conservations of the United States. There always have been United States and patriotic Conservations of the United States. There always have been United States are always have been United States. United States. There always have been vatives will rejoice that the business of most promising indications. a few annexationists in Canada, but the country is not to be irreparably in- It is seen that the gold-producing their number has been insignificant in jured to give Mr. Laurier a character for region is almost co-extensive with the cured—a remedy that has cured thousands of the most source cases. A noted proportion to the whole population. We sincerity and consistency. But it does look Province. In the south the mines alands of the most severe cases. A noted instance of the truth of this assertion believe that if their numbers could be queer to see the men who have been ready opened make it exceedingly diffiascertained it would be found that there for the last fifteen years or so preaching cult to place limits to the gold and are fewer of them in the Dominion to-day than there have been at any time since soon as they are placed in a position to

Consideration Consid Confederation. Canadians have been carry their principles into practice Alberni and Barclay Sound has for the last twenty years or so gradually adopting the policy and the principles been cheered by the most encourforming a higher opinion of their own they had ridiculed and condemned. To aging indications, and the development his friends in Trenton and was then contemplating a visit to the south in search country and placing a lower estimate on show our readers that we are not exag- work done has proved that the indicatemplating a visit to the south in search of relief from his constant foe. He had to the advantages of the United States.

The announcement. then, that Canaing the declaration of the Clabs.

Show our readers that we are not exagwork done has proved that the indications are very far indeed from being detions are very far indeed from being deuse a staff in walking and went at a slow dians will not be able to obtain reciprocity from the United States unless some of its observations thereupon: they first consent to annexation has no

NOT WHAT THEY PROFESS.

The, advocates of the free and unlimited coinage of silver in the United branches, agriculture, manufacturing, etc. There are reasons in favor of as States profess to be bimetallists. They would have the metal money of the would have the metal money of the lines a possible, but the rearrangement of the tariff on the t nation to be both gold and silver. Their opponents say that the effect of legalizing the free coinage of silver at a fixed izing the free coinage of silver at a fixed ratio to gold which would give the silver a fixtitious value would be to make a fixtitious value would be to make silver the only money metal. The bolders of gold they contend would not be consulted; and there are on the province extensive depositions between one item and another that justice could hardly be to make silver the only money metal. The bolders of gold they contend would not be consulted; and there are on the province extensive depositions of the Province extensive depositions of the province item and another that justice could hardly be the gontend would not be consulted; and there are on the province extensive depositions of gold they contend would not be consulted; and there are on the province extensive depositions of the province extensive depositions of the province it has an inexhaustible store of lime-result. I read of several cures in the exchange it for silver at the legal ratio 16 to 1. They would take it to a market where they would get a great deal more for it, and the consequence would be for it, and the consequence would be which would result from hasty and illthat gold would immediately cease to be considered action. Mr. Laurier has Pacific coast. that gold would immediately cease to be circulated as money. This is not the opinion of a few politicians who have not the opportunity to study the question, but it is the conclusion come to the charges. Such a course found in the countries of the Old World.

The Report says, very properly, that the fisheries of British Columbia are probably the richest in the world. Nothing like its salmon fishery is to be found in the countries of the Old World. by students who have no other object than to arrive at the truth. One of these students and a man of uncommon ability is Dr. Arendt. He in an article arrive that the truth of the inquiry. The utpost that the truth of the inquiry. The utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the details found in the countries of the Old World. It is now, and it is to be hoped will continue to be, a source of wealth, giving that the truth of the inquiry. The utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the inquiry of the inquiry of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the inquiry of the utpost that the truth of the utpost that the utpost that the truth of the utpost that the ut

ially different from that of Mexico. All the disadvantages and all the advantages of a fluctuating and depreciated money standard would follow. Gold monometallism would be replaced by men, mechanics and others, who have standard would become nominal. United States would result in harm to Europe no doubt, but also in advantage. lar vote polled for the Liberal candibut one thing is certain, the absorption the classes that were supposed to be of the American gold, the continual supplies coming from the American gold had confidence in the assurance that the production, would for a long time to Liberal policy was to be of a constructcome relieve the European powers of all ive not of a destructive character. anxiety for their gold standard. The y anarchy would thus be per-

basis of international agreement; and no

We are told that one of the first things conclusions are sound then the advo- to-day? If free trade is as good capable of affording.

REASSURING.

The Toronto Globe, in its issue of the 2nd instant, speaks with authority on union sooner between Canada and the the course to be pursued by the Laurier Government with respect to trade. What and as many on this continent, on both is the nature of its announcement? Does it declare that the policy of free trade promised in Mr. Laurier's speeches and advocated in the columns of the Globe and other Grit organs is to be put Never again shall we consent to give in force with the least possible delay? our English-speaking neighbors the im- Does it tell the business men of Canada of the Board of Trade must convince the mense boon of free access to the Ameri- that "every vestige of protection" is to reader that this Province has many and can markets, unless they in return agree be eliminated from the tariff? It does nothing of the kind. It informs them in to occupy a very important place in the and firmly on this point, we heartly accents that the system acclaim the advent of the Liberals to which it has time after time denounmember. Naturally the conditions and power at Ottawa. They laugh at the silly talk about Imperial federation; into he conditions and the silly talk about Imperial federation; is to be continued for an indefinite per- pretty freely discussed in the Report. our people; they fully appreciate the iod. It tells the manufacturers and The President has been very moderate value to Canadians of free trade with others in effect not to be alarmed, that in his statements. It is evident that he the United States; and when they are Mr. Laurier and his Government do not has been careful to avoid giving too intend to hurt them, that his talk before glowing a description of the present the the election about the advantages and state of that industry, and of the hopes United States, they will see to it that the beauties of free trade was mere bun- and reasonable expectations of those who combe, intended to tickle the ears of are engaged in it. This is the prudent some of the electors who had made a fad course to take. But the reader can conlieve, fully alive to the advantages of of free trade, but that neither he nor any clude from the data which the Report blood, but as to just how they can be received and and are directly it would not be received and are directly in the contract of the data which the Report blood, but as to just how they can be received and are directly alive to the advantages of of free trade, but that neither he nor any clude from the data which the Report blood, but as to just how they can be received and are directly alive to the advantages. freer commercial intercourse between of his colleagues ever intended to carry itself supplies that it would be difficult reached and eradicated, it would seem that their knowledge fails. The usual

influence whatever on the great body of the tariff will not be revised during the short summer session of Parliament but region is consedured by any means to be despised, and it is certain that when that and congratulate him on his healthy, will remain unaltered until the early part of next year, the intervening period being occupied by a careful inquiry into the conditions of industry in all its being occupied by a careful inquiry into the conditions of industry in all its branches, agriculture, manufacturing, etc. There are reasons in favor of as early a settlement as possible. but

But the riches of British Columbia, at Rat Portage, Ont., where for years I was engaged in business and where I still reside. For three years I have been a great sufferer from rheumatism. I on which reform will proceed. We may is, we see, no complaint as to the treat-"If it is now desired to perpetuate the gold standard in Europe, let the Government at Washington adopt free coinage of silver at the ratio of 1-16. At present, this step could not possibly have any other result than to make the American standard a silver standard. The price of silver, of course, would rise, but not to 59d., and not permanently. The United put out of the question the possibility of applying the principle of absolute free trade in Canada. We may also put out of the question the idea that the last has been heard of the refusence of the training of the tariff to a revenue basis means the destruction of "every vestige of protection." In all that was said and written during the campaign, in Sir Oliver Mowat's address, in Mr. Laurier's refuse being utilized. It seems unfortunate that so large a quantity of mate-inal that could be converted into a most the Globe and other Liberal journals, the necessity of cautious and considerate dealing was emphasized. It would have tunate that so large a quantity of mate-inal that could be converted into a most broken down by overwork, worry or excesses, will find in Pink Pills a certain cure. Sold by all dealers or sent by the opposite course; unwise because it would have needlessly alarmed business monometallism; the double interests bound up with the present sysbimetallist can approve of have aroused in the breasts of free trad-Free coinage of silver in the ers and advanced reformers hopes which dates in the Ontario cities shows that

European bimetallists address to those three years hence than it is to-day? authorities who are so slack as to permit exceedingly injurious to trade? Com- vice if they do their utmost to prevail missioners are never in a hurry, and no upon the governments, general and proone can tell when their inquiries will close vincial, to do all that lies in their power and what will be their findings. The pol- to encourage the construction of the icy foreshadowed by the Globe is evi- railways that the development of the redently the policy of dilly-dally, shilly- sources of the country requires. The shally, hitherto so grateful to Mr. Laurier, Report is a good one, and if it is as widebut always and everywhere most injuri- ly circulated as it ought to be it ous to business.

THE BOARD OF TRADE REPORT.

Even a cursory perusal of the Report great resources, and that it is destined to speak too glowingly of the mining

ing the declaration of the Globe, we ceptive. We see that the prospects which pace, This Christmas he was here again reproduce below its announcement and the Peace River region holds out to the on a visit to his friends, smart and erect miner are not mentioned in the report, and without the stick or the sorrowful region is opened up and becomes more ac- fresh and active appearance in contrast cessible than it is now it will yield to the with a year ago. He has cheerfully and miner rich returns.

stone. The presence of these minerals Courier from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

British Columbians have not as yet done much towards availing themselves Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont. or of the wealth with which the sea that washes their shores literally teems. tem, and dishonest because it would washes their shores literally teems. of have aroused in the breasts of free tradwashes their shores literally teems. as good." have been helping themselves to the halibut which are to be found in the territorial waters of the Province without let or hindrance. It is to be hoped that the Government will take measures a pile bridge across the harbor be disto preserve the halibut banks from the encroachments of these poachers. The encroachments of these poachers. The What does all this mean? Does it not Americans would complain loudly enough monetary anarchy would thus be perpetuated for a space of time beyond estimation. Only by insisting in all counhas been represented to be by Mr. Lau-

America; no silver purchases, no Will there not be the same difficulties to them to take valuable fish out of waters silver coinage, otherwise than on the overcome, the same conflicting interests that are part of the territory of Canada. more abortive attempts to bring them to reconcile and make allowances for, if the change is made the Province will derive all the benefits This is reasonable. If Dr. Arendt's five years after this as there are from its deep sea fisheries that they are

sitting of a commission must induce be of Trade will do the Province good serwill do much towards making the advantages of the Province widely known.

RHEUMATISM'S VICTIMS

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(From the Trenton Courier.)

What an innocent sounding name has rheumatism, and yet how terrible a reality to the thousands who suffer with Doctors agree that rheumatism rethat their knowledge fails. The usual The Globe's reassurance will no doubt capabilities of the province, and of the which may give temporary relief, but do

There is a remedy for rheumatism despite the general belief that it cannot be instance of the truth of this assertion Portage, Ont., and still residing there. over three years. Last winter he visited gratefully given the following statement

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THE NEW BRIDGES.

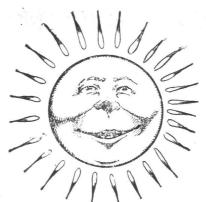
TO THE EDITOR: - I believe that it is the desire of a large majority of ratepayers and citizens that the construction of

mation. Only by insisting in all countries in an unequivocal manner on the international solution of the currency question can international bimetallism described by Mr. Lau- nsn in the territorial waters and victoria west is to be called for the United States, and would quickly find means to drive them away and to to the present circumstances of Canada? And who is to say that it will be better them away: and the Yankee international solution of the currency question can international bimetallism be attained. 'No more experiments!' And who is to say that it will be better keep them away; and the Yankee graph and Lime street proposition which seems to meet with the approval not seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified a standard find means to drive them away and to discuss the Telegraph and Lime street proposition which seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified as the proposition which seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified as the proposition which seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified as the proposition which seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified as the proposition which seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study modified as the proposition which shortly th be attained. 'No more experiments!' And the suited to its circumstances one, two or poachers must laugh at the Dominion seems to meet with the approval not shortly to study medicine.

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only of almost every business man in the city but of the city council as well. In that event there would be nothing humiliating if the council would delay furmap will convince the observer that a new bridge should commence at Capt. o connect with Langford street.

This would square up the property on false work at any future time when a half, I think. and if they can see their way clear to drop work for a few days the people of the city will be grateful

THE PILE BRIDGE.

To THE EDITOR:—It is all very well miliating if the council would delay fur-ther construction on the present pro-the E. & N. road to Lime street. If you posed pile bridge, for if it is decided that choose to walk over the line to Lime a bridge will be put across at or near the new electric light station a glance at the that it is an excessively dangerous road -very narrow, with but few spots where Grant's and run in a northerly direction planking and widening would cost more, anyone can get out of the way. The or at least as much as the pile bridge. the hill as originally intended, and indicated by the city maps, and if it is depended. Who looks after the work and incident the wo cated by the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it should be so situated as to be useful for Lime street is more than a mile and a limb of the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city of the city maps, and indicate the work and workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city maps, and if it is determined to build a pile bridge at all it workmen? The distance from Store to Lime street is more than a mile and a limit of the city maps.

date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission-to purchase the following describe lands, situated in Cariboo district, commencin at the southeast corner of B. E. Johnson's premption, thence north 40 chains; thence eas 80 chains more or less to the west boundary 6 W. Copeland's pre-emption: thence south for the Chileotin fiver; thence westerly to point 6 commencement, containing 320 acres more 6 less. Chilancoh Ranch, Chilcotin, June 10t. 1896. H. P. S. BAYLIFF.

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OTTAWA, July went to Govern ing and handed the great seal of transferred to State. Previous the retiring Pre all the clerks of expressed his a correspondents newspapers. formed me that take up reside in this city in Until such tire Tupper returns his home with h bert Tupper, wh dence here until session. The lat legal firm of Bor of Halifax, but t bility of Sir Challegal firm either The late Solicito and he and his receive a cordial ister decided to l There seems t

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INSULT TO ABERDEEN

Allegation of Grit Organs That Mr. Chamberlain Interfered With the Governor General.

The Colonial Secretary Cables a Request For an Emphatic Contradiction.

(From Our Own Correspondent)

OTTAWA, July 9 .- Sir Charles Tupper ing and handed over to His Excellency to 104. the great seal of Canada, which will be transferred to the new Secretary of State. Previous to leaving for Montreal the retiring Premier bade good-bye to all the clerks of his department, and also aged 20, one of a number of girls brought inet will be sworn in on Monday and its the most sultry description; the tempcorrespondents of the Conservative newspapers. Sir Charles Tupper informed me that he hopes to be able to take up residence in his new house formed me that he hopes to be able to take up residence in his new house formed me that he hopes to be able to take up residence in his new house formed me that he hopes to be able to taking a dose of powdered saltpetre. She said she was tired of living.

Berlin. July 10.—P. E. W. Moyer, day, August 12; usually the session of the results of this high temperature was that Londoners saw the eigners, but as brothers from across the opposition from the outset. We have in this city in five or six weeks. Until such time, however, as Lady Tupper returns to Ottawa he will make his home with his son, Sir Charles Hib-bert Tupper, who will retain his residence here until the close of the coming session. The latter has not yet decided upon his movements. Some weeks ago t was announced that he would join the egal firm of Borden, Ritchie & Parker, of Halifax, but the partnership has not een consummated, and there is a possibility of Sir Charles Hibbert joining a legal firm either in Ottawa or Toronto. e late Solicitor-General likes Toronto, and he and his family would doubtless receive a cordial welcome if the ex-minster decided to locate there.

There seems to be no question regard. ing the leadership of the opposition in federal politics. Sir Charles Tupper has received assurances of loyal and hearty support from Conservatives in all parts of the Dominion, and unquestionably he will be the unanimous choice of the party when the time comes for them to

select their leader. To-day everybody is talking of the recent strained relations between Lord Aberdeen and his advisers. currently reported to-night that His Excellency bases his action in refusing to assent to all the proposed appointments on a precedent afforded by made the most of the phenomenal rise afternoon and evening. Dibbs was defeated at the general elections: Sir George endeavored to make appointments to the upper house of the an opportunity to rally their forces. It is increased to 146, showing that the re-Duff, refused to sanction them. Sir cool counsel could prevail against the Promotly.

George Dibbs then forwarded a remon-George Dibbs then forwarded a remonstrance to the Colonial-Office against the action of the Governor. The Marquis of however continued to be full of Bryan.

Cool counsel could prevail against the wave of sentiment which was at high tide last night. The convention hall, believe a continued to be full of Bryan. The only appointment appearing in wiil be the subject of parliamentary discussion at the coming session.

Press and Le Cultivateur, of Quebec, adroit generalship, and that it had failed dling in Canadian politics, by insisting off its feet. They still held the strong-that Aberdeen should sanction the pro-holds of Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois and posed appointments. This has met with Texas, and were smilingly confident that

the session of parliament called for July 16. There is a great deal of mystery on the subject of appointments. It is customary for ministers retiring to provide

The Mail-Empire says editorially, disover appointments, that "a suggestive feature of the case is the wild anti-British demonstrations of Israel Tarte, the prospective minister of railways. Israel Tarte, hearing that the subject under consideration had been referred to the Colonial Secretary for judgment, became alarmed lest by the decision of the British statesman he and his friends should be deprived of some fragment of their He therefore wants to know through his paper whether Mr. Chamberlain, a British minister, is to have a voice in matters affecting the government of this country. Whether or not there has been a reference to Mr. Chamberlain for advice it is impossible to say, but it is clear that there might be such a reference with perfect propriety. Tarte, in entering a protest against British intervention—an intervention which amounts to interpretation—is, seeing that he is not yet installed, rather in a hurry. We should know, governed by the British constitutional system, a system which imposes on the ruler the necessity of seeing that there is not added to the list of privy councillors the name of any man whose record is bad."

DAVIN'S LUCKY DAY.

politicians. The count was concluded to day in West Assiniboia, when Davin and McInnes were declared by Judge Richardson to be a tie. Returning officer Dixie Watson thereupon gave his casting vote for Davin, and declared him mean.

Catholic majority continue to rule Quebec.

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done, owing to objections raised by the and canvassed the situation anxiously. Liberals that the deposit necessary for the recount had not been paid into court. It appears that Armstrong's agent, upon the advice of the judge, paid the Mathews, 34; Stevenson, 9; Hill, 1. Not money to the prothontary of the Court voting, 162.

Conservatives in Lisgar, where Richard- demonstration for Bryan was quelled by son, Liberal, was declared elected by 43. the chairman. It will probably take place next Wednesday before Judge Ryan.

PASSES THE LORDS.

London, July 10.—In anticipation of the discussion of the third reading of the eceased wife's sister's bill to-day, the House of Lords was crowded, and the side galleries were filled with peeresses, including the Duchess of Marlborough who appeared to be keenly interested. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of York were seated on the cross benches. Lord Dunraven moved the third reading of the measure, and the Duke of Argyll immediately moved its rejection. In so doing he described the proposal as an abomination directly opposed to the Bible, and claimed that it would reduce marriage to mere animalism and open the door to enormous evils. The went to Government House this morn- passed its third reading by a vote of 142

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

(Special to the Colonist.)

Dundas, has been elected Grand Master of the Canadian Order of Oddfellows in the annual convention at Chatham.

The Democrats Choose Bryan, of Nebraska, as Their Standard-Bearer.

Surprising Result - Phenomenal Popularity of the Man of Yesterday's Speech.

CHICAGO, July 10.—The Bryan forces ony, but the Governor, Sir Robert served also to give a few hours in which turning officers are sending in the writs Ripon, the colonial secretary at the however, continued to be full of Bryan touch which has thus far been lacking. The Bland managers, while admitting Lying statements appeared in the the danger of the impetus to the Bryan Toronto Evening Globe, the Ottawa Free movement, declared it was the result of

instances. But the purpose on the part of New York to refrain from taking part in the ballot had an ominous sug-

gestiveness. An hour later than had been schedfor their private secretaries, but whether their appointments made since June 23 for the sole and express purpose of nomwill receive vice-regal sanction remains inating a presidental ticket. Chairman White called the delegates to order at 11 a.m. The gold men took their seats sulcussing the differences between the Governor-General and Sir Charles Tupper in the proceedings. The gold men took their seats sullenly and bitterly and with little heart in the proceedings. in the proceedings. To the surprise of many Senator Hill did not appear and a hurried conference was held among the

number of votes cast should be consid-

ber-elect for West Assiniboia. The to move the brogation of the two-thirds carried by the votes of Frenchmen, that Patrons and Liberals are not satisfied with the result, and will probably enter out of order. The turning of the tide to-a protest.

Tule, and the chair ruled the motion is, French-Canadians. The contrast in-out of order. The turning of the tide to-evitably suggests itself between the aprotest.

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The total vote on the third ballot was: Bland, 291; Bryan, 219; McLean, 54; Pattison, 97; Blackburn, 27; Boies, 36;

A recount has been asked by the son, 8; Hill, 1. An effort to make a ronto.

Bryan, of Nebraska, was nominated.

Exerted Against the Admission of Senator Scott.

the Capital - Railway Department Rescued from Tarte.

Chief Justice Davie to Administer The Season Almost Finished-Amerthe Government During Mr. Dewdney's Absence.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Toronto, July 11.—Joseph Rogers, the well known hatter and furrier in this city, who assigned recently, has been arrested charged with defrauding his creditors. He was admitted to bail.

Dundas, July 11.—T. A. Wardell, of Dundas, July 11.—T. A. Wardell, of

a few days ago. There is serious trouble | treme heat. respecting the English speaking Catholic representation, Ontario influence es-Catholic being taken in. J. K. Kerr, president of the Ontario Reform Association is here urging this. If after a lifetime's service Senator Scott is crowded out to satisfy this clique there will be a great row. The general belief is that Mr. Laurier will not accede to the views of these extremists, but to-morrow will

It is reported to-night to be definitely settled that Blair will be minister of railways instead of Tarte as previously mentioned. Mr. Laurier spent two hours with

Lord Aberdeen this morning, and has been in consultation with his friends all Sir Richard New South Wales. In 1894 in that of the young orator of Nebraska yester- Cartwright, Hon. David Mills and Mr. colony the government of Sir George day. The adjournment at midnight also Wm. Paterson of Brant arrived to-day. gave the leaders of the other candidates were gazetted. This week the number

The only appointment appearing in time, upheld the course of Sir Robert rumors, the Nebraska man giving by his the Canada Gazette to-morrow is that Duff. It is not unlikely the question presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administrational presence on the platform that magnetic of Chief Justice Davie to be administration of Chief Davie to be administration of Chief Davie to be administration of Chief Davie to be administration trator of the government of British Columbia during the absence on leave of Lieut.-Governor Dewdney.

prompt refutation, and though evideutly the actual figures would take from the Excellency the conspirators have over-reached themselves. To-night the Governor-General received a cablegram from camphatic contradiction to the Globe's statement, and His Excellency asks me to give the widest pubing Sir Oliver Mowat on his side. But Ontario failed to give him the majority ble owing to the constant changes that are being made. It has now been decided that the constant that the constant changes that are being made. It has now been decided that there proceedings. Conservative government made its from the State apartments to the private uled, the convention met this morning strongest bid for support. But Quebec chapel—the members of the royal family

French are protectionists, and therefore were expected to support the Confirmation tighted the confirmation t servative ticket. A second was the the chapel will herald the arrival of Manitoba school question. The French each procession with a fanfare. Prin-New Yorkers as to whether they would best bolt in a body or act each to his own best bolt in a body or act each to his own liking. It was finally agreed to send a committee to Hill asking him to come to the convention.

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In provinces, profit most by theese, and therefore was expected to stand by the party which was promoting them. The party which was promoting them. The party which was promoting them. The New York Tribune undertakes to say that the result is to be accounted for ered sufficient, not two-thirds of the clear-sighted Frenchmen saw that the the small mansion of Appleton, near Bryan was born in Salem, Ill., March 19, you, not as foreigners, but as our own

Matthews, 37; Tillman, 17; Pennsyer, 8; they wisely saw that it was a matter Teller, 8; Stevenson, 2; Russell, 2; which Manitoba must settle for herself. Campbell, 1; Hill, 1. Absent and not For if Quebec should now coerce Manivoting, 193. Some changes were made by toba, a precedent would be established individual delegates, so the official totals read: Bland, 233: Bryan, 105; might in turn coerce Quebec. In voting Blackburn, 83; Boise, 86. to let the Protestant majority rule in Official vote on second ballot: Bland, Manitoba they were voting to let the

Marsten, of Louisiana, took the platform erican Tory spirit generally, has been

MONTBEAL, July 11.—It is announced of Queen's Bench, instead of to the County court. Decision on this technical objection will be given to-morrow.

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Western Ontario Influence Strongly Preparations for Princess Maud's Wedding-What Is Doing Among Royalty.

Laurier's Colleagues Gathering at The Ancient and Honorables of Boston-Earl Salisbury Schooling Mr. Balfour.

> icans in London-The Eight Hours Day.

London, July 11.—Straw hats, light Ottawa, July 10.—I am in a position colored vests, and the loosest clothing and Honorable Artillery Company in per arrived here last night, accompanied to Canada by Miss Rye some years ago, who was a domestic in the employ of a farmer near here, committed suic' le by taking a dose of powdered saltnetre. In an interview the Chieftain description; the temptone of the Queen and Prince of Wales, down to the poorest of the masses, the hand of goodfellowship has been loyally extended to the visitors who are distinct editor of the Berlin Daily News, is dead after a long illness. He was 60 years the first session of a new parliament bonnets of straw for protection against bonnets of straw for protection against bonnets of straw for protection against feature in the proceedings which it will do some splendid men in our ranks and I old and leaves a wife and nine children. Wednesday is invariably chosen so that the sun. This is evidently the outcome no harm to record. When the Ancients have not the slightest doubt as to the

Evidently Mr. Laurier does not find be amended so as to compel employers it quite so easy to form a cabinet as the slate makers in Montreal made it appear hours' siesta at midday during the ex-

THE LONDON SEASON

is almost finished. It has been remarkpecially from the Toronto district being dead against Scott or any other English than usual, this being apparently due to

or for friends to the terrace. In conse- practice course will be straightened and an English speaking Senator. Mr. Broprivilege will be considerably restricted if not in '97.

PRINCESS MAUD'S MARRIAGE.

he wanted. It was in Quebec that the cided that there will be three processions repudiated Conservatism and all its and royal guests, the bridegroom and his supporters and the bride and brides-What is the significance of this disap-pointment furnished by Quebec? The the entrance of the chapel, which she

MOVEMENTS OF ROYALTY.

cruiser Blenheim, the fastest cruiser in the British navy.
The Duke of York has led the fashion

loyal Briton carries with him every- fire escape and water tower drill, as well of the station, from which the occupants were rescued by the firemen. The Princess and Duchess then went for a drive that Mr. Fitzhugh, assistant to Mr. in answer to a supposed alarm of fire.

so, 8; Hill, 1. An effort to make a demonstration for Bryan was quelled by the chairman.

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smoker of the Honorable Artillery Co. though most of the Ancients will be present in uniform this afternoon at the annual inspection of that company. wish to record our keen delight at the character of the reception we have met Who from the Outset Will Keep a generous, whole-souled courtesies of our comrades, but the great, popular reception by the masses of the people which we have met at every moment since arriving here was totally unexpected. It is very clear to all of us that the mass of Englishmen are heart and soul against any interruption of the peaceful relations between the two countries, and they took this occasion to spontaneously demonstrate the same. This is the spirit manifested by the Queen, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, Lord Wolseley and every one in authority. All seem to be most anxious to emphasize the pleasure at seeing their Ancients."

The reception accorded the Ancient were entertained in the Royal Orangery at Windsor on Wednesday, many of the ultimate success of the Conservative of the occasion, and persuaded the wait- hands full, and we will await developers to sell them knives and forks. Con- ments." The ex-Premier will remain sequently the waiters did a thriving in Montreal over to-day. trade. They charged five shillings each Sir A. P. Caron is in for common steel knives, and it now develops that these knives were the property of the contractor at Windsor who what had been lost and that he intends not used inside the castle.

IMPROVING THE RIVER CAM.

The defeat of Cambridge by Oxford in the fact that fewer millionaires have the last 'Varsity race when the race, it been vieing against each other in their is said, really belonged to Cambridge, to stand for re-election in Quebec East. efforts to attain social distinction. Most has roused the authorities on the Cam Mr. Bechard will open St. Johns and of the parties given have been much to undertake the long-talked of improve- Iberville for Tarte. If Mr. Geoffrion more simple than customary. There is nothing like the reckless extravagance chope, the Cambridge stroke of '95 and still be a member of the administration, of the past season. The Radical newspapers comment upon this with evident relish.

There are more Americans in London at present than at any time during the present was the fashionable restaurants.

Chope, the Cambridge stroke of '95 and Trinity Hall's stroke at Henley this year, informed the representative of the Associated Press that for many years past it has been recognized among Cambridge boating men that the boating bridge boating men that the boating Fisher, Geoffrion without portfolio, and Fitzpatrick, solicitor-general, without a sent in the cabinat. The Light propries present than at any time during the present than at any time during the present year, the fashionable restaurants limitations of the Cam as compared with being crowded with them nightly, while the Yale boys are seen everywhere. The comfiture of the Cambridge eight over the Yale boys are seen everywhere. The comfiture of the Cambridge eight over the Themes covers and although some the falle boys are seen everywhere. The terraces of the House of Parliament the Thames course, and although some of the more energetic have endeavored during the past week. The members to have radical changes made the talk at will be filled at once, making the during the past week. The members to have radical changes made the talk are increasing their complaints at the demand made upon their time and money, and the wives of the members of money, and the wives of the members of the stimulus for action. All the sewage that the stimulus for action. All the sewage that parliament are overwhelmed with applications from even really distinguished elsewhere and the river will be properly people who are desirous of obtaining addredged and deepened. In some parts takes the place of a French Canadian, as mission for some member of their family where practicable and advantageous the Senator Pelletier will take the place of quence there is little doubt that the the results it is hoped will show in '98,

BALFOUR AND BIMETALLISM. Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour has been Arrangements are making for a garden forbidden by Earl Salisbury to make a party at Buckingham Palace on Monday speech at the annual meeting of the Bion a gigantic scale. Two tons of fruit, specially picked for the occasion, will ed. This course was taken by Earl Salpesterday, that Chamberdain was medling in Canadian politics, by insisting that Aberdeen should sanction the purpose to carry the convention off its feet. They still held the strongholds of Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois and prompt refutation, and though evidently there was a conspiracy to influence His

CANADIAN DEMOCRATIC SPIRIT.

(From the Portland Oregonian.)

There is on the surface an apparent significance that the Liberal victory in the purpose to carry the convention off its feet. They still held the strongholds of Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois and the unit of the party, and large tent screens are being erected at appropriate places. Such a large to the United States. Mr. Balfour was to influence His

Walker, of Boston, who is to address the convention of the purpose to carry the convention of the purpose to carry

Toronto, July 9.—The Mail-Empire's Ottawa special says: "The first act of the new government will be to pestione the new government wil Laurier made his great effort, by enlist-wedding are giving a great deal of trou- of an English penny. A number of pub-

cided Opinions.

ered sufficient, not two-thirds of the total number of votes privileged to be cast, which cleared the doubts in the effect if three hundred gold men should refuse to vote. There are 930 votes in the convention.

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Democrats to support McKinley.

the Commons. Laurier Quite as Stalwart a Free Trader as Cartwright

Quebec Liberals Making Merry Over the Bogus Bank Bills Used

for Bribery.

Ever Was."

Check on the Grits in

Montreal, July 10.—Sir Charles Tupladies were anxious to obtain souvenirs party. Mr. Laurier will now have his

Sir A. P. Caron is in the city. He upplied the feast, and that they were to accept the invitation. Sir Adolphe adds that there will be a steady fight from the start, and he believes the province of Quebec will soon reverse the re-

cent snap verdict. The Star says: "Mr. Laurier is likely deur is down for deputy speaker.'

TORONTO, July 10.—The Montreal correspondent of the Mail-Empire says there is a wide difference of opinion expressed as to the Governor-General's action in refusing to sign orders-incouncil submitted by the late government, but there is a unanimity of opinion in Conservative circles that the Governor-General in acting as he has done has accepted a most extraordinary and unprecedented attitude. papers, such as the Herald, Witness, Soir and Patrie, naturally commend the

and seek others on which some strength licity to this contradiction.

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ANCIENT AND HONORABLES.

London, July 11.—Visiting members of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts mustered at the Hotel Cecil at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and later took up a position on the Thames Embankment, where they were received by a guard of honor of the Honorable Artillery Company of London, preparatory to marching to

that the result is to be accounted for by the fact that the simple-minded, a country residence in Denmark, while lear-sighted Frenchmen saw that the



Family Medicine of the Age. Taken Internally, It Cures Diarrhœa, Cramp, and Pain in the Stomach, Sore Throat, Sudden Colds, Coughs, etc., etc.

Used Externally, It Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sprains, Toothache, Pain in the Face, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Frosted Feet. No article ever attained to such unbounded popular

ity.—Salem Observer.
We can bear testimony to the efficacy of the Pain-Killer. We have seen its magic effects in soothing the severest pain, and know it to be a good article.—Cincinati Dispatch.

Nothing has yet surpassed the Pain-Killer, which is
the most valuable family medicine now in use.—Tennesses organ.

It has real merit: as a means of removing pain, no nedicine has acquired a reputation equal to Perry Davis' Pain Killer.—Newsre of import News.

Baware of imitations. Buy only the genuine "PERRY

their annual meeting at which the principal business done was the reading of the reports and election of new members. The president, Mr. D. R. Ker, presided, and besides the members Mr. S. J. Pitts, a former resident of Victoria, was present by invitation.

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GENTLEMEN:—In presenting the seven-teenth annual report, we have to congratu-late members of the board upon the im-provement which has taken place in the trade and commerce of the province during the past twelve months. The causes which have led to this revival tragether with some have led to this revival together with some other matters of interest, are now briefly

lowing year, the smelter returns being \$00.40 per ton. Shipments of any magnitude, however, did not commence until January, 1894, in which year 6,000 tons were made to United States smelters. In 1895 the shipments were nearly double that quantity, and the present output is 100 tons per |day, average value \$40 per ton. The company owning this mine has paid the sum of \$175,000 in dividends.

| Diam of Roots consideration the sparse population—one white to about six square miles of territory—and limited capital, the development of the same is satisfactory, but it is insignificant to what may be expected during the next five years.

For the prospector the field is practically unlimited, and any person over the age of propagation.

Eagle mine commenced in January, 1895, the shipments to the 30th ultimo being 12,-

Rossland is staked out in mineral claims, and whilst the great majority of them will undoubtedly prove disappointing to their sanguine holders, yet many of those now under development are returning more obtained in States small in terms of highest comencouraging results than were obtained in opening up the two mines first referred to. A narrow-gauge railroad 13 miles long now connects Rossland and the principal mines with the town of Trail, on the Columbia river, where a smelter has been ere ed capable of treating 250 tons of ore per

day.
The Canadian Pacific railway proposes to extend its line from a point opposite Robson, on the Columbia river, to Trail, and also the branch to Vernon, in order to serve the mines situated near Rossland. The Red Mountain railroad will probably be open for traffic in October next, and will give all-rail connection with two United States transcontinental railroads. These important works indicate the permanency of the mines in Trail district.

Ordinary labor is paid \$2.50 per day; skilled labor from \$3 to \$3.50, but the supply is already more than the demand.

At the Hall Mines on Toad mountain it is estimated that there are upwards of 120,000 tons of ore in sight. An aerial ropeway delivers it at Nelson, distant 4½ miles, where a smelter, owned by the company operating this group, concentrates it into a "matte," one ton of which contains the product of eleven tons of the ore. The average value of the "matte" is \$240, as

Silver, 270 ounces; copper 45 per cent gold, \$3 per ton. A large number of free milling gold claims have recently been located near Nel-

The smelter at Pilot Bay has stimulated silver mining in the Ainsworth sub-divissilver mining in the Ainsworth sub-divis-ion since it commenced operating in March 1895; it has, however, been supplied with ore principally from the Blue Bell mine, owned by the Smelter Company.

The Slocan sub-division is another

The Slocan sub-division is another aining centre, the discoveries in which were made in 1891. The mineralized area is about 20 miles in length and 12 miles in breadth, and notwithstanding the ruling low price of silver it contains over thirty mines that are shipping ore. The gross earnings of sixteen of these mines for the first six months of this year are estimated at one and a half million dollars, about one-third of which is avail-

able for dividends.

The shipments from the Slocan Star mine amount to about 600 tons per month, which yield approximately 100 ounces of silver per ton and 70 per cent, lead. The owners of this mine have just completed a concentrator, and the sum of \$100,000 was recently

The principal mines of this subdivision

Nest Pass are attracting great attention in consequence of the large demand for coal waters, and he saw no reason why this province could not compete with Russia in the copie gold ores of that disprovince could not compete with Russia in the several products of such an industry.

The coal is stated to be an excellent for smelting purposes in the Kootenay district. The coal is stated to be an excellent for smelling purposes. The building of the line signal to be an excellent trict. The coal is stated to be an excellent trict. The coal is stated to be an excellent trict. The coal is stated to be an excellent trict. The coal is stated to be an excellent trict. The coal is stated to be an excellent trict. The exports of halibut, which practically commenced less than two years ago, amounted to two million pounds during 1895, and Inspector John McNab estimates that at least as much more was caught in British Columbia waters by United States fishermen. Our fishermen have consentation one for coking and to bear transportation without breaking. The Hall mines smelter is capable treating over 100 tons of ore daily. One treated is known as "peacock that at least as much more was caught in British Columbia waters by United States fishermen. Our fishermen have consentation one for coking and to bear transportation without breaking. The Hall mines smelter is capable treating over 100 tons of ore treated is known as "peacock that at least as much more was caught in British Columbia waters by United States fishermen. Our fishermen have consentation without breaking. The Hall mines smelter is capable treating over 100 tons of ore treated is known as "peacock that at least as much more was caught in British Columbia waters by United States fishermen. Our fishermen have consentation without breaking the provided in the several provided in

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To the Members of the British Columbia

Board of Trade:

Gentlemen:—In presenting the seven
Gentlement against about one million tons from all other sources. Very superior cooks is being produced from Vancouver Is
land coal in quantities to meet present demands, but 100 additional ovens are being built.

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Extensive development work is being done on mineral claims in Alberni district, a large area of which is threaded by veins carrying gold, copper, and silver. The inthat of last year, and the catch in Japanese waters is about the average.

The indications from surface rock are very encouraging, whilst the accessibility of the claims—many being on deep water—cheap transport charges on ore to Coast smelters, an unlimited supply of coke at hand, abundance of wood and water, and mild cliby the seals may be preserved. referred to:

MINING MATTERS.

The value of the output of minerals other than coal, increased from about \$50,000 in 1894, to approximately \$5,000,000 in 1894, to approximately \$5,000,000 in the year 1895, as follows:

Trail Creek District—22,972 tons; yielding 45,950 ozs. gold, 2,572,850 lbs. copper.
Slocan District—9,309 tons shipping ore, 30,000 tons concentrates; yielding 1,887,100 ozs. silver, 17,145,000 lbs. lead.

Transport charges on ore to Coast smelters, and unlimited supply of coke at hand, abundance of wood and water, and mild climate throughout the year are advantages which will not be lost sight of by capitalists seeking mining investments. The creeiving the attention they fully dedeserve. The pioneer hydraulic company does not be constanted by the seals may be preserved.

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As it is intended to supplement this report with particulars of the shipments of the sary to refer to more each of the mines, it is unnecessary to refer to more than the principal ones:

The Le Koi was located in July, 1890, and development commenced in December of the same year. The first shipment of ore a carload, was made in the fall of the following year, the smelter returns being \$86.40 per ton. Shipments of any magnitude, however, did not commence until January, 1894, in which year 6,000 tons were made to United States smelters. In 1895 the shipments were nearly double that quantity, and the year of the same year of the same year of the same year of the smelter returns being \$86.40 per ton. The company owning value \$40 per ton. The company owning this design of the same year of the same was a statisfactory, but it is insignificant to what may be expected during the next to was passed and portion of the province. Not importance is trained in the fall of the following year, the smeller returns being \$86.40 per ton. The company owning of the same is satisfactory, but it is insignificant to what may be expected during the next to was passed and portion of the province which also contribute the welve months ending June 30th, 1895, 125.5.

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Regular shipments of ore from the War agle mine commenced in Landau 1905 eighteen years can obtain a free miner's Regular snipments of ore from the War Eagle mine commenced in January, 1895, the shipments to the 30th ultimo being 12, 661 tons. The company has paid the sum of \$157,000 in dividends in the same period. To the richness of the ore of these two mines is largely due the wonderful development which has taken place in the Trail district during the past eighteen months. All the country for miles around Rossland is staked out in mineral claims, and cut such timber as may be required for the purposes of the claim or claims being 12. These resources will be largely opened up to the same period. Canned home-grown fruits continue in say, to commence from the north to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been two have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized, and that the matter has been dead to have recognized and that the matter has been dead to have recognized. The connection of the testiman to have recognized and that the matter has been dead to have recognized and that the matter has been dead to have recognized. The leaving are the castern provi

> mendation of their liberal scope and justice. FISHERIES OF THE PRONINCE. The fisheries of British Columbia are probably the richest in the world. Although only two million dollars is invested

in them, the exports under this head dur

source of supply, and, in consequence of favorable natural conditions, the success of the hatcheries, and regulations for the the natcheries, and regulations for the preservation of the young salmon and protection of the spawning grounds, there are no signs of decrease of merchantable fish. This Board having urged that more hatcheries be established on the Fraser. Skeena, and Naas rivers, and Rivers Inlet, an assurance has been received that these recommendations will be carried out. A hatchery is to be established. hatchery is to be estabied out. ished on the Skeena this year, and others

Professor Prince, Dominion Fishery Comissioner, visited this coast in August last year for the purpose of enquiring into the ishing resources of British Columbia. and the salmon canners, and others interested were enabled to place before him the result of their observations connected with the fish in our provincial waters. Such conferences, together with the personal observations of one so well qualified as Professor

Pacific and the Kaslo & Slocan, a short line terminating at Kaslo, on the Kootenay lake.

The enormous coal fields in the Crow's Nest Pass are attracting great attention in consequence of the large demand for coal for smelting purposes in the Kootenay later.

The sturgeon, which are so plentiful in ranged that three additional smelting stacks can be erected alongside the one now in processor Prince stated that the sturgeon found here are finer than those in Russian in for smelting purposes in the Kootenay last, is streating the consequence of the large demand for coal for smelting purposes in the Kootenay last, is streating the consequence of the large demand for coal for smelting purposes in the Kootenay last, is streating the consequence of the large demand for coal for smelting purposes.

province could not compete with Russia in the several products of such an industry.

The exports of halibut, which practically ments of Trail.

The Hall mines smelter is capable than two years ago, Mr. Hoffman, the Dominion Government assayers, the assayer, and other competent assayers, the coal seems to be peculiarly suited for metallurgical purposes. The building of the British Columbia Southern railway would open up these coalfields and put them in communication with the Kootenay smelters.

Our fishermen have consecution in 1895, and Inspector John British Columbia waters by United States fishermen. Our fishermen have consecution in 1895 to encourage the smelting of gold, of the fishermen with fish in every respect equal to their to participate in the bounty the smelting of gold, of the province in 1895 to encourage the smelting of gold, of the country and also to establish that at least as much more was caught in bundred men are steadily employed by the fishermen. Our fishermen have consecution in 1895 to encourage the smelting of gold, of the country and also to establish that the country and also to establish the country and also to establish the country and also to establish that the country and also to establish that the country and also to establish the country and also to establis

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The growth of this industry has been

There was a steady improvement in the lumber industry during the year 1895, the quantity cut being 112,884,640 feet, or about 40 per cent. more than in the previous year. The foreign demand was more wide-

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	. Quantity.		Duty.		
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Lard	135,160	66	2 714	n	
Sneep	35.881		10.628	9	
Horses	730		4.069	4	

Receipts from Eastern provinces are not included in the above particulars.

The demand for the products of the local creameries, lately established, is encourations to the provincial government and to ging farmers to give more attention to great expansion. The visits of Professor Robertson with the Dominion government and the Robertson with the Dominion government and the Robertson with the Dominion government and the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire, sent in a report of the provincial government and the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire, sent in a report of the provincial government and the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire, sent in a report of the provincial government and the construction company, expressing the provincial government and the Dominion government and the Dock might be only temporary and that further negotiations was directed to the treaty of commerce entered into between Great Britain and Japan, which secured to Canada, Australia and certain other British possessions, "most favored nation" privileges, upon notice of desire to obtain the same given to the comparation of the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire, sent in a report of the provincial government and to the construction company, expressing the tered into between Great Britain and Japan, which secured to Canada, Australia and certain other British possessions, "most favored nation" privileges, upon notice of desire to obtain the same given to the construction of the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire at the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire at the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire at the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce of the Empire at the Congress of Chamebrs of Commerce o

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the farmers to greater exertions in supplying the local markets with dairy products.

The duty paid on 42,585 pounds of butter imported during the twelve months ending une 30, 1895, amounted to \$10,531.04, and probably three times as much more was re-eived from Eastern Canada.

lished on the Skeena this year, and others will be built next year at some of the points named.

This board also asked that cotton lines varieties of fruit under test, besides many This board also asked that cotton lines inch and under, used in the manufacture of fishing nets, be admitted free of duty. An order-in-council recently issued with samples and particulars of his experiments.

Arrow lake, where boats connect with superintendent, T. A. Sharpe, visits of the provincial agricultural exhibitions of the points on the Columbia river.

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INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE.

The corrected census returns furnis some interesting tables, copies of which are appended hereto, showing the growth of British Columbia industrial establishments.

tions of one so well qualified as Professor Prince, are highly beneficial to the fishing industry, and already much of the friction which existed between the canners and the Department of Fisheries has disappeared.

The export of fresh salmon, frozen and packed in ice, amounted to a million and a quarter pounds. This new branch of the ishing industry, it is complained, is at present retarded by high freight rates.

Particulars of the salmon pack by canneries, and distribution of the same, will be found in the appendices.

and it is expected that this province will hold its position as the largest manufacturer in the Domin'on in proportion to population.

The smelting industry is yet in its initial stages, the Pilot Bay smelter being the only one in operation in 1895. The company employed on an average 200 men daily, at wages aggregating \$170,000. Only silver lead ores were treated and the bullion was shipped to the United States to be refined. This, however, will not continue, as the company is about to erect the refinery be found in the appendices.

A trial shipment of live lobsters, Eastern oysters and black bass has just reached this organized. The existing plant consists of

The Hall mines smelter is capable treating over 100 tons of ore daily. The ore treated is known as "peacock ore,"

immense forest areas and the great variety of trees suitable for pulping, and the incoming council is recommended to investigate the conditions favorable to establishing the manufacture in this province.

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full particulars of the catch will be found in the appendices.

This season's catch off the coast of British Columbia has been more favorable than that of last year, and the catch in Japanese waters is about the average.

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and seaweed for fertilizing purposes has had the attention of the Dominion government, and the department of agriculture has decided to make some experiments to test, its feasibility by inexpensive methods, and it is hoped the incoming administration will not be scient from will not lose sight of it.

terms were not acceptable and there is consequently further delay in the commence which may induce it to take steps to remeded in the above particulars.

in them, the exports under this head during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1895, amounted to \$3,264,500.

There were 47 salmon canneries in operation, and the total pack was 566,395 cases, valued at \$2,831,875, which is 72,024 cases more than that of the previous year. The whole has been disposed of at fairly remunerative prices.

The Fraser river continues to be the chief surpress of supply and in construction of attention to dairying, which is an industry capable of the construction company, expressing the bock might be construction company, expressing the beck might be construction company, expressing the tred into between Great Britain and the resolutions on the construction company, expressing the bone dairying, which is an industry capable of canada, Australia and ce years from that date.
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Crow's Nest branch line would have a very beneficial effect upon the mining interests of Kootenay, and it is hoped that the Fed-

The Kaslo & Slocan railway, length 33 miles, was opened for traffic in November

Arrow lake, where boats connect with Robson and

Buoys have been placed at the entrance of Mud bay and sandheads, Fraser river, and at Sooke harbor, south of Vancouver Isand.

Much remains to be done to efficiently

Much remains to be done to efficiently light the coast and islands of this province. In February, 1894, a special committee of this board reported upon the lights, beachens, and buoys most urgently required, but many of the recommendations made and submitted to the Dominion government have not yet been carried out and no time should be lost in bringing this matter before the notice of the new administration.

Notwithstanding the substantial advance made by the Province as a whole during the past twelve months, the business of the Coast cities has not largely increased; nor is this a matter for surprise, seeing the principal mining development has been in the interior. The towns recently established in Kootenay have drawn many supplies direct from Eastern Canada and the United States, freight rates being in favor of this arrangement. There is no means of ascertaining the extent of the interior.

Surveys. Exploratory and subdivisional surveys

were continued last summer, but not on so large a scale as in some previous years. Nevertheless, much additional and valuable nformation is made available to intending information is made available to intending settlers and furnishes further proof, if such is necessary, that there is sufficient agricultural and grazing land in British Colcultural and grazing land in Briti cumbia to sustain a population many times greater than that now within our borders. The sum of \$15,000 was voted for surveys

The Canadian Pacific Steamship Company's service with China and Japan has been continued and the sailings have been regular, with full freights and passenger lists on each occasion.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Com-

pany have found it necessary to put on additional steamers; sailing ships also have been employed during some months of the

The direct steamships running between Canada and Australia find full freights from this end, and it is probable that another steamship will be put on this line

last, when the Empress of Japan was dock-ed for the first time.

PUBLIC WORKS.

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potatoes were imported, upon which duty was paid \$7,095.10.

The importation of fruit was checked, home grown apples, pears, plums and prunes supplying the local markets and leaving a surplus, which was shipped to the eastern provinces.

Canned home-grown fruits continue in good demand.

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with a railway which would form another transcontinental line to the north of the Canadian Pacific railway. The company formed to build this proposed railway made proposals to the local government in March last involving financial assistance, but the last involving financial assistance but the bring railway made to the Domining to British Columbia. Representations should be made to the Domining covernment.

solved that it was not expedient for those colonies to take advantage of the arrangement made in their behalf by the Mother Country. sistance which is needed to ensure early sistance with nearly all they erings. The true value of Great Britain's

CONGRESS OF CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE, The third Congress of Chambers of Com- tions to the London chamber for the merce of the Empire was held at London on the 9th to 12th ultimo, and Mr. Robert Ward, who so ably represented this board attractions and countries are solded at the congress, for the numerous social attractions and countries are solded attractions and countries. The Columbia & Western, a narrow gauge line, between Rossland and Trail on the Columbia river, was completed last month.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION.

The lighthouse at Portlock point has completed and operated since November 1 to make the month of the proceedings contains much valuable information, and his remarks on the principal subject debated, namely, Commercial relations between the Mother Country and her colonies and dependencies are particularly ward for his report.

A vote of thanks was passe Ward for his report.

The report will be found in the appen-THE PROSPECT.

ascertaining the extent of the inter-pro-vincial trade, but the Nelson customs returns show that importations from the United States have averaged about \$75,000 per month. The outlook for the Coast cities is, however, encouraging, since upon

MINERAL DEVELOPMENT.

The Board of Trade puring
the Year.

Annual Report Remarks on the Improvement of Trade During
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the Year.

New Officers Elected—Entrance Fee of Members Reduced to Twenty Dollars.

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DEVELOPMENTS ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.

Trade over a large area. Works are now in progress for hydraulic mining obligation of the year's operations. A large area was any propriant indestry in the early operation of the projected British of the project of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. At present this rich country is practically closed to mining, other than placer, on account of the great cost of getting in more part of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The blands continue of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The lumber of the projected British pacific railway can hardly be over-estimated. The lumber mills, sab and door factories are required to the United States for the projected of the mines are cost of getting in the stock at a small percentage of the work of the finding stones. The Mahinday can hardly so the foundation of smaggling on the vest cost of Canada.

The Board of Trade yesterday held their annual meeting at which the print of the projected projec

That a sanguine view of the future of British Columbia is warranted may be judged by the high standing of our provinial stocks and municipal debentures in the financial markets.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS It is also pleasing to note that the exports have again increased during the past twelve months, and exceed by about a mil-

lion and a half of dollars those of any previous year, the total being approximately ten and a half million dollars.

The imports, too, show a very substantial increase compared with the year ending June 30, 1895. From returns available it very soon. • June 30, 1895. From returns available it
All these steams hips call at Victoria on appears that this city alone has contributed both the outward and inward voyages; the to Federal treasury during the past Canadian Pacific ships, however, did not come alongside the wharf until June 22 last, when the Empress of Japan was docked for the first time. The YUKON COUNTRY.

The application of this board for an improved mail service to the Yukon was met by the Dominion government granting an allowance for three mails during this season, instead of only one heretofore.

This board also reported the advantages

the Dominion post office and castom being carried pass this port on to Seattle and from there returned; house at Victoria. The stone and masonry likewise, that the return mails for the North continues on the islands and north coasts.

board and looked after its financial standing, which was better than ever

of the Premiers of Australia, it was resolved that it was not expedient for those pathy of the Mother Country in her coltrade and possessions, all onial point to the immense advantages While the Japanese will soon be able to to be derived from these periodical gathuse and wear and eat, without assistance from foreign countries, they will be compelled to buy many raw materials, principally cotton and iver The Nakusp & Slocan line was extended from Three Forks to Sandon, distance four miles.

The Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway was continued from Five Mile Point to Nelson.

The Canadian Pacific Revelstoke branch line was built from Wigwam to the head of Arrow lake, where boats connect with the delegates are again under deep obligaattractions and courtesies extended to them, and for the many acts of thoughtful kindness, the recollection of which will long be treasured by those who were

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr.

The advisability of reducing the admission fee of members came up for discussion on a motion of Hon. B. W. Pearse Notwithstanding the substantial advance | to reduce the fee from \$30 to \$15. An

representing Bradstreet's), H. Smith. R. S. Day, F. Norris, and Geo. E. Hinton.



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Fire at Surrey-Serious Assault Case Westminster's Assessed Value.

Treating Damaged Tea-What is Being Done by Mainland Miners.

(Special to the Colonist.)

Innes, Hamilton, went east from here

was married yesterday to Miss Florence King prospect.

Last fall Edward N. Murphy bought and H. W. Findley, Vancouver.

damaged in the recent accident on the the divide between the Noble Five and C.P.R. are being treated on the Hotel Vancouver lawn. The good tea is being separated from that which came in ac-750 chests will be sent east for sale.

WESTMINSTER

cipality of Surrey, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$3,500. There was no in
thinks, become large enough to make the Belle a big paying proposition. There are nearly 1,200 feet of the lead in plain

Those who have thus far attended the camp meeting now being held at Sidney in the July Century. surance and no probable cause of the fire | sight besides other excellent showings is given. At the time of the conflagra- on the property. tion Mr. Richmond was away from home and no one was on hand but Mr. Richmond's small children to make an attempt to save the property.

The assessed value of property in Westminster is \$3,525,665. The rate of assessment has been placed at 30 mills

Owing to a dispute over fishing gear at Ewen's cannery, a fisherman named Grant struck another fisherman named Engelhardt on the head with an oar, knocking him senseless. It is feared Engelhardt will not recover.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, July 9 .- The Wellington nual exhibition on Wednesday, Septem- return to their camp, showing they are

bell; subject, "Competitive vs. Co-operative Trading," to be followed by a dis-

At the meeting of the Epworth League, held in the Wallace Street Methodist church, the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Rev. T. W. Hall; president, J. E. T. Powers; 1st vice-president, T. W. Haslam; 2nd vicepresident, Miss J. Hall; 3rd vice-president, Ald. A. Wilson; 4th vice-president, Miss L. A. Mebins; secretary, G. Pearson; treasurer, J. Hall.

On Wednesday afternoon, about 4:30, while Alberni residents were enjoying the recreations of Dominion Day, the premises occupied for the last 18 ed by fire, involving the loss of medical and within ten or fifteen minutes the whole roof was ablaze. The house was situated about three minutes' walk from the settlement, and the doctor and Mrs. for \$35,000. Watson were the only persons at home. No help whatever was available, and when it was seen to be useless to con-tinue efforts to stop the fire, they tried to save what was possible of the clothing, books, etc. The intense heat soon put a stop to this, and in less than half an hour from the first alarm the whole house and outbuildings were reduced to ashes. There was no insurance on the house or its contents.

REVELSTOKE.

REVELSTOKE, July 6.—The following were the ore shipments through Revelstoke for the week ending July 4: Slocan Star, 100 tons; value, \$7,902; destination, Omaha.

KASLO. (From the Kootenaian.)

Early this week Manager McGuigan began packing down ore for immediate than last year, but on the heavier soils shipment from the Noble Five. The deal by which the Noble Five and the Bracebridge, July 8.—At the assizes deal by which the Noble Five and the Bracebridge, July 8.—At the assizes deal by which the Noble Five and the Bracebridge, July 8.—At the assizes deal by which the Noble Five and the Bracebridge, July 8.—At the assizes deal by which the Noble Five and the long to only 10 cm. Deadman will probably consolidate is which opened here yesterday before Jus-

000 at Spokane, and upon which work October 4, 1895. was begun a few weeks ago, has commenced shipping ore and will probably William Haskin died Monday from the become a permanent shipper, though effects of a stroke of apoplexy. He was the ledge proper has not yet been over 70 years old and had held the posi-

Last Monday morning the Washingfour cars, and this will be continued un-til fall, when it is intended to market a require concentrating, there is in sight sentative of that road on the board of enough concentrating to keep the mill managers of the Joint Traffic Associarunning for several years.

week, gave us an example of what it can do when it goes out on a rampage. do when it goes out on a rampage. Though the water was not nearly so high as when, in 1894, so much property was destroyed, its work was sufficient ty was destroyed, its work was sufficient to obtain political reforms, and which to obtain political reforms, and which led to the rising of the stranger population, or rather of the bulk of the Engineering to the four best essays written by the deep on his ground floor, and at one time the building was in danger. One evening papers reported to-night that or two small buildings were carried away. The old depot building was entirely surrounded and but for a break- timely surrounded and but for out, the water being about 18 inches tirely surrounded and but for a break- folio in the Laurier cabinet. This is greatest loss was sustained by a number cleared a plot of several acres and were prospering from the sale of garden truck.

lake is still rising, but has done no damage to date, beyond forcing the abandon-ment of the lower floor of the K. & S. depot. A heavy storm from off the lake would no doubt do great damage. The water is now above the ordinary high water mark and within five feet of that

reached by the great flood of 1894.
President D. J. Munn, of the Kaslo & Slocan railway, spent the greater part of the week in the city, looking over, with Col. Irving, traffic manager, the affairs of the company. President Munn is more than pleased with the prospects for his road, and says he becomes more infatuated with Kootenay each time he visits it.

Sanca is situated on the east shore of Kootenay lake, about eighteen miles yesterday. Both have been visiting the about 4,000 feet above Kootenay lake. A Cariboo district and speak enthusiastic- trail from Sanca to the Storm King Inlet and Westminster Telephone Co., miners will be at work on the Storm

nd H. W. Findley, Vancouver.

Seven hundred and fifty chests of tea known as the Northern Belle No. 2 on tual contact with the water. The entire day the young man began operations in an old tunnel with two crews, and on the second shift, Tuesday, the men struck at 8-inch streak of 136-ounce Westminster, July 9.—The residence silver, 70 per cent. lead ore. The streak of A. A. Richmond, clerk of the muniswidening out and will, Mr. Murphy

TRAIL CREEK.

(From the Spokane Spokesman.) will be worked extensively, the bond calling for immediate work. This has for a background the always interesting always been regarded as a very valuable

property. that is proving to be good prospects, the park is but a Grimsby in embryo-but ore assaying high, and he claims to have the natural material is there for fully as several feet of it.

Prospectors are coming and going into ering place. the various camps around this place and none have anything but the most en-Agricultural Society will hold their an- as provisions and tools can be had they

desire to purchase good mining proper-

Teddy Spellman struck a three-100t mass bound at the vein of ore in a twelve-foot shaft on the western Spy last week that proves to be shipping ore. This is on Lookout pressive and helpful address; and in the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. The returning officer, however, refused to give the conservative candidate. and handy to the tramway. It is owned by Trail people and will be worked extensively. The owners of the Joker have exposed

several places ore crops out on the surface that assays well. The claim lies a

down a sufficient depth to show that the vein is widening gradually. This was bonded to the general by Trail parties

Champion, Bear and Murphy creeks are attracting considerable attention. A trail is being cut into the head waters of Champion that will be of great assistance to prospectors. At present hundreds are going into the country, many stopping at Waterloo landing, fifteen miles above trail, and tramping across. At Waterloo numerous good strikes have been made, and at present there are two groups that are under bond, to English capital. Another month will make great changes in that section, as the Nakusp leaves many passengers every trip down. It is thought to be the coming camp of this section.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

(Special to the Colonist.) WINNIPEG, July 8.—Crop reports to C. P. R. indicate that on lighter soils the yield gives promise of being heavier

The Wonderful, near the Slocan Star, which was recently stocked for \$1,000,- killing of John Scott at Severn bridge on

tion of city engineer for forty years. GRAVENHURST, July 9.-The body of ton mine concentrator shipped its first Miss M. A. Hughson was found in the car of concentrates, the same going to lake here. She had been in poor health Everett. This week's shipment was and is supposed to have fallen into the

car daily. This mill has a \$25,000-ton dump to work on. Besides a large amount of high grade ore, which will not

their land was sent out to the lake. The bill passed its committee stage.

[From THE DAILY COLONIST, July 10.]

Interesting Religious Services Under the Blue Sky and Green Pines.

Sidney's Annual Camp Meeting Is now Fairly Inaugurated.

VANCOUVER, July 9.—Chief Engineer Peterson of the C.P.R., and Senator McInnes, Hamilton, went east from here yesterday. Both have been visiting the Cariboo district and speak enthusiastically on the mining possibilities.

H. W. Kent, manager of the Burrard Inlet and Westminster Telephone Co., was married yesterday to Miss Florence was married yesterday to Miss Florence Emily Findley, sister of Mesers. F. S. and H. W. Findley. Vancouver.

To the Methodists of Eastern Canada, and more especially Ontario, the mere mention of a camp meeting brings with the more ment towards a political intention of Dutch and English in the colony has received a check, and the tendency of the Orange Free State towards a closer union with its sister republic has been strengthened. Meanwhile, the time this is in print, and a force of miners will be at work on the Storm King prospect.

Kootenay lake, account eighteen mines south of Pilot bay. This point is the headquarters for the Montana company, and more especially Ontario, the mere mention of a camp meeting brings with the movement towards a political intendence of Grimsby by the Lake, and at an elevation of about 4,000 feet above Kootenay lake. A trail from Sanca to the Storm King prospect.

H. W. Kent, manager of the Burrard Inlet and Westminster Telephone Co., was married yesterday to Miss Florence King prospect.

Emily Findley, sister of Mesers. F. S. and H. W. Findley. Vancouver. To the Methodists of Eastern Canada, tractive feature of Methodist religious attachment to their own simple and work during the midsummer months.

Methodist churches of Victoria, see much in the surroundings of the unpretentious meeting place there to remind them of Grimsby, for there, too, the voices of the preachers and the singers The Red Point sold several days ago are raised in exhortation, counsel or songs of praise beneath lofty trees and and cost the purchaser \$6,500. under the canopy of the blue sky, while picture has the shimmering Straits, dotted with verdant islands on the one Captain Smith is down from Deer Park. side and the fertile fields of Saanich He has a group under his management peninsula on the other. As yet Sidney picturesque and popular a summer gath-

At the present time a number of families are living at the scene of the couraging reports to make, and as soon camp meeting either in tents or con- July 4. He was fined \$10 and \$6 costs. her out will take in tow the ship Glory venient cottages, while the trains leaving Victoria at 9:30, 4 and 7:15, enable ber 16.

A co-operative conference will be held in the Co-operative hall to-morrow (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the day) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, for the day evening at 7:30 o'clock, for the city also to enjoy away yesterday evening at 8:30 o'clock at 10:30 o'cloc many residents of the city also to enjoy bays gave a third exhibition of running ber at British Columbia ports for forlast meeting by ten in the evening. The services are held morning, afternoon and runaway, which very narrowly escaped for Tientsin; American ship Benjamin man said he had sent for the chief, but prospects in the neighborhood. They desire to purchase good mining proper- ber. In the morning Rev. Mr. Misener was the preacher; at two in the after-Teddy Spellman struck a three-foot noon Miss Bowes conducted a special that at Brockville the Liberal election Wood, 495 tons, for Tientsin; American to call up the Mayor but was refused.

vice and was the preacher.

Mrs. Barrett, the evangelist present at the Sidney camp meeting of last year, is at present unable to attend owing to an iron cropping 27 feet wide, and in the illness of a friend, and other arrangements will be made to fill the face that assays well. The claim lies a vacancy in the programme caused by mile above Trail and all who have seen her inability to take the part allotted months by Dr. A. M. Watson, district resident physician, were totally destroyed by fire, involving the loss of medical.

The lead can be traced for quite local clergymen, and the meetings will continue daily until Tuesday next, when drink of filtered water. All the dainty

the demand of the strangers to be adquirable by an immigrant in the Transaal, as they are to-day in the Orange of strangers would alter the character of he electorate, and ultimately transfer the balance of power to English-speakng citizens, he persuaded the assembly extend the period of residence required for citizenship first to five, and then to ifteen years, and thus practically to exclude the whole of the new population which has come in since 1885. Thus electoral rights are now confined to less through box 64, the firemen had a long than twenty-five thousand citizens, while probably double that number of

those rights. would end by making the country English, like Cape Colony or Natal. It was not for such a fate that we quitted the homes of our fathers to go out into the

land in the republic, and pay more than 90 per cent. of the taxes, they are denied a share in the government of the country of its reversible to the taxes, they are denied as hare in the government of the country, the memorandam of this week's Gazette. The principal place of business is Rossland, the capital stock \$600,000, and the nues, and are obliged to submit to ex-cessive and unfair imposts, voted by a Stables. Another company r As a result of several very warm days
Kaslo river, during the early part of this week, gave us an example of what it can do when it goes out on a rampage.

STRATFORD, July 9.—The 14-year-old grandson of James Balfour, of Kirkton, week, gave us an example of what it can mower when he fell. The horses ran are far from trustworthy. These were and trustees McIver McIver Campbell

he had brought from Holland. The ris- and on the inducement offered the chilpopular than ever. At the same time it society in the promotion of temperance. stirred the feelings of the Dutch in the Orange Free State and even in Cape Colony. Seeing their own kinsfolk threat- ceived by the Charmer last evening, ened by an expedition which had started eighty-six sacks in all having come from British soil, they forgot for the through on the Pacific express that moment their own commercial griev- reached Vancouver yesterday ances against the Transvaal government (which had built up a wall of tariffs against them), and gave all their sympathy to the threatened republic. As the British Home government had not only disavowed, but had even tried to city council meeting last night. stop the expedition on its way, no re- AT St. Saviour's church, Victoria

America, and its delightful singing. The annual fortnight of special services at Grimsby Park have become well-known rence of the troubles of last December to the dock by their more intimate friends, where they boarded the Kingston to the friends to all Canadians, and so far-reaching is the fame of the Grimsby, washed by the times, for a minority to continue to rule umbia they will make their home in blue waters of Lake Ontario, that even over a large and increasing unenfran- Vancouver. in this extreme western province the chised majority of people superior in in-Easterner neither hears nor speaks of a telligence and wealth, however strong Methodist camp meeting, and does not the original position of the minority may think of the Ontario home of this at- have been, and whatever sympathy their primitive life may eveke .- "Impressions laide. Those who have thus far attended the of South Africa," by James Bryce, M.P.,

THE CITY

MR. J. B. McLAREN, of Ottawa, yesterday secured 1,300 shares in the Le Roi mine. The deal was a cash transaction

MISS BEATRICE TISDALE is staying at gasta and the latter for Tientsin. lent school for young ladies.

BARON VON KETTLER'S spirited team of The following vessels are loading lumbeing a very serious one.

him a ballot paper, and the popular ma- Chilian bark Elisa, 945 tons, for Anto- the hack to the fire and the reel passed

MR. DIXI H. Ross, with his usual forethought and enterprise, has introduced new feature into his grocery store on Government street, having fitted up a corner of the store as a resting place where a lady customer can not only enjoy a comfortable seat, but obtain a cool

year ago has been found to work very authority.

"boss" an honest living as well. vaal, as they are to-day in the Orange Free State. In 1881 a residence of two years gave the vote. But when President Krueger perceived that the influx stalled last evening by D.D.G.M. Han-really dear if measured by what it acna and the Grand Lodge staff: N.G., Wm. Merrifield; V.G., Wm. Falconer; Secty., T. Bamford; Treas., P. A. Babington; War., S. McNeil; Con., A. R. Gauld; O.G., W. Huxtable; R.S.N.G., J. E. Phillips; I.G., L. Cousins; L.S.N. G., W. Walker; R.S.V.G., F. Kermode;

In response to an alarm sounded and warm run yesterday between half persons, of voting age and sex, are living within the republic debarred from those rights fences enclosing the Finlayson property, It is easy to understand Mr. Krueger's the control of the volunteer firmer in Oaklands, and when reached was under Dutch Reformed churches; they do not like our customs; they do not speak our tongue. They would use their votes, if streets. There were given them. October 4, 1895.

Hamilton, July 8.—City Engineer William Haskin died Monday from the Would and by making the content. The work of the connected with this fire. It had got a good start, and had by making the connected with this fire. It had got a good start, and had by making the connected with this fire. tion of the roof, doing damage to the extent of over \$50.

> THE Butte Gold-Copper Mining Co. wilderness and overcome the Zulus sixty of Spokane, has registered under the years ago; and against such a fate we foreign companies act to do business in will struggle to the end."
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> British Columbia. The capital stock is British Columbia. The capital stock is On the other hand, the strangers com- \$1,000,000. A new company is the Brit plain that, though they form a large ish Lion Mining and Milling Co., lim-majority of the population, own half the ited liability, the memorandum of assotry and in the application of its revetrustees named are John Kirkup, W. G. Another company registered

ouffrage to the new-comers.

The effect of that abortive rising, and liams' room, Girls' Central school; Miss water immediately above, would undenied, however, on the authority of doubtedly have been swept away. The Mowat. Africa Company's men, who came to North Ward school; Miss Ida Goddard help it, but were surrounded and forced first prize, and Miss Maude Anderson industrious Chinamen who have DECEASED WIFE'S SISTER BILL. to surrender by the Boer forces, has so second prize, both of Miss Lawson's far been unfavorable to the demands of room, South Park school. The judges London, July 9.—In the House of the strangers. President Krueger's hold were Drs. Ernest and Lewis Hall, who Their buildings and the greater part of Lords to-day the deceased wife's sister on his citizens had been previously commented in terms of the warmest cure nausea, indigestion, shaken by their dislike to the officials eulogy both on the merits of the work. Hood's Pills billiousness. 25 cents.

ing, however, evoked all the patriotism of the Boers, and made the President, who successfully withstood it, more praising the laudable endeavors of the

Four days' delayed mails were re-

THE conference between the Jubilee hospital directors and the city counci committee, which was to have been held yesterday, was postponed owing to the

stop the expedition on its way, notice sentment has been felt by the Cape West, vesterday evening, Mr. George Dutch against Britain.

West, vesterday evening, Mr. George lan's charges against the fire department in connection with the McClarty

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

The British ship Corolla has arrived at Moodyville to load lumber for Ade-

The American ship Benjamin Sewell has finished loading at Moodyville for central fire hall for help met with a re-Shanghai, and will sail in a day or so. The well-known Chilean bark Indian cas returned to Vancouver, where she prize the fire department of the fire com-

loads lumber for Valparaiso.

The Chilean bark Elisa and the Amercan schooner King Cyrus have arrived at Chemainus within the last week, the former to load lumber for Antofa-

the Roccabella for a few days. She represents the Annie Wright seminary of Sound at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, Tacoma, Washington, and will be glad and after taking on board a small quanto see anyone interested in that excel- tity of freight and a few passengers proceeded to Mary Island, Alaska.

After receiving temporary repairs the THOMAS DE COURCEY, who occasion- tug Lorne left the Esquimalt marine only be made to save the stable and adally travels incog. as "Borax," was yes- | ways yesterday afternoon and proceeded terday found guilty in the provincial police court of being drunk and disorderly aboard the steamer Islander on the ship J. C. Potter, and after taking McClarty asked the driver to send in an of the Seas.

Sewell, 1320 tons, for Shanghai; Ameri- refused to hitch up when ordered by It appears, says the Montreal Gazette, can barkentine Quickstep, 379 tons, for witness. Mr. Wilkinson annoyed at hat at Brockville the Liberal election. Tientsin; American schooner E. K. fagasta; Nicaraguan barkentine Wrestler, 447 tons, for Melbourne; total, 11 vessels, 99,643 tons.—B. C. Commercial

Journal. LABOR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

The English carpenter has a "boy" to carry his tools for him; the English chief and report the fire, and five or ten The strike that was made in the Soutents of the house, including family and domestic treasures accumulated in thirty years of family life.

The fire originated at the kitchen stove, and within the proceed at the kitchen stove, and within the proceed at the kitchen stove, and within the proceed at the kitchen stove, and within the strike that was made in the Soutents and books, tents will be struck and the second accommodations are arranged under a close.

The strike that was made in the Soutents will be struck and the second the bricks to him, which he proceeds to set. Work requiring skill is very often and are at once suggestive of comfort.

The employing printers of this city as is well known lost money during the lost.

The strike that was made in the Soutents and are at once suggestive of comfort.

The employing printers of this city as is well known lost money during the lost. bricklayer has a native hodman to hand is well known lost money during the last the stationmasters and guards are two years, and in order to get prices white, but the heavy jobs which need this as all communication by telephone The struggle between the Boers and back to a paying basis this year, tried to little skill fall to the blacks; so field- with the fire department had to be made the strangers, which has practically be- form a union of all the offices in town. hands and those who actually herd the through him at night. ome a struggle between the English But this has not yet been accomplished. cattle are natives, though there are us-

> tionally dear, because the skilled white inside the fire hall and witness did not man insists on having blacks beneath hear what passed. As he drove Mr. him, and black labor, though it is cheap Wilkinson back to the fire the Chief's really dear if measured by what it accomplishes; for it is unskilled and uncertain, the native, except in a few of the road. He drove at a pretty brisk gait. older parts of the country, not yet having acquired that habit of steady and fire, went to help at five minutes past patient industry which makes labor ef- one, and it was some time afterwards, fective. It is of course in the newest probably 25 minutes, before the firemen districts, where the natives are still raw arrived. He did not think the firemen and scarcely removed from a savage state.

> that this uncertainty is most felt. In the gold-fields of the Transvaal and Mashonaland, the supply of native work- McClarty said he had just sent in an pounds (fifteen dollars) a month besides his food and such lodging as he needs. had connected him with the central fire The development of the mines is of hall. He heard distinctly a voice, not of course to some extent retarded by this frica," by James Bryce, M.P., in the July Century.

New York, July 9.—The total real estate assessment of New York city for 1896 is \$1,731,509,143, an increase of \$85,500,000 over last year.

Merit

Made and Merit Maintains the confiden of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla. If a medicine cures you when sick; if it makes wonderful cures everywhere, then beyond all question that medicine possesses merit.

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The Investigation Into Ald. Macmillan's Charges Against the Fire Department Opened.

After a Three Hours' Sitting the Inquiry Adjourns to Another Day.

last-named acting as prosecutor, while Chief Deasey conducted the defence. Ald. Macmillan's charges as written

out by himself are: 'I complain that at the fire which took place on the morning of June 22 at the corner of Leighton road and Cadboro Bay road, the fire department did not come on the ground with proper promptness; that not sufficient fire apparatus was brought on the ground that a telephone message sent to the fusal; and that a gentleman who drove in a hack to the central fire hall to applained of having received discourteous

treatment.' The first witness called was Mr. A. McClarty, who in effect stated that after he had got his family out of the burning house he had requested a hack driver to send in an alarm. He did not know how long the department was in coming and he did not think that after they reached the fire the firemen could have done any more than they did as his house was past saving and efforts could joining house.

alarm. As the witness did not know where there was a box he ordered the this wanted to use the station telephone He went out for the purpose of telephoning from some other place, but did not as the hackman told him the chief the carriage at Leighton road. He conaidered his treatment at the fire hall to have been discourteous. He did not think that in any event the house could

have been saved. The next witness was Mr. C. McMunn the night telephone operator. He had heard the fire department call up the minutes later an alarm came over Ald.

H. Matthews, the hack driver, said and the Dutch elements, now centres in The association formed in Seattle over a ually whites over them in a position of that when he got to the fire hall he told Bush that the fire was inside the mitted to the electoral franchise. For-mitted to the electoral franchise. For-mitted to the electoral franchise. For-merly electoral rights were readily ac-a fair day's work and allowing the dear, but in South Africa it is excep-outside. Mr. Wilkinson had then gone buggy passed the hack somewhere before Cook street was reached, but the hose cart did not pass them till Leighton S. W. Edwards, who lived close to the

> brought enough apparatus with them. Ald. Macmillan was then sworn and people often falls short, although at alarm by a back. Witness telephoned Johannesburg a native can earn three then from his own house an alarm to the central, and thought the operator had connected him with the central fire the telephone operator, say: "No, it's difficulty of obtaining a permanent sup-ply of labor.—("Impressions of South the impression that it came from the outside the city limits," and was under central fire hall. His impression was that part of McClarty's house might have been saved if the firemen had arrived promptly. As near as he could judge it was 25 minutes from judge it was 25 minutes from the time he is was at the telephone before the brigade arrived. the He did not think that there were enough firemen, as he saw only four; and he lid not think that one hose reel was sufficient apparatus to bring; the chemical engine should have been brought and some ladders.

As it was nearly eleven o'clock it was lecided to adjourn to a date to be fixed for hearing the evidence on behalf of the fire department.

Purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla, which will give you an appetite. tone your stomach and strengthen your nerves.



PENDER ISLAND. OTICE is hereby given that subdivisions of fractional Sections 1 and 2 Pender Vision of

fractional Sections 1 and 3, Pender Island, will be offered for sale at public auction, at the Lands and Works office, Victoria, 12 noon, on Saturday, 25th July. W. S. GORE. Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 7th July 1896. jylo

\$18 a Week Easy. You warround brand m was easy. Week easy. Week easy was done. Send us your address any way. It will be for yo

Chief Deasy Files His Answer to the Charges of Alderman Macmillan,

And the Aldermen Agree That They Were Not Justified By Facts.

Between 10 and 11 o'clock last night the investigation into Ald. Macmillan's charges against the chief of the fire department terminated after conclusive evidence for the defensive had been submitted. The defence was conducted by the investigation into Ald. Macmillan's charges against the chief of the fire department terminated after conclusive evidence for the defensive had been submitted. The defence was conducted by the investigation into Ald. Macmillan's know from our own knowledge that know from our own knowledge that there is a number of life-long Liberals, both here and in Victoria, who have dispersion to the defension of the Mainland shortly after to the use designed, where she had the two wickets a full cargo, flour and sasured them that it would be devoted to the use designed, where she had odoubt it would prove both interesting and serviceable to the patients in the female ward.

At the Canteen grounds yesterday the Victoria C. C. succeeded in defeating the doubt it would prove both interesting and serviceable to the use designed, where she had odoubt it would prove both interesting and serviceable to the use designed, where she had oben to the use designed to the use designed, where she had oben to the use designed, where she had on the use designed to the use designed, where she had on the use of the use designed to the use designed to the use designed, where she had on the use of the use designed to the use designed, where she had on the use of the use designed to the use designed, where she had on the use of the use designed to the use designed, where she had on the use of the us the investigation into Ald. Macmillan's mitted. The defence was conducted by Chief Deasy, and was in effect outlined in the following statement which he submitted when all the witnesses had been heard

fire breaking through the roof of a frame building. He drives to the burning structure and then drives over one and a half miles to the nearest fire hall, neglecting to use the fire alarm boxes or Mr. Chas. Hayward, chairman, presidwas in delivering the alarm, but I am

notify us promptly.

engine in the city was undergoing repairs, and, although in service, was Miss Ida M. Carmichael and Miss Arpairs, and, anthough in service, was liable to break down on a long run. I rowsmith wrote resigning their positions to arrive in the near future has maintook a hose carriage, men and 900 feet as teachers. took a hose carriage, men and 900 feet as teachers. of hose to the fire, leaving only one engine, one truck and one chemithe whole city by taking everything power to act. away for miles on such an alarm as I received. Cadboro Bay road is six miles long, and the news transmitted to me for which he is agent. This oil being road.' Again, the blame, if any, rests on other shoulders. I asked for protection in that section in seven yearly reports. None was provided outside of a hose cart, with hose, which is stored 700 yards from the fire and which the residents of the locality neglected to use. It cannot be placed at my door if I have

portion of the city.
"Third. That a telephone message for help, sent to the central fire hall met tabled. with a refusal. In reply permit me to

fore we left for the fire. This I can prove by a dozen witnesses.

"Fourth. That a gentleman who plained of having received discourteous course chief report to his superiors. No complaint, of any description, reached me. Acting on purported remarks published in the newspapers, I demanded a written exstatement, with a declaration signed by four others, I submitted some days ago.

The engineer denies the charge. In conclusion, gentlemen, permit me to state that I am willing to stand prosefrom certain quarters for some time. I am willing to do my duty as fearlessly spectfully protest against petty warfare, which tends to demoralize any departa man at its head with independence the board. enough to fear or favor none so long as he does his duty. This kind of service I have given for many years.

THOMAS DEASY, "Chief of Fire Department." After the foregoing statement had been the city hall, read, Chief Deasy and his men were asked to retire, and the committee with Ald. Macmillan present, considered the charges. After some deliberation the Mayor secured the individual opinion of all the aldermen.

The charge made "that the telephone message sent to the fire hall met with a was withdrawn by Ald. Mac millan. As for the other charges the aldermen all voted that they had not been sustained, with one exception, and this was provided by Ald. Humphrey who refrained from giving a decision on the matter of the insufficiency of the apparatus on the scene of the fire. The official report of the result of the inquiry will not be made known until Monday.

LAURIER HELD UP.

resentation problem:

"The representatives from this proof Hon. Wilfrid Laurier will make such new colony. As the coming settlers are recommendations to the Premier as will enable him to select the best available the rainy season sets in the first pioneer man. Our belief is that considering everything, and the solid support the Hon. Col. Baker, minister of immigrations. government will receive from the Main- tion, has offered very liberal terms to the land, that its claims to recognition are paramount to those of any other section it is probable that Vancouver Island of the province. We have no desire to will within one year have the largest be considered sectional, but fair Scandinavian settlement on the Pacific play in politics, as in everything Coast. Any Dane interested in the plans else, being bonnie play, we would not be true to the trust and confidence reposed in us did we not press the claim of this portion of British Columbia in view of the prodigious development now

But there are other reasons to which we shall hereafter re-fer, why the Mainland cannot be ignored

The News-Advertiser takes a broader view of the situation, commenting as follows: "We fear that British Columbia will sink in the estimation of her sister provinces over the unseemly struggle which appears to be going on over a seat in the cabinet for one of the Tramp Steamships on Their Way four Liberal members from this province. We have not referred to the subject before, hoping that the good sense and influence of some of the leading and honest Liberals in British Columbia would put

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

telephone on the way. The firemen then drive a mile and a half to the fire. I cannot state how prompt the hackman Saunders also present.

An application for desks for the chart sure that a rapid run was made to the class at the South Park school was refire. With telephones and alarm boxes ferred to the supply committee; and a along the road, and a telephone rented complaint from a parent that her daughby the city in Ald. Macmillan's resi- ter had not been allowed to leave school dence within one hundred yards of the one afternoon an hour before closing fire, the blame, if any, rests with those was referred to Mrs. Grant as a special who saw the blaze and neglected to committee of inquiry.
notify us promptly.

Mr. McNeill presented a report on the

"Second. The complaint that not sufficient apparatus was brought on the ground is met by the following:

"In McNeill presented a report on the pupil teachers' examination, showing that Miss Brown obtained a total of 319 marks or 7934 per cent., and Miss Grant marks or 7934 per cent., and Miss Grant Mosses P. P. Bither and Mosses P. Bi At the time of the fire the only reliable 314 marks, 78½ per cent., each obtain-

cal in service in the business it is his desire to cover with his patent centre of the city. With the apparatus mentioned we saved Mr. Baxter's foot, and last from three to five years ratus mentioned we saved Mr. Baxter's residence and Mr. McHarty's stable, all It leaves the boards a perfect black. that could be saved after we reached the scene. I do not believe in endangering alterations and repairs committee, with

Mr. Spragge then addressed the board on the subject of a patent dustless oil applied to a wooden floor, the effect is to prevent dust being raised in sweeping. He produced local testimonials rom B. Williams & Co. and Dr. Lewis Hall. He thought that once the floors at Rivers Inlet. are saturated, a re-coating once a year would be sufficient. The matter was reinsufficient apparatus to protect every A number of applications for positions

on the teaching staff were received and state that no telephone message for help officer, giving statistics of absentees, also A report from the school attendance suggested a reformatory for some of the

drove in a hack to the central fire hall to The majority of the supply committe apprise the department of the fire com- presented a report recommending the to lumber on the Sound. payment of \$15° a month for the use of treatment. Answer—If any gentleman had any complaint to make the proper also that the council be urgently recourse would be to the proper also that the council be urgently rewould be to write the quested to provide a suitable from the use of the board together with a safe to contain the board's books and papers. MRS. GRANT explained that she had not signed this report because she could not consent to paying this amount for the use of the secretary's room in view planation from Engineer Lund. His of the retrenchment in other directions. She thought that arrangements should

THE CHAIRMAN said he had interviewed the Mayor on this subject some time ago, and the best that could be done was that the board could have the use of the committee room provided that their machines did not an district that the district that cution, but persecution has been my lot time ago, and the best that could be in the future as in the past, but I re- that their meetings did not conflict with those of the municipal committees.

Mr. BELYEA pointed If I have the confidence of board need, in addition to a nessed this offensive exhibition my superiors it will be a pleasure to retain it, if there is any fault I ask and extheir papers and books may be safely Royal City of the Pacific Coast. He repect no consideration. As you are aware the fire department of any city requires the fire department of any city requires

Mr. Lovell and Mr. Yates held that the expense proposed was rather greater to the revolting a than should be incurred, though the

rule has been adopted that children for the chart or primary classes are not to be admitted during any term after the first ten cays, the fact should be advertised for a week or so before the reopening of the schools, so that all persons concerned may be informed. It was directed that this should be done.

One of the largest colonization projects of the year, which when carried into operation will see 60,000 acres on this Island, in the vicinity of Cape Scott, made the home of a number of sturdy Danish families, is now being energetically pushed forward by a committee of seven The Vancouver World, which appears of Washington. They are leaving no to be recognized in the East as the chief stone unturned to make their coloniza-Liberal organ in British Columbia, thus speaks out its mind on the cabinet repsent circulars, pamphlets and maps of the northern end of the Island to all the epresentatives from this pro-prosentatives from the government whom have already decided to join the anxious to have quarters erected before Hon. Col. Baker, minister of immigra directors of the colony, and as a result

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Round the World-Shipping for June.

kind. They realise, as everyone who has the slightest knowledge of political affairs must do, that it would be little less than a scandal to insist on Mr. Laurier placing at the head of an important department of state a man absolutely devoid of any parliamentary lintely devoid of any parliamentary lateral affairs must do, that it would be little of 30 tons being received here. The steamer's saloon passenger list is as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Warren, Hon. T.

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A Brassey. Lady Brassey, Miss Street. party boarded the vessel at Victoria. Two other passengers the steamer reson, who are going to Sydney.

A NEW DEPARTURE. The Portland Oregonian says: Three large tramp steamships are now en route from Japan to San Francisco, and it is Mr. Stephen Jones, district deputy Kingdom, and on reaching England load dell; and M. of W., S. Jones.

review the shipping trade for June: "A with a good all round demand as shown

The steamship Danube is now due from the North and is expected to bring interesting news of the big cannery strike Capt. Irving, Dr. Jones, J. W. Benson, Mrs. (Capt.) McDougall and family, and ferred to the repairs committee, with power to act on the suggestion that the oil might be tried on one room.

several others were passengers on the steamer Maude leaving here for Coast points last night. The steamer carried

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almost a full freight of heterogeneous character. Over 500 tons of flour will be included

NEEDLESS INDIGNITY.

Public opinion throughout the province seems very much of a unit in regard to Port Angeles and its splendid harbor. parading the chain gang from the provincial jail on the streets of the city, though no one objects to the prisoners

have been made with the council long guilty of no crime other than yielding to attracted many to the A.O.U.W. hall

regular weekly prayer meeting. out that the in the Dominion, but had never wit- recognize only the new. To-morrow thoughtless cruelty till he came to the the best of his series of lectures, on the ferred to the degrading effect it had on iurious effect on the children, who not infrequently "played chain gang"; and to the revolting sight it was to good and

than should be incurred, though the board certainly need better accommodation than before provided for them at the city hall.

After further discussion the report was described by the comparatively trivial offence committed in the course of a spree: only a few days later this young man was marched in the chain gang morning and evening past his father's door, the sight of his disgrace proving keenest torture to the loving and aged mother and the respected and upright father.

In consequence of their pastor's reopening of the subject it is expected that the congregation of the First Presbyterian church will immediately initiate an agitation for the abolition of the practice complained of, continuing their crusade against the marching of the chain

A GIFT FOR THE HOSPITAL.

pital, when Mrs. Thos. Adams, the pres- but none on the contents, Neither Rev. the following address:

screen-the work of the members of the society,
"We desire to take this opportunity of expressing our cordial and grateful appreciation of the excellent management and

invaluable services of this noble institu tion, three members of our society who enjoyed its advantages [two of whom were recently discharged testifying in the highest terms to the skill, care and thoughtful attention received from the medical staff, yourself and all others connected with the institution.

"With best wishes for the continued and

a summary stop to this miserable exhibition of selfish egotism on the part of these sucking politicians. We

The Canadian-Australian steamship Miss McMillan, in accepting the screen, thanked the ladies of the society for their beautiful and useful donation, and

been very ill at the residence of Mr. A. ceived here were Mrs. Long and her Anderson, and who is most deserving of any aid that may be extended to her. Full particulars of the circumstances of Dr. Ernest Hall.

from Japan to San Francisco, and it is reported that they will engage in a "round-the-world" freight traffic. The vessels are the Strathgarry, 3,264 tons; the Linlithgow, 2,041 tons; and the Undaunted, 2,971 tons. All three were built in England in 1894, and made their maiden voyages to Yokohama and Kobe. After discharging in San Francisco they will load wheat for the United Kingdom, and on reaching England load Kingdom, and on reaching England load.

Mr. Stephen Jones, district deputy grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, last evening had the pleasure of installing the following officers of Far West lodge No. 1: P.C., F. Hinds; C.C., The Navy commenced badly, as Wallis the Linlithgow, 2,041 tons; and the Undaunted, 2,971 tons. All three were built in England in 1894, and made their finite following officers of Far West lodge No. 1: P.C., F. Hinds; C.C., T. W. Walker; V.C., T. Barnhardt; P., W. J. Conlin; M. of E., W. P. Smith; K. of R. and S., E. Pferdner; M. at A., J. W. Elliott; I.G., Geo, Etheridge; O.G., H. B. Rendiscontant of the Linlithgow of the flagship, finishing second.

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conductor; Wm. McKay, I.G.; Joseph tributed 57. The scores follow: the engagements have naturally been for new crop loading at rates ranging from 27s. 6d. to Cork for orders less 1s. 3d. direct, up to 30s. net. At the close, Wm. L. Gilchrist, L.S.S.; Wm. Minty,

THE doors of Victoria's city and proby the fair-sized list of charters, vincial jails will no more open to receive There is nothing of interest to report with regard to the salmon fleet." vincial jails will no more open to receive or restore to liberty poor Jennie Chickens, who with her husband has during vincial jails will no more open to receive F. W. the past ten years or more enjoyed the unenviable distinction of spending the greater part of her time behind barred doors for whiskey drinking. Her con-victions were numbered by many scores, and it was only after completing a term at Topaz avenue quite recently that Jennie fled to Steveston to escape rough treatment at the hands of her spouse. There she died last Friday night-unwept, unhonored and unsung.

THE "Trout of Lake Crescent" forms the subject of two interesting illustrated in the cargo of the N. P. R. steamer articles in the columns of Forest and ecretary of the Angeles Board of Trade. These gentlemen had the good fortune to catch some monster trout, whose appearance, weight and flavor are enter-

being compelled to care for the grounds "The Kingdom of God," the subject of the several provincial institutions.

This often discussed subject of the of Rev. Robert Roberts' second lecture marching of prisoners-some of them pices of the Christadelphian Society, the vice of intemperance—through the last evening. The speaker's forcible city streets in charge of an armed guard, scriptural argument, the way in which strongly condemned the practice of He had, he said, been in many places some to ignore the old scriptures and Rev. Mr. Roberts will deliver probably 'gathering storm all over the world."

NEXT Thursday's session of the city police court promises to differ materially from the sessions of the past fortnight, inasmuch as a case of special interest and quite out of the ordinary is on the docket. The defendant is Mr. William Grimm, the Johnson street carriage maker, who was yesterday charged with having on the day of the recent general unlawfully "repeated" his vote, contrary to the provisions of section 89, of the Canada Election Act. The section referred to declares anyone guilty of personation who having voted once at an election of members for the House of Commons applies for a ballot paper in his own name at the same election. Mr. Grimm is accused of having voted at the city hall and also at the Willows polling station.

A FIRE that was undoubtedly of incendiary origin yesterday morning destroyed the residence of Rev. J. P. gang through the streets until the point West, of which Mrs. Barlow was the Great difficulty was experiowner. enced by the firemen in reaching the scene of danger—owing to the break in through the enterprise of Mr. J. A The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's resbyterian church, Victoria West, and take the hose wagon over the railhave been for the past six months indus- way bridge and Indian reservation, with his clever performances, triously working at an autograph silk the result that the fire had obtained so numerous genuine novelties; Cary and draft screen, from which for autographs they realized about \$40 for the funds of the society, the primary design, however, being that on its completion it should be presented to the Jubille hos-Yesterday afternoon the officers and everal of the members of the society met loss is estimated at about \$2,500, there tory demonstration of his skill nevertheand the stable attached to the destroyed Miss McMillan, the matron, at the hos-being \$1,200 insurance on the building less. ident, made the presentation, reading the following address:

Mr. Hicks nor any member of his family had been home for several days, having the Naval Bluejackets and No. 3 Com-

[From THE DAILY COLONIST, July 12.]

the Navy-Fifth Regiment Beats the Albions.

With best wishes for the continued and increasing prosperity and usefulness of the Jubilee hospital,

"We are, yours very faithfully,
"Rose Adams, President.
"Marion F. MacRae, Sec.-Treas."

Yacht Club Races—Wheeling at Oak
Bay—A Good Day's
Sport.

At the Canteen grounds yesterday the

nings. Victoria went first to the wickets the 200 yard mark, overhauled his comand the captain, Mr. Pooley, and Capt. Richardson were soon disposed of; the Clayton second. score was 19-2-4 when P. Æ. Irving joined Morley, and not until the score field of six by S. P. Moody, who made a had reached 119 was the partnership particularly pretty finish in 8.451-5.
W. F. Penwill and E. A. Wolff put up a heard:
"To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.
"Gentlemen:—I have the honor to complaints filed by Ald. Macmillan re fire on Leighton road. In reply thereto I respectfully submit the following:
"First, with reference to the promptness of the department, a hackman driving on Oak Bay avenue noticed a fire breaking through the roof of a frame"

"To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

"Our His Worship the Mayor and Board of Aldermen.

"A Brassey, Mis Street, A Brassey, Mis Street, A Brassey, Lady Brassey, Mis Street, In gas coher occasionally makes a very great deal of error in published in formation, a typographical mistake in the Cozonstro of So unimportant a bray and From the Day of the particularly pretty finish in 8.45 1-5.

"For His Worship the Mayor and Board of A Brassey, Mis Street, A Brassey, Lady Brassey, Mis Street, In good in From the Cozonstro of So unimportant a scipher occasionally makes a a cipher occasionally makes a a by Ward after a well played 22, and Miller and W. Grant were the most for-Morley was joined by Luxton; it was during this partnership, when the cen-making and in the final sixth gave as tury seemed to be a certainty for him, pretty an exhibition of hard racing as that the former was unfortunately run the case may be had on application to out. Morley had made 83 in first class sprinted Grant in by a wheel in 2:51 2-5. style and only gave one chance, a diffi-cult one, when he had scored 38. His chief hits consisted of 10 threes and 14

Lisco they will load wheat for the United Kingdom, and on reaching England load again for the Orient.

FIRMNESS IN GRAIN FREIGHTS.

Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., thus review the shipping trade for June: "A light supply of tonnage on the spot and to arrive in the near future has main
The following officers of Peerless lodge No. 93, I.O.O.F., were last evening installed by W. J. Hanna, D.D.G.M., accompanied by an efficient staff of grand officers: J. W. Speed, N.G.; Charles Porter, V.G.: Hinkson Siddall.

The sollowing officers of Peerless lis out into the sea for 6, but being soon after bowled by Goward for 26. Lieut. Luard joined Capt. Adair and the score was taken to 75, when Mr. Luard was caught by Mr. Irving's second at tempt. The innings closed at 117, of which Capt. Adair made 40 in good to which Capt. Adair made 40 in good who in the dual position gave satisfaction to all concerned. The prizes won, very pretty and valuable souvenirs, were was caught by Mr. Irving's second at tempt. The innings closed at 117, of which Capt. Adair made 40 in good the presented at the band concert at the hotel in the evening.

LACROSSE. Charles Porter, V.G.; Hinkson Siddall, style. The Navy followed on and had Mr. Sheridan interviewed the meeting on the subject of the blackboards, which varied but little. The greater part of this desire to cover with his VICTORIA C. C.

Hon. C. E. Pooley c Speke, b Luard... S. F. Morley, run out ... P. Æ. Irving b Mainbrace... Capt. Richardson c Ley, b Ward...... A. T. Goward b Ward T. Goward b Ward Wallis c Luard, b Ward W. Thomas b Ward Luxton b Luard. G. Smith stumped Poole, b Luard.. Fox b Luard Scroggs, not out..... Extras NAVY C. C. 2nd Innings. 1st Innings. Goward Mr. Fellows c Thom-

Lieut Poole b Wallis 1 c Pooley, b Goward 57 Mr. Mainbrace b .. 26 run out 10

THE SOLDIERS SUCCESSFUL. The Fifth Regiment C. C. scored an-Port Angeles and its splendid harbor, and the growth and prospects of the town are also dwelt upon in a very readtown are also dwelt upon in a very readgood score of 128, J. F. Foulkes being top scorer with a splendidly played innfew minutes, and as a result the home ings of 51. The Albions' first two wickets fell very rapidly; then H. J. Martin and Schwengers made quite a stand before the latter fell a victim to a good ball by Proctor. from McTavish. Soon after Martin was clean bowled by McTavish for a well played 23. The other wickets fell rapid y until F. G. Fowkes joined Henry these two players putting on 48 runs for the last wicket, when Fowkes was well caught in the slips. The inning eventually closed for 83. Here are the scores

5TH REGIMENT C. C. Booth, b W. York..... Maclean, b Schwengers.... ilson, run out. . Futcher, lbw Anderson ulkes, c Porter, b W. Y C. Trimen, b Goward... olefield, b W. York Goward, b Goward Williams, not out..... McTavish, b W. York. Total. ALBION C. C. H. J. Martin, b McTavish

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> THE WHEEL. GOOD SPORT AT THE BAY.

Very interesting and entertaining were the various sports with which

the Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, we have taken the liberty of waiting on you at this time for the purpose of asking you to accept for the use of the female ward of the Jubilee hospital this silk autograph draft stomach and strengthen your nerves.

Since wednesday last open in attendance at the camp meeting now in progress at Sidney.

Artillery. The Bluejackets' team was formed upon the grounds, from the men of H. M. S. Imperieuse, Comus and Icarus, and was captained by First Class P.O. J. J. Oakley, of the Comus. Com-

pany Sergeant Major Holland captained the team from No. 3, whom he marched to and from their position at the rope in true military fashion, after the manner of a gun squad, and the smart appear-Victoria Plays Cricket All Round plause from their citizen friends. The tug proved a thoroughly exciting one. No. 3 won the first pull, and the Blue-jackets the second. The third heat was so stubbornly contested that when the time limit was up neither side had the requisite advantage, but the jolly Blue-

jackets eventually won. The bicycle races were six in number -two for members of the army and navy, who contributed a considerable part of the day's good sport, and four for the city amateurs. Appended is the summary of results:

Boys' race, one mile-Fred. Humber, starting from scratch with four rivals on pany at the close of the first lap and won as he pleased in 3.02, with Frank

Three mile, amateur-Won from a

one would care to witness. Miller out-Bandsmen's race, one mile—Won by Anderson with J. North second, in 3:25.

VANCOUVER WINS.

Vancouver, July 11.—(Special)—The Vancouver and New Westminster senior lacrosse teams crossed sticks at Westminster to-day, when the Vancouvers were victors, the score being 4 to 1. With the exception of the brilliant indi-61 vidual playing of the Millers and Quanns for Vancouver and Leitham and the Peels for Westminster, it was a very 22 poor exhibition of lacrosse. The Westminsters outplayed the visitors in the field and showed up well in defence, but their home was wretchedly week. Cheyne and Cambridge were sadly

missed. Game. Won by Scored by Time. Vancouver Ralph 8 min-Vancouver K. Campbell 8 " Vancouver K. Campbell 25 " Westminster McQuarrie 11 " 1....Vancouver.... 5.... Vancouver.....K. Campbell 4 THE LEAGUE STANDING. Team. Played. Won. Lost. Pc'g

Victoria..... Vancouver..... Westminster.....

BASEBALL. THE "LEAVES" ARE WINNERS.

The game between the Man of this city, and the Nanaimo Stars yesterday resulted in a victory for the home 103 team by a score of 7 runs. The visitors put up a good game, but their hitting was very weak, only five balls going outteam secured five runs and, practically, the game. Holness pitched his usual steady game and was ably supported by

YACHTING.

THE "NOREEN" WINS. The first race of the series for "B" lass yachts belonging to the Victoria Yacht Club was sailed yesterday afternoon, the following boats starting: Viola, Noreen, Deborah, Gee Whiz, Star and Annie. The starting gun was fired at 2.48, and as a fresh breeze was blowing the yachts made good time, the fin-ish being as under:

Noreen-1:11:13 actual time. Gee Whiz—1:14:11 " "

Annie-1:16:18 The course was round the Pedro and return. Next Saturday the race will be between the "A" class yachts.

THE OAR. VANCOUVER'S CARNIVAL.

Arrangements for Vancouver's carnival of sport are progressing quietly. After Monday's race on the Thames the carnival committee will know definitely if the winner of that race will row tandem in Vancouver. R. Johnston, of Vancouver, is preparing to issue an open challenge to all comers, Duplessia preferred, for the amateur rowing championship of the Pacific coast and a \$500 trophy Johnston challenged McCausland, of San Francisco, who claimed the championship, but McCausland, though he accepted the challenge, was subsequently beaten by Duplessia.

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528 Yonge St., Toronto, writes:

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have tried it, any awing spoken to me of the
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the taste. Its sale with me has been wonderful,
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A New Water Boat Building on Turpel's Ways-Idle Sealing Schooners.

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The second heat in the double sculls, and was with the scanning industry, temporarily interfered with and slightly injured by the strike,

The second heat in the double sculls beever. The strikers are back at work and that, too, at the wages formerly received, the disturbing element which caused all the trouble having been removed. A number of American fishermen were among them, but when they left for their homes the Indians returned to work without any fuss. This happened before the Danube reached the Inlet, before the Danube have been running plentifully, and the average, notwithstanding the difficulties, is quite as large now as at this time last year. Such a satisfactory condition of affairs does not, however, exist on the absence with hardly a fish. The Danube's passengers to Victoria were: Mrs. Livingston, Mrs. Banyen, Miss Livingston, C. P. Burton, Geo. Palmer, T. Derrick, M. Stevens, J. Wilson, J. Davidson, A. Main, A. M. Main, A. Ross, C. McDonald, J. Brady, J. Welsh, F. Johnson, J. Maxwell, Miss Noble, A. H. Harrison, W. Johnson, O. Banyen, W. H. Handley, T. D. Wright, C. T. Wilkes and F. Hale.

COMMUNICATION WITH SAN FRANCISCO. There was twelve hours difference between the time of the arrival and the deinward bound, was nearly half a day late, owing to strong head winds all the White second. way North. She brought a large number of passengers and 100 tons of freight for Victoria. The City of Puebla, which running shoes, presented by A. B. Ersleft at her usual sailing hour, in the kine; tandem canoe, F. G. Cook, Barnsevening, carried the following saloon passengers from this city: R. White, John S. Hume, W. Gordon, F. Flawith, R. Hayward, W. C. Shaw, A. Grimes, R. Hayward, R. H Mrs. Meagher and children, D. Grant and wife, Mrs. V. Allen, Mrs. Moss M. L. Hughes, Miss Farron, Miss Devereaux, Mrs. A. Williams, Mrs. Devereaux, Mrs. A. Williams, Mrs. Bowes, Miss Robinson, C. H. Sawyer and wife, L. Foster, Mrs. G. Offerman and children, Mrs. F. M. Leigh, Miss Mason, H. V. Phayne and wife Mrs. The monthly club meeting will be Mrs. Mrs. A. While meeting will be Mrs. Sample of the new ledge. On the Alborate of the new ledge. On the Alborate of the new ledge. On the Alborate of the new ledge. On the new ledge. On the Alborate of the new ledge. On the new le and children, Mrs. F. M. Leigh, Miss

The monthly club meeting will be Mason, H. V. Phayne and wife, Mrs. S.

The monthly club meeting will be held at the association parlors on Tuestleman from Seattle representing a big pan. W. Gray. R. C. McDonald and H. Gor-day evening at 8 o'clock,

MARINE NOTES. Owing to a heavy fog which had set ! for the coming month. tled over the Straits by the time the

tention to send both to Behring sea, but owing to some difficulty neither was to prevent Constable Heal from making able to leave. Consequently the Indian an arrest at Saanich a few days ago

stern-wheeler Florence in service in Esquimalt has been partially completed on Turpel's ways. According to present plans she will be launched on Thursday and will then be taken to Spratts wharf, built for Mr. Stewart of Belmont, very strongly constructed, a special number and quality of knees having been used in its bottom. The vessel measures 75 feet by 17 feet.

A LIBERAL ALLOWANCE.

Three cabinet ministers from British Columbia, in return for four supporters in the Commons, will be a generous concession from even a Liberal cabinet, but that is what the Liberal organs here and in Vancouver promise. The World, for instance, says that "the Mainland cannot be ignored in the Laurier cabinet." The Times, on the authority of its own eminently reliable and well posted correspondent at Ottawa, rather ambiguously encourages Senator McInnes to hope that he will be "taken in" without portfolio; and states that in addition 'British Columbia will get one of the controllerships now or in the near future." Here in Victoria the Times modestly refrains from mentioning the name of this coming controller, and for this piece of home news one has to go abroad—to the Ottawa Journal of June 30, which contains the following:

WILL PROTEST PRIOR (Special to the Journal.)

VICTORIA, B. C., June 30.—The Liberals

Several days ago the Colonist corres- cipal investigation. ondent at Ottawa wired the news of Mr. Templeman's prospect or ambition, as published in the Journal, and commented upon the scramble for office which he supposed to be going on be-tween several Liberals from this province. Of course he could not be expected to thnk that cabinet positions were to be found for three of them,

from Ottawa "was concocted in the Colonist office." OLONIST office."

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delayed because of the interruption to traffic on the C.P.R., but it is now here, and shows that the boot is rather on the other foot. The "special" to the Journal was certainly not sent from this Salmon Running Plentifully at Riv- omce, but there is internal evidence that the source of inspiration was in the office office, but there is internal evidence that of the Times, as it is understood that the correspondent of that paper Ottawa is on the staff of the Journal

Y. M. C. A. REGATTA.

The first races of the Y.M.C.A. Rowing Club were held on Victoria Arm yesterday afternoon in the presence of numerous spectators. The events dragged The Northern salmon canneries were a little, not being run off as quickly as The Northern salmon canneries were all in operation again when the steamthe experience gained at their first at-

tween H. Jackman and H. Mills and W. Peden and H. Erskine was the closest race of the day, Jackman and Mills winning by about two feet. E. Robinson

affairs does not, however, exist on the Skeena. There the fishermen hardly make enough to sustain them, and the total pack of the river will be small indeed. The boats which went out on deed. The boats which went out on a length or so ahead of E. Robinson and W. Revnolds. Lorimer, T. Robinson and W. Reynolds.

The four-oared pleasure boat race with boats almost touching. It was a case of China will have 25 cabin passengers. dash from the beginning, all the boats steering a beautiful snaky course and being veiled in spray. F. J. Norris and Will Adams, steered by Miss Mary Adams, took first place, with F. Geiger

and Walter Adams, steered by Miss Green, half a boat length behind. The upset canoe race, which closed the parture of the two San Francisco steam-ers in port yesterday. The Walla Walla, amusement and was won by F. Norris and W. Adams, with G. Marshall and F.

ful contestants and arrangements made

Two Indians arrested for attempting Turpel's ways yesterday afternoon, and other insignia of office were confis-where she has been since early in June.

A new water boat to replace the old

A new water boat to replace the old

The first state of the provincial treasury for being drunk. cated. Another Indian paid \$5 into the

HAVING grown weary of waiting for even temporary vehicular connection with the city, the residents of Victoria West have arranged for a public meetwhere the machinery being made by the Albion Iron Works will be placed in position. The new craft, which is being with the town. Fairall's hall has been with the town. Fairall's hall has been the freshet. The Yale road was inundated for the freshet was nearer than 10 and 1 secured for the meeting and there is no doubt but that it will be well attended.

Dr. Garesche, an old Victorian, has attended on Monday. determined to again take up his residence in this city and practise his profession, that of dental surgery. He is a graduate of the University of Philadelphia and a Fellow of the Royal University. In Chilliwack the high water mark

unique design, together with a complimentary address. Mr. Anderson will be leaving shortly for Winnipeg and the Victoria staff, who have always fully appropriated his storling hypiroge abilities.

The water is falling slowly. At Brownstime wish him God speed.

RUMOR had it yesterday that one of Belleville street improvements run in accordance with this hallucination. It was stated that political friends of this Victoria, B. C., June 30.—The Liberais here have arranged to protest the return of Lt.-Col. Prior and Mr. Earle. If they are unseated Mr. Templeman would have a good chance of re-election as he would likely be made one of the controllers in Laurier's government.

Laurier's government.

boss bringing earth to the dump are allowed twenty cents a load for it, but when Conservative earth comes along it is accepted only as a gift. This alleged abuse of aldermanic authority will perhaps be the subject of the next muniple of people of the controllers in Laurier's government.

NANAIMO, July 10.—It is reported that the Gabriola coal company have struck a seam of coal on Mudge island, measuring seven feet nine inches in thickness at a depth of 980 feet.

The election and installation of officers. boss bringing earth to the dump are

Winnipeg Bank Clearings. WINNIPEG, July 9.—The bank clear-

Be Sure You Are Right

In Anticipation of Vancouver's Carnival—The "Miowera's" Freight -Bridges at Vancouver.

Falling — Wellington and Nanaimo Shipping.

> (Special to the Colonist.) VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, July 10.—The hotels are

transplanted in British Columbia wat- Mining Company's claims on Mineral ers, arrived yesterday. They were taken | Hill, not far from the old one, the ore by steamer a number of miles out to insure them a resting place in perfectly company propose to run a tunnel 1,000 the opinion that the vote on the de-

Adams and F. Norris a good second.

The final heat in the double sculls was won by H. Jackman and H. Mills who finished well.

In the last few months the average sayed, although it has indications of school attendance here has increased for proving valuable.

On Monday Mrs. Trinkley went into marriages already contracted.

The Daily News referring to Cardinal

shipment.

lady coxswains brought out four entries and was almost a dead heat, all the The outgoing steamer Empress of Tenders are to be asked for the building of a foot bridge across Coal harbor.

The Westminster bridge is to be replanked. the Consolidated Railway Company of Engineer Cambie's report in regard to the safety of the draw in the Granville street bridge. The reminder has been referred to the City Solicitor to obtain being advice as to the responsibility of the safety of the draw in the Granville street bridge. The reminder has been referred to the City Solicitor to obtain the safety of the William Solicitor to obtain the safety of the William Solicitor to obtain the safety of the City Solicitor to obtain the safety of the William Solicitor to obt

Seattle syndicate who have already spent prizes will be presented to the success- considerable sums in the development of some of the properties, and intend to tled over the Straits by the time the steamship Miowera was ready to sail on Friday night, it was not deemed advisable for her to attempt to get away until late in the meeting of the board of school get away until late in the morning.

Ar the meeting of the board of school trustees for the Gordon Head district, not clearing away until late in the morning.

The only two sealing vessels that remain idle in port this season are the Enterprise and Kilmany. It was the Interprise and Kilmany. It was the Int showing made and of the ultimate im- surface.

portance of the camp. WESTMINSTER.

action of the leave. Consequently the Indian crews that were engaged to man the vessels now go to the Fraser river to fish. The Kilmany was launched from Turpel's ways yesterday afternoon, and other insignia of office were confisfish. The Kilmany was launched from Indian constable, his badge, handcuffs eston, has been arrested and placed in silver mines. Slocan has this advanjail awaiting his trial.

made above Bon Accord. In other parts what they are buying. For five years in America." of the river the catch has been light.

The water is still very high at Westminster, though it is falling at points inland. At high tide the rise was nearer was nearer than the mining excitement is on they have someof the river the catch has been light.

WESTMINSTER, July 11.—The Orange celebration promises to be very largely a bond on the Apache group of mines, in the Waterloo camp, on the Columbia

Two carloads of lumber were shipped English and Scotch capitalists.

the has been practising in Cuba, and has left there owing to the disturbed condition of the island.

The himself the high water mark was three and a half feet lower than in 1894. The river is falling rapidly at all points. The new Coquitlam, Maple Ridge and Pitt Meadows dykes are in Mr. Anderson, of the Hudson's Bay Co., was on Saturday presented by the Victoria staff with a beautiful locket of project design together with a compliance of the compliance

preciated his sterling business abilities, ville the water extends back to the 4,000 men. They carried gaily decorhave taken this opportunity to give him road. Portions of the Yale road are ated banners and flags and marched this small souvenir and at the same submerged. The Brunette saw mills are from their hall down Yonge street and

the local bosses, under the mistaken impression that the Liberals have exclusive severely. At the C.P.N. wharf yester onio, both anti-remedialists, figured in right to all the public money in the country, has undertaken to have the 1894. The Indian rancheries at Squeam cheered.

NANAIMO.

Work is now almost completed in con-nection with the placing of the boiler A.O.F., took place on Thursday evening and hoisting machinery at the mine, last, when the following were duly

house, has completed his work. The spent.

building has been very generously supplied with lights in tastefully designed globes and chandeliers. Steamship Progressist, Captain Pink

ham, is on the way up from San Francisco to load Wellington coal. The Courtenay Ford, Glory of the Seas and T. C. Potter, are at Departure

NANAIMO, July 11.—A new lodge of A.F. & A.M., entitled Cumberland lodge, Good Catches of Salmon-The Fraser No. 23, has been instituted at Union, The Week's Naval Manoeuvres-Efand the officers subsequently installed by D.D.G.M. F. McA. Young, of Nanaimo, assisted by J. Coburn, G.J.W., W. H. S. Perkins, G.D. of C., and Dr. Davis, P.M., as follows: W.M., W. Ferguson; S.W., — Sharp; J.W., J. McGregor; secretary, J. McKim. The proceedings closed with a banquet.

receiving applications for rooms during on the six miles of road to Mineral Hill, carnival week. Over one hundred rooms and will have the work completed in the will the government give the bill and the six miles of road to Mineral Hill, and the six miles of road to Mineral Hill, tion. The important question now is, medy all this and cure rheumatism, sciatics and all kindred complaints. Here is a

The trail has been completed to Gran-This last crew were badly handicapped have petitioned the council to license all ber of men on the claims putting in the have petitioned the council to license all ber of men on the claims putting in the Sixteen expressmen and draymen ite creek, and there is now quite a numexpressment and draymen. If it can legally be done, the council will favor-light claim is getting out some excellent been attempted. They will open with a

out profitable. lanked. tic over the country and its prospects. coast against the channel squadron. The city has again been reminded by A new 4-foot ledge has been struck on Great Britain will send to sea upon White second.

White second.

The following is the prize list: Double city to strengthen bridges as the Tram claim, situated some little distance down manoeuvres will be about 105 com-Co. increases the size and weight of its the canal, and owned by Mr. Bevilock- pared with the 75 vessels which way and other local gentlemen. The new were sent to sea for the same purpos VANCOUVER, July 11.-Mr. G. F. ledge runs from 10 to 40 feet wide and is last year. Every class of vessel will be

KOOTENAY.

(From the Spokane Spokesman.) The Wonderful group of mines, in the developments in the neighborhood Slocan, are now shipping ore. C. H.

Good catches of salmon have been of them are shippers. Investors can see

Sir Charles Ross, a wealthy Scotchmen, is at present investigating the mines of the Kootenay, and has secured

Other English investors are in the field. The Fraser River, Lillooet & Cariother English investors are in the field. The Fraser River, Lillooet & Cariboo Gold Fields Company, limited, have become interested in the Trail Creek district. In fact, capitalists from all over the country are in British Columbia looking for mines. The interest so far manifested has given a wonderful impetus to the mining industry all over the province, and attention is being called to many districts not known a year ago—districts which give great promise. -districts which give great promise.

TORONTO, July 11.—The Orange pro-The water is falling slowly. At Browns- cession this morning, contained about not working on account of the high along King street to the exhibition water.

along King street to the exhibition grounds, a distance of two miles. E. F. The Upper Sumas district is pretty Clarke, M.P. for West Toronto, and John

onio, both anti-remedialists, figured in the procession and were frequently cheered.

Wice Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated publicly in court that Dr. J. Collis Browne was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that it had been sworn to.—Times, July 13, 1864. DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is a certain euro for course of orthodox practitioners. Of course it would not be thus singularly oppular did it not "supply a want and fill a place."—Medical Times January 12, 1885.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE is a certain cure for Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhea, Colics, wish per duly sings for the week ending to-day, July 9, which was formerly in use at No. 2 pit, were \$1,146,884; balance \$165,328, as against \$905,808. the balance being \$134,455 for the same period last year.

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\$25 Sure You are Pict. tate the shipment of coal.

The steamer Willapa made her usual Sherburn; J.B., M. Dowdall; trustee, mad he seemingly based his criticism on the assumption that three Libon the assumption that three Libon erals were striving for the one office. The Times got very angry over this misunderstanding, if such it was, and foolishly alleged that the report and foolishly alleged that the report from Ottawa "was concocted in the seemingly based his criticism on the assumption that three Libon and the seemingly based his criticism on the seemingly based his criticism on the seemingly based his criticism on the seemingly based his criticism.

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And three Libon on her northern trip, s. A. Bantly; medical officer, E. Hall. The District Chief Ranger, assisted by P.C.R.'s Hughes and P. Davies, conducted the ceremony of installation, aparty of thirty tourists.

George C. Cutler, who had charge of Mr. George C. Hinton's contract for the selectived lightning of the Nanaimo court. electrical lightning of the Nanaimo court library where an enjoyable evening was

Satisfaction Expressed With the Adoption of the Deceased Wife's Sister Bill.

fects of Democratic Platform on the Money Question.

De Beaux has 40 white men at work wife's sister bill after forty years' agita- on. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will recarnival week. Over one hundred rooms have been applied for.

A Raymond-Whitcombe excursion party passed through here yesterday. They are on their way to Banff, and from there to the Kootenay country.

The consignment of lobsters and oysters from Halifax, which are to be transplanted in British Columbia wat
To be a dwill have the work completed in the course of a few days.

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Hill, not far from the old one, the ore being much of the same quality. The party, is also in favor of the bill.

The Times to-day, although it is of ful walls. The ore has not yet been as-

won by H. Jackman and H. Mills who finished well.

Then followed the four blade canoe race, a very pretty contest in which W. Adams, H. Grant, A. Davey and F. Norris were winners, closely follow-location for the last three trips. The steam-location for the last three trips. The steam-locati Mr. Gladstone's Irish University bill of

> The naval manoeuvres of next week looking quartz, and all the prospectors preliminary cruise, which will be folfeel confident that their claims will turn lowed by tactical exercises. A sham war will be the next feature of the pro-Captain Salmond and Mr. Geo. Bevilockway have returned from a trip to the channel and reserve fleets. The latter, Alberni mining district, both enthusias- according to the scheme, will protect the the mimic war will be the watching of

one of the fleets in port by the other. The Economist, commenting on the Chicago convention, says:

Mining men who are conversant with to interfere in the money questions of the situation in Kootenay predict that the Slocan country will receive substantage over any other section of the Koote-nay, the mines are developed, and many of them are shipness. The salvan-party succeeds at the polls the United States will go in for international bimetallism, preferring to attempt it only

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RETROSPECTIVE AND

PROSPECTIVE. affairs of the Dominion wisely and ener- good order would have been compara- torial paragraph in Wednesday's Times: great advantages than they found it. inconvenience and have had to sustain a In fact, in 1878, when Sir John Macdon-loss that has not been inconsidada in 1878, cannot but wonder at the makeshifts when they can be avoided great and beneficial changes that have are very expensive, and this makeshift been brought about chiefly through the bridge is wholly unnecessary. instrumentality of the Conservative Besides, it is well known that the City Government. If anyone had then pre- Council cannot afford to build even a in twelve days of Liverpool; that there needed for the regular civic serwould be lines of magnificent steamships vices, and to pay the interest on running between British Columbia and the city's debt. It would require a great China and Japan and between Victoria deal more than the Council can approand Australia, and that a Pacific cable priate to keep the city even in decent between the Island of Vancouver and order and to give the citizens the comthe islands of Australasia would be well forts and the conveniences that they

complished. say that the success of the Con- has been appropriated to build the "pile servative administration in Canada has bridge," we wonder at the patience of had the effect of changing very materi- the citizens who, are obliged, altogether ally the estimate in which colonies are unnecessarily, to bear serious loss and held by British statesmen, and of induc- are put to great inconvenience to gratify ing a change in the Imperial policy the caprice of a few wrong-headed and the effects of which are only beginning prejudiced city councillors. to be seen. There can be no doubt that Conservative governments and the Conservative policy have made this Dominion of Canada the most The Conservatives are now in Opposi-

mud Government.

THE PILE BRIDGE.

We suppose that there is no hope of prevailing upon the City Council to reconsider its determination to throw away between five and six thousand dol-11 the \$1 50 lars of this year's revenue in the con-Subscriptions in all cases are payable strictly struction of a temporary bridge at Point the value of gold as compared with silver Ellice. The expenditure is wholly un- is placed at the ratio of 16 to 1. Is there necessary, for if the Corporation had sixteen ounces of silver taken out of the availed itself of Mr. James Dunsmuir's mines to one of gold, or can one ounce of consent to use the railway bridge for the gold in the markets of the world buy purpose of vehicular traffic, the city only sixteen ounces of silver? It is diffiwould have the temporary accommoda- cult to tell exactly the relative quantition it so greatly needs at once, and the ties of the two metals mined in a given More than one fortnight and not more than citizens and the city government would year. In 1894 it was calculated that the one month, 60 cents.

More than one week and not more than one have ample time to consider where the world's production of silver was 166,601, new bridge should be built and what 995 ounces and that of gold was 8,706,836

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say there is no reason in the world why to 1. This is very different indeed from the standard proposed by the free silver men of the United States. weekly Advertisements—Ten cents a line danger in using the railway bridge, and solid nonparell, each insertion. No advertisedanger in using the railway bridge, and ment inserted for less than \$2.

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Bitthe Marriages and Daths for the control of the very little inconvenience. The number ate 50 per cent., or silver appreciate and the time of their crossing is known government could bring about either carriages need to any considerable A half an ounce of gold is now worth a extent be inconvenienced, and none endangered, by the shunting. So great is the accommodation that the use of the railway bridge can afford the citizens, and that immediately, that it is up, is a mathematical impossibility. most surprising that the Corporation did Yet this is the miracle which the silver The Conservatives, who on Wednes- not begin to use it the day after Mr. men of the United States propose to day, after eighteen years of office, laid Dunsmuir's consent had been obtained. down the reins of power, have a great | The expense that it would be necessary deal to be proud of and very little to to incur to put the bridge in order for blush for. They have administered the the use of the public and to keep it in getically. They leave the country tively trifling and the benefit to the citiricher, more prosperous, and in a far zens would have been very great. As it one to the effect that a telegram has been better position to profit by its many and is, the citizens have been put to great received from Ottawa conveying the inald took the direction of the affairs of erable for want of the accom- Commissioner on Behring sea claims, the Dominion, many of those advantages | modation that the railway bridge | etc. were unknown. It was his policy that would have afforded, and it is uncertain developed the resources of the how much longer they will have to wait Dominion, and that showed, even for the "pile bridge," which, when it is to Canadians themselves, the im- finished, will be very far from being an mense capabilities of their country. ornament to the city, and which it is to represent Great Britain in the pro-British Columbians who are old enough safe to say will almost from the day of to remember the condition not only of its completion be a bill of expense to the

on the way of becoming an accomplished ought to have for the taxes they pay the Dominion Department of Public fact, he would have been regarded as a without throwing so considerable a sum wild enthusiast or as an amiable lunatic. away on a ramshackle bridge that will But these and many other changes not be an eyesore and a nuisance as long as less wonderful have been accomplished it stands. When it is considered that and others equally surprising and equally the expenditure is altogether unnecesbeneficial are in process of being ac- sary, that the temporary accommodation which the city needs at once can be It is not, we believe, too much to had for at most one-fifth the sum that

THE OPPOSITION.

important of the colonies of Great Brit- tion. They are in an excellent position ain. Canadians of all parties will one to do effective work. Their leader is a day see clearly and acknowledge with man of great ability, energetic and regratitude and pride what Conservative sourceful. The work he did in the late statesmen and Conservative policy have election campaign shows what he is date, I think the chief engineer of the department of Public Works must be under a misapprehension. The corporation are gratitude and pride what Conservative sourceful. The work he did in the late ed to power has opposed everything of pared with the labor which he then perimportance that has been done to deve- formed. It will be found that Sir Charles lop the resources of the Dominion and Tupper as Leader of the Opposition will interiere with nav to give it a higher place in the Empire. be truly formidable. He has as his co-to give it a higher place in the Empire. They have done what they could to be- laborers a number of able men who will little and to disparage their country, and if it has risen in the consideration of Imperial statesmen, the people of Great Britain and the world at large, it the defects of their policy. In the country try the Conservatives are in good heart and full of fight. They see now that have been, from every point of view, they have been beaten by a fluke, that little Canadians, and if they had been their opponents have not been able to allowed to have their way Canada to- show that the Conservative policy has day would have been an insignificant been defective. They will, no doubt. colony and its inhabitants would have strengthen their party organizations, so been despised as narrow-minded and that they will be able to act vigorously unprogressive provincials. They have and unitedly whenever occasion requires. given the discerning people of Canada Nothing has been said or done during no reason to believe that they have the late campaign to undermine their changed in any respect. What they faith in the principles of Conservatism, were in 1878, they are to-day, and it is and they will, no doubt, make haste to too much to hope that their regime will be enterprising and energetic. The Ethiopian does not change his chinal and they will, no doubt, make haste to forget the discontents and disagreements and energetic. The Ethiopian does not change his chinal and they will, no doubt, make haste to sealed letter particulars of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable and they will mail in a sealed letter particulars of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a genuine, honest home cure, by which I was permanable at the connectance of a Ethiopian does not change his skin nor of many while their party, as they conquacks until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but, thank Heaven, I am now well, vigor-Canadian Grit get clear of his timidity was certain to be successful. Now that and his small-mindedness. It does not real their opponents are in office the relation means of cure known to all sufferers. and his small-mindedness. It does not require the gift of prophecy to see that their administration will not be distinguished the close them. The Conservative policy takes the tan means of cure known to all sufferers. It am desirous of helping the unfortunate to regain their health and happiness. I promise perfect secrecy. Please address, to the enemy. The Conservative policy simply: P.O. Box 388, London, Ont.

by any act or any measure which will and Conservative principles they know raise the country in the estimation of are worth fighting for, and they will certhe world. It is almost certain that tainly be in a position to give a good acthey will not keep up the present rate of count of themselves when they are re advancement, and it would not be at all quired to act. Eternal vigilance, it is Not Prepared to Meet the Tramway surprising if they suffer the coun-said, is the price of freedom; and so it try, as they did before, to retrograde, is of good government. Men who want They will not, however, be allowed to do to be well governed must be alert and the country much harm. Canadians always on the watch. If they get anawill not be contented with a stick-in-the- thetic and sleepy, trading politicians Last Year's Representatives on the and smooth-tongued demagogues will be sure to take advantage of their apathy and their drowsiness to deprive them of some advantage that their welfare requires them to possess.

THE SILVER PROBLEM.

A good many would like to know why ounces; that is, the product was under Men of experience and intelligence 20 ounces of silver to 1 of gold, Before, then, their standard could be over one hundred per cent. How any result is a mystery to a great many men. little more than sixteen ounces of silver. For the gold to be doubled while the silver remains as it is, and at the same time this ratio between the metals kept

PARTISAN JUDGES.

The following sentence is from an edi-"Among the rumors of local interest is formation that the Governor-General has declined to ratify the following appointments: Chief Justice Davie as

The malevolent author of the above piece of fiction writes himself down an ass. Every intelligent person knows that the appointment of a Commissioner posed inquiry, if such an appointment should become necessary, would rest this province but of the whole of Can- Corporation. It is well known that with the Imperial Government and not with that of the Dominion. Coming from the Times, which in a recent issue gave its readers a quotation from the Toronto Globe treating of partisan judges, this would indicate that with respect to memdicted that before the Conservatives slight bridge across the Arm at Point bers of the judiciary who are suspected went out of power Victoria would Ellice, out of current revenue. Every of not looking at matters through the have daily communication with Eastern dollar that the city collectors can spectacles of the organ, slanders and munication to the council from M ible kind are in preparation.

THAT PILE BRIDGE.

The city was yesterday notified through Mr. F. C. Gamble, resident Dominion engineer, that construction on the pile bridge now being erected across the Arm Works. The letter is as follows: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, CANADA

Resident Engineer's Office, Victoria, B. C., July 8, 1896. To the Mayor and Council, Victoria: GENTLEMEN, -Pursuant to the direction f the Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works, I have to notify you that be ore the construction of the pile bridge which the city council propose to erect par-allel to and alongside of the bridge crossing Victoria harbor at Point Ellice, one span of which, 150 feet in the clear, collapsed on the 26th of May last, can be proceeded with the provisions of chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada must be complied with

Canada must be complied with.

I have therefore to request that work will be stopped until the necessary authority, as set forth in the above statute, to rebuild or replace this bridge is

(Sd.) F. C. GAMBLE,
Resident Engineer.
To His Worship the Mayor and City

The Mayor at once sent the following reply to Mr. Gamble:

VICTORIA, July 8, 1896.

merely rebuilding a pile bridge of the character existing in 1882. The bridge under construction, as I am informed, will not interfere with navigation to as great an extent as the former pile bridge at this point, a span of 70 feet being provided with the point of the construction of the extent as the former pile bridge at this point, a span of 70 feet being provided with that special object in view. It will be a great incontinuous to a span of the work of the work to be the work to be the work to be wor the department, if properly informed as to the position, will not ask that the work be

delayed in the slightest degree.
[Sd.] ROBERT ROBERT BEAVEN

WINNIPEG, July 8 .- H. R. Foulkes, wholesale liquor merchant of Mossomin, committed suicide on Saturday afternoon by taking strychnine.

One Honest Man. If written to confidentially I will mail in

Company's Views Regarding James Bay Bridge.

Jubilee Hospital Board Reappointed-Cut Your Thistles.

The city council had another meeting Friday night, but it was unusually short, for an adjournment was reached at half-

The rates and taxes by-law was reconsidered and finally passed, and the bicycle by-law was read a third time and

the James Bay and Rock Bay bridges teen fools to one man of sense.' were next taken up. They were as fol-

"I have the honor to submit the following report on Rock Bay bridge: The cupations requesting a plain explanation of the phrase "sixteen to one." was practically incalculable, and the danger to the country from the famine which promises to follow in the wake of making other repairs is nearly completed. The method to be adopted for strengthening the draw span depends on whether the draw may be permanently closed or not. Please advise me on this point. After the repairs referred to are completed the bridge will be safe for all number of additional stringers are put

the Consolidated Railway & Light gold was worth Company relative to using James Bay bridge for car traffic, in which he suggests certain improvements to be made honor to report that as previously stated ordinary traffic and also for tram car the repairs about on the lines as suggested by Mr. Bell, would enable the company to increase the loaded car weight limit, I would recommend that repairs approximately as suggested be Consolidated Railway Company contribute an amount which under the circumstances would be a reasonable proportion of the cost. The city to be held bsolved from any liability for damages or loss that might be claimed through making said repairs, the estimated cost of which is \$775.

The report in reference to Rock Bay bridge was referred to the streets committee and city engineer to report. In regard to the James Bay report it was decided on Ald. Glover's suggestion that the tramway company be informed that the corporation do not feel prepared at this time to spend money James Bay bridge, in view of the city engineer's report that the bridge is already strong enough for ordinary traffic; the council, however, would not object to the company furnishing funds for the repairs they desired to have made. Then came another report from the

muck at Beaver lake between the cofferdam and main dam referred to in a communication to the council from Mr. Bell world's production of silver began to Canada; that it would be brought with- rake and scrape together is petty invendoes of the most contempt- and myself on the 10th ult., I steadily increase, and the price beg to state that the contractors quently began to decline, and the Eurofor the water works improvements wish to have a definite answer as to whether the corporation wishes to purchase or their number against furhire their pumping plant, consisting of metal. While silver was high the mine boiler, piping, hose, etc., as in the event owners cared nothing about the mint, of the city not desiring to purchase or but when it got so low that a pound of hire they will immediately take down gold would buy seventeen pounds of siland ship the machinery elsewhere. As ver in the market, these gentlemen be the greater part of the work of cleaning gan to clamor for a restoration of the out the site referred to can be done much more economically by pumping and hydraulicing than by any other method, I consider that if reasonable arrangements can be made for doing the work with the machinery at present on the ground, that it would be in the interests of the

city to have it so done." There was a short discussion as to whether there was any need to remove the dirt or not, Ald. Glover expressing the view that, even if it were done, a hydraulic plant was not necessary. The contractors will be informed that the plant will not be needed for the

present anyway. Scotch thistles and mischievous boys were the two next subjects tackled. The first came up on a letter from Mr. J. R. deputy minister of agriculture, who asked that the city use its authority to have the Canadian thistles advocates demand that the government

Dr. C. J. Marani, of Vancouver, who grains of silver that go to make a big owns some property in the city, dollar were worth more than a hundred wished to obtain the names of cents the mine owners sold their procertain boys who had mischievously duct in Europe. Now that 3711/4 grains broken with stones the windows of a are worth about 53 cents they insist that house owned by him. He believed that the government shall stamp it into a the police knew the names and he de- dollar and shall open the mints to all the sired to have a stop put to the de-silver in the world at this ratio of struction of property.

Ald. Glover, Wilson and Humphrey spoke of the expense to which owners of empty houses were put by boys smashthought that a few examples ought to weeks ago. be made as the only means of stopping

the trouble The Chief of Police will be directed to give the desired information.

Messrs, Chas. Hayward, W. J. Dwyer, L. Crimp, H. Dallas Helmcken and that the work be F. B. Pemberton were re-appointed on the Jubilee hospital board. The only other business transacted was to order the usual steps to be taken in regard to buildings condemned as unsanitary.

The consideration of the estimates was again postponed at Ald. Macmillan's request and the council adjourned.

POINT ELLICE BRIDGE.

A number of actions are likely to be very soon entered against the city and he tramway company on account of the Point Ellice bridge disaster. Two writs for damages have already been taken

One of these was entered yesterday by Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken against the city on behalf of Martha Jane James, whose husband, F. T. James, was riding on the bridge on a bicycle at the time the bridge broke and

fell through the broken span and was killed. The charge against the city is that of negligence, and the amount of the claim for damages has not yet been named.

Another case is that of Mr. A. S. Potts, who with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Jordan were driving in a carriage alongside the car and were carried down with it. Mr. Potts is suing the city and the tramway company jointly for damages received in the fall. The statement of claim charges the city with negligence in not keeping the bridge in repair and the tramway company is alleged to have been negligent in having allowed the car to be overloaded.

THE MEANING OF 16 TO 1.

[From the New York Herald.]

about free coinage and 16 to 1?" This question was put by a Western farmer to the cashier of his bank. The in the widespread extent of the catasreply was: "Why, John, it means that trophe or in the number of the dead The reports of the City Engineer on in this part of the country there are six-

Farmers are not the only persons who otherwise intelligent men of various oc-

Although most readers are thoroughly benefit of those who are only now awakening to its importance. The pure silver in the big dollar weighs about sixteen times as much as the pure gold in the the free silver men of the United States. ordinary traffic, but I would not recom- gold dollar. The exact weights are 23.22 mend its use for tramcar traffic unless a grains af gold and 371.25 grains of silver. Hence, "sixteen to one."

When the mint was founded Hamilton

With regard to Mr. Bell's report to and Jefferson agreed that a pound of fifteen pounds of silver, and accordingly the ratio for the coinage at first was made fifteen to one. Anybody could within say twelve months, I have the bring as much of either metal as he pleased to the mints and have it stamped consider the bridge at present safe for into coins. This free or unlimited coinage of both metals is called bimetallism, traffic conducted under the conditions and the country was said to have a stipulated, viz., limited to a loaded car double standard of values. The bullion of 8½ tons at a speed not exceeding four in either dollar was intrinsically worth miles per hour, cars not to be nearer as much before being coined as it was than 200 feet. As it probably will in afterward, but the government's mint 143 injured and 480 buildings razed. any event, say within a year, be neces- stamp was a guarantee of the weight

legal tender.
Subsequently it was found that fifteen pounds of silver were not worth as much as a pound of gold, and in order to conform to the relative market value of the carried out at once on condition that the metals congress decided that the silver dollar should thereafter weigh sixteen times as much as the gold dollar. In doing this congress went to the other extreme and put too low an estimate on silver. The European nations composing the Latin Union made their coinage ratio fifteen and one-half to one, and the owner of silver here would not exchange sixteen pounds of it for a pound of gold, because he could obtain the same thing in Europe for fifteen and a half pounds of his silver. In other words, the quantity of silver in a dollar was worth more than 100 cents. Consequently holders of silver bullion ceased to send it to the United States mints, and the silver dollars previously coined were hoarded. When the mint laws were revised in

1873 the provision for the free coinage of silver dollars was dropped. This attracted little attention at the time, be cause none of these dollars had been in circulation for a generation; and, in city engineer. It read:

"With regard to cleaning out the had been coined from the foundation of the government up to that time. Owing pelled to close their mints against furprivilege of selling to the American people, through the mint, at the old ratio of 16 to 1. It was then that they discovered that the act of 1873 was a

crime.' As a concession to them, the Bland law was passed, under which nearly four hundred million silver dollars were coined, the treasury, however, buying the bullion for this purpose at its market value. In 1890 the Sherman law was passed, compelling the treasury to buy 140 tons of silver every month and issue notes in payment. This produced the panic of 1893, and was then repealed. A a result of these laws we have coined or issued nearly six hundred million silver dollars. spite all these purchases by the treasury the price of silver steadily fell. To-day it takes about thirty pounds of silver to buy a pound of gold, but the free coinage cut down on private lots in the city. -that is to say, the people-shall take This was referred to the chief of police sixteen pounds of silver as the equivalent of a pound of gold. When the 3711/2 to 1.'

St. Thomas, July 8.—George Lutus, of simcoe, is dead of injuries received by ing the windows, and Ald. Williams being thrown from his wagon a few

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Upwards of Seventy Thousand Lives Were Lost in the Tidal Wave.

While the Financial Loss by the Mid-June Disaster is Practically Incalculable.

The enormity of the disaster in the form of the tidal wave that overwhelmed Northern Japan during mid-June can "What is the meaning of all this talk hardly be realized accurately even in these days of terrible calamities, for the history of the century affords no parallel claimed by it. On the 22nd of June, when the steamship Braemer sailed from Yokohama for this port, the official reare asking this question. Letters are every day received by the Herald from vet to be heard from; the financial loss which promises to follow in the wake of Although most readers are thoroughly familiar with the controversy, it may be well to briefly outline the facts for the benefit of those who are only now awakfectures, is almost, if not quite, as alarming as that from which the unhappy

country has just emerged. On the morning of the Braemer's departure from Yokohama the Shogyo Shinbun, the leading native paper of the commercial metropolis of Japan, made the official announcement that in Iwate in the markets about prefecture alone 22,186 persons had perished; 12,244 made up the list of jured, and 5,030 houses and public buildings had been destroyed. The towns of Otsuchi, Kamaishi and Kesen each mourned upwards of four thousand dead. while Kunohei district and the seaboard villages of Usumai and Komoto had lost each more than a thousand residents. In Miyagi prefecture 3,103 men and women had perished, 550 persons were badly injured and 973 houses were destroyed, while in Aomori 388 were killed,

sary to repair the bridge and as making and fineness of the metal, and made it a hockardo escaped more fortunately than any of the other provinces, its death roll containing but six names, the injured numbering one less, and only 25

uildings being wrecked. The terrible total for these four small prefectures is at last advices thus brought to 25,683 deaths, 19,470 wounded, and 6.508 houses destroyed. These figures are official but do not include those of Miyas province, where the 14.970 are dead. Yomiuri asserts 3,020 injured and 4,586 buildings ruined. At the present writing 62,839 deaths by the wave are thus recorded, a greater fatality than that incidental to the recent war from its beginning to its end taking the losses of both Chinese and Japanese into account. And as though this terrible record was not sufficiently appalling, the Yokohamadailies on the very morning that the Braemer took her departure for this port gave to their readers the following dispatch from Manoka-an official telegram transferred to the press by the Japanese

authorities: "In this (Iwate) prefecture 5,030 buildings are gone, 22,186 persons perished, hundreds are missing and 1,244 were injured. In the Kesen district one large town and eleven villages houses with 737 vessels were lost. In Higashi Hei district three towns and eight villages were overwhelmed, 5,627 persons being drowned, 382 injured and 1,236 houses being destroyed. Full investigation will probably double these

figures. The Governor of Awamori supplements the record of death with a dispatch announcing 300 dead, 80 missing, 143 injured, and 484 houses, hospitals and schools destroyed. He also adds that the bodies of 150 persons from the Mainland have been cast ashore on an island seven miles distant, where strange

to say not a person was lost. The wave appears to have devastated more than 300 miles of the coast line of northern Japan, for even into Hokkaido it carried death, desolation and destruction. The most southerly limit of its ravages seems to have been just a little north of the famous archipelago of Matsushima. Had the wave infringed upon the coast to the south of Kinkasan it would have worked ruin among the towns and villages of this region-Ishinomaki, Shiagama, Nobiru and others. But it missed the promontory and began its devastation with the villages of Onagawa and Okachi, situated across the neck of the peninsula. Thence to the northward its ravages may be traced by the reports from Kesen-numa, Kamishi and other towns and hamlets. The harbors of the devastated district are stated to be the finest in all Japan, and the fishing industry of which they were the seat is totally demoralized, Seventy thousand deaths is a terrible total, but there is little hope that the future will see it

"USED TO NICE THINGS."

reduced.

"One cannot talk with her for fifteen minutes without discovering that she is not accustomed to nice things," was the assertion made of a woman who had re-

cently acquired wealth.
"How does she show it?" I asked. "By never admiring a handsome article owned by another person. She is so anxious to have people imagine that she has had always the best things of this life, that she dreads to admire lest her hearers guess that she never owned 'the real thing' herself until lately. That is always the way with human make-believers. In New York the country visitor hesitates to show an interest in the wares displayed in the shop windows, while the inhabitant of the city pauses to gaze with interest at the latest thing. The man who has always lived on plain roast and boiled simulates contemptuous familiarity with salads and entrees, while the genuine epicure expresses enthusiastic appreciation of delicate flavoring and piquant seasoning. He who is sure of the ground on which he stands is not afraid to stamp or walk heavily, while he whose understanding is shaky treads exceedingly delicately. Yes, people who are not used to nice things seldom admire anything. They prefer to criticise. They think criticism of an article argues familiarity with it.' -Harper's Bazar.

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