

ctou's Welcome

Hibbert Tupper Receives Warmest Political Welcome Ever Seen There.

Main Is Likely to Run Against Ralph Smith in Nanaimo.

Sloan Presents a Picture With Each Copy of His Address.

...N.S., Oct. 19.—There was no main sound in Pictou last night. Charles Hibbert Tupper arrived in evening and was met at the station by a large throng. The Conservative-Workers' Club had prepared a bonfire, turning out with torches and banners. It had a monometer of citizens, numbering 8,000, while the streets were lined with cheering people. It was the grandest political reception in the history of the country. Market Square Sir Charles Hibbert spoke briefly, thanking the people for the magnificent ovation, and then the workingmen, who had ordered the affair, carrying it to such a high pitch that Mr. Tupper was obliged to debate with Mr. Birtton in front, and said that whatever the result might say, it was a great success for the Conservatives. He left the night in Brandon perfectly satisfied with results. Conservatives here are not at all discouraged.

Nanaimo, Oct. 19.—Messrs. Sloan and Smith spoke at Parkersville station this evening. Sloan is issuing 5,000 copies of address with a portrait of himself. At Pictou, Sloan and Smith were met by a large throng. Sloan is issuing 5,000 copies of address with a portrait of himself. At Pictou, Sloan and Smith were met by a large throng. Sloan is issuing 5,000 copies of address with a portrait of himself.

ANDREW HASLAM SAFE

...ing at Lasqueti For Good Weather—Proposed Drayway to Extension. Nanaimo, Oct. 19.—Anxiety respecting Andrew Haslam, the prominent lumberman, who went up the coast on the tug ten days ago, has been somewhat relieved this evening by the report that he is at Lasqueti Island in a large launch, waiting for smooth tides to cross.

A deputation from the board of trade consisting of Messrs. Haslam, Hume and W. W. Stumbles, fisheries agent, reply to a deputation from the board of trade regarding stocking Island streams with fresh fish, said there is a long likelihood of success. The report of a propagation of fresh water fish, black bass, etc., from the waters of the Island would be stocked. Over \$100 was realized from the concert under the auspices of Mission Park Lodge last night, for the Protestant Orphanage.

TO KILL THE OZAR.

Plot to Wreck Imperial Train in a Tunnel.

London, Oct. 19.—The Stasbopol correspondent of the Daily Telegraph sends details of an alleged plot about a month ago against the life of the Emperor Nicholas. It appears that the conspirators were the Emperor's brother-in-law, Prince Felix, and his wife, Princess Alice. The plot was to wreck the Imperial train in a tunnel near the city of Moscow. The conspirators were discovered by the police, and the plot was abandoned.

SAILED FOR HOME.

Invalidd Canadian Star From Liverpool For Quebec.

Ottawa, Oct. 19.—A cablegram received from the high commissioner's office in London states that 50 invalided Canadians sailed yesterday for Quebec from Liverpool. The militia department has been advised that Private E. Merchant, 1st Batt. O. M. R., died of enteric fever at Johannesburg. Private Merchant belonged to Kent, Eng.

HITCH IN SETTLEMENT.

Strikers Insist on All Demands Being Granted and Situation is Less Favorable.

Hazleton, Oct. 19.—As far as the United Mine Workers are concerned, matters are at a standstill in the anthracite miners' contest with the operators. There was nothing new in the situation to-day and President Mitchell still refuses to talk. A prominent official of the United Mine Workers said that the men throughout the anthracite coal fields are insisting on a flat 10 per cent. increase in the powder reduction being considered in the contract. The percentage of advance, notwithstanding the confidence in the labor leader in their ability to hold the United Mine Workers in a body, is a fact that a break will come sooner or later. The strikers seeking relief from the United Mine Workers are becoming more restless with each succeeding day.

Tells About Brave Blanchard

How He Met His Death Gallantly Under a Heavy Fire.

Captain Macdonnell Describes the Details of the Battle at Roodvial.

Mr. W. Richmond Smith, special correspondent of the Montreal Witness writes the following description of the fight at Roodvial as told to him by Captain Macdonnell of the Royal Canadian Regiment who was taken prisoner by the Boers and only released at the time of General Prinsloo's capture.

Capt. Macdonnell in his story of the Roodvial fight tells of the death of Capt. Blanchard, who met his death gallantly at the head of a little working party who were constructing earthworks in the face of a deadly fire. Mr. Smith writes:

It will be remembered that when the Free State General made his attack on the station at Roodvial, Lieut. Blanchard, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, was killed and Capt. Macdonnell taken prisoner. When the Boer commando under command of General Prinsloo approached at Roodvial, the British troops under General Hunter, happened to be in Bloemfontein. The British troops were ordered to move to Roodvial. The British troops were ordered to move to Roodvial. The British troops were ordered to move to Roodvial.

Openly Buy Their Support

Grave Charges Made Against Liberal Leaders by a Former Opponent.

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COCKREYS DIE OUT QUICKLY.

Expert Declares That They Do Not Go Further Than a Third Generation.

There was a startling three-line statement in some recent London papers, to the effect that the cockneys had died out in the third generation.

"In the lower classes," says Dr. Campbell, "there can be no doubt that the cockney is a dying race. The cockney is a dying race. The cockney is a dying race. The cockney is a dying race.

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A Scottish Grouse Moor

The Wonderful Heather-Clad Hills of a Grouse Moor—An Inviting Range.

Life in the Country as it Appeared to an American.

From the Argonaut. When you have been reading all your life about grouse moors and shooting lodges, you actually see these things for the first time with sensations of an odd, puzzled familiarity, as you see places of which you have dreamed.

There was an individual in each of the hill-side parties who was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman. He was a Scotchman.

ILLINOIS VANISHED CAPITAL.

The Historic Town of Kaskaskia Entirely Swept Away by the Mississippi.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean. One hundred years before Illinois became a territory and 200 years before it became a State, there was a town at Kaskaskia.

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MURDER AT GREENWOOD

Italian Section Hand Shot Through the Head and Robbed.

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The Matsqui Dyking Plant

Works That Reclaim Vast Tracts of Fertile Fraser Valley Land.

Short Account of the Method Employed to Drain the District.

Vancouver, Oct. 18.—With the installation of the big pumps—one of them 100 feet high and working, and the other one to be set in operation in a few days—the big Matsqui dyking system is completed.

On the invitation of the contractors, Messrs. McLean Bros., the Colonist correspondent walked over the dyke from Mission station to No. 1 slough, and was present at the initial test of the big pump. The Matsqui dyke from end to end is seven miles long, and reclaims 10,000 acres of productive and easily drained land. The Matsqui dyke from end to end is seven miles long, and reclaims 10,000 acres of productive and easily drained land.

Dress Your Dressing Table

Brushes, Soaps, Toilet Waters, Perfumes, Powders, Dentifrices. From our superb stock of Toilet Articles. We have a fine assortment.

There are many pretty things for gifts under them. CYRUS H. BOWEN, OHEMIST, VICTORIA, B. C. 68 Government St. Near Yates St.

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ADDRESS TO ADMIRAL BEAUMONT.

His Worship Mayor Hayward has given expression to the general desire of the citizens and asked Rear Admiral Beaumont to receive an address on the eve of his departure from this station.

On Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rear Admiral Beaumont will attend at the Assembly Room in the Parliament Buildings, the use of which for this purpose has been kindly placed at the disposal of the citizens by Premier Dunsen.

It has not been thought desirable to issue any invitations to individual citizens, and it is hoped that a large number of ladies and gentlemen will find it convenient to be present.

A LAND OF HOMES.

The Land Roll, a London publication, devoted to real estate matters, has a very appropriate reference to Vancouver Island as a place of residence for English people.

We fancy most readers will be a little amused at the suggestion that halibut fishing is a part of the recreations of Vancouver Island.

While this is not by any means the only recommendation which Vancouver Island has to attract English settlers of the class mentioned in the extract, there can be no question about its being peculiarly a land of homes.

Too frequently newspapers fall into the habit of forgetting that they have a duty to discharge in this regard. The aim of a newspaper staff ought to be to make their readers feel that they are in good society, when they are perusing its columns.

THE CAMPAIGN.

meeting of the campaign on Thursday night. It took place at Metchoin and was highly satisfactory in every way.

Germany and Great Britain have joined hands as far as their policy in China goes, and have made a distinct declaration in favor of "the open door."

An important announcement in this connection is that the Marquis Ito has formed a cabinet in Japan. Ito is the most progressive statesman in Japan.

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RAIL TO THE NORTH.

When Mr. William Mackenzie, of Toronto, was here a few days ago, he said to a gentleman: "You Victorians and people of Vancouver Island generally ought to strain every effort to secure the extension of the E. & N. railway to the northern end of the island."

A petition signed by a number of prominent citizens will be presented to the City Council, asking that body to cancel the order for the cutting down of the broom of the road from the Ross Bay cemetery to Moss street.

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ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

The sections referred to may, for convenience, be described as follows: The Lower Yukon. Stewart River. Big Salmon. Atlin.

The richness of the Stewart river valley has been established, and the only open question is as to the extent of the diggings. This is known to be very considerable, quite sufficient to warrant large expectations, and another season's prospecting may unearth other rich gravels.

The Big Salmon is now regarded as one of the most promising portions of the Yukon valley. The same observations made concerning the Stewart apply also to this river.

It is claimed by some of those best informed that the Chilkat valley will attain Klondike in extent and richness. We do not pretend to be able to form an opinion on this point, but it is quite true that the present indications are as favorable as were those of the more northerly field at a corresponding period of its development.

Southeastern Alaska is a country containing very many deposits of mineral economic value. As yet only a comparatively small part of it has been prospected, the attention of venturers being directed to points further afield.

During the years just preceding Klondike, a great number of men heard of the prospects of quartz mines in Southeastern Alaska. A number of mines, including the great Treadwell mine, are now being operated, and there is likely to be greater development in the future.

In addition to these more northerly districts we have the central part of our own province, which will most assuredly be productive of great wealth, and will be reached by one or more railways from the coast. We refer now to the region from Kitimat Arm north and east.

From this necessarily incomplete summary, it will be seen that the field for enterprise to the north of Vancouver Island is very great, and that the trade to be built up with it must assume enormous dimensions in a short time.

WHALEN PARDONED.

Murder of David Fee Given Pardon by the Minister of Justice. Lawrence Whalen, who early in 1898 was sentenced to life imprisonment for the murder of David F. Fee, was pardoned and is again a free man.

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Draft Agreement With Railway Syndicate Now Goes to the Solicitors. Company Not to Be Exempt From Taxation—Other Safeguards.

The city council yesterday adopted a draft agreement submitted to them by Mr. E. V. Bodwell on behalf of a syndicate which proposes to give a Victoria connection with the Great Northern railway, by the Victoria & Sidney railway, a car ferry to the mouth of Fraser, and a railway to be built from the latter point to connect with Hill's road.

The draft agreement was changed in several respects, all the changes being consistently in the interest of the city. For example, Mr. Bodwell volunteered to waive from taxation, and they will therefore be taxable for their real estate tracks. The company, too, instead of having the market property at a rate of \$10 a year for 50 years, will have at that figure for but 20 years, at which they will pay a fair rental.

Particular care was taken to protect the streets, the clauses which were added to the agreement. These provide that the rails shall be laid flush with the streets, and that the company shall be responsible for the maintenance of the streets between the tracks, and for two feet on either side in good repair. Only 2,500 feet of any street is to be torn up at one time, and traffic is not to be interfered with.

The question as to the speed of the car ferry was brought up, and Mr. Bodwell mentioned that the minimum of 14 miles an hour had been mentioned but the boat would probably be faster than that. At any rate, the rate of \$150,000 in building here, in the city providing for one train a day, a mileage of 20 miles, is a very small percentage of sea or weather.

In answer to Aid. Yates, Mr. Bodwell said the company did not propose to interfere with the present local service between Victoria and Sidney. He said that all they would agree to do was to have the tracks, and to connect with the Great Northern, to extend to Langley being a matter for later consideration. The tracks would be extended through the city to the wharf, but a station would also be maintained at the minimum of 14 miles an hour, had been mentioned but the boat would probably be faster than that.

The agreement will be drawn up by Mr. Bodwell and the city solicitor, and will be submitted to the council in the form of a by-law.

Very small text or advertisement at the bottom right corner of the page.

Advertisement for Carter's Little Liver Pills, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

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RECEIVES A COMMISSION. Lieut. T. E. Pooley of This City Among the Canadians Selected For That Honor.

Lieut. T. E. Pooley, of this city, who went to South Africa with Stratford's Horse, and has seen and taken part in some sharp fighting, has received a commission in the 22nd Field Artillery, now in South Africa. Other Canadians have been selected for the same honor. The Gazette under the heading "Honourable and Field Artillery," says: "The undermentioned gentlemen from the Canadian local military forces have been selected for commissions, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 6th October: Lieut. William Parkyn Murray, Lieut. Thomas Edward Pooley, Lieut. Roy Herbert Vantuy, Sergt. Major Thomas Robert Ross, Jagger Kenneth Gordon McGee, Gunner George Duva, Gunner Robert Lober, and Gunner Douglas Henry Newburg Russell.

KILLED BY A TREE. Otis Hudson, Fireman of the Steamer Monte Cristo, Meets Death on the Skeena.

Constable Cox, of the provincial police, who brought down Mark Edgar, who was committed for trial on the charge of stealing registered mail sacks from Port Islander on Thursday night. He brings with him a fireman, who was killed by a tree on the Skeena. The steamer was fast on the rocks and the fireman was killed by a tree on the Skeena. The steamer was fast on the rocks and the fireman was killed by a tree on the Skeena.

LONDON'S BURIAL GROUNDS. Disposal of the Dead Becomes a Problem in the Metropolis.

From the London Telegraph. Burial is not a very cheerful subject in the minds of the public authorities, but it is a problem which is becoming more acute every day. The disposal of the dead is a problem which is becoming more acute every day. The disposal of the dead is a problem which is becoming more acute every day.

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SULPHUR DEPOSITS IN RUSSIA. Discovery of Twenty-Three Miles of the World's Richest Mines.

From the London Times. The Journal of the Sulphur has been discovered in Russia only in recent years, and since works for the ore have been opened in various parts of the Caucasus. The chief output of these was in 1888, when the works were closed. The deposits in Daghestan are known to be extensive, and the ore is of a high quality. The Sulphur works are in operation, and the output is estimated to be 1,000,000 tons annually.

Politics at Metchoin Messrs. Prior and Earle Speak Before a Very Enthusiastic Meeting.

Electors Unanimously Pass a Vote of Confidence in Conservative Candidates.

GREAT CHINESE WOMAN. Huang Was Deified For Her Services to Her People.

From the London Globe Democrat. The necessity of the Dowager Empress of China in a country where women are regarded with little respect may not be so surprising to the Chinese as it is to the rest of the world. The Dowager Empress was a woman of great intelligence and energy, and she was a great help to her husband, the Emperor.

CHANGES IN CABINET. The Prussian Ministry Will Likely Be Reconstituted.

From the Boston Transcript. It isn't alone the accent, nor yet the idiom, which puzzles the English ear. It is the very definite and inflexible way of saying things. When it rains it is "a dull day, isn't it?" When the thermometer mounts into the nighties it is "dole."

THE ENGLISH OF ENGLAND. An American Visitor's Hard Wrestle With Old Words.

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A FAMILIAR NECESSITY. Mr. J. Wright, of 128 McPherson avenue, has a good word for Dr. Carter's Little Liver Pills. He says that he has used them for several years, and that they have done him a great deal of good.

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Commissioner Judge Harrison to Enquire Into Complaints of Railway Lands Settlers.

Other Appointments Noted in Yesterday's Issue of the Official Gazette.

Judge Harrison, of the County court, has been appointed a commissioner to enquire into the grievances of the settlers within the E. & N. railway belt. The first sitting will be held on Thursday next at Nanaimo. Other appointments of which notice is given in this week's Gazette, are: James John, to be collector of votes for the North Saanich, to be collector of votes for the North Victoria electoral district, vice W. T. Wain.

Edward P. Gordon, of Mission City, M.D., C.M., to be resident physician at the S.M.C. Andrew Lindsay Smith, of Alberni, to be acting registrar, assessor and collector under the Assessment Act, collector of revenue tax, and collector of votes for the Alberni electoral district, vice J. D. Lauder.

Thomas Fletcher, of Alberni, to be district registrar of births, deaths and marriages for the Alberni electoral district. H. C. Horan, assessor and collector of revenue tax, and collector of votes for the Alberni electoral district, vice J. D. Lauder.

W. de V. le Maistre has been appointed attorney for the British Columbia Land Company, Limited, and A. M. Johnson, for the Trust Mining and the Slocan Liberty Hill Mining Company.

The London & Finance & Development Company, Limited, are building their line to build a tramway from a point nine miles up the Chemainus river, following the river to the port of Chemainus.

J. F. Mowat & Company, commission merchants, of Vancouver, have dissolved partnership, and Alex. Philip has been appointed receiver.

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COLLEGE EDUCATION. Figures Which Show How Greatly It Helps a Young Man to Achieve Success.

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