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COMMONS VACANCIES.

Ottawa dispatches indicate that the government is at last plucking up courage to issue the writs for the by-elections, and that these will be held simultaneously in the near future.

MANITOBA AND THE GOVERNMENT.

Naturally there is keen speculation among the eastern politicians as to the shaping of the Manitoba school issue but conjecture does not secure much satisfaction so far.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

BY THEIR ACTIONS SHALL THEY KNOW THEM. To the Editor: It must be evident to the observant public that the affairs of this province are going steadily to the bad.

FOODER FAMINE IN ONTARIO

The Large Corn Yield May Make Up for the Deficiency-Toronto Happenings. Insurance Frauds in Whitty-Father or Hitcher on the Famous School Document.

A VAST DIFFERENCE

HOW TO DISTINGUISH THE GENUINE FROM THE IMITATIONS AT A GLANCE. PAIN'S CELEBRY COMPOUND "MAKES PEOPLE WELL" Other Preparations Mislead and Deceive.

CONDENSED CANADIAN NEWS.

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A PAINFUL EXHIBITION.

The present city council, speaking collectively, has a great capacity for making an exhibition of itself. Last evening's proceedings in the Hutchison case seem to have afforded the crowd of spectators great amusement, a fact which is in itself painful to contemplate.

CIVIC SYSTEMS.

Methods of civic government have been under the careful consideration of committees appointed for the purpose in Toronto and Winnipeg, and schemes have been drawn up by both these bodies.

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LUMBER WILL BE HIGHER.

The Big Central Lumber Combine Will Take Control on January 1. Seattle, Wash., Nov. 18.-Lumber prices seem certain to go up with a bound with the opening of the new year.

HOW TO GET "SUNLIGHT" BOOKS.

Send 12 "Sunlight" Soap Wrappers to Lever Bros. Ltd., 23 Scott St., Toronto. who will send post-paid a paper-bound book, 160 pages. For 6 "Lifebuoy" Car-bolic Soap wrappers, a similar book will be sent.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

VERNON.

The Okanagan Flouring Mills Company is paying \$18 per ton for wheat...

Mr. C. A. Scott, who has been several days in the district purchasing logs...

Although the Big Bend has not come up to the very sanguine expectations...

While working in Protection shaft on Saturday last Elijah Baray was injured by falling coal...

The return football match between the Wellington colliery and the Nanaimo Athletics was played last Saturday...

Instead of a bond an option of purchase has been given on the Calumet mill...

seen some portions of South America, yet had he never in the course of his life visited any section of country where such showings of mineral as are to be found...

Rich Finds Reported From Seymour Creek and Sumas Mountain.

Major Vaughan returned last evening from the scene of the discovery, having located a claim...

Yesterday's official Gazette contains notices of the incorporation of the following new companies:

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ATHLETES WHEN TRAINING. JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF. INVALIDS AND CONVALESCENTS. SOLID COMFORT AS A BEVERAGE. INDISPENSIBLE IN SICKNESS AND HEALTH. STRENGTH TO ALL.

PLUNGED TO CERTAIN DEATH

An Electric Car With Its Living Load Dashes Over a Draw-Bridge.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 18.—A heavy electric motor car containing between twenty and thirty passengers went through the draw of the Central Viaduct on Saturday evening and dropped one hundred feet to the river below.

St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 18.—In the matter of the appeals of persons convicted on the charges of smuggling already taken to the supreme court, counsel for the smugglers are raising a number of novel points intended to undermine the case for the crown.

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Provisions Will be Scarce Again This Winter—Some Good Strikes.

Mrs. Martha Sauerhelmer, aged 30; Mrs. W. A. Hoffman, No. 1415 Pearl street; Harvey Hoffman, 15 year old son of Mrs. W. A. Hoffman.

Mr. J. White, one of the miners who started the camp which is now known as Circle City, Alaska is at the Oriental.

Several unidentified bodies are at the morgue, and one man whose name has not been learned so far is an unconscious condition, so far as is learned the only one who escaped instant death.

San Francisco, Nov. 18.—The attorneys for Theodore Durrant have prepared an affidavit for their client, to be read in support of the motion for a new trial.

Among the passengers who took passage from Samoa on the steamer Mariposa, was Mrs. Robert Lewis Stevenson, who returns to live permanently at her old home in Victoria.

Harsh punitive remedies are fast getting way to the gentle action and mild effects of Carter's Little Liver Pills.

My love, these... chemistry prize...

