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Splendid Performance by Clever Amateurs at the A.O.U.W. Hall.

The Performance Will be Repeated this Afternoon and Evening.

"A Chinese Fete" a delightful melange of music and melody that savors of Cathay, a picturesque setting of gay and brilliant costumes...

The closing feature of the performance was a commedia entitled, "The Chinese Wife." It proved to be a comedy with a happy ending...

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A TEST CASE ON TAXATION. Interesting Points to be Settled in Court of Revision.

From Our Own Correspondent. Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 19.—The County Court of Revision is held to-day in the office of Provincial Collector...

KILLED IN LE ROI. Archibald Love Loses Life in an Accident. Killed, Feb. 19.—Archibald Love, residing at the Le Roi mine, was killed today...

EXTRAORDINARY CHARGES. Prince Philip Denounced in Debate. Vienna, Feb. 20.—Sensational charges were made against Prince Philip, of Coburg-Gotha...

See New Opened Foundry Monks at Chapside. See Carving-Sets and Cutlery at Chapside. Fine Electro-Plate at Chapside.

MARKET FOR WOODEN BLOCKS

Shanghai Council Asks For Information—A Chance For B. C. Cedar.

The following communication has been received by the department of agriculture with a request that its contents be made known to those interested...

It will be advisable also to have quotations in bulk, because it is just possible that the company who have the contract will be able to obtain a better price in this country owing to the cheapness of labor...

KANSAS OIL BUYERS. Thomas Jones, of Iola, Talks of Zinc Probabilities. Thomas Jones, of Iola, Kansas, ore buyer for the Lanyon Zinc company...

SCOTTISH DINNER. Members of St. William Wallace Society Enjoy Good Things of Life. The annual dinner of the St. William Wallace Society was held in the Royal Cafe last night...

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Man Confined in Asylum to Prevent Telling of Murder. Winnipeg, Feb. 19.—(Special)—Mrs. May Ketcheson, a domestic employed in this city, charges that her son, James Ketcheson, was confined in an asylum to prevent him from telling of a murder...

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The arrival yesterday morning of the Canadian-Australasian R.M.S. Aorangi brought sad news to the always bright and happy home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brayshaw, who with their two remaining sons, Alexander and Willie, repaired to meet the ship on her arrival here...

By death's cold hand, a joy's end drops, So, in the depths of ocean laid, The young life that once bright hopes, Our ages' future shade.

Yesterday the sad news reached Mrs. C. Holden of the death of her mother, Mrs. William McLaren, at Port au Prince, P. R. H.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Martha Bond took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, No. 94 View Street, at 2:30 o'clock.

The death occurred in Seattle on Monday last of a young man, William "Whitby" Ont, 42 years of age. He was a native of Victoria and had been in Seattle for some time.

Reason Chinese Gave For Killing a Countryman. Rosland, Feb. 21.—Wing Wo and Ray two Chinese men have been committed for trial on charges of murdering another Chinese.

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Advertisement for 'MARKET FOR WOODEN BLOCKS' and 'SHANGHAI COUNCIL ASKS FOR INFORMATION' regarding cedar wood.

Advertisement for 'ANOTHER CABLE' and 'QUELTERS GO HOME' with news about shipping and travel.

Advertisement for 'VICTORIA BOY BURIED AT SEA' and 'D. M. BRAYSHAW DIES ON BOARD' with details of a tragedy.

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Advertisement for 'THE NANAIMO MEETING' and 'CHRISTIAN SCIENCE' with details about local events.

Advertisement for 'ARE DISCUSSED' and 'SALMON PRICES' with news about the fishing industry.

Victoria And The Island

This is the Theme Which Engaged Attention of Board of Trade.

Valuable Information Contained in Report of the Special Committee.

Pressure on space necessitates the publication of a very greatly condensed report of the splendid meeting in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday evening...

The following new members were elected to the committee: H. A. Moore, J. S. Gibson, J. W. Clark, W. G. Gray, and Capt. J. S. Gibson.

It was decided, after some discussion, that in future the general meetings of the committee should be held in the evenings instead of the afternoons, as heretofore.

ANALYSIS OF ISLANDS.

Your committee has the honor to report as follows on the resources of Vancouver Island and the advantages which its geographical position affords in connection with the terminus of a trans-continental railway.

Scotland 23,900, New Zealand 10,778, British Columbia 20,907, Prince Edward Island 2,133, Vancouver Island 1,000.

COAL.

The coal areas of Vancouver Island are vast and of a high quality. It is superior to any other coal mined on the Pacific coast.

MINERALS OTHER THAN COAL.

The whole of Vancouver Island is heavily mineralized and contains a vast amount of iron ore, copper, lead, zinc, silver, and other valuable minerals.

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United States railway system via Victoria and the connections which can there be made with the lines of the Pacific coast.

As explanatory of Mr. D. R. Ker's position in respect to the adoption of the report the secretary read the following letter from that gentleman:

Dear Sir--I regret exceedingly that I am unable to be present at this evening's meeting of the Board at which it is to be finally decided whether or not to accept the report...

At the outset let me suggest that as the objects which it is desired to accomplish by the report should be placed before the Board, and even with amendments, it may be possible to secure the report...

AGRICULTURE.

Owing to the mild and equable climate, agricultural operations in the island are carried on under conditions, and the land is certainly the equal of any land in other parts of the world.

THE PORTS.

The whole of the island is already being reported to draw up such a document. The committee was appointed to prepare a report dealing with the ports of the island.

THE TRADE.

The high cost of transportation is a serious hindrance to the development of the island. The trade now existing is very small.

THE RAILROADS.

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Horrors of The Lazaretto

Death of a Leper on Darcy Island and Has Given Rise to Speculation.

Suspicious Aroused That He May Have Not Died Naturally.

Was there a murder committed on Darcy Island? Did the miserably ill victim of that most loathsome of all diseases, leprosy, who was placed in an unmarked grave a few days ago, die to his death from causes other than those engendered by the natural progress of the disease from which he was suffering?

BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY EASILY REACHED.

The district can be reached by boat from Kaslo to Ladro, and thence by rail to the mine. That place the heart of the mining country can be comfortably reached by steamer and stage coach. Nor need anyone dread the absence of the usual aids of civilization.

Discuss the Fernie Strike

Kootenay Urging Pass Resolution Urging Company to Adjudicate Dispute.

And to Settle Difficulties and Avoid Ruining the Industry.

Neison, Feb. 19.—At a meeting of the Presbytery of Kootenay held in Neison today, the following resolution was adopted: That in view of the strike situation at Fernie and associated camps, and being profoundly convinced that the interests of the Kootenay and Boundary districts should be earnestly maintained, the Presbytery do hereby...

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CHARGE OF NEGLIGENCE.

Judgment for \$5,000 Against Bertha and Her Owners.

On the charge of negligence contributing to the loss of four lives in Alaskan waters, the Alaska Commercial Company, owners of the steamer Bertha, \$5,000, rendered by the United States district court at Juneau. In the winter of 1900 the steamer Bertha, under the command of Capt. Johnson, was sent to the coast of Alaska...

BARODA STARTS NORTH.

Left San Francisco for Victoria in Tow of the Tellus.

The steamer Tellus left San Francisco on Wednesday with the steel bark Baroda in tow. The Tellus left the Golden Gate about a week ago and arrived north of her tow, and when off Cape Mendocino the Baroda began to make water, and the oiler was unable to tow her back to San Francisco, which took her down to the wreck...

DEIVIDENS ARE IN SIGHT.

Le Roi in a Very Satisfactory Condition According to Ed Millan. Instead of being over its eyes in debt, the Le Roi Company is now really on its feet, and a cleanup of \$250,000 was made on hand after settling all bills, including the \$50,000 advance from the company...

RETAIL MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various commodities including Wheat, Corn, Flour, and other goods. Columns include item names and prices per unit.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERY.

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MARCH WIND AND WEATHER.

Forecast from the North Pacific Pilot Chart. The North Pacific Pilot chart gives the following forecast of wind and weather in the North Pacific ocean for the month of March...

QUEEN CITY SAILS.

Carried Vancouver Cargo to the Ports of Queen City, Canada. The steamer Queen City, Captain Townsend, sailed last night for Queen City, Canada, carrying a heavy cargo of lumber and other goods...

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The Chamber of Commerce

Meeting of New Merchants Association Discuss Affairs of the City.

Assistance of Island Asked in the Fight for Fish Traps.

The newly organized Chamber of Commerce held an interesting meeting in Pioneer hall last night...

Whereas the great development of the canning industry on Puget Sound...

And whereas we believe it to be a great wrong to permit the use of fish traps...

Now Therefore It Resolved: That the Victoria Chamber of Commerce...

It was suggested that a royalty be imposed on the catch of the traps...

After some discussion the resolution was passed...

Resolved that a letter be sent to the Mayor and Council...

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Paul Johnson Will Quit Expected to Leave the Greenwood Soon.

It is a matter of common report at Greenwood that Paul Johnson, B. M. C. Copper Company's smelter...

Mr. Johnson has not announced his plans, but it is a fact that his connection with the local smelter is to cease...

The committee to whom was entrusted the matter of rules and regulations governing the order of business handed in a report...

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Boat Capsized Three Drowned

Chief of the Navitlits and Two Tribesmen Lost off the Northern Coast.

Six Indians, Fought Elements, But Only Two Escaped Death.

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WILCOX MILL'S BIG RETURNS Produces \$5,000 In Five Weeks

Operated by Two Men.

A despatch from Ymir says: A second gold brick weighing 150 ounces, has been produced...

The higher grade of mill ore, which is roughly about \$5,000, represented by the production of one ounce of gold...

With a production of \$1,000 a week from its lowest grade of ore the success of the Wilcox mine is now established.

The mill is arranged so that it only requires the attention of two men, so that the expense on this score will be relatively very small.

While this trouble may be weeks, or even months in coming on, there will be dull pains in the small of the back and when you are sitting...

As is well known, it is the duty of the kidneys to remove the uric acid...

When in health the kidneys perform this work perfectly, but when overworked on account of excessive eating...

It is when these stones pass into the ureter on the way to the bladder that the dreadful suffering begins...

While this trouble may be weeks, or even months in coming on, there will be dull pains in the small of the back...

As is the case with all the dreadful forms which kidney disease may take, prevention is by far the best plan.

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

Most Atonizing of Kidney Diseases—The Result of Poor Kidney Action.

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THE CANADIAN MINE INSTITUTE

Officers and Council Nominated for 1903

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An admirable food, with all its natural qualities intact, fitted to build up and maintain robust health...

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THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY

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TO THE ELECTORS OF WEST VALE

ELECTORAL DIVISION

In response to the solicitation of a large number of electors in all parts of the Electoral Division...

I shall take an early opportunity of meeting you and laying before you fully my views upon the different public questions at issue in Provincial politics...

As regards the great mining industry, I consider the Government can do much to restore confidence in the investing public...

The question of immigration is also most important. While tens of thousands of people are flocking to the Province...

In conclusion, I beg to say that I consider it my duty to be most prominently present Government, and accordingly I intend to be present at the above meeting...

It will be my earnest endeavor to give the same satisfaction to the patrons of the Association in the future as I have given in the past...

EDWARD VII. by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tyne, Defender of the Faith, etc.

PROVINCIAL OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

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What made your lines coarse? Common soap Sunlight Soap saves linen

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