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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL. A Bad Cut. One of the men engaged in blasting...

The Wreck of the Steamer. The hull of the steamer Roushler last been towed to Vancouver...

A Potato Caper. In the neighbourhood of the season by Uhlman's farmer, potatoes are stored to a depth of four feet...

The Michigan Admitt. The steamer Michigan, which went ashore on Enterprise Bay on Monday...

For the South. The following passengers left by the City of Puebla yesterday afternoon...

A New Engine. Harrison lake will shortly boast a decided acquisition to its national strength...

Provincial Police Court. In this court yesterday morning, Robert B. Keating, Robert Beatty...

Rock Creek Notes. A letter received from Rock Creek yesterday states that since the rich party...

Change Hands. The steamer Alert, which was built last year for S. A. Spencer of Alert Bay...

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NEW NAVIGATION LINE. Another Big Steamboat Line for the Sound. Captain John Irving, manager of the Canadian Pacific...

The Gleanders. Mr. C. W. Jeffrey, V. S., yesterday was through Chinatown and inspected the premises...

Knights Hotel. John Crockett, steward, and W. J. Smith, assistant steward of the Victoria...

Victoria Building Society Drawing. The ninth drawing for appropriation of the Victoria Building Society took place...

Striped on the Idaho. A large portion of the machinery has been removed from the wrecked Idaho...

Monthly Markets at Vancouver. The Cowichan and Salt Spring Island Market Committee had a meeting...

The Battle of the Plains. The Gorrie falls are still flowing heavily with snow...

Freight and Trade Notes. The Olympia left yesterday morning for Seattle...

Board of School Trustees. A regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held in the school house...

Whitcomb Tragedy. No one has as yet identified the body of the murdered man found near Whittcomb...

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of Neatness.

up a stout club and striking the monster
several blows upon his head, which it was
swaying about in the air, soon dispatched
it. He was again astonished when, attempt-

The exquisite cleanliness of everything
strikes one forcibly on board the Victoria
and Albert, remarks the Pittsburg Dis-

About that time he saw a neighbor on
the road, slipping upon a man for a
space, they cut the snake open at the place
where the immense weight was located.

The state apartments below are placed
on either side of a corridor, and they are

FROM THE WORLD.
The feeling between the French and
the German loses none of its bitterness as

The Anti-Slavery Congress.
The Anti-Slavery Congress which has
begun its sessions in Brussels has a noble

The entire cost of construction of the
pulpit tower has been repaid. The subscri-

THE LUMBERMAN'S HUNGRY EYE.

It is said that Puget Sound has 1,800
miles of shore line, and all along the line,

The fact has just leaked out that the
Biffel tower is by no means so impossi-

LIFE OF A STEAMSHIP STOKER.

The stokers on one of the great ocean
steamers four hours at a stretch, in

The highest tribunal in Belgium has
recently decided a question of great inter-

AN OPHIDIAN BONANZA.

James McCann, a young man residing
on Walnut Creek, near Indio, Mo., was

Blinks—Big chance for you now,
Jinks. Let us in on the ground floor,

THE TIGHT REIN OF A HANDSOME, RICHLY-VEHICLED

coachman! But all had they seen the sor-

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MIRIAM!

The Romance of Heatherleigh Hall.
By MANDA L. CROCKER.

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looked speechlessly at the man whose

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1899 THE AMERICAN TARIFF.

It appears from the President's message that although at the first...

"I recommend a revision of our tariff law, both in its administrative features and in its schedule."

This tariff message does not point to a sweeping measure of tariff reform, but it is fair to infer from it that it is proposed to lower the duties on some commodities...

The Fishery Questions. Many of our readers will, no doubt, be anxious to know precisely what President Harrison said in his message with respect to the Fishery Question...

It is to be hoped that after this single-act advance will not be a mere political ploy, but that it will be a real and substantial relief.

There is, too, in the country a very large party which demands a reduction of the tariff.

The collection of moneys not needed for public use is an unnecessary burden upon our people...

When the Head of Government is thus compelled to condemn his own administrative acts, reform cannot be far off.

HERBERT SPENCER AND THE SINGLE TAX MEN.

When Mr. John Morley paid a visit to his constituents at Newcastle a few weeks ago...

Herbert Spencer was a philosopher who treated the subject of his reply as a question of economics...

Mr. Morley is alive and ready to defend his reputation. He saw what had been said about him in Newcastle, and he immediately wrote a letter to the Times...

One that perhaps cannot be settled in a strictly scientific manner. Most of our present landowners are men who have either meddled or immediately by their own acts or by the acts of their ancestors...

Anything more widely different from Henry George's scheme of wholesale robbery cannot be imagined. Mr. Spencer, who is considered by the world as large almost as profound a thinker as Henry George...

This is very good as far as it goes, and shows that the American Government is ready to discuss all matters in dispute between it and Great Britain in a friendly spirit...

Every power of common humanity must have read with pain of the manner in which the unfortunate young woman who was lately found on the streets of this city...

The Montreal Star, in an article on the Boone election, makes some remarks on partyism and provincial politics which are worth thinking over.

KOOTENAY LAKE MINES.

An Account of their Development During the Past Year.

Messrs. Postal Service Allowed—Handsomeness Before For One Shipments—Need of Railway Communication—The Prospects of the District Most Encouraging.

The following letter was forwarded for publication by a resident of Kootenay Lake...

DILUOYAL TO VICTORIA. The Times continues to pursue the course with regard to the Order-in-Council in which it set out...

POSTAL SERVICE. The season is now just drawing to a close, and most likely the steamer service will be curtailed...

Number One, 2000, 2500, 3000, 3500, 4000, 4500, 5000, 5500, 6000, 6500, 7000, 7500, 8000, 8500, 9000, 9500, 10000.

Re, railways. People here have become thoroughly disgusted with the delays in the building of the new line...

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Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Prospects which have been found in this vicinity, most of which have been more or less worked on...

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