

The Colonist

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 1889.

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W. H. KELLS, PROPRIETOR.

TERMS: THE DAILY COLONIST, PUBLISHED EVERY DAY EXCEPT MONDAY...

The attitude of the council is sanctioned by the great majority of the taxpayers...

A BLUNDERING LEADER.

The remarks of Mr. Fell on Tuesday evening took no one by surprise. When his burly form surmounted by his red-capped fringe was seen on the stage...

WHAT IS A FAIR SHARE? In his address at the theatre on Tuesday evening Dr. Milne endeavored to show that Victoria City, before the special school tax was levied...

TUESDAY'S ELECTION. The result of the election on Tuesday should impress upon property holders in the city the necessity of organization. They ought to have known before this that elections will not work themselves...

UNINTELLIGENT OR DISINGENUOUS. Dr. Milne's explanation of the misstatement in his card relative to the contribution required by law from the cities was not creditable to his intelligence as a politician...

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL. The Canadian Railroad. A Whomonuch dispatch says: Mr. Eugene Canfield is reorganizing his railroad...

The New Electric Lights. Four out of the seven electric lights still to be disposed of were located in the following positions...

EDITORIAL COMMENTS. When John Grant, mayor, pretended to believe that THE COLONIST represented section 8 of the Bill to incorporate the Victoria, Saanich and West Vancouver Railway Company...

Mr. Milne in his card professes to be deeply inured to the law. He says that he has a great respect for law. But in the same card he approves of the action of the Board of Aldermen...

THE VICTORIA CANTON. The Victoria Canton is a body of men who are in the city to take a look at the platform. Very many of them have arrived...

THE ALASKA SALMON PACK. The schooner Comet, which arrived at Chignik, Alaska, brought the following information concerning the salmon pack...

DEFEATED CREDENTIALS. The big salmon run has had a demoralizing effect on the Chinese employed by the various packers...

MARINE. The barque Martha, 43 days from Shanghai, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday morning. She is waiting a tug for Moodyville...

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held in the Council Chamber last night.

THE GREAT SALMON RUN. The salmon run in the Fraser continues as marvellous as ever, and there is still a great number of boats...

CITY POLICE COURT. (Before Hon. A. N. Richards, P.M.) A rent collector was charged by Ah Ling with assaulting him on the night of the 14th...

LITTLE LOCALS. Westminster is arranging for a banquet to Hon. Edworthy on his arrival from the east.

OFFICERS' REMUNERATION BY-LAW. Ald. Vigilius moved the second reading of the bill to amend the officers' remuneration by-law...

NOTICE. I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that it is my intention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lots...

OF pay, and doing it without assistance. The first clause was put to the vote, and carried by a majority of 5 to 3.

REPORTS. From the street committee, recommending the laying of new sidewalks and grading numerous residential streets in the city.

PERSONAL. R. F. Richards, of Ontario, is at the Clarence. R. H. F. Millar, of Scotland, is at the Clarence.

NOTICE. I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE on behalf of the Crown's Nest Coal and Mineral Company Limited that it is my intention to purchase the following lots...

HAMILTON MFG CO. THE FACTORY. SELL THEM DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY. HAMILTON MFG CO.

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SEATTLE BUSINESS COLLEGE. ROOMS 22, 23, 24 and 25, BOSTON BLOCK, Seattle, Wash.

CHARLES ZIPSER, Practical Coppersmith and SHEET IRON WORKER.

MONY. THE BUILDING. BOURCHIER & HIGGINS, Civil Engineers and Prop'l Land Surveyors.

Wool. Highest Price paid for Wool. LENZ & LEISER, Government, Victoria.

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FACTS AND FANCIES.

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DR. MILNE'S MEETING.

Fairly Well Attended—The Electors Addressed by Hon. Mr. Beaven, Mayor Grant and Ex-Mayor Fell.

Pursuant to announcement, a mass meeting of the electors of Victoria city and district was held on Monday evening, the meeting being called by Dr. Milne to afford him an opportunity of giving his views upon the political situation...

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

For the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern Railroad.

Some excitement has been created at Seattle over the fact that the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern Railroad Company has appointed W. H. Ledgerwood as receiver...

THE PEACE RIVER.

To the Editor: I have seen what Mr. Higgins says about the Peace River. I wish to have no controversy with Mr. Higgins...

Mr. Higgins says that the Peace River is a great natural barrier between the British Columbia and the United States. He says that the river is a great natural barrier between the British Columbia and the United States...

AN APPRECIATIVE VISITOR.

The New York World of a late date contains a very warm and appreciative description of Victoria. It is dated July 25th, therefore the writer saw the city and its surroundings in their loveliest summer dress.

THE VISITOR FROM NEW YORK.

The visitor from New York does not find the city and its surroundings in their loveliest summer dress. He finds the city and its surroundings in their loveliest summer dress.

GUARDING THE LAND LAWS.

What Dr. Milne means when he says in his report that the land laws are defective is not clear. He says that the land laws are defective and need amending.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

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THE TWO CARDS.

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SCOOLED AGAIN.

Mr. Higgins undertakes again to honor the benches publishing his previous Senate report in order to show that the eight or ten millions or so of acres of land in the northeast of this province is first-class agricultural land...

We do not think that we are wrong when we charitably conclude that the paragraph in Dr. Milne's card relating to the amendment to the Public School Act of 1888 expresses the views of some of his adherents...

Dr. Milne says that the cities are called upon by the Government to pay the expenses of operating their schools. We are unwilling to believe that he made this statement wilfully...

Dr. Milne undertakes to estimate both the liberality and the intelligence of the electors when he asks them to vote against the Government...

Dr. Milne very well knows that the Government had this alternative before them—either to require the cities to pay something towards keeping up their schools, or to level down all the schools, both as regards teaching and accommodation...

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THE ANTI-JESUIT AGITATION.

The Deputation to the Governor-General. Principal Caven's Address to His Excellency. Full Report of the Governor-General's Reply to the Petition of the Equal Rights Delegation.

A large and influential deputation waited upon the Governor-General in Quebec on the 1st inst., to present the petition of the Equal Rights Delegation, and to enforce the views of the signers. The deputation numbered sixty-five.

We are charged with the duty of presenting to Your Excellency the petition of a convention held in Toronto on the 11th and 12th of June, the prayer of which is that the Government should disallow the Jesuit Estates Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of Quebec.

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A RIOT IN HAWAII.

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Mr. Robson and Dr. Milne were compelled to support the interests of a railway. The bills which were introduced in the House last session, to push to quick completion a second transcontinental railway through British territory, traversing the centre of the province and finding its western terminus at Victoria or Esquimalt.

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BLIND HATE.

It is said that love is blind, but every one who has observed most admit that hate is blinder still. The hearty hater sees no good in the object of his antipathy and he has no regard for consistency in his utterances regarding him.

sons, but the scheme was too audacious altogether. No parliamentary committee could possibly countenance such a plan for grabbing boodle under the sanction of law.

A POOLISH FAULT-FINDER.

The Times finds fault with the Leader of the Opposition having appointed Mr. Theodore Davis Attorney-General. It abuses that gentleman very heartily, but it has not begun to show that he is incapable of performing the duties of office to which he has been appointed.

Since Mr. Robson has become the leader of the Government, the Times is pursuing the same contradictory course. In its first notice of the new administration it said that "It is practically the Government of last year, the only important difference being that Mr. Robson is leader in name as well as in fact."

Practically it is the same old Government. Yet on Wednesday it said that "Mr. Robson's conduct in the past has proved him to be totally unfit for the position of Premier." This policy of admitting Mr. Robson's great influence over his colleagues while denying that he possesses ability, really makes the Times appear ridiculous in the eyes of sensible men of both parties.

Mr. Redfern's Complaint. The Victoria, Saanich & New Westminster Railway. He quotes the General Dominion Railway Act, which applies to railways built in Nova Scotia or New Brunswick, as well as to those in British Columbia.

MISPLACED SYMPATHY. The trial and conviction of Mrs. Maybrick for the murder of her husband is the latest sensation on the other side of the Atlantic. The Liverpool mob has, by one of those unaccountable caprices by which masses are sometimes moved, taken the part of the convicted woman, and has given expression to its feelings in a rather singular manner.

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AN ALLEGED DISCOVERY. Dr. Brown-Sequard claims to have discovered, if not the elixir of life, something very like it. By injecting into the veins a fluid which he prepares from certain plants in the creosote family, he claims to be able to give new vigor to aged persons.

TOO UTTERLY! TOO, TOO. TO THE EDITOR:—In the screed signed J. Stuart Yates in the evening Times, which you, with a proper regard for the patient and the intelligence of your fellow-citizens, did not publish, see a following passage: "And surely a council having an experienced railway surgeon like Ald. Harris, and a practical physician like Ald. Harrison, among its members cannot be said to be unqualified to judge of the feasibility of our railway scheme."

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EDITORIAL COMMENTS. Vancouver World: The Hon. Theodore Davis becomes Attorney-General, the portfolio rendered vacant by the death of his deceased brother. In the front rank of his profession in this province, he is now the best lawyer we have, and is thus eminently fitted for the high position to which he has been called.

AN IMMENSE TRANSACTION. Mr. Goschen's scheme for the conversion of the greater part of the British national debt has proved a complete success. The Chancellor found the tendency of money to become cheaper and cheaper, and he could not see why the nation should not benefit by the downward tendency. A very large proportion of the debt was paying three per cent.

A DENIAL. TO THE EDITOR:—I see by this morning's issue of your paper that the report of the inquest on the death of Mr. Stuart, that the coroner has misapprehended entirely in his statement to the jury, I am glad to hear that Dr. Jackson if it was necessary to hold an autopsy, and requested him not to do so unless it was absolutely necessary, as his friends would not doubt want the body embalmed and sent home, and that it would be impossible to properly embalm the body after it had been exposed to my objecting to an inquest, that is absolutely untrue.

A QUERY. TO THE EDITOR:—Will you inform me how much of the real estate tax will be required to meet interest, etc., if the Saanich Railway by-laws pass? [We understand that 30 cents in every dollar of the real estate tax now levied was required before the last by-laws passed. The by-laws recently carried required 19.5 cents, and the proposed Saanich by-laws require 40 cents additional, thus making a total

of 98.55 cents out of the 100 cents paid by the ratemakers for municipal purposes.—Ed.]

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