

Controlled By Canada.

Howling Because cannot Get the Non Trade.

Attended to Remove Privileges from Alaska.

No News From China

The Fate of the Ministers is Still a Matter of Conjecture.

Russa Wants the Ruling Voice in Settling Wita Pekka Government.

Crew of U. S. S. Oregon Saved and Chances for the Vessel.

The United States has its immediate resident... through the territory... the South Pacific... Canada has captured... of the \$5,000,000 trade...

London, July 1--(3:55 a.m.)--The total... from China last night... the situation, especially the... of the ministers, as obscure as ever...

A St. Petersburg correspondent quotes the Novosti as stating that the Russian... official view is that Russia must play the... leading role in the suppression of the... revolution...

A special despatch from Rome says that... reports from Rome are to the effect... that the warships Vesuvia and Stromboli... have sailed from Venice for China...

FOR VANCOUVER CELEBRATIONS. Lieutenant-Governor and Ministers Will Attend--An Important Case.

Vanouver, June 30.--Mayor Garden... received a telegram from Victoria today... saying that Lieutenant-Governor Jody... Premier Dunsuair and Messrs. Turner... and Eberts will attend the Vancouver... celebration...

A case of great local interest, the Bank... of British Columbia vs. Oppenheimer... was concluded today. The action was... brought by the bank against the executors of... the will of the late David Oppenheimer...

SPARTAN ASHORE.

Steamer Aground in the Middle of the Lachine Rapids.

Montreal, June 30.--The Richelieu &... Ontario Navigation Co.'s steamer Spartan... ran aground in the Lachine Rapids... shortly after 6 o'clock this evening...

FRENCH NAVAL BUILD.

A Huge Increase in the Building of Warships.

Paris, June 30.--The chamber of deputies... today adopted the clause of the naval... bill amended so as to provide for the... construction of six battleships and five... armored cruisers...

THE ARSENAL CAPTURED.

A War Office Despatch Tells of the Recent Fighting.

London, June 30.--A naval brigade of... about nine hundred blue-jackets and marines... left Fort Simpson this morning for China... It is intended to use them as a landing... force...

Canadian Trooper's Death

Shoots Him-self Through Heart--Under Particularly Sad Circumstances.

Toronto, June 30.--The Globe publishes... a letter from John A. Ewen, dated... Kronsstadt, May 19, in the course of... which he gives the following incidents... regarding the march up from Bloemfontein:

"An exceedingly regrettable incident in... the march was the suicide of Trooper... Owen, of the Eastern Townships, Queen's...

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CHINESE PROPOSALS.

France Not at All Likely to Fall in With Victories Views.

Paris, June 30.--The attitude assumed... by the morning papers towards the... propositions of the viceroys of China is... decidedly unsympathetic...

TINO NEARLY ESCAPED.

Manila, June 30.--A week's scouting... in Northern Luzon resulted in 50 rebels... being killed and 40 wounded...

THE FRASER.

Lillooet, June 30.--The river has fallen... considerably since yesterday; been raining... hard today.

A Woman in the Wild, Wild West.

A story by a local author of a woman's... experience in a mining town. For sale at... all booksellers in Coast cities. Secure a... copy. Price 50 cents.

National Council Of Women

Something About the Aims and Objects of the Association.

What They Accomplished Since Their Organization--Next Meeting Here.

The various particulars that have... appeared recently in the daily papers... announcing the special annual meeting... of the National Council of Women of... Canada, which is to be held in Victoria...

Government Now In Office

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ROSSLAND ORE SHIPMENTS.

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FIRE HORROR IN HOBOKEN HARBOR

North German Lloyd Piers and Huge Steam Ships Burned With Terrible Loss of Life and Property

Men Imprisoned Aboard the Blazing Vessels Piteously Wave for Assistance That It Was Impossible to Give.

Many Find Death in the Water in Preference to Being Burned--Loss Estimated At Ten Million Dollars.

New York, June 30.--The four great... piers at the North German Lloyd line... in Hoboken, were totally destroyed by... fire this afternoon. The large passenger... steamship Saale, the large freight and... passenger steamer Bremen, and the... Germania, a passenger steamer, were... burned to the water's edge.

When the fire broke out, such headway... was gained that when the fire department... arrived, the burning ships were... out of control. The flames were... seen from every window in the city... The flames were so intense that they... were visible from the city of Hoboken...

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The Colonist.

TUESDAY, JULY 8, 1900.

WELCOME.

On behalf of the citizens of Victoria, and of the province generally, the Colonist wishes to extend to His Honor Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere a very cordial welcome. He comes to British Columbia under circumstances which render his coming particularly grateful, for the people see in it a return to settled conditions in public life.

This welcome would not be complete without its being extended to Lady Joly de Lotbiniere as well, who, although she does not accompany her husband to-day, will fill so large a place in the social life of the province.

VICTORIA'S WELCOME.

There was nothing lacking in the warmth of the greeting extended to Lieutenant-Governor Joly on his arrival in this city yesterday. If Sir Henri sees in it a cordial desire on the part of the people of Victoria to make him feel that he is among friends, he will interpret it aright; and if he understands it as an expression of satisfaction because the end of a disturbed condition of affairs has been reached, he will not be mistaken.

THE McINNES CORRESPONDENCE.

The letter of ex-Lieutenant-Governor McInnes, addressed to the people of British Columbia and dealing with the circumstances which led up to his dismissal, and the official correspondence accompanying it, represent a good deal of research and considerable ability in special pleading.

A considerable portion of the correspondence is taken up with a justification of the dismissal of the Semlin ministry. The views of the Colonist on this subject are well known. We have always contended that it was right to dismiss Mr. Semlin, since he declined to resign or ask for a dissolution, so that in respect to what Mr. McInnes says on this point we find under no obligation to make any comment.

Mr. Blain, Minister of Railways and Canals, made an important statement in the Railway Committee yesterday. He declared the definite policy of the Dominion government to be not to encourage the construction of any additional railway lines from the Yukon, which would have their coast terminal in territory which is now or may ultimately be decided to be United States territory.

take up the several cases which Mr. McInnes cites as justifying his course and to distinguish them from the course which he followed, would require as much space as he devotes to the matter, and probably more, and therefore we shall not do so.

One thing that seems to be lost sight of in the correspondence and by some of the newspapers is that there is a vital difference between the position of the sovereign and that of a lieutenant-governor. Constitutionally the removal of the sovereign cannot be contemplated, but under the British North America Act the removal of a lieutenant-governor is expressly provided for.

In his letters Mr. McInnes omits to recognize the difference in the position of a minister who has behind him the majority of the people's representatives, and one who has no parliamentary support. He relies upon the case of the Pitt ministry, which held office in spite of repeated adverse votes in the House of Commons.

In the Montreal Witness of June 14 appeared the following: The Japanese government has issued an order limiting the number of Japanese subjects who will hereafter be allowed to emigrate to America to fifteen monthly.

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policy. It incurred some censure from contemporaries for urging that the same policy should prevail in this province. As to its wisdom there can be no doubt. Canada is already building up her business, one city on Lynn Canal over which the United States flag flies, and the people of that city are even now endeavoring to hamper our trade with our own country.

The next railway to the Yukon must be an all-Canadian line.

It is more difficult than ever to arrive at any intelligent conclusion concerning the condition of things in China; but there seems to be reason for thinking that, as far as the Chinese government is concerned, there will not be very much difficulty in getting matters on a pacific basis again.

Mr. Tarte is credited with having said in Paris that in case of war between Great Britain and France, Canada would not fight against the latter. We agree with the Toronto Star when it says that the discussion of such matters as this ought to be dropped, and that it will be time enough for any one to say what Canada will or will not do in such an emergency when it arises.

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One of them was the garden party at the Protestant Orphan's Home, the first entertainment of the kind to be given in this city, and a very successful one. This fine institution, which forms such a conspicuous feature in the landscape, is so many of the drives around the city, is regarded by our people so much as a matter of course that very few stop to think of the great and good work it is doing.

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Holidays At The S...

Interesting Closing of the Various Educational Institutions

The Special Prize Lists.

The school teachers and their annual summer vacation was marked by exceedingly pleasing exercises in the various institutions. The vacation institutions, the vacation until August 13, giving the scholars six weeks' freedom.

Closing examinations were morning in the Boys' and the South Park Division, Hill Ridge, Victoria West street schools. The North High school exercises occurred afternoon. There were large interested visitors at the rooms. The result of the entrance examinations will be known until some date in July.

The following prizes and were awarded: Medal presented by the school closing exercises were a special competition, at 10 o'clock offered by Mayor Hoyer students, selected from the school, closing exercises were according to lot. On each form, before the assembled visitors, the competing subject from the Mayor, who was informed that he would fire minutes in which to bid subject, which was "well." The fact that the had not had even a hint as subject would have been the more interesting. The speakers were certainly able, and time had to be with a very interesting programme. The chair was Hon. J. D. Prentice, minister. The President, a chosen words, spoke of the progress made by the school year. The promotion lists were:

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B. C. Affairs In Parliament

They Occupy a Large Share of Politicians Attention Just Now.

Conservative Leader Vindicates Himself and Replies to Mr. Peters' Charges

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, June 22.—British Columbia affairs have occupied, in a large measure, the attention of the politicians at Ottawa this week. It is not likely that the true reason for the dismissal of the Lieutenant-Governor will be known for some days, as there are certain formalities to be observed under the constitution.

It is understood that a petition extensively signed by Liberal senators and members of parliament was presented to the Premier this week asking for Mr. McInnes' removal. The justification for this action is well known to the public, but rather than resort to such a drastic measure Mr. McInnes had better resign.

The appointment of Sir Henri Joly as the new lieutenant-governor of British Columbia is considered as a wise step on the government's part. It is felt that Sir Henri Joly is a man of high character and high ability.

The special committee of the House of Commons appointed to enquire into the alleged irregularities connected with the supply of emergency rations for the Canadian contingents in South Africa has been working very assiduously for the greater part of the week, and amid a tangle of somewhat conflicting evidence, a few interesting facts have been evolved.

Mr. Richardson, of Lisgar, who admits himself a Liberal, but who is not admitted to the position of a member of parliament, brought up in the house the other day the question of taxing Canadian Pacific railway lands in the West.

The practical result of the company's contention is that the company's purchasers of Canadian Pacific railway lands are able to grant exemption from municipal taxation.

The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was held yesterday afternoon at the city hall, President Helmecken in the chair, and a large number of ladies and gentlemen in attendance.

Under previous rates the government has paid for the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital a sum of \$1,087,88.88. Internal Economy.—Some important changes have been made in the working of the hospital, and the work of the directors largely devolves upon standing committees.

Changes in the Directors.—The directors have recently been deprived of the good services of Mr. J. St. John, Mr. Messrs. C. Plummer and J. Stuart Yates who have been on the board since the hospital was organized.

Further Improvements.—The necessity of providing the hospital with an up-to-date operating table has been brought to the attention of the corporation, at whose request designs and estimates of cost were obtained and forwarded to the board.

Notwithstanding our failure to receive the assistance as asked from the government the unceremonious manner in which the Canadian contingents in South Africa have been treated is a matter of which we are all proud.

Their Annual Meeting.

Reports Submitted By Jubilee Hospital Directors to Subscribers.

Over a Quarter of a Million Dollars Spent in Ten Years.

The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was held yesterday afternoon at the city hall, President Helmecken in the chair, and a large number of ladies and gentlemen in attendance.

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and a portion of the outstandings must be considered bad. All these accounts have been in the hands of professional collectors.

The estimates covering grants and subsidies to hospitals came into force on the first of July, 1906, so that only ten months of the subsidy appear in this year's report and the whole of the year's grant of \$600,000.

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ple requiring medical treatment to Vancouver. It would be of the greatest benefit to the people of this city, as they could then avail themselves of the best medical treatment available.

The total number of patients treated during the year was: In patients, 698; outpatients, 191.

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LENOVA MINE. To the Editor of the Colonist: Sir: I notice in the Colonist of today a report of an interview with Mr. Brewster, describing the Mount Sichel mine. But for the fact that the description of the Lenora mine is full of errors, I should not have written this letter. You state:

"The ore body first discovered in the Lenora was stopped out by Messrs. Patterson and Smith, the former owners. Last fall Mr. Buckston, a New York man, took hold of the Lenora and worked a second ore body, from which 4,000 tons have already been shipped."

The water engaged as she is in the light house tendering and visiting of aid to navigation, of surveying, and of other vessels, has been a matter of concern to the government, and it is not only of the greatest importance, but also of the greatest interest to the public.

On one occasion before a description of this mine was published in the British Columbia paper, and not content with describing the workings of the Lenora, which a considerable amount of money had been expended in the purchase of the mine, and which had been worked for some time, the paper published a description of the workings of the Lenora, which a considerable amount of money had been expended in the purchase of the mine, and which had been worked for some time.

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A Revenue Steamer

To Be Constructed by Dominion Government for B.C. Service.

A Great Fleet of Lumber Carriers Bound to Cheamains.

A new revenue steamer is to be constructed and commissioned to protect the shipping, fishing and other interests of British Columbia in connection with the D. G. S. Quadra. An appropriation of \$50,000 was voted by the federal government when the supplementary estimates were brought down in the Ottawa house on Tuesday night for this purpose.

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Prominent Mining Men To Interview the Governor.

Want Wagon Road on Creek—Operations Stocan.

Col. Percy Dickson, of Slocan, M. Williams, of Nelson, two mine owners, are at the Dr. in the city for the purpose of pressing upon the government the necessity of paying attention to the requirements of Slocan and more particularly to the point of view of the new government.

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