

Baking Powder PURE

Latest U. S. Gov't Report... Following editorial on the ethics side was written by the late J. B. ...

WILL NOT BE HANGED

Governor-General Signs an Order-in-Council Commuting Hiranama's Death Sentence... Ottawa, Jan. 13.—(Special)—Lord Abert...

FROM THE CAPITAL

Bill to be Introduced to Prevent Ecclesiastical Interference at Elections... Ottawa, Jan. 14.—(Special)—It is reported that a bill will be introduced...

BOMBAY'S PLIGHT

No Abatement in the Ravages of the Terrible Bubonic Plague... Bombay, Jan. 14.—Over half the population, estimated at about 900,000, has fled from the plague and the erstwhile crowded streets, docks and bazaars are unrecognizable...

NEW YORK SWEATSHOES

The conditions under which ready-made clothing was manufactured in the great cities, but particularly in New York, prior to the series of strikes inaugurated three or four years ago, was atrocious...

ANXIOUS FOR PEACE

News Comes from Europe and America That Spain Wants to End the War... London, Jan. 14.—A Paris dispatch to the Daily News says: A high government official left Madrid under strict incognito for Washington as a private negotiator...

CHURCH-GOING MONKEYS

The most singular audience that I ever saw gathered to listen to preaching was an audience of monkeys... When I commented work in the region which I have now occupied for more than thirty years, I asked two fellow missionaries to join me in a preaching tour in the adjacent, talky, or country...

MAQUILLAY'S MEMORY

The secret of Macaulay's boundless acquisitions was his quick, almost intuitive, discernment and his extraordinary memory... "To the end he read books faster than other people skimmed them, and skimmed them as fast as any one else could turn the leaves."

GIGANTIC FOSSIL REMAINS

The recent examination of a gigantic fossil near the west fork of the Madison contiguous to the ancient channel of the Gravel Range, Madison county, by two young prospectors, Bert Kellogg and W. B. Thompson, is worthy of special mention and investigation...

PIERCY & CO.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS... BLANKETS, FLANNELS, UNDERWEAR, UMBRELLAS, WINTER CLOTHING... STOCK AND ARRIVALS.

MONTREAL FIRE

Thorn & Caverhill's Warehouse Destroyed Early This Morning... Montreal, Jan. 14.—Messrs. Crathern & Caverhill's heavy goods warehouse, which extended from Colborne street to the river, was totally destroyed by fire this morning...

CAPT NICHOLS MISSING

Feared That He Jumped From His Ship in Port Townsend Bay... Port Townsend, Jan. 13.—Everything points to the belief that Captain Nichols, of the British ship Scottish Isles, is at the bottom of Townsend bay...

AMERICAN NEWS

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 13.—Four men were crushed to death this morning at Wadswille, in the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company's mine, by the breaking of a rope attached to a cage...

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DO REWARD

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CHEIRO- THE PALMIST

Give Some Wonderful Exhibitions of Palmistry in London.

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CLEARWATER COUNTRY. A Prospector's Adventure—Lost in the Woods.

This week Mr. W. S. Mitchell, who will be recalled as the man with such a rough experience on Clearwater lake last winter, but who finally recovered and went back to the coast again, is about to make another trip to the United States, and sails from here in about a fortnight's time.

A CHEERING TRUTH. Thou and Prove the Statement That Paine's Celery Compound Makes People Feel Young Again.

That Paine's Celery Compound Makes People Feel Young Again. A Cured Man Says: "I feel just as bright as a boy."

All the combined powers of earth cannot stem the tide of truth that sweeps over this Canada of ours in regard to the curing and life-giving virtues of Paine's Celery Compound.

The following letter from Mr. A. R. McGruer, Dixon's Corners, Ont., assures you, though your case may be desperate and death very near, and though doctors fail and other medicines prove unavailing for your relief, that Paine's Celery Compound will do more for you than you can justly realize or hope for.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Shilleries vs. Garesche was down for trial yesterday before Mr. Justice Drake. Mr. Cassidy for the plaintiff, moved for judgment on the pleadings and the defendant made a cross motion to dismiss the action on the ground that no cause of action was disclosed by the statement of claim.

GOVERNOR KIRKPATRICK.

Successfully Operated Upon in London To-Day. London, Jan. 13.—Hon. George A. Kirkpatrick, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, who has been lying ill for some time past in the South Street Hospital, was successfully operated upon to-day by Dr. Herbert Altingham and Dr. Rodick, of Montreal.

INDIAN FAMINE.

Statement Upon Which the Appeal for Subscription Was Made. London, Jan. 12.—Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for the India department, has sent to the Lord Mayor of London a statement upon which the appeal for subscriptions for the relief of the famine sufferers in India was based.

RAILWAY TO YUKON

English Capitalists Propose to Build From the Coast to the Head Waters. The White Pass Route Selected—Application for a Charter at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The unusual interest manifested in the vast gold areas of the Yukon basin points to the early opening up of the almost inaccessible region around Forty Mile Creek. The astonishing richness of the extensive auriferous deposits in that territory demonstrates that railway facilities are all that are required to place Alaska and the Yukon amongst the richest gold-producing districts in the world.

A NEW ANTISEPTIC.

One of the serious problems, long vexing surgeons, is how to prevent inflammation after a surgical operation is completed. This was when cold water was used for only an antiseptic. That hot water was substituted for cold. Various devices have been used to take the place of water in the effort to prevent serious inflammation.

A 200 GAME COCK.

Some excitement was caused at Birmingham yesterday by the announcement that Mr. Hugo Ainsworth's black-red game cock, the winner in a large and most meritorious class, had changed hands for the large sum of £200.

A NEW BULLET.

Troops Have Lost Confidence in the Lee-Metford. The special correspondent of the London Times telegraphs the following interesting dispatch from Calcutta under date of December 15th.

ACROSS THE BORDER.

Unusual Happenings of the Day in Many of the States of the Union. Oregon Legislature Still Fighting Over the Selection of a Speaker. Salem, Ore., Jan. 13.—There is no change in the deadlock on the speaker-ship. Neither side shows any disposition to surrender.

Johnston's Fluid Beef. It is Fifty Times as Nourishing as Natural Roast Beef. ECLIPSE. Put up in Tins and Bottles.

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Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 13.—Charles Taylor, a negro in jail here charged with kidnaping 13-year-old Nellie Lipp, confessed yesterday on the condition that he be removed to Lexington for safe keeping. He robbed her, outraged her and murdered and then buried her.

Wapella, Iowa, Jan. 13.—Geo. Kitt, bookkeeper, committed suicide last night by placing his head under the wheels of a locomotive. He left two letters, one to his wife, another to Charles Weber, Cedar Falls. Domestic trouble and shortage is surmised.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 13.—A terrible accident occurred in the Ardit Mining Company's tunnel near Ward, Colo. last evening. John W. Glover and Harry Glover, contractors, and T. A. Degarmo and John W. Striver, were killed by the explosion of 35 pounds of giant powder. The bodies of the men were terribly mutilated.

New York, Jan. 13.—Jackson W. Showalter, chess champion of the United States, has arrived at Brooklyn to get in readiness for his match with Harry N. Pillsbury, which begins in Brooklyn on January 25.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 13.—Five children were drowned last evening while skating in an old quarry. The ice gave way and the children were drowned before help reached them.

The Duke of Malakoff was at a batue at Stratfieldsay and shot nothing, much to his disgust, and when the day was over it appeared that he would be extremely put out unless he was allowed or enabled to kill something. So, in spite of all the gamekeeper could think, feel or say, a pheasant was procured, tied by its leg to the top of a post, and Malakoff was put some thirty yards off with a double-barrelled gun. It was supposed that he would thereupon and thereupon take two shots at the bird. Not a bit of it, he loaded both barrels, walked close to the pheasant, put the muzzle close to him and discharged both barrels into him, with "Hel couquin."

BRIEF LOCALS. Cleanings of City and Provincial News... There is no truth in the statement appearing in this morning's Colonist... As after waiting patiently for over an hour there was not sufficient members present to form a quorum...

land between Clinton and Lillocet, and there are many mining claims in the vicinity. Some time ago the dead man jumped a claim belonging to another Chinaman, and it is extremely probable that this had something to do with his taking off... The charges laid against Captain A. E. McCullum by J. A. Lawrence, were this morning heard and remained until the 21st inst.

TO-DAY'S ELECTION. Municipal Campaign Closes With a Very Noisy Meeting in the City Hall. Keen Interest Taken in To-Day's Election and a Heavy Vote Was Polled. The majority of those who attended the last meeting of the municipal campaign went to the City Hall to get as much fun as possible, and they succeeded admirably.

British Columbia. It is now very nearly three years since Kaslo's streets were as thoroughly lighted as they were last night. Then a costly and disastrous fire threw a brilliant but disheartening light around them. Last night, for the first time, the electric current was sent along the wires, and the arc lights at the street corners threw out rays of light which were gladly welcomed.

VICTORIA MARKETS. Retail Quotations for Farm and Produce Carefully Corrected. Victoria, Jan. 14.—Prices Current on the city markets remain about the same as previously quoted, with the exception of mutton (whole), which, owing to the fact of meat having become scarce on the markets has been increased, and eggs, the price of which have been lowered.

BOUNDARY CREEK. Joe Shuster recently sold a claim he staked last summer near Curlew Creek for \$15,000. Mena Gire has started tunneling on both the Jack of Spades and on the St. Maurice in White's camp. The fall of snow this season is very much heavier than usual.

GLEANINGS OF CITY AND PROVINCIAL NEWS. There is no truth in the statement appearing in this morning's Colonist to the effect that Mr. Shears has been reinstated to the position of appraiser. As after waiting patiently for over an hour there was not sufficient members present to form a quorum...

Twice-a-Week. VOL. 14. THAT MANDAMENT. Counter Reports as to 'What the Bishops Will do on Sunday Next.

Sir William Van Horne Looking After His Company's Interests. Ottawa, Jan. 15.—The story that a collective mandament on the school question will be issued by the Quebec bishops on Sunday next, is denied at the archbishop's palace here.

ALBEXANDER BEGG, C. O. Jan. 14, 1897. "The Philosophy of Wit and Humor" was the title of the lecture given last evening by the Centennial Methodist church.

MRS. CAREW'S CASE. Alleged Paramour Called by the Police. Yokohama, Jan. 15.—H. V. Dickens, clerk of the Hongkong and Shanghai banking corporation, the alleged paramour of Mrs. Walter Raymond, passed away.

A GREATER BOSTON. A scheme for a "greater" Boston is now worrying the heads of the Associated Board of Trade of the Hub. It is proposed that a union of the city with the twenty-eight surrounding municipalities be made.

PAID THE PENALTY. Roe, the Murderer of Mrs. Greenwood Hanged This Morning. Napa, Cal., Jan. 15.—The crime which Roe, alias Moore, to-day suffered death was the murder of Mrs. J. Greenwood, in February, 1891.

A BUSY LIFE ENDED

Mr. Henry Lawson, the Editor of the Colonist Died Early This Morning.

Deadly Typhoid Claims as its Victim a Worthy and Respected Citizen.

Mr. Henry Lawson, who for the past eight years has been editor of the Colonist, died at his residence, Cook street, at three o'clock this morning.

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In 1874 he entered the parliamentary gallery at Ottawa, and he afterwards spent a number of years at the capital in a journalistic capacity.

The funeral will take place at 2:30 Monday afternoon at the family residence where services will be held.

SIBAL COMMISSION.

The Case of the Junonia is Reached This Morning.

Yesterday afternoon the sitting of the Behring Sea Claims Commission was continued in the legislative assembly building.

B. Collister, inspector of hulks, called in the case of the Ada, told of the inspection of the hull of that vessel.

Chief Justice Davis, who was called in reference to the cases of the Warren fleet, said he had acted as counsel for J. J. Boscowitz in the litigation of 1889 between Boscowitz and Warren.

FALSE AFFIDAVITS.

Mr. Liebs's serious Charges Against Captains of Victoria Seal-Ing Schooners.

He Makes Statements to Prejudice U. S. Government Against Pelagic Sealing.

Since the wearing of buttons became the rage, none have secured a reader sale than the one bearing the inscription "I am a bit of a liar myself. There are others."

Last year Mr. Liebs made certain statements regarding alleged violations of the Behring Sea treaty for the purpose of prejudicing the United States government against pelagic sealers.

Mr. Liebs said that he had written the London papers published telegrams from Victoria, B.C., stating that the sealing vessels have all returned from Behring Sea with a catch of about 40,000 seals.

The board of health held a meeting this morning in the city hall, at which the report of the secretary of the board, along with the reports of Dr. G. H. Duncan, who until three months ago was the city medical health officer, and Dr. R. L. Fraser, the present city health officer, were read and adopted.

Dr. R. L. Fraser in his report recommended the enlargement of the isolation hospital and said the city save for a few cases of whooping cough, was now free from infectious diseases.

DEATH OF CAPT. LAING.

A Well Known Pioneer Dies This Morning.

Capt. Andrew Laing, the well known sealing man, died at his home this morning after a prolonged illness.

Capt. Laing was one of the pioneers of the province, coming here with his father, Robert Laing, from Scotland in 1834.

RESERVED AN INSULT.

Col. Landes After the Editor of the Port Townsend Leader.

A Port Townsend special to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "Owing to the prominence of the parties, considerable excitement was created at four o'clock this afternoon by an assault by Col. Henry Landes, president of the First National Bank on J. Will Lyons, editor of the Daily Leader."

Col. Landes in his report stated that there were 36 patients in the hospital on December 1 and 30 on the first instant, there having been 34 admitted during the past month, 28 being treated and the same number discharged.

Mr. Alex. Wilson presided at the meeting of the board of directors of the Jubilee Hospital held last evening.

Dr. Macmillan, the matron, reported that in the training school department everything was satisfactory.

The board passed a vote of thanks to the Col. who had contributed to the hospital during the past month.

It was decided to purchase a piece of land for the purpose of erecting a new building for the hospital.

SEALING INVESTIGATION.

Yesterday afternoon Capt. Raynor continuing his evidence before the Behring Sea Claims Commission, valued the Ada in 1887 at Victoria at about \$5000 and at Seattle at about \$3000.

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EXPLOSION TO DISASTER.

Does not necessarily mean the contraction of disease, but it is a condition in a vigorous condition, with the blood pure and all the organs in healthy action.

When in such a condition contraction is readily resisted, and in every case it is equally necessary to keep up the health tone because the body is subject to greater exposure and more liable to disease.

A Chinaman's Troubles. Assaulted and Badly Injured by Three Other Celestials.

Highest of all in Leavening Power—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

B. C. RAILWAY POLICY.

FIFTH LETTER.

To the Editor: Probably the preferable plan for the extension of direct aid to the proposed railway would be by guaranteeing the bonds of the company.

Estimated cost of 222 miles. \$7,281,000 Dominion subsidy. 1,484,800 Balance to be provided. \$5,796,200

Balance to be guaranteed. \$2,150,700 Owing to a clerical error in my last letter the Dominion subsidy was stated a little too low and the provincial guarantee correspondingly too high.

The province would thus be asked to guarantee the interest at 4 per cent on \$2,150,700. This would entail a possible charge upon the revenue of the province of \$85,028.00 per annum.

CHAS. H. LUGRIN.

POLICE AS PROSECUTORS.

They Manufacture Evidence to Try to Convict a Prisoner.

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KOOTENAY RAILWAY

Manitoba & Northern Pacific a Charter to Build The Crown's Nest Pass.

Sir William Van Horne Telling His Story to Members of Railway.

Columbia & Kootenay W.I.L. a Charter to Build a Line Nelson to Hope.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for Six Months—Service Examination

Ottawa, Jan. 9. (Special)—Manitoba and Northern Pacific Railway will apply at the next meeting of the board of directors for a charter for the building of a line from Nelson to Hope.

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