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MONTREAL CHURCH DESTROYED BY FIRE

DAMAGE WROUGHT BY BLIZZARD AT HALIFAX

Manitoba Liquor Act Referendum Will Be Introduced To-morrow—Fatal Result of Accident.

Montreal, Feb. 17.—St. Mary's Catholic church, at the corner of Craig and Panel streets, was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is between \$100,000 and \$200,000, and the insurance between \$35,000 and \$40,000. The remains of the late Father O'Donnell, former parish priest, were buried in the vault in the church, but the firemen managed to check the flames before they reached that part of the edifice. The fire is supposed to have started from a lighted gas jet near the rectory.

It is announced from New York that Dr. Stewart Webb, president of the New York Central railway, has made arrangements for the purchase of the Great Northern railway, which runs from Quebec, connecting with the Canadian Atlantic system at Havesbury, Ont. This will give a complete system for grain shipments from Parry Sound through to Quebec.

Montreal's Mayor.

Ex-Mayor Frontenac, who returned to London and Paris, says there will be no further quibbling over the majority. Cochrane will remain mayor.

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MINERS AND PUBLIC WILL BE PROTECTED

The Concessions to Mr. Treadgold and Others in the Klondike—British Empire League Proposal.

capacity of 1,500,000 bushels of grain. This will give an additional storage for grain that will be very acceptable to general accommodation for food will also be made.

Both Dead.

Duncan McLeod and Fred Blakely, injured in a boiler explosion at Angus McLeod's pump factory, Portage la Prairie, on Saturday, are dead.

Sudden Death.

A. B. Faulkner, of Wolsley, N. W. T., dropped dead from apoplexy while going to dinner. He was of the Massey-Harris agency.

To Meet Next Month.

The N. W. T. legislature has been summoned for March 20th.

On Strike.

Sherbrooke, Feb. 17.—Two hundred weavers employed in the Eaton Woolen Mills are on strike to-day. They had a difference with the foreman of one department and demand his dismissal before they will return.

Nearly Strangled.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—An unusual ending to a shantymen's row is reported from a camp near Sudbury. Xavier Genest was known as "the dandy of the camp," and he was the butt for the jokes of all the choppers. Some days ago he became angry and struck one of his tormentors. A fight ensued in which Genest's tie was grabbed by another man and tightened about his neck until Genest was almost strangled before he was rescued. He was unconscious for some time.

W. F. MacLean's Proposal.

W. F. MacLean, M.P., East York, is introducing a bill to have the government regulate telephone and telegraph tolls and rentals and in the case of telegraphs for their immediate acquisition by the government if considered necessary in the public interest.

THE USUAL RESULT.

Duellists Fired Two Shots Without Doing Any Damage.

Paris, Feb. 18.—M. Cavigane, Radical Republican, the former minister of war, and M. Roussel, formerly secretary of the Senator Floquet, the former president of the council of ministers, fought a duel to-day in consequence of an insulting letter written by M. Roussel to M. Cavigane. The two shots were exchanged without any result.

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FATAL RIOTS IN SPAIN AND AUSTRIA

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The Strikers Number Eighty Thousand—Three Warships Have Arrived at Trieste.

Barcelona, Spain, Feb. 18.—For several days past preparations have been in progress here for a general strike, and now trade is completely paralyzed. The strikers have in many instances attacked servants who were returning from market and robbed them of their purchases. The newspapers are unable to publish their regular editions.

The number of the strikers is 80,000, and the strike movement is spreading throughout the vicinity of the city. Three persons were killed and thirty-five wounded in an encounter between the strikers and the troops yesterday.

Attack on Prison Van.

Barcelona, Feb. 18.—Rioters to-day attacked a prison van and attempted to release a number of strikers who had been made prisoners. A striker fired on the guard, who, in reply, shot and killed the man, who fired again. A large number of strikers had been injured by incendiaries and several stores have been pillaged.

Bluejackets at Trieste.

Trieste, Austria Hungary, Feb. 18.—Three Austrian warships have arrived here and have landed bluejackets to protect the harbor and the Austrian Lloyd's Steamship Company's docks. Four notorious anarchists have been arrested.

Premier Defends Police.

Vienna, Feb. 18.—In the Reichsrath to-day the Premier, Dr. von Koerber, made a vigorous defence of the action of the police and military at Trieste in recent riots. The Premier asserted that an investigation had resulted in establishing beyond a doubt the fact of the existence of a terrorist organization, whose creed was absolute lawlessness and against which the whole force of the defensive powers of the state must be directed.

DOMINION ESTIMATES.

Appropriations for Improving Victoria Harbor and Quarantine Station.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 17.—The estimates were brought down to-night, and show the total to be \$33,261,688. Among the items are the following:

Columbia river, improvements in narrows between Upper and Lower Arrow lakes, \$10,000.

Duncan river improvements of ship channel, protection works, etc., \$10,000.

General repairs and improvement of South Channel, \$5,000.

Skeena river, \$7,500.

Victoria harbor, removal of Tuzo rock and dredging at other points, \$10,000.

William Head quarantine station, repairs to wharf and improvement of water service, \$2,000.

Nelson public buildings, \$25,000.

Hoskold public building, \$12,000.

Telegraphs, Alberni-Clayton route, \$2,500.

Telegraph, Golden to Windermere, \$1,500.

THE DUKE SURPRISED.

Spanish Foreign Minister Knew Nothing of Proposed Intervention of Powers.

Madrid, Feb. 18.—In the Senate to-day Senor Labra questioned the government concerning the statements made in parliament and in the newspapers in regard to the support the powers are supposed to have given Spain at the outbreak of the war with the United States. The Senator said he asked for information on the subject so that Spain might better know her friends and enemies.

The foreign minister, the Duke of Almodovar, declared that the reports relating to intervention on the part of the powers came as a complete surprise to him. If there was anything relating to the matter which ought to be known the government would make a point of informing the Senate.

OUTLAW ARRESTED.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 19.—Ramon Galindo, leader of the Island band of outlaws, who in 1901 ambushed and killed Capt. Jones, of the First Texas Rangers, has been captured by Ed. Bryant, an ex-Ranger. Galindo has been hiding, but recently became involved in a shooting affair in New Mexico, and his return from old Mexico was reported to these officers here, who have since been on the lookout for him.

The French steamer Canada arrived at Colon, Colombia, on Tuesday from Savanilla with government reinforcements of troops, numbering 700 men, under Generals Galindo and Gomez. Colon continues quiet.

JEWISH COLONIZATION.

Dr. Herzl is Negotiating With the Sultan For Concessions in Palestine.

REV. NEWMAN HALL DEAD.

London, Feb. 19.—Leaders of the Zionist movement anticipate important developments as a result of the visit of Dr. Theodore Herzl, of Vienna, founder of the Zionist movement and president of the Zionist congress recently held at Basle, Switzerland, to Constantinople. Dr. Herzl was summoned to the Yildiz palace by a special telegram from the Sultan, and the Zionist leader is now negotiating with the Sultan for the acquisition of concessions in Palestine, permitting of the unimpeded immigration and settlement of Jews there. Dr. Herzl's demands include a charter granting some single form of home rule and opening the Sultan's crown lands to Jewish colonization.

A representative of the Jewish colonization association, which was endowed by the late Baron Hirsch, is also at Constantinople, and is taken to signify that the trustees of the Baron Hirsch funds are about to concentrate their resources upon Palestine.

REV. NEWMAN HALL DEAD.

London, Feb. 18.—Rev. Newman Hall, D.D., former chairman of the Congregational union, who had been ill for some time past, died at half past nine o'clock this morning. He was born on May 22nd, 1816.

TORY MEMBER PREFERS WAR TO HUMILIATION

Says Canada Could Beat the United States and Annex Them in Six Months.

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—In the House this afternoon Mr. Bourassa moved for papers in regard to the disallowance of the immigration act of British Columbia.

Reuben Smith seconded the same and Sir Wilfrid Laurier said whatever there was would be brought down.

Mr. Bourassa had a number of other motions, one of which was for the correspondence in regard to the Alaska boundary and the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said these could not be brought down as yet as negotiations were still going on.

Mr. Bourassa made a strong speech, attacking Britain for having sacrificed Canadian interests in every case when the United States was concerned. He quoted Sir John Dufferin as saying that it took him three months in London, England, endeavoring to get Mr. Chamberlain and his officials to side with Canada in connection with the Alaska boundary and not with the States. Mr. Bourassa said that in all cases, including embargo on cattle, immigration, etc., Britain took the side of the United States and not Canada.

Mr. Goulet, Conservative member for Picton, made a fighting speech against the action of Britain. He said that he had not agreed with one word Mr. Bourassa said until now, and that he would rather go to war at once with the United States than submit to any beat the United States and annex them in six months. The Canadian parliament, he said, knew far more about Britain's foreign policy than the British parliament. Members there were examined for imbecility before getting seats.

H. L. Borden, leader of the opposition, thought the Clayton-Bulwer papers should be brought down, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier said he was not altogether an admirer of the British government's policy in America.

Ralph Smith asked to-day if the Chinese commission report would be brought down. He did so with a view of discussing the matter.

Sir Wilfrid replied that it had not yet been received, but as soon as it was it would be presented to parliament.

WINDFALL FOR CONDUCTOR.

By Terms of Will of Millionaire He Receives \$1,000.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Llewellyn Mason, a conductor on the Chicago & Alton railroad, has just received assurance that country to the travelling public some times has its reward. When the will of W. A. Tyler, a Bloomington millionaire, was probated yesterday, it was found to contain the following clause: "To Llewellyn Mason I bequeath the sum of \$1,000 as a recognition of the courteous treatment accorded me while travelling on the Alton road."

Conductor Mason is over 90 years of age, and has been a conductor on the Alton road for nearly 30 years. He now runs a suburban train between Chicago and Joliet. Millionaire Tyler was exceedingly curious when travelling, and was wont to ask many questions. In 1808 he happened to take a train on which young Mason was the conductor, and the man's name struck his fancy, and on the run to Chicago in talking to him.

BROKE IN TWO.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 18.—The Allan liner Grecian, which went ashore near Herring Cove a few days ago, broke in two last night. A gale prevailed at the time.

HOW THE KLONDIKE WILL BE BENEFITED

GOVERNOR ROSS ON TREADGOLD CONCESSION

Miners Can Obtain Water at Reasonable Price in Order to Work Claims.

Vancouver, Feb. 19.—Governor Ross arrived in the city this morning from Skagway on the steamer Anur, which reached port at 11 o'clock. Regarding the Treadgold concession question, he said:

"I have not seen the amended order-in-council concerning the concessions to the Treadgold syndicate, but I did see the original order, and unless some very material alterations have been made in the document nothing but a benefit to the Klondike can result from the agreement which has been reached between the government and syndicate.

"Owing to the fact that there are many claims on creeks in the Klondike which cannot be successfully worked at present on account of the poor water supply, owners can but await the time when some powerful financial corporation or syndicate provides a generous water supply. That's what the Treadgold syndicate have contracted with the government to do, and in return for their cash outlay the government will allow them to work claims which have lapsed or which the owners do not care to work. Owners of claims have the privilege of working their properties with the aid of the Treadgold water, for which they must pay a reasonable sum to the syndicate, the amount being set by the government. In the meantime on the part of the government will take place."

PELAGIC SEALING.

Interesting Paper by Capt. Clarke—Photographic Section Added to Natural History Society.

The lecture by Capt. Clarke last evening, before the Natural History Society, on "Pelagic Sealing," was largely attended, and proved one of the most interesting of the series which has been delivered before this organization. The paper dealt with the history of the industry, the habits of the fur seal, their habits, the method of hunting and also went into the seizure made in the Behring Sea and the complications which followed.

A photographic section was added to the organization, on motion of the provincial assayer, Herbert Carmichael, who was appointed organizer of what will doubtless prove to be one of the most interesting branches of the society.

Messrs. Pines, Anderson, Baynes, Reed and Wallace were appointed a committee to prepare a printed circular or chart to be filled in by the pupils of the different schools of the province, in which their observation of plants of each section will be entered. A similar system is in force in the older provinces.

RECORD SHIPBUILDING.

International Struggle for the Trade of the World.

Mr. J. Bruce Murray, presiding at the annual meeting of the Clyde Steamship Owners' association in Glasgow, said the year just closed was a record one in the annals of shipbuilding, not only in this country, but on the continent and in America, and the tonnage exceeded the highest figures in any similar period.

Alluding to the energy of foreign nations—especially Germany and America—in shipping enterprise, he remarked that British ship-owners had now to take part in a struggle for the world's trade, in which, instead of individuals, the competitors were nations. Referring to the mangled schools which had been established in London and Liverpool, he observed that Glasgow was in this respect far behind, no movement of the kind having taken place here.

As to the outlook in the shipping industry, Mr. Murray said we were passing through a time of trial. We could hardly hope to retain the enormously predominant share we had hitherto had in sea-borne traffic. It must never be forgotten that shipping was our first and our most important industry, and was absolutely vital to our existence as a great nation.

Robert McKill, representative of the association on Lloyd's, stated that during the past year 342 vessels of 1,281,285 tons had been launched, and they had been built under the inspection of the society.

A dispatch from Honolulu, via San Francisco, says Ernest Hogan, a negro comedian and song writer, has become involved in a controversy with a company of local men who engaged him and a large company to come here, and as a result of his trouble Hogan has sent a formal challenge to Prince Cupid Kalaninole to fight a duel.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Mill on Douglas Island Seriously Damaged—Loss Amounts to \$30,000.

Port Townsend, Feb. 18.—Steamer Dolphin, arriving this morning from Skagway, brought news of serious damage to the Mexican mill and Mining Co's mill on Douglas Island by fire, which occurred on February 12th, resulting in the destruction of the compressor building. The shaft, allows frame, tramway leading to the quartz mill and machinery was considerably damaged. The fire caused the entire plant to shut down, throwing several hundred men out of employment. Assistant Superintendent Keule was a passenger on the Dolphin, he having come down to purchase new machinery. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

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THE QUESTION READY FOR FIGHT

RICHARD M'BRIDE IS SELECTED AS LEADER

Eighteen Members Ranged in Hostility to the Government—Active Fight Commences on Monday.

The members of the opposition in the legislature held a caucus last night in the grand hall when the situation was thoroughly talked over and a definite arrangement reached in regard to the course of those who oppose the present government during the session. The caucus was attended by eighteen members of the House, and was prolonged till about 3 o'clock this morning. A course of action was mapped out, and Richard McBride, ex-minister of mines, was selected as leader during the session.

A feature of the caucus was the overtures made on behalf of one member or the members of the opposition to return to the government fold for the purpose of freeing the administration of the incubus of Joseph Martin. Alluring offers were made, and it is understood that an offer was made to give the opposition the two vacant portfolios, and the Speakership, if they would come to terms. The offer was indignantly refused, a number of the members expressing the determination to abide by the decision reached prior to the New Westminster convention and remain in hostility to the administration.

It is understood also that the Premier's cabinet, if a truce would be accepted, renounce his alliance with Joseph Martin, and to express his regret for the same.

Richard McBride, who was selected as leader, was seen this morning and conferred with the report that he had been selected for that post. He added: "The convention did me that honor, and I will have the assistance during the session of an advisory committee consisting of Messrs. H. D. Helmcken, R. Green, Capt. Tatlow, A. W. Neill, Denis Murphy and C. W. Munro. Mr. Neill was selected as whip.

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H. N. Short Passed Away at His Residence, Oak Bay, This Morning—He Was a Pioneer.

Death this morning removed one of Victoria's most widely known pioneers in Henry Short, the Douglas street gunsmith. His demise was not wholly unexpected, as he was in the merciless grip of malady which could have some other than a fatal termination. He has been ill for many months, but he never recovered from the shock caused by the death of his daughter a short time ago, which, it is believed, hastened his end. Previous to his last attack of illness, a fortnight ago, he was able to get out for a few days, but was shortly afterwards confined to his bed again, growing gradually weaker until this morning, when he expired at his residence, Ross Bay.

Henry Short was a native of Cork, Ireland, where he was born fifty-nine years ago. He came to Victoria in 1862, having left London on the ship Tyne-mouth, which brought out a large number of well known pioneers, the majority of whom have already passed into the great beyond.

Unlike many of the early comers, he did not fall a victim to the gold fever, and consequently did not embark in mining enterprises. Instead, he engaged at once in the gunsmith business, his first establishment being a little structure near the corner of Pandora and Government streets. Subsequently he removed his business to Fort street, where he built up a thriving trade. He removed to Douglas street about ten years ago, and until his illness was always to be found in his premises as enthusiastic as when he first embarked in business in this city in the early sixties. Mr. Short was an active sportsman and an energetic, skilful rotary of both the gun and rod. He was full of life and hearty spirits, of a benevolent disposition, and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

He was past master of Victoria lodge, A. O. U. W., and a member of the Pioneer Society.

He was an ardent lover of music, and many a time in the good old days delighted the pioneers by his splendid voice. He was leader of Christ Church Cathedral choir for many years, and subsequently conducted the choir of the Reformed Episcopal church.

He leaves a widow, daughter and two sons, Nugent and Richard. Further notice of the funeral will be given.

SEMI-MONTHLY MEETING.

Business Transacted by the Trades and Labor Council Last Night.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council was held last night in Labor hall. Credentials were received from the following: W. T. Scott, representing the Pressmen's union; James Deans, O. L. Chaston and Willie Caulson, representing the team drivers; Thomas Sehl, the plumbers; George F. Hanft and A. McIntosh, the barbers; G. Clyde, boiler-makers, and E. C. Knight and A. Kelly, the electricians.

The organizing committee's report showed excellent progress since the previous meeting. The committee was augmented by two new members, Messrs. G. R. Greenwood and J. Hancock.

There was quite a discussion over the question of Chinese in the public schools, and a delegation was ultimately appointed to wait upon the board of trustees and place the council's views before them.

A request was read from the Quebec Shoeworkers' union that the council do not patronize unfair shops. A communication of a like nature was received from Dayton, Ohio, in which the delegates pledged themselves to purchase none but union-made shoes.

The Postmaster-General, Hon. W. Mulock, in acknowledging the receipt of the petition, which the council stated that the question of increasing the pay of the postmen was receiving consideration.

The council intend incorporating, and the secretary was authorized to bring it before the council, and to bring it before the Barbers' union delegates reported that they would favor the bill proposed by the Vancouver union if certain amendments were made.

The proposal to organize a waterfront federation was reported by the delegates from the various unions along the waterfront to meet with the hearty approval of the unions.

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A LARGE NUMBER OF PRIZES ARE DONATED

List of the Specials Offered to Date—Competitors Will Have Something to Compete For.

The appended list of special prizes have been already donated for the Victoria City Kennel club show to be held in Philadelphia hall, April 3rd, 4th, and 5th. Some others will be announced next week, when the committee having the premium lists in charge will make their final report. In addition, the V. C. K. offers cash prizes, medals, and medals for first prize winners in all classes. The list is as follows:

Hon. D. M. Eberts, solid silver cup, value \$25; G. Riley, solid silver cup, value \$25; Silver cups, Mayor Hayward, J. Redelsheimer, Pacific Kennel League, San Francisco Kennel club, Molson's Bank, A. E. McPhillips, M.P., Henry Croft, Bank of Commerce; E. C. Hartnagle, cash, \$25; Dr. L. Hall, cash, \$25; T. P. McConnell, cash, \$25; Dr. G. L. Milne, two special gold pins; C. P. LeLievre, box Horse Shoe cigars; Boves & Co., bottle perfume, value, \$15; D. Campbell & Galt, box cigars; W. & J. Wilson, silk umbrella; Grotto saloon, box of cigars; C. Setterfield, bottle whiskey; A. Anderson, bottle Scotch whiskey; F. G. Norris, dog collar; T. Gold, box Cigars; W. J. Penderay, box White Swan soap; John Cochran, bottle perfume, value, \$3.00; Excelsior Biscuit Co., case dog biscuits; J. McSweeney, fine ham; J. H. Todd, box cigars, value, \$6.00; Seattle English Setter club, solid silver medal.

The Toronto Telegram's cable says the Weishman have adopted Mr. Chamberlain's proposal, and have started a subscription for the purpose of removing the Welsh colony in Patagonia to Canada. The sum of \$7,500 is already subscribed.

The Germ Theory of Cancer

The theory of the origin of cancer, which we have long upheld, is now being amply demonstrated by English and German scientists. Many scoffed at it at first and were inclined to be incredulous. Now, with hundreds of cures to our credit, there are very few indeed who will doubt the efficacy of our New Constitutive Remedy, which cures cancer by first and were inclined to be incredulous. Now, with hundreds of cures to our credit, there are very few indeed who will doubt the efficacy of our New Constitutive Remedy, which cures cancer by first and were inclined to be incredulous. Now, with hundreds of cures to our credit, there are very few indeed who will doubt the efficacy of our New Constitutive Remedy, which cures cancer by first and were inclined to be incredulous.

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Send us your name and address on the below request, and we will take pleasure in sending you free of any charge this SOLID ARIZONA SILVER SUGAR SHELL. You don't have to buy anything. The gift is unconditional. It is a bid for your everlasting friendship and good will, and if you do not read this advertisement through and answer it at once, it will be a loss to yourself and a disappointment to us.



This Sugar Shell is an absolute gift to every lady answering this advertisement.

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Ship	Tonnage	Passenger Capacity
Ohio	2,072	700
Indiana	2,561	700
Pennsylvania	2,597	700
Portland	996	350
St. Paul	996	350
Hyades	2,519	600
Lyra	1,249	350
Senator	1,838	500
State of California	1,249	350
Idaho	1,838	500
Oregon	1,642	500
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John S. Kimball	1,249	350
Charles Nelson	996	350
Central	1,838	500
Jeante	963	350
Total	31,228	9,000

LUMBER SIGHTED ADRIFT. As a result of the recent gale along the West Coast it is feared that some lumber vessel has met with some mishap off Cape Flattery. The steamship Tacoma was seen on the 17th, but nothing was done owing to the White Star Steamship Company, which owns the Oregon, not being represented.

It is known that, on large shipments, one of the companies is now quoting a \$9 ship's tackle rate, and it is reasonable to presume that these quotations are based on the two largest steamers, being the Lyra and Hyades. The former has a net tonnage of 4,200 and the latter of 2,562.

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COLLECTOR IVEY EXPLAINS. Collector Ivey has written a letter to the United States treasury department in explanation of his presumptuous and arrogant order to close the port of Unalaska to Canadian sealers. He criticizes the government, the officers of the marine service, and says that the order was directed against "the vile and lawless industry of exterminating the seal herd." He says: "As the season is near when the customary instructions are issued by the department to revenue cutters to cruise in Behring sea, I take the liberty of saying that to give some practical vitality to that branch of the customs service one of its vessels should be stationed at Unalaska, not at any other port, but to cruise along the Aleutian islands during the sealing season in prevention of pelagic operations, seizing and harassing seal hunters lying in wait within the marine jurisdiction of the United States for the seals as they pass to and from the ocean to the sea."

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Politicians sometimes forget that people have long memories. All the instruments used by the Premier to carry on his will in respect to this case will find out that while electors can overlook a certain amount of political jugglery, there is a limit to their forbearance.

As the election had been brought on at the proper time the government might have had a fighting chance. As it is the public has been convinced by the anxiety of certain elements to keep Mr. Bodwell out of the House that he is just the man they need there.

"YELLOW" DISPATCHES.

Something in connection with Yukon matters seems to have displeased our friends across the border. Possibly the adjustment of rates on the White Pass railway is not satisfactory or peradventure the Nome boom is not likely to be as successful as usual this year.

Our readers are to be harassed, our trade disturbed, even the American miners are to be sent out of the Yukon country into the comparatively barren surrounding regions.

A GRAVE MISTAKE.

Doubtless many innocent people have been condemned to die in a "halter," and probably a still larger number who deserved a gentler fate have died upon the scaffold, but it is seldom in a normal

state of society one who has been pronounced guilty by neither judge nor jury nor undergone the ordeal of trial is condemned to die the death of a felon. But, according to the New York Times such a mishap has occurred, and the curious feature of the case is that the victim of the terrible mistake, whose person was of course never placed in the hands of the common hangman, has no recollection of the outrage perpetrated by the officers of the law.

UNITED STATES FOREIGN TRADE for the year shows a decline over that of last year, which fell off in comparison with the year previous. The manufacturers knew what they were doing when they set up an agitation for reciprocity with foreign countries.

TENDENCIES OF TRADE.

The reasonable explanation seems to be that foreigners have been aroused to the truth in regard to United States competition. They are being educated up to American methods and probably they will buy as little as possible from the country that shuts them completely out of its markets.

THE LISGAR VICTORY.

The political reaction is making its presence known upon the prairies. There was an election for the House of Commons in Lisgar, Manitoba, yesterday. There were two Liberals in the field, one of the kind called "straight" by a cult whose activity is now entirely confined to this province, since what remained of it elsewhere was buried yesterday beneath a thousand common Laurier Liberal ballots.

Mr. Richardson, the late member, was one of those who resisted the selection of Mr. Sifton by Sir Wilfrid Laurier as the representative of the West in the government which he formed in 1896.

He has steadily set his face against the Minister of the Interior and has done his best to make his position uncomfortable and to weaken the influence of the government in the West. Mr. Sifton has been specially singled out by the Conservative party for attack, and that party has been aided and abetted by Mr. Richardson in the work of defamation.

DISCORD AND HARMONY. In an interview with Mr. W. Hart McHarg, one of the delegates to the Liberal convention recently held in Vancouver, published in the Rossland Miner, the representative of one of the largest constituencies in the province, was asked to express his opinion as to the manner in which the proceedings had been conducted.

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HON. JOHN J. FURLONG, Member of the Thirty-fifth General Assembly of the State of Illinois, writes of Peruna as follows:

"For nine years I bought everything that was advertised as a sure cure for my complaint, but it so happened that I did not buy Peruna until nine months ago. After using your splendid remedy according to your directions I am today a well man. I find Peruna to be the greatest family medicine ever discovered. I shall always keep a bottle of it on hand. It can candidly state that had it not been for Peruna I would have given up my position, being too weak to do my work. For eighteen years life was a burden."—Mr. William Flood.

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IN MEMORY

CITY'S NAME

TABLET WAS UNVEILED YESTERDAY

Names of Five Victors Placed on Marble the Drill

It was just two years ago that four Victoria boys advanced upon the Pandersberg. Four of them, Blanchard, Sturtevant, and the defence of a British soldier, a desperate attack by the enemy. Last night, amid the assembled citizens, the Lieut. G. Joly unveiled the tablet in memory of this city's boys lying beneath the vault.

The ceremony was one of the venerable sentinels in Windsor soldiers standing at attention and the throng lining the galleries at outside, the enclosed to a scene not easily forgotten. Long before the doors were thrown open to the public had congregated at the admission. When at last the Lieut. G. Joly unveiled the tablet, the rain-gauge by those in but commended itself to various companies of officers, engineers and Royal Artillery of Work Point.

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Almighty God, who rulest over all the kingdoms of the world, and disposhest them according to Thy good pleasure, we yield Thee unfeigned thanks for that Thou wast pleased to place Thy servant, our sovereign Lord King Edward, upon the throne of this realm. Let Thy wisdom be his guide, and let Thy arm strengthen him; let justice, truth and holiness, let peace and love, and all those virtues that adorn the Christian praiseworthy in his days; direct all his counsels and endeavours Thy glory, and the welfare of his people; and give us grace to obey him cheerfully and willingly for conscience sake; and neither our sinful passions, nor our private interests, may disquiet his care for the hearts of his people, that they may never be wanting in honor to his person, and dutiful submission to his authority; let his reign be long and prosperous, and crown him with immortality in the life to come, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, the fountain of all goodness, we humbly beseech Thee to bless Our Most Gracious Queen Alexandra, George Prince of Wales, the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family; endue them with Thy holy spirit; enrich them with Thy heavenly grace; prosper them with all happiness, and bring them to Thine everlasting Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lord of all power and mercy, we earnestly beseech Thee to assist with Thy favor the Governor-General of this Dominion, and the Lieutenant-Governor of this province; cause them, we pray Thee, to weigh before Thee, and the people committed to their charge, in truth and righteousness; to enable them to use their delegated powers to Thy glory, and to the public good; and to the advancement of their own salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Oh Almighty God and Father, who alone canst order the merely wills and affections of sinful men and who canst bring good out of evil, overcome we pray Thee, the war in which our country is now involved, to the good of the human family and the glory of Thy name. Assuage the miseries and sorrows of war. Serve those engaged in it from cruelty and wrong. Pardon their sins and save their souls. Support and comfort the wounded, sick and dying. Be with those who have gone forth to minister to the bodies and souls of the men; give them endurance, tenderness and skill. Bless, protect, and guide our own volunteers, support them in all dangers, and carry them through all temptations, and hasten, we beseech Thee, the time when we shall be privileged to bless and praise Thy holy name for the restoration of peace and the safe return to their own homes. All of which we ask in the name of the Prince of

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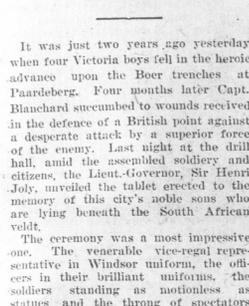
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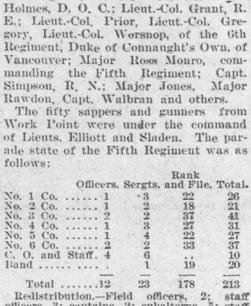
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SERG. W.W. IRONSDALE SCOTT. Who fell at Paardeberg.



CAPT. MONSON GUDGE BLANCHARD. Died of wounds received in battle June 15th, 1900.



PTE. JOHN ST. CLAIR TODD. Who fell at Paardeberg.

FAILURE.

Number of Cases of Sudden Death This Cause Makes the Story of the Greatest

These awful words spoken or written in sudden and unexpected

who although still over the brink of the precipice. The slightest reaching of an eye brings sudden stop.

trouble is caused directly, and the following man's painful prehistory and how he was

of Wilberforce, Ontario, previous to the summer and before I had been greatly improved.

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MAYORALTY FIGHT IN DAWSON CITY

PARTICULARS OF THE FIRST CONTEST THERE

W. A. Anderson Again in Trouble—Cultivation of Forestry in the Yukon—E. S. Busby Transferred.

A Dawson dispatch of February 7th gives further particulars of the election

At the municipal election held here yesterday Henry C. Macaulay was elected by a majority of 16 over his

The election caused the most exciting time that has ever been seen in Dawson.

On advice from Ottawa Clerk McDonald withdrew Saturday from the mayoralty race.

GOLD IN YOUR GARRET.

WASHOUT ON E. & N. Flood Was the Worst Experienced in Many Years.

H. H. Jones, one of the passengers who arrived on yesterday afternoon's train from up the E. & N. line, gives particulars of the washout, which is evidently the worst in many years.

The main wagon road bridge near Coyichan has been completely washed away.

At a cost of ten cents you can re-color a dress, skirt, jacket, cape, blouse or waist, and make them as good and bright as new ones purchased in a store.

Eating too much is a disease of civilization. The uncivilized seldom get too much to eat, or their fastings are preceded or followed by so many days of famine that

Word has been brought to Dawson that Lewin Brothers, mining on Nos. 4, 5 and 6 below lower on Dominion, have within the last few days located pay

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

CHAMBERS GAVE JUDGMENT ON THE MASON ARGUED BEFORE HIM YESTERDAY IN MACAULAY V. VICTORIA-YUKON TRADING CO., DISMISSING THE APPLICATION WITH COSTS.

In Chambers this morning Mr. Justice Walken gave judgment on the motion argued before him yesterday in Macaulay v. Victoria-Yukon Trading Co., dismissing the application with costs.

In Bartlett v. Thinks, L. Bond, for the administrator of the Thinks estate, applied for leave to tax costs of administration for date, and have same paid out of the estate, which was granted.

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MAKE THE FARM PAY

PROGRESSIVE STOCK BREEDERS, DAIRYMEN, POULTRYMEN, GRAIN, ROOT AND FRUIT GROWERS, BEEKEEPERS, AGRICULTURAL STUDENTS, AND HOME MAKERS

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DAY'S FUNERALS.

Original Stanley Engelhardt yesterday—Mrs. Beaumont's funeral.

INTELLIGENCE.

Justice Walken in charging the following list of...

Justice vs. Dickson et al. H. B. Robertson, for...

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AMERICAN MILITARY ACADEMIES.

The State Adjutant-General has learned that several military academies have been in the habit of distinguishing their officers from the rank and file of the cadets by using the same insignia of rank that are in use in the Regular Army and the National Guard.

In developing manhood are strikingly illustrated by some of the recent achievements of the more important private military academies in this country.

At the prominent private academies the cadets participate in an encampment, where they secure a taste of active campaigning. When in camp there is an average of three cadets assigned to each regulation army tent.

During this interim of life in the open the cadets receive instruction in pitching and breaking camp, and are taught to raise or lower tents simultaneously at the sound of the trumpet.

to balance himself on the horse's back and so grip with his knees that he may be enabled to retain his position no matter what the actions of the horse.

A very interesting collection of statements bearing upon the value of military drill in school work has recently been obtained by the interior department at Washington.

progress, asked each principal of a school or private high school in the state of New York to give an opinion as to the results, beneficial or otherwise, attending military instruction in schools.

Now the real game commences. The players write the names of all on their pads of paper in the order in which they now sit, and below the name of each one is written the part of speech she has chosen.

Other players each write on their pads the words that each one adds, and in this way if any one should say a word that does not make sense—that is, not the part of speech she has chosen or a word that does not fit in the sentence—every one will notice it.

SORROWS OF SAMMIE GO BANG.

BY JOHN WALKER HARRINGTON.

Small Dog turned over his pail of water and kicked his biscuit out on the floor. "What is the matter with you, Small Dog?" asked Bull Dog.



"I STARTED TO JUMP ON ITS BED."

"Why, the creature has a bed of its own all covered over with lace and filled with fine goose feathers."

"Come closer. I want to whisper to you. I wouldn't have had that Japanese spaniel hear this for a dog biscuit. This nose is out of joint. The day after the million-dollar creature came the messenger boys brought yellow envelopes to the house all day."

THE LIVING GRAMMAR; A RECESS GAME.

BY RAYMOND FULLER AYERS.



The game can be played by any number, but the most scientific way is to have just ten players to correspond with the ten parts of speech.

run into the house thoroughly ashamed of himself. One day a half-starved-looking cat appeared on the fence. He was watching Zip and Nancy frolic, and looked as though he envied them.

Several days afterward Mercury appeared in a great hurry before Vulcan with this note from Cupid.

ZIP AND NANCY.

A TRUE STORY.

Zip was a pug dog, with eyes as green as emeralds. His constant companion was a cat called Nancy. They had been sincere friends for over 12 years.

When a very small kitten Nancy was carried about by the dog, he gripping her firmly at the back of the neck. In return she would wash him as he lay before the fire, stroking him with her little tongue.



"SUPPOSE THE MISSUS HAD BEE N TAKEN TO A POUND!"

Nonsense Verse.

Illustration of a man and a woman in a room with a fire, accompanied by a poem about a fire and a dog.

Auction Saturday, Feb. 22nd.

At 12 o'clock, or on arrival of steamer, the whole of his...

MEETING

Live Stock of B. C. Thursday, Feb. 27th.

