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THIRTY-SIXTH YEAR.

REVIEW OF TROOPS.

VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY MAY 25 1894.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

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VANCOUVER, May 17 .- The Van

he will recover.

Baylie, for passing a gilded quarter for a \$10 piece, got off with ten days' coofinement.

No lawyer could be found to defend William Stewart and David Jones, charged with gross indecency. The prisoners addressed the jury and cross-questioned the witnesses with considerable ability. Jones' father arrived from Arizona and addressed the court. Mr. Justice Drake said he was much more sorry for Jones' father than he was for Jones. There was not one extenuating circumstance. Both prisoners were

Adamson. It is the largest ever taken from that stream except with a net.

Everybody along the river looks for exceedingly high water if the present hot weather continues. Old-timers say the 1882 high mark will surely be reached.

The city council passed a motion at a special meeting last night asking the Lieut.-Governor in Council to put the Fraser River Aid bill in force. All hope of C. D. Rand's company taking hold of the scheme has been abandoned.

NANAIMO, May 17. - Alderman Ralph

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(Special te the COLONIST.)

VOLUME XXXVI. NO. 23 PATROL FLEET ORDERS.

> Offending Sealing Schooners to Have Scant Ceremony Displayed Towards Them.

Special Orders to Commander Clark-Discretionary Powers of the Officers of Cruisers.

PORT TOWNSEND, May 17 .- Orders were Craig is in a very critical state, with poor prospects of recovery.

Vancouver's brass band have arranged for an excursion to this city on Queen's Birthday.

The desired by Commander Clark to deal very severely with sealers who are posching. In fact, they will be nabled with seant coremony. The floet was delayed longer than Birthday.

An agitation inf avor of a more thorough observation of the Sunday closing act is on foot. Another temperance convention is to be held early in June under the auspices of is given to this rumor by the fact that the

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De held early in June under the auspices of the W.C.T.U.

There is a lull in politics at present, though on Saturday there will be a little stir in the South district, when the Opposition candidate, doubtless Tully Boyce, is to be nominated. Ralph Smith, the Opposition candidate in the North Nanaimo district, proposes giving a series of lectures in the various sections of the constituency on labor questions.

George Maclachlan, a wealthy young Scotchman engaged in ranching on Lasquita is laind, is believed to have been drowned be a sealing vessel is found within the area of the award, during the period of time in which fur seal fishing, whether she has been engaged in fur seal fishing, whether she was carried there by stress of weather, by a mistake during foggy or thick weather, or is there in the ordinary course of navigation making the best of her way to any place.

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ACME NEWS

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thrown out. Mr. Mathews, a wealthy San Francisco wine merchant, was badly injured. The rest, including two ladies, escaped with slight injuries.

Charles Dempster, auctioneer, this aftermon obtained judgment against George Johnston for \$275 damages for personal injuries. Some time ago Johnston was out riding and ran into Mr. Dempster, the result of recent development work in the being that the latter was badly injured.

KASLO

(From the Times.)

As the result of recent development work in a rich strike of high grade ore has been made on the Hillside claim in Jackson basin. The local superintendent at the Idaho mite, "Dick" Shes, announces another rich strike of high grade ore has been made on the Hillside claim in Jackson basin. The local superintendent at the Idaho mite, "Dick" Shes, announces another rich strike and promising indications in that valuable property belonging to G. J. Akkins & Co.

In the Lincoln more than seven feet of galens and carbonates are in sight on the upper showing. Work is being actively prosecuted and 300 feet of tunnel have already been run. Capitain Moore and W. J. Humphreys have the claim bonded.

The Canadian Pacific Mining and Milling Company of Minespolis, of which Mr. Westby is vice-president and manager is preparing for active work on its gold property on Woodberry creek, three miles to recount 300 feet of tunnel seven feet by mine feet. In the meantime the necessary machinery will be erected and steam drills will be introduced for the continuance of the work.

The St. Paul and Minespolis syndicate which bonded a group of mines on Goat fiver from Frank Fitch, John O'Netl and John Fritob, is meeting with gravifying snoeses in its development work. Aversge over from the President has assayed 50 per cent. of copper, \$15 in gold and \$7 in silver to the one. From the Selkirk ore has assayed 60 complex to the Creamant of the

ing of the Western Central labor union a communication was received from the miners' executive committee, relative to the condition of affairs at Roslyn. It stated

condition of affairs at Roslyn. It stated that the Northern Pacific coal company posted notices for a 20 per cent reduction. The men offered to meet the company half way and accept a 10 per cent reduction, although the mine has not worked more than 19 days per month since the beginning of the year. The company, it is alleged, refused to agree to such a compromise, but insisted that it must be 20 per cent. or nothing, and the siternative was given of accepting the reduction unconditionally or "bringing out the tools." This, it is claimed, is therefore a lock-out and not a strike.

"Workingmen and minere," reads the communication, "are carnestly requested not to come to Roslyn under any pretext until the trouble is settled. Wages since the 1st of January have not averaged more than \$25 to \$30 per month, and this is a battle for justice. The men are peaceable and desirous of going to work, but, taking advantage of the present industrial depression, the Northern Pacific coal company has unjustly undertaken to inflict this iniquitous hardship on the men, and it is to be hoped that all true men will give us their moral support and aid us by staying away from this camp until the final termination of this question."

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Haslam and Corbould have been urging the government not to tout the tariff on shingles would remain as heretofors.

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WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

WINNIPEG, May 17. — Special.) — John Richardson, aged 25, a resident of Brandon, was killed by falling from a C.P.R. gravel

HOT WATER IN COLORADO.

DENVER, May 17.—Governor Waite has Annual Inspection of British Soldiers by Queen Victoria at Aldershott. passed upon the charges preferred against Penitentiary Commissioners Chamberlin, Boettcher and Reynolds. The verdict is Twelve Thousand Men Marched Past
Under Command of Duke of
Connaught.

London, May 17.—The Queen, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Cambridge, journeyed to Aldershott this afternoon to witness the annual review of the troops on Laffan's Plain. They were received with appropriate ceremony, by Generals Sir Redvers H. Buller, Sir Henry Evelyn Wood and Sir Francis Wallace Grenfel. The weather was superb and the evolutions of the troops perfect. Twelve thousand troops, under command of His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, marched past

CAPITAL NOTES.

Further Tariff Changes—A Case for the Privileges and Elections Committee.

under command of His Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, marched past
the reviewing stand. The Horse Artiliery
came first and in the order named,
followed the Cavalry, Militis and
Marines. Afterwards the infantry brigade marched in column and the
mounted troops, and the cavalry galloped
past the reviewing stand. The lines were
then formed, and the troops advanced in
front of Her Majesty, review order, and gave
the Royal salute. The Queen presented
the Queen's cup to the Warwick regiment,
the winners of the inter-regimental shoot:
ing match of 1893.

COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

London, May 17.—A dispatch from Cape Town says that Natal has declined to send a representative to the Ottawa colonial con-ference, owing to the shortness of the notice.

train to-day.

The locomotive engineers in convention at St. Paul have declined an invitation by the Northern Pacific for a trip to Winnipeg.

David Matheson, of Springfield, sustained cerious injuries by the explosion of a carticle while loading his gun.

ELORA, May 17.—On Monday last William G. Repwood, merchant of that place, was held up and robbed of \$160 by three men, who afterwards blindfolded him and took him to a swamp near Stratford, where they stripped him and left him nearly unriches while loading his gun.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Grand Trunk Shops to Close Down on A Well-to do Rancher Drowned—Seri-Account of the Coal ously Injured by an Electric

Decorating Sir John Macdonald's Tomb Bishop Sillitoe—New Paper at West-—Methodist Conference—Ex-minster—Latest From the tensive Fire.

MONTREAL, May 17.—(Special)—To-mor-row all the shops on the Grand Trunk Rafi-way in Canada, without exception, are to be closed down owing to the coal famine. The closed down owing to the coal famine. The close down may last ten days or three weeks, as both passenger and freight traffic will be curtailed as much as possible. There will be nothing done on new work, and the working staff of the engineering department will all cease work. In Montreal alone fully 1700 men are affected by the change.

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Hon. Peter Mitchell has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to leave for a trip to Miramichi, N.B., this week. He proposes remaining in his native province for several weeks.

Hon. Mr. Laurier has been invited to be present and speak at a convention of French Canadian societies at Marlborough, Mass., in June.

the Legislative Connoil. At the last general election he was returned to the House of Commons, where he has since occupied a seat.

Clothing apparel of every description, composed wholly or in part of wool, worsted, the hair of the almost goat or other like animal, not elsewhere specified, 5 cents per pound and 30 per cent. Shirts, not elsewhere specified, 5 cents per pound and 30 per cent. Shirts, not elsewhere specified, 5 cents per pound and 30 per cent. Window asshes in the piece or cut and hemmed, 35 per cent, but not less than 1 cents per square yard; enamelled floor, stair, shelf and table olicloth, cork matting or carpet and lindeum, 30 per cent, but not less than 1 cents per square yard.

A Trent Canal deputation, five hundred strong, were to-day promised that work would be prosecuted as fast as a possible.

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A German named Musellen has confessed the explosion of a bomb at the caused the explosion of a bomb at the residence of Dr. Dilinson, in Paris, May 3.

The Pope has determined to put an end to a morting on the former charge already published. Mr. Justice Drake asid he would send a written decision to the register from Victoria. Lawyer Plavis moved for the commitment of the propertist intervention.

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Anachish Hauri to be guillotized. Henri will not, it is seat in the City Connell and will ontinue in office for the remainder of the years of the keepers of Peakow forces, Russis, was tortured to death by passants for informing of their theirs of wood. His bongue was torn out.

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WATHINGTON, D.C., May I?.—In view of Attorney-Connell Olary opinion on the landing of Chinese merchants rendered yes tarday, Assistant Scorecary Hamlin has telegraphed to the collector of containment is advised to the collector of containment is advised to the collector of containment is advised that forty Chinese merchants are now on a visial and provided price to November 5 last, with the intention, and if satisfied of the identity as above, and if satisfied to the collector of contained and former residents are who departs to the morning. Have a careful examination of the morning. Have a careful examination of the policy of the Corper, 815 in 1901.

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JOHN BULL THREATENED.

Senator Cabot Lodge deserves credit for originality, if for nothing else. Disgusted with the blindness and the obstinacy of the British nation in not playing into the hands

Except that when not in contravention of any existing treaty any article made dutiable in the following sections shall, if it is the product or manufacture of Great Britain, pay a duty double that herein imposed; and any article upon the free list in the preceding section shall, if the product or manufacture of Great Britain or any of the colonies of Great Britain, pay a duty of 35 per centum ad valorem, and such additional and discriminating duties shall remain in force until Great Britain shall assent to and take part in an international agreement together with the United States, for the coinage and use of silver, and shall cease whenever Great Britain shall assent to and take part in such international agreement for the coinage of silver.

The Senate not being composed of lunatics rejected this very peculiar resolution. Some of them perhaps thought that such an addition to the tariff bill might, if it became law, exhaust the patience and the forbearance of even British free traders, and cause them in retaliation to exclude American farm produots from the British market. Deprived of that market the American farmer would be in a far worse state than he is now. British gold has for many years kept him from becoming bankrupt. He must see that he would be very stupid indeed to stop the supply of British gold in order to put more American silver in circulation. This crazy resolution of Senator Lodge has nothing whatever to do with the rational bimetallism of the bimetallists of either the United States or Great Britain, or any other country. It is, in fact, the wild theories of silver men like Lodge that make bi-metal-situte, and then because of that refusal to lism uppopular among business men even in the United States. They see if such wild perhaps, be considered humor of a very bad financiers as he were allowed to play tricks with the currency business, the States would soon be in a most deplorable condition. The Silver Senator must have very little knowledge of the British character, when he thinks that the people of Great Britain can be coerced into accepting bimetallism or anything else. John Bull, in all matters connected with trade, is exceed-ingly liberal, and perhaps a little too goodnatured, but it would be hardly safe for the

that road. There was nothing that we could of taking means to make the "General" see very funny about this report as far as obey the laws of the State he begged the either the people or the Government were railroad companies to transport the army concerned. British Columbians would think into Illinois or some other State. In a letit no fun to be cheated out of two or three ter to the General Manager of the Iowa Cenhundred thousand dollars by scheming trail he wrote in this strain: "General Kelspeculators with the connivance of the men with whom they had entrusted the management of their public affairs. It is easy to disband or march Eastward across the State, see that the Government saw nothing to either of which would be a calamity laugh at in the story so freely circulated to the people of Iows. He, therefore, that the Nakusp and Slocan arrangement appealed to the manager to help was not "straight" and that they, or some him by furnishing free transportation to a of them, had helped the contractors to rob point on the Mississippi where a boat would the people.

who saw nothing farcical in the reports not comply with this singular request comabout the Nakusp and Slocan Railway "deal." ing from the Governor of a State who ought instead of openly and manfully taxing to protect the railway from the lawlessness of the Government with wrong-doing and the army instead of running to its manager demanding an instant inquiry into the mat. for aid to shirk his duty as head of the State ter, as it was plainly their duty to do if they Executive. There are people in the States believed that the reports were true or were founded on truth, began by a series of questions and slurs and insinuations and taunts

way should feel amused at wit means that were taken to effect their ruin?
Is it to be supposed that they had no regard for their reputations? Does anyone im that they placed no value on their me? - Were they to stand idly by and se hemselves deprived of what all men who than their very lives?

Is it any wonder that they, when the worl

of the silver politicians of the Senate, he attempted to punish it by excluding its goods from the United States until its Government should be converted to American who had been denounced to the name of filching from them their good name had gone on for a long time, demanded an inquiry was there anything particularly laughter moving in these men who had been denounced. bi-metallism. To effect this object he moved the following amendment to the tariff bill:

Except that when not in contravention of ludiorous in the demand for a Royal Con mission. When it was known that Sir Matmission. When it was known that Sir Mat-thew Baillie Begbie, Chief Justice of the Province of British Columbia, and the Hon. George W. Burbidge, Judge of the Ex-chequer Court of the Dominion of Canada, had been appointed Commissioners, no one in the whole country was so idiotic as to imagine that the proceedings in which those dignitaries would take a leading part could with any approach to propriety be called "a farce." Neither can any sane person regard the business of a Commissi posed of able men of high station and unquestioned integrity, appointed to inquire into serious charges preferred against members of a Government of a Province of the Dominion, as farcical.

There was nothing humorous or funny in the way in which the Royal Commi conducted the inquiry. The serious business in which the Commissioners were en-gaged was carried on seriously, and the man

lated to provoke a grim smile in the course sion. To refuse to attend an inquiry which the Government, on account of their accusastigmatize the inquiry as "a farce," may, kind, but it is a sort of humor that will, we think, disgust a great many more than it will amuse. This is the only feature connected with the Royal Commission that anyone, even with an abnormal or a morbid sense of the ludicrous, can see any fun in.

AMBRICAN GOVERNORS.

The people of the different States of the Great Republic elect very peculiar men to the office of Governor. When the Com-It suits the purposes of the Opposition just now to try to get the people of this Province to believe that the proceedings of the Royal Commission to inquire into matters connected with the Nakusp and Slocan Railway were "a farce." It will be, per-Railway were "a farce." It will be, per-land might take care of them." The Gov. haps, not unprofitable to enter into a short ernor of Kansas, as we have seen, did what haps, not unprofitable to enter into a short inquiry in order to see where the element of the ludicrous enters into those proceedings, the ludicrous enters into those proceedings, and that the Governor of Colorado tempt which the Opposition made in the Legislature and out of it to lead the people of this Province to believe that they were being cheated under the arrange-ment made by the Government with sadly demoralized when he found his State the company which had undertaken to build a company which had undertaken to the company which had undertaken to this administration of the accurately illustrated by the future of the British Empire be waiting to transfer them down the river." When the Legislature met, the Opposition, It is cheering to hear that the manager did who do not hesitate to expose and rebuke

sider it good fun, but if they should happen to be successful it would be death to the Premier and his colleagues. What those men were every day trying to make the people of British Columbia, and indeed the whole Dousinion, believe was that the members of the men who have proved their incompetency.

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The tramp politicians are not, we find, as a constant of the const ment, but by cunning underhand and indirect means. Is it to be expected that the men whose characters were attacked in this men whose characters were atta

In the country who has the good of the laboring man more at heart than I have, and I have made it my business to go into shop all along the route on the march to Washington City and see what the workingmen really thought on the subject. Without exception they ridiouled it, and I did not find a single respectable workman who would have thought for an instant of leaving his place, however poor it might have seen, to join in such a demonstration.

A SERIOUS OFFENCE.

How is it that the News-Advertiser has at one of the sittings of the Royal Commission that a warrant for an open amount had been bassed for the expenses of the Commis-

words within quotation marks that were denied by the advocates of disestablishmen in such a report, and it committed a forgery It was, we are told, admitted within quotation marks.

CANADA'S MISSION.

The attention of the people of Great ent of Canada. We are not surprised to ernment and in the arts and industries of sufficient importance to be transmitted conformist churches, as nearly as

has tended more than anything else to a peaceful settlement by arbitration of questions which, under less favorable conditions, might have proved intractable to ditions, might have proved intractable to diplomacy. It is not, perhaps, altogether fanciful to surmise the beneficent results achieved in this direction. Possibly they will be the germ of future developments almost too vast and far reaching for the political imagination of living men to conceive. What may be the future of Canada's relations to the United Strates on these relations to the United States, on the one hand, and to Great Britain on the other, no man can yet say; but none can doubt that the problem here propounded is big with the fate of untold generations.

Very few in Canada who are trying to surmount the difficulties that lie before them as best they may, and to solve the problems that one after the other present themselves, have any idea of the importance of the work they are doing or how much depends on their of the maze in which the thinkers and the workers of the older countries seem to be tions and slurs and instinuations and taunts and suggestions and other indirect ways, to try to create an impression on the public mind that there was something very "fishy" about the Nakuapand Slocan business. Their mode of procedure was not funny at all. The attempt of members of the Opposition to hist away the characters of the members of the Government had in it as listle as possible of the humorous. The sud which the than farefeal. It was easily seen that if the people of the Province could be led to believe that the mem who were attacking the Government had truth on their side, its members were ruined and disgraced politically and socially. Their assailants might enjoy the work they were doing and consider is good fun, but if they should happen to be successful it would be death to the Premier and his colleagues. What those just now hopelessly wandering, we will do the whole world a service the value of which

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sion. It does not appear at present that anything can avert it, and there are very many both in Great Britain and America who are of opinion that it is a change that ought not to be averted. It is being proved many English-speaking countries the the connection between Church and State is not by any means essential to the existence or the progress of religion in a nation.

It has been shown in this Dominion and said nothing in explanation or extenuation of the forgery it committed on Sunday last? The offence is a very serious one. This is how it was committed. Commenting upon a statement made by the Attorney-General detrimental to the cause of religion or detrimental to the cause of religion or even as injurious to the interests of that

sion that a warrant for an epen amount had been passed for the expenses of the Commission, our contemporary proceeded to say:

Now people will be glad if Mr. Davie will explain what has caused the complete disappe of front on the part of the Government for the report of the proceedings of the House, when the proposal of the Royat Commission was under discussion, we find that in answer to a question from the Opposition at the world will be yearned to the church of the majest of the form of the discussion was under discussion, we find that in answer to a question from the Opposition at the world will be proceeding of the country. It is not, however, as for the report of the flower than those for the dependent of the Church of England. The opposition is to whether and the world which he places within quotation marks in the report of the proceedings of the House, or the defense of the Church of England, that that Church is gaining ground in the country year, that virulent opposition is the proposition of the country of the proceedings of the House, when the proposal of the country of the proceeding of the country. It is not, however, as follows:

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The collection of the country time to find the measure of the contest of the country time to find the measure of the contest of the honors will be House and the treatment of the honors of the Government. Mr. Davie replied, "not one dellar," and he then proceedings of the House, and the them proved the proceedings of the House, and the them proved the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of the proceedings of the House, and the treatment of th who can discover the faintest scintills of humor in the Report of the Commission the document purported to be quoted the thirty-four members who were at the would be able to extract sunbeams from from, is neither more nor less last general election returned for Wales than forgery. The words are not in any report of the proceedings of the House, and the hilt to vote for the severance of the they were never uttered. The Advertiser Church and State in Wales. This, it must which the accusers of the Government have said what was not true when it led its readbe admitted, shows an extraordinary unaniers to believe that the words were to be found mity in favor of disestablishment. when it placed the words of its own inditing by the leader of the Conservative party that the election in Wales turned almost exclusively upon the Church ques-

> An analysis of the Welsh vote shows that Britain has of late years been directed in a the majority in favor of disestablishment. peculiar manner to the growth and develop- though not nearly so great as is shown by the number of members returned, is still a find that thinking men in that country are very large one. The Conservative vote becoming deeply interested in the progress which was opposed to disestablishment nummade by this young community in self-gov- bered 144,382, while the Liberal vote was 234,621. This gives a majority of 90,239 which make for social advancement and ma. out of a total vote of 379,003. This it will terial prosperity. Canadians are really have to be allowed is a very considerable

of the congregations of the denomination is 290,788, and that the Sunday school scholars and teachers number 192,806.

When the above figures are taken into consideration it is, we think, pretty safe to conclude that the Church of England is the church of the minority in the Principality of Wales and the County of Monmouthabire. If, as is alleged, the people, both English-speaking and Welsh-speaking, are disposed to return to the Anglican Church, disestablishment would, it might be supposed, rather strengthen that tendency than weaken it. When all churches are on a perfect level in that country the prejudice against the Episcopal Church will be no doubt greatly weakened, and those who are laboring to increase its members and strengthen its influence will find many of their difficulties disappear. Those who believe that religion does not need the orntch success or their failure. If we in this New of State aid to support it will not be by any World are happy enough to find a way out Wales is disestablished.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

WE regret to learn that Mr. Horne has retired from the contest in Vancouver. He represented that city in the Legislature for four years faithfully, and he has done it good service. We believe that the time will come, and that, too, before very long, when Mr. Herne's rein that Mr. Horne's rein that Mr. Herne's rein that Mr. Horne's rein that Mr. Herne's rein that Mr. Herne WE regret to learn that Mr. Horne has Mr. Horne's services will be much better appreciated by the electors of Vancouver than they are to-day. An intelligent and persistent worker makes a far better representative of a city or district than a wily intriguer or a windy orater.

Beilef in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "Great Sour" AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remed is a great surprise and delight on account of it exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passin it almost immediately. Sold in Victoria in E. Camphall.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Cast When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

OUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

The disestablishment of the church in Finance Committee Meet and Make Appropriations for the Varions Events.

> The Programme of Sports and Games Mapped Out and Prizes Arranged.

The preparations for the Queen's Birthday are going ahead in good shape, but as only a short time remains to get everything in readiness the various committees have considerable work in front of them yet. That a goodly number of visitors will comseems well assured. In addition to excur-Church, may live to find themselves very visitors expected from the Mainland, news

\$250; illuminations, \$300; yachting, \$450; regatta, \$1,000; sundries, \$200; sports and games, \$600. This represents the money so far collected, but a resolution was passed that should further contributions allow it \$100 would be added to the appropriations for experts and games. for sports and games.

The sports and games committee met at the city hall at 8 o'clock last evening, a large number of members being present. The ohief business was the arrangement of the programme of field sports. Before proceeding to business, the secretary was requested to deny a report which had been circulated to the effect that the sports and games committee of last year had spent a large amount of money in refreshments at Beacon hill, and to state to the public that the total expenditure outside of prizes was, including express hire and labor, less than \$10.

A number of inquiries from clubs and in-dividuals regarding the different sporting events were read and the secretary was in-

events were read and the secretary was instructed to reply.

The finance committee's report, allotting \$600 to sports and games, was laid on the table.

Mr. Gouge reported that the Seattle baseball club would play here if an appropriation of \$125 was granted for expenses. Mr. G. McCann stated that the Seattle association football club had signified their desire to play here for the championship of the Pacific Coast, they now being champions of Washington, and the Wanderers of Victoria champions of B. C. Mr. Watson stated that the Port Angeles fire department would send a hose team to compete in firemen's races should there be any. These reports were laid on the table.

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The following appropriations were made:
Baseball \$125; i gun clubs \$600; football \$100; athletic sports \$150; bicycle races \$100. rifle match \$25; in all \$600.

relies. Rules of C. A. A. to govern all amateur events.
Starter—J. Braden. Judges. W. Lorrimer and W. K. Tulloch.
3:30 p. m.—Bioycle races—To be arranged by Biovole club.
3:30 p. m.—Northfield Junior Association football club v. Victoria Juniors.

Rifle match for Victoria challenge trophy.

3 p. m.—Lacrosse— Vancouver v. Victoria, at laledonia grounds. Admission, 50c; ladies, 25c,

The chairmen of the sports and games and finance committees were appointed to act with the secretary in selecting prizes.

MENDELSSOHN AND HAVDN.

A Fine Performance at the Metropolita. Church of Selections From These Great Masters.

was prettly decorated for the occasion by Mrs. Drury, the talented organist of the church."

The first item on the programme was "Hear My Prayer," solo for soprano with dhorus. This solo was ably sung by Miss Nellie Devereux, who is rapidly becoming one of Victoria's favorite vocalists. Her stuging of this difficult solo was admired by all present, as evend by the applause at the close of the rumber.

The sole, "Otter the wings of a dove," being the second half of the cantata, was very sympathetically sung by Miss Wey. Her voice is of the light soprano variety and well suited to this work. Mr. J. E. Bridgman presided at the organ.

Mr. Ernest Wolff, L. C. M., was down for a solo on the violin, but was prevented by an accident from playing.

The selections from the Creation were then entered upon. The organ prelude, "Representation of Chaos," was very well and even powerfully played by the organist of the church, Mrs. Drury. Miss Jameson sang all the soprano music of the oratorio with the exception of the final trio, in which Miss Wey appeared. Her singing of "The Marvellous Work" was a surprise to many, holding, as she did, the high "C" with the greatest of ease. She also sang "With Verdure Clad" is a manner which betokened greatest of ease. She also sang "With Verdure Clad" in a manner which betokened

great study on her part.

Mr. Algernon S. Aspland sang all the tenor music of the evening, the opening solo

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"Now Vanish Before the Holy Beams," being admirably suited to his voice. The ohef doeuvre of the tenor part "In Native Worth" was well taken, though a difficult feature of the production. This soloist's voice is rapidly and justly becoming very popular in Victoria.

Mr. J. G. Brown sang the baritone solo, "Rolling in Foaming Billows," with great care and much expression, the various recitations which fell to his part all receiving good treatment.

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Mr. Edgar Buck, besides presiding with the baton, sang the solo "Now Heaven in fullest glory shone," in his usual dramatic style. He shewed by his treatment of this number that he was perfectly at home in the

The choruses were all rendered in capital time and expression, "The Heavens are Telling," being undoubtedly the finest thing of the evening

During a pause in the performance Prof. Buck, in the absence of Rev. Solomon Cleaver, informed the audience that the performance would be repeated on Tuesday next. The price of admission will be 25c., two children admitted on one ticket.

of the finance committee and the secretary, will act as a committee to select prizes.

Mr. Haddon, chief boatswain of H. M. Dockyard, was added to the regatta committee.
Salling races for canoes will start on Saturday, May 26, at 10 a.m., from the canoe club boathouse in the fol-

1. Sixteen foot cances and under-course from club house round outer buoy and return—three prizes.
2. Sixteen foot and under, without centreboard—same course—three prizes.

3. Salling and paddling race, open—paddle from club house to first buoy; hoist sail and sall back—two prizes.

4. Open race—Same course as No. 1.

All races except No. 4 under A.C.A. rules.
Mr. Seeley was appointed measurer of
boats at the regatta. The committee meet
again Monday evening to consider the

The firemen are practicing hard for the hose reel races, which will be conducted on Yates street, between Blanchard and Douglas. The events are as follows:

9 a.m.—Wet stest—Teams of twelve men including captain. Run 500 feet to hydrant, lay 200 feet hose, break and put on nozele, time to be taken when water leaves nozzle. Il a.m.—Speed race—300 yards straight away, hub and hub. Races to be governed by N. W. F. A. rules.

BRITISH COLUMBIA HOPS.

From the Western World, Winnipeg.)

The shipments of British Columbia hops to England during the past season have proved very satisfactory. Messrs. Normand Co., a leading produce firm in London, say that subject to their flavor, which is similar to East Kents, being maintained, they are to be preferred to any that are imported and would carry all before them. The maintenance of this quality is of the ntimest importance, to the hop industry of the Pacific Province and on its being successfully kept up depends the future of the trade. Methods of cultivation are, of course, of considerable importance, but the chief thing is the drying of the hops after they are picked. First in importance is the construction of suitable kilne or oast houses, then the employment of experienced dryers. Incompetent dryers may at the outset give British Columbia hops a bad name in England from which it will take them years to recover, and the editor, who spent his saylydays in the hop dis (From the Western World, Winnipeg.) take them years to recover, and the editor, who spent his early days in the hop disricts of Herefordshire and Kent and who knows whereof he speaks on this matter, would urge the importation of dryers, if necessary, from Ecgland. British Columbia op growers will make a great mistake if they go south of the internation for points on hop drying. California hops, as is well known, have an unsatisfactory flavor, as they cannot be brewed alone, but have to be blended with other growths. There is every reason to believe that British Columbia can produce hops of satisfactory flavory which should fetch much larger prices in Eogland than Californians.

Admiral da Gama, who started for Lon-Admiral da Gama, who started for London, has changed his plans and returned to Montevideo. President Peixoto has protested to the Urnguayan government against their longer sheltering the rebels.

The Vossische Zeitung asserts that the Possische American agarett session.

Bavarian upper house in secret session have decided to depose the insane King Otto in favor of his uncle, Prince Leutpold, at present acting as regent.

Only the Scars Remain.

"Among the many testimonials which I see in regard to certain medicines performing cures, cleansing the blood, etc.," writes HENRY HUDSON, of the James Smith Woolen Machinery Co., Philadelphia, Pa., "none impress me more than my



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own case. Twenty year ago, at the age of 18 years, I had swellings come on my legs, which broke and became running sores. Our family physician could do me no good, and it was feared that the bones would be affected. At last, my good old mother Sarsaparilla. I took three bottles, the sores healed, and I have not been troubled since. Only the Ayer's Sarsaparilla has done me. I now weigh two hundred and twenty pounds, and

am in the best of health. I have been on the road for the past twelve years, have noticed Ayer's Sarsaparilla advertised in all parts of the United States, and always take pleasure in telling what good it did for me." For the cure of all diseases originating in

impure blood, the best remedy is

AYER'S Sarsaparilla Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Cures others, will cure you CABLE N

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LONDON, May 18 .- Inte

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WILLIAMS, Cal, May 17 .- M Decke., the woman supposed to murdered with her babe 27 years George Decker, of Yreka, who custody on suspicion of having the orime, is alleged to be aliv living near here as the wife of a r
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Mrs. Decker's brother, is now on
Yreka to testify before the grand
the truth of these allegations

TACOMA, May 17 .- The first a gress of the Salvation Army, No gress of the Salvation Army, No division, met here yesterday an main in e-ssion until Saturday, dred soldiers and forty officers a from towns throughout the North division comprising Washington Idaho and Mentana. The annual Division Commander Morton r following results of the last year these states: 676 conversions, members, over 20,000 meals suppli unemployed. In all 3,954 corps and 2,513 open air meetings have there are forty-five officers in this New York. May 17.—Storms

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CABLE NEWS.

Increasing Interest in the Meeting of Colonial Delegates-Pacific Cable Centroversy.

Murderess Maybrick's Case Up Again Obstacle to a European Disarmament—Anarchists' Sentences.

London, May 18.—Interest in the coming conference of imperial and colonial delegates at Ottawa is greatly on the increase here

Washington, May 19.—The Navy department has received the following dispatch from Capt. Watson, commanding the San Francisco at Bluefields: "Arguela escaped May 9. I send this by steamer to New Orleans." No mention is made of the arrival of the British cruiser Magicienne and the restoration of the Moequito chief, Clarence. It is learned at the State department that it was deemed desirable to have Consul Braida taken away from Bluefields and returned to his post at Greytown, thus leaving the American naval officers wholly responsible for the settlement of the Mosquito question.

TORONTO TOPICS.

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TORONTO, May 18 -Dr. Bryce o' the Pro TORONTO, May 18 — Dr. Bryce of the Provincial Board of Health has issued a circular urging increased vigilance on the part of the health officers of Ontario in view of the epidemic of smallpox in the Western states.

John Coulter, a farmer of Bolton village, stopped at the Kerby house in this city. On retiring to bed he blew out the gas and was found dead in the morning.

Conservatives of South Toronto have nominated Cliver A. Howland, barrister, for the Legislature.

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The North Toronto P.P.A., have decided not to run a candidate in that division.

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STORMS IN OHIO,

Terrible Devastation Houses, Barns, Apprehension as to the Missing Ranch-Fences and Trees Swept With Resistless Force.

Numerous Lives Lost-Startling Fx periences-An Entire Family Killed in the Casualty.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

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Vancouver Rifle Range Provided For-South Nanalmo Oppositionists Disagree.

(Special to the Colonier.)

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(From the News.)

W. C. Pound, taxidermist, has received from C. A. R. Lambly a magnificent skin of a mountain lion, brought from Osoyoos, where these animals are unusually plentifu

G. D. Rand says he has the bridge and railway all right now, the necessary fundhaving been raised in Westminster. If this proves correct, he will probably be allowed by the city to go shead under the William Johnson, one of the oldest rest and the control of the province, is lying at the Gordon or Freeiner Davic. On the oldest rest cents of Westminster and widely known throughout the province, is lying at the point of death.

J. C. Brown, M. P. P., was presented with a complimentary address by his constituents to-night in the opera house. Mr. Brown gave an account of his stewardship, and other speakers addressed the meeting.

The gold watch stolen from the dressing room of the X. M.C.A. a few nights ago was the constituents of the const

Thompson, was knocked senselses, but revovered.

ORILITA, May 19—Henry Mills has been discovered in Lake Couchidning by the upinesting of his skiff.

A compiracy to overthrow the Servian account of the U.P.R. for the week ending May 14 were \$31,000; for the same week last year they were \$37,000.

Kinescon, May 19.—The Conservatives of Frontenne have nominated J. L. Gallagher, of Harrowsmith, for the legislature.

ORILITA, May 19.—The Conservatives of the Servian of Frontenne have nominated J. D. Moore to the legislature, and Livadle yesterday. Many buildings were destroyed, but as yet no loss of life has on Taxeswares, May 19.—The Conservatives of Leeds have nominated Walter Beauty for the Legislature.

The monitoring of the stream week discovered a plot to explain the common of the stream of the sense week discovered as the sense of W. R. Thompson was struck by lighting a violent thunderstorm early this morning, and destroyed. The loss is \$3,000; insured for \$1,500.

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POSSIBLE DIRE CALAMITY.

Grand Trunk Workshops in Montreal Closed on Account of the Coal Strike.

The American Miners Have Resolved to Continue the Fight-General

where these animals are unusually plentiful this year. The skin measures over eight feet and a half from tip to tip.

The steamer Aberdeen, with Mr. Van Horne's party aboard, made the run to Pentioton on Friday in four hours and eighteen minutes.

On Thursday Cargill & Co., of Armstrong, submitted an offer to the Vancouver city council to erect a 300-barrel grist mill in that city. Their offer was favorably entertained, the matter of bonus being left in the hands of a committee.

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WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

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WINNIPEG May 18.—(Special.)—An Edmonton dispatch says that Sheppard, who is murdered May Buchanan in December last, has been found guilty of manslaughter by a jury and sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Rouleau.

The stables and stock on the farm of Dr. Dame, at St. Charles, have been destroyed by fire. The loss is about \$5,000, insured in the Northwest Co.

W. A. Fistoher narrowly escaped death on Thursday by drinking in mistake a liquid substance which he supposed was water, but which was proved to be acid.

The Queen's hotel, one of the oldest hostelries in the city, has been compelled to close.

POLITICS IN VANCOUVER.

Large and Rousing Gathering of Friends of the Ministry at the Terminal City.

Public Questions Discussed by Candidates and Others—Most Encouraging Prospects.

(Special to the Colonist)

VANCOUVER, May 19.—A very large number of citizens attended the usual Saturday night meeting of the Government supporters. A warmly worded resolution of thanks was unanimously passed to Mr. Horne fer his faithful stewardship as representative of Vancouver for the past four.

out. The coal company was advised in time and warned the men not to work.

WILKEBARRE, May 19.—An armed guard has been placed around the Keystone mine at Parsons, ten miles from this place, where a strike is in progress. The strikers have cut the telephone wires to the city and trouble is feared.

London, May 16.-Rio advices say the Brazilian government forces under the command of Generals Juco and Tigre have been defeated by the insurgents near Iquazu. The federals had 140 killed.

A London paper which has been gleaning the ideas of a number of people has elicited the opinion of the Duke of Fife, who ex-presses himself as in favor of infusing the popular element into the upper house with-out breaking the historic continuity of that

DYSPEPSIA CURED 3.3.3



MR. GEO. READ.

Read the Proof.

DEAR SIRS.—I write you to say that for some ime I had been suffering from scute indiges iton or dyspepsia, and of course felt very grean and of course felt very grean convenience from same in my general busiess. I thereupon decided to try Burdoel Blood Bitters, and after taking two bottles I found I was quite another man, for B. B. B. entirely cured me. I have also used it for my wife and family and have found it the best thin they can take, and from past experience I have every pleasure in strongly recommending B.B.

every pleasure in strongly recommending B.B. to all my friends.

I write you because I think that it should be generally known what B.B. Can accomplish in cases of indigestion.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1894.

THE JUBILEE HOSPITAL. Now that the City has come to the read of the Jubilee Hospital it is sincerely to be hoped that its affairs will be so managed that another crisis like that through which type as a "farce. the institution has just passed will be avoided in the future. It should be remembered that the Hospital is now as far as ever from being independent of the support of the benevolent. It has no certain source of in- him than "calling names." come. The continuation of the grant from the Legislature may, we presume, be depended upon with some degree of certainty. The Corporation will no doubt in few weeks. The opposition to the Mowat

ROSEBERY'S DIFFICULTIES.

promising than the city of Victoria. The

initial difficulties have been happily sur-

mounted and all that is now required to be

done is to keep the institution in good run-

ning order. The way to do it is plain

and we are quite sure that the will is not

Lord Resebery is feeling the inconvenience and the anxiety of being the leader of a views and interests of its own independent of the others. A few days ago it was the make the election interesting. The battle, Parnellite faction that gave him trouble. To-day it is the Welsh faction that threatens its bidding. To-morrow the anti-Parnellites may threaten defection, and the day after the English Liberals, sick of being dictated to and knocked about by their Irish and Welsh allies may intimate to him that they do not propose to put up with such treatment any longer, and that the sooner he appeals to the country and ends the present certainty the better they will be pleased.

The revolt of the Welsh has not been altogether unexpected. They have been suspicious and discontented for some time. They were impatient of the Government's delay in bringing down the Welsh Disestablishment measure, and they were afraid that the bill, when it would be brought down, would not meet their expectations. Mr. Lloyd-George and his asso-

They are not prepared to accept any cheme that may be offered, and unless their

upright Judges in the Domin-found that the accusations of Opposition with respect to the railroad of that name were utterly groundless, and that the arrangement made by the Government is far better than the one it union, and who knows that that union may superseded, and the Times demolishes the ion by setting it down in very big

This habit of the organ of the Opposition is childish in the extreme. Even manly schoolboys despise the booby who has no other way of retaliating on those whe offend

THE ONTARIO SITUATION.

There is to be an election in Ontario in a the future do more for the Hospital than it Government appears to be somewhat mixed has done in the past, and we trust that it and difficult to deal with. The two old will be so conducted that the revenue from parties, Conservative and Reform, are not those who take an interest in the institution they used to be. New issues are being must calculate that if it is to flourish and to raised and new parties are being formed. maintain its prestige the Government grant, The good people of Ontario are trying to the Corporation grant and the revenue from raise a religious issue. Why they should do paying patients must be supplemented by so is extremely difficult to understand liberal donations from the public. Subscrip- Some of them, however, imagine that the tions must be systematically solicited. The Protestant religion is in some kind of danger, public is kind and at times even generous, and they have formed a Protestant Pro but it needs to be reminded of the claims tective Association, which it is said will upon it. It very seldom acts in the maintenace of even the most necessary of relation of parties during the coming concharitable institutions spontaneously. The test. The Toronto Mail appears to be the directorate of the Hospital, if they desire it to be liberally maintained, must not demake religion a factor in the politics of the pend upon fibrul or spasmodic charity. They Province. Where the difficulty is, or what should have a revenue producing organizathe danger apprehended consists of, it is Ald. Keary, president of the association, tion which would work continuously and very hard for an outsider to understand. with the regularity of clock-work. There The Patrons of Industry are becoming poliare men and women in the Province who, tically powerful. They have already car- of the leading citizens. if they were appealed to in the right way, ried elections in the Province, but what the would gladly engage in the work of helping Patrons want that cannot be obtained by to keep the Jubilee Hospital in a state of the old party organizations does not appear high efficiency. All that is wanted is zeal very clear. Prohibition, too, is in some and a fair amount of administrative ability, way to be made to do duty for the politiand the Hospital can be made sure of a cians of the different parties. It is genersteady and sufficient revenue. Hospitals ally believed in the other provinces that are liberally supported in places far less the question of prohibition is outside the sphere of local politics, but the people of Ontario do not regard this as a settled ques-

It may happen after all that when the contest begins, it will be fought out pretty much on the old lines. The people of Ontario have always been keen politicians, and it will be difficult for them to erase the old party lines, to forget the old party traditions, and to abandon the old party organizations. It does not apparty composed of factions each having pear just now that there is any question in local politics of sufficient importance to after all, seems to be between the Ins and the Outs, and the new questions appear to to leave him in a minority if he does not do be raised by clever people to give one of these parties an advantage over the other.

A SIGN OF THE TIMES.

If a quarter of a century ago it had bee predicted as one of the results of Confedera tion, which was then in the experimental stage, that there were men living who would hear in a city of Canada at that time not in existence a representative man from the Antipodes advocating a closer union of the parts of the whole Empire, commercial and political, the prophet would be looked upon as an enthusiastic visionary whose dreams could not possibly be realized. It would be asked, as it has been asked, what have Australians and New Zealanders in common with Canadians; and what bond of union can clates of the Young Wales party have been exacting in their demands. We see by the Times of the 27th ult. that:

there possibly be between countries so sneering at you and the young men of New Westminster. Now, while in the article referred to they are disregarding common sense. there possibly be between countries so tween provinces so far apart and existing tion like this is entitled to the greatest re-

ere Pacific. No one in Canada to-day its the progress of the bill such as meets Mr. Lloyd-George's approval. This was the cause of the centre of the control of the control of the control of the centre of the cent

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ODD FELLOWS' ANNIVERSARY.

Indianapolis, May 17.—The greatest event in the history of Indiana, the Odd

WELCOME AT WESTMINSTER.

Premier Davie Has an Enthusiastic Reception From the Young Men's Association.

A Hopeful Sign-"Columbian" Sneers and Opposition Falsehoods Met and Disposed of.

The meeting of the Young Men's Political Association of Westminster on the occasion of Premier Davie's visit on Tuesday night was so large that even standing room was not available before the close of the evening. took the chair, and on the platform with him in addition to the Premier were many The Premier was given a rousing recep-

tion. He thanked the audience for this ur mistakable exhibition of good will and said : The last time I had the honor of addressing you in this hall I referred to the contrast between then and a year ago, and although then I felt fairly confident that by the introduction of good measures there would be brought a solid phalanx to the ranks of stable Government in this Province, yet even in my most sanguine moments did not think I would be surrounded did not think I would be surrounded by such strength as I am now. (Cheers.) In Westminster Mr. Curtis, your late mayor, has come forward; in Vancouver the mayor government candidates will give a good account of themselves. When I see that there is a determination on the part of the electors to frown down chicanery and a desire to uphold the true interests of British Columbia I am gratified beyond measure. In the opposition newspapers, which have seen fit to adopt a policy of untruth, some of ectors to frown down chican the strongest organizations are referred to in

coming to the front. This was particularly drawn to my attention on a recent visit to New York, when I was surprised to find that most of the business of that city was carried on by men not yet forty years of age. Insaying that the time is over when only old men can occupy responsible positions, I am not saying anything to the detriment of those whose experience is always represent the foundation of the second factor of our pastor and his reversed. ment of those whose experience is always valuable, but the young mind is active and more capable of taking charge of things where memory and energy are required, and where the best faculties of the brain can be brought into requisition. Youth is the time when the best results of our whole life can be obtained. The young, therefore, should be always encouraged to take a foremost position in public affairs.

In the Columbian I notice they have been

They are not prepared to accept any scheme that may be offered, and unless their demands are compiled with they may be expected to cause further trouble. In the first place, objection will be raised to any disendowment policy which does not provide for the application of the surplus funds for national purposes, Secondly, any proposal to give a life interest to the olergy will be resisted by the extremists on the ground that such an arrangement would practically amount to a postponement of the disendowment for a generation, whereas it is desired that a term of all allowances. Some difficulty may also arise in connection with the treatment of fabrics, the contention being that these buildings ought to be nationalized despite the fact that they may still be used for episcopal worship upon the payment of a nominal rent.

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From THE DATEY COLONIST, May 18. BISHOP LEMMENS' RETURN.

Hearty Welcome Extended to Him on His Return From Europe.

Address From the Congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral - His Lordship's Reply.

There was a large attendance last evening Fellowship 75th, or diamond anniversary of the order, was celebrated yesterday. The allegorical parade in the afternoon was the most pretentious in the city's history, Fourteen handsome floats, representing the traditions and epochs of the order, led and were followed by 12,000 marchers.

at Institute hall when the congregation of St. Andrew's (Roman Catholic) cathedral formally welcomed home their Bishop after his long absence in Europe. The Bishop entered escorted by Rev. Fathers Nicolave, Van Nevel and Leterme, and by Messrs. McKenna, McTiernan, Burnes, Deasy, Egan at Institute hall when the congregation of McKenna, McTiernan, Burnes, Deasy, Egan and Murphy, members of the reception committee. As he did so the choir sang their welcome - "Tu Es Petrus."

Then the address of welcome, conveying the congregation's congratulations upon His Lordship's safe return, was read by Mr. Murphy in the enforced absence of Mr. A. E. McPhillips, upon whom this duty would otherwise have devolved. The address was as below:

To the Right Rev. J. N. Lemmens, D.D. Bishop of Vancouver Island.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR LORDSHIP-MAY IT PLEASE YOUR LORDSHIP—The congregation of the St. Andrew's cathedral have assembled to greet you, with one voice—a voice of welcome—to congratulate your Lordship upon your safe return and to express our unbounded happiness in having you once more in our midst. Your Lordship's absence has been one of duty and your return to us is also one of duty. His Holiness Leo XIII in accordance with the tradition and precepts of the church expected you at Rome; to that Eternal City your Lordship went.

Lordship went.

Before leaving we wished your Lordship
God-speed, and the prayers of the congrega-God speed, and the prayers of the congrega-tion were with you upon your mission. Al-though your Lordship went to the Supreme Pontiff to perform that mission that your Lordship's high Episcopal office and see re-quired of you, we are not unmindful that on a high mission to the successor of St. Peter, your Lordship carried to the foot of the Pontifical through these words of the Pontifical throne those words of farewell, of love and loyalty to the Holy Father, that we were pleased to be permitted to address to your Lordship prior to your departure. His Holiness Leo XIII has called forth the

admiration of all nations and peoples of the world; his name will pass into history, not only as one of the greatest pontiffs of the church, but as the peace-maker of Europe, demonstrating that as vioar of Christ he has not only concerned himself with the all important affairs of the church, but on proper occasions given the benefit of his admittedly

It is with gladsomeness that we again welcome your Lordship; the love and revthe strongest organizations are referred to in terms of contempt.

My object to-night is to address the young men of this place. It is a hopeful sign of the times to see these bright, honest fellows taking their place in politics, for the day is past when only septuagenarians have a right to take part in such matters, and in all parts of the world young men are coming to the front. This was particularly drawn to my attention on a recent visit to erence we have for your Lordship has been

As a congregation we would be ill-requiting the labors of our pastor and his reverend assistants were we not to refer to their faithful guardianship.

We trust that it may be our pleasure to be delighted with some incidents of recognitions. be delighted with some incidents

to be delighted with some incidents of your travels and audience with His Holiness. We all unite in wishing you long life in the service of the church and that we may always be of your flock. And we humbly pray your Lordship's benediction.

In replying to this expression of the affectionate regard of his parishioners Bishop Lemmens assured all present of his pleasure at being again with those in whose welfare his heart is so much bound up. He promised to accede to the request for a lecture.

On the conclusion of His Lordship's re-On the conclusion of his Lorusnips to marks he passed through the hall, renewing acquaintance with his many friends and parishioners, who thronged forward to shake hands with him. The remainder of the evening was occupied with the following

Musical selections...... The Poche Family

MARGARET, a sprightly klootchi uncertain number of summers, tried to explain in the police court yesterday just how she came into possession of a jug or forbidden joy. The plea of emotional hypnotic contra waves of exterior and entirely uncontrollable impression failed to have the desired mesmeric influence on His Honor. A fine of \$25 was applied as an antidote.

By the courtesy of the U.S. Navy department, the Colonist has received from Washington a copy of the "Behring see award bill" passed by the United States to carry into effect the award of the arbitration tribunal at Paris, together with the orders issued to Commander Clark, U.S.N., commanding the U.S. naval force in Behring

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

sea, and the "Regulations governing ves-selsemployed in fur seal fishing." The effect of these documents has been already published.

MESSES. R. DUNSMUIR & Sons have placed a large order for "mineral wool" for their cold storage establishment with Mr. M. Strouss of this city, who represents the Canadian Mineral Wool Co. of Toronto.

THE Real Estate Loan Company of Can ada, Limited, has been registered under the Companies Act, with a view to engaging in business in this Province. Its head office is at Toronto, and its capital is \$1,600,000.

THE W. C. T. U. held a business meeting in Temperance hall yesterday afternoon, when among other matters taken up was that of arranging to receive Mrs. Phelps, Dominion organizer of the society, who is to visit the city about June 17 in the interests of the temperance of the society.

THE Metropolitan Methodist church Sun day school are the first this year to make arrangements for an annual picnic, which they propose holding on Dominion day at Sidney. The Victoria & Sidney railway Sidney. The Victoria & Sidney raining, will run a number of trains on that day according to a timetable to be published

An order was made in Chambers yester day by Mr. Justice Crease, deputy local judge in Admiralty, granting plaintiff in the case of the ship Vancouver v. the steamer Yosemite further time for filing the preliminary act. Messrs. Belyea & Gregory for plaintiff; Messrs. Bodwell & Irving for defendant.

Ar a meeting of the general committee, held in the vestry of the Reformed Episcopal church last evening, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge announced his intention of accepting an invitation from the congregation under the charge of Rev. Dr. Morgan at Sam Francisco.

The right reversed gentleman will cisco. The right reverend gentleman will leave Victoria in the early part of next month and will probably be away three weeks. Rev. G. C. King will occupy the pulpit during the Biahop's absence. The church under the Reformed Episcopal jurisdiction at San Pransister. diction at San Francisco was but recently organized, but has already a large number of members. Other business of importance was transacted and the meeting adjourned

Among the passengers by the City of Kingston when she sailed for Puget Sound last evening was Lucy Johnston, a young girl of seventeen who is returning to her mother and home in Puyallup, Wn., sadder and wiser grown by reason of her experiences in Victoria. She came here from Seattle looking for work according to her own looking for work, according to her own story, and could get none; her small say-ings were soon gone and she found hereelf a stranger on the streets of a strange city, out enough to pay for a room or brea fast. It was then she met a pretended friend of her own sex, who, pointing ou the difficulties of obtaing employmens and working upon the girl's love for fine dresses and a life of ease, induced her to enter a View street brothel. There she was seen by an officer of the city police a week ago, but he, however, considered that the girl's fate was no concern of his. On Tuesday night the provincial police received an inquiry from the relations of the girl, imploring them to find the child and return her to Puyallup; Officer Hutchinson took the natter up at once and the girl went home

THOMAS V. GILL came before Mr. Justice Crease yesterday afternoon in the Supreme court. This is a case in which the plaintiff, John Thomas of Vancouver, sues Joseph H. Gill and Minnie Gill, his wife, for cancellated address in the near future. One especially noteworthy feature of His Lordship's trip was the interest manifested in his work by the people of his native town and country. Not only did they generously subscribe a sufficient sum of money to send him to Rome and to pay all his expenses home to Victoria, but they also presented to him for the work of his diocese \$5,000, or 30,000 francs, a very much larger sum in Europe than in this "newer world."

On the conclusion of His Lordship's reloan of \$300 for Gill and had deposited his Crown grant as security. Plaintiff was obliged to pay this eff and had loaned another sum of \$750 to defendant, which was also not paid. Plaintiff having asked Gill for security for the \$1,050 was offered a first mortgage on two lots owned by Gill. This plaintiff did, but defendant refused to execute a new mortgage, but sold his lots for ate a new mortgage, but sold his lots for 3,100, promising to pay the difference be-tween that amount and the \$3,650, which was done on the understanding that defend-ant's land had been valued at \$5,000, where-

THE CITY.

A LETTER from New Zealand awaits John Kenny at this office.

H.M.S. BOYAL ARTHUR is expected to arrive in Esquimals on Saturday morning.

At the next meeting of the City Council Mayor Teague will recommend that the following be the Court of Revision for the present year: Mayor Teague, Ald Keith-Wilson, Dwyer, Humphreys and Baker.

Though given entirely by amateurs, the programme arranged by Mr. A. H. Scaife for the entertainment in aid of the "Chimes fund" in the schoolrom of Christ church cathodral last evening could hardly have been presented with a higher degree of excellence on the professional stage. The achieve well scamp," with a prologue written by Mr. Scaife, constituted a large portion of the pregramme. The Chicese costumes were most effective features of the performance. The various characters of the sketch, which were well sustained throughout, were as follows: The Sultan, Mr. James Peters: most effective features of the performance. The various characters of the sketch, which wilson, Dwyer, Humphreys and Baker.

MR DAYKIN, the operator and lightkeeper at Carmanah Point, wired last evening that after a very short illness Mr. Cox, the keeper of the Cape Beale light, had died at his post of duty during Wednesday night. Mrs. and Miss Cox are at present alone in the lighthouse, where Mr. Daykin will join the lighthouse, where Mr. Daykin will join the Quadra reaches the Point with relief.

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ssed any beauty, Mr. Walter Dewdney; Princess Bedroulbodour, the most beautiful brunette ever seen, Mr. Bobt. Powell. Be ween the fourth and fifth acts a scarf dance made a pretty change in the programme. This, as also the dumb bell exercise and the chuchs introduced later on were exceedingly attractive features of the evening's entertainment, the drill being under the man agement of Mrs. Wm. T. Marvin.

THE new arrangement respecting the sit-tings of the Divisional court is published in the B C. Gazette of yesterday. Hereafter the court will sit on the second and fourth Thursdays in every month, except during holidays, and no appeal is to be set down for hearing at any other time except under

APPLICATION is made on behalf of the North Star Mining Company, Limited Liability, for incorporation for the purpose of engaging in mining operations in East Kootenay and elsewhere. The applicants are John Milne Browning, Edward Pease Davis and Charten Registrations in Magnetic Liberton Registrations. and Chester Benjamin Macneill, all of the city of Vancouver, and the capital stock is fixed at \$100,000, in \$100 shares. A SALE of work, concert and dance, the

three attractions combined, which the Hebrew Ladies' Association had arranged for yesterday, were given under most favorable auspices. The first occupied the attention of the ladies from 2 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and owing to the good attendance and briskness of business was a grand success. There were three large stalls artistically arranged for the sale, one being filled with plain goods and presided over by Mrs. D. Hart, while in the other two fancy Mrs. D. Hart, while in the other two fancy articles of almost every shape and kind, including paintings, toys, etc., were disposed of, the sales-ladies at the first being Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. J. Isaacs and Mrs. Franck, and at the second Mrs. H. Levy and Mrs. Salmon. The concert in the evening, which also took place in the association's hall on Blanchard street, showed a revival of the interest manifested in the revival of the interest manifested in the sale of work. In order that plenty of time should be left for the subsequent attraction, the dance, the programme was made purposely short but extra good. It commenced with a song by Mr. Sehl, followed by the following numbers: Duet, Mrs. Salmon and Miss Franck; recitation, Miss Brash; armonica solo, Mr. Hill; duet, Hannal Aaronson and Nettie Cohen; and recitation, J. Cohen. Mrs. M. Salmon acted as pianist during the eveningg, and also supplied the dancing music. The refreshments provided were of a special nature, ice cream making tis first appearance this season. Among those superintending the different events were Mrs. Cohen, president of the associa-tion, and Mrs. Isaacs and Mrs. Levy, the two latter representing the commi

COLD, COLD IN CARIBOO.

Mr. Chas. Ramos, the Slough creek min-Mr. Chas. Ramos, the Slough creek mining man, is down from that section of the country. "Now, I suppose," said he, "that you are after me, and I really have nothing very startling to say. The winter has been unusually severe and the snow deeper than for two years past. There were some three feet of it left when I started down. The express wagon goes only as far as Bonanza Flat. The mail goes in on foot from Beaver pass.
"The morning before I left Mr. Bowron, gold commissioner, went in from Guesnelle."

gold commissioner, went in from Quesnelle. Work on Slough creek is going anead in a Most of the properties are in shape to be-gin operations as soon as the water supply proves sufficient, which will be in about two weeks. From present indications the

output should make a good showing.

Mr. Lowe is preparing to bore on Willow river just below the mouth of the Mosquito.

The contract has been let for a shaft house and other buildings. The machinery for this work is now at Ashcroft awaiting ship-

ment.

Reports from Cottonwood, Lightning creek and other streams, show that an unusual number of leases have been taken out, and a large amount of work will probably

The Fry Company on Quesnelle are pre-paring to wash this spring. The pipe for this work is now on the way. One thing I should like to state, is that more men are travelling on the Cariboo road than for years before, I met these at the rate of ten a day. Now, most of these appear to be men in search of work, just the thing which at present is not to be found in that section. Quite enough men are already in the country to do all that will be required

this year, and certainly those who are com-ing up now will, in most cases, be disap-The Horse Fly country, as far as I could The Horse Fly country, as far as I could hear, is all right, Mr. Hobson is pushing ahead his work both at Horse Fly and South Fork. The Harper ground on South Fork is being taken up by individual miners under the plea that the company has failed to comply with the provisions of the lease. At present the road is in good condition, and many teams are loading at Asheroft for the mines.



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cents have sold at 92.

It may be, that the men wl the lands in the early days were but they were purchasers when few settlers and could be but few ways were built. These lands became revenue producing and bever since. The policy by whi possible may have been a mis vas one which all Governments sue in British Columbia. It was which the present leader of the had to pursue when in the G There are times when Governme There are times when Governme dividuals, have to choose evils, and the choice in ince was between selling stagnation. The men who bout to hold in order to realize when would bring population and capit a speculation founded on strong future and involved more risk would undertake now. For many would undertake now. For man purchasers it proved a long a wait and eventually a terrible of ment, and it is a question of to-d Province did not make a much l gain than those same speculators, than that there is not to-day a than that there is not to day a the Opposition who is or was ave posed to the land policy of the Go who has not participated as far as would permit, and in many insta-farther, in the opportunities which afforded. We call it "policy," really a necessity.

We are now comparing two antedating the C.P.R. and the which may be designated as the old new. In the old regime the main new. In the old regime the main atum of governing was that of ma meet while waiting for the era of ment to arrive. The two proble the legislative pioneers of British had attempted and successfully were confederation and railway tions. They paved the way for greand until they bore their legitim the Province, with its limited source, had to rest on its cars. It liged to live on its capital in the m That capital was its public lands.

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A POLITICAL REVIEW.

ferent from those existing now. Without railway communication progress was necessarily very slow, and Government was confined to a narrow groove. In a long wait for the anticipated new order of things it settled down to one main consideration, viz: the equilibrium of revenue and expenditure. With a limited population and limited trade and industry, revenue depended to a large extent upon Dominion subsidies and land sales. Out of this state of affairs grew the British Columbia land policy, or in other words, the selling of lands in large tracts. For this "evil," the Government as a whole, dating it back to the first, has been roundly condemned by those who are wise in their day and generation, and who talk glibly about what now appears, without consideration of the past.

Doubtless if the government had all these lands now and could sell them to settlement purposes only the country would be much better off. This is easy to say by men who came here in prosperous latter days and who are oblivious of all that is

under conditions of old and settled co munities. There was at once the comming-ling of the old and the new, and it would be

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whole, her policy while liberal and progressive, has been careful and conservative, and thus the credit of the Province has been conserved. The extremes in this matter are well exemplified in the United States, the South American Republic and the Australian Colonies, where complete collapse has been brought about by reckless expenditure of public monies on public works and in many other ways.

The challenge is broad enough in all conscience.

We half suspect, however, what the Opposition have been driving at, although they have never had the courage to put it in that way. What they desire to say is that had the various minor works on roads and trails, etc., been let out at contract by tender instead of by day labor there would have been a great saving. There is no other conclusion to be arrived at. This may or may not be true. The question is, which is the proper principle to adopt, contract or day labor? Have the Opposition ever formulated the policy in the House that the principle of day labor in carrying out these public works was a wrong one, that every job should be let by contract to the lowest tenderer? The issue then resolves itself into this: Did the Government pay too much wages for the work that was done? It devolves upon those who say otherwise to advance the proof. Members of the present Government assert that they have been the true friends of the workingman. We think it is easy to demonstrate how in a variety of ways this is true, and we are willing to rest the verdict in this particular matter upon whether day labor is or is not an essential plank in the policy of workingmen's organizations the world over.

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session. The progress made in the consideration of the bill, although good, has not, however, been very rapid. So far, only about 60 clauses out of the 131 in the bill have been considered, and it will certainly take a couple of weeks more at least before the bill gets back to the Senate, where it will undoubtedly be discussed at very considerable length. It is now generally conceded that it will not become law this session. The most that is expected is that it may pass the Senate and be printed for distribution and consideration during the coming summer by the Boards of Trade, Banks, and others interested in it. As the farmers have been placed in the same position as traders, it is also important that time should be given for their views on the matter to be ascertained, and it is not, therefore, at all likely that any serious effort will be made to have the bill become law in the psesent session.

Cairo to a London news agency says that at the instance of certain Egyptian mobles, a criminal indictment has been lodged in the Paris appeal court against Count Ferdinand de Lesseps and the early directors of the Suez canal for embezzling money assigned for the construction of the canal, the defaults continuing until now. Several millions are said to be involved. The case is likely to raise issues fully as momentous as the original Panama canal scandal.

Los Angeles, May 17.—Local interest attaches to the recent earthquakes in Greece, a Col. Blanton Duncan of this city having made simultaneous predictions with those of Prof. Falbo, of Berlin. A letter from the American legation confirms the statement.

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BEFORE THE 21ST OF JUNE.

There is really hot very much to prevent this, conce the tariff is disposed of. The present session was called almost for the express purpose of revising the tariff, and that accomplished it is notivery likely that many other important measures will be proceeded with. With the exception of the estimates, the ordinary formal business of the House is quite as well advanced as in any previous session. Private legislation is practically all disposed of, and the few bills left are not likely to provoke much discoussion. The French treaty may cocupy a day or two, and Mr. Tarte and his olique may waste another day further discussing the Manitoba and Northwest school question, but they have been already so thoroughly threshed out that they cannot delay the House very much. As to the subsidy for the fat Atlantic service, which was expect the fat Atlantic service, which was expect that they have been already so thoroughly the fat Atlantic service, which was expect the fat Atlantic service, which was expect to cause a long debate, there is just a committee for a large portion of last week, and the case of the contract of the Senate of the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the committee for a large portion of last week, and the reason given by the sessions. The progress made in the contract of the bill, although good, has not, however, been very rapid. So far, only about 60 clauses out of the 131 in the bill have been considered, and it will occupied the attention of the Senate of the services were excessive. When Mr. O'Connor's charges that he wanted to find out whether the Government had not used the Exchequer court for paying claims in the hardy paying about 60 clauses out of the 131 in the bill h

ascertained, and it is not, therefore, at all likely that any serious effort will be made to have the bill become law in the passent session.

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The pilgrimage is under the anspices of the Sisters of the Monastery of the Precious Blood, located in this city, and it will be directed by Rev. Father Porcile, chaplain of the city, and it will be directed by Rev. Father Porcile, chaplain of the city who is also a director of the

NORWAY'S BIRTHDAY

Minneapolis, Minn., May 17.— Norway's natal day—the Fourth of July of that nationality—was observed here to day in an imposing manner. The observance dates back to 1814, when a band of sturdy peas—of the various districts. ants and brave citizens assembled at Eidsvold, and formally threw off their allegiance to Denmark. The constitution adopted
at that time is still in force, and is generally
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most liberal in the world. The demonstration to day was participated in by representative Norwegians from all over the
Northwest. Several thousand stilzens of
that nationality paraded this afternoon with
bands and drum corps, and at a demonstration which followed in Normanna hall, Governor Nelson, Secretary of State Brown,
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METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Closing Proceedings — Pastoral Address for 1894—Late Rev. Dr. Douglas—Resolutions

VANCOUVER, May 17. - (Special) - The B. C. Conference concluded its labors yesterday. The following is the pastoral address for 1894 read by Rev. S. J. Thompson and adopted:

DEARLY BRLOVED BRETHREN :- We greet DEARLY BRLOVED BRETHREN:—We greet you in the name of the Lord, praying that Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith, that ye being rooted and grounded in love may be able to comprehend with all saints, what is the breadth, and length and depth and height, and to know the love of Christ which passeth knowledge, that ye may be filled with all the fulness of God.

From the various portions of our heauti-

filled with all the fulness of God.

From the various portions of our beautiful Province, the goodly heritage which God has given us, we have come together in annual conference to review the labors and conquests of another year. We record our gratitude to the Father of Mercies for having spared all our ministers and laborary conquests of another year. We record our gratitude to the Father of Mercies for having spared all our ministers and laborers throughout the year, for giving the privilege of laboring in the great harvest field, to us so unworthy as we are of it, and for having richly blessed the labors of His servants in the upbuilding of the church and the salvation of souls. We give ourselves afresh to the Master, to spend and be spent for Him and you also who are in Him.

We gratefully recognize the valuable assistance rendered to the deliberative sessions of the conference by the laymen, who more and more are showing their great interest in the progress, prosperity and success of the church. We note with great gratification that there is a net increase in the membership of the church of 181, that not withstanding hard times the missionary fund has increased by over \$200 and that from every district come tidings of gracious life of our people and led into clear Christian experience many sinners. True it is now as a year that the tide of the contract of

life of our people and led into clear Christian experience many sinners. True it is now as ever that this "Gospel is the power of God unto salvation." We call your attention in a very special manner to the claims of our conversional funds are now your liberality. connexional funds upon your liberality.
Remember the recommendation of Scripture,
There is that scattereth and yet increas-"There is that scattereth and yet increaseth." Remember also that the weak have claims upon the strong. These different funds of our church, authorized by our general conference, are designed to help the weak, struggling, much discouraged and much enduring men, who are at the forefront of the battle; especially is this true regarding the sustenation fund which will be brought to your notice during the year. We very earnestly urge the more general

regarding the sustenation fund which will be brought to your notice during the year. We very earnestly urge the more general adoption of the weekly offering system in support of the ministry and the Scriptural practice of giving at least one-tenth of our income to the Lord. If this were generally adopted we are persuaded that every claim of God's church upon us would be amply met. We desire also to call your attention to the work of the Columbian Methodist College, located at New Westminster, and which during the past two years has done efficient work in the education of our young people under the religious influence of men and women who have proved themselves not only capable teachers but devoted to the spiritual interests of the students committed to their care. We cordially recommend the institution to your practical support.

In consideration of the near approach of the Provincial elections for representatives

In consideration of the near approach of the Provincial elections for representatives to the Legislature of the Province, we most earnestly entreat you to consider your fran-chise a most sacred privilege, a duty to be exercised in the fear of God. Is has been PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES.

BROOKLYN, May 17.—Reports presented to-day at the meeting of the committee having charge of the arrangements for the forthcoming Roman Catholic pilgrimage from the United States to Rome and Lourdes indicate that it will be one of the most imposing care that it will be one of the most imposing report to Lourney and Lourdes indicate that it will be one of the most imposing the fear of God. Is has been said that the man who votes to sustain a wrong is helping the devil whether he knows it or not. Be careful in the fear of God. Is has been said that the man who votes to sustain a wrong is helping the devil whether he knows it or not. Be careful in the sear of God. Is has been said that the man who votes to sustain a wrong is helping the devil whether he knows it or not. Be careful in the selection of candidates, be sure to cast your vote on the side of right; sustain men of unblemished character, only men whom the lust of office cannot buy, men whom the lust of office can been done mainly by correspondence and little publicity has been sought for the event, applications for membership have been received from nearly every state and always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."

A notice of motion was given that the general conference be recommended to stigmatise travelling on tramoars and steamdirected by Rev. Father Porcile, chaplain of the monastery, who is also a director of the arch-confraternity of Lourdes. The pilgrims will leave New York on July 18, and an official intimation has been received from the Vatican that the Holy Father will give them an audience on August 7, and that he will also bless their banners on August 9.

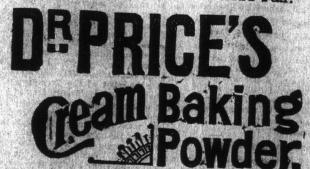
The pilgrimage will be to Antwerp, Milan, Venice, Lourdes, Paris and other continental points, in all of which special services in honor of the American visitors will be held in the cathedrals.

resolution.

A resolution of regret was passed at the death of Rev. G. Douglas, D.D., of Mont-

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passed through are not over in a day, and it

man make anyone understand what we've come through by talking about it?"

"The Undaunted left Kodisk on February 22 on a hunting and sealing trip. With the view of picking up an extra hunter a call was made at Kyak island. Anchor was dropped on the lee side of the island about 6 o'clock on the evening of March 5. That night a terrible storm arose, and by 2 o'clock in the morning the anchor chains had parted. It was snowing hard at the time, and the vessel was drifting out from shore in a south westerly direction.

"At 4 p.m. the wind dropped and a dead calm set in, but by that time a frightful sea was running. The chain was hauled in and double sails set. Towards night a light breeze sprang up, and the vessel was able to make about a mile an hour in a northerly direction with her head to the swell. About midnight the man at the wheel sang out

up as well as we could patch them, but which were no better than paper shells among that ice. We thought we had one chance in about one hundred to get to Newtchech island, and providentially the wind and weather stood us good and we reached there all alive. We were, however, the most wretched mortals ever received into comfort-

able quarters.
"At Newtchech island is situated the Alaska Commercial Company's trading station, and there we were hospitably en-tertained until the first of this month, when we were given passage to Kodiak; we wouldn't have been able to travel any

we wouldn't have been able to travel any sooner any way."

Captain Larsen is an old resident of Alaska, and during the past ten years has sailed over the very spot where his schooner came to grief scores if not hundreds of times. It was right on the regular course between Kyak and Newtchech islands, and drift ice is seldom encountered there, even so early in the season as in March.

CABLE LETTER.

London, May 19 .- Parlia ment will re sume its sittings on Monday under the shadow of dissolution. Sir William Har-

ADRIFT ON AN ICE FLOE.

The Terrible Experience of Captain and Crew of the Lost "Undaunted."

Captain Larsen Gives a Vivid Account of the Disaster and Subsequent Suffering.

Captain Larsen, master of the ill-fated sealing schooner Undaunted, which was wrecked off Copper river, Alaska, last March, is still at Nanaimo, whence he will proceed direct to San Francisco to collect the insurance of \$2,000 on his lost vessel. The crew of eighteen, all told, are also bound for California, where several of them will enter the hospital immediately upon arrival. Sufferings such as they have just passed through are not over in a day, and it

passed through are not over in a day, and it is doubtful if even months of careful nursing will restore the distressed seamen to the hardihood and vigor of which they were the possessors when they set out upon their memorable expedition. Captain Larsen speaks and acts as one still in a dream, and it is difficult to get "details" from him even now, after weeks of hospitable care have restored him to something of his former self.

"What can I say," he in turn asked the Colonist's Nanaimo correspondent yesterday, "how can anyone describe what we passed through out on that desolate sea of ice? Starvation—death from the cold destruction by the sea—dangers in a degran and man make anyone understand what we've come through by talking about it?"

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SALVATION SCHEMES.

Workingman's Castle for Vancouver, and a Citadel for

The forces of the Salvation Army are be ing marshalled for a more determined attack on the citadels of sin is British Columbia. Commandant Booth has perfected the that there was an ugly ground swell com-ing, and at once an effort was made to wear of schemes, for pushing the work of the round the ship. Then the fore-boom broke, and before anything could be done the breakers were washing over her.

"No craft that ever carried sail could have made headway against those breakers, ""prison gate homes," "in-

"On April 3 the flow we were on showed signs of breaking up—the ice all around was crashing and grinding till it seemed as if all the cannon in two navies were turned loose—and we had to take a chance that never would have suggested itself to really sane men. As a forlorn hope, we bundled the whole party into the the ship's boats, patched up as well as we could patch them, but which were no better than paper shells among that ice. We thought we had one chance in about one hundred to get to Newtchech island, and providentially the wind and weather stood us good and we reached there all alive. We were, however, the most secure a site in the centre of the city where we shall always be sure of making ourselves heard and seen. I spent a good many hours in tramping the place, saw all there was to see, and finally selected a lot which will suit us admirably. The price is \$5,000. The corps is to buy the land, and then I am to commence building operations. The whole scheme will likely cost \$12,000. The land will be dedicated in connection with the General's visit."

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No effort will be spared to raise the remainder of the funds necessary to carry this work to completion. A meeting to consider ways and means will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Those who are heart this afternoon. Those who are best posted say that despite the hard times they have no doubt of ultimate success.

If the work as now projected is carried out it means the outlay of some \$20,000 in British Columbia during the coming season.

WORK AT THE GOVERNMENT

shadow of dissolution. Sir William Harcourt, the Government leader in the House, has informed the leader of the McCartbytte section of the Irish party that the general election will probably take place in July, and other Liberal authorities have conveyed a similar intimation. Mr. Richard Halcane, M. P., who is Lord Rose bery's factorum, in a speech to his constituents to day also predicted an early dissolution and added that in his opinion it ought to have occurred ere now in order to have the election of such a majority as would stamp unmistakrably the desire of the country to push Government measures without further hindrance. While the opinion is general that the

DISSOLUTION IS IMMINENT

not one of the best informed of the members of the Liberal party knows whether or not the Government will attempt to carry the clauses of the budget, the registration bill and the evicted temants bill before appealing to the country. Indeed, the ministers themselves do not know. If the present feeble majority would persistently adhere to the Government the session would be prolonged until all of the important bills, including the measure for the victoria, May 18.

BULLDINGS.

To the Eddron: Through the medium of your paper I would correct an erroneous statement in circulation regarding employs ment at the Government buildings. It has been remarked that preference has been given to workmen from the Sound, and that I engaged men there. This is not account to a serie of men have applied for work where only a few were wanted, shd, of ocurse, some must be disappointed, as I cannot give every applicant employment. I cannot make the new Government buildings an outlet simply for the relief of the unemployed, as I must have a good day's work for the wages I am required to pay, and consequently I select the most likely from those who may be waiting around for wook, with pour make the opinion is general that the present feet of the best included the ministers themselves do not know. If the present feet of the important buildings aroun

CAPITAL NOTES.

spture of Liquor Smugglers in the St. Lawrence—Exports and

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
OTTAWA, May 18.—The customs department was notified to-day of the capture of a liquor smuggler in the Gulf by the Government cruiser Constance. The smuggler's crew stood off the Government men with axes, but were overpowered.

increase of \$1,166,000, and the imports a falling off of \$3,000,000. The duties from

customs decreased \$830,000.

J. C. Wilson, paper manufacturer, Lachute, will probably be called to the Senate in the place of the late Sir John J. C.

Abbott.

The Senate to-day adjourned till June 6.

Arrangements have been made whereby
Canadian volunteers may obtain courses of
training in artillery tactics with the regular

forces at Halifax.

In the committee on the tariff to-night Mr. Mara said he wished to see the most liberal construction given to the definition of mining machinery, and proposed to add to the tariff a list of articles not made in Canada which prospectors and capitalists would know could all be brought in free. Hon. Mr. Foster suggested to Mr. Mara to hand in a list to the controller of customs, who would have it printed and furnish copies to the collectors of customs. Mr. Mara's timely suggestion will be of great benefit to miners in British Columbia.

OTTAWA, May 19 .- An Order-in-Council has been passed providing for the issue of a commission to Mr. Justice Drake to inquire into the affairs of the Westminster penitentiary. He is instructed to make a thorough investigation into the causes of existing dissensions there.

Mr. Daly gives notice of a bill providing for irrigation work in the Northwest Territories. All the lakes and natural water courses on which riparian rights do not exist will be placed under the control of the Lieut Governor-in-Council.

A delegation of British millers is expected

to visit Canada this summer for the purpose of investigating the system of storing and forwarding wheat, with a view to securing a continuous supply of the Manitoba pro-

duct.

Mr. Lariviere emphatically denies that he is an applicant for a Government position.

Mr. Robinette, a Toronto barrister, interviewed Sir John Thompson to-day and urged that a new trial be granted to MacWhirrell, the Port Credit murderer, as additional important evidence was forthcoming. This is the first application for a new trial under the amended oriminal code.

latter hour, the convention was called to order by the Chairman, Mr. Kirkland. The large school house was crowded by upwards of a hundred enthusiastic supporters the Government. It took two hours time to examine the credentials, after which the chairman declared the meeting open for nominations. Before the nominations were begun the Premier was called according

New York, May 19.—R. G. Dun & Co. 'a trade review says: "The soundness of the commercial world is shown in the diminishing importance of failures, the liabilities reported for the second week of May amounting to only \$1,937,538, of which \$1,490,932 were of trading and \$432,606 of manufacturing concerns. The failures this week have been 220 in the United States against 24 last year, and 24 in Canada against 14 last year."

Do you feel the weakness of age? Some men die at an age at which others are young. Take Eseljay's Liver Lezenges. "

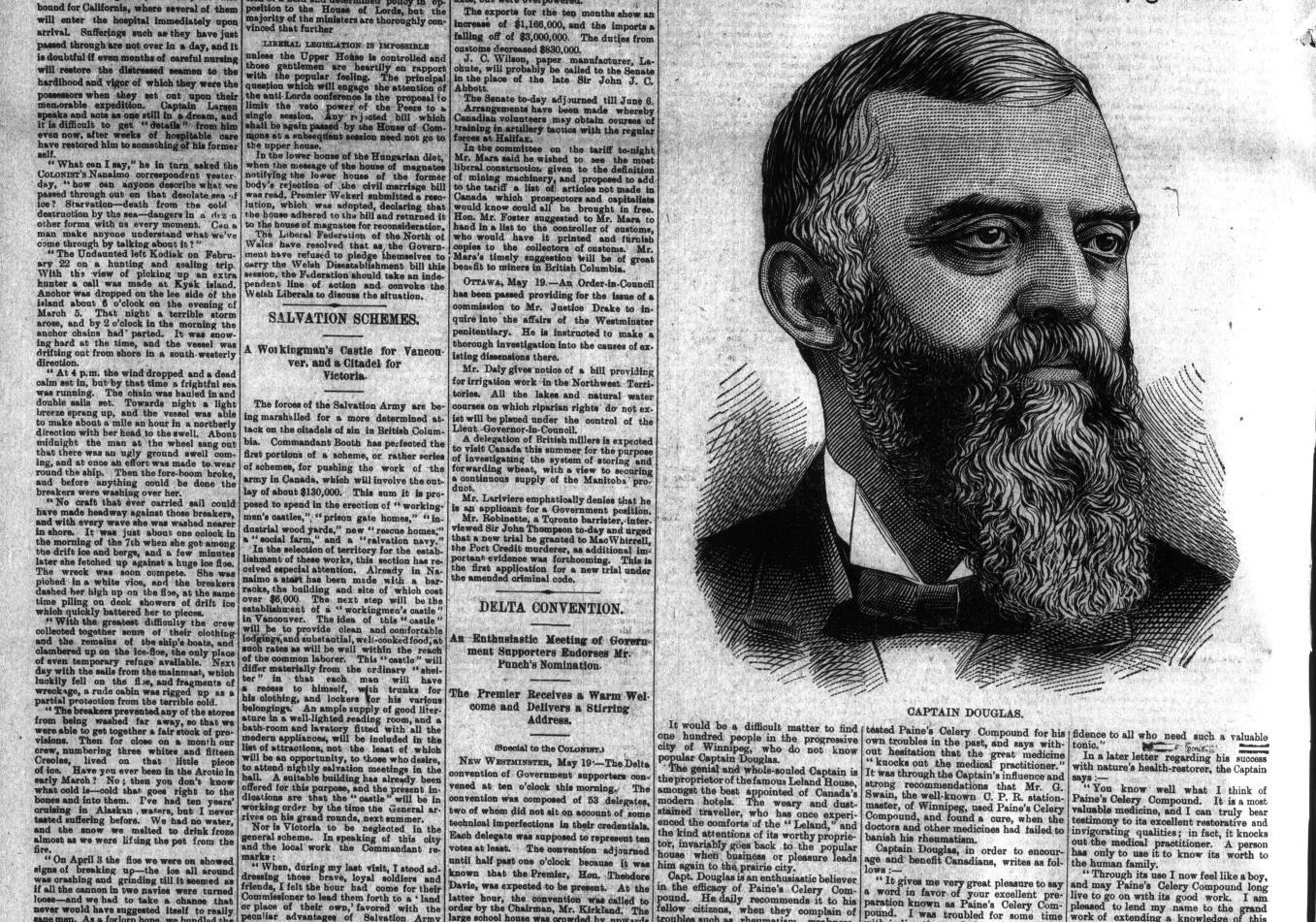
Peruvian army to force Cascares, their candidate for the presidency, on the people had about subsided, and from present indications no turther difficulty is to be anticipated.

H.M.S. Garnet was passed at Callac on her way to Eengland. She reported a severe storm off the Mexican coast; no severe storm of the Mexican coast;

THE CAPTAIN'S REMARKABLE STATEMENT.

Mr. Mara Makes a Very Timely Sug. He Says: "Paine's Celepy Compound Knocks Out the Medical Practitioner."

Encouraging Testimony from a Popular Winnipeg Resident.



house when business or pleasure leads him again to the prairie city.

Capt. Douglas is an enthusiastic believer in the efficacy of Paine's Celery Compound. He daily recommends it to his fellow citizens, when they complain of fellow citizens, when they complain of fast roubles such as rheumatism, weakness, nervousness, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, nervousness, sleeplessness, dyspepsia, iliver and kidney troubles and impure liver to say and may Paine's Celery Compound long live to go on with its good work. I am pleased to lend my name to the grand work of extending a knowledge of this valuable Compound, and can never say too much in its favor, and you may be sure I shall never cease to sing its pound. I can recommend it with con-

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From THE DAILY COLO GREEN, WORLO

The Creditors' Meeting Having the As

The meeting of credit signees of Green, World Board of Trade rooms yes was of a pretty lively nat time was not exactly h the differences of opinio ance to the meeting of ar their representatives occ

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Mr. Henry Waller being ch Mr. Coltart was given a heat him to make an explanatio that at the first meeting assignees an almost unanimo confidence in the course of the been expressed, and the set been expressed, and though that first meeting to hand i tion had he believed the cree it, he had considered the exp creditors then sufficient to just taining his position. How quite ready to resign and for he now begged to practically signation in the hands of the await the sense of the creditor. Mr. Alex. Wilson objected of proceeding. He claimed thing was simply a move to action of the courts.

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Things smoothed over after a Mr. Shakespeare's motion being carried on a show of hands by What was the next proceeding,

What was the next proceeding, of further discussion.

Mr; Shakespeare held that the having called the meeting, should a resolution of some sort. The feeli creditors had already been shown trustees had freated their employe with contempt in their disregar creditors' wishes. There was too pense in winding up the estate.

Hon. Levi W. Myers had a resolt he felt would fill the bill exactly, the whole ground. He moved, see John Kinsman, "That this meeting of the resolution passed at the m creditors held on April 27, 1894 au Mr. Wm. Smyth to apply to the the removal of Messrs Heistarman tart and the appointment of Hon. Fin their stead."

Mr. Wilson maintained that th Mr. Hayward held differently.

It was, however, decided that could be kept separate. The voting was then taken by the value of the amounts due to cree fixed by the statute. The result we For, 433; against, 204; major

resolution, 229.

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From THE DAILY COLONIST, May 19. GREEN, WORLOCK & CO.

The Creditors' Meeting in Favor of Having the Assignees Removed.

Resolutions Passed as Suggestions to the Court in Dealing With the Case.

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The appointment of a secretary was singgested at this point, and Mr. G. H. Brown was selected to fill the position.

Mr. Smyth, in reply to Mr. Wilson's question, so id he had had no knowledge of his solicitor taking the steps stated by Mr.

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A TRIAL for legal separ

the present trustees in their office the votes of the unsecured creditors only be recorded."

Mr. Yates suggested that the better way would be that votes of the secured creditors be kept separate from those of the unsecured and presented to the court in that way.

Mr. Shakespeare, however, objected to secured creditors voting at all.

Mr. Fell, in regard to Mr. Shakespeare's motion, would like to see the words about "future mismanagement" eliminated. No matter who the trustees might be in future the words were a reflection on them and

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to cover all clerical expenses as well. This was simply a repetition of a resolution carried at a preceding meeting.

The Chairman, while he saw no harm in receiving the resolution, held it did not come under the purpose of the meeting. The motion was carried.

Mr. Shakespears had another resolution to offer. He believed Mr. Fell was solicitor for both bank and assignees. One man could not serve two masters, and though he would not say a word against Mr. Fell as an honest upright man, it was not fair for him to hold both offices.

The Chairman—"You will get him all the cheaper at that if he works for both

Yates.

Mr. Thornton Fell remarked that it was not customary for a solicitor to run around after his client to tell him every step he took in his interests. Mr. Coltart's remarks about his resignation had no doubt been misunderstood, for no matter how the meeting treated it the matter would have to go to court for settlement, and Mr. Coltart could not resign without an order of court. No trustee, once appointed, could resign without that.

Mr. Brown—How if he were there illegally?

Mr. Fell—Ask Mr. Wilson. (Laughter.)
Mr. Yates explained that this was simply an advisory meeting, to get the voice of the creditors.

After some time spent in discussing what business should first be taken up, the secre-

A TRIAL for legal separation came up beafter which

Mr. Noah Shakespeare moved, seconded by Levi W. Myers, that, "Whereas the unsecured creditors are the only ones whose interests will be affected by any future mismanagement on the part of the trustees, therefore be it resolved that upon any motion having for its object the continuance of the present trustees in their office the votes. systematically abused her, and not content with brutally beating and kicking her frequently, wrongfully accused her of immorality. The evidence of the son and daughter corroborated the wife's testimony, which disclosed horrible treatment on the part of her husband. His Lordship granted the petition for judicial separation, with costs, to be paid by the husband. Mr. S. Perry Mills appeared for the petitioner, and Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken for the respondent. To-day Mrs. Mendorf's petition for alimony will be heard.

ON A SEA OF ICE

The Terrible Experience of Captain Larsen and His Shipwrecked Crew.

Return of the "Borealis"—The "Ross lie's" Plans—Sealers Coming

the Case.

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THE " BOSALIE."

Steamer Rosalie reached Nanaimo yesterday on her way to Alaska. Many things point to the fact that the Rosalie is owned by the Pacific coast steamship company instead of the unknown Alaska steamship company. Captain J. B. Patterson, her master, has for years been in the employ of the P.C.S.S. company and was acting for them up to the time the Rosalie was first brought out. Mr. Joseph Astredo, who has for years been freight clerk for the same company, on the City of Topeka, received a telegram recently from Goodall & Perkins to report at once in San Francisco. He did so and was immediately made purser of the steamer Rosalie by that company. All these things point to the ownership of the Rosalie by Goodall & Perkins, the owners of the Pacific coast steamship company's boats. Steamer Rosalie reached Nanaimo yester

THE result of the two evening performances of the Mikado, given last month by the Victoria Amateur Opera Company, shows a balance of \$89.55, which is to be devoted to charities. Expenditure—Theatre hire, \$199.55: costumes, \$100; orchestration, \$56; printing and advertising, \$58.60; books and libretto, \$36.80; royalty, \$57; rooms for practice, \$30.50; pianist for practice, \$31.50; professional services, \$50; sundries, \$140.50; total, \$815.45. Receipts for first night, \$513.50; for second night, \$391.50; total receipts, \$905; balance over expenditure, \$89.55.

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TER CITY.

ARCHITECT TIABES is calling for tendere for the erection of a bungalow residence, together with several farm buildings at
North Saanich, for W. M. le Poer Trench.

THE War Cry this week contains portraits of Adjutant and Mrs. Archibald, British Columbia's new district officers, who will have in hand the carrying out of the letest; Salvation Army building schemes.

A COMMITTEE of two has been appointed from each lodge of the I.O O F. to arrange for the annual excursion of the order. The Grand Master has set apart June 12 as I.O.O.F. decoration day.

THE suit of Catherine Elizabeth Mendorf against Jacob Mendorf for alimony came up for hearing before Mr. Justice Crease yesterdsy, but was adjourned until Monday to give the parties a chance to decide the amount outside of court. Mr. S. Perry Mills for petitioner; Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken for Jacob Mendorf.

MR C. DE B. GREEN of Oscoyos, has sent to the Provincial Museum two eggs of the osprey or fish hawk, and three eggs of the Canada or common wild goose, branta Canadaensis, all taken from the same nest, both birds stoutly resisting Mr. Green at the time he captured the eggs. Neither bird had finished laying its usual complement. It is not an uncommon thing for the wild goose to build in trees, but to share its nest with the fish hawk is like the wolf and the lamb lying down together.

The Tacoma smelting and refining works will soon begin to receive ore under the arrangements made recently by General Freight Agent Wm. Brown, of the C.P.R. Under this new schedule Slocan ore will be shipped to the amelters at Everett, San Francisco and Tacoma at very favorable rates. Latest reports state that some 3,000 tons of high grade ore are now on the dump awaiting shipment via Three Forks and the Nakusp & Slocan. The ore will be carried on the Columbia river to Revelstoke and thence to the Sound.

J. H. Gill, who was arrested in Vancouver and brought to this city on a charge of fraudulently conveying to his wife certain land situated in North Vancouver, was charged with that offence before Mr. Farquhar Macrae, stipendiary magistrate, yesterday morning. He was remanded to Vancouver, where he was taken last night, for trial. He claims he is innocent. This trouble rose out of a civil case which came before Mr. Justice Crease on Thursday, when John Thomas sued Gill and his wife for the cancellation of conveyance of the for the cancellation of conveyance of the land in question. Gill did not defend, and Thomas has since sworn out the warrant on which Gill is now under arrest.

An early and uninvited visitor yesterday morning to a bachelor residence on Blanchard street walked off with Mr. George Morphy's watch and a small amount of money. Mr. Morphy and several other gentlemen gave chase, but too late to make a capture. The case was cleverly worked up by Sergt. Levin and Officer Palmer, with the result that in a few hours James Hailey was arrested on suspicion, and though the watch was not discovered an odd oin found in his pocket was identified as being part of the property stotsms—Hailey's shoes also fit the tracke made by the burglar. He was brought before the police magistrate and remanded till Monday. A small bottle of morphine was in Hailey's possession when arrested.

RODERICK MATHESON, a son of Sir Arthur Matheson, a rich English baronet, was on Friday in London granted a divorce from his wife, Jane Clark, who is connected with a prominent Canadian family. The busband An early and uninvited visitor yesterday

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

The "Bays" Defeat the V. A. C.'s and Will Accordingly Meet the Seattles.

Celebration Yachting Arrangements-The Cricket Club's First Victory of the Season.

The James Bay and Victoria Athletic

club baseball teams, after numerous postponements due to nasty weather, met yes terday afternoon in the first ball game of the season, at Beacon Hill. Notwithstand ing a high wind and a continuous drizzle, Captains Borthwick and Lenfesty ordered their men on the field on the understanding that the victorious team should play the visiting players from the Sound on the 24th. The known rivalry between the pines had The known rivalry between the pines had attracted a large crowd of spectators, who watched the game to the finish, although the vast majority were minus umbrellas and mackintoshes. The Athletic team counted on sure victory, relying upon the terrific speed of Lenfesty. In the first innings, however, Lenfesty, usually so reliable, was very erratic, giving countless bases on balls, until the lays had crossed home thirteen times. He recovered himself temporarily after the first, but the Bay boys continued to rap him hard during the entire game. Hogan, who made his first appearance on the Hill, proved to be a very steady, cool and beady pitcher, having wonderful control of the ball and splendid ahoots. His thumb was badly injured at the start, but he manfully pitched the game out. The base-running at times was ragged, but this no doubt will improve as the season progresses. The principal features of the game were Duck and Williams' batting and Widdowson's second base play. For the Athletica, Kohler put up a splendid game at second, whilst the Athletic club fielding was generally sharp and up to date. Borthwick showed that he is as good as ever behind the bat. Here is the score: attracted a large crowd of spectators, who JAMES BAY.

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| Kohler, 2 b. 2
| Lenfesty, p. 1
| E. Wriglesworth, l. f 1

VICTORIA V. ROYAL MARINE ARTILLERY. the couple are said to have settled in Canada, where the husband in spite of his infirmity was proprietor and editor of a British Columbia newspaper. The wife's health falling she returned to England and on here way fell in with a young Englishman and a Frenchman who were co-respondents in the late divorce suit. That is the story as cabled, but there seems evidently to be some mistake as to the husband ever editing a newspaper in this Province, as close inquiries among leading gentlemen connected with the profession for years back fail to discover any one answering to the name or description given of Mr. Matheson having held such a position.

What may be considered as the opening gun in the bombardment which the crooks are preparing for the honest people of Viorgia districts.

This match was played on the Caledonia grounds yesterday afternoon, despite the weather, which did not tend to improve the play. The result of the game was a victory for Victoria by a small majority. As the event way fell in with a young Englishman and a Frenchman who were co-respondents in the late divorce suit. That is the story as cabled, but there seems evidently to be some of later and the play. The result of the game was a victory for Victoria by a small majority. As the event way fell in with a young Englishman and a Frenchman who were co-respondents in the best batting for the Artillery, whose total was also considerably augmented by the innings of Gunner Simunds, consisting of two sixes, a two and a single. Doig and Goward with 19 and 27 respectively did the chief scoring for Victoria; Drake also reached double figures and his contribution of 10 came in at a useful period of the game. The bowling honors were taken by Howard, whose analysis of 7 wickets for 10 runs was an excellent period of the game. The bowling honors were taken by Howard, whose analysis of 7 wickets for 10 runs was an excellent period of the game. The bowling honors were taken by Howard, whose analysis of 7 wickets for 10 runs was an excellent period of the gam This match was played on the

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THE RIPLE.

LOCAL MEN ACTIVE.

A meeting of riflemen was held last evening in connection with the inter-city riflematch to be fired on the 26th. It being explained that the matter is being looked after by the committee of the newly-formed Victoria Rifle Club, pursuant to authority duly received from the B.C.R.A., the meeting came to the conclusion that no action on its part was necessary.

At Brownsville range yesterday Gunner George Turnbull maintained his high record for the season, putting on 97 out of a possible of 105 at Queen's ranges.

The Royal Arthur having returned to port, it is hoped that this year as last there will be a team from the Navy to take part in the pending match for the Victoria challenge trophy to be fired by teams of ten men from the cities or the Navy.

Class firing was continued at Clover Point range yesterday afternoon, No. 3 company, B.C.G.A., with several "casuals" from No. 1, attending in command of Capt. Smallfield, Lieut. Holden also being present. A gale of wind was blowing, and the scores were in consequence low. LOCAL MEN ACTIVE.

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YACHTING.

THE CELEBRATION BACES The yachting races to be sailed during the celebration were arranged last evening at a meeting of the Victoria yacht club held for that purpose in the office of the secretary, Mr. J. G. Elliott. The classes and prizes were decided upon as follows:

A—Boats over 26 feet; prizes \$50, \$30 and \$20.

B—Boats over 22 and not more than 26 feet; prizes \$50, \$30 and \$20.

C—Boats over 17 and not more than 22 feet; prizes \$50, \$30 and \$20.

D—Boats under 17 feet; prizes \$20, \$10 and \$5. The races are to be started as follows, on

Friday, May 25: 11 a.m.—Class A—Starting flag, blue.
11:15a.m.—Class B—Starting flag, red.
11:40 a.m.—Class C—Starting flag, yellow.
11:45a.m.—Class D—Starting flag, blue and

STARFING REGULATIONS. Fifteen minutes before the starting of Fifteen minutes before the starting of each race a preparatory gun will be fired from the starting point and a white flag with the class letter hoisted. Five minutes before the start a second gun will be fired, the class letter flag hauled down and the colored flag of the class hoisted. At the expiration of five minutes exactly the starting gun will be fired and the colored flag of the class lowered; this gun will also serve as the preparatory gun of the next class and the letter flag of that class will be hoisted. Should the gun miss fire the lowering of the flag will be the signal to start. Time to be taken from the firing of the starting gun, and no allowance will be made for time lost in getting away.

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Any boat which shall have any part of her bull or gear across the starting line be-fore the starting gun is fired shall have three minutes added to her sailing time as pen-

All boats other than those immediately about to start shall keep well away from the starting line to allow the starting boats

room for manceuvring.

The starting line shall be an imaginary line drawn from a flagstaff on Finlayson Point to a boat or bucy moored off the The course shall be as shown on a chart-

all buoys to be left on the starboard hand. Classes A, B and C shall sail twice round the course, a distance of 16 knots—time limit five hours.

Class D shall sail round a buoy moored off

Macarlay's point and repeat—a distance of five miles.

Sailing rules of International Yacht Racing Association shall hold good during the

races.

All matters of dispute to be decided by the sailing committee, whose decision shall

be final.

Judges—Capt. Gaudin and Capt. Foot.
Timekeeper—A. J. Dallain.
Starter—A. H. Burns.
The local yachtsmen are requested to hand in their entries as soon as possible, with load water line measurements, so that their craft may be classed without delay.

The following outside entries are already in: Port Angeles—Paloma; Seattle—Kelpie, Gracie Felitz, Rainier, Margery, Earl and Doris; Bellingham Bay—Myth, Dione and Progress.

Earl and Doris; Bellingham Day—Myth, Dione and Progress.

The first of the visiting vachts will probably arrive on Monday or Tuesday, and steps have been taken by the club to give them a hospitable reception.

HERE AND THERE.

The Metropolitan club billiard tournament at Vancouver is nearing a close. Mr. Frank Bodwell has beaten Mr. O. L. Spencer, Mr. C. D. Rand has won from W. S. Weeks, and Mr. R. Maokay Fripp has beaten Mr. Fred Schofield. There are seven more games to play, the following being still in it: Messrs. Townley, Benwell, Gatewood, Bodwell, Shelton, Rand, Martin, Fripp and Wilson.

Parties wishing to follow the yacht races during the celebration can secure a passage on the steam schooner Mischief by applying on board at Spratt's wharf.

The members of the Union Gun Club had a good practice shoot at the Oak Bay traps yesterday.

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One hundred and fifty horses owned outside of Toronto are now stabled at the Woodbine track for next week's great meet of the Ontario Jockey Club. This is far ahead of any previous year.

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CRICKET.

THE ALBIONS' CARD.

The Albion cricket club have arranged the following match card for the season now opening, the dates left open being May 26, June 30, July 11 and 18, and August 1, 15, 22 and 29 All matches commence at 2:30 sharp except those marked §, which are to start at 10 in the morning: May 25, § Westminster C.C., at Beacon Hill; June 9, Victoria C.C., at Caledonia park; June 16, Victoria C.C., at Beacon Hill; July 21, Westminster C.C., at Beacon Hill; July 28, Victoria C.C., at Beacon Hill; July 28, Victoria C.C., at Beacon Hill; July 28, Victoria C.C., at Beacon Hill; September 8, Victoria C.C., at Caledonia park.

ATHLETICS.

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ATHLETICS.

A MILE BUN MISSING.

"Sport," who certainly has more than one impathizer in Victoria, writes as follows in regard to the programme of field events de-cided upon by the Sports and Games com-mitte for the 25th inst: "I was very disappointed when I read over the programme of events for the Queen's Birthday athletic sports, given in to day's Colonist, to see that no mile run was provided for, the longest ruce being a quarter-mile. We have in Victoria several crack distance runners, such as Blight and Dalby, and I am sure a mile run would prove mile run would prove an interesting and well contested feature. Hoping to see a mile race added to the celebration pro-gramme, I am, etc."

LACROSSE.

WILL KEEP THE TEAM.

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VANCOUVER, May 18.—(Special)—The lacrosse executive have decided to go through the season with the present team. Many of them are rising young players, but it is claimed that they are as strong as any combination yet put in the field, and after a couple of matches just as reliable as the old aggregations, possibly more so. Of course they were badly beaten in Westminster, but they had an off day; Westminster was in good luck and they were in bad luck all through; besides history is only repeating itself. Vancouver always starts the season with apparently the worst team in the series, but always, or nearly always, comes out with the best.

out to the grounds every player of the team that is to defend the honor of the blue and white on the 26th. There was a first-class practice last night at the Caledonia grounds, and the Victorias will take the field in their first match with no odds against them.

VANCOUVER, May 17.—(Special.)—Mr. T. H. Allice spoke in such glowing terms of the thriving condition of the Victoria lacrosse club when he was here recently that the Vancouver management were enthused to a proper sense of their own duty in stirring up the apathetic members of the association. It has been suggested that a mass meeting be held and the pride of the sportloving community be appealed to. A canvassing committee will be organized and 300 tickets sold at \$2 each, entitling the holder to membership and entrance to all lacrosse games. Lack of funds is what is the matter with the Vancouver lacrosse club just now. A BOOM AT VANCOUVER.

POOTBALL. TO PLAY AT VICTORIA.

The Association football players of Seattle are practising hard to get in shape for
their match with the Wanderers at Victoria
on May 25. The candidates were at work
all last week, having the assistance of some
of the sailors of the ship Astracana, now in
port. The team to meet Victoria has not
yet been selected, and will not be until all
of the candidates are given a fair trial. The
eleven in practice is playing with snap, but
shows lack of team work. There seems a
scarcity of material for forwards. There
will be practice games at the Howell street
grounds every Monday, Wednesday and
friday nights until the match comes off.

Capt. Hugh Wark met with an accident during a scrimmage in Friday's game, which during a sorimmage in Friday's game, which will keep him off the field for a few days, but he will be all right in time for the Vic-teria game.—Seattle P. I.

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Lost the Use of Her Limbs and lower part of body, and if she sat up in bed had to be propped up with pillows. She would go ten days without a movement of the bowels. All medicine seemed to do her no good. She would have spells when her heart would pain her, and then, with the outside door open in mid-winter, would faint away. Physicians, after holding a consultation,

Said She Was Past All Help and wanted me to send her to the 'Home for Incurables.' But I said as long as I could hold my hand up she should not go, and about this time a kind neighbor came in and asked me to get a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and try it. We did so and she has taken the medicine regularly. She is getting strong, walks around, is out doors every day; has no trouble with her is out doors every day; has no trouble with her throat and no cough, and her heart seems to be all right again. She has a first class appetite,

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sixty million logs were swep Susquehanna river has risen to there is a six foot flood throng streets. The Pennsylvania re over the river is standing Four spans of the Market street been washed away, and three spans of the Maynard atreet gone. No lives have been lost LEWISBURG, Pa., May 21 .-Susquehanna valley is inunda destruction and destitution is The water works, gas works light plant of this city and the town suffers serious sequence. Hundreds of fidestitute of provisions and hith night is entered upon with horror. Millions of feet of lumber, and buildings of ever been swept past here in the riviterday. Business has been en pended.

HOLIDAYSBURG, May 21 -Th the bursting of the reservoir Relair country people houseless last night. At midnight vania railroad locomotive b warning to Gainspoint that the warning to Gainspoint that the point reservoir, the source of cities' water supply, had given vocuntry would soon be covered lions of gallons of water. A Ga graph operator later received th from Kittaning: "The dam h for God's sake tell the Gayap to fly." The result of these wa that the entire population at Duncansville and West Holida serted their homes and spent the serted their homes and spent the hills. This morning the announced to be over, and the turned to their homes. Bellwood, May 21 .- The ci

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Casualties on the Japan Co rible Privations of Sev Wrecked Crews.

Captain Miner Describes Vessel Was Lost—Sailor Trial for Mutiny.

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The Susquehanna Valley Inundated—
Bursting of the Great Boom at Williamsport.

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WILLIAMSPORT, Pa, May 21.—The great boom here broke early this morning and airty million logs were swept away. The Susquehanna river has risen to 33 feet, and there is a six foot flood through many of the streets. The Pennsylvania railroad bridge over the river is standing the pressure. Four spans of the Market street bridge have been washed away, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed away, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed away, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway, and three of the low spans of the Market street bridge have been washed sway. The Milliams of feet of logs and out limber, and buildings of every kind have been sweep past here in the river since yee torday. Business has been entirely sustended to provisions and homeless, and the night is entered upon with a feeling of the bursting of the beautive bridge have been sweep past here in the river since yee torday. Business has been entirely sustended to the bursting of the beautive bridge have been sweep past here in the river since yee torday. Business has been entirely sustended to be over, such and the night to disciplant the provision of the bursting of the provision

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May, 1872, Mr. Yates estings from the post office to devote himself entirely to literature. In the course of that year he went on a lecturing tour in the United States, and in alcouring tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in alcouring tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United States, and in the United States, and in a lecturing tour in the United State

CAPITAL NOTES.

Col. Prior and the Permanent Force Search for Missing Maciachlan-Gas Pension List-Subject to Have

Westminster Penitentiary Investiga-tion—Resolution Introduced in Fa-Provincial Politics in North vor of Universal Peace.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)
OTTAWA, May 21.—Col. Prior moved a solution in favor of the adoption of a penion list applicable to the permanent force. He had expected to see a bill introduced into the House this year on this subject. The permanent corps were Canadian regularity. into the House this year on this subject.

The permanent corps were Canadian regulars and formed the nucleus of the militia. They did the same work as the Imperial regulars and came under the same discipline, but there the similarity ended. The Imperial troops got better pay and a pension. In Canada the regulars received inferior pay and no pension. To keep the force up to a state of perfection the proposal

inferior pay and no pension. To keep the force up to a state of perfection the proposal which he made ought to be carried out.

Mr. Davin seconded the motion.

Hon. Mr. Patterson, after congratulating Mr. Prior upon the lucidity of his remarks, admitted that there was much force in many of his statements. He did not wish the impression to go to the country that the Government were indifferent to the interests of the permanent force. This would be upjust to the Government and upjust to the House, because the House, irrespective of party, had dealt liberally with the retired officers of the permanent force. If the motion were withdrawn he would lay the matter before the Government. the Government. Mr. Wood introduced a bill to provide

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

and Electric Lighting-A Speedy Collier

(Special to the COLONIST)

WESTMINSTER. New Westminster, May 21.-T. Neville of this city, and S. S. Osterhaut, of Naas river, were ordained to the ministry in the

A centipede two and a half inches long war discovered on Saturday in a box of apples which came from Australia by the last

Jack McCabe, the wounded convict,

Jack McCabe, the wounded convict, is not expected to live over to-morrow.

The Delta Opposition convention to day resulted in the choice of Thomas Forster, M.P.P. Delta, Surrey and Langley each sent six delegates, and Two and a Half Mile Belt two. Mr. Forster and E. Hutcherson, Delta, were nominated. Mr. Forster got thirteen and Hutcherson seven on the first ballot. Then on motion of Mr. Hutcherson a unanimous nomination was given to Mr. Foster.

Duncan on the 24th. Sports and a cricket match, married v. single, have been arrang ed, and a pleasant day is being looked for

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Panthers are reported to be plentiful at Cowichan lake, and another of the animals is said to be prowling around Maple bay.

Mr. Tingley is making a business visit in the interests of the Great West Life assurance company and has met with considerable success.

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The heat has been almost summer-like for the last few days, causing a rapid growth of the backward vegetation.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin preached at St. Peter's church, Quamichan, to a good congregation yesterday, returning to Victoria by this morning's train. Judge Drake was also a passenger to Victoria by to-day's train.

A horse valued at \$175 was being driven by Angus McKinnon at Duncan station and could have easily crossed the track before a coming freight engine reached the crossing. The horse, however, turned and made straight for the engine by which it was killed, and was very near dragging Mr. McKinnon with him.

(From the Sentinel.) Six inches of snow lay on the ground at

Clinton one morning last week. D. H. Gillman, of Seattle, and James P. Kimball, of New York, on Thursday took a

Kimball, of New York, on Thursday took a trip to the Glen iron mine in the interests of some American gentlemen who propose sgain operating it, if not buying.

Mr. Bostock, of Ducks, returned home from Sicamous on Mr. Van Horne's special, and is now on a trip to Grande Prairie and Salmon River Valley. He says there are five thousand acres of good land between Sicamous and Craigellachie, and a wagon road would cause an influx of settlers to that district.

Mesers. Easton and Banff, of Euderby, stayed a day or two in Kamloops this week.
They are bound for the month of the Fraser and are determined to make the whole way

solation placer mine on French creek, the other owners being John Sweeney, O. B. Williams and James McCreary. At present there are six men working in the Big Bend country; but the four working on the Consolation are taking out good pay, the April dividend being \$1,400. On Saturday Mr. Laform brought down \$2,400 worth of gold dust to Revelstoke, and on the trip before \$1,100.

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The celebration at Kaelo of Queen Viotoria's birthday promises to be a great occasion. The prizes are liberal, and there is enough rivalry between the residents of Nelson and Kaelo to make the leading events worth witnessing.

A fire on Sunday afternoon damaged 3. O. Buchanan's residence to the extent of \$400 liberal to the firemen did good work and were ably assisted by the citizens.

The young men of Nelson who are inclined to athletic sport, rather than to sports political, met in the Board of Trade room on Friday night and completed the organization of the Nelson Athletic Association. John Elliott, president; John Houston, vice president; G. A. Bigelow, secretary; and G. W. B. Heathoote, treasurer.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

The people of Nakusp have raised nearly

HAWAII'S CONSTITUTION.

Outline of Some of Its Provisions-Royalists Suspected of Designs on the Republic.

President Dole Likely to Be Reappointed-Fears of a Native Uprising.

San Francisco, May 22.—The United Press correspondent at Honolulu, writing under date of May 15, per steamer Gaelic, which arrived last evening says: The makeup of the constitutional convention which is to meet on the 31st inst., has furnished a striking illustration of the native character of the whole movement. Fifteen or eighteen of them were born and bred in Honolulu: of the remaining three two have been here since childhood, while the third is a man of long residence and thoroughly identified in all his interests with the country of his

The British warship Champion will leave for Victoria, B. C., on May 26. After dook-ing at Eequimalt she will proceed to Behring

Sea.

An inquiry at the foreign office elicited the fact that the minister was entirely ignor ant of the existence of a new treaty between Hawaii and Japan which abrogates their convention of 1881 and gives Japanese subjects the same privileges as Hawaiian citizens. The news of the alleged treaty was received here in the form of a telegram sent convergence.

outhfrom Vancouver.

There have been rumors for several days of a proposed attempt by the Royalists to capture the executive building by corrupting the guards. The loyalty of the commanding officers of the troops which grand the build

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held every two years. The first session will be held at such time as the present executive and advisory council shall appoint, probably some time in September. The president will have the power of veto, which can be overruled by a two-thirds vote of

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It is the present intention to have President Dole reappointed for a term of years, probably six, after which the office will be filled by regular elections. It is more than likely, also, that the present ministers will be retained for a few years, as their appointment reets with the President. The new constitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipuconstitution can be amended or revised in the ordinary way, but it is expressly stipu-lated that no amendment containing a pro-position for the establishment of a mon-archical form of government shall be pre-sented. Members of both houses are to re-

sented. Members of both houses are to receive \$400 for each session.

The claim is now made that when the republic is declared the natives will make the long-looked for uprising. The royalist leaders say that they are restrained by the expressed wish of the ex queen, who still has great faith in the United States.

There has been considerable talk recently of a number of ardent royalists who are said to have enlisted in the army, ready to help the ex-queen's cause in case of a revolution.

The CAMPAIGN.

The Government party are working on the Island and the Mainland quietly and confidently. They have no doubte as to the result of the country in the Island and the Mainland quietly and confidently. They know their strength and are not in the least discomposed or disconcerted as the brag and bluster of the Copposition. They are well aware that in almost every district it is put on for the double purpose of keeping their friends in heart and of imposing on the supporters of the Government. But in the latter object they fail utterly. Let them boast as loudly as they may they will not prevail upon a single supporter of the Government to join them. But it and sold to the country a large them. But it and sold to the country a large interest in Samoa.

The trade of the country is, as might be supposed, not extensive. It deals more birthday of Queen Victoria celebrated more beartly and with greater sincerity than in this dity on the Pacific shore which is salled by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is alled by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in this dity on the Pacific shore which is called by her name. The Queen's Birthday is in the latter of the country will concern themselves very much about the queen's bear of the Covernment and the which retained in the country will concern th as they may they will not prevail upon a New Zealand appears desirous to assume single supporter of the Government to join them. But it appears to us that they are wise in their generation when they keep on blowing their trumpets as instily as their strength will allow. They know full well that it is only by putting on a triumphant air and talking as if they were already sure of success, that they can retain their appears to us that they have to such an arrangement it is difficult.

New Zealand appears desirous to assume control over Samoa, and as it is the country with which the Samoans have the largest dealings it is reasonable to conclude that some kind of union would be beneficial to both. But it does not appear that the Great Powers are prepared to place Samoa completely under British control over Samoa, and as it is the country with which the Samoans have the largest dealings it is reasonable to conclude that some kind of union would be beneficial to both. But it does not appear that the Great Powers are prepared to place Samoa completely under British control over Samoa, and as it is the country with which the Samoans have the largest dealings it is reasonable to conclude that some kind of union would be beneficial to both. But it does not appear that the Great Powers are prepared to place Samoa completely under British control over Samoa, and as it is the country with which the Samoans have the largest dealings it is reasonable to conclude that some kind of union would be beneficial to both. But it does not appear that the Great Powers are prepared to place Samoa completely under British control over Samoa, and as it is the country during the three days' holiday is almost a sinecure. The host of pleasure-seekers are wonderfully good-humored, kindly and courteous. These have been the chief character in the country beautiful to be prepared to place Samoa completely under British control over Samoa, and as it is the country during the three days' holiday is almost a sinecure. The host of pleasure-seekers are wonderfully good-humored, kindly as in courteous. The beautiful to courteous can retain their apparent hold of have to such an arrangement it is difficult hundreds. On the other hand, to see. It might be supposed that all three there are large numbers of electors formerly powers would be pleased to get rid of the there are large numbers of electors formerly inclined to favor the Opposition who, when they look around them and see the kind of men they are asked to support and the prinches of can have little or no interest, and see them oiples they are required to countenance and even advance, make up their minds to vote ized community who have a direct and a should carefully and rigidly carry out. It for the supporters of the Government. comparatively large interest in making and in keeping them peaceful and prosperous. only knows what the motley crew that form the Opposition would take it into their

There are more who talk in this way than most people have any idea of. The distrust of the leaders of the Opposition is deep and it is widespread. Those who feel it do not say much, but they think a great deal. The respect for and the confidence in the Premier are growing daily. The people admire him for his ability and his courage. had to do when one of the people became his opponents and is able to give obnoxious to him was by a special messena good account of the acts of his administration. The manly qualities that significant hint, forthwith used it to put an he has exhibited are in striking contrast to the contemptible way in which leading men of the Opposition conducted themselves while the Legislature was in session and since. Thinking electors notice these things and draw their own conclusions from them.

their programme will be."

NOT TO BE DENIED. We are glad to see that Col. Prior has been persevering in his advocacy of the cause of the permanent military force of the Dominion. It is a reproach to the country that it should avail itself of the services of out and unable to learn a new business, throw them heartlessly upon the world without the slightest provision for their support in their old age. We know that there are some narrow-minded, small-souled people in the Dominion who are horrified when they hear the word "pension" uttered. According to them, pensions are not justifiable under any circumstances. No matter how much a country may be indebted to men who have spent their best days insufficiently remunerated in its service, they must not get a dollar when they are unable to work any longer. The mere statement of the case of the soldiers of the regular force shows how any controlled that the meeting would not pass off quietly, as it was known that soshi (heelers) attached to opposition parties would be present. The Progressist leaders had prepared for this eventuality by engaging a number of those professional rowdies for their own protection. From the very opening of the meeting there were signs of trouble brewing, as the whole sudience appeared very excited. Mr. Lizuka, the first speaker, was met by shouts of disapprobation from all sides directly he began to ex-The mere statement of the case of the speaker, was mer by anoute of disapproba-soldiers of the regular force shows how un-just and ungrateful the country is that does disorder increased upon the next speaker, just and ungrateful the country is that does not make a moderate provision for their support in their old age. Yet it seems that it is in deference to the prejudices of such men that the Government of the Dominion when it established a permanent corps did not provide pensions for those whom long service had given a claim on the country. We believe that it was a mistake to defer to the prejudices of this class of our countrymen.

We are convinced that those who belong to it do not express the good sense and the good feeling of the great bulk of the people majority of the Canadian people will cheerfully pay the very small addition to their taxes that the pensions will require. Col. Prior when he stood up for the old soldiers and the invalided soldiers did his duty both by the soldiers and the people. We believe that before long he will see the policy he advocates established on a reasonable basis,

ABOUT SAMOA.

So much has been said and written about Samoa of late years that it might be considered a large, rich and important country. We find that three great nations have entered into an agreement to preserve its neutrality and to protect the white people who have made the islands their home. When it is known that the native population all told is only 35,000, and that the foreigners living among them number less than four hundred—and in these are included fourteen Chinese—the reader may be well excused for wondering what all the fuse is about. The islands appear to be a kind of paradise without its innocence. Al. country. Japan does not yet appear to have though their inhabitants have everything that though their inhabitants have everything that mortals in their condition need wish for, arisen in it a whole swarm of "inkamong themselves and Europeans interfered to keep the peace and to make the country safe for civilized people to live in. An agreement was made at the Berlin Conferunder which the administration of the affairs of the islands was provided for and their neutrality guaranteed by England, Germany and the United States. But by s'l accounts the tripartite government has been "a failure so undisguised that some modification of existing arrangements is by common consent admitted to be essential if

European relations with the Islands are to The trade of the country is, as might be

PROGRESS IN JAPAN.

The political education of the people of heads to do if they had the chance. No one knows what their principles are or what Japan is progressing. They are beginning to know what are their rights as free men and they are learning to exercise and assert them in the most approved fashion. It was only the other day, so to speak, that they were the submissive subjects of a despotic Mikado. They had no wills of their own, no rights and no privileges but such as their heaven-sent rulers vouchsafed to them. All that the Mikado or other Highmightiness end to his own life. The process was called hara-kiri. It was not a pretty one, but it was very effective.

But this and other old customs have become obsolete in Japan. The Japanese are free now. They have a Constitution of their own and they enjoy representative institu tions. They vote by ballot and they hold public meetings. It is at these meetings that they best show to the world how far their political education has advanced. They have learned how to cheer politica orators. They have progressed so far as to be able to howl a speaker down. They seem to have reduced interruption to a fine art. good men during their prime, pay them in.

And some of the village politicians who have gone through all the degrees have succeeded in breaking up a meeting in disorder. The following passage from a Japanese journal, were it not for the outlandish names might have been cut out of the report of a Canadian country newspaper :

The police were called in and after they had turned the rowdles out they had their We are certain that the vast own innings, and allowed only whom they experience of constitutional government, If the Japanese improve at their present rate it will not be long before they have their Coxey and their General Kelley, and if a revolution does not intervene they may arrive at the point of development in which Pennoyer and a Lewelling are possible.

> oal agitation. The criticism of the newspapers on the policy of the Government is trenchant, and is spiced with personslities which are rather pungent. The Cabinet is as having done anything notably beneficial spoken of as "a do-nothing Cabinet" and to New Westminster or to this Province must an "incapable Cabinet." One of the ministers is stigmatized as a "dinner minlater"; this seems to be equivalent to be on his own side of the House, and some the "figurehead" of Western countries, a little worse. Certainly no one ever misministers are accused of the most flagitious To use a rural simile he was "among the favoritism. So truculent did the Mainichi Shumburi become that it was suspended on the charge of disturbing the peace of the

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THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

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A SOUND PRINCIPLE.

all purchases made by the city exceeding a certain amount, which should not be large, should be by tender. Such a way of purno door open for corruption. In these days public bodies should so conduct their business that there cannot be room for even a suspicion of wrong-doing. Too much care in which money is to be spent. It is far better to err on the side of too great carefulness than on the side of carelessness and coseness. People complain of "red tape," but red tape is a capital thing in its place, and one of its places is the details of the expenditure of public money. No Alderman should take it as a reflection on himself that rulers of Italy in ancient times were rethe Council should insist that a good principle such as calling for tenders for material should be carried out rigidly. If exception can be made in one case, for an apparently good reason, an exception can be made in

if it were his due, and made a tremendously long speech to show that it was all well deserved. No one in Victoria, that we know of, saw anything that was at all wonderful in Mr. Brown's performances, oratorical and favored to speak. This was not bad for a other. He appeared to be a gentleman who country which has had only a few years' was very fond of hearing the sound of his own voice, and who gave every indication of having a very high opinion of himself. Beyond that the frequenter of the gallery of the Legislative Chamber saw nothing that was at all remarkable in Mr. Brown or his performances. He has some remembrance of an amusing episode in one of the debates The journalism of the Japanese appears to in which a member of what was once the be quite as far advanced as the art of politi- independent party described Mr. Brown in caucus as being pretty nearly the whole party—in his own estimation. To see this talkative, self-satisfied gentleman described estimation there were some better men than took him for a great man in esse or in posse. middlings, like small potatoes."

A LOSING GAME The San Francisco Examiner exposes the by-and-by how its Parliaments do their nderstood by the silver men of the United Headache, Constipation, Stomach and Liver troubles, and all derangements of the digestive and assimilative organs. These pills are sugar coated, safe and pleasant to take, always reliable, and retain their virtues in any climate.

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readers of the immense superiority of Great Britain as a trading country over all the nations of the world. It shows that the British bought from the people of the United States \$154,000,000 worth of products more than they sold to all the rest of the world Yet the Americans are insolent-in a commercial sense—to this splendid oustomer who is worth much more to them than all A. B. ERSKINE, mercial sense—to this splendid customer to unimportant countries whose dealings with them sink into insignificance when compared with their trade with Great Britain.

HISTORY REPEATING ITSELF.

The Wise Man said a long time ago that there is nothing new under the sun. There chasing material of different kinds leaves are some bold spirits who have the hardihood to question the truth of this saying, but the longer one lives and the more he knows, the more ready he will be to acknowledge that in the questions that go to cannot be taken in regulating the way make up the problems of life, individual and national, the saying we have quoted is emphatically true.

The British Labor Commissioners, while in quiring into the condition of the working classes in Italy, were struck with the resemblance that the questions which came before them bear to the problems which the quired to consider. They say at the beginn ing of their report on Italy :

The Italian labor question has a twofold aspect. From one point of view it appears as a survival from a former state of society; another for a reason that can be represented as being quite as good. In fact, it should not be in the discretion of the Council to make exceptions in such a matter as this. Committees should be required by law to call for tenders when the sum to be expended exceeds a very small amount.

The plant for the new electric works will cost a large sum of money. It is in the interest of the city that it shall be obtained the contract lies the peculiar interest of her history. The political and economic problems of the present day are closely connected with a feudal and even with a classic past. The agrarian difficulties of the times of the Gracchi though complicated by the slave question were not unlike those of the nineteenth century. Then, as now, complaints were heard of the evil influence of capitalists and the ruin of the small

would gain all the benefit which such an arrangement was capable of yielding, and the United States would suffer all the loss. the United States would suffer all the loss.

Canadians believed that this was a false as ance on the Victoria platform will not soon be forgotten. The programme closed with the National Anthem. The faculty of the reciprocity treaty of the fifties was even more favorable in its operation to the United States than it was to Canada. We find that at least one of experienced tuition. at least one of our neighbors on this Coast is allowing a little light to enter its mind on this subject. The Seattle Telegraph has been making inquiries, and has found that if reciprocity in farm produce, found that if reciprocity in farm produce, most of which is raw, were now in operation between Canada and the United States; the State of Washington would be very considerably the gainer. It finds that higher prices can be had in Victoria, British Columbia, for oats, potatoes, hay, onions, eggs, butter, cheese, beef, mutton, chickens, turkeys and fresh pork than can be obtained in Seattle Things." says the Telegraph, "are higher there than here. If there was free trade between the two countries, Washington would sell British Columbia three dollars' worth for every dollar's worth that British Columbia would sell here." Mr. Steavenson's derection, to an appropriate the Columbia producers are pretty ive audience. The cast was as before: are, and British Columbia consumers are not greatly grieved to see that Americans are finding out that in this matter of reciprocity they are cutting off their noses to spite their faces. With respect to timber reciprocity, at which Washington lumbermen stand aghast and raise a dreadful howl, the comolly of Senator Lodge's scheme to compel at which Washington lumbermen stand Great Britain to accept bi-metallism as it is aghast and raise a dreadful howl, the com-Great Britain to accept bi-metallism as it is understood by the silver men of the United States. There are journalists in San Francisco who approve of Lodge's proposition and would even make it more sweeping. The Examiner, by showing them the extent of the trade between Great Britain and the United States and leaving them to imagine the condition that the Americans would be in if that trade were cut off, shows them what fools they have made of themselves. This is the concluding paragraph of the Examiner's article:

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market then he would have had under reciprocity but the duty does not exclude British Columbia coal from the American market while it forces the American coal consumer to pay a higher price for it than he would if it were allowed to enter the United scription of the drowning of the two sealers, States market duty free. This in these hard times is very far indeed from being a benefit to the American manufacturer, the American railway companies and the American steamship companies. All these people must have British Columbia coal, for it is much superior for their purposes to Washington coal, and they are consequently burdened for the purpose of conferring a doubtful benefit on the coal mining industry of the neighboring State. The Telegraph is right. Our American neighbors ought to see that even such a reciprocity as was estabtished by the old treaty—a reciprocity in the products of the forest, the farm, the sea and the mine, would be quite as beneficial to the United States as it would be to Canada.

IN MUSIC'S REALM.

Delightful Concert by the Faculty and Pupils of the Conservatory -Repeated Attractions.

The repetition of Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," together with selections from the "Creation," given Tuesday night at the Metropolitan church under the direction of Mr. W. Edgar Buck, was quite up to the standard of the first concert given last

Victoria's latest amateur dramatic sucwas repeated Tuesday evening, again under Mr. Steavenson's direction, to an appreciat-

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tainment was of an unusually high order of merit, and might be given a third time with entire success.

THE "LIBBIE'S" SAILORS.

Graphic Description of the Drowning of the Two Men Given by the Only Survivor. A much more graphic and pathetic de-

Henry Jorgeson and J. T. Bodine, than was contained in the letter to Miss Collinson contained in the letter to Miss Collisson referred to in yesterday's Colonist, has been furnished Capt. Hackett by his brother, who commands the Libbie, the vessel to which the lost men belonged. The information, too, comes more directly than that previously obtained, it being told the captain of the Libbie by Melville Collinson, the young man who accompanied Jorgeson and Bodine in their adventure with the whale. Captain Hackett says in his letter that on the 23rd of last month, the doomed boat was lowered with other boats comed boat was lowered with other boats doomed boat was lowered with other boats from the schooner early in the day. With the exception of this boat, they all returned by five o'clock. On account, however, of their being generally late in returning this had caused no particular uneasiness until darkness came on. By that time there was a stiff breeze blowing and the cautain fearing that his more had time there was a stiff breeze blowing and the captain, fearing that his men had been carried to leeward, shaped his course in that direction. As he himself states in his letter it was probably more by good luck than good seamanship that he espied Collinson late in the evening of the same day. A more pitiable sight or a more help-less leeking object could hardly be imagined. Collinson was completely exhausted and his for the new electric works and for the new electric works are for the new electric works are for the new electric works are for the new electric works and is one to the head of the control of the small of the city that it is easily a six and the rain of the small opposite the standard of the control of the small of the control of the control of the small of the control of less lecking object could hardly be imagined. Collinson was completely exhausted and his rescue was extremely timely. His story to a Captain Libbie in short was that about 5-e'clock on the day he and his companions were heading for the schooner, being aided by a sail. On the way the man in the prow called the attention of the others to the immediate proximity of a whale. The others, however, did not realize their danger until they were tossed by the whale about ten feet out of their boat. They were not further troubled by the monster and all being swimmers they succeeded in reaching their boat, which was capsized and badly broken. An attempt was then made to patch up the holes with canvas, but this was of no avail for

(From the Miner.) As R. E. Lemon was leaving the Stanley house between 12 and 1 a m. on the night of Friday last, some one threw a handful of sand into his face, filling his eyes and sand into his face, filling his eyes and causing him intense agony. But for the assistance of Dr. Arthur and Dr. Le Bau, it is probable that Mr. Lemon's sight would have been totally destroyed. Mr. Lemon has no idea who could have done it, nor whether it was the result of a thoughtle jest or malicious assault.

Under one act for the prevention of fire in unincorporated towns and villages, Messrs. John Houston, John H. Matheson and Hamilton G. Neelands have been appointed fire wardens for Nelson and Fort A. ballast car on the Nelson and Fort

A petition has been got up in Kaslo ask-ing Judge Spinks to adjourn all Kaslo cases to that town.

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The Lazaretto Grant-Petition for Parks-The Pythian Decoration Day.

> (Special to the Colonier.) VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, May 22.-C. S. Douglas wa nominated here to day in the Government interests for Richmond riding. The nominee will make a strong candidate, and there is every probability that he will be elected. He was a member of the Manitoba legislature during the Norquay administration and will bring to the Legislative Assembly the strength of parliamentary experience, a decided individuality and good debating powers. Mr. Douglas was for some years the editor and proprietor of a Manitoba newspaper and will thus add journalistic training to his other qualifications. He came to Vancouver about four years ago and has conducted a very successful and very large real estate business ever since, being a man of excellent business qualities. Mr. Douglas is thoroughly well acquainted throughout the riding of Richmond, and besides having considerable interest in the constitution has Identified himself with public affairs there, taking an active part in promoting will make a strong candidate, and there is

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Prof. Romanes, M.A., Ll.D. He spent his boyhood in Eogland, France, Germany and Italy, and was educated by tutors and in private schools. In 1867 he entered Contille and Caius college, Cambridge, He graduated in natural science in 1871, and was Burney prize essayist in 1873, and Cronian lecturer to the Royal Society in 1875. He was elected a fellow of the Royal Society in 1879. In 1881 he received the honorary degree of LL D. from the University of Aberdeen. While at Cambridge he formed an intimate acquaintance with the late Mr. Darwin, and afterwards continued to be an ardent member of the Darwinian school. His work on the "Origin of the Human Faculty," and his paper on "Physiological Selection, an Additional Suggestion on the Origin of Species," have given rise to animated discussion. Mr. Romane was Fullerayen professor of physiology in the Royal Institution of London, and Rosebery lecturer on natural history in the University of Edinburgh. boyhood in England, France, Germa

NANAIMO ELECTRIC ROAD.

The Proposition Submitted to the Council by the Promoters of the New Schen

The Maclachian Search.

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W. J. Dowler, city clerk at Victoria, has sent the council here the correspondence received by him in relation to the \$1,000 appropriated by the Dominion Government to aid the lepers. The letters showed that the \$1,000 was intended for Victoria, in spite of the fact that the Dominion Government to at the lepers. The letters showed that the \$1,000 was intended for Victoria, in spite of the fact that the Dominion Government to have the sity to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to purchase land for public parks when the city to

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As he remarked, the road is for the convenience of a population of close on 12,000, divided between Nanaimo, Northfield and

reports having experienced rough weather. A tidal wave struck the vessel, washing two men overboard and carrying away two boats. The men were rescued. The Captain and twenty men of the American sealing schooner Henry Dennis, which recently grounded and became a wreck on Shibotan island, have reached Hakodate.

THE TERMINAL CITY.

Verdict Against the Tramway Company \$6,000 Damages—Crowds Leaving for Victoria—Freshet on the Fraser.

New Westminster, May 23 - (Special) -The jury in the case of Mrs. Carry Hargraves vs. the Westminster & Vancouver Tramway Co. for damages arising out of an VIENNA, May 23—Two men attacked Deputy Kaiser, a notorious Anti-Semite, in the streets yesterday and lashed him with a leather white. for \$10,000. The medical evidence showed that Mrs. Hargreaves will probably be a cripple for life from concussion of the shin.

Great crowds will leave the city by steamer to morrow for Victoria for the celebration.

The water in the Fraser at Yale has risen 15 feet this week, and the freshet is coming down faster than ever to-day.

THE CRUISER "COLUMBIA."

WASHINGTON, May 23 .- The official re-AN ILLUSTRIOUS CANADIAN.

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F.R.S., LL.D., died suddenly at Oxford today. He was born in Kingston, Canada,
May 20, 1848, his father being the late Rev. CAPITAL NOTES.

Chilliwack and Nicola Valley Rail- Liberal Midland Federation to Wage way-The Tariff Almost Completed.

McMullen "Nosing Out" a Scandal-Royal Society—Adjourning Over Queen's Birthday.

(From our own Correspondent.)
OTTAWA, May 22.—All the British Colum oia members interviewed Sir John Thomp on and Hon. Messrs. Daly and Haggart this evening, and strongly pressed the claims of the Chilliwack and Nicola Valley railway for a federal subsidy.

Sir John Thompson gave notice of motion this afternoon to appoint a judge for the Kootenay district, but to-night withdrew it, and I hear that the judge of Yale will continue to cover Kootenay. The House decided to adjourn to-morrow

and representative gathering.

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mportant papers were read.

Mr. Campbell, lighthouse keeper at St. Pauls, has been dismissed for endeavoring to influence public sentiment against the government of the day.

The June drill camps have been postponed

until autumn as the appropriations cannot be obtained in time.

Six government bills were introduced this afternoon, four relating to the Inland Reve-

atternoon, four relating to the inland Revenue department and two to Sir John Thompson's department.

The Privileges and Elections committee was organized to-day and appointed Mr. Girouard chairman. The charges against Mr. Turcotte will be investigated next week.

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of the public when railway construction commences. At present there is no news of railway building in the near future, and we cannot expect any rapid development of that part of the country until the railway is brought in, to develop its rich resources. Capt. Armstrong, with his characteristic enterprise, is about to start a new steamer to run from Golden, via the Canai, from the Columbia lake to Kootenai river. It will there meet a steamer which runs from Jennings, on the Great Northern, to Fort Steele, thus making through steam connection between Jennings and Golden, a distance of about 270 miles."

PENNSYLVANIA FLOODS.

At Least Three Millions Worth of Damage Done and Ten Thousand Homes Invaded.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 23.—The losses here, as estimated by conservative men, are \$3,000,000. This includes \$1,500,000 on looking the courts of Cassaction, twenty courts of Cassaction, the twenty courts of the Cassaction of the British are uninteed that the provided the Amount of tassing could get him to stand or cose his temper. Sandow lifted him from the twenty counts of the Cassaction of the British in ground and swung him squad and wound, but it was of no avail. After ten make the must of the action of the British in ground and swung him squad and wound, but it was of no avail. After ten make the must of the first for the Cassaction of the British in ground and swung him squad and wound, but it was of no avail. After ten make the must of the Sandow. Bosone was in the cage all the the provided the army session of the Bri \$3,000,000. This includes \$1,500,000 on

CABLE NEWS.

War on Joe Chamberlain-Latest From Samoa.

McCarthy on the Vote on the Budget -French Politics-Terrer in Servia.

LONDON, May 23.-Lord Rosebery arrived at Birmingham to-day, where he was enthusiastically received. It is understood that his advent means the creation of a new Midland Liberal federation which will wage war upon Joseph Chamberlain. The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a letter

the oabinet together, owing to his fear of Sir William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the House by Mr. Asquith.

The Government will be asked in the House whether it has reached a decision in regard to sending representatives to the international conference at Ottawa; also as to the result of Alexander Young's Crofter settlements in Canada, complaint having been made that they had been ill treated by the agent of the Imperial colonization board.

Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone is suffering Mr. McMullen wanted to know why a nine foot square electric mat had been purchased for the Assistant Receiver General's office at Victoria. He thought if it was a luxury the officer ought to have paid for it himself. Hon. Mr. Foster said he did not Cambridge and others. The Duke declared that the complete success.

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Sydney advices from Samoa up to May 17 are that King Malietoa gave the Aana rebels until May 19 to lay down their arms. If they refused he would attack them at Atua. Government troops are ready for action and the rebels seemed inclined to do to the seemed inclined to do the seemed inclined t

a gross attack on the High Commissioner to-day. He called him a political Belshazzar.

Hon. Mr. Haggart announced to-day that the Intercolonial Railway returns to the end of June make a better showing than ever.

The Royal Society met again to day, and

the fate of the government. It urges fevery member to be present.

French Socialist Deputy Auez and an Anarchist had a free fight in the streets of Tarbee last night. The Anarchist was subsequently attacked by the crowd.

Premier Perier has had a long interview with President Carnot and declined to withdraw his resignation. Dupuy, president of the chamber of deputies, will consult M. Carnot this afternoon. All the papers agree that M. Perier rode for a fall. Le Matin says it will not be the last Socialist victory. The Socialist and Radical press says M. Perier retired to avoid an inevitable fall. Le Matin publishes an interview in which Le Matin publishes an interview in which M. Perier declares that when a ministry lost its authority with the chamber it ought to resign.

Dean Vaughan has announced that he will

resign the mastership of the Temple on July

The anti-slavery society of London has learned that the slave trade between West Africa and the islands of Sac Thome and Arrica and the islands of Sao Thome and Principe continues despite Portugal's pledge at the Brussels conference to end it. No Portuguese steamer leaves Benguella or Novo Redondo without a partial cargo of slaves for Loando or Soa Thome. In most cases the slaves are sold to owners of coffee plantations. The trade in young children is especially large.

attawn. The syndicate has 50,000,000 lire capital and will pay the government 40,000, to adopt the annually. Ten million lire will be adopted and bonds representing 60,000,000 lire will be ultimately taken up by the syndicate as guarantess.

English underwriters offer 70 per cent. for re-insurance of the British ship Senegal, which left San Diego in ballast for Tacoma on March 15 and has not since been heard of.

Two thousand coal porters who struck on Saturday at Port Said for higher wages rioted in the streets and fought the police. Some 25 strikers and several policemen were injured. All the workingmen are greatly excited and the whole police force has been ordered out to patrol the streets. The East Prussian Conservative union expelled Count von Doenhoff on Saturday because he voted for the Russo-German company and the recommendations are carried out. The dimensions of the Atlantic twessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels are: Length, 572 feet; load draught, 30. The vessels will be two feet deeper than the Campania, owing to the shorter voyage. Each vessel will have accommodations for 300 salcon passengers, 200 cabin and 1,000 steerage passengers. The engines will be of 21,000 horse-power, and the speed in ordinary weather will be 20 fit may be seen on a cruise from Milford Haven under the auspices of the Great Western railway, the Pembroke dock board and the local chamber of commerce. After a short trip seaward the party inspected the approaches to the docks and the docks themselves. Mr. Huddart did not give any opinion of the harbor of principle had proved the salvation of the German empire and it was likely to be such again.

Letters from St. Petersburg say that the

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Letters from St. Petersburg say that the plan to hold manceuvres around Smolensk next fall has been abandoned, owing to a discovery of documents which point to a plot to kill the Czar during his proposed visit to the town.

The Italian chamber of deputies yesterday began the debate on Baron Sonnino's financial proposition. The item concerning the reduction of interest on government bonds is strongly opposed. Ninety-one deputies will make speeches on the finance minister's programme. The newspapers say that the government has decided to abolish the three courts of Cassation, twenty courts

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association has sent a memorial against foroit g council bitls upon the market in excessive amounts during the slack exporteason. The signers asy the action of the government depresses exchange, and is causing a panic and paralyzing trade.

Professor James B. ide has been appointed President of the British Board of Trade, in succession to Ra Hon. A. J. Mundella who resigned a few days age. Baron Tweedmouth succeeds Prof. Bryce as chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster.

The volcano on the island of Stromboli, Italy, is showing great activity. The eruption is increasing in violence and there are frequent earthquakes. The people living on the island have left their houses in terror. The government has sent two vessels to the

eed.
Truth, in an article endorsing the Lancet's war upon Joseph Chamberlain.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a letter alleged to have been written by a person enjoying intimate relations with several members of the cabinet, who says Lord Rosebery is unequal to the task of holding the cabinet together, owing to his fear of Sir William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the William Harcourt. The writer says Lord Rosebery is trying to supplant him in the leadership of the Manchester ship canal, makes an unmeasured onslaught upon the work. The water is in a filthy condition, receiving as it does the sewerage of the canal the country as it says, "is little better than an open sewer. The water is in a filthy condition, receiving as it does the sewerage for the mine owners and attack views on the Manchester ship canal, makes ing the Company's men who are employed in keeping the mines open. After the riot on Tuesday evening, in which some eight of the cabal trying to the property of the mine owners and attack."

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London, May 22.—One of the doctors who examined the body of Anarchist Henri, who was guillotined Monday morning, expressed the opinion that he died of syncope, due to intense excitement, before the knife was released. Henri's body will be cremated by the authorities to prevent a repetition of the Anarchist manifestations when Vaillant was buried.

Coding, Cerezuela, Some Barnat Viller

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Codina, Cerezuela, Sogas, Bernat, Villarubia and Mir, Anarchists, were executed at
Barcelona on Monday morning outside the
citadel of Mont Juch. Sogas and Cerezuela oitsdel of Mont Juch. Sogas and Cerezuela joined in the prayers of the priests, and their companions shouted revolutionary cries. The Anarchists were placed in line with their faces to the wall of the citadel. At the

ment is to be questioned regarding amendments to the customs act with a view to enabling the colonies to conclude preferential trade arrangements with one another.

The Koelnische Zeitung says that never before have the Berlin and Frankfort bourses aversigned such a trade arrangements.

before have the Berlin and Frankfort bourses experienced such a stagnation of trade. In Frankfort the total transactions of one day last week covered only 200 shares. The new bourse taxes have increased the depression, as the parties to contracts have failed to make any general agreement how the taxes shall be shared, and therefore are hampered by the recessity of special provisions for by the necessity of special provisions for

very bargain. There was considerable uproar in the There was considerable uproar in the French Deputies to-day over socialist Deputy Guisede's demand for urgency on the miners' eight hour bill, which was finally referred to the ordinary labor committee. Premier Pereira then demanded the order of

Premier Pereira then demanded the order of the day, pure and simple, which was reject-ed by 265 to 225. All the cabinet withdrew, and it is reported they have resigned. The Graphic says that an operation will be performed on Mr. Gladstone's eyes within the next ten days. Mr. Gladstone will re-main in town while recovering from the

operation.

It is said that Prince Krapotkin, the celebrated nihilist, returned to Russia in disguise some time ago and was arrested some three weeks since.

Edmund Yates' body will be cremated at Woking cemetery on May 24.

The Queen has knighted Mr. George Williams, president of the Young Men's Christian Association. Mr. Williams was the chief mover in the formation of the association and the honor is conferred upon him in connection with the Association's jubilee.

Ninety-nine Chances to the Brute's

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23 .- Over 3,000 people assembled at Central park last night papers began. to see the much talked of wrestling match between Sandow, the perfect man, and Col. Daniel E. Boone's tame lion Commodore. Daniel E. Boone's tame lion Commodore. Commodore was muzzled, his paws were encased in big boxing gloves, and he was so handicapped that free action was almost impossible. When Sandow entered the iron cage the lion was lying on all fours, and no amount of teasing could get him to stand or lose his temper. Sandow lifted him from the ground and swung him around and around, but it was of no avail. After ten minutes of this farce the match was given to Sandow. Boone was in the cage all the time with a pistol in each hand.

Mowat's First Campaign Address—Principal Grant a Government Supporter—Accidentally Asphyxiated.

TORONTO, May 23.—(Special)—The Globe announces that Sir Oliver Mowat will make his first address of the campaign in London West on Monday night. Hon. Mr. Hardy and Mr. Harcourt will also speak.

Rev. Principal Grant, of Kingston, comes out as a strong supporter of Sir Oliver Mowat's government.

The government has sent two vessels to the action of the striking miners, who are taking island to relieve the inhabitants in case of the law in their own hands and destroying the property of the mine owners and attack-Taylor and a posse of fifty deputies took possession of the mines, and have kept the strikers at bay. This afternoon word was passed among the strikers that the La Salle coal and carbon shaft was furnishing coal to the Illinois Central railroad, and in half an hour a motley mob' of 500 Italians, Poles and Hungarians gathered at the shaft and emptied the chutes down on the railway track. Sheriff Taylor attempted to stop the proceedings, and was attacked by them, and a hand to hand fight took place in which it was feared for a few minutes that the sheriff and his deputies would be badly injured, but the La Salle police rescued them before greater injury than a good pounding was inflicted. The crowd was so compact that to use revolvers or clubs was out of the question and further trouble is expected.

BRADVILLL, Pa., May 23—This town was surrounded by 200 striking coal miners yesterday morning and only 30 non-union miners were allowed to work. The mob shot into a house where non-union men had taken refuge. It is not known if any were injured or not, as the mob has surrounded the house and will not allow the imprisoned men to come out. Fully 2,000 strikers have surrounded the

faces to the wall of the citadel. At the first volley from the troops only four of the convicts fell dead. A second volley was necessary to kill Sogas and Codina.

The German federation council has not yet acted on the bill to repeal the anti-Jesuit law, although the reichstag sentup the measure weeks ago. This delay has caused in creasing anxiety in certain circles, and the federal government have been flooded with isquiries as to the significance of the council's hesitation.

Notice has been given that the government is to be questioned regarding amendplant, arrived this afternoon with twenty deputies, but if any attempt is made to operate the plant trouble will result, as the strikers are armed and declare that they will not allow the non-union men to ente the mines.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

London, May 21 .- Mr. W. R. Meredith arrived on Friday night, and was received by the mayor and officers of the Conservaby the mayor and omeers of the Conserva-tive association and hundreds of his ad-mirers. He was escorted by a torchlight procession and several bands to his bro-ther's residence, where he addressed the crowd. The East Middlesex Liberals have nominated R. W. Jackson for the Legisla-

GUELPH, May 21.-William Ross, a wood dealer of this city, who claimed to have been gagged and robbed of \$600 and beaten insensible by three weeked high members. been gagged and robbed of \$600 and beaten insensible by three masked highwayemn, who afterwards threw him into a swamp, has confessed that he had concected the story of the affair himself as a blind to cover up his losses of money in business

St. Johns, Nfld., May 22.—The excitement at Bay de Verde is intense. Persistent

GRAVENHURST, May 23—Thos. P. Kenyon and Hugh Wylic capsized in Gull lake yesterday. Both clung to the boat for a long time, but Kenyon finally let go and was drowned. The other man drifted ashore. MONTREAL, May 23.—Bishop Lafleche has celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his

ordination as a priest. OTTAWA, May 23.—The Royal Society is in full swing of business and pleasure today. The general meeting this morning lasted from 9:30 to 10:30, after which the sections were formed and the reading of

TORONTO TOPICS.

Mowat's First Campaign Address—Principal Grant a Government Supporter—Acci-dentally Asphyxiated.

Expenditure on Works of Develop ment Has Made Canada Great.

British Columbia's Progress Must be on the Lines of the

The Government of Canada lent to the Grand Trunk something over \$15,000,000, which with interest now amounts to over \$25,000,000, the Intercolonial Railway cost about \$55,000,000, the Prince Edward Island about \$3,750,000, the Canadian Pacific and Branches about \$63,500, 000, the Canada Central about \$1,525,000. other railways about \$7,000,000; which up to end of 1892 amounted to \$155,775, 000; the Canals have cost over \$70,000, 000; Public Works \$50,000,000, total \$275,775,000. Of this sum \$190,000,000 is credited or rather debited to Capital account since Confederation.

When we add to this vast sum what was spent for steamship subsidies and in other ways intended to develop the latent resources of half a continent and for the purpose, as one writer expressed it, of overcoming the physical barriers to communication and of welding a series of disconnected provinces into a compact whole, we can best appreciate the wisdom of a policy of expenditure which, though it brought the gross debt of Canada from \$93,000,000 in 1867, to \$295. 000.000 in 1892, and the net debt from \$76,000,000 to \$241,000,000 in the same time, or in other words was trebled in twenty-five years; on the other hand it trebled the assets, and advanced the credit of the country, so that while the debt trebled the amount of interest only about doubled and the net rate of interest was reduced from 4.51 to 2.93.

The consequence of this was an expansubstantial character, is unrivalled by comparison. The total trade in 1867 was \$130,000,000, in 1892 it was \$240,000,000, and to day the trade of Canada has overtopped its record and this despite the fact that universal depression has reigned for a recent period during which the trade of nearly every other country has seriously diminished.

to \$37,000,000 in 1892.

Canada in that time has spanned the continent with a railway and provided a net-work of railways for the people. She has created the most gigantic system of ing up vast possibilities for her future in

All of this has been accomplished as

practically completed those great public works of necessity, has reached a point of so on, will produce. equilibrium from which it will recede. while her sources of revenue will expand proceed to do everything at once. It has the past two years had it not been for of all kinds, the gordian knot has been more and more rapidly as the problem of evidenced the willingness to do all it can these public works the suffering experidevelopment works itself out more and and as fast as it can. There is the mean enced would have been greatly aug more fully

The circumstances which affected Canada in a large way affect British Columbia in a proportionately smaller way, only that the physical conditions-of natural barriers to development-are more pronounced in the latter case. British Columbia has, comparatively speaking, a harder problem of success to solve, and therefore the moral of the conditions and events out of which were evolved great results in Canada, applies with greater force in this Province.

In proportion to our means and populations, British Columbia has a greater task in order to meet the requirements of ment has endeavored to consider and \$6,412,830. If the expenditure goes on coals will be less keenly felt, and consetensive area of country, the long distances intervening between settlements, the rugged exterior of the Province and the many other well known obstacles to surmount in the way of communication, all render the expenditure of large sums of money absolutely necessary to effect the must stake on its future. It must follow principles of stable government. Coxey's desired ends—settlement, intercommunit out a liberal and judicious policy of de- army may be, and undoubtedly is, a cation and development of industry. If velopment and trust to the results of such it were not known that the Province was a policy in making the Province richer failure except as a finger-post in United abundant in resources from end to end, and greater in return. We are all here States history and a monument to hard the Government would not be justified in because we are sanguine of the future. times, but it is a legitimate political proentering upon a policy of opening it up. If we do not believe that what is neces-duct. The Argentine Republic failures But, our great varied riches conceded, to sary to accomplish our hopes is feasible were the beginning of the great monetary reach and develop them, we must have and possible, then we had better organize depression. The Australian collapse set railways, roads, bridges, schools and all a general exodus.

We must stop or go ahead. To go ahead means money.

ments demand

railway construction is difficult, population small, home trade limited, and resufficient faith to undertake ourselves. are not worthy of the Province. In no country has investment in railways proved fairly remunerative. Experience extending over a number of years has proved this. Only India and Germany, withdense populations, can earn over 5 per cent. in capital, the average being 34 per over the average and eleven less than the

average. What, then, may be expected in British Columbia? In the United Kingdom the interest on railway capital has varied in thirty-five years from 3.7 per cent. to 4.1 per cent., and that with How the Ers of Hard Times Has Been population of 35,000,000.

There is only one course open in order to secure and advance railways, and that is to assume burdens of debt and look for indirect returns in the increase of revenue and population.

From all parts of the Province com demands for expenditure in every form. No member of Parliament, Opposition or supporter, has ever opposed the Govern nent for expenditure in his own district. On the other hand, each representative has complained that his particular district has been unjustly dealt with.

Yet, when the aggregate of expenditur omes to be considered, those in Opposition assert that the country is going to the dogs because revenue does not keep pace with expenditure.

No one with reason and common sense ment borrowed money with the assent of Parliament, and the country depends on works of development. That money has been expended and is being expended for It has been even designated as the reprethe purposes for which it was voted and sentative of "Mossbackism." intended and the country is benefiting by Now, however, since the tide of specu-

We have the direct and unmistakable importance in the Province. Such progress is phenomenal even in the West, and was not possible without large expenditures from the Provincial Treasury, which is reaping in return substantial revenues from that district. Had the born financier" who rules the editorial of ore in sight, and the Nelson Tribune, ancing of revenue and expenditure West aspires to be the next Premier, will ad- 000 worth of silver would go out in 1894 Revenue rose from \$14,000,000 in 1868 Kootenay would have been, comparamit the possibility of even the greatest of By the end of the year it will have three

In Yale we find a similar illustration of this policy of expenditure. Without the ment has spent money where it deemed Shuswap & Okanagan railway it would it necessary, and held back where the have been still entered by stage coaches. burdens of the Province would have in Cariboo, where half a million dollars is canals in the world; and she has estab. As it is, the people of British Columbia dished steamship lines, diverting trade of company, who look to all the demands for expenditure from for \$1,000,000 as the first season's cleanthe world through her territory and open- Okanagan, just now through railway and all quarters, it would have truly bank-

the result of a wise and statesmanlike effects of railways in these districts and necessary, the wisdom of conservatism in of an abundant return. and far-seeing policy of public expendi- in regard to Vancouver, Victoria, West- public undertakings in the past is apparture. Canada has sown liberally that minster and Nanaimo during the past five ent. The result is that while business is anticipated, and as a successful inauguor six years, we may easily judge of what men have been hauling in sail on all ration of the deep sea fishing has been ac-Her public debt, now that she has the projected enterprises in regard to sides, the Government, with unimpaired complished, we may look for a steady de-Chilliwack, Delta, Nicola, Cariboo, and credit, is able to go ahead, and thus mavelopment of this most important of our

The Government, of course, cannot between undue and lavish expenditure and parsimony to observe, and this it has carefully endeavored to do.

wants to take into consideration, judicial administration, hospitals, asylums and the promotion of the agricultural inter- resources and credit being crippled, the an important effect in building up the ests in various ways, mining, etc., and cessation of payments brought about a the administration of public service, be- general collapse, and the Governments country or Province without the backsides the duty of educating the young, in were unable to lend a helping hand, havwhich the Province has expended very ing already depleted their reserve forces. large amounts.

motion of all these interests the Govern- 888,296. This gave a monthly deficit of still keep the revenue and expenditure exceeding the revenue at this rate to the within reasonable bounds. With all this end of June, there will be a deficit of the debt has not much exceeded the over \$72,000,000. The spectacle of

faith in the future of this Province, they disregard of the lessons of history and the

other facilities which modern require- If the people of the Province are not to be inspired by the example and success of the Dominion in carrying out the greatest system of public works in propor-Above all the necessity of this new tion to the population the world ever country is railways. In a country where knew, and in the face of tremendous financial and physical difficulties, then not unaided undertake what we have not worthy of the effort or that the people

The French consul at Bangkok has obtained reparation from the Siamese Government for the recent attack of the Siamese upon French sailors.

Tided Over and Depression Relieved

Expenditure in Needed Public Works-Bright Prospects of Immediate Revival.

policy pursued was in harmony with the unemployed at work in the old capitol to and desire simply to credit them with expanding elements in our Provincial pull down the walls and build them up having pursued a policy—defective it may placed in tabulated form as follows: possible to pursue.

Looking over the controversial issues of politics for the past seven or eight years, we find that until very recently No one with reason and common sense can maintain that at the present stage the Government of British Columbia has such a thing is possible. The Government of British Columbia has been blamed more particularly for not have been necessary and useful works,

lation has been turned or held back, and because in the cycle of events hard times we have been swept by the tail end of would come again. His prescience probalation has been turned or held back, and results of it in two particular instances. the comet of hard times, the "evil" in-Take West Kootenay and Yale. Five fluences of which have been severely felt the boom times our Government did not years ago West Kootenay was a wilderness, in nearly every country in the world, we clap on all sail, but on the other hand, it when Nelson and Kaslo and all the rest find these aspiring politicians endeavor- was said, was over conservative and slow. of the aspiring towns there were unknown ing to get astride of the same comet's tail Had it done so we would not to-day have and unthought of. There was practically and swing into power, crying that the been in the position to branch out in exno communication into it. To-day we Government have been too lavish and are penditure when most needed. find six or seven well established lines of bankrupting the Province. The endeavors mmunication, with several more imme- of such men who, professing to be in of a return of great prosperity in this diately in prospect. We find a number favor of development, condemn the Province. For some years the lumber of budding and promising towns and a spending of money, would indicate some industry, which has struggled along rapidly growing and sturdy population of policy of nebulous inflation whereby by a about 10,000, numerous mining camps, paper fiat they would create money and Hastings Mills, one of the leading export large quantities of ore being shipped and capital to build up a country without sion of trade, which, for its steady and all the evidences of a growing community, pledging the country's credit for it. with prospects of being second to none in Their position is anomalous and preposterous.

The truth is, the Government of British servative. It has made mistakes. What and the prospec's are excellent. Government has not? Even the "heavencolumns of the News-Advertiser, and we think it was, prophesied that \$12,000, men, among whom he modestly classes systems of railway, tapping its marvelhimself, making mistakes. The Govern- lously rich metalliferous lodes. been unduly increased. Had it listened steamboat facilities entering upon a rupted its resources. Now that hard in the Big Bend country and in many times are upon us, and the necessity for other places, the greatest activity in hy-When we consider the stimulating retrenchment in every line of business is draulicing is being shown, with prospects terially ease the financial stringency by resources. In finding a market for our carrying on needful public works. During halibut, our fresh salmon and cured fishes

The results of a contrary policy have been strikingly illustrated in the United our agricultural interests, and now that There have been besides railways and States, Australia and South America. roads and bridges to build many other While times were good the Government in those countries spent money lavishly. When depression set in, their financial At the close of the fiscal year, ending The conservation, protection and pro- June 30, 1893, there was a deficit of \$44,limits of that of one or two of the leading Coxey's army marching on to Washing- industry, now suffering from a glut in the ton is unique in history, and exemplifies If the Government and the people have a condition of affairs brought about by "crank" movement, doomed to dismal it in full tide, and the American socalled "silver question" was its culmina-

been shown in not having lost its head of things will have been supplied and being plotted and mapped so that the during good times, and being able during ready to hand, and the Province will be immigrant may be thoroughly informed bad times to carry on uninterruptedly a enabled to enter fully and without delay respecting it at the Land Office. But we system of wise expenditure. It is during into an unexampled era of prosperity.

In saying what we have so far, it is not avenues of expenditure for private and with the object of exalting the Governbusiness purposes are closed up and ment or any of its members into paragons economies everywhere are effected, that a of wisdom or greatness. We do not wish wise and liberal policy of expenditure is to exempt them from faults or condone We have indicated some of the conditions which affected the development of this Province. We have shown, and it contended very conclusively, that the of Quebec, when the Government set the more nor less human than their fellows, our case either, as it was in the Province shadows. We believe them to be neither growth and the only successful policy again in order to supply work. We have been in many minor points—which have unfortunately our unemployed, but throughout has had a good, sound busiin one way or other we have been able to ness basis, was on the whole well carried provide them with means of subsistence out, and is now being rewarded with a without resort in any important degree large measure of success. such as would have been justified at any time and all the more welcome now. It was Sir Leonard Tilley we think A Comparison in Figures Which Indi-

who, after inaugurating the National Policy, advised the people of Canada to clap on all sail for the next seven years,

mills in the Province, has already charters ahead sufficient to keep it employed for the rest of the year and is now in full blast. Victoria, for the first time in its history, is loading lumber for foreign Columbia has been liberal, while con- markets. Other mills are starting up

One of the largest hydraulic mining being spent by one company, who look

vill be a large one.

There was never a time either in which so much interest has been manifested in the element of speculative real estate values has been eliminated, farming seems to have started on a course of legicountry and making it rich; because any bone of agriculture must be for all time handicapped in the import of the necessaries of life which that industry affords.

With the improvement on freight rates the competition in British and Australian quently increased demand for British Columbia coal in the American market,

In all these respects the outlook is more promising than it ever has been before. There is the promise of legitimate industries on a large scale taking the place of propositions on paper, which in too many instances have failed to answer the expectations of either the promoter or investor. In all these respects, too, the Government has lent a helping hand and given every assistance possible.

The beneficent result of a policy of expenditure in development are being shown and will appear more fully from year to year. The Government did not wait for These things all reacted on British Collumber to get better in price, or mines to umbia, depending as it did largely on be developed, or the fisheries to go ahead, foreign capital, and a very marked pro- or farming produce to have a surplus, to gress has been temporarily checked; but provide means of communication and pro- lockups, \$26,985; 12 court houses, \$190,the remarkable fact is here to be noted ject public works. With railways into 692; 595,000 acres of land surveyed, there is but one of two conclusions to that British Columbia, outside of the Kootenay, into the Nicola Valley, into \$83,424; 1,200 miles of road, 800 miles turns largely in the future, capital will arrive at: either that the Province is not Dominion of Canada, South Africa and Chilliwack, into the Okanagan Valley, of trail, 600 bridges and 5,000 miles of New Zealand, is about the only Province into Cariboo and elsewhere, there is a cer-roads and bridges kept in repair, at a er country—to speak of it in that respect tain prospect of these various districts at—which has been able during a period of taining to a measure of their opportuni\$2,007,225, or a total expenditure on extreme depression to carry on public ties. In other words, the Government public works during this period of over works in a greater degree even than be- has not waited for the times to get good \$2,000,000. If we deduct from this fore, without impairing its credit or to move in these matters. They have, \$300,000 for repairs, we have still an

at in progress, or the indications are of that being very soon in this Province, all the facilities for taking advantage of the improved condition this is now open for settlement and is

cates the Progress of Seven Years.

and Shows the Province to Be Healthy and Vigorous and Its Wealth Doubling and Trebling Up.

Having reviewed the pelicy of the Gov rnment extending over a number of years, and carefully analyzed the conditions which have entered into and dietat ed that policy, let us now briefly and accurately present some of the results.

We propose to illustrate by a few figares of comparison the progress which the country has made since 1886, the period at which for convenience we have drawn the line between the old and new conditions inth is Province. In this we do not propose to point to the marvellous progress made in particular districts, such as West Kootenay, Okanagan and Westminster, or in the cities of the Coast, because that is within the personal knowledge of us all and self-evident, but consider the Province as a whole.

The aggregate of import and export trade of the Province in 1887 was \$6,-919,453; in 1892 it was \$13,070,578, The revenue of the Province in 1886.

was \$515,282; in 1893, \$1,019,206, The ordinary assets of the Province in

1886 were \$789,829 ; in 1893, \$1,492,734. The aggregate assessment in the four cities of the Coast in 1886 was \$10,750;-000; in 1893, \$46,750,000. The population of 1881 was 49,459; in

1893 (census returns), 98,170.

The number of schools in 1886 was 92 in 1893, 166

The number of teachers employed in 1886 was 116; in 1893, 242, The number of pupils in attendance

1886 was 5,345; in 1893, 11,496. The average attendance in 1886 wa ,873 ; in 1893, 7.111.

The expenditure for education in 188 was \$88,521; in 1893, \$190,558. The value of our fisheries in 1886 was

\$1,974,887; in 1893, \$4,250,000;

ment in 1886 was \$73,177; in 1893, The output of coal in 1887 was

360 tons; in 1893, 978,294 tons. Since the year 1886 there has been ex ended: In hospitals and public institutio

\$300,000; in education, \$913,000; in roads, streets, bridges and wharves, \$1, 450,349; in works and buildings, \$546, 949; in surveys, \$166,677. Besides the cost of the administration

of justice, civil government and all the rest of it, in forms of land subsidy or guarantee, assistance has been granted to the following roads that are either completed or under way : The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Shuswap & Okanagan, Columbia & Kootenay, Nelson & Fort Sheppard, Nakusp & Slocan, Kaslo & Slocan and Victoria & Sidney Railways.

The other railways to which the Legis ative Assembly has pledged assistance are the British Columbia Southern, the Chilliwack Railway, the Nicola Valley Railway, the Asheroft & Cariboo Railway; and in this connection the assistance guaranteed to the bridge over the Frase at Westminster is to be considered. The assistance guaranteed to the pro

notion of the dyking and drainage in Westminster district is in line with the foregoing enterprises and not less im-

We quote here from the Budget Speech

of the Hon. the Finance Minister : "There have been built 110 school houtes at a cost of \$174,441; 10 jails and straining its finances. Since the completo drop into metaphor, greased the expenditure of some \$1,700,000 on public tion of the C.P.R. there has never been wheels of Fortune's car in order that she works, which are now represented by such activity in railway construction or may arrive more speedily. When times assets that are fully equal to the expendiso many public works of benefit and do get good again, and as we have said ture that has been made on them. We

alone at least at one dollar per acre, and have to add to these assets the public works that will result from the expenditure which has now to be voted, amounting to considerably over \$400,000. This shows that the funds which we obtained expressed its own opinion of through the House at the time these loans were voted on for the purpose of public works."

A summary of the results may be

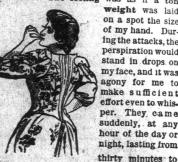


at \$1,150,000, of which sites cost in round numbers \$100,000.

Paris newspapers say an anarchist has been arrested who has been identified as the organizer of the international association of anarchists, founded to destroy the enemies of anarchy.

"For Years,"

Bays CARRIE E. STOCKWELL, of Chester extremely severe pain in the lower part of weight was laid



perspiration would my face, and it was make sufficient effort even to whisper. They came suddenly, at any night, lasting from thirty minutes to

half a day, leaving as suddenly; but, for several days after, I was quite prostrated and sore. Sometimes the were almost daily, then less frequent. After about four years of this suffering, I was taken down with billous typhoid fever, and when I began to recover, I had the worst attack of my old trouble I ever experienced. At the first of the fever, my mother gave me Ayer's Pills, my doctor recommending them as being better than anything he could prepare. I continued taking these Pills, and so great was the benefit derived that during nearly thirty years I have had but one attack of my former trouble, which yielded readily to the same remedy."

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First of the Holiday Yachts H

Regatta Programme Entries In-No



nothing undone" this we tribute to a duplication of 'ninety-three. Already fleet are at anchor in th owners, skippers and crewi with the local yachtsmen to of measurements, course and with adjournment to consult The first of the flotilla rou entrance shortly after noon was a few minutes later Rainier, Captain W. C. Heil

Rainier, Captain W. C. Heil awiftest of the Seattle floame the Kelpie (Commo Sanders' flagship), the well it the sloop rigged rigged Foan Bremerton and the Earl-Seattle yacht club's colors. new acquaintances—all are the people of Victoria wish cabin boy to commodore, a which they will do their best This creditable fleet rendez Seattle on Saturday night, anchor at 9 30 a.m. Sunday signal from the commodore. Port Townsend, more than he was covered with fair thoug a drizzling rain, which gave o flotilla approached Point No the "tide-rips" gave all hand exercise before they were su fair breeze which took the Townsend. There they remauntil 4 30 yesterday mornin Kelpie took the lead and the toria commenced. The strong to a light breeze seen Acipie took the lead and the toria commenced. The strong to a light breeze, soon gave and the Edna M. an advanta deep draft rival, whom the to and passed. Then came (not agreeable) in the form through which all hands stee and compass, nor were permeach other until the cloud-by disclose the Edna M. in the load. disclose the Edna M. in the lea the San Pedro wreck. In her Kelpie, steering straight for th not a foot out of her cour Ratnier off to leeward and taki of the current. The tide was and so the fleet did not enter all aboard had lunched; the the day was spent in entert from the city, holystoning th preparing generally for the cot of sport and pleasure.

The Kelpie (the commodore)

largest yacht on the Sound heavily built, drawing eight Her great draft of water of c admirably for deep sea serviadmirably for deep sea service her very secure; with a full she can 'beat 'em all,' her skipper and his crew her skipper and E. C. Cawley.

Unlike these gentlemen, the people are whistling for light there they are strong. Since her they are strong. Since her skipper hanged from schooner to alor given a largely increased area of this in light wind she can run

given a largely increased area or this in light wind she can run Kelpie & Co., and this is what of her by Messrs. W. C. Heilbr and owner), W. P. Skillings, Lyons, Paul d'Heirry, Howard Fred. Bausemann, J. H. Johnson James, Martin Jansen and A. M. The well-known Edna M. is year by her owners, R. R. Speno ter Turner with a great party.

ter Turner, with a crew composed Jake Wall, Dr. S. G. Hill, F. Jake Wall, Dr. S. G. Hill, F. Sweeny, John Mather, Fred Way Kium. Henry and J. Hensall a mand of the Bremerton, which i for fast time; the crew of the Messrs. A. C. McLeod (captain Stone and Joseph Fellows; while the Doris are Captain J. Nelson a. H. Nugent, A. Nelson, Ed. Jo Christopher and Ed. French. The Earl was not obtainable last but will be announced to morrow. but will be announced to-morroy yachts now here are fine cruisers a ately fitted up for the accomme their crews and their guests; unfo neither the Gracie Felicz (last year the Margery, nor the Xora will be shortness of time preventing them out for the cruise.

out for the cruise.

Commodore Barneson and his Pasend fleet will very possibly be for harbor when the sun rises this they were looked for last night but they were looked for last night but then arrived. From Everett are of Storm King (C. E. Montandon a Whitney, jr.), the Siokle (S. W. I. the Sinecure (H. Caddewood) and (Colin Campbell). These were to Everett Sunday, and should arrive hthis morning. Boats from Belling Anacortes, Tacoma, Vanceuver a points will follow them in—it will hweek for yachts and yachtsmen.

REGATTA COMPETITO

The regatta committee held a rethe city hall last night, when a n the city hall last night, when a more communications regarding licenses ferred to the Superintendent of P Police, who has discretionary power such matters. J. S. Yates granusual permission to land on his prop was duly thanked.

After some informal discussion, mittee proceeded to the consider entries and the final touches on gramme. The results of their lambodied in the following list of which will be but little departed from 1. Indian War Cance Race—This

I. Indian War Canoe Race—Thir sances, course around island and reb prize. \$3 per paddle; 2nd prize, \$1.50 per 2. Peterboro Canoe Race—Single bi shample oship of British Columbia. uoy and return. Prize, meds I. C. Macaulay, J. Watson, er and J. H. Senkler. essional Scull Race—Post 5. Amsteur Sculling Champi

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From THE DAILY COLONIST, May 22. THE CARNIVAL AT HAND.

First of the Holiday-Makers Arrive from the Sound-The Seattle Yachts Here.

Regatta Programme Completed and Entries In-Notes of the Celebration.



HE PugetSoundyaohtsmen the Aurbor, while owners, skippers and orusing rules, with adjournment to consult the authorities. The first of the fitted to the Rainier, Captain W. C. Heilbron, one of the R

was deverted with fair though light wind in a drizzling rain, which gave out just as the flotilla approached Point No Point. There the "tide-rips" gave all hands considerable exercise before they were succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into Townsend. There they remained at anchor until 4 30 vesterday remained at anchor light wind in White; W. a white; W. a will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into Townsend. There they remained at anchor light wind in White; W. a will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts into the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts in the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze which took the yachts in the will be a succeeded by a fair breeze white white wi

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8. Indian Canoe Race—Single paddle;

8. Indian Cance Race—Single paddle; prize, \$10
9. Junior Four-Oared Race—In best and best outrigged lapstreak boats, open to all amaveur clube; oourse straight away from Point Ellice bridge to starters barge; prize, four gold medals. Entries: J. B. A. A.—J. E. Jorgensen (stroke), T. C. Boulton, C. M. Roberts and J. D. Taylor (bow); E. E. Billioghurst (stroke), W. R. Perkins, B. Wilson and H. B. Haines (bow)

THE CITY

THE THE congregation of Emmanuel Baptist church last evening enjoyed with their friends the third of the series of national socials, Ireland's songs and stories comprising the musical and literary programme, and Irish danties monopolizing the refreshment tables.

In the Provincial court yesterday, James Mullins was charged with an aggravated assault on one Kwong Wo, whom he struck with a shovel. The defence was that the Chinaman was the aggressor and that the blow was struck in self defence. A decision will be a self-defence of the self-defence

YESTERDAY afternoon Mr. Justice Drake made an order in the base of Parsons v. the Victoria & Sidney railway, continuing a general injunction against the railway subject to detendants' right to move on twenty-tour hours notice. Mr. Thornton Fell for plaintiff; Messra. Bodwell & Irving for defendant.

The steamer Quadra returned from Cape
Beale on Sunday evening, whither she had
gone on Friday last in connection with the
death of the lightkeeper, Mr. Cox. The
remains were taken to Alberni on Saturday
by the Quadra and were there interred,
the officers of the steamer acting as pallbearers, and Rev. Mr. Smith conducting the
funeral services.

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taken to the Supreme court at Ottawa, which has now allowed the appeal with costs. Mr. A. L. Belyes, of Belyes & Gregory, argued the case at Ottawa, Mr. Gregory having appeared both at the trial and before the Full court here.

The Supreme Court of Canada yesterday unanimously dismissed the appeal of the sealing schooner Minnie from condemnation by the Admiralty court of British Columbia. Gounsel for the Crown was not called upon; Mr. Belyea (Belyea & Gregory) argued for the shipowners.

Among the guests at the Driard are Lord Herbert Scott, son of the Earl of Eldon, Hon. Hew. Dalrymple, son of the Earl of Stair, and Hon. M. W. Elphinstone, son of Lord Elphinstone, whose father was a Lord in waiting to Her Majesty and visited Canada at the time of the visit of the Prince of Wales, and also during the stay of H.R.H. the Marchioness of Lorne.

Wales, and also during the Marchioness of Lorne.

Mining operations are going to be lively at China Creek this season. Mr. Frank MoQuillan reports that a hydraulis plant is to be put up by W. H. Bainbridge on the placer claims leased on the creek, and the prospects are remarkably good. Work is to go ahead on the Golden Eagle and King Solomon mines, so that both placer and quartz mining are having attention paid them.

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Clerk, he would refuse to certify to any work performed by the company until provision law made for having free access to the water main. The letter explained that in accordance with a resolution of the Council passed August 13, 1893, an amount of 10 per cent. of the ameunt on deposit at the bank had been retained for the completion of the road fully equipped. He enclosed a letter from Mr. Gray as follows:

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Passed.

All the members of the City Council were present at the regular weekly meeting last evening, over which Mayor Teague presided.

In regard to the Victoria & Sidney Railway, on May S, that in conformity with a notified Mr. J. H. Gray, chief engineer of the railway, on May S, that in conformity with a notification received from the City Clerk, he would refuse to certify to any work performed by the company until provision be made for having free access to the water main. The letter explained that in accordance with a resolution of the Council passed August 13, 1893, an amount of 10 per cent.

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GREEN, WORLOUK & CO.

The petition of Wm. Smyth for the removal of Messys. Heisterman and Coltart, two of the assignees of Green, Worlock & Co.'s bank, came up again yesterday before Mr. Justice Walkem.

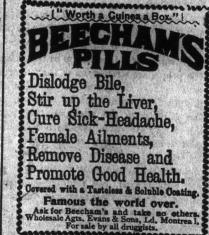
The assignees had not been given an affidavit by the secretary of the result of Friday's meeting, but Mr. Helmoken for the assignees admitted the meeting to have been in favor of the petition.

The Court, alluding to the meeting, said that the statement was incorrect that the judge had been consulted about holding such a meeting. There was no consultation, but in Chambers in the presence of Mr. Bodwell he had intimated to Mr. Fell that he did not wish a score or more of affidavits presented to him to the presence of Mr.

but in Chambers in the presence of Mr. Bodwell he had intimated to Mr. Fell that he did not wish a score or more of affidavits presented to him to settle the question as to which side had the msjority of creditors, and Mr. Fell had then stated that the assignees had called a meeting to set that matter at rest. He had then stated that that was the best thing that could be done. In fact he still thought that the assignees were well advised in calling the meeting.

Mr. Fell was glad His Lordship had mentioned the matter, as at the meeting on Friday the assignees had been accused of attempting to forestall the action of the Court, whereas, as a matter of fact, the assignees intention had been to ascertain the facts so as to present them to the Court and to avoid an appeal and further costs by having both sides in accord. He added that when he had stated at the meeting that petitioner's solicitor and the Court were aware that the meeting was to be called he was contradicted.

His Lordship having asked if Mr. Beaven would be willing to act and Mr. Bodwell replying in the afficmative, remarked that the result of the meeting would be a guide to him, and that he would be considering the wishes of the oreditors in making the order wished for. Nothing had been alleged or proved against Messrs. Heisterman of Coltart, but it was simply the wish of the creditors that they be removed. He supposed that as business men the creditors



GOVERNMENT POLICY REVIEWED

High Educational Status of the Pro vince-B. C.'s Municipal System.

Effective Administration of Justice Sound Sanitary Measures-Mining Encouraged by Legislation.

tion criticism has been met in the spirit years have elapsed since a mining comfor his service. of argument and the statement of a long mission was appointed to frame a code, series of facts that cannot be gainsaid. and numerous alterations and re-alter-

Education being of paramount importance in its moral and intellectual effects, our school system is worthy of first place. Even the most virulent opponents of the Government, excepting a few chronic speedily as possible. A Government that splenetics, will not affirm that British is above reviewing its own actions and splenetics, will not affirm that British is above reviewing its own actions and Columbia has not taken a high educa-admitting its fallibility is not adapted for tional status among the other Provinces. the government of a country where the The training has been brought to a high standard, the character and attainment of late wise-scree in public policy are so conteachers are exceptionally good, and a healthy moral tone pervades the whole system. Methods and legislation have progressed rapidly with material development and to-day are fully abreast of modern requirements. The transition from direct Governmental management to popular control has been speedy and almost complete. The history of our school system has been marked by its steady progress, uninterrupted and undisturbed by the sectarian and political issues that have marred the results observable elsewhere in the Dominion. In this respect our Province has been singularly blessed. From an educational point of view the people of British Columbia have every reason to be proud

Still they come. The yachting fleet delivered a very impressive address, and addition in the form of the Seattle Barl, which had been expected in delivered a very impressive address, and appropriate music was furnished by the surplicad choir. Messre, R. F. Tolmie, J. W. Tolmie, S. F. Tolmie, E. E. Rlackwood, H. M. Grahame and K. O. Finlayson acted as

Under our constitution there has been ample provision for the free development of municipal institutions, and while we have had the example and experience of Berry, S. A. Haynes, E. H. Pachcey and C. have had the example and experience of other Provinces to guide us, we have been able to arrive at results equal, as compared with our requirements, to what compared with our requirements, to what which has marked this first part of celebration. Then there is the Ariel from has been achieved even in Ontario. As population grows our municipal system, established on a broad and firm basis, will expand naturally and easily. There are few respects in which our municipal institutions are not equal to those of our institutions are not equal to those of our this evening, in plenty of time for the races. most enlightened neighbors.

Our civil code contains the best features of modern jurisprudence, and its operations are as successful and as free from useless incumbrances as in any part of the Dominion. It has received the most careful attention of the Government and the Legislature and constant effort has been made to render it useful and workable.

It has been ceaceded on every hand that the administration of justice, so far as it has been in the power of the Government to make it effective, has been wholesome and vigorous. Our criminal code has been brought to a high state of the command of Captain (and owner) S. Petterson, who has with him John Backadder, Charles Frisk and a few other friends. She started from home Sunday morning, and was fighting winds and tides until ten yesterday morning.

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wholesome and vigorous. Our criminal code has been brought to a high state of perfection, and the law is administered with a firm hand in the prevention and punishment of crime. When we consider the extent of our sea coast, the physical character of the country, the mixture of populations and the contiguity of the American Republic, the success with which our law has been carried out is not only a matter for congratulation, but has earned for us the admiration of Clover. The Bellingham Bay yachts weighed anohor at 2 o'clock yesterday mora-

our neighbors.

Our neighbors.

Apropos of these reflections, it may be stated, as something not capable of contradiction, that British Columbia is essentially a Province of law and order, and will compare favorably in this regard with any province in the Dominion or any country in the world. There is no country in the world. There is no country in the world. will compare favorably in this regard with any province in the Dominion or any country in the world. There is no country in the world. There is no country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the original calent of the country in the world. There is no country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the country in which the rights of person and property are more sacred or better asfection of the original calent of the activity of which have been incorporated countries the person and property are more acted countries of the all will be ready for the first to the writer gives rather meagre particulars of the accident. He states that Georgeson, I deduce the winds which all on heady the other than the first to the writer gives rather meagre particulars of the accident. He states that Georgeson, I deduce the winds with all on heady the other visitors tried their wings, while the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired the speed of the Victor Daily Help with the skippers and crews admired t

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A few years ago, when vein mining bework, required careful revision, and at goods. work, required careful revision, and at this task the Government set itself to work. In a new country, without experience in the requirements of quartz development, legislation must be to some extent experimental, and so it proved in The more material aspects of the Government of the Province have been dealt within previous articles in which opposition criticism has been met in the spirit extent experimental, and so it proved in this instance. Miners themselves, largely of the prospecting class, were very much divided in opinion as to what the law should be, but sithough less than four tion criticism has been met in the spirit. we now purpose to examine the character of the legislation as a whole, and its direct influence on the affairs and conditions of the Province.

and numerous alterations and re-alter-ations, or the Crescent Pharmacy, Nanaimo, is a guest at the New England, with his bride. The latter was acter of the legislation as a whole, and its direct influence on the affairs and conficiency basis and are meeting with approval everywhere. In this, as in other matters, the Government has shown every disposition to conserve the interests of so important an industry. Where mistakes were snade, these were rectified as turn to her when ordered. James Mullin paid \$20 fine and \$4 50 costs for hitting Ah Jim over the head with a shovel on Friday night at Millstream. "hea en-born" financiers and immacuspicuously in the minority as in this

From THE DAILY COLONIST, May 23. PREPARING TO CELEBRATE.

Victoria Harbor Alive With the Trim Craft From the Waters of the Sound.

Preparations for Reception of Visitors -The Wheelmen's Part-Rifle Arrangements Complete.

and trim a little craft as ever carried a sail. She is commanded by Captain George

this evening, in plenty of time for the races
All of the Everett yachts are also here now save the Sincoure. The Sickle is their flagship, in command of Captain (and owner) S. Petterson, who have

MINDEGINE

An Hing found himself unable A few years ago, when vein mining began to attract attention, the mining laws, which had had special reference to placer work, required careful revision, and at

MR. HARRY PROCTOR, of the Cres

In the provincial police court ye

THE two-and a-half year old child of Mrs. The two-and a-haif year old child of Mrs. Braden, residing at 144 Simoce street, had a very narrow escape from poisoning yesterday. In some manner the little one procured some Indian hemp and was in a dangerous condition when Dr. McKechnie was called in and by the prompt use of emetics, succeeded in saving the child's life.

The firemen will leave at I o'clock this afternoon on a special train for Nanaimo. The team consists of twelve men, who go to compete in the tournament of fire tests at Nanaimo to-morrow. They will probably return by special train in the evening with will compete on the Nanaimo team, which will compete on Saturday in the local contests at 10 a.m. and

The remains of the late George E Jackson were laid in their final resting place yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place at 2:30 from the residence of the deceased's mother, Hillside avenue, and later from St. John's church, where Rev Percival Jenns

REV. R. R. MAITLAND, LL B., of Nanaimo, who was appointed by the conference at Vancouver to the pastorate of the Centennial Methodist church in this city, reverend gentleman in reaching this conclusion, one the assurance of unanimity on the part of his own board, and the other the division of feeling amongst the Centennial church people. As a result Rev. Joseph Hall will remain in his present position.

THE announcement in a Seattle paper th the announcement in a seattle paper the other day that the U. S. military authorities at Washington have granted permission for the British Columbia militis to enter armed into the United States, for the purpose of taking part in the national holiday feativities on the 4th of July, has been read with ties on the 4th of July, has been read with great interest by many military men in this city. Permission was not applied for from this side of the line, so that an invitation from Seattle must have been in contemplation. No doubt a trip to that city would be very popular with the members of the BCG.A., though the celebration mentioned will probably not be considered the most ausnicious occasion for Caralina. most auspicious occasion for Canadian soldiery to participate in.

A well attended meeting of the general committee, subscribers and others interested in the erection of the proposed new Auglican cathedral on Church Hill, was held Monday evening in the Christ Church school room, the bishop of the diocese presiding. His ing fund as it at present stands, before the meeting, remarked that the total amount subscribed to date was \$10,478, out of which the sum of \$4 070 had been disbursed for the sum of \$4,070 had been disbursed for various objects including \$2,250 to Messrs. Evers & Keith, the architects, for plans and bills of quantities. It was hoped that further subscriptions would speedily be to hand, so as to enable the work to be proceeded with at an early date, the new structure being urgently needed to meet the growing wants of the church in this city.

A LETTER which Miss Collinson received yesterday from her brother Melville, who is one of the crew of the sealing achooner Libbie, brings the sad information of the drowning of Henry Georgeson and J. T. Bodine. The letter is dated May 2, and was written from Akishi bay, Japan, where the vessel had called to get water mich. the vessel had called to get water with the intention of going to sea the following day.

deracod as the "wild and woolly," this is remarkable. As a people, British ourse a he comes into the attimuting distinction in the people, there is it in the seed of the people are a reflection of the Government are reflection of the Government in the hight of the public weal, are sanitary consider.

The Victoria Challenge Trophy will take place actions. As the direct result of dangers, then present and prospective, the Government placed on the statute book as confronted the Province two years ago, the Government scope and dratic in application. In the face of an emergency, such as confronted the Province two years ago, the Government acted promptly, and the process of the Government acted promptly and stamped out the infection. In the face of an emergency, such as confronted the Province two years ago, the Government acted promptly and stamped out the infection, and to day machinery its provided where by, without extraordinary means, any spidemic and the proposed of the season opened have been compared by without extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by, without extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by, without extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general two proposed and the general by without extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by without extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by the season opened have been compared to Victoria extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by the season opened have been compared to Victoria extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by victoria files and the contract of the extraordinary means, any spidemic may be stayed and the general by victoria files and the contract of the province was proposed to the victoria files and the contract of the province was proposed to the victoria files and the province was proposed to the victoria files and the province was provided where by without extraordinary means, any spide

BRIORE Mr. Justice Drake yesterday the pletion. The defence is that Foot & Carter were not able on the day mentioned in the agreement to give a title, and therefore the defendants are freed, as time was the essence of the contract between plaintiffs and Mason. Mr. Bodwell, after plaintiffs case was in, moved for a non-suit. Judgment reserved. Mr. J. P. Walls for plaintiffs; Mr. Taylor for Nicholies; Mr. Bod-

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The Empress of India, Royal Mail steam The Empress of India, Royal Mail steamship from the Orient, arrived in at daybreak yesterday, being about twelve hours ahead of time. She brought 160 cabin passengers besidee 250 Chinese and 50 Japanese. There were 1,800 tons of cargo. Fourteen of the cabin passengers and 57 Orientals were landed at Victoria and the ship proceeded on her way to Vancouver, taking thither from this city Hon. H. W. Elphinstone, Hon. H. Dalrymple and Hon. Herbert Scott, who had been here awaiting the arrival of Lord Scott by this steamer. Other notable passengers were Sir William Jardine, Col. W. D. Samuels, Major Bennett and Lieut. Loake, N. N. The passage is reported to have been h fine and uneventful one. The mails contained some sealing news, and nails contained some sealing news, and Capt. J. G. Cox was reported as intending to leave for Yokohama from Halifax via the Cape of Good Hope, is noted, and she brought in a number of the crew of the Henry Dennis.

TO SEARCH FOR THE MISSING. The British cruiser Pallas left Hongkong The British cruiser Pallas left Hongkong on April 24 for Portmouth. On her way to Singapore she was to search for traces of the missing vessels Morayshire and Blair Athole. She will first visit the Philippine islands, coaling at Manila, then to Warren Hastings island, some of the Caroline islands and Java. In this detour the voyage to Singapore will extend over 4 000 miles, in-Singapore will extend over 4 000 miles, in-stead of the usual trip of 1,400 miles. The British iron ship Morayshire (Capt. Mouatt), +100 A 1 Lloyds, 1,482 tons gross, built 1875, sailed from Samarang for Vancouver on 22nd November, 1892, with a cargo of sugar. The British iron ship Blair Athole (Capt. Lister). +100 A 1 Lloyds, 1,777 tons gross, built 1874, sailed from Pasareang for Vancouver on 27th February, 1893, also with sugar. Since sailing neither vessel has been heard of

MARINE NOTES. Captain Hansen, or the "Flying Dutchman," the name by which he is more familiarly known, arrived in Yokobama early this month, after serving his four months' term of imprisonment in a Russian prison for sealing in the "Rasy" "territorial waters. His area, whom Bear's" territorial waters. His crew, whom he had with him at the time his vessel was confiscated by the Russians and who also were imprisoned for the same offence, arriv-ed in Yokohama in advance of him.

CELEBRATION CHIT-CHAT. Vancouver's rowing men arrived by the

Islander last evening, and will be up and over the course bright and early this morn-

A public presentation of prizes is promised for this celebration; the Admiral, the Lient. Governor and the Mayor have been asked At a meeting of the members of the Vic-

toris Canoe Club last evening arrangements were perfected for the races on the 24th and 26th. On Saturday evening all memers will take part in the grand illuminated Contracts for furnishing music for the celebration have been awarded as follows: Thursday, B.C.B.G.A. band; Friday after-

noon, same; Saturday morning, same; Saturday afternoon, Royal Arthur band; Saturday evening, B C.B G.A. band. The tug Sadie will bring the judges' barge to be used in connection with the regarda, from Esquimalt to the Gorge to-day. She will also tow the reception barge up the Arm to-morrow. As in other years, several Arm to-morrow. As a steamers will be engaged in carrying passengers up to the regatta, among thing the Florence and the Mary Hare.

Celebration visitors will find the Provin cial museum an attractive place to put in a pleasant and profitable time. Mr. Faunin, the curator, has the various rooms in splenting to make a purchase. As far as tenders were concerned, Ald. Keith-Wilson should the curator, has the various rooms in splen-did order and the minetal, wild animal, Indian curios, and other exhibits are look-ing their best. The museum is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for all the material.

The Seattle Athletic Club's baseball tea The Seattle Athletic Club's baseball team leaves home this morning by the City of Seattle for Victoria, where it plays its first match game of the season. The makeup will be: Thornton, pitober; Cobb, catcher; Randall, first base; Gardner, second base; Calhoun, third base; Noble, shortstop; W. Morris, left field; Russell, center field; Small, right field. The James Bay team will be the market between the content of the cont Small, right field. The James Bay team will be the same that met and humiliated the V. A. C.'s at Beacon Hill last Saturday.

THE ALDERMANIC BOARD.

The Water Works Amendment By law and the Proposed Water Rates.

The Electric Light Committee's Repor Adopted-The Grant to the Hospital.

The City Council had a special meeting in he Mayor's office last evening, the princi pal object being to discuss the propos waterworks regulation by-law. There were present the Mayor, Ald. Vigelius, Dwyer, Ledingham, Keith Wilson, Humphreys, To the Honourable Edgar Dewdney. Lieuten. Baker, Styles and Munn. A report from the Finance committee

recommending payment to the Jubilee hospital of the \$2,000 provided for them in the estimates, provoked some discussion.

ALD. VIGELIUS objected to the gran ALD. VIGELIUS objected to the grant, now that the \$35,000 by-law was passed.

ALD WILSON, speaking as a member of the committee, was of opinion that the usual course had been to pay the appropriation later in the season, when the taxes began to come in. However, it was for the Council to decide whether the city or the hospital needed the money most just at present.

His Worship explained that this was the annual grant to help to carry on the hospital and they need not think that because the law was passed the city would not have to assist to carrying on the hospital in future. It was really a city hospital, and should be looked at in that light.

ALD. BAKER favored paying the money now. The city in that event would only lose the interest on the money for a few ALD STYLES had understood that the aid

ALD. STYLES had understood that the aid to the Jubiles hospital would not be asked if the by-law passed.

ALD. KETH-WILSON replied that had never been intended, Ald. Styles must have misunderstood the matter.

ALD. Vigerius moved that the report be

ALD. VIGELIUS moved that the report be laid over; but when it was pointed out to him that the hospital was badly in need of the money, he withdrew his opposition and on Ald. Baker's motion, seconded by Ald. Humphreys, the report was adopted.

ALD. DWYER introduced his waterworks regulation by law, which he explained was intended to regulate the rates paid and to make the mode of collecting rates easier and more satisfactory. A by-law of this kind was badly needed and this one he thought would meet the case satisfactority.

would meet the case satisfactorily.

Besides providing conditions for plumbing, connections and proper precautions against waste, the by law sets out the following water rates to be charged per month:

Baths accessible to others than teacher shops.
Bakeries Bakeries if families live there.
Blacksmith shops
Building purposes, per M bricks.
lime per barrel.
"100 sq. yards plasterir Building purposes, 100 sq. yards plastering two coats.....

Water for other purposes charged by estimate or special agreement. Water supplied by meter at 20 cents per 1,000 gallons, but monthly meter bill shall be less than \$1, exclusive of water rent, which is:

the purchase of twelve miles of wire, said over from last meeting, was again taken up.
ALD. MUNN explained that the purchase ALD. MUNN explained that the purchase of the wire now would save the city \$500 on the prices last paid by the city. Mr. Stickles had told him that copper was down as low as it was likely to get, but was going up in price, and it would be advantageous to be adv buy now. He moved that the report be

ALD KEITH-WILSON, in amendment, (a.) The moved that the wire be advertised for by tender. It laid the committee open to sus- (b.) In the picton, he held, not to advertise, and he ob-ected to slip-shod ways of doing public

ALD. MUNN remarked that this was not the first time it had been proposed that purchases be made by a committee, but it was the first time that any one had said were concerned, Ald. Keith-Wilson should have tendered for the little hen house built in the park.
ALD, KRITH-WILSON—Tenders were called

ALD MUNN said that Ald. Keith Wilso was degrading his office when he made out that the public would not trust the committee to make a purchase. He (Ald. Munn) would take the responsibility on his own shoulder. One men should not attempt to run all the departments. Every alderman should stick to his own department and not interfere in all the others.

Ann Kritin Wirson maintained that ALD. KEITH-WILSON maintained tha

advertisements should be called for.

ALD. MUNN—Do you mean to say the committee cannot buy this wire as cheaply as anyone else? ALD. KRITH-WIISON—I don't believe they can. I think tenders would be better.

ALD. STYLES saw no reflection on the committee in Ald. Wilson's desire to call for tenders. That would only result in getting things cheaper and relieve the council of any suspicion.

ALD. STYLES saw no reflection on the with the provisions of Section 16 of the "Legislative Electorates and Elections Act, 1894," I shall hold a Court of Revision at Howards who allege that their names have cil of any suspicion.

ALD BAKER held that if they had an ex-

HIS WORSHIP held that if there was any bjection, the best way was to advertise by pecification for every single thing connected ALD KEITH WILSON - That's what]

ALD DWEE asked who was to judge of ALD DWYER asked who was to judge or the different kinds of wire as most suitable for the purpose, if not the expert. ALD. LEDINGHAM likened the thirg to baking powder. A cook made better bread with the baking powder of her choice than with some other kind that perhaps another

with some other kind that pernaps another cook preferred.

ALD. KRITH-WILSON'S amendment to advertise for tenders for the wire was lost, the mover and Ald. Styles alone voting for it. The report was then adopted and the Council adjourned.

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ROYAL COMMISSION.

The following report of the Royal Commission appointed to inquire into certain matters concerning the Nakusp & Slocan Railway is published for general informa-By Command.

A. CAMPBELL REDDIE. Dep. Provincial Secretary.

REPORT.

ant-Governor of the Province of British

We, the undersigned Commissioners appointed by the Commission of the twentieth day of April, 1894, to inquire into certain matters therein mentioned, concerning the Nakusp & Slocan Railway Company, have the honour to report that the manner in which that inquiry has been made, and the evidence taken therein. will appear by the record of the proceedings of the Commission, which we have the honousubmit herewith.

It will be seen from the notes of evidence, that, though full notice was given of the time and place of sitting, and also, in our opinion, a sufficient intimation that the reasonable expenses of witnesses would be recouped to them fit to appear in support of the accusations

The only person from whom we have ro-ceived any assistance in this direction has been the Hon. Robert Beaven, M.P.P., who, though not responsible for making the charges, brought forward some facts upen which he suggested the absence accusers might have relied.

These were, first: irregularity in acting upon

the Statute of 1893 before it had actually been brought into force, which could only be done

by an Order in-Council.

But this seems, though an irregularity, to be quite inadequate to support the charge of corruption against the Minister. The Statute of 1893 was brought into operation by an Order-in-Council almost immediately afterwards. The whole transaction has been confirmed and ratified by the Statute of 1894, and the irregu. larity, so far from demonstrating that the Min-ister was then the agent of the Company, points distinctly in the opposite direction ince it would have been the first care and duty of such an agent to see that everyth was in order.

And secondly: Mr. Beaven pointed out that in the opinion of many persons, the undertak-ing which the Statute of 1894 imposed upon the Government, in lieu of that under the Statute of the former year, was so manifestly disadvantageous, that it was to be inferred that it sould only have been introduced and supported through corrunt motives; though it must be added that he did not make such a charge.

It does not follow, of course, that a bad bargain must be a corrupt bargain. An honest Minister, with no motive or desire except to serve his Province, might make a mistake. We do not wish to suggest for a moment that any such mistake has occurred in the matter into which we have been inquiring. On the con-trary we think that under the evidence adduced, and the arguments addressed to us, only one conclusion is open to us, and that is that the arrangement for the construction of the Nakusp & blocan Railway which was ratified by the Act of 1891, is more advantageous to the Province than the arrangement contemplated by the Act of 1893, and we have had no difficulty in arriving at that conclusion. But, how-ever that may be, on the issues more directly ubmitted to us by the Commission, there is we think no room for doubt, and we find as fol ows, chat is to say :--

Firstly: That the Honourable the Premier of the Province, in advising the guarantees mentioned in the said Commission, did not work for the Company, but worked for the

Secondly: That the etatement made by the The by-law passed through committee and was read a third time.

Honourable Member for Nanaimo District, in his place in the Legislative Assembly, that it The Light committee's report relating to the Government had been working for the Company and not for the Province, is not true ; Thirdly: That no corrupt motives of any kind existed with or influenced Your Honour's Ministers in the advice tendered by them to Your Honour in relation to the Nakusp and Slocan Railway Company;

Fourthly: That no one of Your Honour's Ministers has had, or has, any interest, directly or

(a.) The Nakusp and Slocan Railway Com-

(b) In the Construction Company by which such railway is being built; or
(c.) In any contract by or with either of the aid Companies, either in furnishing materials or supplies, or in any way whatsoever. All of which is respectfully submitted. Dated the 15th day of May, A.D. 1894.

Commissioners



Qualification and Registration of Provincial Voters.

ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

any persons who allege that their names have been improperly struck off or omitted from the pert like Mr. Stickles they must take his been improperly struck off or omitted from the indgment on what he considered the best list of Voters for the Electoral District of material.

W. J. RANT,

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

EAST 40 ACRES OF SECTION 4, BANGE IX., CHEMAINUS DISTRICT.

Whereas the certificate of title of Samuel Gray to the above hereditaments bearing date the 20th day of December. 1839, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.

Notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the late hereof. S. Y. WOOTTON, Deputy Registrar General. Land Registry Office, Victoria, May 17th, 1894. my25-1mw

H.M.S. Hyacinth Returns Latest News of th Fleet.

Captain May's Opinio

The appearance on the str

afternoon, of members of the S. Hyacinth, showed in addi

dinary announcements of the

vessels of the fleet, that Cap

of the Docks

From THE DAILY COLON

SEALERS' SUC

Loss of the "Helen"

his ship had returned from the they went some three weeks the sealers that the Behring S had become British as well as law. In conversation, one of announced that their shore I tended till to-morrow morning their ship not being out of port The ship during her absence number of the sealers with wh municated. Captain May now alongside the naval yard wharf, to have repairs made to her de is intended to replace with Bri pine; an experiment expected admiralty as to its value for and fitting. Captain May satrue he had removed as annou and the sealing appointme schooners Triumph, Annie Favorite, ordering these vessels the collected of the sealing appointment of the sealing appointme the collector of custams at matter of their seizure to be termined. They were all se ordered home, and he had ne with their subsequent disposit not say what action will be ta not say what action will be ta spect to them. That they wer the 6th and 9th of May respec boarded by the Hyacinth can be for a moment disputed. A sealer was encountered durin when it was impossible for them seal. She was only warned, f not be seen whether or not her out at the time. The captain h out at the time. The captain him from the North Captain master of an American schooner of Seattle, which had been been been there. Her captain was a Brit while her crew were all Americates had been taken to Sitk matter of personal considerat brought down her captain. As could ascertain seals had been plait was reported that they were and difficult to catch. The India appear to be very successful in the tions. Captain May during his conumerous complaints with reference regulations. He says the country is a pure to the captain and the was much impressed. new regulations. He says the cruise he was much impressed hardships cheerfully endured by in regard to the future of the appears to him far better that if are to be taken they should be upon the ocean by men who find pation an outlet for their skill are than that they should be ruthless on the head by the Aleuts. The went as far north as Yakutat went as far north as Yakutat, being a very pleasant one.

CHANGE IN THE SERVICE The Pacific Coast Steamship Co a number of changes along its resteamer City of Puebla is to replace on the British Columbia Sound route, leaving San Francis Seund route, leaving San Francis 30, and the steamer Corons will place of the Coos Bay between cisco and Newport, leaving May Coos Bay will probably be used ing business. The steamer Mestake the place of the Corons o Diego route, and will leave June 2 steamer Queen will leave for Pug points June 1, preparatory to goi Alaska route during the excursio She will make her first trip from I

She will make her first trip from T June 6 Capt. Hall is to take con the Mexico; Capt. Geo. Leland, th and Capt. G. Debrey, the City of I The Mexico, which sailed for S cisco, carried with her the followin gers from this city: J. Rendell, M gie McDonald, Mrs. Westcott. A dar and child, Frank Devlin, W. I A. J. F. Galletly, Geo. McMillan, child, Miss Irene Newling, Dr.

mond, A. A. Stewart. THE "HELEN" A WRECK. Captain Strong, of the Seattle schooner Helen, arrived down from by the courtesy of Captain May. Hyacinth, yesterday, and returned the Kingston last evening. His vecaught in a furious storm about thr ago, in which she lost her rudder preceived such other serious damage was found pagessary to beach her for was found necessary to beach her for Unluckily a suitable location could found and the heavy sea proved to for the disabled schooner, which h two the following day. The crew h to Sitka, where they will be taken by the American authorities. The was one of the smallest vessels in the and had been sailing in hard luck all

FROM THE NORTH. Little news of interest was broug the North by the Boscowitz yesterda moon. She reports the steamer Ca as having ascended the Skeena forty up from Port Simpson, where she is a ent detained owing to low water, wh however, expected to rise very soon, warm weather is beginning to swe mountain streams. The passengers Mrs. W. Warren, Miss Tranter, W. A. McNeil, F. Johnston, J. Willia Whittie and J. Dorothy, besides dians, three Chinamen, and two "Cannery operations in the North w cording to present expectations, comon June 15. Little news of interest was broug

THE COAST SEALERS. The following figures represent the ent catch of the coast sealers as known, the reports being from H.M.S. cointh and the schooner Saucy Lass, which returned to port yesterday, sealer has a catch herself of 170 sealer has a catch herself of 170 American schooner Idaetta, May 6, Borealis, May 7, 303; Beatrice, M 323; Ainoko, May 11, 465; Venture 12, Kate, May 21, catch not given. by Pheasant: Sapphire, catch not giv

TO RECEIVE THE VISITORS The reception committee also held a

ing in the city hall last evening, Mi Christie in the chair. Christie in the chair.

The finance committee announced the propriation of \$250 for the use of the ration committee, and the supply committee that the committee completed all arranges for the day at a cost of about \$250, as ag \$365 for last year. These figures in the estimate of the barge committee securing and fitting up the barge.

It was resolved to place the cards of it ation only in the hands of active memorial the committee and the officials. J. G. Elliott and J. B. Gordon were



MMISSION.

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Commissioners apsion of the twentieth nire into certain matncerning the Nakusp any, have the honou r in which that inquiry vidence taken therein. of the proceedings of

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in regard to the future of the industry it appears to him far better that if the seals are to be taken they should be captured upon the ocean by men who find that occupation an outlet for their skill and energies than that they should be ruthlessly knocked on the head by the Aleuts. The Hyacinth went as far north as Yakutat, the voyage being a very pleasant one. CHANGE IN THE SERVICE. The Pacific Coast Steamship Co. has made

Captain Strong, of the Seattle sealing schooner Helen, arrived down from Yakitat by the courtesy of Captain May. of the Hyacinth, yesterday, and returned home by the Kingston last evening. His vessel was caught in a furious storm about three weeks ago, in which she lost her rudder post and received such other serious damage that it was found necessary to beach her for repair. Unluckily a suitable location could not be found and the heavy sea proved too much caught in a furious storm about three weeks ago, in which she lost her rudder post and received such other serious damage that it was found necessary to beach her for repair. Unluckily a suitable location could not be found and the heavy sea proved too much for the disabled schooner, which broke in two the following day. The crew have gone to Sitka, where they will be taken care of by the American authorities. The Helen was one of the smallest vessels in the fleet, and had been sailing in hard luck all season.

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Little news of interest was brought from the North by the Boscowitz yesterday afternoon. She reports the steamer Caledonia as having ascended the Skeena forty miles up from Port Simpson, where she is at present detained owing to low water, which is, however, expected to rise very soon, as the

DR. ALBERT WILLIAMS, charged with having begun the practice of his profession without being duly registered, came up for decision in the police court yesterday. Magistrate Macrae stated that Dr. Williams had taken the wrong course. In no case should he have begun to practice before being registered. If the Medical Association had refused to place him on the list, his proper method would have been to apply to the courts for relief. The court further held that Dr. Williams was not in any way exempted from paying the regular fee of \$100. He should not, however, be required to pass an examination prior to The Pacific Coast Steamship Co, has made a number of changes along its route. The steamer City of Puebla is to resume her place on the British Columbia and Puget Sound route, leaving San Francisco on May 30, and the steamer Corona will take the place of the Coos Bay between San Francisco and Newport, leaving May 28. The Coos Bay will probably be used in freighting business. The steamer Mexico is to take the place of the Corona on the San Diego route, and will leave June 2, and the steamer Queen will leave for Puget Sound points June 1, preparatory to going on the

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remined. They were all sealing when ordered bome, and he had nothing to do with their subsequent disposition and cannot say what action will be taken with respect to them. That they were sealing on the 6th and 9th of May respectively when boarded by the Hyacinth cannot, he says, be for a moment disposited in a far in the same of the guests of the amount of the same of the guests of the amount of the same of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the wants of the guests of the amount of the wants of the guests of the wants of the guest of the guests of the wants of the guest of the wants of is to be hoped he will rebuild at an early date, and he can rest assured that he will always have the patronage of the public generally who go that way.

LORD ROSEBERY.

The British Premier Emphatically Declare That He Would Not Be a Minister on Sufferance.

LONDON, May 23.-Lord Rosebery spoke this evening in Birmingham to the meeting which had just inaugurated the Midland Liberal Federation. He hoped that the time been so propitions for its realiza-Liberal conference in Leeds, he said, would thon, since fashion now admits of infinite Diego route, and will leave June 2, and the steamer Queen will leave for Paget Sound points June 1, preparatory to going on the Alaska route during the excursion season. She will make her first trip from Tacoma on June 6 Capt. Hall is to take command of the Mexico, which sailed for San Franca. The Mexico, which sailed for San Franca. The Mexico, which sailed for San France. The Mexico, which sailed for recently had made an animated defence of the Church of Scotland. The Lords admired his dexterity, but Mr. Chamberlain was not talking serionaly. His hostility was not talking serionaly. His hostility was not serious, but the mere legerdemain of a wandering rhetorician (cheers). Referring to the desertion of the Welsh members of Parliament Lord Rosebery said that the Welsh disestablishment bill would be passed before the government's appeal to the country. If the discontented Welshmen did not believe in the government's honesty and honor the sconer they carried their threats into effect the better. He never would consent to be a minister on sufferance.

New York in which three of the leading ladies at a prominent theater door masculine attire lends a certain fascination to the revolution in dress. The various forms in which it finds expression are shown in the bicycle, gymnasium, equestrian, "rainy day" or the Syrian, generally known as the rational dress of Boston. Equestrian tronsers reach the ankle and button close on the sides. The skirt that conceals them is soarcely shorter or narrower than the ordinary street dress. Knickerbockers fasten at the knee on a rubber band and fall over full like the control of the revolution in dress. The various forms in which it finds expression are shown in the bicycle, gymnasium, equestrian, "rainy day" or the Syrian, generally known as the rational dress. The skirt that conceals them is soarcely shorter or narrower than the ordinary street dress. Knickerbockers fasten at the knee on a rubber band and

JAPANESE IN HAWAII

The U. S. Minister at Tokyo Returns With Important Official Messages.

San Francisco, May 23.—By the steamer Gaelie from Japan, R. W. Irwin, the Hawaiian minister resident at Tokyo, returned. It is supposed he has brought certain messages from the Japanese govern-

AND SO MUST CONVENTIONAL WOM. AN AND UNIVERSAL MAN.

e Forces Must Be Reconciled Befor Dress Reformers Can Hope For Success Yet Business and Bicycles Have Made It Easier to Carry Forward the Movement. [Copyright, 1894, by American Press Association.]

Dress reformers must reconcile two extremes—the conventional woman and universal man—and then secure the approval of Paris before they can hope for realization depends upon the individual a radical change in the attire of their sex. We are the slaves of custom and public opinion. Consequently the in-oreasing popularity of bicycling and ath-

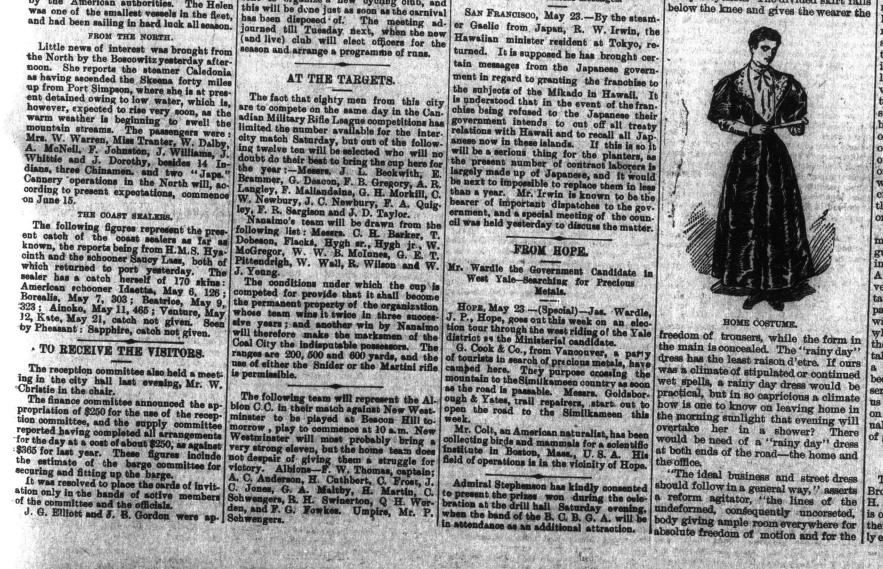


of prevalent fashion. Corsets, tight bands, pointed toes, high heels and long or voluminous skirts are irrefutable foes to the up to date woman of the world.

That a costume which will serve the

best interest of health and at the same time not offend the æsthetic sense is a crying necessity, especially for women whose duties lie without the home circle, is generally acknowledged. But the problem of equalizing and combining health. beauty and adaptability in an everyday gown continues to confront the reformer. Never before, it would seem, has the

fasten at the knee on a rubber band and fall over full, like the oriental trousers. They are worn under a kilted or divided skirt in most gymnasiums and also by many bicyclists. The divided skirt falls



PARIS MUST APPROVIDE ever recurring physiological congestions of the digestive tract. Its moderate weight should be supported by the shoulders, and the skirt attached to the waist should be sufficiently short to escape the ground in walking and stairs and steps in descending. It should furnish the maximum of warmth, with the minimum of waight should be writely and mum of weight, should be suitable and becoming to the wearer, comfortable graceful and picturesque, forming a harmonious whole, at the same time conveying to the observer some idea of the personality of the individual." Needless to add that the ideal business and

woman. The nearest approach to this ideal is the Syrian or the rational dress. Unhappily the women who have most need of abbreviated skirts, loose bands, low heels and square toes—in short, the great army of shopgirls and general breadwinners—have little or no independence in matters of dress. They fol-low blindly wherever fashion leads. The world of society and fashion cannot necessarily feel the necessity of radical change, since wealth and leisure largely supplement for them the inconvenience of the conventional dress. There is something radically amiss in the woman who wantonly antagonizes men by her dress. Society women, mothers with marriageable daughters, will certainly be the last to countenance a dress that evokes masculine disapproval. To please men is one of the chief ends of their existence. Every sensible mother has a laudable ambition to marry her daughter to advantage. Knowing that there is nothing more repulsive to the average man than the unfeminine woman, no sensible matron will countenance in herself or her daughter a style of dress that offends masculine taste, if it does not make the wearer a guy. These facts accepted, however humiliating they may be, fashion's approval of dress reform is not imminent. "I would not have the courage to wear

it," said Miss Jeannette Gilder, whose severe tailor costume is familiar to New Yorkers. "I do not like it." said Chauncey Depew. "I have associated women so long with flowing draperies that if I should call on a girl in that garb I would feel that I must bring her a box of cigarettes instead of bonbons."

Men like in women everything as renote from their own individuality as possible. This is why the vests, chemiettes and severe neckties of the tailor made girl repel them, and, since the latter style does not add to a woman's comfort or femininity, why adopt it, especially when fluffy shirt waists, elusive, delu-sive fedoras and comfortable coquettish jackets are accepted fashions? A skirt that escapes the ground and is suspended from the shoulders by a loose waist; a silk shirt, with fluffy front to conceal defects or overdevelopments that the absence of a corset might emphasize, and a jacket that may be opened or buttoned up at will are a street or business suit that answers every reasonable purpose while it delights the eye.

By sewing two rows of hooks two or three inches apart inside the skirt near the band and lacing same with a shoe string by putting the hand under a flap on either side of the skirt, it may easily be shortened evenly all around for 'rainy day' service. The coat, falling ever the fold made in shortening the skirt, conceals it, and the problem of dry skirts is thus secured without the leg expose that gives under some circumstances so much masculine offense.

LIDA ROSE MCCABE THE REFRESHMENT QUESTION.

Eating Between Eleals Like a Parcel of Greedy School Children.

When shall we "leave comfits to slaves" and not find when we make afternoon calls or go to evening receptions that our hostess has provided tea or coffee, cakes or cream as a stop gap to conversation? If we attend a ball and dance all night, exhausted nature demands a substantial repast as a sort of half way ouse in the middle of our exertions, and the ball supper is an unassailable institution founded on the rock of common humanity; also, if we are invited to a luncheon or dinner, we go on the express understanding that we are to eat and drink if not be merry, and it is only just that we carry out the contract.

But when we make calls we have had luncheon, and it is not yet time for dinner, and when we go to evening "at homes" we have had dinner, and it is not yet time for breakfast. Why do we spoil our gloves and spot our gowns in the attempt to eat standing or from the improvised table of our knees a nameless and misplaced meal that we do not want, and that it is an unnecessary trouble for our hostess to prepare? We scatter crumbs on ourselves, our neighbors and the carpets; we spill chocolate on the piano and the books in spite of ourselves, and in our turn we likewise offer up on the altar of society a sacrifice of sandwiches and coffee. Can it be that when we are gathered together for social purposes the mental pabulum is so thin that we are compelled to fall back on material sustenance?

We are as careful to supply refreshments for our "at home" day as if the guests were animals only to be lured into the house by the prospect of food. A perverted sense of hospitality is converting the social world into a vast restaurant where meals at all hours and pay in kind is the regulation. There was a long time ago a rule of honor which forbade a guest to speak evil of the person in whose house he had partaken of salt, but this law has long been a dead letter, and entertainment has a dead letter, and entertainment has become a bore instead of a friendly observance. It is time to call a halt. Let guests were animals only to be lured us breakfast, lunch, dine and even sup on occasion, but let us stop this perpetnal eating between meals like a parcel of greedy school children.

ISABELLA PROCTOR. A Field For Women.

The director of physical culture in the Brooklyn public schools is a Miss Jessie H. Bancroft. The physical culture field "The ideal business and street dress should follow in a general way," asserts a reform agitator, "the lines of the undeformed, consequently uncorseted, body giving ample room everywhere for absolute freedom of motion and for the lines of the best for young women with their own living to earn to enter. Really excellent teachers are in brisk demand. A TEACHER'S PUNISHMENT.

rious Condition of a Boy Through Injuries Received While in School. New York, May 23 -A remarkable case

of cerebral hemorrhage and paralysis in a boy sleven years old is under treatment by Dr. Justin Herald, one of the medical exparts in the Dr. George Meyer poisoning parts in the Dr. George Meyer poisoning case. The patient is Willie Wedekina, who says his malady was caused by an injury he received while being punished by a teacher, Miss Heien A. Pettigrew, who compelled him several times during February to stand for half an hour with his hands clasped above his head. The boy soon began to complain of hesdaches. On April 16 Willie became ill. He says he was punished severely that day. His brain seemed to be affected. He went home and then became unconscious. Dr. Herald was called and he at once began to treat the boy for brain trouble with much success, but the boy has not been able to return to school: "When I first was called to see the boy," said Dr. Herald, "it was 6 on the evening of April 16. He was unconscious and suffering from paralysis on the right side of the body, due to hemorrhage of the brain. The patient remained unconscious after that, but his power of speech was gone. The paralysis of the right, upper and lower extremities gradually disappeared and the boy's speech began to come back to him. He is now mending and will continue to improve." Dr. Herald fears the boy's memory may not return. case. The patient is Willie Wedekina, who

FRENCH CABINET MAKING.

President Carnot As Yet Unable to Secure a New Ministry-The Bourse Depressed.

Paris, May 23.-M. Bourgeois was sumnoned by President Carnot to-day to the Elysee and asked to form a new cabinet. The two were in consultation from 5:50 to 7:20 o'clock. After leaving the President, M. Bourgeois announced that he had declined to form a cabinet. By to-morrow or Friday, it is believed, he will reconsider his refusal in case M. Poincarre, minister of public instruction in the Dupuy cabinet, ex-Premier Ribot, and Henri Brisson will appearance to cate a combination with his consent to enter a combination with him. M. Viger, M. Casimir Perier's minister of griculture, will probably retain his port-olio. The effect of the cabinet crisis on the bourse was depressing. French rentes opened nearly a franc lower.

CELEBRATING AT 'FRISCO.

Queen's Birthday to Be Observed by a Reunion at the Exposition Followed by a Banquet.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23 .- The British esidents of San Francisco and sojourners in this vicinity with British affiliations, have determined to celebrate to morrow, Queen's Birthday, at the exposition by a Queen's Birthday, at the exposition by a reunion, literary exercises and banquet. The reunion will take place in the British section in the Manufactures and Liberal Arts building, and the banquet will follow later at the Ann Hathaway cottage, which is the British headquarters. The musical programme of both bands during the day will include a number of well known British

DISCOVERY OF EXPLOSIVES. Enough Material Discovered in Chinatown, Frisco, to Blow Up the City,

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23. Seven large giant powder cartridges, two giant powder aps and a coil of fuse were found this afternoon in a sharty in Chinatown. The place was formerly inhabited by Chinese. On the ground floor a mongolian undertaker had his

shop. The second floor was a Chinese lodging house and was always known to be inhabited by vicious Highbinders. Italian laborers were tearing down the structure. In an inside room on the second floor they discovered explosives and refused to enter the house again used the polyagram had rethe house again until the policemen had re-moved the stuff, of which there was sufficient to blow up Chinasown. The explosives will be thrown into the bay.

COMMONWEAL TRAIN STEALERS.

Washington, May 23 - Attorney-General Olney to-day received a telegram from the U. S. marshall at Helena, Mont., stating that he feared trouble with the train stealers there and asked assistance to enforce the orders of the court. The Attorney-General requested the War Department to send troops to be placed at the disposal of the U.S. marshal in Montana and Gen. Schofield promptly transmitted orders to the commanding officers of the department of Dakota to send aid to the Marshal of Montana to protect U.S. Montana to protect U.S. property and enforce the order of the court.

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SEATTLE, May 23.—Yesterday Judge Hanford, in the United States court, sentenced twenty-nine Commonwealers who have been on trial in that city for a number of days past as follows: "It is the judgment of this court that you, and each of you, are guilty of contempt as described and charged against you in the efficient upon which you are arraigned here, to which you will suffer punishment by being mprisoned for sixty days, and that the place of imprisonment in which this punishment is to be executed shall be the United States prison on McNeil's island, in this state."

The Cowichan Indian band gave an open air concert last evening. Sufficiently good music was rendered to collect a large crowd amongst which the festive Siwash mingled freely murmuring one to another "Delate akookum whistle."

BIRTH.

Kains—On Wednesday, 16th inst., the wife of Tom Kains of a daughter.

McCrimmon—At 40; Vancouver street, on May 18th, Fannie S., beloved wife of A. F. Mc-Crimmon, aged 38 years, a native of Cali-fornia,

Jackson-On Sunday evening, at St. Joseph's Hospital, after a brief illness, George Ed ward, third son of the late E. H. Jackson. Esq., a native of Victoria, B.C., aged 2 years.

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to him in the estimation of all fair-thinking and fair-dealing men as long as his name is remembered in the community.

It is said that considerations of expense prevented Mr. Forster's appearance before the Royal Commission. We do not believe

The revolution in Servia is in all probability the beginning of troubles for the young King Alexander. He is not yet eighteen years of age, but he has been King for more than five years. His father. Milan, abdicated in March, 1889, and Alexander, although not quite thirteen years old, was declared his successor. The boy wore his honors modestly at first, but of late years he has come under the influence of his father, who is by no means a good guide for any one, young or old, and the present revolution appears to be the consequence. Not long ago Alexander dismissed his ministers in an arbitrary way. He was evidently not satisfied with the power he possessed under the constitution, and now he has taken a reactionary step which will no doubt be resented by a large proportion of the people. It is not very easy for the sovereign of any country in these days to go back a quarter of a century. The men who have lived under popular in stitutions and who have exercised new political privileges will not willingly return to a time when the king had the power of appointing one-third of the members of what ought to be the popular branch of the legislature, and to take up modes of election modes of the political movements in Servia. Queen Natalie, the King's mother, is a Russia and it is given in the 1893 report of the British Consul at Bordeaux. It is there in the constitution is given in the 1893 report of the British Consul at Bordeaux. It is there in the constitution is given in the 1893 report of the British Consul at Bordeaux. It is there is a complete in the section of the people. It is not very easy for the sovereign of any country in these days to go back a quarter of a century. The men who have lived under popular in stitutions and who have exercised new political privileges will not willingly return to a time when the king had the power of appointing one-third of the members of what ought to be the popular branch of the legislature, and to take up modes of election in the institution and the province of the politi

Some indication of the benefits to be derived from it is given in the 1893 report of the British Consul at Bordesux. It is there noted that Norwegian and Russian wood imports into France were kept up to their average annual figure, because they are subject only to the French minimum tariff rates, whereas wood and other imports from Canada are hampered by the highest or maximum duties. Then, adds the Consultation of the con Queen Natalie, the King's mother, is a an and it is said that she has been most of her married life intriguing in the interest of the Czar. This was one of the causes of disagreement between her and her husband, who did not live happily together, and who were senarated many

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REGULAR COMMANDERS ADVERTURE ADVERTURE COMMANDERS ADVERTURE COMMANDERS ADVERTURE COMMANDERS AND ADVENTURE COMMANDERS AND ADV as the Chronicle has explained patiently and carefully, cannot make work, nor can it give away money, and if the so-called Industrials because in their senseless crusades, especially if they employ violence to aid them in their foolish plans, they should be arrested as vagrants and criminals, and taught by a few sharp and severe lessons that they, in common with all the people of this country, must obey the laws of the land. It is charitable to believe that the movement is a craze, but even so, it is not permissible to the Reyal Commission. We do not believe that the movement is a that the cannot afford to come to Victoria at his own expense, and he is not so wanting in intelligence that he does not know that if he did appear before the Commission, as he was in honor bound to do, the Government would be obliged to pay his expenses. The true cause of his keeping away we are convinced is that he had nothing to say, and that he twas numilling to make the honest confession before the Judges that he had no evidence to produce.

The Servian Revolution.

The Canadian politicians so little else to fight about that they must drag such a question as the ratification of the franco-Cana. All act acceptance of the sevent of the Secretary was endersed. The care of the Secretary was endersed. The canadian for the Franco-Cana.

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Christian Sabbath. (Acts xx, 6.7; I Cor., xvi, 1.2; Rev. i, 10, etc.)

A direct command for the change of day is not essentially necessary, for the acts of Christ and His inspired followers are as authorative as direct commands. If the principle is taught in the Word it is all that is necessary. The dootrine of the Trinity that Father, Son and Holy Ghoet are three persons in one God, is nowhere proclaimed in the Scriptures, yet it is taught in principle, and we accept it. So the substituting of the first day for the seventh, although not commanded or proclaimed in so many words, it is the principle carried out by Christ after his resurrection, and his Apostles and the early Christians, and we cannot make a mistake in following their example.

The action of the Secretary was endorsed. W. A. Graham, secretary of a public meeting held at Howe Sound, May 11, wrote enclosing a copy of a resolution passed then saking the government to remove the royalty on timber taken from pre-emptions which have been deeded.

On motion of Mr. G. Leiser, seconded by Mr. Gray, it was decided that a reply be sent stating that the matter would have the attention of the board but that the settlers about communicate with the government through their representatives.

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Times, in view of all the facts to the contrary, in its prognostications as to the duty on French or any other wines, and they are by no means sere that there will strength of both parties on the Mainland and especially that portion of it contained within the District of New Westminster, is commendable as to its hopefulness and amusing as to its lack of knowledge of the true state of affairs. The Times would be surprised to know that this district is just as safe for the Government as any portion of the Island. We apprehend that the Times is aware of this fact, but we cannot but admire its tone at the mode of the week in the Government makes no effort in this district is just as a safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just as safe for the Government makes no effort in this district is just

The secretary stated that in reply to this the committee on manufactures had instructed him to advise Mr. Clifford that the but-

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ottawa, and the Scoretary instructed to get it suitably framed.

Mr. Davies, going back to the matter of the Quadra, considered that the vessel should not go out of commission at any time of the year, but should be always available in case of need.

Mr. Futcher advised writing for the result of the consultation between Mesers. Prior and Earle and the Minister of Marine.

years ago. It will no doubt be said that Alexander is under the influence of Russia and that he depends upon the power of Russia to enable him to resist the ensmise whom he will make by his present action.

A VOICE FROM THE MAINLAND.

The Times of this city has become an echo of the loud and absurd boastings of the Opposition organs on the Mainland. The following extract from the Westminster Cent will no doubt be a very strong play lived and the commons and its commons and its commons and its commons and the colleving extract from the Westminster foolishly residuous or is, knowing the true state of affairs, whistling to keep up its own of the Connons and the contract of the connection of the Connons and the connection of the Connons and the connection of the connection of the connection of the connection of the loud and absurd boastings of the Opposition organs on the Mainland. The following extract from the Westminster foolishly residuous or is, knowing the true state of affairs, whistling to keep up its own of the connection of the connec The Council adjourned at 5 o'clock.

THE ORIENTAL BUDGET.

Conspirator Kim's Body Mutilated in Fiendish Fashion-Fire Brings Calamity in China.

Japanese Pearl Shell Fisheries-Junk Fleets Destroyed-Honored by the sultan.

A report has been circulated by the Tokyo papers that the head of Kim Ok Kiun, while being exhibited at Soul, for the edification of the Korean public, was stolen and sent to Japan. A suspicious looking box arrived at Osaka by a steamer from Korea early in the present month, and the Kokkai that Mr. Hosmer must bave misunderstood to tend to that gentleman again, and was awaiting a reply. He simply brought forward the matter, to see if other members of the board had experienced similar brouble. Mr. Ker thought the delay in delivering messages was caused by the district messanger boys being given too big a batch of telegrams to deliver at the same time. The C. F. R. should have their own hoys, and this trouble would then be avoided.

The President remarked that Mr. Hosmer when he was here appeared very anxious to do all in his power to provide a good service.

After some general discussion the matter was left in abeyance, till Mr. Hosmer's reply is received by Mr. Forrester.

The select committee to inquire into freight rates were granted further time to report.

A letter was read from D. Clifford, Moss Vale, New South Wales, stating that he is collecting information for an export company for the produce of his district, and asking for statistics and information in regard to produce trade generally, and more especially butter, of which is district ould export 40 to 50 tons per month from September to February.

The secortary stated that in reply to this the committee on manufactures had instructed him to advise Mr. Clifford that the butter box, and the have lead to have come from Nagasaki to Osaki in a butter box, and to have been forwarded from Osaka to Tokyo by train. Upon its arrival at Shimbashi station, Mr. Tanemura, one of the rallway officials, delivered it to Mr. Kai Gunji, of Shiba, Tokyo, a warm personal friend of the dead patriot. It is reported to have come from Nagasaki to Osaki in a butter box, and to have seen to warm personal friend of the dead patriot. It is reported to have come from Nagasaki to Osaki in a butter box, and to have seen to warm personal friend of the dead patriot. It is reported to have come from Nagasaki to Osaki in a butter box, and to have seen to war many personal friend of the dead patriot. It is is reported to have come from Nagasaki to Osaki in a butter box, a states that Kim's head is now in the posse

News has been received of a great fire in ed him to advise Mr. Clifford that the butter used here is principally Canadian creamery, which hold the market from July to February, and costs the wholesale trade on an average 22 cents. The California butter comes in the intervening months in rolls of 13 bs. and costing 23 to 24 cents a pound. By let September there will be a cold storage plant in operation in the city, giving every facility for perishable articles, and the cost of storing it is anticipated will be about 10 per lb. per month on butter. Mr. Clifford should send a sample shipment and place it in the hands of reliable persons to test the market. The dity is 4 cents, wharfage 50 cents a ton, and draysge 50 cents a ton. News has been received of a great fire in Anhui province, China. The place visited by the calamity is called Shuch'eng, some 65 miles distant from the home of the Vicercy Li. Nearly 2,600 houses were destroyed, including the residence of the district magistrate, his yamen and the prison, 1,500 families being rendered homeless. When the yamen was wrapped in flames, the magistrate, finding that with the few engines at hand he could not check the fire, donned his official robes and sat down in his audience hall to meet death. An old

The Secretary had done as requested, forwarded information, and as Mr. Byrne had left on the Warrimoo for Australia, had given Mr. Clifford his name, so that he could communicate with him.

The action of the committee was ratified. W. G. Andrewar hawrote from Melbourne, and in Aki district and on the coast of the island of Kami-Osaki. Toyota district. The deviation of the committee was not such as would make her known to the gen-

empties into the Yangsze at Hankow, great damage has been done to the junk fleet add many lives have been lost. Native estimates place the number of junks destroyed at 320, and the number of lives lost at 900.

The Sultan of Johore has conferred the order of the Crown of Johore on Miss Minnie Hauk and her husband, Consul-General von Hesse Wartegg.

TORONTO TOPICS.

ained here for the past eighty-four hours and is still raining. The damage to property in the city by the flood is considerable. The house occupied by a Chinese laundryman on Jarvis street was blown down last night. The damage is triding and no one was in-

Owing to the soaked condition of the course the opening day of the Ontario Jockey Club's May meeting, which had been fixed, for to-morrow, has been postponed till Thursday.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

WINNIPEG. May 22 - (Special) - Prof. Robertson, dairy commissioner, reached this city from Ottawa to-day and addressed the Winnipeggers this afternoon.

One thousand four hundred acres have been seeded on the Alliance farm at Indian Head.

About two months ago I was nearly wild with headaches. I started taking Burdook idood Bitters, took two bottles and my head aches have now altogether disappeared. Think it is a grand medicine.

EVA FINN, Massey Station, Ont.

Do you feel the weakness of age? Som Mr. Renout moved, seconded by Mr. young. Take Eseljay's Liver Lozenges.

MME. ZENAIDE A. RAGOZIN. The Life and Work of a Remarkably Tal-

Among the many distinguished women from foreign lands who have made a name for themselves on American soil, an undoubted place in the foremost rank has been won by the subject of this

Mme. Ragozin was born in St. Petersburg and is a princess of the historic house of Verderevsky. On the paternal side she traces her descent from the khans (kings) of Kazan, while on the maternal side she is a direct descendant of the great Rurik, the founder of the Russian empire. The Tartar blood which flows through this talented woman's veins is distinctly visible in the rich coloring which is revealed in her creamy complexion and in the masses of silky dark hair which crown her regal head. She is characteristically Russian in both stature and physical strength. being nearly if not quite 6 feet tall and magnificently proportioned.

Mme. Ragozin does not remember

ever having attended school. She received the earlier part of her education



ZENAIDE A. BAGOZIN

under governesses and tutors, but at the early age of 18 she decided to dispense with these and continue her studies alone. Her perfect knowledge of many tongues—she speaks, reads and writes six different languages—was acquired by actual residence among the nationalities by whom they are spoken, absorb-ing at the same time all of interest pertaining to the ancient history of the people.

It was about this time that archæology became the great passion of her life, but it was not until later years that she gave the result of her labors in this fascinating field to the world. While yet in her girlhood the promulgation of theemancipation proclamation by Czar Alexander II greatly reduced the fortunes of her family, and soon after when a position on a leading St. Petersburg newspaper, The Golosh, was tendered the young enthusiast she gladly accept-ed the offer and distinguished herself by the rapidity of her translations from the various exchanges which found their way into the office. Her most preten-tious work at that time was the rendering of Thiers' "History of the Revolution" into the Russian language. In addition to this, the young princess was

lic in a manner so simplified as to bring it within the comprehension of all classes. Her first work, the "History of Chaldea," she dedicated to "the class" as being distinctive from those that followed. Not long afterward G. P. Putnam's Sons of New York em-Toronto, May 21.—(Special) — It has Assyria for their "Story Series." Since then she has written continuously for this firm, contributing a "History of Medea, Babylon and Persia," and is now at work on a translation, with annotations, of Anatole Leroy-Beaulieu's The Empire of the Czars and the Russians." It is a work of three large vol-

Mme. Ragozin has autograph letters concerning her work from Francois Lenormant, Max Muller, A. Sayce, Fritz Hommel and others of equal distinction There is not a more busy woman in New York city today than this gifted Bussian lady. Her time is employed in imparting knowledge of such a diversi-fied nature that one wonders how the brain of a single individual can contain so much information of actual value. She instructs several classes in ancient history, while to others she teaches lantion case has been dropped and the seat is now vacant.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Order of the Academy of St. Cecilia, Rome, of Foresters was opened in Winnipeg to-

Mme. Ragozin is a member of the Societe Ethnologique and the Athenee Ori-ental of Paris; Victoria Institute, London; American Oriental society and other institutions of like character. Her home she makes on Long Island in summer, while New York is her winter resice. She owns also an extensive ranch in Texas, to which she pays frequent visits. Countess Norralkow.

Efforts of English Women. The British parliament has passed a special act introducing manual training into all the common schools of the kingdom. This has been largely owing to the efforts of the noble women on English school boards. English women take much more part in school work than American women do. Three ladies are members of the London school board, and women serve on many other

THIRTY-SI NEWS OF THE PR

Doings in Vancouver-Bi bration - Great Slav of Bears.

Rich Ore From the Noble boo Attracting Much tion in Montrea

(Special to the CoLON

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, May 24 .- Num are being captured on the road. One hunter has capture

ing the week. They are bein Indians and dogs.
Capt. Mellon's birthday we on Tuesday evening by a suramong the many guests being (Phaiden, Soule, Hunt and Fall McPhaiden. McPhaiden proposed the heal Mellon, which was drunk wit

thusiasm.

Mr. Morgan opened his capace sheds at English bay to-day. provements have been made to sheds and beach.

(From the Trbiune.) The owners of the Last Char McCulloch creek, in the Big Ber although they have spent \$22,000 two tunnels that did not stri have still faith in the ground, is in 1,000 feet and the other in lease expires in July, but it newed. The owners are Josiah F newed. The owners are Josiah R. J. Lendrum, G. C. Tunstall, jr Brown, William McKenzie, J. Thomas Ardeil, Alex. Bilsland, Sanderson. The latter left Nelson for the claim, and he will profive others at work with him.

five others at work with him. Phil Aspinwall is up from T district. He reports that the for Le Roi is now larger than ever he that while the men are not work day, they are making \$3.50 a detract work. Trail Creek is to camp. "Tom" Fechan is now fethe Josie,

J. G. McGuigan of the Noble Fein Slocan district, returned to

in Slocan district, returned to-Omaha, where he took 51 tons Omaha, where he took 51 tone grade ore. The returns received gethat the ore was the richest yet large quantity from the Slocan corran 549 eunces allver and 51 per c While little is heard of the G and Duck creek campa, the boys interests there keep pegging away fitch, Jack O'Neil and John Fe bonded the President claim to a M company, and Dr. Schroeder, the crepresentative, after looking at pany's property, is well assisted with the state of the company and the company and the company and the company and the company are company as the company as t pany's properly, well and works out, the ore from which run cent. copper and 15 in gold. The in 180 feet. A tunnel is also being an adjoining claim called the Selkir shows a 5-foot vein on the surface. from the Selkirk is galena and carres ounces silver. Parties who ow five miles up Goat river have called ders for running a 75-foot tunnel.

John McDonald, who is down from the surface of the su

mountain, says this spring is the me ward he has witnessed since going Silver King, six years ago. The still fully eight feet in depth at the and apparently is settling but littling has a cold, and the days are not enough to thaw the crust formed a The wagon road is hare as formed a The wagon road is bare as far unfirst turn. Snow is being shoveled

proposed site for the plant that is me at the C & K. depot. Fifty five employed.
George W. Hughes will, for a time this headquarters at the Mountain mine, which is about two miles from Denver. When out at Spokane la the purchased a small Pelton wheel will be used to force air through the ings of the mine, foul air being

roublesome.

The 10 stamp mill on the Poorm on Eagle creek, six miles southwest son; was sterted up on Friday, and run as long as the water supply last is being stoped from both the no south drifts. Twelve men are emplo Captain R G. Adams, of Montreal Captain & G. Adams, or Montrea ed at Noteon on Friday, to be prese ing the hearing of a mining case in wis interested. He says that Gariboo call at Montreal, owing, in great the fact that several of the leading of the Canadian Pocific have become ested in hydraulic propositions in the district. Captain Adams will go fro son to the Okanagan country, where mining and townsite interests.

The parties who recently acquire Alamo mine, in the Twin lake basin, district, report a concentrating platchased and shipped.

NEW DENVER

From the Nelson Tribune,) R. Kirkwood and Hugh Mann are ing for a certificate of improvements western claim. The Western forms tension to the townsite of Three Forks. The wagon road and tramway at Sil are progressing rapidly. Silverton is for a boen this spring.

A strong vein has been discovered in accessment work on the Dixie, one amany extensions to the Mountain The Dixie was located by Harry W two years ago.

two years ago.

J. J. Moynahen, J. A Finch's repre-tive, is back in New Denver for the a He spent the winter in Spekane, and we in the Slocan don't know what

mes are. W. Springer is back from Trail C

hings are quiet there he says. It is one to the line and a number of dead ien have come in there looking for wo

(From the Times. C. G. Dixon, general agent passen, artment, reports the Great Northern pared for business, but business

John McGuiggan is reported by the kane Review to have said that the 56 of ore from the Noble Five mine sent to Cmaha smalter averaged between 600 700 onness of allver to the ton.

William Hennessy, of the Noble Five