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(Associated Press.)

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CITIZENS OF PATERSON READY TO REBUILD

Owners of Many Business Houses Destroyed by Fire Will Erect New Structures.

Cleveland, Ohio. Feb. 11.—The ore carrying rate for 1902 has not yet been fixed. It is said that the United States Steel Corporation and M. A. Hana & Co. are seeking to establish a rate of 75c. betteen Duluth and other points, Cleveland vessel owners and representatives of the vessel owners are demanding. So cents as a manuoum, with 90c. a ton if possible. The situation is anusurd, as the shippers' combination ignores precedent in refusing to acknowl-Paterson, N. J., Feb. 11.-Preparations o rebuild the district that was swept nores precedent in refusing to acknowledge the rate fixed by early charters. or new and finer buildings as

A BRILLIANT FUNCTION however, the fire is still smouldering, and nothing can be done toward clearin It Was the First Held by King Edward

and nothing can be done toward clearing away the debris until the flames have been completely extinguished.

Militiamen are still on duty in the streets, but the regulations have been claxed, and citizens are allowed to pass licely through the lines of sentrics. There has been no disorder, and the soldiers have had a comparatively easy task in the work of guarding property. The street car service was resumed in different parts of the city, and the schools were reopened to-day.

Loss \$200,000. London, Feb. 11 .- King Edward's first levee since his accession to the throne was held in St. James's palace at noon to-day, and was an exceptionally bril-iant function. The Prince of Wales,

Loss \$200,000 Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 11.—Fire early to-day destroyed the suburban summer home of J. H. Bass, the millionaire. The estimated loss is \$260,000. and the gathering of the members of the diplomatic corps, cabinet, ministers and naval and military officers was unprece-

ROOSEVELT'S SON

raval and military officers was unprecedentedly large.

The King, who were a field marshal's uniform, drove from Mariborough house to the garden entrance of the palace and was escented by Life Guards. On his arrival there His Majesty was received by the officers of the household and conducted to the Royal retring room, where the King was subsequently joined by the other members of the Royal family took position on the left of His Majesty in order of precedence.

His Condition Reported to Be More Favorable To-Day.

(Associated Prers.)

Groton, Mass., Feb. 11.—President Roosevel's son's condition shewed some improvement th's mo n ng, both temperature and respiration being better. The crisis, which in the left top has been noted in this lung, not while this been noted in this lung, not while this sa given rise to some fear that the disease may yet develop into pleuropneumonia, there are strong house that as given rise to some fear that the dis-ease may yet develop into pleuro-pneumonia, there are strong hopes that the threatened complication may be overcome. At 11 o'clock Secretary Cortelyou made the following statement: "The condition of the boy since the favorable announcement of the morning has remained meaning the statements."

nembers of the Royal family took position on the left of His Majesty in order of precedence.

The levee commenced with a reception of the ambassadors who passed before His Majesty in order of precedence. The cabinet ministers and others entitled to be present followed the diplomats and finally the general company, including Messrs, Allison Armour, of Chicago, and Charles Gibson, of Boston, passed before the King.

As Prince of Wales, King Edward merely bowed to the presentees or shook hands with intimate friends, but to-day a new feature was introduced. All those who were known to His Majesty kissed, his hand, though they did not kneel, as was customary when kissing the late Queen Victoria's hand. The King himself selected those who were to kiss his hand by extending his hand, palm downwards, whereupon the presentees therefore had to be contented with a simple bow. favorable announcement of the m has remained unchanged and the risy which developed this mornin proved to be very slight so far."

OFFICIAL DENIAL,

Britain Never Proposed Any Declaration Antagonistic to Action of States in Cuba,

London, Feb. 11.—The under-secretary for the foreign office, Lord Cranborne, replying in the House of Commons to-day to a question of Henry Norman (Liberal), who asked whether the government's attention had been called to the statement in the German press and alleged to have received official confirmation at Berlin, to the effect that Groat Builting to bace received official confirmation at Berlin, to the effect that Great Britain on April 13th, 1898, through her ambassador at Washington, Lord Paunce-fote, proposed a fresh note in which the powers should declare that Europe did not regard the armed intervention of the United States in Cuba as justifiable, and that in consequence of Germany's refusal to accept this proposal the step was abandoned, said:

"No sir, Her late, Majeste's govern.

or part share of Pacific Exploration & tagonistic to the action of the United States in Cuba. On the contrary, Her price, you should buy soon. There are only a few shares of genuine stock for sale, and

NO LONGER SECRET.

Address H. H. Jones of H. Boorman, car-Lordon, Fob. 11.—A special dispatch received here to-day from Rome says at a meeting of representatives of Italian lodges of Free Masons it was decided that Italian Freemasonry should cease to be a secret society. of Weller Bros.; Ass Cameron, Michigan Christopher, Sumas street; or The Pacific

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Nanaimo. Feb. II.—A man giving the hame of Harry Coles specific from Tuesday to Thursday morning of last week in this city. He came from Victoria. From the description received from San Francisco of Kaufman, wanted for killing a policeman in that city, it is believed this was Kaufman. The information was received from San Francisco only yesterday. The suspect left for Vancouver on Thursday morning the suspect left for Vancouver on Thursday morning that city, it is believed this was Kaufman. The information was received from San Francisco only yesterday. The suspect left for Vancouver on Thursday morning that city, it is believed this was Kaufman. The information was received from San Francisco only yesterday. The suspect left for Vancouver on Thursday morning that city, it is believed this was Kaufman. The information was received from San Francisco only yesterday. The suspect left for Vancouver on Thursday morning that city, it is believed this was Kaufman. The information was received from San Francisco only yesterday. The suspect left for Vancouver in a silega.

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Dominion Cabinet Ministers



HON. WM. MULOCK.

Postmaster-General and Minister of Labor.

Hon, William Mulock, K.C., was born in the village of Bond Head, Sinacoe county, Ont., on January 19th, 1843. He was educated at the Newmarket Grammar school and at the University of Toronto, where he graduated in arts in 1863. He was called to the bar of Outario in 1868. He married on May 25th, 1870, Sarah Ellen Cawthra, daughter of James Cawthra, of Toronto, He was elected a member of the Senate of the University in 1873 and 1878, and Viec Chancellor University of Toronto in 1881, and still holds that position, He was first elected to parliament for North York in 1882, and has represented that constituency ever since. He was sworn of the Privy Council and appointed Postmaster-General July 13th, 1896. He represented Canada at the Imperial Postal Convention held in London, England, July, 1808, for the purpose of securing a reduced and uniform rate on letters within the British Empire and was successful. When the labor department was formed he was placed at the head.

CHARGES AGAINST BRITISH VESSELS

ALLEGED TO ENGAGE IN PELAGIC SEALING

Alaska, Issues Instructions to His Deputy.

WHITE PASS RATES NOT YET SETTLED

NEITHER SIDE WILL ACCEPT THE SCHEDULE

J. W. Ivey, United States Collector at Company Says Cut Will Be Made in Charges-Market for Pig

and Sheet Lead.

Seattle, Feb. 11.—The Post-Intelligencer, in a special dispatch from Unalaska, says that no more startling action has been taken in the much talked of scaling question than the following written by Collector J. W. Ivey, of Alaska, to his deputy at Unalaska. "I am advised that British vessels from Ganadian ports engaged in pelagic scaling in and about Behring sea, are in the habit of calling at Unalaska and Dutch Harbor for protection in bad ween ther and the purchase of supplies and of enjoying the privileges of the port until the season opens for them to engage in the unlawful and barbarous extermination of the fur seal herd in violation of laws of the United States and international agreement with Great Britain.

"Until further advised on the subject you are instructed to cease the collection of tonnage dues on this class of vessels from all countries and to refuse them as the privileges of the port, water or fuel, and treat them in all respects as vessels from all countries and to refuse them as the privileges of the port, water or fuel, and treat them in all respects as vessels from all countries and to refuse them as the privileges of the port, water or fuel, and treat them in all respects as vessels from all countries and to refuse them as the privileges of the port, water or fuel, and treat them in all respects as vessels from the throne in the senate, and Senator F. W. Thompson, of Frederican, will second it.

The Kamouraska Election, The Kamouraska Election of Mr. Carroll being opposed.

An Eastern Market.

James Cartwright, of Yokohamu, writing to the department of trade and commerce, says that he has been taken by the privileges of page of the port with the same unasettled condition. Nothing has been done since Traffic Manager Newell left the city. Needled the city. Newell left the city. Needled from the privileges of the port until the same unsettled condition. Nothing has been done since Traffic Manager Newell left the city. Needled for fates, and the came of the company in England. The railway dep

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James Cartwright, of Yokohama, writing to the department of trade and commerce, says that he has been trying hard to get into communication with some manufacturers of pig and sheet lead who would be able to compete with Americans in their market, and was in the hope that the bounty established by the Dominion government would have stimulated this business in British Columbia, but, so far he confu not find any one who could quote for their markets. He wants to be put in touch with Manitoba millers who would supply them with the best quality of dour and second grade as well. The same neople might take up the wheat trade. Hitherto these articles have been supplied from Australia.

New Minister.

Hop. David Mills drove to Ridery.

Hon. David Mills drove to Ridera hall with Hon. C. Fitzpatrick at 3 o'clock to-day, when the latter was sworn in as minister of justice. Mr. Fitzpatrick then left for Montreal by the 4 o'clock train.



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It is understood that the Northern Elevator company and Winnipeg Ele-vator company will erect in Winnipeg next spring a large half-million dollar

E. J. Coyle Married.

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The Bishop's private chapel at St. Boulface was the scene of a pretty, yet quiet wedding at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The happy couple are Miss Conkin, daughter of the late E. G. Conklin, and hir. E. J. Coyle, of Vancouver, assistant general passenger agent of the Cl. R. for the Pacific coast, both of whom are well known in this city. Miss M. Andrew acted as bridesmaid, while the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Thomas K. Coyle, jr., of Trail, B. C. Dr. Conklin, brother of the bride, was in the city for the event, and gave 1.5 sister away. Mr. and Mrs. Coyle left on this afternoon's train for Toronleft on this afternoon's train for Toron-to, thence they will go to St. Louis, and sa far south as New Orleans, returning home to Vancouver via San Francisco.

Canadian Wheat,

Toronto, Feb. 10.—News has been received here that Canadian wheat is being, sent into Germany from New York as United States wheat, Canada is not on the favored list of the German tariff, and consequently has to pay 10 cents a bushel more duty than United States grain. The Berlin grain exchange has informed the New York exchange that the practice must cease.

Want Extension.

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The Georgian Bay Ship railway com-peny is making application to the legis-lature for another extension of charter. It agrees that if 10 per cent, of the capital is not expended by 1905, and a single track in operation in 1910, the company's existence shall cease.

Prohibition Bill,

Premier Ross will introduce a prohibition shill on Wednesday afternoon. It will be practically a copy of the Mani-toba measure with a provision for a referendum requiring a 60 per cent, major ity before it becomes law.

Civic Contest.

Quebec, Feb. 10.—Nominations for the city conneil took place to-day. Nineteen aldermen were elected by acclamation, and 11 seats are contested. Premier Parent will be re-elected mayor by acclamating will be re-elected mayor by

Increasing Capital.

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Montreal, Feb. 10.—The following circular was issued by Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pac-he Railway company, to the share-holders, after the hoard-meeting to-day. "To the share-holders: The extraordinary expansion of the company's business during the past six or seven years, and the apparent certainty that the volume will continue to increase year by year, roaders it essential that the company should, with the least possible delay, provide such additional rolling stock and other facilities as may be required for the prompt and efficient handling of its traffic. The gradients and alignment on

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DRUGS AND TOILET ARTICLES

IN THE PROVINCE.

OBJECTIONS DISMISSED.

London, Feb. 10.—In the King's Bench division of the High Court of Justice to-day, the Lord Chief Justice, Baron Alverstone, dismissed the matter of the

Government Has No Intention of Giving

LONDON DAILY NEWS,

London, Feb. 10.-Another change ha

BOER LOSSES, Sixty-Nine Were Killed and Over Five Hundred Captured Last Week,

Commons Regarding German

Thomas Malcolm left to-night for St.
John, having made arrangements for
financing the Quebec & New Brunswick, and the Restigonche & Western
railways. The former will run from Edmonton to Quebec, and the latter from
Campbellton to St. Leonards. Point Raised By Anti-Ritualists Before Lord Chief Justice of England.

stypering of a second of the allegations of the German press.

SUPERINTENDENT SHOT.

Eroandine, Fla., Feb. S.—Edward and the style of the seamer brought news of a recurrence of smallpox among the Indiana doubt of miles up the Naas. Several about 00 miles up the Naas. Several about 30 miles up the Naas several about 30 miles up to grown to a stimulate previously to the tragedy, been an employee. Burton, it seems, placed an employee. Burton is seems, placed an employee. Burton is seems of the outlier and while on her was an employee. Burton in person late yet the complained to Burton in person late yet the yet the yet the yet the yet to the person late yet the yet to the yet the yet the yet to the yet the yet to the yet the yet the yet to the yet the yet the yet to the yet the yet to the yet the yet to the yet the yet the yet to the yet the yet to the yet the yet to the yet the London, Feb. 10.—In the House of Lords to-day the under secretary for the colonial office, Lord Onslow, referring to colonial office, Lord Onslow, referring to the government's intention to withdraw the British troops from Wei Hai Wei, added that the government had no in-tention of giving up so valuable a colony as Wei Hai Wei. It was extremely use-ful as a small arms store for gunnery practice or as a sanatarium. The navy and military officials there had every reason to believe that Wei Hai Wei would become increasingly useful and valuable. Betting and Turf Items Will No Longer Find a Place in Its Columns, Londou, Feb. 10.—Another change has taken place in the proprietorship of the Daily News of this city. George Cadbury has bought out his co-partners. A number of new departures are contemplated. A special feature will be made of social reform. Betting and turf news will be rigidly excluded from the paper, but the representation of other sports will be continued.



Further Questions Will Be Asked in

London, Feb. 10.—The efforts of the German official and semi-official press on the controversy concerning the attitude of the powers towards the United States prior to the Spanish-American war are rapidly leading to complications which at least, will be entertaining, and which possibly may have becomes

water possiony may have important developments.

Heary P. Norman, M.P., who on January 20th interpellated Lord Cranborne, under secretary for foreign affairs, in the House of Commons, on this matter, will ask Lord Cranborne to-morrow whether his attention has been called to the statements widely made in the German press, and said to have received official cognizance, to the effect that Great Britain, on April 14th, 1888, through her ambassadors, proposed a fresh joint note, in which the powers should declare that Europe did not regard the armed intervention of the United States in Cuba as justifiable, and that in consequence of Germany's re-United States in Cuba as justifiable, and that in consequence of Germany's retusal to accept this proposal the step was abandoned. Mr. Norman will also ask whether Lord Cranborne can make any statement on this subject. The Associated Press is in a position to say that if the cabinet agrees to allow Lord Cranborne to make a frank answer to Mr. Norman's questions, he will give a list denial to the allegations of the German press.

London, Fb, 10.—A report received to-day from Lord Kitchener at Pretoria shows last week to have been the livelist week with the heaviest losses on both sides for several months past, Lord Kitchener gives the Boer casualties a total of 69 killed, 17 wounded, 57 surrendered and 574 taken prisoners. The British captured 480 rifles, one pompon and the usual grist of munitions and livestock.

A SHERET, 102 Port STORY OF CUTTER

A THOROUGH SEARCH ALONG WEST COAST

The Kinshiu Maru Completes Fine Trip Across Pacific-Tees From Northern B. C. Ports.

narbor, and will be brought back to Escapational by that ship. The Grant 18th here on January 25th, steamed to Barkley Sound in a heavy snowstorm, thence or Uchiefet and to Cnyoquot. At this latter port Capt. Tozier, of the Lamerican cutter learned of the boat being found off Ahousett. The Grant was gt once headed for the port, and the two Indians who found the craft communicated with. The boat had been found by the natives on the rocks off the islands outside, and from the fact that barnacles covered the bottom of it, had evidently been long in the water. In contact with the rocks it had been store in several places, and had to be patched before being towed into Ahousett by the Indians. Capt. Tozier secured it by bartering off his dress sword.

Afterwards the Grant proceeded to Nootka, When off that port what looked like a spar was sighted 12 miles outside, but investigation proved the object to be only a pile. From Nootka the Grant went to Friendly cove, then Plumper hardor, Neuchalilit and Queen harbor, where the Egeria was met. Capt. Simpson and Capt. Tozier conferred with one another before parting company as to the best course to be pursued in prosecuting a further search. It was agreed that the Grant should continualing the Island coast. While the Egeria should stand farther out to sea to scour the waters surrounding the Scott islands, from which locality would follow the drift of the currents for a short distance.

The Grant proceeded on the first and on the following day rounded Cape Scott. Inquiries were made everywhere, the vessel stopped, and as a result the Indians in future will be on the qui vive for any fresh information. KINSHIU MARU ARRIVES.

In sharp contrast to that encountered by the Northern Pacific liner Olympia on the voyage here from the Orient, completed on Saturday, the weather experienced by the steamship Kinshiu Maru, which arrived from Japan and China this morning, was bright and pleasant. Only three days in the 16 occupied on the trip were stormy, the remainder of the trip being clear and sunshiny. The steamer sighted no vessels en route and wonder is what has become of the Folmina of the big steamer supposed to be her and reported by the Olympia when inward bound. The Kinshiu Maru brings 50 tons of general freight for Victoria. She has a small list of passengers, there being in the saloon J. F. Buxton, bound for San Francisco; Mrs. G. Brogan, en route to Montreal, and Miss K. Bunkel, who is bound for New York. In the second saloon were the Misses G. B. Grace and Cartis, who are going to Seattle. As steerage passengers there are aboard 17 Japanese bound for Seattle and 12 bound for Sa Francisco.

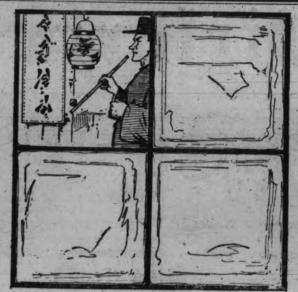
LIBEL ANSWERED.

J. W. Chink, owner of the British barque Pinmore, has filed an answer in the federal court. Seattle, to the libel of the Puget Sound Tugboa: Company, in which he claims that the vessel was never abandoned at any time, and that the demand of the libellant for salvage in the amount of \$75,000 is "extortionate and oppressive," and should be so considered by the court in making its decision. The respondent places the value of the Pinmore at \$60,000, and states that the amount asked as salvage by the libellant is \$15,000 in excess of her value, "It was at no time the intention of the master or crew to abandon the barque permanently," reads the answer, "and the course mentioned was taken only for the purpose of better protecting the lives of the crew, and in the belief that sassistance could be more promptly obtained from the shore than by waiting until the signals set on the boat could be seen by some passing vessel." STEAMER TEES ARRIVES.

Steamer Tees reached port this morning from northern British Columbia points after an uneventful voyage. She called at Vancouver en route both up and down, arriving at the Terminal City about 6 o'clock last evening. She carried in all fifteen passengers, a number of whom debarked on the Mainlaud, Among those who came down to Victoria was A. F. Gwin, the miner, who in company with two other venturesome prespectors, had a rough experience while making the trip from Quatsino scund to Fort Rupert across the northern part of Vancouver island. An account of their adventures appears in another column.

The steamer brought news of a recurwill immediately go on the marine rail-way and receive a painting, after which she will be towed over to Chemainus to load lumber. She has received the char-ter destined for the schooner Minnie A. Caine, which went on the rocks at Smith Island while on her way up to Chemain-us. It is likely that the James Johnson will be ready to sail for Chemainus by Tuesday of next week.

Santos Dumont yesterday made his third trip over the bay at Monaco. The aeronaut made evolutions with complete success for 30 in nutes and returned to his starting place amid-plaudits of the great crowd assembled. TRIED ALL Japanese Catarrh Cure only one that cures. I only one that cures. I only one that cures only one on the market for tarth. I had tried every remedy with effect until I used this one, which co pictely cured me. Several of our customs spoke so highly of it, with the wonder result that I am cured. 50e, a box Druggists, or postpall from The G. &



PICTURE PUZZLE.

Which part of San Francisco is here re

KINSHIU MARU ARRIVES.

MARINE NOTES.

The salvage claim made against the steam collier Victoria has been adjusted, the officers of the San Mateo, which ressel put to her resuce when she had lost her propeller and tail shaft at sea, having each received \$10,000. The San Mateo, it will be remembered, towed the Victoria in Esquimalt.

Montreal, Feb. 10.-The doctors enter

tain but little hope of the recovery of Mrs. Sutherland, the victim of Saturday night's shooting affray. Sutherland, the booting, was brought before Police Magistrate Lafontaine this morning and remanded for two weeks.

cently appeared in these columns, are still held by Government Agent John Flewin,

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Flewin,
Among the passengers who debarked at Vancouver was J. W. Smith, brother of Frank. Smith, the well-known basket ball and lacrosse player. Mr. Smith has been prospecting around Hazelton. The passenger list complete is as follows:
W. R. Lord, Jao, Clayton, P. Raustad, Henry. Small. J. A. Callagan, Henry.
Brown, J. W. Smith, G. McPherson, A. F. Gwin, G. N. S. Fraser, R. C. Buck-nall, J. Ward, W. W. Orlock, J. F. Connell, Robt, Nowell.

The freight is consigned to Jay & Co., Turner, Becton & Co.; Jao, Clayton, R. P. Rithet & Co., J. Piercy & Co., Victoria Steam Laundry, John Barnsley, Albion Iron Works, Findiay, D. & Brodie, Victoria Chemical Works, Bentandy, J. H. Todd and Dr. Newcombe.



A sad story of a child's tragic death was told at a Lancoster luquest. Elsic Harling 12, daughter of a Midjand railway engine driver, drowned herself in the canal, leaving letters of farewell to her father, a schoolmate, and her father's housekeeper asking that as she died on the same day an her mother she be burfed on the same day. The deceased was found at the spot it the canal she indicated. She had been selling cheap jewellery for a Scotch firm, who offered a presentation watch as an induce ment, and because she lost a shilling and got no spending money to make it up she drowned herself. A verdict of "Suicide while temporarity lusane" was returned.



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THE LENTEN SEASON COMMENCES TO-MORROW

Services Will Be Held in Anglican and Roman Catholic Churches-Something About the Custom.

row, Ash Wednesday, the first of the orty-day fasting period. Services will an Catcholic churches.

At St. Andrew's cathedral the usual will be celebrated at 9 o'clock, preceded by the blessing and distribution Services will be held at Christ church

as follows: Eight a.m., holy communion;

11, matins and service; 8 p.m., evensong with address.
On Friday evening, after evensong, at 7.30, an address will be given by frev.
W. B. Alien. The Bishop will hold his Bible reading at Bishopclose on Tuesday

Rible reading at Bishopciose on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

There is no traditional custom more interesting to study than Lent. Its exact origin? No one knows: It is consequently to be a most read to the company of the first century recorded but little of any event that might in any way be connected with Lent. In that early day it is said the churches annually observed, at stated seasons of the year, a fast, or time of prayer for special things. From earliest records the fasting period of all nations has been for the purpose of offering to the Almighty supplications for special desires. If might be for deliverance from a plague, for deliverance from capfivity anything that as a nation they most desired.

In England for many centuries the

In England for many centuries the custom was in vogue to observe what is now called Lent. at the dictation of the King, and the date usually fell in November.

November.

The pilgrim fathers—they of the May-flower—doubtless established the custom in America. They, however, changed the date of the occasion to suit their purposes, and although born and bred in England, they hesitated not to begin the custom as they desired. They set the flate for a special fasting and prayer period for early spring, their chief reason being a desire to be especially blessed of God in the growing of their crops of grain.

Years—passing swiftly onward have

of grain.

Years passing swiftly onward have changed the event gradually as to point of time of season and number of days, but the rule of the good old pilgrim has been varied but slightly, and now we have 40 days in early

ancient goddess Ostara, or Eastre. At the time of the introduction of the Gregorian calendar a debate took place as to whether the occasion should be movable or should fall upon the first Sunday after March 1st. It was finally made moveable so as to never fall on the Jewish Passover, but in 1805 it did so, and will again in 1803. Contrary to the popular belief, Easter is not governed by the moon that is seen in the heavens, neither by the mean moon of the astronomers, but by an imaginary moon, which about the 21st of March is a full moon. It may vary from year to year from two or three day.

The common custom of eating eggs on Easter has been in vogue for ages, it is said, and symbolizes Christ's resurrec-tion from the tomb.

CANADA'S CHIEF VETERINARY ADVISER.

The minister of agriculture for some time back has been finding considerable inconvenience in the administration of the office of the veterinary branch, owing to the fact that the chief veterinary adviser, Dr. McEachern, resided in Montreal and was not required by his appointment to give his whole time and attention to the work of the department. Many incidents have occurred of a purely domestic character within the Dominion, which indicated difficulties in this regard. Lately one or two questions of greater importance in connection with outside matters have also arisen. The situation became so difficult that the minister took the question up with Dr. McEachern, and came to the conclusion that it was absolutely necessary for the future efficient working of the branch that the chief veterinary should reside at headquarters and devote his graded at headquart

quired to do.

In consequence of his connection with the veterinary college of McGill University and the many large enterprises in which he is engaged, Dr. McEachren felt he could not fulfil these conditions. He therefore handed in his resignation, the minister felt that recognition was due Dr. McEachren for services rendered in the past. He therefore appointed him honorary veterinary adviser to the Dominion department of agriculture.

Dr. J. C. Rutherford, of Portage la

the minister of marine and fisheries at minion department of agriculture.

Dr. J. C. Rutherford, of Portage la Prairie, who was in the employ of the department during the last season, for the purpose of testing with tuberculin animals in the United Kingdom for export to Canada, has been appointed to succeed Dr. McEachren as chief veterinary inspector for the Dominion, it be seconded by Ald. Cameron and carriage and devote his was seconded by Ald. Cameron and carriage and fisheries at Ottawa.

Ald. Williams, although supporting the petition, did not want the impression to get abroad that the lakes were depleted as the purpose of testing with tuberculin animals in the United Kingdom for export to Canada, has been appointed to succeed Dr. McEachren as chief veterinary inspector for the Dominion, it by ing understood that he shall make Ottawa his headquarters and devote his was seconded by Ald. Cameron and carriage and the moved its endorsation. This was seconded by Ald. Cameron advised that a meeting of the streets, bridges and severs comment to North Pembroke street. Ald. Cameron advised that a meeting of the streets, bridges and severs comment to Succeed Dr. McEachren as chief veterinary inspector for the Dominion, it be was seconded by Ald. Cameron and carriage and the head as soon as possible to deal with a lot, of street work which was required in the operation. Under the direction of George Pauline, the amateurs sang the various and choruses in a natural casy way that showed talent and casy way that showed talent and casy way that showed talent and casy way that showed happen and was required in the operation.

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BYE-ELECTION MOTION

Business Was Principally of a Routine Character-Letter From Former City Engineer About Bridge.

Little besides routine business was transacted at the regular weekly meeting of the city council last night. An interesting communication was read from Ed. Mohun, C.E., regarding a concrete and steel bridge at Point Ellice.

Ald. Yates withdrew his motion providing that the council request the government to bring on the bye-election in Yeitoria.

Frank I. Clark, secretary pro tem of the Tourists' association, transmitted to the council a copy of the memorial recently adopted by the provisional execution of the Tourists' association, transmitted to the council a copy of the memorial recently adopted by the provisional execution in Yeitoria.

The city clerk reported as follows:

Gentlemen;—I have the hobor to inform you that since the last meeting of the city conducts may be the last meeting of the city can be received, and have been retering to the city engineer.

F. W. Wilson, re extension of the resulting of the resulting that reduce on Leighton road.

S. Baxter, re condition of Skinner street, west of Catherine street, Victoria.

Mande L. Holden and 16 others, requesting that a four-foot sidewalk he laid down on Mears street from Cook street southward, for a distance of about 300 feet.

N. LeClair, requesting a sidewalk on the petition which will be forwarded to the minister of marine and fisheries at Ottawa.

Ald. Williams, although supporting the

the council to make an appropriation for a trophy to be competed for at the next provincial association matches. The last cup offered by the city had been won by Corpl. Cunningham. Laid on table pending the consideration of the estimates.

estimates.

The council then reverted to the concideration of the request of Mr. Elliott for a fire inquiry. The city solicitor read section SI of the act, dealing with the subject, showing that it was outside the jurisdiction of the council.

The attention of the writer will be drawn to the section of the act, quoted by the solicitor.

T. P. McConnell asked that the Michigan street sewer be extended a short distance eastward toward Birdeage Walk in order that he and five others may connect their property with it. Refered to the city engineer.

The city clerk reported as follows:

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lished in these columns. His reason for this was that a largely signed petition, which was to be presented to the Lieut-Governor on the subject, would cover the same ground. As a member of the legislative committee of the city council, he felt that it was imperative that Victoria's representation in parliament should be complete, as a number of amendments to the municipal clauses act which were requested, but not taken up last year, were urgently required. In consideration of the petition mentioned, and the intimation of the Ligut-Governor's intention, as noted in the Times, he decided to withdraw his motion. Permission was granted, the resolution withdrawn, and the council adjourned.

A CHARMING OPERETTA

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The Victoria amateur who wrote and composed the charming pastoral operetta "Arcady" could not but be flattered were he present at the Institute hall last evening. The large and fashionable audience applanded not only the performers, but the delightful satire and quaint philosophy of the piece itself. "From the opening chorus until the good night was sung there is not a dull line in the operetta.

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An address on Cocos Island was given by H. F. Jones, and among features of the meeting was the presentation of the following financial statement by the treasurer, H. F. Boorman.

Liabilities.

Liabilities. Other sails Two boats, \$60

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He also presented the following statement of income and expenditure:
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Expenditure.

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and now we have 40 days in early spring.

The last week, holy or passion week, is the most solemn of all the Lenten period. On Good Friday Christ was laid in the tomb, and on Easter Sunday He rose triumphantly over death and the grave. Lent therefore ends with that day. The old custom of refraining from meats is still in vogue, though greatly relaxed. Sundays during Lent are days of festival, and do not count in the 40 days of Lent.

Easter is the most ancient and important moveable feast of the Christian church. It is emblematical of the resurrection of Christ, and signifies new life. The word Easter originated from the ancient goddess Ostara, or Eastre. At the time of the introduction of the Grave men were buried beneath tons, of earth men were buried beneath tons, of earth



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the department. Dr. Rutherford's well known reputation as a veterinary, and his experience in all public matters, as a guarantees of the efficiency in the control of the new arrangements of the efficiency of fire underwriters, requested an investigation into the fire at Spencer's nan in missing and problem.

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The Daily Times.

Times Printing & Publishing Co.

Our amiable contemporary was in rather irascible mood this morning. has evidently been nursing its wrath suise of the failure of the electors this constituency to take its advice elect Mr. Barnard to speak with

the Voice of the West as a protest against the treatment of British Columbis by the Laurier government. An innocent little paragraph in the Toronto-Giobe was the cause of the outburst which signifies that the indignation of the Colonist is still warm against the ensible men who by their rotes showed that they approve of the manner in which the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier has conducted the affairs of the

the outburst referred to reads as fol-lows: "The Island of Vancouver has long been afflicted with a peculiar kind of mossbacked Toryism, such as flourished in Toronto in the forties. It has just got rid of it, and the election of a Liberal the other day was more than a

country. The paragraph which caused

in Toronto in the fortices. It has Just got if do it, and the election of a Liberal the other day was more than a party victory. It represented an awakening and a determination to bring the Island to the position it ought to have through its spleadid resources." Now we submit there is nothing. In these few sentences to send a sedate newspaper into a paroxyam or to call forth adarder upon the large number or votes who elected a Liberal to represent the constituency for the first time in the Parliament of Canada. The Colonist replies to them with statements which are nothing more nor less than fal-shoods. It is assisted as anything else than a step towards securing federal-patronage."

It is true Tory orntors and the Tory, newspaper maintained that the Eabrala are in power and Mr. Riley, solely upon the ground that the Eabrala are in power and the Colonist should not allow itself because where the colonist should not allow itself because of the government appealed to reasonable men to judge by the record of the government whether it had got done, in the first primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the control of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the political history of the possible of the primary object was to secure the texture of the primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that their primary object was to secure the texture of the men whom we had send to represent its proof that th farcical in the light of the political history of the past few years. Our Conservative members acted, apparently, on driven into the wildern their party would be best served by opponing all measures intended to be of benefit to British Columbia. They proposed to do all in their power to render the government unpopular in the hope of making their seats secure and bringing about the early return to power of the only party endowed with the "instincts of government." That would have been all right if the people had been fools. They were fooled once or twice by cries of Liberal disloyalty from the men who said if the tariff should imical to British connection, 'so much the worse for British conn-But such duplicity could not go on for all time. The facts came out and the position of the two parties can now be littelligently compared. When the

Colouist accuses the large number of

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frid Laurier will give by its future

course will, we feel assured, confirm

these converts permanently in their new

political faith. Our contemporary is en-

the assistance it so unwittingly renders

to a good cause.

titled to the thanks of all Liberals for

a time and decided that certain claims of the United States in regard to Behring Sea were absurd. The tribunal did not put the case in just there words, but that was the import of its decision. Amwienn revenue cutters had fallen into the habit of scizing Canadian sealing schooners and condemning them as selled to pay for the acts of its piratical ervants and the sealing business was proclaimed to be a legitimate one. But none of these decisions has convinced epresentatives of the United States on this coast that the original contention their eyes the Canadian sealers are still poachers and legitimate objects for harassment. It was at one time proposed to buy the scalers out and close up

posed to buy the sealers out and close up the business for the benefit of the monopoly which in a benevolent way clubs the sealers to death upon the islands. The poor seals do not object to being knocked on the head, but it is a barbarous work to put them to death with shotzuns or rifles. The project to acquire all the British sealing schooners fell through for the obvious reason that the Canadian or the British government could not barter away the rights of our people to engage in any lawful occupation.

According to a dispatch from the other side it is proposed to deny British vessels engaged in the sealing industry the rights accorded in United States harbors to all ships engaged in a legitimate business. We are sorry it has been considered necessary to resort to such measures. We hope there is no foundation for the report sent out. If it prove true the effect upon relationship of the two countries, which had been increasing in covidality in spite of the barriers designed and erected to discourage trade, samed and recreded to discourage trade, signed and erected to discourage trade, samed and recreded to discourage trade, signed and erected to discourage trade, signed and erected to discourage trade, samed had no reason to believe held Liberal professions. In deed, there are not a few among this latter class whom their neighbors and initiative for the two countries, which had been increasing in covidality in spite of the barriers designed and erected to discourage trade, cannot but but be unfortunate. It only remains for us to stand strictly upon our rights in all our dealings with our neighbors. From the order there are not a few among this latter class whom their neighbors and initiative for the two countries, which had been increasing in counsetion with the navigation and fishing industries of this coast which require clearing up. Even I had not the sealing the profession of the Liberal professions. In the collection of the representation and fishing industries of this coast which require clearing up. Eve

Toryism, we are very sorry to say, But we had our period of wandering and can sympathise with those who have been

If Mr. R. L. Drury were not a wellbalanced man he might be expected to develop a very pronounced case of the malady vulgarly known as "swelled head," The Premier has been most persistent in his efforts to make Mr. Drury one of bis colleagues. The temptation must merely on the threshold of what promises to be a most successful public career. But the stalwart young Liberal probably perceived that the popularity of no single individual can be of any permanent benefit to such a cause

The preliminary work of the Tourist Association has been remarkably success With a judicious expenditure of the large fund there is every indicati of being raised the attractions of Victoria ought to be well advertised as a resort for sportsmen, as well as for those who are looking for a climate which may conary motives, it deliberately levels acts of the Liberal government justified be described as approaching as closely to the ideal as possible. We are unforeral candidate. The sneers which are tunate enough to have no friends in the now being thrown out by the disgruntled large corporations on the outside nor in the best we can for ourselves.

> In an interview with a reporter of the Colonist in regard to fishery matters, Prof. Prince is reported to have said: "There were no doubt many grievances, had been set right long ago it would have

since the days of Sir Hibbert Tupper, They had not been sufficiently familiar with the needs of the Coast fisheries." said anything of the kind, because if he aid he said what was not true. The professor himself is well known to have been the chief obstacle to any reforma tion in our methods of taking fish. The department should ask him for an explanation.

Yesterday the Dunsmuir government was calling upon a Liberal to come over and help it out of a hole. To-day it is come to its assistance.

(News-Advertiser, Vancouver).

of the Miner that the expected shuffle of portfolios has taken pince in the federal cabinet and that as a result British Columbia has at last obtained recognition. With the announcement that Hon. Senator Templeman has been taken into the cabinet without portfolio is coupled the statement that it is only a matter of a short time before he will be piaced in full charge of one of the targe departments. Fresumably he will be made Minister of Marine and Fisheries, as it was officially stated that the appointment of Mr. Sutherland to that post was only to be temporary.

British Columbia is to be heartify congratulated on the news from Ottawa this morning. In Senator Templeman we will be sufficient advocate of measures to satisfy our needs and requirements. There are plainty better days in store for British Columbia; in the templement of our great are plainty better days in store for British Columbia; and the lamediate future ought to shirt a measure of development of our great.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Only Report Furnished by the Victoria the week ending February 11th were \$472,344; balances, \$137,310.

Victoria, Feb. 11.—5 a. m.—Since yester-day the barometer has fallen considerably along the Coast, and is lowest off Vancouver Island. A southerly gale prevails on the Oregon coast and a thunderstorm has occurred at Astoria. Rain, has again been general throughout the Pacific slope, extending to California, and several inches of snow has fallen in the Canadian Territories. Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Easterly to southerity winds, partly cloudy and mild, with rain, chiefly at night.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, chiefly east and south, unsettled and mild, with rain. Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.64; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 12; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.68; temperature, 38; minimum, 34; wind, 10 miles E; rain, 04; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barotheter, 25.74; temperature, 32; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; tem-perature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 16 miles 8. E.; weather, cloudy. Edmonton—Barometer, 20.06; tempera-ture, zero; minimum, zero; wind, calm;

—Assorted Jams, in 1 lb. Glass Jars, 15c each. Mowat & Waliace, Grocers, Yates and Douglas.

Startling Exhibition.—Capt. John Holtum, the king of all jugglers, catching with one hand a twenty-one pound ball fired from a cannon. Lyceum Theatre, to-night.

The regular meeting of the Ladies of the Macabees will be held at the A. O.U.W. hall, Yates street, this evening, at 8 o'clock. A large attendance of mem-

-The favorite route from this city to Nanajmo is now by the Victoria & Sidney railway and steamer Iroquois, Train leaves every Monday and Thurs-day at 7:45 a.m. Single fare \$1.50, Re-turn, good for 10 days, \$2.50.

—All aboard for Crottois, the new smelting centre. On and after February 1st a daily passenger and freight service will be inaugurated between Victoria and Crofton and way poets, by first-class steamer, connecting with V. & S. railway. Trains will leave the V. & S.

Chemists, 40 Government St.

—A well attended meeting of the Epworth league was held in the James Bay Methodist church last evening. The pastor. Rev. B. H. Balderston, B.A., read a paper on "The Life of Tennyson." A quartette by Misses H. Morris and F. Winkle, and Messrs, R. Lindsay and W. Winkle: recitations by Miss Cooper, Frank Schroeder and Corp. R. O. Clarke were greatly appreciated. Miss Lawson gave a humorous, reading, and Mrs. Ware a solo, entitled "Too Late."

C. H. Lugrin's lecture "A Handful of Pebbles" will be given in the Vio-toria West reading room to-night. Her-bert Carmichael will occupy the chair.

The regular meeting of the Victoria Literary and Debating society will be held in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church to-morrow evening. J. Theo. Wilson will deliver a lecture on Carlyle.

—Yesterday afternoon, the remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Bayn-tum, Third street, were interred in Ross Bay cemetery.—The services at the fam-ily residence were conducted by Bey. Mr. Barraclough.

-Rev. Ebenezer Robson yesterday celebrated the forty-third year of his ar-rival in Victoria, and was warmly con-gratulated by his many friends. Mr. Robson has prepared a book on his ex-periences as a pioneer missionary in the province. —A new building will be erected to re-place the old wooden structure on Fort street occupied by the Pacific Transfer company. Tenders are being called for by Messrs, Hooper & Watkins, The old shack was ordered destroyed by the authorities.

-Victorians will be please to learn that the coming business at Crofton, the smelting centre, will add another good market for the sale of Capital Cigars. This famous brand is becoming popular outside as well as in the Cry. Leave your orders at the Factory, 23 Johnson street.

—In Salvation Army circles, farewell meetings are being held in honor of Capt. Hurst, whose term here expires shortly. Last evening such a meeting was held, and to-night a similar meeting will be adressed by Major Hargraves and Adjt. McGill. On Thursday night a farewell tea party will be held, and on Friday night a meeting for soluiers and comrades only.

day at 7:45 a.m. Single fare \$1.50. Return, good for 10 days, \$2.50.

—The city has rented a cabin for old William Keeler and will keep him supplied with provisions. He has been living at the police station, being ineligible for the Old Man's Home, but his quarrelsome nature has made him an undesirable occupant, and the police are glad to get rid of him.

—All aboard for Crofton, the new

-"South Africa." the piay to be presented by Clara Mathes to-morrow night, is highly spoken of by the press, and the company are well fitted by temperament and training for the characters assigned. "South Africa" is not a one part play. Some of the other characters are stronger than that of the star. The comedy vein is an unusually rich one. Special scenery is carried for the play. The performance, as far as possible, will be a continuous one. Avoidance of tedious waits is a very pleasing feature of Clara Mathes's performances.

Great preparations are being made for the grand masquerade ball of the Victoria Aerie, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which takes place in the Assembly hall next Friday evening. The decorations installed for the Native Sons' function, a reproduction of which may be seen in another column, will remain in place, and every arrangement.

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-The Daughters of Rebekah will hold a parlor social at Odd Fellows' hall to-night. An excellent programme has been arranged and all members of the order are cordially invited to attend.

The concert to be given in the J. B. A. A. symnasium on Friday night should be largely attended, in view of its promised excellence. A spiendid programme has been arranged, comprising numbers by leading local talent. The funds will be devoted to paying off the balance owing for the new lapstreak boats which are being built here. The cost is \$450, all of which with the excention \$450, all of which, with the exception of \$125, has been subscribed by mem-bers.

The Y. P. L. S. of First Presbyterian church held their semi-monthly meeting last evening, when a large number attended the evening's entertainment consisting of selections from the Tennyson. The following programme was acceptably rendered: Duet, Misses Haughton and Gleason; essay on Tennyson, Miss A. E. Fraser; quarfette by Sweet and Low; anecdotes of Tennyson, Miss McMillan; recitation, "Locksley Hall," Mr. Morrison; ctitic, Prof. Wilson.

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—The "At Home" in Temperance hall this evening, under the auspices of Perseverance Lodge, I.O.G.T., promises to be a very successful and a very enjoyable affair. Chief Templar J. G. Brown will occupy the chair. A splendid programme of instrumental and vocal music and also recitations will be given and a short address by the Rev. Elliott 8. Rowe on a subject of interest to all who may be present. Refreshments will be served at the close. The entertainment is free, but during the evening a collection will be taken up.

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The regular meeting of the Epworth league of the Metropolitan Methodist church was held under the direction of the literary department last evening. The chair was taken by A. C. Charlton, A debate, "Resolved That Anticipation is Better Than Realization," was the subject for the evening. The debaters were as follows: Against, Messrs. Mc-Kenzie, Pumphries, and Ray; and for, Messrs. Goodchild and T. Oliver, and Miss G. Luscomb. The following acted as judges: R. L. Drury, J. H. Baker, and A. L. Armson. The debate was decided in favor of realization.

The regular meeting of the Capital Literary Society of the Congregational church will be held this evening at the house of Rev. R. B. Blyth, 280 Yates street, when the following programme will be given:

PART I.
Symphony-Beethoven
Miss Roach, S. Talbot
Taibot
Sonatu-Beethoven S. Talbot
Violin Obligato E. Avery March Funebre—Chopin S. Talbot
March Punches Chools . 9 Talbot
PART II.
Duet-W. Ganz Miss Roach, S. Talbot
Oak Marchback O Main
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Away up toward the northern part of Vancouver Island Quatsipo sound winds its way inland fully three-quarters of the distance across, and through country of great mineral wealth. Mr. Gwin and partners, after prospecting near the head of the sound, decided to make for Fort Rupert, about a dozen miles in a northeasterly direction. Although the country to be traversed is rough and the obstacles to rapid progress insuperable, they expected to reach their destination during daylight at least.

Mr. Gwin carried in his pack some samples of ore found near Quatsino sound and some prospecting implements, giving him a load of 30 pounds. The others carried 40 pounds each. They did not expect to spend a night on the way, and consequently did not provide themselves with blankets, Neither did they think it necessary to take more than a biscuit or so each, as they anticipated a hearty meal after they had traversed the 10 or 12 miles which stretched between them and their destination. At daylight a week ago on Saturday they set out. The trail was considerably obscured by the snow which had fallen quite heavily. On, on they tramped, stumbled and struggled, little thinking that they were off the trail muli several hours after they started, when they made the discovery. Here indeed was a predicament with a vengeance, and the trio made desperate efforts to locate themselves. It was useless. The more they tried the more bewildered they became, and to crown all, they were soon in the midst of the brush, which, like a mystic maze, only developed more puszling features in every direction they explored.

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It was dark by 4 o'clock, and the three discouraged prospectors realized that they would have to put in the night in the very undesirable locality. They were hungry and foot sore, and food and siece were worth untold wealth under those circumstances. They could have none of the former, for their meagre stock of biscuits had long been exhausted. They got little of the latter, as they had no blankets and the formation of the brush prevented them from preparing adequate resting places. They did succeed in lighting a fire and passed the night in a rather forlorn consideration of their prospects for the morrow, and their chances of encountering civilization in the near future.

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Four o'clock on Sunday, the second and the second and the well known canner, are registered at the Dominion, sectority of the second and the se

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Joseph Martin left fast evening for Nanaimo to endeavor to discipline recalcitrant Liberals at that point. He met with but little encouragement here.

Hon, James Dunsmoir stated this morning that he didn't know what was going to happen, and that he didn't like the looks of things. Another member of the ministry confessed that the government was "up against it," and something had to be done quickly.

There is nothing particularly new in the situation. Mr. Dunsmoir is still trying to induce prominent men to enter his cabinet, but with absolutely no success.

SUCCESSFUL BALL

pany 3, Fifth Regiment, Last Evening.

The A. O. U. W. hall was the scene of a very successful event last night, when Company 3, Fifth Regiment, C. A., gave their annual dance. The hall was tastefully had suggestively decorated with flags, bunting and various devices, ingeniously installed by a capable committee.

The scene was a capable committee.

The scene was a very pretty one, the charming gowns of the ladies, the bright uniforms of the stalwart soldier dancers, affording a centrast as pleasing as artistic. At midnight a delightful supper was enjoyed, the committee showing the same elegant taste in this department as in every detail in connection with their function.

The committee in charge of the ball were Corporal W. Winsby, Romb. C. E. Lawson, Gunners Anderton, Doyle and Keefe.

Personal.

S. G. Peele, the well known New West-minster lacrosse player, arrived in the city isst evening and is registered at the Do-minion. He has accepted a position in the local tramway office.

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TRAIL. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moore fell on a stove on Friday and was dreadfully burned.

HOSSLAND,

Matthew Martinson, a miner from Spokane, was badly hurt by a slip of rock in the Le Roi mine on Saturday. His skull was fractured in two places, and he was otherwise injured. Martinson was taken to the Sisters' hospital, and will probably recover.

At the present time it is estimated that 2,000 gallons a minute is being poured into Extension mines from the dams. Arrangements are being made to install two pumps, which will about double the

Robert Westmoreland, who formerly lived here, fell down staties at Ladysmith hotel on Saturday evening. It is thought his back may be broken.

The election for members to represent the miners of the New Vaucouver Coal Company on the board of examiners, under the new provisions of the Coal Mines Regulation Act, takes place next Saturday. The nominees are: William Smith, William Neave, T. J. Shenton, George Johnson and Janies Berry. Two representatives and two alternates are to be elected from them.

NELSON.

A writ was issued in the Supreme court yesterday at the instance of Elijah. Barnett Dunlop, protesting the election of Robert Alexander Bradshaw as mayor of Slocan city, on the ground that he does not possess the necessary property qualification, and that he is interested in the contract between the city and the owners of the building the city has leased for the city hall. The case will come before the court on February 14th. Dr. Hawkey has been appointed medical superintendent in charge of the Kootenay Lake General hospital, in the place of Dr. Doherty, resigned.

A narrow escape from drowning occurred on the south side of the lake near Seven-Mile point on Tuesday afterness. R. Heddle was making his way across on the lee on a bicycle and coming on some rotten ice broke through without the slightest warning. Mrs. D. McDonald, wife of a rancher, living at Seven-Mile point, on the opposite shore of the lake, happened to be looking out of the window at the time. She called to her husband and he immediately fin across the ice. He took off his coat and holding one sleeve extended the other to Mr. Heddle, who had been vainly struggling to climb out on the tee, and was utterly done out. After severe exertion the rescue was accomplished, and Mr. Heddle was assisted to a cabin on the shore.

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city. Capt. Taylor is an enthusiastic volunteer and athlete, and by his interest in drill and athletics he has already done much for the young men of the city. It is to be hoped he will have strong support in re-organizing the new-corps, which can be made a credit to the city. The provision of a drill hall and armory will be a great assistance towards making a success of the new-corps.—Mail.

THE CHICAGO ORCHESTRA.

Famed Musicians to Play Here To-Morrow Night-Something About Them.

"The music loving public of the Pacific coast has grown not only in numbers but in appreciation during the last 10 years," declares the manager of the Chicago Orchestra, who is in the city arranging for the concert to be given here to-morrow evening at the Victoria

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"We have one of the most complete organizations in America, and Victoria will hear the entire orchestra as it is known in Chicago."

Last year the orchestra, under the leadership of Adolph Rosenbecker, completed a tour of 6,000 miles. This year its tour will even be longer than that, and will include the principal Pacific coast cities.



A. ROSENBECKER, DIRECTOR.

Each of the soloists who accompany

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TESTING NEW YACHT.

n. Feb. 10.—Sir Thomas
hallenger for the America
ed against Shamrock II.
n skipper and crew on be

NEISON HOAT CLUB.

At a meeting of the Neison Boat Club Messra. Euchanan, Malone and Crousdaile were appointed as a committee to take such steps as they may deem advisable to induce the city council to recognize the regarta instead of the customary ist of July celeration and to grant such financial assistance as they may see fit.

Some discussion followed regarding the best style of building for the new club boathouse, which the club lintends to erect as soon as the necessary funds are raised. Some of the members were of the opinion that a two story building should be put up if anything was to be done at all, while others thought that a one story structure for a start would be enough. It was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the committee to make a report to the club. The date for the regatta was informally discussed, and it was thought that July 25th and 26th would be the most suitable. This matter was also left in the hands of the committee.

The committee.

THURSDAY'S BIG MATCH.

That the V. A. C. intend to try hard to down the Tacoma team in the drill hail on Thursday evening was very pishtly shown by the hard practice they put in last evening. At their hail on Fort street they lined up against a team of seven, and an hour's practice was indulged in, showing that the team. were, in very good condition.

This evening they play against another picked ream, and on your chat desires to fer the boys working which will represent the condition of the property of t

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ed from testimony which is given every day to this greatest of healers. It has never been matched in curative qualities in Ec-sema, Tetter, Plies, etc. 35 cents. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—103.

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Dated the 10th day of February, 1902, H. W. WALKER.

TENDERS

Brass Goods, Valves, Lead Pipes,

arate tenders will be received up to 3 on Monday, February 24th, for the

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Valuable Real Estate Sale.

To be sold by private tender, pursuant to an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Martin made in an action Joseph W. Reay vs. George W. Reay and others, Victoria City Lots 783 and 734, stuate our rear booth Malo of Discovery street, above Douglas street, and also Victoria City Lots Nos. 714, 715, 718, 727, 728 and 729. Lots 714, 715 and 714 front on Herald street, and Lots 727, 728 and 729 are the corresponding lots on Chatham street, so that a purchaser of the whole of the above lots would have a valuable piece of property extending through from Herald to Chafham street, with a frontage of three lots on each street.

Tenders are to be sent to the Registrar of the Supreme court at the Law Courts, Victoria, not later than Thursday, the Milh day of February, A. D. 1902.

Particulars and conditions of sale and forms of tender may be obtained from Mershall Mershall Scholichers for the plaintiff, or Messrs. Bodwell & Duff, Pooley, Luxton & Pooley, and Robertson & Roberts

NOTICE.

REVISED STATUTES CANADA, 1896, CHAPTER 62.

Proposed Construction of Marine Rallway and Wharf at the Port of Victoria, S. C.

Notice is hereby given that under and pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Camada, 1883. Chapter E., the undersigned, by petition dated this day, have applied to the stovernor in Council for approval of the area plan and site of the following proposed works to occupy, the foreshore and submerged grounds adjoining or abutting on Lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, Block K, Workstreet, Harbor Estate, Victoria, B. C., hamely:

(a) A slipway, commonly described as a marine railway.

(b) A wooden wharf adjoining said slipway. A plan of the said proposed works and a description by metes and bounds of the foreshore and submerged ground to be occupied thereby has been deposited with the Minister of Public Works, and duplicates thereof have been deposited in the Land Registry office, Victoria, B. C. Sth January, 1902.

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Managing Director,
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Secretary.

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Area 14.—A beit of land one mile in width one each side of Gardener Canai and the Kitlap for Kitlobel River, for a distance of 10 miles up said river.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department.

Victoria, B. C., 13th January, 1902.

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All mineral rights are reserved by the squimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company in the tract of land bounded on the buth by the south boundary of Comox strict, on the East by the Straits of eorgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, of the west by the boundary of the E. Eallway Land Grant.

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LEONARD R. SOLLY, Land Commissioner.

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WARD SUGGESTS

AT WILLIAM HEAD QUARANTINE STATION

Makes a Statement Before Council of Board of Trade-Other Matters Were Considered.

cussed at the quarterly meeting of the A. Ward made a strong statement against the accommodation at the quarntine station.

artine station.

The following members were present, President, L. G. McQuade, in the chair, and Messrs, C. F. Todd, Lindley Crease, A. B. Fraser, T. F. Paterson, J. A. Mara, D. R. Ker, W. A. Ward, Col. Prior and Capt. J. G. Cox.

Mr. Ker reported on behalf of the committee appointed to interview P. O. Inspector Fletcher in reference to getting the mails across by Ladysmith ferry when the Victoria steamer did not wait for the train, Mr. Fletcher said that the matter was in the hands of inspector McLeod, and be thought the matter could be arranged. Mr. Fletcher hoped to get such improvements in the northerp mail service as would meet the views of the board. Through the courtesy of the Scattle postmaster, mails are now funigated at that city instead of on the steamer.

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Mr. Ker suggested that the secretary write acknowledging the good offices of he Seattle postmaster in facilitating the prompt delivery of mails.

Mr. Mara reported on behalf of the committee appointed to see about better roted accomposition, visiting that they

committee appointed to see about better hotel accommodation, stating that they had nothing definite to offer. Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was expected in February, when the matter could be taken up with him. The committee were given further time to report.

Mr. Todd said he refused to subscribe towards the objects of the Tourists Association until good hotel accommodation was secured. It would be waste of time to induce tourists to come here under present conditions.

was laid over until the board could se-ture a schedule of wages paid carriers. The Atlin Board of Trade asked for the assistance of the board in securing the appointment of a County court judge or assistant County court judge for that listrict. The secretary reported that be matter had been attended to. The Toronto Board of Trade asked for

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Two of the ladies came through the bath of the first day, and would have had to wait for as long a peried as we did before they got their clothes if it had not beer for the kindness of Mrs. Watt a leading to the bath from the disinfecting room up to the bath troop the disinfecting room up to the stands of the ladies were fundigated on the following morning. There was only one ladies' dressing room.

The accommodation at the buildings when one we got installed there was fulry comportable, though very far from perfect. There is one large room which is used as adming, sitting, smoking, reading and write needed to be telephone is impossible. The doctor always allowed the use of his own telephone when might and day outside the fence (which blew down on Christmas night, thus giving us an opportunity of seeing them). They ground and rain, and lived in a little house about a quarter of a mile when we had to the buildings when one we got installed there was fulry comportable of the stander which was washed about of the stander of the ladies were funding the storage of the telephone is impossible. The doctor always allowed the use of his own telephone when with shot guns, who walk up and downight and day outside the fence (which blew down on Christmas night, thus giving us an opportunity of seeing them). They find the wild no shelter whatever from the wind and rain, and lived in a little house about a quarter of a mile when we were for public instruction, who was assassinated the condor were painted a light yellow, and corresponded with the weekfage which the officers of the Egeria so of the Egeria made a very extensive cruise long the other public instruction, who was assassinated the condor went to the banket on the following sense of the stander of the ladies of the count of the lived of the condornal public of the condornal public

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The Victoria Board of Trade wrote the Vancouver board, suggesting the formation of an association of costs boards. The Vancouver board expressed anwillingness to discuss the matter.

A letter was received from the postal carriers of the Dominion asking for the endorsation of the application of the carriers for increased pay. The matter was laid over until the board could secure a schedule of wages paid carriers.

The Adilin Board of Trade asked for the assistance of the board in securing when we had fluished our had to those who had not been able to get change.

Mr. Ward said Mrs. Watt did many things she should not have been called upon to do to make it comfortable for the women there. e women there. The meeting then adjourned.

SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE,

Met Says They Would Violate State Law if They Obeyed Railway Company,

Missoula, Mont., Feb. 11.—The switchmen's strike, which was inaugurated here to-day in the yards of the Northern Pacific railway, has assumed a grave aspect. Last night the switching crew, out of sympathy for day men, quit work, and conductors and brakemen have refused to make up or handle any trains unless switching is done by the regular crew of the yards.

The cause of the trouble was the discharging of two men who refused to work with a road engine without sideboard attachments. The switchmen declare they would be violating a state law if they complied with the order of the reliway company. The statute in question provides that the trainmen and yardmen, who are injured while working in the yard on an engine without sideboards are allose held remeasules.

STEAMER WRECKED.

Passengers Landed Here by the Cottage City This Afternoon.

the outer wharf this afternoon brought ryka Commercial company's steamer Bertha, which was wrecked in Fitzhugh

Sofia, Feb., 11.—The Macedonians untilized the occasion of the funeral today of M. Kamtcheff, the late minister of public instruction, who was assassinated on Thursday last, to make a political demonstration. They gathered in considerable numbers and fired volleys from revolvers in all directions. As far as known no one was wounded, but those who took part in the procession were thrown into a panic.

LORD DUFFERIN.

Bulletin Issued To-Day Says He Is Continually Growing Weaker.

Relfast, Feb. 11.—The bulletin issued this afternoon from Clandeboye regard-ing the health of Lord Dufferin, former Governor-General of Canada, shows he has been continually growing weaker since the morning, and that the end is

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EGERIA'S OFFICERS

A Sheath Bearing Government Mark Picked Up Off Eucluelet-Egeria

H. M. S. Egeria, Capt. Simpson, which for the last few weeks has been cruising off the West Coast of the Island in search of some traces of the missing Condor, returned to Esquimant at noon to-day. She has on deck the boat picked up off Ahousett, and transferred to her by the United States cutter Grant. In addition, her officers have further proof of disaster having befallen the missing warship. This consists of a sheath from the Royal mast truck with the unmistakable mark of recognition of the broad arrow deeply imprinted in its metal surface.

Steamer Cottage City, which reached the outer wharf this affection to the deck, may have broken off from the other part of the foremast, and in this way become detached.

But this is only one theory of

The masts of the Condor were painted a light yellow, and there is little doubt now left in the minds of the Egeria's officers but that the Condor went to the bottom. One said after his return that he did not think that she got three hundred miles off the Straits.

The Egeria made a very extensive cruise along the outer rocks along the West Coast, but found nothing else than that above mentioned. The west

that above mentioned. The weather throughout most of the trip was very stormy, but no damage was sus tained. In fact, unlike the Condor, the Egeria is a great sea-going ship, and believed by some of those on her to be

believed by some of those on her to be practically unsinkable, that is so far as a sea is concerned.

But on the voyage just completed her staunchness was severely tested in another way. In running out of Clayoquot she had a narrow escape from destruction. She was steaming at about three-quarter speed when her momentum was suddenly checked and the ship brough to a sudden standatil. A submerged rock that had not been calculated on was the obstruction. The ship's nose found its way to the far side of it. lated on was the obstruction. The ship's nose found its way to the far side of it, but not so the deeper portion of the ship. About three-quarters of the entire length of the cruiser remained on the rock, and despite all efforts the ship refused to move. The tide at this time was on the ebb. and the position was somewhat alarming, until it was known that the ship was in no particular danger, that a 'shelving rock 'had been struck and that at high water the prospects of her floating her were very favorable.

It was 10.30 o'clock in the n when the accident occurred, and the weather was fairly good. The crew were at once set to work to lighten the after portion of the ship. Everything movemble was taken forward. In the meantime the tide continued to fall, and

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(Associated Press.)

Portland, Ore., Feb. 11.—The fire which broke out in the hold of the steamer Indravelli, and which compelled

her to return to port after starting on her voyage to Asia last Thursday is still burning. The loss on the cargo of cot-ton will be heavy.

GERMANY'S BANK RATE. (Associated Press.)

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