













Provincial News.

Vancouver appears to have gone to work with energy... The local branch was re-opened in very convenient and central quarters...

Scientific Information.

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Mining News

Thomas Burns was sentenced to 18 months at hard labor... The other two boys, however, were swept off and had a fall of about 12 feet.

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A house in Italy that was struck by lightning last April has yielded Dr. Foligno some interesting facts. The lightning produced a large number of magnetic points and zones in the masonry...

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H.M.S. Warspite

August 17th, 1899. Mayor Garden, City of Vancouver: Dear Sir: I am directed by Rear-Admiral Lewis A. Beaumont to say that he is greatly obliged for the honor of the invitation on behalf of the labor...

Scientific Information

The utilization of waste from the manufacture of potato flour has been sought by J. Knippen, of Lehrsens, Holland. The residues are strained to remove the pulp, etc., partially freed from water...

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NOT RESPONSIBLE. Br. Ship River Fallock. WILSON, Master, FROM HAMBURG. All claims against the above vessel must be forwarded to the office of the undersigned on or before noon on Friday, August 25th inst.

CURE SICK HEAD

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they cure all disorders of the bowels, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if you only have a headache...

Bloodlessness

Or as doctors say "Anæmia," is cured by using DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD. An anæmic person is usually weak, listless and pale. He gets out of breath on slight exertion, the pulse is rapid and weak, and sleep is often disturbed.

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SEAMEN'S INSTITUTION. STORE STREET, VICTORIA, B.C. OPEN FROM 6 P.M. TO 10 P.M. The Institution is "free for the use of Sailors and shipping generally. It is well supplied with papers and a temperature bar. Letters, news, and other articles are sent free of charge. A parcel of literature can be had for outgoing ships on application to manager. All are heartily welcome.

SHIPPING NEWS

The Seattle Chamber of Commerce has sent a letter to the lighthouse board at Washington, asking that further aids to mariners be established in the inland passage to Alaska. The letter points out that at least six lighthouses and fog signals in southeastern Alaskan waters should be established.

A dispatch from Chicago says it is reported that the James J. Hill will build fifteen new steamers for his trans-Pacific trade, to run in connection with the Great Northern road, the present number being insufficient to handle the increased business. The steamers at present running in connection with the Great Northern railway are the three Japanese liners of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line.

The Steamer Danube, Capt. Peote, will sail this evening from Turner Bostons wharf with a large freight for northern points, including big shipments of millstuffs and groceries for Dawson. Those booked up to the time of going to press were: Wm. McInloch and wife, Mr. Brooks, J. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Mr. Klumpp, P. J. Holm, Mr. Jensen, M. Sandala, P. J. Holland and Mr. Simson.

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Convention of the Y. M. I.

Northwestern Grand Council in Session in Seattle—Large Attendance.

Recommendations in Report of Grand President Keary—Other Business.

The fourth annual convention of the Northwestern Grand Council Jurisdiction of the Young Men's Institute assembled in Seattle on Monday morning, Grand President W. H. Keary, of New Westminster, B. C., presiding.

At 9:30 a. m. the morning solemn high mass was celebrated for the benefit of the visiting delegates at the Church of Our Lady of Good Help by the Very Rev. Father F. X. Prefontaine.

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During the last year the following changes in local councils have been made of which mention is made in the report: Royal City Council, No. 301, of New Westminster, B. C., lost its hall and records, and many of its members suffered severely by fire, which swept that city.

Montreal Mining Market. Montreal, Aug. 23.—Stock market, morning board: War Eagle, 390, 350; Payne, 140, 135; Montreal and London, 58, 57; Republic, 123, 127.

CHEERFULLY CORRECTED. The Reported Drowning of Mr. J. C. Tache Proves Unfounded. It is with infinite satisfaction that the Times is able to-day to correct the statement in yesterday's issue to the effect that Mr. J. C. Tache, engineer of the public works department at Ottawa, was drowned at Five Finger rapids on August 1st.

Sporting News.

GENESEE'S SECOND RACE. Toronto, Aug. 22.—The American yacht Genesee won today's race for the Canada cup, reporting home at 2:27, 1 minute 22 seconds ahead of the Beaver, the Canadian yacht.

CANADA CUP RACE. (Associated Press.) Toronto, Aug. 22.—It looks as if the Canada Cup race would not be finished in the time allowed to-day. The boats did not start until 12:25, owing to the light wind.

KAISER AND CUP RACES. (Associated Press.) London, Aug. 23.—It is said Captain Ben Parker, skipper of the Emperor William, at the suggestion of Sir Thomas Lipton, president of the Shamrock, asked His Majesty's permission to sail the Shamrock in coming races, and received a reply peremptorily forbidding him to do so.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE TROPHY. The much prized cup is of silver, standing two feet high and weighing 100 ounces. Medallions variously inscribed are around its broadest part. On one medallion is found: "Schooner America, 170 tons, Commodore J. C. Stevens; built by George Steers, New York, 1851."

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BABY'S OWN SOAP. I Must have the genuine. The imitations look very nice, but they hurt my delicate SKIN.

The Dawson Fire. A LESSON TO BE LEARNED. Before concluding any arrangement for shipping your freight from Bennett to Dawson, please write or give a call.

NEW VANCOUVER. KINGHAM & CO., 44 FORT STREET. Sole Agents for Victoria for the New Wellington Collieries.

Richardson's Great Score. The Victoria Marksman Captures First Place in the Gordon Match. Standing of the B. C. Marksmen in Two Days' Shooting.

REMOVAL... SINCLAIR & CO., Feed and Provisions. 42 YATES STREET, HAS REMOVED TO 417 & Co. S. J. Pitts, Wilson Bros, Hudson Bay Co. S. J. Pitts, Dept. of Stores, H. J. Hetherington, H. C. Hetherington, Ham Powder Co., M. A. Vigor, H. Clark, J. H. Todd & Son, B. Williams, A. Barker, J. Pitts, W. J. Weston, Healy & Co., P. McQuade & Son, Don Exp. Co.