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VICTORIA, B. C., TUESDAY MARCH 1, 1910.

MAYOR SCENTS AN INJUSTICE

ALARMED AT PROPOSAL NOW BEFORE HOUSE

Possibility of Property Owners Being Disfranchised-Committee to Investigate

something which may result in some fifteen hu eters of the cit; of the city uncil this me of the board to the matter last night the payor said he had just learned that the Union of Mundelpalities were asking for amendaments to the acts governing a number of cities, including Victoria, to restrict the franchise exercised by Property owners to the actual resistered owner. It this request were granted it would, in his opinion, have the effect of wiping off the list of, woters in Victoria some L300 names. This would be a great injustice and the council should look into the matter at once. The mayor cited instances where a grave hardship would be worked. Thus people who had purchased property on the installment plan and had paid three quarters of the purchase price would be debarred from voting, while the vender of the property who still retained a one-third interest would have the vote attaching to the ownership of the payor sald he

a one-third interest would have the vote attaching to the ownership of the property.

Ald. Fullerton quite agreed with the mayor that a mistake was being made by the Union of Municipalities and he hand that the matter would be reme-

nicipalities ad gone into the question very thoroughly and in his opinion the proposal was a just one. (Coxcluded on page 18.)

HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE HOMELESS

FLOODS CAUSE

SERIOUS DAMAGE

Many Houses Are Wrecked-Manufacturing Plants Closed Down

(Times Lensed Wire.)

Nanpa, idaho, March 1.—Thousands-of dollars of damage to property has been don here and more than 200 families we homeless to-day as a refamilies are homeless to-day as a re-sult of a sudden rise in Indian creek, which runs through a portion of the city. The water is several feet deep n sceres of houses on the flats, and many of the smaller residences are float. The majority of those who lost helf homes are working men, and their

The fled was caused by the overflowing creek. The water is falling rapidly to-day, and unless there is further leaks in the irrigation ditches, the greatest danger is over.

Scores of homes have been destroyed or ruind, however, and many city bridges, crossings and streets, have

ridges, crossings and streets have een irreparably damaged by the flood. urrent luring the night

Salt lake City, Utah, March 1. But respect to the result of the respect of the result of the

the Orgon Short line operating to Butte, iont., and Huntington, Ore. This rod has not been affected by the floods, litzzards and landslides.

The lazzard in Wyoning has disorganized traffic on the Union Pacific, and the flood near Winnemucca has tied up the Southern and Western Parties of the last tied up the Southern and Western Parties.

TIMBER POLICY WAS LIBERALS

PREMIER AROUSED BY **REMARK OF BREWSTER'S**

Act in Which Extension of Tenure of Timber Licenses is Given

Legislative Press Gallery,

The bill amending the Land Act, the chief object of which is to give per petuity of tenure of timber licenses was discussed in the House this after-noon and the second reading on a di-vision. There were two or three speak-ers, one of whom was the Premier. Mr. McBride appeared to speak with some heat, as if some of the remarks of the mornhage for Albarat head

hoped that the matter would be remedided before it was too late.

City Solicior Mann said that the point which had been raised had been decided by a county-court judge in an action which had been fought out in New Westminster. The Union of Municipalities ad gone into the question very thoroughly man. whip which seemed to govern members opposite, would not be passed. The Conservative members voted thumbs down or thumbs up us the treasury beach gave the cue. The bill was padded out with sections which only changed the old section in a word or two. Some of them he had to read twice before he could find the change, another simply changed "shall" to "may," and as a whole the bill seemed to be hiding something. It might be that the hand of the Attorney-General was in it.

A great deal of credit had been taken by the Chief Commissioner on behalf of the government for the flourishing condition of the lumber industry, that wing to good government the prov-ice had had wonderful development that but for the Conservative govern that but for the Conservative government the lumber industry would be dead. The government had very little right to claim any credit for such a flourishing industry as this. The lumber of the world was becoming depleted and to the great forest wealth of British Columbia the rest of the world was turning. Instead of gloryworld was turning. Instead of glory world was turning. Instead of glory-ing the government should feel ashamed that, either through failure to watch things in the lands depart-ment or in order to get in a big rev-cause, the government had to-day such ated. There were over twelve million acres so alienated, and should the or-

disary production of the mills continue
there was sufficient now allenated to,
carry them on for one hundred or one
bundred and fifty years. The action
of the government had placed this in
such a position that it was not a heritage of the people, but was in the such a position that it was not a neri-tage of the people, but was in the hands of American speculators who would make future generations pay. This should be a subject on which the government ought to be censured.

The CALL Post March 1—History of the control in Call and the post of the government of of the gover



SELECTING AN ENGINEER.

CANDIDATES

POSITIONS OF

CITY ENGINEER

CITY SOLICITOR

MAYOR MORLEY-"Now, I wonder how many of these men can build a reservoir that won't 'sweat.""

At Dorsey, Idaho, a fifth slide is

have been killed by a sixth slide. Nineteen Bodies Recovered.

total death list from the two principal

Will Probably Be Taken in the

House of Commons Next

Tuesday

(Special to the Times.)

NAVAL PROGRAMME

VOTE ON CANADIAN

NINETEEN KILLED BY AVALANCHES

SEVERAL PERSONS REPORTED MISSING

Rescuers Continue Search Among Ruins of Mace and Burke

(Times Leased Wire.)

Wallace, Idaho, March 1.-Workins the strain and nerve breaking work hundreds of miners are to-day trying to dig from packed ice, snow and de-

At Mace, where the first avalanche struck the sleeping town, rieven are known to be dead and eight are badly injured. Sweeping down the mountain side, the great mass of snow and earth crushed the cabing and dismal houses like egg shells, burying the occupants in a tangled mass of logs, snow and earth. Reports from the little village say that not until the sun strikes the mountain of snow and wears it away will the list of known dead be compared.

REBUKES BLUE sieeping, and rushing down the moun-tain side it piled up in the guich be-low not 100 yards distant from a group of cabine containing many miners and RUIN PROPHETS

two unidentified men, and at Adair, a third unidentified man is reported to LONDON BANKER ON **OLD COUNTRY CONDITIONS**

SOLICITOR

PHOTOGRAPHS

Wallace, Idaho, March 1.—At 1 o'clock the total number of bodies recovered was nineteen. Three Italian laborers are the only persons now nissing. It is thought that they may possibly be found alive. If not, the Not in Critical Position as the Alarmists Declare—Future of Canada

> Toronto, Ont., March 1.-Sir Edgas roronto, Ont., March 1.—Sir Edgar Speyef, a member of the great banking firm of Speyer & Company, London, England, was the guest of honor at the Canadian Club yesterday. He appropriate that he would try to dissipate some wrong impressions that had been created regarding British financial conditions as a result of the recial conditions as a result of the re-

Frightening of capital, where it exget talk than to the budget itself. Owing to exaggerated statements, a wave of pessimism had passed over the British Isles and far beyond. The unpopularity of home investments and the export of capital was due as much to general business and trade reasons Ottawa, March 1.—It has been practi-cally agreed between the leaders of the vote on the naval bill will be taken on Tuesday next. This arrangement gives us to government action, and a great

LORDS REJECT BILLS

Lloyd George Replies to A. J. Balfour Who Declared Premier's Sole Aim is to Keep Cabinet Together.

outlined the government's programme In moving that government business have precedence at every sitting up to March 24th, when parliament re-assembles after the Easter recess, the preder said the government would present a resolution affirming the neces-sity of excluding the House of Lords altogether from the domain of finance and restricting its powers of veto to Engineers and Firemen Will Walk Out other legislation

WILL RESIGN IF

To secure this the government, he added, would use all methods that seemed proper and adequate within the

A. J. Balfour's reply to Premier As-quith's statement commented on the action of the government in abandon-ing its announced intention of making the budget the first business after Easter. There was, in his opinion, no-immediate necessity of destroying the Lords, but there seemed to be a pas-sionate desire on the other side of the House to destroy that body. There was no passionate desire, however, to pass

Continuing, Mr. Balfour said the predivided parties in the cabinet. One wanted a representative second chamber, the other asked for the abolition of the veto power of the Lords. To send resolutions regarding the veto to the Lords showed that in the government's opinion there ought to be a second chamber. The whole policy of the government. Mr. Balfour declared, showed an utter lack of considered statesmanship and it appeared that only consideration in the premier's mind was how the cabinet could be kept together. Mr. Balfour said he supposed that in the destruction of the divided parties in the cabinet. supposed that in the destruction of th House of Lords and the creation of a new second chamber, Home Rule was

Lloyd George said there would be n njury to trade if the budget was postponed a little longer, and declared

"I can assure our friends that we do not propose to plough the sands unless we find ourselves in a position to en-sure that all our proposals will not only pass the Commons, but pass into law. Unless this is so, we shall not continue in office."

Austen Chamberlain, Unionist, declared that the opposition was anxious o come to close quarters with the government. They were ready to take up the challenge at any moment in regard to the House of Lords or budget, but certain necessary business must be done unless the law was to be broken. to the House of Loras or opease, the certain necessary business 'supst be done unless the law was to be broken in regard to what was necessary to carry ou the King's government the opposition was ready to support the ministers. The opposition, Mr. Chambertain said, was unwilling to throw the affairs of the nation into confusion by a snan division on some minor point.

Premier Asquith's motion giving overtiment's business precedence at very sitting up to March 24th was adopted without division.

London, March 1,—Premier Asquith, in the House of Commons, yesterday buillined the government's programme, moving that government business the house of Lords from up as the freat obstacle to the successful passage of the budget. Enough National-

FAVOR STRIKE.

If Demands are Refused,

Minnipeapolis, Minn., March 1.-Fire added, would use all methods that seemed proper and adequate within the constitution, and upon its successful accomplishment the cabinet and the Liberal party would stake not only the fortunes of the ministry but their very existence as a party.

A. J. Balfour's reply to Premier Asquith's statement commented on the

TWO DROWNED.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., March 1.— Mrs. John McIntyre, aged 45, who lived on a farm at Rosebank, and a hired man, Daniel Plaised, aged 25 years, were drowned while crossing the lee here on Sunday, Mrs. McIntyre leaves a husband and three children.

CHOKED AT DINNER.

London, Ont., March 1 .- John Mason

DEAL IN MINES

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THE OLD RELIABLE

WANT PROTECTION FOR SMALL CONTRACTORS

Fault Found With Agreement Made by Premier With Mac-

kenzie & Mann.

The McBride government, is being se-verely criticised by railway men for neat including in their railway bill or the agreement with the Canadian Northern railway some protection for sub-contractors and stationmen

contractor who subjets it in smart sec-tions varying from one to five or ten-miles. This sub-contractor again lets to stationmen contracts for making rock cuts, or other small amounts of work. It is claimed that if these staare not protected by the gov rament there are all sorts of extra harges made against them, so that la-great many cases they find them-elves hopelessly in debt when the love is finished. The result of this is that the sub-contractors get the work one much cheaper than there we the stationmen were fairly treated. ntractors get rich at the expense sub-contractors' stationmen. government have to pay all

The engineer in passing work takes no account of how the results are obtained. The duty of the government is call for duplicates of the estimate all the sub-contractors and sta-nmen and that these shall be sub-tted to the engineer before the work

s passed.

The matter of the government dealing with the Canadian Northern Pacific Company rather than the Canadian Northern has also come in for its taced of criticism. The method it is med is very complicated and is reely what was expected consider-the promises made at election time.

BRANCH BANK IN

VICTORIA WEST

Royal Bank of Canada Decides to Open on Esquimalt Road

Another branch bank is being estabat once in the suburbs of Vic-The Royal Bank of Canada has oria. The Royal Bank or Canada has ented the building at the corner, of Chatham street and Esquimait road, apposite the Silver Spring brewery, will ake possession in a few days and a lay or two later will be open for busi-

in the city, and he in company with Manager Veitch, of the local bank, have been looking over the ground in The result of their investi-

ations has been the securing of the tite at Victoria West. ; Since the lead set a week or two ago y the Canadian Bank of Cogmerce o securing a site for a branch bank in Douglas street, there have been speculations as to the next move ould be made by other banks. that, would be made by other banks. Victoria West being more or less cut off from the business part of the city is looked upon as a very suitable place for a bank, and the move will certainly be released by the residents in that district. It is also likely to have a thousalty of freet, on hundress in

degree of success attendant upon pening performance by the Pringle any at the A O. Y W. hell last ing was very gratifying. A large and salastic audience witnessed the per-ance of "Trapped by Treachery." ithusiastic audience witnessed the per-ormanice of Trapped by Treachery."

and the old favorites with the Pringle ompany had to expond to numerous artain calls. The cast for the perform-ned was as follows:

Charlotte Hammer

rice was as follows:

Corece Granty ... Charlotte Hammer Salty Anna Waddles ... Florence Pringle Blanch Sterling ... Melba Herman Y. T. Muga ... Johny Pringle Specialties by Miss Herman, Gerald tute and Mr. Pringle. The play will be reproduced this evening and no doubt another large crowd will witness the performance. There will be a change of bill on Thursday evening.

Three days ago a cat was driven up a telephone pole out in the cast end of the city, and fearing a return of the dog which chased it, refused to come down. For three days and nights it remained at the top of the pole, and then the Society for the Prevention of Cruelly to Animals came to the vescue. They enlisted the services of deerge Burns, the pole climber, and pussy was tenderly placed once more on term firms.

raffle for a Shethand peny for the benefit of Thos. Sheppard. If the holder of
this talented actor in a modern comorder this teleptor and pussy was tenderly placed one
within the next four days another
drawing will be held.

The Western Union Telegraph Comparty as been forced to vacate the
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them free. The citizens of Wallace are
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and fireman's fire brigade. In regulation to do any after enduring terrible,

AGAIN IN SIGHT

OAK BAY AND CITY MAY COME TO TERMS

Final Opportunity To-day

A settlement seems to be in sight at last of the vexed question of the supply of water to the municipality of Oak Bay. After listening to the merits of both sides of the question for several sittings and giving a final chance to the municipalities to come together in an amicable agreement, the private bills committee this morning announced its decision on the matter. This is

bills committee this merning announced 4ts decision on the matter. This is contained in the following resolution drawn up in private consultation and accepted by the parties afterwards:

"That section 2 and that paragraph of section 3 affecting the waterworks question, and section 4 of the bill be struck out providing that the city produces to the committee by noon on March 3rd, 1916, a resolution of the inunicipal comeil of the city of Victoria, duly authenticated, providing for an adequate supply of water to Oak Bay municipality, for a period of two the sub-contractors and stationmen who do the actual work on the railway construction. According to the terms of the agreement the government will hand over the subsidy money to the company on the work being passed by the engineer. This, on the face of it, seems fair, enough, but to those who understand the methods used in constructing railways it does not go fare though.

In building railways according to modern methods the work is let to a contractor who sublets it in small sections varying from one to five or ten inlies. This sub-contractor again lets to stationmen contracts for making rock cuts, or other small amounts of

The city was represented by Mayor Morley, City Barrister Taylor, Acting City Solicitor Main and Water Commissioner Raymur, For Oak Bay there were in attendance E. V. Bådwell, K. H. G. Lawson, W. E. Oliver, Coun-

cillor Sproule and J. S. Floyd.

Mr. Bodwell explained that the lâtest agreement, accepted by the city, had been rejected by the council of Oak Bay on Saturday evening. They objected to it in several particulars, The council had an offer of water from the Esquimalt company at a price of six cents per thousand gallons.

(Concluded on page 11.)

FAREWELL DINNER TO A. G. SNELLING

Informal Banquet Was Given Last Evening by His Friends

J. Nicholson, reeve of South Saanich, occupied the chair and among the speakers were W. F. Loveland, Dr. S. F. Tolmie, veterinary inspector for the Dominion government; J. R. Carmichael, R. L. Hodson, H. Puckle, A. Reid, J. Bull, T. Redding, W. C. Quick, A. H. Peatt, A. G. Snelling, T. G. Elliott and F. C. Quick, The catering was in the hands of the I. X. L. Confectionery Company, and was in every sense satisfactory.

Last evening the young people of the Metropolitan Methodist church met for the purpose of reorganizing the Ep-worth league. For some time the church has been without a league and as this was considered too important a branch of workers to let fall it was felt by the pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, that a new one should be formed. There were about forty present and

much interest was shown.

The officers elected to represent the

Couer d'Alene, Idaho, March 1.—
Threatened by further avalanches, the work of removing the forty foot of snow, ice, rock and other debris, which overwhelmed the towns of Mace and Burke last Sunday, has been suspended. Twenty dead bodies have been recovered and a sad memorial service is being held over them this afternoon. The whole Coeur d'Alene country is in mourning over the appalling loss of life. Feople are getting out of the undamaged portions of the towns of Mace and Burke and are taking shelter in Wallace, the railroads transporting the same suspending the same suspending the same suspending to the policy of his leader, Mr. Borden, and also to the policy of his Bor

TRAIN WRECKED BY SNOWSLIDE

SERIOUS LOSS

OF LIFE FEARED

Committee of Legislature Gives Relief Train Leaves Everett for Scene of Accident in the Mountains

> (Times Leased Wire.) Eeverett, Wash. March 1.—"Mail rain stalled in mountains wiped out y snowslide to-day."

This broken message from the mountains received at the Great Northern effices here at 11 o'clock this morning resulted in the immediate dispatch of a relief train with every available doctor and nurse in Everett, and a small army of laborers.

The operator who sent the message did not give his station, and all efforts to get him since have been fruitless.

to get him since have been fruitless The train has been definitely fixed as the Spokane local west-bound stalled mear Wellington since February 24th by the Great Northern officials this af-ternoon. Great fears are entertained that the thirty passengers who were on board may have ben swept to the bottom of the canyon. The gully into-which the teain is venorated to have which the train is reported to have been swept is five hundred feet deep Late this afternoon it was reported that two trains instead of one were destroyed by the snowslide, but owing to the demoralization of wire service this could not be verified.

LABORITES WELCOME ASQUITH'S STATEMENT

Chairman Outlines Attitude of Party in Commons-Policy of Nationalists

London, March 1.—John Redmond, speaking in reply to Premier Asquith's statement in the Commons yesterday, expressed his anxiety that the premier should not recede from his Albert hall speech. The Nationalists were in exactly the same position as last week. If the premier intended to ask the King for guarantee, why did not he also say that if the King refused guarantees he would not hold office.

Replying to a question by Lord Hugh

would not hold office.

Replying to a question by Lord Hugh
Cecil. Unionist member for Oxfordshire. Premier Asquith denied that he
had stated that he would never ask for
guarantees. On the contrary, the premier said, he would tender such advice
to the crown as having regard to the

To mark the leave-taking of the secretary-manager, A., G. Snelling, the members of the Victoria Creamery and Milk Supply Co., Ltd., gave an informal dinner at the Broad Street hall last evening and the proceedings were very interesting. There were about ferity of the members and their friends present.

J. Nicholson, reeve of South Saanich, J. Nicholson, reeve of South Saa of insanity. The proper course would be to reform the Lords first. The mem-

Thomas Barnes, the parliamentary sense satisfactory.

Responding to the toast, "The Provincial Government," proposed by Mr. Carmichael, Mr. Hodson, live stock would not be a political issue at he Carmichael, Mr. Hodson, live stock commissioner, said it was the desire of the government to assist the farmer in every way possible to the end that the best article might be produced.

Section 1. Facility 1. Facility 1. The limits of the local with resolutions.

difficulty in voting for the motion.

Tim Healy, Independent Nationalist, complained that the opposition were helping the government, although they complained so bitterly.

NAVAL DEBATE.

E. N. Lewis, Conservative, Opposed to Policies of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden.

(Special to the Times.)

that district. It is also ilkely to have a stimulating effect on business in that district, especially on the values of reality.

The fact that, bank managers are realizing that the city is bound to spread out in every direction is, a healthy sign.

The PRINGLE COMPANY.

The degree of success attendant upon the opening performance by the Pringle company at the 2 0.0 W hall last evening was very gratifying. A large and enthusiastic audience wincessed the per-Monday evening at 8 o clock. The first Monday of each month will be devoted to consecration service, the second to missionary, third to literary and fourth to social. Devotional meetings will also be held on Sunday evenings at 7 o clock before the services in the church.

IDAHO DISASTER.

Work at Mace and Burke Has Been Suspended—Memorial Services Held.

Couer d'Alene, Idaho, March 1—Threatened by further avalanches, the work of removing the forty foot of snow, ice, rock and other debris, which overwhelmed the towns of Mace and other debris, which overwhelmed the towns of Mace and

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RISING RIVERS

Notice

Portion of Colfax. Wash., is Under Water-Narrow Escapes Reported

(Times Leased Wire.)

day is suffering from serious floods which have already caused damages estimated at thousands of dollars, washed out bridges and demoralized rail trans-

water to the depth of seven feet he places. That part of the city known as places. That part of the Cry known as Russian town is entirely at the mercy of both the north and south branches of the Palouse and several families have been rescued with great difficulty. The residence district along Perkius

man that the business section of that city is flooded.

PHILADELPHIA STRIKE.

what arguments were used to bring about the company's change of policy and union leaders, while pleased with the announce-ment, refuse to discuss the matter until the company makes a definite statement of its attitude.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—A youth to make himself go erally useful in grocery store. App Windsor Grocery Company, opposite P Office, Government street.

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CAUSE FLOODS

Colfax, Wash, March 1.-Colfax to-

Several streets in the city are unde

venue is entirely under water. Word has been received from Pull

ori That Transit Company Has Agreed to Arbitrate Differences With Carmen.

Philadelphia, Pa., March L-After con erences to-day certain leading merchant ere announced that officials of th

The merchants admitted that the company has const hand and that the company has consented to arbitrate its differences with

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CONTRACTS FOR **NEW RAILWAYS**

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Introduced by Premier McBride Late Yesterday Afternoon-**Text of Contract**

Legislative Press Gallery,

February 28th, many weeks the raffon which the government went to House by the premier at 5.35 this afternoon. There were four of them in all one to ratify the contract with Mackensia & Mann, a second to incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company, another to ratify the agreement with the Kettle River Valley Railway Company, which by the suppose of the contract of the by the way bears date to-day, and the fourth a formal bill, repealing the Midway and Vernon subsidy which the Kettle River Valley Company is to get.

There was naturally great interest to see what the contract contained and manufactures to see that see what the contract contained and members were deep in their copies as soon as they got them, though of course the government supporters were familiar with the proposals as stated to them in caucus.

The main act sets out in the preunble the expediency of ratifying and propriets the contract entered into

oufirming the contract entered into between the King, represented by Hon. Richard McBride, and the C. N. R. and reads as follows:

1. The said agreement, a copy of hich forms the schedule to this act, hereby ratified and confirmed and sclared to be legally binding, according to the tenor thereof, upon . His ajesty and the Canadian Northern tailway Company; and the parties to aid agreement, so far as the legisla-ure of the province of British Columla has power to enact, are hereby au corrized and empowered to do what-

unt necessary for that purpose out the hands of any purchaser

id agreement may provide for the sue, from time to time, and ranking seve, from time to time, and ranking out, massn with said securities and vithout preference or priority one over he other, of additional securities of similar kind, tenor, and effect, not exceeding \$35,000 per mile of additional ines of ratiway in the province of British Columbia, to be hereafter contracted by the Canadian Northern structed by the Canadian Northern Pacific tailway Company executing the original instruments: Provided, always, that before such additional securities are 185000, the Eurantee by the province of the payment of the principal and interest thereon shall first have been authorized by the legislature, and that such guarantee shall for the page of the payment to such



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together with the mortgaged premises covered thereby, shall form the security for all the securities issued direction. The same effect has if the original instrument and supplementary instrument and a supplementary instruction:

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The Pacific Company will also construct or cause to be constructed, operated, and in connecting dalong and in connecting supply all such that is a securities in the sourcement will extend the government will extend the gov

Northern Pacific Railway Company therefor, under the securities so paid, or under the mortgage or deed of trust or inder the mortgage or deed of trust securing the payment thereof, or under the terms of the said agreement, but such liability shall remain unimpaired and enforceable, according to the terms of the mortgages or deeds of trust and of the aforesaid agreement, by the province against the said companies.

with respect to the securities so paid, be in the same position as a holder of securities upon which the issuing comcany has made default.

Memorandum of Agreement made this 17th day of January, A. D. 1810, between His Majesty the King (here-inafter called "the Government," and herein acting and represented by the Hon. Richard McBride, minister of mines for the province of British Columbia), of the first part; and the Canadian Northern Railway Company (hereinafter called "the Sovernment," and the Canadian Northern Railway Company (hereinafter called "the Northern Company only such deviations as may be deemed pany"), of the second part

inafter mentioned, for the purpose of securing the people of British Columbia easonable passenger and freight rates. and to assist in the opening up and the development of the province:

Columbia, promote the passage of an act, a copy of which is a schedule here to, ratifying and confirming this agreement, and authorizing and confirming of railway, and shall make the sleeping the guarantee hereby agreed to be given.

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They cleanse the whole system by the construction of a line connection to blood. Sold everywhere line its main line with the city; and in

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the event of such company satisfactor-ily completing such arrangements and constructing into or through the city, the government will extend the fore-

or cause to be constructed, operated, and maintained, glong and in connection with each of said lines of railway, a telegraph line, and supply all such telegraph equipment and apparatus as may be necessary for the efficient working of such telegraph lines, both for railway and commercial service.

6. The Northern Company covenants the first day of July, A. D. 1914: and enforceable, according to the terms
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> 7. The Northern Company ment that in the location, construction, maintenance, and operation of the said

when completed and equipped, shall in all respects, apart from grades and curvatures (as to which the character of the country through which the lines pass shall be taken into consideration), be equal to the standard of the main line of the Canadian Northern rallyay as constructed between the city of Wischester the country of the character of the constructed between the city of the city of the constructed between the city as constructed between the city of Winnipeg, in the province of Manitoba.

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the province of British Columbia, and that the railways of the Northern Com-pany and of the Pacific Company shall interchange traffic so as to afforf the same convenience of operation to the public as if the lines of the two railservice in every way commensurate with the business which may be of

(h) The Pacific Company will erect and maintain, within three miles of the city of Victoria, all of the work shops repair shops, and round-houses which

ties in connection with its business at the city of Victoria and at the city of

Vancouver:

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THE RAILWAY POLICY.

Enshrouded in a dense cloud of legal verbiage, the railway policy of the McBride government was brought down in the Legislature, yesterday and is now spread before the people of the province for consideration. On behalf of the government the claim is made that this proposed legislation more

than redeems pledges made immediately preceding the general election of last year. We do not purpose considering the measures ratifying the preliminary contract with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann in a spirit of unreasoning hostility. We appreciate the fact that the verdict of the people has up at present that it may be our perbeen largely in favor of the government that the evident desire of the electorate as ascertained by the result of the general election inclines towards a programme of railway construction that will open up and develop the province and relieve business from the incubus of exorbitant passenger and freight charges, and that the popular verdict was to give the McBride government a chance to redeem its ne authority capable of deciding from tracts, indentures and agreements now before the Legislature that the instruments in question will redound to the credit of the government and pro- from the Colonist as it is printed: mote the caused desired by the people ((h.) THE PACIFIC COMPANY when they declared their intention of will EXECT AND MAINTAIN.

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work out. ted that the government has imple mented its pledges. A line of railway s to be built from the present terminus of the Canadian Northern Railway in the neighborhood 'of Head Pass to the city of New Westminster. The mainland terminus of the road will-be at Vancouver. Connection is to be made by a first-class passenger, freight and express ferry between a point at or near English bor at or near the city of Victoria. One hundred miles of road, more or less, is to be built upon Vancouver Island, giving the city connection with a harbor at or near Barkley Sound. All the nection with the island section of the system are to be established within a radius of three miles of Victoria, subject to the usual qualification. The dates for the commencement of construction are fixed. But the terms of the agreement in respect of these mat-ters and everything else set forth in the weight of which will be appreciated to be a said to be a set forth in the weight of which will be appreciated to be a set forth in the ended or modified by order in council -that is, at the will of the government. There is therefore nothing finally fixed lature, which, we may be sure, will accept the measure practically as it es from the hands of the g

Company and the government will

The liability of the province, as we have already pointed out, in connec-tion with the contract will be very heavy-forty-four millions of dollars. what does the province get in guarantees of reduced passenger and freight rates? How does the contract com-Mr. Roblin's guarantee of interest on retort in kind, and more than any twenty thousand dollars per mile? Compare the McBride-Bowser contract with the contract executed between the Canadian Northern Railway Company he challenges. Secure as he thought and the Roblin-Rogers government, as in the protection of Parliament, the ex-

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And the standard of the roadbed is to Canadian Northern between Winnipeg Tusiness.

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tion whatsoever, municipal and educa-

The government claims to have deemed its pledges to the people, however. The government's friends say it has more than redeemed its pledges. That is a matter which can only be determined by the developments of the future. The question is so near to spective is distorted. But the province has had experiences with guarantees of the bonds of railway companies, and such experiences are far from reas-

PREMEDITATED AMBIGUITY.

As a sample of the manner in which almost every provision in the proposed contract between the Canadian Northern Rallway Company and the McBride government is so qualified as as the interests of the province are concerned, we quote the following

Our readers will observe that the portion of the section printed in large, bold-faced type means nothing at all when read in connection with the part printed in small characters. The company is left to establish the works what is true of this section may be applied to nearly every other sect of vital importance, those dealing with the purchase of supplies, the class of labor to be employed, the location of the routes, the standard of the road; the control of rates, the so-called first mortgage on the whole of the Canadian Northern system outside of the province, the interest of the province the record. Coming down to statistics only convex lenses were used, but afthe risks, and what are the advantages | 10 to 11. France, 14 to 15; -Belgium, it secures in the forms of relief from 16; United States over 129. These figextortionate rates the government ures are based on an average taken for the members of the present legislature in proper enforcement of the law and will stop for a moment to consider the hanging of murderers. Dr. White proasked to endorse. They would probably ders in the United States in 1910. laugh in derision if told they are about captain Tatlow, the late Finance Minister, has not changed his opinion that the emet of the passage of the contract will be an immediate blow at the credit of the province, and there are

FOSTER'S LIBEL SUIT.

Protected by the privileges of Parliament, Hou, G. E. Foster is in the habit of giving free rein to a bitter tongue at the back of which is a soured tongue at the back of which is a source than three to corporation at a salary of 180 per tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of which is a source tongue at the back of the and crabbed disposition. More than ince of Manitoba as a set-off against any other man in public life he invites other individual in public life is Mr. Foster open to criticism of the kind Finance Minister threw down the gage to the editor of the Toronto Globe. The (a) The C. N. to open its road and run a through train from Winnipeg to Port Arthur before October 1st, 1991.

(b) The Lieutenant-Governor in Council to fix freight rates on all disposition with speculative companies. which carried on their operations almost exclusively with trust funds of the Foresters' fraternal and benevolent pose was published in the Globe news (d) Passenger rates to be reduced to note exceeding 3 cents a mile.

(e) The company to permit randing rights of its road to any company excepting the C. P. R.

(f) Equipment to be adequate. Designed on the Globe newspaper, against which Mr. Foster in paper, ag

the Globe in the action for libel. Thus is not exclusively Conservative term-all that Mr. Foster has gained by his tory, for the Liberals are strong in appeal to the courts is a further circulation of the matter of his notorious connection with the speculative Union as a whole, the Liberals have a sub-stantial majority. The name of "Little Trust Company, which operated large-ly with trust funds, and a complete Vindication of the freedom of the press to the wrong party. in public life. Mr. Foster in his trial. But there is very little probability of his carrying the matter to a to ourt. He has probably gained all the notoriety and publicity he de-

AN ONTARIO HALLUCINATION.

of purchasing the company's lines or diversity and the company's lines or masculine costume recently succeeded in working up a mad dog scare in Ontario. The consequence was that every Manitoba system are not to exceed animal of the canine species in the province became an object of suspicion and dread. It was chased and hound ed until its life became a burden, a "dog's life" literally. The poor perse cuted brute naturally took to snarling ings. The Pacific Railway in this and snapping at every man, woman provincial taxation, but from all taxa- placed enmity between it and the sons and daghters of men, whereas the naof friends" with the others. The spectre of hydrophobia stalked abroad. Scores of cattle alleged to have been affected with the terrible disease were slaughtered, after learned veterinaries had passed upon the symptoms said to have been developed, looked wise and pronounced judgment, Dozens of frightened human creatures who said or dreamed they had been bitten by mad dogs which "frothed at the mouth and looked ferrodous" were availabled. The future disposition of the water-bits over only in the city of seven Raymond's wharf and the B. C. Paint Works, was decided at last evening's meeting of the city council. The attempt on the part of the city to get authority to sell the look without regard to the fact that they were originally decided to the corporation for esplanade purposes failed affected with the terrible disease were dogs which "frothed at the mouth and looked ferocious" were consigned to the Pasteur Institute at New York to be treated for rabics. The Oatario govern-street had certain rights which must of an Astitute for "pasteurizing" of the victims of mad-dog epidemic. A government order was passed making it obligatory upon all dog owners to muzzle their pets or their companions, muzzle their pets or their companions. ment made provision for the creation be protected.

Ald, Raymond, reporting on behalf of vince were doing a healthy business, to be of practically of no effect, as far it occured to some practical-minded individual to have the case of the poor oppressed and persecuted dog diagnosed real expert. Then it was discovered that the alleged epidemic of rables was merely a mild form of canine disease known as "distemper." That is a the slightest attempt at exaggeration, become acquainted with men, the more exalted my opinion of dogs,"

States Ambassador to Germany and Russia, declares that the United States States is punished, and the adminisstatement that Nero used to tration of the criminal law "has become simply a game." As a contrast, he says, "law, not chicanery, prevails in Canada," and hence the difference in only convex lenses were used only convex lenses were used. omised? We do not presume to think eight years. The remedy is to be found by nature of the contract they have been phesies that there will be 5,000 mur-

tract will be an immediate plow at the credit of the province, and there are absolutely no advantages guaranteed under it which can be considered as a quid pro quo.

Itish Nationalists, The Guardian made colonel, who was not only diverted from thoughts of suicide, but, as the result of publicity given to his case, under it which can be considered as a quid pro quo.

Cheshire, Derbyshire, Northumberland, and West-land, Durham, Cumberland, and Westland, Durham, Cumberland, and West- he ness. moreland. In this region there were elected 175 Liberal and Labor candi-

judge and the jury found in favor of and south of the Island. But even this

A VAGRANT LETTER.

To the Editor:-May I ask through your

ed. I have the envelope, which I can how if you wish proof of this circum tance. INQUIRER. Victoria, B. C., Feb. 28th, 1910.

ESPLANADE QUESTION ON BELLEVILLE STREET

City Must Pay Adjacent, Property Owners One-Half Proceeds of Sale

A few hewspapers demanded that every dog should be shot on sight. Just when the farce had reached its height and the New York Pasteur institute and the workers in leather of the good province were doing a healthy business, ence in front of it of an open space. and that it will suffer depreciation in value should the waterlots be sold and

devoted to private purposes.

As a way out of the difficulty the government suggested that the city may obtain possession of the lots free of any responsibility to maintain an of any responsibility to maintain an es-planade, and sell the same, providing, half of the money obtained as proceeds shall be given to the owners on the other side of the street, and the bal-ance devoted to park purposes by the corporation. This decision on the part of the gov-ernment was communicated to the

council last evening and after so the debate it was accepted.

THE ORIGIN OF SPECTACLES

An eminent authority has recently have each year 43 times as many mur-ders as Canada, and eight times as many as Belgium, which country has the most of any in Europe. He says that to the Egyptians, the Greek and only one murderer in 74 in the United the Romans glasses were unknown. statement that Nero used to correct in the magnificently extensive terminals the company is empowered to appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province assumes all 3; Germany, 4 to 5; England and Wales, 1891, and the astronomer Airy appropriate—the province as the province as covered the use of cylindrical lenses in 1891, and the astronomer Airy ap-plied them for the correction of astig-matism in 1827. Bifocal spectacles were invented and first used by Benja-min Franklin in 1785.—Harper's Week-

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merit, and will no doubt clear out quickly. Some are trimmed with jet auttons and jet buckles, others in plain styles. We don't mean to say that all these are the very latest styles. That's the reason why the prices are reduced. These are all black taffeta in shirred and stitched effects.

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-There was no meeting of the Oak Bay council last night owing to the fact that there was not a quorum in

There will be a meeting to-night of the Ladies of the Maccabees at Victoria. West. The meeting will be in Semple's hall and commence at 8 o'clock.

-Remember that the Empress Confectionery, 1325 Government street, is the only store that sells Ice Cream the year round.

siness of importance will be trans-

This evening, commencing at 8 pocolck, the annual meeting of the Y.
W. C. A. will be held at the Alexandra Club rooms. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected, and the reports for the past year read. All members and those interested in the work of the association are invited to sittend.

The bank clearings for Febrary are less than those for January, but the same happens every year, partly owing to February being the shortest month. The month, however, is over \$2,000,000 ahead of a year ago.

A comparative table for this year and the two previous years is as follows:

dainty—in fact not many of them can distinguish it from china, See it in tea-pots and jugs. They will surprise you. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St. *

-A complittee consisting of Mrs. Butier (president), Mrs. Angus, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Pottinger and the Misses Florence have issued cards of invitation for a dinner

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-A meeting of the Baxter Hive, L. O. M., will be held this evening at 8 of this year show a 61 per cent, included in Sample's hall, Victoria West, crease over 1809 and a 60 per cent, including the control of the samount of the Bank clearings for the two months bank clearings for February is \$6,404,-

em can 1098 4,235,476

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The Toom to be discussed in the amalgamation of the two institutions, a new set of pictures along with a cuple of new illustrated songs will be presented to the patrons of the popular playhouse. The pictures include several very interesting films, among them below The Uraula Motor Boal. programment of the form of the patrons of the potential programment of the patrons of the patron

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FILL POSITIONS **TO-MORROW NIGHT**

COUNCIL TO CONSIDER MANY APPLICATIONS

Appointments of City Engineer and City Solicitor to Be Made Forthwith

A special meeting of the city counc purpose of considering the large num and city solicitor. This decision was reached at last eventing's meeting of the board. The mayor proposed that the applications be referred to the streets committee, and that the latter body be asked to 'boil down' the number to be considered to about five, and then report back to the council. This did not meet with the views of the other members of the board, so that applications will in the first instance be inspected by all the members of the council. The meeting to-morrow evening will be a private one.

The clerk of the municipality of Oak Bay wrote informing the board of the decision which had been reached respecting the proposed agreement for a water supply. Ald, Mable remarked that it had been the experience of past councils that Oak Bay was a hard been "Total business with Makey Market." IN NEED OF ATTENTION

councils that Oak Bay was a hard place to do business with. Mayor Morley said in reply to this that the fail That something should be done at ure to reach an agreement was not the earliest possible date to clear up the situation affecting the isolation outside influences.

outside influences.

Tenders for sand and gravel were received from the following:

Lineham Sand & Gravel Company,
sand, per cubic yard, \$1.08; gravel;
\$1.25; filling, 88c in the northern or
central districts; 99c in the southern
district; \$1.08 in Victoria West or 94c,
delivered to any point within the city ospital, is the opinion of Mayor Morfey; and at last evening's inceting of the city council he took occasion to remind the members of the special committee appointed to deal with the mat-ter, of this fact. His worship's refer-

ter, of this fact. His worship's refercence to the matter arose over the reading of a communication from Dr. Hermann H. Robertson, the medical health
officer, who has just been granted a
six months leave of absence, Dr. Robertson notified the board last night
that Dr. H. A. Wilems had been engaged by him to act, taking his practice during his absence.

His Worship said that Dr. Robertson had also assured him that in the

The contract was awarded to the B. C. Sand & Grayel Company, gravel, \$1.49, sand, \$1.20 per cubic yard. Jamès Richards, sand, \$1.20 per yard; gravel, \$1.35 per yard.

John Hagerty & Company, filling, \$1.15 per yard in the southern district; \$1.10 northern district; \$1.15 in the western district.

His Worship said that Dr. Robertson had also assured him that in the event of any emergency arising he had arranged that Dr. R. L. Fraser should assist the city. The Mayor added that Dr. Robertson had repeatedly urged him to do something to clear up matters which affect the Isolation hospital, and he asked what had the gembers of the special committee been doing about that matter.

Aid. Raymond, a member of the committee, said he did not know who was mittee, said he did not know who was a subject to the cast side and boulevard, curb and gutter on the west side and placing electric light and telephone wires underground or on ornamental iron.

Ald. Raymond, a member of the committee, said he did not know who was chairman of this special committee. He had thought that Ald. McKeown was that thought that Ald. McKeown was thought that Ald. Raymond was chariman, and there was some discussion on this point, during which it developed that the special committee had as yet done nothing to solve the question of remedying the street with aspha condition of affairs at the Isolation hospital. Mayor Morley said the special com-\$9,423.

federal government the question of the securing an appropiration for foreshore protection work on Dallas road. The council hopes that the Dominion gov-ernment will grant the sum of \$20,000.

There was considerable discussion over the report of the streets committee recommending that a two-plank walk be laid on the east side of Cook street, between Hilliadic avenue and Summite avenue. Ald. Fullerton and other members of the board protested against this proposal, pointing out that it was the settled policy of the council not to lay any more wooden sidewalks. Despite this protest, however, the matter was put to a vote and carried on this result being made known Ald. Fullerton remarked that he would see that there were lots of petitions for wood sidewalks from other portions of the city.

A letter from T. M. Brayshaw relative to his action for damages against the city for injury done his property on Government street, owing to the delay in proceeding with street work, was received and flied. The council admits no responsibility.

Arhur, Lee, secretary of the local committee in charge of the arrangements for the convention in this city in August next of the Methodist general conference of Canada, wrote asking that the council take into consideration what financial assistance could be extended. This was referred to the finance committee.

-At last night's meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Young People's Seelety much interest was evinced in the Bible study, the topic for which was: "Winning Our Nation." Two very was: Winning Our Nation. Two very instructive papers dealing with. "The History of the Layman's Missionary Movement" and "The Work Among the Foreigners in Canada." were listened to with much interest. Two shorter themes relative to the subject under discussion were also read. The society is looking forward with pleasure to the rectime for part week when the the meetlar for next week, when the FEAD THE DAILY T

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TROUBLE WITH PUMPING PLANT

FIRE WARDENS HAVE **VERY KNOTTY PROBLEM**

Contractors Say Machinery is Efficient: City Electrician Denies This

The fire wardens are confronted with knotty problem in connection with the chinery for the high pressure salt The situation has been a traublous one for months past, but a crisis has now been reached. The local representative of the D'Olier Engineering Company, of Philadelphia, which supplied the machincry, contends that the electric pump is now up to its required capacity; and the city electrician, M. Hutchidson, on the other hand, contends that it is not. At last evening's meeting of the city coun-cil the following letter was read:

cil the following letter was read:

Fe the Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria, Victoria, B. C.:

Gentlemen.—We have the honor to advise you that the electric motor driven fire pump now maintains a pressure of approximately one hundred and fifty (130) pounds at 16s discharge, as required by the contract, when delivering the maximum quantity of water through the orifree constructed by the city as a measurfree constructed by the city as a measur-

placed new impenses of the driver pump with the yiew of the specified capacity and the speed desired by the city, to table to say just what rebe obtained with the new instance conditions could not the steam conditions could not this afternoon do enable

his work has been completed by the city The city has never made any official test of either pump, and we should be glad to have the opportunity of making any necessary adjustments before such a test is made; and also if a test does no

requirements, we will be pleased to make any changes necessary. In other words,

requirements, we will be pleased to make any changes necessary. In other words, we stand ready to bring all the apparatus furnished by us up to the contract specifications in exery respect.

If there is any question in the mind of the council in regard to this matter, the writer would like to have the opportunity of presenting our side of the case before your body as a whole.

We respectfully request that a public demonstration be made by the fire department to show the pressure and quantity of water furnished by the pumps when delivering a number of fire streams under actual fire conditions, and we wish again to call your attention to the fact that the pumps are at the service of the city, and can be used in case of fire without prejudice to the city's rights under the contract.

In, conclusion, we may also point out that it has commonly been found in plant of this description that changes have to be made after the pumps have been installed. It is practically impossible to make the actual tests at the shops, and until the machinery is in full operation the actual capacity of the pumps cannot be demonstrated. In coproboration of this fact, we hand you copies of some letters which we have received from the three most important users of pumping machinery in the United States, namely, the city of New York, the United States governery in the United States, namely, the city of New York, the United States govern-

Yours respectively,
D'OLIER ENGINEERING CO.

J. A. LAFORE,
Sales Manager.

This letter was referred to Mr. Hutchinson and the fire wardens for report.

On the same subject a letter was received from the city electrician, M. Hutchinson reported that

SCIENCE PURSUES MAN THROUGH LIFE

sliow the apparatus to conform fully to Its Manifold Forces and Influences Are Ever Around Him

> At the regular meeting of the Insur-ance Institute of Toronto, held re-cently, Prof. Afred Baker was the guest of the evening. Her addressed the members on the subject. The Place of a University in Modern Life," confining his attention chiefly to the scientific side of university activity. Science, he pointed out, penetrates and permeates our whole lives, our physical and mental make-up, as well as our social organization, being the result of the operation of natural law. The unioperation of natural law. The un have bought from all the barrers and are, we beconsumers in the United respectfully.
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NORTH WARDS DEFEAT VICTORIA WEST TEAM

Basketball Match Last Night Leaves Two Teams Even in the League

tween the Victoria West team and the tery for the latter by a score of 22 points to 17. The game was a poor nts to 17. The game was a po developed into Rugby; the players Brown, one of the West's forwards, was laid out, his ankle being sprained Jenkins was moved from the guard line

to the forward division.

Combination was a rare thing in the game. Very seldom was a fine piece of passing seen, as the opposing players generally managed to intercept. Inc. pass or tackle his man. The first half ended with the was so or tackie his man. The first half ded with the Wards three points to good, the score standing 13 to 10 e second half was a repetition of the st, being characterized by rough ty. In this half the Wards added he points to their score, while the ests gained seven.

wests gained seven.

Following is the line-up of the two
teams and the individual scores:

North Ward-Forwards. Johnson and
McGregor (12): centre. Sweeney (2);
guards. Brynjolfson (4). and Dakers
(4)

V.W.A.A. Forwards, Balley (4) and Brown (8); centre Corkle (1); guards, Okell (4) and Jenkins. Referee-M. Couzens.

Win for Melrose's.

A friendly basketball match was played last night in the N.W.A.A. hall played last night in the N.W.A.A. hall between the Meirose Company's quintitte and the Dixi Ross team. At full time the score stood 25 politis to 10 in favor of the painters. Although the score was one-sided play was by no means that way. The combination was about equal, but the grocers lacked accurate shooting. The Meirose team is fiwe open to a challenge from any team representing a wholesale or retail establishment in this city.

MURPHY GIVEN DECISION

San Francisco, March 1.—Tommy Murphy, of New York, last night won the decision at the end of twenty rounds from Owen Moran, of England. rounds from Owen Moran, of England. he would put the bout on down the Eoth men were on their feet after 20 line, and although the guarantee he rounds of desperate fighting, and Ref-tere Eddle Smith declared Murphy winner over England's champion light-teelight.

San Francisco, March 1.—When Jim Barry and Sam Langford face each other before Louis Riott's club next month, it will be their eighth meeting. thus establishing a record unique in ring history. The first meeting between the pair took place in New York on September 25th, 1967, being a skyround no-decision affair. Three weeks later they fought ten rounds at Chelses Mass, no decision being remotered. the operation of natural law. The university extends our acquaintance with natural law and considers no form of human activity beyond its sympathy. The lecturer referred in detail to the various departments of science, and pointed out their bearing in every-day life. A university pursues, science beyond the point where it is immediately utilizable, because we never know where the additional surplus knowledge will become of utility, and, secondly, that a man may do anything well he knowledged upon to do; he must have resea, Mass., no decision below rendered.

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M.C.C. IN AFRICA.

Johannesburg, S. A., March 1.—The South African cricketers in their match, against the MCC, were all out yes-terday for 205 runs.

OLD PEOPLE SUFFER TOR- Wednesday and Friday until the 114 TURES WITH THEIR BACKS

Here is a Case in Point.

Of course you know a dull ache or sharp pains in the back come from sick Kidneys. Old age exacts its penalty. The kidneys become weak or strained through the hard work of a lifetime. Plasters, ointments and liniments only ease the pain—they can't—reach the Kidneys. As soon as the effects of such remedies wear off the pain returns worse than ever because the Kidneys are worse.

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"West Fört William, Nov. 7th, 1908.

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Gin Pills, you see, act directly on the Kidneys-relieving the pain—giving them new strength—and neutralizing Uric Acid, which is generally formed when there is Kidney Trouble.

Try Gin Pills, yourself, before buying the regular 50c boxes. Write the National Drug & Chemical Co. (Dept. V. T.), Toronto, Ont., and they will send you a free sample of Gin Pills by return usall.

LAUDER ISSUES -CHALLENGE TO STANDEN

Calgary, March 1.-Jimmy McEwa rainer and manager of Billy Lauder, lightweight champion of Canada, has ust made an offer to Rod Standen, of Vancouver, which should make that fighter come up or cease talking. Standen is claiming the lightweight champlonship through his beating Lauder, notwithstanding the fact that he weighed over 135 pounds and in one section of the bout McEwan says Lauder beat him off his feet, but got a draw on the understanding that if both men were on their feet at the end of fifteen rounds no decision was to be given; McEwan told the coast promoters that he was willing to let Lauder go to the coast and fight Standen for the cham-pionship at 133 pounds at 3 o'clock, Mc-Ewan wanted a substantial guarantee as it was expensive to go out there for one fight. Standen and the coast pro-moters turned down the proposition, claiming Standen has just as much right to a guarantee as Lauder.

McEwan came back with an offer that Lauder would come out and fight Standen once and for all to decide the championship, and asked for a date. If this did not suit Standen, McEwan was willing to make Standen the same guarantee for him to come to Alberta and meet Lauder. McEwan 'claime The decision was jeered and Moran bis talk of being the lightweight chamfrantically protested, saying he had pion was a bluff. If Standen does no accept this proposition it will cle show that he does not want to n Lauder at the lightweight notch.

ATHLETICS.

INDOOR TRACK MEET. The indoor track men are training

Yesterday afternoon the Assembly floor was occupied by Dickson, Day, H. Beasley, Y. Beasley, Spencer, Dowler, Sproule, Cartes, McKitty, McConnell, Vaio, Winsby, Kersey, Brewster, Dean and Harrison, also others who will take eart in the paciting on March 1991.

The Empress sprints which have been ostponed frequently owing to bad weather are taking place this afterand 440 yards at Beacon Hitt

WESTON'S JAUNT.

Albuequerque, N. M., March 1.-Five thousand persons gave Edward Payson Weston a greeting when he ar

BASEBALL

WRECKS DELAY WHITE SOX. Helper, Utah, March 1.—Comiskey nd his White Sox players are not exderailment of an engine and a baggage car on an eastbound passenger, just before it took the siding at Dotsero, Colo., to let the Chicago special pass Sunday night, was the cause of the delay. This is the second wreck, which has delayed, the Chicago boys on their westward bourney to Children for westward journey to California spring practice. The first occurr Palmer Lake, Colo., Sunday at

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

VICTORIA AT NANAIMO

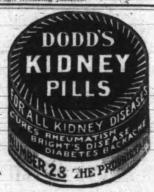
Victoria Rugby team go to Nanair schedule. The match with Nanaimo will be the first appearance of the coal miners in the Rugby field this year. Victoria having the championship cinched is not going to take any chances in being beaten with a weak team on Saturday. team on Saturday. A strong team will go up the Island

LACROSSE.

AMATEUR ASSOCIATION

The B. C. Amateur Lacrosse Associa-tion, with teams from Victoria, West-minster and Vancouver, will be or-ganized next Saturday afternoon. The meeting will be held in Vancouver, with delegates from Victoria present. There will be only one team from Van-couver this year. couver this year.

"Since the budget was introd ple do not, in drinking, mix spirits wi their beer and stout as they used to do said Supt. Gallaway to the Newport bo ough licensing justices.



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FISHERIES ON WEST COAST

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Charge of Operations at **Whaling Station**

Herring fisheries on the west coast velopments. L. For years it has been known that the herring were very the Nahalmo herring fishertes has, however, given an impetus to the fisherles throughout the province. The Facility of the coast for many years.

The C. P. R. freighter Princess Ena will leave for the north in about a week commencing the carrying of a series of cargoes which have already the steamer and is looking after the Sechart whether the time being the Sechart whether the secured. There is a quantity of the husbands of t waters on the West Coast but the same

Say Too Cumbersome to Act Through the Vancouver Office

Seattle ship owners are preparing memorial which will be submitted to Lloyds, London, England, asking that hereafter the Seattle, agent of Lloyds Lloyds. London. England, asking that hereafter the Seattle agent of Lloyds shall be given jurisdiction over wrecks on the North Pacific which occur in American waters. At the present time Lloyds' agent at Vancouver. B. C., has jurisdiction over all wrecks occurring north of the 49th parallel, whether in American or British waters.

The memoral will set forth that as the greater part of the coast line to the norther in Lind of the country and that the volume of the tompage saffing in Alaska waters files the United States flag and the majority of the owning companies have their headquarters in Seattle, it is

Shipping Report

(By Dominion Wireless.)

Tatoosh, March 1, 8 a.m.—Rainy,
thick; wind S. W., 30 miles; bar, 29.73,
temp., 46; sea rough. Out, Washington

Cape Lazo, March 1, 8 a.m.-Overcast wind 8, W.; bar., 29.40; temp., 48; heavy swell, Spoke Jefferson south bound at 8 p.m., due Seattle at 11 a.m. Point Grey, March 1, 8 a.m.—Cloudy; wind 8, W.; bar., 29.48; temp., 44; sea

strong S. W. wind; bar., 29.59; temp., rough.

March 1, 8 a.m.-Part bar., 29.62; temp., 44; sea Tatoosh, March 1, noon.—Rain; wind S.W. 24 miles; bar., 29.85; temp., 44; sea

Cape Lazo, March 1, noon.-Overcast; bar., 29.67; temp., 53; sea rough.

Point Grey, March 1, noon,—Overcast: wind 8.E.; bar., 29.86; temp., 45; the 129th

morning for San Francisco: She took from San Francisco to-morrow nig a number of passengers from this port. with 60 tons of freight for this city.

MUCH FREIGHT **BOOKED AHEAD**

PRINCESS ENA WILL MAKE SEVERAL TRIPS

Enlivening Effect on Business

There is promise of a very large of Vancouver Island are the latest de- freight and pessenger business to the north this spring. Already the steamship companies are booking cargoes ahead and it is now a certainty that the business done this spring will far

On or before, March 10, 1910, a combined gas and bell buoy will be established off Oyster Bay, five miles southward of Cape Mudge. The buoy is painted black and white in vertical stripes and the light will be white, austripes and the light will be will be established off the steamer Camosum. Her purser is Bert 2 obson, well known locally, as well as in shipping circles, as the purser on the steamer Rupgit City. It is understood, however, that when the Cetriana arrives he will remove to that vessel to serve in a similar capacity. On or before March 10, 1910, a comstripes and the light will be white, automatically occulted at short intervals tomatically occulted at short intervals.

The bell will be rung by the motion of the buoy on the waves. The light is unwatched. Lat. N. 49 degrees 55 minutes and 20 seconds. Long. W. 125 degrees 10 minutes and 48 seconds.

Also a first order quick-flashing light, giving a group of three flashes every tere seconds has been established on

terr seconds has been established on Estevan point, west coast of Vancouver Island. The light is shown from the top of a concrete tower one hussed dred feet high, and the light is 125 feet. above high water and visi weather about 20 miles.

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Estevan, March 1, noon.—Cloudy; wind S.W.; bar, 29.79; temp., 45 sea rough.

Triangle Island, March 1, noon.—It was a constant to which the soundings on the datum to which the soundings on the Admiratty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

Steamer Umatilla passed out this Steamer City of Puebla is expected

INAUGURATING NEW SERVICE

STEAMER PETRIANA LEAVES TO-NIGHT

Captain George Heater Has Opening of Stewart Will Have Manager Galt Says Freighter Will Call at This Port **Fortnightly**

> The Northern Steamship Company's recently purchased freighter, the Petri-ana arrived here this morning from Vancouver to inaugurate the new ser vice to Prince Rupert and Stewart. She will leave to-night after loading a

the Nanaimo herring fisheries has, however, given an impetus to the fisheries throughaint the province. The Facility Wall leave for the north in about a week commencing the carrying of a the circ. Whaling Company, recognisms this, has started experimential work on the West Coast. For the time being the Sechart whaling station has been converted into a herring saltery and a considerable quantity of fish has already been put up.

The experimental saltery is in charge of Captain George Heater, the well known sealing captain of this port. It is understood that before returning here he will secure an Indian crew for the schooner Yera, which will probably go to the Otter grounds and the Behrings seal fater in the season.

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SEATTLE OBJECTS TO

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The Norwegian steamer Alden has been chartered by Waterhouse & Company for one voyage in the Australian Mail line, at 3 shillings a ton dead weight, delivery and redelivery Comox, B. C. The Aldery is a vessel of 2,340 tons net register and sen route from Baltimore to Guaymas and Vancouver, B. C., being last reported from Coronel, January 5th. The charter-legion the Alden was made nodessary by clear ingel of the Adden was made necessary the cont strike in Australia lying up regular steamers of the mal line, century, Hyndford, Katanga and Tymbeling all laid up in Australia owing to stringer of the consequent to the line.

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ST. DENNIS ARRIVES. Boscowitz Steamer Reports Very Bad Weather in the North.

Steamer St. Dennis, of the Boscowitz Steamer St. Dennis, of the Boscowitz line, which had a very stormy, trip, arrived in port this morning and docked temporarily at Spratt's wharf. She reports very bad snowsforms and gales, the bad weather being continuous all the way from Stewart. steamer took a few passengers into the new mining town, but did not stop many minutes. She leaves for the North to-morrow night.

SHIPPING GUIDE

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Scattle, except Sunday, at 5:20 a. m., an calling at Port Townsend arrives at Victoria, except Sunday, at 3 p. m. **NOVA SCOTIA MINERS**

One Man is Injured—Detective started innumerable snowslides all Charged With Discharging Firearms-

ATTACKED BY STRIKERS

Halifax, N. S. March 1.—Practically the first disturbance in connection with the Spring Hill coal miners' strike, which has been on for seventmonths, occurred resterday when two of the employees of the company came up town in company with Detective Conrad Timms. A row occurred between the company's men and some of the strikers near Rogers corner, and one of the men was badly beaten.

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me regular, and that I would event-ually have dropsy. I would bloat, and sufferfrombearing. I would bloat, and sufferfrom bearing, down pains, cramps and chills, and I could not sleep nights. My mother wrote to Mrs. Pink. ham for advice, and I began to take I, ydiae Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After taking one and one haif bottles of the Compound, I am all right again, and I recommend it to every suffering woman."—Mrs. May Deat., Winchester, Ind.

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HONDURAN TROOPS AID NICARAGUANS

Have Joined the Forces of Madriz

(Times Leased Wire.) New Orleans, La., March 1.-The forces in Nicaragua were improved today by addition to the regular army of 500 Honduran soldiers, according to of 500 Honduran soldiers, according to dispatches received here from the front. The Hondurans joined the army All the newspapers of Philadelphia of President Madriz at Managua in spite of the efforts of the provisional forces to prevent a junction. The Hondurans are believed to be commanded the make concessions in the interest of forces to prevent a junction. The Hondurans are believed to be commanded the may seement to urge the city council.

forces to prevent a junction. The Hondurans are believed to be commanded by General Lara, who opposed the insurgent general Chamoro in the bloody battle of Tipitaps river.

The reported entrance of Honduran troops into the Nicaraguan struggle is youched for by deserters from the government army. The renegades declare

that many Salvadoreans also are fight- Interesting Address Given by Rev that many sarvadoreans also are agat-ing for Madriz.

It is believed here that the activity of American soldiers of fortune in the insurgent army lent success to Madriz to persuade the Hondurans to enlist in

nis cause. Feeling in Honduras agains the United States is bitter. Yesterday certain measures aski for concessions to several United Stat senators were hooted off the floor congress at the Honduran capital.

SNOWSLIDES FOLLOW THAW IN KOOTENAY

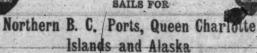
Railway Traffic Interrupted-Bunkhouse at Mine Carried Away

Nelson, B. C., March 1.—The sudden haw which commenced on Saturday,



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TRYING TO AVERT GENERAL STRIKE

Effort Being Made to Arrange for Arbitration at Philadelphia

(Times Leased Wire.)

Philadelphia, Pa., March 1.-Powe Five Hundred Men Reported to fut induences are working to-day to evert a walkout of thousands of union labor men and women here. The situation remains unchanged, both sides in the street car strike maintaining a fixed attitude and announcing that they will not recede.

The company still refuses to submit contentions to arbitration. Great pressure, however, is being brought to bear upon the corporation, and there is a growing belief that the company consent to arbitration at the last

the movement to urge the city counc to interfere if necessary to preventinancial loss, misery and possible bloodshed and riot.

LECTURED ON GLADSTONE.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Centennial thurch gave their friends treat when they made arrangements for the lecture that was given last "Gladstone, the Christian Statesman."
Mr. Thompson's well known ability as a public speaker and his ready Irish wit cnables him to entertain as well as edify an audience, and there was not a dry moment in the lecture given last public. The mitter of the very unpleasant. night by the Rev. S. J. Thompson on dry moment in the lecture given

might. He was a good-sized audience and the appliance which greeted the lecturer showed that the audience appreciated the effort. England was well told and several in-teresting anecdotes enlivened the dry facts. Gladstone's attitude towards Christianity, and his right to the title, "The Christian Statesman," were brought prominently forward.

brought prominently forward.

The Hon. Price Ellison presided and
introduced Mr. thaw which commenced on Saturday, following a heavy fall of snow, has started innumerable snowslides all over the Kootenay.

The Great Northern line just out of Nelson on the summit is buried under four slides. No train has passed over the line since Saturday afternoon, and it will be some days before the line is open for traffic.

In the Sheep Creek camp a slide carried away the Kootenay Bell bunks on the summer and bunks of the served refreshments and heariy all remained for the social half hour. The customary vote and

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BUDGET DEBATE LASTED LONG

HOUSE DID NOT RISE UNTIL MIDNIGHT HOUR

H. C. Brewster Made an Excellent Speech on Behalf of Opposition

Legislative Press Gallery

The first night sitting of the sess The first night sitting of the session was one which lasted until midnight, but the government had the satisfaction—if, there be any to them—in getting the budget speech disposed of and supply passed to the extent of some \$880,000. Several government supporters took occasion to speak on the budget, and almost without exception thanked the government for the greatly increased sums which their the greatly increased sums which their

The view of the opposition was voiced by H. C. Brewster, who made an excellent speech in reply to Hon W. J. Bowser. While short it was to the point and exposed the weakness the government case at many points. The votes passed in supply include \$521,749.11 for expenditures in connec-tion with the debt and \$459,142 for the

ouestining rather to get home than stay ouestioning the ministers.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite, debating the budget speech, said the Minister of Finance had at great length and in much detail covered up the sins and omissions of the government during its term of office. The wonder westhat the task did not take longer. Not one act of the government had he to speak of which was for the interest of the people at large. The member for Nanaimo got in one of his many slaps at the Liberal party, and by a great stretch of imagination saw the Socialists on the treasury benches of the Conservatives.

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credit coming to the government or to
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province had enjoyed owing to the
toom which had been pasing over the
continent, although Mr. Bowser would
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in land values, for the increased demand for timber, even for any good
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CONTRACTS FOR

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it may be put to so far as the si shall be repayable by the Pacific Co pany hereunder, and against aft in

cempany. The said trust instrument or instruments, and the mortgage and charge thereby created, and the securities guaranteed, shall be subject to payment of the working expenses of the Pacific Company as defined (so far as applicable) in the Railway Act of Canada. The terms of the trust instrument shall be settled between the government and the Pacific Company, and when so settled, executed, and recorded in accordance with the provisions of the "British Columbia Railway Act," shall, as affecting the rights of any holder of any guaranteed security

a full compliance with, and in torial and the enabling act:

(a) The class of securities to be issued and guaranteed as aforessid shall be determined by the Pacific Company before the issue thereof, and the form of guarantee to be given shall be settled between the company and the government, and shall be appropriate, regard being had to the mature and class of securities to be issued and guaranteed hereunder:

teed hereunder:

(b) The securities may be of any of the classes mentioned, or partly of several of such classes, and the trust instrument or instruments may contain suitable provision enabling an exchange of securities from one class to another, and the guarantee, in case of such an exchange, of an amount of newly issued securities equal to the amount of previously guaranteed securities then delivired up and cancelled:

celled:

(ii) The Pacific Company will not silenate, sell, lease, or dispose of the aided lines, or either of them, unless such company shall first obtain the consent thereto of the Beutlemant governor-in-council. This coverant shall not however, be construed to limit or restrict the right or power of the Pacific Company and the government may approve, to be by the bank delivered on the order of the Pacific Company upon the sald lines by mort gaze or trust deeds containing power of sale, foreclosure, or right of possession:

(ii) The Pacific Company agrees of the Pacific Company to secure any bonds, debentures, or other indehtedness of such company upon the sald lines by mort gaze or trust deeds containing power of sale, foreclosure, or right of possession:

(ii) The Pacific Company and the government may approve, to be by the bank delivered on the order of the Pacific Company remains that the Pacific Company and the government security for the construction and equipment of the aid ed lines, in accordance with the terms of this agreement, in the sum of 500, to the satisfaction of the government is such securities being and as the government may approve, to the eredit of a special account of the country or accounts, in the name of the many be agreed upon.

3. In consideration of the government so government is such securities hereof, and the paid the deposit of securities, or otherwise of the securities hereof, and the paid the desired to or originating in the to the having due regard in so doing. To the position and interests of the Pacific Company, and the desired to or originating in the other provinces of Canada, bearing also other provinces of Canada, be (e) The province of British Columb the amount so paid in shall be deducted from the purchase price subsequently received from the securities so borrowed upon, and the balance only shall be paid in: Provided, further, that securities borrowed upon may, ifter the joans thereon have been paid or discharged by the Pacific Company or by deductions from subsequent sale of bonds, be basued or reissued, and shall be secured by the trust indenture or indentures, before referred to, and be entitled to the benefit thereof, notwithstanding such loans and payment and discharge.

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16. In case it should at any time appear desirable that the Pacific Company should make running arrangements with some other company or companies for some partion or portions of the lines hereby agreed to be constructed, or either of them, instead of itself constructing such portion or portions thereby and that capital expenditure may thereby be avoided without decreasing the efficiency of the lines, the lieutenant governor in council may consent and agree to such modifications of this contract as will enable the Pacific Company to make such necessary running or onner arrangements, but the mileage over which the company may obtain running arrangements under this paragraph shall not count as mileage for the purpose of the guarantee.

17. The Northern Company agrees that the Pacific Company will agree that the Pacific Company will agree that the Northern Company shall not, and the Northern Company agrees that

It will not, at any time apply to be de clared a work for the general advan-tage of Canada.

18. If in the prosecution the works hereunder, or the doing of any of the things by the company here-by agreed to be done, it should appear by agreed to be done, it should appear that owing to unforszen engineering difficulties or other circumstances be yond the reasonable control of the company it will be impossible or impracticable to carry out absolutely the terms of this agreement, the lieutenant-governor in council for the province of British Columbia may from time to time authorize amendments time to time authorize amendments hereto, or changes herein, so long as in

hereto, or changes herein, so long as in-so doing the spirit of this agreement be not hereby departed from.

19. This agreement shall not come into effect until ratified by the legisla-ture of British Columbia, and until the legislation made schedules hereto shall have been duly enacted by such legis-lature.

In witness whereof this agreement has been duly executed by the parties

Signed, sealed and delivered in the (Sgd.) W. J. BOWSER,

Attorney-General.
As to the Canadian Northern Rail-(Sgd.) F. H. PHIPPEN. (Sgd.) RICHARD M'BRIDE.

for the purpose of this agreement and the guarantees hereunder.

16. In case it should at any time appear desirable that the Pacific Company should make running arrange-lines between Midway and the Nicola valley and up the north fork of the Kettle river within the time stipulated in the following agreement, which was drawn up to-day, according to its date: Agreement made this twenty-eighth province (hereinafter referred to "the province"), of the first part; and the Kettle River Valley Railway (here-

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. Social and Personal

Miss Turner left last night for Var

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E. A. Morris crossed over to Vanco Miss Neelands left for Scattle last

J. L. Skene left on a

Thes. Hooper left for Van

Miss McIntosh returned from Seattle yesterday, A. J. McDonald sailed for Scattle or

A. J. Woodward has gone over

W. G. McKenzie passed over to the 'erminal city last night,

Mr. Chief Justice Hunter went over Mr. and Mrs. McPhee of Lbs Angeles

are in the city on a visit. E. A. Marshall left on the Charlotte

Miss Wolfenden is on a visit to Van

W. E. Blakemore went over on las H. Croft left on the Charlotte last

light for Vancouver on business. Capt. Gibson arrived from Seattle vesterday on the Princess Royal.

J. Pendray crossed over to the main-and last night on a business trip. H. J. Saunders was a passenger on he Princess 2 oyal from Seattle yester-

W. F. Jones was among last night's passengers for Seattle on the Princess

Rev. W. C. Drahn and Mrs. Drahn

Mrs. Elwell returned from Seattle sterday, where she has been visiting

Mrs. Seegan and Miss Seegan, of leattle, arrived in this city yesterday in a visit. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mills were ar esterday's arrivals from the Sound on

Capt. R. G. Tatlow went over to Van ouver last night; where he will spend everal days on business.

Dr. Spencer of Vancouver, who has been in this city for the past few days, left last night for the mainland. L. B. Forsyth of Toronto, after spend-

ng a number of days in this city on business, left last night for Vancou-F. G. Fletcher, who has been in Se-attle for the past few days on business returned to this city yesterday after-

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby, who have been on a tour of Southern California points, returned to this city yesterday after-

Among the passengers for Vancouver last night on the Princess Charlotte were: E. O. Wilmot, L. S. Clark, F. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Dicker and Mr. Radiger.

Mrs. Spratt was hostess on Friday last to the members of the Friday Bridge Cluo. The house was charmbridge Crao. The house was charmingly decorated with quantities of spring flowers and a very dainty tea was served. The prize winners were. Mrs. Flumerfelt, first prize; Miss May Newcombe, second prize.

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At the K. of P. hall on Wednesday At the K. of P. half on Wednesday evening next at 9 o'bock, an enjoyable treat has been planned. The members of the Alexandra lodge of the Sons of England will hold a social on that date, to which they have invited the members of the Daughters of England. date, to which they have invited the members of the Daughters of England, also those of the Pride of the Island lodge of the S. O. E. A programme full of good instrumental and vocal music has been prepared, also a copious supply of refreshments. This will be the occasion of the presentation of jewels of merit to past officers. nittee having the arrangements in hand are desirous that this event shall be the most successful in the history of the lodge. All the members of the orders mentioned are cordially requested to be present.

Y. M. C. A. MAY BE FORMED AT CHILLIWACK

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hudson were pas-sengers for the Terminal city last night on the Princess Charlotte.

C. R. Sayers Outlines Plans and Gives Details Regarding Gives Details Regarding Expenses

Chilliwack. Feb. 28.—The organization of a branch of the Young Men's
Christian Association, and the construction, furnishing, equipping and
maintenance of a building for their use
and accommodation was a theme-that
came up for discussion at a public
meeting held in the court house.

of the Y. M. C. A. in Western Canada, had been invited to be present at the neeting and upon the request of the chairman took the platform and out-

Miss Cordelia Grylls is expected back in Victoria this evening. She has been singing with much success in Los Angeles and San Francisco, where the Chromicle writes, her "beautiful voice was heard with enthusiasm."

Frank J. Mackenzie, M. P. P. for Delta, and his little daughter, Isabel, came over from the maintain on hast evening's boat. Mr. Mackenzie, while in the city, makes his home with his sister, Mrs. R. H. Walker, Douglas street.

The building would be two stories, ready for use.

The building would be two stories, the lower floor ilted up with all the conveniences of an up-to-date gymnas-tum, with swimming tank, reading rooms, etc., and the upper storey fitted up for living and sleeping rooms for the members. The rent derived from these rooms would go far towards the maintaine of the Y. M. C. A. For a capable instructor and caretaker for the Y. M. C. A. an annual salary of the lower floor ilted up with all the lower floor ilted up with would run the cost of maintenance up to about \$3,006, which should be all the

> The Rev. Manuel, Stewart and Watson all spoke in favor of a Y. M. C. A. as also did Dr. Fraser and N. Anning of the high school and A. R. Pearce. It was finally decided to make a thorough canvass of the city and find out the feeling of the citizens with re-gard to subscriptions and the possi-bilities of maintaining it should one oc-

> > CELEBRATION OF

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What Other People Think

M. P. barracks at Calgary. It contained many young men who had only recently arrived from England, Ireland and Scot land, but I refer particularly to three o my dwn, friends, two Irish and one English, all buried in South Africa. They came out separately to Canada with the indefinite idea, peculiar to many Oil Country people, that landing in Canada was tantamount to mickly amassing. sells, at duly reneed as a nen rut, an selling determined "not to lose valuabline." they stocked it with fowl, pur-phased at ruinous prices. They were al-ways joyous and happy during their sho-lenancy, and I had frequent interview with one or more of them (generally only gent for South Africa, I found one of the Irishmen at home, busy, smoking. He said "th other two had stepped into town (200 yards) for some sausages for the dinner." To my formal inquiry as to how they were getting on, he replied: "Divil a bether. But th' Englishman is onaisy, and talkin' of pullin' out on Sathurday, and Pether is thighin of pullin' out a-Monday." Being more than surprised at the inconsistency in his statements and the sudden dissolution of particeship I asked how he would manage about the fowl. "The chickens, it is," said he, "Oh, the divil a wan o' me knows, Maybe it's the way I'll be pullin' out meself wan of these days."

My genial, scatter-beained young friends failed to make money on a Canadian prairie, but were interred on an African veldt as brave soldiers of the King, one having attained the rank of lieutenant for distinguished service.

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T. S. KENNEDY SELLTERS RIGHTS-ANSWER TO "WATCHMAN."

have to go without. We, as old set-tiers, have had to brave the hardships of a new country, living on land that every acre of it had to be cleared, poor every acre of it had to be cleared, joor roads and a poor market in the bargain, made the life of the early settlers of 1878 to 1879 on Vancouver Island anything but a paradise. Why, farmers now are in clover. They can get good work easily if their farms do not pay, and then the railway opens up the

work easily if their farms do not pay, and then the railway opens up the country. Years ago, long before the sgitlement bill of 1834 was passed, we made application for some right to our lands, but all the government agent could tell us was, "I cannot do anything for you", but he knew and the government of that day knew, that we were on the land, and on that are we were on the land, and on that ap

C. R. Sayer, the traveiling secretary told that these men had come down only waved his hand and said that that subject was closed long ago and could not be reopened.

When this settlers' rights bill was

chairman took the platform and outlined a scheme of procedure and work along the lines of the Y. M. C. A. that was proving 'satisfactory. He stated that for a city of the size of Chilliwack an expenditure of \$5,000 would be required to start with. This would buy a lot, construct a building suitable for the purpose and furnish and equip it ready for use.

Onto be reopened.

When this settlers' rights bill was fought for and passed, it was a bill giving rights to 150 settlers, instead of only 30, who received crown grants by making application for them, and after all this Mr. McBride claims to be the friend of the workingman, and does not prove himself the friend of the destiller, who is the backbone of the settler, who is the backbone of the country. Verily, he who cut a home-out of the woods on Vancouver Island

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and Mrs. J. Smith, Mr. A. Jenner, who wished him good luck for the future. Supper was served during the evening. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Green, Mr. R. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sp. Mr. and Mrs. A. Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. Green, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sp. Mr. and Mrs. A. Green, Mrs. and Mrs. A. Green,



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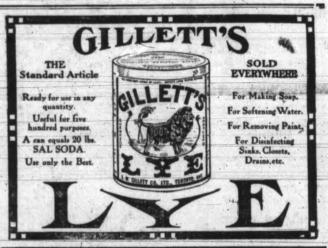
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MUCH IN DEMAND

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Good Many Saies of This Class of Property Made Yes-

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that he had not been out of the office yet had made several sales. Medium sized houses are the properties which changed hands yesterday. A few of

changed hands yesterday. A few of them are mentioned below, but many of the brokers simply say that most of their business was in houses.

Yesterday the Island Investment Company sold two houses, one on Princess avenue and the other on Government street. They also sold a house ap Saturday, that one being on Queen's avenue.

The North West Real Estate Company report having sold a small house on Tennyson road for \$1,000; a house sized an acre of land at the north end of Douglas street just outside the city limits for \$3,200; and a lor on Camosun street in the neighborhood of the firehall for \$1,000.

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Currie & Power have sold a number of lots on Hillside avenue. They say that they find there is a good demand for properties in that direction.

Maysmith & Company are selling a number of lots in their Brighton addinumber of lots in their Brighton addi-tion. This property has not been on the market long and is going off well. Herbert Cuthbert & Company, report that they are still selling the golf links park sub-division, three lots having been recently disposed of. Navy.news has had rather a stimu-lating effect on the Esquipal proper-

lating effect on the Esquimalt properties. A number of sales have been made in that direction and others are on the tapis, expecting to be closed.

SETTLEMENT

AGAIN IN SIGHT

"It seems to be written in the book of fate that Victoria should never do the right thing in this matter," said Mr. Bodwell, "There is no reason why. Oak Bay should be tied down by the mistakes and repetitions of mistakes which the city has made in water mat-ters for many years, by the perpetual blundering which has gone on." Going into the latest agreement, counsel said it was not nearly as sat-isfactory as the one formerly made.

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thousand less than the city proposed to charge them. Victoria, wanted oak Bay to share the burdens without any value in how they were incurred, no matter how rulnously expensive the system might be which the city would put in, Oak Bay was to be dragged in 16 bear the burden of its bungling.

Mr. Taylor declared the whole question to be one of invasion of the territory of a municipality by a private company, This spplication was reality a plan by which the Esquimalt company would invade territory that properly belonged to Victoria; it was a pawn. Mr. Bodwell had just admitted that the Esquimalt company of the council. It was explained to us a pawn. Mr. Bodwell had just admitted that the Esquimalt company of the council of the part of architects and artists, many of whom have freely given their services to it. Back of the movement is tands the Commercial Club of Chicago was the second city in the United States in the part of architects and artists, many of whom have freely given their services to it. Back of the movement is tands the Commercial Club of Chicago, made up of the same class of the arce unfair to the council. It was explained to us a roundabout, undershand process to secure, this result, using Oak Bay as a pawn. Mr. Bodwell had just admitted that the Esquimalt compens the part of architects and artists, many for whom have freely given their services to it. Back of the movement is tands the Commercial Club of Chicago, made up of the same class of the second city in the United States in the part of architects and artists, many for whom have freely given their services to it. Back of the movement is tands the Commercial Club of Chicago, made up of the world's Fair, or the boundary of the world's Fair to the council. It was explained to us aroundabout, undershand process to secure, this result, using Oak Bay as a pawn. Mr. Bodwell had just admitted that the Esquimalt company of Oak Bay. What has a pawn be suggested that this was a plan. Victoria had made the territory that proposed the council of the part

The Civic Buildings

Two things in connection with the proposed civic buildings, whether City Hall, or Hall and Theatre combined, every man will concede: First, its construction cannot be long delayed; second, no more suitable place for it can be found than the vacant land in the rear of the Empress hotel property.

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solely on account of a misunderstand-

ing between the council of last year and the water commissioner that Oak

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The Taylor Mill Co. the citizens did not know it. Mayor Morley explained that it was

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Bay was before the committee on this point. The council last year asked the water commissioner what the cost of water was. The water commissioner maturally told them fourteen cents, meaning by that at their own door. He was not supposed to know what the policy of the council was, and the aldermen quoted 1s cents, thinking 14 cents was the wholesale price. If the council had looked into the matter as carefully as the new council had it would have made the wholesale price 10 cents or 12 cents instead of 1s cents.

The old element in the council was still the council w

BUDGET DEBATE

governments and countries at times. I would refer back to the time when this government was face to face with a financial strain in regard to which you would think, to hear it spoken of, that the government had pulled the province out of an awful position, made a surplus out of deficits. What did they do? Panic-stricken, they resorted to the means nearest at hand, and that was excessive and exorbitant taxation. Even at this date, after all these years of prosperity, they find that but twelve cents per capita is the actual reduction to the taxpayer. After being out and shows the policy of the government should own these of the six million dollars the great boast of the six million dollars the six million doll of prosperity, they find that but twelve cents per capita is the actual reduction to the taxpayer. After being driven to taxing everything, and building up a surplus which they can trot out and show the public before an election, up to date they have only had the courage to reduce that taxation by

tion, up to date they have only had the courage to reduce that taxation by a trivial twelve cents.

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lands and other lands, portion of the capital account of the province, and it should not be the policy of the government to allow of their disbursoment except for public works or something that equally accrues to the benefit of the province. We have heard much of the credit of, the province. Along the lines of the same argument the Minister of Finance used we can figure that Great Britain is on the down grade and that only British Columbia can survive. The argument of the Minister of Finance is on the same line, only an attempt to cover up a great many of the sins of his Cohservative friends in the government, and made with a view, no doubt, to create an impression in the province that even in the loss of such a competent and respected man as the late minister he, as Minister of Finance, has come to proclaim that British Columbia stands higher than the rest of the world.

Boise, Idaho, March 1.-Confirmation of the report of the terrible death of C. E. Bell, an Idaho miner, who fell 1,500 feet into the crater of an extinct and polluted volcano near the headwaters of the Brunueau river, 100 miles south

of Boise, reached here to-day. Bell and two time. The former pecting at the time. The former pecting at the two others and reached distanced the two others and reached distanced the two others and reached walk over a bridge of snow at the side of the volcano's mouth. He failed to hear the shouts of his companions, and peered over the edge into the crater. At this moment, his foot slipped and he fell head long with a terrible scream, into the valcano.

A rescue party lowered one of its members by a rope 209 feet into the crater. When pulled back the man reported no sight of Bell and said that the next landing was 609 feet below where he had stopped.

JUDGE REBUKES UNITED STATES SENATE

Declares Supreme Court Has Power to Summon Congressmen

Washington, D. C., March 1:-Justice Wright, of the Supreme court of the District of Columbia, yesterday scathingly rebuked the U.S. senate in an opinion which took him two hours to

read.

The criticism was called forth by the recent action of the senate in passing a resolution which held that members of congress were exempt from subpoenaes of the court and that members of the joint congressional committee on printing could therefore ignore thacourt's orders.

Justice Wright held that court had jurisdiction over the committee because the court was created by a statute which holds that "no person is above the law, no matter how exalted may be his station."

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Large Amount of Ore Has Been Shipped From Property-Operations in Mayflower

Rossland, Feb. 28.-H. Whitford has eceived instructions from Lyman Carer, president of the Blue Bird Mining Company, to restart work on the Blue Bird mine in the South Belt, and will commence operations in a few days. The financial affairs of the company are in good shape and the intention is to do considerable development work during the ensuing several months. It is thought by a good many that the Blue Bird can be developed into a mine of considerable merit, as the ore is of DOUGLAS STREET.

of considerable merit, as the ore is of an excellent grade and there are several ledges from which it can be profitably extracted. A considerable tonnage of ore of a good grade was shipped from the Blue Bird in the latter part of 1889 and the early portion of 1969, when it was being operated under a was arcested for stealing it, precious substance having been to

says running as high as \$47 to not be long before regular shipments.

Late advices from the Inland Empire are to the effect that some very high-grade ore has been encountered in the lower or 300-foot level. The ore runs higher in gold than any hitherto met in the property.

LION KILLED IN A FIGHT.

While a number of lions were being exercised at Bostock's Jungle, Manchester, an exciting fight occurred between two of them, with the result that one was killed. The incident occurred in a passage behind the cages, in which the animals are allowed to roam in batches for exercise. Owing to an attendant's mistake a lion fresh from East Africa, named Rosewelt, was put in with a number of other Hons. The intrusion of the stranger was challenged by Menelik, a gift from the Emperor of Abyssinia. The two sprang at each other, and Menelik ultimately got Rosewelt by the throat and killed him.

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BOWNASS BUILDING. 1112 BROAD STREET

LOTS IN ROCKLAND PARK-\$350 and LOT-328 Humboldt Street.

LOT 49, corner Denman and Clark 8, 9 and west 1/2 of 10, blk. 67, Michigan street full sized lots \$750 each; 1/2 lot

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SOME MORE GOOD BUYS.

Easy terms. \$3,800-PRINCESS AVENUE - House

fine lot, reasonable verme. \$2,000—ROCK BAY AVENUE—Cottage,

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NEW HOUSE, near Linden avenue require only \$500 as first payment; in CORNER LOT, near reservoir, 1-3 acre, at \$650. Terms: \$150 cash, balance

choice locality, at \$4,000. Terms: \$1,000

COTTAGE, within half mile circle on lot; rents for \$15 month, Price \$1,500; half cash.

22 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA.

FOR SALE,

80 ACRES—Sooke District, just inside Sooke Harbor. TWO LOTS-On Victoria harbor, with large wharf and sheds and 2 large warehouses in good condition, on easy terms.

8½ ACRES—On Colquitz river, Victoria District, cheap.

For further particulars apply

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RICHARDSON STREET DWELLING HOUSE OF 7 ROOMS. new, every modern convenience Good Terms: \$4,700 ONLY.

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KINGSTON STREET.

Close to Government Buildings, 6 room house, modern, lot 60x120 feet; a bargain CLOVERDALE AVENUE

New modern 5-room house, with space for 3 more rooms upstairs, darge basement the size of the whole house, stone foun-dation, half an acre of land; only two minutes' walk to the car; price \$3,500, terms.

FORT STREET.

A large 10 room house, containing every modern convenience, including gas range, electric light, hot and cold water in bathroom and kitchen; the rooms have all been newly painted, papered and decorated, and consist of dining room, drawing room, with folding doors between, den or breakfast room, kitchen and pantry, 5 bedrooms, bathroom; price \$6.50, easy terms.

ALPHA STREET. detween Douglas and the Burnside road, new 5 room house, all modern conven-ences, large basement, over half an acre of ground planted with assorted fruit

EMPIRE REALTY CO.

Real Estate and Financial Agents, 612 YATES STREET. Phone 2251.

3 VERY GOOD BUYS, KOWLAND AVENUE—New 5-room house, standing on a lot 60x236 base-ment for wood, water laid into house, Price for a quick sale \$1,575, terms

McCLURE STREET-Lot 60x120, with

NORTH ROAD-Well built 6-room containing bath, electric light. w.c. and other conveniences; cement walks around house, small stable, buggy shed; large lot. Price \$1,890; terms arranged.

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\$3.200 buys a new five roomed house, fully modern, with basement, in James Bay; terms arranged.

3,250 buys an 8 roomed house on street, all conveniences, good for \$2.100 is the price of a 6 roo

\$3,500 House and two lots Kingston

37,500-Two houses and lot on View Street, above Blanchard. Street, noted by Street, and Street, 1996 each, for 2 lots on Dunedin Street, 1955—Two lots on Craigflower Road, Business lots on Douglas, Fort and View, Streets.

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Land is selling at \$2,000 per acre ad-

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\$4 acres. Cobble Hill. small house, close. to church and railway, \$3,150.

\$5 small good house of 1½ stories, modern.

\$5 close to car, \$1,200.

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\$6 house and full sized lot, Burn ide road, just obuside city limits, \$3,000.

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FOR SALE.
SEVERAL GOOD LOTS, screage houses (modern) at exceptionally low prices. These are real bargains and cannot be duplicated unless paying, a much higher price.

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LOTS 14 and 15, 10 ft. x 120 ft., King streets, \$625 each; 1-3 cash, balance and 12 months at 7 per cent. LOTS, 8, 9, 10, 50 ft. x 120 ft., Blackwood street, between Hillside avenue and King's road, \$25 each; 1-3 cash, balance

, 2 and 2 years at 7 per cent. LOTS, 50 ft. x 150 ft. each, on Thi Ave., immediately off Mt. Tolmie ros \$400 each; 1-3 cash.

NEW BRICK BUILDING, within fer minutes' walk City Hall, \$12,000; shows 18 per cent, on investment, LOT on Douglas, cor. Tolmie Ave., \$1,290

HOUSES on 90x120 lot, Douglas, nea-Maywood F. O., \$8,000, terms Agreements of Sales purchased.

CONTENT TO STARVE.

Old Man's Life on a Piece of Toast a

poverty, was described at an inquest or William Henry Mead, aged sixty-four, a Westminster, London, who died suddenly. The widow said that they rented a back

FEARED BURYING ALIVE.

CONTRACTS FOR

NEW RAILWAYS

(Continued from page 9.)

world-part: line of railway be built connecting the Boundary District with the coast cities by a more direct route than at pre-

build a line from at or near Midway to Pentleton without subsidise an extension of this line from Penticton to a Junction with the Nicway, at or near Nicola, not to exceed, however, one hundred and fifty miles; Now, this agreement witnesseth that, in consideration of the agreement here-inafter contained on the part of the railway, the prayince agrees with the railway, subject to ratification by the Legislature of the prayince;

(a) To grant a subsidy to the railway on the portion of the road between Penticton and the junction above men-tioned of five thousand dollars per per cent. Inscribed stock of the province, avenue, 11.073.

18 acres, 22 cleared, 41 acres partly cleared, 5.500.

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(d) The railway shall have free right-of-way through any provincial lands for its; lines herein referred to, such right-of-way to be to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor-inc.

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ove agreements on the part of the ovince, the railway covenants and trees with the province: (a) To begin construction of the lin or railway herein referred to within four months from the ratification of the agreement by the Legislature of the province, and to proceed continuously and with reasonable expedition with the construction of the said lines, the whole to be completed within four years from the ratification of this agreement by the Legislature.

ent by the Legislature; (b) To build and construct the fol-

I. A line from Grand Forks up the North Fork of the Kettle river, not less than thirty miles; 2. A line from Midway to Pentleton; 3. A line from Penticton to a junc tion with the Nicola, Kamloo Similkameen railway, near Nicola;: the said lines to be of standard gauge, the said lines to be of standard gauge, and to be built according to such speci-fications as to make them practically uniform in construction with the lines of the Great Northern or Canadian Pacific rallways when originally con-

material and supplies required for the construction of its railway through their children, and lived on the few coptrage, 5 rooms, all modern conveniences, good stable, etc., with 5 good level fots, splendid soil. This is a decided snap at the above price. Easy terms.

2.300—PRINCESS AVENUE—House (freat) new) containing 8 rooms, all modern conveniences throughout, fine lot, reasonable terms, encountering a room, all modern conveniences, all up-to-date. Terms, one-third cash; balance gasy payments.

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Real Estate and Insurance Agents, 613 TROUNCE AVENUE—House for the day be died? Yes, a life to one of the splendid lots and 7. The lot, reasonable terms, one-third cash; balance gasy payments.

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General; Richard, McBride, Premier;
The Kettle River Valley Railway,
Company; James J. Warren, President.
In regard to this bill the Premier's series. The agreement between the government and the Kettle River Valley Company, which forms part of the cill and is the schedule thereto, is an agreement word for word like that of the eighth day of October, 1209, with the single exception that we have ley Company, which forms part of the till and is the schedule thereto, is an agreement word for word like that of the eighth day of October, 1909, with the single exception that we have eliminated therefrom the clause dealing with the employment of Chiness and Japanese labor, and in substitution for this have taken from the Kettle River Valley Company, a guarantee similar to that we have got from the Carrella of the wear of the trickish government to the two have got from the Carrella of the two have got from the Carrella of the two have got from the Carrella of the trickish government admiral Gamble received from the Canadian Northern Company in connection with the Canadian Northern Edinate disagreeing with him, some of the government admiral Gamble received from the Canadian Northern Company in connection with the Canadian Northern bill read a few moments ago. This is necessary in order that the canadian Northern bill read a few moments ago. This is necessary in order that the canadian Northern bill read a first time and set down for second reading to-morrow afternoon.

Home

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INSPECTOR ADDRESSES

SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Opposed to Charging Fees to High School Pupils at

Vernon, Feb. 28 .- At the regular

eeting of the board of school trustees Inspector Miller addressed the ers at some length, and went very fully into various matters co He' recommended that primary pupils to Pentleton without any aid in the province, if the province will sidise an extension of this line from ticton to a junction with the Nickamioops and Similkameen rail, at or near Nicola, not to exceed, ever, one hundred and fifty miles; over, one hundred and fifty miles; over this agreement witnessent that, onsideration of, the agreement here they are the miles of the miles of the passing to the miles of the province; over the province is a tree of the province; or the miles of the province is a tree of the pr what was paid by other cities of like class for similar services, and be will-ing to grant increases in accordance with this standard. As to assistant teachers; it was the principal's duty to bring their merits to the notice of the

board.

Mr. Miller recommended a system of electric call bells and a gong fire alarm. He was opposed to the idea of charging fees to High school pupils, whether in or out of the city, pointing out the advisability of taking advantage of every incentive that might aid in building up large classes.

the third section is completed; and so on until the whole extension is completed, when the mileage herein mention shall be paid for at the above rate of five thousand dollars per mile, not exceeding in all one hundred and fitty miles;

(b) The lines of rallway constructed or to be constructed from Penticton to Midway, and from Grand Forks to, it, or near Franklin Camp, to be exempt from the assessment and tax imposed by section 6 of the "Railway Assessment Act, 1907." for the period of ten years from and after the completion to represent a saving of less than \$500 at the city. The success of the idea was evidenced by the fact that though it had been in operation some

or \$100 to the city. The success of the ides was evidenced by the fact that though it had been in operation some years, no one in Revelstoke had ever suggested a return to the old system. He suggested a plan of systematic effort to secure closer attention to the compulsory attendance clause in the school act.

Resources of City and

Rossland, Feb. 28.—Preliminary step Club were taken at a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of representative citizens, held in the city hall. Dan

Chairman Thomas stated that the Chairman Thomas stated that the object of the meeting was to form a club that would put forward in as pleasing a manner as possible the numerous attractions of Toosland, its desirability as a healthful place of residence, and the opulence of the natural resources that environ the city, and desired expressions of opinion as to the less method, for being the cut attraction.

resources that desired expressions of opinion as to the best method for bringing out attractions, advantages and resources to the attention of the public to the end that the city may increase in size, importance and wealth.

J. D. McDonald, manager of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company.

Kootenay Power & Light Company. said he strongly favored the formation of said organization. F. C. Birks, man-(c) To give a bond satisfactory to the gryerment of the rovince of British Columbia that following construction the said lines will be operated continuously, and throughout the whole length thereof;
(d) The railway agree to purchase all material and supplies required for the construction of its railway through

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OMFORTABLE HOME-With parlor large living room with bay windo and fireplace, kitchen, back kitche bath and tollet, and three large be rooms, within 10 minutes' walk of any part of husiness district. On Pandors avenue. Price, \$4,500. Good terms. OAK BAY-Water front; extra large lot, 50 x 186, fine beach. Price, \$1,050. \$350 cash, balance one and two years.

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SOUTH TURNER STREET-New modern bungalow, close to beach and nicely situated. A bargain at BLANCHARD AVENUE - 6-roome

dwelling with lot 50x133 feet, and rear entrance. On terms\$2,300 BURDETTE AVENUE — 7-roomed ALEDONIA AVENUE - Two-story dwelling with brick and stone foun-dation, nicely situated and on car

OAK BAY DISTRICT - 8-roomed BATTERY STREET, near Beacon Hill
—Goold two-story dwelling and lot
54x120 feet. A bargain at\$3,300 ESQUIMALT DISTRICT - 6-roomed bungalow with large attic, bathroom, pantries, sewers, open grates, etc., very large lot. Exceptionally well situated and close to car line, \$4,000 VIEW STREET — 6-roomed modern house with lot 60x120 feet\$3,700 SPECIAL FOR QUICK SALE \$800 will purchase 3-roomed house and lot, 50 feet by 120 feet, just outside

of city limits. FARMS AND SUBURBAN LANDS

were useless, and their bunkers and magazines were empty.

With amazing celerity Admiral Gamble applied himself to the hercu-lean task of restoring these derelicts to motion and power, and succeeded so well that long before the counter revolution the fleet was ready for ac and, therefore, he thought inquiries should be made and reliable data secured from other cities as to the methods under which they operated in order that Rossland might benefit by the experience of sister contres. that Rossland might benefit by the experience of sister centres.

After some debate a committee was appointed with instructions to formulate a plan of operation, arrange constitution and by-laws and other details, and to report the result to a general meeting to be called at a later date.

On motion, Secretary Goodeve, was directed to correspond with the cities in this vicinity which have booster riluos, for the purpose of securing data as to their methods and plans of or-

reorganization of his navy and for the fine spectacle presented by the mirs at the naval review.

Of medium height, spare of figure, eager and aiert, Admiral Gamble is a true type of the British sallor — a man of firm purpose and of few words. Born in 1856, he entered the navyt in 1870, and became a captain in 1898. For the three years, 1893-96 he was a member of the naval intelligence department, and in 1899 was appointed to the embassy in Paris as naval attache. He commanded the cruiser Hyacinth and afterwards the armored

S. A. BAIRD

Agent.

JOHNSON STREET-5-roomed cot-tage, modern conveniences; lot \$0x120. Price, \$2,500.

PUTNAM STREET-5-roomed cottag

FRONT STREET-Victoria West, 6ces; lot 47x100. Price, \$1,650.

JAMES BAY-One block from Beacon AMES BAY-One block from Beacon Hill Park, modern bungalow centain-ing three rooms and bath upstairs, double parlor with sliding doors, breakfast room, large reception hall and kitchen on first floor. Full-sized basement with hot air furnace; gas, electric light; hot and cold water. Lot 50 x 150. Price for a few days 33,000; \$2,000 cash.

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A. T. ABBEY, Manager, 1218 DOUGLAS STREET.

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\$ 800 Gorge Road, 54 x 194 \$1,400 Gorge Road, 54 x 186

\$ 210 Oaklands, 604x 120

\$1,050 Work Street, 50 x 140. \$1,650 King's Road, 66 x 100.

\$ 800 Stanley Ave., 60 x 120.

\$ 750 Garbally Road. \$ 625 Davie Street, 52 x 100.

\$ 750 Bank Street \$1.000 Bank Street, corner

\$ 525 Fool Bay Road. \$1,050 Harbinger Avenue

\$2,200 Trutch Street. \$ 600 Oxford Street

HARMAN & APPLETON

534 YATES ST. Next S. Leiser & Co

A REAL OPPORTUNITY A nice new Bungalow and three lots close to trams, all completely modern and good. \$1,500 cash, balance at 7

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LOTS-Government street, near To-

ronto street, size of each 50x96 feet. Price \$3,500 for the two Lot-Near Jubilee Hospital, Fernwood estate, I block to car, size 55x115 ft., with 3-roomed house, etc., all fenced. 2 LOTS AND 2 HOUSES-Front street Victoria-West, near school (sepa

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T. S. GORE and J. M. McGREGOR, British Columbia Land Surveyors, Chancery Chambers, 52 Langley St. P. O. Box 152, Phone A594.

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OPPOSES GREATER WAYY, Minnesota Representative Declares Agi-tation Is Result of "Conspiracy of

Shipbuilding Interests."

Washington, D. C., March 1.—Representative James A. Tawney, of Minnesota, chairman of the House appropriations committee, is quietly organizing opposition to the administration's naval programme as outlined to the committee by Secretary of the Navy Meyer. Tawney forecasted the attitude of the opposition in a causable statement arraigning the forecasted the attitude of the opposition in a causite statement arraigning the naval programme. He foresaw "bankruptey for the government" if such plans are adhered to, and charged their agitation to a "conspiracy of the shipbuilding interests."

The government's tentative naval programme, the representative said, involved an enormous additional appropriation without furnishing a worthy basis, for the expenditure. Neither was the wish for more naval strength based upon defence necessities.

ZION CITY CREDITORS.

Chicago, March 1.—Creditors of Zion City, the community which was founded near this city by the late Alexander Dowle, probably will receive about 2s cents on the dollar when final settlement is made, according to the report issued by Receiver C. D. Thomas.

Thomas states that the report probably will be his last, as the estate will be turned over to a reorganised hoard of trustees to be appointed by the court.

The assets of Zion City are placed at 11.447,514, outstanding secured claims total approximately 186,000, and the unsecured claims amount to 34,800,000.

Shortly before Dowle died four years ago, the property he controlled was estimated to be worth 20,000,000. Chicago, March L-Creditors of Zion

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under the milk regulations by-law is

Dr. Fagan, provincial analyst, hand-

ed in a report of the analysis made by

him and in cross examination by Mr. Lowe said gelatine was not narmful. The milk was of pure quality, how-

the by-law. The defence holds that the by-law applied to dairymen and

house to house ventors.

Magistrate Fay this morning said he took exception to the report in the morning paper regarding the boys charged with breaking into Hibben's

store. The feport presumed the boys were guilty, while as a matter of fact

they had not yet even been asked to plead by the court.

The boys were before the court again this morning and remanded until Friday. Eli Jennings, a colored gentleman, said he was no vag. He owned property beek as the colored gentleman, said he was no vag. He owned

property back east and just played a little concertina music around the salooffs to while away the time before he got a job in Victoria. He promised he would be a passenger on the first outgoing boat and his promise was accepted in lieu of the repromisely.

ed in lieu of the responsibility of feed-

Joseph Mason, remanded yesterday on a charge of vagrancy, was unable to bring witnesses this morning owing to his confinement in Jail, and Detec-tive Heather's inability to find them be-

cause the street gangs had shifted rbout. Magistrate Jay told Mason to

get out and get work, and Mason took the hint, promising not to return again.

-The regular meeting of the Young Woman's Club of the Metropolitan church will be held in the school room

church will be need to be now defined any wednesday evening pext at 8 p.m.. It will take the form of a social, and all girls will be made heartily well-all girls will be made heartily well-all girls will be made bearing of

an gris will be made neartily wel-come. An informal programme of inusic interspersed with some interest-ing contests has been prepared. Re-freshments will be served and the club-is looking forward to a real good

The remains of the late Mrs. Jane undell were forwarded to Comox this orning, where they will be interred.

ing him for a month.

IN POLICE COURT

MILK BY-LAW CASE

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COOK FOUND POLE

Explorer Reported to Have Left Chile for the Argen-

Washington, D. C., March 1.—Word eached here yesterday that Dr. Frederick t. Cook, the discredited explorer, accom-anied by his wife, departed from Andes, hill, Sunday for Argentina. Their exact estimation was not disclosued.

destination was not disclosed. The information regarding Cook's departure, revived discussion of the address given here by Maurice E. Egan, minister to Denmark, at the University Club. Minister Egan declared that half the people of Denmark still believe that Cook reached the pole. He supplemented the statement by saying: "I shall believe Dr. Cook, the explorer, is an honest man until there is definite proof to the contrast. The University of Copenhagen simply declared that records furnished by Dr. Cook were not sufficient to enable it to determine whether he had been to the Pole."

Egan said that he had asked Lonsdale, Cook's secretary, regarding Cook's mental condition—just before Lonsdale left New-York for Copenhagen, and that Lonsdale replied: "He's half mad. He is possessed with the idea that he is going to be assassinated."

TIMBER POLICY

WAS LIBERAL'S

should be sold to a speculator, but should be held for the settler. In certain bar-rooms of Victoria were men being asked to sign a paper which pur-ported to be an assignment of their rights in certain lands to be secured at Fort George and elsewhere. If the Premier knew of this, and he must, he the police court on Thursday morning, to which time the magistrate this morning remanded the case of Y. Koberi, proprietor of the Klondike restaurant, who was charged by the milk inspector with selling milk adulterated the government. The government the government the government the government. should for all time to come ston this the government. The government should do as the Liberals would have dene, hold the land for the settler and get settlers for the land. If the pre-sent method was to go on the people would find the land, timber, water, coal, everything they had, would be in ver.

A. E. Shaw, milk inspector, said he ture generations, instead of a heritage

rant keeper, who said he did not sell milk. The inspector then secured a constable and forced the restaurant keeper to sell him a sample. The magistrate set the matter over until Thursday morning to have time to consider the by-law. The defence holds that the by-law applied. remier McBride discialmed any fol-lowing of the Liberal party in the de-cision to extend the tenure. The mat-ter had first come up when R. F. Green was chief commissioner, and objection was made that bankers did not find timber licenses a tangible asset on which to lend money. There was an extension made to twenty-one years, but deputations of loggers and millmen still continued to press on the government that the banks did not yet look on their licenses with favor. The government wanted time and investigation before it would accede to these requests and appointed a commission requests and appointed a commission, on whose advise it was now proposing an extension of the tenure of ficenses. When the commission made a final report right and just rentals and royalties on an industry in which the government was practically in co-partnership with the holders would follow. As to the Liberal policy, he did not know

to the Liberal policy, he did not know until the statement of their election platform what it was.

Dealing with the land question the premier contended that "speculators" had to pay the price the government charged for lands and that this brought in a large revenue to the province. in a large revenue to the province. There was a great deal of clap-trap talked about the genuine settler, he said, and he wanted to know who any-one was that he should set himself up in judgment on who was genuine settler and who speculator. Personally, he knew no community without men who were willing to sell for a turn-over; we were all speculators more or less. The man who settled in British Columbia had all the advantages he could wish for and he gave little or nothing for them. He had nothing to complain of. There was more provision made for was more provision m by the British Columbia government than by any other governm Canada. There were large ar-land open to him in the north, Peace River block, in the Queen otte Islands and elsewhere throughout

the province.

Michael Manson (Comox), urged that ands such as beaver meadows, swamps and such like on which heavy timber did not grow, the chief commissioner d not grow, the chief commissioner with the tould have power to let the timber lishould have power to let the timber licensees reliquish. This would be more workable than it was at present. In the case of logged-off lands and similar lands available for agricultural purposes the commissioner should have the same power. The log-scaling provisions ought to be included an part of this bill. There was much complaint of unfairness as the result of scaling unjoined the British Columbia log-scale, giving less than under the old Scribner scale. A log twenty-two inches in diameter gave bractically the same contents by both scales. Logs less than 22 inches gave a little more independent of British Columbia scale, but logs larger than 22 inches gave a little more independent of British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches in diameter the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 42 inches gave a little more independent of the British Columbia scale, when 43 inches gave a little more independent of the british Columbia scale, when 44 inches in diameter of the brit

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Land Registry Act.

bill was before the House.

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A division was demanded on the sec-

AN INJUSTICE

ment were secured. The assessed owner should be entitled to vote.

Ald, Mable did not believe that the proposed arrangement was so opersided as the mayor would have the board believe. He knew of where some people were empowered to vote twice in the past and this would have to be stopped.

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