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LEGAL NEWS. Full Court Delivers Judgment in Several Cases—County Court—in Chambers.

The adjourned sittings of the County Court commenced yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, Mr. Justice Martin presiding.

plaintiffs for \$61. G. A. Morphy for plaintiffs—action, indefiniteness. Chambers. Mr. Justice Walker presided in Chambers yesterday morning and disposed of the following applications.

THE NEW AMBASSADOR. (Associated Press.) London, June 26.—Commenting on Hon. Michael Henry Herbert, the British ambassador to the United States, being made a Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George, the St. James Gazette says this afternoon: "A peerage is sure to follow this knighthood, if all goes well at the British embassy at Washington."

MAKES GOOD PROGRESS

Improvement in His Majesty's Condition To-Day is Most Marked—Intercession Services in the Churches—The Colonial Premiers at St. Paul's.

(Associated Press.) London, June 26.—King Edward's progress in convalescence occasions the greatest satisfaction in all circles.

The improvement in the King's condition this morning was most marked. Everybody in Buckingham palace is delighted and high hopes are entertained that convalescence

will be much more speedy than predicted last night. At no time has there been any serious suggestion of the establishment of a regency.

The good news given out by the Duke of Connaught at Buckingham palace before the doctors' morning consultation, and which the subsequent official bulletin completely confirmed, occasioned the liveliest satisfaction to all persons collected at the palace, the Mansion House, and elsewhere.

Awaiting Tidings from the sick chamber. The absence of ambiguity in the language of the medical bulletin, which, unlike previous statements, has no qualifying phrases, has done much to restore confidence in the public mind in regard to the outcome of the King's illness.

King Edward saw several members of his family in the course of the morning. The Queen remained at the palace, but the Princess Victoria drove out this morning.

Rev. Frederick Temple and the Lord Mayor, Sir Joseph C. Dimsdale, the corporation in full state bringing up in the rear.

A Whole-Souled Response from the choir and the congregation. The anthem and the singing of the hymn, "Thine arm, O Lord, in days of old was strong to heal and save."

Simultaneously a similar service was conducted at St. Margaret's church, Westminster. It was largely attended by cabinet ministers, peers and members of the House of Commons, and was concluded with singing "God Save the King."

London, June 26.—According to the Birmingham Post, after hearing of King Edward's illness, Emperor William telegraphed to Prince Henry of Prussia, who was in London, setting forth how he was moved by the news, and offering to come immediately to London to see his uncle if there was any immediate danger.

Left London This Morning as did the Prince of Monaco, the Prince of Montenegro, and the Dutch mission.

London, June 26.—10:40 a.m.—The Duke of Connaught called at Buckingham palace this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Later he said: "The news this morning concerning the King is most encouraging. The King's pulse and temperature are normal and his condition on the whole is most satisfactory."

Buckingham palace at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. "The King's condition still remains satisfactory." (Signed) "Trevies, Laking, Barlow."

London, June 26.—At 5 o'clock this afternoon the Yale-Harvard boat race day dawned cloudy and threatening, but by 5:30 it had become clear.

Dr. Murphy's Opinion. New York, June 26.—Dr. John B. Murphy, of Chicago, dean of the faculty of Rush Medical College, has telegraphed to the New York medical journal the following statement regarding King Edward:

Charles Anderson Continues to Add Adventure to His Exciting Career. Charles Anderson, the lone mariner, who arrived here from Nones in a small sail boat and whose craft was seized on suspicion of smuggling, is still making history.

BOLD BUNCO GAME. Man From Manitoba Lost \$300 at Victoria Gardens Yesterday.

WINNIPEG CLEARINGS. (Associated Press.) Winnipeg, June 26.—The clearing house returns for the week ending June 26th, were: Clearing, \$2,005,757; balances, \$453,467.

EIGHTY MILES AN HOUR.

Descriptive Wind-Storm in Dakota and Iowa Yesterday—Damage Estimated at Over \$500,000.

(Associated Press.) Sioux City, Iowa, June 26.—The storm which swept over eastern-south Dakota and northwestern Iowa yesterday, was one of the most terrific in the history of this section.

MINERS' WAGES. Delegation of Workers and Operators of Michigan Had Conference With President Mitchell To-day.

MAGAZINE EXPLODES. Two Men Wreck Instantly Killed and Fourteen Injured.

HARVARD WON. Defeated Yale in the Four-Oared Varsity Boat Race To-day.

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CANADIANS APPLY FOR DISCHARGE

TELEGRAM RECEIVED FROM LORD KITCHENER

Now That the War Is Over the Canadian Government Will Not Object.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 26.—A cable has been received here from Lord Kitchener stating that many members of the Canadian contingent in South Africa are applying for their discharge and asking if the Canadian government has any objection to this being granted.

Government Will Pay. The Dominion government has decided to pay over to the government of Manitoba the interest which has been collected on the deferred payments of school lands.

GRANVILLE H. HAYES CHARGED WITH FRAUD. Sensational Litigation Instituted by Capt. Irving Over Transaction in Hayes's Mining Stock.

IN THE POLICE COURT this morning Granville H. Hayes, the well-known mining operator, who is connected with the Hayes mine at Alberni, was remanded on a charge of having procured a considerable sum of money from Capt. John Irving on false pretences.

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GOING HOME. (Associated Press.) New York, June 26.—James Cambon, the French ambassador, called for France to-day. He will return in about four months.

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KING EDWARD IS NOW MORE CHEERFUL

The Absence of Complications Creates a Hopeful Feeling in All Quarters—An Excellent Patient.

London, June 25.—The King spent a quiet day and the lack of unfavorable developments was regarded as greatly in his favor. No prognostication, however, regarding his chances of recovery is likely to be publicly ventured by the doctors for several days.

Until this morning it was hoped that Friday's procession might take place on Saturday, the Prince of Wales taking the King's place. This was suggested especially for the benefits of the colonial contingents and would have been almost purely a military display.

It was practically decided this afternoon that the Prince of Wales will review the colonial troops, probably next week. They will then return to their respective countries.

A favorable factor mentioned by several of those at the palace to-day was the King's adaptability to the severe regimen involved. "He is an excellent patient," said a peer who had just seen one of the members of the Royal Family.

The following bulletin issued at 11 o'clock to-day, is regarded as intensely satisfactory: "The King continues to make satisfactory progress. He slept some hours during the day. His complaints very little of discomfort, and is more cheerful. The wound is doing well and the stigmata, King and Barlow."

This bulletin is generally taken as being the first occasion on which the King's doctors have allowed themselves to express their feelings of hope, even to a small degree, which they undoubtedly, even though privately, entertained.

Notwithstanding the fact that this is the eve of the intended coronation day, and that London is now even more crowded with people than it was yesterday, traffic pursued its way unimpeded, and even the most popular thoroughfares were comparatively deserted. No illuminations despoiled the natural gloom which settled over the metropolis.

Quick and cheerful, the crowds waited outside Buckingham Palace for the night's final news of the sovereign. For several hours they kept their patient vigil wandering aimlessly, but with palpable anxiety about the open spaces, which fronts the Royal residence.

Some reports of the royal feeling from the crowds that if the King lived until to-night he would live to be crowned.

Lord Grey, a director of the British South Africa Company, is among those having entree to the court. He said, at a representative of the Associated Press, that he had good hopes for the King's recovery, and that he was sure every Englishman was deeply touched with the sympathy of the United States in the present calamity.

Shortly before 1 o'clock the tension of the crowds was relieved by the appearance of a footman bringing a bulletin. "This was put on the palace railing, and, simultaneously the crowds converged to wards the notice. The welcome words were read in silence, and then the crowds slowly disappeared. After midnight the King's palace was practically deserted."

The first direct expression of opinion from Queen Alexandra was received to-day by the Lord Mayor of Leeds. Acknowledging a message of sympathy from the Lord Mayor, Queen Alexandra telegraphed: "His Majesty is progressing favorably."

To-morrow, instead of a day of coronation and rejoicing, will be one of prayer and intercession. At noon all England will be praying that the life of the King be spared.

Condition at Midnight. London, June 25.—(Midnight).—King

Indians Prophecy a Hot Summer. Last year during the hot summer months there were many people who suffered from aches and asked their grocers for Mason's Delicately-Roasted Beef. But the supply was not sufficient. This year Mr. George Carter, agent for Newell & Mason, has received a large consignment to supply.

Edward's condition to-night is even more satisfactory than has been indicated by the last bulletin. He has made a decided improvement, and the feeling at Buckingham Palace is very hopeful. His Majesty is able to take nourishment. He had scrambled eggs and a little hot and cold soda this evening, and with his own hands he opened several telegrams.

Progressing Favorably. London, June 25.—Sir Frederick Treves, Sir Francis H. Laking and Sir Thomas Barlow are again spending the night within Buckingham Palace, and have arranged for Sir Joseph Lister to join them in consultation in the morning.

When a representative of the Associated Press applied at the palace after midnight, just as the building was being closed up for the night, it was learned that there was nothing to be added to the last bulletin, that King Edward's condition continues to be satisfactory.

The representative of the Associated Press further ascertained with regard to the brief and, to some extent, vague character of the bulletins, which give no information as to the King's temperature, pulse, etc., and which he complained of reasons have been much explained.

In some quarters, that this is not due to a desire to conceal anything or to apprehension of the result of His Majesty's illness. The doctors had in mind the late President McKinley in mind, and in view of the fact that the disease has not been passed, they were determined to couch their bulletins in the most guarded language, so that the hopes of the public should not be unduly buoyed up.

The Duke of Connaught, commanding the forces in Ireland and the Third Army Corps, and Sir Henry Wylie Norman, general Indian Staff Corps, have been promoted to be field marshals.

The Duke of Wales has been appointed to the rank of general. Thousands of persons visited Westminster Abbey to-day for the sake of viewing, even from the street, what would have been the centre of the national festivities.

Material and other results of the postponement of the coronation are cropping up hourly. Steamers from all parts of the world, which timed their sailings to bring in passengers for the coronation, are reaching England constantly.

The British fleet will remain intact at Portsmouth until next week, but several of the foreign war vessels will leave there to-morrow.

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THE MAN IN ARMOR

Was no match for the microbe. Giants he might slay, but this microscopic organism defied him, and in many a campaign more men were destroyed by camp diseases than by the enemy's sword.

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THE LATE LORD PAUNCEFOTE

United States Cruiser Brooklyn to Carry Remains to England. New York, June 25.—The cruiser Brooklyn sailed from the navy yard to-day for Annapolis, where she will take on board the remains of Lord Pauncefote for transportation to England.

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Crop Outlook in Quebec—Brakeman Crushed to Death. Montreal, June 25.—The C. P. R. crop report for the province of Quebec, issued to-day, shows that unless dry weather sets in all the crops will be light. Root crops have a very poor show. There will be scarcely any fruit on account of June frosts.

HONORS FOR CANADIANS. List of Those Who Have Been Honored By the King. Ottawa, June 25.—A message to the Governor-General to-night makes the following announcement with regard to the honours which have been conferred upon distinguished men of Canada: His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to confer the following honours:

Montreal, June 25.—The consolidated cheese curing station, erected by the Dominion government, here and completed yesterday, was opened to-day for receiving cheese.

Election Protests. Toronto, June 25.—The Liberals have entered a protest against the return of Dr. P. J. Sheehan, Conservative, to East Toronto. The Conservatives had proposed postponing East York, where John Richardson, Liberal, was elected by nearly 300 majority, but on making the attempt this morning it was discovered that the time had elapsed. A petition was filed this afternoon against the return of Hugh Clark, Conservative, for Centre Bruce. His majority was seven.

Paris, June 25.—Joshua Sanford is imprisoned on the Skelly farm at the bottom of an 86 foot well. He has been in his perilous position for 32 hours, in spite of all efforts to rescue him, but he is still alive and well. Sanford has been several times spoken to down the tubing, and he replies he is well and fairly comfortable, but is impatient to get out. He was granted disconnected contact medicine. Strathcona Corp. Sec. S. A. Kelly, Sec. P. G. Booth, Farrier Sgt. A. Gilles.

London, June 25.—The London Gazette contains the list of coronation honours. Privileges are conferred on the Right Hon. Wm. Jackson, Conservative member of parliament for North Leeds, and former chief secretary for Ireland; the Right Hon. Sir Lightfoot James Kay Shuteborough, Bart., Liberal member of parliament for the Wiltshire and Lancashire, and an educational reformer; Sir Francis Knollys, private secretary to King Edward, Arthur Hugh Smith Barry, chairman of the National Union of Conservative Associations; Lt. Gen. Sir Francis Grenfell, the governor of Malta; Alexander Berran Kinnaird, the diplomat and trustee of the Wallace collection.

VENEZUELAN REVOLT. Capital Taken—Seventeen Generals and Forty-Five Colonels Surrender. Willemstadt, June 25.—Advice received from Venezuela under date of June 20th, say President Castro recently tried to occupy Laval, on the Gulf of Paro. He sent Gen. Colmenares with a large force of troops to attack the town, hoping that Gen. Ayala would assist him by land and catch the revolutionists who are there commanded by Gen. Riera, with Gen. Matos as his first lieutenant, between two fires, but for unknown reasons there was no assistance by land, and Gen. Colmenares was compelled to re-embark his troops and abandon the attack after three hours' fighting.

During the morning of June 20th Gen. Riera left Laval, and with 1,500 men attacked Coro, the capital, nine miles distant. After five hours' battle Gen. Ayala, first vice-president of the republic, and commander of Castro's army, abandoned the town, and Gen. Colmenares and Gen. Telleria, president of the Senate, New Westminster, Mrs. Dockrill, Mrs. Bloomfield and Harry Bourne, Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. John, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bough Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brockwood, Capt. and Mrs. George Roberts, Miss John, Miss Lawson, E. V. Redwell, John Lawson and James Lawson, New Westminster, Mrs. Dockrill, Mrs. Bloomfield and Harry Bourne, Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. John, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bough Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Brockwood, Capt. and Mrs. George Roberts, Miss John, Miss Lawson, E. V. Redwell, John Lawson and James Lawson, New Westminster, Mrs. Dockrill, Mrs. Bloomfield and Harry Bourne, Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. 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C.P.N. Company Will Run Cheap Excursions to Vancouver—Visiting Yachts Arrive in Port.

Victoria's midnight steamer, the Cottage City, arrived at 12 o'clock last night, proceeding to the Sound a few hours later.

The first news from Rampart since winter gives the output representing the spring clean-up.

Advices from Bettles, in the Koyukuk country, under date of May 14th, state that 1,500 men are expected to come to the camp this season.

VISITING YACHT.

Lying in the bay to-day is the well known American yacht Rambler, belonging to Willard B. Cook, of Seattle.

AMERICAN SHIPPERS COMPLAIN.

"The owners of the big fleet of wind-jammers which ply between Puget Sound and the Australian ports are raising a decided howl over the laws passed by the federated colonies, which impose a customs duty on every ounce of stores used by a foreign ship in those waters."



his vessels which recently arrived in the Antipodes, which offer a practical illustration of this new legislation.

THE FORAMIC CHARTERED. F. W. Peters, Pacific Coast agent of the Union Steamship Company, New Zealand, received a cablegram yesterday announcing that the British steamer Foramic would arrive between the 15th and 20th of August.

ARRIVED FOR CELEBRATION. The handsome steam yacht Mon Ping, with Manager Rogers, of the B. C. Sugar Refinery, and party aboard, arrived from Vancouver last night and will remain over until Sunday in port.

C. P. N. EXCURSIONS. The C. P. N. Company will run excursions to Vancouver for the Dominion Day celebration.

PORTLAND DISAPPEARED. Steamer Ohio, which arrived at Seattle from Nome yesterday, and which left the northern port on the 10th inst. brought further news of the steamer Portland, last seen drifting towards the Arctic.

FAITH IN GLADE. Faith is still high among a number of speculators in reinsurance that the German barque H. F. Glade will arrive at her destination or be heard from, though the long overdue vessel was to be posted in London yesterday at Lloyd's as missing.

MARINE NOTES.

Included in the cargo of the steamer Tees, which sails for northern British Columbia ports to-night, is a shipment of rails for the train line to be built from the Skepik mine in the Oostahk river.

Acids formed by the decomposition of food within the mouth are always waging war upon the teeth by breaking down their enamel, and to guard against this evil, care should be taken to thoroughly cleanse the mouth at least night and morning, even if it be not possible to do so after every meal.

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PROGRESSIVE PARTY.

Meeting at Vancouver Committee Chosen to Draft By-Laws.

W. J. Lamrick, president of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council, presided on Tuesday night at the meeting of the Provincial Progressive Party in the O'Brien Hall, Vancouver.

T. H. Cross came forward to second the resolution. He said that he was fortunate in being a delegate to the Kamloops convention, and was very much impressed with the "openness" of the convention in its most harmonious actions.

Chris. Foler, of Rossland, president of the Provincial Progressive Party, was received with an ovation. He spoke for two hours on the issues of the day. There was but one hope for the masses of this country, and unless they united to exact laws that would protect the pauper alike with the millionaire the future was indeed deplorable to contemplate.

The speaker here dealt exhaustively with monopolies, and said that the most dangerous of them all to the wage-earners were the railroads and transportation companies, which in this country not only regulated the wages of the land but enforced them by bringing in hordes of aliens to take the places of strikers.

The resolution was unanimously carried amid much applause. The following were chosen as a committee to draft by-laws and procure members: H. Cowan, W. George, George Payne, T. H. Cross, J. G. Davidson, George Lockie, J. H. Watson.

Sir Thos. Shaugnessy announces that at the end of the present year the C. P. R. would have permanent lines from Atlantic to Pacific, all temporary structures having been replaced.

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THE IRON INDUSTRY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. Report of a Special Committee Which Was Submitted at the Last Meeting of the Voters' League. Some Suggestions.

Below is published the full report which P. R. Smith, for the committee on iron and steel manufacture, read at Tuesday night's meeting of the Voters' League.

We, your committee appointed to investigate the resources of this province in iron with a view of determining the economic value of the same, together with a comparative study of the iron and steel industry in other provinces, have the honor to submit to you the following report:

Your committee find that very large deposits of magnetite ore are to be found in the following localities: Kamloops, Nanaimo, Bella Coola, Cariboo, Similkameen, Kamloops and Green (Charley) lakes. The ore is of the best quality and is situated in a most favorable position for transportation.

The estimated cost of ore to the Iron and Steel Works Co., of San Francisco, is \$1.50 per ton. The cost of transportation to the coast is \$1.00 per ton. The cost of smelting is \$1.00 per ton. The cost of rolling is \$1.00 per ton.

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STEADILY IMPROVING.

The news from London in regard to His Majesty's condition is very reassuring today. The fact that nourishment has been taken without any apparent ill effects must add greatly to the universal hope that the physical condition of the King is such as to enable him to withstand the shock of the severe operation that was necessary in order to save him from death. With the temperature normal and all the functions of nature apparently again in full operation, it may be taken for granted that the chances, which were at one time assumed to be heavily against His Majesty ever being formally crowned have now receded around, encouraging us all to regard the future with hope. It will, of course, be some time yet before the point of absolute change is past. The King is a good patient, tranquil and obedient, characteristic which will lessen the danger of a reaction being precipitated by petulance or indiscretion.

BRITISH COLUMBIA IRON.

In another column of this paper will be found the report of the special committee of the Voters' League appointed to examine into and pronounce upon the extent of the iron deposits in this province and to make suggestions in regard to the development of the same. We do not know that gentlemen responsible for the opinions and facts set forth in the document claim the knowledge of experts on the subject they deal with. It seems clear, however, that they have not attempted to underestimate the cost of converting ore into iron for the sake of making it appear that British Columbia when her wealth of mineral becomes known to the capitalistic world will speedily become the centre of the iron industry. The difficulties which may be expected to beset the path of the infant as soon as it is born have been frankly exposed. If they have been slightly exaggerated, the expert whose attention has been turned to the province by the report of the extraordinary prodigality of the deposits of ore will soon discover the fact. If it be true that British Columbia is the natural centre of the iron industry of the west, as Sydney, Cape Breton, is of the East and Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., is of central North America, the committee of the Voters' League, which has as yet received little recognition on account of the value of the work it is doing for Vancouver Island, will be accorded the honor of having first drawn attention in an effective manner to the generous nature and extent of our iron resources. The paper which has suggested this article is somewhat longer than documents should be which are intended for popular perusal. Yet every one interested in the future of British Columbia should read the report. Those of little faith especially should study it carefully from beginning to end. They will find much in it to revive hope and kindle the imagination. It should attract the attention of capitalists. In these days without capital for its effective exploitation the richest territory in the world amounts to nothing. All works to be profitable must be carried on a large scale. The strength of the Edgar Thomson steel works of Pittsburgh lies in the magnitude of the company's operations. It has its own means of transportation from the iron fields of the north—in Ontario, we

PURITY IN PUBLIC LIFE.

The Conservatives in Ontario are emitting a prolonged roar because of their failure to win the late election. All sorts of reckless charges are being made. A would-be leader of the party suggests that the faithful should arm themselves with shotguns and proceed to oust the usurpers. This reminds us of the threat to spill confederations into its original fragments and of the love of the Mother Country revealed by the reply to the charge that the National Policy would not strengthen the ties between Great Britain and Canada. "If the National Policy should prove inimical to British connection, so much the worse for British connection." The present situation in Ontario only proves again how thoroughly good old Joe Nymal understood the Tory disposition when he said that a Tory out of office is a more savage and desperate animal than a she bear deprived of her cubs. That is a disposition which never changes. It becomes

believe to the works in Pennsylvania. It has ships on the lakes and a railway on the land. It is agitating for a line of its own from its inland situation to the seaboard. It admits that it is handicapped on account of the distance it is compelled to transport some of its raw materials and that it cannot compete in open markets with the Sydney product unless it can place its finished article on shipboard at a cheaper rate than is the case at present. These are the reasons why under natural conditions Canada would certainly be the industrial centre of this part of the world. But our consuls are an ingenious people, and thus far they have managed to circumvent the designs of the creator of the continent. From ocean to ocean our raw material has for years been flowing over the border to be made up into all kinds of useful articles and returned to us with a profit for every handler—which we have had to pay. The point for us to consider is the possibility of putting an end to this sort of thing with the least possible injury to institutions and works which have come into existence under such unnatural conditions. If we propose to make the most of our natural wealth by developing it to the highest point, whether we are to go for a market? If our advantages are so great as to enable us to produce iron and steel and force them into the United States over the tariff wall, we can rest assured that in the present economical condition of the people over there a sufficient number of bricks will immediately be added to that wall to protect the needy steel men from outside and "unfair" competition. South America is not yet a great manufacturing country and the markets of Bolivia, Uruguay, Paraguay, Brazil, Patagonia, etc., are very nebulous and indefinite. Australia is granting bounties on iron and steel, and proposes to supply her own needs and go to Asia in search of customers. The state of affairs in the Orient is very uncertain. Japan is not rich in iron and she imports large quantities. With every passing year the demand there will increase, for the Japs are energetic, are determined to line up in the front rank of the great industrial army, and in a few years will be loath to admit that there is any line in which they are inferior to their larger competitors. It has been contended in an indefinite way that China is rich in minerals of all kinds. But that has not been proved. For what market there is in the Orient, therefore, we may assume that iron works established in British Columbia would have marked advantages over all competitors. Add to this the demand at home, which will be far from inconsiderable a few years hence, when our present chief industry has recovered from its prostration. Even now more iron is required per head of population than in any other province in the Dominion. If the raw material which enters into machinery of all kinds were produced at home there is no reason why we should not manufacture every article used in our mines.

The shipbuilding industry is developing at a remarkable rate also. The yards in Victoria are increasing in number and enlarging their facilities to such an extent that all classes of work can be undertaken. There is a constantly deepening feeling that Canada should defend her own shores and her own commerce. Our people are beginning to cry that Great Britain should be relieved of such burdens. A few hold that we should contribute to the cost of maintenance of the Imperial army and navy. But it is pointed out that it would be foreign to the nature of our institutions to contribute funds we have no voice in the distribution of. We have the nucleus of an army of our own. Why should we not make a beginning in the establishment of a navy? That will come, and probably sooner than is expected. Why should all the ships be built in the East and why should any of them be built with other than Canadian material? We should be prepared for the great industrial movement that is gathering way in all other parts of the Dominion? We cannot participate as fully as we should in the enterprises of the future unless we take steps to secure the development of all the resources with which nature has so bountifully endowed us. Therefore no one should sneer at the efforts being put forth by the Voters' League to secure the development of an industry of the highest importance to British Columbia. The better course would be for all to work in harmony towards the same end.

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more savage as the years pass by and it is more clearly demonstrated that the prosperity of the country does not depend absolutely upon the continuation of the remains of the grand old party in power. That the effrontery of some of the members of that party is beyond bounds has often been proved, but we confess we are rather astonished at the allusions to the gerrymander which is alleged to keep the Ross government of Ontario in power. Ontario was once gerrymandered in a highly scientific manner. Sir John said: "We must have the Grits or we shall be defeated." He did live them, and they have been lived ever since. But for the living process it is extremely doubtful if the Laurier government would not have a majority in Ontario as well as in every other province in the Dominion. The hive will be rent in pieces at the next session of Parliament. There is no Tory majority in the Senate now to prevent such an act of justice. When the discussion on that measure takes place the younger generation of voters will be fully informed as to the means taken by former Conservative governments of greater days to keep themselves in power; they will then be enlightened in regard to the manner in which the "genius of government" possessed by but one party manifested itself.

—What do all the extravagant charges of electoral crookedness made against the Ross government amount to as opposed to the testimony of judges before whom the recounts took place, that the officials on the whole performed their duties fearlessly and impartially and that the manner in which the ballots were marked proved the voters to be endowed with a high order of intelligence. The spoiled ballots were fewer than in any previous election. In not a single instance did a recount alter the decision of a returning officer. If any bias were shown, it seemed to lean towards the Conservative side, indicating that the injunctions of Liberal newspapers and public men to remember that the ballot was a sacred trust and should be so regarded had the effect of determining the returning officers to give Conservatives rather than Liberals the benefit of every doubtful ballot. We have no doubt the courts will furnish further evidence that the wild charges of a lot of disappointed, hungry partisans are not worthy of serious consideration.

In connection with this subject, an object lesson of how the partisans of the other side would act if they had the power was furnished by a judge who held a recount, although a brother of his was the Conservative candidate interested. His Honor no doubt acted conscientiously and rightly in throwing out a large number of ballots plainly marked for his brother's opponent, but initiated on the back by mistake by the deputy returning officer; but what a howl of execration would have been raised if the positions had been reversed and the judge and his brothers had both been Grits! We are free to confess that there has been too much crookedness on both sides of politics and that the wild charges of Conservatives have had a marked effect upon public opinion and have weakened the case of the Ross government. It is quite clear, however, that the balance of honesty and integrity is

still largely in favor of the Liberal party of Ontario; that Mr. Ross is not only one of the ablest but one of the clearest statesmen in public life in Canada, and that it would be a great act of folly to turn out the Liberal administration on account of alleged impurity and put in power a party with a record like that of the Conservatives of the premier province.

The partisans voted a specific sum of money for the reclamation—a plan submitted—of James Bay mud flats. The work of reclamation being now partially done and the council believing that the money still unexpended will be more than sufficient to reclaim the mud flats, has authorized the diversion of a portion of the fund to another purpose—the construction of a stone wall on the shore line in front of the parliament buildings. We are not raising the question of the right of the council to use money for a purpose other than the one it was voted for; that will keep for another time. A more immediately pressing consideration is—When the money voted for the James Bay reclamation scheme is all exhausted and the great hole on the east side of the new sea wall is still unfilled, where is more money to be procured to complete the job? Will the Mayor and Council submit another by-law to the people, or can they remedy the mistake made in this case by making another of a similar character? We are, of course, assuming that there will not be enough money left to fill up the mud flats after a large sum is taken out of the fund for the Belleville street wall. What evidence is there that there is sufficient money on hand to complete the work?

SENSATIONAL BULLETINS.

To the Editor:—In your editorial of even date you refer to certain sensational bulletins concerning the King's condition posted in the city today. I wish to state that this company was responsible for none of them. The only information we have posted was official, and during the King's illness I will use particular care that such as we post are absolutely correct.

WM. CHRISTIE,
Local Manager C. P. R. Co.'s Telegraph.
Victoria June 25th, 1902.

NOTHING TO ARBITRATE?

To the Editor:—Your editorial on the 25th inst. on the "Alaska boundary," calling for the immediate settlement of that question did not appear any too soon. The idea that there is "nothing to arbitrate" in the adjustment of the chain is "ridiculous." It has been demonstrated that the United States claim for British Columbia territory comprises an area equal to several of the smaller states of the Union—computed at 30,000 square miles of land and water—including precious metals, timber, and some of the best fisheries in the world. Apart from the claim beyond or over-reaching the treaty, the United States have had awarded to them, according to the treaty, 6,450 square miles, or about 4,128,000 square acres. The dispute should be fairly settled by arbitration; there should be no compromise, but the conditions of the treaty. A paragraph recently published states, and doubtless correctly, that since 1867 (the date of purchase) the Alaska salmon pack in 1901 is said to have been \$7,000,000, and (the gold produced since the transfer of the territory is estimated at fifty million dollars).

ALEXANDER BEGG,
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 26.—5 a. m.—There has not been much change in weather conditions since yesterday. The barometer is highest on the Californian coast and lowest in Cariboo and Nevada. Light showers have fallen in British Columbia and in Oregon and Washington. Temperatures are somewhat lower generally, and cloudy weather prevails throughout the province, but on the immediate American coast. In the Northwest Territories the weather is mostly fair, but rain is still falling in Assiniboia and showers have occurred in Alberta.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity.—Moderate or fresh southerly winds, generally fair, with occasional light showers and not much change in temperature. Lower Mainland.—Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and warm, with occasional showers. Reports.

Victoria.—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, 54; minimum, 53; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, cloudy. Vancouver.—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 3 miles E.; rain, 12; weather, cloudy. Kamloops.—Barometer, 29.79; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 14; weather, cloudy. Parksville.—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 36; weather, cloudy. San Francisco.—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 18 miles W.; weather, clear. Edmonton.—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 54; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, fair.

City News in Brief.

—For teas and coffee go to the direct importers, cor. Douglas and Johnson streets.

—Although to-morrow is her regular lay over day, the steamer Majestic will arrive and depart on time.

—Cheap rates on Majestic and Rosalie to Port Angeles, Port Townsend and Seattle for July 4th celebrations. Tickets good from July 2nd to July 6th inclusive. E. E. Blackwood, agent.

—Coronation services arranged in connection with Congregational Emanuel for Friday evening have been postponed. Services will, however, be conducted on Friday evening at 7.30 p. m. Rev. Montague N. A. Cohen will preach on "Bible Criticism." Plans will also be a service of intercession and prayer. All are invited. Services on Saturday evening at 10.15 a. m.

—Steamer Strathcona made her first regular run on the Nanaimo and Sidney route. She left the former city at 7 a. m., and arrived at Sidney at noon, with 25 passengers, who reached the city before one this afternoon. Returning the steamer left at 2 p. m., and will arrive back at Nanaimo at 7 p. m. This schedule is the one on which the steamer will continue to be operated.

—The Pleasant street swimming baths, are open to the public today, and on Monday to the school's swimming class. It should be remembered the government intends giving the children prizes. The baths have been repaired, and the accommodation for ladies improved. There is a likelihood that the swimmers will organize a swimming club this year. There are many really strong and graceful swimmers to start with.

—Great preparations are being advanced by the citizens of Vancouver for a celebration on July 1st and 2nd, which is expected to eclipse any ever held here. The programme includes naval and military review, championship lacrosse, league baseball, horse races, bicycle track, gun club, tournament, and grand patriotic concert in the drill hall. At the latter place an oration will be delivered by Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, of this city. The transportation companies will offer reduced rates.

—The League of the Spring Ridge Methodist Church gave a spring board social last evening, when the following programme was rendered: Song, Miss Helen McGee; recitation, Miss Annie MacDonald, reading, Mrs. McMillan, recitation, Miss Strickland, reading, Mrs. Daybald, song, Miss Talbot, reading, Mr. Mills, song, Mrs. Crawford, reading, Mr. Souler, and song, Miss Whitcroft. The league has chartered the steamer City of Nanaimo for a moonlight excursion on the night of July 1st.

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—The steamer Majestic, which arrived from the Sound yesterday afternoon, and the steamer Rosalie, this morning, both brought over large numbers of excursionists from the Sound. The total number was about 250. It was expected that over 2,000 pleasure seekers would have visited the city had the coronation celebrations been held. However, the rates from the Sound were left as arranged, and many having made up their minds to come here decided to visit the city. Included among the arrivals from the Sound yesterday was a party of knights of Columbus who have been spending a few days in Seattle. Members of the order expressed themselves as charmed with the climatic and scenic advantages of Victoria.

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—The following advertisement appears in the Glasgow Weekly Mail of May 31st: "John Ballantyne, Exhibition hotel, Clyde street, Anderston, Glasgow, desires the address of David Ballantyne, last in Victoria, B. C."

—The regular annual meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. is withdrawn this week. The next meeting will be Thursday, July 3rd, at the Refuge Home, Cornerment street. All members are requested to be present, as there will be election of officers.

—The regular Thursday evening full practice of the Victoria Lacrosse Club will be held at the Caladonia grounds this evening. The local team will meet the Vancouver stick handlers at the Terminal City on the 1st of July, and an interesting match is anticipated.

—Chris. Foley, of Rossland, president of the Provincial Progressive Party, will be in the city next Monday night to assist in the organization of a branch of the party here. On the occasion of his last visit to this city Mr. Foley was one of the commissioners investigating Oriental immigration.

—The marriage of John Tumilty, chief engineer of the Dominion government steamer Earl, and Miss Grace Richardson, of Saanich, was celebrated by Rev. W. Leslie Clay last evening at the residence of Mr. Aitkins, Kingston street. Miss Marjory Hansson was bridesmaid and Mr. Frederick Jay acted as best man.

—The great interest taken by both officers and men of the Fifth Regiment in the night fight last night will very likely lead to another fight taking place before the camp breaks up. There is no doubt that these fights are highly instructive as well as interesting. A full account of last night's fight appears elsewhere in this issue.

—Last evening Rev. Elliott S. Rowe united in marriage Mr. E. A. Haggard, school teacher at Ladysmith, and Miss Ada Porter, of the South Park school. The ceremony was performed in the Metropolitan church, and a large number of the friends of the contracting parties were present. Mr. J. Brown was best man, and Miss Lawrence bridesmaid.

—A meeting of the intermediate baseball league will be held to-morrow evening, when matters of importance will be discussed. The intermediate game, which was scheduled to take place to-morrow between the Work Establis and Wanderers has been postponed. The regular Saturday match will be played between the Victoria Intermediates and Fernwoods at Beacon Hill.

—Captain Hansen, of the Danish barque Cimbrica, which arrived from Acapulco last night to land lumber at one of the British Columbia mills, states that on the voyage here, which occupied 42 days, he saw nothing of the treasure ship Blakely now due from Coos Bay and, whether she went at the beginning of the year. Captain Hansen says that he saw no brigantines, and but two schooners, which he thought were from San Francisco. He encountered light winds and many calms, and as his course was practically the same as that which will be taken by the Blakely it is possible that it is this weather rather than the stay at the island which is detaining the treasure ship.

INTERCEDING FOR THE KING'S LIFE

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE SERVICE TO-NIGHT

Have Been Completed—Will Commence at 7.30 O'clock, Sharp—Gatherings This Morning.

A week ago to-day everybody looked forward to to-day as an occasion of great jubilation. Instead, it is a day of intercession for the King, and is observed as such through the vast empire over which he rules. The service here will be held in front of the legislative buildings this evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock sharp. Mayor Hayward will preside and he will be assisted by all the local clergy. As a signal for the commencement of the services the Royal Standard will be hoisted on the government flagstaff, the band playing "God Save the King." His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and staff, the clergy, officers commanding His Majesty's naval and land forces, senators, judges, members of parliament, ministers, and members of the provincial legislature, H. M. naval and military officers, board of aldermen and board of school trustees, will occupy seats on the platform, entrance to which will be from the west door of the building.

- The order of the service is as follows: 1. Hymn—O God, Our Help in Ages Past. Tune (St. Ann). 2. Intercessory Prayers and Responses. 3. Psalms. 4. Scripture Reading, Isaiah, Chap. 38. 5. Hymn—Great God of Nations. Tune (Winchester Old). 6. Prayers. 7. Hymn—Peace, Perfect Peace. Tune (Pas Tecum). 8. Prayer. 9. Hymn—Abide With Me. Tune (Eventide). 10. Benediction. 11. God Save the King.

Herbert Taylor, who has charge of the choir, desires that every singer will be in attendance not later than 7.15. The steps on the parliament buildings will be reserved for the choir and the band. Mr. Taylor is particularly desirous that the musical part of the service shall be successful, and will give the necessary instructions to the choir before the commencement of the service.

Services will be conducted in Christ Church cathedral to-morrow as follows: 8 a. m., holy communion 10 a. m., morning prayer; 7.30 p. m., evening prayer. At all of the above special intercessory prayers for the recovery of the King will be offered.

Special intercessory service was held at the First Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. Dr. Campbell delivered an address, using for his subject the verse "I will turn your feasting into mourning." Amos 8th and 10th. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Rev. D. MacRae, and Rev. A. Fraser led in intercessory prayer. Appropriate music was rendered and although not large, the attendance was fairly good.

A service was held in Christ Church cathedral this morning, when the special litany was read and prayers offered up for the recovery of the King. The Bishop of Columbia, Canon Beauland, and the Revs. W. D. Barber, W. Baugh Allen and John Grundy took part in the service.

In St. Andrew's, R. C. cathedral the coronation services prepared for this morning, and properly announced last Sunday, were cancelled and substituted by an intercessory service. His Lordship, Bishop Orth, opened the ceremony by a short address to the congregation, referring in feeling terms to the sudden illness of His Majesty, King Edward. Concluding, the Bishop asked his people to beseech the Almighty God to grant His sovereign speedy recovery and invigorated health to the Royal family, Heaven's choicest benedictions, and to the nation sweetest consolations.

At the Church of Our Lord (Reformed Episcopal) Right Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. H. J. Woods officiated.

After to-night's service the Fifth Regiment band will give a sacred concert at Beacon Hill park.

Mowat & Wallace have received from Pender Island a shipment of English gooseberries, which it is a treat to look at. Large, luscious looking, clean and juicy, they surpass anything in their line yet on the market, and show that there are some places in this province where this variety of fruit can be grown to perfection.

—Miss Mabel Kinsman, youngest daughter of Ald. Kinsman, and Mr. Allen P. Ashwell, of this city, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. W. Leslie Clay last evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Miss W. H. Hall and Mr. W. H. Kinsman attended the bride and groom. The newly married couple left for the Sound, where they will spend their honeymoon.

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These goods have pointed toes, but are good fitters. 64 PAIRS OF WOMEN'S FINE AMERICAN OXFORDS, TAN DONGOLA, made by THOS. G. PLANK & TODD BANCROFT CO. in all sizes and widths. Were \$3.00 and \$3.50. Now..... \$2.15

We have a few pairs left of last week's 75c OXFORDS in small sizes, which we will sell this week to clear for..... 50c

32 PAIRS OF MISSES' TAN WILLOW CALF LACE AND BUTTON BOOTS. Sizes, 11 to 2. Regular \$2.50 goods for..... \$1.60

We will offer for the balance of this week our complete range of MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AND OXFORDS in colored and black Dongola at big reductions. 28 PAIRS OF BOYS' GOOD STRONG TAN LACE BOOTS. Sizes, 1 to 5, for..... \$1.00

Last week's prices of MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S PEBBLE GOODS will be continued for balance of this week.

The Paterson Shoe Co., Ltd.

35 JOHNSON ST.

Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites

A splendid nerve tonic and builder. Manufactured by
HALL & CO.,
DISPENSING CHEMISTS,
Clarence Block, Cor. Yates & Douglas Sts.,
VICTORIA, B. C.

—The Indian aggravated assault case was concluded in the police court yesterday afternoon. George, the accused, was fined \$50 and \$60 costs, or in default three months' imprisonment with hard labor. As will be remembered the case arose from a row on Tarriff rock, in which George hammered another Indian named Charlie on the head with a club.

—Ald. Barnard has given notice that at the next meeting of the city council he will move that the city engineer be instructed to proceed forthwith with the connection of the sewerage system of the premises of such persons named in his report of February 11th, 1902, who have been notified to so connect their premises and have failed to do so; and that the city engineer be also instructed to notify the persons named in the report, who have not already been notified, and to proceed with the connection of the premises of those who do not comply with the notices, the work to be done at the expense of the respective owner and by day labor.

TOURIST ASSOCIATION.
Successful Work Done by Mr. Cutbert in Montana and Washington.

The travelling representative of the Tourist Association, Mr. Cutbert, returned to the city last evening after an extended trip through Idaho, Washington and Montana.

Mr. Cutbert has had a very successful campaign, having enlisted the support of the newspapers and transportation companies in all the cities he visited.

Mr. Cutbert anticipates a large tourist travel, although he points out that the main results of the work of the association will be demonstrated next year, as the majority of this year's tourists have already drawn up their plans. On the other hand, most of the tourists who come as far as the Sound will probably come on to Victoria. He made arrangements with the manager of the Sound steamers Majestic and Rosalie to have a man meet the incoming trains at Seattle to distribute the association's pamphlets to passengers.

In most of the Montana and Washington newspapers standing advertisements have been placed calling attention to the attractions of Victoria, and the agents of the big railway lines are circulating the pamphlets on all West bound trains.

CENTRAL SCHOOL ANNEX.

Enjoyable Programme Rendered by the Pupils—Honor Rolls.

About forty visitors attended the closing exercises of the Central annex school held yesterday morning in the old gymnasium. The room was prettily decorated with flags and flowers, the arrangement of which impressed those present most favorably. The following excellent programme was presented by the pupils: "Morning Greeting," song by class; a fancy march to music; an exhibition of recitation; motion song by the class; musical recitation by class; "The Forty-Cent Piece," song by class; recitation, "Little Lonesome," by Helena McGregor; song and march.

All the music was kindly played by Miss Tuck. The rolls of honor were then distributed by the teacher, Miss E. L. Browne, to Reginald Litchfield, for proficiency; Mabel North, for deportment; and Stewart

Bike Suits, Cheap

Nineteen bicycle suits, must be sold at once. All our regular stock, Norfolk suits, and silk suits, trousers with cuffs, and some with buckles at the knee, sizes 34 to 38. Only two or three suits of a pattern, but all good patterns, and not a shoddy or cheap quality suit in the lot.

W. G. Cameron

Victoria's Cheapest Cash Clothier,
35 JOHNSON ST.

Caley's Fruit Drinks

All Fruits, 20c per Packet

Makes 2 1/2 gallons of most delicious fruit drinks. Easily prepared. Also Root Beer, Extract Ginger Ale, Limes Juice, Lemon Crystals, etc., etc.

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JUST RECEIVED—SCREEN DOORS AND WINDOWS

PRICES LOWER THAN EVER.

Watson & McGregor,
PHONE 745. 59 JOHNSON ST.

People Who Buy

A dollar's worth of groceries here had better have two market baskets. We don't give groceries away; oh, no! but we have a way of stretching dollars that is appreciated by our customers. We sell nothing but the finest groceries.

E. B. JONES,
Cor. Cook and North Park Streets,
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In large and small amounts, on improved real estate.

SWINERTON & ODY,
106 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Flows, for regularity and punctuality. The school closed by singing "God Save the King."

THE WESTSIDE

VICTORIA'S POPULAR STORE..... JUNE 26, 1902.

Friday Bargains

Special Bargains that will make the last Friday in June memorable.



The Best Wrapper Bargain This Season
Worth \$2.00. Friday .. \$1.25

Tremendous Bargain in Ladies' Summer Wrappers
Summer Skirts and Blouses

Crash Skirts..... Ladies' Stylish Linen Crash Skirts, extra full width. Regular \$1.25 each. FRIDAY..... 90c

Ladies' Extra Fine Linen Outing Skirts, with fancy strapping and wide flares. Regular \$2.25 each. FRIDAY..... \$1.75

Shirt Waists..... Ladies' Fine White Organite Shirt Waists, with 20 rows of tuckings in front, and 18 at back. Regular value \$1.75. FRIDAY..... \$1.10

Gloves and Parasols
A Glove Bargain..... Ladies' Fine Kid Gloves, in Tan, Grey, White and Black, perfect fitting, very durable. Regular value 10c., FRIDAY..... 65c

PARASOLS..... Ladies' Black and Colored Parasols, with steel rods. Regular \$1.00 each. FRIDAY..... 65c

Ladies' Extra Fine Mercereated Parasols, in White, Black and Colored. Regular value \$1.25. FRIDAY..... 90c

Hosiery and Underwear
Embroidered Hosiery..... Ladies' Fancy Dropstitch Past Black Hosiery, with colored silk embroidered clax at sides, "Hermstadt" Dye. Regular 40c. FRIDAY..... 25c

Ladies' Fine Summer Underwear, with and without sleeves. Regular value 12c. FRIDAY..... 12c

Milinery Specials..... Ladies' Straw Sallors. Regular values 5c. FRIDAY..... 50c

Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, trimmed by our own special artists, in beautiful flower effects. Worth in the regular way \$2.00 to \$3.00 in each. FRIDAY..... \$4.00

HUNDREDS OF OTHER BARGAINS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

THE HUTCHESON CO., LD., VICTORIA, B.C.

Suitable Wedding Presents—Fine Carving Sets of Best Sheffield Steel
Sets of Table and Dessert Knives '1847 Rogers Bros.' and J. Round's best plated spoons and forks. We personally warrant these goods at
FOX'S, 78 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Brown's 4 Crown
Scotch Whisky.
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"SYSTEM THAT SAVES."
No Oarsman, who must bail, when he should row, can expect to win against one who races in a leakless boat.
The factory methods, and selling system, of "The Slater Shoe" eliminate enough leaks, waste, and needless expense, to aggregate a satisfactory profit.
It ensures Wearers against overcharge by Retailers, through the Maker's price stamped on the soles,—\$4.00 and \$5.50.
"Shoe Ideals" book tells why.

THE SLATER SHOE
TRADE MARK

J. Fullerton and J. H. Baker, Sole Local Agents.

BUY THE TIMES

Gooseberries FOR PRESERVING

Leave your order for same We receive a fresh supply daily.

MOWAT & WALLACE,

GROCCERS.



BOXING TOURNAMENT POSTPONED.

The executive committee of the Victoria Athletic Club met last evening and decided to postpone the boxing tournament arranged for this evening on account of the serious illness of His Majesty the King.

BASEBALL GAME TO-DAY.

This afternoon commencing at 4 o'clock the first of series of baseball matches is in progress between the Stanford alumni and the Victoria at Oak Bay park.

CRICKET COLLEGIATE SCHOOL PROTESTS.

The following communication appears in the sporting columns of the Vancouver News-Advertiser:

3. I asked Mr. O'Callaghan to change his team, other school boys who could play being on the ground.

4. In order, however, not to disappoint our hosts I consented to allow a friendly game between the two teams, at the same time telling our XI, as it was very hot, not to play themselves out.

5. I am sorry to have to bring the matter into print. I am forced to do it by the fact that I can only consider an entire breach of good faith on Mr. O'Callaghan's part.

WOMEN SMOKERS.

To satisfy the demands of a large number of fashionable women, writes a society reporter in a New York paper, who are among their most important patrons, several of our leading restaurateurs are about to arrange special smoking rooms where the fair ones may enjoy a few whiffs of that fragrant weed without which no luncheon or dinner appears to them to be complete.

GOVERNMENT EXAMINATION OF SEEDS.

While intelligent farmers, with a fair knowledge of the seed trade, can obtain high class seeds, a large proportion of them get their supplies in small towns or villages from local dealers who have but a limited knowledge of seeds.

In order to secure more definite information with regard to the actual conditions of the trade in the common grass and clover seeds, arrangements were made early in the year by the Department of Agriculture to collect a few hundred one-half pound samples of timothy, clover and red clover seeds that were offered for sale by local dealers.

These samples of seeds reached the department at Ottawa under a variety of names which were intended to designate their grade or quality, but which were served to mystify the less intelligent purchasers.

Friday's game will be noticeable for several changes in the line-up of the local team. The twinning will be done by Schwennes, while Camp, Smith will do the receiving. The team will be augmented in this game by two players, Messrs. Coward and Shamba.

To test the vitality of the seeds, four lots, containing one hundred seeds each, were indiscriminately taken from pure seed which has been thoroughly mixed for the purpose. These seeds are placed one hundred in each group so as to check one against the other between folds of blotting paper and set in a standard seed germinator.

Out of thirty-five samples of red clover seed which were collected in the province of Ontario, twelve samples contained over five per cent. by weight of foreign seeds. These foreign seeds consist of various kinds of more or less noxious weed seeds.

Recent experiments show that the dog-plant, when pursued, can go through the water at the rate of about 32 miles an hour. This is great speed, but for a short distance the animal can do better, since it has frequently been known to swim at the rate of 40 miles an hour.

Among the smaller fish it is doubtful if there is one which is more voracious than the Spanish mackerel. As a rule, however, all those fish which prey on others are remarkably swift, which is only natural, as if they lacked speed they would be unable to hunt successfully for prey and would often be obliged to go hungry.

DOMINION OF CANADA SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS For Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

Coal lands may be purchased at \$10.00 per acre for soft coal, and \$20.00 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company.

At least \$100.00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$10.00 an acre.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, B. C., June, 1902.

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FROM ANOTHER WORLD.

"An English girl was engaged to be married to a young American who had been a student abroad. They had met at Heidelberg. He died suddenly after returning to this country. She came over here shortly afterward to visit his mother, while in New York, she went to a medium. There was an appointment beforehand, and she was seated at the table with her mother and sister. She was taking her turn, she sat down by the medium, who went into a trance and began to speak. Immediately the girl's lover appeared to be present. He told her a number of things which only they two had ever known. He recalled circumstances connected with their acquaintance at Heidelberg. It happened that this young lady's father was an English officer in the war in South Africa. Among other things which the young man told was this. He said: 'I am glad that I have been able to see your father's life once or twice during the past summer of New York, and I am glad to be able to see him again. He writes me from South Africa, being entirely ignorant of all that had taken place here, and relates what seems to him a somewhat remarkable fact. He tells how he was sitting in his tent one day when there came a messenger each evening, containing news that he had been killed. It was so, though some one were trying to make him feel this and induce him to move. So strong was the feeling that he got up and went over to the other side of his tent. He had hardly done this before a shell struck the chair which he was sitting in. He thought that he had been killed, but he was not. He was instantly killed. Of course, it is not asserted that this is anything more than a coincidence; but the suggestion is made that coincidences of this sort have been so very frequent as to make one wonder as to whether there is not some deeper meaning in it all.'—Rev. Miss J. Savage in Alliance."

MAN WITH THE STEEL HANDS.

There is at present in the central police station of Paris a prisoner named Castet, who is known as "Man with the steel hands." He was arrested on a charge of murder, which will have to be constructed into an assault. Castet went to the Bichat hospital, and asked to be admitted as a patient. He was examined by a resident medical student, who said that there was nothing the matter with his hands. Castet then took one of the student's hands in his and actually crushed the young medical man's fingers. It was like the grip of the commander's statue in the sad case of the rake, Don Juan. The student cried for help, and the man with the steel hands was arrested by the police, to whom he calmly stated that he crushed the doctor's fingers as a token of thanks for declaring him to be in perfect health. At the police station Castet broke a thick log of wood or two, bent a pair of pliers with three of his fingers, and snapped a rope tied in ten-foot thickness around a cork. All this was done to show the remarkable strength of his hands, but he will have to answer all the same for having assaulted the medical student.

SOME SWIFT FISH.

Recent experiments show that the dog-plant, when pursued, can go through the water at the rate of about 32 miles an hour. This is great speed, but for a short distance the animal can do better, since it has frequently been known to swim at the rate of 40 miles an hour.

Canadian Pacific Navigation Co., Ltd.

Time Table—Effective June 1st, 1902.

ALASKA ROUTE—FOR SKAGWAY

DIRECT.

Lv. Victoria, Lv. Vancouver.
1 a.m. 8 p.m.
Per Charmer.

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To Vancouver, daily, 1 a.m.

To Alert Bay, Rivers Inlet, Namu, Skeena River Points, Naas and intermediate points, Thursdays, 11 p.m.

To New Westminster and way ports, Tuesday and Friday, 7 a.m.

For particulars as to time, rates, etc., apply to nearest agent, or to—

J. W. TROUP, Manager, Victoria, B. C.
R. J. COYLE, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, Vancouver, B. C.
H. H. ABBOTT, General Agent, Victoria.

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LEAVE VICTORIA.

Cottage City, 6 a.m., June 15, July 3, 15, 27, Spokane, 9 p.m., June 14, 28, July 12, 26.

LEAVE SEATTLE.

Cottage City, City of Seattle, or City of Topeka, 9 p.m., June 14, 16, 18, 20, July 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, Spokane, 9 a.m., June 14, 28, July 12, 26.

For all information apply to H. H. ABBOTT, Agent, C. P. R., 80 Government Street.

Placer Mining Claims generally are 100 feet square, entry fee \$5.00, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either 100 feet by 100 feet, or 100 feet long and extending beyond the water mark. The latter include the right for a terra cotta survey of the base of the hill or bank, but not extending beyond the water mark.

A Free Miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 1,500 ft. square by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a Mining Recorder's Office; one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction thereof. The fee for recording a claim is \$5.00.

At least \$100.00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500.00 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$10.00 an acre.

Provision is made by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 100 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty on the sales not exceeding five per cent.

PLACER MINING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY. N. W. T. ENACTING THE YUKON TERRITORY.

A Free Miner may obtain only two leases of less than one mile in length, or two leases, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

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The White Pass and Yukon Route

To the Atlin, Big Salmon, White Horse, Hootalinqua, Stewart River, Klondike, Koyukuk and Yukon Mining District Through Line, Skagway to Dawson. Daily train service between Skagway and White Horse.

Trains connect directly at Caribou with the Company's steamers for all Lake Points, including the Atlin, Taku and Golden Gate Mining Camps.

Regular steamer service will be maintained during the open season of navigation between White Horse and Mason's and Bureka Landings, the points of departure for the Big Salmon Mines.

A White Horse train connects with the British Yukon Navigation Company's fine fleet of River Steamers, giving daily service to Hootalinqua, Stewart River, Dawson, etc.

Connections made at Dawson for all Camps in the Koyukuk District; also all Lower Yukon River Points, including St. Michaels and Nome.

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Trains will run between Victoria and Sidney as follows:

DAILY.

Leave Victoria at 8:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m.
Central Station (Market Building).

Leave Sidney at 9:00 a.m., 5:45 p.m.

SATURDAY.

Leave Victoria at 8:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m.
Central Station (Market Building).

SUNDAY.

Leave Victoria at 9:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m.

DAILY STEAMER TO CROFTON

Connecting with morning train at Sidney.

STR. "IROQUOIS"

Leaves Sidney on arrival of morning train on Monday and Thursday for NANAIMO

And way ports. Returning, leaves Nanaimo on Tuesday and Friday at 8 a.m., arrives Victoria 6:30 p.m. same evening.

ISLANDS RUN

Steamer Iroquois leaves Sidney on arrival of morning train on Wednesday and Saturday for Bark Sound, Hazards, Pender, Saturna and Galliano Islands.

EXCURSIONS

The Victoria & Sidney Railway and connecting steamers have the scenic points near Victoria for Excursion, Tourist and Picnic Parties. The beach at Sidney is a favorite spot for campers. Call at Central Station (Market Building), or Telephone 311 for full information.

J. H. ANDERSON, General Manager.

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The only all rail route between all points east, west and south to Hootalinqua, Nelson and intermediate points, connecting at Spokane with the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and O. R. & N. Co.

Connects at Hootalinqua with the Canadian Pacific R'y. for Boundary Creek points. Connects at Meyers Falls with stage daily for Republic.

Buffet service on trains between Spokane and Nelson.

EFFECTIVE MAY 5th, 1901.

Leave Day Train. Arrive.

9:20 a.m. Spokane 7:15 p.m.

12:25 p.m. Hootalinqua 4:10 p.m.

9:40 a.m. Nelson 8:45 p.m.

H. A. JACKSON, General Agent.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES

Grand Excursion

Dominion Day Celebration at Ladysmith, July 1st

Field and Aquatic Sports of all kinds. Grand Regatta, including Indian War Canoe Races, Sculling Matches, Etc., Etc. Baseball and Football Matches. Grand Dance on the Pavilion. Victoria and other bands in attendance.

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FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP, \$1.00

Children under 12 years, 50 cents.

ALL THE SCHOOLS ARE NOW CLOSED

YESTERDAY AFTERNON'S CLOSING EXERCISES

To-day is the first day of the Mid-summer holidays—More Promotion Lists.

The Girls' Central school held their closing exercises in Pemberton gymnasium yesterday afternoon, commencing at 2 o'clock. An excellent programme was rendered and speeches were delivered by Trustees Mrs. Jenkins and Jay. The promotion lists were then read as follows:

To High School Entrance Class—Amy Acton, Noel Morosby, Kate Maudie, Alice Barker, Mabel Hangeb, Florence Field, Lizzie Cameron, Annie Harty, Emily Nicholas, Nelly Bradford, Winnie Scott, Marion Moss, Nellie Henry, Maud James, Ethel Woodill, Jessie Scott, Florence Scott, Florence Boyd, Edith Duggan, Cecil Cousins, Lily Sims, Minnie Uttalante, Virginia Molony, Margaret Mack.

Division III, Senior Grade: Pupils ready to take higher work in the same grade—Alice Lambert, Margaret Demman, Bessie Condon, Edith Devore, Margaret Johnson, Mary Louise, Nita McKillop, Florence Pusey, Mary Hallie, Mary McMillan, Laura Cameron, Edith Wilkerson, Maybelle Condon, Kathleen Black, Ethel Sargison, Jessie Davis, Evelyn Atwood, Marjery Walker, Eleanor Coles, Nellie Macdonald, Kate Rainolds, Alberta Richards, Pearl Garvin, Zelina Greer, Kate Malcolm, Gladys Royds, Emma Griffin, Phyllis Jay Eva Jones, Grace Lyall, Eva Thompson, Gilda Switzer, Charlotte Clayton, Adeline Swales, Ethel Stevens, Edith Wilson, Nellie Pino, Violet Cameron, Edith Whittington.

Promoted from Junior to Intermediate Grade—Dorothea Allen, Irene Airo, Freda Banzhawe, Olive Bodley, Daisy Bryant, Myrtle Cleeg, Dora Coburn, Lida Creelan, Jennie Florence, Margaret Gardner, Florence Gibson, Edith Gibson, Maxwell Grant, Nora Gray, Edith Hans, Ruby Harkness, Edith Harrie, Beatrice Heyland, Claraine Jackson, Gerlie Jay, Marjorie Kent, Jessie King, Nora Knox, Eliza Lidstone, Florence Laidlaw, Violet Munson, Edna McNaughton, Edith Millett, Sarah Mathew, Margaret Maudie, Mabel Mason, Maud Nason, Amelia Plummer, Louise Proctor, Cordelia Rannels, Margaret Renfer, Lily Rolfe, Pearl Roper, Stella Roper, Mildred Stroums, Maudie Tait, Vera Todd.

Intermediate to Senior—Maude Mary Baker, Jean Graham, Wilkerson, Edith Leochary, Jean Lavinia, McNaughton, Daisy Ethel, Barbara King, Erna Charlotte, Amelia Paupers, Inez Tait, Barbara Isabel Mowat, Evelyn Maude Holmes, Martha Amelia Andersen, Kathleen Mackay Cousins, Cecil Florentine Irvine, Bessie Ray Jones, Ethel Peterson Lasse, Margaret Laura Isaacs, Leona Maudie, Mary Lenora, Rebecca, Helen Leveson, Grace Matilda Mounson, Sylvan Mignon Stroums, Ada Augusta Schaper, Mary Isabel Williams, Bessie Helena Wills, Edna Mary Lehman, Violet Irene Butterworth King, Ruby Christina Tubman, Olivia Sarah O'Sherwood, Myra Margaret Hensley, Alice Maude, Edith Lemen, Edith Emily Maude Hall, Hazel Marguerite McKrick, Irene Beatrice Nason, Sarah Annetta Meston, Katie Nute, Florence Parfitt, Agnes Mary Poedie, Mildred Sargison, Gladys Mary Scott, Fanny Eveline Wallis, Jean Margaret Walker, Ernesta Brenda Walker, Winn, Anella Mary McCreger, Eva Drysdale, Genovieve Harnsell, Jennie Lang, Gertrude Nellie Mutton, Nona Ulich, Sybil Frances Bingham, Jane Anderson.

Rolls of Honor. Division IV—General proficiency, Florence L. Fullerton; department, Louisa A. Cameron; regularity, Elizabeth Hickley. Division II—General proficiency, Amy Acton; department, Mabel Rausch; regularity, Maud James. Division III—General proficiency, Alice Lambert; department, Bessie Condon; regularity, Marguerite Demman; Maybelle Condon, Phyllis Jay, Gilda Switzer.

Division IV—General proficiency, Maude Mary Baker; department, Daisy E. R. King; regularity, Etta P. Lasse. Division V—General proficiency, Hazel Harkness; department, Ella G. Vye; regularity, Myrtle Holdness, Ethel Pretty. Division VI—General proficiency, Irene Ulin; department, Stella Barvntin; regularity, Althea A. Oliver, Olive Gowen, Stella Barvntin, Lillian Hoffman.

Division VII—General proficiency, Marjorie Roper; department, Margt. Renfer; regularity, Harriet M. Grant. Division VIII—General proficiency, Florence M. Wilkerson; department, Susan W. McConnell; regularity, Margery Florence. HILLSIDE AVENUE. The following rolls of honor were presented at Hillside avenue school yesterday:

Nicholas Mackay; general proficiency, Emma Gossion. ROCK BAY SCHOOL. The closing exercises of the Rock Bay public school were marked by a large attendance of parents and friends and the rendition by the pupils of the following programme: Song, by school, "Merry Brown Thru"; recitation, Victor Leigh, "The Wasps and Bee"; recitation, Beatrice Morrison; song, Erna Cessford; recitation, Percy Rivers; recitation, Rita Etherington; motion song, by school, "The White Lambkins"; recitation, by seven girls, "Seven Days of the Week"; recitation, Percy Humber; song, by school, "Lock-a-Bye Baby"; recitation, by twelve girls and boys, "The Twelve Months"; recitation, Stanley MacKay; song, Mary Mair, "The Brook"; recitation, John Stafford; recitation, Clifford Noble; recitation, Dorothy Rudd; song, by school, "Boat Song"; recitation, George Leonard; recitation, Alex. Hill; song, by eight girls, "Sleep Well, Sleep"; recitation, Stella Cavin; recitation, Ralph Cruikshanks; motion song, by school, "The Spiler and the Files"; recitation, Henry Pottinger; recitation, Inga Thomson; motion song, by school, "The Bright Waves."

Rolls of Honor. Division I—Miss Sprague, teacher—Regularity and punctuality, John Stewart; proficiency, Ethel Heald; good conduct, Alex. Blake. Division II—M. Wheeler, teacher—Regularity and punctuality, Henry Pottinger; proficiency, Charles Hardie; good conduct, Aletha Ross. VICTORIA WEST. The closing exercises of the Victoria West school, which were held in St. James' hall at 10:30 yesterday, showed up the work and training of the pupils to good advantage. The hall was crowded with parents and friends of the pupils, who, judging by the frequent applause, were greatly pleased with the programme provided. Trustees Dr. Lewis Hall, Beaumont Boggs and J. H. S. Matson were present, and each, after a few neat remarks, presented the rolls of honor and prizes to the successful pupils. The trustees complimented Principal Winsty and his staff of assistants on the general efficiency of the school, and the manner in which the exercises were carried out. They also spoke of their earnest desire to have a new school in Victoria West, and expressed a hope that this time next year would see it in course of erection.

The principal during his remarks thanked Trustee Boggs for the prizes he presented in the shape of a but for the most popular boy in each of the three highest divisions. Mr. Matson and Dr. Hall were also thanked for the presentation of a baseball and a baseball bat respectively to the school baseball club. The programme, roll of honor and prize lists follows: Song, "Voices of Spring, divisions 2, 3 and 4; recitation, "Vacation is Here," Horace Gladding; song, "Cuckoo," eight boys from division 5; recitation, "Domestic Animals," Nellie Fairall; recitation, "Climbing a Kitten," George Willcraft; song, "Up Yonder on the Mountains," divisions 5 and 6; recitation, "The Gobline," Agnes McLachlan; song, "Wond' You Buy My Pretty Flowers?" Viola Semple, accompanist, Ole Pavcott; recitation, "Little Tin Soldiers," Lillie Clough; piano duet, Elizabeth Rowe and Mary Kirk; recitation, "Jack in the Pulpit," H. Dixon; song, Frances Darg; recitation, "Somebody's Mother," Herbert Atkins; song, "The Worm," divisions 5 and 6; piano solo, Elsie Tennant; recitation, "His New Brother," Wilfrid Pomroy; song, "Hail Canada to Thee," divisions 2, 3 and 4.

Rolls of Honor. Division II—Proficiency, Henry Kelly; department, Elizabeth Mary Rowe; regularity and punctuality, Marian Jane Dunne. Division III—Proficiency, Kathleen Todd; department, Gladys Florence Walker; punctuality and regularity, Otto Muller. Division IV—Proficiency, Geo. Mar-dock W. Williscroft; department, Kathleen Emma Sirtan; punctuality and regularity, Marie Elizabeth Sirtan. Division V—Proficiency, George Vm. Stratton; department, Constantine Maud Walker; regularity and punctuality, William John Mitchell.

Trustee Boggs prizes: Most popular boy in division 1, Cecil Jeeves; division 2, Walter Crocker; division 3, Alex. McDougall. ST. ANN'S CONVENT. The St. Ann's Academy commencement exercises were held yesterday afternoon, a large number being present. Among the visitors were—Bishop Governor, Joly, Bishop Joly, Rear-Admiral Bickford and Mayor Hayward. After the programme an address was given by Sir Henry Joly. The following programme was rendered: "Professional march, L. Ringart; "Sweet Days of Gladness" (Rossini), words by Miss D. Dunlop; Miss H. Englehart, Miss R. Mearns; essay, "A Little Knowledge is a Dangerous Thing," Miss H. Englehart; recitation and recitative, "The Highland Hero," Seniors; Hungarian Tante, Brahm; essay, "A Nineteenth Century Singer," Miss Meisinger; chorus, "Salve Regina," Duss; "The Seasons," Madley; fantasia, Bellina; Duns; essay, "Value of Truths," Miss Dunley.

Presentation of gold and silver medals and class honors. Conferring of certificates for piano on Misses A. McQuade, B. Sivert, M. Gayola, N. Hutchinson, B. Gaudin, T. Mellon, G. Narre. Certificates for commercial course—Shortland and typewriting, Misses M. Godfrey, F. Healy, R. Taylor, W. Buckett, G. Pope, I. Wilkins, W. Martin; bookkeeping, Miss M. Godfrey, F. Healy, W. Andrews; "God Save the King." Academic Honor. 1. Gold medal for good conduct and improvement in manner, presented by Miss Godfrey and awarded to Miss Grace Navarre. Special premium for French proficiency.

2. Second premium for good conduct, education and excellence of her class; also first P. French, 1st grade awarded to Miss F. Maymott. 3. Gold medal for Christian Doctrine, awarded to Miss Anna McQuade. Special premium for literature, rhetoric, physical geography. 4. Second premium, Christian Doctrine, gold heart, awarded to Miss Doll Case. Premium for spelling, music, elementary course, sewing.

5. Silver medal, presented by His Excellency—Earl Minto, Governor-General of Canada, awarded for general application to Miss Mary Brown, Nellie Lombard, Rose Silver, Nancy Clark, Nettie Lockie, Anna Gillis, won by Miss Mary Brown. 6. Second premium, silver medal, general application and again ornamental needlework, awarded to Miss Agnes Gleason. Premium, excellence algebra, bookkeeping, music, elementary section. 7. Second premium for needlework, order and neatness and penmanship, awarded to Miss Helen Coleman. 8. Gold medal, awarded to first vocal class drawn by the Misses Gertrude Dun-levy, R. Messinger, M. Gavoia, G. Navarre, N. Hutchinson, won by M. Garrison. Honorable mention for good conduct, order and neatness, and French, 3rd grade. 9. Gold cross, awarded to Miss Rose Silver for excellence of her class. Premium for regular attendance. 10. Second premium for regular attendance, awarded to Miss Nettie Lockie, also 2nd penmanship. 11. Silver medal for painting and drawing, drawn by the Misses M. Gasloia, Elizabeth Labbe, Maud Brown, Rosa McLenn, Edna Cook, Henrietta Weaver, Laura Weaver, Grace Long, won by Elsie Lubbe.

12. Medal presented to Miss Nellie Brown by her grandfather for drawing, music, good conduct and penmanship. 13. Special premium for highest average in Canadian history, presented by Mrs. Dr. Watt, awarded to Miss H. Munro. Second premium, Miss Manie McInnes. 14. Premium for order and neatness and obliging manners, awarded to Miss Olive Dawson. 15. Premium, politeness, Miss Ella Allen, geography, spelling, needlework. 16. Premium for attendance, Minnie Hofer. ST. LOUIS COLLEGE. The commencement exercises of the St. Louis College were held yesterday morning, when the Governor-General's medal was awarded to Miss Tina McDonald for assiduity.

The following is the list of promotions: To Junior Fifth—John Sweeney, Francis Baylis, Edward McQuade, Joseph McArthur, James Locke. To High Fourth—Rita McDonald, G. McKinnon, Arthur Baines, F. Sweeney. From the third reader, 1st division, to the third reader, second division—P. O'Rourke, T. O'Rourke, N. Morrison, M. Keppock, Frank Grimm, T. Bate, H. Silver, R. McDonald. From the third reader, second division, to the fourth reader—A. Agar, A. Eckos, F. Loeck, P. Medina, R. Colbert, F. Calhoun, J. Casavane, E. Flammigan, R. Hickey, P. McDonald, J. McNeil, M. Olsen, L. Lawless, J. Traylor, P. Campbell, M. McKinnon, E. McKinnon, L. Tribe. From second reader to third reader—D. Summerville, E. O'Rourke, A. Luckovich, P. Centi, P. Agar, E. Curran, R. Bertucci, F. Calhoun, G. Medina, J. Enos. From first reader to second reader—Frances Hickey, T. McDonald, C. Baylis, J. Campbell, J. King, Ada Wolfe, Otto Grimm, Gypsey Switzer, Daniel McBrady, Robert Bate.

From second reader to first reader—Emile Clavien, Maggie McDonald, C. Campbell, James McDonald, May Alzaros, Madeline Colbert, Mary Lawless, S. McDonald, George McDonald, Lloyd Shore, Albert Bate, Eva McDonald, Dorothy Wallace, Irene Wallace, Katie Olsen, Edlie Harris. From first reader to second reader—Dorcy Dunes, J. Enos, Mike Frederico, Edward McLellan, Olga Boss, Rose Lawless, Vivian Colbert, Martha McDonald, Nora O'Rourke. List of Premiums. Fifth Reader—John Sweeney, 2nd prize for geography, literature; first, Christian doctrine. Edward McQuade, 1st English history, algebra, physiology. Joseph McArthur, 1st prize for Christian doctrine, 2nd, history, department, reading. James Locke, 1st prize for grammar, spelling, dictation.

Fourth Reader—Rita McDonald, 1st prize for department, punctuality, English history and composition. Frank Sweeney, 1st prize for arithmetic, spelling, grammar, dictation. Leslie Shore, 1st prize for geography, history. Arthur Baines, 1st prize for penmanship, Canadian history. Francis Baylis, honorable mention for Christian doctrine, arithmetic, diligence. Third Reader, Division I—M. Lawless, Fr. Grimm, Frank Grimm, department; M. Keppock, grammar; P. O'Rourke, arithmetic; N. Morrison, reading; P. O'Rourke, general proficiency; R. Keppock, Christian doctrine; R. Throck, Bible history; E. Lebane, penmanship; T. O'Rourke, H. Silver, T. Bate, regular attendance; P. McQuade and H. Silver, general proficiency.

Third Reader, Division II—P. Medina, general proficiency; A. Eckos, spelling; J. Casavane, geography; E. Colbert, second general proficiency; Geo. Tribe, second geography; M. McKinnon, reading and spelling; L. Trainer, second reading; E. McKinnon, spelling; A. Agar, third geography; P. McDonald, fourth geography; R. Hickey, perseverance; Fr. Locke, arithmetic; L. Lawless, department. Second Reader—A. Luckovich, general proficiency; G. Medina, arithmetic; K. O'Rourke, spelling; D. Sommerville, second spelling; R. Bertucci, department; Ph. Agar, second general proficiency; Eva Curran, reading; P. Centi, Fr. Calhoun, J. Enos, general proficiency.

First Reader—T. McDonald, first catechism, second arithmetic, second spelling; Charles Ballis, first nature study, first reading, second spelling; J. Campbell, first arithmetic, first reading, second spelling; J. King, first order and neatness, first home exercises; Ada Wolfe, first writing, first penmanship; Gypsey Switzer, second arithmetic; Otto Grimm, first department, second reading. Second Reader—Emile Clavien, first reading, first arithmetic; Maggie McDonald, first spelling; Christina Campbell, first arithmetic; James McDonald, first spelling. First Reader—Rose Lawless, first reading, first spelling, and arithmetic; Johnie Enos, first department; Vivian Colbert, first reading; Martha McDonald, first writing. The gold medal offered by the Paris committee for the most numerous and best behaved family of children has been won by a couple named Galles, parents of thirteen youngsters.

IN A THUNDERSTORM.

An English aeronaut who made an ascent in his balloon was gradually borne by the wind into the very heart of a thunderstorm. In Pearson's Magazine he gives a vivid account of this unusual experience. "But ere we were reluctantly compelled to admit that we were caught in a bad weather there was a wild shriek in the air all around, and in less than a minute the space we were swallowed up in a pitiless onslaught by hail, which cut and bruised us, rattling with a furious pattering on the silk above, and on the sides of our wicker car, bringing down, too, from the upper regions—how high we did not know—some say a few feet—cold-draught, for which we were but ill-prepared. "And then the thunder broke out. Up to this moment we had had little or no promontory warnings, in the usual growing of an approaching storm. In the first moment, though appalling enough, proved not the most striking feature of the grand phenomena we were now about to experience—a fact, in accordance with the experiences of the mountaineers, already quoted. More-over, the reverberations of the bomb which I now exploded a hundred feet below died away with unnoted quickness. This was remarked by all our party, and deserved further consideration. Certainly to our senses the rolling of the thunder was not prolonged. But again this may have been merely that its frequency and its nearness drowned the after sound. "For crash now followed crash with the briefest intermission. It was like guns opening at short range, fast and furious, as in some sham fight which one may watch at sea. The flashes which came from all sides were invariably somewhat above us, as though from the sky on commanding heights, and each was followed smartly with a burst, closely resembling the solemn boom of heavy ordnance. They were single shots from masked embankments.

"On one flank would come a fork of light—for even in the home of the lightning the eye could not give it any other than a painful glare, but the glare which I saw was not a fork, but a single bright line, which I saw on the other side, and the black cloud closed up; a shot, as it were, with smokeless powder answered promptly by like discharges from opposite heights. It was as if a wild, terrific war, to which the noise of our situation lent a real terror. For it was borne in upon us that this was not a sham fight after all, but that the sky around was a real battle ground, and we were in its focus."

PERFUMES AFFECT NERVES. "All perfumes," observed a medical writer, "have an effect on the nerves. Lavender, for instance, is very soothing to highly-strung people, while those with weak nerves are generally benefited by inhaling the scent of violets. But the perfume of the violets themselves is probably to the chemically-derived forms of it. "Some of the stronger scents are very stimulating; indeed, not a few persons of a sensitive temperament are irritated by them. People who feel faint in crowded assemblies are sometimes suffering not from the heat or the pressure, but from a combination of several scents attacking the olfactory nerves at once. "Two cases in point, showing the effect of scent on the nerves are, first, the use of smelling salts, and, second, the existence of hay fever, which is often due to the irritant properties of the fine pollen from the grass and weeds in meadows."—Casell's Saturday Journal.

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JAS. L. HAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, 6th May, 1902.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SAMUEL DALE HARRIS, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above named Samuel Dale Harris, late of British Columbia, deceased, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands, duly verified, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay such indebtedness to Agnes Moore Harris and Albert Edward Harris, the executors of the personal estate of the said deceased, at the office of their solicitors, Messrs Robertson & Robertson, No. 2 Basil Square, Victoria, B. C., on or before the 30th day of July, A. D., 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have had notice at the time of distribution.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 16th day of June, A. D., 1902.
ROBERTSON & ROBERTSON,
Solicitors for the Executors.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN PEARCE, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the above named John Pearce, deceased, who died on or about the 17th day of May, 1902, are required, on or before the 20th day of July, 1902, to present in writing to the executors of the said deceased, at the office of the said executors, the particulars of their claims, duly verified, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. Notice is further given that after such date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have had notice at the time of distribution.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 16th day of June, 1902.
J. D. CRIMP,
J. L. BRYANT,
Executors.

NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at their next sitting, for a transfer of the license to sell spirituous or fermented liquors by retail at the premises known as the "California Hotel, Johnson street, near to Henry R. Warren, Victoria, B. C., from Albert Charles Finlay to R. W. BICKLE.
Dated the 24th day of June, 1902.
ROBERTSON & ROBERTSON,
Solicitors for the Applicant.

NOTICE.
All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the north by the south boundary of the City District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel and on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.
LEONARD H. SOLLER,
Mechanical Engineer and Patent Attorney, Bank of U.N.A. Building, Vancouver.

NOTICE.
Application will be made by the undersigned at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, to be held after the expiration of (1) month from this date, for the transfer of the license to sell beer, spirituous and other fermented liquors by retail at the premises known as the "California Hotel, Johnson street, near to Henry R. Warren, Victoria, B. C., from Albert Charles Finlay to Robert Williams, of Victoria.
Dated this 4th day of June, 1902.
JOSEPH LOEWEN,
ALAN GRHAM,
Executors of Thomas Finlay, deceased, MARY AGUSTA FINLAY.
NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me from premises known as No. 117 Government street, in the City of Victoria, to No. 111 Government street, in the same city.
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