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# MAJORITY REPORT ON KAIEN ISLAND

THE GOVERNMENT IS

Conservative Members of the Investigating Committee Over-Did Their Work and Spelled Effect.

The report of the majority on the Kalen Island investigation presented as the views of the Conservative members of the committee is now available. lorsed this majority report have, is conceded, subscribed to sometime which went too far in its praise of the bargain made. It is thus laughed at by even supporters of the government. The report could never have been pre-tended to be a judicial decision, but on the contrary must be looked upon as an attempt to whitewash the govern-ment in a transaction which is looked upon by the public who followed the evidence as of the most shady char-

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To the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia:

Sir.—We, your special committee appointed to inquire into all matters pertaining to the acquisition, or attempted acquisition, by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, or by any other person or persons, or bodies corporate, and the standard of Tuck as person or persons, or bodies corporate, of crown lands in the vicinity of Tuck a Inlet, Kaien Island, or other islands, and on the mainland in the vicinity of Kaien Island, with power to sum of Kaien Island, with power to sum. and to take evidence under oath, and procure the printing of said evidence from day to day, and report sail by dence from time to time to the House. In the above from the original from the above from the original from the above from the lands in question, the above from the lands in question, the above from the lands in question the above from the lands in question and evidence from the lands in question of the lands in question and evidence from the lands in question of the lands in questio nents, letters, telegrams and records,

heg to report as follows:

On the 31st day of January, 1906, on the motion of Mr. J. A. Macdonald, seconded by Dr. King, it was resolved. That a select committee, consisting of five members of this House, namely: Messrs. Garden, Young, Ross. Munro and the mover, be appointed to longuize into all matters perturing to by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railtion, by the Grand Trunk Pacine Rain-way Company, or by any other person or persons, or bodies corporate, of crown lands in the vicinity of Eucle-Linet, Kaien Island, or other lelands, and on the mainland in the vicinity of and on the mainland in the vicinity of Kaien Island, with power to summon witnesses, call for papers, documents, letters, telegrams and records, and to take evidence under oath, and procure the printing of said evidence from day to day and report said evidence from time to time to the House, together with their findings on the same."

Pursuant to said order, a meeting of your committee was held on the 2nd of February, 1906, and since that date fifteen meetings were held and eight witnesses examined. All witnesses requested to be called appeared and gave evidence, with the exception of Peter

vidence, with the exception of Peter arsen, of Helens, Montana, who excused himself on account of illness cused himself on account of illness and F. W. Morse, of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, Montreat, who excused himself on account of

re of business. subpoenas were issued for these witnesses, as your committee were al-vised by the deputy attorney-general that we possessed no powers over extra-provincial witnesses.

507, in range V. Coast district.

1. Your committee find that lots 443.

144 and 251, comprising, approximately, Grand Truns Pacific Railway Com-pany under the provisions of an order fn council dated 30th April, 1904, and approved by His Honor on May 4th. passed under the authority of sec-

Extensive of the acquired by one Period by o

5. Your committee find that the railway company paid to the province the sum of \$10,000, the purchase money agreed upon by the terms of the order in council, and in addition thereto repoid to Peter Larsen a portion of the moneys paid out 55 him for surveys, said to be about \$5,000.

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said to be about \$5,000.

6. Your committee find that the two payments referred to in the preceding paragraph were all the moneys actually paid by the said railway company in connection with the acquisition of said lots 443, 444 and 251. R. V., and further that there is no obligation, either directly or indirectly; upon the said railway company to pay any further directly or indirectly, upon the said railway company to pay any further amount or grant any further consider-

7. Your committee find that Peter Larsen, above referred to, knowing that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway that the Grand Trent Pacific Ranway, Company would sooner or later require a Pacific Coast terminal, conceived the idea of securing such a terminal for the company, and in pursuance of such idea, the negotiations herein referred to were undertaken.

From the evidence it would appear that Peter Larsen is a very wealthy man, an extensive railway contractor and wholesale merchant, and the negotiations undertaken by him were not for the suke of any immediate gain arising out of the transaction under review, but rather with the object of

resses, call for papers, docus incident related in the next succeeding follows:

# EARTHQUAKE SHOCK

Afraid to Sleep in Their Houses and Spend Nights Under Tents in

on February 16th when Martinique sus-tained a violent earthquake. Several houses in Fort de France fell. Many

Report Showing Progress During the Last Forty Years.

(Associated Press.)

London, March 9 .- As the outcome of a suggestion by Joseph Chamberlain when he held the post of colonial sec-retary, a unique blue book was pub-lished yesterday recording and tabu-lating in 300 pages forty years' growth of the British Empire, as revealed by

of the British Empire, as revealed by the census of 1901.

The blue book shows that since then the area of the Empire has increased from eight and a half million to nearly twelve million square miles, and the population from 250,000,000 to 400,000,-900, of which only 54,000,000 are whites.

The Indies

# Y REPORT | Pany acquired these lands in accordance with the terms of the order in council, and dealt for the same directly with the government, as stated by the members thereof who were called to give evidence. | A Your committee find that section 39 of the Land Act gives ample authority for the order in council in question, and the crown grants for lots 433, 434 and 251, Range V., issued in pursuance thereof, and were properly so its sued and delivered to the company. | S. Your committee find that the rail-MINORITY REPORT

# Able Resume of the Evidence and Findings of Messrs. Macdonald and Paterson Thereon -- Government's Course Exposed.

Kalen Island investigating committee, of 1891, above recited. which is causing the government such Application Under South African War distress of mind, and which caused a Script.

nel, is reserved from sale or pre-emption until further notice.

produced an old admiratty chart made in 1867, which, however, was not official, in support of the above contention, but on careful examination of this chart it appears that while neither the chart is a support to the chart it appears that while neither the chart is a support to the chart it appears that while neither the chart is a support to the chart it appears that while neither the chart is a support to the chart is a support to the chart is a support to the lands to be made by the grown to the lands to be made by the grown to the combination of the lands to be made by the grown to the lands to be made by the grown to the lands to be made by the grown to the combination of the lands to be made by the grown to the combination of the lands to be made by the grown to the lands to be made by the grown to the lands to be made by the grown to the combination of the lands to be made by the grown to the combination of the combination o witnesses, as your committee were all ined a violent earthquake. Several witnesses, as your committee were all vised by the deputy attorney general that we possessed no powers over extra-provincial witnesses.

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The letter then contains ah offer of the leid. There were reasons why that was not intended coast, was brought up from the department, and this shows many reserves marked out upon it by the department, and also shows Kaien Island traced in blue ink. Mr. McKay, the present surveyor general, informed your select committee that Kaien Island was so marked out at least four or five years ago, and perhaps earlier.

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Mr. McKay also produced what is known as "Amended Decision No. 2." a document relating to the boundaries of the Tsimpahean Indian reserve, prepared by Mr. P. O'Rielly, then Indian reserve commissioner, and which distinctly mentions Kalem Island. This document is dated in 1896, and was filed in the department in the same letter appears this statement. "The company will not bind itself to procure the establishment of the terminus on the site selected, but will guarantee to use its very best efforts in that behalf, and will piedge tiself not to dispose of the lands or any part of them for any other purpose what-

The full report of the minority of the council creating the provincial reserve with Mrs. Anderson about this Kalen

distress of mind, and which caused a display of temper by the premier last night, is herewith printed.

To the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia.

Sir.—We, the ininority of your special committee appointed to inquire into all matters connected, with the alienation by the crown of 10,000 acres of land on Kalen Island, beg teave to report.

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As far as the evidence before your selected committee shows, the first application for land on Kalen Island is dated in October, 1903, 4th dwas filed in the department of lands and works on the 29th of October, 1903. A large number of other applications followed later, a number of them in March, 1904, and amongst these one by Harold M. Daty, who was among the volunteers who went to South Africa. There was also one application by the owner of a mineral claim under the provisions of the Mineral Act, All these applications of the Mineral

due west from the head of Work Chan-lands on the peninsula and not to nel is reserved from sale or pre-emp-lands on contiguous islands. Messrs, Bodwell, Anderson and Larsen.

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was part of the peninsula, in other words that the island at that time was not known to exist.

In support of this contention Mr. Bodwell put in writting in the form of a letter to the chief commissioner, dated the 19th of January, 1964, in which Mr. Bodwell says:

(Associated Press.)

New York, March 9.—A dispatch from Fort de France, Martinique, dated thrusday, says that Professor Helippin, of the University of Pennsylvania, says that Professor Helippin, of the University of Pennsylvania, says that Professor Helippin, of the University of Pennsylvania, says that he has recently made an ascent of the crater of the voicano, Mount Pelee. He found it quiet, and is assured it has been quiet, There was no signs of a renewal of activity on February 16th when Martinique sustained a violent earthquake. Several houses in Fort de France fell. Many

Q. You did not?

Q. In any shape or form?

Q. That is to say you had never spoken to her about it and she has never spoken to you about it? A. She may have spoken to me in a

casual way about it.
Q. No, but long before this matter
came up, in the begining of 1904?
A. She may have spoken to me.
Mr. Green then says:
"I want to answer the questions I
am asked as fairly and accurately as

Q. I suppose Mr. Bodwell's verbal proposal was somewhat similar to the proposal he aftrewards reduced to writing, or is your memory definite enough to say?

or, with the chief commissioner

A. It was very shortly after. Q. And the terms of this letter were practically agreed to then?

A. Substantially. I do not think the in-council was drawn up, but it was practically agreed in accordence with that letter that the project would go through.

Q. What do you mean by saying hortly afterwards?
A. Some time after, probably two

order-in-council had been passed there would be a great pressure brought to bear on the government to lift the reserve. I did not know whether the government would be able to with the controlled by their own people.

action and were parties to it.

A most extraordinary statement appears in Mr. Bodwell's evidence, and which no member of the government has attempted to explain away. This is what Mr. Bodwell stated, speaking of the other places at which the Grand Trunk Pacific Company might estab-

CONSERVATIVE DEFECTION

Senator Miller Notifies Mr. Borden That He Has Abandoned Party Tles.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, March 8 -- Senator Miller, o Nova Scotia, who has been one of the recognized leaders of the Conservative party since Confederation, has abandoned party ties.

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Recently hadeceived a letter from 3.
L. Borden, notifying him to attend Conservative caucus at the opening of the present session. Senator Miller declined to do so. He gave as the reason for his refusal that he was out of sympathy with Mr. Borden as leader in connection with pension and salver in connection with salver in connection with pension and salver in connection with salver in connection wi ary bills of the last session of par ment, Senator Miller said that his position in future would be that of an independent Liberal-Conservative

THE FAMINE IN JAPAN. Conditions in Island Kingdom Are Described as Appalling.

Ottawa, March 9 .- In a report to the

Ottawa, March 3.—In a report to the trade and commerce department. Alexander Maclean, Canada's commercial agent in Japan, writes that famine conditions as described in official statements are appalling. Private statements are appalling. Private munificence is doing its best to relieve munificence is doing its best the distress. It is said that millions of Japanese of all classes are affected by the famine. Imperial and provincial authorities are, carrying on pablic works to give employment to relieve

INSURANCE AFFAIRS.

Will Be Discussed in the House of Lords Next Week.

arising out of the transaction under review, but rather with the object of establishing a friendly connection with the railway company, with an eye to securing business whenever the active operations of the company should commence.

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Reserve—Coast District.

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Notice is hereby given that all the vacant crown land which is situated on the surface of lands and works should have the lands

GEN. CORBIN REGARDS WAR AS IMPROBABLE

Says the Conditions are Not Nearly So Alarming as Reports Would Indicate.

(Associated Press.)

San Francisco, March 9,—"There will be no war between the United States end China," said Major-General Henry Corbin, upon his arrival from the

serve the reported disturbances in Chi-ne have been grossly exaggerated, and conditions are not nearly so alarming

conditions are not nearly so alarming a one would be led to suppose from reports that have been published abroad throughout the western world.

"That there has been disturbances is quite true, but I do not think they will break the peace of China and the United States, or any other nation.

"The feeling against Americans in China does not exceed that entertained towards all other foreigners, and as I raderstand the situation the entire anti-foreign feeling is due in a large measure to the exploitation of business en-

bear on the government to lift the reserve. I did not know whether the government would be able to withstand that pressure and if not the land would be staked all over by individuals."

But again Mr. Bodwell says:

"The lands were designated, and then the time for the order-in-council to be passed had arrived according to our arrangement with the government."

So that it appears that from the very beginning the government were well aware of the real nature of the transpars in Mr. Bodwell's evidence, and which no member of the government appears in Mr. Bodwell's evidence, and which no member of the government thas attempted to explain away. This is what Mr. Bodwell stated, speaking of the other places at which the Grand of the missionaries are due to the presence of missionaries. They resent the effort of the missionaries to force a lot of new creeds on their people."

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Kanilopson Un. A. Palmer and K. J. Hedgman, of Salmon Arm, and Frank the people are not the missionaries to force a lot

# TO VISIT CANADA

NO. 159

THE QUEBEC BRIDGE

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, March 2.-The first notice of motion presented to parliament was for French-Canadian, one time speaker, inviting His Majesty the King to come to Canada, on the occasion of the open-ing of the Quebec bridge, thus bonor-ing the people with His Majesty's pres-ence and to enable them to offer per-sonal tribute of their unwavering attachment to the crown and government of the empire, of their deep affection for His Majesty's personal and pro-found admiration for the kingly virtues and truly humanitarian deeds which have earned for His Majesty the first place among the sovereigns of the world. The address refers to the King's visit at the opening of the Victoria place

New Members.

bridge.

The following new mempers to duced in the House of Commons yesterday: Aylesworth. (North York); Chisholm. (Antigonish); Smith. (Wentworth)! Pardee, (Lambton); Hunt. (Compfon); Knowles. (West Assinabella); Worthington. (Sherbrooke); McCraney. (Saskatchewan); Verville. The following new members were in Craney, (Saskatchewan); Verville, (Malsonneuve); all Liberals except Worthington and Smith, Conservatives

In the Senate, Hon. Peter Taibot was introduced in

the Senate yesterday.

The address in reply to the speech icom the throne will be dehated in both bouses on Monday.

At a caucus of Conservative members to-day a resolution was unanimously passed thanking Sir Mackenie Bowell for his past valuable services to the party, and asking him to continue the leadership in the Service. The understanding is not to press up on Sir Mackenzie for an answer today, but to give him time to consider the matter.

OFFICIAL GAZETTE.

Number of New Appointments Made During the Week.

This week's Gazette contains the fol-

lowing appointments:
David W. Poppy, of Langley, to be a
justice of the peace in and for the
province of British Columbia.
Andrew Leslie Coote, of Chilliwack, Andrew Lessie Coote, of Chiwaca, to be a justice of the peace in and for the province of British Columbia, William Reid Owens, of Mount Picasant, Vancouver, and George Henry Tutill, of Nicola, M.D., to be

justices of the peace in and for the province of British Columbia, John Johnson, Salmon Arm, to be a justice of the peace in and for th

John Sinclair Volume, of Fernie, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia. in council has been pleased to appoin

the under mentioned persons to commissioners for taking affidavits commissioners for taking amounts in the Supreme court, for the purpose of acting under the "Provincial Elections. Act" in the electoral districts in which they reside. Those appointments will expire on the 31st day of December. Similkameen-Wm. C. McDougall, of

Vale-Hector MacHaffie, of

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mat circumstances, exempt from the mpulsory payment of pilotage dues.

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# PILOTAGE AGAIN UNDER DISCUSSION

AT MONTHLY MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE

Report of Special Committee Embody. ing Important Amendments

At last evening a month, the board of trade a report was sub-int-ted by the special committee on pilotage. Let the special committee on pilotage.

The proposed elimination of being the special commendation of the special committee on pilotage.

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J. A. Mara occupied the chair, and smoons these present were Mesars, Earle Pitter, Spratt, Christie, Cartee, Henly,

tion of the minutes. Secretary Elworthy submitted the usual budget of communi-

of the matters for discussion was that of glanders. He had great pleasure in being able to announce, however, that the Dominion government officials did not consider it recognized.

be feared. A letter was read from Dr. Richards to that effect. It was received and filed.

The question of the shipment of United States silver to the East in order that the Federal government might arrange for its transfer to the United States to and the ports of Alaska are an unnecessary burden.

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the general discussion which follow-Manager Mackenzie, of the Bank of N. A., stated that over eighty-five per-

Replying to a question, Mr. Mackenale said that he thought it could be taken. Coast of the United States north be acceptable to the banks. The proced-gre, he anderstood, was that these asti-tutions should forward all such silver to the treasury at New York where they would be given credit for the amount. The figures would be forwarded from there to Ottawa. The authorities there there to Ottawa. The authorities there would then forward instructions that the equivalent be issued in Canadian coin. He didn't know whether the change would be generally appreciated. Of course there was no Canadian silver dollar, and the American coin of that standard was

the American coin of that standard was more or less popular.

The special committee appointed to investigate pilotage matters submitted the appended report:

"Your committee on pilotage beg to report as follows: We desire to direct retention to the following amendments to the Pilotage Act, embodied in a memorial to His Excellency the Governments and the committee of the pilotage Act, when the Governments are the committee of the pilotage and the pilotage act, embodied in a memorial of the pilotage act, when the Governments are the committee of the pilotage act, embodied in a memorial of the pilotage act, and the pilotage act and the pilotage ac Excellency the Governor-General ell by the joint pilotage authori-

"Section 59, sub-section C, of chap er-Revised Statutes of Canada, known as a Act Respecting Pilotage," referred to clause No. 2 of the memorial, now

reads as follows:

"Ships propelled whoily or in part by steam, employed in trading from port to port in the same province, or between any one or more of the provinces of Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, criprince Edward Island, and any other or others of them, or employed or your side. provinces or any of them and the port of New York or any port of the United States of America on the Atlantic north

OFFICIAL INSPECTION

Important Issues Discussed at Weekly Meeting of the City Council Last Night.

taking great pains to have children suffering from mumps, or in whose homes the disease existed, to keep from

mittee was read, endorsing a communi-cation from the sanitary officer, set-ting forth that the dumping grounds at-the James Bay flats were now in a dangerous condition. The officer rec-cramended that no more material be

It was suggested that material which could be burned might be disposed of

complosed in trading between any ports in the province of Stritts Columbia and at present in a disgraceful condition.

Ald Yates suggested that the only cure was a crematory, and moved the port of San Francisco and the ports of cost of such an establishment. cure was a crematory, and moved that enquiries be made as to the probable cost of such an establishment.

Aid, Douglas pointed out that in the Section 14, chapter 76, Revised Statutes

The mayor called attention to a report in the Times to the effect that a

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Aid. rates urged prompt action. In Vancouver they had an arrangement by which a tax was raised for watering the principal streets. If arrangements could be made with the tramway company to water the streets over which their cars ran, it would release the present watering carts from this work, and allow them more time to attend to other sections of the city. He moved that the matter be referred to the finance committee with the request that they draft an agreement with the company.

The expenditure by-law was then submitted, and passed its third reading, the estimates having been passed in their revised form.

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engineer be called upon to furnish an estimate of the cost of sprinkling by the present system and by that proposed by the railway company.

Ald. Goodacre favored this course.

The mayor said that in his conference with Mr. Govard he (the mayor) pointed out that if the company had to pay for the water for sprinkling of their tracks it would cost them more than would the arrangement proposed. His Worship's idea was to enforce the by-law. He thought it unwise to weaken to corporations, as the city invariably go the worst of it when such a courrence of the course of the co

Ald. Vincent: The proposition they make to us is exactly the same as is in operation in Vancouver. With an electric sprinkler the work could be done in one-tenth, or one-twentieth the time now occupied, and the sprinkling would be done more effectively.

The mayor asked the city solicitor-if, in his opinion, the city gained a decree against the company, could the city claim damages from the company for non-compliance with the by-law since 1887.

City Solicitor Mason replied that this

Stewart's proposition was adopted, calling for an estimate of cost, with a

rider suggested by the mayor, that the cost of water to the company, were they to do the work, be also estimated, Another communication was readfrom the local manager of the Electric italiway Co., apprising the council that it was the intention of the company to commence the double tracking of their commence the double tracking of their line from John to Bay street next

ficials who have been inspecting Chi-natown for the past few weeks. It set forth that there were very many ob-jectionable spots in Chinatown, that the lay down. there was overcrowding that the piumbing arrangements were invariably bad, that conditions were unsandary, and that fire protection was not what it should be. Referring to the provisions made in Chinatown to facilitate sambling, the report read: "We found in several places, tables and other arrangements for gambling. These places have double battened doors These places have double battened doors and bars at the back, with generally two or three doors to the place, so arranged that they can be closed by a terson badde, thus rendering it almost impossible for the police to gain admission to ascertain if gambling is going on. We think that something should be done to ascertain the former than the contract of the contra be done to prevent this, for the above-mentioned reason."

The Mayor complimented the officers on their report.

Ald. Yates suggested that if the officers had been attending to their duties, Chinatown would not be in the condi-tion described.

The report was referred to the re-pective departments affected thereby. The city solicitor wrote thanking the ouncil for arranging for better office scommodation, and asking that an

The communication was referred to A letter was read from the same source with reference to a dry-kiln built by Messra. Moore & Whittington

Some of the aldermen mentioned that over.

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The following report was read from the fire wardens, and was passed after

solid matter or refuse, into settilizers.

The mayor remarked that if the incustry was not injurious to health they would welcome it, but if it be a danger row would be the time to object. The medical health officer did not think that there was cause for alarm, and the subject dropped.

A long letter was read from A, F. Goward, manager of the B, C. Electric Property, until such time as Huron stricking it set forth that the come main.

cost. He did not favor throwing the whole cost of new work on the citizens but rather favored the plan now adopt-

by this proposed change. That road had to be fixed every five years.

in. advance

Ald. Stewart argued that as they had

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as follows: On Monday, 683 miles; Tucaday, 683 miles; Wednesday, 489 miles; Thursday, 583 miles; and Friday, 483 miles, leaving 52 miles to be run on Saturday. The points at which the passengers now arrive on each successive moraing is as follows: Leaving Montreal on Monday, he is at the same hour on Tuesday at Missanable; on Wednesday morning he is approaching Winnipes, and on Thursday morning is at Moose Jaw; on Friday morning is at Field; on Saturday morning at the same hour he is at Missanon Junction, and within a few minutes. morning at the same nour he is at Mis-sion Junction, and within a few minutes of noon the train is pulled into Vancou-ver. Of the 122 hours occupied between Montreal and the Coast six are spent in

Montreal and the Coast six are spent i Winnipeg, and several hours are los through the changes of time.

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JUST COMPLETED

The city council held the second gen-The city council held the second general meeting of the week last hight, every alderman showing a keen interest in the business by his presence and action. The only absentee was Ald. Fell, who was engaged at the local legislature. The council first sat as a board of health, and heard, a very pleasing report from the medical health officer, as to the health of the city. The disposal of garbage was a subject also discussed, and the old cry for a cream

the reportion, medical, health offie, reported that the health of the city
as exceptionally good. There was not
rightly house in the city quarantined,
and in the isloiation hospital there
ever but two cases of diphtheria and
ne of scarled fever. There were sexyeral cases of mumps, and a few of
hicken pox, but otherwise the health
was good. The school teachers were

Ald. Yates asked what it was in-tended to do with the rubbish. Sanitary Officer Wilson replied that with great care the dumping ground might possibly be used for a month or

"The provisions of this sub-section so far as they relate to the province of British Columbia shall apply to all vesat Cook street.

Ald. Douglas strongly protested against such a course. Cook street was British Columbia shall apply to all ves-sels propelled wholly or in part by stean,

of Canada, known as 'An Act Respecting Pilotage,' referred to in clause No. 4, tow reads as follows: After some further discus Yates' suggestion was adopted. "The pilotage authority of any district other than the pilotage authority of Que-bec may, with the sanction of the gov-ernor in council, appoint a secretary and

rosed cannery. If the liquid matter, only were drained into the harbor it

objection to the canneries.

Ald. Hall: They are converting the solid matter or refuse, into fertilizers.

The mayor remarked that if the inpulsory.
Your committee has endeavored to show that the charge for pilotage on shipping exclusively engaged in business between the ports of this province a. o.

agineer be called upon to furnish an to his measage to the various constituate of the cost of sprinkling by

and said he knew of a street, the residents of which had been paying taxes for years without receiving any equivalent advantages.

Ald, Hall considered that while the principle was a good one, it was perhaps a little too much advanced for Victoria. He (avored the plan of the city paying one-third of new work and the property holders two-thirds the cost. He did not favor throwing the

The Mayor pointed out that trunk roads should receive special consider-

Ald. Vincent thought the Mayor's times, as far as Victoria was con-

War Secretary Haldone Submits Army Will Reduce Colonial Garrisens

on the premises on Yates street. It would not be injurious, as the tides would not be injurious, as the tides on their premises on Yates street. It was suggested that the opinion of the nation would carry it away. If, however, solid in a stee word carry it away. If, however, solid in their premises on Yates street. It was suggested that the opinion of the nation would carry it away. If, however, solid in their premises on Yates street. It was suggested that the opinion of the nation was suggested that the opinion of the nation was suggested that the opinion of the nation in their premises on Yates street. It was suggested that the opinion of the nation was suggested that the opinion of the nation in their premises on Yates street. It was suggested that the opinion of the nation was suggested that the opinion of the nati coast would be swept away, the troops at Wei Hai Wei (China) would be withwas not obtainable through conscription and should be strictly limited in dimensions. The size of the army depended chiefly on policy, and Mr. Haldane wished

chiefly on policy, and Mr. Haldane wished the nations would consider together whether a reduction could be made in the armament burden which was pressing on every civilized nation.

Continuing, the war minister said he thought that the Northwest frontier of India was no longer endangered, and later he pointed out that Great Britain was not alone in spending enormous sums for the army. He instanced Germany and France.

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# PROCEEDINGS OF

HOT WORDS BETWEEN LEADERS IN HOUSE

Premier Exhausts Every Means to Suppress Minority Report of Kaien Island Committee.

The legislature to-day has been the considered attempt on the scene of a determined attempt on the scene of the scene of the scene of the opposition sought was to get this minority report on the proceedings. Mr. Macdonald would then the scene of the House. In the scene of the floor of the House. In the scene of the findings of the minority of the committee drove the Inhority of the committee drove the openier into a frenzy of rage. He attacked the Times in no uncertain asked the Times in no uncertain asked the Times in no uncertain that went into an attack of the opposition in the House. Instances without samble, the way specified in the House in the H minority of the committee drove the ed that if the premier and his follow-ing had been as fair as they pretended

on the 31st day of January, 1806, a committee consisting of five members, namely, Mesars, Garden, Ross, Young, J. A. Macdonald and Munro, subset quently, on motion, changed to Paterson, ware appointed to linquire into all matters pertaining to the acquisition, by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, or by any other person or persons, or bottless of Truck Pacific Railway Company or by any other person or persons, or bottless of Truck Pacific Railway Company, or by any other person or persons, or bottless of Truck Pacific Railway Company, or by any other person or persons, or bottless of Truck Pacific Railway Company, or being tried officials for twenty years did not the money on hand to given.

The motion to suspend the rules was defeated.

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ores corporate, of crown lands in the vicinity of Tuck's Inlet, Kalen Island, or other Islands, and on the mainland in the vicinity of Kalen Island, with power to summon witnesses, call for papers, documents, letters, telegrams nd records, and to take evidence un-

der oath, and to procure the printing, of said evidence from time to t

Parliamentary Practice.

"As to the conclusion of a minority is not the decision of the committee, a minority cannot, accogning to parliamentary law, make a report; and such a report is unknown to English practice. It is also contrary to English custom to allow a report to be accompanied by any counter statement or protest from the minority."—(Speakcr's decisions of Quebec, folio 781, Citing Bourinot 543 3rd edition; Palgrave Edition, 1884, p. 87; Johnson's Appendix, 1. 21). This decision is based on English authority.

This House is asked to dear with a minority report of which it has no minority report of which it has no motion be printed.

victoria, March Sth. 1906.

The legislature to-day has been the this motion should appear on the pro-

Mr. Oliver then went into the ques

to be the minority report would have been welcomed instead of being fought ganinst heing given publication.

The effect of Mr. Macdonald's speech was shown by the fact that the premier became so enraged that he went beyond the rules of the House and with difficulty was brought to order by the Speaker.

Speaker Pooley.

In concluding his long list, Mr. Olitors along the time at the department of the disposal did not permit him to get any others. (Laughter). There was not a single instance where the rule served.

Hon. F. J. Fulton, citing from Bourinot, held that this was an attempt to

beyond the rules of the House and with difficulty was brought to order by the Speaker.

The Speaker decided in his ruling in the afternoon against the motion of Mr. Macdonald moved the day previous being in order.

Mis ruling was as follows:
On the slist day of January, 1806, a committee consisting of five members, committee consisting of five members, and committee consisting of five members, and committees are correct the committee consisting of five members, and committees are correct the committees and committees report would be were declared out of order from day to the speaker on the kaien island committees report would be given.

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Mr. Macdonald then reised another, question of privilege. He said that last night he had given in a motion which the King's printer had not put on the order, paper. This motion was not in the orders. If the King's printer was to treat motions in that way the House he thought should be informed on the subject. Two notices had been refused by the King's printer.

The Speaker said that this notice he understood was received after six outlined above.

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knowledge, it not having been present.

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J. D. McNiven was given permis to discharge the order for the intro-duction of the bill to regulate plumb

ment, unless otherwise ordered.

turn of all correspondence printing to He-the Wharf road crossing E. & N. rali-way tracks and the innds of the Well-ington Colliery. Company's land at stan

"(2) No contract for wages shall be entered into that provides for pay-ment of wages at longer intervals than once in two weeks. '(4.) Any employer, or the agent of

any employer, who contravenes the provious of his section shall be dollars."

Several amendments were introduced

to do away with objectionable fea-J. N. Evans moved to strike out sub-

worked.

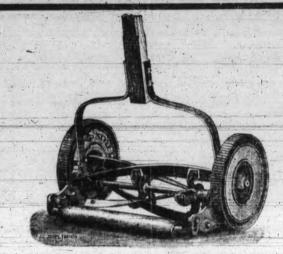
Mr. Paterson said that the member for Newcastle labored under the false impression that he was the only man in the House who knew what labor men wanted. Mr. Williams knew nothing about labor conditions except in the coal mines. Mr. Paterson said that he had been brought into contact with labor men throughout the Dominich of Canada, and claimed that he knew more about the conditions than any other member in the House. If Mr. Williams understood the conditions which would be created by the passage which would be created by the passage will be losses to employers. He thought if the losses to employers with the losses to employers. He thought if the losses to employers with the very state the province were so liberally paid of that they were able to meet their obligation of the that they were able to meet their obligation of the their obligation of the loss of the province were so liberally paid of the their obligation of the loss of the province were so liberally paid of the their obligation of the loss of t

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Resolution Carried.

Parker Williams moved that an erdee of the House be granted for a return of all correspondence pointing to the Wharf road crossing E. & N. railway tracks and the lands of the Wellington Colliery Company's land at Ladysmith.

The resolution carried.

J. F. Garden asked when the decision of the Speaker on the Kaien Island committee's report would be given.

W. Paterson pointed out that this was going to work a hardship say in the case of railway contractors. The was going to work a hardship say in the case of railway contractors. The the case of railway contractors. The few years the labor men would control this House. They would not then be settled by mutual agreement according to the circumstances.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite moved to add a section which he thought would overcome all the difficulties. He moved that this should apply to employees of coal mines, smelters and sawmills and mortally payments there would be a retelling out the spot, Workingmen as of an incorporated city or municipality.

P. Williams said that there were not

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#### THAT REPORT.

Premier McBride talks of "punishing" the Times for publishing the findings of the minority members of the Kalen Island committee. He and his ent and their supporters have brought into play every possible subterfuge their resourceful minds could conceive of in the effort to suppress first the evidence of the witnesses sumnoned before the committee and sec and to kill the report based upon the representative of the crown. The Speaker of the House did his best to help the government out of the meshes even the King's Printer was pressed keep the document out of the official ecords of the Legislature.

Fortunately for the province, the premier and his ministers do not control They can dictate to the King's Prinof the Czar of Russia, suppress newsfirst instance to strive to prevent the ninority report from reaching the eyes of the public. The newspapers are not Premier McBride and the faithful few In the Laurier administration in the the forlorn hope of a specific property of the constituency of Victoria city has spoken. It has expressed its confidence who stand behind him have set up in return of Hon. Wm. Templement by the forlorn hope of a specific property of the constituency of Victoria city has spoken. It has expressed its confidence in the constituency of Victoria city has spoken. It has expressed its confidence in the confide the forlorn hope of saving their ragged huge majority of 694 over his Co reputations. The Times has commented very tenderly upon the Kalen Island transaction and the connection of sidering all the circumstances of the ince and outside of it have been less siderate of the feelings of the members of the government. We have felt that for the sake of the reputation of the province it would be better to let government it was seen that he the evidence brought out by the leader of the opposition speak for itself. The three down the rage of battle. They will be the confidence. We shall leave to competent, independent authorities the task of comparing the conclusions of the report with the evidence, of declaring whether the confidence of declaring whether the confidence are justified or the confidence of the confidence of declaring whether the confidence of the c not, and whether a government so lost to all sense of self-respect and so regardless of what is due to the people of the province, so oblivious of all that is seemly and of good report, leaving test. A victim was found in the pe-out of consideration for the present the son of Mr. Beckwith, who consents business aspect of the bargain with Messrs. Larsen and Anderson-whether government that would deliberately nvolve British Columbia in such a scandal and set the tongues of practically a whole continent wagging, should be permitted to longer hold the reputation of this province in its hands.

STICKETH CLOSER

THAN A BROTHER.

It is painfully evident that the govcrnment of British Columbia and the ea and its popularity shown to be increasing rather than waning. The new minister is to be congratulated upon his easy victory. He will bear with ment are in a sadly demoralized state.

There is a feeling in the heart of each member of the House, a feeling that James Bay and the vindication of Libis plainly apparent, that if there ever as any reason why the govern should continue to draw the breath of life, that reason has ceased to exist members on the government side of the House act like men who feel ny of them will heave a sigh of satisfaction when the heads of their unisfaction when the heads of their ungentleman's return by acclamation.
gentleman's return by acclamation.
In the last general lections in 1994, of the ministers has deserted and faken his departure on the pleat that hie private ("practice is of more importance than the superintendence of the public business to which he has aworn to devote his energies and his abilities. Hon. Chain. Wilson, K. C. has anticipated events. Another Conservative member has gone to a far country in the hope of escaping a portion of the odium of supporting.—a government he has not the backbone to openly oppose. His didnits that the revelations of the serious properting and pro superintendence of the public business When Mr. Templeman was first taken to which he has sworn to devote his energies and his abilities. Hon Chas Wilson, K. C., has anticipated events. Another Conservative member has Another Conservative member has the result of the death of Hon. Raymond Prefontaine, the late Minister of Marine and Fisheries, he

in humbug has proven staunch and not but admire the two stalwarts as the public eyes the toll-worn slave of labby and a pernicious "system" grasp-ing to his horny hand the soft and either toiled nor spun, and repeating poet, "I'll remember thee, Glencairn, Those whom political adversity and exigencies hath joined together let not Blessings upon their patriotic heads!

which is consumed with rage and pas result of the late bye-election. We quote from the Vancouver News-Ad-

'The result of the bye-el-Victoria, rendered necessary by the re-tirement of Mr. Riley, will not occasion any surprise. Mr. Templeman's elec-tion never seemed to us to be in doubt, and even many of the Conservatives. who were active in support of Mr. Beckwith, claimed that they did not box with cannot that they did not bope for success but desired to make a protest against the manner in which the Federal Government had dealt with the interests of the province. "The total vote polled was very light, caused probably by the belief that the result was forested.

result was a foregone conclusion. Mr. Templeman's majority was, however, something like 40 per cent. more than that secured by Mr. Riley at the general election. Those who find an interest in political puzzles, may amuse themselves with devising explanations for the circumstance."

THE VERDICT. (Vancouver World) stative adversary and of 1342 over the Socialist candidate. The majority over both is 395. Mr. Riley's majority over Col. Prior in 1994, was 509. Mr. Reckwith narrowly escaped losing his \$200. So the Liberal cause has grown in public conditions and the conditions and the conditions are the Riley election. lic confidence since the Riley election. The Socialist candidate polled 20 vote less than the Socialist candidate polle. in 1994. From the first it was believed that Mr. Beckwith's chances were slight; but when it became known that he was put forward by the McBride thether the conclusions are justified or Kalen Island scandal, and what their when the stand scandar, and what their own chances will be in the contest that would seem to be looming perilously near in consequence of the astounding developments before the committee of inquiry. So they insisted upon a conto be led like a lamb to the sacrifice But not a single minister appeared or the platform. The Provincial govern ment has got its answer and a thun-dering, emphatic answer it is. Mr. Templeman would have been elected anyhow by a large majority; behind Mr. Beckwith at first, ence aged his foolhardy attempt (althouthey deserted him during the canva and, doubtless, subscribed toward rlumph for the Laurier government.

#### MR. TEMPLEMAN'S VICTORY.

The return of the Hon. Wm. Templeman, Minister of Inland Revenue, at the federal bye-election in Victoria of naval defence, but of defence. When the sword is suspended city yesterday by a majority of near-truth to tell, we believe ty 700 over his Conservative opponent, is a decisive answer to the factions fax and Esquimait, we are contributopposition raised against the honorable ing to the defence of the Empire quite

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Templeman this desire has been grati-fied. Yesterday's victory is ample jusif such are wanting, of Sir Templeman to fill the cabinet vacancy, and the conclusion of the finatter will be a satisfactory one to the whole pro-vince, apart from the party aspect of yesterday's election.

For the benefit of Captain Clive poet, with whom the entente cordiale has been restored after a brief misunderstanding, we ask leave to quote the following from the Montreal Star, the leading organ of the Conservative party in Canada: As to whether and when we should contribute to the support of the British navy, that is a support of the British navy, that is a question for the future. As Sir Frederick pointed out, it is not a question of naval defence, but of defence, When of naval defence, but of defence, When of naval defence, but of defence, When of naval defence, but of defence when of naval defence, but of defence when of naval defence, but of defence when of naval defence and the naval defence when on the naval defence when on the naval defence when on the naval defence when of naval defence when on the naval defence when the naval defence when on the naval defence when the naval defence when the nava as much as if we sent a contribution to the British Admiratty, and we are keeping the control of our contributions.

to attend the second meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society of that city, which is being held there to-day. The object of the campaign which Dr. Fagan is so en-ergetically conducting is generally known and everybody hopes it will be attended with success. aid of the Royal City branch.

England, H. Fox, of the Victoria Glass Works, left for Liverpool last evening via the Northern Pacific and Cunard the Northern Pacific and Cumard-imer Lucaria. While in Europe, Mr. Fox-will visit the principal glass works of France, Germany and Belgium in con-nection with the Victoria Glass Works business.

# WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE

# Saturday Store News

Summer Sale of Women's Cotton Ribbed Under-

Women's White Cotton Vests, ow neck, short sleeves, all sizes;

Women's White Cotton Ribbed vests, no sleeves, half sleeves, long sleeves, trimmed lace, all sizes, 15c. Women's White Cotton Ribbed Vests, short sleeves and no sleeves, neck trimmed lace, all sizes, 20c. Women's Fine Ribbed Vests, 110 siceves, short sleeves, long sleeves, all sizes, 25c.

Vasta, ribbed, no sloeves, half sleeves, long sleeves, fine ribs, medium ribs, broad ribs, made of extra fine Maco cotton, all sizes;

Women's extra large sizes Cotton-ests, short sleeves, shaped; 35c.

Women's extra fine White Cot-ton Vests, ribbed (the fine rib), short sleeves, neck trimmed, also fine pearl buttons; 50c. Women's Walte Cotton Pibbed

Corset Covers, long and short sleeves, 25c, and 35c, Women's White Cotton Drawers knee length, late trimmed, oper and closed; 25c, and 40c. Women's White Cotton Drawers, ribbed, ankle length; 50c.

#### Saturday Bargains in the Hosiery Department

Vomen's Ribbed Cashmere Stockings (assorted ribs); values 50c, and 65c. Saturday, 40c. pair. Women's Ribbed Cashmere Stockings; value 45c, Saturday, 35c

#### Children's Cashmere Socks

Tan Cream and Black, Saturday,

#### Hose Supporters \*

Foster Hose Supporters, satin pad day, 50c. pair, Colors: Black, sky gold, red, hello, white and pink.

#### Glass Ware on Sale Saturday

(BASEMENT.) -

Fancy Decorated Glass Water Sets (6 'fumblers and jugs); values \$1.50 to \$4.50. Saturday, 90c. set

## Spencer's Laundry Soap, Half Pound Bars 50,000 Bars so on sale Saturday

Prices as follows : 3%c cake. 20c for half dozen, \$4.80 case (144 cakes)

Plain Cork Carpet (1st quality). Plain Cork Carpet (2nd quality). Saturday, \$1.00 square yard. Olleloth, Saturday, 25c, and 35c

oleum. Saturday, 50c. square

Inlaid Lincleum, Saturday, \$1.25 square yard. English Olicioth (best quality); regular 50c, square yard. Satur-day, 25c, square yard. Four yards wide, Heavy English Linoleum, Saturday, 50c., 75c.,

#### Oilcloth Squares

Size 4 fet. x 6 ft. Saturday, 90c. Size 6 ft. x 6 ft. Saturday, \$1.65. Size 7 ft. 6 x 7 ft. 6. Saturday, \$2.35

#### Opaque Window Blinds 3 ft. 1 in. wide, 7 ft. long Window

Blinds, all new shades, Saturday, 45c., 50c., 75c. and \$1.00. New shades in cloth, for Blinds, made to measure, in all widths, 30-inch Point de Esprit and Nets

for glass doors and bedroom winows, all latest spring designs. Paices, 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c. and 65c.

#### Refrigerators

(Mineral Wool Lined, High Grade.) All are heavily lined, with neatly finished frames-just the article that is needed in every home for

# EASTER SHOE NEWS



#### Men's Shoes

Men's College Shape Corona Patent Colt Lace Boot, gull kid goat top, welt sole, medium weight, stamp-ed P. B. Keith Shoe Co.

Men's Hobo Shape Corons Patent Colt Blucher, goat top, lace boot, stamped B. B. Keith Shoe Co. Mon's Fenway Shape Black Vici Kid Blucher Cut, lace boot, well sole, medium weight, stamped P. B. Keith Shoe Co.

Men's Chic Shape Gum Metal Calf Blucher Cut, lace boot, welt sole, medium weight, stamped P. B. Keith Shoe Co.

Keith Shoe Co.

Men's Stag Shape, Low Lace Shoe,
Patent Colt, Blucher Cut, welt
sole, stamped P. B. Kelth Shoe

Russia Calf, Lace Boot, welt sole, stamped P. B. Keith Shoe Co. Men's Chocolate, Calf Lace Boot, welt sole, whole foxing: \$3.75 per

ion's Footform Shape, Velour Calf, extension edge welt, double sole, Blucher cut; \$3.50 per pair.



Ladies' Shoes EXCLUSIVE STYLES.
Ladies' Patent Colt, Blucher Cut,
Lace Boot, welt sole, 112 last, 1½
Spanish kid, stamped Edwin C.

Ladies' White Buck, Gibson Tie lets, ribbon tie.

Ladies' Champagne Suede, Gibso Tie, turn sole, Louis XV, heel.
Ladies College Shape, Patent Colt.
Button College Shape, Patent Colt.
Button College Boot, dull kid top.
34 seamless foxing, welt, extra
full outside extension edge, six

large buttons.
Ladies' Patent Colt, turn sole.
Louis XV. heel, extra high,
stamped, lace boot, stamped C. P.
Ford & Co., Rochester, New York.
Ladies' Low Lace Shoe, Patent Colt,
turn sole, Louis XV. heel, extreme, stamped C. P. Ford & Co.,
Rochester, New York.
Ladies' Dongola, McKay, seved. large buttons.

Ladies' Dongola, McKay sewed, medium sole, Blucher cut, foxed quarter, military heel, votary toe, patent tip; \$2.09 per pair. Ladies' Vici Kid, Redan last, welt,

lace boot, patent tip, medium out-side extension edge sole, 918 heel;

#### \$3.00 per pair. Ladies' White Canvas Shoes

Ladies' White Canvas Turn, Gib son shape, silk worked eyelets, Ladies' White Canvas Welt, Gib son shape, silk worked eyelets,



Ladies' Chocolate, Russian Calf, Low Lace Shoes, very latest style, Edwin C. Burt, New York, Ladies' Pat. Colt, Low Lace Shoe, Blucher cut, Gibson shape Blucher cut, Gibson shape.
Ladies' Gibson Shape, Chocolate
Tan Kid, Gibson tie, plain toe,
large eyelets, ribbon lace, light
flexible sole, 12-8 heel.
Ladies' Chic Shape, Brown Tan
Kid, Low Shoe, turn sole, large
silk worked eyelets, 12-8 heel.



Children's Shoes

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faction in Children's Shoes.

hfid's Patent Leather Lace,
Boot, black velvet top, with
white dots, sizes 2 to 5; \$1.25 per-

2 to 5; \$1.25 per pair. Child's Kid Lace Boot, patent facings, and toe cap, spring heel, sizes 2 to 5; \$1.25. Child's Kid Lace Boot, patent fac-

#### Boys' and Youths' Shoes

In suitable line will be found in our large stock for those who want their feet to look well and their shoes to wear.

Boys' Lace Boots, whole foxed, stand screw school boot; \$1.65 per pair. Sizes 1 to 5.

Youth's Lace Boots, whole foxed, stand screw school boot; \$1.40 per pair. Sizes 1 to 13.

#### Polish for Your Shoes

Spencer's French Glycerine Dressing, 10c.
Spencer's Gem Polish, large size,
25c.
U. N. O. Shoe Blacking, large size,

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Men's White Cotton Nightshirts

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was but one case in the police court this morning—the first ap-pearance in the dock of a man charged with drunkenness. A fine of \$2.50 was

Members of the Capital Gun club will hold a practice shoot to-morrow afternoon at the Willows' trap. Shoot-ing will commence at 2:30 o'clock.

—In yesterday's Times it was stated, by mistake, that Miss Irving was the occupant of the trap which figured in the runaway accident of the previous day. The girl was Miss Russell of the Jubilee Greenhouse.

British barque Barcare was recent-ly in collision with the steamer Clydes-dale, at Glasgow, and sustained dam-age, which may detain her loading cargo for Victoria and Vancouver.

The present week at the Grand rromises to be the best in several months, the house being crowded every night. Delphino and Delmore, novelty musical artists, are making a great hit. Delphino's French soldier with electric Delphino's French soldier with electric filluminations of face, ears, eyes, nose and body and the mechanical donkey, also illuminated, are among their best aumbers. Jones and Walton have one of the best sketches seen here in a long time, entitled "Our Country Cousin." The Great Reklew, performing some wonderful feats on the bike and Lillian Melbourne sings a number of good songs. Frank Smilh sings the illustrated song, "Kate Kearney," and the moving pictures are descriptive of "The Hen with the Golden Egg." There will be two matinees to-morrow, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, at which only ten cents will be charged for children. cents will be charged for children.

Steamer Queen City returned from the west coast last evening, bringing 30 tons of whale products from the Pacific Steam Whaling Company's station at Sechart. The steamer went only as far as Ahousaht. She reports that the schooner Ella G., Capt. Alex. McLean, is at Ucluelet. Capt. Forcest and the other white men who had been aboard the schooner came to Victoria on the Queen City. They had undertaken to work on the vessel on a "lay," but fish being scarce they decided to return to Victoria. Their places will be taken by Indians whom Captain McLean will engage. Mr. Winch, owner of the Ella G., denies the absurd story sent to the Sun Francisco Examiner some weeks ago about the schooner's plight. The Ella G. did put into Neah Bay for shelter, but did not linger, once Mr. McLean got to hear that a U. S. revenue cutter was looking for him with a warrant for his arrest. The Queen City went around to seguinal to-day for some slight repairs.

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II TROUNCE LEE & FRASER VICTORIA B. C.

-Grand Master McKenzie, I. O. O.

F., will pay an official visit to Victoria the Comforts of Home" by local talent ria on the 21st instant, when a joint meeting of the local lodges will be held. nights of March.

arrest and conviction of the person

Members of the Victoria-United quantity of data is the publication.

Football Club are preparing for a smoking concert to be held on Saturday grening the 24th inst, at the Sir Association will hold its fifth annual

The members of the Woman's Aux-liary and of the Daughters of Pity.

Provincial Royal Jubile hospital, are produced at the Victoria theatre next reminded of the excellent amateur Monday and Tuesday ovenings, the theatricals to be given at the Victorial Monday and Tuesday evenings, the theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings in aid of the working fund of these societies. All members are asked to give their attention and interest in promoting a good attendance, and in patronizing the home talent so generously and gracefully contributed by a large caste at no little sacrifice of time and trouble for the good object. large caste at no little sacrifice of time and trouble for the good object.

The membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last evening all hope for the safety of the British barque Drumcraig has been abandoned, and reinsurance speculation on the list barque Drumcraig has been abandoned and the sinderstood that after considerable rhetoric power had been expended and the smoke consequent thereto had some what cleared away, the pro-temperance members present had gained decidedly the best of the argument, with the result that on next Wednesday and the result that on next Wednesday night the Eagles are going to enjoy a temperance social at their hall, when the debate will be continued. In the meantime both sides are massing their forces for the fray.

Some business of particular impor-

A sale of work and home-made candy will be held by the committee of the Refuge Home. North Pembroke street, on Tuesday next from 2 to 6 p. m. Tea will be served during the afternoon. Friends are invited to assist.

date, at Glasgow, and sustained damage, which may detain her loading cargo for Victoria and Vancouver.

Dominion Lodge, I. O. O. F., spent a very enjoyable time last night, when Noble Grand T. W. Hawkins gave an interesting lecture, illustrated by updards of 100 magic lantern views, descriptive of a frip round the world.

—The ship Ganges and the Celtic Monarch arrived in the Royal Roads fills must be the same method as a says from Callao and expects to recieve a lumber cargo for Peru. Says from Callao and expects to recieve a lumber cargo for Peru. Says from Callao and expects to recieve a lumber cargo for Peru. Says from Callao and expects to recieve a lumber cargo for Perus.

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WITH A PEN-KNIFE

Villiam Miller, a Patient at the Jubilee Hospital, Committed Suicide This Morning.

Early this morning William Miller, wi had been undergoing treatment at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital for the past several weeks; committed suicide by cutting his throat almost from ear to car with a small penknife. The act was committed so suddenly and with such unlessiting determination. tating determination that none of the present realized what was in the mind

reatment that gave every indication of Peter A. McQuade, of 73 Wharf street, will give \$20 to anyone returning his Gordon setter, named "Spot," or for information that will lead to the slashed his throat dreadfully, cutting the jugular vein and the wind pipe, a wound jugular vein and the wind pipe, a w

Jugular vein and the wind pipe, a wound which brougat about instant death.

This action was witnessed by several of those occupying beds near by, and an outery was raised which quickly brought the attendants and Dr. Hasell to the scene. They did what was possible, which was jittle more than attempts to stop the flow of blood, for life had been extinct for some veints. extinct for some

except that he followed the vocation of a sailor on one of the Empresses. He was a man of about 2 years of age and leaves no known relatives in Victoria or

The unfortunate affair has been reported to Coroner Hart, who has ordered an inquest to take place at 4.20 o'clock this afternoon

SHIPPING NEWS

Indianapolis Being Converted Into an Oil Burner-Drumcraig Given

The new steamer Indianapolis is now at Moran Bros, ship yards, Scattle, where oil tanks are being installed. The vessels in the flect of the Alaska Steamship Company are all being converted to oil burners, and it was recently decided to change the fuel on the Indianapolis before she went into

tons, and was built in Glasgow in 1885 by the Barrows Company. She was owned by the Western Commercial company and was homeported in Victoria. She was 289.4 feet long. 41.1 feet beam and 28.5 feet depth of hold. In a letter which Capt. C. Gardiner Johnson, Lloyd's agent for British Columbia, has just received from E. S. Crawford, agent at Vancouver for the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, who is now returning from the Antipodes on the Miowera, due on the 15th inst., the latter speaks enthusiastically of the new turbine liner the Maheno, which will arrive here in May.

r for Honolulu

Fitteen hundred tons of canned sal-mon and a quantity of lumber are now being loaded on the China Mutual being loaded on the China Mutual liner Ning Chow at Vancouver.

The British steamer Cambrina King, which is now in the coal carrying trade between British Columbia and San Francisco, was chartgred to transport 60,000 barrels of flour from Portland to Vladivostock.

The steamer Venture will receive a coat of anti-fouling paint.

-A meeting of the Ship Carpenters' and Caulkers' Union was held last evening when it was decided to have a delegation visit the Trades and Labor Council this evening with reference to its dispute between the union and the B. C. Marine Railway Company.

Thomas Cunningham, provincial fruit inspector, is in the city. He is immensely pleased with the splendid progress Victoria district is making in horticulture and agriculture. This city, he said, was on a firmer basis than had been the case at any time in its history, because there was no prosperly so safe and reilable as that of agriculture. Agriculture and horticulture had made Portland the richest city per capita on the Pacific coast, and ture had made Portland the richest city per capita on the Pacific coast, and he predicted that the same would be said of Victoria before very long. Even the Okanagan, Similkameen and Kootenay districts could not boast of more substantial progress along the aforementioned lines. He also commended the progressive horticulturists for the intelligent magnetic parties that the progressive horticulturists for the intelligent magnetic packet. the progressive horticulturists for the intelligent manner in which they were doing their spraying. There was excellent promise, he added, of a bumper crop of fruit, the buds being healthy and abundant. Victoria district, Mr. Cunningham further safe, was peculiarly well adepted for pear culture, the volcanic soil being just right for the purpose.

At the mid-day meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew held at the Seamen's Institute to-morrow the speaker will be Rev. Ensor Sharp. M. A. These meetings are very helpful to men, and all are carnestly invited, whether members or not.

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your committee are of the opinion. m. the evidence of W. S. Gore, at bancement of the value of these lands because the evidence of W. S. Gore, at that time the deputy commissioner of lands and works, and the official most likely to be acquainted with the facts of the matter, that the reserve was intended to include all crown lands lying to the north of a line drawn due west from the head of Work Chainel lying to the north of a line west from the head of Work Channel to the eastrest boundary of the Dominion government Indian reserve, and so find. This finding is also supported by

or general, who was in 1891 man in the lands and works cuid include the greater part 23. With regard to Lots 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 501, 502, 503, 505 and 507, in Range V. 12. This would include a state of the land now known as Lot 251, Range V., on Kalen Island, and your committee further and that the language of the orcouncil was so understood and in-ted by the officials of the depart.

nce of E. B. McKay, the pres-yor general, who was in 1891

18. The whole of Kaien Island was subsequently, by order in council dated 3rd August, 1804, reserved from pre-emption or sale. This action was taken in the

received from one George T. Kan g out that he located a pre-emption provinsions of the Land Act, a several applications for lands systems of the "South African under provisions of the "South African War Land Grant" Act, 1891," and amend-

nmittee find that the pre-emp ion claimed by Mr. Kane was located within the boundaries of the reserve reated by the order in council of October

fore, was 1732

15. With regard to the applications under the "South African War Land Grant Act," 1891," and amendments, your committee find that, under the provisions of section 3 of the said act, the consent of section 3 of the said act, the consent of the chief commissioner of lands and bougall against the government of Onthe Commissioner of lands and large McDougall, who is the with the chief commissioner of lands and large McDougall, who is the with the chief commissioner of lands and large McDougall, who is the with the chief commissioner of lands and large McDougall solls.

Return to Work.

works is an essential element of such a tario. Mrs. McDougall, who is the windows and suddens the supplications were properly refused, and such refusal was in the public interest.

16. Your committee find that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, through its officials and agents, were, at all times from the inception of the transaction of the negotiations being carried on by Messrs. Larsen and Anderson, estensiely on behalf of said company. From the evidence given, your committee find that the Grand Messrs. Larsen and Anderson, estensiely on behalf of said company. From the evidence given, your committee find that the Grand Messrs. Larsen and Anderson, estensiely on behalf of said company. From the evidence given, your committee find that the said railway company have confirmed the transaction in every respect, and have not signified any dissatisfaction with the matter, aithough afforded ample opportunity to do so.

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17. Your committee find that the crown rants for Lots 425, 444 and 251. Range V... ontain, in addition to the usual reservations, the following, to which attention

Provided, also, that in the event of any of the lands hereby granted being phone. divided into town lots, one-fourth of the blocks of lots, to be selected as provided in section 32 of the Land Act, shall be regeneral

6he Crimson Blind By FRED. M. WHITE

features relaxed into a smile.

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Home Missions.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Action Against the Ontario Govern-

ment-Incendiary at Work at

the gas jet, which is close to the tele-

Settlers' Effects.

Souris.

Dated March 7th, 1906.

JAMES F. GARDEN.

Winnipeg, March 8 .- Rev. Dr. Mc-

recover the insurance.

Accidentally Asphyxiated.

Toronto, March & William Marshall, manager for George Coxon & Co., butchers in the St. Lawrence market, was tound sitting in a chair of the St. P. R.

Toronto, March S.—William Marshall, namager for George Coxon & Co., but chers in the St. Lawrence market, was found sitting in a chair in his private office this morning, dead. A gas fet was partially turned on. Marshall went to the office last night to balance his books, and it is supposed that while telephoning he accidentally turned on the property was destroyed. The property was fairly well insured.

GADSKI ON SATURDAY.

Famous Prima Donna to Appear Here

blocks of lots, to be selected as provided in section 2 of the Land Act, shall be reconveyed to us and our successors.

"Provided, further, that the land hereway shall be divided into blocks having a frontage on the sea or waterway of not less than one thousand (1,000) feet, and the selection of the waterfront lands so divided shall be in conformity with the land appurtenant thereto above and below low water mark, upon the request of the chief commissioner of lands and works.

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The remains were shipped west to temple, the Metropolitan, and the critemple, the Metropolitan, and the critics were unsparing in their eulogies of
her art. Her present tour, so far, has
been one sustained triumph, and it
goes without saying that her appearance here will but enhance her laurels.
It is not always the case that the press
is certain of the excellence of a per-Winnipeg, March 8.—Rev. Dr. Mc
Laren, general secretary of home mission board of the Presbyterian church tefore leaving for the east ta-day announced fluit subscriptions had been received which would wipe out the threatened home mission deficit of the transfer of the pices of the Victoria Musical Society.

Gerardy, the 'Cellist.

M. Jean Gerardy, the world's most eminent 'cellist, has made the expected that in Winnipegs, where he played last week to the capacity of the operation yet accorded by Winnipeggers to any instrumentalist who has ever visited Manitoba. This is quite in the in connection with the club. This very any instrumentalist who has ever visited Manitoba. This is quite in the line of the to be expected for when Gerardly was last here, as little more thin a boy artist, he had so much of the magnetic quality of genius that he enthused Victoria as the city has seldom been enthused by any musical performer. Gerardy is now at the genith of his greatness, and his appearance here is being looked forward to as the premier musical event of this seasoh. Gerardy will appear in Victoria on April 20th under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Society.

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The Pringle Stock Company, not present this evening, for the first tim in Victoria, the sensational melotra matte comedy "Forgiven" or "Th Gambier's Wife." Langing Rowna nal melodra-Gambier's Wife." Lansing Rowman and Harry Fabrney will be seen in the leading roles, supported by the entire. Pringle Company. "Forgiven" is a play of "characters,"

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#### FULL TEXT OF THE MINORITY REPORT

(Continued from page 1.)

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"This fragily bound to go to Kaien Island."

"Messrs: Bodwell, Anderson and Larsen's engineer confronted with two serious on the deal.

The evidence of Mr. Stevens, the company's engineer, shows that if the government were not alive to the value of these lands Mr. Stevens was, Mr.

Pirst, it was necessary to exclude the public from the lands. Secondly, an application to the legislature must be

whether verbal or written with the Grand Trunk Pacific Company.

order-in-council giving these lands for 330,000 Mr. Bodwell showed them a tele-gram sent by Mr. Hays to Mrs Bod-

"Will be glad to have you act on Mr.
Steven's communication in regard to
Lima harbor in such a way as to fully
protect our rights for the time being
and until definite plans can be determined on without, however, commit-

At the time this telegram was re-

On this point Mr. McBride says as Q. Had you any communication with the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Com-pany prior to the 3rd of May?

A. I may have had some correspond-

A. Yes, and in addition to that we

ment, and this was common ground between Mr. Green and Mr. Bodwell.

The evidence is most curious and conflicting. According to Mr. Anderson, he and Larsen were in a joint speculation for their own benefit with Mr. Bodwell as their solicitor. Here is what Anderson and Larsen before the passing of the order-in-council, The telegram was a mere move in the game admittedly and as a business man that the Grand Trunk Pacific would go to the place that suited their purposes best and therefore, and to pretend that the government at any step dealt directly with the Grand Trunk Pacific would be a good chance for a speculation?

A. No.

A. No.

A. No.

A. No.

G. But there is another way of look-testigation at all as 1 if they selected one in four, te

thing frankly, and his idea always was not to try and make a profit out of this deal. He was foo far-sighted for this. In the same connection Mr. Green was to do all this for the purpose of getting on friendly terms with the Grand Trunk Pacific was passed.

A. Yes, practically and his idea always was not to try and make a profit out of those to call it—and 1 am not using the word "shuffle" in any improper that matter. What he was interested in that matter. What he was interested in was naving the lands appropriated for a townsite by the company; that was to do all this for the purpose of getting on friendly terms with the Grand Trunk Pacific was passed, naming Mr. Bodwell as the trustee for getting on friendly terms with the Grand Trunk Pacific was passed.

A. Yes, practically

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A. I may have known it bull I have no recollection of Mr. Bodwell members of the grand trunk Pacific was on the same acting for the clared from the fact to me.

Mr. Bodwell again 8372.

A. Yes, practically carrying it out in an original form way.

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In the matter, and really I am out of pocket for disbursements."

Members of the government when called to testify before your select ing its convey the 10,000 acres to Mr. Southeld before your select committee took the ground that they declined to deal with these speculators, but had insisted on dealing directly with the Grand Trunk Pacific Composal, it is shown that Bodwell, and at first refused by Mr. Bodwell, and at first refused by Mr. Anderson Afterwards, certain pany.

etal, 160k what appears to us to be a sighed that agreement was not promote to establish its terminus on Katen sponsibilities of government. He seem to think that it was a matter of the government had no communications whether verbal or written with the government had the power. Under section 39, to make this grant after the grant of the government had the power. They say that before passing the truck passing the grant of the grantee were willing to take the land for the power of the grant of the grantee and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee; and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee; and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee; and that if the grantee, and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee; and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee which the grantee; and that if the grantee were willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land for the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to take the land to the follows to accept it with the grantee willing to the follows the fol with a cloud upon the title, or with no

that Anderson received, in March, 1906.
If this view were to be taken of the responsibility of the government, we are afraid that the people have very little security against the altenation of the public domain in a manner never contemplated by the laws of the provent and successful the first time to the public domain in a manner never contemplated by the laws of the provent and successful the first time to the said town on lands contiguous to the said town on lands contiguous to the said town of the said town on their interest in twenty-one scrip locations on lands contiguous to the said town on their interests in twenty-one scrip locations on lands contiguous to the said town of the province, under the South African War Grant Act and under the Mineral Act were not considered by the government of their interests in the Kaien Island speculation in the province, under the South African War Grant Act and under the Mineral Act were not considered by the government on their interests in the Kaien Island speculation in the province, under the South African War Grant Act and under the Mineral Act were not considered by the government of their interests in the Kaien Island speculation in the province, under the South African War Grant Act and under the Mineral Act were not considered by the government of their interests in the Kaien Island speculation in the province, under the south African War Grant Act and under the south African War Gran

This clearly appears from Mr.

And Mr. Green says.

Q. Had the government. Mr. Green, and would be a long distance away from us and we would not participate in the any official of the Grand Trunk Pacific in the suitableness of this place for a management of the suitableness of this place for a management of the suitableness of the suit

They are forced to admit that they knew Mr. Bodwell was in the beginning not acting for the Grand Trunk Pacific Company but as stated in his letter of the 18th January for some persons other than the Grand Trunk Pacific other than the Grand Trunk Pacific other than the Grand Trunk Pacific of the 18th January for some persons of the 28th January for some persons of the 28th January for some persons of the 28th January for some persons of the 38th January for some persons of the 38th January for some persons of the 28th January for some persons of the 38th January for some persons of the 28th January for some persons of the 38th Janua

contemplated by the laws of the province. If grants of this kind can be made, either in defiance of the act of lands about 300 miles down the constituent of conduct without caring whether it be in accordance with law or not, the public lands may be gleinated at will by the governor-in-coincil without reference a ble to obtain, the true inwardness of the legislature to promote all sorts of schemes for the enrichment of grafters.

Section 39 in express terms excludes 34 in express terms excludes it went, from the concealment only too

cil creating a reserve, wouldn't you, cine proves so nearly helpiess in a germs, acting as attorney general, be called

A. That one you have just read? the spirit and to the letter of the law.

member ever having been asked about to the grant in question was in-sthe member ever having been asked about to the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the ministers had no knowledge upon which to proceed in the second point, Mr. Wilson yend making one or two modifications, said.

"All will say is the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the principle is the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the principle is the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the principle is the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the principle is the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest. That the principle is the process of the grant in question was in-sthe public interest.

swer my question, Mr. Wilson?

A. I do not think I can.

Q. No I don't want you to go into that, just answer it yes or no—surely tion of the foreshore belonging to the

you can do that?

A. I will put it in that way as an li
S. That by reason of the Secrety

lustration. Supposing now that I was maintained by reason of the received acting as solicitors for the vendor, and Messrs. Largen and Anderson, the said the purchaser's solicitor chooses to ac.

1. That the Provincial reserve, dated 12th October, 1891, did not extend to

Kaien Island and was not intended so

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CANADA AND THE NAVY. To the Editor: At last, in the name of common honesty, I am impelled to write you on the matter of the late Parific naval squadron, when I find that the royal navy, for the first time in its utterly reckless with the rights of the 8. That the provision to divide the foreshore into blocks of not less than 1,000 feet was a most nowless one and enables the Grand Trunk Pacific to divide the foreshore into large blocks, and after the government had selected its blocks or blocks.

the royal navy, for the first time in its Listory, is being used as a tool to further the designs of political tricksters. As an old pavy man, for nearly 20 years, I have been very uneasy many times about the condition and war chances of our small, light craft, seat-leved in twos or threes all over the world, built and provided for the work they accounties, so well—solicing the

maintained by the government and the purchaser's solicitor chooses to accept the title, which may, or may not have had some defect in II—he chooses to accept it, and I am inclined to should be a second and their limines to accept it, and I am inclined to should be a second and their limines to accept it, and I am inclined to should be a second and their limines to accept it, and I am inclined to should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway to accept it, and I am inclined to should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a should be a second and the proposed railway the should be a should b

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PATENT OFFICE REPORT.

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Canadian Patent.

Ar. Clive Phillippe-Wolley, asserting that the squadron was withdrawn because Sir Wilfrid Laurier would not provide funds for its maintenance! The statement is nicely calculated to instill disloyalty in the minds of the ignorant and the stranger within our gates. It ertainly makes Admiral Prince Louis Samuel Hallander, of Vancouver, a nited States patent on his improved the holes.

JOHN W. RUDD. Laduer, B. C., March 6, 1906.

TO SAVE THE WILD LILIES.

columns and I hope all who read it will constitute themselves active agents the protection of these plants.

J. C. BRIDGMAN. Hon. Sec, Natural History Society of

LIKES VICTORIA. Visitor From Northwest Who May

Make His Home Here. Beautiful sunshine, butterfles flitting about on the suburban highways, rone trees in biossom have so charmed W. Heaton, a visitor from the Northwest in the West. Mr. Heaton was a dairy proprietor at Moosomin for three years his ranch having fifty or sixty cows ters to the Old Country on the subject and these have been distributed broad Moosomin during the winter months. Six months' frigidity was not to his friends in England, and says he is sure quite a number of farmers from Lan-cashirs and other points will come out stay here Mr. Heaton is a guest at the

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Victoria Meteorological Office, February 28th to March 6th, 1996.

A continuance of low barometric pres A continuance of low barometric pres-sure has again occurred during the great-er part of the week; on Friday and Sat-urday a marked disturbance became cen-tral at Port Simpson, where the baro-meter fell to 29.38 inches, and moderate meter fell to 29.38 inches, and moderate gales prevailed on the outside waters as far south as California, the movement spread inland and storm warnings for an easterly gale were displayed at Britis easterly gale were displayed at British. Columbian stations. This storm passed to the southeast, and on the 5th the pressure began to rise, and the week closes with an interval of unusually fine weather west of the Rockies. The rainfall has

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party standpoint.

The premier referred to Mr. Mac-

The amendment of Mr. Olives was

month would be better.

Hon, Mr. Fulton suggested that it be

The committee rose and reported pro-

Municipal Clauses Act. Mr. Henderson moved, in committee

allowed to stand at this date for

o introduce this resolution

Western bill was adopted.

and seven, in section a, the course of said sections 1 and 3."

Mr. Henderson said that the object of this was to make it absolute that the Columbia & Western had no further claim for a land subsidy. It would remove any doubt as to the right of the company to claim land for saction, 4.

section 4.

Hon. R. F. Green said that as a matter of fact the company had not earned its subsidy for section 4, and the amendment was entirely uncalled for.

J. R. Brown took exception to the stand taken by Hon. Mr. Green. There was, he said, a possibility that section 5 might be paid. The company had last year acquired considerable land at Midway. If section 5 were built, imight come and claim land for section 4 in the company was not entitled to the land now being granted for section 3. A claim might be made in much the same way for section 4 if section 5 were built.

If the premier were as fair as he pretended to be, and it his skirts were and the skirts of his followers were clean he would have said. "I have no objection to the fullest report. Come on." Every effort was made to burk the inquiry, and when a minority report came in life premier feared to dispant at the press for publishing this.

Hon. Mr. McBride in explanation said that he had confined himself to the Times article. He had not attacked the leader of the deposition as a member of the investigating committee.

The government had got over diffi-ulties very easily in preparing for the ranting of land for section 8. It was who feared, and whose skirts were possible that something the same might be done with respect to section 4. This was a matter of precaution

against it.

John Oliver moved that "section s of chap. 3, statutes of 1896, be amended by striking out the last four words of the section, and inserting the following words in lieu thereof, "seventeenth day of April, 1800."

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The Speaker also demanded that the premier come to order. This the premier refused to do, and raising his voice to its highest pitch endeavored to proceed with an attack upon the opposition. Cries of "order" equally loud came from the opposition side.

Mr. Oliver said it was quite obvious that this was necessary. If this were not passed it was quite questionable whether any part of the road now built whether any part of the company was whether any part of the road now built would be taxable. The company was to be sexempt from taxation for the years. The plea might be set up that the line not being completed to Penticton no taxation could be collected until that were done. All he proposed until that were done. All he proposed until that the report was obtained in the Premier asked this to stand over the time of the completion of the part of the line built upon the part of the line built upon the completion of the part of the line built upon the completion of the part of the line built upon the part of the line built upon the completion of the part of the line built. The premier having recovered his equilibrium of mind rose and gaid he could have the said that this was an unreasonable proposition. The bill was in the hands of the government. If the government wished it could have to to the completion of the permier had been prompted by the latter's awai action. He had seen prompted to the source of the source of the composition were contemptible.

The premier said iff Mr. Oliver would not let it stand over he would have to took against it. The amendment had escaped his notice. After looking into it he would if he thought advisable, move in this direction himself later on.

R. L. Drury proposed to adjourn the debate, but the premier objected to that also.

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Mr. Macdonald thought this was a most unreasonable proposal of the premier. He said that such an important matter had overlooked his attention. This was the time, on report, to settle the question. The premier knew that on its third reading this amendment was not in order. The premier apparently wished to consuit some one outside of the House on this section. The press according to usual practice had got this report.

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premier apparently wished to consuit some one outside of the House on this question. The act was before the premier and the members of this House, and should be acted on now. The C. P. R. if this amendment did not carry, would be in a position to refuse to pay taxation for all time.

It being six o'clock Mr. Macdonaid moved the adjournment of the debate.

EVENING SESSION.

Upon the resuming of business in the evening the proceedings were made lively by a discussion of the question of the Kaien Island report again.

Premier McBride rising to a question of privilege called attention to the report in the Times referring to the Kaien Island investigation. He said that with knowledge of the fact that the House had for two days given most of its time to dealing with the question of a report from the Kaien dignity becoming to the House had for two days given most of its time to dealing with the question of the premier was a certain dignity becoming to the House and low this to stand over, he (the most of the past two days he had to express himself in strong language in connection with the destardly and contemptible report which appeared in contemptible report of which appeared in contemptible report which appeared in contemptible report which appeared in contemptible report which appeared in contemptible repor

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ation of the report on the bill to amend the Columbia & Western Railway Subsidy Act, 1896, to strike out in lines six and seven, in section 2, the words "in respect of said sections 1 and 3."

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The amendment was defeated, the Socialists voting with the government against it.

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our end," and have agreed to put up this forfeiture.

The amendment was, defeated on a vote of 17 to 13.

Mr. Macdonald moved the following as a new section:

"The lands hereby granted, including all timber and other surface rights thereon, shall be subject to pre-emption and to purchase by any person who is entitled to pre-empt or purchase unoccupied and unreserved lands of the crown, upon the same terms in respect of payment as now apply to pre-emptors or purchasers of auch lands of the crown:

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Mr. Ross took exception to the lead-

fixed, as provided by section 21 of chap-ter 163 of the revised statutes of Brit-ish Columbia." er of the opposition pressing for the committee to rise. Mr. Gilver said that pravision was made by the Railway act for the revi-sion of railway rates by the Governor-in-Council. This railway had received Deminion recognition and it thus came consequence of his discourteous re-marks, a sharp rebuke from the leader of the opposition

er of the opposition.

T. Taylor said that this would not work a nardship on Revelstoke.

The amendment carried.

Mr. Bowser moved the following (mendments:

under the Dominion Railway Act. This amendment merels, pestored the dominion pany to its old relationship to the province and he appealed to the House to consider the resolution, from a non-party standarding. That sub-section (26) of section 175 be amended by adding thereto the fol

icwing:
"Notwithstanding anything to the centrary contained in any act or chargowan's amendment of the same tenor. He had then explained that the matter was before the railway commission at Ottawa, which had rendered great service to the country. This was now before the railway commission and it was er incorporating any municipality, the provisions of this section shall apply to such municipality."

This carried.

Mr. Paterson moved the following emendments: Section 166, to add after the word pliment to that body

following:
"Provided, however, that if statute report of the Columbia and labor is abolished the council shall, on. Western bill was adopted. | labor is abolished the council shall of the property owners, expend on the road on which assessed. |
The House there again went into committee on the bill to amend the Public Schools Act. | Licoperty is situated an amount equal to thirty per cent. of the amount collected that year." mittee on the bill to amend the Public Schools Act.

Mr. Evans objected to the time fixed for the holding of the annual meeting if it was held in July it rulned the introduced while the majority of the number of the Heiler launged about

thances of holding a meeting.

Hoh. Mr. Fulton said to hold the meeting in January was inexpedient on account of the rolls not being prepared.

H. E. Tanner wanted the date changed from July. He said the following month, would be better.

ANOTHER ADJOURNMENT.

Delegates to Moroccan Conference Will Study Police Project.

of the whole and on report on the bill to consolidate and amend the Municipal Clauses Act, and amending acts, to insert the following as sub-section (25) o, section 258:

The impression prevails that the consolidate approach of conditions the consolidate and amending acts, to insert the following as sub-section (25). or section 258:

"(25.) For the purpose of enabling councils to avoid the necessity of mak-

and for the purpose of ascertaining the exact cost of any work or improvement, and the work of approachment was produced or constructed as a local improvement under the provisions of this act.

The conference this meaning resumed the council of any local municipality the discussion of the Moroccan police

may make agreements with any bank, or with any person or body corporate for temporary advances and loans for meeting the cost of the work and improvements, until the completion thereof, after the work or improvement has been completed, and may then pass the supreme command of the police and he processary by-law authorizing the issue four ports, namely, Tangier, Saffia, supreme command of the police and ne been completed, and may then pass the necessary by-law authorizing the issue of debentures to repay the amount of the temporary ioan or advance, as well as to provide the balance of cost; such by-law shall provide for the respayment of the loan and the maturing of the debentures within the proper life of the work or improvement as certified by the proper officers appointed for the purpose, and should such by-law be set aside or quashed the council may cause a new assessment or assessments to be made, and pass new by-laws to provide funds for the payment of the provide funds for the payment of the provide funds for the payment of the set aside or quashed the council may cause a new assessment or assessments to be made, and pass new by-laws to provide funds for the payment of the stabilishes Spanish police at eight of the

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the 17th day of March, 1906, at the hour
of 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of authorizing the sale of the Company's undertaking and the transfor of
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Labor of all kinds supplied. Country orders prompily attended to:

THE SUPREME COURT BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Take notice that Charles Graham Wylly has this day made application to the Hororable Mr. Justice Irving, pursuant of the Above Act, that his little to the above Act, that his little to the above Act, that his little to the state of the state lead and beneficial owner of as the is the legal and beneficial owner of as the is the legal and beneficial owner of as the little state of the state of

# Sheriff's Sale

F. G. RICHARDS,
Sheriff, County of Victoria.
Sheriff's Office,
Victoria, March 2nd, 1996.

45 FORT STREET

ALFRED ST.—Between Cook and Cham-bers Sts., one-story house on lot 26x90, rents for \$11 per month, \$1,300,

## SWINERTON & ODDY

6 rooms, 5 acres, Oak Bay 33,0
7 rooms, large lot, Frenwood road, 82,5
7 rooms, lot 48146, Michigan 81, 22,0
6 rooms, lot 48146, Michigan 81, 22,0
8 ROOMED HOUSE—On Dallas voad, lottensis, electric light, hot water, sewer state, good garden, fruit trees, onl

SOME CHOICE ACRE LOTS-All clear ed and cultivated, just outside cit; limits, only \$400. \$ 1-3 ACRES 6 miles out; good land easily cleared; only \$75 per acre.

TELEPHONE 97. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES CANDY AND CIGAR STORE \$150

est, \$10,000.

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS,
INSIDE PROPERTY—\$12,000; Worth \$20,

In the Matter of the "Quieting Tit. Act," and in the Matter of Lot ? Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given that we intend b apply to the Board of Licensing Com-missioners of the City of Victoria, at its

# JOHN W. MELDRAM. Victoria, 14th February, 1806.

In the Matter of the British Columbia Cattle Company, Limited Liability, vs. R. L. Cawston. Tability, the Campany, a minded Lability, the Campany is a super court of British Columbia in the above action for the sum of \$9.05.85 and \$3.50 cost of execution and interest at the rate of 5 per centum per annum from December 110.00 besides Sheriff's poundage. The 120 besides Sheriff's poundage can all other fogal incidental expenses, and the property of the British Columbia Carth. Sub and the British Columbia Carth. Sub and the sub-columbia carther the columbia columbia carther the cart

NOTICE.—The above sale has been postponed to Thursday, the 22nd day of March, at 11 o'clock a. m. F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.

March 5th, 1996.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer of my license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors from the premises, ore. Broad and Yates streets, to my present address, 50 Government street.

Dated this 3rd day of February, A. D., FRED, CARNE.

FOR SALE—Modern 7 roomed dwelling and two lots, on corner, at a bargain. (754.)

FOR SALE—Acreage on the Arm or Craignower road.

### BEAUMONT BOGGS Real Estate and Insura

Agent, 42 Fort St. GORDON HEAD-5 room cottage, 14 acres, over 600 fruit brees; very choice. COWICHAN VALLEY-100-dere farm over 39 acres cultivated and pasture, room house, barn, etc., 2 horses, 6 cow, 1 bull, implements; 15 minutes wal from chirch, school and post office; going concern; cheap, 44,00.

COWICHAN RIVER-160 acres, 15 acres cuttivated, 20 acres slashed, ½ mile rive frontage, 2 miles from Duncans; pric \$2,000.

SAANICH ROAD-10 acres, improved, cottage, barns, orchard, 20 trees bearing; price for quick sale, \$1,500.

PENDER ISLAND-75 acres bottom land, water frontage, part Section 1; price NORTH DAIRY-6 acres, mostly clear Cedar Hill cross road; price \$776. DENMAN ISLAND, COMOX DISTRICT

—|44 acres, 35 pasture, orchard, on salt
water, good land, 8 room house, barns;
price 31,568.

COTTAGE 50 acres, at Tyee Station 7 acres cultivated, 8 pasture; price only \$2,650.

SUBURBAN 2½ acres in fruit, 7 room dwelling, good water; price \$2,750, OAK BAY-Acreage and lots; also several cottages. COTTACE—Fronting Beacon Hill park, 2 lots in orchard, dwelling has electric light and is sewered; terms easy; price \$1.50.

OTTAGE-Esquimalt road (nearly new) DWELLING-Esquimalt read, modern and having pretty water outlook; price \$3,000.

TO LET-Cottage and 2 lots, Oak Bay, on water front; rent moderate. TO LET-No. 13 South Turner street. TO LET-N. W. corner of Dallas roand Menzies street, large comfortable house; rent \$22.50.

### FREE-"Home List," which contains list of cheap Vancouver Island farms.

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FOR SALE—A 6 roomed cottage and one lot on Stanley avenue, with all modern conveniences. (75L)

FOR SALE-5 roomed cottage, with all modern conveniences, within a block of the car and ten minutes from the centre of city. (738.) FOR SALE—New modern bungalow, with all modern conveniences, and close to Central school. (792.)

FOR SALE-In centre of city, large m

FOR SALE—Three and a half acres, all under cultivation, and aweiling of a rooms; this is within fifteen minutes walk of car. (3122.)

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TO LEASE 60 acres, in South Saanich, overlooking the sea, 40 acres cultivated new house of 7 rooms, barn, etc. ALSO 25 acres, about six miles from town.

FOR SALE-45 acres on the Kokosilah river, all good soil, and stream runs through property. (2833.)

FOR SALE—The only choice lots left in the Douglas Gardens. (2,995.)

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COTTAGE 51/2 acres in fruit; very cheap. DALLAS HOAD-N. E. corner Boyd and Dallas road; price \$755.

TO LET-No. 21 Parry street, sewered COTTAGE TO LET-Oak Bay.

FOR SALE-Handsome bungatow and two lots on Oak Bay avenue, all moders conveniences. (652.) FOR SALE-Handsome residence, or Dallas road, and two lots; this is a bar

FOR SALE-1/2 acre on Oak Bay avenue, cheap. (2264.) FOR SALE—Saanich, cleven miles from the city, 50 acres, of which 35 are culti-vated, 8 roomed house, barns, 29 fruit trees, terms and price os application (277).

FOR SALE—Two acres of choice land at Shoai Bay. (2215.)

crn aweling and three city lots, having a frontage of two principal streets, well adapted for large boarding house, school or hospital; cost \$19,500; our price, \$10,500. (622.)

FOR SALE Stanley avenue, new mos-ern house of 7 rooms, corner lot, as modern conveniences, will make any reasonable terms. (591.)

FOR SALE-Modern bungalow and two city lots, in best part of 'own, to be sold at nearly 30 per cent, below cost, (654.)

TO RENT-To let, cheap to good tenant, bar and twenty-two large and well lighted rooms, steam heated. (R.)

FOR SALE Metchosin District, 102 acres all fenced, 5 acres cleared, 15 acres bot tom land, dwelling of 2 rooms. (2852.)

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THE BOARD OF TRADE

ister of Inland Revenue, in Confer-

ence This Morning.

board of trade was held this morning

inland revenue, on matters of impor-

Owing to the unavoidable absence of

President Paterson, the chair was

trade and the people of Victoria,

public works department supply an en-

gineer to make such an estimate. When this was done the board would be furnished with particulars. Harbor improvements were considered at length. The proposition for breakwater between Holland Point an

Brotchie ledge was mentioned. But

the inner harbor was not suitable for ocean-going vessels—their proper place was at the outer wharves. The public works department had already an en-

gineer to look over suggested improve

ments to the inner harbor.

Mr. Templeman informed the board that the department of agriculture had decided on establishing twenty or thirty experimental farms, and that one of these would undoubtedly be

located on Vancouver Island.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF Messrs. L. Eaton & Co.

Stores of H.M.S. Egerla

ednesday. Laid Before Hon. Wm. Templeman, Mint the Navy Dockyard on darch 16th, at 11 o'clock. Instructed by Mrs. Bradley-Dyne and others they will sell at Sidney on Saturday, March 17th, at 10 o'clock, a number of Cattle; also Poultry, Farming Imple-

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—Preparations are under way for a social to be held in the local Salvation Army barracke on Thursday evening. March 18th, at 8 o'clock. A good time is anticipated, as there will be band selections and vocal numbers. As in the past the officers in charge will spare no pains in order to make this social an enjoyable and successful affair. Meetings are held on week days selections and vocal numbers. As in the past the officers in charge will spare no pains in order to make this social an enjoyable and successful affair. Meetings, are held on week days as follows: Mondays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p. m. for the public; Tuesday evenings for solders only, and Wednesday evening for band practice. From now on meetings will be comducted on Sundays as follows. First meeting at 10.40 a. m.; free and easy at 3 p., m., and salvation rally at 7.30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to be present at all services.

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# SIX HUNDRED

DURING FIGHT WITH TROOPS IN PHILIPPINES

with the object of conferring with the Hon. William Templeman, minister of

President Paterson, the chair was taken place near Jolo, congratulations were heartily joined in Fifteen enlisted men were killed, a Fifteen enlisted men were killed, a by all present, and Mr. Templeman, replying, assured the members that commissioned officer was wounded and four enlisted men were wounded. A four enlisted men were wounded. A naval contingent operating with the military, sustained 32 casualties. The Moros lost 609 men killed. Major-General Leornard Wood, com-mander of the division of the Philipevery effort would be put forth by him to meet the wishes of the board of

The first subject taken up was that

the cost of constructing a railway bridge over Seymour Narrows was discussed, and Mr. Templeman promised that he would endeavor to have the

POLICE INTERFERE

With West Coast Resident Who Has Been Looting Neighbor's Hut.

word has been received from Ciaoose by James Logan, who took such
a prominent part in the rescue work
in connection with the Valencia wreck,
and gave evidence before the board of
commissioners yesterday, to the effect
that some trouble is being experienced
with a resident of the West Coast.
James Robinson, the person in queatice some days are lifted a consider-

American Casualties Numbered Pifty

Two—Naval Detachment and Constability Assisted Soldiers.

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Two—Naval Detachment and Constability of canned goods and other articles belonging to Mr. Logan, who had stored them away in a small hut neighboring Nit-Nat lake. When appelen to he resented the interference, and, consequently, one of his neighbors reported to the provincial potice. Supt. Hussey immediately sent direc tions to Constable Cox, of Alberni, who

carrying out these directions. It is understood that Robinson drew a re-The first subject taken up was that of acquiring lot 1, 570B (Seht's point), which property belonged to the provincial government. The desire was to have it taken over by the Dominion in accordance with the suggestion of Col. Anderson, who recently visited Victoria in the interest of the government. Mr. Templeman approved of the suggestion, and promised that he would give it his immediate attention. The question of replacing the old dredge Mud Lark by a more up-to-date craft was brought up, and an estimate of the probable cost of a suitable dredger was asked. This also the minister of misand revenue undertook to attend to.

Adds to navigation was the next to-Logan believes that there will be seri-ous trouble unless he is handled judi-

attend to.

Aids to navigation was the next topic touched upon. This included many
points alluded to by Col. Gordeau durling his visit to Victoria in company
with the late Hon. Raymond Prefortume in 1904. Mr. Templeman promised
his warmest support in this matter,
and in doing so called attention to the
fact that many improvements had already taken place in the matter of sides
to ravigation.

The matter of pilotage was introduced and Mr. Templeman expressed
the opinion that the present charges
were excessive. However, he would
look into the matter on his return to
Ottawa.

The question of making Victoria a
free port was discussed and Mr. Templeman pointed out that this was a
question of considerable magnitude,
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already benefited to the extent of \$1. government. He alluded to the fact that the port of Montreal, which had already benefited to the extent of \$1.00,000 of Dominion expenditure, was now asking the government to take entire control. He would look into the matter with the proper authorities and tackle a distance of 200 feet into ways discriminate unjustly against Pauline Coast cities by charging higher rates on traffic originating in the Eastern Unit. The attacking columns were controlled to the fic Coast cities, or points entirely through American territory or parily through Canadian territory. Mr. Marlow, of Toronto, appeared for

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FATAL FORGETFULNESS

Music Hall Juggler Falled to Extract
Bullet From Pistor and Was
Shot.

A tragedy formed an unlooked for A tragedy formed an unlooked for part of the programme at a Basic mu-sic hall. A juggler, named Blumenfeld, who had been appearing there for sev-cial nights, had been in the habit of inviting one of the audience on to the stage, loading a pistol, and inviting him to fire at the performer. After the man had fired, the juggler would tak

man had fired, the juggler would take the bullet from his mouth or ear and smilingly hand at to the audience. Of course, the trick lay in the clever removal of the bullet from the pistol after it had been placed in the barrel. In full view of the audience. One night the pistol was duly load-ed, the man fired, and the juggler fell

to the stage with a shrick. The audience faughed, thinking it was part of the performance. When blood began to trickle from the juggler's forehead, the performance. When blood began to trickle from the juggler's forehead, consternation seized the audience. An attendant rushed to Blumenfeld, and found that he had been shot dead.

The bullet had entered the forehead and passed through the brain. The

builet.

The man who shot the juggler is a young clerk, and he was half paralyzed young clerk, and he was half paralyzed. by terror when he knew what he had done. Blumenfeld had performed his stol trick hundreds of times.

H M S Shearwater returned from Knight's inlet this afternoon, been away about a month.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OST—Thursday morning, near Drill Hall, two pupples, one Gordon and one Irish setter. Reward at Challoner & Mitchell's. Anyone detaining them after this notice will be prosecuted.

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