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- Caledonia Ave., 5 roomed 2 story house for sale, 2,000
- Superior St., 7 roomed house, hot and cold water, sewer connections, cheap, 2,000
- Quadrant St., a splendid chance to purchase a home, 7 roomed house, with all conveniences, lot 60x120, reduced to 2,700
- Harrison St., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared, small house, splendid settings of water, to be sold cheap, 1,700
- Metcalfe, 100 acres, with 8 roomed modern house, stable, barn, etc., 1,500

LOTS FOR SALE.

Pandora St., three splendid corner lots, for sale, \$2,500

Off Oak Bay Ave., fine lots for sale, 125

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If you want a good sack of Island grown ripe potatoes, ring up Sylvester Feed Co., Ltd., CITY MARKET.

WIRE TROUBLES.

Owing to trouble with the wires the Times is again without its full service of telegraphic news to-day.

PROPOSED FAST STEAMERS.

Railway Will Have to Be Built to Connect With East Coast of Ireland.

(Associated Press.)
London, Aug. 17.—Although little is known in Ireland with regard to the proposed new line of steamers between Berehaven and America the project is regarded in that country as of the utmost importance. In addition to giving employment to an army of men on the actual labor works at Berehaven, the Irish people say it is quite within the bounds of probability that the completion of this work will lead to important railway developments. Certainly a harbor at Berehaven would be of no use to Dublin or to the Atlantic without an express railway service to Dublin or some other port on the east coast of Ireland, from where the passengers could make their way rapidly to London. At present the whole scheme appears to be very much in the air.

HOUSE OF COMMONS PROROGUED TO-DAY

MEMBERS ARE WEARY AFTER SESSION'S WORK

Lord Mountmorris Is Alleged to Have Written Article For Which Editor and Publisher Were Reprimanded.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 17.—Parliament will be prorogued to-day after the phenomenal dull season during which the government has done little except replenish the war chest, while the demoralized Liberals have been sowing the wind after plowing the sands, says the London correspondent of the Tribune.

The Irish members have been kept well in hand by Mr. Redmond, and have strengthened the Home Rule cause by persistence in tactics of their own. The breach of privilege committed by the Tory Globe enabled the Nationalists to vindicate their dignity after the English members had shown themselves less sensitive to the insult.

Mr. Armstrong, recalled in hot haste from a holiday vacation, joined the publisher, Mr. Madge, in expressing regret for having affronted the Irish members, and shared with him the burden of the Speaker's reprimand. The Nationalists affected seriousness over the gravity of the offense, but were highly amused by the episode.

Mr. Armstrong is a son of Sir George Armstrong, sub-owner of the Globe, and resigned from the navy in order to edit the journal. The article which excited the resentment of Nationalists is alleged to have been written by Lord Mountmorris, whose father was murdered in England.

CLOSING THE BRIDGES.

(Special to the Times.)

New Westminster, Aug. 17.—David Robson, government agent at New Westminster, had an exciting time at Eburne on Thursday afternoon when he attempted to close the bridges condemned by the government. A continual stream of traffic was going over the bridges, and from Stevenson, and after fighting for three hours with pedestrians and teams he managed to close one of them. When he landed on the shore and went to close the other one he was met by an angry crowd of travelers, who threatened to put him on the swing of the bridge and leave him there over night. Finally, however, he managed to get both closed, but did not get back to this city till after midnight. One of the bridges has since been reopened by order of the government.

PRIZE LIST ISSUED FOR COMING SHOW

ATTRACTIVE PAMPHLET—LOTS OF INFORMATION

Ten Thousand Copies Have Been Published, Many of Which Will Be Mailed Away—Carefully Arranged.

The prize list for the exhibition of the B. C. Articultural Association, which will be held here from October 1st to the 5th, has just been issued. Ten thousand copies have been published, the majority of which are being mailed to various points where they certainly cannot fail to create a favorable impression and awaken keen interest.

For several reasons they reflect great credit on those responsible for their production. Best-constituted information about the approaching exhibition, there is a considerable quantity of matter descriptive of the resources of this province, while a brief sketch of the advantages, residential and commercial, of Victoria forms a fitting conclusion. On the frontispiece is the reproduction of Bell-Smith's portrait of Her Majesty, the late Queen, and following this are pictures of His Majesty the King, Queen Alexandra, the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. There are representations of the principal streets and buildings, views of the Park and Gorge, Esquimalt and other points of interest about the city.

Pictures of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Lieut. Governor Jule are also reproduced. The first few pages of reading matter are devoted to the constitution of the association, and the rules and regulations governing the coming exhibition. Then follow special notices, the history of the Dairymen's and Live Stock Association, and the prize list, which is very complete and exhaustive. Preliminary to each department is a sketch of the growth of that branch of industry represented by it, and everything is arranged adequately and accurately. The large number of advertisements appearing in the B. C. Advocate, that the special prizes it might be noted that the \$200 presented by the C. P. R. railway is to be devoted to prizes for district exhibits, the association adding \$200, and offering a bonus of \$50 for each exhibitor showing made by a district. The first prize for the best exhibit on display is to be \$250, and the second \$150.

The special prize list follows:

Division I.—Horses.

Presented by the Victoria Farmers' Institute, for the best draught sucking colt, \$10.

Presented by the Savoy theatre, for the best driving horse, \$20.

Presented by the Delmonico theatre, for the best roadster, three years old, \$1.

Presented by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., for the best draught colt by "Newman"—1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5.

Presented by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., for the best colt by "Carvel"—1st, \$10; 2nd, \$5.

Presented by H. D. Helmecker, K. C., M. P., for the best draught horse, silver cup.

Presented by Dr. R. Hamilton, M. B. C. V. S., for the best draught brood mare, with foal at foot, gold medal.

Presented by W. Jackson, for the best 8-hand pony, goods to the value of \$5.

Presented by C. E. Schilling, for the best draught horse, by help, roadster, cake, value \$20.

Presented by W. Duncan, for best pony under 12 hands, goods to value of \$5.

Presented by the Colonist P. & P. Co., for best driving horse, semi-weekly Colting for one year.

Presented by J. T. Wilkinson, Vancouver, for best entire or filly, three years old, sired by standard-bred trotting stallion "Colloquy," No. 18,051, \$55.

For best entire or filly, two and a half years old, sired by standard-bred trotting stallion "Colloquy," No. 18,051, \$25.

For best entire or filly, one year old, sired by standard-bred trotting stallion "Colloquy," No. 18,051, \$15.

For best foal of 1901, sired by standard-bred trotting stallion "Colloquy," No. 18,051, \$5.

Presented by S. M. Robins, J. P., Napanee, for best pair of carriage horses—1st, \$15; 2nd, \$10.

Presented by B. C. Saddlery Co., A. S. Wade, manager, for best ladies' saddle horse, \$10.

Presented by E. R. Pemberton, Victoria, for best gentleman's saddle horse, \$10.

Presented by E. G. Prior & Co., Limited, Victoria, Vancouver and Kamloops, for best British Columbia-bred single driver or exhibition, one Brantford spiral spring road cart.

Presented by the Canadian Bank of

Commerce, for the best draught colt, yearling, raised in the province, silver medal.

Division II.—Cattle.

Presented by Dairymen's and Live Stock Association of British Columbia, for the best registered bull of the dairy breeds on the grounds, \$25.

Presented by Dairymen's and Live Stock Association of British Columbia, for the cow giving most butter fat during 48 hours of exhibition, \$25.

Presented by Dr. S. F. Tolmie, V. S., for best animal in beef classes, \$20.

Presented by the Victoria Farmers' Institute, for cow giving most butter, three days' test, \$15.

Presented by B. Williams & Co., for best Jersey cow, clothing to the value of \$10.

Presented by W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., for the best bull of any class, \$10.

Presented by the Colonist Printing & Publishing Co., for best Jersey cow and calf, Daily Colonist for one year.

Presented by S. M. Robins, J. P., for best exhibit of cattle, the bona fide property of the exhibitor, who must be a resident of the province, \$25.

Division III.—Sheep.

Presented by the Vancouver Island Flockmasters' Association, for the best pair of pedigree Southdown lambs bred in the province, pen to consist of one ram and one ewe lamb, silver cup.

Presented by the Vancouver Island Flockmasters' Association, for the best pen of pedigree Shropshire lambs bred in the province, pen to consist of one ram and one ewe lamb, silver cup.

Presented by Beaumont Boggs, secretary, for the best pen of Southdowns, either sex, \$10.

Presented by W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., for the best pen of lambs (two ewes and one ram), \$10.

Presented by C. A. Holand, for best yearling ram of any class, \$10.

Presented by the Times Printing & Publishing Company, to the exhibitor winning the largest number of prizes in Division III.—1st, Daily Times for one year; 2nd, semi-weekly Times for one year.

Division IV.—Pigs.

Presented by W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., for the best pig or hog, any class, \$10.

Presented by the Times Printing & Publishing Company, to the exhibitor winning the largest number of prizes in Division IV.—1st, Daily Times for one year; 2nd, semi-weekly Times for one year.

Division V.—Poultry.

Presented by Dr. G. L. Milre, for the best Black Minorca pullet (other than exhibited by donor), prize article; for the best Brown 8-C Leuchers pullet (other than exhibited by donor), prize article; for the best Brown S. C. Leghorn cockerel (other than exhibited by donor), prize article; for the best White Wyandotte cockerel and pullet (other than exhibited by donor), prize article; for the best White Wyandotte cockerel and pullet (other than exhibited by donor), prize article.

Presented by Mrs. H. L. Bradley-Dyne, for the best pair of dressed fowls—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$1.

Presented by Ian Blair, for six best dressed broilers; open to province only, \$25.

Presented by the Pacific Cigar Company, for the best broiler turkey, box of 12, \$10.

Presented by W. H. Hayward, M. P. P., for the best poultry display made by one exhibitor, \$10.

Division VI.—Agricultural Products.

Presented by Canadian Bank of Commerce for the best bushel of wheat grown in the province. Silver medal.

Presented by C. Bonett, for the three heaviest and best roots grown from Messrs. Sutton & Sons' Magnum Bonum swede roots to be the property of the prize-giver, \$5.

For the three heaviest and best roots grown from Messrs. Sutton & Sons' prize winner globe mangel seed roots to be the property of the prize-giver, \$5.

Presented by Messrs. Jay & Co., for the best collection of food products raised for cattle food and grown from seeds supplied by Messrs. Jay & Co., silver cup.

For the best collection of vegetables grown from seed or plants supplied by Messrs. Jay & Co., silver cup.

Presented by George H. Maynard, for best swede turnips, one pair top boots (value \$5).

Presented by J. T. Burrows, for best collection of potatoes, one pair trousers (value \$6).

Presented by the Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, for the best collection of vegetables, one copy of Daily Colonist for one year.

Presented by Messrs. Jay & Co., for best collection of cut flowers, 175 varieties, grown from seeds or plants supplied by Messrs. Jay & Co., silver cup.

Presented by J. R. Anderson for the best collection of grasses, correctly named, cultivated by native, not less than 50 varieties, whole plants to be exhibited, to be taken up by roots and at time of flowering, \$5.

Presented by R. Lawritz for best collection of rose blooms, with long stems, not less than three each, 12 rose plants, for best sample of crab apples, ten or coffee to the value of \$2.

Presented by H. Lawritz for best collection of dressed apples (five of each), 12 rose plants.

Presented by J. Cochrane, for best collection of asters, goods to the value of \$5.

Division VII.—Horticultural Department.

Presented by Messrs. Jay & Co., for best collection of cut flowers, 175 varieties, grown from seeds or plants supplied by Messrs. Jay & Co., silver cup.

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Division VIII.—Miscellaneous.

Presented by Messrs. Small & Pad-dick, for best sample of crab apples, ten or coffee to the value of \$2.

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Division IX.—Miscellaneous.

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Division X.—Miscellaneous.

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Division XI.—Miscellaneous.

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Division XII.—Miscellaneous.

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Presented by H. Lawritz for best collection of dressed apples (five of each), 12 rose plants.

Presented by J. Cochrane, for best collection of asters, goods to the value of \$5.

Division XIII.—Miscellaneous.

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Division XIV.—Miscellaneous.

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Division XIX.—Miscellaneous.

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Division XX.—Miscellaneous.

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Presented by H. Lawritz for best collection of dressed apples (five of each), 12 rose plants.

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THE PUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF OF TEACHERS

ASSIGNMENTS TO THE VARIOUS DIVISIONS

Personnel of Pedagogues as Recently Arranged, Showing Their Positions—Studies Resume Monday.

The following is the assignment of public school teachers to their respective schools and divisions for the ensuing term:

High School.

Division 1. E. B. Paul, M.A. (principal); 2. A. J. Pines, M.A.; 3. E. H. Russell, B.A.; 4. Rosalind Watson, M.A.; 5. S. J. Willis, B.A. (pro tem).

Boys' Central.

Division 1. J. D. Gillis (principal); 2. J. F. Sallaway; 3. W. H. M. May; 4. Miss E. E. Sylvester; 5. Miss M. McKenzie; 6. Mrs. A. W. Taylor; 7. (substitute); 8. Miss A. Nason.

Girls' Central.

Division 1. Miss M. Williams (principal); 2. Miss L. A. F. Barron; 3. (substitute); 4. Miss S. A. Robinson; 5. Miss M. Lawson; 6. Miss E. S. Shrapnel; 7. Miss F. A. Brown; 8. Miss I. M. F. Barron.

South Park.

Division 1. Miss A. D. Cameron (principal); 2. Miss L. M. Spence; 3. Mr. W. N. Winsley; 4. Mr. D. S. Tait; 5. Miss L. M. Powell; 6. Miss C. McGregor, B.A.; 7. Miss A. E. Fraser, B.A.; 8. Miss M. C. MacLean.

Kingston Street.

Division 1. Miss Flora Fraser; 2. (substitute); 3. Miss E. G. Lawson (principal).

Spring Ridge.

Division 1. Miss A. Russell (principal); 2. Miss M. S. Blackburne; 3. (substitute); 4. Miss M. H. Winter.

Victoria West.

Division 1. Mr. L. Tait (principal); 2. Miss A. F. Gardner; 3. Mr. L. A. Campbell; 4. Miss M. Johnson (pro tem); 5. Miss S. C. R. Pope; 6. Miss E. Nesbet.

Hillside.

Division 1. Miss S. Blackwell (principal); 2. Miss C. N. Anderson; 3. Miss M. Lucas.

North Ward.

Division 1. Mr. A. B. McNeill (principal); 2. Miss C. A. Down; 3. I. M. Campbell; 4. B. R. Simpson, B.A.; 5. Miss N. E. Marchant; 6. Miss S. J. Murton; 7. Miss A. Sprague; 8. Miss A. Noble; 9. Miss L. Tingley.

Rick Bay.

Division 1. Miss E. L. Lepage; 2. Mrs. M. Wheeler (principal).

The schools will reopen on Monday, and already a large number of campers have returned to the city in order that the children may be on hand at the commencement of the new term.

VISITORS WELCOMED.

Steamer Charmer Arrived This Afternoon With Large Contingent of Excursionists.

The steamer Charmer arrived this afternoon from Vancouver carrying a large crowd of excursionists, who accompanied the members of the I. O. O. F. of Vancouver on their visit to this city.

The members of the Three Links were met and welcomed by the Capital City by a large number of excursionists, representing the I. O. O. F. societies.

Excursionists from the Mitchell were invited to an informal reception at the Oddfellows' hall, Douglas street, where light refreshments were served, after which the visitors were escorted through the city.

The Daughters of Rebecca were on hand and added materially to entertaining the excursionists. The visitors expressed themselves as delighted with their reception, which reflects great credit upon the local societies, as they had a very short time in which to make preparations.

The visitors will spend the remainder of today in the city, and will leave tomorrow morning or on this evening's boat.

TRIED TO JUMP OVERBOARD.

Aulia Winterhalter Attempted to Commit Suicide From the Charmer.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Aug. 17.—A girl named Aulia Winterhalter was brought over from Victoria this morning by Mrs. Grant to be taken to the Sisters' Home. She attempted to jump off the boat and commit suicide on the way across, and could not be restrained. She was being taken in a cab up town when she suddenly jumped out and escaped. A Victoria policeman was stationed, and the girl, with her hair flying in the air, rushed down through Corby and Hastings streets. She lost the chance for half a dozen blocks, and was finally captured by Police Officer McLean. The girl was with difficulty taken to the Sisters' Home.

A. J. Heath, a fisherman, of Westminister, was found drowned last night on the North Arm.

The meeting to amalgamate the various clubs, held yesterday, did not meet with success; although a team will probably be formed to go East to contest the minor cup.

Herbert Tackaberry, of Orlawa, Ont., was fatally shot at Saratoga, N. Y., yesterday by Joseph C. Banks, of Seneca Falls. Banks is under arrest for murder. He claims he shot in self-defense.

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TERMS OF COMPANY NOT SATISFACTORY

CIRCULAR FROM WILSON TO THE C.P.R. TRACKMEN

The President Thinks the Strike Should Be Settled By Arbitration—Accident on Intercolonial Railway.

Montreal, Aug. 16.—On receipt of the conciliation committee's report...

London, Aug. 16.—The situation yesterday was quiet everywhere, the government offices being closed in commemoration of the feast of the Assumption.

OUTLOOK IN INDIA.

Lord George Hamilton Presents Financial Statement to House of Commons.

London, Aug. 16.—Lord George Hamilton, Indian commissioner, in the House of Commons to-day, presented the financial statement for India.

TROOPS IN PEKIN.

They Have Not Yet Moved From the Public Buildings.

Pekin, Aug. 16.—The troops of the powers have not yet evacuated the public buildings.

At a meeting of the Federated Trades Council...

Bonus for Steel Shipyard.

Collision on Intercolonial.

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 16.—Amos Sharpe, driver of the Maritime Express, died here at 8:40 this morning.

St. John's, N. S., Aug. 16.—A collision with a freight train at As-sam-et-quahgan, Que.

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SEVERAL WITNESSES BEFORE COMMISSION

WARDEN OF THE JAIL CONTINUES STATEMENT

Further Evidence at the New Westminster Jail Inquiry—Guards Recalled—Matron on the Witness Stand.

Warden Armstrong's evidence was practically concluded at Wednesday afternoon's session of the New Westminster jail inquiry...

Marshall here said the man used his exercise hours to pace his cell, and witness wanted him to have his recreation later.

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The warden said it was now evident, since the inquiry, that it is impossible to keep discipline in the jail.

Marshall here said the man used his exercise hours to pace his cell, and witness wanted him to have his recreation later.

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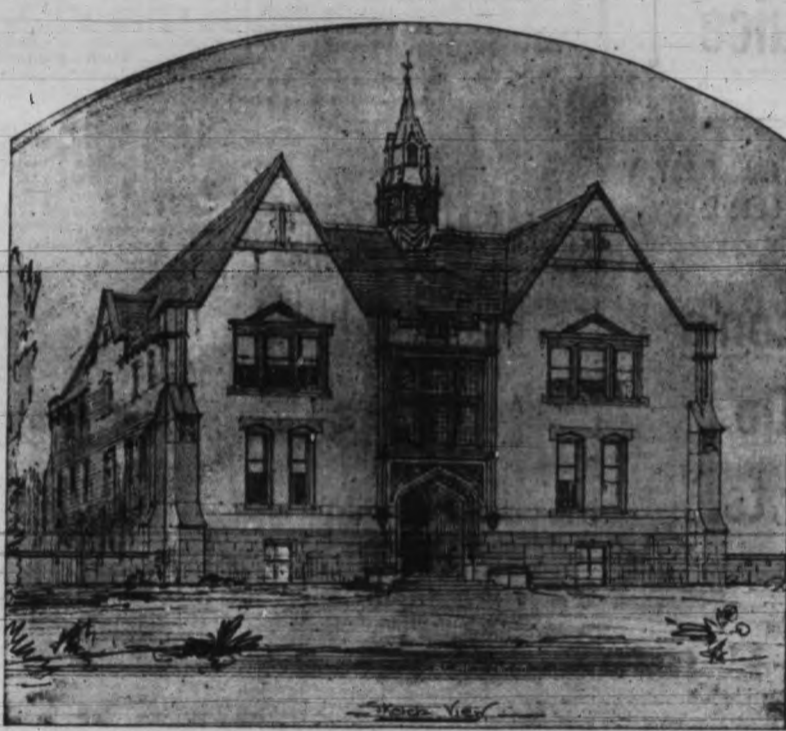
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Nanaimo, Aug. 16.—Chinatown in Cumberland has been burned.

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The arrangement of the school is exceedingly simple; a large, handsome staircase gives immediate access to each of the three floors, on to a centre hall, round which the class rooms are grouped, every class room being lighted in the most approved manner from the left side.

The lower story is devoted to the heating plant and to covered cloisters or playgrounds. The great feature of the plan is that while it contains all the essential features of a well lighted, well ventilated and handsome structure, it is remarkably economical in arrangement, all waste space being avoided.

The architect is F. M. Hattenbury, whose plans were selected in the recent competition.

not want to hear his trash unless he could give him names and other particulars. The warden admitted he played solitaire almost every day. It did not interfere with his duties. He did not use offensive language to "Blackie." Witness put "Blackie" out of the kitchen hole under the wall during his first sentence. Some prisoners had received money from the outside.

Marshall recalled, said for three years he had the feeling within him that the warden was not what he could look up to. He did not report to the authorities because he would have lost his job. To the judge he said he was not satisfied with the result of the last investigation. He said the judge did not get all the truth. He denied he had been sworn to tell "all the truth" on that occasion. He admitted he could have told more than he did. The judge here called his attention to a certain entry he had made about the prisoner Teague. He could not remember what caused him to change Teague's initials. There was only one man Teague. Later he said it was Charlie Teague and then after looking at the book said there was a George Teague. Teague and Thompson had been charged with fighting.

The warden, resuming, said he did not think Blackie had been concerned with an attempt to break into the store room. There had been several such attempts. George Collins did try to cut an iron bar. Marshall frequently laid out in the office with him. Conversation always was broken off when the warden appeared. He first knew of May Evans's escape from Marshall at a friend's house. Marshall could not tell him any particulars. Marshall was in charge of the jail and left his post of duty to bring the woman back, and gave no explanation. He reported the matter to the attorney-general and May was committed for trial. He did not report Marshall as being lax in leaving his post. Miss Armstrong, witness's sister, reported to him how they had missed May from the house. He was not aware no one was there except the boys when May escaped. He could not remember how he came into possession of a letter supposed to be written by the prisoner McKenzle, charging

O'Connor this, but qualified it by saying one key might do, and he did not tell O'Connor Fleming was his authority.

Fleming was also again recalled and emphatically denied ever telling Marshall anything of the kind. He never mentioned the safe to him in his life. He never told him Webber was making a broad key.

The commission resumed on Thursday. Mrs. Beattie, the matron, sworn about mid-January last Rosy told her there had been some bad behavior by the Indian woman. Witness asked the Indian woman why she had not reported it before McKinnon left the jail, and she said she was afraid. Witness reported it to the warden only. At that time there was only the Indian woman in the ward, and it was not long before she was discharged. This woman had admitted McKinnon had visited her on one occasion in the bath room. Rosy made such a fuss about putting the Indian woman in the same ward that they were separated. Rosy and May were somewhat noisy and she preferred removing them to the hospital, where she had

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BEFORE THE BAR.

Editor and Manager of London Globe Reprimanded by Speaker of Commons.

London, Aug. 16.—In the House of Commons today G. E. Armstrong, a former lieutenant of the British navy, editor of the Globe, and W. T. Madge, manager of that paper, attended the bar in the custody of the sergeant-at-arms, in accordance with the summons of the house, for gross breach of the privileges of the house in accusing the Nationalist members of corruption in connection with private bill legislation.

After the speaker, William Court Gully, notified them of the cause of the summons, both Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Madge expressed regret at the appearance of the article and apologized to the delinquents to withdraw while the house considered the matter. Both the editor and manager amidst the derisive cheers of the Nationalists.

After a protest from John Redmond, the Nationalist leader, against the inadequacy of the apology, the offenders were recalled and asked if they were prepared to withdraw the allegations. This they did in somewhat nervous tones. The speaker then reprimanded them severely, and the two newspapermen were permitted to depart, the members of the house jeeringly congratulating them on their respite from imprisonment in the Tower.

TO ENGAGE BOTH.

Force Under Kitchener is Proceeding against the Boer Leader.

Durban, Aug. 6.—Lord Kitchener, with a force, is moving on Houtwoud, on the border of Zululand, where Gen. Botha is reported to have concentrated 400 Boers. An important engagement is expected to ensue.

The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener, dated Pretoria, August 15th:

"While a party of 50 of French's Scouts were proceeding to join a column near Bethesda they were surrounded in the hills by a superior force under Theron and surrendered. One was killed and three wounded, Capt. Bethelheim dangerously."

Lord Kitchener does not give the date, but the casualty list indicates August 8th.

A CASSETT OF PEARLS—Dr. Venstan's Pigeon Tablets would prove a great solace to the disheartened dyspeptic, if he would but test their potency. They're veritable gems in preventing the seating of stomach disorders, by aiding and stimulating digestion—60 of these health "pearls" in a box, and they cost 25 cents. Recommended by some eminent physicians. Sold by Deen & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.—64.

CLIFFORD SIFTON ANSWERS TELEGRAM

MINERS WHO HAND GOLD TO OFFICE GET REBATE

Question Still Open as to Whether Refund Will Be Issued to Companies Which Mine the Dust.

At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the minister of finance received a reply from Hon. Clifford Sifton to the long dispatch which the minister of the interior, asking for further information in regard to the issuing of a rebate here, and particularly with regard to the offer of the N. A. T. Company, through Secretary Swenson, to sell their gold in Victoria. The question put to the minister of the interior by the department of finance was whether the rebate would apply to mercantile and trading companies bringing their gold to the assay office here.

In reply to this question the minister of the interior replies that "the refund applies to miners only, who in person hand gold to assay office, accompanied by certificates that royalty thereon has been paid."

While this seems to be conclusive in regard to gold obtained by the N. A. T. Company in the way of trade, it still leaves open the question of a rebate to that and similar companies on gold which they have themselves mined, and on which they have paid a royalty. The N. A. T. Company is not only an immense trading and transportation company; it is also an extensive mining company, and is to-day operating several of the richest properties in the north. It is estimated by a gentleman who has recently returned from Dawson to Victoria that the N. A. T. Company will have a clean-up of between \$300,000 and \$400,000 from their claims on the Dawson reefs. Upon the gold obtained from these properties the company in question will have to pay the regular five per cent. royalty, and should they present their certificates at the local treasury through a properly accredited officer of the organization, it is difficult to see how the payment of the one per cent. rebate could be refused. This is the view taken by the officials of the department of finance, and it will doubtless form the subject of further communication with Ottawa as to company certificates of royalty having been paid, may be presented to the department at any time.

In his telegram of yesterday the minister also conveyed authority to the local government to accept a voucher from the gold commissioner at White Horse in lieu of the certificate of royalty. It has been the practice of the commissioner there to retain the proper certificate and issue a memorandum to the miner, and the treasury had some hesitancy about accepting this as a proper certificate. The necessary authority has, however, been given and henceforward there will be no question on the point.

SYDNEY OR HALIFAX

Will Be Canadian Port of Call for New Trans-Atlantic Liners.

London, Aug. 16.—S. G. Fraser, the Dublin engineer who has prepared plans for the new harbor at Berehaven, Bannry Bay, Ireland, in connection with the proposed steamship line which is to have steamers capable of crossing the Atlantic in four and a half days, informed a representative of the Associated Press today that the line will consist of six large steamers, four for the New York and two for the Canadian trade. It is the intention to burn Texas oil. The Canadian port will be Sydney or Halifax.

By building 65 miles of railroad and connecting Berehaven with all the Welsh lines the new company will be able to take passengers and mails from Berehaven to London in twelve hours, thus landing passengers in New York and London in five days. The English port will be Liverpool or Southampton until the new works at Dover are completed.

Austrian Chamberlain, Gerald Balfour, and George Wyndham, respectively the financial secretary to the treasury, the president of the board of trade and chief secretary for Ireland, besides Lord James of Hereford, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, actively supported the bill. Mr. Fraser says much American capital is interested in the scheme

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4. The body works, not like one machine but like many, distinctly separate in their uses.

5. This is the only regime by which perfect appetite is established, perfect assimilation of food obtained and perfect nutrition secured for building up a new body.

6. The exhilaration produced by Ralston Culture attracts the pure elements of the blood, destroys bad tissue and creates good flesh.

7. Over development is due to fat, and Ralston Culture destroys this fat.

8. Shrunken flesh or thinness is due to lack of nutrition, not to diet, but to the stunted growth of the body. See No. 5 above.

9. Ralston Culture differs from work in that it sustains the body with a pleasurable excitement and builds up a vigorous vitality, while work, without relaxation, deforms the shape, cracks the fingers, depresses the chest and bends the spine.

10. Ralston Culture adopts the play-principle and yet differs from play in that it benefits all the functions and parts of the body without strain or loss, while play develops certain parts to excess.

11. New flesh and increased vitality will throw off maladies that medicines are unable to overcome.

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A PAVEMENT OF GLASS.

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VICTORIA IS FAVORED, VIDE WEATHER REPORT

Does Not Get Sweltering Heat Waves Like Other Communities—Not Warm Enough For Men's Shirt Waists.

This city has been singularly blessed in its immunity from the sweltering heat which makes life a burden in many of the less fortunate communities. In fact on the authority of the "weather man," Mr. Baynes Reed, it can be stated that Victoria has had no hot weather this year. No one will dispute the fact that it has been warm, but according to meteorological statistics this favored community is an Eden for uniform summer temperature.

A glance at the figures would appear to convince one that each year sees a decrease in the maximum temperature of heat that is, during the past three years at least.

In 1899 the thermometer registered 90.1 degrees, and those who remember that period will appreciate the present delightful weather.

In July last year the highest mark reached was 70.6, while this year the maximum has been 74.78. There is a strong possibility that Victoria may get it stronger yet, but the community will fervently hope that the mercury will remain where it is for a while. Ordinarily, the hottest month of the year has been July. Not often has August entered into formidable competition, although in 1898 it went 88 in August, and 85.5 in the previous year. But this latter period was an exceptional one, as in May as high as 83 was registered. Victoria really gets no heat waves. The period of extreme warmth may be called a heated term.

The real article in this respect is felt in the interior localities, or, at this time, between the ranges in the western part of the United States. Washington, however, has had it with a vengeance, the maximum being 102 the other day at Walla Walla. It may appear strange that there are so many heat prostrations in New York and the Eastern American cities when 80 degrees is registered.

Mr. Reed attributes these rather vitiated atmosphere than to the heat, and in explanation points out that on the plains, for instance, where the heat is very intense, one never hears of heat prostrations. There is, consequently, no justification for the male sex of Victoria adopting the shirt waist. Of course this being a very tolerant community, no great objection would be registered, as in Chicago, but it is hardly warm enough for the introduction of such an innovation. It is said that a gentleman was observed in a carriage the other day in this apparel, but if such be the case he has not been seen or heard of since.

DIFFERENT LAUGHS.

Sometimes, however, we judge the laughter of men who say what is funny in quite a different way. We do not think it arises from the perception of the intellectual relations of the representations involved, but rather from a feeling of the promotion of some interest. There are laughs of triumph and laughs of scorn. These are merely considered indicative of certain states of feeling of which we may not approve, but not to imply anything which would make us think less of the person's wit or humor. If a Voltairer wears a malicious smile, we attribute this merely to his character. In fact, so commonly is laughter connected with a pleasure in the perception of the promotion of some interest that many physiologists overlook the disinterested pleasure. But it is the pleasure taken in the perception of the intellectual relations of representations that explains why that which involves the promotion of an interest is regarded in the particular way in which these relations become apparent. In order to make something pleasurable, it is put in a certain form which would not be better than certain others were it not that there is a disinterested pleasure in what is laughable. This disinterested pleasure, and the desire to enjoy it, makes others then adopt the point of view which renders it possible. This is what makes ridiculous such a dangerous weapon; for, more than anything else, it makes us take a required standpoint, and this, very often, is half the battle.—The Westminster Review.

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Mining News

Enlarging Gravelly Smelter.

A dispatch from Grand Forks, says: Good progress in the work of enlarging the gravelly smelter is being made. Late troubles in the United States, however, have delayed the completion of some of the machinery. One carload of electrical machinery, valued at \$10,000 and two additional carloads with other machinery is expected before Saturday.

The extended foundations have been completed. The power plant will be increased by a 250-horse-power horizontal turbine water wheel and a 250-horse-power electric generator directly connected with the water wheel, making a total of 500-horse-power developed for the use of the smelter. This is exclusive of 850-horse-power developed for the city of Grand Forks, the total power thus developed on the Kettle river being 1,350-horse-power. There will also be added an additional triplex power pump, which will supply an additional 750,000 gallons of water daily for granulating the slag, and for the water-jackets.

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Several matters of importance to British Columbia industries were formally discussed, such as trade for the salmon fishery, duty upon imported lumber and shingles, freight rates, etc., and it was suggested that the province should send a delegate to the annual meeting of the association, which will be held in Montreal on November 5th and 6th, and which will be attended by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and several hundred Canadian manufacturers. These matters could be brought forward at that meeting by the delegates and united action would probably result from the representations then made.—Vancouver News-Advertiser.

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When the time is up for the final move the artful dodgers are not likely to find the Premier a mere figure on the board. He has been used to having his way for a considerable number of years now, and it is our belief that in this case his way is not that of Messrs. Elberts and McBride. In case the disruptionists think they are the stronger party, there are two courses for the Premier to pursue, resign or appeal to the country. As a perfectly disinterested party, the Times believes that notwithstanding the unpopularity of some of the acts of the Dussanuir government, the political head and the ornamental head would both disappear in a general election. Neither is there much to fear from Mr. Houston and his personal following.

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CABINET COMPLICATIONS. In referring to the resignation of the leader of His Majesty's loyal opposition in New Zealand on the ground that there appeared to be no field for the exercise of his talents, the Toronto Globe wryly suggested that the chiefs of the Conservative opposition in the various provincial legislatures might as well follow his example, as they are neither advancing their personal fortunes nor strengthening the cause of their party by their efforts. The Toronto paper, however, expressed its belief that there was work for an opposition in British Columbia. If the editor had sat in the gallery of the House here during the late session he might have had his belief confirmed that the field of usefulness for an opposition was extensive, but he would surely have wondered why its leaders failed to take advantage of their opportunities. There are good reasons for the belief that the unsettled, waiting-for-something-to-turn-up state of feeling in the Legislature exactly typifies the present situation within the cabinet. Mr. Turner has for some time realized that his day is done, and he does not care to take any part in the schemes of the men who are anxious to impart a decided political complexion to the government. He will soon be out of the way, and the intrigues are now actively at work perfecting their designs. The member for Nelson was made a confidant of the conspirators, and through his office he has often been induced enough to betray them or the Tribune was used as the vehicle of threatening the Premier with what might happen if he refused to fall in with the designs. The successor of Mr. Turner must not only be a man of the right party complexion, but all who are not of the true faith must be turned out of the government and their places filled with believers. Mr. Wells, the one efficient administrator in charge of a department, the only cabinet minister with whose departmental work no fault could be found and who was generously complimented by both sides for his efficiency, and Mr. Prentice, who is certainly better qualified for his duties than the Minister of Mines who acquired mining experience in a law office—these two men are to be cast out and the three vacancies created are to be filled by the appointment of Messrs. Green, Wilson (for Houston) and Tatlow. Mr. Eberts, whose record has been tarnished till it shines like fine gold in recent revelations, is to be retained as political head, and if the Premier proves obstinate, he may be made the actual head of the cabinet. That is the conspiracy as revealed by articles in the Nelson Tribune and by developments across the bay. The following from Mr. Houston's paper indicates very fairly the attitude of the member for Nelson towards certain members of the government: "Royalston wants \$5,000 for a new public school building, but the board of school trustees and the city council have been told to wait until next spring. Royalston also wants a school building and refuses to contribute a cent towards its cost, but instead of telling them to

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MR. VINCENT'S CONVERSION. Regina Leader. "If you have tears to shed prepare to shed them now." That is the only consolation we can give the Conservatives on the desertion from them of Mr. Howard Vincent. He was their god, their hero, who was to give effect in Great Britain to Sir Charles Tupper's fantastical inter-imperial preferential tariff. And now, alas! Mr. Howard Vincent has come over to us and has endorsed the policy of the present Dominion government. Here are his words: The recent vote in the British House of Commons, he says, "in no way represented the great depth of public gratitude to Canada for inaugurating British preferential trade the moment the hands of her statesmen were freed by the denunciation of restraining treaties." As a result of that denunciation, he says, "Canada has been enabled to take the first practical step in the great movement which will result in giving a preference to all British goods in all British markets, and she is to-day admitting oil produce to her markets on terms far more favorable than those she accords to the produce of the foreigner. That will never be forgotten by the people of England. Blood is thicker than water. From Liverpool and Sheffield, from Canterbury and northernmost Scotland, from Yorkshire and Lancashire, came expressions from the true representatives of the workingmen of grateful appreciation to Canada—of desire to show it by deeds. Let us then go forward, not discouraged by passing checks. As we swept away the obstacles, so did you sweep away the other obstacles on our path."

THE RULE OF THE MONEY KING. Mail and Empire. John D. Rockefeller has a goodly store laid by for a rainy day. It is estimated by a Wall Street broker that the great monopolist is now nearly a billionaire, or, to be more accurate, he is credited with being the possessor of \$945,000,000. The American Republic started business as a protest against the tyranny of kings and the concentration of wealth. It has now its oil king pretty well endowed; its railroad king on the high road to affluence, and a king for nearly every industry by which men earn their daily bread. The Republic cast out one king only to have his place filled by many much more tyrannical and influential.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE. Nelson Economist. Without desiring to urge upon the Duke of York any departure from his own preconceived ideas in the matter of conferring titles, we may say that a highbrow for that distinguished barrister, Counselor S. Perry Mills, would not only reflect credit on the recipient, but would have a tendency to enshrine the Duke in the hearts of the British people here at home and abroad. Of course this is said without prejudice to the lead pipe cluck which some members of the local cabinet are believed to have on the distribution of titles.

JAMES BAY CAUSEWAY. To the Editor:—It seems quite evident that the mayor and aldermen have suited the ratepayers in regard to the stone contract for the causeway which they have accepted. My tender for supplying granite cut stone and rubble throughout was \$380 less than the bids now accepted, but for some reason my tender was thrown out and the work divided between two other contractors, Mr. Wood getting the cut stone work, using granite, and Mr. John Haggerty the rubble, using sandstone. If the city officials had insisted on giving \$1,800 more for the granite rubble, and if it had been in their opinion the best and cheapest article to use for such work, then we must give granite a second place here, which is contrary to all the scientific men of the world. JOS. E. PHILLIPS. Victoria, Aug. 17th, 1901.

THE HIGH SCHOOL. To the Editor:—I notice in last night's issue of your paper a letter from Mr. Ridgeway-Wilson re Competition for High School. Perhaps you will allow me to say a few words in the same connection. In the conditions issued by the board they state that "the plans will be submitted to a competent architect for adjudication." Mr. Wilson wants this adjudicator's award published, perhaps rightly so. But has the board ever said who this individual is? Do they know him to be a "competent architect"? Has he had any training to qualify him for such a responsibility? Would his award be worth anything even if published? If rumor be true as to the personality of this adjudicator, is he an architect according to the terms of competition? Has he any special qualification to act as judge in this matter? I, for one, do not think he has. The board might just as well have selected, in my opinion, any contractor in the city as a judge, and with more certainty of getting an unbiased opinion, for it is well known the person referred to is a man of very strong prejudices, and therefore is not able to give an impartial opinion even if he were otherwise qualified. I consider the board have not dealt fairly in the matter. Of course every competitor believes his plans to be the best. I believe mine were. Any award made, however, would meet with opposition, because we who were turned down think we were unjustly treated. Personally, if the award be ratified as it now stands, I've no kick to make. The successful man has to be congratulated, but he is the luckiest man in the profession in the province at the present time. His success does not reflect upon the ability of the other architects, because competitive work does not always turn out the best and most qualified man, for oftentimes it is he who has more aptitude at getting an approved drawing is successful, while the really able and experienced man, though less ornate draughtsman, is set aside. Another word and I'm done. Can the building or buildings represented by the three selected plans be really built for the money, namely, \$27,000. I doubt it. I would therefore suggest that before anything further is done they be asked to procure tenders, accompanied by proper and approved bonds for the completion of the work. And if they do not get bids to build for the above sum, turn them all down, and begin anew, by putting the names of the competing architects on slips into a hat and drawing one at random, who could then be engaged as the architect for the board to prepare plans according to the exact requirements as to accommodation and expenditure. L. M. A. Victoria, Aug. 17th, 1901.

THE TROTTER RECORD. Brockville Recorder. In the last half century the record has been lowered from 2:29 1/2 in 1845, to 2:23 1/2 last Friday. The record has been lowered thirty-seven times by only sixteen horses. A kite-shaped track and pneumatic-tired racing sulley has had considerable to do with it, and invention, as well as the improvement in horseflesh, by mixing fast running stock and fast trotting blood, is entitled to some of the credit.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

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New Westminster—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 48; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 6 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

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THE MOBILIZATION.

Fifth Regiment May Not Participate—Col. Gregory's Term of Office Expires September 20th.

Even if the Trades and Labor Council is unsuccessful in having the date of the proposed mobilization of militia at Macanlay point altered, it is very probable that the Fifth Regiment will not be required to take part in the manoeuvres. The two weeks' voluntary training which the members of the force underwent a month or two ago, it is felt, will relieve them from the necessity of a similar course now. The sixth battery of Vancouver, as announced telegraphically in last night's Times, will go under canvas for two days at Brockton point before coming down to Macanlay point, in order to be prepared to participate more fully in the benefits of training with the regular forces.

In this connection it may be mentioned that it is altogether likely that in a month's time Lieut.-Col. Gregory, the present officer commanding the local regiment, will resign his command and revert to the retired list. Under the militia general order promulgated a few years ago the term of office of a commanding officer is but five years, and this limit will be reached on the 20th of September. Under special circumstances the term is sometimes extended, and in the case of a young and well-qualified officer such as Col. Gregory there is little doubt that he might be retained in his position should he so desire. When asked this morning regarding his intentions, however, he stated that he would relinquish his command at the expiration of his term and give his junior officers the opportunity of promotion. The two majors of the regiment are Majors Munro and Hibben.

YESTERDAY'S CONFERENCE.

Proposition to Be Submitted to Property Owners Regarding Raising of Douglas Street Structures.

A conference was held yesterday afternoon between the members of the council and the owners and agents of the buildings on Douglas street between Pandora and Johnson, which it is proposed to raise to the proper level. After some consideration, it was decided to recommend to the council on Monday evening a proposition in effect that the city defray one-third the cost of raising the structures occupied by Messrs. Shore & Anderson and H. A. Lilley and the owners to pay the remainder. In regard to the four other structures on the south of the street the owners will have to defray the entire cost themselves. This was decided upon in view of the fact that there will be less raising required as regards some of them, while it may be found impracticable to do this at all owing to their antiquity.

The proposal provides that the council shall construct the sidewalk. This report and proposal will be dealt with at the meeting on Monday evening, and should it be adopted will be submitted to the owners or agents.

A communication was received by the park committee from W. McLain, Socialist orator, asking permission to deliver an address in the park to-morrow. In this connection it might be noted that several other similar requests have been received from time to time, and it was decided to draft certain conditions under which the permission may be obtained. A copy of these will be forwarded to Mr. McLain, and if he complies the committee will submit the conditions, which are now being prepared by the city solicitor, at the council meeting next Monday evening.

The case of Richard Suppke, mate of the Danish bark Sextus, charged with assaulting Chas. Godley, will come up in the provincial police court next Tuesday. The accused has been examined as to his sanity, but it is understood there will be another examination. The prisoner admits the offence, and corroborates word for word the story of the informant. He says the assault was deliberate, that his intention was to attack the man, indicated in a vision, and that Godley answered to the description. That is why Suppke attacked him. Others passed by him, but they were not the people he was after.

E. C. B. Bagshawe, of Troncau alley, has been appointed district agent of the London Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Canada, one of the largest of the Canadian companies. The company has over 48,000 policies in force, and has paid over \$3,000,000 in losses. Mr. Bagshawe still retains the agency for the Ottawa and other companies.

The girl, Anita Winterhalter, who has just been given into the charge of the B. C. Children's Protection Society, has been taken to the Mainland, where a place will be found for her.

New headgear for the police force in the shape of helmets have been received from Messrs. Short & Sons. They are giving satisfaction and promise in every way to fill the bill.

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BUYING MACHINERY FOR DAWSON CREEKS

Miner From the North in the City Tells of the Conditions in the Northern Camp.

J. R. McGovern, a business man of Dawson, arrived from the North yesterday on business in connection with the shipping into the Klondike of several large consignments of machinery which will be operated on mining properties in the vicinity of Dawson.

This morning Mr. McGovern corroborated the statement made in the Times a few evenings ago to the effect that there was a great demand in the northern districts for the mining machinery, and that the strike at San Francisco was affecting in a most serious manner the shipments of machinery.

Mr. McGovern got a great deal of the machinery from the East, but some is obtained at San Francisco. Finding that he could not have it shipped North by boat he overcame that difficulty by having it shipped overland to Seattle, from there by steamer, transferred to the northern steamers.

Besides Hansen, Scholtz and Wells, the largest operators on Gold Run, are having machinery installed this season. At present there are being constructed at the Albion Works in this city, two boilers for the purpose of transshipping and Wells have a large amount of property on that creek, owning claims number 11, 12, 9, 17, 1, 18, 27, 28, 29, and intend commencing operations on a very large scale. They recently bought over the property owned on that creek by J. Beck for a handsome consideration.

Mr. McGovern says that winter work will be discontinued in his opinion at Dawson, and the summer season adopted. The creeks which produced the large amounts of gold at the first of the Klondike are now, he said, almost worked out. He thinks it most probable that they would not produce gold in large quantities. Gold by paying quantities, however, could be found if the property was worked from an economic standpoint.

The above statement he referred principally to the Eldorado and Bonanza creeks. Hunker and Dominion have returned out well this season, but the Eureka has not come up to expectations. The Rob Roy, according to Mr. McGovern, has done nothing this year as yet.

This year there has been a scarcity of water at Dawson. This was caused by the sudden melting of the snow and the equally sudden advent of hot weather. This has had the effect of somewhat retarding the mining operations in certain sections of the country.

The freight rates on the White Pass & Yukon railway, by Mr. McGovern's estimation, is excessive. In his opinion, unless they are in the very near future reduced, a combine will be formed to have shipments taken from Dawson by the Yukon river route. If such a combine were formed, he thinks the White Pass would be forced to reduce their present rates, as it is only an account of there being no other highway for the traffic that that line keeps the business.

A NEW PITCHER.

Legal Ball Team Will Have an Illustrious Member of Their Organization.

The legal baseball game in Victoria will be held at the Oak Bay park and the Fifth Regiment band will be in attendance. The admission will be 25 cents, an additional quarter of a dollar being charged for the reserved portion of the grand stand. It is altogether likely that on this occasion the spectators will see His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in a new role. He will be asked by the legal fraternity to exemplify an old-time curve in opening the game. His Honor has not had very much baseball experience since his young days, but he has had a great deal of political experience, and those who know best say it all amounts to the same thing and that he will dazzle the fans by the intricacies of his play. While his friends express this confidence His Honor manifests concern only in regard to how soon he can get off the diamond after he parts with the sphere. However, with the reputation which lawyers have of hanging on to everything they get, little apprehension need be felt on this score. In the event of Sir Henri being unable to attend, C. E. Pooley, K. C., the treasurer of the Law Society, will be asked to the pitcher's box for the inauguration of the game.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS BY THE NEW RABBI

An Eloquent and Impressive Discourse Was Delivered in Temple Emanu-el Last Night.

In his inaugural address at the services held in Temple Emanu-el last evening Rabbi Rev. Montague N. A. Cohen delivered an earnest, eloquent and most impressive discourse, taking his subject from the following, appearing in Isaiah: "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of Him who bringeth good tidings, who publisheth peace, who bringeth good tidings of good, who publisheth salvation, who saith unto Zion: 'Thy God reigneth.'"

He pointed out that the prophet Isaiah stood pre-eminent above all the other seers in earnestness and boldness. He was a thorough master of sarcasm, but for all his effusions were always full of spirituality and reverence. He was also the purveyor of soothing comforts to the sorrowful people of Israel when they were in trouble and was one of the greatest characters of ancient history.

After referring at length to the prophet's work and life, Rabbi Cohen said: "At the very outset of my holy work I am, however, beset with grave and serious difficulties. With great advances in science and philosophy continually taking place, the minds of men are disquieted. Recent years have witnessed a revolution in the religious convictions of mankind. It is truly an age of spiritual unrest. People maintain, or at all events they think they maintain, that religion is in the wane and that rampant materialism is asserting itself supreme. The great movement of thought has also affected all other religions. It is nevertheless questionable whether the new forms which our holy religion is ever putting on are a move in the right direction. People like change; it is only natural. Something must relieve the monotony of life. So they say we will change religion. It is easier to tamper with that than with anything else. They permit their conscience to lead them astray. Two conflicting considerations struggle for the mastery. There is the fear of advancing too fast, and therefore dangerously. There is the dread of stagnation—stagnation which chokes the spring of the religious life. Both these alternatives will be worthy of our earnest consideration. If we do not go forward we go backward, is a true adage of the scholars.

"What then are we to do? Cast off all our associations with the past? Alas! that would be breaking away from the ancient traditions of our ancestors, traditions for which many suffered martyrdom. Shall we remain as we are? Death—spiritual death; what then? In this connection the speaker referred to his own responsibility, conveying the divine word to his congregation and bringing them to the path of duty.

"The personal life of a rabbi," he continued, "must be the reflection of his religious teaching. He must resolve by earnestness, piety and devotion to duty to win the esteem, love and respect of his flock. He must make his joys his own. He must help them to bear their sorrow. He must pia his faith to the ancient teachings of Judaism. While writing the times, he must respect tradition. While adding the new, he must reverence the old.

He asked the hearty co-operation of his congregation in church work and concluded with an eloquent exhortation for all to live strong in the love of the holy religion and good and respected citizens of this great and noble Empire.

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CORPORAL HAD CHARGE OF MILITARY MORGUE

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Bennet Burleigh sends the following description of a soldier placed in charge of the dead-house at the front to the London Daily Telegraph:

My friend the corpse master, as I venture to call him, is yet an unknown genius. He deserves public notice and a striving to enlighten the public respecting his merits. A conscientious or un-conscientious humorist, no one has been able to take charge of him in banter or earnest talk. A dark, medium-sized man is he, with drooping shoulders and his set, facial expression, and the oleaginous demureness of an undertaker, and made so by nature. He is never ruffled, nervous, and always full of funeral consideration. To-day he is somewhere awaiting deserving celebrity within, I think, twenty miles of London. Like most men, he has tasted of experience and adversity. He has been almost everything from a cattle clerk to an ordinary militiaman.

It was in Natal, at Estcourt, and during the war, that I first met Private —. In those days, as since, we had both sick and wounded. Major Philip Hayes, R. A. M. C., was sadly in want of some one to take charge of the mortuary. Now, soldiers as a rule shirk jobs of that sort, and avoid intimacy with morgue keepers. Volunteers were not forthcoming until Private — heard of the position. His tastes ran that way, and he easily got the appointment. For a few days he did his work, and did it well, without making sound or sign. Then he approached Major Hayes and said, "If you please, sir, I want to speak to you upon an important matter. I am an old soldier and I have several good conduct badges, and I want you to make me a corporal." "What for?" queried the major. "Because, sir, if I ain't a corporal I have no proper authority over the corpses." The major was nonplussed. The argument was continued, but in the end, although Private — was told he would be granted a corporal's rank, but without extra pay, he won all along the line, took the rank and the 4d a day extra. And cheap at the money the doctors bye-and-bye thought him.

The Corporal's Methods.

Shortly after Corporal — asked the major to come and look how well he had arranged the dead-house, and that he had there two handsome boys, on a Church of England and the other a R. C. "No," said Major Hayes, "although I am a medical man, I have no curiosity nor taste in that direction. All I hope is that you conduct the funerals in a becoming manner." "Oh, yes, sir," said Corporal —. "I always sit on the front of the wagon we have for a hearse to take them to the cemetery. I could cry to think we ain't got horses to draw them, but only oxen, and sometimes mules. But I does my best, and feels sad. And I covers the poor remains with the Union Jack. When we are full, the Union Jack is not big enough; and, if you please, sir, I wants two more Union Jacks—it ain't decent." And he got them. On another occasion Corporal — vexedly complained of the most irregular way the Tommies sometimes carried the bodies into the cemetery, taking them in head instead of feet first. "I've spoke to the sergeant about it, and they have told me to correct it, and have I your authority, major, please?" "Yes, certainly," said Major Hayes, and that subject was adjusted. Then Corporal — added, "Yes, sir, one of the clergymen is very good to me. He knows I've a nasty job to do at times, and he've very often gives me a drop of something when I feels faint. I am not feeling very well just now, sir, and Major Hayes took the hint, for those were the days good liquor was scarce at Estcourt and Colenso, and was wondrously appreciated by those with a taste for the article. After his sip, Corporal — became confidential. "Sir, I always arrange the funerals most decorously. The parson that is burying him does his part, and I have a book of all the religions, and whichever ever he be I does mine, for I acts as a mourner and clerk, and says the responses and all the 'amen's' in a loud voice. And towards night, if the parson don't get on quick enough, I generally gives him a hand with the service, for I knows it all, by repeating when he forgets. Now there was an officer with the burial party to-day, and as it was hot he tells the men to keep their helmets on, but I took mine off, for, as I said to him, I'd rather have sunstroke and take off my helmet than not pay my respects to the corpse."

Appropriate Texts.

Poor Corporal — was found fault with by the chaplains for writing texts and placing them on the coffins, so he was had up before Major Hayes. His explanation was, "Please, sir, I takes them texts out of the Bible. I has one lot for the married men and another for the single. For the single men I says, 'Not dead, but gone to his Father's in heaven, and for the married ones—I'm one myself—'Not dead, only lent to the Lord.' If he has got children I writes a verse, 'From his sorrowing and loving widows and children.' You see, I searches them Bibles, and if I find any little trinkets in them, I knows the widows would like to have, I write and sends them home to the missus or mother. I asks them to pay my postage expense, as I ain't a rich man, and bless you, sir, I knows them; they generally sends me back more than the article cost to send it home. I knows if I was dead I'd want the same way with my wife—she'd like to have something to remember me by."

Coffin Too Small.

One day Corporal — came in great indignation to the major, for a coffin had been sent that was a little too small. The corporal said his "subordinate" was a nice Church of England young man, whom he could not think of placing in awkward. "Every man, major," said Corporal —, "with decision, 'likes to be buried lying flat down, and that he must be.'" And he had another pine shell, and wrote and told the widow all was well. So precise was the "corpse master" that he used to punch pieces of tin with the names, rank, date of death and numbers of the deceased, and put them to the bodies for purposes of subsequent identification. It had been better that practice had been generally followed, for there are many unrecorded graves and dead soldiers, who cannot be by any possibility identified if the plan of removing all remains to general cemeteries is ever carried out. Corporal — said he didn't want any of his corpses mixed up, and he wanted no widows, like her at Colenso, to be going off with the wrong man's body. "Nobody," he sagely observed, "likes to take home a corpse as don't belong to them. And when you find it isn't yours you feel like chucking it out. I refuses to take any corpses into my dead-house without the medical sheet and identification cards. I'll have no mistakes. I marks an R. G. with his name round the right big toe and round the left big toe for a Protestant; that helps when the service is coming on to give the parson his cue."

Corporal — is married, and has given many hostages to fortune, and his better half is at full of faith as himself that the young months are to be all fed. When he left the army on this side, having taken his discharge, he went to Major Hayes and remarked "Sir, I'm going away. You've been very kind. I should like to have the honor of shaking hands with you; I've just washed mine and ain't touched a corpse to-day. Thank you, sir, good-bye to you, and Corporal — bowed himself out and grimly saluted.

NATURAL IMPOSTERS.

Every sportsman has been deceived by the close resemblance of birds and other animals to the soil and vegetation. It would be easy, moreover, to show that many reptiles, frogs and fishes, and very many of the lower animals, exhibit similar adaptations. It is also well known that some of these creatures, like the chameleon, many tree frogs, cuttle fishes and shrimps, can actually change their colors to make them harmonize with the exact tints of the vegetation or soil in which they are living. But no animal can compare with the insects and spiders in the detailed perfection of their protective disguises or in the frequency of adopting this method of eluding enemies or of stealthily approaching prey. This is true, notwithstanding the fact that active color changes like those of the chameleon are scarcely known to occur among insects.

Many of the most striking examples of protective resemblance among insects are the result of the very intimate association of these animals with the flora of our planet. Especially is this true of insects which live exposed on the vegetation. There is really no portion of the plant excepting its roots and fruits which is not copied by some insect or other, with the most astonishing faithfulness to details. Hosts of moths copy the rough lichen-mottled bark of trees; the walking stick and looping caterpillars copy the twigs and the green leaves are imitated by the katydids and the marvelous leaf insects (Phyllium) of the East Indies, while the dead leaves are portrayed by many moths and butterflies, a form of resemblance culminating in the famous Kallima butterflies of Southern Asia. Striking resemblances to thorns and knots are to be found among spiders and leaf hoppers (Membracidae), while even the pink orchid-like mantis (Mantispa) of India, and several other species. The roots of plants are not copied because they are not exposed to view, and are almost to resemble the exposed root of a tree to be only an invitation to birds to destroy any species that might be so bold as to vary in this direction.

SURGEON'S SEWING MACHINE.

A sewing machine for the skin is a French notion. It is intended for the use of surgeons, and a future surgeon need not slowly stitch the edges of a wound. With the left hand he grasps the two lips together, and with the right he fastens it by means of little clasps of nickel, having points which penetrate the epidermis, and are not painful. These catches are applied by the machine, a specific advantage being that with their aid can be distinguished by heating it red-hot.

MEAT TABOOED.

Montreal Lady in a Bad Fix Utter Didd's Dyspepsia Tablets Rescued Her.

Some people believe that a purely vegetable diet is the most wholesome. They own opinion. But most of us think the natural diet is a mixed one. To be deprived of meat would be a hardship to the majority. Mrs. Blair, 1010 St. Denis street, certainly thought it so. Mrs. Blair was not a vegetarian of her own free will. She ate no meat because she dare not. She could not digest it. It was an involuntary deprivation, enforced on her by the weakness of her stomach. Mrs. Blair was a Dyspeptic.

BASEBALL.

MATCH THIS AFTERNOON.

This afternoon at the Oak Bay grounds the baseball match between the Chelials and Victoria today is taking place. The names of the players have already been published in these columns. Before the game, Joe Hancock, the speedy amateur snasher, is expected to make an attempt to smash the mile track record of 2:04, held by Otto Ziegler. It is held by a quad.

THAT BATTLE OF LEGAL TWIRLERS.

Every day this week has seen the Victoria legal baseball game practicing hard for their games with the Vancouver lawyers, which are scheduled to take place next week. The team is in fine condition and should put up a good game of ball. The initial game of the season will be played in Vancouver next Wednesday, and the team game here at Oak Bay park next Saturday. It is felt that the Vancouver lawyers have secured some new players, who, through assiduous work, have developed into crack ball tossers. The results of the game here will be given to the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital.

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Provincial News

NEW WESTMINSTER.

The death took place at her Langley home on Thursday of Miss Edith Hopkins, from the effects of cancer.

ROSSLAND.

The coroner's jury in the case of the late Mrs. Angus, wife of the superintendent of the local mine, who died last week, reconvened on Tuesday after a month's adjournment to permit of a report being made by the provincial analyst.

The proposed municipal driving park is a dead issue so far as the city council is concerned. The city engineer went over the ground carefully, took all the levels and made the measurements necessary to figure on the proposition.

KELSON.

Robert McMahon, the barber, pleaded guilty in the district court on Tuesday to the charge of violating the provisions of a by-law No. 52, which makes it an offence for a barber to shave anyone on Sunday.

The grading and excavating for the High school site at the corner of Lattimer and Hendry streets was started this week and is now well under way.

VANCOUVER.

The by-law providing for the early closing of retail establishments on Thursday night, from which date such shops are closed upon to close at 6 o'clock in the afternoon of each day, will be in effect on the following morning.

The royal reception committee met on Thursday night. Amounts asked for in connection with the celebration, totaling \$6,000, while the appropriation amounts to but \$5,000.

DISAGREEABLE FEET.

If your feet are disagreeable—small, musty, sweaty and foul—try Foot Elin. It will make your feet sweet and take away all nasty odors.

THE MAKING OF MATCHES.

England Makes Good Wax Matches—Sweden's Law About Phosphorus.

In view of the extensive use of electricity for lighting purposes, one might imagine that the demand for matches would have fallen off of late years. But the product grows steadily from year to year. Gas is yet burned to a considerable extent, and matches must be lighted, and the smoker alone consumes enormous quantities.

By far the greater number of matches are made of wood, tipped with a composition which ignites by friction. But fastidious smokers, especially in foreign countries, much prefer the wax match.

At the present time Europe probably turns out about 500,000,000 matches a day, and the United States twice that quantity. Fifty million feet of lumber are consumed annually in this country alone by the matchmakers, and yet not over 15,000 people are employed in the industry.

Tea is drunk in different ways, according to the customs prevalent in the country. In China, where tea is rarely used until it is a year old, and is drunk constantly during the day, a small quantity of the leaves is put in a cup, and hot water poured upon it; this is allowed to stand for a very short time, and is then taken without any admixture.

THE MODERN PIANO.

The smallest string of a modern piano can easily bear a strain of over three hundred pounds. The combined tension of all the strings of a concert grand piano is estimated to be about 20,000 lbs.

The solo pianoforte works of Beethoven are also in a great measure altered on the transformed instrument. Beethoven frequently writes full, close chords, frequently down the scale, which, though beautiful on the comparatively thin-toned instrument of his time, only make a confused noise on the modern one.

Women prompters have been tried at some of the theatres with success, as it has been found that their voices carry better across the stage, and are less audible in the auditorium.

THE COMING POPE.

The Pope has in recent years always been an Italian, and probably always will be an American Pope, for example, would be like a housemaid in a room full of china, always wanting to dust, and breaking something every minute out of pure zeal.

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The most serious drawback to the manufacture of matches is that common yellow phosphorus, used in the art, is liable to affect the health of the operators who handle it. A painful disease, known as "phosby jaw," often attacks those who work in match factories.

CATARRH.

Catarrh is a system disorder which requires local as well as general treatment. You get this if you take Powley's Liquefied Ozone. It acts beneficially on all the mucous linings of the body; stimulating, healing.

CASTORIA

For infants and children. It requires the annual slaughter of 100,000 elephants to keep the world supplied with ivory. The United Kingdom alone uses up the product of 30,000 elephants, or 1,200,000 pounds.

COLORING FOOD.

Chemical adulteration appears to be the order of the day in matters of diet. A milk dealer in an English city was summoned recently for selling milk containing a preservative called formalin. It is the virtue of formalin to make stale milk pass for fresh; its vice is that it is a dangerous irritant, especially to infants.

MODERN SERFS.

Deplorable Condition of the Peasantry in Italy. In the sunny plains and valleys of Italy, where nature has been so prodigal of her gifts, it is hard to believe, without the assistance of stubborn facts, that the life of the tillers of the soil can be as bleak and desolate as it is.

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Agricultural laborers in Italy are divided into two classes—"obbligati" and "disobbligati." The "obbligati" are hired by the farmer, and are bound to the land by a contract which obliges them to work for the farmer for a certain number of years.

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The length of the stride in the various European armies is as follows: In the German army it is 33 1/2 inches, with a cadence of 112 steps per minute; in the French army, 29 1/2 inches, with a cadence of 115 steps per minute; in the British army, 30 inches, with a cadence of 116 per minute.

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THE RELATIVE SPEED OF SKAGWAY LINERS

THE ISLANDER HOLDS THE FASTEST RECORD

Several Changes Reported in the Engine Room of Empress of Japan—H.M.S. Amphion Returned To-Day.

Of all the many steamers which ply to points on the Alaskan coast there are few and perhaps not more than one which can successfully navigate the swift running waters of Seymour Narrows at all stages of the tide. The one vessel known to face the Queen, the Empress of Japan, is the Empress of Japan, which is compelled at times to wait for favorable water, although the latter is considered the fastest ship now running North. Speaking of the relative speed of the different ships, the navigator who is himself in charge of one of the northern lines said that next to the Queen the Islander was the swiftest steamer on the route. On a spurt the Empress of Japan could, he thought, beat her, but she can't keep up a hot pace for any extended time, and in the long run would have to give way to the Canadian liner. In this regard it might be stated that it was on the Islander that the fastest time ever made between Dawson and southern points has been made.

MANCHESTER'S REMAINS FOUND

A San Francisco dispatch says: "The missing ship Manchester, which sailed from New York on the 24th of last August with a cargo of kerosene for Yokohama, has been found beyond a reasonable doubt. She lies a total wreck on the deserted island of Pikaia, in the Marshall group. How many persons survived the loss of the vessel is not known, but it is certain that a woman and her children landed on the island. Their footprints remain on the sands of the beach. The Manchester was a four-masted steel ship of 2,850 tons register, commanded by Capt. F. Clements. She was posted missing in Lloyd's on May 15th, of last year, after 90 per cent. insurance had been paid on her.

A private letter received on the Australian steamer Sonoma relates the finding of the wreck. The writer says: "A mysterious shipwreck was reported from Sydney, N. S. W., July 18th, by Capt. Henry, of the island-leading steamer Archer, which recently touched at Jaluit, one of the Marshall group. Here it was learned that the wrecked trading cutter belonged to a German trader. Capt. Henry had found parts of the hull of a large ship and over 400 cases of kerosene strewn along the shores of Pikaia Island. The island is uninhabited, but in walking along the beach the crew of the cutter came across footprints and traces which showed that some one had been there. Among the footprints were those of a woman and several children. The conclusion arrived at was that a portion of the shipwrecked crew had landed on the island, the survivors including the captain's wife and family. Marks on the beach showed that the ship had been beached on the beach and was subsequently launched. Continuing along the beach the crew found the body of a man washed up, which was badly decomposed, but a certificate—that of a chief officer—was found in one of the pockets and turned over to the German governor of the islands.

"In shipping circles it is said that the wreck is undoubtedly that of the Manchester."

AN INSURANCE PUZZLE.

The destruction by fire of the bark Empire will cause a complicated insurance question, for she was on the reinsurance list at 20 per cent., while she arrived at Makukone, but owing to the fact that there is no cable to San Francisco, the news of her arrival was not learned and the gamblers continued to speculate until the news of her loss by fire was received. Now what is bothering the speculators is this: Did they win because the vessel arrived at her destination, or did they lose because of her loss after her arrival? The question will not be solved until further advice is received from Honolulu in answer to queries made by the speculators, and it is found that the vessel had completed her voyage, the gamblers who risked money on her arrival will have lost, while, on the other hand, if the vessel was merely lying off the port, and had not formally completed her trip, those who speculated that she would not arrive will have won.

CHANGES ON JAPAN.

Owing to the removal of one of their number several promotions have taken place on the engineering staff of the Empress of Japan, which sails from here on Monday. William Greeley Frost, who held the position of sixth engineer, left on Thursday for Montreal to visit his relatives, after which he will take the Buffalo exposition, and probably make a tour of the Old Country, going as far as Glasgow to see the exposition there. The post of sixth engineer is now held by Mr. Rice, while Messrs. Miller, Tamlin and Spittal have advanced a step in the order named. The Vancouver Province says: "A few days ago it was announced that James A. Hamilton, chief engineer of the Empress of Japan, had been appointed to the position of chief engineer and master mechanic of the C. P. R. at Vancouver, in the place of L. R. Johnson, promoted to Montreal. It is understood now, however, that Mr. Hamilton has advised the mechanical department at Montreal that his preference would be to remain in the steamship service, and he will therefore not accept the proffered position. It is not improbable that the position of master mechanic here will now be offered to Mr. Richardson, chief engineer of the Empress of China."

DISASTER NARROWLY AVERTED.

A calamity that might have sent two ships to the bottom came within an ace of occurring on the voyage the steamer City of Puebla completed this afternoon. The ship was on her way from San Francisco to this port and in the dense fog which prevailed throughout the voyage a southbound craft was not observed approaching early yesterday morning which crossed the bow of the Puebla at uncomfortably close range. When she loomed up out of the dark on the port quarter she threw terror into nearly every man on deck. The Puebla was immediately brought to a standstill, just in time to avoid a collision, which if it had happened would have resulted, some believe, in the loss of both vessels. The name of the stranger could not be made out in the fog, it being 2 o'clock in the morning and very dark at the time.

The Puebla encountered very rough water throughout the trip, and nearly everyone on board was stricken with seasickness, one little girl being so ill that her life was despaired of. The steamer carries a non-union crew on this trip, but is having no difficulty in discharging her cargo, of which she has 130 tons for Victoria. Her saloon passengers for this city only numbered 15.

The officers of the ship state that there was no prospect of the Walla Walla leaving at the time they left for this city. The Puebla will be sailing on her down voyage on Thursday night.

TRADER'S NEW SERVICE.

Steamer Trader is running in the place of the steamer City of Nanaimo on the Victoria, Nanaimo and Nanaimo route in place of the City of Nanaimo, which has been withdrawn from the service to substitute the Joan on the Nanaimo-Vancouver run during the absence of the latter vessel in the north. The latter, with Premier Dunsmuir and party on board, is expected back towards the end of the week.

THE AMPHION RETURNED.

H. M. S. Amphion returned to Esquimalt after an extended cruise this morning. She has been on the West Coast for some time and comes now from Barkley Sound. She is the only man-of-war now in port after the torpedo destroyers, the Warspite being still at Comox. The Amphion, however, will be seen here from the south end there is some expectation that she will get here early next week.

MARINE NOTES.

For the benefit of logging steamers and vessels engaged in the northern trade the department of marine and fisheries propose erecting a small lighthouse on the southern end of Murray Island, Welcome Pass. Work on the new structure is to be soon commenced. Matters in connection with the building of the lighthouse engaged the attention of Capt. Crawley, the local agent of the department, on the occasion of his recent visit to Vancouver.

Capt. McLeod, master of the steamship Danube, called at the Times office yesterday to have an emphatic denial published to the report appearing in the Colonist, to the effect that his ship had captured a German raider on the coast of the North. He says the news emanated from the overhearing of a conversation between two longshoremen by an irresponsible reporter.

Steamer Majestic was again on the Sound on last evening. The mishap which accounted for her lay-over the previous day was accountable to something going wrong with the low pressure engine piston.

Steamer Selkirk is on the beach above the E. & N. railway bridge receiving a new propeller, a number of blades of which have been broken when she was on a recent voyage.

Tug Lorne came off the Esquimalt marine slip last evening, where she has been undergoing some needed improvements to her hull.

The Kosmos line steamer Neko, after taking in bunker coal at Nanaimo, is now on its way, leading 2,000 tons of flour and lumber.

Steamer Yosemite left Vancouver at 1.25 this afternoon. The trail from the East is 17 hours late.

TO CHALLENGE EASTERNERS.

Vancouver Y. M. C. A. Team After the Minto Cup—Memorial to Dr. Beers.

Archie McNaughton, the manager of the Y. M. C. A. Lacrosse club, is in the city, and as a result of his visit there was today lodged with His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, a challenge to be presented to the winner of the Eastern series being played for the Minto cup. Mr. McNaughton was accompanied by H. Dalles Helmecken, president of the Victoria Lacrosse Club, and the challenge was lodged with Sir Henri, as one of the trustees of the coveted trophy.

PRIZE LIST ISSUED FOR COMING SHOW.

(Continued from page 1.)

Presented by W. B. Shakespeare for best exhibit of plums, one clock (value \$5).

Presented by R. M. Palmer, for best five boxes of apples, packed for market, \$10.

Dairy Produce.

Presented by Messrs. Watson & McGregor, for best 10 pounds of dairy butter, in rolls, one family wringer (value \$4).

Presented by the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, for best home-made baked loaves, made exclusively from "Five Roses" brand, Lake of the Woods Milling Company—1st, \$20; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, \$5.

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AMARY DEPARTMENT.

Presented by the Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, for the best hire of bees, one copy Semi-Weekly Colonist for one year.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Presented by H. A. Lalley, for best baby boy, one box candy (value \$2.50).

Presented by R. B. Bunting, for best baby under 12 months, 25 pounds candy.

Presented by Capt. Foot, for best model of boat made by boy under 15 years of age, \$5.

Presented by W. H. Pennock, for medal or other jewelry work, work to value \$10.

Churches Services Tomorrow

ST. JOHN'S.
To-morrow there will be morning prayer at 11 and evening at 7, the pastor, Rev. Percival Jenks, being the preacher at both services. The musical arrangements are as follows:
Morning.
Organ—Slumber Song..... Shuman
Hymns—232, 210 and 225
Organ—Gloria in B Flat..... Andre
Evening.
Organ—Prelude in C..... Bach
Hymns—229, 233 and 240
Organ—Offertoire in D..... Stimper

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.
Morning preacher, Canon Healdland; evening, Rev. W. Hugh Allen. The musical portions are:
Matsin.
Voluntary—Elevation..... Battie
Venite..... Croch
Psalm..... Cathedral Painter
Te Deum..... 819 per
Benedictus..... 213
Hymns—233, 229 and 257
Voluntary—Pantasia..... W. T. Best
Evening.
Voluntary—Allegretto..... Palladio
Professional Hymn..... 157
Psalm..... Cathedral Painter
Magnificat..... Sir J. Goss
Nunc Dimittis..... McParr
Hymns—214, 277 and 223
Recessional Hymn..... 281
Voluntary—Pantasia..... Herthold
Tours

ST. SAUVOIR'S.

Rev. W. D. Barber. At 8 a. m., holy communion; 11 a. m., morning service; 7 p. m., evening service.

ST. JAMES'S.

Rev. Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Services as follows: Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; matins, ante-communion and sermon at 11 o'clock; evening and sermon at 7 o'clock.

REPRIMED EPISCOPAL.

Bishop Cridge will preach in the morning, subject, "Women Professing Godliness." Dr. Wilson in the evening, subject, "Judah and Israel."

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN.

The pulpit will be occupied both morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The musical arrangements are:
Morning.
Organ—Andante..... Spurr
Psalm..... 44
Hymns—249 and 301
Organ—March Stello..... Handel
Evening.
Organ—Allegretto Grazioso..... Tours
Psalm..... 74
Solo—"Plea of a Bird"..... Danks
Miss A. Brown
Hymns—249 and 608
Organ—March..... Wely

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30. Pre-communion service on Thursday evening.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST.

Rev. J. G. Hastings, M. A., pastor. At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach, subject, "Tried by Fire." At 7 p. m. Rev. P. H. McEwen will preach, subject, "God-honoring; God-honored." Sunday school and Bible classes, 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST.

Rev. J. F. Vlechet, M. A., pastor. The pastor, having returned to the city, will occupy the pulpit at both services. Morning subject, "First Things First"; evening subject, "The Story of Eden—Fact or Fiction." Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., Tuesday, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.

METROPOLITAN METHODIST.

Pastor Rev. Elliott B. Rowe will preach morning and evening. Sabbath school, 2:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. R. B. Ryle, B. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subject at evening service, "Perfect Manhood." Sabbath school, 2:30 p. m. C. E. Society, 8:15 p. m.

Personal.

Among the names appearing on the register of the Driford Hotel is that of L. H. Hodston, who arrived from London a short time ago, on what is reported to have been a very important business trip. He came on behalf of an Old Country syndicate for the purpose of inspecting the different coal mining properties of the Island. He went through the Coast, to Nanaimo and other places, and shortly after left on his return trip home.

Wm. Stephenson, a pioneer of Cariboo, where he has spent the past 30 years engaged in the mining business, is spending a holiday at the Coast. He states that when he left that district business was rather quiet. Mr. Stephenson came to this country when Victoria consisted of but a few log cabins. Since arriving here, he has been renewing acquaintances with pioneers residing in this city.

B. E. Shoemaker, of the United States railway mail service, of Spokane, accompanied by his wife, are in the city spending a vacation. They intend spending some days in the Coast, and are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

C. O. Glingrich, H. L. Linquist, F. Long, H. Sandon, C. Purnoor, M. Melroy, P. Thilman, S. W. Duggan and E. Russell accompanied by their son, Miss Mabel Russell, are members of the Chehalis baseball nine registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Among the guests staying at the Driford Hotel are M. D. Grover, general counsel for the Great Northern railway, accompanied by his wife and family, J. W. Babson, traffic manager of the Great Northern railway, is also at the Driford Hotel.

Rev. J. G. Miller, principal of Bishop Ridley College in St. Catharines, has been in the city, a guest at the Dallas, for several days. To-day he went down to Williams Head to visit Dr. and Mrs. Watt.

The following tourists from North Yukon are registered at the Victoria Hotel: D. C. McKee and wife, Chas. McAllister and wife, C. L. Owen and Thos. Watson.

S. Neelds, of Nelson, is spending a few days in the city, and will leave for the Interior shortly. He is a guest at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. J. D. McQuay, accompanied by the Misses McQuay, are among the numerous tourists registered at the Driford Hotel.

H. E. Mason and wife, of Fergus Falls, Minn., are visiting friends in the city. They are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

Rev. W. H. Barraclough returned last evening, after attending the Esquimalt League convention at Vancouver.

A. E. McNaughton, president of the Y. M. C. A. of Vancouver, is a guest at the Victoria Hotel.

Ben. Gordon, C. E. Todd and G. C. Mosher and wife were among the arrivals from the Mainland last night.

H. W. Findley, of the Vancouver Province, is in the city. He is a guest at the Victoria Hotel.

Mrs. Wm. Sealey and Miss Patricia Sealey, of Kamloops, are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

J. E. Hall, of Duncan, is among those registered at the Victoria Hotel.

Dr. R. H. Carter and wife returned last night from a trip to the South.

A. S. Hiller, of New York, is a guest at the Victoria Hotel.

COMING FOR COAL.

(Special to the Times.)
Nanaimo, Aug. 17.—Steamer Titania will arrive at the New Vancouver Coal Company's wharf, today, with a cargo of coal. She will require about 5,800 tons. The management of the company say her arrival has no effect upon the shut-down, as it was known before the decision was taken. There are about 10,000 tons in the company's bunkers, with No. 5 working, which produces about 100 tons daily.

This mine at Estevan start on Monday morning again. It is not known how long work will be continued. From present indications the work starting here on Monday is temporary.

SOCIALIST MEETING.

Will McLain will speak at Beacon Hill Park.

The Canadian Socialists League have arranged for a meeting to be held in the park at 2 p. m. to-morrow. The speaker will be Mr. Baker, Seattle, member of the Building Trade and Labor Council, a veteran leader of labor in the United States, and also Will McLain, late Socialist candidate at Vancouver, both advocating the cause of the masses. Mr. McLain's subject will be "The Laborer's Power and Its Relation to the Labor Movement." The meeting will be at the base of the Hill, inside the driving circle, opposite the Colonial Hotel and under the shade of the trees. To-night a meeting will be held on Yates street. All working men are invited to bring their wives and lady friends.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer City of Puebla from San Francisco—Mrs. G. McNeil, G. M. Tully and wife, L. E. Elworthy, Miss Johnston and sister, Mrs. York, J. A. York, Mrs. Crocker, Annie M. Humphrey and child, L. A. Gross and wife, Miss M. Deacon, G. Gowland.

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Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equivalent to one per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of tender, must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order,
FRED. GELINAS,
Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 8th August, 1901.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department, will not be paid for it.

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5. Wood.
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Tenders must be properly filled up, signed and dated; and no tender will be considered unless delivered as above directed by 12 noon on the date specified in a closed envelope marked "Tender" on the outside. The Officer Commanding Troops, Esquimalt, does not intend to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. GRANT, Lt. Colonel,
Commanding Troops, Esquimalt,
Work Point Barracks, P. O. August, 1901.

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ELIZABETH: ENGLAND'S FIRST GREAT WOMAN SOVEREIGN --- A FRAGMENT.

SINCE the passing away of our late beloved Queen, there has arisen among us a revival of way of remembrance—a revival of the memory of Elizabeth, England's great woman sovereign of the sixteenth century. That she was great is not denied, but that she was "good" does not seem to be a very stable conviction of the popular mind.

"Once, when I was fourteen," said the Queen, "my mother and I were at Margate, we went on board a steamer. As we were crossing the gangway, a woman in the crowd looked hard at me, and said to someone near her, 'Another Elizabeth, hope?' I turned and gave her such a look! I was furious," added Her Majesty with a smile, as she recalled the incident.

"And what manner of person," it may not altogether untruthfully be asked, "was Elizabeth?" Why did the mere mention of her name cause such an uprising of rebellious indignation in the girl-princess Victoria? Was England's Queen of the sixteenth century utterly lacking in those qualities that gave the highest, noblest, touches to the character of her remote successor, so greatly revered and beloved in our own times?

Is it true that, as has recently been said, these two queens had nothing—almost nothing—in common except their exalted name? Nay! Nay! A little turning over the leaves of history will reveal to the discerning student the happy fact that our Elizabeth, too, had a goodly share of those personal endowments and acquisitions that in all lands and ages command respect and affection, and, in a ruler, promote the welfare and happiness of a people.

After the death of her father, King Henry VIII, Elizabeth, then a child of thirteen years, lived with her step-mother, Queen Katherine Parr. The death, however, of that lady, when the Princess was about fifteen, left her without a single disinterested friend or councillor. The domestic and social conditions amid which the desolate girl had thus been placed are described as follows by one of the most painstaking but by no means partial among her biographers:

"Elizabeth had no maternal friend to direct and watch over her; there was not even a married lady of noble birth or alliance in her household, a household comprising upwards of one hundred and twenty persons, so that she was left entirely to her own resources. The counsels of her intriguing governess, Mrs. Katherine Ashley, and the unprincipled cotter or treasurer of her house, Thomas Parry, in a ruler, promote the welfare and happiness of a people.

At this very time, too, there arose a heavy cloud, that long and threateningly hung over the head of the girl. Owing to the coarse, disorderly manners of her ward her father, the Duke of Norfolk, and the intrigues of both him and his brother, the Protector—the uncle of the late Edward VI.—Elizabeth was greatly derided, and debased the court and society of the reformed young King, who dearly loved this half sister of his. The young Elizabeth, now found herself in a position of comparative isolation and unproductive lamentation? No. During her residence with her learned and accomplished step-mother the girl had tasted of the sweetness of knowledge, and in this she now found an antidote for her misfortunes. She placed herself under the guidance of that lady from his pen we learn something about the progress of his royal young student.

"The Lady Elizabeth, who has just completed her sixteenth year, is a natural gifts—solid understanding, quick and thorough apprehension, power of appreciation and retentive memory—her scholar attainments, her commensurate with the slightest satisfaction of the true teacher. Already she had mastered the French, Italian, and English languages, speaking all three with equal correctness and ease; Latin also she spoke with propriety and judgment, and Greek frequently with ease and moderately well. Nothing can be more elegant than her writing, which runs on the faithful Ascham, and in music she is very skillful." She also loved true religion and good literature, and to all her other gifts and graces added a fine courtesy and dignity, rare in one so young—thus "shining like a star more by the splendor of her virtues than by the glory of her royal birth."

At this time Elizabeth read with Ascham the choicest of the Latin and Greek classic writers, including the New Testament in Greek, some of the early Christian Fathers and Latin religious works, which, "says the tutor, 'I judged best adapted to supply her tongue with the purest diction, her mind with the most excellent precepts, and her excited station with a defence against the utmost power of fortune.'"

"The love of learning this early evinced by Elizabeth grew with her years, shedding a fadeless lustre on her court, her kingdom, and the age in which she lived. Men of thought, and men of action trooped to her services. Burleigh, Walsingham, Raleigh, Sidney, Hawkins, Nottingham, Drake, Frolicher, Stresham, Parker, Ascham, Jewel, Hooker, Bacon, Spencer, Shakespeare, By these, and such as these," says Doctor Lord, "Elizabeth was beloved and honored. All received no small share of their renown from her glorious appreciation; all vied to revolve around her as a central sun, giving life and growth to every great enterprise in her day, and shedding a light which shall gladden unborn generations."

But Elizabeth was more than learned, she was magnanimous. Even in her early youth this quality was abundant in her; in connection with the intrigues of the Somerset she was suddenly deprived of her beloved governess, Katherine Ashley, who, with her husband, was imprisoned in the Tower. At that time, so full of danger to herself, with all its consequent alarm, and anguish, the young girl was nobly mindful of the peril surrounding her step-mother.

Writing to the Protector Somerset, after mentioning some matters personal to herself, Elizabeth goes on: "I am the sister to speak for another thing, which is Katherine Ashley, that it would please your grace and the rest of the council to be good unto her, because she hath been with me a good time and many years, and

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"Your assured friend, my little power, ELIZABETH." Departing for a moment from her usual hostile criticism, Miss Strickland calls the reader's attention to the nobility of character which impelled the royal young maiden thus to mention her relationship to Ashley when he was under no dark suspicion of complicity.

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