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PREPARING FOR THE FRY.

When he was allowed to proceed, Mr. Martin said: "Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen—I have had already the pleasure of assisting in two election campaigns in this city in recent years, and on both of those occasions the party I was with was unsuccessful."

EXTRAORDINARY PROCEDURE. That was a somewhat strange proceeding of the Washington State legislature on Monday, when it adopted a concurrent resolution with that of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, submitted and accepted by the legislature, protesting against what the legislators and newspapers of Washington call "the proposed outrage by the British Columbia parliament in reserving placer claims in British Columbia for British subjects."

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When Mr. Martin ceased speaking the audience burst into enthusiastic applause, which was kept up until the chairman had to call for silence to be made. When order was restored it was proposed to hold the convention for the selection of candidates on Friday evening in the same hall the hour of the commencement of the proceedings to be 8 o'clock.

WHO LITTLE JACK HORNOR WAS. A good many people can repeat a certain poem about Jack Hornor, but very few can tell who he really was. Jack Hornor of the Christmas pie really existed, though some whether he deserved the famous title of "good boy" is exceedingly doubtful, says an exchange.

General Marcus P. Miller, who is in command of the American expedition to Egypt, has been in the army since 1858, when he graduated from West Point, which he entered from Massachusetts.

Remains of the dead recently found by the explorer and archaeologist Petrie in Egypt to make it probable that the flesh of the dead was eaten by the mourners as a part of the funeral ceremony.

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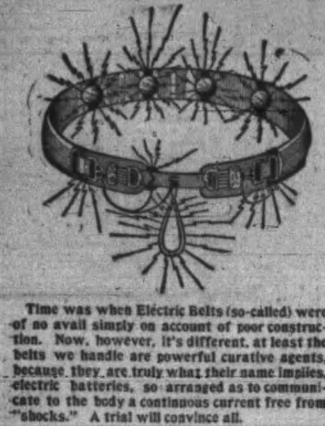
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THE OLD POST OFFICE. Turned into something useful. Frank Campbell. Can be found at the old post-office door—reading as usual. The latest newspapers of the day, postage stamps and the choicest of TOBACCO AND CIGARS. FINNAN HADDIS BALTIMORE OYSTERS FOR SALE BY JAMESON, Grocer.



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-Bitter oranges for marmalade...

C. H. BOWES, Chemist, 100 GOVERNMENT STREET, NEAR YATES STREET.

MILD AND SHOWERY. Daily Report furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Jan. 18.-5 a.m.-The storm area which was to the westward of Vancouver Island last night, moved to Okeechos, where it is now snowing...

City News in Brief.

Drink Blue Ribbon Tea. The "Rose Maiden" Feb. 1st. Rev. Dr. Lucas has opened a moral reform crusade in the city of Seattle. Many articles suitable for miners...

THE POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

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VICTORIA MARKETS. Current Quotations on the Local Produce Exchange. An important tendency is noticeable in both the feed and meat markets this week...

Current Quotations on the Local Produce Exchange. Wheat, per ton... 20.00/20.00. Corn (whole), per ton... 21.00/21.00. Oats, per ton... 22.00/22.00. Rye, per ton... 23.00/23.00. Barley, per ton... 24.00/24.00. Beans, per ton... 25.00/25.00. Peas, per ton... 26.00/26.00. Potatoes, per 100 lbs... 27.00/27.00. Butter (Dolce creamery), per lb... 28.00/28.00. Cheese (Canadian), per lb... 29.00/29.00. Eggs (Island), per doz... 30.00/30.00.

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TOASTS BY TELEPHONE. Chicago, Jan. 18.—The Tribune says: The local societies of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology of Boston, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia and St. Louis will hold their annual banquet on the night of February 3rd.

BRYAN GETS A FALL. Denver, Colo., Jan. 18.—A brooding platform at a reception to Colonel Wm Jennings Bryan at the Coliseum last night was crowded with leading citizens of Colorado.

WOMEN VOTE IN IRELAND. Dublin, Jan. 17.—The first town council election under the new law took place yesterday. Judging from the results so far known the elections have been remarkable for the success of the ladies and the waning power of Parliament.

WHEN YOU HAVE A BAD COLD. You want the best medicine that can be obtained, and that is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Electric Parlors. Superstitions, hair and facial blemishes, moles, warts, pimples and blackheads removed by electrolysis.

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Some weeks ago the wily foe, Sailed on our fair canal; Their purses lined with checks, you know, Their glaziers' those with 'qual'

Our cause is won and victory's sun Comes scintillating o'er our land; The forces beat a quick retreat, Oh! wasn't it a joke.

THE SALOON A NECESSITY. New York, Jan. 17.—A meeting of the Church Temperance Society was held last night for the purpose of gathering money for the proposed Squirrel Inn.

JOHN MORLEY RETIRES. London, Jan. 17.—Addressing a meeting of his constituents this evening the Right Hon. John Morley, Liberal member for Montrose Burghs, declared it was his intention to retire from active and responsible participation in the formal councils of the heads of the Liberal party.

ARE YOU DOWN ON YOUR LUCKY? Some people are born lucky. Others have to keep at it all the time for fear they will miss the lucky turn.

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Victoria and Texada Island. STR. CLAYOQUOT. WILL LEAVE Victoria for Nanaimo, Thursday, 6 a.m. Nanaimo for Texada, Friday, 7 a.m. Texada for Nanaimo, Saturday, 7 a.m. Nanaimo for Victoria, Tuesday, 6 a.m.

FOR HAWAII, SAMOA, NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIA. SS. MARIPOSA to sail Wednesday, January 26th, at 10 p.m. SS. AUSTRALIA to sail Wednesday, February 2nd, at 2 p.m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO. (LIMITED). WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

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Str. City of Kingston. FROM TACOMA, DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY). Lv. Tacoma. 8:00 a.m. Ar. Seattle. 10:00 a.m.

Victoria & Sidney RAILWAY. Trains will run between Victoria and Sidney as follows: DAILY: Leave Victoria at 7:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m. Leave Sidney at 8:15 a.m. 5:15 p.m.

