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Cennes in For a Tolici.

Buffalo, N. X., Jan. 17.—John Cork, who has been making beas at the Anchor lodging bease. Lloyd street, for three years past, is the presumptive heir to a fortune of \$40,000 or \$50,000, derived from an estate in Bolton, Lancashire, England. Word was sent this week to the city cierk by a firm of solicitors in the English town that a man named Cork, supposed to be living in Western New York, at or near Buffalo, was heir. Cork anys he is the only one of that name in Lancashire. He has run through two fortunes already, is now a haggard old man of 00, but says he is quite willing to spend another fortune.

offalo, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Wm. Pattison, recently hired a young Bomestic from ada, named Eleanor Benner, as artist's lel, and took such advantage of her that brought an action against him for crimassault, has settled the case by margine gir. Pattison Senner, the girl's hor, was brought from Canada to testification of the control of the c

WINTER'S WHISTLING WINDS.

Barber! Portland, Ore., Jan. 17.—A furious storm raged all along the coast of Oregon and Washington last night. At Cape Plattery, the wind blew at the rate of 48 miles an hour, accompanied by a blinding snow storm. At Astoria it is reported that all the wires to that point went down early alst night. Throughout western Oregon rath and sleet have been falling. In southern oregon the storm was especially severe

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The Tremendous War Ebullition Has Simmered Down to Cooling Point,

And There is no More Tall Talk of Whipping Great Britain Into Docility.

Flying Squadron Will Have a Little Trip at British Taxpayers' Expense.

London, Jan. 17.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Cham-berlain, received to-day a reply to his dispatch to the governor of Cape Col-ony, Sir Hercules Robinson, requesting

details concerning the arrest of British subjects and others in the Transvaal as a result of the recent disturbances.

The governor cabled: Replying to your request for details of the arrests, between fifty and sixty persons have been arrested on a charge of treason, by inviting the co-operation and entrance of an armed force. The proceedings are based, I understand, on sworn information and the trials will occur in the high court. The accused are well treated, and will be defended by able coursel. It is alleged that the government has documentary evidence of a widespread conspiracy to usurp the government of the country, and use the wealth of the country, and use the wealth of the country to rehabilitate the finances of the Chartered Company. I urged upon President Kruger moderation, so as not to alienate the symmethy which he now enjoys. The question of ball is entirely in the hands of the attorney-general. The government seems to be acting within its legal rights."

Mr. Chamberlain stated that counsel would be employed to watch the trials of the prisoners on behalf of the British government, and those counsel would defend the interests of American and Belgian prisoners as well as those of the British.

Portsmouth, England, Jan. 17.—The sping squadron, consisting of the battle ship Revenge, flagship, Rear-Admiral Affred T. Dule; battleship Royal Oak the first class cruisers Gibraltar and Theseus, and the second class cruisers Charybdis and Hermione, with six first class torped ob boat destroyers, assembled at Spithead at noon to-day. The reported destination of the squadron is the island of Bernuda.

The Press Association, referring to this report, says: It is stated at Portsmouth, though not officially confirmed, that the destination of the flying squadron after leaving Bantry Bay, will be Bernuda. The admiralty refuses to give any information.

London, Jan. 17.—According to a special dispatch from Cape Town, Mr. Cecil Rhodes, former premier of Cape Colony, was interviewed previous to his sailing for England

bassy.

The British squadron already at and

Resmudas consists of sixteen

THE WORLD WAITS ANXIOUSLY To Hear if Ex-President Harrison is Engaged to Mrs. Dimmick.

New York, Jan. 17.—Mr. Tibbets, private secretary of Ex-President Harrison, was asked to-day regarding the rumored engagement of General Harrison to Mrs. Dimmick. In reply, he said: "I can say nothing about the matter at present. This evening, however, I may be in a position to announce something of national interest,"

A POOR PLACE SELECTED.

A Man Held Up in Poverty Gulch, But Gives Nothing.

Gives Nothing.

Cripple Creek, Col., Jan. 17.—P. W. Campbell, of Los Angeles, was held up to-day in Poverty Guleh by two menvented the hammer from falling by grabbing it. His hand was terribly cut. He was bestten into insensibility, but the robbers fled without getting his money. One was captured and identified. He is Sam Bell, a gambler. The other is a man named Morgan, who volunteered to nilot Campbell about the camp, it is believed that Campbell's skull is slightly fractured, but he will recover.

## CAMPOS UNPOPULAR

The People of Cuba Generally Dissatisfied With the Poor Hesults Achieved.

Constitutional Unionists and Roformists Demand His Recall -Autonomists Satisfied.

acted so obstinately, reply was not in monry with the constitution of the country, he thought. Manitoha had dedend that she would not bet the federal flag strained the government have cabled the government here dehanding the real' of Canpos. The Autonomists, it is added, favor his retaining command of the tools in Cuba. A cabinet council will be held to hight in order to discuss the matter. Meantime the government expects to hear from Campos as to whether he is disposed to change his military policy. General Balavefa, who has been mentioned as Campos' successor, has suddenly arrived here.

Havana, Jan. 17.—The situation here the work of the the movements of the insurgents, but the people here have decided that Captain-General Martines as Campos must either resign or be recalled to Spatishortly. The agitation against his conduct of the military operations has been steadily growing for some time, and, although the Spaniards have loyally supported his rule and tactics, in spite of the reverses which he has suffered, matters have reached a climax, and there seems to, be only one way out of the difficulty.

The newspapers will no longer be controlled by the press censor, and in view of the strong editorials reflecting upon Campos which have appeared in the Conservative and Reformist papers, the feeling against the capitain-general is growing hourly. Repeated dispatches have been sent to Madrid on the subject. His recall has been requested by some of the most influential party leaders in Cuba. A reply has been received saying that the matter will be considered by the cabinet council to be held to day.

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It is believed that the Spanish government has communicated with the captain-general, explaining the situation to him, asking his views in the matter, and it is also stated that the captain-general replied to Madrid saying that in view of the critical situation, and not baving the confidence of the public, he leaves the government to deelde the question of his redlef from further duty in Cuba, while being personally willing to remain and fight it out. This report has served to ealm the public mind somewhat this afternon, but there is a state of strong, suppressed excitement here, and the same state of affairs is known to exist in Madrid.

The captain-general, talking over the situation yesterday evening, is reported to have said: "I did the best I could under the circumstances; nobody but myself has full knowledge of the difficulties I have allowed made. Heat.

That is the Programme of the Government, and They Will Push It.

Premier Bowell Says the Manitoba Elections Will Make no Difference.

There Will be Opposit on for Sir Charles Tupper in Unpe Breton.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Premier Blair is going to run for the Dominion House at the next general elections. He will likely contest Queen's. Premier Field-ing will be a candidate in Halifax. Mr. Murray will oppose Sir Charles

Tupper in Cape Becton.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—(Press Dispatch)—
At yesterday's session of the house, Mr. Powell, of Westmoreland, moved the adoption of the address. In doing so he stated that provincial autonomy is largely imaginary; in reality the provinces are subject to federal domination, the same as Enghund, Ireland and Scotland are to the imperial parliament. Mr. Powell regretted that Manitoba had acted so obstinately, reply was not in harmony with the constitution of the country, he thought. Manitoba had decided that she would not let the federal lag fly anywhere in the province in respect to school affairs. He argued that federal supremacy breathed the very genius of the compact between the provinces, and he unequivocably supported the full measure of remedial legislation. He appealed to Manitobans to abide by the constitution. Mr. McGillivray, of North Ontario, seconded the motion.

Hon Mr. Laurier ridicaled Mr. Powell's ideas of provincial autonomy. While he sympathized with the Manitoba minority, he thought the real grievanes should first be established before remedial legislation was passed, Mr. Foster criticized Mr. Laurier and said he house adjourned at 10-35.

Premier Bowell, in an interview, stated that the result of the Manitoba cleetions could not have any influence on the Dominion parliament. "When the highest court in the empire says the Roman Catholics of Manitoba are entitled to some remedy at our hands, we are bound to carry out its directions."

Mr. Laurier in the house, referring to the clause in the speech from the throne which washes of increasing our defenses Tupper in Cape Breton. Ottawa, Jan. 17.—(Press Dispatch)—

## A SPLIT IN THE RANK

The old Difference Between the Cuban Generals is Revived and Magailled.

Munitions of War Reach the Insurgents Despite all Precautions of the Spanish.

Rey West, Pia, Jan. 15.—Efforts have been made to hush the instreem, but it is evident that the two insurgent grows and and the intervent of the two in the world to live in. If this is the case with the insurgent force now in the vertical in Cube, Maximo Gomez and antonio Macco. Macco leads the negrous and Gomez the white element. While they operate in harmony and on occasion join forces, the divergencies between them are said to be irrepeated able and it is feared will of Cube is worn were at first discredited, but they down and many believers. The insurgents themselves make no secret of the fact that there is friction. The white and declare that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negro assistance to attain the particular that they are availing themselves of negros assistance that a grown that the force in the particular that they are availing themselves of negros assistance to a train the particular that the remained of the granted of general can be a second that the area of the particular that the remained of the granted of general can be a second to the particular that the remained of the provisional government Macco, as the same of the territory. But he got behind his is cortical to the head of the provisional government Macco, as the same of the particular to the head of the provisional government Macco, as the

daces south of this city, is discreted and the second insurant feered Antoine Macco, may retire from the province of Pinar del Rio. When he province of Pinar del Rio. When he province of Pinar del Rio. When he second insurant army, under Generals Jose Macco, Rabi and others, were believed to be pushing on through to the Sagua La Grande district of Santa Clara, towards the border of Matanzas. Efforts are being made to check its progress at or about Colon.

If the woman he married suited him he remained with her a few days; if not he left her as soon as he had secured her money. As a rule, however, he did not marry on credit, as it were. He generally obtained the money the moment he married, under the pretense of wanting to start in business.

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Further news was received from Gomez this evening from San Antoino De Los Banos, to the westward of Salud, and in a southwesterly direction from Beineal, where he was repulsed yesterday. Moving apparently towards La Ceciba, Gomez has burned the railway station at Reborucal, west of San Antoino De Los Banos, and when heard from was moving so rapidly that it was not thought the troops under General Linarez will be able to catch him. From the direction Gomez is taking he may contemplate an attack upon Gunnaja.

In the province of Matanzas the insurgents are again becoming active in anticipation of the coming of the second constern army of the insurgents under Generals Rabis and Jose Macco. Small bands are reported to be on the move in the vicinity of Cannai, Harmejonicoque. Bloindron and Jovelanos (Bomba) which is seriously interfering with the plans of the Spanish commanders to collect a considerable force of troops in the district of Collect a Considerable force of Matanzas and other places devustated by the insurgents is very great, and the local authorities in various districts have

been granted the necessary permission to collect funds by public subscription for the relief of the sufferers. In addition all the soldiers and all the employes of the different branches of the government have agreed to give one day's pay each month towards the funds being collected to relieve the distress referred to.

The prices of provisions, etc., are rising very rapidly here, and the expense of living is fully 50 per cent, more than a month ago. At the rat things are going, though the Spanish authorities are stih hopeful of driving the insurgents eastward and westward of Havana, the city of Havana will be the most expensive in the world to live in. If this is the case with the insurgent force now in this vicinity, it may be judged that matters will be worse if the Spanish commanders are unable to check the cd-vance westward of the second Cuban army. Business is suffering terribly on all sides and the mercantile community is heartly tired of the insurrection and everything connected with it.

was numble to carry oft this programment mear Havania he would return where the provisional government Macco, so that story goes, appointed his secretary minister of foreign affairs. The secretary was killed in battle a few days ago, Menawhile General Gomez complained to the head of the provisional government. Marquis de Santa Lucia is novelescoring to patch up the quarreb by the control of th

The folly of prejudice is frequently shown by people who prefer to suffer for years rather than try an advertised remedy. The millions who have no such notions take Ayer's Sarsaparilla for blood-diseases, and are cured. So much for common sense.

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Kintes, continued Mr. Schuster, to the current Mr. Schuster and the current Mr. Schuster said the thing of the current Mr. Schuster added, that the bank was resisting Mrs. scialina. The jewels have varilinated to be of the value of from a \$290,000.



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Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 17.—John Aldridge, aged 50, who has been at the poor farm, has night gave his baby away to a woman, whose name and residence be did not inquire. He came to the Union depot alone, carrying the baby, which was crying lustily. An elderly woman asked the man about the child sand learned that its mother had been separted from him and that he had no one to help him to care for it. He was on his way north and went to his train. The woman followed to the train sleed gate and, seeing the father and child in a car window, said to the depot policeman, "I wish I had taken that child; that man cannot take care of

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Professional jurors are well known in America, and everybody has heard of professional mouraers in other parts of the world, but professional witnesses to the road in the social system. It appears that they are well known in England, and that their services are often in demand.

A prominent London clergyman writes on the subject:

"Ask any old cab driver and he will tell yon how often he has earned an extra fee by acting as one of the witnesses to the marriage of some couple he has driven to the church. I have have had two such cases within the last twelve months. One tradesman near, a corn feftor, is generally at the service of the clerk when a witness is required, and I should think that he has so acted in quite a score of cases during the passifew years, a present being sometimes offered him for his service, while in others he has not even been thanked.

"A South London clergyman I know usually sends for a photographer, his churchwarden, who has a place in the proposite, to act as witness, and this individual declines to act unless—he uses no pressure, of course—he is allowed to take a compound of the bride and bridegroom to keep as a recorp, and desimply asis that a small subscription be put in the poor box of the church as a return, and if the bride and bridegroom to keep as a recorp, and assigned that some considerable time after they were taken, and in one case produced such a photograph at the Manchester for reasons known to themselves, and not on account of want of time, absolutely refused to be photographed, and of course, another witness has been found.—London Letter.

ELECTRICAL PROGRESS.

ELECTRICAL PROGRESS. Many Important Applications of the Fluid Have Been Made.

First and foremost among the features of electrical in 1895 must be considered the new conditions established on steam railroads by an agency which some helieve destined in a few short years to banish the steam locomotive from the face of the earth.

Valuable work was done, too' in "electrifying" water powers, and a stimulus was given to kindred work. Incidental to power transmission is always the question of distribution and it is noteworthy that 1895 saw the use of electricity on the Eric canal, close to Ningara, by means of "electric mules," or motors, hauling boats along, from stout lines on poles, thus abandoning the cruder method of using the trolley system, and attaching the motor to a propellor which churns up the water and chews up the bank. The writer believes that the equipment of the whole Eric canal will quickly follow, section by section. Under "distribution" also, may be included the work being done in the mills, factories and machine shops by electric power, the mo.ors displacing all other agencies and being run from a central power house. A long list could be given of the establishments thus fifted up during the last twelvements.

Another form of the use of electric graptia in large halk during 1805, has

This is because of an agreement between the telephone and the Western Umon people.

After November it is probable that the telephone company will become an uctive active of the Western Union and the Pacific Postal telegraphic companies. With a complete plant doing the work of two companies, no extra expense for linement and operators, the telephone company would make large profits transmitting telegraphic messages.

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The lines will still be used to talk over, but a telephone wire has what is known as a telegraph side, that is to say, a message can be ticked off while a conversation is being held on the same, in. In fact, two messages can be sent, because each of the wires, one going out and one returning, which are essential to complete a telephonic circuit, makes telegraphic circuit.

The work done by the telegraph will at first be entirely for the company. No outside messages will be received, at least not until November of this year. This is because of an agreement between the telephone and the Western Umou people.

After November it is probable that the A Rich Lady Who Has Boarded on a Steamship for Years.

For the third time since she began ner rips, in 1803, the steamship Lucanua came in here hast week without naving Mrs. Carson on board, and it was an event in the history of the steamer. It did not seem like the same vessel with this strange bearder absent.

Any one in search of a good boarding house would hardly book for it on occan. The old sour loss, tarson is probably the rolling deep and the stanger loss, tarson is probably the rolling deep and leave their houses on the great deep, and leave their houses on the great deep, and leave their houses on shore, out Mrs. Carson has her bome on the sea, and only goes ashore for business or pleasure. Her pleasant floating home is the Leannia, and she is greatly attacked to it.

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HELLO THERE, CENTRAL.

You've Got to Learn Telegraphy Now, or Will Very Soon.

San Francisco, Jan. 17. The "Hello girls" must learn telegraphy. The order has gone forth, and it will not be many months before the telephone wires throughout the entire state will be cares.

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> CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Loans under Authority of the Electric Lighting By-laws, 1894 and 1805.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-law, 1894. \$ 58,070 57 City Hall, 6th January, 1896, CHAS. KENT, Treasurer, Certified Correct, JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor,

> CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Loan under authority of the Waterworks By-law, 1894;

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> CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Broad Street Local improvement Assessment By-law, 1892.

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> CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. Loan under authority of the Crematory By-law.

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CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Loan under authority of the Surface Drains By-law, 1893. City Hall, 6th January, 1896. CHAS. KENT, Treasurer Certified Correct, JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

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#### Land Registry Act.

Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received until noon of the 28th January.

The South half of Section Ten (10) and Twelve (12) Undersigned will be received until noon of the 28th January.

Section Their conveyed to Alexander days are conveyed to Alexander.

Notice.

Consumption.

# JANUARY.

#### Got a Cold?

Well, cure it. See Jones at the P. P. P., Government Street. Always Open. No sleepy clerks. No Button to push. Just walk in.

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## The Daily Times.

THE NEW COUNCIL.

The return of Mr. Beaven to the snayor's chair was generally looked upon as a certainty, and excepting that the have created a doubt in some hope that either of the other candidates would be successful. Mr. Beaven's reputation as a financier and as a careful and conscientions administrator, has retime when the people—for the reason that the long continued depression has made taxation unbearable-were ripe for Mr. Beaven's defeat two years ago smoothly put into commission demon-were in a large measure the same as were in a large measure the same as strates to a nicety the prodigious naval those responsible for his victory in 1896. That Mr. Beaven will discharge his duties with painstaking fidelity and deduties with painstaking fidelity and devotion goes without saying, and assisted as he will be by a strong council, the ed as he will be by a strong council, the civic administration of the present year civic administration of the present year undoubtedly was precisely what was in-will, we helieve, result in the accom-tended by the astute Britisher, who ent of many needed municipal improvements, and possibly, also, in a re-

a matter for congratulation. He was about the only candidate seeking election against whom a "dead-set" was made. He has triumphed because his record for honesty, independence and ability was unassaliable. Mr. Marchat's presence in the council will be a in his endeavors to go distinct gain, and although the defeat of ex-Alderman Dwyer, ex-Alderman Humber and others is to be regretted. Mr. Glover's advent to the council will be most acceptable to many people. The difficulty in the North Ward was a plethora of capable candidates, so that

#### NICE THING FOR TUPPER.

made that "there will be no appointment to the office of high commissioner, but as in 1887-88, when he returned to Canand became minister of finance, Sir Charles Tupper will for the present ad-minister the office from Ottawa in addition to his new duties as secretary of state." The "gall" exhibited in connec-

confederation to establish separate schools, and it is not a little surprising to find any man or newspaper so ignorant or so dishonest as to assert the contrary. In their second judgment Shore's Hardware.

—Gilmore & McCandless quote some attractive prices in men's clothing.

—Men's Mackintosh coats \$12, more & McCandless.

—Men's Mackintosh coats \$12, more & McCandless.

—Gardening tools at Cheapside,

their Lordships said that the prohaving voluntarily established separate schools and afterwards abolished them, the minority had a right to appeal to 4 the minority had a right to appear to
the Governor-General-in-Council against
18 that abolition. But their Lordships did
25 not say that the Governor-General-inCouncil was bound to grant the appeal
or order the re-establishment of separate schools. They were in fact careful
to point out that it was the duty of the to point out that it was the duty of the Dominion government, not of the judi-cial committee, to decide whether the cial committee, to decide whether the appeal was well founded or not. The Dominion government wilfully misinter-preted this judgment for partizan pur-poses, and from that action the present trouble has arisen.

"It is to be observed that the Liberal party, even while the government was weakened by internal dissensions, have not gained strength in the country." quoth the Colonist. The Liberals have within the loonist. The Liberals have within the last two years taken five seats from the government, while the government has taken none from the Liberals. The Colonist is not quite right in its head.

The Rossland Prospector asks: "If the customs are abolished, how is Mr. Laurier to obtain his revenue for carryspirited contest by Mr. John Roberting on the revenue of the country? Our son's friends during the last day or two informed as it might be. Mr. Laurier raising a revenue for some time to come to use the duties for revenue-raising him to public confidence at a purposes alone, and not as a means of allowing one section of the community to prey on all the rest, onue only is their motto. Tariff for rev-

The flying squadron so rapidly and will have thus averted war and the on by this timely exhibition or power.

The re-election of Ald. Macmillan is matter for congratulation. He was show-down no one can put up a better

"I say that had I had that loyal support which every premier ought to have in his endeavors to govern the country, that characterized the support that was given most loyally to my old chiefs, Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson, that I would have been just as successful in carrying out the affairs of the government as my predecessors, though not possessed of the same ability or poplethora of capable candidates, so that in any ovent good men were bound to be left out. The same can be said, although in a lesser degree, of the other two wards, where the only change is the substitution of Mr. Tiarks for Mr. John Hall in the South Ward. The council of 1896 will, we feel assured, strive earnessty to advance the welfare of the city by carrying out all needed improvements without unnecessarily adding to only the gentlemen individually but for the city debt or increasing the rate of taxation. In doing so they will have the support of all right thinking citizens. same jealousy prevailed, and the ambition to destroy the usefulness of the government been so firmly rooted in the breasts of those with whom I was associated, I flatter myself that we should From Ottawa the announcement is have been as successful in carrying on the affairs of this country." That is Sir Mackenzie Bowell's opinion of 'he who are now back in the gov-

Premier Bowell said of the statement, of his bolting colleague, Mr. Foster: "He states there that there has been no state." The "gall" exhibited in connection with this programme is of truly Tupperian proportions. The people of this country pay about \$30,000 on account or the "high" commissioner, including his salary of \$10,000, the expenses of his that you should find seven of the cabioffice and the maintenance of his resi-dence. The original cost of the latter in their resignations, simply because

# A Golden Opportunity

If You Need

Furniture, Crockery, Glassware, Carpets, Oilcloths, Window Blinds, Curtain Poles

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SAMPLE PRICES: Bedroom Sets from \$8.75 up. Chairs from 40c. up. Window Blinds from 35c. up. Holiday Goods, such as Fine Bisque Figures, Vases, Ornamental Goods, etc., Half Price.

B. C. Furniture Co. JACOB SEHL, Manager. 

THE POLITICAL PIGGERY.

The present session of parliament is

The present session of parametr is nothing but a travesty.

Aside from the mistakes of the premier, the peculiar conduct of the "bolters' and the strange performances of individual members of the Cabinet, we have a situation discreditable alike to the existing Government and the dimoralized party that has been supporting it.

ing it.

It is not enough to be governed by a cabinet which is so feeble as to be ridiculous, and has to adjourn from day to day, without doing even routine parliamentary tusiness, in order to get

llamentary business, in order to get brenth.

When, however, this one-lunged Ministry goes on making appointments which are for life or good conduct—the latter meaning while the appointee is out of juil—the farce is changed into a shameful travesty of parliamentary government.

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Eight constituencies are vacant and disfranchised—six of them made so since the alleged Parliament met last Tuesday. Members who feel that they have lost the confidence of their constituencies are seeking refuge in the sonate or fat offices.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell and his remaining colleagues are practically dictators and precedents, parliament and people may go hang.

Sir William Hingston, defeated in Montreal Centre, was jumped into the senate almost before his successful opponent was gazetted, and certainly before he reached the house of commons. It was evident that a deal had been made that Sir William, if defeated, should go into the senate, and "high-minded and splendid man," as he was alleged by the government papers to be, he was not ashamed to publicly and without a blush accept the price of his candidature.

The other members who have been

he was not ashamed to publicly and without a blush accept the price of his candidature.

The other members who have been paid off, like hired men, as they doubtless were, may feel ashamed, but they don't show it.

Those waiting for their prices are as clamorous as hogs around a trough, and we are treated to the spectacle of the unmasking of men elected to represent a score of Canada's most intelligent constituencies, who have stipagentiy sat in the house as paid retainers of the government, such as should make every self-respecting Canadian blush.

Is our parliament nothing but a political piggery, when members grant and squal over the public trough while in an atmosphere of corruption they vote as they are told, live on the swill of party promotion, and are then sent to the fattening stye of office, where the sight of them feeding and stinking and stinking and feeding is enough to drive political destiny into a fit.—Edmund E. Sheppard.

NEW USE OF SHAKESPEARE.

A Panoramie Music Hall Adaptation of Henry V.

that you should find seven of the cabinetee. The original cost of the latter was \$40,000 extra. Now Sir Charles approposes to administer this costly office from Ortawa while administering an important department of the government, and his two aslaries will amount to have a seed as the propose of the seed of the seed of the seed of the sang sum of \$17,000 a year. Sir Mackensie Bowell and Sir Charles appear to have formed the opinion that the people of Canada are ready, like patient asses, to bend their backs to any burden those two knightly drivers chose to put upon them. Perhaps their opinion is correct.

"THE CONSTITUTION" AGAIN.

Says the Colonist: "If one province considers itself justified in repediating to repair the constitutional obligations so can an other. And if the provinces are penaltices of one party or another, and put it in force."

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VICTORIA MARKETS. Retail Quotations for Farmers' Pro-duce Carefully Corrected.

..16 to Sides, per lb. ..... Meats-Beef, per lb.

-The annual meeting of St. Paul's church, Victoria West, will be held this evening.

KOOTENAY HAS MADE THE MOST STARTLING **CURES** RHEUMATISM EVER RECORDED. WRITE FOR PAMPHLET CONTAINING SWORN STATEMENTS.

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## Great Clearance Sale

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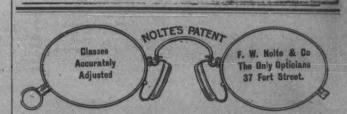
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PRELLER (Bordeaux), CLARETS and SAUTERNES.

A large shipment just received. The duty is less. The price is lower.

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## Dominion Election.

OPPOSITION CENTRAL COMMITTEE ROOMS,

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All persons opposed to the present Dominion Government, present Dominion Government, and who are willing to assist by their votes and influence in ef-fecting a change of administra-tion, are invited to call at the above address and leave their names with the secretary. Open day and evening.

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Are you in trouble? Do you need assistance and advice? If so call on MRS. Dit. MEARCHANT. She gives valuable laformation on all business, uniting the separated, and can talk to your spirit friends. Fees reasonable. New York Hotel. jai62w

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Miss Ellsier as Juliet.

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#### LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

-Call at the London bar for A1 Tomand Jerry.

-R. Johnson, a Walla Walla grain dealer, is in the city endeavoring to dis-pose of some shipments of barley.

The appointment of George Shedden as ilquidator of the Victoria Jockey club has been approved by the Supreme Court.

—A full list of certificates of health, issued by F. S. Roper, inspector of con-tagions diseases, is published in the B. C. Gazette yesterday.

The J. B. A. A. whist tournament closed last evening with M. Hodgson winner by 10 games to 12. There were thirty-two contestants.

-A well attended masquerade ball was given by the members of the Vall-halla in Oliver's hall last evening. The music for the dancing was excellent.

Grand Master W. E. Holmes, of the I. O. O. F., leaves to-morrow for Duncan's to instal. the officers of Duncan's lodge, No. 17. Grand lodge officers are requested to attend.

—John Hays Hammond, the American engineer who was arrested by Boer officials at Johannesburg charged with treason in the recent uprising of Uitlanders in the Transvanl, was at one time a familiar figure on the streets of Tacoma.

All members of the second company of the Victoria Boys' Brigade are requested to meet at the drill hall, James Bay, for drill practice this evening (Friday). A busineess meeting will be head after the drill when important matters will be discussed.

-Notice of incorporation of the Invicta Gold Mining Co., Ltd., is given in this week's Gazette. The stock of the company is placed at £100,000 in £1 shares. The Elk Gold Mining Co., of Vencouver, with a capital of \$10,000 in 25 cent shares, has also been incorporated.

—A further extension of time for the completion of the assessment rolls has been granted. Those of Victoria, Vancouver and Westminster city dictricts are required to be ready by the 14th of February, and for North and South Nanimo, Comox and Cowichan-Alberni districts by the 28th of the same month,

The semi-annual examination of the B. C. Medical Council was concluded yesterday. The following candidates passed successful examinations and were allowed to register as practitioners: Dr. Jeffs. Union: Dr. G. B. Hall, Nanaimo: Dr. McKechnie, Union: Dr. Drysdale, Nanaimo: Dr. Hoyes, Trail; Dr. Hepworth, Victoria; Dr. Laugley, Victoria

Robert Hetherington and Miss Lizzie A. Moore were married last evening by the Rev. Solomon Cleaver at the parsonage, Quadra street. Miss Shelton acted as bridesmaid and R. J. Stewart supported the groom. After the marriage ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Walker. Foul Bay road. Mr. and Mrs. Hetherington will begin housekeeping on Ferguson road.

Notice is given in the Gazette by Messrs. Wilson and Campbell that a private bill will be introduced at the approaching session of the legislature for the purpose of incorporating a company to build a railway from Penticton to Cascade City. The proposed line will run from Okanagan lake to Midway, thence to the North Fork of Kettle river and to Grand Forks, thence east to Cascade City.

Cascade City.

—What might have proved a very serious sleighing accident occurred on Michigau street last evening. Mr. Rogers, of the Gorge road, was driving in a sieigh with a lady and a child, when one of the runners struck the car track, breaking the whiffle-tree and thus releasing the shafts from the sleigh. The horse was going rather fast at the time, and before Mr. Rogers could let go the reins he had been dragged over the dash board and over about thirty yards of the road. The sleigh turned right over, burying the lady and child. Lackly no one was hurt, but all were more or less frightened.

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re Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

that their pay for December will be forthcoming during the early part of next week. All the employes of the other departments will in all probability have to wait until next March before any part of the money due them on last year's work can be paid.

-W. S. Smith, of Toronto, is at the Driard, and is showing samples of Stearns' 1806 Bicycles. Call and see the "Yellow Fellow."

About two feet of show fell at Nana-imo last evening, and in consequence of this the south bound train was delayed about an hour, arriving here at 1:30.

-L. O. L. 1597, of Sannich, will hold a, soial and dancee at Sannichton on January 24th. Train leaves Hillside avenue at 8 p.m. Tickets for return trip, social and dance, \$1; ladies free.

-Victoria Camp, No. 52, Woodmen of the World, will instal officers this even-ing. It is imperative that all officers for this year be present. The sick bene-fit fund list is still open for signatures.

There will be a stereoptican lecture,
"A Trip Around the World," at the
Centennial Methodist church next Wednexday evening. Prof. Wickens' juvenile orchestra will also render a number

-Dr. George Duncan is this after-noon examining Steve Munson, the northern trader, for insanity. Munson has been serving a term in the provincia-jail for an assault on his wife, during a fit of insanity.

if of insanity.

-D. J. Munn, president of the Kaslo & Slocan railway, returned this morning. The trouble over the right of way, he says, has quieted down and the line is in good running order, a large amount of ore being brought cut daily.

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—St. John's church annual Sunday school treat took place last evening at the Sunday school on Herald street. The children enjoyed a visit from Santa Claus none the less on account of its being a little late. The little ones arrived promptly on time at 5 o'clock, and partock of a fine supper. Later on they witnessed the distribution of prizes and the disrobing of the Christmas tree, from which each child received a gift. Then came some games and a much-enjoyed magic lantern show. Much appreciation was shown by all present of St. John's choir and the organist, Mr. Bridgman, for the impressive carols rendered by them during the evening. At 9 o'clock two hundred happy little children left for their homes.

#### SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Events of Interest in the Amateur and Professional Field.

FOOTBALL.
TO-MORROW'S GREAT GAME. TO-MORHOW'S GREAT GAME.

To-morrow's game at Caledonia Park between the Wellington Association team and the Wanderers of Victoria, will be the first senior cup tie match of the season, and the result will give a very reliable forecast as to who will be the winner of the B. C. Association challenge cup for 1896. The game will commence at 2:45 p.m. sharp, and owing to the sharp thaw, the ground will be in excellent condition. Mr. Wiley, of Nanaimo, has been selected as referee, and his infimate acquaintance with the rules, makes him a very fit person to occupy the position. The following will represent the Victoria Wanderers. Goal. W. Donaldson; backs, A. Goward and G. Stewart; half-backs, C. Glen, A. Johnston and P. Falconer; forwards, W. Peden, A. T. Goward, R. Livingston, J. Dakers and J. Hook, Reserves, V. Howard and J. Diek. Colors, blue and white.

THE NEW LEAGUE.

The managers of the different teams in the new Pacific league are busy acording the country for available material. Portland has under contract Frank B. Reese and Seattle has C. J. Black and E. J. Egan. Portland has signed James Dean and Louis Balsz. The adjourned meeting, which was to have been held in Portland, was postponed until January 23. The details of the formation of the league will be closed up on that date. It has not yet been decided who will get the Victoria franchise, Gus Klopf, second baseman of Milwaukee, is after it, with a fair chance of getting it.

In the runners struck the car track, breaking the whiffle-tree and thus reasing the shafts from the sleigh. The sorse was going rather fast at the time, ad before Mr. Rogers could let go the sins he had been dragged over the ash board and over about thirty yards it the road. The sleigh turned right ter, burying the lady and child. Luckpus on one was hurt, but all were more less frightened.

Aside from the light and water defined to Tacoma there is not apt to a pay day for officials and employes

New York, Jan. 17.—After a most exciting game with Manhattan, the New Yorks family succeeded last night in winning the Gordon medal in the curling match which has been going on for the last two days in Hoboken rink. The game, which from beginning to end, was of the most exciting nature, resulted in a tie. In order to settle the dispute the unpire ordered two more ends to be played, which resulted in the New Yorks coming off victors by two points. The rink which won this medal is the save rink which won the state championship of Albany in 1888 and has successfully defended the medal ever since.

Mrs. Jolliboy—My husband takes regular exercise at the club gymnashm now, and I judge from what he says he is getting on finely.

Mrs. Kingley—Has he become expert enough to do anything.

Mrs. Jolliboy—He tells me that he has learned how to crook his elbow, though I don't know exactly what that means.

acie, indeed
Isaacs (the tailor, excitedly)—S'hellup
me gracious! Dot suit was noddings of
de kind. Dot suit nefer leafs der store
except for spot gash!

## THE CIVIC ELECTIONS

Hon. Robert Beaven Yesterday Elected by a Very Large Majority.

Six of Last Year's Board of Aldermen Returned to Office-

It was late last night before the full returns in the election for mayor, aldermen and school trustees were known, but the partial returns published in the Times gave a pretty good idea of what the result would be. The result of the mryoralty contest was no surprise, it being known that Hon. Mr. Beaven had the best chance with so many running. The contests in the wards, particularly for third places, were very close. In North ward Mr. Glover defeated Mr. Dwyer by three votes. This is about the same as the number by which Mr. Dwyer was defeated last year. Aldermen Macmillan, Williams and Wilson have all maintained their positions at the head of the polis in their respective wards. Here are the men who are to serve on the council board during 1806:

Mayor—Robert Beaven.
Aldermen—North Ward—John Macmillan, William Marchant and George Glover.
Centre Ward—Robert Taylor, Williams, Waliam Hunghrey and John Partridge.
The result of the polling was as follows:

MAYOR.

Dalby ...... McDonald ...

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

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That a great deal of interest was taken in the election for school trustees is shown by the fact that Mr. A. L. Belyea, who headed the poll, received 112 more votes than the successful mayoralty candidate.

The new school trustees are: A. L. Belyea, J. Stuart Yates, Robert Burns McMicking and Mrs. Helen Grant, the result of the poll being:

A. L. Belyea, 967
J. S. YATES 888
B. B. MeMICKING 773
MRS. HELEN GRANT 728
Mrs. Maria Grant 719
C. A. Holland 668
E. A. Lewis 660
D. Cartmel 573
J. McKenzie 331
The mayor and aldermen will take The mayor and aldermen will tak the oath of office to-morrow at noon.

IMPOSING LEGAL GATHERING.

Many Barristers and Officers Assemble in Honor of Sir Henry Crease.

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When the full court met this afternoon the appeal court room presented an imposing appearance, as nearly every barrister in Victorin was present in wig and gown Mr. A. J. McColl, Q. C., of New Westminster, and F. M. Young, of Nanaimo, were also present. The officials connected with the administration of justice were also well represented in Sheriffs McMillan, Hall (Vancobver) and Armstrong (Westminster), Superintendents Hussey and Sheppard of the police. The occasion for the large gathering was that the Hon. Sir Henry P. P. Crease, whose retfrement from the bench will take place on the 20th instant, was to make some remarks before leaving bis seat in the supreme court and giving up the position which he has so faithfully and ably filled for upwards of 25 years. The Hon. D. M. Eberts, attorney-general, will speak on behalf of the bar.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

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The full court this morning heard the opening of the plaintiffs' appeal in Coy vs. Aitkins. The plaintiffs are the owners of the Cariboo mineral claim, and the defendants are the owners of the Rambler mineral claim. The plaintiffs located their claim before the defendants, but recorded it after, and the question is to be decided as to who has priority in a mineral claim, the one who locates first or the one who records first, i. e., so long as the recording is done withing the time limited by the statute. In this case His Honor Judge Spinks held that the date of the recording governed, and the plaintiffs are appealing. W. J. Taylor and Robert Cassidy for the plaintiffs (appellants), and A. J. McColl. Q. C., and E. V. Bodwell for the defendants (respondants).

The full court met at 2:30 to deliver judgments.

In Spears vs. the Queen, the judgment

ceived instructions from the owners of the Janet Cowan, through A. L. Russell, their agent, to make a survey of the wrecked vessel. Further action re-garding the vessel will be suspended un-

San Francisco, Jan. 17,—110e barkentine Omega brings news of the burning of the American ship Iceberg, of Naw York, at Junin on the merning of November 20. The Omega was lying close to the burning vessel and had to slip her stern anchor to save herself from the flames. The Iceberg was londed with nitre, and the members of the crew had no time to gather their effects before the ship was ablaze.

A dispatch has been received at the geteral offices of the Puget Sound and Central American steamship company from San Jose de Guatemala giving notice that the steamship Transit3, which sailed from Saatle about sixteen days ago, arrived there on Monday morning. All were well and the vessel arrived an right.

Stormy weather was encountered by the steamer Maude, Captain Sears, which arrived last evening from the Halibut fishing grounds. Her cargo of fish was taken to the Sound this morn-ing by the City of Kingston. The Mande will leave on Monday for the West Coast.

Word has been received that the Ha-walian schooner Americana, lumber laden from Vancouver, arrived at East Lon-don on the 7th inst. The Danish bark Climbria, from Vancouver to Cork, was spoken on December 12 in latitude 15 north, longitude 33 west.

The City of Topeka arrived from Alas-ka yesterday, and after landing a few passengers at the outer wharf, left im-mediately for the Sound. The Topeka will again call at the outer wharf to-morrow evening on her way north.

Having finished discharging the naval stores at Esquimalt, the ship Candida will be brought to the outer wharf to-morrow, where she will discharge that portion of her cargo which is consigned to Victoria merchants.

Sai Francisco, Jan. 17.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company has issued a new tariff sheet announcing an advance of 70 per cent. on freight rates fro mthis city to New York. The rate affects all important commodities.

The British ship Nineveh, Captain Broadfoot, was ready to leave Moody-ville for Sydney to-day with a cargo of 100,000 feet of flouring, 720,000 feet of rough lumber, and 45,000 laths.

The scaling schooner Mary Taylor, Capt. R. O. Lavender, was towed to see to-day by the tug Sadie. She goes to the Japanese coast and carries a crew of nineteen men.

On the 21st inst. the O. R. & N. stramship Roshina will arrive here en route to the Orient via Honolulu. She goes to Comox for coal before coming here.

Ship Wachusetts, coal laden from Na-naimd for San Francisco was towed to sea yesterday. She put into Port Ange-les two weeks ago leaking badly.

This morning the City of Kingston took out 60,000 pounds of hallbut to be shipped east over the N. P. Ry,

The theatre alley robbery and assault case, which was adjourned from last Wednesday, was again up in the police court this morning. The same difficulty and delay occurred in connection with administering the Chinese oath as at the previous sitting. Only one witness was heard, and the case

A CORRECTION.

A CORPECTION.

To the Editor: On looking over the pages of presterday's issue of the British Columbia Commercial Journal I was very much surprised to see an article there stating that I had sold qut my business on Fort street. I take this opportunity of giving the said statement an unqualified denial. It is not true. I have no such intention at the preschittme. The management of the said paper should not publish such statements without first finding out whether or not they are correct.

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Jan. 11-im JOSHUA DAVIES,

AUSTRALIA'S BIG WAR.

It Is Against Rabbits and Has Cost a Million Pounds.

When in the year JSSI, a member of the New South Wales Legislature, in moving, the address in reply to the Governor's spiecer, a pressed his repret that mover in the control of the propose and the control of the propose and all the control of the propose and all the there are the suggestion with the remark that "they might as well propose a bill for the extermination of fleas." But, since that time-there has been a good deal of legislation though not muen scope for further withchess, on the rabbit question in Australia. The gravity of the evil was fully realized not many years after when it was found that, although the government of New South Wales had pald for the skins of 2,700,000 rabbit in the course of a single 12 months there were netually more rabbits at the cold of the year than there were a the beginning? Since 1885, too, New South Wales has speat considerably over \$1,000,000 in what has been a verification of rabbit-proof netures; but, all the same, the Grown amount of the gravity of the peat, and in the western about a total part of the gravity of the peat, And now, the year had of central divisions, which has gravity of the peat, And now, the year had been a very which has been raised the New South Wales, in Vetoria, and will be gravity of the peat, And now, the year had been dependent of the gravity of the peat, And now, the New South Wales, in Vetoria, in the serving of the gravity of the peat, And now, the New South Wales, in Vetoria, in the serving of the proper serving the peat of the colony, has recently presented a report to which has been raised the doleful auonusement that, as regards Queenal, and the precautions of the same parts that the process and that, in some places, he has found in gravity that the bork and small twigs, keep in excellent condition, and generally when killed, are as fat as seals. Queensland, excellent condition, and generally when killed, are as fat as seals, and the formal parts of the work of the same were carriag £12 per week. If was, in fact, a good basiness, whic

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Victoria, B. C.

erected a similar fence along a considerable portion of the northern boundary of New South Wales; but the surveyor general of Queensland, in the report already referred to, says that "the rabbits must have come through the fence in mobs and droves of innumerable multitudes at some time, and thus have established themselves in Queensland as well." This, of course, is the weak point in regard to fences, which are liable to break down in places, more especially in times of flood and where they cross over creeks, while the keeping of a constant supervision over the fences, so that immediate repairs can be made where openings appear, is quite impracticable where the distances are so great. In many instances countless thousands of rabbits have been seen once side of a fence dead or dying of starvation, after cating all the available food supplies, and leaping up at the fence in their attempts to surmount it. One can imagine how they will rush through in the event of any opening appearing, and how a single break of a fence might be the doom of a country not previously infested.

There have been many projects for the commercial atilization of the animals, by sending them over here in order to contribute both to our food supplies and to the cost of their own destruction, but hitherto, the enterprise has not been very profitable, while some

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The la'est discovery in the scienti- and not the nerve centres, which are

supply with nerve fluid, or nerve going principle. It cures by rebuildings, are also deranged. When it ing and strengthening the nerve is remembered that a serious injury centres, and thereby increasing the to the spinal cord will cause paralysis supply of nerve force or nervous

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BOARD OF TRADE.

Quarterly Meeting of the Board Held

The quarterly general meeting of the B. C. Board of Trade was held this afternoon, President Ker in the chair. The president referred to what had been done during the past quarter. Most of the communications received had been referred directly to the committee, thus doing away with the necessity of holding council meetings. A large number of annual reports had been distributed, including two lumdred copies purchased by the city.

including two hundred copies purchased by the city.

Mr. Henry Croft moved: "That whereas at the present time American vessels are employed in fishing for ball-but in Canadian waters, principally in Hecate Straits, and destroy large numbers of immature fish, and if allowed to continue, will in a short time ruin the fishery; be it resolved; that this board bring the grievance before the representatives of the city at Ottawa, with the request that they urge the Dominion government to place a revenue cutter in our northern waters at once for the purpose of protecting the deep sea fishery."

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Mr. Croft spoke at some length in support of his resolution. It was hard for the British Columbia companies to compete with the American companies, as at certain times they have to get their bait from Puget Sound and the British Columbia companies also have to pay a duty of from 20 to 30 'ser cent. on the produce they use, which should be, but is not, here. The Americans admit that the waters are Canadian waters, but they say it is not likely that they will stop fishing there walle the Dominion government take no notice of it. He also understood that the American schooners took provisions up there, which they landed without paying duty.

duty.

The motion was seconded by Mr. T.
B. Hall and carried.

President Ker referred to the unsatisfactory state of the Cermanah Point telegraph line, which is continuously down. The government paid for the line, but the C. P. R. seemed to take very little notice of it. The Americaus seem to be able to keep up their line to Flattery. There is also a line to Cape Beale, which is never used.

A resolution was moved by Mr. Flumerfelt, seconded by Mr. Scalife, calling the attention of the Dominion government to smuggling by American vessels in British Columbia waters.

#### AN UNKNOWN PEOPLE.

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Another strange discovery has been made in Africa. It is a race of whites of great intelligence and power, and the story of the discovery is vouched for as absolutely authentie by Captain H. D. Lraymore of the Gold Coast constabutary, now visiting in England.

There is in Africa a class of men who like the "timber cruisers" of the American Northwest, penetrate the regions not yet invaded by civilization. It is one of these men who made the discovery, and is now, or was when Captain Larymore left, says the New York Journal, at Johannesburg, trying to form an expedition to visit the region inhabited by the whites who, he says, are possessed of marvellous wealth. While among them he secured sketches of the people. The country where this tribe dwells he should be the country where this tribe dwells he should be the country where this tribe dwells he should be the country where the stribe dwells he should be the country where the first the dwells he should be the country where the stribe dwells in their power to prevent strangers from passing through their territory. The stature of the men, as a rule, exceeds six feet. They are, he says, a strong, fearless and exclusive race, who do all in their power to prevent strangers from passing through their territory. The stature of the men, as a rule, exceeds six feet. They are of a very fair complexion though bronzed from the exposure incident to their methods of life, have high their territory. The stature of the men, as a rule, exceeds six feet. They are of a very fair complexion though bronzed from the exposure incident to their methods of life, have high the proportions and rare beauty. The entire tribe dwell in caves, but none of the squalor attends their manner of living which has been peculiar to the cave dwellers of modern times. Their homes are models of neatment of note that the proportion and the stature of the squalor attends their manner of living which has been peculiar to the cave dwellers of modern times. Their homes are models of neatme

AN INQUISITIVE FOREIGNER.

Foreigner—I wouldn't have taken that man to be one of your political leaders. He doesn't look like a statesman. What office does he hold?

American—You don't understand. He is not a public official. He is a political manager.

"Is he a man of much influence?"

"O, yes, he wields an immense influence."

"Hasn't he a title of any kind?"
"Well, yes; we call him a boss'"
"Does he make a living out of it?"
"Oh, yes, I suppose. He makes a rood living, anyhow."
"What is his salary?"
"He has no salary, you know. He—
"-"

"Then how does he get his money?"
"Why he—that is, unless you understand our system, you know, you can't-though, of course—now, over there, on the other side of the hall, there is a historical painting that has been much admired. Let us walk over that way and look at it."—Chicago Tribune.

#### THE HUNGARIAN KNGDOM.

Great preparations are in progress for the celebration of the fillennial anilversary of which will take place next year. The festivities are to last twelve months, and are planned on lines worthy of what is really a great national event. They will comprise a great national event. They will comprise a great national exhibition at Pesth, the opening of the new purliament building erected at a cost of \$6,000,000, and which situated on the bank of the Danuble, facing the lofty slopes of Fuda, sources in magnificence where the first property of the property

A NOVEL JOURNEY.

District and Metropolitan rallways feep mostly to the north side of the Thanner. But South London has its electric suderground, the only one of the kind. I believe, in existence, though there are electric trains almost everywhere now, except, in London, and probably Liverpool is, not alone in its electric elevated. I myself have never had occasion to use it, but curiosity led me once to make a fourney along its entire length. The trip is made in a quarter of an hour, and trains run every three milutes. I believe as yet there are but ten trains in the hour, a larger number could hardly but har anged. The journey for the maccustomed

The men wear a sort of shirt woven from fibres of a plant peculiar to the section in which they live. A short skirt of skins falls from the waist to the knee he limbs below that point, as well as the feet, being bare. The women wear a sleeveless garment which extends from the neck to the feet, being confined at the waist by a sort of leathern grelle. They do not disfigure themselves any in an effort at personal adcrament, ornaments being exceedingly rare and only worn by the wires of dignitaries. Mr. Getty says he saw around the neck of the wire of one of the head men a diamond necklace of untold value.

The position of the women of the tribe is not at all degrading, and they are not required to perform duties to which they are not required. The doctor are not suited. The degrees of society are much like those of civil lation, and servants are freely employed.

Capt. Larymore, who related the story

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#### PERSONAL.

A. McQueen, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

H. G. Wilson returned from Vancouver last evening.

In the city.

A. J. McColl, Q. C., of New Westminster, is at the Driard.

A. L. McColl, Q. C., of New Westminster, is at the New England.

J. B. and Mrs. Marsden, of Pilot Bay, are guels at the New England.

Hon. Justice McCreight came over from the Mainhand last night and is at the Oriental College of the Colleg

Capt. John Irving went to Port Town-send on the City of Kingston this mora-ing.
Capt W. E. George, of the steamer City of Topeka, came over from the Sound this ing. W. Wright, editor of Lewis & Dry-Marine History of the Northwest, is

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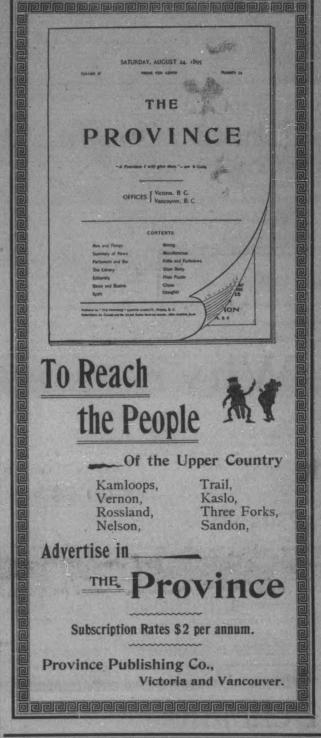
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