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FOUR FUNERALS

of Late Frederick Wood Laid Rest Yesterday—A. Bodley Interred To-Day

Yesterday afternoon the funeral of the late Frederick Wood took place from the family residence, 29 Harrison street, at 2.30 p.m. Impressive services, were conducted by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, assisted by Rev. Dr. Reid, at the residence and grave. The large attendance of friends and the many beautiful floral designs testified to the esteem in which deceased was held. The members of the Sons of England, of which the late Mr. Wood was a valued member, attended in a body, as well as the employees of the Tramway Company. President Bro. C. Holmes conducted the S. O. E. service at the grave, assisted by Bro. Rev. Latendance was large and the floral denations many. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. G. Smith, Murton, H. Sellick, W. H. Bone, J. H. Affred Bodiey took place from the partice of the grave, assisted by Bro. Rev. Baugh Allan, deputy grand chaplain. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: C. Holmes, E. M. Haynes, J. G. Taylor and W. Jones, representing the Tramway Company.

The remains of the late Joseph Bates

longed. There were numerous donation of wreaths and bouquets of gorgeot flowers. The following gentlemen acte as pullbearers: H. Pretty, J. l'ascoe, W. Merryfield and Allen Jeaves.

Merryfield and Allen Jeaves.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sophis Everton occurred yesterday afternoon a 2,30. The funeral services were held a her late residence, Topaz avenue, an were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ousterhout assisted by Rev. J. F. Vichert. The attendance was large and the floral donations many. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messra G. Smith, Murton, H. Sellick, W. H. Bone, J. H. Meldram and W. Sellick.

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The city council will meet this evening as a streets, sewers and bridges committee. Among other important business to come up for consideration will be the claim for remuneration from John Haggerty for loss sustained in consequence of the alleged breaking of a contract for the supply of a quantity of stone for use in the Point Ellice bridge.

Chains THE ROLL OF THE DEAD

List of Those Who Perished in Catastrophe at Frank, Alberta--Heart-Rending Scenes in Panic-Stricken Town.

Although the causes of the horrible tisaster at Frank are still in some doubt, he worst is at least known in regard to the results of the catastrophe, The death roll, first placed at about a hundred, has been somewhat reduced by the fact that last night the eighteen doomed miners, who were given up for lost, tunnelled and timbered their way out again

of these men, which was little short of a resurrection, are most graphically de-Times prints to-day from its own cor-respondent at the scene. Nothing more thrilling, and in some instances more

thrilling, and in some instances more pathetic, has ever impened in the history of mining disasters.

In the face of dogmatic scientific theories, the men on the ground still adhere to the original theories of a volcanic disturbance. The descriptions which are printed to-day, while in some particulars bearing out this theory, are capable in other particulars of quite-a different construction. Where scientific men differ so markedly, however, it is not afe for the markedly, however, it is not safe for the rdinary layman to enunciate any theory

what to scientists is a geological puzzle. While they do not say that it is impossible that it has been a volcanic cataclysm, yet they are at a loss to explain it fully. According to the known formation of the district the overlying crust of rock must be of a thickness of 6,000 feet, which should have been sufficient to resist any pressure from beneath. But they are free to admit that man has but imited knowledge of such matters and

that nature may at any time upset their fondest theories. Many are loath to accept the volcanic explanation and seek other ways of explaining it.

Reference has been made to an igneous intrusion mentioned by Dr. Dawson in his report of the country. This has given a clue to the volcanic character of the present outburst. Wm. Fernie, of the present outburst. Wm. Fernie, of this city, who knows that country very well, having prospected it in early days, says that this intrusion referred to by has another theory regarding the disaster which will lend itself more favorably to hose opposed to the cruptive explana-los. There is, he says, an immense fall of snow in those regions. It is prot that a fissure in the rock has been fo by the melting snow, and the ex-

quence has been the displacement of an immense body of rock which has been hurled into the valley below.

J. B. Hobson, vice-president of the Provincial Mining Association, who is a mining engineer of repute, and who all Lis life has been actively engaged in connection with mineralogy and geology, thinks the trouble is accounted for from a gas explosion. He has seen most remarkable manifestations of the power and destructive influence of gas. He refers to the blewing up of gas from oil refers to the blowing up of gas from oil wells in which for hundreds of feet a stream of flame has been sent into the air. Machinery weighing tons have been thown to astonishing distances. He feels confident that when all the facts are known it will be found that the disaster was due to gas.

So interested are geologists in the whole story that they are merely await-ng confirmation of the volcanic eruption theory to hurry to the scene and inves igate the whole matter in the interes

When the Times went to press last night, if announced that its special representative was hurrying to the scene and would be there last night, and promised a comprehensive report of the whole affair for to-day's issue. The Times was scareely in the hands of its subscribers before the promised dispatch hagan to come in, and preparations were made to give the whole marrative to Times readers by a special issue last right. The scant facilities for telegraphing out of Frank, however, were so taxeta, that the dispatches came in very Times readers by a special issue last right. The scant facilities for telegraphing out of Frank, however, were so tax to, that the dispatches came in very slowly, and consequently it was deemed wiser to issue a short bulletin covering.

The water of the creek is being backed up and is causing a flood.

The town is practically wiped out, as slowly, and consequently it was deemed wiser to issue a short bulletin covering. The company's electric light plant and wiser to issue a short bulletin covering the mounts of a mile and a fialf, and in some places. For the time-being nothing was to be seen but a dense cloud of black smoke, with bails of fire darting across the disturbed section. As soon as the first smoke cleared away it was seen that the whole side and top of the mountain. As to the cause or nature of the ex-

some from its Ferme representation was the first outside newspaper man to get on the ground. Their combined reports give the public a narrative absolutely complete up to date, and unequallutely complete up to date, and unce led by that of any newspaper on

IIII Carboniferous

PRACTICALLY WIPED OUT.

Debris is Two Hundred Feet

Fernie, April 29.—(Special.)—At 4.10 this morning the top of Turtle mountain at Frank, Alberta, was blown off into

other buildings.

The Leitch family were all killed ex-

To-day the Times prints a number of special stories from Frank, some of them from its own representative there, and some from its Fernic representative, who was the first outside newspaper.

Top of Turtle Mountain Blown Off- List of Some of Those Who Perished-

The Frank board of trade have wired the Fernie board of trade as follows:

"We suffered from a very large rock slide. There are very few injured; we can do nothing and want no help. Please discourage anyone from coming here."

(Signed) S. W. Chambers, president Frank board of trade.

= Cretaceous

SECTIONAL CHART OF DISTURBED DISTRICT.

NAMES OF VICTIMS.

Whole Families Were Wiped

Been Blown Off

mile wide by two miles long had taken place, and where before was a long swamp was sudden'y transformed into

Ash.

immediately at the back of the town had | plosion, many theories are advanced some claiming it was gas, others that it was the slacking of the limestone, and still others who claim it is the regular volcanie eruption, but the immense stretch of country torn up by the up-heaval would seem to lend color to the idea that there was an upheaval for a mile or se, but no explosion till the top of the mountain was blown off.

The mining company, viz.: the Can-adian-American Coal & Coke Co... have a number of cottages here in which their employees and others of the town lived, and one whole row of these cottages, together with everybody living in them,

Was Totally Destroyed, and it was most remarkable how some other houses, which were directly in line of the rock and timbers, escaped.

The company's mine and plant is total y destroyed and the new electric plant which was being installed is also gone. A mile or more of the C. P. R. is torn up and the rails are twisted and bent nto all sorts of fantastic shapes, and judging from the press it would seem impossible that the road could ever be uilt up through here again.

The roar from the mountain is at times almost deafening, and people are

The above sectional chart taken from Dr. Dawson's report of the region about Crow's Nest gives a clearer idea of the general formation than could be presented by words alone.

It shows the general character of the country rock from the Elk River on the west to the Livingston Range on the east. Frank is situated just west of the Livingston Range.

The sketch shows the regularity of the geological formation. While the general character of the rock overlying the country is cretaceous, yet the carboniferous formation juts through it at various points, making a succession of coal measures available.

At one point an ash bed exists. This is described as belonging to the cretaceous period. It, therefore, does not necessarily belong to that region, and in the opinion of the Provincial Mineralogist does not indicate anything of a volcanic nature in that region. Fear of Another Outbreak. Nearly every cottage in the district is now vacant, the occupants going to Blairmore, a small town two miles dis-

Rescue parties have been organized, and a systematized method of search and rescue is being vigorously carried on, but very little hope is held out for any of the

on which the mine was working is now nothing but loose falling rock, and all egress and access to the tunnel, in which are The dead so far are as follows:

ALEXANDER LEITCH, WIFE and FOUR SONS, ALLAN, ATHOLE, WILFRID and JACK.

Entombed Twenty Miners, is forever cut off, as there is no possible chance of ever getting at the mouth of the tunnel owing to the loose rock, which is continually rolling down.

The entombed univers went on shift at three o'clock this morning and ex-ALFRED CLARK, MRS. CLARK and CHILDREN; CHARLES, ALBERT, ELLEN, GERTIE and Frank, Alberta, April 29.—(Special.)—
About ten minutes past four gelock this at three o'clock this morning and exmorning this town was shaken with ter-ALFRED.

CHAS. ACROYD and WIFE. VANDUSEN and WIFE and TWO

THREE UNIDENTIFIED MEN. JIM GRAHAM and WIFE.

JOE and JACK GRAHAM. ALEX, GRAHAM and WIFE. TWO HALF-BREEDS NAMED

JOHN M'VEIGH.
JOE BRYTON.

J. J. SCOTT and a YOUNG MAN, in employee of McVelgh. FRANK YOUGHON. FRANCIS ROCHET, employed in the

ALFRED DAWS. FRED, FARRINGTON.

WM. WILLIAMS and FAMILY of CHAS. RICE, brother-in-law of Wil-

W. WARRINGTON.

PADDY MORRIS.
TOM DELAPP, engineer, M. MARLYGIAN, tippleman ALFRED CLARK. Entombed in Mine.

HARRY GALE. J. CHAPMAN. MIKE SORKI. JOE BANNICK. JOHN SIROTA. DAN M'KENZIE. C. JOHNSON. J. KILA. ANDREW GRAESAK. G. HAWKI. YESKID.

SKETCH FROM MAP OF CANADIAN GEOLOGICAL SURVEY JUST ISSUED—TURTLE MOUNTAIN AND ENVIRONS the valley, and at the same, time there was an upheaval right across the prairie.

As there have been rumblings since with slight eruptions, there is no doubt that it is the volcabo in action that Professor Dawson spoke of in his report as

So far fifty are reported as being kill-

twenty are entombed in the mine.

The debris is piled up for a distance of a mile and a fail, and it some places

rifle force, and shocket by joint reports and detonations. It seemed that the houses were toppling over in their rock-ing motion. Instantly the whole town was afoot and soon the shouting and running to and fro of men mingled with

Wails of the Injured and Dvine together with the pitiful cries of those who had lost loved ones, gave the alarm

that a catastrophe of unusual magnitude had taken place.

For the time-being nothing was to be seen but a dense cloud of black smoke, with halls of fire darting across the disturbed section. As soon as the first smoke cleared away it was seen that

would have been very much greater, as a large force of men are engaged in and about the mouth of the tunnel erecting buildings and a new tipple, and installing an electric light plant, all of which work is of course completely destroyed. Some of the timbers used in construction at the mouth of the tunnel can be seen

(Continued on page 8.)



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His Majesty Was Loudly Cheered as He Moved About the Streets

Rome, April 29.-King Edward, wearing the uniform of a field marshal, paid his much-talked-of visit to the Vatican to-day. To keep within the strict lines

Helenn, and escorted them to the traditing ministry announcers followed his much-talked of visit to the Vatican to-day. To keep within the strict lines of etiquette and give offence to neither hard to day. To keep within the strict lines of etiquette and give offence to neither hard to day. To keep within the strict lines of etiquette and give offence to neither hard to day. To keep within the strict lines of etiquette and give offence to neither hard to day. To keep within the strict lines of etiquette and give offence to neither hard to day to the counters that the Quirinh, then briefly stopped at the embassy, after the principal took of refreshments at the Quirinh, then briefly stopped at the embassy, after the principal took of refreshments at the Quirinh, then briefly stopped at the embassy, after the principal to the Vatican. He did not use a carriage belonging to the Ming of Italy.

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The Vatican is perhaps the most ceresism who was there are no continued to the continued of the Company and the British Government and the activation of the Princar Response of the agree and the dispersion of the present Shah of Persia, His Majesty was aslated by a battalion of the Princar Response of the agree of the princer Response the principal and the grant manual cast there are no papel hands.

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When the Royal party reached the grant strict of the first of the principal strict of the principal strict of the principal st Vatican. At the Clementine hall the party was met by the papal master of chamber, Mgr. Bisleti, who was attend-ed by personages of the secret ante-chamber.

ed by personnges of the secret antechamber.

Upon arriving before the private apartment of the Pope, the noble guards rendered military honors to the British sovereign. At the conclusion of this ceremony, the door of the Pope's apartment was immediately opened, and the Pontiff was revealed standing at the threshold. His hand was extended awaiting his guest. His Holiness was dressed in robes of white, and he also wore a red velvet cape bordered with semine. Even King Edward paused a moment when seeing the Pontiff in his white garments.

The Pope's face was the contraction of the Gamey in a train going to Toronto, April 25.—Af the afternoon seesion of the Gamey in the afternoon seesion of the Gamey in the afternoon seesion of the Gamey in the afternoon assession of the Gamey in the afternoon assession of the Gamey in the afternoon seesion of the Gamey in the afternoon assession of the Gamey in the afternoon assession of the Gamey in the afternoon sees in the apartment of the Pope's face was the sected and the threshold. His hand was extended awaiting his guest. His Holiness was dressed in robes of white, and he also work a red velvet cape bordered with a moment when seeing the Pontiff in his white garments.

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mation of the immense plaza. The soli-tary white figure in the palace window seemed to further the idea of the Pope as a prisoner. Instead of returning to the British embassy, the King drove to

the Quiriual,

King Edward this morning reviewed 25,000 Italian troops assembled in the parade ground. It was an imposing spectacle and splendid weather contributed to be buildinger of the scene.

spectacle and splendid weather contributed to the brilliancy of the scene.

King Edward, with Queen Helena, left the Quirinal in an open carriage, escorted by dragoons. As they proceeded through the streets, they were enthusiastically acclaimed by large crowds, and arriving at the parade grounds, received an ovation from the large assemblage of people who surrounded the grounds, King Victor Emmanuel, accompanied by Princes of the House of Savdy, theu galloped forward to receive King Edward and Queen Helena, and escorted them to the trubune. Military manoeuvres followed. They lasted an hour, after which the two monarchs returned to the Quirinal, receiving a continuous ovation all the way.

Support Government

Samuel Martin, of Kemptville, swore a threshold. His hand was extended awaiting his guest. His Holiness was dressed in robes of white, and he also wore a red velvet cape bordered with ermine. Even King Edward paused a moment when seeing the Pontiff in his white garments.

The Pope's face was the color of ivory, but he moved without assistance and with no apparent difficulty. From his entire person there seemed to emanate ventiments of benevolence and spirituality. The King and the head of the church clasped hands and exchanged a few words in French. King Edward passed within the papal apartment, the door was closed and the Pope and the King Edward's suite was admitted and presented to the Pope. This little ceremony seemed to please the Pontiff immensely. At its conclusion King Edward took his leave, the Pope crossing the room at his side and saying his last words at the door.

From the Vatican King Edward passed through the palace of St. Peter, where he was warmly greeted in English by a number of Scottish pilgrims now in Rouse, who shouted "Hurrah for the King." Had King Edward looked up at that moment he would have seen a figure in a window of the palace—it was Pope Leo, contrasted with the British sovereign, who stood below in the sunlight and the centre of the ani-

Rev. Bishop lugram.

Landon, April 29.—At to-day's session of the London Diocesan conference, the Bishop of London, the Right Rev. Arthur F. Ingram, read a letter from representatives of the clergy of the diocese, drawing attention to the Vanderbill-Ratherford wedding, and requesting him to make such reference during the conference 'to this scandalous and deplorable incident as shall serve to allay to some extent the distress of the clergy who feel keenly this infringement of the marriage law in the diocese, and which may also lead others to realize how serious a breach of church discipline is involved in such proceedings.' The Bishop said he already had summoned the Rev. Mr. Hadden, who performed the ceremiony, and after seeing him, will give his ophilon of the matter.

ENGINEER'S DEATH,

Iron-Works, Died Yesterday.

San Francisco, April 28.—Irving M. Scott, who for many years was vice-president and general manager of the Union Iron Works, died this afternoon at his home in this city. He had been in poor health for some time, and a few days age he was stricken with alarming symptoms. Irving Murray Scott was of Quaker parentage and came from Baltimore. He was born on December 25th, 1837. He was enducated at the Milton Military Academy and the Baltimore Mechanics Institute. He entered the factory of Obey Hussey, manufacturer of repeaters. He there became an expert draughtsman.

FRIARS EXPELLED.

Large Force of Soldiers Reinforce Police in Closing Monastery.

Paris, April 29.—The expulsion of the friars from the Chartreuse monastery was accomplished to-day without any serious difficulty. Large crowds of ayunpathizers aurrounded the monastery. A batterion of infantry and a squadron of dragoons assisted the police. After, six doors had been forced open, the members of the order were found in the charget and their expulsion followed. At Marseilles, file Capuchins continue to hold their barricaded convent, and the police still occupy the streets and prevent outbreaks. Many minor disturbances occurred to-day at various points. AMENDMENTS SUGGESTED

Trades and Labor Council Consider the Conciliation Measure—Other Business,

cognizing Federal Union, No. 6, of Vancouver as a previncial organization with
power to form branches. The matter
was left to the Steamboamen's Union,
with the request that the union conform
to the constitution of the council within
three months, the union's delegates to
be afforded representation at the board
in the meantime.

A communication was read from the
secretary of the Miners' Union of Ladysmith stating that there were 800 miners on strike at that place and asking
the council's assistance, The matter was
referred to the various unions.

Dr. Latham Is Author of the Priz

The prize essay by Arthur Latham, on the erection of a sanitarium for the treatment of tuberculosis in England is published. It was selected by a committee appointed by the King as expressing the best lines that past experience and original thought can suggest for the erection of such a sanitarium.

The competition was open to medicalmen of all nationalities. About 180 essays were sent in and in every case an architect collaborated with the medical men in providing plans for such a building.

The experience and discoveries of various scientific men were given by Dr. Latham. The essential principles are life spent in the open air, complete freedom from any debilitating circumstances, or anything which may lead to the exacerbation of the disease, methodical hill-climbing when the patient is equal thereto, an abundant diet in which milk, fatty food, and vegetables hold an important place, various hydrotherapeutic methods and constant medical supervision.

OFFICERS ELECTED AND OTHER BUSINESS

Stirring Addresses Given by Rev. Dr. Rowe and Rev. W. Leslie

British Columbia branch of the Navy League was held in the city hall last night, when in the absence of the president, Mr. Justic Martin. Vice President, A. B. Fraser, sr., took the chair. After poutine proceedings, the financial statement, dealing in small figures, was received. J. Peirson, J. P., was reclected honorary secretary, A. J. C. Gallely, honorary treasurer, and most of the old committee were re-elected with power, to add to their number. A recess of a few minutes followed. Then the public having assembled, His Worship the Mayor took the chair. The secretary read a telegram from the president expressing deep regret at being unable to return to this city from Vancouver, where Full court is being held, in time for the meeting. He also read one or two letters of apology; from Lindley Crease, tendering the resignation of his father, Sir Henry Crease as a member, and at the same time emphasizing the fact that the objects of the league have always had Sir Henrys warmest sympathy and cupport, and that it was only his inability to join actively in the measures of the league which now necessitate his withdrawal.

Mr. Fraser in a few well chosen words moved that the league place on record its deep sense of the loss sustained by the withdrawal of so loyal a supporter as Sir Henry was when physically able to attend to duty. It was seconded by Mr. Galletly and carried unanimously.

Tae Mayor expressed his loyal supporter as Sir Henry was when physically able to attend to duty. It was seconded by the withdrawal of so loyal a supporter as Sir Henry was when physically able to attend to duty. It was seconded by the withdrawal of so loyal a supporter, as Sir Henry was when physically able to attend to duty. It was seconded by the withdrawal of so loyal a supporter as Sir Henry was when physically able to attend to duty. It was seconded by the withdrawal of so loyal a supporter as Sir Henry was when physically able to a seem of the league, and considered if the duty of every clitzen to take an interest in the Empire's

est had been exercised. The parent takes the young man into partnership much to the delight of his offspring, who is good and duifful whilst allowed to draw shares in the profits, spending the same in bis own way. At length the extension of business dictates an increase of capital, the father's suggestion that the son contribute towards such increase does not meet with approval. Surprise is expressed that such a thing should be asked. What are the inferences to be drawn? Canada has a large amount of shipping, and Canada cannot afford to let it go without protection. Canada ought to be able to pay full price of her investments in our own shipping. Canadanas re ready, even lay themselves out to do the carrying trade for Great Britain, charge a commission on goods entering, and then go to the Old Country to protect it all. With the extension of trade must follow increased responsibilities. If they want to build up an Empire Canadians must take a living part not a parasitical part. If cash had been the ruling motive in the past, Canadians should not have what they enjoy roday. They have not absolute possession; matters are only being entrusted to their care for a few years. Careshould, therefore, be taken not to have to hand over a meaner heritage than they received. The British Empire has a purpose, and should be able to do what is to be done within itself. Have Canadians the ability?

Under the charge of Rev. J. Denis de Vitre, the chaplain, three pleasing events were given by several members of the crew of the flagship Grafton as follows; Hatchet and sword swinging, by E. Mitchell, P. O. 2; cutlass drill by eight men, conducted by P. Regan, P. O. 1, and a sketch, "The Miller and the Sweep," by T. Todd, E. Mitchell and S. Scott, all of which called forth universal appliange.

The honorary secretary then read the two essays on "Vancouver and His Weet.

ward, the Mayor presented her with two books, "The Influence of Sea Power on Histry," by Mahan, and "From Howard to Nelson," by Laughton. Master Harold J. Marshall was next called, and was also presented with two, being "Pigits For the Flag," by Fitchell, and "Our Navy For a Thousand Years," by Eardley-Wilmott. These volumes are uniform in binding—blue leather and gold—bearing the Navy Leagu ensign impressed in gold and the whole presenting a most handsome appearance as well as being works of the highest class.

The secretary having expressed the thanks of the league to the Mayor for kindly granting the use of the hall and his excellent service in the chair, to Adrairal Bickford for allowing the navailmen to take part in the evening, also to the chaplain and the men of the Grafton as well as to Rev. W. 4. Clay and Rev. Dr. Rowe for their much appreciated and valued services, the meeting was brought to a close by singing "God Saye the King."

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ature, 44; mlaimuan, 11; rain, .22; weather, cloudy, rain, .22; meather, 20,94; tempera

E; rain, .22; weather, cloudy.

Kamicops—Barometer. 29.94; temperatare, 44; minimum, 44; wind, calm; rain, .06; weather, rain.

Barkerylle—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 34; minimum, 30; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles 8; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 26; minimum, 22; wind, 4 miles E; weather, cloudy.

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DEBATE ON SUPREME COURT ACT CHANGES

Eberts Have a Sharp Passage at-Arms.

ed over.

Premier Prier wished, if Mr. Curtis had no objections, that he go on with it.

Mr. Curtis said, at the request of other members, ne hed allowed it to stand over. He wished it would be allowed to take that course.

It was accordingly passed over.

Government Officials.

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Mr. Curtis moved the following resolution: "Resolved, That an order of the House be made for a return to this House showing the name and residence of each salaried official of the government in its service throughout the province, except as contained in the return made on the 22nd of April, 1903, with salary of each employee on the 2nd day of January in each of the years 1898, 1900 and 1903."

In doing so he said that he thought the return made of salaries paid in Victoria and Vancouver should be supplemented by this return.

Hon. Mr. Prentice said he had no objections, but proposed to bring down returns covering the years from 1898 to the present. He did not see why these particular years should be selected.

Smith Curtis said there was a reason for having 1898, 1900 and 1903. These were years in which were represented the Turner government, the Semilin government and the present government, which was the same as the Dupasmuir government, was it not?

Premier Prior recolied "By no means."

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Railway Bills. The bill intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Flathead Valley Railroad Company" passed its third reading. The report on the bill intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Pacific Northern & Eastern Railway Company" was adopted.

The final report of the committee private bills was received. Settlers' Rights

Reports.

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Mr. Gilmour thought that there was poor judgment evidenced in erecting a juil at Vernon. A juil was not of much necessity in a farming community.

The bill passed its second reading.

Supreme Court Act.

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In moving the second reading of the bill initialed "An Act to amend the 'Supreme Court Act," Mr. Curtis explained that the object of the bill was to prevent an ex parte injunction being taken against any railway company to restrain it from constructing or operating whereby the constructing or operating whereby the construction or operation was prevented. He pointed out that the Great Northern railway after expending \$1,500,000 in building their line had, by a

demanded the retraction of the statement.

The Speaker ruled the expression unparliamentary and asked for its withdrawal.

Hon. Mr. Eberts withdrew it but he added "The member for Rossland had attered words which were untrue."

Mr. Curtis again rose to a point of creer and had Hon. Mr. Eberts withdraw a second time.

"I will withdraw it and will say the honorable metaber has used words which were inaccurate," said Hon. Mr. Eberts.
The member for Rossland had not stated the facts correctly. It was an interim injunction which had been served and which could be listed at any/time. Yet such a course was not taken. It was, according to the judgments, the duty of the crown to come in and protect the rights of the poorest subject. The judgments in the case. The suggestion of the member for Rossland was that judgments were given by the judges of the country which should not have been given.

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He was attempting, at the expense of the courts, to get political notoriety. He appeared in a bill yesterday as the poor man's friend. Now he was seeking the sinews of war which could alone come from the corporations,

After a series of interruptions the Attorney-General said the only way was to put the member for Rossland on the Supreme court bench and then all would be, right.

If the C. P. R. was back of that action he did not know it. He was not agreeable to the province being a party to that action. He refused to do so, but he was made a party by an order of the court. There was no need of this proposed

Mr. McPhillips said there was much in favor of the member for Rossland. He was not attacking the courts of the country. He thought it was an injustice that the company referred to had to pay \$50,000 on account of this.

Attorney-General Eberts explained that the prevince was not a party to the action by which this was recovered.

"Well," added Mr. McPhillips, "it arose out of this matter." He was not in favor of putting any trapmel upon the court. He did not wish an intringement of the powers of the court. He thought the bill should be amended and that the court should have power to issue an ex parts injunction in certain cases.

Mr. McBride said that the debate had been carried on a low plane, especially

Assessment Act.

The Hones went into committee on the bill to "Amend the Assessment Act.

The committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

Police and Prison Regulations.

The Attorney-General moved the second reading of the bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Police and Prisons Regulation Act,'"

Mr. McBride called attention to the fact that there was more information required before passing the bill. The Attorney-General had a right to give this. There were several matters in connection with the conduct of these institutions requiring attention. He made reference to a jail having been established at Vernon and the need for better inspection of these institutions.

Hon. Mr. Eberts said that it was true a jail had been opened at Vernou. He intended later on to bring in amendments to put, the act more in the shape it was a few years age with respect to inspection. He believed that the time was coming when public 'nstitutions should be better inspected than they were now.

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shown.

A Supreme court judge, Mr. Justice Walken, had refused an order of the Lieut. Governor in not recursing a finding in an investigation he was appointed and paid to carry out. There was no use surrounding the judiciary with a gleanor.

He went into the merits of the case in question, expressing approval with the bill.

The Animals Act.

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which means members will be kept more
in touch with the association and its
work. The Provincial Secretary presented returns regarding the gold commissioner at Atlin and statutary returns under the Redistribution Act, Provincial Elections Act, Cattle Ranges Act, Bonds of Civil Servants and Vancouver General Hospital Act.

The Frank Disaster.

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TORONTO AND THE CHINESE.

The death and burial of a Chin mar In Toronto, with the attendant proceed-ings and ceremonies, has excited consid-erable comment and seems to have fairly erable comment and seems to have fairly divided attention with the sensational proceedings in connection with the Gamey bribery charges. Lee Yung was a regular worshipper at the Metropolitan Methodist church, the largest and most fashionable place of worship of the adherents' of that denomination in the pasted city of churches. Religious services in accordance with Christian belief were conducted at the rooms of the unthe Chinese residents of the city took charge of the departed, and, after the manner of their kind, conducted the price of everything he consumes. No; Mr. Tarte has constituted himself a new taken place in Victoria without exciting third party in the House, while declaring much comment, but the sight of flying his unfaltering love and unswerving depieces of paper, crackling fireworks, burning jose-sticks, and other incidental Canadian Commons generally possesses its third party; it probably would not be roud fineasure those people of the good highly without it. The present party city of the East who thought Lee Yung end his friends had in reality and in very truth abjured their ancient faith and be-come converts to the Christian religion. The authorities of Mount Pleasant ceme tery would not tolerate the idea of the of the city of the dead on which sacrifices could be offered up and the evil spirits of the rictous Chipese imagination propitiated; but Lee's triends slid the best they could under such adverse conditions for the departed. They lighted a botfire to keep his spirit warm and borfire to keep his spirit warm and left roast chicken, raisins, tea, cigarettes, and other Chinese luxuries beside his grave to sustain and comfort him on the long journey to the spirit land.

Toronto paper, in describing the have been conducted on a much more picturesque and elaborate scale but for the fact that the police during the previons night arrested forty Chinese in a gambling joint, where they were gaming, drinking and smoking opium. The Star says: "The Chinese funeral, conducted stances of the participants would allow of, occurring on the same day that preachers and Sunday school teachers were reading the names of their supposed converts among table arrested the pre-vious night in a red-hot gambling joint and opium den, must give a decided shock to a number of earnest people." We should think so, It should also teach be altogether directed at Mr. Sifton now people of British Columbia because of their attitude on the question of Mongolian immigration. The Royal Commission appointed by the Dominion government to be some of the compliments paid to Mr. Tarte a few years ago for the purpose of comparing them with the eulogies now being showered upon him so generously. The burden of the song was so ment to inquire into the matter as it affected the portions of Canada most direetly interested, reported that of the thousands of Chinese in this province they could only find sixteen who had been converted to Christianity. test was applied to prove the faith of the sixteen was not revealed.

The incidents in connection with the acath of Lee Yung are considered extraordinary in Toronto. They are in perfect accord with the general experience in this province. The Chinese are adepts ings. They do no violence to the funda-mental principles of their religious belief in attending Christian places of wor-ship. When the bands of Torento enthuslasts of both sexes descended upon them and urged them to go to church, in all probability they considered it expedient to comply with the requests. At Sunday which would be profitable to them in thi What else they learned and profited by ean only be estimated by their actions. The church-going people of To-routo evidently thought they had con-verted the whole colony and were dis-

hef. They were born to it. They are to adapt themselves to many of the se temporarily and disposed to regard with apathy the advanced political thought on it had not been so Chipa would not o cupy the place she does to-day among the nations of the earth. The moral of the Lee Yung affair is that the East should disrobe itself of the garments of aperiority it has assumed and lister in matters upon which our position wrants us in speaking with authority.

MR. TARTE, PATRIOT.

Times is a great vindicator. Contrast Conservative opinion of Mr. Tarte to day with Tory thoughts about the sam gentleman a few years ago, and deny it who, dares. In 1901 the Minister was who unter-depicted as a traitor to Briton in world and intent and was credited with a desire to hand Canadians and their great eritage over to France. Did he not fly the tri-color at his masthead as he web up and down the great inland waters of and devising greater expenditures that of all the virtues of the patriot. The opposition after his late speech in the House of Commons rushed across the floor almost as one man to shake him by the hand and congratulate him or his devotion to the cause which must vall unlss justice has permanently in dismay from "this fair Dominion.
And yet the ex-Minister's words contain ed but little comfort for the disconsolate party. He did not support the motion moved by the leader of the opposition which declared in favor of "adequate encouragement to the former who the bulk of his products in distant markets, and for the man who earns his bread by the swest of his brow, whose wages cannot be raised by act of Parliament, but which may practically be decreased by a policy which would raise seems to realise that it is helpless and in capable of great accomplishments. Its leader talked in a somewhat melancholy strain, hinted that his work for Canada was finished and intimated that, like some other great Canadians, he might transfer his talents to a broader field, in which he had already been offered a constituency. They manage political matters differently in Ireland. In Canada the members of Parliament are chosen by the constituencies. The threat of Mr. Tarte has raised a protest in an alte gether unexpected quarter. The Colon ist hopes that the Third Party's poverty will keep him in Canada, which may be interpreted that the Tory party has in idea Mr. Tarte may be of some use to it. "He may be poor in Canada, but Canada would be poor without him, and further impoverished by the substitution of such a creature as Clifford Sifton."
The general impression is that Mr. Prefontaine has been chosen as the substi-

tute for the late Minister. The field of operations of the Minister of the Interior and of the Ministers of Public Works or the Minister of Marine and Fisheries are very far apart. The fact that the hero and the creature when were specially singled out for the viru-lent attacks of the opposition probably account for the dragging of Mr. Sifton into the eulogy upon the departed. Is the fusilade of a generous enemy to

We wish we had the ti ously. The burden of the song was so different,

Doubts seem to have entered the mind of the Lieut.-Governor whether the of the Lieut.-Governor whether the may also have raised doubts in his mind whether the government possesses the confidence of the people. His Honor may also be in possession of information in regard to some questionable transac tions that has been denied the Legisla ture and the country. Whatever the cause, it is evident the administration is now being weighed in the balance-that a crisis is on the outcome of which it is impossible for the public men of the keenest foresight to predict.

The course of events has brought about conditions under which Dr. Gold-win Smith finds it possible to endorse the position of Canada. This is such an unusual thing that it is worthy of special notice. The Dominion has been specially prominent in the eye of the British publle man of late, and, truth to tell, it has been subjected to a good deal of criti-cism, under the impression that the re-peal of the corn duties without making posed to look scornfully upon the Christianity of British Columbia because it confessedly exercised so little influence upon the heathen within its borders.

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the Radical and Tory press seem inclined to join because of the refusal to contribute to Imperial armaments. Dr. Smith says: self Canada will be safe enough, not only because America herself will never trespass upon Canadian independence, but will not permit European invasion." He shows the sacrifices Canada has made for Imperial connection, and says: "If nore is wanted let the British government say plainly how much and on what terms. Is she to be a mere military satrap or have a voice in peace or war?" These plain questions from a friend of nnexation are calculated to make the English critics pause.

The solicitude of the Attorney-General on behalf of servant girls and workingnen is quite pathetic. But the tears in his eyes do not blind him, entirely to the interests of some corporations, Mr. Eberts can always be depended upon to do his duty. And his reward is sure

SITUATION AT LADYSMITH,

Method of Distributing Relief Is Caus-ing Trouble Which May Break Up the Union.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, April 30.—James Baker, of the Western Federation of Miners, went to Ladysmith resterday afternoon with the necessary funds for the relief of the sub-division of the Western Federation of Miners, went to Ladysmith yesterday afternson with the necessary funds for the relief of the locked-out miners, which he put in the bank to the credit of the secretary. The sacretary then proceeded to distribute \$5 among those who were really in distress, while those who were in better circumstances and could possibly get along at all, got nothing. This has caused no end of trouble, The men are voicing their sentiments very freely on the streets of Ladysmith to-night. They declare it is a direct violation of the rule adopted at the last meeting of the union. It is also said, however, that the money taken up by Mr. Baker is not near sufficient for the present needs of the camp. The men insist that the money should be equally divided. Several brawls have already taken place among the foreign element, general dissatisfaction and disappointment predominate, and it is not at all unlikely, from present appearances, to lead to a disruption of the union. The news that the deputation sent to Victoria some days ago had left the matter in the hands of Hon. Mr. McInnes was received at Ladysmith with great surprise. Only two weeks ago a letter was received from that gentleman by the union offering his services to bring about a settlement, but it was received and filed without comment. The fact that the committee have asked him to take the anatter up has caused considerable amusement. The ultra-Socialists are very much disgusted over the affair, and openly state that Hon. Mr. McInnes can do nothing for them, and that Mr. Dunsanuir will regard this as a zure sign of weakness on the part of the union. It would be better to throw up the sponge and have done with it at once. It is rumored on the streets that the committee proposed that all further trouble he avoided by entering into a contract for several years. This proposal is received with much favor by the married men especially, who would be fad of any kind of a settlement that would

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Zity News in Brief.

Fast steamers for Skagway, Steamer lphin sails April 30th, steamer mboldt sails May 4th, E. E. rckwood, agent.

—A lecture will be given this evening by Co.-Sergt.-Major McDougail on "Marksmanship," to the non-come, and men of the Fifth Regiment in the men's coom at the drill hall.

Beginning May 1st steamer Majestic will leave here at 7:30 p.m. daily, except Thursdays. Beginning May 2nd steamer Rosalic will leave here at 9 a.m. daily, except Tuesdays. Cheap excursion rates every Saturday and Sunday.

A Big Record.—Mr. Horace J. Knott. local manager for the B. C. Permanent Lona & Savings Company, made a record last week by selling seventeen thousand six hundred and fifty dollars' worth of the company's stock. This record has been excelled only by one other representative of the company.

At a lat being an international

May the 1st being an international labor day, the Victoria branch of the Socialisf party of British Columbia will observe the day by holding a banquet in Labor hall. There will also be speeches and music and recitations. J. H. Haw thornthwaite, M. P. P., will give an address along with other speakers. Ladies are specially invited.

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Sing Kee paid a fine of \$5 in the police court this moraing. Kee had been waried to have a box of rubbish removed from the rear of his premises, but had neglected to obey orders. He was very indignant about the matter, as he thought other offenders should be treated like wise. In ocare, said Kee on leaving the courtroom; "five dollars not muchee." The magistrate informed him that the next offence would be created more harshly. The charge against the firm of Simmons & Coker, bakers, charged with a violation of the Vehicle By-law, was again remanded. The case first came up on January 20th, and this is the eleventh time it has been laid over. All the evidence is in, and all that is waiting is the magistrate's decision.

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—Miss Speage, of the Rock Bay school, reported to the police this morning that a number of boys molested the school children when leaving the school, and also threw stopes at the buildings.

Although the prices for "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" have been low-ered, to enable everyone to have a chance

At the First Presbyterian church last evening a sacred concert was given by the choir, assisted by other vocalists. There was a fair attendance, and the programme was appreciated. Among those taking part were Madame Laird, Miss Staneland, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, Measrs. F. Waddingham, J. Longdeld. Gideon Hicks, E. Cave and E. Howard Russell. The choruses were well rendered, and the vocal selection, "Nearer My God to Thee," by Madams Laird, was much enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Hicks delighted those present with some excellently rendered solos, and Jesse Longfeld's violin solo elicited deserved applause, Messrs, Brown and Cave were in excellent voice. To the former is largely attributed the success of the concert.

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On Monday evening a full parade of the Fifth Regiment will be held at the drill hall, to be followed by a march out to Beacon hill, where the men will be put through battallon drill.

Divine service will be held at Congregation Emanu-el to-morrow (Friday) evening at 7.30. Rabbi Montague N. A. Cohen will deliver a lecture on "The Poetry of the Midrash." All are wel-

are specially invited.

The Weston & Herbert vandeville company gave a performance at the Victoria last night before a small audience. Some of the specialities were good, notably the ventriloquism entertainment by Hugh Emmett, others were fair, others still were posifyely bad. There are better companies than the Weston & Herbert aggregation on the road.

To-morrow evening at Vancouver a lecture will give a social on Fiday evening at Breadsibaue, the minister's home. A choice programme has been prepared, of which one of the minister's home. A choice programme has been prepared, of which one of the limits is a Model Ladies'. Aid Society of the Empire.

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A special session of the board of school trustees was held yesterday afternoon, when an experiment order for thirty-six, deaks for the High schoolrooms was given to Weller Bros. There were six quotations on desks of the usual grade and one from Weller Bros. on a portable folding desk, manufactured in their own factory, and costing \$8.25.

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Men's Shirts

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER . WEAR.

The death occurred last evening of Frank Randall at the Marine hospital. Deceased was 27 years of age and a native of Boston, Mass, The funeral will take place on Saturday affernoon.

To-morrow afternoon at 4.15 o'clock a meeting of the Teachers' Institute is to be held at the Victoria High school, when important business will be considered. The annual election of officers will take place. A full attendance is desired.

-Alexander Wright, of North Sanich, died last evening. He flad lived there for the last ten years, and was formerly a resident of this city, and a well-known ship carpenter. Deceased was 62 years of age and a native of findhorn, Scotlend. The funeral is arranged for tomorrow afternoon.

-Arrangements for the ball to be given to-morrow evening at the Assembly hall by the graphs of Mrs. Simpson's class are completed. The musical programme is one of exceptional merit, and the floor is in the best of condition. Friends donating refreshments are equested to call at the Assembly hall to-morrow morning as early as possible. Manager Goward, of the B. C. Fleetric Railway Company, has kindly consented to run a special service for the beneat of those attending.

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A benefit for the B. C. S. S. takes places to-night at the Edison theatre, and an excellent programme has been stranged, those taking part being Coleman and Mexis, the shooting wonders; Paul Le Croix, the tramp jurgler; Harry Harrison, the famous coster singer, and J. Davis, whe will render the beautiful illustrated song, "Pictures at Days Gone Bye." The greatest of all moving pictures, "A Trip to the Moon," will be shown, also the "Old Maid's Lament" and "Selling a Pet Dog, "yete, To-morrow afternoon all ladies visiting the performances will receive a copy of late sheet music. The management announces that the world's greatest Spanish dancers, Estileta, assisted by Enrique Garbadon, will be here next week.

April are as follows: April 2nd, box 27. Sylvester's, 30 Frederick street, spark from chimney, no loss: April 2nd, box 16, false alarm; April 10th, J. Bland's, Toronto street, defective grate set fire of carpet, lose, \$10, no alarm; April 12th, box 45, false alarm; April 17th, 3.50 p.m., telephone, Wa Baugh Allan, Vancouver street, hot ashes nehr woodshed, no loss; April 17th, 9.50 p.m., box 27. Judge Walkem's, Mapleburst, mantel caught from fire in grate; loss \$25; April 23rd, box 27, St, John's Sunday, school, spark from rubbish fire, \$5; April 25th, box 27, roof of C. T. Budden's, Fort street, spark from chimney, \$5; April 27th, box 54, false alarm, fire alarm mistaken for drop letter box.

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ABOUT SATURDAY'S GAME.

COMMUNICATIONS.

ATIAN MINERS' PROTEST.

To the Editor:—Under the head of Atlin Miners' Protest, I see in your issue
a long resolution practically condemning
the action of the Atlin delegates, who
aftended the miners' convention. As
one of these delegates, I beg to refute
the entire argument set forth in the preamble of that resolution.

The resolutions received by the delegates from various mars meetings of
Aftim miners were duly submitted at the
miners' convention, and passed on to the
committee on resolutions, and the executive committee, for final adoption or
otherwise, by the Provincial Miners' Association. I may mention that nearly
everyone of those resolutions, containing
some forty remedial propositions, referred to the revision and improvement
of the Player Mining Act, and yet we
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No doubt a considerable number, of placer miners are laboring under the impression that their interests would be leopardized by the Crown granting leases, provided that the rights and interests of prospectors and placer claimholders are duly and fairly protected, and in no possible manner infringed upon. That any serroncous ideas should be held in this matter is much to be regretted. We have able law officers of the Crown, well expulsed held we differed that the mining industry can jossibly promote the prosperity of the province.

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To the Editor:—The province has certainly a valuable property in the beautiful new home now approaching completion for the Lieutenant-Governor. Anyone visiting this residence must be struck with the varied and deligatiful views from its windows; they are probably the finest of any residence in the province. The distant Olymplans, the ever changing sea, peopled with its hurrying steamers and white-wings. Color that horrying steamers and white-wings. Ships, the richig cilitivated lands moping the the very bounders, of its well-kept berrated gardens; the very beau-deal, in fact, of a noble residence, a political prise to be covered and hoped for.

But, sir, there is one thing that painfully antivuled tiself upon one's notice—the want of security for these unrivalled views, for that ample freedom of space and privacy that should be maintained. Noticing the proximity of the fences bounding these will

proof.

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE.

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The Colonist cup between junior teams from the different public schools will be even keener this year than hast. All those who interest themselves in the sport will remember what rivalry there was between the different teams, and how finally, after a hard fight, the Central school rine captured the trophy. Already three junior teams are training hard, namely, South Park, Central and North Ward, and it is likely that within a short time the league will be formed. All these teams practice regularly and their determination to win is clearly shown by the anxiety evinced to get in the best possible trin before the directed as conches of the respective teams and convalescent same. It must be clear that such or any her building with its rear buildings under ed drawing room windows could not fail be a serious detriment to this provincial sidence.

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smill be five dollars per year, payable in advance, no initiation fee being required."

J. H. Lawson, jr., moved that the words five dollars should be substituted by three dollars. This was seconded by D. Leeming. Mr. Shalleross suggested that only \$3 be charged for the use of the tennis courts and \$5 for the use of both the tennis courts and \$5 for the nee of both the tennis courts and \$5 for the nee of both the tennis courts and \$5 for the use of both the tennis courts on the second has been deadly and withdrew his motion, and moved the following, which carried: "Lady members shall have the privilege of the tennis courts only, at said times as may be fixed by the management committee, on payment of \$3 per year, payable in advance, and no initiation fee being required."

The meeting then adjourned.

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WINTER PASTIMES.

followed by a large number of really first-chiss players from all clubs. In the latter part of the season an inter-club tournament was arranged, but owing to the lateness of the season was not the success expected. It is probable, however, that it will be arranged earlier in the season next year, and so played through, and the championship decided without any difficulty.

A feature of the present season has been the remarkable failing off of interest in ping pong. In the year preceding, as is well known, this game was sill the rage, and tournaments were in progress almost every night of the week. In the first part of the season just past an attempt was made to revive the interest in these tour neys, but the efforts were in almost every case a dismal failure.

VACHTING.

THE MACKIE TROPHY.

Yancouver, April 29.—It has been practically decided that the first race for the MacKie international yachting trophy will be salled at Port Townsend on the 1st of July, with the expectation of reaching the finals on the fourth. It is expected that only Seattle and Victorie yachts will sail for the international trophy, but that the Vancouver Yacht Club will be represented at the regatta, at which time the permanent conditions to govern races for the international trophy will be decided upon by all the clubs represented.

A meeting of the intermediate baseball league will be held to-morrow night at the office of Chief Watson, of the fire department. The principal business will be the consideration of a protest from B. K. Bradley, capitaln of the Wanderer team, against the playing of Chase by the Hilbside club in last Saturday's game. Each club participating in last year's league is requested to send a representative, as a full attendance is desired in order to satisfactorily finish all business. M. Pe'letan, the French minister of marine, has placed a vessel at the disposa of M. Zuchowiecki, of La Rochelle, for the continuance of his interesting experiment of a large kite of oiled cloth with four air bags in the head to maintain its equili-brium. The kite's tail consists of six cloth peckets in the form of fire buckets, suspended one above the other. At the end of the tail rope a strong'y-built paddle is fixed. ATHLETICS.

GENERAL MEETING.

At a general meeting of the James Bay Athletic Association held last evening preparations for the meet to be held here during the summer, under the auspices of the North Pacific Amateur Athletic Association, were discussed. Arrangements were also made for the reception of lady members to the club. There was a fair attendance, and President H. D. Helme ken, M. P. P., occupied the chair.

In the consideration of the former business, the chairman called upon J. H. Lawson, jr., who gave the meeting a summary of the Lusiness transacted at the luaguration meeting held in Scattle some time ago. The question of deciding upon a date was then taken \$\frac{1}{2}\text{M}\text{T}\text{Austin moved that the meeting be held on the 15th of August, but this met with objection on the part of Mr. Merrylees and others, who claimed that it would then interfere with the club regatta, to take place on the 22nd. An amendment was therefore introduced providing for the meet on the 1st of, August. As neither of the suggestions found unanimous favor it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of a special committee composed of Messra. E. E. Billinghurst, J. J. Shalleross, H. P. Hewett, J. A. Rithet, Corp. Bessonett. The committee was confined to the month of August in the sciection of a date, the 8th being barred on account of the annual tournament of the Victoria Tennis Club, and the 15th preferred. The different clubs interested will be consulted, after which the sciection will be made. This committee will also make afrangements for

easier to earry a rope from a vessel ashore than vice versa. It rocks made it dangerous for the man with the rope and life belt to travel to shore steering with the paddle, a dummy could be substituted; otherwise the man guiding himself with the paddle can reach the shore with great rapidity.

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

The death occurred on Tuesday of Sidney H. Roach, who has been ill for some time. He leaves a widow in Vancouver. He was in his 36th year and a native of Plymouth, Eugland.

BOSSLAND.

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It is definitely announced that the Koofenay and Giant Mines will resume shipments on Monday. Both will send their product to the Trail smelter. The Kootenay will ship 50 tons daily, until more teams can be secured, after which the production will be advanced to 75 tens daily. The Giant will ship 25 tons daily for the present.

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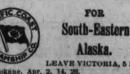
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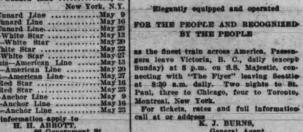


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SOLICIT MEMBERS' SUPPORT.

Victoria Branch of S. P. C. A. Want Certain Amendments Passed.

The following has been forwarded to the city members of the legislature by the Victoria branch of the British Columbia S. P. C. A.:

Dear Sir: At the last annual meeting of this society it was proposed and carried

And that a copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the city members by the

be forwarded to the city members by the secretary.

I have much pleasure in drawing your attention to this resolution, and to have this opportunity of thanking you for the assistance given to this society in the last session of the legislative assembly.

I also enclose the suggestions of the committee upon this question.

Believe me,

P. B. KITTO,

Honorary Secretary.

This society fully appreciates the assistance rendered to it in the House, and desires to thank those members who supported the passage of the bill brought in by H. D. Helmeken, M. P. P., being No. 74, and entitled "An Act to Amend the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals' Incorporation Act, Amendment Act, 1902."

And another, Victoria S. P. C. A. (Mel-

And another, Victoria S. P. C. A. (Mel-bourne), has an act, which reads:

"Any animal found abandoned or diseas-ed, injured or disabled to such an extent that its existence involves continued suf-fering, may be desiroyed upon the author-ity of any two justices, whether such ani-mal shall have been the cause of a prosecu-tion or not."

that shall have been the cause of a prosecution or not."

The committee of the Society for the
Prevention of Cruelty to Animais respectfully solicits your support to the amendment to be introduced by H. D. Helmcken,
Esq., M. P. P., to the act passed last session by leaving out clause 4 and substituting for it the following words:

4. Whenever if may be necessary in order
to protect any animal from neglect, any
peace officer may take possession of the
same; and whenever an animal is impounded, yarded or confined without incressary
food, water, or proper attention for more
than fifteen (15) successive hours, any
peace officer may from time to time and asoften as may be necessary, enter into and

F. B. KITTO.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

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Victoria Meteorological Office,
22nd to 28th April 1908.

The week opened on the 22nd with a low barometer area covering the province and central over the Rocky mountains, and the pressure rising on the American coast; snow was failing at Barkerville and rain on the Coast from the Columbia river to the Lower Mainland. On the 23rd the storm area had passed rapidly into the Territories, and had been succeeded by the high pressure area from the Coast; this continued to develop throughout British Columbia on the Morthwest Territories, a depression at the same time appearing on the Vancouver lash decast, which quickly developed by next day, causing rainfell on the Coast and extended to this province, and ou the aext day the high province on the Territories, and moday, 27th, the pressure began to rise again on the American coast, and extended to this province, and ou the next day the high province, and ou the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, its limits including the entire west for the Rockies, but on Monday, 27th, the pressure began to rise again on the American coast, and extended to this province, and ou the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and out the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and out the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and out the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and out the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and out the next day the high barometer area became central in the Northwest Territories, and the developed by the Thompson river to Carthop.

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25th, but with the development of the pre 5th, but with the development of the pre-ent high barometer area a marked de-crease occurred at the close of the week, he weather becoming much colder and ight snow falling at various places. At Victoria, 39 hours of bright sunships



Act, 1902."
It will be remembered that the order for the third reading was discharged, and the act ordered to be reconsidered, when it had arrived at this stage a member of the House moved that clause 4. "This act shall be confined in its operation to incorporated cities," he added to the bili, as a new section. The adoption of this clause by the House has rendered the bili nearly useless.

We regret that the act is confined in its operations to incorporated cities, because as a rule the inhuman owner turns a damaged or disabled animal out upon some common or unused hand outside the boundary of any city.

The act has been tried and found to work very satisfactorily in other countries, and there is no reason why it should be otherwise in Eftlish Columbia.

At the annual meeting of this society in Halifars, Nova Seotia, speaking of the act passed by their legislative arsembly, it says:

"This has been one of the most effective or stage was received from a Times correspondent on the West Coast last,"

A message was received from a Times correspondent on the West Coast last evening, too late for publication in yesterday's addition, reporting the arrival of the sealing schooner Enterprise with a catch of only 90 skins. Capt, Whidden reported all well. He spoke the Annie Paint on March 2nd with 33 skins, and the schooner Litble on the same day with 80 skins. These catches are extremely small, even when compared with those of last year, when the average taken was 120 to the schooner. At the present time it is hard to explain the reason for so poor a season with the scalers on the coast. As mentioned a few days ago, the hunting season closes today, and the Enterprise in arriving at Clayquot yesterday has probably at Clayquot yesterday has prob

MARINE NOTES.

The steamship Danube arrived this norning from Northern British Columbia

Those registered at the Driard are: S. Wakman, Luther Wagoner and M. Herchbaum, of San Francisco; J. D. Suppenheumin, of New York; L. A. Hares, of Winnipeg; Henry Schmett and V. G. Tanner, of Seattle; H. Lee and rife, of Steveston; Thos. Ladner, of adner; D. E. Stifft, of Chicago; J. C. Copage, of Philadephia; Miss E. M. Surrect, of Sussex; J. Ross, of Toronto; L. M. Burrett and W. B. Burnett, of ancouver.

Leonard Frank, of Albernt, arrived down yesterday by the noon train, having come from the Wess' Coast overland. He says business in Alberni district is already looking up, and hopes soon to be able to report a revival both in mining and other industries. While here Mr. Frank is making his headquarters at the Victoria hofe!

J. D., wife and Miss Spalding, of Sioux City; R. A. Wilkins, of Portland, and Mr. James, wife and daughter, of New Zealand, are among the tourists registered at the Vernen. They will spend a few days in this city viewing its surroundings before leaving for the Mainland.

W. L. Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor and secretary of the commission appointed by the Dominion government fo enquire into the labor troubles in this province, was among the passengers from Vancouver last evening.

Aulay Morrison, M. P., was in the city yesterday, having arrived on the Majestic in the afternoon. He left for the Mainland on last night's steamer.

W. B. Poole, manager of the Oyster Critonion mine, Cranborne, was in the city yesterday, and left last evening for Vancouver.

Miss Mabel Dickinson, who has been risiting in California for some weeks past, has returned to the city.

J. W. Cobura, manager of the Ladysmith Lumber Company, of Ladysmith, is a guest at the Dominion.

Mrs. Haynes arrived on last night's Charmer from Vancouver, where she has been visiting friends,

Miss Emily Rhodes is making a visit to the Mainland,

HOW WE FIGHT DISEASE.

Rather more than a century ago, a very young physician thought to test a very old folk remedy against the greatest scourge of that day—smallpox. His method, slightly elaborated, has served to banish that disease from cleanly lands. But it was merely a chance success won in the drik; to use a large word, a purely empirical discovery. No one had the slightest idea how the vaccine worked, for no one, up to thirty or forty years

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Per steamer Majestic from the Sound-A Morrison, Miss Jenkins, Mrs Lawrence, Jas Warner, R A Williams Jas Warren, Mrs Hutchinson, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Wilson, Bow Millond, D S Stirt, W Good and A Morrison, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Wilson, Mrs Wilson, Juo Worthington, J M Sioan, Geo Meidrom, J D Spaulding, wife and daughter, J A Thompson, A J Ornell, Mrs Palton, and and wife, Jas Rowley, Miss Ferry, Geo Williams and wife, Jas Rowley, Miss Ferry, Geo Williams and wife, B Etell and wife, F T Wakemen, Mrs Jackson, Jas Rogdon, Mrs Carilste, Mrs Scaborne, H W Brownell, J D Knifpo, Jas Ellis, Mrs Cornell, Miss Cornell, Miss Phalan, A S Reid, E Molander, Miss Johnson, J B Bill.

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The Geath rate of the globe is estimated in the proposal control of the Mills of the College

Victoria, B. C., April, 1903 (Issued by the tidal survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ot tawa.)

The time used is Pacific standard for the 199 Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot. Esquimait (at Dry Dock)—From observations during six months. May to October.

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A London nurse, suffering from the ef-fects of overstudy and anxiety regarding some heavy cases she had, has committed snielde by jumping into the Thames from Waterloo bridge.

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Dr. George Duncan, who with Dr. Monro, of Vancouver, have been attending on Joseph Martin, reports that their patient is getting along very nicely. Dr. Monro held a consultation with Dr. Jones yesterday over the advisability of an amputation, the result being that the former decision reached on the matter was further confirmed. No date, however, was decided on for the operation. The consultation took place yesterday because Dr. Jones is leaving shortly for England.

EXCURSION TO CROFTON.

(Continued from page 1.) Seriously Injured

LESTER JOHNSON. MRS. WATKINS. JAMES WARRINGTON. Slightly Injured,

JESSIE LEITCH.

The family of Mr Sam Innes had st miraculous escape, their cottage be crash began. By an almost superhuman from the debris, and onerafter the other aved his entire family. While they are ill shaken up and suffering bruises, they are thankful to be alive.

Another remarkable escape was that of the two little daughters of A. Leitch, who were taken out of the ruins alme a uninjured, and Mr. and Mrs. Leitch and the four sons were all dead.

Many other heart-rending scenes or our as other bodies are taken out from

The following are among the Nelson visitors: J. Lang Stocks, Blake Wilson Melville Parry, R. Helme and J.

At a meeting of the citizens of Frank

Relief Measures Were Discussed and telegrams were read from various boards of trade offering assistance in a

financial way, and it was the decision o he meeting that such help be accepted Relief measures and rescue parties are to continue to-morrow, and to-night volers Wm. Bleasdell, Geo. Jackson, Walter Gardner, Jack Robinson, Harry Villiams and Lr. Clayton were sworn of the Mounted Police from Macleod,

MINERS RESCUED.

Labors of the Relief Parties Rewarder

the Men.

Frank, Alberta, April 29, 6 p.m. Special.)—The entombed miners have suspense and what seemed hoping against hope. The seventeen entombed men were released to-night at 5 o'clock after a day of the most thrilling experithe top of another. Not the least of the

Later in the day Another Party

headed by Charles Chestnut and con osed of the following, Alex. Hutchis son, Ambrose Oliver, Alex. Hill, Tom-Harrison, Wm. Gales, Miller Grant, Art Nevins, Jim Macarthy and Jack Me-Lean made another attempt and were so successful that they were with-in a few feet of the men when they crawled out. When the first man mad ais appearance outside the shaft such a

ternoon in Metropolitan and Centennial Methodist Churches.

At the Metropolitan Methodist Churches.

At the Metropolitan Methodist church protected to see again. The following is the List of These Rescued:

Your Miss G. Luscouble and Mr. A Knight were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Elliott 8, Bows Miss E. Luscouble, sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Walter Knight supported the groom. The church was beauffully decorated by the secasion, and the bride looked charming in her wedding costume. A number of friends were present, and after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Knight were the recipients of many congratulations. Yesterday afternoon in Centennial Methodist church Rev. J. Westman united in marriage Mr. A. V. C. McChercon, greened manager for J. J. Bottger, of Vancouver, and Miss G. A. Hooking, of this city. The wedding was strictly private, only the parties immediately concerned being present. Mr. and Mrs. McPhesson are registered at the Victoria hotel, but will leave by to-night's boat for Vancouver, from whence they will take a honeymoon trip as far as Winnipeg.

—Dr. George Duncan, who with Danger of Vancouver, how work was been consulted than described. The whole to see again. The following is a list of the dead: The following is a list of the dead: A Clark, wife and four children; J. William, A. Clark, wife and four children; J. William, A. Clark, wife and four children; J. William, wife and three children; J. William, wife and three children; J. William, wife and three children; J. Walter, Graesack were killed at the tunnel mouth when the side occurred. Some very affecting seenes took place as the ten cafe across to where their mouth when the side occurred. The following is a list of the dead: A. Clark, wife and four children; J. William, wife and two children; J. William, wife and two clarks, the baby was unlarmed. The Look of the dead: A. Clark, wife and four children; J. William, wife and two clarks, the baby was unlarmed. The clower of the dead: A. Clark, wife and four children nist gathered as, hanging on his arm, he

led her away,
Not so joyful was the gathering for
poor W. Warragton, who crme from
death to life one to find that his wife
and six children had been

Swept Into Eternity.

He glanced in the arection of where his house stood and that he had left so happy only a few hours before, and sadily shook his head, and, strange, to say, he was the only man injured of those in the mine.

The men felt a terrific wind in the tun-

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a. One who deserves special mention

A Hero of the Day

A Hero of the Day

is Chr.s. Chestaut, a miner, who worked
most heroically all day against fearful
odds and amid grave danger. All those
who took part in the work of recene did
introic service, and not least in deserving
trains is the Carpenters Thion.

A. Leitch, of Cranbrook, arrived on a
special to-day and viewed the remains, of
his brother and family, who were of the
first taken out this morning. Mr. Leitch
is shipping the bodies to Cranbrook for
interment.

of the injured, Leister Johnson, Jim Warrington and Mrs. Watkut are very

low.

The C. P. R. has a large force here to begin at once getting the track in shape, but it will be some time before an eastern train can get in.

Citizens of the town and Mine Manager McOarthy deserve great credit for the ready and efficient service they rendered.

Large numbers are leaving the town o-night on specials.

SLIDE OF ROCK.

Rumblings Were Heard This Morning and Many Fear Another Avalanche.

Fernie, April 30.— (Special.)—The wrecking train which went to Frank yesterday morning returned last evening. Mr. Tonkin, general manager, and T. R. Stockett, jr., superintendent of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., and others went down and returned last evening. They report that it was simply a slide of rock off the mountain, and could not possibly be of volcanic origin nor the results of an explosion.

sults of an explosion.

When they left about four in the fiternoon there had been no one rescued and very little hopes were held out of rescuing the entombed miners. However, before the wrecking train reached Fernic, word had been wired that the miners were saved. Later word confirmed this, and showed how the men got out. The slide of rock had lessened the distance somewhat, too. The other men rather poo-poohed the idea, but

Got to Work

Got to Work

and dug and timbered twenty-one feet
to safety. The exit made was much
higher than the mouth of the shaft, and
consequently they had much less distance to dig.

A wire arrived this morning stating
that rumblings were still heard, and
that another avalanche of rock is momentarily expected.

Eye-witnesses of the first slide say,
that the avalanche seemed to swoop
down and pick up the houses and carry
them swiftly for a time on the top of
the debris. Those who have seen the
slide say that it beggars description.
Rocks can be seen a mile and a half
from the mountain. As the mountain is
about 3,500 feet high, and is

Almost Perpendicular

Almost Perpendicular

The momentum gained would be incalculable. The space on the mountain
cleared by the slide appears to be only
about 300 yards, but the rocks cover the
valley for two piles.

The C. P. R. tracks is so badly covered that it is thought it will take a
mouth to get trains through. Some go
so far as to say that it will mean a new
road for a mile or more.

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The effect of the slide is east of the town, and the train from Fernie can get almost right into the depot.

The business part of the town has not been damaged, but the company's plant, workshops, etc., have been wiped away, and one looking on the scene would not know there had ever been a mine there. It is doubtful if the mines will be considered safe to work for some time on account of

The Falling Rock.

It is thought that some people got the idea of it being of a volcanic disturbance from the dust made by the limestone rock frequently falling. This looked like

GIVES THE CAUSE.

Manager Tonkin, of the Crow's Nest Coal Company, Wires to Premier Prior.

Upon the House assembling this afterneon the Premier announced that the had been unable to obtain information direct from Frank, but had communicated with Mr. Tonkin, mannger of the Crow's Nest Cest Company, from whom he had received a reply. Mr. Tonkin's telegram stated that he had visited Frank yesterday and that the accident was caused by a mountain slide. The mine was completely covered and improvements swept taway. Fifteen to seventeen men escaped fram the mine by digging themselves out, One, portion of the town was completely destroyed. The loss of life was estimat-

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ed from seventy-five to a hundred, almost entirely in their homes.

Regarding aid required, Mr. Toukin wired he was unable to state, and respectfully referred the Premier to Mr. McCarty, manager of the company. The damage was very heavy and traffic on the railroad, Mr. Toukin expected, would be suppended for five or six weeks. The sagare, the message stated, was indescribable.

THE CARPENTERS POSITION.

To the Editor:-In Wednesday's is penters' and joiners' notification of an increase of wages, to go into effect May 1st. So that it may be clear to the many readers of your valuable paper as to the working of our rules and general conditions in the building trade, whereby union members compete unfairly with members of the masters' association or other licensed builders. I would like to state the following facts:

The union does not drive a man outside its ranks if he can better himself as a contractor. But he is not allowed to hold

Its ranks if he can better himself as a contractor. But he is not nilowed to hold office nor pay less than standard wages. He would be expelled on proof of this or other richation of fair conditions of labor. The Builders' Association allows its members to employ men at any rate of wages or conditions they can impose upon them. Union men are not allowed to contract for work, as stated yesterday. They must supply all material used on the job, and not sub-let the work. Members of the Builders' Association can take the labor of supply sil material used on the job, and not sub-let the work. Members of the Builders' Association can take the labor of a job only or sub-let the work of a job.

Lalon men are no more exempt from paying for a license to contract than the members of the Builders' Association. An irregular contractor gets after event, discount off his lumber bill; a regular contractor gets after per cent. discount off his lumber bill; a regular contractor gets after per cent. discount off his lumber bill; a regular contractor gets after per cent. discount off his lumber bill; a regular contractor gets after the contractor gets after the contractor gets after the contractor gets after the contract of lumber to labor is about 2 to 1, so that on a job with \$100 worth of labor and licensed builders and in other unfair ways against them as contractors. In view, of the motor facts, I will leave it to your fair-minded readers to judge whether this is the reason or only an excess to throw the blame of any dispute on to the shoulders of the union.

Further, as to the carpenters' request for more wages. Our trade is paid and will be a t \$3.50 a day, less than the ayerages should be about the same as theirs.

April 30th, 1903.

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Southern Rallway Company, and the results and then should and the results and t

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ASKED OF COMPANY

TEXT OF PROPOSALS MADE BY MR. WELLS

The Chief Commissioner Appears Before the Select Committee and Reveals Negotiations.

The committee inquiring into the Columbia & Western Railroad Company's
subsidy met this morning. The attention
of the committee was called to an article appearing in the Vancouver Province in which it was implied that a
deal was on in which members of both
sides of the House were concerned for a
grab of the land in Southeast Kootenay.

It was decided to recommend to the
government the advisability of calling
the editor before the bar of the House
for having published a report reflecting
upon the houor of members of the legislature.

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Memo Re Extension of C. & W. Railway.
Your company has earned the land subsidy for section 4, say 900,000 acres, but is
not entitled to a crown grant until section
5 has been constructed. Upon completion
of sections 5 and 6 it would have earned
a further subsidy of 2,120,000 acres, or in
all 3,020,000 acres.

As it now stands these subsidies have
been forfeited, the remaining sections 5
and 6 not having been completed within
the prescribed time.

If your company will submit a proposal to
complete these sections and extend construction to Spence's bridge, the British
Columbia government would favorably consider:

sider:

1. The reinstatement of your land sub-sidies under the Subsidy Act of 1896.

2. A cash hours from a point at or nea Penticton to Spence's Bridge, under suc-conditions and terms as may be agree

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