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The Speaker Will Retire

Hon. Mr. Bain Says He Will Not Again Enter Dominion House.

Killed by an Electric Shock—News Notes From Eastern Canada.

(Associated Press.)

Hamilton, Ont., June 4.—Hon. Mr. Bain, speaker of the House of Commons, and member for South Wentworth, has intimated to the Liberal Association that he will not be a candidate at the next general elections. He says he is tired of politics.

Jos. Lamoine, of the Hamilton Electric Light Co., was shocked by live wires and fell from the top of a pole yesterday at noon. He died at the general hospital last evening.

Pictou, June 4.—Sir Charles Tupper delivered a speech dealing with political topics of the day here on Saturday. David Henderson, M. P., also made a speech strongly condemning the government for alleged non-fulfillment of election pledges.

Montreal, June 4.—For some time past policemen and other civic employees have been carried through the city by the street railway company gratis, but owing to the friction existing between the company and the city regarding time schedules, it is understood the railway company proposes exacting fares from all these employees.

Rev. Osborne Troop, rector of St. Martin's church, has resigned owing to his disapproval of the refusal of the financial board of that church to inaugurate the new system, which has been strongly advocated by Mr. Troop since his connection with the church ten years ago.

D. McNeil, general manager of the O. P. R., has returned from a trip of inspection of the company's lines in Western Canada. He is much pleased with the condition of the railway and the prosperity of British Columbia and Manitoba.

Windsor, June 4.—The 12-year-old son of J. B. Churchill, real estate agent here, is dangerously ill from the result of a dose of croton oil administered in candy by an alleged demented negro named Aaron Graham. Several other children are also suffering from the effects of the same candy, but are not in a dangerous condition. Graham is being held until Canadian recoveries sufficiently to appear against him.

St. Catharines, June 4.—The veterans of this city and surrounding district decorated the graves of their comrades in Victoria Lawn cemetery on Saturday afternoon.

Toronto, June 4.—Walter Barwick, the well known Q. C. of this city, had his skull fractured by the snash of a window falling on him at Osageo Hall, on Saturday.

Sydney, C. B., June 4.—The boiler of the Dominion Iron and Steel Co.'s crusher at Logans river quarries, exploded this morning, killing Engineer Perry, of Londonberry, N. B.

Government Inquiry

The Personnel of the Commission Appointed to Investigate Electoral Corruption.

Commissioners Given a Free Hand—Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Statement.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, June 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier announced in the House today the personnel of the commission which the government has appointed to investigate electoral corruption. The names of the commissioners are the same as those mentioned in this correspondence some time ago. They are, Chancellor Sir John Boyd, chairman; Mr. Justice Falconbridge, Toronto; and Judge McKeish, Ottawa.

The scope of the commission will be confined to an enquiry into the honesty of the proceedings of officers and others in respect to the voting of electors, and to ascertain if there be any fraudulent practices substituted had ballots for those marked by voters, or by the withdrawal of ballots from the ballot boxes.

If there is any foundation for fraudulent practices which have been charged against officials in West Huron, or in any other constituency, or against officials in the election of 1896 or earlier, the government deem it most important that these fraudulent practices should be brought to an end. That will be the motto for the commission's investigation. The commission will be ready to institute an inquiry into any constituency where fraud is alleged to have existed. The elections of 1896 and those that have taken place since will be the starting point, but the commission is not limited to these, and the elections prior to 1896 and in 1897 may be dealt with. It is considered important to know the extent and character of these frauds so that parliament may know what steps to take to stamp them out.

Both political parties will be represented by counsel in order that the investigation may be full and fair.

Sir Charles Tupper asked until to-morrow so as to be able to carefully read the order before passing any comment on it.

Judge Retired.

At a meeting of the cabinet this afternoon an order-in-council was passed re: retiring Judge Van Wart, of the Supreme court of New Brunswick, as a doctor's certificate on half pay. Judge Van Wart, who has been in financial difficulties, has broken down in health and is unable to do any work.

Fair Wage Clause.

New tenders have been called for the St. Andrew's rapid works. This has been done so that the fair wage clause may be embodied and in this way workmen will be guaranteed that the contractor, whoever he may be, will have to pay the current wages in the district in which the works are located.

Hon. Mr. Mallock is acting minister of public works. He is also the author of the fair wage resolution, which is so popular among the working classes.

Missionaries In Danger

Eight Americans and Several Members of China Inland Mission Missing

Force of Cossacks Engage Fighters Killing Sixteen and Wounding Sixty.

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Tien Tsin, June 3.—Two more of the party of foreigners who fled from Pao Tia have arrived here. One of them was injured. The relief expedition has returned.

The body of mounted Cossacks that were "in search of the refugees" has returned. They report that they had a fight with "Boxers" at Pail, killing 10 and wounding many. Lieut. Bagnall, Dr. Hamilton, a trooper and a civilian were wounded.

It is reported from Hao Ting that eight Americans and three members of the China Inland Mission are still missing. No further news has been received regarding the missing refugees.

A Crisis.

Pekin, June 3.—The most alarming reports are constantly arriving from the country, especially Pao Tia. The telegraph wires from Peking to Pao Tia are cut, and all news comes via Tien Tsin. It is reported that a serious crisis exists in the palace. The ultra-conservative party advocates not only repressive measures, urging the Dowager Empress to allow the "Boxers" to finish the work of driving out the foreigners.

It is impossible to confirm or deny the reports, but significant indications of the feeling of the government towards the signers are contained in the attempt to arrest Lin, Chinese manager of the Peking Syndicate; Kia, chief of the Shan Hi Commercial Bureau; and Fan, a banking banker of Shan Hi, on the ground that they are dangerous characters, but in reality because they are connected with new British enterprises. All of them were absent, but they have not yet been arrested. The British minister, Sir Claude Macdonald, has addressed a note to the Taung Li Yamen, demanding to know why the arrests were ordered.

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JUNE 1900 calendar grid with dates and a small illustration of a person.

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co. advertisement for steam and house coal.

The Daily Times. Times Printing & Publishing Co. advertisement with contact information.

SAFEGUARDING THE PUBLIC. In another column we publish the recommendations of Dr. Fagan, the secretary of the Provincial Board of Health...

indefatigable in their exertions to remove all plague-breeding spots, but those familiar with the intricacies of Chinatown...

THE WAR. There seems no longer any reason to doubt that the war is nearly at an end. Pretoria will be given up without a struggle...

THE BOND SPEAKS. That mysterious Dutch institution known as the South African Bond has once again assumed the role of prophet...

The San Francisco Chronicle still thinks the future is full of peril and uncertainty for the British Empire. We thought the clouds were disappearing...

A HOLLOW VOID. Never again will the mellow voice and cadence of the "Flicker" Kelle be heard in our legislative halls. He was a man to all our countrymen.

AN EXPLANATION. To the Editor:—Last night I should suspect that the least condemnation of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council is meant to fall on the Victoria Trades and Labor Council...

MR. MACMILLAN'S TRN. To the Editor:—In Saturday's Times somebody else over "Jimmy" Owens's signature pretends to give a very exact account of what took place at San Francisco...

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN." A curious incident occurred at the reception tendered to the Boer delegates on their landing at Hoboken. The reports of the proceedings state that the members of the Native Hollanders' Association were present to show their sympathy for their assumed blood relations from South Africa...

THE SITUATION IN CHINA. The riots in China are the result of the incitations of certain of the leaders of the conservative and unprogressive people against the concessions made for foreign devils and alarm at the possible consequences to their power of the works of the missionaries. These outbreaks have occurred periodically for years, and in every case the government has proven itself utterly incompetent to protect the persons and the property of foreigners...

HEART'S SUNSHINE. Oh, if only those who love us Would but tell us while we live, And not wait until life's journey Ended is, before they give us The solace we hunger after...

DON'T SLEEP IN CHURCH. Harry Todd, drummer, druggist, attended the service in the Bethany Presbyterian church at Trenton, N. J., last night and went to sleep. While he was asleep he stood up and removed his coat and waistcoat...

A PREFERENCE IN ENGLAND. There is a Canadian trade preference in England as well as a British trade preference in Canada. The British war has been buying our hay, horses, saddlery and other goods from South Africa, and now they have ordered military uniforms from a Canadian manufacturer.

A UNIQUE AMERICAN TOWN. Buffalo was ablaze with British flags yesterday. We hope the red flag didn't annoy our estimable friend, the Express.

THE MEN WHO WERE ACCUSED OF THE DESTRUCTION OF THE BOER GUN AND AMMUNITION FACTORY IN JOHANNESBURG HAVE BEEN ACQUITTED. Mr. Begbie, a nephew of the late Chief Justice Begbie of British Columbia, was one of the accused, and it seems to have been a lucky thing for him and the other prisoners that when the trial was going on the Boers were practically thundering at the gates of the golden metropolis.

Forty-seven British prisoners in Pretoria have died within six months. There is reason to believe that their treatment has not been of the best, although Consul Hay did all in his power to provide them with comforts and necessities. It is not clear, either, that they have yet been liberated.

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AS TO RAILWAYS. To the Editor:—There is one phase of the railway question that I have not heard discussed on which I wish to make a few remarks. I understand that the present western terminus of the C. P. R. is Penitence. Now, no private company will go to the expense of securing a charter to meet them at that point...

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FOR SALE. PICNIC PARTIES, campers, cyclists and others visiting the beautiful beach at Gorda Island can be supplied with strawberries and cream at McKee's Beach. FOR SALE—A first-class driving mare, also a wagonette. Apply 123 Douglas Street.

FOR SALE—On easy terms, several houses on Stanley Avenue, \$2,500; two cottages on Speed Street, \$1,500 each; 9 cottages on Oak Bay Avenue, \$700 each; \$2,000; 3 lots and four houses at Esquimalt, \$1,000; house off Oak Bay Avenue, \$2,000; 4 lots near Cedar Hill Church, \$3,000; 2 lots near Cedar Hill Church, near Point Eliza, water frontage 3.50 acres, for \$8,000, or open to an offer. A. W. Stone & Co., 60 Government St.

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COAL AND WOOD. VICTORIA COLUMBIA LODGE. No. 1, meets first Thursday in every month at Masonic Temple, Douglas Street, at 7:30 p.m. B. S. ODDY, Secretary. MISCELLANEOUS. REMOVAL—Madam Heller has removed her dressmaking parlour from Spencer's building to 70 Yates Street, upstairs, over H. Williams & Co.'s clothing store. SEWER PIPE, FLOWER POTS, ETC. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., Cor. Broad and Pandora, Victoria. SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 15 Broad Street, Shorthand, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, taught. A. & W. WILSON, Plumbers and Gas Fitters, Bell Building and Tinsmiths; Dealers in the best selections of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Heat ing supplied at lowest rates. Broad Street, Victoria. Telephone 401.

INDIAN FAMINE FUND. Grand Patriotic Entertainment. Given at the Victoria Theatre on May 23rd WILL BE REPEATED. TUESDAY, JUNE 5TH. Victoria Theatre. For the benefit of the above fund. Bot office will open on Saturday morning, June 2nd, at 9 o'clock, at the Victoria Book Store, Government Street.

NOLTE. CLASSES ADJUSTED. 37. EYES TESTER. FORT ST.

Navy and Army Bazaar. St. John's Ladies' Guild Annual Bazaar. Will be held in the A. O. U. W. HALL, YATES STREET. On Wednesday and Thursday, June 6th and 7th, 1900. Under the patronage of Admiral and Mrs. Beaumont, the Mayor and Mrs. Hayward, Colonel and Mrs. Grant, and Lt. Col. Gregory. The Bazaar will be opened at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6th, by the Admiral and Mrs. Beaumont. Admission—Afternoon, 10c; evening, 5c. Musical and Dramatic Entertainments each evening.



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In the most satisfactory food for infants whose mothers are unable to nurse them, or whose mothers are being weaned...

WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 4—5 A.M. The barometer remains high of the Californian and Washington coast, but a persistent depression covers this province and extends eastward of the Rockies to Alberta...

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250 DOUGLAS ST. SHIPPING NEWS HAPPENINGS OF DAY ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

Table with shipping schedules for Tuesday, June 5 and Wednesday, June 6, including ship names, destinations, and departure times.

The jury sitting on the case of the Hogan Minstrel vs. the Canadian Pacific Steamship Co. has returned a verdict awarding the plaintiffs \$2,250 damages.

Steamer Rainbow has been on the survey vessels, Patterson and Pathfinder, which usually call off the outer wharf when going to and coming from the North...

Steamer Kinsaku Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Steamship Company, is expected to arrive in Victoria today with a full cargo and a good number of passengers.

News from Hawaii that the well known bark John C. Potter, which for long has been engaged in the coast trade on this coast, struck a sandspit when entering Kihiti with coal from Newcastle, N.S.W.

It was Sunday morning when the steamer City of Puebla landed her passengers and freight from San Francisco. She made a longer voyage than usual, being delayed by bad weather and quarantine inspection.

There are two steamships which will be due from England towards the end of this month, namely, the Korwen and the British ship Poylmore, a vessel of 2,020 tons, of which very little is known.

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Geo. R. Jackson HATTER, FURNISHER AND TAILOR. As the restrictions of the law have hitherto been the greatest obstacle to the authorities dealing drastically with Chinamen, Dr. Fagan's recommendations...

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Fishing

Lakeside Hotel, Owelchan Lake, will open on Monday, April 9th. Stage leaves Duncan's Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Special tickets will be issued by the E. & N. Railway good for 15 days, \$5 return.

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By Book Post

Tolstoy's great novel, "Resurrection" (1), has been received with the respect due to one of the greatest men of the age.

"Four People" (2), by E. K. Frestman, is a short annual of the people who are truly poor, a tale of the tenement straggle.

"The Investment of Influence" (3), by Newell Dwight Hillis, is a study of social sympathy and service, in a work of value.

"Delta of Honor" (4), by Maurus Jekal, is a cheerful life of a family whose hereditary disposition to commit suicide causes a series of catastrophes.

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Provincial News.

KAMLOOPS. P. Jenicola, an Italian, of Natch Hill, had the misfortune to be run over by three hand cars on Monday last, resulting in very severe injuries to the back.

KASLO. Adam Baird and Harry Sutherland are missing, and it is feared they are dead. They left here some time ago to go into some claims above Baird's Landing.

NELSON. A little son of William H. Davidson, blacksmith at the Granite mine, died on Wednesday under most unusual circumstances. The child, who was in his fourth year, was taken ill and Mr. Davidson came to the city to consult Doctors Hall and Rose, the mine physicians.

VANCOUVER. The following vital returns are furnished by the registry department of the court house, for the month of May: Births, 37; marriages, 8; deaths, 25.

There is probably no book more universally used in schools than Dr. Smith's "Smaller History of Rome" (3). It has a niche of its own.

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NORTH AMERICAN LIFE. The following figures as published in the preliminary Canadian Government Insurance Report for the year 1899 shows that the new business written during that year by the North American Life far exceeds the amount written by any other company either Canadian, American or British.

March to relieve the plucky citizens of that town. Mrs. Jane Fletcher, an old and respected resident of the city, died on Friday at her residence, 619 Richards street, at the age of 79.

TRANSPORTATION. Canadian Pacific Navigation Co. (LIMITED) WHARF STREET, VICTORIA. Time Table No. 50—Taking Effect March 20th, 1900.

THE NORTH-WESTERN'S Fast Mail. THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE. Have added two more trains to the Fast Mail to the St. Paul-Chicago service, making eight trains.

Intercolonial Railway. On and after Sunday, January 14th, 1900, the trains leaving Union Station, Toronto (via Grand Trunk Railway), at 9 a.m.

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COMMUNICATIONS

THE ASIATIC IMMIGRANT.

To the Editor: The Chinese agitation which has engaged the attention of public men throughout the Dominion for some 25 years past bids fair to be settled by the recent influx of what will prove a far more troublesome question—the Japanese blight. I speak of it in this sense after a study of this little man's capabilities, in developing the resources of this province. We in Victoria are accustomed to seeing large numbers arrive here, but pay little attention, as they remain but a short time in the city. A trip around the Mainland and the interior are sufficient, however, to create for and at a later date secure employment for those in their own circles. Let some feeling of apprehension on the part of those who have to provide for and at a later date secure employment for those in their own little circles. Let all know this, with the small agricultural section surrounding it, is the chief industry of the Royal City. Will any intelligent man after viewing conditions existing there to-day doubt the ability of the Japanese to own their own enterprises in another two years' time? Will any of our political salmon owners contend that their production is superior in point of cleanliness to the Japanese article? Will any one familiar with the habits of Chinese and swashes prefer this brand to that put up by clean Japanese? Cheap labor is coming home at least to some of our capitalists, and I fancy the Hon. F. H. Turner will be one of those who will realize what others have had to contend with in Asiatic competition. Our Japanese friends are but a recent introduction and have lost little time in seizing upon opportunities. Will any one question his ability to own and operate logging camps, mining camps, and if you will, to turn to good account some of the good coal properties now offered on the market? He is already at home in the shoe, tailor, dry

goods and grocery businesses. Mr. Editor, we have the schools full of young men and women who are graduating every term in large numbers. How are they to obtain employment if our development is to be made by the employment of Asiatics? These men are not brought here by the C.P.R. and N.P.R.R. without guarantee of employment. If corporations are to be permitted to incorporate in British Columbia with this class of immigrants, would it not be well to stop right here and make some provision for government ownership or control of the development of our resources? A proper representation of this subject to the Mother Country would no doubt enable British statesmen to detect a flaw in the chain of Empire. If past governments were sincere on this question a settlement would have been effected. The Japan and China are not to blame. It is a question of demand and supply. Railroad and other corporations well fed by the people were the factors in introducing this element, and we are now asked to stamp our approval of such actions by the election of men selected by them to manage their interests in the next assembly. Verily, Mr. Editor, this is a call. It is any wonder that a large number of our citizens are giving serious consideration to Mr. Martin's proposition of government ownership, seeing in such a plan the probability of at last getting a double hitch on some of the greedy concerns who have lost sight of the fact that the people are, by reason of the concessions granted by them, entitled to some consideration in the development of the resources of this glorious province? VICTORIAN.

VICTORIA WEST AFFAIRS.

To the Editor: Just a line to let you know that at last the Craigstower road question has been shelved. Strange, too, that it should take Joe Martin of all men to give this subject the simple merit of justice it is deserving of. True, too, that our 'Arry has not recognized the proper caper. Well, 'Arry has been working six years

on the Songhees' reserve question, and 'tis funny, but nevertheless a fact, he has forgotten to give us the regular song and dance during the present campaign. Perhaps this will remind him.

If 'Arry don't get a move on next week we will ask Joe Martin to try his hand at this vexed question. It won't take Joe six years, no, it won't take Joe six months. VICTORIA WEST.

MARTINUS, THE SON OF AAGUN.

To the Chief Scribe: It hath been chronicled that there was a chief lawyer called Martinus, the son of Aagun, and also one plain lawyer called Gregorius. Now Gregorius did enter the palace of the chief lawyer and demanded of him tribute amounting to two shekels of silver, but Martinus answered and said unto him: Thou demandest of me more than that which is thine, and askest of me that which belongeth to my lords the people, here is thine, go thy way. But Gregorius answered and said unto him: I shall withhold my power in thy hand, when thou shalt again be appointed of the people as the chief lawyer. And Martinus said unto Gregorius: Get thee hence into outer darkness, and as it was said unto him even so did he also do, so much so that within the space of one year his name was not again reckoned among those who came up before the people. After many days the lawyers and one scribe learned in the constitution took counsel together how they might kill the chief lawyer who had been exalted to be the chief ruler by the governor of that land. They issued a proclamation calling together the merchantmen throughout all the city to the temple called Harmonics, and they said among themselves: We must greatly declare Martinus to be a wicked, bad man, perditionure we say cause the merchantmen to be persuaded that it is even so because of our much saying: he is a bad man. And they all spake together in this wise together with one lawyer named Perrius Millesium, who said: We do not want this Martinus to rule over us, and Gordenius, also a lawyer and a great hunter of renown,

saith unto the merchantmen: It is not for us that this Martinus should rule over you. He is much wiser than we all. From the east are we come from whence we were driven westward because his distressful craft, and now Ebertho hath he shed some with but a rod in his hand to utterly drive us from the face of the earth. And after the lawyers and the scribe with much constitution spake in this wise a leader of the people called Anna (not nias) had heard these words he was exceedingly wrath with the scribe and pharisees because of all the evil they spake against Martinus, the chief ruler, who is a just man, and he stood alone on the altar before the scribe and pharisees, who are lawyers, and caused them to shake with much fear, so that one (who not being learned was made a lawyer by a special proclamation of the rulers of that land) Perrius Millesium saith unto himself saith he: Behold the people hath discovered our sins and will surely hang us alive. There are those who hath hitherto found greater favor with the wicked rulers than I. And when he beheld his brethren, the lawyers, who were loud and hungry, he saith: The crumbs that have fallen from the table of the chief rulers hath all been devoured by them. I will arise and go into the tabernacle of Martinus, peradventure I may find favor in his sight and receive all the crumbs that fall from his table. In that day they will say: He is wiser than we all, inasmuch as he hath divined the will of the people.

And Perrius Millesium straightway changed his garments and now saith: We do want this Martinus to rule over us, and all the instruments of music began to play.

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS STAND BY THE GOVERNMENT.

To the Editor: In writing on the subject of the coming election I shall not discuss on the role of a well known editor in this city by saying: "As we pointed out," but shall content myself by a brief glance at several subjects that are occupying men's minds. I have no doubt more or less in this province. In the deductions

I draw from different phases of these subjects touched upon, I neither claim to be right or wrong, but I throw them out as things to be thought about and acted upon at the proper time.

A subject that evokes adverse criticism is the government plan of building railroads. How paradoxical human nature is when biased by prejudice is demonstrated in the treatment of this question. The first movement in this province for railway construction, nearly a generation ago, was prompted by the idea that Victoria should and would be the terminus of a Mainland route. The result to-day is that we are left in the frost. The people of this city know and feel that their future life depends on such connection, hence the many futile efforts that have been made in that direction, but here is a paradox: The people swallowed whole bolts the British Pacific scheme, notwithstanding the fact that it was only dangled before them by charter moogers and a few tricky politicians. Now, certain contents are in arms against a railway direct from here to the Kootenay. One of the most damning charges against the scheme is that it would result in the loss of the public lands. So much so, in fact, that if we take the color red for acquiescence and black to express the contrary, under the Turner system a little while, and the map of our whole province would be covered by a huge black smudge. But, oh, consistency! A project that calls for no sacrifice of our public lands is carped at, denounced and decried. I consider the eight hour law one of the most beneficial ever enacted in British Columbia, its main object being the ameliorating of the lot of the workers underground. Who can gainsay but that it has had that effect? Any change that has for its object the softening of the hard lot of the best always meet with more or less opposition from the drones. Fancy a man hundreds of feet underground within the month of hell. How he batters with delight God's free sunshine, and blesses the exactness that gives him two hours more from the dreary, foggy, and smoky privilage. As for the line and cry against the alien law, I say more power to it, in say nothing of the Holland. For the Oliver of our dear beloved cousins. It was a measure too

far being to be conceived by the old brain that unfortunately have held the reins. While it had speculation, it kept the country for years to come for our own sakes.

It is contended that a man, more especially if he carries his bread by the labor of his hands, is recreant to himself and his fellows that fails to strengthen the hands of the man who had the courage and sagacity to frame the measures and make them the law of the land.

Dr. Nelson has presented a petition to the Manitoba legislature on behalf of the License Holders' Association, asking that compensation be granted them in the event of a prohibitory measure being passed. The total amount asked for would aggregate about \$2,000,000. Premier Macdonald says the petition will receive serious consideration.

UNDOUBTEDLY CANCER.

Another Case Where the One Certain and Remedy Made a Permanent Cure.

A well known lady recently wrote saying that our Vegetable Cancer Cure cured her of cancer of the breast five years ago, and there has never been any return of the disease since.

Her trouble was undoubtedly cancer, as many prominent physicians examined the tumor and all were agreed that it was a case of cancer.

Not one of them would give her any encouragement that an operation would cure her permanently. She read in the papers of our constitutional treatment for cancer, sent for our remedy, used it, was cured, and the growth, by that time she is hearty and strong and no evidence of her old trouble remaining. One remedy saved her from pain, saved her breast and saved her life.

Anyone who is interested and have the name of that lady and full particulars of her case, as well as our treatise on cancer, by sending two stamps, Stott & Jory, Townsville, Ont.

A Berlin dispatch says the secret riots in Koutis, the result of the death of a lad named Winter, attributed to the Jews, continue in spite of the active interference of the military. Martial law has been proclaimed there.

Two milkmen named Carter and Teller were struck by a train on the Grand Trunk crossing at Elizabeth street, St. Henri, on Saturday evening. Both men and the horse they were driving were instantly killed.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Sick Of The Worry

W. W. B. McInnes Says That His Father is Anxious to Resign.

A Busy Week for the Politicians - Mr. Neill Squares Anti-Martin.

A plethora of political meetings are set down for this evening. The opposition hold a mass meeting in the theatre.

All doubt as to the position of Mr. Neill in Albert seems to be set at rest by the following, received this morning by the Times from the chairman and secretary of his committee.

Several surprises were sprung at a Bryden meeting in Northfield on Saturday evening, says a Nanaimo special to the Times.

Mr. Bryden wept over his platform and gave reasons for his position regarding the different planks.

Mr. McInnes read a report of a meeting held at Alberni, in which Mr. Martin claimed him as a supporter.

Mr. Eberts was well received. His address was along the lines of that at Sannich.

Mr. Laurin spoke for a short time on responsible government.

To-morrow evening a government mass meeting will be held at Johns Ross Hall.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Eberts speaks at Tomlin school house.

Effective Sunday, June 3rd, the Spokane Falls & Northern railway will change time and inaugurate new services.

Day train will leave Spokane 10:35 a.m., arrive Nelson 8 p.m., arrive Rosland 5:30 p.m., arrive Rosland 12:35 p.m., arrive Spokane 7:10 p.m.

Night train (new service) will leave Spokane 9:45 p.m., arrive Rosland 6:30 a.m., will leave Rosland 11 p.m., arrive Spokane 7:05 a.m.

Great Northern standard sleeper will be attached to night trains.

H. A. JACKSON, General Passenger Agent.

THE PASSING THROUGH.

Arrivals of the Day at City Hotels - Gossip of the Corridors.

W. Raymond Wilson, of Victoria, one of the most popular young men in military and sporting circles at the Capital, arrived on Saturday.

Mrs. W. G. Pennyacker, Miss Pennyacker, of Wilmington, Del.; Mrs. Wm. H. Moresby, New Haven, Conn.; Mrs. Wm. Garg and Miss Eleanor Garg, Banter, N.S.W., are members of a tourist party staying at the Deirdre.

Messrs. J. T. McInloch, grand recorder, and E. J. Salmon, past grand master, of this city, and A. E. Wood, of Westminister, representatives of the provincial A. O. U. W., left yesterday to attend the annual meeting of the Supreme Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., which will take place at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on Wednesday week.

D. H. Bucher, president of the Winnipeg Mining Co., is at the Dominion accompanied by his wife.

Rev. J. B. Silcox, formerly pastor of a church at Winnipeg, but who of late years has been in charge of a parish in Los Angeles, Cal., was in the city on Saturday.

J. W. Patrick, advance agent for the Norris Bros. dog and pony show, is in Victoria making arrangements for the appearance of that circus on the 13th and 14th insts.

J. A. Fuller, J. E. Fagan and E. A. Quigley, of the C.P.R. staff, Vancouver, are at the Deirdre, awaiting the arrival of the R.M.S. Empress of China from the Orient to-day.

J. D. Taylor, managing editor of the Columbian, came down from New Westminster on Saturday to spend Sunday with his family.

A. L. Belyea was among the home-coming Victoria on the Islander on Saturday evening.

P. Burns, the well known cattle dealer, arrived down from the Mainland on Saturday night.

Hewitt Bostock, M.P., is down from the Mainland and is a guest at the New England.

R. Roosevelt on EXPOSITION. New York, June 4. - Robert B. Roosevelt, who is just back from Paris, has been the exposition most severely.

MY GENEROUS BOER. The only Boer who has been in contact with me since I left contact with me to me a delightful letter.

HOW TO CURE A SPRAIN. Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes.

She Was Pale and Languid. Too Nervous to Sleep, and Daily Cross Weather.

A DISCOURAGED GIRL. Isabel - "I'll never have another photograph taken."

ITCHING PILES. Mr. O. F. St. John, Dominion Inspector of Stambourne, 246 Bloor street, Toronto.

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Victoria's Contribution

Fifteen Hundred Dollars Collected Here for the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

That Amount Forwarded To-Day to Ottawa - Statement of Messiah Concert.

The total sum collected at the city hall and the sum realized from the "Messiah" and the two patriotic concerts at the theatre in aid of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, amounting in all to \$1,500.15, has been forwarded to the treasurer of the fund at Ottawa.

Table with columns: Collected at City Hall, Disbursements, Receipts, Total.

The detailed statement of the receipts and expenditure in connection with the Messiah concert is as follows:

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PLAGUE AT SAN FRANCISCO. Five More Deaths on Saturday - Chinese the Victims.

San Francisco, June 4. - Health Officer, O'Brien and Bacteriologist Kellogg have reported that the five cases of Chinese, who died on Saturday after one day's illness, were undoubtedly of bubonic plague.

WOULD NOT SUFFER SO AGAIN FOR FIFTY TIMES ITS PRICE. I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach.

A CARD OF THANKS. I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has done for our family.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Montreal, June 1. - Syracuse, 3; Montreal, 6.

EASTERN LEAGUE. Worcester, June 1. - Worcester, 9; Providence, 7.

MEETING THIS EVENING. The Victoria Baseball Club will hold a meeting this evening in the Empire hotel.

MEMBERS - A PROVISION. Members of the Victoria Lacrosse Club are requested to be on hand at each of the practices this week.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

It is rumored that a mobilization of the Mainland Fifth Regiment will take place in Victoria about the beginning of July.

The speakers at to-night's opposition meeting in the theatre will be Capt. Wolley, Hon. Fred Peters, C. H. Laing, Geo. E. Powell, A. J. McLennan and the opposition candidates.

The general committee of the Seattle Fourth July celebration are extending an invitation to Victoria citizens to attend the demonstration.

The Royal Garrison Artillery hold their annual gun practice at Fort Macaulay from the 11th to the 15th, commencing at 30 min. each day.

The death took place at the family residence, No. 328 Government street, to-day of Elizabeth Ann, wife of William Roddy, a native of Cornwall, aged 56 years.

The very large number who attended the concert recently given in the theatre in aid of the patriotic fund are unanimous in their expression of appreciation of the magnificent programme rendered on that occasion.

A unique expedition in the interests of science, which is to include the shores of Baffin, Cumberland, and Devon, has started out from New York.

A rather important meeting will be held at the Caledonia grounds this evening, when it is the intention to organize an intermediate association in the interests of sport competing among other departments of pastime, baseball and lacrosse.

At Equivalents on Saturday afternoon a very exciting match was played between a team from the Navy and players captained by Mr. Burroughs.

On the same afternoon a team from the Victoria club, captained by Mr. Gillespie, proved victorious over the barracks players at the Work Point grounds.

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Sporting News

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP. (Associated Press.) London, June 4. - The draw for the open golf championship occurred this morning at St. Andrew's.

THE OAR. NELSON'S GREAT CARNIVAL. Among the grand attractions at the great land and water carnival to be held at Nelson on July 2nd and 3rd will be the four-oared race between a crew from Winnipeg and representative crews from various portions of the province.

LACROSSE. ASHEROFT IN LINE. A baseball club has been organized at Ashcroft, the organization taking place at a recent meeting.

ATHLETICS. PROPOSED INTERMEDIATE ASSOCIATION. A rather important meeting will be held at the Caledonia grounds this evening.

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A Consignment of Bicycles to be sold cheap.

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BANK OF MONTREAL BUILDING, VICTORIA, B.C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NIGHT COOK WANTED at the Maryland Chop House, 87 Government street.

FOR SALE - Cheap, one large phonograph, in perfect order; only in use two months; also 2 dozen choice records. Apply Phonograph, Times Office.

FOR SALE - Small camera and good portrait lens, still cover, \$2.00. Address "W. H. L.", Times Office.

LAST Silver watch in leather bracelet, on Saturday night. Finder please return to Times Office.

Slaughter Sale

AT 86 DOUGLAS ST. Commencing Tuesday, June 5th at 10 a.m.

The Entire Stock of Mrs. Wood 86 DOUGLAS STREET. Must be disposed of at once. Everything to be sold regardless of cost.

Monster Meeting

Government Supporters

JOHNS BROS. HALL Tuesday Evening, June 5

Addressed by Candidates and others. Ladies invited. Chaise taken at 8 p.m. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

TELEPHONES.

Within the City Limits, four party Life Telephones now installed as low as \$2.50 per month.

No Installation Charges For new regulations, particulars as to districts, etc., apply.

Provincial Gaol at Victoria TENDERS.

Tenders endorsed "Gaul Supplies," for the supply of bread, beef, groceries, clothing and coal, for the use of the said institution, from the 1st day of July next to the 30th of June, 1901, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 3rd June. Samples of groceries, clothing, etc., can be seen at the gaol. Tenders to state price of coal per ton, and of bread per bushel, and to be delivered to the gaol as required without extra charge. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. F. JOHN, Warden.

MONUMENTS

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