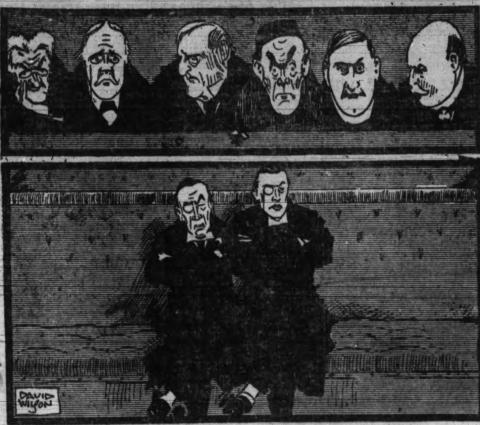
A CONTRAST.



The Distinguished Strangers' Gallery and the Front Opposition Bench.

AUTOMOBILISTS

Ponetdera, 14 miles from Pisa, yesterday, which involves the detention there of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, ir., Sesuit of Bye-Election in Maisonneuv and their chauffeur, turns out to have —York County Loan Shareholdbeen much more serious than at first

The dispatches received yesterday evening from Ponetdra simply announced that Mr. Vanderbiit was delayed, there owing to an automobile accident by which a boy was injured, but not seriously. It now appears that Mr. Vanderbiit and his chauffeur were mobbed, that the former drew a renobbed, that the former drew a revolver and that both Mr. Vanderbilt and the chauffeur were arrested and taken to the police station, Mrs. Vanderbilt was escorted to the best hotel in the place, where, according to the latest advices, she was awaiting developments.

The Vanderbilt automobile, it appears, was not golps at according to guilty person.

pears, was not going at excessive speed, but when turning a sharp street infifred him about the head. Though the boy was not seriously hurt his face was covered with blood. The automobile, which was stopped soon as its occupants learned that an accident occurred, was soon surrounded by a crowd of excited people, who indignantly and threateningly berated its occupants. In the midst of the excitement the report spread that the child was dead, and the townspeople became so enraged that they attacked the chauffeur. In fact matters reached a very critical stage, and Mr. Vanderbilt believing that the lives of the party were in danger drew a revolver, but before he could use. The main point of interest in the proceediags was the written opinion of W. A. Ritchie, K.C., stating that the company's shareholders in this province rank as creditors because of the statute passed two years ago which directed that loan companies such as this should take out a license to do business in Nova Scotila. The York Company never obtained a license and hence their collection of money here was filegal, and those who paid it are entitled to collect as creditors.

Satisfactory Process.

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Florence. Feb. 24.—This morning doctors visited Adolpte Bullni, the boy who was injured by Mr. Vanderbilt's supposed in the contract of the co who was injured by automobile, in order to ascertain his condition, Grave compilications, it was amounced may arise. Through the American consular authorities Mr. Vanderblit has secured a lawyer who has applied for his clients provisional release which is always granted similar cases, but which can be refused when the offender is a foreigner or when it is suspected that he may fice from the offender is a foreigner or when it is suspected that he may fice from justice. If the child does not die or is not permanently disabled the punishment may be imprisonment for three months and a fine of \$200 in addition to a fine for carrying a revolver withto a fine for carrying a revolver with (Associated Press.)

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CANADIAN NEWS.

Montreal, Feb. 23.-Paul Verville

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By this time the police had become aware that something unusual was happening, and a party of gendarmes arrived on the seene to protect the automobilists. Owing to the fury of the people the officers took the Vanderbilt party into a neighboring shop for safety. There they were immediately besieged by the crowd, the most violent of the people urging their companions to take summary vengeance upon the fravellers. As a coincidence the shop into which the Vanderbilts were taken was owned by a relative of the injured boy, which did not tend to calim life Fedings of the mob.

Eventually an officer of gendarmes with reinforcements arrived on the scene, and after the townspeople mad somewhat calmed down, succeeded in rescuing the automobilists, who were taken to the police station, followed by a crowd of shouting people. The leaders protested vigorously against the allogand. Mr. Gaillher spass tasses of the scene, and after the townspeople mad somewhat calmed down, succeeded in research to the police station, followed by a crowd of shouting people. The leaders protested vigorously against the allogand. Mr. Gaillher speaks assess of the support of the suppor

THE KING HAS TO

(Associated Press.)

New York, Feb. 24.—According to the London correspondent of the World King Edward can never walk out again without the aid of a cane. The again without the aid of a cane. The King fell white shoating in Windsor forest last November, resulting in the breaking of a fendon achilles. The World's correspondent states this on undisputable authority. It was announced at first that the King had sprained his spike. The King is sixty-five years old, and nature, even with surgical assistance, cannot completely repair the broken tendon achilles of a man of that are.

The correspondent avers, leaning on a stick. King Edward walks very slowly and with a pronounced limp. His Majesty leaned heavy on a crutch-handled stout cane when he opened parliament. He could not arise from the throne until the cane was handed to him. He wears an orthosedic lin-

strument inside his boot to support his

WEIGHT CHAMPION

the right eye and in the following round battered the optic until it was closed. The left eye ulso was badly marked and Harr's face presented a bloody sight practically throughout

bloody sight practically throughout the fight.

Hart failed to show any championably form of, any sort. His persistent attrypts to "nough it" in the clinches earned the disapproval of the crowd which appeared to be with Burns almost to a man. Burns style of attack was to shoot his left to the face or the rody and step inside of Hart's swings, sliowing them to go around his neck, or ducking them entirely. Hart simply could not land on Burns and towards the latter part of the fight tried hard to wear Burns out by using his weight in the clinches. The fight was tiresome, one round being much like the preceding and following ones.

In the fourteenth, hurms appeared to have a charseer to knock Hart out. He caught the bigger man a right and left on the jaw that sent him staggering for a moment. Quickly setsing his advantage, Burns hammered Hart.

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about the face and head until he forced bim to cover up and hold on.

In the last few rounds, seeing the tide of battle going against Hart, urged by his chief second, Temmy Ryan, tried desperately to corner his cuick-witted opponent and secure a knack-out. Every attempt falled, however, and every round increased Burns' land.

Hart weighed about 185, while Burns weighed but 175. Jack (Twin) Sullivah was Burns chief second. The betting was 2 to 1 on Hart and even money that Hart would win in ten rounds. The attendance was 4,000:

MEMBERS WHO EARNED SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Representatives of Fifth Regiment Who Made a Creditable Record at Last Summer's Camp.

aceptness and accuracy in gun laying to connection with the target practices to connection with the target practices held during last summer's camp. Field range taking and depression range finding is not taken up by many, and consequently the numbers qualifying is accordingly small, there being three in one instance and two in the other respectively.

Appended is the complete

O. 58, 186. Field Range Taking—Sergt, Taylor, Gr Evens, Gr. Fawcett.

Depression Range Finding — Sergt.

King, Sergt. Lawrie.

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Yaughan, Gr. Williams, Gr. A. Cless, Gr.
Gray, Gr. Mulcahy, Gr. Newberry, Gr.
Muir, Gr. Parker, Gr. Rochfort, Gr.
Rolfe, Gr. Winsby.
The corporals, bombardiers and gunners above mentioned will parade at the
drill 'call on Wednesday, February 28th,
at 8 p. m., for the putpose of signing pay
sheets, for specialists pay under the above
order.

ON FISHERIES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ing the spawning season, size when young hallbut are mature, and other valuable information such as have been obtained by other government surveys. to the great advantage of the fisheries and fishing interests.

Such fishery investigations have been already urged by Mr. William Sloan, M. P., and Mr. Ralph Smith, M. P., the commission understands and Mr. Sloan has laid stress on the necessity for a B. C. Biological Station similar to that on the Atlantic coast operated under Dominion government auspices. The urgency of this work has impressed the commission.

NO. 141

AN ANNOUNCEMENT OF LIBERAL GATHERINGS

The Limitation of Canneries in Northere Waters—More Effective
Patrol Necessary.

As stated in a dispacen from Ottawa on Perivary 18th an interior report and recommendation of the British Columbia Patrol British Patrol British Patrol British Patro Many Attended Annual Hockey Ball
Under Auspices of Victoria Clubs
Last Eveninz.

The hockey days that



THE FISHERY COMMISSION.

Reading from left to right-Campbell Sweeney, Vancouver; J. C. Brown, New Westminster; J. P. Babcock, Provinciat Fishery Commission, Victoria; Rev. Mr. Taylor, Wellington; Prof. Prince, chairman, Ottawa; R. Hall, M. P. P., Victoria; J. Charles Macintosh, secretary, Victoria.

Or MANNO, G. Melkinn, Gr. A. Gramma, Gr. A. Gramma, Gr. M. Gr. Parsons, Gr. Sporford, Gr. Voluphan, Gr. Moreally, Gr. Newberry, Gr. Moreally, Gr. Newberry, Gr. Moreally, Gr. Newberry, Gr. Mulis, Gr. Parsons, Gr. Sporford, Gr. Mulis, Gr. Parker, Gr. Rechford, Gr. Mark, Gr. Parker, Gr. Rechford, Gr. Mark, Gr. Parker, Gr. Rechford, Gr. Barte, Gr. Sporford, Gr. Mark, Gr. Sporford, Gr. M. Gr. Hand, Gr. Mark, Gr. Sporford, Gr. Mark, Gr. Mark, Gr. Mark, Gr. Mark, Gr. Sporford, Gr. Mark, Gr. Mark,



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LAWYERS FOUGHT HARD

While Execution Was in Progress They Were Arguing Case Before a

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Actorneys Maher and Comeford presented the appeal bond to the court and again asked for an appeal.

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IMPORTANT SUBJECTS

J. A. Grant, of Victoris, Will be Among Gratifying Announcement Regarding the Those Attending-Matters Which Will be Coasidered.

Official notice has been sent out antouncing the date of the Dominion conference of fruit growers at Ottawa on the 20th of March. Delegates should arrange, the notice says, to be in Ottawa by the evening of the 19th.

The conference has been called by Hon. Sydiey Pisher, minister of agriculture, upon representations made from time to time to him, particularly by a deputation of fruit growers and others who walted upon him last winter, urgify that such a meeting be called for the purpose of discussing various questions of national import bearing on the fruit industry. In a letter to the secretary of the Victoria Fruit Growers Association Hon. Mr. Fishersays. "I believe that such a conference consisting, as it should, of representative men from all over the Dominion, might be made of much practical value to fruit growing and athed interests. Being desirous of doing anything in my power to promote the welfare of this important industry, I have TOTAL Time to the control of the con

while the accution was in progress while the accution was in progress. Attorneys Maher and Comerford, who were acting for Hoch, then informed Jailer Whitman and Deputy Sheriff Peters that the application had been made and asked them to delay the execution until the court had acted on it. The officials agreed to wait, the attorneys in the returned to the court, and appending before Judge J. M. Landis, asked that the writ be issued forthwith. "It is requisite," said Judge Landis, the with. "It is requisite," said Judge Landis, asked that the writ be issued forthwith. "It is requisite," said Judge Landis, asked that the writ."

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Judge Landis denied the application of the state Supreme court to the Sutten of the With my oath if I delayed this execution."

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Judge Landla denied the application, saying the proper persecty for counsel is a writ of certor. from the desience of the state Supreme court of the United States.

The court responded "Later in the day I will enter such an order as will enable you to have this case reviewed by the Supreme court in the absence of your client. I will not continue this man tend and commission mem-domestic. (b) Agents and commission mem-domestic. (b) Agents power man had been deprived of a fair in the day I will enter such an order as will enable you to have this case reviewed by the Supreme court in the absence of your client. I will not complicate Matters by a further delay. It would be much easier for me to grant this man tend days' time in which to have this case reviewed by the United States. If it is not rendered the states stay preme court, but respect for orderly procedure compels me to do what I have done. That is my order.

Judge Landis. The court by the Complex of the states of the states

WARDEN ADVOCATES

Importation of Birds From the

warden, visited Victoria a few ago and, in conversation with a Times reporter, expressed himself as confident that the splendid sport to be enjoyed in British Columbia would soon attract large numbers of European and American big game hunters if it was properly advertised. He emphasized the necessity of most stringent legislation in respect to the protection of game during the close seasons. Since taking charge of the Provincial wardens he had done his best to enforce the regulations in all parts of British Columbia. Of course, it was a somewhat wide territory to cover, but so far his efforts had met with gratifying success, quite a number of convictions having been secured. He was assured that there was not nearly as much tilegal hunting as had hitherto been the case. But there was still work to do not be the contract to the contract to the case. ago and, in conversation with a Tim

Asked concerning the action of the C. P. R. in withdrawing their offer to assist in the patrolling of the territory included in the land grant secured by that company with the E. & N. Railway, Mr. Williams was retcent. He knew that the C. P. R. had adopted this course because of the refusal of the Provincial government to convert the lands in assettion into an orange discussed the convention of the provincial government to convert the lands in assettion into an orange discussed the convention of the convention

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tified as it could not be expected that anyone would be willing to facur any expenditure in the employment of wardens when a person might secure a license entiting him to shoot all the year round by spending \$5 or thereabouts. Although he would say nothing definite, Mr. Williams interred that it was not unlikely that conditions would change to such an extent during the next few months that the C. P. R. might be induced to reconsider their decision.

SECCIATION FOOTBALL. MATCH IN PROGRESS.

The Egeria and Victoria-United teams are playing a friendly exhibition match this atternoon at Oak Bay. The contest started at 2:45 o'clock.

PRACTICING TO-DAY.

Practices of the Y. M. C. A. junior and intermediate teams are being held this afternoon. The former is taking place at Oak Bay and the latter at Beacon Hill. Roth elevens are preparing for league matches.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

As has been previously announced in these columns a special meeting of the Vancouver Island Football league will be held at 8 o'clock this evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The principal business to be considered is the drafting of a junior league schedule. All delegates are requested to be present promptly at the hour mentioned.

PLAYING TO-DAY.

The High School and South Park junior teams are trying conclusions this afternoon at Beacon Hill. W. Moresby is acting as referee.

VICTORIA VS. VANCOUVER. A match is being played between the Victoria and Vancouver intermediate teams this atternion at Oak Bay. The personnel of the respective elevens has already appeared in these columns. H. S. Dalby is acting as referee.

Victoria and Vancouver ladies' afternoon at Oak Bay. After the game members of both elevens and their friends will be entertained to afternoon

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what is expected to prove a close and interesting content will be played between the Fifth Regiment team and the Tigers of Pordand, this evening at the Drill Hall. Without a doubt the Visitors are the fastest exponents of the pastime to be seen in Victoria this season. In spite of the acknowledged proficiency of the militia five they realize that the task set them on this occasion is the gnost difficult yet undertaken. Flay will commence at 8 o'clock. In connection with the game a spiendid musical programme will be ren-ventive of consumption, the greatest builder-up of weak more and recommend. ventive of consumption, the greatest builder-up of weak men and

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VANCOUVER

Exemption of church property was the giscussed at the meeting of the city council Monday evening, and a resolution that the legislature be asked to have the "Health Act."

By Hon. C. Wilson, a bill respecting to amend the charter so that church buildings and one acre of land would be exempt from taxation, was voted down. A motion introduced subsequently that buildings only be exempted, was carried unalimously.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Vancouver. Athelic Club the building committee reported that the building is nearing completion and would be ready for opening in April. The gymnasium committee submitted a report dealing with the work of squipping the new club and recommending the purchase of equipment amounting to about \$1,200. An instructor will be engaged shortly and will inter upon his new dudes on April ist.

'the "Health Act."

By Hon. F. Carter-Cotton, a bill to be "Accelerate the Incorporation of the City of North Vancouver."

J. R. Brown naked the hon, the chief commissioner of lands and works the following questions:

1. What blocks of land were selected by the Columbia & Western Railway for making such selection?

2. What authority had the company is government agents in respect to the lands so selected?

4. Have any applications for purchase or pre-emption or lease of any portion of the lands so selected been made?

5. If so, have any such applications



PROCEEDINGS OF

UNDER DISCUSSION

Act Introduced in Response to

alluded to. Between unworkable am-

endments and a vicious act there is little choice left to the members between the evils.

The bill respecting the sale of patent medicines which is brought in in response to a petition which is undoubtedly the largest ever presented to the House, had its first reading to-day. The petition was presented by L. W. Shatford, and was signed by 3.500 petitioners and 65 cities and towns. The bill provides as follows:

No person shall sell, expose for sale.

No person shall sell, expose for sale, or have ready for sale, any patent medicine, proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific intended for internal

consumption by human beings that contains chioral, hydrate, ergot, morphine, opium, belladonna or any of their compounds or derivatives; cocaine or any of its salts; acetanliide, sulphuric, sulphuric, and nitrous acids, unless the box, bottle, vessel, wrapper or cover in which said patent medicine, proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific is put up is conspicuously labelled with the word "Poison" and with the pame and percentage of the poisonous ingredients. No nerson shall sell, expose for sale, of have ready for sale, any patent inedicine, proprietary medicine, nostrum or apsecific containing more than tenper cent, of alcohol by weight, unless the owner, compounder, proprietar or vendor of such patent medicine, proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific salt have proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific shall have obtained from the proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific shall have obtained from the proprietary medicine, nostrum or specific shall have obtained from the proprietary shall have obtained and the proprietary shall have obtained the proprietary shall hav

Any person contravening any provi-sion of this act shall, upon summary conviction before a justice of the peace, police magistrate, or stipendiary magistrate, he subject to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars and costs, for each offence.

In any prosecution for an infraction of the provisions of section 2 of this

been granted?

6. Have any such applications been refused, and, if so, for what reason?

7. Has any person so applying been referred to the Columbia & Western Railway Company as the proper parties to whom such applications should be made?

The Hon. R. F. Green replied as follows:

'L Lots 2,711, 2,712, 2,713, 2,714, 3,634, 2.635, 2.636, 2.637, 3.638 and 2.639 in the Similkameen district; and lots 7.159, 7.160 and 7.161 in the Kootenay district.

"2. With the consent of the government.

"3. Agents instructed not to permit any allenation by pre-emption, pur-chase or otherwise of lands within said

the following questions:

1. What amount each month was spent on roads and bridges in Enderby district in 1994 and 1995?

2. What amount each month was expended in Mara district for same purpose during same period?

3. The name or names of the foreman or foremen in each district?

June. \$282.82; July. \$470.54; August. \$101; September, \$7.50. 1905—March. \$22; June. \$29.51; July. \$527.44; August. \$678.19; September, \$523.58; November,

\$44.50.

"2. 1904—Pebruary, \$1; May, \$57.62;
June, \$7; July, \$5.25; August, \$10.50.
1105—June, \$33; July, \$69.74; August, \$438.09; September, \$12.92.

"3. Enderby section, W. Gardner and W. Hancock; Mara section, C. W. Lit-

tle."

J. R. Brown asked the hon, the min-lister of finance the following questions:

1. What quantity of the land given by the province to the Columbia & Western Railway Company under its Subsidy Act has been alienated by the

pany?
2. Has the land so allenated been taxed by the province of British Columbia?
3. If so, how long has said land been

4. If the land so allenated has not been taxed, why not?

The Hon. R. G. Tatlow replied as fol-

16,235 24-100 acres allenated.

"2. Yes.

"3. Of the above acreage, 669 19-100 acres were assessed for the years 1905 and 1906, and the balance, 9,365.05 acres, were assessed for the year 1906, being the first years, respectively, for which this land was liable for assessment. The total acreage allenated is composed of 60 parcels, allenated at various dates, the first being 7th March, 1904.

"4. Answered by No. 2." Transfer of Land.

County Courts. The report of the bill to amend the County Courts Act was adopted. Land Surveyors.

The bill to amend the B. C. Land Surveyors Act was again committed, with W. R. Ross in the chair. The bill was reported complete.

Public Schools.

should be established.

He objected to limiting the time over which a loan for school buildings might be extended to 12 years. He thought it might be necessary to extend it over a longer period.

Hon. F. Carter-Cotton pointed out that it might be unwise to extend the tirne over a longer period than this because a new school might be required to repriace the school.

Hon. F. I. Fullon pointed out that

In any prosecution for an infraction of the provisions of section 3 of this act is shall be incumbent upon the defendant to prove that he has obtained the permission of the board of health, referred to in said section.

Nothing in this act contained shall be deemed to restrict in any way the provisions of the "Pharmacy Act" or of the "Poison Act."

This act shall come into force on the first day of June, A. D. 1906.

To replace the school.

Hon. F. J. Fulton pointed out that the time might be extended by the spinction of the council of public invalidation.

T. W. Paterson wished to know if the board of school trustees for the municipality was to have the right to say what schools should be built and the cost should be assessed on the whole municipality.

He was informed that that was the intention.

Mr. Paterson thought the

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Prayers were read by Rey. J. H. nection with this. A thrifty settled district of the municipality would find great difficulty in getting the necessary aid from a board of school trustend a first time and ordered to be read a second time to-morrow:

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Mr. Paterson, thought there would be a great difficulty encountered in connection with this. A thrifty settled great difficulty in getting the necessary aid from a board of school trustees elected by a thickly settled secreted a second time to-morrow:

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By W. G. Cameron, a bill to amend the "Municipal Elections Act."

By Hon. C. Wilson, a bill to amend the "Benevolent Societies Act."

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The minister introduced a further amendment to guard against what he feared might follow by the act, namely, that the supplementary per capita grant paid by the government might go into the municipal funds without being paid to the teacher.

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R. L. Drury contended that this amendment proposed by the minister worked an injustice. It really meant the cutting of the supplementary vote worked an injustice. It really meant the cutting of the supplementary vote and the act.

R. L. Drury contended that these amendment should be printed so that they could be understood.

The minister consented to know if any brovision was made to deal with brovision was made to deal with any provision was made to d

An Ideal Piano Enthusiastic comment by a purchaser on New Scale Williams Plano.

Mr. H. O. Boorse, of South River, Ont., writes as follows:-"In regard to the Piano sent us, we are highly pleased with it. We have had nearly all the players in, and they all express themselves as delighted with the richness and volume of tone, and in every way as being an ideal piano."



South River, Ont,

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with the voting of large sums of money should have some qualification.

An amendment was proposed by R. Fiall to the following section:

Any statute to the contrary notwith-standing, the council of any city, town or rural municipality in the province, including the cities of Vancouver and New Westminster, may in each and every year pass a by-law or by-laws for levying a special rate of not more than five mills on the dollar for school purposes, and the council may, in addition to such rate, apply any portion of the ordinary revenue to school purpose. of the ordinary revenue to school pur-

He proposed to strike out all the words after the word purposes. In support of it he said that he did not propose to put upon municipalities the burden of bearing any of those which belonged to the province.

Mr. Oliver pointed out that it was provided that five milis should be raised, whereas it had been demonstrated that one mill on the dollar would raise the money necessary.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite wanted to

the money necessary.

J. H. Hawthornthwalte wanted to know who did the demonstrating.

Mr. Oliver said they had never been contradicted to this time.

F. Carter-Cotton said that Mr. Oliver

riving at the figures

Mr. Oliver said he did not propose to allow the member for Richmond or any other member to state that he had-raisified figures. He defied Mr. Cetton to prove that his figures were incorrect, and would challenge him to prove them so, now.

them so now.

Mr. Cotton said that he did not false figures intentionally. All he had meant was that the member had arrived at his conclusions by incorrect methods.

C. Munro asked Mr. Cotton if he would deny the correctness of the would deny the correctness of the

C. Munro asked Mr. Cotton if he would deny she correctness of the figures now.

This the president of the council did not attempt.

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Mr. Hawthornthwaite said that Mr.
Oliver had stated that it was impossible to get at a correct statement of the finances of the province. He wished to know how Mr. Oliver came to

ed to know how Mr. Oliver came to-arrive at the conclusions he did.
Mr. Oliver said he did not propose to tell the member for Nanaimo how he arrived at his figures any more than Mr. Hawthornthwaite was prepared to tell the House how he succeeded in holding up the member of the govern-ment.

Mr. Hawthornthwalte said that he

L. W. Shatford presented a petition signed by 3,600 persons and 59 cities and towns respecting patent medicines. The rules were suspended and the petition received.

Elections Act.

Elections Act was committed, with J.
R. Brown in the chair.
R. L. Drury saw a difficulty in the
proposal that names should be transferred from one district to another on
thirty days' notice being given. The
result would be that although there
had been a revision a few months before, this being required every six
months, there would be a lot of new
names put on the list just before elec-

He asked that the bill should stand

over.
The attorney-general desired that it should be put through committee before he left. Any amendment could be brought in on report.
The committee rose and reported the bill complete.
The House then adjourned.

Notices of Motion.

By Mr. Oliver on Monday next: By Mr. Oliver on Monday next:
That an order of the House be granted forthwith of copies of all letters, telegrams, reports, applications or any other papers in connection with the application of the Columbia & Western Railway Company for lands claimed by way of subsidy, or in connection with the survey of graid lands said

1. What lands were crown-granted as stated in the fifth paragraph of the minute in council approved by Hia Honor the Lieutenant-Governor on the 18th day of February, 1965;

2. Were crown grants issued for all or any part of the 808,872 acres of land claimed by the Columbia & Western railway? If so, for what lands were railway? railway? If so, for what lands were

what lands were crown grants prepared?

By Mr. Oliver on Monday next:
Question of the hon, the premier:
Is it the intention of the government
to station a provincial constable at the
international boundary near Blaine?

By Mr. Olived on Monday next:
Questions of the hon, the attorney-general or the hon, the premier:
1. Have any attempts been made to
bring back to the province for trial of
any fugitives from justice?
2. If so, who were the persons so
sought to be brought back?
3. How many of such persons were
brought back?
4. How many of such persons have

brought back?

4. How many of such persons have been brought to trial?

5. How many of such persons brought to trial have been convicted?

6. How many of such persons brought back have not been brought to trial, with the reason therefor?

7. What has been the cost to the province in each case?

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By Mr. Oliver on Wednesday next:
Questions of the hon, the premier:

1. Have the government received any communication from the Forestry Association, or any person, relative to the necessity of better fire protection to our forests?

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Mr. Hawthornthwalte said that he tould say that he did this perhaps in the same way as he succeeded in holding down the opposition.

Mr. Munro thought that it was quite evident that the government intended later to increase the burdens upon the municipalities in connection with the schools.

The minister of education said that the member for Chilliwack seemed to be able to read what was in the minister of the government before the latter were able to do so.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite thought residents of rural municipalities should bear a share of the school taxes as well as those in cities.

Mr. Oliver said he sgreed with this principle also, but would point out that under the School Act there were owners of large srees of land outside municipalities which avoided taxation for school purposes altogether.

A number of amendments were introduced by the minister and debates provoked in which H. Tanner. J.

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PLAIN "BILL" TEMPLEMAN.

It is pleasing to observe an evident being dominated by the extreme determination on the part of the Colo- tectionist views prevailing nist to carry the political discussion up raised this morning by our contemporary of ferfile resource. There may have been a time when Mr. Templeman was known as plain "Bill" and rather prided himself upon his associations profess a desire to have British goods with plain people. It may even be that now the plain "Bill" has by process of certain conditions. The certain William," the plain people who good goods altogether, except in cases where behind him in the old days when he they would not compete with the proare still with him when the circum-stances are entirely different and that professes a great admiration for the their staunch loyalty is fully appre- British preference, while if -its ideas

Tompleman. The public cannot be expanding that is new about the views of pected to exhibit feelings of malignant the Canadian manufacturer. It might envy because the man who was once a inform us respecting its own views or plain working journalist has been the subject of the British preference chosen, as a result of his long cham-and upon the views of the party it plouship of principles which he believ-supports. The hypocrisy of the manued to be true principles, and which the facturers may be excused on the great majority of the people of Can- ground that the manufacturers are ada have stamped with their approval, capable of seeing themselves as others to sit as the representative of the West see them. Are the views of the News. in the highest council of state. Our if it has any opinious on the subject, ontemporary is mistaken if it thinks also dominated by the spirit of selfishthe public is likely to be influenced by ness, which is the desire to get its contemptible spirit it displays. The party in power under false pretences? of the public is broader and more generous than it thinks. It will understand the significance of this state-

A SEASONABLE DISCOURSE. counsel, without risk of giving ofcounsel, without risk of giving of-fence, we should advise a contempor-ary to quard its tempor executive due. ary to guard its temper carefully during the remaining days of this tempestuous campaign. Otherwise there hardly be dealed that they have a fit of hysterics and of saying much it is perfectly legitimate for the Tin more than it has already said to give the opinions publicity. of inland Revenue personning and polisions to the conservative party and to associate the Conservative party and t designation which we believe to be applied to the Green wing—which is behind Mr. Beckwith in this contest—we suppose it is none of our business. But our contemporary, if it were not blinded by the intensity of the political revenue. The unsuccessful constituted disappointed, as a matter of the decision of their determination for force a fight.

Mr. Templeman as minister of revenue. The unsuccessful constituted disappointed, as a matter of the disappointed, as a matter of the decision in a loyal and generous and while regretting that they are not blinded by the intensity of its fury at the idea of the of its fury at the idea of the success of Times. For various reasons the past encies and which few constitution the Liberal candidate; might perceive year proved an interesting period in been known to spurn. The dethat there is really a respectable elethe history of life insurance business. Conservatives to
ment in the Conservative party, and on this continent. The National, neverthat that element is determined not to theless, did a very satisfactory year's
that is not a bow the knee before the McBride gov-ernment and its unique connections, ing to the full in the great prosperity The fact that there is such a feeling in existence and that it is a sentiment institution. Captain Curry, well-which is rapidly becoming general in known in Victoria, we are pleased to Asistence and that if is a sent.

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THE BRITISH PREFERENCE.

onform to the Tory standards it has set up, says. "Only very innecent and asophisticated persons will be startled by the anno anufacturers want higher duties or British goods. Except on his raw ma-terials a manufacturer always wants higher duties. A manufacturer pleaded for lower duties would be garded as eccentric. He has to liv to the ideas of tariff policy which vail on this continent; and the United States, are often unreaso to a very high plane. Still we must be reighting unearthed a strictly new fact permitted to express our inability to when he got the deputation of manu the importance of the issues facturers to admit that they wanted raised this morning by our contempo- higher duties on British goods is an evolution developed into "the Hon, tions involve the exclusion of British was fighting for an unpopular cause ducts of Canadian manufacturers. The were adopted by the government the But the Issues of this campaign have British preference would be a humbus upon the people of Great Britain and details of private life. The public is not nterested in the fact, if it be a fact, who believe a reasonable amount of that the Minister of Inland Revenue was competition is stimulating to the home once known to his personal friends or manufacturer and helpful to the

The political conditions to-day are very different from the political conment on the evening of March 6. different that it would be waste of tin ditions in the fall of the year 1895, so to explain wherein they differ. And t If it were possible to bestow a word of advice, of pure and disinterested tive party in bringing out a candidate ent danger of its failing into a right to express their opinions nor that full assuredly rise up in own opinion is that a contest at this judgment against it at a future time.

If the Colonist is determined to dis-

g—which is behind Mr. Beckwith in contest—we suppose it is none of The Nationa ILife Assurance Con- the favored ones, they express the t business. But our contemporary, it were not blinded by the intensity its year's business in this issue of the success of Times. For various reasons the past content which comes to few const

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oubtiess be manifested by everyone.

The present week promises to be a record one at the Grand Fed E. Prox, the Martells, blevele experts; Morgan and Chester, and the four Roberts, ably assisted by Miss Alice Wildermere, Prof. Nazel and a fine line of moving pictures, make up a show that it seems people are unable to keep away from. The morrow affords the lest opportunity of seeing this excellent programme, There will be two patiness, beginning at 2:30, at which only the control of the order, and the presentation by removed and the presentation by constituted the first court in this city, and the pallbearers were Messays. Gardon, Jessea Longfield, Kinnaird, Bremner, and J. G. Brown, Mrs. Lewis Hall will have charge of the accompaniments, contributions precised were a couple of wreathers and a fine line. Court Northern Light on the 28th, the occasion of a fraternal visit from days ago, a party of Chinese envoys are en route to this continent, their beautiful souvenir as a recognition of heating services to the order since he instituted the first court in this city, reached by the C. P. R. telepathers are not to this continent, their beautiful souvenir as a recognition of heating services to the order since he instituted the first court in this city, reached by the C. P. R. telepather and the presentation by Courts Vancouver and Northern Light to the seven as a nanounced in the Times some days ago, a party of Chinese envoys are en route to this continent, their beautiful souvenir as a recognition of heating the days ago, a party of Chinese envoys are en route to this continent, their beautiful souvenir as a recognition of heating the days ago, a party of Chinese envoys are en route to this continent, their beautiful souvenir as a recognition of the deceased, has served at an operator. Mr. Wrathall, is now connected with the staff in Vancouver.

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—Martin Johnson, of Seattle, died at the Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday, and the remains were forwarded to his late home by W. J. Hanna.

The Margherita Mandolin Club will meet for rehearsal in the Y. M. C. A. hall, Broad street, Monday evening next, instead of Tuesday, A full attendance is requested at 8 o'clock share.

The remains of Ethel Phillips, who died at the Royal Jubilee hospital on Wednesday, have been sent to Pender Island. Rev. W. Leslie Clay conducted services at the undertaking pariors of W. J. Hanna previous to the

At the monthly meeting of the At the monthly meeting of the Shipwrights and Caulkers' Association o' Victoria and Esquimait, the follow-ing officers were elected for the ensu-ing year: W. Thompson, president; D. Kelly, vice-president; H. MucBur-nie, secretary; and W. Atkins, treas-urer.

The amateur production of "All the Comforts of Home," is progressing rapidly and the dates are set for the 12th and 13th nights of March, at Victoria Theatre.

—Ladies of Queen Alexandra Hive.

Ladies of Queen Alexandra Hive,
L. O. T. M., will hold a parlor social
at the W. C. T. U. hall. Yates street,
on Monday evening. February 28th,
Members are requested to bring
friends.

A very interesting service will take
place in the Metropolitan Methodist
church on Sunday evening, when a
song service will be held. The pastor
will speak briefly on the songs of the
Bible, and these will be illustrated by
like congregation, the choir, and special selections by Mrs. Burnett, Mrs.
Reid, and Gideon Hicks.

The first annual sale of pure bred
horses, cattle, sheep and swine under
the auspices of the British Columbia
Stock Breeders' association, will be
held at Queen's Park, New Westmin
step, on March 21st and 22nd, on which
dates several farmers' institutes have
decided to hold meetings in the Royal
City. A great deal of interest is being
taken in the saite.

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members at the regular meeting of the

There was a large attendance of members at the regular meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A.

The principal item of interest was the sale of work to be held at the residence of R. L. Drury, M.P.P., on April IWh. The various committees reported progress and that they had met with a giad response in soliciting for the sale. When it is known that the proceeds are to be set aside for the new building fund a great interest will doubtless be manifested by everyone.

The members of the Ancient Order of Foresters of this city will gather in joint session at the next meeting of Court Northern Light on the 28th, the

Pakoth, of the Great Northern line, which does not call at Victoria.

Work undertaken by the various errors which does not call at Victoria.

The Victoria West Amateur Dramatic society held their fourth annual magnifered ball in Semple's hall six expenses and various errors and various errors and various errors and dancing was kept up until 3 o'clock, the number present at that time showing that all were encepting as a pool time. At 11 o'clock in the number present at that time showing that all were encived and the programme. The hoop, leaves undertaken by a loady of hen), hand-bes, Mrs. Brook best sustained, when held to night of the deal to make for the particle of the master by a loady of hen), hand-bes, Mrs. Brook best sustained eight encived in the programme. The hoop, ling, stumbell and barbell drills under the particle of the master stumbell and behalf with the last and the programme. The hoop, ling, stumbell and barbell drills under the particle of the master stumbell and behalf with the last plant. There will also be parternied to music furnished by the string band. There will also be less sustained eight end to make the control of the particle of the washerwoman) a lemonade set, Mrs. Carier; best sustained eight end to make the control of the particle of the parti

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-The popular meeting of the Wo-man's Auxiliary of the Jubilee hos-pital will take place on Tuesday next at the city hall, at 230 p.m. The sew-

-Michael O'Brien was sentenced to -Michael O Brieff was softeneed to six months imprisonment at the police court this morning on a charge of hav-ing supplied liquor to a Discovery Isi-and Indian, known as Doctor Dick, O'Brien has been convicted of a similar

-The Young People's Guild of St. The Young People's Guild of St. John's chutch are getting up a "pub-cake" social for Shrove Tuesday. The entertainment will take the form of old English games and tableaux vivants. The entertainment, which is to begin at 8 o'clock, will be held in the schoolroom.

A Japanese concert will be held on Wednesday, the 14th of March, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian church. Those participating, will appear in appropriate costumes, while an orchestra has been engaged to render a number of suitable selections. Several of the leading local yocalists will assist. local vocalists will assist.

Master Gunner Mulcaby complained to the police this morning of the conduct of a number of boys who almost every night make things too lives by the drill hall. They are not admitted to witness the manoeuvres going on inside, and devote their undivided attention to storming the hall with stones, mud, etc.

Approximate of the British Column.

-A committee of the British Colum tives. The committee were received by Premier McBride. Hon. Capt. Tatlow. Hon. F. Carter-Cotton. and Hon. F. J. Fulton, and were promised a definite answer at an early date.

nese, and are visiting the United States as well as England, France, Germany, Austral and other European nations at the express command of the Emptess of China to inquire into prevailing methods, with the object of introducing reforms into the Flowery Kingdom. Arrangements have been made by the Chinese of the Pacific coast to give the commissioners from their native land a great reception, but owing to the rigidness of the United States immigration laws, the Chinese merchants of Victoria are precluded from participating in the reception. The commission is on board the Eakota, of the Great Northern line, which does not call at Victoria.

The Victoria West Amsteur Dramatic society held their fourth annual masquerade ball in Semple's hall last evening, which proved a greater suc-

ANOTHER BODY CLAIMED. Miss Mildrid Cole, Victim of Valencia Wreck, Identified.

from Mel Lewenteld, of 201 Taylor street, San Francisco, inquiring as to the fats of Miss Mildred Cole, a passenger of the wrecked Valencia. The missing lady is described as 5 ft. 2 m. in height, abouts 155ths, weight, large bust, two front gold-capped teeth, back teeth alk gold-capped; bad two diamond rings on left hand, two rings and bangle on arm; had one Lewis & Clark gold dollar. Miss Cole had two insurance policies on her life in favor of her amother, who crasidas in Minneshia, and proof of death is sought by the company carrying the insurance. The description as above given corresponds with that of a body interred here and marked "V" on the 12th inst. The body was one of those found near the scene of the wreck on "February 25".

the scene of the wreck on February 2nd by the United States cutter Perry the scene of the wreck on Festuary 2nd by the United States cutter Perry.
Supt. Hussey's attention was called to the fact that another claimant has torned up for body No. 13, forwarded to San Francisco as that of Henry Helgman. The description given of No. 13 also fits that of another victim of the wreck, Theodore D. Shreve, of Les Angeles. Supt. Hussey thinks this unfortunate, and will get an opinion on the subject. At present he says that it appears to him to be the only course open to hand over bodies when fully identified. A list of the passengers of the Valencia, giving names of the survivors and descriptions of the bodies recovered has been furnished to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company for use at their effices at San Francisco and Seattle. This list is open for inspection by parties interested, and and Scattle. This list is open for inspection by parties interested, and while intended to facilitate in the identification of bodies, may possibly be used to accomplish fraudulent ends. The body now claimed is evidently that of Miss Cole, the gold-filled teeth and trinkets with the Lewis & Clark dollar being unmistakable cyldence.

Another victim of the wreck was identified by a gold-filled tooth, but the filling in this listance had certain pe

cultarities which could not be mis



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at 46 Cadboro Bay road, as soon as the captain returns. Deceased was a na-tive of Sydney, Cape Breton.

R. G. Macpherson, M. P., of Vancouver, is in the city, a guest at the Driard hotel. He expresses confidence in the election, of Hoo. Wm. Templemas, minister of inland revenue. To a Times representative he stated that the voting public of Victoria would not likely overlook the opportunity to advance their interests by returning by an overwhelming majority the new minister.

J. J. Warren, of Toronto, is in the city

A. W. Currie, who has been identified with J. S. H. Matson in the insurance business for the past six years, has been appointed provincial manager of the National Life.

Dr. K. E. McKochnie, of V formerly president of the country provincial government, was in yesterday.

Sam Sea returned last evento

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from an extensive Eastern trip. He vis-tied, among other places, St. Paul, New York and Ottawa, While in New York Mr. McNeill had an interview with i. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern rail-way system.

Dr. R. E. McKechnie, of Vancouver, formerly president of the council in the provincial government, was in the

ten-day hunting expedition to Cyvicinity, where he secured a gr

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Voluntary-Communion in Q ... Quilmant

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Organ-Andante Venite and Paulms-A	Mozart
Te' Deum-XI.	. Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus-XII	Mercer
Organ-Allegro	G. Merkel
Organ-Largo Opening Hymn	Hayda
Psalms—As Set Magnificat to Cantate	. Cathedral Psalter
Nunc Dimittis-1	Mercer
Doxology Organ Postlude	X.

ST. JAMES'. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy ommunion at 8, matins and sermon at II. evensong and sermon at 7. The

Morning.	
Organ Voluntary	
Venite and Paslins Catho	draf Paalter
Te Deum-2nd Setting Cathe	dral Psalter
Benedictus	Barnby
Hymns 210,	174 and 248
Organ Voluntary	
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· Vesper	Hymn		*********	M. 8
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ST. BARNABAS'

There will be a celebration of the oly Eucharist at 8 a.m., choral atins and liftany at 11 a.m. and choral evensong at 7 p.m., the rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, being the preacher for the day. Morning subject, "The First Tempistion, the. Devil's Lie." Evening, "Church Gulds." All seats are free. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Organ-Andante in G Smart
Venite and Psalms Cathedral Psalter
re Deum Macpherson
Benedictus Langdon
Hymns 221, 3 and 1
Offertory Anthem Barnby
Organ-Postlude in F Rinck
Evening.
Organ-Pastorale in G Bennett
Psalms Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat H. Smart
Nune Dimittis Dr. Wesley
Hymns 266, 162 and 21
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	Psalms for the 25th Morning
	Cathedral Psalter
	Te Deum Woodward
ú	Jubilate
	Anthem
	Hymn 178
	Litany Barnby
88	Hymns 210 and 197
	Organ-Postlude Clark
	Evensong.
	Organ-Hymn of Nuns
	Cathedral Paalter
	Magnificat Macfarren
	Nune Demittis Monk
	Anthem
	Anthem
	Vesper
	Organ-Solennelle Gounod

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. Services: Holy communion, 8 a.m.; norning service and litany, 11 a.m.; wening service and sacred cantata, 7 a.m. Preacher, morning and evening, anon Beanlands. The rausic set for he day follows:

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Morning.
Voluntary-Allegretto Grazioso Tours
Venite Ouseley
Plaims for 25th Morning
Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum
Benedictus Elvey
Latany
Hymns 4, 210 and 222
Voluntary-Introduction and March,
Lohengrin Wagner
Evening

	Hymns
	Evening.
8	Voluntary Vorspiel-Parsifal Wagnet Processional Hymn
	Psalms for 25th Evening
	Magnificat Dr. Bridge Nune Dimittis Thorne-Harris
	Cantat-Olivet to Calvary. J. H. Maund r

Soiosts, Mrs. Moresby, E. H. Russell, H.

Kent, H. Moxon.

Benediction

Voluntary-Pilgrim's Chorus ..., Wagner
Synopsis of Cantata.

Part I. recalls simply and reversally the scases which mark the last few flays of the Saviour's life on earth, and some of the reflections suggested thereby, The rejoicing of the multitude with hosannas and palms, the view of Jerusalem from the sizep of Olivet, the lament over the beautiful city, the scene in the temple, smo the lonely walk back over the mount at night.

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Fraching by the pastor, Rev. Hermon

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C. E. Society at 3,15 p.m. Strangers and visitors cordially welcomed. Miss gervice.

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Bible lecture in the A. O. U. W. hali af 7 p. m. Subject: "The Papacy, and the unfinished work of the Reforma-tion." All welcome.

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"Here is a facsimile of your trees.

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"I we," Bell went on. "Here is the same thing. You are a good judge on these matters, and I venture to say you will call it genuine. There is nothing of forgery about the engraving."

"Good heavens, no." Littiner snapped. "Any fool could see that."

"Which you will admit is a very me to believe that you came down great point in my favor," Bell said, sravely.

And Joseph Particle.

BEGINNING FEB. 15, 1906.

Through

Tourist

Sleepers

ton, and evidently a great deal clever er than I gave her credit for, which is saying a great deal. Miss Lee, If you know anything, I implore you to

know anything, I implore you to speak."

"Not here," Chris said, firms. "Sions walls have ears. I tell you the Rembrandt was stolen just before Dr. Bell reached the house. Also I tell you it is imperative that nobed but ourselves must know the fact for the present. You trust me, Lord Littimer?"

"I trust you as implicity as I do anybody."

Chris smiled at the diplomatic response. She approached the panel-of the wall on which the Rembrandt had been fastphed. She indicated the long steel stays which had been clamped on to the iron frame. "Look at them," she sold. "It was my suggestion that the stays should be attached to the frame to prevent anything like this jobbory. I made the stays secure myself. And what happened to justify my prudence? Why, the very same night somebody came here after the picture." "Henson!" Littimes cried. "Ah! Int." Henson!" Littimer cried. "Ah! But,

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Tall, with dark eyes and hair, Grace, the elder of the two, forms a pleasing contrast to her sister, who is fair and petite, with large blue-eyes looking out of a girlish face; and, indeed, when we realize that the combined ages of the two scarcely number two score years, their success, in so short a time, appears all the more remarkable.

As is usual in such cases, the iden

are staying with Mrs. Thorpe-Doub-bie's mother, Mrs. Foster, on Simcoe street. They have been on the China-station for some time but the comman-der has now been ordered to England and they expect to sail from New York early next month.

Mrs. Spalding, of Pender Island, is staying with relatives in town.

Mrs. MacLagan, of Vancouver is visiting Mrs. S. Maclure, James Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Grey, of Samuel Island, are at the Baimoral.

Miss Ruth Maude of Plumper's Pasa is in town and attended the ball, on Wednesday night. Mrs. Rogers, of Winnipeg, is a guest

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pink lace and muslin; Miss G. Mackay, black; Miss Perry was very pretty in white silk; Miss E. Tilton, blue chiffon; Miss Todd, white lace; Miss Reld, black with pink roses; Miss Drake, pink crees de chene; Miss Newling, dainty muslin; Miss Bell wore a dainty dress of blue silk and lace; Miss Newling, dainty muslin; Miss Bell wore a dainty dress of blue silk and lace; Miss Newling, dainty muslin; Miss Bell wore a dainty dress of blue and white; Miss Allec Bell tooked very pretty in black; Miss Pooley, Miss G. Green, Miss Langley, Miss A. Mackay, Miss Schi, Miss Butchart, Miss Montelith, Miss Newcombe, Miss F. Drake, Miss Creighton, Miss D. Schi, Miss M. Butchart, Miss Pitts, Miss Mutter, Miss V. Pooley, Miss Hitchey, Miss Langley, Miss Ang. Miss V. Hickey, Mr. Bridgman, Mr. Garnett, Mr. Muskett, Mr. Knight, Mr. Garnett, Mr. Camble, Capt. Parry, Mr. J. H. Lawson, Jr. Mr. Helsterman, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Cohlett, Mr. Hood, Mr. Fraser, Mr. Bell, Mr. Langley, Mr. Mr. Gillespie, Mr. W. H. Langley, Mr. Missyrave, Mr. K. Scholefield, Mr. Ashley, Mr. Mortimer Lamb, Mr. Brown and Mr. Martin Griffin.

Miss Vivian Scholefield, who is now in London, England, is expected in Victoria sometime next, month, and will spend some time here visiting iriends. She is coming out with Mr. and Mrs. Van Innes, who are now in the Old Country.

Mr. Jim Abbott and Mr. W. M. Grif-fin are two well known society men of Vancouver who were in town during the week.

Mrs. H. D. Helmcken has gone to San Francisco for a short visit.

Mrs. Nathabiel Shaw entertained at tea at Mrs. Lugrin's residence on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons of this week in honor of Mrs. W. W. B. Mc-Innis, of Dawson.

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Detectives Shadow Man Believed to Be Implicated in Death of John

San Francisco, Feb. 22.—The Call to-day says that local detectives believe that they have located the murderer of John Stinson, a Weathy mining man who disappeared from this city in 1888. At that time the body of an unknown man was found floating in Stowe lake and was buried as a pauper. A few mooths ago it was discovered that the tody found in the lake was that of Stinson and also that his deposit, box with a local trust company was empty, although it was known to have contained a large sum of money and other valuables at the time of its owner's disappearance.

Colonel F. B. Gregory, who have been in Fredericton, N. B., for some time in parts pinks and also by her side.

Colonel F. B. Gregory, who have been in Fredericton, N. B., for some time in Fredericton, N. B., for some time is expected back now in a few days.

Miss C. Langley, Mrs. Garnett, Mrs. J. W. Miss Back, roop, a manager of the Bank Shr. Was connected, Miss A. D. Crease, Mrs. Hard, Miss Angus, the Miss An



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Portiand, Maine, Feb. 23.—Mrs. Sarah Connor, who claims to have evidence that her brothes, John Stuson, a wealthy miner of San Francisco, was on February 2nd in the Centennial on February 2nd in the Centennial Students of the Centennial Students on February 2nd in the Centennial Students of the Studen



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Good Blood

tea table, which was set is the dining-ble (formerly Miss Elianche Foster) ar-room, was very artistically arranged rived in Victoria on the Athenian and

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. W. H. Langley, who is now settled at 14 Cook street, held her first post nuptial reception and during the afternoon a

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sessions up a back alley in the dark of the moon.

The treaty shaw of the treasury and his scheme to provide for elasticity of the currency by a system of secret inflation at the cost of national dishonor and to the profit of the so-called national banks, which are national in no What is a secret? Prithee, hush!

These banks are at present authorised to issue money notes to the approximate value of such American government bonds as they may have purchased and deposited with the national treasury.

These notes are endersed by the government as good moriey and fully secured.

Which they are

which they are.

But now comes Secretary Shaw, proposing to alter the reading of the government's endorsation so that they may be certified as "good," but without any filtering reference to the form of amount of security at their pack.

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on amount of security at their back.

He further proposes that from hime to time the government may authorise the banks to increase their note circulation without further deposit of security, these later notes to be endorsed by the government, to be issued secretily and to pass current as equal in all respects to the present fully protected paper currency.

That would bring a

Here is hande the word of John Law's ghost.

This man Shaw would be dangerous, were it not that Hooseyelt himself has so recently experienced a lesson in the inadequacy of secrecy as an attribute to government.

Not many weeks ago he laid down a cabinet ruling (agreed to by his cabinet) that all the minutes of his councils were to be kept inviolably secretand the next day's newspapers contained full reports of this secret decision.

It would be much to the advantage of Secretary Shaw and some smaller fry of statesmen who operate farther to the north and west, to consider whether the Machiavellan tactics of secrets and government by whisper are not out of date by a century or so.

In these days, when the Anglo-Saxon races at least, are so fully and so promptly posted up to the questions of the hour, that the only reason why whave not all adopted the referendum of New Zealand and Switzerland lies in the average straightforwardness of our newspapers, which constitute a

'Tis any little winged word
'Twixi maid and lover, lad and lass.

Perfect in silence—but, o'erheard.

More fragile than the thinnest glass.

paper currency.

Here is finance that would bring a blush to the cheek bones of John Law's sad things are secrets—yea, but wo Than these, are those to him who



The marriage of Miss Rosevelt (rec., worth, sheet of the pages of American latter day history. The Innelight with timest sevens, the multi-colored giare of electricity with a magic with the sevent of the word-plut once in sevent mands the use of a manter before the sevent of the word-plut once in sevent mands the use of proving that he was neither plain misshood to the seemted elgarett of emission of castles in Spain and consum the point out that no while, even in Washington we find an honest, well-poised woman who prefer to castles in Spain and consum the point out that no wholes in the service of the word-plut once in sevent carries while, even in Washington we find an honest, while, even in Washington we find an honest, while, even in Washington we find an interval the word of the word-plut once in sevent carries with spain and consum the point out that no wholes in the word-plut once i

the transport steamers Alfreda and Lilly.

The Garrison Church, however, was not taken over, as it has not been the practice of the Canadian authorities to maintain churches. This, therefore, has feen handed over to the Bishoft of Nova Scotia; who is to keep it up as one of the churches of his dioceses, the authorities paying the usual per capita allowage for the men attending.

"The transfer includes the armament of all the forts, as well as the oitadel. "This certainty is a great addition to the Canadian army, and should be a splendid training school for the Canadian srmy, and should be a splendid training school for the Canadian officers, as all branches of the service are represented here.

"The Canadian Permanent Army Service Corps is to undertake the slaughtering of the animals and the baking of the bread, in addition to their, other work. These features of the modern drama. The play is a classic of fun, and he has realized the principal character in a manner which preserves both its humor and its dramatic interest. The character of Kathering is one af the most dazzling of Shakespears's feminine creations, and in it miss the makes her appearance in it me event of great theatric interest.

"The Militia department has been done in the past."

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This branch will, therefore, be in advance of what has been done in the past.

"The Militia department has been fortunately able to obtain the services of Sir Charles Parsons for a few months as G. O. C. for, the Halifax Garrison. The other commands are well officered by Colonel Benson, of the Royal Canadian Artillery. Colonel Wadmore, of the Royal Canadian Artillery. Colonel Wadmore, of the Royal Canadian Regiment: Major Podse, of the Carastian Permanent Army Medical Corps."

"The German Emperor, who was appointed colonel-in-chief of the 3cyal Dragoons in June, 1960, never loses an opportunity of showing that he appeare clates the finour conferred upon him. The galiant Royals are now stationed at Lucknow, having done duty there since their arrival in India two years ince their arrival in India two years in the German Consuttence of the Suparior of the Suparior of the German Consuttence of the Suparior of the S rous who seem unable to hear him often enough. Morgan and Chester in their sketch, "Did I Say Good-night!" keep the audience in convulsions from the opening to the finish of their act. Nothing funnier can well be imagined. The Martelis, trick bicycle experts, exhibit some amazing feats, nothing like their turn, nor equal to it, having every been seen here. The Roberts have a picasing sketch entitled "The Doll's Dilemma." introducing good singing and dancing. Miss Allee Wildermere in illustrated song, and an amusing lot of moving pictures concludes a fine-performance.

or moving ofctures concludes a fine performance.

The programme arranged for next week should prove equally as pleasing. It is even more expensive and includes no less than three headline acts. The great Nello will present the most unique juggling act in vaudeville, assisted by Mme Nello, whose gowns and costumes are more emborate than those of any other vaudeville artist. The performance of Nello is of the sensational order, and far out of the ordinary. All kinds of articles, no matter how clumsy, are handled like toys in his dexterous hands. His greatest feat is balancing a pole on the end of which, are four teacups filled with boiling tea and the teapot. Raiph E Cummings, a legitimate actor of national reputation, assisted by a clever little company, will present a comedy Walter Lawrence, Sherman Wade,
Louis Casavant, Charles W. Meyer,
John Donohue, Miss Magda Dahl, Miss
Ida Mulle, Miss Lillian Mattice, Miss
Circia Risley, Miss Bertyne Mortimer,
Circia Risley, Miss Eya Fallon
and some three score of young women
who will be seen in the choruses.

Title company, will present a comedy
sketch. "A Game of Hearts." Stoddard
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ance Agents, 102 Gove Street Buy The Times

It is rumored in military circles that an emergency parade is on the tapis for some day next week. On the last occasion such a test was made of the efficiency of the Fifth Regiment in gatipering together at short notice the results were not altogether satisfactory. The attendance wasn't particularly large, and, no doubt, the majority of militia members recollert the rather seathing address Lieut. Col. Hall cruits are being admitted almost dally.

appreciated."-London World.

It is announced that the Royal Garrison Artillery units, armed with quick-firing guns mounted for defence against torpedo-boat attacks; are to be exercised during the current year under the nearest possible approach to "war conditions," says a London Exchange. This being so, money would be well spent in the sacrifice of a few did launches, so as to give practice to the gunners in the most realistic conditions. The speed of a modern torpedo-boat would be lacking, but at least the target would be a real boat under steam. It would probably be possible to steer the laufiches by means of an electric attachment resembling that used to direct dirigible torpedoes; and any boats that passed safely through a pre-arranged danger zone could easily be recovered by faster boats waiting for them outside it. **Hobbled Six Years**

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and that continued attend the regiment throughout the period of its Indian tour. The message, it is needless to say, was highly appreciated."—London World.

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FRIENDS WHO "STOOD BY."

The international Stunday sepond lesson for February 3th is, "Jesse" Power to Power to

NEWS AND NOTES

Scattle has been chosen as the place of meeting for the international Christian Endeavor convention in July, 1907.

Sunday schools and young people's socleties in the United States made wash
ington and Lincoln's birthdays occasions
for special good citisenship and home
missionary services.

Lutherans in Philadelphia have a "hospice" for young men, similar to those
common in Europe. It is designed to pe
s ligh grade Christian home for young
men without home ties in the city.

The deaconess movement in the Pro-

The deaconess movement in the Pro-testant Episcopal, Methodist Episcopal and Lutheran bodies has now extended to the Presbyterian churches, and there is a Presbyterian Deaconess' Training School in Baltimore.

It has been remarked that while the various physical culture fads which recently had great vogue have generally declined, the Y. M. C. A. symnasiums are better attended than ever.

Nearly four years ago the Five Years Meeting of Friends issued to the various Christian bodies of the country a call for a conference on the liquior traffic to be held in Washington flext month. So little interest was shown in the project by the larger denominations that the project has been abandoned.

Ject has been abandoned.

Instead of hindering the cause of church union, the stubbers antagonism of the "Wee Frees" of Scotland to the creation of the United Free church has awakened

Two distinguished denominational leaders have died within the past few days, the first being Rev. Dr. G. Montfort, of Cincinnatit, at the age of ninety-five years. Dr. Montfort had been a leader in Presbyterian journalism for seventy years. The other death is that of the noted Lutheran theologian, educator and author, Rev. Dr. Milton Valentine, for nearly forty years president of either the Pennsylvania College or the Lutheran Theological Sominary at Gettysburg. Pa

shades at night for careful fairles to earry, to protect their delicate com-plexions from the moonleams.

NEWS AND NOTES

One favorite game of the fairies was to show him a fairy-path leading all among in the new British House of Commons

In the new British House of Commons

hidden.

Another little hollow the boy found The fairles whispered that this was their post office. After this he wrote to the fairles every day little letters that he poked into the hollow.

He always found them there next morning, but yet he knew that the fairles read them, and would answer them—some day.

One thing he wished that the fairles.

Some day.

One thing he wished; that the fairles would let him see them. They were delightful playmates, but so fond of hiding away.

Sometimes, indeed, he thought he had found them; but then, perhaps, it was only a ray of white light peeping through the leaves.

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DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE

TO THE SHAREHOLDERS AND POLICYHOLDERS.

The Directors have pleasure in presenting their Annual Report of the operations of the Company for the year 1965.

During the year 1,000 applications for \$1,815,300 of assurance were received of which \$14 for \$1,519,206 were accepted and policies issued, applications for \$1,97,004 eing declined, making the total assurance in force at December 31st, 1965, \$5,125,457.

The total premium income on the business in force shows a gain of \$18,25,457, and now amounts to \$175,764.39.

The amount paid during the year to policyholders for death claims, surrender values, etc., amount to \$25,146.34.

The reserves for assurance, based upon the Hm. Fable of the Institute of Actuaries and \$2, per cent. interest (the standard adopted at the commencement of business), amount to \$35,146.30, showing an increase of \$14,435.

The Company's books have been duly audited each month and the vouchers and securities carefully examined. The Auditors Report is appended to the Balance best

The Directors wish to express their hearty appreciation of the efforts put forth by the Officers, Superintendents and Agents of the Company, to which is due the very gratifying result attained during the year,

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, DECEMBER 31st, 1905.

BALANCE SHEET. SURPLUS ON POLICYHOLDERS' ACCOUNT ..

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

AUDITORS' REPORT

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We have examined the above statements of Receipts and Disbursements and the Balance Sheet with the Books and Vouchers of the Company, and certify to their correctness. We have examined the Securities, the Cash and Bank Balances, and find them correct and in accordance with the above statements. A monthly audit has been made of the Books of Account for the twelve months ending 31st December, 1905, and we report that they are well kept and are in a satisfactory condition.

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