Five Allan Line Steamers Have All Pas sengers They Can Carry-The

G. P. R. Service

(Special to the Times.) Montreal, March 18 .- A special cable

start the new trans-Atlantic service with the sailing of the Lake Champlain from

eave Liverpool weekly after, on Tues days. The service will not be only a freight one, as originally supposed, but will carry first, second and third-class

will carry first, second and third-class passengers. Heavy bookings for these first sailings are new in progress.

"An unprecedented rush of immigrants to Canada is shown in a circular issued by the Allan line to agents. The circular announces that five steamers, leginaing with the Bavarian, sailing on March 19th, are absolutely full; and agents are forbidden to make any fresh bookings. The three subsequent steamers, until the Nundian, sailing on April 30th, are very nearly full, and agents are forbidden to make any fresh bookings. The three subsequent steamers, until the Nundian, sailing on April 30th, are very nearly full, and agents are fold that they must advise before definitely promising berths. The Beaver steamers also are full until April 13th, when the Canadian Pacific assumes control. The Dominion line steamers also are fully booked."

WHITTAKER WRIGHT ILL.

Was Unable to Appear Before the Unit-ed States Commissioner at New York.

THE URUGUAY REVOLT. Fighting Between the Rebels and Gov-ernment Forces-Trying to Arrange Peace.

Montevideo, March 18.—Fighting between the revolutionists and government forces is reported to have occurred near this city, and members of the Red Cross Society have started for the scene of operations. Four delegates have been sent from here to trent for peace. The government propose to call out the intional guard and declare a state of siege, All telegrams are secret.

FLOODS IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Unionists From Steamers.

President Thompson, of the British Columbia Steamship Union, stated this afternoon that he had received notice by telegram from James Dunsmuir, head of the firm of R. Dunsmuir & Sons, to the effect that all members of the union must be removed from his vessels. This action is the first that has been taken in regard to these. It will affect some five or six steamers, these being the City of Nanaimo, which plies on the Contox route, the Joan, which runs between Nanaimo and Vancouver, and the tughoats Plot, Lorue and Czar. On all these steamers the inion men will be called out, says Mr. Thompson, and care will be taken to classify the steamers running in the coal service as "scab" vessels.

on the other hand Mr. Dunsmuir denies emphatically that he has given orders that members of the B. C. Steamships Union are to be discharged from all vessels under his control.

He says that deck hands and firemen of the tug Pilot left their work yesterday. When the information was brought him by the caprain he gave instructions to get another crew. When asked whether it should be a union or non-union crew he said it did not natter to him. Later in the day the places not having been filled word was brought that the old members were ready to return. He agreed finally to this, not specifying whether the men should be union or non-union. He has given no orders, however, respecting the discharge of the union men on his vessels.

Sir Wilfrid then went on to say that he arrived in Ottawa on the 18th of October, saw Mr. Tarte on the 19th and on the 20th communicated with the Governor-General and his colleagues, telling them what he intended doing. On the morning of tae 21st he got a letter from Mr. Tarte.

The Premier then read the letters which passed between himself and Mr. Tarte have already been published in this correspondence. The conclusion which the Premier arrived at was that Mr. Tarte

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APPLICATION REFUSED.

EMPHATIC DENIAL.

Mr. Dunsmuir Contradicts Report That He Ordered Dismissal of Non-Unionists From Steamers.

placed in the drydock. Capt. Wright an crew have already taken up their qua-ters on board the yacht.

EXTENSION MINES ARE FINALLY CLOSED

Organizer Baker, of the Western Federation of Miners, Rapidly Recruiting Membership for Union.

(Special to the Times.)

Ladysmith, March 18.—The town is extremely quiet. On Sunday a notice was posted to the effect that a train would be run to Extension on Monday and Tuesday to convey the men who had tools to get out of the mines and yardage to be reckoned. Accordingly, those who did not go up on Monday went up yesterday. So that the mines are now closed. Yesterday the last sof the vessels left the farbor. This was a steamer carrying 6,000 tons. She had about two thousand tons loaded, and had been waffing a week for the balance of her cargo. The work of perfecting the union among the men goes on. Yesterday from 1 o'clock to 6 in the afternoon the men were coming and going in groups to the Finn hall, where the initiation fees of the members were taken. There will probably not be a dozen men in the town who will refuse to join the union. Mr. Baker, the organizer for the Western Federation of Miners, is in Kanaimo.

A resume of the circumstances to date is as follows:

On Friday, the 6th, an amsigned no-

about to start for Extension it was announced in the cars that the company
had discharged seven of the most prominent participants in the Sinday meeting. "It was as though a bombshell had
burst in the cars," said one of the men.
The men in their haste climbed out
through the windows on each side pell
mell. In a few seconds the cars were
empty. The train went out with the
crew alone. Likewise did the morning
train on Wednesday. And thus matters
have come to a standstill, so far as the
mining of coal here is concerned. The
miners immediately held another meeting
confirming their action, deciding that as
a body work was to cease and Mr.
Baker, the organizer, urged to come on

Mr. Baker did not make his appearance until Sunday last. He had requested the president of the Western Federation to come. The reply of the latter was that business pressure did not permit this, but he gave Mr. Baker full power to act as seemed fit in the case. On Sunday afternoon Mr. Baker met the ment on the green at a public meeting. From this an adjournment was made to the Finn hall for a pricetal meeting. Father Hagerty, a visiting labor leader

and Socialist.

The men fear that the mines at Cumberland will now be forced to their fullest extent to meet the demand and to balk the purpose of the union. A rumor was presently circulated here that the miners, there had come out on strike. But this is now denied.

Supt. Hussey, of the provincial police, was liere on Sunday, but found his services unnecessary. The business and of the town are staggered at the outlook.

from parts of England to-day. Rain and hall fell elsewhere in Great Britain and Ireland, accompanied by gales; causing floods and great damage between Londonderry and Coleraine. Havoe was caused by the breaking of the scawall. Thousands of acres of farm lands were submerged, and hundrels of families fled from ruined houses. In the northeast part of Warwickshire several yillages were inundated and cut off from communication with the neighboring towns. ANARCHIST CONSPIRACY.

Reports That Many Russians Have Bee Arrested in Galicia.

FOR LAKE TRADE,

The Pere Marquette Railway Company Has Placed an Order For Two Large Ships.

(Associated Press.)
Cleveland, Ohio, March 18.—The Pere Marquette Railroad Company has placed orders with the American Ship Building Company for two large ship for lake traffic. One boat will be used on the Pert Huron-Saraia, and the other on the Connectu and Port Dover route. They will come out in 1904.

MAY RE-ENTER THE PROVINCIAL ARENA

R. SMITH MENTIONED AS LIBERAL LEADER

L. P. Duff, of Victoria, Will Be Assist-Boundary Case.

(Special to the Timea.)
Ottawa, March 18.—The opinion in political circles here is that Bahpla Smith, M. P. P., will go into provincial politics to lead the Liberals.—He will have the support of Senator Templeman and other members of the cabinet, including the Premier. The Liberals and labor men alike will support him in the average.

I. P. Duff, of Victoria, is here attending the Supreme court. He will be spitted that counsel in the Alaska boundary ase.

W. C. Edwards was introduc

Transportation Commi I. X. Pennault, of Montreal, and C. N. Bell, of Winnipeg, will be secretary of the transportation commission. So far no reply has been received from Sir Win, Van Horne as to whether or not he will accept the chairmanship.

Geographical Expert. Mr. McArthur, of the interior depart ment, has been appointed geographica expert of the Alaska boundary commis

London, March 18.—The extradition papers in the case of Whittaker Wright, the director of the London & Globe Finance Corporation, who is under arrest in New York, were mailed on the steamer Celtic, which salled from Liverpool to day.

STATEMENT MADE BY SIR WILFRID LAURIER

Explanation in the Dominion House of Causes Which Led to Change in Cabinet.

Ottawa, March 18 .- In the House to day Sir Wilfrid Laurier made his ex-planation in regard to the changes in the cabinet. He said that when on the concommunication stating that the minister Wilfrid asked that newspapers be sent donal guaru and All telegrams are secret.

The government peace delegates are instructed to notify Saravia, the instigator of the revolution, as the basis of an arrangement, that the government will the appointment, under the appointment, under the new control of the appointment. read them on the way across. The Premier said he came to the conclusion

Sir Wilfrid then went on to say that

having carried out a campaign in favor the government had decided at a prechange in the policy until otherwise de eided upon, Mr. Tarte had violated the as to whether he talked in favor of high or low protection. The Premier only dealt with the constitutional question.

frid Laurier had remonstrated with him as to his speeches, telling him (Tarte) as to his speeches, telling him (Tarte) that he was causing trouble to him. Mr. Tarte said then that he would resign, as he (Tarte) thought there was a cahal against him. Sir Wilfrid asked him to leave the letter over until Wednesday, That was on Sunday, On Tuesday Mr. Tarte asid he changed his mind and sent in his resignation. Mr. Tarte complained of the tone of Sir Wilfrid's letter to him, and weat on to say that he only advocated in Laurier's absence what he had done before Laurier had gone away.

ENGLISH MARRIAGE LAWS.

London, March 18.—It is an that the government is content the appointment of a royal content consider the advisability of the marriage laws.

I shall begin to think he is a bit more than human. There is no question but that the best boat wins in the international races. I believe Shanneck HI. will came near filling that bill. To my mind she is a marvel in which Fife and Watson have outdone themselves. With good trial races and no accidents, her arrival in New York should mark the coming of the most formidable challenger or ever sent over. I scarcely need add that, much as I long to win and expect to win, a third defeat will only increase my admiration for a people who beat us at a rame which was once cur own.

"However," added Sir Thomas Lipton, laughing, "a third defent is of course

laughing, "a third defeat is of course guite out of the question."

The challenger was towed to Greenock this afternoon, where the will the placed in the drydeck. Capt. Wright and

LAKE NAVIGATION.

BY HIS COMMITTEE

NO. 110.

THE GOVERNMENT

Doesn't Think the Present Opposition Will Fill the Bill - General News

of Alberni.

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Laty Ton HOPEFUL.

Thinks Shamrock III, is a Marreel—May had be Last Aftenut to Win Cap.

(Associated Press.)

Glasgow, March 17.—Theys was harge crowd at Dennys yards, at Dume Lipton ecrored Lady Shaftshur to waste.

Lady Shaftsbury broke the bottle, saftig: "I chairs you and may you brise back the bottle, saftig: "I chairs you shamest. May till bless you and may you brise back. Thee, had captain whigh and hone had been beat and lone wealth of the waster. After more cheering the visitors proceeded to lunchoor.

The under the polish of her paint. After had been beat and fooling composition. Her top sides are white and the has broad bands of given niong the water-line and rall. Her hull, frame and rall the her whole was a foothold, They had fifty years experience with American the post and the waster. Whit his proposition. Her top sides are white and the has broad bands of given niong the water has been an ad

berni.

We are much interested in the anthracite coal field and other possible coal developments at Comox and Comberland, and look forward to its finding its way to 'Frisco via Stamp Harbor.

LEAVES TO NIGHT.

President Estes, of the U. B. R. E., Go-ing to Revelstoke.

ing to Revelstoke.

President Estes, of the U. R. R. E., who gave an address here last night, will leave en routs to Revelstoke this evening. After visiting that city he will proceed east as far as Winnipeg, but says if the local Steamship Union requires his services again he will return to Vetoria. He denies that he is drewing a big salary from the union. It is true that some \$2,400 is due him from the union, but this he does not want and if ever paid him he will have the happy satisfaction of refunding it to them. He is not working for money in the present case, but for principle. He gave in a railway position in which he was drawing some \$350 a month, when he was promoted to the place he how occupies in the U. B. R. E. Speaking of the local struction Mr. Estes states that at present the contributions to the strikers from American unions genounts to one hundred deliars a der.

It has been definitely decided by the Russian military authorities to do away with the lance in the Russian army.

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LIMITING MEMBERSHIP. O. U. W., Discuss Proposal,

Toronto, March 18.—The executive of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, A. O. U. W., yesterday discussed the advisability of refusing admittance to men engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors, in handling explosives and of highly inflammable materials, to seamen, men engaged on railways and professional athletes. The executive recommends that the Grand Lodge substantially increase the present rates in order that the order may keep faith with contracts. The executive also earnostly impresses upon the Grand Lodge that any schedule of rates lower than proposed by special committee last year, will, within a comparatively short time, prove insufficient, and that the rate be a yearly grade instead of in classes. (Associated Press.)

JINGO DEAD. Elephant, Said to Have Been Larger Than Jumbo, Died on Voyage From England.

"Seed Potatoes"

Burpee's Extra Early Rose Seed Potatoes now ready, at SYLVESTER FEED CO.,

Society and Business Men. (Associated Press.)
New York, March 18.—The Evening Journal says that fifty prominent society and business men, one half of them being residents of Boston's fashionable Back Bay district, witnessed a lively 15-round fight at a private club at Westbury, L. L., last night. According to the story the Boston men, including two Supreme court judges, were the guests of New Yorkers. The contestants were Jack Lowery, of New York, and Jimmy Lowe, of Boston. They went 15 rounds, and Lowery was awarded the decision by Referee Charley White.

Preliminary Survey May Be Comme at Detroit Early Next Month,

Fifteen-Round Contest Before Prom

ournal says that fifty prominent society

Grocery Store and Barber's Shop De-stroyed—Goods in Adjoining Building Also Damaged. (Associated Press.)

Morden, Man., March 17.—Fire started at 1.30 here this morning in the Central grocery store of J. B. Munro. The building and contents were completely destroyed with Graham's barber shop, though the contents of the latter were saved. Bradford's gents' furnishings and contents were damaged by fire and water to the amount of \$1,000.

Washington, March 18.—Judge Gray and Carroll D. Wright, president and recorder respectively, of the anthracite coal strike commission, to-day handed to President Rossevelt the report of the commission. It is real the report will be made public on Saturday.

STRIKE COMMISSION. ort Has Been Handed to Roosevelt

—May Be Made Public on
Saturday.



CAMPBELL'S GRIPPE TABLETS

25c Per box

Campbell's Prescription Store

Light on Turning a Button



Electric

pendence and two or three others of the principal producers of the district.

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Rail

TWO TRAINMEN KILLED ON C.P.R.

HEAD-ON COLLISION WEST OF TORONTO

Trains Leaving Montreal Are Crowded With Settlers for the Wheat Belt -Canadian Notes.

Toronto, March 17 .- A head-on colliest of Toronto, on the C. P. R., this and six injured, two badly. The trains and six injured, two badly. The trains were freights and were piled in a heap. The dead men are David Taylor, brakeman, of London, Ont., aged .22, and Charles Winger, fireman, of Windsor, Ont. William Morrison, engineer, aged 34, was badly scalded.

Joint Meeting.

An important conference of Presbytes ians and Methodists is being held here to day to arrange for co-operation in the home mission field, and to allocate the

Judge Maclennan to-day dismissed the Judge Maciennan to-day dismissed the election perition against A. S. Mackey, M. P. P.. North Gray, on the technical ground that a copy of the petition had not been filed at the office of the local registrar at Owen Sound.

The first suit arising out of the Wan-stead wreck has been settled by the G. T. R. agreeing to give Rose Quinn, of Chicago, whose husband was killed, \$5,000 in full settlement of a suit for \$20,000. Chief Justice Falconbridge ap-proved of the settlement.

St. Stephen, N. B., March 17.—The total loss of Ganong's confectionery establishment, which was destroyed by fire on Saturday, is \$75,000, with insurance of about \$46,000.

Alding Canadian Northern,

Aiding Canadian Northern.

Winnipeg, March 17.—A bill was introduced in the legislature by the government to-day providing for a bond guarantee of \$10,000 per mile on 338 miles of the new branch lines for the Canadian Northern railway. The previous guarantee on the Canadian Northern lines was only \$8,000 a mile. If the bill passes it will increase the liability of the province in connection with Canadian Northern to over twenty-two million dollars.

Not Guilty.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the murder charge against John Polvin, accused of the killing of Capt. John Prothero.

A Wink,

A Wink,

Montreal, March 17.—A juryman winked apparently inadvertently in court of King's Bench this morning, and Judge Wurrele suspended proceedings in order to consider the matter. After an hour's delay he returned to the bench and addressed the jury upon the seriousness of the affair, saying he illought it might have been sufficient to discharge the whole jury.

For the Northwest.

In all departments of active service stand in need of the readiness of mind and promptness of action which depend on a healthy nervous system. Let a railroad man be "rattled," and every life depending on him is in danger. A great many railroad men have found in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery a valuable tonic for the overstrained nervous system. It builds up the body, purifies the blood, nourishes the nerves, and induces a healthy appetite and refreshing sleep.

"I suffered for six years with constipation and irdigestion, during which time I employed several physicians, but they could not reach my case," writes Mr. G. Popplewell, of Eureka Springs. Carroll Co., Ark. "I felt that there was no nelp for me; could not retain food on any For the Northwest.

The rush to the Northwest is unabategl, every regular aid all special trains being crowded with new settlers for the wheat bolt. Nine hundred and fifty immigrants from England by the Parisian left in two specials to-day for Winnipes. They are nearly all young men from Londen, many of them coming to fill situations aiready secured. French-Canadians from the New England states are seginning to come into the movement, and several families left for Winnipeg to-day. "Trains which leave Windsor station in one section, by the time they reach Winnipeg," said a C. P. R. official to-day, "are in two, three and four sections to necommodate not only the influx from across the line, but also people who are moving out of Ontario. Thursday's special colonist train this week promises to be a very heavy one. These trains were specially designed for earrying settlers, their household effects and agricultural implements. Last Thursday's train had thirteen-loaded coaches by the

INTERESTING SESSION HELD LAST EVENING

Committee Report on Revision of By-Laws for Nurses' Training School -Other Business.

Electric

Light

Is the only light for domestic purposes and no home should be without. It. Let us give you an estimate on the cost of Riting your house up for the light. Let us give you an estimate on the cost of Riting your house up for the light. Let us give you an estimate on the cost of Riting your house up for the light.

B. C. Electric Ry. Co. 25 YATES STREET.

The street of the house committee for report to the board at the next meeting. In the meantime copies of the statistics will be circulated among all the directors so that at the next session they will be in a position to discuss. The matter fully and intelligently. Among those present were life. In Helmcken, M. P. P., who occupied the chair, and Messrs. Davies, Shotboli, Braverman, Lewis, Huniphrey, Wilson, Forman. Drury, Todd. Pemberton and Day, After the reading of the maintain-one of the Isolation of the maintain one of the Isolation of Isolation of

standing in front of her blazing home brandishing a revolver, fired at them repeatedly. Several of the men made arrush, hoping to close with the mad woman and disarm her, but she held them at bay with a revolver. While they were hesitating she suddenly cut her throat, filled a pail of water at the well, thrust a quantity of hay and straw into it, and placing the whole mass on her head rushed into the blazing house in which her charred body and those of her daughter and mother were found after the fire had burned itself out.

The three women lived a hermit life, working on the farm like men, and often wearing men's clothing. They are supposed to have been well to do. Mrs. Strowbridge is supposed to have been well to do. Mrs. Strowbridge is supposed to have been well to do. Mrs. Strowbridge is supposed to have been driven from the farm. He had made over all his property to his daughter. He never returned to his home, and is now living with a brother in Potster.

would be spent in the construction of at maternity ward was a donation for that purpose.

Mr. Day thought the ladies had been somewhat slighted, inasmuch as the bound had solemnly promised that the first improvement would be in the direction of building a Children's Ward.

Mr. Wilson contended that faith had not been broken with the ladies. He thought there was no necessity for a Children's Ward: Outside the fact that such a ward would not be greatly used it would-necessitate an addition to the staff, which the hospital at present was not in a position to stand.

Mr. Humphrey moved that a committee comprising Messrs, Wilson, Day. Helmcken, Lewis and Todd be appointed to meet the Women's Auxiliary to discuss the matter. This carried.

Dr. Hasell reported as follows for the mount of February: Number of patients admitted, 67; numbe

minutes,
E. P. Alcora, the matron, acknowledged the following contributions: Mrs.
H. D. Helmcken, magazines and papers;
Le Poer Trench, papers: Mrs. J. D.
Pemberton, butter: Mrs. Justice Martin, bcoks and papers; Mrs. Lee, books. Received and slonors thanked.
The matron also tendered her resignation to take effect one month from date,
Applications for the position were read from Miss M. C. Mactlonald and Miss Edith Miles, of San Francisco. The executive committee of the West-ern Federation of Miners has declared α strike against all the mines that ship ore to the mills of the United Reduction & Refining Co. These include the Inde-

tions be referred to the house committee. This was carried. The application of Miss Rankin for the position of head nurse was referred to the same committee.

The house committee submitted their onthly report as follows:

monthly report as follows:

It occasionally happens that accident cases are sent to the nospital and are more or less a matter of interest to the general public. The newspaper reports are invariably anxions, when preparing an account of the circumstances to state the condition of the sufferer. We see no reason why such information should be withheld, but have given instructions that the resident medical officer, or, in his absence, the matron, shall be the only officials to answer inquiries in such cases.

In the event of medical men requiring treatment in this hospital it is customary to make no charge. In the opinion of your committee some concession should also be made in the event of the wives of medical practitioners requiring hospital treatment. We therefore recommend that in such cases half the usual frees shall be charged,

Startling Record of Cancer Cases.

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The record of cures the new constitutional treatment for cancers and tumors
is making is little short of marvellous.

Persona whom operation and plasters have failed to benefit have been
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convince the most skeptical of its merits.

For full particulars of treatment and
history of cases cured, send two stampsto D. V. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville,
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This was adopted.

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The finance committee reported the approval of accounts amounting to \$1,730.72. The salaries amounting to \$853.25 were paid. The total days' stay for February was 1.440, and the average daily cost per patient was \$1.79. Adopted.

The committee on by-laws in connection with the Nurses' Training school submitted a report as follows:

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Bro. Dupen's Services in Sons of England Lodge, Calgary, Recognized.

Bro. Jas. Dupen, at the regular meeting of Lodge Pride of the Island, Sons of England Benefit Society, held last evening, was presented with a past president's jewel. The jewel was given on behalf of the Calgary lodge. The presentation was made by President Arthur Lee, who expressed his regret that Col. Prior was not able to be present to perform the function. He was pleased to have a member who was so highly respected in the Calgary lodge with them. Continuing, he paid a tribute to the worth of Bro. Dupen as had been learned by correspondence with the officers of the order in Calgary.

Bro. Dupen, in replying, referred to the regret he had at leaving his friends in Calgary, but he was pleased with the reception which he had received in this city, and hoped to make as warms friends here.

Refreshments were served, and an entertaining evening spent with songs, speeches and recitations.

tertaining evening spent speeches and recitations.

MASKED MEN ROBBED WIDOW. They Secured \$1,200 in Cash and \$7,000 Worth of Notes.

Wapokoneta, Ohio, March 15.—Fourteen armed and masked men last night tentered the house of a widow, Mrs. Jacob Reischelder, near Cridersville, and took possession. With Mrs. Reischelder are living her granddaughter, Blanche, aged 12 years, George James, and his wife and their son, George James, Mrs. Reischelder was known to be afraid to trust her money to the banks. The robbers bound the elder James and his son and the two women and then at the point of a shofgun forced the little girl to tell where the money was to be found. They secured \$1,200 in cash and \$7,000 worth of notes and securities and a quantity of jewelry and silverware.

ware.
After dividing the money, part of them left at midnight. The others remained, helping themselves to the wine in the cellar.

The Panama Canal trenty have been ratified in the United States Senate by 73 to 5.

6. M. Grove box. 250 Laxative Bromo Quining Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

GAVE CHILDREN TO BEARS.

Horrible Crimes Uncarthed by Arrest of Band of Gypsies in Hungary.

Band of Gypsies in Himgary.

Disputches from Malacaka, near the Austrian frontier, report the sacrifice of seven or more human lives to keep up a gypsy tribe since the sacrifice of seven or more human lives to keep up a gypsy tribe since the sacrification. Two wood custers, noticing that a gypsy tribe with eight dancing bears—entered the forest where they worked, field for safety. One climbed lato the brunches of a tree and concealed lato the brunches of a tree and the brunches of a tree and the brunches of the brunches of the brunches of the brunches of the brunches were muzsied anew, and the gypsies made them do a dance, in which the bears were sussed with apparent gusto. Then the gared with apparent gusto. Then the party took to the road again, and the wood cutter slid from the tree and ran to the nearest village, where he gare the alusin.

AT THE WESTSIDE

BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY OF NEWEST STYLES

Rig Invasion of This Well-Known Establishment Yesterday-Some

These are the milinery opening days at The Westside, yeserday being the first day. Feminine Victoria attended what was without doubt one of the most attractive exhibitions of Parisian styles and millinery achievement to be found

The imported hats are perfectly exquisite, and words can hardly describe the bauties that are to be seen at this popular store, and to judge by the crowded state of the large showrooms and the many sales being made, the lady leaders of fashion of this city are quick to show their appreciation of in a very substantial manner.

Regarding the styles which have undergone a very greaf change since last season, the marvellously exact scale upon which natural flowers and fruits have been reproduced is very striking. Another point is the subtlety of the colors used this season, soft, natural tones such as painters and artists of all kinds prefer. The millinery laces this season are entirely different from those previously worn. Last year it was filmy, cobwebby, chantelly and point d'Arabe. This year the laces are heavy—antique and guipure d'art. The Parisians have turned to fruits for inspiration to design some of their choicest d'confections' as they call them. Whole hats are clusters of cherries, grapes, etc. Whole hats, too, are composed of flowers—all artistically exact copies of the real thing.

The new shapes which are particularly noticeable are the flat hat, the boat shape, which replaces last year's toque, and the big round Russian turban. The fricorn, which is issued from Paris, has a slight change in the back. Buckles are long and come in beautiful and artistic designs. Sequins are long and dangling this year. Some of the new hats are made up in shaded straw. The principal colors for spring will be bluet and reseds, champagne to wood brown and water green. One remarkable feature is that ostrich plumes sweep across the crown instead of from front to back. Miss M. B. Crothers, who has been the designer and trimmer for The West-aide ever since they opened this important department, has now been given entire control. Needless to say she has excelled herself in every way. One of the hats shown was a beautiful large white Maline picture hat, richly trimmed with chergies, with the exception of a little ed silk velv

Another new hat was of turquoise bive, handsomely trimmed with forget-me-nots, finished with pretty bands of dark red velvet, drape of antique lace and long steel buckle.

These and hundred more notes, ladies can gather for themselves to much betfer advantage by visiting The Westside. In the costume department several large cases of new jackets were just being opened, the styles being bold and striking. They will no doubt be eagerly bought by fair admirers.

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Owing to the reduction by the Post Office department of the the Times is now able to take subscriptions for points in the Motherland at the same rate as for Canada or the United

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PRESIDENT ESTES

THE EMPLOYEES' SIDE FULLY GIVEN BY HIM

Head of the U. B. R. E. Addressed a Meeting in This City Last Evening.

There was a packed house at the Eagles' hall last evening, and many wete unable to get into the building. The meeting was called with the primary

Engles' hall last evening, and many were unable to get into the building. The meeting was called with the primary object in view of giving Geo. Estes, president of the U. B. R. E., an opportunity to lay before the working men in particular the position of affairs in Vancouver.

Mr. Estes is a plain speaker. He resorted to no stage play. There was nothing vindictive towards the C. P. R. in his language last night. On the contrary, his appeal was one in which the reasonableness of the demand of the strikers for the simple recognition of their union was made the strong point in soliciting sympathy.

Mr. Estes, in opening, said that he would explain the principle of the organization which he represented, and describe in a manner free from all vindicitioness or animosity the differences between in a manner free from all vindicitioness or animosity the differences between it and the C. P. R.

The U. B. R. E. came into existence in Winnipeg in 1898. It was, therefore, a Canadian organization, while all the other organizations on the C. P. R. were American. It was started in Oregon separately with the same mame, aims and objects. The two naturally joined hands. The principle of the organization was not new. It had a prototype in England founded in 1872. That one had 65,000 members and a reserve fund of about \$2,000,000, whereas the largest in America had only 55,000, and had net more than \$500,000 in funds. The essence of the English organization was that it embraced any person employed on a railway. The same was aimed at in the foundation of the U. B. R. E. It endeavored to do away with the class distinction in labor unions which existed in America. This splitting up of the laborers weakened the force of their unionism. The contracts between each of the unions and the company expired at separate times. This divided their actions, and the men were handled in such a such as a such a

all, such unions. It might be a good policy on the part of the C. P. R., but it was equally good policy for the workers to unite to maintain their existence. In the last part of January Mr. Marpole went to Montreal. He has suggested that he planned with Mr. Nichol, the means for crushing the U. B. R. E. After his return men were called aside and advised to leave the U. B. R. E. Mr. Robinson was taken aside and Mr. Beasley advised him to separate from the U. B. R. E., as the C. P. R. was determined to kill that organization, and would spend \$1,000,000 in doing so. Twenty two men were so advised, The freight clerks, to the number of 70, were ordered to cut off affiliation if they hoped to hold their present pay. The attempt was made. Men were sent to other places on the line. Five men were discharged. The organizer, who was to unite all the employees from Vancouver to Halifax, was hounded wherever he went by seven detectives, at the head of which was Macdonald. At Revelstoke he was told by Macdonald that they wanted him to cease h's work. He was told that he would be given any concession in reason. A lucrative place in Montreal would be given any concession in reason. A lucrative place in Montreal would be given any concession in reason. A lucrative place in Montreal would be given any concession in reason. A lucrative place in Montreal would be given in the latter than the would be given any concession in reason.

him across the continent. They carried it out. As a result of this they had brought him to death's door by sichness. He was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union, who would consent the was now in the Winniper hospital surported by the union,

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The Kansas City teamsters' strike has
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abide by any reasonable arbitration body. They would take feed and the union teamsters in turn refused to handle what twas regarded as "seab" believed, had been found to take the places of the lift union teamsters in turn refused to handle what twas regarded as "seab" freight. An at tempt was made to registee the teamsters, but only four, he believed, had been found to take the places of the 191 union teamsters. The Steamship Union then took the matter up, and they refused to handle "seab" business. Even the passengers coming over on the Charmer was "scab" freight. No live union man will handle "seab" business, and hence they had to go out.

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He instanced the Princess May trouble, The vessel came to Vancouver, where horses, baggage and other freight was to be taken on, all of which, from a union standpoint, was "each" freight. The mean the Princess May were liable to imprisonment for desertion if they left the vessel. They were prepared to do so rather than violate the principles of the union. A meeting with them was arrangee in Vancouver. Men of the crew of the vessel said it was their duty to go to fail rather than handle this "scal" freight. The speaker himself advised them to go to the boat and not to jail. The men objected. They, however, compromised the matter, and Capt Gosse agreed to leave behind the horses, but the men were forced to take the boat and not to jail. The men objected. They, however, compromised the matter, and Capt Gosse agreed to leave behind the horses, but the men were forced to take the boat and not to jail. The men objected. They, however, compromised the matter, and Capt Gosse agreed to leave behind the horses, but the men were forced to take the boat and not to jail. The men objected They, however, compromised the matter, and capt Gosse agreed to leave the boat of trade was also held, representing the capital Rev. Mr. Fandey from the pulpit endorsed it, and the best papers also endorsed it. The best dements in the city were endorsed that movement. The reduces the complex of the complex

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The vessel has been named the Sidney, and was intended to convey supplies for the construction of the lines being built by the Victoria Terminal Company on the Mainland. She has been fitted up as a ear ferry, however, and will be utilized also in fhe transporting of the Great Northern freight from Liverpool until the completion of the ferry steamer Victoria and the Port Guichon-Cloverdale branch of railway.

the terms of the agreement with the city.

The Westminster, Vancouver & Yukon Raliway Company are showing increased activity with the opening of the spring. For some time past surveys have been under way for the line to be constructed by this company from New Westminster to Vancouver. A large party are expected to take the field shortly and locate the route definitely, so that work may be commenced upon it.

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OUR WATER SUPPLY.

Water Commissioner Raymur explain defence of his scheme for putting ry water service in the city under eter that "he does not think one house tioned (four, five and six-roomed houses)
uses anywhere near the mon(hiy maximum allowance under the present rules, and the reports of competent authorities in which will continue under the meter system, the latter only becoming really operative when an excess of the maximum allowance is used." Does it not strike Mr. Raymur as the maximum of more drastic method for the suppression absurdity to propose to instal five hundred and one meters at an average cost. the preachers will not be convinced by we understand, of from ten to fifteen such evidence that it would not be betwe understand, or from the both of the dollars, for the purpose of checking the ter for Ontario to be under an absolute-one household in the lot that is in the lab to of wasting water? Surely that license law. The editors are satisfied would not be an economic movement, and it would seem to be a hopless task to attempt to convince any reasonable person that if would not result in an increase of prices to the consumers of water. If only one household in five hundred of the classes specified would be affected by the installation of meters, it would manifestly be necessary to impose a heavy burden upon the mere fractional remainder, because the water works must be made self-susfaining. Obviously, therefore, the interest and sinking fund on account of the first cost of the meters, the expense of installation and the would fall upon the frac-reput men would fall upon the frac-tional few. They would be compelled the fullest amount of personal liberty. be a fine arrangement for the occupants rounded by idealists. Rev. J. A. Macof all houses of six rooms and under. able distribution of the load. Private powerful of such necessaries of life as light find it necessary to impose a charge—and they do not hesitate to clap on a good stiff one-for meter rent. The city

of prominence in the United States) has thought it advisable to impose meters upon households. There are good reasons for this, we may be sure, and they can be demonstrated, it will be found easily discovered. Consciousness of that there is a very strong paid for would necessarily in a great an interesting and important one. note economy. Only by the practice of the strictest economy in every department of administration in the average household can the head of it make age household can the head of it make ends meet. The sanitary and health of ficers in all cities believe that by encouraging the use of water, the most effective without first convincing the aging the use of water, the most effective sanitary agent, the physical well being of the community is greatly promoted. Hence we find that in almost every city the problem of a sufficient water supply is constantly arising. The individual who is wasteful, extravagant and stifish has been considered by most of them, but we have yet to hear of one which proposed to impose a check upon five hundred consumers for the purpose which proposed to impose a check upon five hundred consumers for the purpose five hundred consumers for the purpose of preventing wastefulness on the part legally disguised attempts at robbery.

There is another reason why this matter than the purpose of the purpose of the part legally disguised attempts at robbery.

The preachers of Toronto are broaden-

The preachers of Toronto are broadening out. Dr. Caven believes that editors weakness about the Victoria system is a lack of pressure at certain seasons of the year. Would the general installation of meters remove that weakness? It certainly would not if the consumption should be checked in merely a fractional canada is a courter of great persons.

which is the best on think it

of decreasing the cost of operation? that is a question for the aldermen to onsider and answer. There should be out little difficulty in arriving at a decision. There are meters in the service at the present time. Do they work sat-isfactorily at all times and to all con-cerned? Has the experience with them been such as to justify their general adoption? In what way could the cost of procuring, installing, repairing and reading meters be met without increas-These are the matters, we presume, that are puzzling the minds of ratepayers.

THEY DO NEED IT.

Rev. Dr. Caven, an eminent Presbyneed praying for. The doctor is right. If the preachers had to told as incessantly as editors, and in the midst of heir work were subject to such interruptions as edifors are, they would ne praying for too, and that most ferventeditors had not occurred to some of the ministers before. We have heard many of them express supreme contempt for the press when they might have been better employed interceding for it and petitioning that its representatives might be endowed with the strength necessary

We think Dr. Caven was perhaps ircitated by the thought of recent occurently of the opinion that the people of that most righteous province have not been educated up to the point of being in favor of prehibition of the liquor traffic. Editors suggest that prohibition has been very far from a success in the

states where it had been given a trial. There were the records of the courts and would not be an economic movement, that it would be very unwise to attempt meters, the expense of installa- ther than the passage of what are term tion and the salaries of the readers and ed sumptuary laws, abhorred by the o bear the burden for all. That would The preacher is an idealist, and is sur But we fear it would not be tolerated. Toronto Globe, has probably found this There would be a clamor for an equit- cut, has imparted his information to his Private reverend brethren, and is perhaps re-of life as sponsfile for the idea that editors need

We call the attention of our readers to a letter on the water problem from the ampost were not brought about au- Mr. Justice Martin. Our correspondent tomatically through the change of sys- deals with the subject frankly and vigtem, it would be adjusted in some other orously, and carries it into new and, we way, The question of a water supply is a gions. Practically we do not know why, very serious one, and any proposed radical departures from established custom should be very carefully considereded before they are concurred in by the representatives of the people. Other cities of the privilege. It is asserted that have wrestled valiantly with the prob- such is the case, although we beg to ex-Not one in Canada (and very few press doubts upon the subject until we the fact that every gallon of water used favor of the city retaining absolute conmeasured and would have to be trol of its water supply. The subject is

> A bill has been introduced into the Imperial House of Commons to amend the Libel Law. It provides that no

should be checked in merely a fractional part of the households.

The great object of civic water works is to furnish a plentiful sipply of water at the lowest possible rate to citizens. To accomplish this it is necessary that the works shall be operated at the lowest possible cost. Would the installation of meters upon every service have the officer.

ANNEXATION A LONG WAY OFF.

Canada is a country of great natural resources. Americans are beginning to realize its value. It has immense tracts of until the land unitable for the production of grain. It has superb forests and almost fillimitable mineral wealth. The time is coming when American energy and capital will pay a conspicuous part in the development of Canada's resources. Within the just of the wheat lands of the western states to the wheat lands of the



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DOMESTIC SCIENCE IN SUNDAY

question:
"Now, you have told me that Elljah put
the bullock on the altar." Why did he put
water around the altar?"
The chlidren looked amazed except one
little boy, who stood up and said: "Please,
air, to make the gravy."

OUR WATER WORKS SYSTEM.

To the Editor:—Your editorial of the 16th Instan and letters in pesterday's issue and tames and and letters in pesterday's issue and tames and setters in pesterday's issue and tames and setters in pesterday's issue and tames and letters in pesterday's issue and tames and tame

project that is advanced, but the project that is advanced, but the project that is advanced, but the project that is advanced. There is admittedly a shameful waste of our present limited supply, and how is it proposed to stop it unless by meters', The exact situation must be faced, not avoided. We are all only too analous to preserve our gardens, and. I trust, those of our neighbors also; that is common ground, but the question is how can it best be done? It is quite plain that if we continue to waste what water we have without adding to the present supply, it will be impossible. Let those who oppose the extension of the meter system suggest any other remedy which will not cost a far greater sum of money than they cost a far greater sum of money than they

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City Dews in Brief.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sauer, of 105 Johnson street, died yesterday.

Stevens & Jenkins, 84 Douglas street, will have their spring opening Thursday, Murch 19th, and following

Fast steamers for Skagway. Steamer Dolphin sails March 25th, steamer Humboldt sails March 31st, E. E. Blackwood, agent.

Blackwood, agent.

—Mr. Joseph Poirier, of Otter Point, and Miss Mary Catherine White, daugheter of Mr. A. White, of Sooke, were married at the residence of Rev. W. Leslie Clay last evening.

Owing to counter attractions the concert held at the Metropolitan Metholist church last evening, under the auspices of the Exceision League, was not well attended. An excellent programme was given, and much enjoyed by these programmes.

The corporation annual reports for the year ending December 31st have been printed, and are now available at the city clerk's office, city hall. Includ-ed in the booklet is an instructive map of the sewerage stem. Ratepayers can obtain copies on application.

At a meeting of the Tourist Association yesterday afternoon a communication was received from J. H. Falconer, of Dawson, urging the organization of a party of Victoria merchants to visit the Yukon as a means of extending their trade. It was decided to refer tt to the board of trade and the chamber of commerce. The association is now considering means for having ocean baths provided.

The Musical Festival authorities desire to express their since appreciation of the courtesy shown by the officers and members of the Voters' League in giving up the use of the council chamber on Tuesday evenings for the convenience of the festival chorus, thereby making two full rehearsals a week possible. Until the festival in May, rehearsals will be held at 8 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the city hall. Members of the chorus are requested to devote both these evenings to the festival.

The unfortunate woman, Mrs. Fleming, who, as will be remembered, killed her daughter with an axe last year while in a fit of insanity, has recovered in the New Westminster asylum. Those who have visited her recently say she is looking quite well while she is entirely rational. She doesn't remember the terrible tragedy in which she took her daughter's life. The whole horrible occurrence is a complete blank to her. The news was broken to her some time ago and quite omplete blank to her. The brand quite roken to her some time ago and quite aturally came as an awful shock.

The A. O. U. W. hall was crowded last night, and the audience was delighted with the very laughable bill presented. The production, which was specially given in honor of St. Patrick's Day, was the Irish-American comedy, "The Fireman." Needless to say all the players took their parts creditably. The Queen's Daughters of St. Andrew's cathedral, under whose anaptices the performance was given, tender their thanks to Mr. Lindley and his company for their efforts to make the St. Patrick entertainment the substantial success it proved. To-night's bill will be the three act farcical skit on secret societies, and members of the various crafts will find lots to amuse them in the performance.

Temperance hall was crowded to the doors last evening, the occasion being an Irish concert given in celebration of St. Patrick's Day, under the patronage of His Worship Mayor McCandless and Mrs. McCandless. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., M. P. P., presided, and before calling on the first selection made a brief speech, in which he gave the history of the celebration of St. Patrick's Day. His remarks were greefed with enthusiastic applause. Too much praise cannot be given those responsible for the arrange meats. Everything went off smoothly, and all present enjoyed themselves thoroughly. The programme had been prepared with great care, and all who took part acquitted themselves most creditably. Those who contributed were Miss Deaville, Mrs. Wm. Gregson, Mrs. W. T. Staneland, Madame Laird, Mrs. Lewis Hall, and Messrs. W. M. Hicks, A. Semple, F. Armstrong, A. Hetch, G. Stephen, A. M. Stephen, Fred Hichardson, A. Wheeler, M. C. Douglas and J. C. Brown. The Irish sketches given by A. Wheeler, G. Stephen and A. M. Stephen provided the comedy of the evening. -Temperance hall was crowded to the

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GENERAL AGENTS.

The total clearings at the Victoria clearing house for the week ending March 17th, 1903, were \$504,341.

Bank Exchange. The Escalet Cafe, from this date, will serve merchants tunch from 11.30 to 2 p. m. at usual town prices.

The city council will hold a meet-ing to-morrow night, when the estimates will be further dealt with. Ald, Stew-art's library by-law may be taken up.

—In the provincial police court yes-terday the hearing of the charges against J. W. Lester in connection with the run-ing of a naphtha launch on the Arm was postponed for a week.

John Maclean was arrested this morning with a heavier cargo of liquor aboard than he could comfortably stand. He will appear before the magistrate tomorrow morning.

Japanese Mattings in new styles (both in conventional designs and floral prints), at Weller Bros. This line comprises some very good things, indeed. Call and see them on our second floor.

The school board will meet to-night in special session. Trustee Huggett's resolution regarding the instruction of more practical subjects in the High school and other matters will come up for consideration.

On Friday afternoon at two o'clock the special committee, representing the agricultural association and the city council, will meet in the offices of Yates & Jay for the purpose of revising the constitution of the association. -The funeral of the late Mrs. Isabel

Christic took place privately on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Com-tany. Rev. Dr. Campbell conducted ap-propriate services at the grave.

-Columbia Lodge, LO.O.F., held its regular meeting last evening, when im-portant business was discussed. This was followed by an impromptu pro-gramme which was much enjoyed. Re-freshments were served and a pleasant time was spent by all.

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Another conference between representatives of the city council, board of trade, voters' league and chamber of commerce to discuss the question of incorporating a board of harbor commissioners will be held on Friday evening. At the last conference a resolution was passed requesting the city council to urge the Dominion government to incorporate the board of commissioners. The board of trade council, however, want the subject more fully discussed, and have therefore asked for the conference.

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There is an interesting contest now in progress among the different cities of the Sound, which is to decide the question of who will caristen the new steamer Challam, building for the Victoria and Seattle run, and to be launched on April 14th. A vote is being taken on the popularity of a number of young ladies whose friends are using their utmost endeavors to advance their claims for the honor. The names of three are mentioned in connection with the contest, and at last reports Miss Hazel Benhau, the 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Beahan, of Tatoosh, was leading in the race, she being the favorite of the Puget Sound Tugboat Company, who have been among the strongest rivals in the competition, the young lady's parents, through the position they hold, having become very popular with the officers of the company's fleet. Each vote costs five cents, and the funds thus derived are to be appropriated in endowing a bed in the hospital at Port Angeles. The Clallam, it was hoped, would have been ready to have taken her place on the Sound route by the first of May; but, though the work of construction has been pushed with all possible dispatch it is now seen that she cannot enfer busliess before the 15th of that month. In the meanwhile the company will not delay the double daily service promised for May 1st. The Rosalie will be temporarily operated. Instead of running on the same schedule as governed her movements last year her time of arrival and departure from this city will be in the evening. On the other hand the Majestic at 9 o'clock, but in view of the fact that a daily service is to be given Taxonm this daily service is to be given Taxonm this

working of these two steamers calls for the departure of the Majestic at 9 o clock, but in view of the fact that a daily service is to be given Theoma this year Local Agent Blackwood hopes to have the hour changed to 8 o'clock in order to allow the steamer more time in which to make the run.

Mr. Blackwood stated this morning that just as soon as the Claligm is launched, work will be commenced on the construction of another new steamer for the Victoria and Sound route. This vessel will be about the size of the Charmer, will be capable of developing about fifteen knots an hour, and will be as comfortable as it is possible to make her. She cannot, however, be completed before next spring.

LOCALLY REGISTERED.

The steamship Arab will be the next speamer of the Stanley Dollar line which will seek registration at this port. She left Hakodate for San Francisco on March 7th, and after discharging cargo will come here for inspection and registration. Afterwards she proceeds to Whatcom for lumber. The Stanley Dollar will be the next of the fleet to follow her here on similar business. She is now on the China coast, and will arrive here from Hongkong about the middle of June. After securing British registration she will load coal for Alaska. This vessel will make the sixth belonging to the fleet having Victoria as their home port, the Wyfield having taken out her papers on her last trip north from San Francisco. The others of the fleet are the ships Drumuir, Drumeraig and Drumbuton, all sailing vessels.

The Pacific Coast steamship Spokane arrived from Alaskan ports last night with 40 passengers for points on the Sound. The steamer is scheduled to sall north again on Saturday at 5 p.m. According to mail received by the steamer last night the Bluenose Club, of Dawson, is preparing to give Govenor Congdon a grand reception on his arrival from Obtawa in the northern city.

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ARBITRATING LABOR DISPUTES James Dunsnmir in Favor of Selectio

Denied.

An Associated Press dispatch couples the name of James Dunsmuir with the statement that there is a connection between the Western Federation of Miners and the Copper Trust of New York, which accounts for the present strikes in British Columbia mines. The statement ascribed to Mr. Dunsmuir is entirely mislealing, and does not represent his opinion in the marter. Some days ago when the theory of a colindon between these was first advanced, the opinion of Mr. Dunsmuir was sought by a representative of the Times. He then expressed himself as disbelleving that any such connection existed between the Mining Federations and the Copper Trust.

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NEW LINER COMING.

The big steamship Kinshui Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, will probably be seen in these waters no more. A new and better ship is to replace her on the Original line. The company of the relatives of the deceased while Chas. H. Lugrin has been retained to look after

The Nippon Yusan Kaisal line, will probably be seen in these waters no more. A new and better ship is to replace her on the Oriental line. This vessel, the Aki Maru, is now on her way here from China, and Japan, in command of the veteran shipper of the line. Captain Ekstrand. She is a steamer of 3,000 tons register, and a sister ship to the Kaga Maru and Shinano Maru, which are now plying on the route. She was built in Japan, and in appointment resembles the two ships named.

Advices have been received at Esquimal stating that H. M. S. Amphion will be due to arrive from the south tomorrow. The ship, as previously reported, is coming north to convoy the torpedo destroyers Virago and Sparrowbawk to Honoliuu. There, according to report now received, the trio are to be met by the Graffton and Ffora. These vessels were to be here about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the about the first of May, but, in view of the new arrangements, will not reach Esquimalt until sometime towards the end of that month.

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vices were conducted by Rev. Father Laterme.

The remains of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tite, of Johnson street, were interred yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Westman conducted religious services. There was a large attendation. The funeral of the late Angus Mc. Neill will take place to-morrow afternoon from the family residence, No. 1 Penwill street.

-Secretary Elworthy, of the board of trade, has received a cheque from Ot tawa for \$1,000 to defray the expense entailed on citizens in meeting extra charges incident to purchasing gold dust here. It will be remembered that a fund of \$6,500 was subscribed here last year to defray the cost of the assay at the local government office. The cost of aransmission of dust to the mind and to defray the expense of having the certificates of the local assay office cashed. Through the efforts of George Riley, M. P., the Dominion government last year put a vote of \$1,000 in the estimates to, reimburse Victoria business men for this outlay, and the cheque just received is the sequel of that action. The local board has been asked to forward their accounts for the current year in the same connection to Ottawa.

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The New York Herald puts forth this bit of theatrical news, which carries its own comment: "Dr. C. C. Hendrick, who was sentenced to two and a half years in prison for conspiring to obtain the estate of Henry M. Bennett of Pittsburg, and is out on bail, will make his debut as an actor in a revival of 'East Lynne," appearing as a co-star with Miss Laura Riggar."

"Gretna Green," now being exploited in New York by Miss Tyree, has not proved the success expected and will probably be shelved, Miss Tyree goes into the company which will present a new play.

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At the last meeting of the city council Captain D. C. McMorris was appointed city clerk and W. E. Wasson city treasurer.

The passengers for Nelson on the Great Northern train from Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train left Northport on Monday night had an unusually unpleasant time of it. The train heing stalled completely. The conductor made his way not Nelson on foot and subsequently obtained the loan of a snow plow from the Canadhas Pacific and returned, with it to reacts, the snowed in passengers. The twen finally reached this city about 4 o'clock on Tuesday safternoon, pearly 20, hours belind time.

The work of building the armory for the Rock Mountain Kangers has been feared for opening by mid-April.

Robert Jaffray, director of the Crow's Nest Coal Company, came in from Ferrie early on Saturday morning, where he has been attending the conferences of the striking miners with the company officials before the conciliation committee of the Mining Association, Mr. Jaffray left for Toronto the Same day.

Several woodsheds and barns have collapsed from the weight of wet wow resting on them. In the mountains roads and trails are badly blocked, and if the rain continues bad slids are anticipated.

VANCOUVER.

Richard Mitchell, a city employee, was found dead in hed on Thursday morning. The deceased, who had been ill for some time, recently left the City hospital, and, on Wednesday informed his daughter that he was better.

The young man Hoffer, whose short career of piracy in the neighborhood of Sechelt last month landed him in the New Westminster jail with a term of six months for stealing blankets, etc., from the steam launch he appropriated, has had another term of three months added to his sentence. The additional term was given him by Stipendiary

and another term of three months added to his sentence. The additional term was given him by Stipendiary Magistrate Alevander before whom he was charged with theft at Gibson's Landing, while coming down to Vancouver after his piratical trip.

Mrs. Slater, the lady who recently broke quarantine at Blaine, Wash, where smallpox has been raging, and, crossing the boundary line, came to Vancouver, was released from the Isolation hospital on Thursday.

Loggers and mill men met on Tuesday right and discussed the proposed amendment to the timber laws of the province. The loggers presented their views and the mill men said they would answer them on Friday in the hope of presenting a joint petition to the government. The views of the mill men and loggers, however, appeared at the meeting to be widely at variance. The mill men fear over-production, and wish the special icense law rescinded and the timber put up to the highest bidder. The loggers are satisfied with the license plan, but wish to make it still easier to take up timber.

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Prof. Wesley Mills, of the McGill College, who will act as judge in the forthcoming dog show in Victoria, will be in Vancouver on the 24th instant, and it has been arranged that besides lecturing to the Medical Society, he will give a lecture on the dog, Hustratud with 200 leaters.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

ARMSTRONG.

At a recent meeting the Armstrong Gun Club was organized and a committee appointed to solicit membership. The election of officers resulted as follows: President; Cpr. Vankleek, sectives, W. Wolfenden; capidin, G. Moberley; committee, A. E. Morgaa, T. K. Smith and the above officers. Work will be commenced on the club house and grounds as soon as weather permits.

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The city council has repealed the bylaw passed last summer imposing \$1 tax on bieycles. The conneil also introduced and put through, all but its final stages, a curfew by-law. The signal will not be a bell but a large sirene whistle, to be placed in the electric light station.

The resignation of Engineer Robertson, of the sheetrie power house, has been accepted. T. J. Arnall, of the many yard, Esquimalt, is among applicants for the position.

On Saturday afternoon, a deputation consisting of Archdeacon Pentreath, Rev. H. G. F. Clinton, Rev. H. Underhill, Rev. W. Bell, Rev. A. Sitya-Whife and Mr. J. G. C. Wood waited on Bishop Dart, who has just returned here after a somewhat long absence, and presented His Lordship with an address. The Bishop responded in suitable terms, expressing his heartfelt gratitude to God for his recovery, and was evidently much touched at the welcome extended to him.

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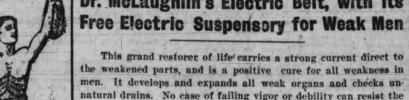
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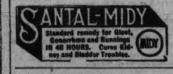
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CHAPTER V .- Continued. Told by Noel Brent, Who is in Love With the Home Secretary's Daughter.

The Tangl d Web.

"I was frightened. So much was at stake that for the first time in my life I lost my nerve. When I reached home I got the document which I had stolen rendy to go to Lord Reckworth, with an urgent request that it should be sent back to me the moment it had been read and copied. I even went so far as to tell him why, having refued the undertaking, I had changed my mind; for I could not bear to have him suspect that Maxime de Ribaumont (whom he was aware I knew in the French Foreign Office) had betrayed his trust. I took the whole blame upom myself, and assured him that, as suspicion might already be on the wing, there was not safely in my handa again within twenty-four hours. If suspicion would point the right way, and the tre ty be looked for before it had been warned, it was the end of everything for me and another for whom I cared far more than myself. Now you know all—except two things. The first that I am almost certain Count Ipanoff was within sight of my house when I left it to send away my facket; the second that the document which is missing is the actual treaty of alliance between Russia and France, whose terms, untin now, have been a profound secret."

"Good Heavens." I exclaimed. "No wonder that the Foreign Secretary called it important."

"A knowledge of its real terms was worth ten thousand pounds to the British government," said Juliette. "More, no doubt, if I had had time to drive a hand bargain. But to me—to Maxime—it is worth the whole world."

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"But if its loss were discovered he would not necessarly suspect you, since he trusts you so entirely."

"Those who do not trust me would see that he had no doubt on that subject; and I would have the agony of knowing, as well as having lost his love and respect, that I had ruined him. I could not live with that knowledge."

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"Ah! I know what you would say. But it is only suspicion. He did not have enough ovidence to lay before the authorities at the French Foreign Office. How could he, merely seeing me come out with Maxime? And it would be ruin for him to accuse a man and then be proved mistaken. Don't you see what he has done?"

"No: I can't say that I do clearly," I reswered.

"Why, he, too, has dured a bold stroke. He informed the police that he had reas on to believe me a political spy in the pay of England, and, without venturing upon details which be could not substantiate, he declared that I had got possession of secret information which I had forward-secret information which I had forward-

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"Of course, Lord Reckworth was watched; and you'see that all your precautions as to hiding your identity were in vain. Your name was known to the in vain. Your name was known to the men who came to surprise us here—having followed me, no doubt; and if, as Ipanoff hoped, the document had been found on you or me, everything would have seen for themselves what ing followed me, no doubt; and if, as Ipanoff hoped, the document had been found on you or me, everything would have played into his hands. The police would have seen for themselves what the stolen thing was, where it came from, and how it must have been obtained, without his having compromised himself into the least. Indeed, he would have been rewarded, and have revenged himself upon me for refusing him and loving another. The only cause for rejoicing I have left is the thought of his blank disappointment when he hears from the commissary of police."

"You don't think' then," I asked, refectively, "that it is through Jpanoff" agency that the treaty has so mysteriously disappeared?"

"I would think it, if it weren't for the recklace," said Juliette. "There lies the heart of the mystery. Oh, to pluck it out! You travel to me with the treaty, his gone. You know nothing of the necklace-so you say—yet you come to me with it in your pocket. You actually put it in my hand—the Duchesse delatis's necklace—so you say—yet you come to me with it in your pocket. You actually put it in my hand—the Duchesse delatis's necklace, which was stolen from Maxime de Ribumont days ago, in Amsterdam."

"You are sure it is the same?"

"Sure as that you are you and I am I. Now, does it stand to reason that Counting the properties of the treaty which he was taking away from you to ruin me."

"You do ruin me."

"You it doesn't stand to reason in the affair. It is madness. I believe we are both mad or draming."

"It I sim not mad I soon shall be. To think that I must go and pley a part for the first time at the theatre! How shall I live through it? By this time Maxime is on his way to make one of the reading reference is not made of the ready which he was taking away from you to ruin me."

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Bargor, Am. sc., 538 tons, Turjoff, San Pedro, Everett.

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er."

"You can hardly call me that," I retorted, "Whatever comes now I am with you heart and soul; and as I told you, I am ready even to give my life to retrieve this failure of mine. Already I have given up something, but—"

"What have you given up?" she demanded quickly.

"My hopes of happiness with a woman whom I love as you love Maxime de Ribaumont," I answered, bluntly, on the impulse.

Pielades, Am. str., 2032 tons, Purlington, Princess Victoria, Br. str., 800 tons (new), — Newcastle, British Columbia, Jan. 30, Philippine, Am. sc., 401 tons, Fredericksen, San Pedro, Tacoma, Feb. 1. Polaria, Am. sc., 171 tons, Marchison, San Francisco, Puget Sound.

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Br. Dawid, Am. sh., 1,476 tons, Ryder, Manila, Port Angeles, Ogt. 20, via Yokohana.

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Alvens, Am. Sc., 687 tons, Johnson, San Pedro, Port Townsend.

Amphitrite, Ital. sh., 1,683 tons, Gambassi, San Diego, Puget Sound, Feb. 20.

Amsterdam, Jut, bk., 1,100 tons, Bakker, Java, British Columbia, Jan. 6.

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Athesia, Ger. sc., 1,270 tons, Johnson, Theorem for Melbourne, arrived Aug. 16.

Adby Palmer, Am. bk., 1,705 tons, Johnson, Blaskier, Gamble, Juniber, Sydney, Jan. 3.

Admiral Tegetibaf, Chil. bt., 583 tons, Punat, Antonagasta, receiving lumber, and Antonagasta, receiving lumber, and Chem. Chemainus.

Ancons, Br. sh., 2,570 tons, Robbins, Vancouver, lumber, Unpetown, arrived san. 6.
Andromeca, Br. sh., 1,622 tons, Futton,
Port Ludiow, lumber, South Africa, arrived
Jan. 22.
Antions, Re. bit. Alice Cooke, Am. sc., 722 tons, Penhallow, Port Gambie, iuniber, San Fedro, arrived Feb. 13. Aisternisie, Ger. bk., Columbia river, Esquimait, for repairs. A. M. Maxter, Am. sc., 450 tons, Lorenz, Whatcom, lumber, San Pedro, arrived Feb. 13.

Beira, Fort Townseand, Nov. 15.
Columbia, Ger. sh., 2,518 tons, Schutte, Kobe, Hastings Mill.
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Camano, Am. so., 631 tons, Black, Nitrate Portis, British Columbia.
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Crompton, Rr. sh., 2,277 tons, McBride, Capetown, Paget Sound.
Cecilis Studies, Am. sc., 54 tons, Beile Cecilis Studies, Am. sc., 53 tons, Beile Cecilis Studies, Am. sc., 53 tons, Barrison, Honolulu, Hastings, Feb. 5.
Bixcelsior, Am. sc., 530 tons, Trudgate and East Committee, Capetown, Paget Sound.
Pybus, Hongkong, Vancouver.
Pearless, Am. sc., 632 tons, Lilyquist, Shamphal, Fort Townsend, Committee, Pageton, St., 1982 tons, Prancisco, Taccana.
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Meteor, Am. Sc., 518 tons, Hopker, Pedro, Larived, Feb. 10.

Maid of Orleans, Am. sc., 347 tons, Nielson, San Diego, Port Gambie, Feb. 2.

Moans, Br. str., 2,414 tons, Carey, Sydney, Victoria and Vancouver.

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Nokomis, Am. sc., 482 tons, Hansen, Valparaiso, Port Townsend, Son, Son, Petrosen, Okanogan, Am. sc., 482 tons, Hansen, Orange, Nor. sh., 1,580 tons, Olsen, Melbourne, Puget Sound.

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Okanogan, Am. bk., 1,23 tons, Petersen, Lember, Am. bk., 1,23 tons, Hansen, Table Bay, Puget Sound. Nov. 7.

Prince Robert, Nor. sh., 1,504 tons, Cappella, Capetown, Puget Sound, Nov. 7.

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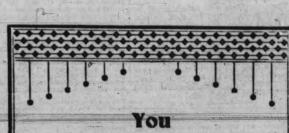
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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Purchasing Agent for the Corp the City of Victoria. City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 10th March, 1903.

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Tenders, sealed, endorsed "Tenders for water pipes," and addressed to the under signed, will be received up to 3 Monday, the 30th day of March, 1964, or the supplying of 8,000 feet of 4inch cast from water pipes, of standard thickness and weight, as per specification. Price per ton of 4,400 lbs. to be given in each cuse. The pipes to be delivered free of all charges where directed in the City of Vic-toria.

ted this 23rd day of February, A. D.,

THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Honorable Mr. Justice Irving has, by an order dated the 16th day of December, A. D., 1802, appointed John Samuel Henry Matson, of the MacGregor Block, in the City of Victoria, to be official liquiday of the above named Company.

Dated the 18th day of December, A. D.,

B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

Notice is hereby given that I. A. H. Tyson, as licensee, and I. William Harrison, as holder of temporary permit, intend a apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sitting as a Licenseig Board, for the transfer of my Heense for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises, the "Manhattan" Saloon, corner of Yates and Broad streets, to Fred. Carne, the younger, or, alternatively, that instead of such retail license there may be granted to the said Fred. Carne, the younger, as our transferee, a license pursuant to sub-section 3, section 171, Chap. 144.

A. Dated this 7th day of February, 1903.
(Signed) A. H. TYSON.
(Signed) WILLIAM HARRISON.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1803.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Landa and Works for z lease of the following described land as a fishing station, viz.: Commencing at a post placed at 8 E. corner of Lot 19, Range 5, C. D., on south end of Smith Island, and marked B. C. C. Co.'s post, and running north along line of said to 10 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 10 chains to shore line, thence in a westerly direction following shore line to point of commencement, and including in all some 40 geres.

Dates tais 3rd day of March, 1963.

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had as much right there as Keeler, in fact a little more, as he was a legiturate inmate. Furthermore, he pointed out to the old man with much logic that his right to spend ten or more days was established by law and the police magistrate, while to crown his argument he reminded Keeler that for years it had been his custom to visit the station at intervals, and he regarded it in the light of an auxiliary home.

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The formidable array of forensic cloquence which Phillip brought to bear on the aged vagrant aroused his wrath. He replied in terms which shocked his sensitive companion to no little extent. Another series of meetings to be addressed by Dr. Withycombe, director of the original wound up by picking up a chair or some other article, and threatening wholesake extermination. Phillip retreated to the prisoners yard in the rear of the lockup, 5stensibly for safety, but according to his own account to escape the sulphurle fumes with which the atmosphere had become impregnated. The mosphere had become impregnated the serenity of the jail was restored.

PRINCESS'S TUTOR.

Distances April 3rd and 4th, Sait Spring Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th and St. Alberni. Island; April 6th, Parksville; April 7th Annaimo.

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(Associated Press.)

New York, March 18.—A report is published here from Rome that the Superior of the Trappists has announced to the Pope that Andre Giron, the tutor who eloped with the Crown Princess of Saxony, has entered the Trappist community.

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Andre Giron Reported to Have Entered
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	White Bear	31/4	2
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obler Cariboo-1,000 at 2814.

RUN DOWN BY TRAIN. Two Men Instantly Killed and Two Seriously Injured.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 18.—A Fort Wa train crashed into a furniture van a crossing at Allegheny. The two men in van were killed and two seriously hurt.



RUGBY FOOTBALL,

SATURDAY'S MATCH

aturday will find the Caled in first-class condition be plan

CHANGES IN RULES. At the annual meeting of the Intercol-legiate Association of Amateur Athletics of America, held the other day in the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, changes were made in the rules governing the shot-put and pole vault in contests. Two minor amendments were also made to the consti-tution regarding the eligibility of competi-tors.

AMATEUR ASSOCIATION.

the S. A. A. C. will not account is made, then we into the new club rooms is made, "The new athlette organization should be one of great importance. For a number of years there has been no central body to encourage amateur athlettes. There have been no be mostly and pure amateurism was something hard to find and equally as hard to define. The present association promises to be a strong one."

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"I expect we will this year have as many as 400 entries," was the remark of Frank Turner, the representative of the Yedon's kennel Club, who has just returned from a four of New Westminstor, Vancouver, Nanahmo and Duncans in the interests of the show. He makes a very encouraging report of the results of his trip. The fanciers of Vancouver and New Westminster are beginning to recognize the fact that they have dogs which nave a chance they have for serving of bonors at a being show, in Vancouver energyone seemed to think that their dogs were not of a bench show character, but were more fitted for field trial compelition. Mr. Turner, however, succeeded in persuading a good number often wise. In Nanahmo great interest was being taken in the show, and in Duncans also a number of fanciers intended bringing dogs to Victoria for competition.

The obtaining of the services of Dr. Wesley Milk as judge has been a great advertisement to the Victoria show. All are particularly anxious to hear the opinion of this authority on their own dog, and this naturally is resulting in an increased number of entries. From the Mainland about 40 dogs are expected. Mr. Bowley, the well known fox terrier facier, of Nanahmo, is bringing down a Mg string, as is also Mr. Gregg, of the same city. Altogether Mt. Turner predicts that about 70 entries may be expected from Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanahmo. R. P. Forsahwe & sollecting entries at the Terminal City.

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