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VICTOBIA, B. C. THURSDAY, JANUARY 24, 1907

STARVING CREW OF SCHOONER RESCUED

Captain and Men of Japanese Vessel Landed at Victoria by the Steamer Tydeus.

Capt. Uye Maki and 17 men of the Japanese schooner Kaim Maru were landed from the Hoit liner Tydeus, which reached the outer wharf shortly before 9 o'clock this morning. They were picked up nearly two hundred miles off the coast of Japan, after being nearly len days without feed or water.

The Kiam Maru was proceeding in ballast on a short trip of about forty miles between two Japanese trading ports. She left on December 19th, and when a few hours out encountered strong northwesterly winds, which drove her out of her course. For several days the captain endeavored to tack up to his course, but the wind was against him, and the schooner differed farther and farther away from the coast. After eight days had passed. Then, the captain lost his bearings and the Japanese passengers a few days ago, and it is quite likely her inst. the Tydeus hove in sight and Capt. Campbell, noticing signals of distress on the Kiam Maru, sailed as close up as possible and offered issistance.

Some difficulty was experienced in conveying messages to the unfortunate mer, but maily one of the men on the Holt liner who understood a little Japanese managed to make it clear that the starving men could have provisions if they would put off to the steamer.

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A choppy sea prevented the Tyders from sailing very close up to the schooner, but with the sid of a mega-

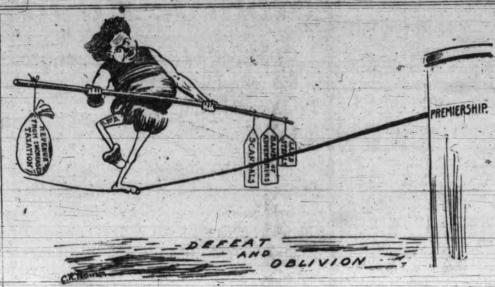
HOW THE PREMIER

WAS BLUDGEONED

Threat to Use Scandal Against Him Finally

Brought About Green's Resignation-The

Split in the Party.



TOTTERING.

MACDONALD TO TRAIL ELECTORS

DENOUNCES POLICY OF M'BRIDE GOVERNMENT

Liberal Prospects in Ymir Very Bright--F. J. Hume Certain of

flection. (Special to the Times.)

nd, Jan. 24.—The Liberal leader, J. A. Macdonald, and F. J. Deane, of Neison, held a rousing meeting at Trail last evening in the interests of F. J. Hume, the Liberal candidate for Ymir district. Mr. Deane opened the meeting, speaking for half an hour. He made special reference to Mr. Hume's past legislative experience and the fact that he fathered the eight-hour law for metalliferous miners. Mr. Deane discused glause by clause Mr. Hume's address to the electors of Ymir. Mr. Macdonaid followed, speaking about one hour. He dealt with the main issues of the campaign, the principal of which he declared was the question whether the C.P.R. or the people of British Columbia should control the government of the province. He outlined in detail the acts of the Mc. Bride government, which served to prove Premier McBride simply the tool of a rallroad corporation.

The meeting was entirely successful and put fresh heart into the Liberals resident in what is thought to be Mr. Schofield's stronghold. Mr. Schofield was not present, neither was he represented at the meeting. Trail will give Mr. Hume a good vote and there is no reason why Mr. Hume should mean an easy victory for the Liberal candi-Trall last evening in the interests of

the vote about even, which would mean an easy victory for the Liberal candi-

The recent revelation of the connection of the late commissioner of lands and works with the Transcontinental Exploration Syndicate merely brings to a head the rumors which have been circulating both here and in Vancouver for some time. The evident distaste of a large and formerly influential element of the Conservative party for Mr. Green was no mystery in clubland, and indeed in financial circles. Shortly before Mr. SNOW SLIDES

PEOPLE ADVISED TO

Work at Standstill in Mines---Men **Employed Clearing Entrances** and Tracks.

> (Associated Press.) Fernie, B. C., Jan. 23.-The other of the last two days had a

as a consequence the mines are not working and a large number of men are

THE PEACE CONFERENCE. Dr. Kriege Explains the Attitude of

(Associated Press.) Berlin, Jan. 24.—Prof. De Martens, of St. Petersburg, lunched with Ambas-sador Towers to-day, and had a sec-ord talk with him regarding the atti-tude of the United States to the second

tude of the United States to the second peace conference at the Hague. Foreign Secretary Tschirsky and Prof. De Martens, had a meeting at the foreign office yesterday concerning Germany's wishes regarding the conference and the secretary delegated Dr. Kriege, of the interpational law division of the foreign office, to explain Germany's views fully, pointing out that Germany is ready to go into the conference whenever it is agreeable to the other powers.

The second peace conference is considered to be more important than the first, as it will probably begin its deliberations when the world has ad-

first, as it will probably begin its de-liberations when the world has ad-vanced to the point where it is real-ized that the relations between peoples and government can be modified and adjusted by the counsel and moral weight of their neighbors.

M'INNES SPEAKS AT KAMLOOPS

SWANSON'S ELECTION IS NOW CONCEDED

Liberal Orator Made Powerful Attack Upon McBride Government -- Applauded to Echo.

(Special to the Times.) Kamloops, Jan. 23.-W. W. B. Mc-Innes captured a Conservative mass neeting at Kamloops this evening of the most brilliant government spellbinders in the interior, were holding a meeting on behalf of Hon. F. J. Ful-ton. The Liberal committee succeded in getting a short allotment of time at this meeting for Mr. McInnes. This gentleman was wired to and promptly accepted the gauntiet. When Mr. Mcaccepted the gauntlet. When Mr. McInnes came to speak he promptly made
such a powerful and eloquent attack on
the McBride-government, and proceeded to present such a clear case for the
Liberal party that in a short time the
entire audience was testifying by frequent bursts of applause to the fact
that they were heartily in accord with
the speaker. It was a signal triumph for Mr. McInnes, and the certainty of a mor Mr. Swanson's election has been freely worth conceded on all sides since the meeting

KEPT A SOCIALIST

FROM HIS REWARD

A dispatch from Neison says that W. W. B. McInnes, referring to the Conservative-Socialist charge that he (Mr. McInnes) had at one time attempted to Join the Socialists, declared he would join the Socialists, declared he would retire from the present campaign if proof could be adduced that he had ever offered to join the Socialists, or that his application had been refused. The only foundation for the story was that he had subscribed \$10 to a Socialist library, and had kept a Socialist out of

ANCIENT CITY DESTROYED. Polotsk, Russia, Has Been Wiped Out by Fire.

(Associated Press.) St. Petersburg, Jan. 24.—The central part of the city of Polotsk, in the province of Vitsbesk, one of the most an-cient cities of the empire, has been destroyed by fire. The damage done is very heavy.

The clearances from Japanese ports to oreign countries are about 12,000 vessels

NO EXPLANATION FROM SWEETENHAM

THE GOVERNOR'S ACTION CONDEMNED

Incident Closed As Far as Great **Britain and United States are** Concerned.

London, Jan. 24.-President Roose velt's assurance through Assistant Se retary of State Bacon, that the United States will pay no heed to the Kingeton incident, coupled with the press dispatches stating that the American elicit some apprediative expressions of satisfaction from the officials and pub-lic here who do not desire to prolong the painful controversy. However, the closing of the incident is considered to apply to the international aspect only,

nor Sweetenam.

Several circumstances quite independent of the incident in which Rear Admiral Davis was connected and not coming through American channels are combining to create prejudice against weetenham's cause

Sweetenham's cause.

A special dispatch from Kingston announces that a number of ships are arriving there in the nick of time as the local supplies of food were running short. The dispatch, however, adds "In view of the governor's action in refusing American assistance and gifts the disposition of the latest consen-

A dispatch to the Times says concern A dispatch to the Times says concern-ing Governor Sweetenham's action in depriving thousands of women and children of food and shelter, "promi-nent English officials, clergymen and judges join in condemning the goverjudges join in condemning the gover-nor's course. It is also considered sig-nificant that the chief organ of the government, the London Tribune, is in-censed because, the governor refused its offer of relief and supplies from England. The merchants here have been aroused by the passage in the governor's letter stating that they would be sided of the free help of the

conduct of His Excellency in the pre-sent crisis. His general behaviour at a moment of peril and difficulty was un-worthy a responsible British official and even an uncultured Englishman. His letter to Rear-Adelmal Davis was a production of which he ought to be ashamed; of which the Jamaclans are sahamed. The United States is a friendly nation, their bone is British and their fless la British and no one friendly nation, their bone is British and their fiesh is British, and no one but a blinded bigot would have refused to admit the American's landing parties. The men from the American warships did magnificent work in removships did magnificent work in removing the debris and removing bodies and
the naval surgeons performed splendid
service. The action of the governor
was also equally the opposite. We
want a man who does not spend his
time riding about the city cursing offcials who are enedeavoring to work loyally. The people of this community
have lost confidence in his power of

COLD SNAP.

Most Severe Known in Connecticut in Many Years.

(Associated Press.)
New Haven, Conn., Jan. 24.—Not since February 5th, 1886, has the thermometer registered such a low point as it did at 5 o'clock to-day, the mercury it did at 5 o'clock to-day, the mercury at that hour showing seven degrees. From about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon it grew steadily colder and the prospects are that the frigid weather will hold out during the day. Reports from all parts of the state show that the present cold snap is the most severe known in many years and as a result a great ice crop is expected to be harvested.

PACIFIC COAST **SERVICE TO MEXICO**

General Manager of the New Steamship Line Speaks Glowingly of the Prospects of Trade.

will sail from Sailna Cruz on the 1st of April, we hope, and then the project will have been inaugurated.

"The ports of call in British Columbia will be Victoria and Vancouver, and on the Mexican coast, Mazatian, Manzanllia, Acapulco, and Salina Cruz. The latter port is the terminus of the new Tehuantepec National Railway, which was formally inauguarated yesterday, Over this line we hope to do a very large trade,

"We will start the line with the steamships Georgia and Lonsdate. They are collipper built, three-magters, capable of steaming twelve or thirteen knots an hour, and are thus well in excess of

hour, and are thus well in excess of the government requirements, which ask

the government requirements, which ask for ten knots. They are both about 4,500 tons dead weight.

"These vessels will each carry 20 saloon and about 200 steerage passen-gers. (We expect that the passenger traffic will be nearly altogether of a shall at once add other vessels to started. In a very short time an office will be opened at Vancouver.

On the Mexican coast we shall comThe Canadian-Mexican Pacific

the line.

"On the Mexican coast we shall commence by calling at the ports named. The merchandise will be shipped or entrained from these to smaller ports, and if we find that the trade grows

"On the first voyages between British and with the Columbia and Mexico, and vice versa, zacoaleos."

Captain T. H. Worsnop, the general manager of the Canadian-Mexican Pacific steamship line, which will shortly operate between Vancouver, Victoria and Mexicah ports, is now in the city making final arrangements in connection with the enterprise. He is accompanied by F. E. Dixon, one of the working partners in Harris & Dixon, of London, a firm which is one of the largest shipowners in Engiand.

The new steamship company has been reganized and capitalized by Messis. Harris & Dixon, who are associated with G. F. Symons. These London concerns own 21 steamships, which ply all over the world, and the partners of these firms, who are the prime movers in the enterprise, have subscribed the capital for the Canadian-Mexican Pacific Steamship, Company.

Captain Worsnop is very optimistic in connection with the new enterprise and gave some interesting details this morning.

"Victoria will be our headquarters on the Pacific, he said." J. H. Greer has been appointed freight and passenger agent for Brittsh Columbia. To him is due the suggestion of this scheme, which is now or her way here will sail from Salina Cruz on the lat of April, we hope, and then the project will have been inaugurated.

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"Captain Worsnop is very optimistic in connection with the new enterprise and sail. All indications point to an enormous and ever extending trade. The general chartering, brokerage and insurance will be done at the head office of the company in London."

Captain Worsnop is very enthusiastic over the project, and considers that there are few finer fields for commercial and shipping enterprise than that along very indication points to the birth of a great enterprise. "We are breaking virgin ground," he sail, in conclusion, "and are giving yet another impetute to the future of Birtish Columbia, which I the ports of call in British Columbia will be victoria and Vangouver, and on the bear of the project, and the project is the future of Birtish Columbia, which I the p

son to believe has the greatest natural resources of any equally large tract of country in the world."

Captain Worsnop will remain in the city until Saturday, when he will leave for the Mexican ports where the new steamship line will call. There he will take the second of the seco make all arrangements at that end, and will enter into negotiations with large commercial interests with which he is already in touch. In the meantimeduring his brief stay here he will confer with J. H. Greer, the local agent, and discuss all the ramifications of the spheric.

F. E. Dixon will only remain on the the government requirements, which ask for ten knots. They are both about 4.500 tons dead weight.

"These vessels will each carry 20 will then return to London. Captain work aloon and about 200 steerage passengers. We expect that the passenger traffic will be nearly altogether of a commercial nature. If either the passenger or the freight traffic warrants it, we shall at once add other vessels in the passenger or the freight traffic warrants it, we shall at once add other vessels in the passenger or the freight traffic warrants it, we shall at once add other vessels in the passenger or the freight traffic warrants it, we shall at once add other vessels in the passenger or the freight traffic warrants it.

The very fast, as we have every reason to ally inaugurated. Already the Ameri-National railway has just been form re it will we will make several can Hawaiian Steamship Company has

GOVERNMENT **TELEPHONES**

EXTENSIVE SCHEME **OUTLINED FOR ALBERTA**

LIBERAL RALLY AT OAK BAY SCHOOL

MEETING TO-NIGHT FOR

Long Distance Lines and Rural Service Exchanges Will Be Constructed in Province.

(Associated Press.) Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 24.-Speaking

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 24.—Speaking at a convention last night Attorney-General Cross and J. B. Boyle, deputy speaker of the Alberta Legislature, forecasted the construction by the provincial government not only of long distance lines all over the province, but of rurial service exchanges in all parts of Alberta. Their forecast means that of rurial service exchanges in all parts of Alberta. Their forecast means that Alberta is going into the telephone busines on a more extensive scale than before attempted by any other government in the world.

The gathering will be a joint one in the interests of the local and the Saan-ich associations. There is expected to be a large attendance, not only of those within the city riding, but also from the Saanich constituence.

His Excellency's musical and theatrical grophy competition being held next Monday, January 28th: Monday, Ottawa minstrel performance "Grimgoire"; January 29th, Quebec symphony concert, Halifax, "Captain Swift"; January 30th, His Excellency's reception; January 30th, His Excellency's reception; January 31th, Hamilton, "The Deacon" and "Kitty Clive," St. Johns, Nidd, boys' brigade band, February let, Montreal choral society, Toronto "She Stoops to Conquer"; February 2nd, Winnipes, "The Release of Alian Danvers," Montreal, "Arms and the Man."

CITY AND SAANICH

Big Meeting in Esquimalt on Saturday Night --- W. W. B. McInnes to Speak.

in the Oak Bay school house this even-ing to be addressed by the Liberal candidates for the city, and John Piercy, the Liberal standard bearer for to address the meeting.

The Esquimalt Meeting.

Programme of Performances For the Governor-General's Trophy.

(Associated Press.)

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—Following is the latest and final draft of the programme of performances, etc., for the week of His Excellency's musical and theatrical receiving competition being held next.

candidates for Victoria, and A. W. Mc-Curdy.
Following the Saturday night's meeting, which will be heldein the Masonic hall, Esquimait, there will be public gatherings in the interests of John Jardine in the Colwood hotel on Monday evening; Charter's hall, Sooke, on Wednesday; Parson's Bridge hotel Thursday and the Lampson street school house at Esquimait on Friday night.

The Liberal candidates in the city will hold a meeting to-morrow aven-

OFFICIAL BALL AT **GOVERNMENT HOUSE**

Elaborate Arrangements Being Made

For the function to be field

Jan. 31st.

On Jan. 31st.

Kingston, Ja., Jan. 34.—The Most Rev. Dr. Enco. Nuttall, lord archbishop of the West Indies, sald to-day that he had heard here that the people of Janualca should accept for-legn assistance. He said he trusted His Majesty had not given utterance to this sentiment, and that if he had the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been warned to leave their homes for the present, as there is grave danger than the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the archbishop said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the steamer of the sent said and the steamer of the sent said and the steamer of the sent said and the steamer of the sent said the sent said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the steamer of the sent said that he believed a great mistake had been made when the steamer of the sent said that he believed a great made when the steamer of the sent said that he believed a great from Colon artived the sent will the s

a head the rumors which have been circulating both here and in Vancouver for some time.

The evident distaste of a large and formerly influential element of the Conservative party for Mr. Green was no mystery in clubland, and indeed in financial circles. Shortly before Mr. Green's resignation this element endeavored to bludgeon the premier into compelling Mr. Green's retirement, threatening to withdraw their support. It was not until they threatened, however, to not only withdraw their support-but to use the present scandal against the government, that Premier McBride consented to part with his right-hand man.

In view of the recent revelations of the connection between the Transportation Exploration Syndicate's dealings and 3. F. Green, while the latter was chief commissioner of lands and works it is no wender that financial men in the province have decided to take an active part in the present campaign and accomplish the defeat of the McBride administration.

It is pointed out by them that it is a shocking thing to have the credit of the

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OF ALBERTA

MEASURES PROPOSED BY THE GOVERNMENT

Wide Variety of Subjects Will Dealt With During the Present

Session

(Associated Press.)

Edmonton, Jan. 24.—The Legislative Assembly of Alberta opened to-day. The speech from the throne refers to the unpralleled development in Western Canada actionical Alberta Canada, particularly Alberta, and gi thanks for the bountiful harvest thanks for the bountiful narvest of the past year and material prosperity. It also refers to the conference of premiers of the various provinces held at Ottawa, as a result of which it is gratifying to observe that a fair basis of division, as between the provinces and the Dominion, was arranged.

nd the Dominion.

The bill giving increased representation to Alberta in the House of Comlia mentioned, also the visit of
LAAV Grey

province of courts of justice.

Increased activity in railway

Increased activity in railway construction makes it imperative that provisions be made for a uniform law governing railways within the province. A measure providing for a complete system of administration of insolvent estates upon the most approved lines will be submitted. An act respecting the custody of insane persons and the disposition of their property includes a scheme for the support of the insane out of their own property where possible.

THE THAW TRIAL.

Only Two Jurors Were Selected at the

(Associated Press.) New York Jan. 24.—None of the confusion which was so apparent yesterday marked-the opening of the second day of the trial of Harry K. Thaw on the charge—of murdering Stanford

day there were two jurors in the box. D. B. Smith No. 1 and Chas. H. Feck. No. 2. Nearly half an hour before the prisoner's wire and then came are and Mrs. G. L. Carnegie. Thaw's counsel reached the court room shortly, before 10.30 o'clock, at waich time Thaw was in the prisoner's pen waiting to make his entrance. The newspaper men and jury talesmen again filled every seat in the room and the public was barred. Justice Pitzgerald was on the bench Justice Fitzgerald was on the bench promptly at 10.30 on the call of the roll of the special panel.

BATTLING FOR STRAITS

Nearly Fifty Sailing Vessels Preven by East Winds From Making Puget Sound.

signees feel estinged that she is some where outside butting against. the heavy east winds, which have prevailed for four 2nd, E. W. McStay, aged is years.

or five weeks.

The barkentine Everett G. Griggs, of Honolulu, is also among the storm-stayed fleet. She is nearing the time when she will be listed.

meet. She is nearing the time when she will be listed.

The ship James Johnson, bound from San Pedro to Seattle, is several days at and tug captaing think she is somewhere outside. A score of others, which should call here for parts of their cargoes or which have small consignments for Seattle and Tacoma are daily expected.

"A westerly wind," said Capt. Blekum this morning, "would fill the harbor with sailing vessels, far more of them than we could handle comfortably. Until the wind changes to southwest, northwest or some direction other than dead ahead we will be at a standstill."

SCHOONER ABANDONED.

(Associated Press.)

(Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 24.—Capt. Hardy and five men who composed the crew of the schooner F. Filman were brought here to-day on the stemming Co. The Filman sprang a leak off Cape Elizabeth lagt Tuesday and was abandoned at midnight that night when the Manhattan, bound from Portland for New York, ran down to her assistance.

—Three of the newly-appointed city council committees meet at the city hall to-day. The health and morals committee meets at 5 p.m., home committee at 8 p.m. and fire wardens at the latter time.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

W. J. Connors, Vancouver; A. K. Loder, scattle; S. Wakefield, Portland, Ore; W. Clark, Duncans; A. Slater, San Francisco; B. Manning, Seattle; F. G. Hockhurst,

Union Meeting Saanich and Victoria Oak Bay School Thursday.

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RAILWAY RATES.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Jan. 24.-Hon. H. R. Emme on at the railway committee to-day nade the important statement that

Chairman Killam, of the railway com nission, had the passenger rates of all Dominion railways under consideration, and was going to treat them together. This statement was in reply to the pressure to reduce rates on the line from Regina to Prince Albert from three and half cents to three cents a

M'LENNAN-At Vancouver, on Jan. 22nd Neil McLennan, aged 70 years.

221d, E. W. McCola, accept the Mospital, on the 23rd inst., Thomas Moffat, aged 78 years, a native of Berwick, Scotland.

The funeral will take piace on Friday at 2 p. m. from the pariors of W. J. Hanna, Yates street.

Friends please accept this intimation.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MRS. A. E. THOMSON, nurse, removed to 24 Farquhar street. WANTED-16 first-class carpenters, at once. Apply 16 Broad street.

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Death of Mother and Daughter in Se attle Due Directly to Lack of Fuel.

"Mrs. Mary C. Palmer, aged 74 years, and Mrs. Emma Nancarrow, her daughter, died, within eleven hours of each other Wednesday from pneumenia

treet, where they lived in two house-

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THE TRIAL OF HARRY K. THAW

CHARGED WITH THE

Justice Fitzgerald took his sent at 16.26 am, and then the trial was on. There was a decided stir in court when two prominent alignists. Doctors, C. McDonald and Austin Filmt, were escorted into the court and given seats inside the clerks' rafi; where they consulted with Mr. Jerome.

Deming B. Smith, fifty years old, was accepted and sworn as the first juror in the Thaw trial. When the roll call

each other Wednesday from pneumenia contracted as a direct result of the coal famine," says the Seattle Post-Timeningencer. "The aged woman, who had deprived herself of enough fuel to keep herself warin so that her daughter might be comparatively comfortable, hore up as long as she could, but last Saturday morning she was unable to arise from her bed and passed away Wedneday morning at a few minutes past 3 o'clock. Shortly before 4 o'clock in the afternoon the daughter, who was 22 years of age, died, within a few feet in the Thaw trial. When the roll call of the jury panel was begun there were several absent and the court im-

> he court room absolute order be main-"Harry K. Thaw to the bar," shouted

her last, who deaths are directly traced to lack of coal. The two women had little or no fuel a great deal of the time they were ill. They were unable to get it, according to the physician who attended them, although they had the money with which to purchase what they wished. Mrs. Palmer and daughter conducted the Bloomfield hotel at First avenue and Virginia street, where they lived in two house-The prisoner appeared almost immediately. He walked somewhat nervous-ly at first, but when he caught sight of his mother and wife and the other members of his family his somewhat solemn face lighted into a smile. He

The trees there are like weather-beaten, moss-covered boulders. Their roots are deep in the ground, but they are too hard to be of the ground, but they are too hard to be of the ground t THE FASHIONABLE PASTIME OF days in which to file authorities in sup-THE HOUR. port of their application for a writ of

ENDED HIS LIFE.

scattle, Jan. 22.—Successive business changes proving unsatisfactory, Frank McDevitt, after suffering three weeks from melanchbila, blew out his brains at noon' to-day. McDevitt was married and lived in 1705 Eighteenth avenue, and it was there that he committed suicide.

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McDevitt had been engaged in various pursuits ind in recent months had been a book agent, selling a "Life of Jefferson." His profits were satisfactory, but he did not like the work. Six weeks ago he engaged in the real estate business in Vancouver, B.C. Real estate proved a fallure and he returned to Seattle and resumed his work selling the "Life of Jefferson."

Mrs. McDevitt saw signs of despondency, but never dreamed that her husband would try to take his own life. To-day at noon, however, he came home, went upstairs to his room and shot, himself. He died instantly.

Magnificent Spectacle Afforded By Giant Volcano in the Hawaiian Islands.

Honolulu, Jan. 16 .- Via San Francis co, Jan. 23.-At midnight on day, January 9th, the people of nearly all parts of Hawaii swoke to the realization that the splendid speciacle of an outbreak of Mauna Loa was before

Disorderly Scenes in Court House

Prior to the Opening of

the Case.

New York, Jan. 23.—Scenes approaching absolute disorder attended the opening of the trial of Harry K. Thaw to-day on the charge of murdering Stanford White. Most of the clashes were between reporters and the police. Of the newspaper men these were two houndred, and there was a policeman for each. The great squad of bluecoats were commanded by a police inspector. Only. about fifty newspaper men were admitted, the remainder of the space in the court room being reserved for the talesmen summoned on the special jury panel.

The trial began before Justice Fitzgerald in part one of the trial term of the superior court, and was scheduled for 10.30.

Before that time the police-lines had been extended from the corridor adjacent to the court room to include the entire first floor of the criminal court building. The sublic had been warned in advance not fee attempt to get into the court room and few appeared. The quarrels with the police preceding the trial were quickly forgotten when at 10 o'clock Mrs. Thaw, mother of the defendant, appeared in the court room. Following her came the Countess of Yarmouth and Mrs. Gl. Carnegie, her daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Ness Wishle, as it has now been ascertained, we suited the conty room the counters of the coun Before that time the police lines had been extended from the corridor adjacent, to the court rooms to include the entire first floor of the criminal court building. The public had been warned in advance not attempt to get into the court room and few appeared. The quarrels with the police preceding the trial were quickly forgotten when at 10 o'clock Mrs. Thaw, mother of the defendant, appeared in the court room. Following her came the Countess of Yarmouth and Mrs. G. L. Carnegie, her daughters. Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of Harry, and was clossly followed by May McKenzie, the actress. The party of relatives was completed by Edward Thaw, Harry's brother, and George Carnegle, his brother-in-law. The Countess of Yarmouth wore a modest brown cloth gown, a brown fur hat and veil. Mrs. Evelyn Thaw was dressed all in gray with a hat and veil of the same color. District Attorney Jerome appeared in court at 10:20. At this time most of the talesmen had arrived and the room was crowded.

Justice Pitzgerald took his seat at 10:26 a.m. and then the trial was on. There was a decided stir in court when it we promise the light to the waters of the Pacific, at first mid-ing itself in a great mass of steam and killing every itving thing in the waters.

ing itself in a great mass of steam and killing every living thing in the waters, which it set a-boiling.

Officials Enjoined From Making Pro

St. Paul, Jan. 22.—In the Ramsaycounty district court to-day, Justice
Oscar Hallam signed an order egioning the officials of the Great Northern
Rallway Company from making the
proposed increase of \$5,000,000 worth of
additional stock of that company or issuing the same or a pare thereof during
the reading littication without first suing the same or a part thereof during the pending litigation without first making an application in writing therefor to the Minnesota railway and warehouse commission and securing its approval thereof as provided by section 2872 of the revised laws of 1905.

This is a victory thus far for the state in the action brought last month by Attorney-General Young to compel the railroad to recognize the state rail-way and warehouse commission before

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San Francisco, Jan. 22.—Judge Dunne to-day, in the superior court, denied all the motions made by the attorneys for Mayor Schmitz and the railway and warehouse commission was unconstitutional. street, where they lived in two housekeeping rooms.

"It was twelve days ago that Mrs.
Emina Nancarrow, the daughter, was
stricken with pneumonia. Before she
Decanic III, the coal had run very low,
and only enough had been used to heat
thoroughly the rooms the two women
occupied. They were unable to get the
fuel, although they ordered it many
times and made attempts to get ft.

"Mrs. Paimer, in order that her
daughter might be kept warm, deprived herself of enough fuel to warm
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SECRETARY ROOT

Montreal, Jan. 23.-United States Se Montreal, Jan. 23.—United States Sec-cretary 3 of State Root returned to Montreal last evening accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Root. They will be the guests of Lord Stratheona until Thurs-day, when the party leaves for Wash-

FATAL SNOWSLIDE.

Cook Killed Near Salmo-Several Miners Had Narrow Escapes.

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Montreal, Jan. 23.—Before leaving for Winnipeg, Mr. Whyte, in consultather members of the Canadian Pacific changes in the West carried out. The

appointments have been made, and a circular confirming them and notifying all officials will be issued forthwith. The creation of a western staff with

Mr. Bury's present position of general superintendent goes to A. Price, superintendent of transportation, the latter position abolished.

Superintendent Marpole, of the Pacific division, is to be assigned other duties at the coast, and his position is given to F. F. Busteed, assistant chief engineer of the companay.

The changes go into effect forthwith.

MAY DEMAND RECALD

Feeling Is Strong Against the Governor of Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, Jan. 22.—The publication in the Daily Telegraph of Governor Swettenham's letter to Rear Admiral Davis has greatly intensified the resentment of the residents against the Governor for rebuffing the tenders of American assistance, and there is a movement on foot erhe to demand his recall.

The correspondent of the Associated Press saught Governor Swettenham and spoke to him of the Davis incident. The Governor said that he had not invited Rear Admiral Davis to land sallors. Asked if he endorsed the action taken by Rear-Admiral Davis, the Governor, replied: "That is a matter between myself and Rear Admiral Davis, the Will Send Tents.

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Washington, Jan. 23.—The United States secretary of war received a cablegram from Gen. Wint at Havana, commanding the American forces in Cuba, seying that at the request of the British minister at Havana, he had made arrangements for the shipment of a number of army-tents to Kingston for the shelter of the people in distress. The secretary has approved Gen. Wint's action.

HERMIT MURDERED.

Clair, Wis., Jan. 23.-The bod

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Calgary, Jan. 23. Calgary was visited yesterday by the most acceptable and delightful chinook weather that been discontinued the day before, and just as it is carried on the year round in an ordinary winter. Stonemasons, carpenters and other building trades are in active work. This was not so agreeable to the bonspiel which began yesterday morning.

Raymond, Alta., Jan, 28.—A chinook has been in progress for twenty-four hours. The grass is in sight on the ranges around here.

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WORD WITH MESSRS. THOM-

candidates of the McBride govroment in this city have made their first addresses to the constituents they aspire to represent. It' may be pre-Thomson, Behnsen and Davey have unof this constituency. Did they deal with any of the acts of the McBride government which may reasonably be attitude of their colleague the Premier upon such matters as the disposition of he Indian reserve, the demand for free water for the grounds surrounding the Parliament buildings, the site for the British Columbia Paint Company's their attention. Perhaps they believe such picayunish matters are best dis-

If such be their attitude, will they

affects the city of Victoria. cational centre of British Columbia also. They know that if natural laws educational centre of the Farthest. government's educational policy,

degrees of, that university.

The purpose of this legislation, it is culte apparent, is to constitute McGill University the official organ for the conduct of higher education in this province. That is to say, the legisla-demnation from the country as a Ganges, B. C., Jan. 28rd, 1997.

college is to be a member of the group of colleges forming McGill University. the status of an institution of learning receiving the special countenance of the province. With the prestige Chief Commissioner of Lands and arising from its official connection with Works? Surely it will not be seriously the government there would seem to be title doubt that such an institution esiblished under such auspices could for hing years to come successfully withstand all efforts to replace it by a such evidence out of existence? Why traily provincial university conducted is it that Sir Hibbert Tupper, whose by the people of this province. There personal standing and loyalty to the can be no doubt that this is what the Conservative party will scarcely be promoters of the legislation under questioned, has not a word to consideration had in view, Will defence of the McBride govern Messrs. Thomson, Behnsen and Davey, Why is it that Charles Wilson, K. C., who have undertaken to carry the once leader of the Conservative party burden of the McBride government's in British Columbia and a member of sins of discrimination against the real interests of this city, undertake to ex- McBride administration without vouchplain why control over higher in the safing any explanation of his action province should be thus abdicated? contrary to all constitutional precedent Why should the nomination of the site, and practice? It is very well known in the province be thus committed by law because he did not approve of the adto a corporation domiciled and controlled in Montreal? Do the men who as- Department, although he was too in pire to represent Victoria suppose that such nomination will, not fix, as the be Conservative principles and too true

ed a desire to prevent a full apprecia-tion of its nature by the people outside there is one leading Conservative in the walls of the House. The protests British Columbia so regardful of the of other universities and of local au- good name of the province and so conthorities were curtly dismissed. Is it cerned about the future of the party not evident that the government wish- in which he has long been a prominent ed to avoid a fair and full discussion figure that he will not permit his name of the considerations which ought to to be associated with the shameful determine the ultimate selection of a transactions upon which the light of site for a provincial university?

this act, the controlling board of which | the only Conservative in the province out of a total membership of eight in- who condemns the government, and for cludes two members of the govern-ment, has assumed control of the High School at Vancouver and has taken over the provincial grant in aid of that the majority of Conservatives have deschool. Of the members of the government who pressed the measure through general result will prove that the con-the Legislaure, and insisted that its flict now proceeding is not a party passage must be expedited for reasons contest, but a fight for the vindication that are now apparent, two were minsters representing Vancouver, while a third resides in Vancouver and repre. The conduct of the MoBride governs

ented an adjoining constituency.

We call the attention of Messrs. Thomson, Behnsen and Davey to this, most discreditable episodes in the hismatter in the hope that it may be con-sidered of sufficient proportions to call fact is now brought to light that the for an expression of their individual legal and other expenses incurred for views and in the hope that they may the benefit of the Conservative party umed, we suppose, that Messrs, for an expression of their individual dertaken to assume responsibility for be able to throw some light upon it in this connection, instead of being paid the course of the government whose that will prove a defence of the course by the party, were paid out of the procause they espouse in so far as that course affects the particular interests strengthen with their support. They might also, call the attention of their sense of decency in public affairs. distinguished colleague the premier to the matter, as we are sure the people At the Spring Ridge meeting Mr. J.

an attempt to explain or to defend the mind o' a wheel," says Sandy. "Why works and the opposition of the Pre- latest scandalous revelation with reworks and the opposition of the Pre- latest works and works denote the space the grant works and works Departs. tion of the Lands and Works Department. In the meantime the organs of missed with a poef and a wave of the the government claim there is no truth steadily increased in strength since the in the story and ask the public to sus. Year 1896, when the Laurier government permit us to draw their attention to pend judgment until the ministers can another question they may consider, and we believe the people of Victoria de consider, of some importance? We which have condoned, and even comdo consider, of some importance. We refer to the university question as is mended, the Kaien Island and the ruary 2nd.

Kitimaat land transactions, as well as Whatever the leader of Mesers, all the minor deals in which Mr. Green A well-known citizen was asked, Whatever the leader of seasons. Thomson, Hebnsen and Davey may has been involved, to admit that there think, the people of Victoria believe is any truth in the reports of the last of the think, the people of Victoria believe but not the last, affair that has given that this city, by reason of its climatic advantages and the fact that it is the legislative centre of the province, is the specially qualified to become the eduwrons-doing in the connection between wrong-doing in the connection between Mr. Green and Sir Adolph Caron. But were permitted to exert their legiti- why is it that the ministers are so influence it would become the slow in coming to the defence of their | The Conservative party has no faith late colleague and in explaining the in its own strength to win elections. It West. The McBride government has details of what appears to be such an does hope to win however, by its usual undertaken to thwart and pervert the forces of gravity with respect to edu-cation. For the benefit of the support-are far from all avenues of communiers of the McBride government in this cation and cannot be reached. That city we shall endeavor to point out cation and cannot be reached. That cannot be said of all the members of the government surely. It cannot be true of Hon. F. L. Carter-Cotton, who for some reason is regarded with distruct by his colleagues in the candidates and their parties. some of the objectionable features of government surely. It cannot be true some reason is regarded with dis-trust by his colleagues in the and we ask Messrs. Thomson, Behnsen and Davey to controvert our statetrust by his colleagues in the reason of the cabinet, The President of the cabinet, McPhillips first, may I ask what that excellent gentleman did for victoria while he was a member for that cabinet, Mr. McPhillips did nothing of importance, or to warrant consideration, for Victoria. Then there is nothing to should support them and keep the government they represent in power.

The legislation relating to McGall University introduced by and passed under pressure from the government, then, has several objectional features. This legislation creates the Royal Institution for the Advancement of Learning (a sufficiently high-sounding title, by the way), of which the Minister of Education, for the time being, are made ex-officion members. This body is given power to establish, "at such place in British Columbia as McGill University may designate," a college for the higher education of men and women, which, the act provides, shall be deemed to be a college of McGill University. The courses of study in this college are to be presecribed by, and the degrees of, "that university."

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tion aims at giving to the college to whole. And why is it that no attempt be established under it, although that has been made to explain the fact up-

bers of the government either can wipe discreetly loyal to what he believed to government desired it should fix, the to what he evidently believed to be seat of that institution for more than one generation?

Would bring his late colleagues and The bill in question was rushed his party into disrepute. The public through the Legislature with an impatience which unmistakably manifesting and to the artitude of Sir Hilbert alte for a provincial university?

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of the good name of British Columbia.

whose suffrages he asks would like L. Beckwith, after retailing his usual claimed to be inimical to the interests whose suffrages he asks would like of Victoria? Possibly they consider the very much to have his views on it. Village goskip, paid his respects to the Times. This gentleman always re-MERELY A GENERAL DENIAL, minds one of the story of Sandy and the minister discussing the latest ser-Not one of the members of the Mc- man in the kirk." "What did you think Bride government has yet ventured of the sermon, Sandy?" "It put me in like a wheel?" asked the minister. "The longer the spoke the greater the tire,"

believe this latest discovery crookedness to be well founded."

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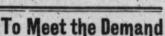
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VICTORIA WEATHER

Chatham street, mourn the death o their Infant son, aged three months The funeral will take place to-morrow at 4 o'clock, Rev. D. McRae officiat-

City Coroner E. C. Hart held an inquest this afternoon into the death of W. White, the colored man who was found dead in his shack on Cook Street. The following jurymen were empaneited: Haroid Burnett, Thomas McConnell, George Fish, Clarence Fish, Augustus Westendale, James Murray, After viewing the body the jury returned a verdict of "death from natural causes."

WEATHER

Wednesday, Jan. 23.

Join the Y.M.C.A. DAILY

Piercy and the Winning Four at Oak Bay School Thursday Night.

The Full court is not sitting to-day owing to the fact that both Chief Jus-tice Hunter and Mr. Justice Martin are indisposed and unable to attend to

—All officers and members of the Margherita Mandolin Club are particularly requested to attend a meeting this avening at 3 o'clock, at the residence of their honorary president, Mrs. M. D. Harris, 42 Superior street.

Pretty hard when you can't improve on a thing, is it not? We have some cheap blankets at \$2.50. You might improve on them, but our celebrated Skeldon and Riversford blankets are the best in the world \$1 lb.

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To carry ore from the iron mines on Quatsino Sound to the steel works of the Irondale Furnace Company, Seattle, a number of the wooden vessels in the Dallas line are reported to have been taken over yesterday by James F. Moore, president of the com-

A quiet wedding took place yester-day afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Dixi H. Ross. 35 Hillside avenue, when Mr. Walter J. Miroy, of Nome, Alaska, formerly of Olympia, Washington, was nited in marriage to Bella Wellham. frev. W. Leelle Clay officiated, and just the immediate family was present. Mr. and Mrs. Milroy left on the Indian-apolis and expect to go direct to Southern California. One their return they will reside in Seattle.

-The steamer Condor, from Tacoma, The steamer Condor, from Tacoma, reached the outer wharf at noon today, and is discharging 500 sacks of nitrate, consigned from South America to Victoria. She is a green-funnelled freighter, owned by the Grace Company, of New York, and is on her first trip to this port. For Tacoma, which was reached last Friday, she brought 2,500 tons of ore from Callon. The captain reports a fairly rough passage from the latter port. After discharging her cargo for Victoria, the Condor will proceed to Frisco to load.

Trozen mains of the city was put into operation yesterday and, geotoring the is similar to the ones which are used in many of the eastern cities for the same purpose, and will considerably expedite the work of restoring the water system to working order. In some cases as many as eighteen or the wester system to working order. In some cases as many as eighteen or the wester system to working order. In some cases as many as eighteen or the wester system to working order. In some cases as many as eighteen or the considered in comparison with the old-fashloned method. Very few of the city mains have been burst by the frost and, if the weather holds good, Mr. Raymur hopes to have all breaks "college in a very short time."

On Arriving in the same and women cannot are the first the most valuable automobile ever brought to Victoria is that recently received by His Hallan Gear.

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POULTRY SHOW FORMALLY OPENED

Exhibition Opened By His Honor the Lt.-Governor--Largest in Association's History.

This afternoon His Honor, James e. formally opened the poultry and The exhibition which is now in full swing is the largest in the history of the organization, and the birds entered are of the very best quality. Those connected with the association are to be congratulated upon the excellent arrangements which have been made for the show, and which are contributing so much to the success of it.

H. H. Collier, who is acting as judge this year began his work agate.

this year began his work yesterday. He has still considerable to do, and it is awarding of the prizes until to-morrow.
The competition in nearly all the classes is very keen, and Mr. Collier has consequently an exacting duty to

mainder of the week from 8 o'clock in the morning until 10 at night. For the opening this afternoon tickets were issued for the tombols, the grand prize being an incubator.

Mr. Moore, the editor of the Poultry and Farm Journal published in Ta-coma, is attending the exhibition in the

interests of his publication. After vis-iting various other poultry shows dur-ing the season he pronounces Victoria's being on a par with the best.

PROSPECTS BRIGHT

The usual meeting of the Citizens' League will not be held to-morrow, but is postponed to Friday. February 1st, in consequence of the important meeting to be addressed by the Rev. Dr. Chown in the Y. M. C. A., as an nounced elsewhere. Geo. E. Ledingham, an old Victoria boy, who has resided for the last four years in Cariboo district, arrived in the city a few days ago. Mr. Ledingham says there is no question but two Liberals will be returned for his district with good majorities. Mr. Yorston may be truthfully described as solid in the southern portion of the district, as he will receive Conservative as well as Liberal support in those parts. Mr. Jones, on the other hand, will poll a very fair majority in the northern part of the district, which has more Conservatives in it than in the other portions. Mr. Jones is well liked, and has made a creditable representative. At 150-Mile House the Liberals expect to have 40 majority. The two things which are defeating the government are the school question and extra taxation, and, coupled with these, a shameful neglect of the district. Mr. Chas. Wilson had arrived, but his reception at the Porks and Chileottin had not been encouraging.

Of the four candidates, Mr. Wilson -Rev. Dr. Chown, travelling secre-Rev. Dr. Chown, travelling secre-tary for meral and temperance reform for the Methodist church will deliver a lecture to-morrow evening, to which all politicians and others interested are invited at the Y. M. C. A. His subject is "Good Citizenship and Clean Poli-tics." No admission will be charged but a collection will be taken up. —It affords us no particular satisfaction to be able to offer our pat-rons a choice of the valuable line of standard and reference works listed in the advertisement on page 2. The terms at which these goods were secured enat which these goods were secured en-able us to give our readers exception-ally fine editions at such unusual prices that we advise you to call, write or telegphone 22 promptly and full par-ticulars will be sent you, T. N. Hibben & Co.

Forks and Chilottin had not been en-couraging.

Of the four candidates, Mr. Wilson would receive the lowest number of votes on election day.

The reports from Lillooet were looked upon as hopeful. Mr. Eagleson was mak-ing a hard fight, and, contrary to general opinion on the Coast, he was believed up-country to be strictly in the running.

No alliance with those revoludown our flag; but on the con-trary, co-operation with that great body of labor which would reform abuses in a constitu-tional way.-J. A. Macdonald.

THE GOVERNOR'S NEW AUTO.

Thomas Moffat, a native of Scot-land, 78 years of age, died in St. Joseph's Rospital yesterday. Deceased was suddenly seized with sickness a few days ago and never rallied. He leaves one relative to mourn his loss, a nephew, T. Moffat, who is chief en-gineer on the steamer Charmer. The Satisfactorily Tested Over Rough Roads—French Car With Italian Gear.

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Steamer Tango Maru. Captain Moses, of the Nippon Yusen Khisha line, reached Victoria yeaterday shortly after 4 p. m. She left Yokohama on the 9th inst. During the first part of the voyage she was favored with light head winds blowing in a southeasterty direction. She made fast time until coming off the coast of Vancouver Island early on Monday. There a dense pall of fog overhung the waters, and it was decided to wait until the anti-cyclonic conditions disappeared. The vessel was hung up until yestgrday morning, when the fog litted and she was anabled to reach port.

THE SOUND ROUTE Steamer Princess May, which has overhauled and is now being painted replace the Princess Beatrice on the toria-Seattle route or January 28th. When the Princess Beatrice is take the run she will be placed on the Vici Skagway route.

MARINE NOTES.

It is expected that the Princess Vic-toria, which is undergoing repairs at Esquimalt, will be ready for service early in Pebruary. She will then replace the Charmer on the Victoria-Vancouver

Steamer Monteagle, which has be undergoing repairs to heavy damages which she sustained during the recent diaestrous typhoon at Hongkong, will sail from that port for Victoria on February

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Steamer Capilano sailed this afternoon from Victoria for Prince Rupert. She carried three air compressors for Pachena Point lighthouse and three gas buoys for Prince Rupert harbor.

Steamer Tartar left Yokohama on January 19th, and is due to arrive here on February 2nd.

C. P. R. steamer Amur is due to sail to-night for Northern ports.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

Report Regarding Loss of Memory Denied by His Son.

A correspondent recently drew Austen Chamberlain's attention to the fol-lowing report concerning his father's health:

"On the day he, Mr. Chambe "On the day he, Mr. Chamberiain, received the congratulations of the citizens of Birmingham on the attainment
of his seventieth birthday the fatigue
of driving over sixfy miles of streets
and the necessity of speaking as often
as possible overtaxed the strength of
the septuagenarian statesman. It is
stated, that one of his younger comceations, although no public speaking. stated, that one of his younger com-panions, although no public speaking fell to his share, was intensely fati-gued. The effect of the exertion on Mr. Chamberlain declared itself in a few hours. He lost his memory completely. hours. He lost his memory completely. The past was a blank he could not remember what had taken place even a few hours before, and although his ther faculties were and are uninjured,

is memory has gone."

Austen Chamberlain has replied as

FORMER MINISTER'S LAVISH PROMISES

(Special to the Times.) Quesnel Forks, B.C., Jan. 24.—Liberal andidates Jones and Yorston held a candades and control of the most of the mo plendid meeting here last night. Dr. as solicitor for big corporation prop-erty, contrary to the general statute, is fully recognized.

No alliance with those revolutionists who would destroy our system of government and haul down our flag; but on the contrary, co-operation with that great body of labor which would reform abuses in a constitutional way.—J. A. Macdonald.

TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., January, 1907.

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E. COCHRANE ILL

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Jan. 24.—E. Cochrane, M. P. Northumberland, has been taken to the hospital to undergo an operation

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THE LATE MAJOR W. M'KECHNIE. was very active in the work. In Win

Major William McKechnie, who passed away in Vancouver on Monday morning, was a figure well known in the life of Eastern Canada a generation or so ago. His father was an officer in the Tist Highlanders, hence he was born in Claverhouse Castle, near Dundee, where the regiment was quartered in 1832. Later the regiment being employed in Canada during the Papineau rebellion, the family settled at Kingston.

William McKechnie was among the oldest railroad men in Canada, having been agent at Woodstock on the Great Western before the Grand Trunk was started and later having represented the Grand Trunk at Brockville for 17 years, with the powers of divisional superintendent from Cornwall to Belleville. While there his inherited military instinct found scope in-organizing the employees of the Grand Trunk as volunteers, and at the time of the last Fenian raid, the major commanded the Grand Trunk forces along the frontieer from Cornwall to Belleville.

In 1871 he moved to Port Hope, having been appointed traffic manager of

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In religion he was a Methodist and till feebleness compelled him to desist.

nipeg he was mainly instrumental in founding. Wesley church and was known affectionately there as "Father

In politics he was a staunch Liberal In disposition he was cheerful and trustful and affectionate, loving husband, a kind and generous father, a genuine old-fashioned Chris-

william McKechnie was among the ters survive him. His sons are Fred W. Idest railroad men in Canada, having seen agent at Woodstock on the Great Vestern before the Grand Trunk was tarted and later having represented he Grand Trunk at Brockville for 17 Neb. and Mrs. A. R. Tufts, of Los ears, with the powers of divisional succeptable for the Convent of the Western State of Convent of

RUNNING NIGHT AND DAY. Raymond Mill Can Hardly Fill Its Or-ders-Flour for Japan.

Raymond, Alta., Jan. 23.-The Ray-

mond Mill & Elevator Company is running its plant night and day, and then can hardly fill its orders. An or-der of five cars of flour has just been filled for Japan. The Raymond sugar company is find-

Woman's Watchword Is Modesty.

Whatever threatens woman's delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many a woman permits disease of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because she cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant questionings, offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which most physicians think necessary. Doubtless thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty.

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THE TOURISTS'

REPORT FOR PAST YEAR AT ANNUAL MEETING

Society's Labors During 1906 Were Most Successful--Its Financial

Tourist and Development Society took place at the association's rooms yesterday. The presentation of the secre-tary's report of the year's work occu-pled a considerable portion of the time. The financial standing of the society was given in the treusurer's report. While the society has a slight balance on hand, the society depends upon the two entertainments given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to wipe out the deficit accruing from the previous year.

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Some slight changes in the constitution of the various committees was determined upon. Each committee will in future number three of the executive amongst its members. The executive is entrusted with a scheme by which while the several committees are to be while the several committees are to be given the widest latitude in their work-ings, they will yet, an quatters of policy, be under the direct supervision of that

An interesting commentary upon one portion of the secretary's report was involved in the statement of E. C. Smith when again elected to the position of hon, treasurer. Mr. Smith stated that owing to the great increase of business in his department at the city hall, he would be unable to accept the position, if it involved the same amount of canvassing as in other years.

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bringing about this increase of business in the city treasurer's department.

At the beginning of the meeting, which was attended by His Worship Mayor Morley, who occupied the chair; Alds. Vincent. Henderson, Verrinder, Messrs. E. G. Prior, A. W. McCurdy, J. Nelson, J. E. Wilson, D. R. Ker, W. J. Pendray, S. Sea, fr., W. B. Shakespeare, E. C. Smith, R. Stuart, R. B. Fell, B. S. Oddy and others. The minutes of the previous annual meeting were read and adopted.

The report of the executive having been read. A. W. McCurdy moved its adoption, in doing so he referred to the success which he lattended the society's efforts during the past year. This success but presaged the phenomena

This success but presaged the phenomenal advances which the city was soon to make. He detailed several instances. "A lumber merchant comes to see the city that you advertise, and incidentally buys a residence on Rockland avenue," he said. "He is hardly settled before he reaches out to invest \$200,000 in lumber mills at Nanaimo. A manufacturer is drawn here by your attractive picture of a residential city, and within a few months has organized a company prepared to expend \$300,000 in developing the natural building resources of various parts of this Island.

'And I venture to say that both of these gentlemen were attracted to Vic-toria merely as a residential city sur-rounded by beautiful scenery in a de-lightful climate, and yet the progres-sive spirit, so characteristic of success-ful men, spurs them on to new suc-cesses in developing the rich resources that they find at hand."

were issued, printed in two colors. In addition to these bookiets and leaflets, 2,000 large posters, printed in six colors, containing several very fine views of the city, particularly of James Bayembankments and the new C. P. R. hotel, were also issued and have been distributed in most of the railway and public offices in the West, especially in the railroad offices, boards of trade, hotels and post offices throughout the Canadian Middle West.

At the time the special rates were

Canadian Middle West.

At the time the special rates were fut on from the Northwest for the winter excursions, over 2,000 large special envelopes were printed, drawing attention to these excursions, and were sent, containing a copy of "Impressions," to this number of homes in that section, it will therefore be seen that the association printed and distributed about 130,000 booklets, leafiets, etc., from our own, office, and designed an envelope of which 130,000 were used.

In order to condense this report as

In order to condense this report as In order to condense this report as much as possible, we do not propose to go over the ground, ag in previous years, as to the details of the distribution of this literature. It is sufficient to say that from San Diego on the south to Dawson on the north, and from Chicago and Winnipeg on the east, there is scarcely a city that has not been covered in this distribution, and more especially in those places where tourists are most often found, and amongst those people who have transportation to sell and pleasure trips to organize. While this area has been well circulated in Eastern Canada and the States, and in fact in all parts of the world. We would, all parts of the world. We would, Canada and the States, and in fact in all parts of the world. We would, however, call your attention to the large amount of work done in the Canadian Northwest. We do this because it is only-right and proper that the citizens should understand that this association is mainly responsible for the large influx, of visitors and residents who have come from those sections and who have been such factors in bringing about the more prosperous times and the considerably increased value of real estate, that are evident to-day in Victoria. During the year at least 15,000 booklets have been distributed by mail, through railway offices and by the secretary personally in this section. n this section

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We inserted, about a fortnight before the exhibition, a full-page advertisement in the Manifoba Free Prees, and at intervals afterwards two or three quarter-page advertisements, which attracted a great deal of attention and brought inquiries from a very large number of people. This full-page advertisement has been pronounced by experts to be one of the best advertisements of a city ever issued. The cheap excursion rates which were inaugurated through this Association with the C. P. R., both for summer and winter together with this thorough advertising campaign, have already proved of immence value to the city.

Amalgamation of the 100,000 Club.

As you are aware in the early part of the year a movement was set on foot to organise a 100,000 Club, Several large public meetings were held for this purpose. It was the opinion of the meeting that such a club would to a large extent do the same kind of work and cover the same ground as the association, therefore it was decided to amalgamate, if possible, the two associations and the amalgamation took place.

The work of the association was con-siderably enlarged thereby so as to em-brace the encouragement of home in-dustries and of securing new ones. Four new committees of fitteen members each were appointed, namely: Settlers, civic affairs, industries and reception. The Industries Committee.



Highest Praise

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THE Scientific Stations for the Brewing Industry of Bohemia and Bavaria, attest that Budweiser is not only equal to the best Bohemian and Bavarian beers in all their properties, but exceeds them in keeping qualities. Budweiser is brewed and bottled only at the home plant of the

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thousand dollars, this one fact alone shows the advantage of having an institution alive to the necessity of losing no opportunity of securing for the city.

Amongst the most important public bodies entertained were, the Washington Press. Correspondents, the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, the Provincial Teachers' Association, the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's Association and the officials of the B. C. Methodist Conference, the three latter bodies holding their conventions here. Your executive taking the opportunity afforded by having the Methodist Conference in the city, appointed Dr. Rowe to present to the conference of Canada, which meets once in four years, to hold its next conference of Canada, which meets once in four years, to hold its next conference of Canada. The B. C. Conference accepted the suggestion of your execubodies entertained were, the Washingence in Victoria. The B. C. Conference accepted the suggestion of your executive and invited the General Conference to Victoria, and we have much pleasure in reporting that the invitation has been accepted. This will be one of the greatest advertisements possible for any city, as in addition to the publicity given the city by such an event, information about Victoria an event, information about Victoria will be sought for in every city and village in Canada where there is

The Ladies' Committee.

One of the most pleasing features of the year was the organization of the ladies committee. The ladies have now in hand a couple of entertainments that are intended to wipe off whatever habilities are out-(Continued on page 8.)

The Ravages

Of Rheumatism

ARE CHECKED BY BILEANS.

A Woman's Sensational Cure. Mrs. Selina Davis, a resident of Ab The Industries Committee.

The Industries Committee of the progressive spirit, so characteristic of successful men, spurs them on to new successes in developing the rich resources that they find at hand."

J. E. Wilson seconded the adoption of the report. He paid a tribute to the secretary's efforts and pointed out the necessity for the society's straining every nerve in its future efforts.

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THE CITY MARKET

The local markets are showing a de-crease in the prices of California im-portations of lemons and oranges with the advance in the season. The orange crop is reported to be a good one and the fruit arriving is of good quality. While the lemon crop is a good one the increased demand for the California production in the East, which was so marked last year continues to keep the prices up.

There are being received from Honolulu some very lulu some very choice shipments of prime apples and bananas. In the past the bananas have not been very satisfactorily shipped from Honolulu; This difficulty has now been overcome, and the fruit is reaching here in splendid shape. The prices also for Honolulu bananas are lower than other shipments.

The retail prices are as follows; Cabbage, per fb. 1.00@ 1.55
Potatoes (Island), 100 lbs. 1.00@ 1.55
Potatoes, 12 lbs. for 25
Onions, 6 lbs. for 25
Turnips, per fb. 15
Cucumbers 1.00
Watercress, per lb. 25

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Spring Chicken, per lb. Ducks, per lb. Geesa (Island), per lb. Turkey (Island), per lb. Pratr's Coal Oil WHOLESALE MARKETS. 11/40 2 (Cal.), per lb 2.75@ 3.2 640 Cocoanuts, esch ... Butter (Creamery), por Eggs (ranch), per dox. Hay, per ton ... Oats, per ton ... Peas (field), per ton ... Sarley, per ton ... Corn, per ton ... Beef, per fb. ... Mutton, per ... 3000

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Among the earliest symptoms are
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Then come dizzy spells, bad taste,
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The root of biliousness is with the liver which is clogged and can't keep ble from getting into the blood.

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on the liver, restore the bile to its pro-per course and prevent it from con-taminating the vital fluid.

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Stronger proof can't be had than the statement of Fenwick Luddington, of New Harbor, N. S., who says:
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SECRETARY FOR IRELAND.

R. McKenna to Be Minister of Education.

London, Jan. 22.—It is announced that Augustine Birrell will become chief secre-lary for Ireland, being succeeded as presi-dent of the board of education by Regin-ald McKenna, M. P.

LOCATING THE "MACHINE."

Let's see.

Messrs. McBride and Green have secured a nomination for their deputy commissioner and quondam secretary, Neil Mac-

They are giving a roving commission to the "wee mannie," otherwise sergeant-at-arms. Contemporary journalism, and the first minister, are silent, however, on the stamping grounds selected for the "ad-venturers, male and female."

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MACDONALD'S MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Ringing Arraignment of the Government on Its Record, and Clear Cut Enunciation of Policy by the Liberal Leader.

THE GOVERNMENT'S RECORD.

The Government's policy is its record. That record spells :--

- 1. High taxes.
- 2. Neglect of roads and trails.
- 3. A monstrous School Act. 4. Neglect to protect our forests.
- 5. Neglect to compile and furnish information regarding public lands, in aid of settlement.
- 6. Broken promises to deal with railway situation after proclaiming necessity for
- 7. Backdoor methods of dealing with public lands.
- 8. Barefaced attempt on the part of the Premier to make Better Terms a party ssue and an election cry, in face of what took place in the House, where the resolution brought in by the leader of the Op-

position on the subject was a lopted by the Government and passed unani-

9. Subserviency to a railway corpora-tion, evidenced by unsuccessful attempts to give one and one-half million dollars in cash and an actual grant of 800,000 acres of public lands.

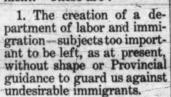
10. Refusal to make railway corporation pay its taxes.

11. An unnatural alliance with the declared enemies of the Constitution.

THE LIBERAL POLICY.

Our policy is defined by our stand on the measures brought before the House, plus our aims regarding other measures which cannot be introduced by an Opposi-

tion, but only by the Government. These are :-



2. Full inquiry into water records and irrigation, and while protecting prior rights, providing for a wider distribution of water available for irrigation purposes.

3. An adequate system of forest protection.

J. A. MACDONALD, K.C. 4. Surveys of Crown lands available for settlement, and where practicable parcelling them into small holdings as a part of an immigration

> 5. Repeal of School Act and a return to a system of State education,

> 6. Revision of the laws of placer and dredging leases, and a lessening of the danger of inadvertent forfeiture.

> 7. No alliance with those revolutionists who would destroy our system of government and haul down our flag; but on the contrary, co-operation with that great body of labor which would reform abuses in a constitutional way.

J. A. MACDONALD.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS. Victoria Meteorological Office, January 16th to 22nd, 1907.

January 16th to 22nd, 1907.

The chief feature of the week has been the welcome advent of milder weather and the breaking up of the long spell of cold weather so unusual in this southern part of the province.

On the 18th a disturbance was approaching the Oregon coast, which unexpectedly moved southward, causing rain in California, and rain northward, both in this province and the adjoining states.

On the 18th a storm area of marked enexgy apheared off Vancouver Island and quickly passed inland, its presence making the commencement of a return to milder weather. By the 19th the disturbance had increased in magnitude and intensity and had speedily advanced to the upper valley of the Mississippi, causing a general rise in temperature in its passage.

On the 29th the pressure continued relatively low on the British Columbian coast, but important areas, of high pressure became central in Alberta and the North Pacific states, and these conditions caused strong winds on the outside waters with rainfall on the Immediate Coast and snow on the Lower Mainland, during the remainder of the week there has not been much change in pressure conditions. On the 21st a strong southeasterly gale occurred on the outside waters, Northhead reporting a maximum wind velocity of 76 miles.

Snowfall has been heavy on the Coast, 25 inches falling in one day at Port Simpson, while 12 inches fell at Vancouver during the week.

A cold wave of great intensity has covered the northern districts from the Yukon to the Lakes, but the close of the week shows chinook conditions in Alberta and Saskatchewan, with decidedly milder weather.

Weather.

At Victoria, there were only 12 hours and 6 minutes registered of bright sunshine; the highest temperature was 48.2 on 21st; the lowest 20.2 on 17th; precipitation, 1.84, including .45 inch snow.

At Vancouver—Highest, 46 on 22nd; lowest, 9 on 17th; 13 inches of snow.

At New Westminster—Highest, 44 on 22nd; lowest, 8 on 17th; total precipitation, rain and snow, 4.32 inches.

At Kamloops—Highest, 34 on 22nd; lowest, 20 below zero on 16th and 17th; snow, 3.50 inches.



to wire trouble.

At Port Simpson—Highest, 28 on 22ad; lowest, 7 on 31st.

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Inches, including heavy snowfall.

At Allin—Highest, 2 on 17th; lowest, 40 lowest, 23 below on 6th; below zero on 20th and 21st, snow, 1.50 and 4th; lowest, 24 on 25th.

est, 25 below zero on the 22nd; lowest, 56 below zero on 50th and 21st. The following is the summary of the weather for December, 1996; Precipitation in Inches,

Rain. Snow. Tl.

Τ	Victoria		.30	3.7
1	Vancouver	6.78		7.3
1	New Westminster	6.15	8.00	6.5
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Ð	Alberni	7.16	1.85	9.
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Н	Thetis Island			6.
	Steveston		6.00	5.
1	Obilliwack			7.
ч	Quesnel		27.00	9.
ij	Barkerville	.36	60,00	6.
8	Chilcotin simmer		22.00	2.
E	Port Simpson	7.61	5.00	8.
	Vernon		17.00	1.
1	Rivers Inlet	19.56	20,52	21.
9	Goldstream	6.51	27.00	9.
ü	Coquitlam			9.
M	Naas Harbor			6.
ĸ,	Hartley Bay	7.70	29.00	10.
9	Atlin	4.70	8.75	
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	Beaver Lake	5.70	1.00	5.
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Nanaimo—Highest temperature, 50.0 on 22nd; lowest, 24.1 on 31st; mean, 32.68; total amount of bright sunshine recorded was 29 hours.

Kamloops—Highest temperature, 51.9 on 7th; lowest, 2.6 on 25st; mean, 28.5.

Neison—Highest temperature, 47.0 on 7th; lowest, 13 on 27th; mean, 32.42.

Alberni—Highest temperature, 50.1 on 27d; lowest, 18 on 31st; mean, 35.72.

Thetis Island—Highest temperature, 52.9 on 22nd; lowest, 25.5 on 27th; mean, 28.15.

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Chilliwack-Highest temperature, 49.0 on znd; lowest, 18.0 on 31st.
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Barkerville-Highest temperature, 28.0 on 22nd; lowest, 10 below on 8th; mean, 19.48.

Chilcotin-Highest temperature, 45 on 22nd; lowest, 23 below on 6th and 13th; mean, 19.34.

Port Simpson-Highest temperature, 48.3 on 1st; lowest, 15.8 on 31st; mean, 34.63.

Barkerville-Returns incomplete owing Wernon-Highest temperature, 4 on 7th

LET HIM "SPEAK NOW."

If the premier should be elect ed for Victoria and for Dewd-ney, for which would he elect to sit?

His supporters here say they have his assurance that he will choose Victoria.

hoose Victoria.

His Dewdney managers say he will not desert Dewdney.

For the present every Victoria ejector should consent to alter his address and become a Missourian until the premier gives a clear intimation on this

because it has a most import-ant bearing on the campaign. The premier "had better speak

FOUGHT WITH A LION

william Riley, late of the 7th Fusiliers, a survivor of the Crimea and Indian Mutiny, who has died in Nottingham Workhouse, was the hero of a sensational feat in Nottingham market place some years ago. A lion escaped from a travelling menagerie, scattered the crowd, knocked down several persons, and killed two dogs. Riley liung himself on the lion's back, and although mauled, succeeded in holding the beast until the keepers came go his assistance, chained the lion, and dragged it back to its cage.

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of evolution, or things could not be so well organized and so beautiful as they are. After a few more sentences came his creed, which he said he believed could be deduced from a study of the records and traditions of the past, in the light of the present.

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"I believe hat the Divine Nature was specially revealed to man through Jesus Christ our Lore, who lived, and taught, and suffered in Falestine 1800 years ago, and has since been worshipped by the Christian church as the Immortal Son of God, the Saviour of the world.

"I believe that the Holy Spirit is ever ready to help us along the way towards goodness and truth, that prayer is a means of communion of Saints, and the Peace of God."

Sir Oliver would also have the Lord's Frayer rehearsed and explained in religious education.

The address and the clauses which formed its substance are to be expanded into a book. Dr. Clifford, the Rev. Griffith the communication of Saints, and the Peace of God."

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WELSH MOVING MOUNTAIN.

The moving mountain in the Raymney valvey of South Wales has recommenced its progress. A row of thirteen houses have been cracked and distorted. The parish church at Tobbing and the paris

Jones, the Rev. Mr. Soper (Presbyterian), and the Rev. R. J. Campbell also spoke.

ANY PORT IN A STORM

The confidence the McBride-Hawthornthwaite party profess is scarcely reflected in the ac-tion of its leaders, and is in strange contrast with the fear-less attitude of the Liberal chiefs.

chiefs.

Mr. Macdonald, offered safe seats in other parts of the province, declared he would stand or fail by his own close riding of

ince, declared ne would stand of fall by his own close riding of Rossland.

Mr. McInnes, with half a dozen seats to choose from, boldly selected Vancouver and would accept no alternative seat, declaring that he and the other four candidates there will redeem the Terminal City.

The Premier, with all the patronage at his back—with the vicious Dewdney, district incorporation bill as a weapon, dare not trust the electors there to return him, but is seeking an alternative seat in Victoria.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re George Hall Duncan, Deceased. late of Fort street, Victoria, Physician, who died on the 12th December, 1908, and probate of whose will was granted to Samuel Arthur Baird, the executor therein named on the 22nd December, 1908, are requested to send to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the Executor, on or, before the lat day of February, 1907, full particulars of their claims, duly verified, and the nature of the Sourities, if any, held by them.

LAND REGISTRY ACT,

the Matter of an Application for

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to an Undivided Half of Sub-Divisions 28, 28a, 29, 29a, 20 and 30a, of Section XI., Victoria District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my mention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to the above lands, issued to William Dalby and Chinton G. Ballentyne on the 35th August, 1890, and numbered 70412a.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General, Land Registrar-General.

Take notice that-I intend to apply to the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the liquor license now held me for the Victoria. Theatre Building. Douglas street, Victoria, B. C., from myself unto Donald C. McKinnon.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day-of-January, 1997. Witness: F. Dykes.



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The greatest bargain feast of the past ten days, the sale of the Fit-Reform elegant stock, will continue one week more. This enormous stock has taxed our efforts to the utmost in order to sell a required amount in a certain time. Even with the immense business that has been procured, we are compelled to run this Slaughter Sale one week more. We know we have been selling the public the best clothing that can be bought away below the cost of manufacture, and it has proved itself, for our customers of the first few days have come back and brought their friends. Ask your neighbors. Some of them have certainly been in. Just one week more of these tremendous reductions:

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Our Financial Position.

You will notice from the statement of accounts to be submitted by the treasurer that the total expenditure has been nearly ten thousand dollars, considerably more than last year. partially to the causes already lioned. If we deduct the amount of ready pointed out the ladies have of-fered to get up two entertainments for the purpose of wiping off the liabilities outstanding, one on January 29th, in

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One thousand visitors from Winnipes and the Northwest in the city. Our horels are turning people away, and so fast this winter over two thousand people from this section have visited the city. During the coming year several new hotels are likely to be built.

Standing at the close of the year, and it is to be hoped that their generous aid will be rewarded by the public in making whatever they undertake a spuccess in every possible way.

Our Financial Position.

Confined to the summer months. At ion of the majority of the people, such an advertising organization is their such an advertising organization is such an advertising organization is such an adver confined to the summer months. At ion of the majority of the people, Victoria Transfer Co. commends them to your careful con-

outstanding, one on January 29th in the skating rink, the use of which and the skates have been generously donated absolutely free by the proprietors, and the other in the Victoria theatre on February 7th, which has also been donated by Mr. Rickets, therefore your executive feels that considering the large amount of subscriptions that have been received and that there is a provision for the wiping out of any liability for this or any former year, they have looked after your business to the best of their ability.

Record Number of Visitors.

Prospects For the Future,

The future certainty looks very bright. We have now a foundation of five years' work to face the coming year with. We have the finest publicity premises on the Pacific Coast or in Canada. We have all the machinery and a very large stock of half-tone engravings, and of other things necessary to continue such work, bes'des having the experience of those five years to guide us. We have the finest publicity premises on the Pacific Coast or in Canada. We have all the machinery and a very large stock of half-tone engravings, and of other things necessary to continue such work, bes'des having the experience of those five years to guide us. We have the finest publicity premises on the Pacific Coast or in Canada. We have all the machinery and a very large stock of half-tone engravings, and of other things necessary to continue such work, bes'des having the experience of those five years to guide us. We have the finest publicity premises on the Pacific Coast or in Canada. We have all the machinery and a very large stock of half-tone engravings, and of other things necessary to continue such the tide of travel coming west. Other cities will strain every effort to direct it to themselves. In our cpinion, this next year will be infinitely more successful, and will give great-

their ability.

Record Number of Visitors.

It is most satisfactory to be able to say that during 1966 we had the largest number of visitors in the history of the city. This fact has been ascertained from information supplied by the transportation companies. In last year's report it was estimated that over fifty thousand people visited, the city during that year: therefore we must have had at least sixty thousand people in 1906. The hotel progretions tell us that we had a better class of people this year, and that must of them stayed with us a much longer time: therefore the benefits derived must have been munt greater rived must have been greater rived must have been greater r

ent capacity. These results, excellent institution to the prospects of the city when so much real estate changed hands as during the past year, nor when general business was so good. On a rough calculation between two and three million dollars, at least, of outside capital has been invested during the past year, nor when general business was so good. On a rough calculation between two and three million dollars, at least, of outside capital has been invested during the past year, in real estate, and the prospects previous. Surely the city council has due partially to the causes already mentioned. If we deduct the amount of labilities carried over from last year, in real estate, and the prospects six hundred and sixty dollars, you will find, that we have been able to raise just about sufficient money to pay our way, and that there is no deficit for this year or, a very slight come, due to some of the subscriptons not being collected. As we have all a comparatively small amount, and not being collected. As we have all a comparatively small amount, and noney more wisely than in supporting the city council has lost no revenue from the grant it has made to advertise the city, for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally, and your executive because that the city never spent money more wisely than in supporting the comparatively small amount, and money more wisely than in supporting the city hall in excess of the year previous. Surely the city council has lost no revenue from the grant it has made to advertise the city, for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally, and your executive because the city for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally, and your executive because the city for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally, and your executive because the city for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally, and your executive because the city for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for the benefit of the city generally and your executive because the city for it must be borne in mind that this association is chiefly an advertising department carried on for

> It is not a pleasant task for business men who have to look after their own business to have, year after year, to canvass the city for subscriptions for a public institution, especially when they have to devote several hours a week to superintneding its affairs; therefore, considering that there can be absolutely no question as to the splendid results which have been achieved by the organization, its enviable reputation throughout the continent for its excellent work, the extraordinary effect it has had in promoting the prosperity of the city, and It is not a pleasant task for bust come when the city should prosuch a revenupe as would at least
> tre its continued existence and
> the it upon a permanent footing.
> A. J. MORLEY,
> Mayor, President.
> HERBERT CUTHBERT,
> Secretary.

In Conclusion.

at prices that will turn them into cash as fast as the staff of thirty salespeople can hand them over the counters. This is an opposituative which the people of victoria cannot afford to miss as Semi-ready stores have but one sale per year and at this sale a general clearance is made to make room for immense shipments of New Spring Goods which begin to arrive directly after February 1st.

B. Williams & Co. have on hand an immense stock of boys' two and three-plece suits and as they are retiring B. Williams & Co. have on hand an immense stock of boys' two and three-plece suits and as they are retiring from the boy's outfitting business, the prices on these boy's suits have been marked so low that to see them is to buy, as no mother will be able to resist these tempting bargains. Every article in the store has been marked down to sale price and any intending purchaser who leaves this big sale without buying will indeed be hard to exceed a vertical to the store of the sale price and any intending purchaser who leaves this big sale

E. A. Harris.
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EDWIN C. SMITH,
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THE SEMI-READY STOCK-TAKING

The great Stock-taking sale is on at the Semi-ready Wardrobe and B. Williams & Co. are offering unparalleled bargains in Semi-ready clothing and

SPORTING NEWS.

HOCKEY.

SCHOOLGIRLS TO MEET.
On Saturday the Victoria College girls will meet the Vancouver aggregation at Oak Bay. Both these school teams have been practicing hard. The local players have shown a considerable aptitude for the game and are confident of victory. The match is timed to start at 10.30 a.m.

ENGLISH CREW TO COMPETE.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

THE ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP. 0 W. Christie 100
0 J. G. Brown 100
1 J. A. McIntosh 100
1 A. McIntosh 100
2 A. Johnson 500
2 Sundry Chinese 500
2 Total 500
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E. A. Harris 100
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SPRINGBOKS' TOUR ENDED. SPRINGBOKS TOUR ENDED.

The Springboks are to be congratulated upon the result of their tour in the British Isles, says the London Mail. Of twenty-eight matches played, twenty-five-have been won outright, one drawn, and two lost, so that, although they have scarcely equalled the record of the All Blacks, they have not fallen very far behind it.

The New Zealanders won thirty-one of the thirty-two matches they played,

TO MEET VANCOUVER.

The great Austrian salt mine at Wie liczka has 600 miles of galleries, and employs 2,000 miners. It has been worked for the past six centuries.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

perature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles
N. W.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Harometer, 30.78; temperature, 18 below; minimum, 18 below; wind

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PAST TORY COMPREHEN.

In his final campaign in Can-ada Sir John Macdonald sum-moned to his aid Sir Charles Tupper, who was then discharg-ing the non-political office of high commissioner in London.

Sir Charles stumped Canada for his party. But did he give up his post

CA Woman who Has Run the Camul of Crime





George Miller, a member of the Guerin - Churchill Game

world, probably the most daring, the most ingenious, the most versatile, the most mysterious, is May Sharpe, sometimes known as May Churchill, and more widely known simply as Chicago May.

A year ago May Sharpe was reported as having died in prison, in France, where she was serving a sentence for neliping to rob the American Express Company in Paris of \$20,000, 4 few months later a clever, though unknown, woman assisted "Eddie" Guerin, imprisoned for complicity, in the American Express robbery, to escape from his living tomb on Devil's Island.

Now from Rio Janeiro, Brazil, comes the astonishing news that, infatuated with Mrs. May Churchill Sharpe, a charming American widow, a young Englishman of noble birth, upon being informed that she is none other than Chicago May, a week or so ago, sommitted suicide.

How, then, did May Sharpe escape from the penal rock in the daring Guerin in his remarkable flight from the penal rock in the sea?

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Prance four years ago for her share in the robbery of the American Express Company.

Miller, who saved himself from accompanying Eiddie Guerin to Devil's Island by turning State's evidence, is read to have died something over ango while still a convict. But year ago while still a convict. But years years the years ago while still a convict. But years years ago while still a convict. But years years ago while still a convict. But years ago while still a convict. But years ago while still a convict. But years years ago while still a convict. But years years ago while still a convict. But years years years ago while still a convict. But years years years years years ago while still a convict. But years yea

On this trip "Chicago May" posed as the wife of Miller.
Shortly after their arrival the safe in the office of the American Express Company was blown open and a sum said to be nearly \$20,000 was stolen. On this description early to be nearly solved was seven. On this oversion the French police were too quick for the clever American crooks, and they were gathered in before they could escape with their booty.

Guerin was convicted and sentenced to what was regarded virtually a life

Guerin was convicted and sentenced to what was regarded virtually a life term of penal servitude on Devil's Island. No human being, it was believed, could survive such a term there. For complicity is the robbery the woman, on June 14, 1902, was sent to a prison in France for five years.

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Then, while an accomplice engaged the attention of the adleman, she would strack the articles to monchal beneath her attention of the adleman, she would strack the articles to monchal andly out, get into her cash and drive.

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"I'm hanging here, because, you see,

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"Bismillah hirr rehman nirr rahim."

scornfully, "Mockery! mockery! there is no God who is compassionate or merciful!—it is a life. And if Mahomed is in truth the messenger of God, he is now, as he has been from the first, but the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery! They make the first but the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery! They make the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery! They make the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery! They make the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery! They make that will not save kaben Andallah—that will not preserve my father's life. Wad en Ncjumi will be left, to wreak his vengeance—and in what manner? He is skilled in torture, and but later hanged some of his enemies and on the life of the later hanged some of his enemies and later hanged some o God, he is now, as he has been from the first, but the messenger of bloodshed, death, torture, misery? They bring no comfort to me from heaven no help. No comfort and no help can I obtain either from any being on the earth! Alone am I in all this universe solitary in my misery, without a comforter, without a guide! For my lips are sealed; if I open them it nears death to those whom I love more than life itself. On the other hand, if I are seape, about, perhaps, to behold life itself. On the other hand, if E keep them closed, if I yield, what then? dishonor to myself, coupled with sep-aration for ever. No chance of escape for me from this awful, awful land. And escape was so near, it was all ar-

ranged-but now!"

In black, black despair, Fatima sank n a divan, striving to obtain some upon a divan, striving to obtain some inward light by which all might be saved; but no light came. For a time she thought of committing suicide—it would be easy, the Nile was close at hand. But she rejected that course as impracticable, not from the fear of death for herself—that would be a valence release, but hecause she reasoned. death for herself—that would be a welcome release—but because she realized that, were she to kill herself, her father and her husband would most assuredly follow her to the grave. And who knew under what circumstances of preliminary atrocity. Their hands and feet might be cut off—their noses, their ears also—their eyes perhaps be a stand feet with hot stone. Or they might. with hot mons! Or they might,

like Zeki Tummal, be slowly starved to

she decided, she must not kill herself.

Had she for one moment doubted.

Kadijah, she would have determined to disclose everything to the Hadji and Rabeh Abdallah, upon their return and Raben Addamin, upon their recurs from the review then proceeding. But, she did not doubt Kadjah; she felt that the Gallah woman had spoken the truth in every respect, both as regard-

was well known. What he said that he would do, that he did. Moreover, he never allowed himself to be baulked in the gratification of his lusss. Girl after girl, and even young married women, had been already dragged off to his harem—free Dongelese women and not slaves. They had been liberated again when he was-tired of them, to return dishonored to their homes after a day, a week, or a month.

And was that, then, to be her own fate?—her awful fate! Fatima shuddered so that it seemed as if she had the ague, when she thought of the derigment that she, a virtuous and loy-

the ague, when she thought of the de-niement that she, a virtuous and lov-ing woman, was called upon to under-go in the arms of this merciless tyrant. Then in indignation she rose to her feet, clenching her fists and teeth, and stamping with rage—"I will kill him first!—yes, kill him with his ewn dag-



She had read no further, when she laid the book aside again exciaiming scornfully, "Mockery! mockery! there dailed that will not save Rabeh Abdallah that will not save Rabeh Ab should they die now that they are so near escape, about, perhaps, to behold the blessed sun in liberty once more? For Kadijah us good as said that they will go on the expedition; and, if they do, are not the chances greatly in favor of one or both obtaining freedom? If I yield, I will make it a condition with Kadijah that they shall go dition with Kadijah that they shall go. dition with Kadijah that they shall go.

I will put it, that to retain them now
would mean their disgrace, and, should
February to come willingly to Yumes,
as his wife-oh, horror:—I cannot allow
my nearest relations and the Emir's
friends to fail under the shadow of dishonor. Yes, that would do—that would
do, if only I could be brave and make
me my mind to this awful sacrifice. nd to this awful sacrifice, up my mind to this awful sacrince, which is to include my voluntarily demanding to be separated for ever from my Reginald. Of my own free will, and for ever! For ever!" repeated the poor unhappy child to herself. And

contented, sank happily to sleep by his young wife's side, feeling that he had never loved her more.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

Death or Dishonor. Death or Dishonor.

The spring, in the climate of the Soudan, had already developed into the commencement of the hot season, but, although some advanced parties of the Dervishes had been dispatched down the Nile towards the Egyptian frontier, the bulk of Nejumi's army remained in the province of Dongola. Here, owing to the presence of such large bodies of men and animals, and the extreme lowness of the Nile, upon whose shores were vast accumulations of fifth, the season promised to be very unhealthy. Already was Wad en Nejumi complaining to the Emir Yunes that he had had several cases of i

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cholera among his men, while typhus that which you wish to ask; I am pre- bind you as a traitorous slave w

Affairs, however, reached a climax between the two commanders in an interview which took place on the evening after Kadijah's visits to Fatima. Nejumi had previously seen Kadijah, who was present when the Emirs met for a heated discussion. What the Gallah woman then said settled the matter. She pointed out with decision, to the Market M for a heated discussion. What the Gallah woman then said settled the matter. She pointed out with decision, to Yunes, that Nejumi was in the right, that, owing to the low state of the river, the cataract at Hannek below the island of Area was quite image. ter. She pointed out with decision, to Yunes, that Nejumi was in the right, that, owing to the low state of the river, the cataract at Hannek below the island of Argo was quite impassible for boats, as also were the Dal and other rapids lower down, and that, consequently, the Dervish army must necessarily march the greater part of the distance to Egyptian territory by land. Further, Kadijah pointed out that, while boats could be used for the transport of provisions a great part of the way, there would be a much greater distance throughout which all stores would have to be transported on camels. This, too, through a desolate and inhospitable country, notably the sarid, atony district between Akasheh and Sarras, called Batan el Haggar or the Belly of Roek, Through this possession of your charms along which ran the track of the now destroyed railway, wells were scarce and supplied but little water; the force and supplied but little water. the Belly of Rock, Through this pass, along which ran the track of the now destroyed railway, wells were scarce and supplied but little water; the force could therefore only move along by de-tachments, or carry all its water in skins on the backs of camels. Speak-joy illuminated her grave countena skins on the backs of camers. Speaking, therefore, in the Khalifa's name as we'll as her own, since the object of Nejum's expedition was to avoid Wady Halfa and fall upon Assouan, two hundred miles further down the Nile, Kadijah insisted that the main body should depart at once. The Emir Yuran assented with a very had grace. Yunes assented with a very bad grace,

them with a face which was pale but a smiling.

"Kadijah has been here to-day to "Kadijah has been here to-day to "Bay me a visit, and the sight of her gace has given me the horrors. So I have determined that we will all have a merry evening and enjoy ourselves together. Ayesha and I have aiready prepared all kinds of nice things to eat and drink, so make haste to wash off the dust, and come and be happy."

Never a trace of care did the courges and the stand determined face, made no other acknowledgment of her visitor's salutation, of Salaam off the feast. When Ayesha had been sent home at an early hour, Fatima listened with apparent delight to the last details of the plot, for their approaching (escape, with affectionately bringing her tather an extra cup of wine to drink to its fortunata secomplishment.

When the Hadji in turn had departed to their duties at the door of Rabeh Abdallah's an long the determined face, made no other acknowledgment of her visitor's salutation, of Salaam alekhum, than to point to the divan. Upon this Kadijah leisurely seated her seef, at the same time making a casual remark about the weather, to which Fatima made a bare assent; her hostess had heard that Wad en Neitunders were, as the Gallah woman well knew, elsewhere.

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would now be picking up-his other de
tachments at various points down the
Nile.

"Yes, I know, but I imagine that
Wad en Nejumi's movements are not
what you came here to talk to
mabout," answered Fatima with a cool
and assured manner which somewhat
discomposed her visitor, especially
when she added pointedly—"Would it
not be better. Kndijah, if you did not
beat about the bush, but came to the
point at once? I am no child, and this
is no ordinary visit of politeness that
you are paying me. I am ready to
listen: say what you have to say. Ask

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proc still bleking much about you." "Then that simplifies matters for joy illuminated her grave countenance.
"We can all three die together, and ft
would be the happiest way for, all."
"No, Lady Fatima, it by no means follows that you would die. Even if your father and husband were executed, your life might still appear precious enough to the Emir Yunes to be

ous front depart a chec. The same to be preserved."

Solven and for evert For ever!" repeated the poor unhappy child to herself. And then nature, long overstrained, came to her relief, and she broke down in a flood of violent weeping.

At last her tears ceased, and she felt calling. Fatima arose with composed features, washed away carefully all traces of tears, and attired herself in her neatest and most becoming garments. Then, having put on her habara, she sailed forth calling to one of the black Bazingers who now was always stationed as an orderly outside of her father's house next door, she bade him to follow her with a basket to the market and bazaars.

Ous enough to the Emir Yunes to be preserved."

"For how long do you think he could preserve it?" laughed the Persian girl scorafully. "When he had slaim by belowed husband, killed my dear father, do you think that I would live! to please this bloody Emir? I have a hundred ways of killing myself, and under the Emir Hai Ali of that tribe; he should also send part of his body. It have a the same time. He had no doubt out that they would arrive in plenty of time to help Nejumi out of difficulties. The property of the Emir Hai Ali of that tribe; he should also send part of his body. It have a surface that they would arrive in plenty of time to help Nejumi out of difficulties. The property of the Emir Hai Ali of that tribe; he should also send part of his body. It have a surface that they would arrive in plenty of time to help Nejumi out of difficulties. The property of the Emir Yunes to be preserved."

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she did not doubt Kadjah; she felt that the Gallah woman had spoken the truth in every respect, both as regarding the intentions of the Emir Tunes. For all the friendship that he had shown to her father, his firmness was well known. What he said that he was dying with on her face, she called to her there would be war to the knife behad assist her in preparing the evening meal; which was to be upon an unusual scale and accompanied by ing meal, which was to be upon, an unusual scale and accompanied by various kinds of spirituous liquors. It was not long before the men, returning dusty and tired from the wearying evolutions. Fatima greeted them with a face which was pale but smiling.

"Kadijah has been here to-day to pay me a visit, and the sight of her face has given me the horrors. So I have determined that we will all have more at the door of Rabeh Abdailah's laws and a law only significant to know whether moead and allowed more and commenced moving off.

with his Batahin, Homr and other face it would, at all events, be a great pleasure to him to behold you."

"I am honored, but how does he know that I will consent? I have not said so, and nome knows better than the Hadji and his son-in-law had allowed that it is 'haram' for him to behold alone the face of another man's wife. So what if I refuse him that pleasure, and and, as I have a mind to do, only give

and, as I have a mind to do, only give him the opportunity he desires after death has set his seal upon my features?"
"Then, Lady Fatima, those whom

you love will die also."
"Yes, Kadijah, they will die, and will
"Yes, Kadijah, they shall know all "Yes, Kadijah, they will die, and will prefer death, for they shall know all before they travel forth upon the bridge formed of one single hair that leads to Paradise. For think not that I will spare Wad en Dekeim in what he calls his pride. No, they who have been his friends shall assuredly know the treachery of this base man, and, in dying carry with them the story of our

cholera among his men, while typhus that which you wish to ask; I am prewas common, but still the jealous Wad so between the two commanders in an interview which took place on the evening after Kadijah's visits to Fatima. Nejumi had previously seen Kadijah, who was present when the Fatirs and told nothing to be see you about, Lady Fatima, for he has spoken ill of our Lord the Khalifa. You would have no proof that you were otherwise. Tould then make use of your seal, to write such letters or orders as I chose. Or I could kill you now, without calling them in, and that before you could stir a little finger. Nor, I fancy—although you are seeking to ingratiate yourself with him who whan the Figure role. by obtaining me to gratify his evil passions—would the Emir Yunes much

regret your loss:

Kadijah glanced up unfinchingly at
the bright blade.

"By Allah! yes, Lady, Fatima, it is
true! You are stronger than I thought
you were: and j, 50 all my cunning,
have put my head into a rat-trap; for, have put my head into a rat-trap; for, as you say, atthough I am stronger than you, I could not move. You win my admiration; your design is a good one, but-you will not put it into execution. You could not find it in your heart to kill Kadijah, no, nor to rob her elther. I know your heart too well. She is safe from your violence,

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Col. Sir E. Girouard, K. C. M. G., D. O., R. E., has been temporarily ap-ointed high commissioner of Northern

Nigeria.
The St. James Gazette says the selection

The St. James Gazette says the selec-tion of Sir E. Girouard is an excep-tionally good one. He seems just the sort of man Nigeria wants, while Nigeria'is just the sort of place to sup-ply scope for ma abilities. The Birmingham Post thinks better use could have been made of Sir E. Girouard than in putting his to de St.

use could have been made of Sir E. Girouard than in putting him to do administration work in a climate like Nigeria. Is the war office so well supplied, it asks, with other men of proved abilities in his special line of work, that it can afford to lose him to the colonial office? On the other hand it is gratifying to see a Canadian pass to a great administrative post without having administrative post without having

administrative post without having gone through the mill in the colonial

"MAN WITH THE MUCK-RAKE."

Lincoln J. Steffens, the original "muck-

Lincoln J. Steffens, the original "muck-raker," whose articles upon legislative corruption in the United States first convulsed the continent, and whose example gave the Impetus to that movement which President Rossevelt "dignified with the above name, will shortly arrive in Victoria. Mr. Steffens, who has been spending the winter in Los Angeles, will spend a couple of weeks in Victoria. It is stated that he is in search of some of his favorite brands of copy.

William Manson, of Albernt, who was sworn in as provincial secretary the other day in the

hope that he could thereby carry Alberni, has a bad precedent to recall. It was just a

few days before the general election of 1903 that the premier

one A. S. Goodeve, in the hope that he could thereby shatch Rossland from J. A. Macdonald. The result left Mr. Goodeve no political occupation excepting that of spell-binder in constituencies in which he is not known.

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Seaman's Society Tells of the

Society's Operation.

At a meeting held in the city hall last evening Rev. E. G. Mathews pre-sented the corporation with a small bust of Lord Nelson. Mayor Morley

bust of Lord Nelson. Mayor Morley occupied the chair. Mr. Mathews, who is secretary of the British and Foreign Seamen's Society, arrived on Saturday from the antipodes. He is on a tour through the empire presenting busts of the famour sailor to all the chief cities. With the mayor on the platform was Mr. Mathews and Rev. Adams, of the Metropolitan Methodist church while

Mr. Mathews and Rev. Adams, of the Metropolitan Methodist church, while J. Peirson, A. R. Fraser and C. E. Redfern, represented the local branch of the Navy League. At the opening of the meeting Mr. Mathews gave a descriptive sketch of the society he represents. He stated that the lords of the descriptive sections of the descriptive section.

William H. Crane, who will be seen

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SCHOOL BOARD

HELD FIRST MEETING

Trustee Jay Appointed Chairman--Providing For Children Incapable
of Attending Schools,

The board of school trustees held the first meeting of the present municipal eyen ing. The new members, Trustees Bishop, Jay and Hugget, were present server in the mount of the present.

Sents, He stated that the lords of the admirable work of the making of souvenirs. These cost the society 12,000.

Plaques of copper from the Victory were presented to the Mayor, Rev. Mr. Adams and Messrs. Fraser, Petrson and Redfern. After making reference to the good work done by Mr. Balley, of the local seamen's institute, Mr. Mathews presented a bust of Nelson to the cjty. The bust is made from bronze and Mrs. Jenkins and Trustees lewis were not present.

October 21st, 1805.

and Mrs. Jenkins and Trustee Lewis were not present.

Superintendent Eaton occupied the chair and presided while the report of the returning officer was read and a chairman appointed. Two candidates were named, Trustee Riddell proposing Trustee Jay and Trustee Huggett proposed Trustee Lewis, Mr. Jay was elected to the chair by a vote of 4 to 1.

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posed Trustee Lewis, Mr. Jay was elected to the chair by a vote of 4 to 1. Trustee Husgert objected to the election of Trustee Jay on the grounds that Trustee Lewis, who was unavoidably absent, was entitled to the honor. It had been understood by the action of the board on previous occasions that each trustee, in turn, should occupy the position of chairman. Mr. Lewis had rendered excellent services as chairman of the buildings and grounds committee, and had faithfully served the city for three years. He had no personal objection to Mr. Jay's appointment, but thought it was unfair to Mr. Lewis.

Trustee Jay thanked the board for Menson. J.Kingham & Co

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Trustee Jay thanked the board for electing him and took the chair.

A communication was read from Mrs. Kinsay, janitress of the Kingston street school, asking for an increase from her present salary of \$17.50. In future the janitress of the Hillside avenue school in company with the applicant will receive \$20 a month.

J. Kingharn notified the board that he could not supply coal under \$5.75 a ton.

J. Pelrson again asked for a payment of his claim. He will be informed that the board is acting on the advice of its solicitors.

R. Wilson, of the First Presbyterian church choir, and G. Phillips, of the Victoria Musical Society, asked the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the culture of the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the culture of the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the culture of the board to make some provision for appointing a supervisor of singing in the cultur

The matter of providing for children who, while not in such a condition as to warrant confinement to their homes, cannot be conveniently accommodated in the public schools, came up. Supt. Eaton reported that he had found four cases, one a deaf and dumb child, at present in the city schools. He asked for instructions.

Trustee Jay, who was one of a committee that interviewed the provincial government in this regard, reported that the minister of education had expressed himself in favor of a provincial institution.

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In consequence of ill-health Miss Mc-Farlane asked for leave until midsummer, which was granted.

The board then took up the estimates for the year and was still considering them when at 10 o'clock, an adjournment was made. The trustees meet again on Monday.

A COLD SNAP.

Temperature Below Zero in France and Number of Deaths are Reported.

Parls, Jam. 23.—The cold prevailing in eastern Europe has extended its grip westward. In France to-day the temperature is 10 to 17 degrees below zero, centigrade, trauditing in considerable suffering and a number of deaths from freeding. The river Seine and the likes in the parks of the city are frozen, and Parisians are enjoying the unusual sport of skasting in the span.

Everybody Smokes Old Chum.

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here with Ellis Jeffreys in the big revival of the famous Goldanith comedy, "She Stoops to Conquer," at the Victoria the-aire, is congratulating himself that for once in his career at least he has manonce in his career at least he has managed to lie the hands of the dramatic critics. He insists it would be a bold man, to say the least of it, that would attack the quality of a play that has come down unscathed through one hundred and thirty-odd years, and consequently there is a cheery smile about. Mr. Crane's countenance. Those who are familiar with the famous old comedy will recognize the fact that an old wine is grateful enough when the palate is surfelied with a plethora of musical comedies of doubtful value, and a return to the graceful language, and the courtesy of the days of the eighteenth century is something decidedly, worth while, if only chivalry are not so far behind us as one might imagine.

CONSERVATIVE MEETING.

Took Their Audience Along With Them

With rare foresight the Conservatives made certain of an audience at Spring Ridge last evening by taking it along with them. Of bona fide Spring Ridge electors there were but a handful, and the silence with which they received the addresses of the four Tory candidates was in striking contrast to the enthusiasm displayed in the same centre when the victorians Liberal tour addressedition as week or so ago.

The speakers were: H. F. W. Behnsen, H. B. Thomson, F. Davey, J. L. Beckwith and A. F. Gurd, of Petrolia, Ont. The speakers dealt with the record of the McBride government, stating that the prosperity which the province had experienced in the last few years was due to it.

Mr. Thomson attributed the prosperity in the mining industry to the fact that the McBride government had "stood pat" in the matter. This statement was received with applause.

When the meeting concluded, the cheering was cut somewhat short as the electors made a rush-for the car line in order to get back to town.

NEWSPAPER MAN'S SUCCESS. Former City Editor of the Times Called

to the Bar of California.

Henry Hawson, who for some time was city editor of the Victoria Times, has just been called to the state bar of California. For the past three years Mr. Hawson has been telegraph editor of the Fresno Republican, and his law studies, extending over more than two years, were pursued in the spare time his newspaper work allowed. That he has been successful in passing the examination may be taken as evidence of some hard work having been done by him. His many friends will join in congratulating him upon his achievement and will wish him success in his new profession.



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