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London, March 8.—A special dispatch from Pretoric, dated to-day, says Gen.

BOERS REPULSED --GENERAL SLAIN

Celtiers, One of the Burgher Leaders, Was Killed During the Fighting at Lichtenburg.

MEETING BETWEEN

KITCHENER AND BOTHA

Important Captures by the British-Rifles, Ammunition, Horses, Cattle and Sheep Taken Without Any Casualties-Strathcona's at Halifax.

London, March 8 .- Lord Kitchener.

"The Boers failed in their determined besides the two officers previously reported, were 14 men killed and 20 wounded. The Boer's general, Celtiers,

ed, as his men are scattered through the forty miles northeast of here, resterday

"French reports further captures of a fourteen pounder Creusot with carriage plete and one Hotchkiss making a total of seven guns. The total number of Boers known to have been placed hors de combat since the eastern operations began, is 979."

To-doy's additions make Gen. French's and men. follows: Guns, 7; rifles, 584; rounds of munition, 204,970; horses, 4,071; trek oxen, 5,520; cattle, 28,220; sheep, 178,-780, and wagons and carts, 1,457,

24,970 rounds of ammunition, 184 horses, 1,240 trek oxen, 3,920 cattle, 13,580 sheep, 100 wagons and carts, and large quantities of forage have been until Due of the other eny. He further reports

"Parsons found a small commando yesterday entering Pearston, but Gorringer, from the west, turned them out and Delisle headed them off on the road to Somerset East."

er met Gen. Botha and other Boer leaders at Middleburg on February 27th, and the question of the possibil-

Another dispatch from Pretoria dated Wednesday, March 6th, which met with similar treatment, says the tween Gen, Kitchener and Gen, Botha A. there are favorable expectations as to the probable outcome

According to the Sun, the surrender of Gen. Botha would have been accomplished before now had Gen. Kitchener been in a position to conclude the terms of surrender,

FINANCIAL, FIRE INSURANCE adds, it will include the surrender or entire suppression of General Dewet, plus of Nearly Seven Mil-COR. BROAD AND TROUNCE STREETS. and will involve the termination of the war.

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Kutchener and Gen. Botha had a lengthy office. conference on Gun Hill this morning.

Gen. Botha was alone and Gen. Kitch-Seven Days, Armistice,

Lorenzo Marquez, March S.-Gen. attack upon Lichtenburg. Our losses, Kitchener has granted Geo. Botha a seven days' arm confer with the other generals. No Opposition.

Cradock, Cape Colony, March 7 .- A "Dewet's position is variously report- force of 300 Boers occupied Maraisburg, Orange Colony. Our troops, marching without opposition. There were no Britanth, reached Petrusburg to-day. Stratheona's Arrive at Halifax.

Halifax, N. S., March S.—The Allan-liner Numidian, with Strathcona's Horse aboard, reached port at 8 o'clock this morning from Liverpool, after some-what boistsrous weather. The number of troops aboard, besides officers, is 209 non-commissioned officers and men.

All are well except Pte, Robin

Winnipeg, who is seriously ill with pneumonia, and will be sent to the hos-pital here. He was taken ill the first day out from Liverpool.

They are all delighted to get back to

Canada,
The officers all speak well of the men
and vice versa, and all spoke well for
the Canadian ponies which they had taken to South Africa and left there ponies stood the campaign better than any on Natal side; and from hearsay re-garding Australian and New Zealand animals, he believed the Caradian ani-

Capetown, March 7.—It is officially announced that Colonel Corringer oc-Kitchener and Botha Meet.

London, March 8.—A dispatch from Pretoria, dated Tuesday, March 5th, evidently held up by the censor, has just arrived here. It says Gen, Kitchener met Gen, Botha and other Boer

Government **Bounties**

Morrison Calls Attention to Large Amount to Be Paid Out.

Vested Rights Will Be Interfered With

lion Dollars.

A. Morrison, on motion to go into supply, called attention to the extraordinary amount of money which the govern-ment would be called on to pay in boun-ties on iron and steel in the next seven

wood, asking for \$5 bounty per ton on lead refined and produced in Canada. The House then went into supply on public works estimates.

Mr. Davis's Resolution.

T. O. Davis, Saskatchewan, intends, moving a resolution in the House to refer that part of the C. P. R. contract which exempts their lands from taxation for 20 years to a proper judicial tribunal for interpretation, and also that the company's lands be patented.

Dominion Finances.

The statement of revenue and expenditure for eight months ending February 28th lext, shows the revenue to be \$33; 618,494, or an increase of \$1,341,482 ever the same time last year. The expenditure for the same time was \$26,654,846, or an increase of \$1,600,000 over last year. The difference between the expenditure and research. the expenditure and revenue for the cight months shows a surplus of nearly seven million dollars.

NEGROES IN SLAVERY. Held Under Contracts Which They Signed in Ignorance.

(Associated Press.)

Columbia, S. C., March S.-The grand jury of Anderson county has made its report to Judge W. C. Bennett declaring that a practical enslavement of negroes has been conducted in that country.

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The presentment was prepared
special committee, which visited the

special committee, which visited the convict stockade camps in Anderson county and found confined therein negroes guilt-less of any felony, but undergoing a term of servitude under contracts which they had signed in ignorance.

The presentment of the grand jury will put an end to this practice, which is conducted in no other county in the state. It has been known in Anderson county for a long time that such a system was being carried on and the necessity.

In Interest Of Company

Mr. Jaffray Says British Columbia Smelters Will Be Well Supplied With Coke.

Would Be Foolish Not to Give Local Markets the Preference.

Andrew Carnegie Grants \$50,000 For Vancouver Library Un-

der Ce:tain Conditions. (Special to the Times. Vancouver, March 8.-Robert Jaffray, ice-president of the Crow's Nest Coal Co., left for Victoria this afternoon. He says that President Hill has secured but he has no intention of attempting

to control the company. He says Mr. Hill recognizes that his control of the Hill recognizes that his control of the Canadian enterprise would be unwise commercially, even if he otherwise wished to control it. It would be impossible for Americans or other outsiders to secure a controlling interest. He says there is no possibility, but that British Columbia smelters will be supplied amply with coke, as the company would, from all points of view, be foolish not to give the local nearby markets preference. the local nearby markets preference on account of the cheapness of transporta-tion, and Mr. Jaffray says there are three large smelter propositions on foot, and his company, as well as the Great Northern, will do all possible to forward projects for building in British Colum-

A telegram was received this morning from G. R. Maxwell, M. P., that he had Carnegie for a library for Vancouver provided the city furnished the site and \$5,000 expenditure.

THE KAISER'S HUMOR.

(Associated Press.)

Berlin, March 8.—The following bulletin regarding Emperor William's condition was issued this morning:

"The Kaiser's condition yesterdaysatisfactors."

day W. S. Calvert introduced a bill to incorporate the Vancouver & Luly Island Railway Co.

The Kaiser's condition yesterday was satisfactory. His Majesty slept well incorporate the Vancouver & Luly Island Railway Co.

flammatory symptoms. There is some swelling on the right eyelid and check, he has no fever. (Signed) Leuthold, Bergmann, Ilberg." Emperor William to-day wireu Prince Henry of Prussia: "I look as if I had just come from China."

ment would be called on to pay in bounties on iron and steel in the next seven years, and said it might be well for the government to see how far there were vested interests now, and to prevent further heavy expenditures. He read from the prospectus of the Dominion Steel Co., at Sydney, Cape Breton, that during the seven years from July next to 1907 this company alone would draw \$8,005,000 in bounties from the treasury. Then there were the Cramp Steel Co. and other companies of the Dominion, Canada stood to pay out in these seven years from \$25,000,000 to \$50,000,000.

How. W. S. Fielding said that the difficulty in the past was that there was too title paid. The question as to restricting the amount might be worth considering, but no vested rights would be interfered with.

fered with,
Col. Prior thought that Mr. Morrison
rose to ask for increased bounties. He
read a resolution passed by the Amalgamated Boards of Trade at Greenton, who died on January 14th.

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the churches and missions were jured. The population is peaceable no Boxers are in evidence. Manchurian HAWAHAN, LEGISLATURE,

Situation Secretary of the Territory Cooper Es Count Lamsdorff Denies the Report That Russia Will Have

But China Must Give Guarantee Against the Recurrence of

a Protectorate.

Against the Recurrence of

Disturbances.

London, March 7.—To-day the government published a dispatch from the band and proceedings of the house, and proceedings of the series of the ferritory Cooper was unceremotiously ordered out of the better that the series of the territory Cooper was unceremotiously ordered out of the bouse, and proceedings of the logislature, Secretary Cooper took a stem minister of foreign affairs, Count Lamsdorff, concerning the Manchurian affair. It appears that the Russian minister consented on February 27th to its publication as accurately representing Russia's attitude in the proceedings in Manchurian, Sir Charles Scott says, in part:

"Count Lamsdorff gave me the true version of what had taken place very readily. He said he had read allegations in the press that Russia had concluding with China a convention or permanent arrangement which would give Russia a virtual protectorate over southern Manchurian. This he declared to be quite untrue, asserting that the only ground for the rumor must have been the fact that the Russian military authorities who had been in the

Independents.

After a long debate, they passed the Beckley resolution by a vote of 20 to 9, being all the Republicans in the house. It is understood Cooper has asked Washington for a ruling as to the meaning of the instructions given him to send a report in military authorities who had

and pacification of the province were circeted, when reinstating the Chinese pathórities, to arrange with the local civil authorities a modus viveudi for the eivil authorities a modus vivend for the duration of the simultaneous presence of Russians and Chinese in southern Manchuria, with the object of prevent-ing a recurrence of disturbances in the vicinity of the Russian frontier, and of ing a recurrence of disturbances in the vicinity of the Russian frontier, and of protecting the railroad from the Russian frontier to Port Arthur.

"Some details of the proposed modus vivendi were sent for consideration to the Abyssinian commander-in-chief, Ras

St. Petersburg, but no convention or strangement with the central government of China of a permanent character had been concluded with regard to Manchuria, nor had the Czar any intention of departing in any way from the assurances he had publicly made, that Manchuria would be entirely restored to its former condition in the Chinese empire so soon as circumstances admitted.

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so soon as circumstances admitted.

"Russia was in the same position with regard to fixing the final date for the evacuation of Manchuria as the allies found thomselves in with regard to the evacuation of Pekin and the province of Chihli. When it came to final and com-

Russia would be obliged to obtain from the central government of China an efthe central government of China an effective guarantee against the recurrence of disturbances, but she had no integration of seeking this guarantee in any acquisition of territory or an actual or virtual protectorate of Manchuria. Her object was simply to guarantee the faithful observance in the future by China for the terms of the agreement which she had been unable to fulfill during the disturbance."

Washington March 7.—The unoble to protect the British ambassa would have his period of service washington continued are his period of service will ant throughout the present y and is likely to be followed by anot extension, owing to the amhassal turbance."

The dispatch concludes by repeating Count Lamsdorff's assurance that there had been no alteration of the former international status of Manchuria, which would be restored when the temporary everything at Niu Chwang and else-where would be replaced in the former

Chinese Killed.

Chinese Killed.

Berlin, March 7.—The war office has received the following from Count von Waldersee, dated Pekin, March 6th:

"A company of the Third East Assatics, under Capt. Kroerzer, came into contact southwest of Man Sheng, with four bundred Chinese regulars, who had apparently been separated from their main body. The Chinese were scattered and fifty of them killed. Two of their banners were taken.

"A small detachment was sent from Tien-Tsin to Thsang on March 3rd to suppress brigandage. Three companies of infantry, all under Lt.Col. Arnstadt, left for Yung Tsing on March 5th, with the same object."

According to Chinese statements re-

suppress brigandage. Three companies of infantry, all under Lt. Col. Arnstadt, left for Yung Tsing on March 5th, with the same object."

According to Chinese statements received officially in Berlin, the court will move about the end of March to some point nearer Pekin. Germany does not know whether this includes the Empress Dowager.

Count von Waldersee's trip to Thisin Tau is officially described here as "devoid of political significance, except as showing that the province of Chihali has hitherto not seen, and will report to the Emperor on the whole subject including the military fortifications.

The story by various papers that Germany and France mean eventually to keep the province of Chihali is officially declared to be absurd.

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The Cologne Volks Zeitung publishes a third letter from a German missionary bishop of Shan Tung relating to bis adventures. He was received in a most friendly manner by the Chinese governor, Gen. Yuen Shi Kal, and four of

New Rule Was Carried

Store Mr. Balfour's Resolution Dealing With Disorderly Members Discussed in Commons.

> The Debate Lasted Until Five O'clock This Morning-Exciting Scenes.

London, March 7 .- In the House of ons to-day the Speaker, Mr. Gully, aced that he had received a letter of the chair when a number of Irish

Several passionate speeches were made and the scene was one of great excitement. Finally, having forced a division by shouting "Aye" when the Speaker put the question, the Irish members joined the rest in the Honse in the "No" lobby. The result was that no one voted for the amendment. Lord Cecil and 421 voted against it, so an incident which had raised much bad blood ended amidst peals of laughter.

Several ineffectual attempts were then made to, adjourn the debate.

Mr. Batfour appealed to the House to

Mr. Balfour moved that the main

The Speaker then read the new rule, the House divided, and at 5.15 a.m. Mr. Balfour's new rule was adopted by a vote-of 224 to 97. The House adjourned at 5.40 a.m.

KAISER'S ASSAILANT.

Says He Tried to Throw Pieces of Iron

March 7 -- Weiland's examin ed that he was not responsi-

fortunate escape in the attack made upon him. The opinion prevails that the Em-peror will suffer much pain and probably some fever and inflammation during the next few days.

ROBERTS'S TRIBUTE,

London, March 7.-Lord Roberts, presiding to day at a meeting of the Army Temperance Society, contrasted the mod-eration of the British soldiers in South eration of the British soldiers in South Africa with previous campaigns. He said it was true that they had not had many opportunities, but at Bloemfontein, Johannesburg and Pretorna, where they did have such opportunity, they were remarkably well-behaved, and he had never heard a single complaint of a soldier being rude or improperly behaving towards Boer women. The latter and their children went fearlessly upon the streets, and the children played and talked with the British soldiers.

HOTELKEEPER'S SUICIDE.

Ottawa, March 7.—Additional information about the suicide who jumped over the suspension bridge into the Ottawa river last Monday, indicates that it was Patrick Ryan, an Almonte hotel-keeper, who was melancholy because ho suffored from asthma. He leaves a widow and eight children.

KILLIOD ON THE RAILWAY.

ing the Bris railway tracks near her home in Wellsburg to-day. Mrs. James T. O'Brian, wife of a prominent business man, was instantly killed by a fast treight train.

TO CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS.

Died After a Brisk Walk-The Manitob Liquor Act.

Liquor Act.

St. Catharines, March 7.—Mrs. G. H. Sockett, a month old bride, died on Tuesday evening after having taken a brisk walk with her husband. She was but 20 years of age, and a daughter of Philip O'Neit, Port Dalhousie.

Winnipeg, March 7.—An application was made to Mr. Justice Bain to-day for leave to appeal from the judgment of the court declaring the Liquor act invalid, to the Privy Council direct, instead of appealing first to the Supreme court of Ottawa. The matter stands to come up before the Full court next Saturday.

irday.

Halifax, N. S., March 7.—Steame Svangeline arrived here from Londo his morning, and reports tempestuou veather. She saw no sign of the Num idim with Strathcona's horse on board Ottawa, March 7.—The following ad ditional prizes are awarded in connec-tion with the W. C. Macdonald schem

Washington, March 7 .- An interesting able argument against the hope that great distances will ever be traversed at a single flash. The world is round. he says, and the rays spread in a straight ever, to

REMARKABLE OPERATION.

tion consisted of removing the patient's stomach, cutting away the pyloris and several malignant growths in its vicinity and restoring the stomach to its former place. McKenna was resting tasy last night. The physicians say that he will be up in a week.

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McKenna complained some months ago
of severe pains in his stomach, and was
troubled with insounia. This condition
called for an examination which disclosed a tumor as big as a hen's egg.
The point where the incision was made,
the pyloris, is the exit of the stomach
into the intestines; the other opening beinto the intestines; the other opening being the entrance through the occophagus,
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W countain playing in a court gard; min cushion of antiseptic cloths placed on the cled with the voices of the crowd, caused 1 atient's chest. Then the doctors cut having been joined to the intestines with silk sutures. But little blood was ap-

RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

Reichstag on Tuesday on Anglo-terman relatious is unfavorably commented up-on by the Russian newspapers. They express the opinion that the chancellor's policy is tending more and more to com-promise the solidarity of good relations existing between Russia and Germany. RECORDER FOR SCRANTON.

Harrisburg, Ps., March 7.—Governor Stone to-day signed the Pittsburg "Ripper" bill, and appointed James Moir, the tresent mayor of Scranton, recorder for that city. The bill provides a new charter for the cities of Pittsburg, Allegheny City and Scranton, abolishes the office of mayor and gives the governor power to appoint a recorder.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

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London, March 7.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Fotal reserve increased £357,.000. circulation increased £35,800, buillon increased £455,844, other securities decreased £2,692,000, other deposits decreased £3,089,000, public deposits decreased £655,.000, the notes reserve increased £487,000, and government recurities increased £487,000, and government recurities increased £497,000, and government recurities increased £487,000, and government recurities £487,000, and g

ton, a well known newspaper man and writer of short stories, is dead in this city

The Octopus Alarmed

Gigantic Steel Trust Would Like to Absorb Cape Breton Enterprise.

Victorian Tells How Big Industry Gave Sydney New Lease of Life.

The old town of Sydney, Cape Breton forth go forward along the line of pro perity by leaps and bounds. This is th sentative yesterday, by J. J. McKenn

tion with the W. C. Macdonald scheme to encourage scientific forming among boys and girls. The successful competitors with oats for British Columbia are: Ella J. McLennan, Beaver Point, \$25; Harry Biggar, Langley Prairie, \$20; C. East, going by way of the Great North-Cillbert Mohr, Enderby, \$15; V. W. Menseiez, Pender Island, \$12; Henry Peterson, Gabriola Island, \$10; J. Hory York, spending several days in the metropolis of the Empire State. Having completed his business there, the visited Cape Breton and there gained an idea of the Impetus given a district by the establishment on a large scale of an industrial enterprise. At Sydney, the Dominion Iron & Steel company, with a regional died from the effects of the low sources offered by Cape Breton, and established a steel concern of such magnitude that J. Pierpont Morgan and his associate plutocrats are beginning to look apprehensively in that direction. On the plant alone \$13,000,000 have been expended a colossal sum in itself. The pay roll of the company amounts to expended a colossal sum in itself. The pay roll of the company amounts to \$500,000 monthly, and, although Mr McKenna was unable to give the number of men employed, the amount of wages paid may, perhaps, afford some indication of the army of workmen emissions.

deavor to envelop this new enterprise it deavor to envelop this new enterprise in its expansive folds. The steel from Cape Breton to-day can be placed on the market at \$5 per ton less than the Pittsburg steel, and this fact is becoming an interesting little nightmare to the promoters of the gigantic trust. The company is enabled to accomplish this, owing to several conditions. In the first place it receives a bounty of \$3 per ton shipped, for ten years; secondly, the iron properties only about forty miles place it receives a bounty of \$3 per ton shipped, for ten years; secondly, the iron properties only about forty miles away are inexhaustible; thirdly, labor is less expensive, and lastly, there is no difficulty in obtaining it, for the company could draw on Newfounland for men, if necessary. There was an extertive blowing at the works when Mr. McKenna was there about six weeks

ever, to allow the great steep octopus, controlled by Morgan and Carnegie, to absorb the Cape Breton enterprise. The people there fear that if such were the case the trust would utilize the Cape Breton steel to fight the British enterprises while with their steel they could control the market in their own try. The Morgan people are strictly on the nm circ, however, When Mr. Carne-gle was at New York, the great trust had just acquired considerable property on Staten island, and were installing an

having been poured by the whole operation, is rapidly becoming recognized as and there is rapidly becoming recognized as the whole operation, is rapidly becoming recognized as the whole operation was a lit was seen that the operation was a it was seen that the operation was a lit was seen that the operation was a lit leave for that district in the will leave for that district in the RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

St. Petersburg, March 7. Chancellor unfair to base an estimate of Atlin on lase year's result, for the hydraulicing Roichstag on Tuesday on Anglo-German plants had only been inaugurated there

plants had only been inaugurated there then, and it requires time before the full benefit could be produced.

On his return, Mr. McKenna remained a few days at Ottawa, where he met a number of British Columbians, including several of the representatives in the House, who were just beginning to be agitated by the affairs of state. He also met R. L. Drury, who was lately appointed census commissioner for this province.

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The Democrats, secured a quorum in the Maryland senate yesterday and passed a bill which will distranchise 50,000 yeters, mostly negroes. The Republicans now concede that the proceedings have been rendered regular, and the new election bill is fairly on its way to final passage or defeat.

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The annual meeting of the Association will be held on Thursday, 14th March. Interesting addresses by F. W. Hodson, Demilion live stock commissioner, and H. L. Bianchard, of Hediock, Wash, Single fares on E. & N. R. R. and C. P. N. Co., and half rate on stock purchased.

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Amendments to Public Schools Act Submitted by Minister of Education.

The leader of the opposition was still unsatisfied. He instanced a case. As a lawyer he might be asked to examine the title of a man to a claim re-located after the original title had lapsed. The original owner might afterwards show that he had been a soldier in South Africa. The lawyer therefore would be ideaded to ascertain that the worse of a bapsed claim was not a soldier in South Africa.

Mr. Curtis Not only a soldier but a cook,

Mr. Martin thought that the effect of the Land Act? 2. If no revue has been received, is these any good reason why The leader of the opposition was still

contingents who had joined the Imperial of such proposals to a vote of the electores.

Leader of the Opposition Finds 'Plaws in the Contingents' Bill.

Victoria, March 7th.

The House opened at 2.10, payers being read by Rev. J. F. Vichert.

The Provincial Secretary submitted by message a bill to amend the Public Schools Act. The House went into committee, with Mr. Fooler in the chalt, occasion of the bill scale of the Mr. Pooler in the chalt, occasion of the bill scale of the message which was reported at the bill was reported that the bill was not open for dobate at present, as the Pinnere Minister would introduce another providing for a revenue tax to be collected by the provisional government, and not by the crites as at present, as the Pinnere Minister would introduce another providing for a revenue tax to be collected by the provisional government, and not by the crites as at present, as the Pinnere Minister would introduce another providing for a revenue tax to be collected by the provisional government, and not by the crites as at present, as the Pinnere Minister would introduce another providing for a revenue tax to be collected by the provisional government and not by the crites as at present, and the providing for a revenue tax to be collected by the provisional government and the public of the provisional servers of the bill dealing with municipality, and from the residence of the bill dealing with municipality, and from the residence of the bill dealing with municipality, and from the residence of the bill dealing with municipality, and from the residence of the bill dealing with municipality, and from the residence of the bill control of the search of the provisional and another of a park to the competency of miners underground. On the Speaker's query, 'Stall the pertition to favore of the provisional and another of the provisional and another of a park to the competency of miners underground. On the Speaker's query, 'Stall the pertition to favore of the pertition of St miners and the pertition of the residual provision of the pertition of St miners and provision of the pertition of

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dien. cial S bring Mr. the H corres posed road, Town	as he was informed by the Province decretary that the government would in a similar measure. Oliver moved: "That an order of fouse be granted for copies of all spondence in connection with pro- government work on the Yale	markable experience with coffee drinking. The details are most interesting to anyone who even suspects that coffee is damaging to the health. She says: "I drank coffee from a child, and a few years ago my health began to break down, everything I also or drank distressed me, and I settled into a chronic form of dyspepsia accompanied with a head-ache every morning, and was yery irritation."	Fifth Regiment a Great Success. The band concert given last evening in the drill hall by the Fifth Regiment band in aid of the fund for the support of those who, by the recent terrible disaster at Combelland, lost their breadwinners, was, as expected, a great success. The result of the canyass amount-	Yates	Streets Between B	Broad and Douglas	Streets.
Mr. stand was i theref Mr. eral t govers collect trict of The Traffic down	foreman in Delta Riding. Turner asked that the matter over until the Chief Commossioner in his place. The debate was fore adjourned. Garlen asked the Attorney-Gen the following question. Will the ament bring down the report of the tor of voice, for the electoral dis- of the city of Vancouver? answer to this was "Yes." Inheritance Rill and the Highway a Regulation Bill, which were for second reading, stood over. House went into committee on the	without taking a sleeping draught. While at first the pains in my stomach were slight, they kept growing worse, until finally the most wholesome food and drink would cause intense agony, and a tow minutes after sating 1 would have to throw everything up. My doctor had been telling me for some time that coffee was hurting me, but I did not believe it was true, for I saw many people drink coffee and thought I could. Of course, in this condition I could not sustain my flesh and strength, and I lost in weight from 185 pounds down to	Bandsman Donglas, was instrumental in raising \$41.55. The door receipts amounted to \$48, making a grand total of \$212.45. Other returns are expected. His Honor the Lieut, Governor and Lady Joly, accompanied by Miss Boswell, Mrs. Townsend, and the Lieut. Governor's private secretary, were in attendance. The programme was an excellent one, and the Lieut. Governor congratulated Bandsmaster Fina upon the efficiency which his organization had attained. GAZETTE POINTERS.	and the addresses of their solicitors to William Cooper, of 20 and 21, Lawrence Lane, Cheapside, London, on or before March 30th. Sporting News WHIST. J. B. A. A. TOURNAMENT.	give evidence to lead to the conviction of the one guilty of the deed. The question of good roads was also discussed at the meeting. It was decided to cooperate with the Goods Roads Association and assist them in every way possible. BASKETBALL CHALLENGE VICTORIA. Word has been received from Yancouver stating that it is the intention of the Van-	hold practices every evening in the Caldonia grounds. A practice match will also be played at the Hill to-morrow afternoor when all members are requested to be it attendance. By these preparations it may be seen that the local organization is determined to give the Nanatimo boys a har game. JUNIOR MATCHES. The regular Junior League games, as an nounced yesterday, will take place a licacon Hill to-morrow afternoon. On account of the goat posts of the lower ground being in use by the senior players at the	ABSOLUTE SECURIT
bill rewith Mr. acditis "Noo receive of An With ported finally The stion of the sti	especting the town of Wellington, Mr. Green in the chair. McInnes submitted the following onal clause: ne of the powers vested in the er shall continue after the first day gust, 1962." The motion carried, this amendment the bill was recomplete, read a third time and passed, report of the Slocan City Incorpor-Bill was adopted, and the bill read, time and passed. House went into computee, so, the Registry Act Amendment Bill,	90 pounds, and became a perfect skelpton, starving to death in a land of plenty. I was confined to my bed and dying by inches. The Dr. told me there was no chance of my ever getting well as my stomach was worn out. They had begun to wonder how many more days I would live. One day a lady friend called and told how wonderfully she had been helped out of stomach trouble and headaches by leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts Food. She went right to work and made me a nice cup of Postum	porated and Other Notifications— Courts of Revision. In the Official Gazette published yesterday, the following appointments are announced: Samuel Thompson, of Cortea Island, to be a justice of the counties of Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, Westminster, Yale, Cariboo and Kootenay; Albert Edward Planta, of the city of Nanaimo, to be a notary public for the province of British Columbia; William T. Cooksley, of the city of New	HOCKEY. LEAVE THIS EVENING. The Victoria hockey team, published in last evening's issue of the Times, will leave for Vancouver this evening to play the Vancouver organization. The game will be an exceptionally good one, and will commence at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at Brockton Park.	J. B. A. A. team. If this is done Victoria will see more matches before the season is over. Two games will probably take place, one at Vancouver and the other in this city. GAME WITH SEATTLE. An effort was made by one of the members of the J. B. A. A. whist team while in Seattle to arrange a couple of games with the Seattle team. He was not successful, however, but negotiations for the games are still going on. BOYS, BRIGADE TOURNAMENT.	on the upper grounds. The game between the Brigade and Sout-Firsk teams will commence promptly at- o'clock. The following is the South Part team: Goal, N. Sout; backs, Finlaison and Thomson; half backs, Ireland, Roskamp an McDonell; forwards, Peden, McAfee, Fox Todd and F. Cullin; reserves, W. Cullin Fawcett and Irvine. The match between the North Warf team and the Victoria West will com mence at 3 o'clock. The following player will represent the North Ward organiza tion: Goal, O. Anderson; backs H. Will.	Carter's Little Liver Pil Must Boar Signature of
The and as Com Placer Minist preparections ent me the bil The on the Bill, The letton the testion of the testion that the testion the testion the testion that the tes	shaving been received from differ- subers for delay he would ask that Il stand over. This was done. House again went into committee Canadian Contingent Exemption with Mr. Hayward in the chair, eader of the opposition drew at- tor the wording of the bill which to the wording of the bill which	into my stomach, but she coaxed me to take a spoonful of Postum and of Grape-Nuts. To my great surprise, I found that I did not have any pain to speak of in my stomach, and the food actually stayed down. Soon after the doctor came in and my nurse told him that, for the first time in three weeks, food had stayed on the stomach. He could hardly believe her as he thought death was very near. Then he wanted to know what I had been eating and drinking. He took home	officer for the Westminster electoral district; William John Sutton, of the city of Victoria, to be a special examiner at an examination of candidates for efficiency in the practice of assaying, to be held at the said city on the 25th instant and succeeding days, and froot. Patrick, of the city of Victoria, to be a notary public for the province of British Columbia. The title of the province to lots 1 and 2, block 4, town of Reveistoke, has been confirmed by the Dominion order-incouncil. This transfers to the province	and is now in the Metropolitan National Bank at Tacoma. The money was raised principally arong the business men of Seattle who wished to see professional baseball during the coming season. LAWN TENNIS. KAMLOOPS CLUB. The annual general meeting of the Kam-		P. Smith, H. Blake, C. Consins, H. Hughe and E. Bishop, GOLF. MEDAL COMPETITION The Victoria Goif Club will hold the fifti monthly medal competition to-morrow for gentlemen, while on Monday a competition will take place for ladies. It is stated at Constantinople that an important German syndicate has offered the Ports a loan of 2000 No. 75.	See Pec-Simite Wrapper Below. Very small and as easy to take as sugar. CARTERS FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILLIOUSNESS. FOR CONSTIPATION FOR SALLOW SKIP FOR THE COMPLET
memb adian original the first Horse. tended only to this bif catter with the catter one to ing program or right we The	cert the privileges of the statute to bers in any capacity of the Cam- or Imperial forces," whereas the I act referred only to members of st contingent and of Strathcona's He assumed the government in- to extend these special privileges bertish Columbia, but to allow to pass unamended would be to all kinds of difficulty. Unless was, a list of names issued by the et, it would be very hard for any find out when they were relocat- operty belonging to those whose cas made absolute under this act. Attorney-General mentioned that	The next day he said there was no mystery about it, as he had analyzed the samples and said he had found a predigested food, and one that would not hart the stomach, and the Postum was the most natural drink he had ever seen. He said that it did not excite the nerves as did coffee, and that it was nourishing and built up the system instead of tearing it down. He had my nurse give memora of the Postum and Grape-Nuts, and said there was one chance in ten that my system might be built up and my life be saved. In less than a week's time I could high half a corn of Postum as once and	which the province bought from A. S. Farwell, out of the section granted Mr. Farwell by the province, but which by a judgment was declared the property of the Dpminion government. All the lots sold before the decision of the court are being allowed the purchasers, an order-in-council being necessary to transfer land to the province. The following companies have been incorporated: Gem Novelty Company, Ltd., capital \$500,000; Westminster Towing & Fishing Co., Ltd., capital \$20,000. The rules and regulations passed by the board of horticulture at their meeting on Transfer and the second control of the second c	The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. F. Wood, president; J. J. Carment, vice president; S. C. Burton, secretary-treasurer; E. A. Nash, E. F. Appelbe, W. H. Pegram, T. H. Leeming and E. Fisher, committee. The financial statement for the year was read and passed. The coming season is being looked forward to by all the players and a successful year is anticipated. LACRUSSE. LOST FOUR PLAYERS. The Westminster lacrosse team has lost four of their old players, according to the	for the senior cup. The agany postponements of the League games have acted prejudicially to the Victoria team, as while, on the original dates, the whole of their men were here, they are now minus one of their best men. It will be noticed that Rutherford's name does not appear on, the Victoria team, and in order that no misapprehension may exist as to Rutherford's not playing, it may be stated that this fine half back has left the city for the time being and will not be able to take part in any of the League games this season. Richardson has been decided upon to fill the vecancy, and, al-	ish pounds, to be guaranteed by the pro- ceeds of a 6 per cent. surtax on the taxes of the Empire, and 2 per cent. sur- tax on inland customs duties. The loan is conditional upon future orders for arms and ammunition to be given to German firms. RUNNING SORES, the outcome of neglect, or had blood, have a never-failing baim in Dr. Agnew's Olatment. Will head the most stubborn cases, Soothes Irritation almost instantly after first application. It relieves all itching and burning skin dis- cases in a day. It cures piles in 3 to 5 nights, 33 cents. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks	CLINE SICK HEADACHE. CARY (OAL! LEARY (O PRICE \$6:00 PER TON. JAMES BAKER & CO PHONE 407. 38 BELLEVILLE
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Since the of Britis Imperia this list in thought Mr.	he first act was passed a number ish Columbia men had joined the il forces, hence the change. When t was forwarded it would, he meet the objection. Jartin said such a list would have ding legal effect. He suggested the list be forwarded within one by the Minister from the date passage of the act.	My head is so clear that I can think better than I ever could. I know, and all of our friends know, that there is not the slightest doubt but that I would be in my grave to day but for Postum Food Coffee and Grape-Nuts. You can publish this account if you wish, but please only use my initials." Miss N. U., Sebastopol, Calif. Full name and address given to those interested upon application to the Postum Gereal Co.	naimo districts, at court house, Nanaimo, at 12 a.m.; North Victoria district, in the caurt house, Salt Spring Island, at 2 p.m.; South Victoria district, at Royal Oak hotel; Vancouver City, at court house, at 10 a.m.; West Kostonas district, Revelstoke Riding, at court house, Revelstoke, at 10 a.m., Yale district, North Riding, at Kamloops court house, II a.m., all on May 6th next. The creditors of the Pioneer Development & Exploration Company are re-	season, as well as the proposed trip to Australia will be transacted. THE WHERL. VANCOUVER CYCLISTS TROUBLES. Some exentings are, according to the Vancouver World, someone who evidently had a grudge against the Terminal City Cycling Glub forced an entrance to the club rooms under the Commercial hotel and broke open the secretary's desk, tearing up all the records of the club, including the secretary's	A. Lorimer, S. Lorimer, Divingstone and W. York. Royal Artillery-Goal, Harvey: backs, Boyle and Twiddle; half backs, Baylor, Salmon and Conners: forwards, Williams, Snelgrove, Levick, Clark and Foley. A meeting of the Columbia football team was held the other evening for the purpose of making arrangements for practicing	markable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered exerceinting pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications of Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and realizing instant benefit and entire re- lief in a very short time. Second, in rheum- atism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain. For sale by Henderson Bross.	W. B. Shakespeare 74 YATES STREET. Removal Notice The Invertavish Nursery have ren their Flower Store from 39 Govern street to di Port street (Thos. 8, Fute
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OUR ASTUTE SUPERINTENDENT possible to arrange terms for him seems of the continuary course in the imposition of tax.

OF EDUCATION. diplomacy are more discreditable than The continued decrease of British ex To the Editor: The superintendent has ation and is not calculated to particularly impress strangers with the liberality of our institutions. It is usual to permit a man to spend a few months in permit a man to spend a few months in the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention in the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention in the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention this Easter. You need not be surprised at this. Last November the government issued a new school reports under the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention this Easter. You need not be surprised at this. Last November the government issued a new school reports under the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention this Easter. You need not be surprised at this convention to the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention the convention that which tells of negotiations for the ports will cause great jubilition in cerval and the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention the convention that which tells of negotiations for the ports will cause great jubilities at the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention the convention that which tells of negotiations for the ports will cause great jubilities at the convention that which tells of negotiations for the ports will cause great jubilities at the convention that the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention that the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet in convention to the convention that the continued decrease of British extra decided that the teachers shall not meet the co permit a man to spend a few months in fixed, outrages endured and property inquiries at home which may have a ber the government issued a new a country and to notify him before his ruined, these are the memories which far-reaching effect on the policy of the manual and ordered the teach es are levied upon instead of linger in the minds of many Victoriaus nations. The closing of the foreign mardescending upon his employers and leav- in connection with this question of the kets may have a tendency to magnify out to the superintendent point ceipt of the state as a noti- right of Canadians to pursue a lawful the importance of the home trade and fication that the vigilant eye of the tax calling upon the high seas. Seas closed that of the colonies. collector had spotted him. It is pro- and waters outside of the three mile limit posed to add \$2 to that imposition of arbitrarily declared to be within Ameri-\$3 and that it shall all pass into the provincial treasury and be doled out by the government for the support of laughing-stock among statesmen in the made United States pretensions a laughing-stock among statesmen in the past and things to be regarded with suspicion in the future. It seems it is still MORGAMANIA.

It may be necessary for reasons that have been set forth, before, and that we consider the support of the support of laughing-stock among statesmen in the past and things to be regarded with suspicion in the future. It seems it is still MORGAMANIA.

Senator Morgan, the Buccaneer. have been set forth before and that we can easily understand, to continue to collect this money in the old way, but we certainly see no reason why the places which have been erected into municipalwhich have been erected into municipal-ities should not have the spending of their own money. The expensiveness of their own money. The expensiveness of poor helpless seals may be saved from a continuous formula of the spending of the sp the school system of British Columbia must be caused for the most part by the great cost of maintaining educational privileges for the sparse school population in the banded over to Americans on And tell them that it is me!"

Oh, an angry man was he! So to Sandy Hook he hooked it down. And shouted across the sea:

"Ho, Ceutral! Ring up the British Crowa, And tell them that it is me!" tion in the rural districts. There is no the islands to have their brains gently

ance of the duties they perform. The man have had their eyes opened to the ducational problem must be faced, true value of American friendship. In "I'm Morgan, the Bad-horns, tall and hide There can be no putting back of the lands upon the dial. It is the duty of the government to add to rather than take away from the effectiveness of our lake away from take away from the effectiveness of our present educational system in city and played and is not to be influenced by present educational system in city and in country, and it has no right to ask the cities to give up any of the funds which properly belong to them for the benefit of any section of the country. It is exasperating to think of the substance which has been wasted and which if properly applied might have endowed our provincial school system with resources in keeping with the natural wealth of the country. They have builded more wisely in older provinces of the Dominion, as will be made clear as the debate upon the bill proceeds. In the East universities have been endowed also without resorting to the substance which has been wasted as as the debate upon the bill proceeds. In the East universities have been endowed also without resorting to

direct taxation. We have no such insti-tutions here and no prospects of secur-ing any. If any of the native sons and daughters of the province desire to at-the direct taxation. We have a contract the skins are dressed in London, from which process they derive their chief value. The fear that Canada might kick out of

school tax and its twin, the \$2 impost, have achieved distinction in that no public device for raising revenue has gained such an evil reputation in any province of Canada. To a large extent this has been brought about by the method of collection. When a stranger once more and the days of the seals are to be a stranger of the province of collection. When a stranger once more and the days of the seals are to be as to the number of fighting men the surrender of Botha have gone forth to the work of slanghter once more and the days of the seals are to be as to the number of fighting men the surrender of Botha have gone forth to the work of slanghter once more and the days of the seals are to be as to the number of fighting men the surrender of Botha have gone forth to the work of slanghter once more and the days of the seals are to be as to the number of fighting men the surrender of Botha will be observed.

nanual dees not mean what it says.

Section 74 of the School Act states
that all schools "shall be conducted on
strictly secular principles."

The government opiered the teachers

point out to the government that they were violating this section, and try to keep them from it? If he did, then again he failed.

Easter Monday, which is regarded by Easter Monday, which is regarded by many as a holy day, and which has been from time immemorial. a holiday, and is so declared by a Dominion statute, has been cut out of the sist of school holidays. Did the superintendent try his best to prevent this? If he did, then again he falled. Are you surprised that there is to be no convention at Easter?

Shoe" bears the slate frame trade mark, makers' name and price \$5.50 and \$4.00.

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The service your feet will give you depends mainly on the amount of intelligence you use when buying shoes.

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If you are an unfortunate sufferer from plies and have tried cure after cure without success, put all your doubts about ever heing cured without an operation aside, and try Dr. Cowan's Herbal-Distment. It is absolutely guarantered to cure any case of piles. You take no chances. If after using one-quarter of a box and no benefit, you can have your money back. We know we are perfectly safe in unaking this guarantee. Any druggist will sell you a box for 50 cents, or, if you prefer to try it before purchasing, call or enclose 5-cent stamp and we will send you a trial box by mail, absolutely free. Address The U. & M. Co., 121 Church street, Toronto.

FROM THE MILDEST CEYLON TO THE STRONGEST IN-DIAN. PRICES TO SUIT ALL POCKETS.

Choice Potatoes, per sack ... \$1 10 Lake of the Woods Hungarian 1 30 2 Star Flour ... 90 Wheat and Corn for chickens, ... 10 100 lbs. for ... 145

Hardress Clarke, 86 Douglas Street.

SPENCER'S

Store News for Saturday

Men's Underwear Sale

At 2 p. m. on Saturday we start selling Underwear worth 75c and \$1, for 50c a garment

960 Shirts and Drawers; in the lot, merino, silk fleeced and sanitary underwear. See goods in Government street window.

Boys' Gingham Shirts, with collars, all sizes, Men's Soft Front Cambric Shirts, without collars,

Men's Stiff Front Cambric Shirts, open front, with cuffs attached, special ...

Boys' Suits

8 Fine Worsted Suits, with double-breasted vests were \$7 50, Saturday ... Suits same style, were \$6.50, Saturday 7 Fancy Tweed Suits, square cut coat, with fancy vest, were \$5.00, Saturday The above are for boys of 4 to 8 years.

45 Fine Tweed Suits, pure wool, were \$3.45, \$3.85 and \$4.35, Saturday \$2.75

Ladies' Boots

80 pairs of Ladies' Fine American Boots (Liard & Shrober's make), were \$5.50, Saturday at 2 p. m. ... \$3.50 per pair SEE WINDOWS FOR BOOTS.

Special Purchase of White Pillow Cases For Sale Monday, at 8 O'clock

802 White Cotton Pillow Cases, hemmed ready for use, various widths, 42, 44, 46, 48, 48, 50 and 52 inches, all full length, in two qualities, fine make and extra heavy; usual prices of these pillow cottons not made up are from 20c to 30c a yard. Sale price of Pillow Cases ready for ... \$2.00 per dozen

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HAS NO EQUAL.

Insist on getting "Five Roses.

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See this space for new programme at "Searchlight."



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COLUMBIA

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Chain and Chainless Models, QUICKSTEP

Prices on above range from \$40.00-to \$85.00. Duniop tires are fitted to all the above wheels.

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GRAND ORGAN RECITAL ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Friday Evening, March 8th AT S O'CLOCK,

-BY-CLARENCE EDDY.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS .. Springtime is coming, and with it comes house cleaning. THE SANITARY FEATHER RENOVAPOR is now ready to turn out first-class work at short notice, and all feathers sent in to be cleaned will receive careful and prompt attention. We also repair mattresses, rotinges, easy chairs, take awnings, and do carpet cleaning and laying at reasonable rates.

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COMING TO THE NEW STORE den's Natural Wool Underwear, regu-lar price \$1.00; for the balance of den's strong Overshirts for working, regular \$1.00; for the balance of the

PHILLIPS, Government Str. Adelphia Block, Near Yates St.

Report Furnished by the Victoria

ed this province to Alberta, has caused high westerity winds over the Straits of Fuca and, Georgia, and a general rainfall west of the Cascades. New Westminster reported last night a heavy halistorm and Rarkerville snow. The barometer is now rising along the Coast in advance of an Important high area, which will probably cause several fair days throughout, this province. The weather remains quite mild in the Territories.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh in the service of the shore's Hard—Lieut-Col. Gregory will take charge of the parade of No. 3 and 4 companies of the Firth Regiment, C.A., on Wedness day evening next, and every man is requested to be en hand at 8 o'clock.

—You will find it in the B. C. Guide; Se per copy, 50c per year, in all book stores in B. C.

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Victoria and vicinity-Fresh winds, westrly at first, fair and cool to-day and Satrday. Lower Mainland-Moderate to fresh westerly winds, fair to-day and Saturday, light frosts at night.

Reports

im, 32; wind, 4 miles W.; weatherville-Barometer, 29.90; tempera-

Try new White Label Blue Ribbon Tea. night.

The Companions of the Forest gave a masquerade ball last evening at the Sir William Wallace hall. A large number were in attendance, and some curious as well as attractive attires were in

Drill Hall concert to-morrow night.

-Job lot of cross-cut saws to be sold at lesst than half price. Shore's Hard-

drunk came up. He was fined \$2.50 The Savoy gambling case was remanded for another week. -The Century Club held another of

The Century Club held another of their usual dances last evening at the A.O.U.W. hall. A fairly good number was present, and an enjoyable time was spent. The Longfield orchestra supplied excellent music. -The Rev. E. S. Rowe united in the

holy bonds of matrimony vesterday afternoon B. Harbin and Miss F. Boatman, both of Seattle. The wedding took place at the residence of Mr. Rowe, Quadra street.

Rev. W. J. Sipprell, of New West-minster, arrived in the city last evening, and will lecture in the Centennial Methodist church this evening. Mr. Sipprell's well known ability as a speaker will doubtless ensure a large attendance at

A meeting of the council was held this morning, when the Consolidated by-laws were passed. The city solicitor was also instructed to inquire into the matter of the encroachment upon Fort street between Blanchard and Quadra streets, and report upon it next Monday night.

IVORY SOAP as sameson's, 33 Fort The Central W.C.T.U. held their Street.

Street.

Scissors, table and pocket cutlery, razors, etc. Shore's Hardware.

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Free Delivery of Ricycle Repair.

Work. Rambler Cyclery. Weller Bros.

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Presh Oysters Daily from our own beds at Sooke. Price, per gallon, \$3.00, per quart, 75c. New England Hotel.

Last night of the programme showing the Keepers Feeding the Hipp-potanus at The Zoo at "Searchlight."

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-The Companions of the Forest as a maganage of the second of the source of the store of Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co., where it may be signed by any women who desire to do so, An endeavor will be made to forward it in time to be in cluded in the address to the Queen.

-Provincial Officer Halhead, of Chemainus, gave evidence in the condition of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the Forest as a maganage of the companions of the forest as a ma

mainus, gave evidence in the Senator Desertion case yesterday afternoon, He said he had been asked by the captain to go on board the boat and arrest three men. When he went to do so all wanted to be arrested, and complained of their services.

and no damage was done.

The corner of Broad and View dates to rapidly acquiring considerable mission for all to instrumental concert in the property of the p

EARLY ROSE

From Ashcroft, a very fine sample; also a

BONAPARTE POTATOES Good for Table or Seed.

JOHNS BROS.

259 Douglas Street.

-Don't miss the prize Cake Walk at

weather as very fair in the gulf.

—A choir has been inaugurated in Saanichton church with J. Palmer as choir master and Miss Mary Martindale as organist. About thirty members were present at the inauguration. Mr. Palmer has recently arrived from England, and is a brother of detective Palmer of this city. The choir will practice at Saanichton church on Fridays at 7.30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

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St. John's church will doubtless be crowded to its capacity this evening on the occasion of the organ recital to be given by Clarence Eddy, the distinguished musician, who is paying Victoria a brief visit, while on route to Europe from South California. The programme of the concert has already been given, and its character is such, particularly when in the hands of so capable and renowned an artist, as will ensure a treat for all listeners. -Circulars have been issued notifying

Circulars have been issued notifying the public of a strike being declared at Van Anda mines, Texada, on March 2nd. The strike has been declared by the Texada Union of the Western Federation of Mines, owing, they say, "to the employers at the above mines have ing decided to work the mines by employment of Japanese for miners, engineers, etc., and as the employers regineers, etc., and as the employers region of the provincial legislature, left for a short visit to their respective homes yesterday. W. H. Deupster, J. H. McGregor and the control of the rational way.

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exidence.

A fire alarm was rung last night
from the box at the entrance of the
cutter wharf. The chief took two hose
wagons and the chemical engine, and
went to the scene, but found that the
slarm had been a false one. In turning
the corner of Broad and Fort streets the
off horse on the leading wagon slipped
and fell. The horse was little injured,
and no damage was done.

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quarters his evidence substantiated that of the sailors in part, but the
quarters hos said were better than some
he had seen. The case was remanded
until Monday, in order to allow additional witnesses to be brought from
Chemainus.

The following donations to the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage durdust the sound on the West Coast, having
represented Alberni in the provincial
legislature for the term ending in 1894.

Subsequently he acted as goyernment
agent and gold commissioner for Alberni
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learned with regret by all in that disfirst, when he went to do so all wantdeath as announced at the
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tyre of the club for the perivices of the club for the perivice of the club for the privice of the club for the perivice of the club for the pe good pack of oil and clams last season, and expect to be still more successful this year. The Indians are also establishing a small salmon cannery. The post office, says Mr. Freeman, was removed from Skidegate for some time. W. H. Dempster, however, is going up in connection with the Oil & Trading Company and will take charge of the post office in the future. When Mr. Freeman left a report had gained circulation that a party was going to investigate the cid coal claims on Graham Island, probably with an eye to further developing them and ascertaining whether they were worth

Nova Scotia and Scottish stone.

The mayor this morning received the following telegram from Halifax: "Two sergeants of Victoria contingent arrived here O. K. G. P. D'Armour," Sergi. D'Armour enlisted here in Strathcona", having resigned from the N. W. M. P., and came down to Victoria for that purpose.

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D. G. S. Quadra returned to port this morning. During her cruise the wooden beacon on Sidney spit, which was blown over by the winter gales, was again placed in position, and Governor rock buoy. Trincomali channel, was examined, the chain cleared from the rock and the buoy cleaned and duly left in position. Capt. Walbran reports the weather as very fair in the gulf.

A choir has been inaugurated in the comments of the grant to the lumber tands are trained by the comments of the province.

The well known canneryman Alexander Ewen, is spending a few days in the city.

the city from the Sound yesterday after hoon. He is in the city on business i connection with his department of the rai

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Meraf, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. If was recommended to me by a drugglet as the best cough medicine for children, as it contained no oplum or other harmful drag." Sold by Henderson Bros. Wholesaie Agenta. by Henderson Bros., Wholesale Agents.

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1,500 pairs Boys' Tweed Pants, grey or brown, sizes 22 to 30 inches usual 75c and 80c pair Saturday, 50c a pair

1,200 pairs Boys' Navy Serge Pants, lined throughout, regular 35c and 40c a pair Saturday, 25c a pair

Boys' Tweed Suits

310 Boys' Two-piece Halifax Tweed Suits, in sizes 24 to 30 inches Safurday, \$2:45 a suit

190 Boys' Three-piece Tweed Suits, in grey or dark tweed or serge.

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Ladies' French Suede Gloves, perfect fitting Saturday, 90c a pair Ladies' French Kid Gloves, the usual \$1.25 quality Saturday, \$1.00 pr The New Idea Dress Patterns are the best

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A working model of the Machine, with turnstile attachment, may be seen at Mr. H. A. MUNN'S office, corner BROAD STREET and TROUNCE AVENUE, and you are hereby invited to inspect same between the hours of 11 and 12 a. m. and 3 and 4 p. m. every day, except Saturday (in the afternoon) and Sundays.

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strength, made a very theatrieal monto to the sun, then a second motion to Gen. Bailbond, after which an assistant handed him the sword—a broad, long chopping knife with a short handle, which until then had been wrapped up in a blood red cloth. The executioner laid it him the sword—a broad, long chopping knife with a short handle, which until then had been wrapped up in a blood red cloth. The executioner laid it him the sword—a broad, long chopping knife with a short handle which and other capitalists have been contemplating the



Dyspepsia's direful ills. It is because they always take

Laxa-Liver Pills.

Exploitation of the Oil Fields

Wheel Steamer

Reported That Commodious Vessel Will Be Build For Vaucouver Route.

Ship Eulemene Reaches Royal Roads After Stormy Voyage From Japan.

Spectacular

Executions

Therical recidenals to Beleast in flower the two the state of the state n the Victoria-Vancouver fersy service, the Vancouver Province says: on the neck of the Pantai, then he lifted who travel much between Vancouver and Victoria will be gratified to learn that the C. P. R intends improving the service, immediately. The steamer

Special correspondence to the Post-In-telligencer from Nome, under date of December 6th, says: "The hull of a large vessel was sighted on November 20th fast in an immense ice floe near Sledge Island. The discovery was made by peo-

Exploitation of the Oil Fields
in Hokkaido, but before they could carry out their project, they have been forestalfed by the foreign company, and the matter is much commented upon in the matter is much commented upon in the mative press.

The new steamer Kaga Maru was launched recently from the Nagasaki Mitsu Bishi Shiphniding yard, where she has been built to the order of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha for the latter's American service. The following are the dimensions of the new vessel: Length, 459 feet; breadth, 49 feet 2 inches; depth, 33 feet 6 inches. She has a deadweight capacity of about 6,802 tons. When completed, she will be of 6,240 tons gross or 11,800 tons displacement, with horse-power of 4,500 and a speed, of 15 knots an hour. She has been built to Lloyd's highest class, and is to be fitted with all the latest improvements. The vessel will be litted the state of the st

the morning.

DR WOOD'S

NORWAY PINE

SYRUP.

will be four in number.

If M. S. Arethusa, which left Esquimalt for the Orient at the time the war in China was at its height, was at Nagaski when the Goodwin left en coughs and colds.

will be four in number.

If M. S. Arethusa, which left Esquimalt for the Oriental cargo, and then proceeded to Tacoma. She brought no passengers either European or Asiatic for Victoria, all her Chinese having been transferred to the Olympia, which

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********* Provincial News *********

Work." An article at particular historical value, as well as of vivid interest, is contributed by Ida M. Tarbell. This is entitled, "The Distanding of the Union Army," and in it is adequately told for the first time the story of an event unique is history, how the Federal government returned its army of a million men from the camps of war to the fields of pence. Among the other contents this month are: "What We Know About Mars," by Edward S. Holden, formerly director of the Lick Observatory; "Billy's Tearless Wooe," a story written and iliustrated by Frederic Remington: "The Law of Life," an Alaskan story by Jack London; "Dan McCarthy," a story of the New York police, by J. Lincôn Steffens; besides other short stories, an instalment of "Kim," by Rudyard Kipling, and a poem by Josephine Dodge Daskam. The Hustrations are many and excellent. Among the artists represented are F, V. DuMond, Frederic Remington, J. Lockwood Kipling, Orson Lowell, Geo. Varian, Elben Bernard Thompson and W. J. Glackens.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

THE PROVINCIAL ASYLUM.

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Mining News

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ders, properly indorsed, will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, the 18th March next, for the erection and completion of a bridge across the Somas River, near Alberni, Alberni District.

District, B. C..

Drawings, specifications, and form of contract may be seen at the Lands and Works Department Victoria, B. C., at the office of the Government Agent, Nasalme, B. C., and at the Government Office, Alberna, B. C., on and after the 23rd instant. tract, when shall be forfered if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fall to complete the work contracted for. The chèques of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the

contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless nade out on the forms supplied and signed with the actual signature of the tenderers.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily,

Deputy Commissioner of Lauds & Works. Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 19th February, 1901.

Notice to Contractors.

Tenders will be received till Tuesday, th 12th inst., at 12 noon, for the erection of frame residence near Beacon Hill. Plan and specifications may be seen at my office A. MAXWELL MUII.

93% Bouglas street.



CANCELLATION OF RESERVE. CASSIAR DISTRICT.

hereby cancelled.

W. C. WELLS,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 39th January, 1901

NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT ENGLISH, DEGEASED.

All persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay the amount due forthwith; and all persons having claims against the above estate are required to send in their accounts, duly verlied, on or before the 9th day of March, 180t, to J. H. Meidram, the executor, or to

FELL & GREGORY,
Victoria, B. O.,
Solicitors for the Executor.
Victoria, B. C., 8th Feb., 1901.

Corporation of the City of

Victoria, Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 14th day of March, 1891, at the City Pound, situate on Chambers street, at the nour of 12 o'clock noon; I shall sell by Public Auction the following animals, viz.; One sorrel horse, bob tail; also one bay horse, white star on forehead; shoes on both, unless the said animals are redeemed and the pound charges pald at or before the time of sale.

Pound Keeper.

Victoria, B. C., March 6th, 1991.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, Harriet E, Hastings, of Victoria, B. C., will apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Court on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1901, or as soon thereafter as the same can be heard, for a transfer of the license held-by me to sell wines, spirits and liquors by retail on the premises known as "The Queen's Hotel," situate on the N. W. corner of Johnson and Store streets, Victoria, B. C., to Fred. Golding.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., February 9th, A. D. 1901.

H. E. HASTINGS H. E. HASTINGS.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I. Matthew H. McCabe, of the City of Victoria. Intend to apply at the next sirting of the Board of Licensing. Count for a transfer of the license heid by me to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Wilson Hotel Biar, Yates street, City of Victoria, to Stephen White and M. H. McCabe.
Luted at Vistoria, B. O., this 30th day of January, 1901.

M. H. McCabe.

M. H. M'CABE,

Notice is hereby given that at the next stiting of the Licensing Court of the City of Victoria, B. C., I intend making application for a transfer of the license now held by me to sail wines, spirits and other liquors at the premises known as the Callfornia hotel, 19 Johnson street, in the City of, Victoria, B. C., to J. S. Rollia.

Pated at Victoria, B. C., November 12th, 1999.

J. T. PHAROR.

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AUCTION SALE RIDAY, MARCH 8, AT 2 P.M.

A meeting of the council of the Board of Trade was held this morning, when a number of matters were dealt with Notable among these was the question points along the coast. There were preut the following: I. G. McQuade in chair, and Messrs, H. J. Scott, T. Paterson, C. H. Lugrin, J. A. Mara, R. Ker, Capt. Gox and Secretary

Marden, pilot. Puget. Sound. Steamship.

Ob., and Capt. John Ivring, calling at tention to the necessity for a light in disconsiderable native standards and was considered one of the most dangerous points in the navigation of northern waters. Capt. Cox also submitted a letter from Capt. Bissect, muster of the Thistel. Carvoring Noble Island as the best location for a guide through Christo Pass, which the captain showed was the best pass and the one most frequently used. This guide was recommended at the meeting of the Shipmasters' Association of Vancouver last year.

Capt. Cox said that there seemed to be-considerable indirect opinion almong the considerable different opinion almong the considerable correspondence with the Dominion authorities on the subject. The report of the committee was finally received, and read-will be sont to the ministers at Ottaws.

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The memorial of the British Columbia.

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The Atlin Board of Trade wrote, en-The Atlin Board of Trade wrote, en-closing a petition from the citizens of Atlin, asking that the board favorably consider the granting of a charter for a railway from the coast to Lake Bennett, in order to loosen the grip of the "White Pass Railway octopus" and give them the advantage of competitive rates. They favored the project of constructing the road by way of the Chilkoot

Pass.

The consensus of opinion among the council was that they were looked upon as "good things" by all in that part of the world, possessed of a grievance. The communication was, ultimately referred to the railway committee.

The following letter was then submitted by Capt, Cox:

mitted by Capit, Cox:
Capt. J. G. Cox, Chairman of the Committee on Harbors and Navigation of the E. C. Board of Trade;
Dear Sir.-I deedre to discuss with you in this letter a matter which, though seeminally of minor importance, had I believe, often caused loss of time, and in some cases great damage to ships coming to these waters from distant parts, whose masters have no knowledge of the coast except that obtained from books and charts. I refer to the sailing directions, etc., for ships entering the Straits of Juan de Fuca, as contained in the British Columbia Pilot, the last chiltion of which was published in

tained in the British Columbia Pflot, the last edition of which was published in 1898. The masters of steamships and of coasting sulling vessels do not usually require much in the way of information in this connection, but to the master of a sailing ship who is a stranger here it is of the greatest importance that the matter given in this took should be both definite and accurate, and I think that all the authent information that can be obtained on the subject (including especially the experience of the masters of coasting vessels) should be carefully epitomized and set out in these directions.

My remarks refer more particularly to these portions describing the sets of the different currents and I dies about Cape different currents and I dies about Cape different currents and I dies about Cape different currents and I des about Cape

wards the Vancouver shore, which strange ly enough, is not lost until Race Rocks are by enough, is not lost until Race Rocks are passed. It is this set which, when accompanied by light and boffling southerly winds (p. 8) and sometimes considerable swell from the same direction, makes the part of the coast about Carmanah lighthouse so exceedingly dangerous. The flood current is the Straits is felt more strongly on the

M. Paterson, C. H. Lugrin, J. A. Mara, D. R. Ker, Capt. Gox and Secretary Ellworthy.

After the regular preliminaries, communications and reports were taken up. The letter from Dedwell & Co., regarding the Puget, Sound service, which has already appeared in these columns, was read. As will be remembered, the company announced its preparedness to provide this city with a morning and evening service provided it was supported by the merchants.

Mr. Lugrin favored filing the letter, and advised that the council await the arrival of Sir William Pearre before taking action. The president explained, however, that Sir W. Pearce would not come here, but his secretary would arrive in company with Sec. More to most services and advised that the council await the carrival of Sir William Pearre before taking action. The president explained, however, that Sir W. Pearce would not come here, but his secretary would arrive in company with Sec. Dadwell. The months of November and Decembers are received and filed pending the forthcoming visit.

Stay: Cos, chafrant of the lattbor and navigation committee, submitted a communication from Capt. Roberts, H. H. Marden, pilot, Puget, Sound Steamship, and was considered one of the most dangerous points in the navigation of northern waters. Capt. Cox also submitted a city for a light in Green finite, Chatham Sound, as the island was considered one of the most dangerous points in the navigation of northern waters. Capt. Cox also submitted a city for a light in Green finite, Chatham Sound, as the island as the best location for a guide mater which the same developed and northern waters of the starts of Free and Free and

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have to be made up in another way, and

School Board Independent
Coming to the constitution and powers
of these school beards, it is noticed that
the boards are given greater latitude.
Under Sec. 37 of the act the estimate
furnished the council by the board was
for expenses and maintenance as they
"existed at the time of making such estimate." The amendment provides only
that such estimate shall be for the purposes set forth in Sec. 36, meluding providing school accommodation, furnishings and such contingencies.
Further, under the proposed act a city
council will not be able to postpone action on a estimate for extraordinary
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tion on an estimate for extraordinary expenditure, as is now the case with the city fathers. Where an estimate is submitted of sums required for the purchase of lands and school brildings, or for the erection of the latter, which cannot be provided for out of the annual revenue, "it shall be the duty of the council ou or before the 1st of April to 108. E. PHILLIPS.

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Pilbao, Spain, March 8.—The British steamer Aviona, L140 tons, Capt. Len-nox, has been wrecked at the Bilbao breakwater. All on board were lost.

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The Private Bills Committee will meet in the Cedar Committees Room at the same time to consider Bills referred to that Com-Dated this 8th day of March, 1901.

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