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Supporters of Imperial Government Opposed to Any Sign of Weakness.

Mr. Stead Says the Colonial Secretary Is Responsible for the Present Trouble.

Transvaal Government Moving Troops to Frontier—British War Preparations.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Aug. 19.—The latest franchise bill of Pretoria has failed in its expected effect. It is merely regarded as a device to gain time. There is no cessation of the war preparations on either side. The Transvaal government is beginning to move troops to the border, and the police on the frontier have been ordered to strictly prohibit any cattle leaving their country, while the treasury of the Republic is receiving large amounts of gold beyond ordinary requirements.  
Field Marshal Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief of the British army, was in consultation at the war office yesterday with General Neville Gerald Lytton, military secretary, and the headquarters staff. Orders for an immediate supply of large stores of forage and general stores were under consideration.  
A six months' supply of compressed forage for ten thousand horses has already been sent out.  
It is reported that Colonel Hector Macdonald, recently appointed to an important Indian command, but who has delayed taking up his post, is really waiting to be ordered to South Africa under the command of Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Walker, who relieves General

## An American in South Africa

Rear Admiral Howison of the Chicago Tells of His Recent Visit.

There Can Only Be One Result of a War in the Transvaal.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Aug. 19.—The Washington correspondent of the Herald says: "In a report received by the navy department from Rear-Admiral Howison, that officer describes the tension existing between the Transvaal and Great Britain, and his report indicates that war may be precipitated by the hot-headedness of the Boers. Though Admiral Howison was not sent to the Transvaal upon any diplomatic mission, he went to that country when the Chicago arrived at Delagoa Bay last month and joined a careful study of the conditions prevailing in the sections through which he passed."  
"It would not be surprising, in the event of war," said Admiral Howison, "if the British government required the United States to take care of its interests in the Transvaal, and a ship from the South Atlantic station will undoubtedly be sent to Delagoa Bay to look out for American interests."  
"According to Rear-Admiral Howison there could only be one result of a war between Great Britain and the South African Republic—the absorption of the latter country. The Boers are determined, however, to fight for their independence."  
"It is apparent that Admiral Howison sympathizes with the Uitlanders, as he says they pay five-sixths of the taxes and represent three-fifths of the wealth of the country."  
"Admiral Howison describes the mines as fabulously rich, and devotes a portion of his report to the characteristics of the Boers. He says they are very superstitious and mentions the declaration of the Volksraad to pass a bill for ridding the country of grasshoppers and for overcoming the effects of drought, the reason given being that it would be unwise to attempt to thwart the will of Providence."  
**GENERAL WALKER DEPARTS.**  
Sir Redvers Buller will Command the Troops if There is Any Fighting.  
(Associated Press.)  
London, Aug. 19.—Lieut. General Sir Frederick Walker, who relieves General Sir William Francis Butler as commander of the British troops in South Africa, sails for his post to-day. He was accorded an enthusiastic farewell by crowds who surrounded the train on which he was a passenger at Waterloo station.  
It was stated by an army officer accompanying General Walker that in the event of hostilities in the Transvaal Lieut. General Sir Redvers Buller will take command of the fighting force, General Walker remaining at Capetown. The officer referred to added that General Butler's retirement was entirely voluntary.  
**QUIET DAY AT RENNES.**  
Major Guignot before the Court Martial declared He Was Convicted of the Prisoner's Guilt.  
(Associated Press.)  
Rennes, Aug. 19.—No special incident occurred this morning when the second trial by court martial of Captain Dreyfus was resumed at the Lycée.  
The first witness called to-day was Major Guignot, formerly attached to the ministry of war.  
The witness, who declared he was convinced of the prisoner's guilt, was cross-examined by M. Damange, counsel for the defense, who succeeded in pointing out that several of his statements contradicted his previous depositions.  
The president of the court, Colonel Jouhaux, asked Dreyfus if he had anything to say, whereupon the prisoner rose and again vehemently protested that he was an innocent man.  
General de Boisdeffre was the next witness called.  
General Gonz followed General de Boisdeffre. He maintained the prisoner was guilty. Gonz declared the Henry forgery known for a week before the confession. He admitted that Henry, when he first produced the forged documents, insisted they must not be shown to Picquart.  
Colonel Picquart was then recalled to explain certain allusions to the secret service funds, and after General Bullot had spoken in rebuttal of Picquart's statement, the court, at 11:45, adjourned for the day.  
M. Labori Improving.  
Rennes, Aug. 19.—The condition of Maitre Labori is further improved this morning.  
Guerin Belegged.  
Paris, Aug. 19.—A strict blockade has been established in the Rue de Chabrol and the authorities have this morning begun a regular siege of the building in which M. Guerin and his colleagues have entrenched themselves.  
**SIR C. L. PEEL DEAD.**  
London, Aug. 19.—Sir Charles Lennox Peel, K.C.B., is dead. Deceased was born in 1823.

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## FISHING-SMACK RUN DOWN.

Cut in Two by a Seattle Bound Steamer—Dave Gordon, a Fisherman, Drowned.  
(Special to the Times.)  
Vancouver, Aug. 19.—A fishing smack containing two men and carrying no light, was run down and cut in two by the steamer North Pacific on Thursday morning a few miles off Steveston. The steamer was on the way to Seattle, and ran into the boat before it could be seen and when it was too late to stop. Dave Gordon, one of the occupants, was drowned. The body has not been recovered. S. Short, the other man, clung to the wreck of the smack and was picked up later.  
Vancouver Trades' and Labor Council will take action against merchants who disregard early closing, and institute a boycott.

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Text of the Decision of the Archbishop of Canterbury and York.

The decision of the Archbishops of Canterbury and York on the questions whether incense in churches and lighted candles in religious processions were lawful within the Church of England...

The London BISHOPS of August 1, contain the judgment of the Archbishops in full...

The questions put before us at the present time are two—the lawfulness of the liturgical use of incense, and the lawfulness of carrying lights in procession...

The Ornaments Rubric.

There is no direction in the Book of Common Prayer either enjoining or authorizing either of these practices. But it is argued they are practically sanctioned by the ornaments rubric prefixed to the order for morning prayer...

The ministrations of the ministers is contained in and prescribed by the Book of Common Prayer. It is there that we find what is the form to be observed in all the offices of public worship...

"Every Well Man Hath His Ill Day." A doctor's examination might show that kidneys, liver and stomach are normal, but the doctor cannot analyze the blood upon which these organs depend.

precise and clear statement of the Act, gradually prevailed, and forbidden ceremonies gradually disappeared. In this application to the use of incense the law was obscured by the fact that, side by side with the liturgical use another use had always been common which it was not the intention of the rulers of the Legislature to interfere with.

There was nothing to prevent the use of incense for the purpose of sweetening the atmosphere of a church whether or whenever such sweetening was needed. And instances of this use can be found long after the Act of Elizabeth, and were produced before us at the hearing of the case. But such instances have no bearing whatever on the lawfulness of the liturgical use.

It is quite true that there may be variations, which are so brief, so long in use, so unimportant, that a Bishop would be justified in refusing to allow a clergyman to be prosecuted because of the same.

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mony and an ornament, by making the ceremony subordinate to the ornament, instead of the ornament being subordinate to the ceremony. The very meaning of an ornament is that it is a thing to be used for the fitting performance of a ceremony...

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Military Matters

Communications from members of the different branches of Her Majesty's Service represented in Victoria and Esquimaux will be welcomed. Address "Chevron," Times Office.

The New Flagship.—The event of the week in local military and naval circles has been the arrival of the new flagship "Warspite," with Rear-Admiral Beaumont on board. The "Warspite" resembles very closely her predecessor on this station, but her armament is a little heavier, and she carries a few more men. General Moore left yesterday and to-day has enabled the seamen and marines to get acquainted with the town.

A Popular C. O.—Colonel Trench, of the Leinster Regiment, Royal Canadian (10th), who lately gave over the command at Halifax, N. S., after five years, received an exceptionally enthusiastic send-off from his regiment. The officers and sergeants took the horses out of his carriage and drew it to the railway station. The men formed an improvised guard of honor and the band played as the train moved off. Colonel Trench was brought in from half pay to command the Leinsters. He is a Leitster man, which, no doubt, was a factor in his favor.

Amphion For Home.—Mr. M. S. Amphion expects to leave on Saturday next on her long cruise homeward. At Coquimbos she will probably meet her regular ship, which is expected to be the "Arctura." Capt. Finnis has endeavored himself to the people of Victoria by many acts of consideration and of kindness, which will not soon be forgotten by the citizens. This friendly spirit has extended to the ship's company, which is a rare thing for a ship of the war. The Amphion's men and their wholesome skipper have repeatedly placed the people of this city under a debt of obligation. Could not some parting favor be arranged which would convey to these some of the good wishes which "Victory" feel in return?

The Amphion's Successor.—Although she has not yet been designated officially to succeed the Amphion at this station, it is believed that the "Arctura" will be sent here. She is a second-class cruiser, and was completed at Chatham in 1882. She mounts 10 guns, has a 4,300 tonnage and 5,000 horse power. Her speed is 16.6 knots.

Tommy's Cap.—An army officer, in talking to a London newspaper man recently, described the angle at which the service cap is worn to Tommy's own desire for smartness, and not to any arbitrary rule of the war office. Civilians often wonder at a custom which requires a soldier to raise his cap on two hairs, with the lower edge one inch above the right eyebrow, and one inch above the line where the ear separates from the head. But the officer alluded to explained it: "You have to reckon," he said, "with the cap, and most of all, with the man's private desire for smartness. A regulation that put the cap in the middle of the head would be considered for a month; the fashion isn't dress enough. You can't alter the wearing of the cap, however much you alter its shape. What the army has done for a hundred years, the army will continue to do."

A Democratic Objection.—It seems like an excess of courtesy, says a Tacoma paper, to allow Colonel Lee, military attaché to the British embassy, to visit the fortifications of this country. Yet such permission has been given, and Col. Lee has made the most of it, inspecting all the fortifications of the country. He was at the mouth of the Columbia a few days ago and went thence to San Francisco to inspect our works there. In view of this freedom, the prohibition of our citizens from a glimpse of the works at various points seems hard to understand.

The Regimental Picnic.—Arrangements for the annual picnic of the First Battalion are progressing favorably. The picnic takes place on September 2nd, and will be held at Langford Lake. One prominent feature will be Morris' tube shooting, those desiring to take part having a choice of Lee-Enfield, Martini and Remington, the latter for the use of ladies. Four targets will be used, and a good programme of sports carried out.

Rodney's Discipline.—In Fitchett's "Fights for the Flag" an admirable paragraph tells of how the great Rodney disciplined his fleet. It is as follows: The story of how he created a new discipline in his fleet, and a new sense of honor and duty among his captains, is very stirring. He drilled his great fleet as a sharp-tongued sergeant drills a squad of recruits. "Every captain in this fleet," he said to a friend, "thinks himself fit to be prime minister of Great Britain," and Rodney spared no pains to cure them of that delusion. The service, it must be added, was ensured by political divisions. A Whig captain was capable of remembering his politics even in the flaming stress of battle, and of refusing help to another British captain because he happened to be a Tory. Rodney effected all this. He put his fleet through drill manoeuvres, scoring them into order with angry signals and public rebukes until the captains of the old school at least were half-mad with wrath and perplexity. But he gave to his fleet that first condition of victory, an iron discipline.

To Clean Gold Lace.—The following is recommended by an old army man as an excellent recipe for cleaning gold lace: "Take 1 oz. of stale bread in fine crumbs, 1/2 oz. of ammonia, 1/2 oz. of cream of tartar. Form the above into a paste with alcohol and apply to the lace with a small brush. When dry, dust off the crumbs and, rub the lace gently with chamois leather."

The Fruits of Rehearsal.—If absolute accuracy is looked for a considerable amount of rehearsal over the same ground by the same performers is requisite. The troping of the color on the Horse Guards parade is a case in point, rehearsals of which go on for a month previously over the same bit of levelled ground by the same men; then there is finally a dress rehearsal, and the birthday performance itself elicits the wondering praise of the crowd and

the testimony of the newspapers to the war-like marching and wheeling of the Guards. The Russian Imperial Guards not only do the same thing in the same clock-work manner, not only do they all go on their height and breadth, but at all events some years ago they were all so much alike they might have been sons of one father. This was accomplished by the aid of hair dye and false moustaches. The spectacle was imposing, and probably would still be presented to the world as evidence of the wonderful precision of the Czar's body-guard in expression as well as in motion. Unfortunately the Coronation Review of Alexander II. was marred by a heavy downpour of rain, the moustaches lost their color, and the uniforms became streaked with inkiness. This particular ceremonial was then dropped, so far as later-semblance of the performers was concerned.

Victorians for the D.R.A.—The little Victoria contingent of marksmen who will represent this province at the Dominion Rifle Association meet held on Monday evening for the East. They will compete at the O.R.A. matches prior to attending the larger meet. The Victoria contingent consists of Sergeant Lettice, Corporal Richardson, Bombardier Bodley and Sergeant McPhong.

For the Yukon.—Major T. D. R. Hennings, Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, will be transferred from No. 4 regimental depot to be second in command of the Yukon field force. He will report himself for duty at the headquarters of the Yukon field force at Fort Selkirk not later than the 15th October next.

Rating of Marksmen.—The following is the classification of members of the 1st Battalion who will compete at the spoon shoot. New members will be classified from time to time, as they become eligible to compete.

First Class.—Mr. P. Ashby, Gr. R. J. Butler, Capt. M. G. Blanchard, Sgt. A. A. Bailey, Bomb. S. W. Bodley, Bomb. A. W. Currie, Gr. T. Gibson, Gr. W. Duncan, Gr. E. H. Fletcher, Corp. Fletcher, R. M. A. Corp. F. A. Patcher, Lt. Col. E. B. Gregory, Sgt. Gibson, R. M. A. Sgt. R. E. Guert, R. E. Major J. P. Hibben, Bomb. C. Harris, Bomb. R. Harris, Sgt. W. J. Lettice, Gr. H. Lawrie, Sgt. E. McPhong, Corp. J. McFarlane, O. R. Clerk, A. McLean, Corp. F. Richardson, Sgt. W. P. Winthrop, Major B. Williams, Bomb. Wait, Winsby, Gr. J. Webb.

Second Class.—Gr. A. Anderson, E. Brown, Gr. A. Brayshaw, Gr. W. J. Buckett, Gr. C. Browne, Corp. H. P. Dickinson, Gr. H. Fox, L. H. Fullagar, G. H. Gaudley, Gr. O. Gledhill, Gr. J. B. Green, Gr. Hale, R. M. A. Gr. T. N. Hibben, Surgeon-Major E. C. Hart, Gr. R. H. Johnston, Gr. E. P. Johnston, Gr. G. Jaynes, Gr. Keatinge, Gr. S. Lawrie, Gr. T. Lohbe, Sgt. H. Langer, Gr. E. Logan, Corp. W. Lorimer, Sgt-Major A. Mulchay, Gr. J. Mairhead, Capt. D. B. McComan, Sgt. R. Nevin, Sgt. F. Russel, Bomb. W. J. Savory, Sgt. H. N. Short, Gr. C. Wilder.

Third Class.—Gr. P. Austin, H. Austin, Gr. E. M. Anderson, Gr. T. J. Andrews, Gr. E. Burgess, Gr. G. Baaman, Corp. Brikmann, Gr. Barker, Gr. G. A. Black, Gr. Bell, Gr. Banfield, Gr. F. Bone, Gr. T. Barnes, Gr. G. Brown, Gr. Burns, Gr. Cornwall, Gr. F. Crawne, Gr. R. Macdonald, Corp. G. Clarke, Gr. R. Colby, Gr. A. A. Colquhoun, Gr. J. Colbet, Gr. C. Cates, Gr. W. L. Cates, Gr. Devereux, Gr. F. Dykes, Gr. Geo. Dickinson, Gr. Donaldson, Gr. H. Erskine, Gr. R. Ewart, Gr. C. E. Fullan, Gr. G. Fraser, Gr. W. Fletcher, Gr. G. F. Fraser, Gr. S. L. Howell, Sgt. G. Hoyer, Capt. V. Hitchcock, Gr. H. Hall, Gr. C. J. Hitt, Gr. A. F. Hewitt, Gr. J. Johnston, Gr. S. M. Johnston, Gr. R. M. Knox, Gr. G. W. Knox, Gr. R. W. Keeter, Gr. R. W. Lindsay, Gr. Long, Major R. R. Moore, Gr. Morse, Gr. R. Morrison, Gr. J. Y. Margison, Gr. McLeish, Gr. G. W. Nell, Co. Sgt. H. Major J. Northcott, Gr. H. Nesbitt, Sgt. T. P. Patton, Gr. G. Penkeoth, Gr. W. Pelea, Gr. W. B. Pinder, Bomb. C. L. Roys, Gr. W. Scott, Gr. J. W. Speck, Gr. A. Snider, Gr. R. Short, Gr. S. W. Shepherd, Gr. W. N. Shepherd, Gr. N. Shepherd, Gr. B. Schwengers, Gr. S. R. C. Trimma, Gr. A. Toller, Gr. A. E. Todd, Gr. B. Vigor, Corp. W. N. Winsby, Gr. W. T. Williams, Gr. St. G. Williams, L. W. Gr. A. N. Wood, Gr. C. White, Gr. I. G. Walker, Gr. H. Wheeler, Gr. L. York, Bomb. Wm. York.

Spoon Shoot Regulations.—The following rules and regulations have been promulgated in connection with the spoon shoot which opens on the Clover Point range this morning, and to which references was made in last night's Times:

These matches are open to all members of the Victoria Garrison Artillery Rifle Association, without entrance fee, but a marker's fee of 10 cents will be charged all competitors for each match. Membership in the V. G. A. Rifle Association is open to all at the following scale of fees: Civilians, \$2 per annum; officers of M. F. forces on this station; of Canadian Militia (active or retired list), \$1 per annum; warrant officers and sergeants of the above \$1 per annum; non-commissioned officers, mess, sappers, gunners or privates of above, 50 cents per annum. Membership receipts will be obtained from Bomb. Wait, Winsby, Dominion Government Savings Bank, acting secretary of the association, or from Gr. W. J. Speck, 41 Fort street. The matches are shot under the supervision of the executive committee of the association, and under the Dominion Life Association rules, 1894. Competitors must provide their own ammunition. The matches are restricted to Lee-Enfield, Lee-Enfield, Martini-Enfield or Martini-Metford rifles of the government issue or government pattern, bearing government vieweer's mark. The times of shooting will be from 6 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., and from 1:30 p.m. till dark on Saturdays, and on such other days and times as may be decided by the executive committee. Competition in the second and third classes is restricted to members of the Fifth Regiment.

A PLAIN TALK TO WOMEN.

About all the sufferings that women endure can be traced to irregularities of the delicate and sensitive feminine organism. A healthy woman is never irregular. It is the pale, weak, nervous woman who suffers with headaches, backaches, bearing down feelings and gloomy forebodings when the monthly action comes on. Set the nerves right and the pains and aches will disappear. There will be no more irregularities when the whole body is under the control of healthy nerves.

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Serving in the Royal Navy are two other Victorians, Lieutenant William R. Macdonald, H. M. S. Impiegione, who is a son of Senator W. J. Macdonald, and Sub-Lieutenant G. D. Ward, Esq., of the Bank of British Columbia, formerly of this city, but now of London, England.

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Paine's Celery Compound Saves a Little Girl's Life. Users of Paine's Celery Compound never suffer disappointment. The great medicine at all times and under all circumstances brings all sufferers relief and a permanent cure. Mr. Maxime Martel, 189 Mitchell Street, Montreal, tells what Paine's Celery Compound accomplished for his little daughter, whose case was considered an incurable one, he says: "My daughter, now eight years old, was afflicted with terrible convulsions for nearly six years, and we thought her case an incurable one. We had several physicians of all kinds, but she got worse instead of better. Having had our attention drawn to the fact that Paine's Celery Compound wrought cures after other medicines failed, we procured a supply, and after a fair use of the medicine we can report that the disease is overcome, and we trust has disappeared forever. Our little girl is now bright, strong and healthy, sleeps and eats well, and her blood is now as pure as it can possibly be. I have great pleasure in recommending Paine's Celery Compound as a cure for convulsions and blood diseases; it is the best medicine in the world."

SASKATCHEWAN IN FLOOD.

The River Still Rising and Much Property Has Been Destroyed. Edmonton, Aug. 18.—The Saskatchewan river has overflowed, rising forty feet during the last twenty hours, and continues to rise fast. Already bridge piers are under water, and the electric light boilers covered. Floating islands of wood are passing down, the ferries are broken down and no mail has arrived. Thousands of feet of lumber is adrift. The historic steamer Northwest, of the Hudson Bay Company, has just broken from her moorings, struck the middle pier of the bridge and gone down the river, a total wreck. The river is still on the rise and full of drift, miners' shacks and effects, citizens on the river bank are moving out.

STARTLING CONFESSIONS. Show that 25 per cent. of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment has never yet failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women have broken down of M. F. forces on this station, of Canadian Militia (active or retired list), \$1 per annum; warrant officers and sergeants of the above \$1 per annum; non-commissioned officers, mess, sappers, gunners or privates of above, 50 cents per annum. Membership receipts will be obtained from Bomb. Wait, Winsby, Dominion Government Savings Bank, acting secretary of the association, or from Gr. W. J. Speck, 41 Fort street. The matches are shot under the supervision of the executive committee of the association, and under the Dominion Life Association rules, 1894. Competitors must provide their own ammunition. The matches are restricted to Lee-Enfield, Lee-Enfield, Martini-Enfield or Martini-Metford rifles of the government issue or government pattern, bearing government vieweer's mark. The times of shooting will be from 6 a.m. to 8:30 a.m., and from 1:30 p.m. till dark on Saturdays, and on such other days and times as may be decided by the executive committee. Competition in the second and third classes is restricted to members of the Fifth Regiment.

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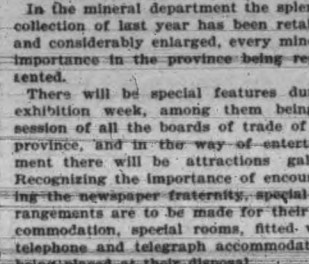
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One of the most potent causes of the success of the New Westminister Agricultural Society's annual exhibition is generally conceded to be the excellent work done by the ambassador in advance, ex-Ald. W. H. Keary, whose genial presence in Victoria prompted a Times man this morning to secure a few pointers regarding the prospects for this

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THE UNKNOWN PARTY.

The Colonist continues to add to the mystery surrounding the opposition. It says that the opposition movement is not intended to put Mr. Turner back in office and that the personnel of the proposed new administration is a secondary matter, the object being to secure a better government. The innocent admission is also made that although Mr. Turner is not particularly wanted back again at the head of affairs, he may get there as a result of the "movement," and then to calm the fears that this statement may give rise to we are assured that every opposition member of the House, Mr. Turner included, is "prepared to surrender any claim he may have to consideration in the formation of a new government."

"All this is very mysterious. It is also very stupid. How the personnel of a government can be considered of little or no importance when 'good government' is the sole object in view is a proposition that no sensible person will agree with. It is a matter of prime importance to know who the men are that are to be placed in power when the present incumbents give up the seats of office. This invitation to the people to close their eyes, open their mouths and swallow whatever may be placed therein, is an audacious appeal by political empirics to a faith in the unseen and impossible which no man not an imbecile or a demagogue will admit that he possesses. There is an old and homely saying to the effect, 'better the devil we know than the devil we do not know,' which we commend to the consideration of our contemporary. The Semlin government may be bad, but what guarantee is there that the next will not be worse? If we knew the names, or even the name of its leader, we would be in a position to judge. But we have been told by Turner organs that Turnerism as a cause is dead and that new conditions demand new methods and new men. If this be true, and we believe it is, and if it be also true that every member of the Turner party has withdrawn his claims for leadership, then the people will demand to know 'under what king' they will be required to serve before they depose the present one. The Colonist should solve the great mystery?"

be perfectly regular. For a long time appeals and abuse alternated with great regularity, when very abruptly a change came over the scene. Now we are told that Mr. Turner is politically dead; that he was strangled by forces of his own creation. A new generation has arisen in British Columbia which knows him not. Nevertheless, if he had remained in power the province would have been passing through an era of unexampled prosperity at this time. Railroads would have been running in all directions; the mines would have been yielding more wealth, and possibly the 'bit' would have been running more freely and the soil would have been yielding larger crops. If these things are so, surely Mr. Turner is the very man the people want to rule over them. What, then, can be the cause of his being thrown out? This is the puzzling question, which only one in the inner councils of the party can answer. Who is striving for the leadership of this party which is proving so unfaithful to the gentleman who did so much and was going to do so much more for the province? Why was the convention that was talked of to deprecate Mr. Turner and elect his successor not held? Is it possible that the rank and file of the party despise the machinations of the three or four would-be leaders in Victoria who are manipulating things and pulling the wires for their own purposes? The great constitutional authority and self-constituted adviser of the Lieut.-Governor has repeatedly told His Honor, among other things, that it is not necessary that a man who may be called on to form a government should be a member of the House of Assembly. This advice has been tendered so often that it has acquired considerable significance. When the present government is defeated and the great unknown sent for to form a cabinet will Mr. Turner be asked to resign his seat in Victoria in addition to his position as leader?

INTERNATIONAL YACHT RACES.

Next week there will be sailed near Toronto an international yacht race second only in importance to that for the America Cup, which takes place early in October near New York. The event first named is for the cup won by the Canadian yacht Canada from the American boat Vencedor two years ago at Toledo. This cup has been presented by an American gentleman for perpetual competition between craft sailing the Great Lakes, and the competitors this year will be the Rochester yacht Genesee and the Canadian sloop Beaver. The former is a centre board craft and the latter a keel boat. So far as can be judged from reports of the trial races the Canadians have a very swift opponent to contend with on this occasion, for the Rochester boat fairly flew away from all that ventured to dispute with her for the honor of fighting for the cup. Needless to say, the sailors from the other side are quite confident of victory, and their hopes on this occasion do not seem to be without justification. The man who will command the Beaver, however, is one of the best amateur sailors in the world, and if the Canadian boat loses it will not be the fault of her captain.

Now that the Shamrock has arrived on the scene of the coming battle at New York, interest in the great aquatic event of the year is increasing. It is amusing to hear a yachting authority enter a complaint that the Lipton boat is nothing but a racing machine, as if the boats which represented the United States in any of these contests for many years were more than mere shells, built for any other purpose than the one for which they were used. Every ship that has come from the British Isles so far has been a cruiser capable of going anywhere where she had a sufficient depth of water, but the Shamrock is undoubtedly constructed of a light material as it was possible to employ in a vessel which has to cross the Atlantic with the object of fulfilling the purpose of her owner. But do not let any enthusiastic Britisher run away with the idea that his fond hope that the coveted cup will cross the Atlantic this time is bound to be realized. The challenging boat is heavily handicapped. Reading American yachting authority frankly admits that the conditions are such that a win for the visitor would be almost a miracle; and he suggests that the only way to secure an absolutely fair test would be for the two boats to sail over a course far enough out in the ocean to prevent interference of any kind and where the home skipper would have no advantage in knowledge of local conditions. As an illustration take the case of the American yacht Vagrant, which beat Lord Dunsraven's Valkyrie I, in a contest for the America cup, and on going to Britain was defeated by the Prince of Wales's Britannia in 20 races out of 24. Probably the conditions governing the sport in the two countries may account for this to some extent. Nevertheless, the Shamrock appears to be a fast vessel, and let us hope she may win.

THE SCAPEGOAT.

If the organ of the party without a visible head has any sense of the ridiculous an examination of its flims for the past year or so should send it into a most inordinate fit of mirth. At the time of the dismissal of Mr. Turner and his colleagues what an outburst of indignation were treated to because the Lieut.-Governor deposed his advisers from office. Then Mr. Turner was the only person constitutionally eligible for the position of Premier; appeals were to be taken to Ottawa and elsewhere against the action of His Honor, and many terrible things were to be done. A little later plaintive prayers were made to the Governor to take Mr. Turner back again and all would be forgiven, and it was shown that constitutionally this would

Henderson Un-Opposed

Announcement of the Government's Strength in New Westminster Confirmed.

Mr. Martin Makes a Statement—Mr. Macpherson's Position.

The announcement made in the dispatch from Vancouver published in yesterday's Times to the effect that Mr. R. L. Reid had decided not to enter the field in competition with Attorney-General Henderson at New Westminster, is confirmed to-day. On Wednesday night a meeting was held of those who were interested in bringing out a candidate to oppose the election of Attorney-General Henderson, at which it was decided not to contest his re-election, and, therefore, it soon became known on the street that Mr. R. L. Reid, who had been freely spoken of as a candidate, had retired. Interviewed next morning on the subject by the Columbian, Mr. Reid was inclined to be uncommunicative. He said all that had heretofore been published about him in this connection was without his knowledge or consent, and if he had entertained an idea of running, he practically had abandoned it.

THE NEWS-ADVERTISER SAYS EDITORIAL: "HERE IS DOT BARTY NOW"

The brave words of the Victoria oppositionists have, in strict accord with precedent, been followed by a timidous action on the part of themselves and their allies in the case of the New Westminster opposition. This oppositionist of the Royal City have evidently informed their friends of the provincial capital that it would be useless to put up a man against the Attorney-General, following which it has been resolved, by common consent of both parties, to let New Westminster go by acclamation to Hon. Mr. Henderson.

Our friends of the opposition will thus save their breath, their ink and some of their cash, their only loss being political credit, of which they have so little left that it matters not to them if they further reduce the remnant ere they hand it over as bankrupt stock, to the "New Opposition party." This, though much advertised by advance agents in Victoria, is clearly a vile New Westminster—not yet open to engagement, indeed the present case of the "New Opposition" reminds us strongly of the lines of a good-old-English burlesque, which, through one of the players, says: "The Spanish fleet we cannot see, because it is not yet in sight."

MR. MARTIN AND MR. COTTON.

Mr. Joseph Martin, ex-Attorney-General, has given the following statement to the press for publication: "The charge brought by me against Mr. Cotton was of falsifying the records of an executive council meeting, at which the Deadman's Island matter was discussed. We were nearly all afternoon considering the question, but no conclusion was arrived at, and the matter was agreed to be laid over for further consideration." "Shortly afterwards Mr. Ludgate took possession of the island, and Mayor Garden wired Mr. Cotton, asking him what the government intended to do. Mr. Cotton replied that the government had decided to have the question of title determined before they decided what to do with the island."

"Upon seeing this statement in the Vancouver papers, I immediately wired Mr. Cotton and Mr. Semlin, drawing their attention to the fact that the government had decided on no such thing. Afterwards I went to Victoria, and found that Mr. Cotton, who kept the records of the council meetings, had made an entry in the minutes of what had been done on May 4, to the same effect as he had telegraphed to Mayor Garden. I also found that, during my absence, he had endeavored to have this record slipped through and approved by the council. At a full meeting of the council held after I had returned to Victoria, this question of falsification of the records of the council was brought up, and the entry made by Mr. Cotton was scored out."

"If I am not telling the truth in regard to this matter, Mr. Cotton can produce the books in which those records were made and show conclusively that my story is incorrect. I am sure that every effort has been made to induce him to produce this book, but so far without success. I intend to bring the matter up next session, but do not deny that time the book will be lost, as Mr. Cotton has it in his own possession." "When Mr. Cotton found that his deliberate attempt to impose his own ideas with regard to Deadman's Island upon the council was a failure, and having to meet the charges with regard to Mayor Garden his own ideas with regard to Deadman's Island as the conclusion of the government, he attempted to meet this charge by explaining that he and Mr. Semlin had taken up the matter and decided it upon behalf of the government. He claimed that they had the right to do this, owing to the extreme urgency of the case. As a matter of fact, there is no emergency in the matter. Mayor Garden had no right whatever to demand from the government a statement of their policy."

Mr. Cotton should make some public statement with regard to this serious charge. When he does so, I suppose his answer will be one that the public can take some stock in, and not such a statement as he made with regard to the late change in the government. As to what he will say, Mr. Semlin's action in asking for my resignation came as a complete surprise to him. I have not yet met a man, whether friendly or unfriendly to Mr. Cotton, who would say that he believed this statement."

The Churches.

Services To-Morrow. Metropolitan Methodist church—Rev. J. C. Spier, pastor, 11 a. m. Rev. R. Hughes will occupy the pulpit; 2:30 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class; 7 p. m. Rev. Mr. Osterhout, B. A., will occupy the pulpit, and assist the pastor in an after service. Centennial Methodist church, Gorge road—Rev. C. Bezzant will preach at 11 a. m. and the pastor, Rev. W. H. Barralough, B. A., at 7 p. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. Victoria West Methodist church—Sunday school anniversary exercises. Rev. W. H. Barralough, B. A., will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. Robert Hughes at 7 p. m. At 2:30 p. m. a mass meeting of the children will be held to be addressed by Rev. J. C. Spier. First Presbyterian church—The Rev. Dr. Reid will preach morning and evening. The pastor will not return from the East until the end of this month. St. Saviour's church—Victoria West—Services to-morrow at 8 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. W. D. Barber, having returned from New Westminster, will preach both morning and evening. Sabbath school at 3 o'clock. St. John's church—Morning prayer at 11 and evening at 7, the pastor, Rev. Percival Johns, being the preacher at both services.

Reformed Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Wilson

will preach in the morning on "The Vanity of Man's Wisdom," and in the evening upon "Milk."

First Congregational church—Services

will be held in this church, to-morrow, at 11 a. m., evening at 7 p. m., when Rev. E. Payne, the pastor, will preach. In the morning there will be a children's sermon, and the subject will be "Compassion." In the evening the subject will be "The Handwriting of God."

Emmanuel Baptist church, Fernwood

road and Chatham street—Rev. J. G. Hastings, M. A., pastor, will preach at both services; 11 a. m., "Law and Grace"; 7 p. m., "The New Birth"; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting, Thursday night, 8 p. m.

Calvary Baptist church, Herald street

—Rev. G. A. Parker, B. A., of Brantford, Ont., will preach morning and evening. Sunday school and Bible class at 2:30 p. m. The usual work night meetings at 8 p. m.

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28 Broad street—Public meeting at 8 p. m., when the following programme will be given: Piano-forte solo, Sonata No. 1, Op. No. 2, minuet and trio, Beethoven; reading of the Alma and Objects of the U. B.; reading from one of the sacred books of the world; address, "The Greatest Thing in the World"; piano-forte solo, Sonata No. 2, Op. No. 27, adagio, sostenuto and allegretto, Beethoven; questions: violin solo, "O Rest in the Lord," Mendelssohn.

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W. Briggs returned from Vancouver yesterday.

Ald. W. H. Wood, of Vancouver, is in the city.

W. H. Cooper, of Vancouver, is at the Dominion.

Col. Forster, M. P., will leave to-night for East Kootenay.

M. T. Johnson was a passenger from Vancouver yesterday.

F. H. McD. Russell and wife, of Vancouver, are at the Driford.

W. F. Bullen returned from Vancouver on yesterday's Islander.

Archbishop Machray left on this morning's Islander for Vancouver.

George A. Wood, of Vancouver, came over last night for the celebration.

The members of the Nanaimo band registered at the Dominion this morning.

Ed. Levesque of Nanaimo came down today and registered at the Driford.

W. R. McInnes, M. P., was a passenger from Nanaimo on the noon train.

W. H. Bullock-Webster, of the provincial police at New Westminster, is in the city.

E. J. Doyle and C. A. Van Houten, of Nanaimo, registered this morning at the Driford.

Hugh Cameron, representing the Waterloo Engine Co., of Brantford, is a guest at the Dominion.

James Allen Hankey, of London, and H. Avers Hankey, of Vancouver, are among the recent arrivals at the Driford.

Ald. W. H. Wood and J. G. Graham (pre secretary of the Vancouver Societies' day celebration, registered at the Driford last evening. Ex-Mayor John Hibbert, of Nanaimo, came down with the excursionists on the train this morning and registered at the Dominion. W. E. Fowler, of Vancouver, lately man-

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ager of the Oriental hotel there, came over on the Islander last night to take in today's festivities. H. Merriam-Lamb, W. Morris, S. Reid, H. Bornstein and Thomas Hooper were among the home-bound visitors on yesterday's Islander. W. H. Gatlacher, Wm. Rattray, J. H. Ferguson, W. Fellow-Harvey and G. H. Kirkpatrick are Vancouverites who are making the Driford their headquarters.

Mining News

OUR SUPPLY OF MINERS. There is a scarcity of miners in East Kootenay, and the demand is a growing one. This is the first time that 25 miners were sent from this city in the past two days to work in one property there. From the rapid manner in which the mining industry in this province is growing it is evident that the supply of skilled miners during the coming fall and winter will not be equal to the demand, and the question is, where will they come from? In the main the quartz miners employed in the Kootenays have come from the United States. The reader will ask, why is this so? The reason is as plain as a pike staff. The era of lode mining, it may be said, commenced in 1802 in British Columbia, and before that time there was but little demand for quartz miners. It is true that there has been some lode mining in Nova Scotia, Ontario and Quebec. There were only a few miners there, but not nearly enough to meet the increasing demands of British Columbia. To show the proportion of production of the different provinces and the United States, it may be stated that the mineral output of Canada for the year 1897 was \$26,518,544. Of this British Columbia produced \$10,455,268; Nova Scotia, \$6,000,000; Ontario, \$5,000,000; Quebec, \$2,063,206 and the Northwestern Territories and Yukon, \$3,000,000. The mineral product of the United States for the same year was \$742,294,735. By mineral product is meant not only gold, silver and copper, but also coal and building stone; in fact, all the products of the mine and quarry. As the industry of lode mining in the British Columbia and its growth has been very rapid, the supply of miners had to be secured from the nearest available point, and this was the belt of states immediately to the south

of the province. In some parts of the United States they have been lode mining for a century, and in others about 50 years. As a natural result they have bred a race of skilled miners, and from these we have to draw in case of emergency. The fact of the matter is that Canada has not yet been lode mining for a sufficient length of time nor on an extensive enough scale until now to produce miners of skill. A few are beginning to graduate from the mines of this and other sections of Canada and in the course of another five or ten years there will be enough to supply the demand, and then we will be able to rely on the native born for the operation of our mines. In the meantime we will have to depend to a large extent, on the trained mining skill on the other side of the line. Occasionally the remark is made, why do not the mine owners put in unskilled men who are here and teach them the business instead of furnishing employment to those from the other side of the international boundary line. The green hand in a mine is like the new man in any other sort of business. Mining is a trade, and it takes time to learn it. Put two miners in one tunnel and two green hands in another, where the rock is of equal hardness, and the miners will accomplish from two to three times as much work as the novices will. Then, too, there is the danger of accidents from green hands, in which they not only imperil their own lives, but those of others. These and other matters are taken into consideration, and the result is that the skilled miner, no matter where he hails from, is given the preference over those who are not skilled.

In the higher walks of the business the same condition obtains as in the lower. A case in point occurred in Kootenay only a few days ago. A company, which is composed of patriotic Canadians, desired a man for superintendent of the field, fully realizing that it would not do to put properties worth millions of dollars into the hands of one who could not manage them to the very best advantage. What was wanted was a man who had scientific and practical knowledge allied with experience, and who was versed in handling to the best advantage large bodies of men in producing mines. They could have selected a graduate of the mining department of the McGill University, but he would have lacked the experience and practical knowledge. Finally they sent to one of the states and secured just the man they desired. This

WANTED—Immediately, laborers, Victoria Chemical Works, Cotter-Wheeler. WANTED—Reliable man, Compensation \$18 per week. Reference required. Address, Globe Company, 721 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. WANTED—An experienced teacher holding a first or second class certificate in the new Southfield School. Applications to be lodged with the undersigned, John Stewart, S.S.V., Box 27th Nanaimo. EMPLOYMENT GIVEN to lady and gentleman agents. Apply T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Subscription Book Department, 28 Broad street. GOOD FITS GUARANTEED: general sewing, mending, \$1.00 per day. 179 Cook street.

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KEEP—GET THE FLIES—Cheap screen doors, sash, and meat safes, at Moore & Whittington's, Carpenters, 100 Douglas street.

READY—1899 Issues Williams' Directory, Offices, 28 Broad street.

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SECRETARIES. B. S. ODDY, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS. JULIUS WEST, General Scavenger, successor to John Dougherty—Trails and cesspools cleaned; contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with James Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers. John Cochran, corner Yates and Douglas streets; will be promptly attended to. Residence, 50 Vancouver street. Telephone 136.

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was not because they were not patriotic, but for the reason that they could not find a man with just the combination of qualities required at home. In the higher walks, in a few years, like in the lower ones, it will not be necessary to do this. British Columbia and other mining sections of Canada are becoming great schools and universities for miners and mining engineers, and in time we will have bred a race of miners and will no longer have to call on our neighbors for large proportions of those who operate our mines.—Rosland Miner.

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**WEATHER BULLETIN.**

**Daily Report** Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 19.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains high along the American coast, while off Vancouver Island there are indications of an approaching low area which may cause a few scattered showers in this district. Rain has fallen about Kamloops and in Alberta, elsewhere the weather has been fair throughout. Western Canada, frost is reported from Carleton this morning.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, 52; minimum, 51; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, fair.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Nanaimo—Wind, N. E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 56; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, 18; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Nash, Wash.—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Oregon—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Tacoma—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 2 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

**Forecast.**

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday, Victoria and vicinity—Fresh winds, mostly westerly, partly fair, little change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Fresh easterly to southerly winds, partly cloudy.

**CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.**

**Band concert** Oak Bay to-night.

**Use Blue Ribbon** Flyoring Extracts.

**MAYPOLE S.A.P.** at Jackson's Drug Store, 53 Douglas St.

**Jelly Glasses, Fruit Jars, Preserving Kettles, etc., at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, 80 Douglas street.**

**It is reported** that W. J. Bengough, Canada's famous caricaturist, will pay a visit to British Columbia this fall.

**An extra of the** Provincial Gazette, published last night, announces that the polling station in New Westminster has been changed from the city hall to the court house.

**For preserving season** Erskine, Wall & Co. import by each steamer Peaches, Appricots, etc., fresh, at lowest prices. Full line of Fruit Jars in stock.

**The time for receiving** tenders for the supply of meat, groceries, milk, butter, etc., for the naval hospital for one year from October 1st expires on Monday at noon. Further particulars are contained in the official advertisement appearing elsewhere in this issue.

**At Monday evening's** meeting of the city council Ald. Humphreys will introduce a by-law respecting the sale of real property within the city of Victoria in arrears for taxes, entitled "The Victoria Real Estate Property Tax By-law, 1899."

**It is hardly necessary** to remind the Victorians of the band concert at Seawick Lake to-morrow. Visitors to the city will be glad to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing good music amid the beautiful surroundings at Shawinigan, and will doubtless crowd the trains leaving the Store street depot at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. The round trip fare is 50 cents, and either for a whole or half day excursion the trip is most enjoyable.

**Go to Oak Bay** to-night.

**The Edmonton Post** just to hand chronicles a painful accident which befel Mr. W. T. Lusk, chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company, and for many years the manager of the Victoria branch of that company. He went north several months ago to superintend the shipment of supplies, and while making a landing on the river at Fort Mc Murray fell against the side of the boat and broke his leg. He will be brought out on the next steamer.

Oak Bay to-night, band concert.

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**Steamer City** of Nanaimo will leave at 2 p. m. to-morrow, taking excursionists back to Nanaimo and Wellington.

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**Among the passengers** on the steamer City of Seattle; when she sailed for the north, was Harry J. Goddard, a prominent business man of Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, who has taken the journey across the continent and is en route to Dawson with papers, letters, affidavits, etc., with which he hopes to establish a defence for his son Arthur G. Goddard, who is to be tried at Dawson on September 10th for the murder of James Prater, his partner.

**To-morrow** will be a day of special interest to the scholars and friends of the Victoria West Methodist Sunday school. Anniversary sermons will be preached by Rev. W. H. Barraclough in the morning and by Rev. R. Hughes in the evening. In the afternoon the Sunday school scholars will entertain the service by singing, reading and recitations, and Rev. J. C. Spicer will give an address especially for their benefit. The parents and friends are looked for in full force.

**It seems that a** premature announcement that the lacrosse match between Nelson and New Westminster was to be a feature of to-day's sports, put the managers of the excursion from Vancouver in an awkward position. They received a hint which was understood as an official telegram to that effect, and promptly distributed handbills in Vancouver and Westminster announcing the change. The Westminster lacrosse folk, who had declined to come to Victoria, were greatly offended at this incorrect statement, which they were afraid would injure their gate receipts. The Vancouver men, who had acted in perfect good faith, brought the matter up at the delegates' meeting in Pioneer Hall last night with a view to an official explanation, which they think should be made to clear them.

**A Times reporter,** whose duties take him around the hotels, this morning learned several lessons in the work of accomplishing the apparently impossible and of accomplishing it in the way characteristic of the hotel man. At the Dominion, Victoria, Quebec, Newcastle and Dawson hotels, the registers all told the same story last evening. "Rooms all taken," but when the morning brought the ever-increasing crowds of visitors the problem confronting the urbanite manager of the hotel man, at the sourcefulness which made solution assured. At the Dominion the demand was exceptionally great and Proprietor Jones had his hands full in the task of accommodating the Nanaimo contingent, headed by ex-Mayor Hillier. However, the hotel accommodation had been tested on previous occasions, and there is little probability of any of the visitors being compelled to walk the streets for want of comfortable beds.

**To-night** Oak Bay, band concert.

**Miss Helen Willard Merritt** gave a very interesting talk to an audience composed largely of ladies yesterday afternoon in the High school, her subject being physical development with special reference to voice culture. Miss Merritt is the inventor of a new system by which very remarkable results have been obtained in remedying physical defects in children, and her discourse was confined to a brief resume of what has been accomplished. Among other things the lecturer touches upon gymnastics, intended to exercise the muscles, of the sound producing organs, and demonstrated very fully yesterday afternoon that it is quite possible for one to speak intelligently clearly to be understood with the tongue in any conceivable position. Correct habits of standing, walking and holding the head, for the purpose of giving effect to the best and sweetest tones of the voice, were demonstrated by the lecturer. Several questions were asked and answered, and the audience thanked Miss Merritt for her address.

**An echo of the** Clara Nevada disaster, the most disastrous marine casualty of the Alaskan rush, is heard in the arrival on the coast of John Harding, who is en route to Alaska in the interest of a counsel, of Miss Gladys Noyes, the orphan daughter of Allen M. Noyes, one of the forty or fifty people whose lives were lost by the wreck and sinking of the Clara Nevada, February 5, 1898, while en route from Skagway to Jensen, Alaska. At the disaster there were many lives given in these columns, but a melancholy interest attaches to the affair from the fact that Noyes died intestate and an effort is being made by the widow, as administratrix, to debar his only child from participating in the estate left by him. At the time of his death Noyes was generally supposed by his friends in Alaska, where he had resided nearly ten years, to be worth from \$75,000 to \$100,000. In fact shortly before his decease he sold a single piece of property, a mining claim, for \$62,000; but as far as the assets of the estate, as far as they are visible, are said to top off only about \$18,000.

**Following** is the programme of the Fifth Regiment band open air concert at Oak Bay this evening, commencing at 8:15:

**PART I.**  
Overture—"Light Cavalry".....Suppe  
Selection from "Robin Hood"....De Konon  
Spanish Waltzes—"Andalucia"....La Thiere  
Selection—"Popular Kentucky".....Mackie

**PART II.**  
Popular Selection—"The Winner".....Mackie  
Descriptive Piece—"A Hunting Scene".....

**BUCKLE UP!**  
Original Patent—"La Charvane".....Aache  
March—"El Capitán".....Somos  
God Save the Queen.

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**The search for the** missing man Gilchrist has been practically abandoned, and his whereabouts are still a mystery. There was a rumor last evening that he had been seen on the street, but it has no foundation. Chief Sheppard has arrived at the conclusion that Gilchrist was actually in poverty, and that statements to the contrary are based on false assumptions. He lost \$200 due him for work done, a short time ago, and this sum was, of course, a great deal to one in his position. He carried a life insurance policy, taken out in Scotland, upon which he had paid premiums amounting to \$70 he 4d, and upon which he would have realized £100 in eight years from this time, if the annual premium of £4 2s 6d had been paid until then. The last premium paid was in March, 1898. The neighbors agree that the Gilchrist boys were very poor and very unwilling to ask or accept assistance. The two boys are being looked after by Mrs. Atkin, and the little girl by Mrs. Styles, both the ladies agreeing that their behaved children could not be found. It is not almost certain that Gilchrist became mentally unbalanced by the loss of his wife, to whom he was much attached, and the worst that could have befallen him is feared.

**Sergeant** Hawton was called upon yesterday to intervene in the arrangements for a turf event which has engaged the attention of a couple of youngsters and a Spring Bidge teamster for some time. The boys had determined to try speed conclusions between the horses they own, and the teamster was boarding the fleet rooped equines for a consideration. The mother of one of the budding kings of the race track called upon the sergeant to remove her son from his infatuation, which kept him away from home and depleted his scant earnings. As a result the boy was packed off home yesterday and the sporting world will wait in vain for a decision as to the respective capabilities of the horses.

**St. Paul's Presbyterian Church,** Y. P. S. C. E., gave an original and very successful entertainment last evening in Song's Hall, Victoria West, the special feature being a new vocal supper. There was a very large attendance and the affair was voted a huge success. A concert was given during dinner, the programme being made up as follows: Mr. Plann, concertino solo; J. McKenzie, bagpipe selection; Miss Nellie Anderson, song; Mrs. Norton, recitation; Mr. Lively, song; Miss Amy McKenzie, song; Mr. Semple, recitation; Miss King, song; Miss Hutchison, recitation, and Mr. Norton, song. The Y. P. S. C. E. is led by a corps of indefatigable church workers, among whom are Mrs. McIntosh, Miss Norton, (president), Miss Brown and Miss McKenzie.

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Mr. Flewin, of Port Simpson, spent some days on the Inlet recently.

Indian Agent Todd came in on Saturday and left on Monday.

All patients, except one, a case of typhoid fever, have been discharged from the hospital.

Nurse Lawrence leaves by the Hecowitz for Port Simpson.

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Mrs. Willey and Miss Nicholson, from the Head, went south on the Queen City.

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[Reported by F. S. Taggart & Co.]  
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Am. Sugar	128 1/2	128 3/4	128 1/2	128 3/4
C. B. & C.	127 1/2	127 3/4	127 1/2	127 3/4
St. Paul	127 1/2	127 3/4	127 1/2	127 3/4
Maharattan	117	117 1/2	116 3/4	116 3/4
Peoples Gas	121 1/2	121 3/4	120 1/2	120 3/4
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Atchafalca pfd.	69	69 1/2	68 3/4	68 3/4
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Tenn. Coal & Iron	52 1/2	52 3/4	52 1/2	52 3/4
Louis & Nash	81 1/2	81 3/4	81 1/2	81 3/4
Brooklyn R. T.	119 1/2	119 3/4	119 1/2	119 3/4
Nor. Pac. pfd.	77 1/2	77 3/4	77 1/2	77 3/4
Am. Steel & Wire	64 1/2			

The Busy Northland

The Lake Bennett Mills Turning Out Large Numbers of Scows.

Will the Railroad be Pushed on Past Bennett?—Tramway Being Repaired.

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Lighthouses For Alaska

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Comments on the Splendid System of Lights and Buoys in British Columbia.

The United States government has come to the conclusion that the one feeble light on the pile beacon near Sitka, which constitutes their whole lighthouse possessions in Alaskan waters, is scarcely enough to protect shipping.

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Provincial News.

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NELSON.

Principal Sandy, of the Nelson Public school, reports that twenty-five new pupils joined the re-opening of the school this week.

Chief of Provincial Police Bullock-Webster and Special Constable Kelly left on Wednesday for New Westminster with Pastor, John Lerone and J. L. Lyons. Pastor will enter upon his life sentence at the penitentiary, where Lerone is also booked for a sojourn of two years. Lyons will be taken to the asylum. Lerone was convicted of having broken into the C. F. R. warehouse at Fernie and stolen 150 cases of dynamite, valued at \$161.50.

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Bicycle races—Quarter mile open, quarter mile race, girls under 15 years of age, quarter mile race, boys under 15 years of age.

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Mr. W. Dixon, the manager of the new coal mines near Crow's Nest, was in town recently. He says good progress is being made. A level 250 feet in length has been driven in the coal and mining machinery purchased.

ROSSLAND.

Harry Petter, a brakeman on the Crow's Nest Pass road, had a finger torn out while descending from a car at Elk. A plain gold ring he wore caught on and before he could do anything to save himself the ring cut into the flesh and tore the finger from the hand at the first joint.

ROSSLAND.

A landslide of a remarkable character occurred on August 5th. The river Elk in passing round the sharp "elbow" which adjoins Park Cottage had undermined the east bank to a depth of about fifty feet, below the level of the water, and about midnight on Saturday a portion of the bluff on which the cottage is built, collapsed and fell into this cavern, carrying away a portion of the lawn and coming perilously near the cottage. The quantity which fell is at least two thousand tons, and the channel of the river is partially blocked and narrowed to less than half its usual width.

ROSSLAND.

At a meeting of the school trustees it was unanimously resolved to engage Mr. E. J. Watson, of Kelowna, B. C., as head teacher at a salary of \$65 a month, and Miss Annie Doran, of Esquimalt, as assistant, at \$45. The secretary was also instructed to write to the Premier.

20 Years added to life

Mr. Thomas Worden, Patterson Settlement, Sunbury Co., N. B., writes the following letter: "For over fifteen years I suffered with dyspepsia, and tried everything I could think of but was unable to get relief until I took Borden's Blood Bitters. I have taken six bottles in all and am now entirely well and feel as if B. B. B. had made an addition of twenty years to my life."

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urging the provision of more school accommodations than is provided for in the plans recently tendered on. For the present the trustees hope to be able to use the Presbyterian church and to commence school about Monday, the 21st inst.

A very sad case of suicide occurred in town two weeks ago, when an elderly man, Thomas Goffett, of the hotel named after him, shot himself in the head with a revolver. The facts of the case as produced at the inquest held by Coroner Tritts show that the deceased had been troubled of late by some disappointment in not getting money that he expected.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Mrs. Engles, recently arrived from the East, was united in matrimony with Mr. J. Culbert on Wednesday evening.

The salmon run seems to be falling gradually but surely, as the week advances, says the Columbian. The night boats now get comparatively few fish, as the day tides seem to be more favorable for fishing operations. Still the report from down river points out Thursday morning was to the effect that the boats averaged considerably over 100 fish each.

At the meeting to organize for the fishermen's sports Mr. W. H. Edmonds was appointed secretary, and Mr. Joseph Reichenbach permanent chairman.

The collecting committee has already collected \$298. It is recalled that the handsome silver challenge cup, presented some years ago by Mr. Alexander Ewan, was deposited for safe keeping in the public library museum, together with the skill challenge cup, presented by Mr. Daniel Dyrdsdale. Both these handsome trophies therefore perished with the library building in the great fire of September last.

The sports will probably be held on Monday and Tuesday, 28th and 29th.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade the secretary presented the following report of the secretary-treasurer for the quarter ending August 15th, 1899:

I beg to present a report for the quarter ending on Wednesday. The receipts and disbursements during the quarter have been as follows: Receipts—Balance for the last quarter, \$325.28; entrance fees, \$10; dues, \$38.50; interest, 79.75. Total, \$453.53. Disbursements—Salaries, \$37.50; telegrams, \$1.40; balance, \$414.43. Total, \$453.33.

The actual receipts for the quarter, including the balance carried on last quarter were \$125.25, and the disbursements \$38.90, showing a gain of \$86.35.

The assets of the board are as follows: Cash on hand, \$414.43; invested in mortgage, \$1,400; creamery stock, \$100. Total, \$1,914.43. The number of members on the books is 56, of which 42 are non-paying. There have been two general meetings and one council meeting held during the quarter. The number of letters written from the secretary's office is 16.

VANCOUVER.

Health Inspector Morrison has received a report from the health officers of San Francisco and other Coast towns. During last month there were 14 cases of smallpox in San Francisco, nine in Tacoma and one in Seattle.

The passengers on one of the Steveston stages met with an exciting adventure just as they were approaching the top of Granville street on Thursday. The horses bolted near the Hotel Vancouver, and after a short gallop one fell and was dragged along the smooth road for a considerable distance. When the stage was brought to a standstill the fallen horse was under the rig, which had to be tipped over before the animal could be extricated.

Louis Henderson, a barber who came to the city with his wife some few weeks ago from Chicago, died in the City hospital on Wednesday. The deceased came to Vancouver relying on the climatic change to benefit his health.

C. G. Saville, a young Englishman, lived suddenly at Steveston on Wednesday. Coroner McGuigan held an inquest on the remains, the jury returning a verdict of death from heart disease. Saville had no relatives in this country. His father is understood to be a merchant in London in good circumstances.

Until lately Sing had a partner in his wash-shop business. The partner was a white man, who, when the partnership purse had waxed fat to bursting, pocketed it and skipped. Sing has five men working for him who have not paid the provincial poll tax. He took the ground that his defaulting partner was the responsible man, as it was he who got the money. The magistrate was sorry for Sing and sympathized with him by allowing him five days in which to pay the demands of the tax collector.—News-Advertiser.

INQUIRY STIFFED.

Colonel Picquart Was Forbidden to Interfere in the Dreyfus Case, and Sent Away From Paris.

Rennes, Aug. 18.—Colonel Picquart was before the Dreyfus court martial today, and in the course of his testimony said when he saw beyond a doubt that the handwriting of the bordereau was Esterhazy's, and that the documents mentioned therein might have been supplied by Esterhazy; that the words: "I am going to the manoeuvres," could perfectly apply to Esterhazy, and that Esterhazy had secretaries at his disposal to copy a document so voluminous as the secret dossier, he resolved to consult the secret dossier, to see what part of the treachery might be ascribed to Dreyfus, and to assure himself whether the dossier contained anything indicating Esterhazy.

"I frankly admit I was stepped on reading the secret dossier," said the Colonel. "I expected to find matters of gravity therein, and found, in short, nothing but a document which might apply, just as much to Esterhazy as to Dreyfus, an unimportant document mentioning D'Avignon, and a document which it seemed absurd to apply to Dreyfus, namely, the little canal of General Leclerc. Lastly, I recognized a report appended in the handwriting of Guenne, which appeared to be at least as worthless as the second document."

"It was then evening. I had stayed late at the office to examine the documents thoroughly. I thought it over during the night and the next day I explained the whole situation to General De Boisdeffre. I took to his office the secret dossier, the fac-simile of the bordereau and the Petit Bleu, and the principal papers connected with my investigation of Esterhazy. I wonder now if I had one or two interviews. But I still recall that General De Boisdeffre, as he examined the secret dossier with me, stop before he reached the end and tell me to go into the country, give an account of the affair to General Gonz and ask him his advice."

"Before starting to see General Gonz, I copied a note, four pages in length, which I made September 1, containing my resume of the Esterhazy affair. When I informed General Gonz of all that had occurred, he remarked: 'So a mistake has been made. After my interview with General Gonz I did not work any longer on my own initiative. I said nothing more until the return of General Leclerc on September 15. At that time Esterhazy was at the great manoeuvres.' The Colonel then turned to the newspaper attacks on Dreyfus, saying that the information regarding the bordereau contained in them had been inspired by some one closely connected with the Dreyfus affair. He said he asked permission to inquire into the sources or the articles, but was forbidden to interfere in any way whatever.

Describing his interview with General Gonz on September 1, Picquart said: "When I asked for permission to continue the investigation, insisting upon the danger of allowing the Dreyfus family to proceed with their investigation alone, the General replied that it was impossible, in his opinion and that of the minister of war, to re-open the affair. When I pressed the point in order to make General Gonz understand that nothing could prevent its re-opening if it could be believed Dreyfus was innocent, General Gonz replied: 'If you say nothing, nobody will know.' 'General,' I replied firmly, 'what you tell me is abominable. I do not know what I shall do, but I won't carry this secret with me.'"

Colonel Picquart next described his intentions with regard to Esterhazy, which General Gonz and De Boisdeffre had forbidden him to carry out. He attached particular importance to this point, as it contained a clue to subsequent occurrences. Later the witness said that Du Paty de Clam, evidently acted strangely in disguising himself with a false beard and blue spectacles, perhaps he was authorized to do so.

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He was about to play into the hands of the Dreyfus family by unmasking in the chamber of deputies the accomplices, thus having the affair re-opened. Colonel Picquart incidentally complained bitterly that while he was still chief of the intelligence department, Henry's fool, Guene, should be allowed to make reports against the witness, who had then established a connection between the reports of Guene and the false deposition of Henry. Each new scheme, said the former chief of the intelligence department, was a complete development of the one preceding.

Then turning to the distant mission upon which he was dispatched, the Colonel said that during his absence his correspondence had been tampered with. Dealing with his mission to Tunis which Picquart said ought to have been entrusted to a commissary of police, witness declared that it was then that Henry abandoned his underground intrigues and began a campaign of open persecution. Henry wrote to the witness, accusing him of communicating information to the press, disclosing the contents of secret documents, and with attempting to suborn officers in connection with the Petit Bleu. It was then Picquart learned of the forged secret document against him, and foresaw his own ruin if the Dreyfus case was re-opened, and to safeguard himself he entrusted to a lawyer friend a certain letter from General Gonz, at the same time acquainting the lawyer with what he knew of Esterhazy, and entrusting the lawyer with his own report, saying: "If the occasion demanded it." This lawyer, M. Lebois, communicated with M. Schurer Kostner, then one of the vice-presidents of the senate, and the representations of the latter to the premier followed. When Picquart's furlough was due General Leclerc, commanding in Tunis, was ordered to send Picquart to the frontier at Tripoli. Leclerc communicated to the witness on this abnormal order, and Picquart confided to the General the reasons for it, and his belief in the innocence of Dreyfus. General Leclerc thereupon ordered Picquart not to go beyond Gabies. In the meantime the campaign in Paris was continued. Esterhazy appeared among the witness' accusers.

Witness then bitterly recited the delays and the various machinations with the view of incriminating him instigated by Henry, Esterhazy and Du Paty de Clam.

KIDNEY BURDENS

Vanish Under the Treatment of That Greatest of Kidney-Specifics, South American Kidney Cure.

Mrs. W. S. Blais, 62 Cameron street, Toronto, was troubled with severe pains in the small of her back, which doctors said was caused by kidney trouble, and which produced intense suffering, and which she used many remedies without any lasting benefit until she tried South American Kidney Cure. A few doses proved a wonderful benefit, and after taking three bottles all traces of the trouble were gone.

MARTIN MAKES A CHARGE.

The Ex-Artillery-General Lays a Complaint Against G. McPhillips, Q.C., for Alleged Unprofessional Conduct.

The Vancouver World says: The last has apparently not been heard in connection with the events surrounding the champerty matter, in which Mr. Joseph Martin, M. P. E., is an interested party. Mr. Martin has in Vancouver, it is believed to bring the matter before the Full Court next month as to whether the law of champerty applies to this province. This question will be argued before the session of the Full Court in a couple of weeks, and likely some interesting events will take place there in connection with the matter.

In conversation with Mr. Martin this morning, that gentleman informed a World representative that he had laid a serious charge before the Law Society against one of the most prominent members of the Vancouver Bar. This gentleman was Mr. G. McPhillips, Q.C., of Messrs. McPhillips & Williams. Mr. Martin declined to give any further particulars about the charge than the statement that it was in connection with what he considered to be "serious unprofessional conduct" on the part of Mr. McPhillips. He added that he would not say anything more about the matter just now, as he has only just written the letter containing the charge to the Law Society at Victoria. "All I have to say at present," he remarked, "is that it was a case of most outrageous conduct on his part. I do not know when the matter will be taken up by the society, or when the next meeting will be held."

The Other Side.

Mr. McPhillips was seen regarding the above matter, but refused to make any statement for publication beyond the fact that he knew what Mr. Martin was getting at, and that there was nothing at all in it.

It may be stated, according to information received, that at the meeting of the Benchers at which the champerty matter was heard, Mr. Martin stated that he intended to lay a charge against Mr. McPhillips, and that the latter had used private information in the case without the consent of the client. His charge was substantially that certain documents in the case had been obtained by Mr. McPhillips, who is a Benchers, that those documents have been given to Mr. McPhillips by an agent of the client, and without the latter's knowledge, and although Mr. McPhillips was not aware of it at the time, not without his consent.

In other words, Mr. Martin's charge was that Mr. McPhillips had been guilty of unprofessional conduct for accepting information from the agent of another man, for a certain purpose, without obtaining the consent of the principal. The statement was also made at the hearing in Victoria that Mr. McPhillips had not been retained in any way in the matter, so far as a transaction between client and solicitor was concerned, but the matter had simply been referred to him for his opinion with no financial consideration attached. Then as a Benchers he had obtained certain copies of documents and used them with the knowledge and consent of the agent.

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A Monster Procession This Afternoon—Demonstration Still in Progress

The big celebration—the Society Reunion—for which preparations have been going actively forward for over two weeks, is in full swing as the Times goes to press.

Although the Islander brought a little company of excursionists from the mainland on Thursday night, the excursion proper did not commence until last night.

But the bumper excursion of to-day, with the exception perhaps of that which arrived by the Skookum, was the Nanaimo excursion.

Much to the delight of the management, the train brought, in addition to the regular excursionists, the Nanaimo silver cornet band, numbering sixteen pieces.

The decorations, while not elaborate, are tasty and effective. The market building has been profusely decorated with chains of evergreen and mottoes, while the interior is hung with multi-colored Chinese lanterns.

Much to the disappointment of the committee, the flagship band could not be obtained, Rear-Admiral Beaumont expressing his regret that a previous engagement would not permit him to accede to the request of the committee.

The parade was somewhat late in starting, accounted for by many of those in procession being unfamiliar with their surroundings by the mounted deputy marshals conceiving their office

to be that of riding up and down in front of the market building, instead of marshaling their respective orders at the lodge rooms.

At 1.45 the parade moved off, led by a posse of police, consisting of Chief Sheppard, Sergt. Hinnton, Jailer Allen and Constables Wood, Lawvelly, Clay, McDonald and Conlin.

Upon arrival at Caledonian grounds the programme was at once proceeded with the Port Angeles and Seattle contingents moving directly to the scene of the sports.

SHIPPING NEWS

Steamer Willapa, which arrived from the coast last night, brought news that the tug Mystery was cruising along the coast with a party of mining men.

New steamship lines to operate from the Sound to Alaskan ports and to Honolulu and San Francisco are to be established by the Seattle & San Francisco Railway & Navigation Co.

A number of changes are being made in the personnel of the officers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co's steamers.

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Foulkes in The Finals

The British Columbia Champion Will Meet Hurd This Afternoon.

Playing in Magnificent Form Will Likely Win Northwest Championship.

Tacoma, Wn., Aug. 19.—All the finals of the Northwest lawn tennis tournament are being played off to-day.

In the ladies' singles Miss Beattie beat Miss Riggs, 6-4, 6-1.

In the men's doubles, Hurd and Russell are playing Foulkes and Powell, and the former team is expected to win.

In a hot match this morning Foulkes and Powell beat Tidmarsh and Fransholt, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

Another Victory for the Dominican Revolutionaries—Minister in the Field.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Aug. 19.—The reinforcements of troops sent to the front by the government of San Domingo, but was effected through the resolution, have been defeated and driven back to Monte Christo.

Havana, Aug. 19.—It is asserted that the arrest of General Juan Isidor Jimenez was not caused by orders from Havana, but was effected through the order of General James H. Wilson, governor of the consolidated departments of Matanzas and Santa Clara.

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Sporting News.

The Nanaimo Cricket Club eleven opened their two day's engagement in Victoria yesterday triumphantly, being defeated by the Albions somewhat easily.

ALBIONS. W. H. Porter, b. Hodgson 4; A. A. Green, b. Willis 1; Sgt. Swinerton, b. Hodgson 1; Sgt. Wolfe, b. Hodgson 0; Green, b. Hodgson 0; F. G. Fowkes, b. Hodgson 0; A. C. Anderson, b. Newbury 40; H. Cuthbert, b. Newbury 25; W. E. Rankin, b. Calverley 0; J. E. Martin, not out 0; F. D. Gospe, hit wicket, b. Newbury 6; B. Dyes 0.

NANAIMO. Bagshaw, b. Swinerton, b. Fowkes 2; B. Guest, b. Anderson 0; R. Dueson, b. Anderson 0; C. Cuthbert, b. Fowkes 0; W. Newbury, not out 0; J. E. Martin, not out 0; B. Gillerd, b. Fowkes 0; J. Calverley, b. Anderson 1; T. Willis, c. Cuthbert, b. Fowkes 1; W. Newbury, b. Fowkes 0; Healey, b. Fowkes 0; Mcrae, b. Fowkes 0; Byes 2.

NAVY DEFEATS COWICHAN. The Cowichan eleven piled up 180 runs against the Navy eleven at the Canteen grounds yesterday, but the navy beat them with the loss of but six wickets.

COWICHAN. H. H. Mayo, b. Oxide 67; F. W. Mayo, b. Grubb 19; F. H. Maltland-Dougall, c. Bond, b. Grubb 0; R. Master, b. Grubb 0; H. Addington, c. Shewell, b. Grubb 3; R. E. Barkley, b. Harries 17; A. N. Nixon, c. Grubb, b. Oxide 13; A. N. Parry, c. Cayley, b. Oxide 24; G. McNeal, not out 0; C. W. Dunne, b. Oxide 2; R. Musgrave, b. Oxide 11; Extras 21; Total 180.

NOTTINGHAM RACER. London, Aug. 19.—The Lenten First Selling Plate was won by Skeets Martin, the American jockey, on Solano. Begally was second, and Harthome third. Twelve horses ran.

YACHTING. TO-DAY'S RACE. A start was made shortly after 2.30 this afternoon in the second race of the series for the captain's cup donated by Mr. H. Langley.

OVERHAULING THE SHAMROCK. New York, Aug. 19.—Captain Hogarth, of the Cup Challenger Shamrock, had his crew at work early to-day. They housed the topmast, and bare-footed, blue-suited sailors swarmed over the side of the racer and started work clearing off the growth which accumulated during the trip across the ocean.

LAWN TENNIS. JUNIOR TOURNEY. Following are the results of games played yesterday after the Times went to press: Hunter and Goward beat Prior and Hickey, 6-5, 7-5; Bell and Keefer beat Belyea and Browne, 6-1, 6-2; Bell and Powell beat Rome and Robertson, 6-3, 7-5; P. Keefer, rec. 1/4 of 15, beat Vernon, rec. 15, 6-3, 6-0; B. Bell beat B. Prior, 6-2, 6-2.

Kootenaians are meeting the New Westminster boys at the Royal City this afternoon.

THE RING. TO-NIGHT'S BIG EVENT. High Peter Jackson and Jim Jeffords are ready to enter the ring for their fourth round glove contest which takes place at the Savoy theatre to-night.

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