











TWO NEW BOOKS.

(1) Penelope's Experiences in Scotland. Being extracts from the commonplace book of Penelope Hamilton. By Kate Douglas Wiggin. Published in Bell's Indian and Colonial Library.

If anyone wants to take up a couple of eminently readable books let them get those above mentioned. The first is a charmingly written account of a visit to Scotland by three American girls.

Going to Edinburgh they show as most Americans do their shameless bias, how much better "up" they are in the history and local color of the Scotch words.

"So fetch me tartan, heather, scones. An' dye my tresses red; I'll deck me in the black-bordered Scots. Wha has m' Wallace's shield."

"THE WAR IN CUBA." One of the many books and magazine articles written on the Spanish-American war.

"The author, having been war correspondent also out at Crete, noticed at once the similarity between the Greek army and the United States army in the number of grey-headed officers in both men who would have been supernumerary years before in the British army."

"A WIFE'S ALLOWANCE." I wish here to emphasize the fact which so many husbands and wives seem to forget—that marriage is on one side as much a business contract as on the other partnership.

HEALTH 25c The trial size of ABNEY'S REFRIGERANT SALT is on the market at the above price.

defeat was the demonstration there at their departure: "For two miles they had stalked over a carpet of roses." Regular troops were armed with the Krug-Jorgensen rifle.

One of the strangest sights at Tampa was the "Cuban camp," 500 men, most of them cigar-makers from New York and Tampa itself.

Leading at Siboney we are soon deep in the account of the fighting at Caney. Mr. Atkins possesses the happy knack of placing a scene right before the eyes of the reader, and we follow each manœuvre with the breathless interest of an actual spectator.

After having been through two battles in one day our cheery young war-correspondent seems to have at last felt rather tired and hungry.

Infants and young children are peculiarly subject to this terrible disorder, and it is most promptly arrested if it will eventually become chronic.

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MUNYON'S LIVER CURE

Munyon's Liver Cure will positively cure biliousness, constipation, jaundice and torpid liver, bilious headache, sick headache, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, tired, worn-out feeling, highly-colored urine, wind in the stomach, flat and nervous in the right side under the lower ribs, depression and dull spirits and restless nights.

TAKING CARE OF WEALTH. The Orleans family in France has always been famous for its small estates.

The Cure of Asthma. Liebig's Asthma Cure will cure Asthma. Hay Asthma or Hay Fever. Hundreds of people in four continents will say so.

NOTORIOUS FORGER DEAD. Batte, Manl., March 8.—Austin Bill, one of the men who became notorious through the Bank of England forgeries, died here last night in his room in the Mantle block.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. CURE SICK HEADACHE. Headache, get Carter's Little Liver Pills. They are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint.

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ACHE. In the case of many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure while others do not.

G. P. N. Co., Ltd., Steamers. Will leave Turner, Beaton & Co.'s wharf for DYEA, SKAGWAY, WRANGEL. As follows, viz: "DANURE" March 9. "TEES" March 16.

TRANSPORTATION. Canadian Pacific and Soo Pacific Railway. The most direct route to all points East and Southeast.

Washington & Alaska S.S. Co'y. LIGHTNING EXPRESS TO Dyea and Skagway IN 60 HOURS. SS. CITY OF SEATTLE. Sails for Dyea and Skagway direct every ten days.

ALASKA STEAMSHIP CO'Y. For Alaska and the Gold Fields. STEAMERS ROSALIE . . . Friday, March 10 DIRIGO . . . Saturday, March 18

CLONDIKE, YUKON and Atlin Traffic. The Canadian Development Co., Ltd. Are prepared to handle through freight and passenger traffic from Coast Points.

THE NORTH-WESTERN'S Fast Mail. THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE. Have added two more trains to the Fast Mail to their St. Paul-Chicago service, making eight trains daily.

MINNEAPOLIS, St. Paul and Chicago. This assures passengers from the west making connections.

SS. CUTCH. Will sail to Shoal Bay, Wrangal, Rivers Inlet, Skagway, Skeena River and Way Ports.

O.R. & N. Oregon Short Line. LOWEST RATES. SHORTEST ROUTE. Seattle to all points East and Southeast, via Portland, Salt Lake City and Denver.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO. (LIMITED.) WHARF STREET, VICTORIA. Time Table No. 41—Taking Effect February 1st, 1899.

Atlin Gold Fields. STEEL STEAMSHIP AMUR. Leaves Porter's wharf Wednesday, the 6th March FOR SKAGWAY, JUNEAU, DYEA, WRANGEL, AND WAY PORTS.

A FEW INTERESTING FACTS. When people are contemplating a trip, whether on business or pleasure, they naturally want the best service obtainable.

THE WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINES. You will make direct connections at St. Paul for Chicago, Milwaukee and all points East.

Spokane Falls & Northern Nelson & Fort Sheppard Red Mountain Railways. The only all rail route without change of cars between Spokane, Rossland and Nelson, also between Nelson and Rossland.

FOR HAWAII, SAMOA, New Zealand and Australia. 88 ALAMEDA to sail Wednesday, March 22, at 10 p.m.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS. TO AND FROM All Points in Europe. Via St. John, Halifax, Boston or New York, and all steamship lines.

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The White Pass and Yukon Route. THE PACIFIC & ARCTIC RAILWAY & NAVIGATION COMPANY. BRITISH COLUMBIA & YUKON RAILWAY COMPANY.

From Skaguay, Alaska, to the Summit of White Pass in a Comfortable Railway Train. 150 Pounds Baggage Free. Do Not Be Misled.

Chilkoot Pass Route. Chilkoot Railroad & Transport Company. Alaska Railway & Transportation Company. Dyea-Klondike Transportation Company.

Operating a System of Aerial Tramways Between Dyea and Crater Lake. These tramways did three-fourths of the business last year and will do four-fifths of it this year.

Pacific Coast Steamship Co. For San Francisco. The company's elegant steamships, QUEEN, WALLA, LA WALLA and EMATIE, LA, carrying H.M. mails, leave VICTORIA, B.C., 8 p.m. Mar. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30; April 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29; May 4, and every fifth day thereafter.

FOR ALASKA. The elegant steamships COTTAGE CITY, CITY OF TOPEKA and ALKI leave Seattle, 9 a.m. Mar. 1, 6, 11, 16, 21, 26, 31; April 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30; May 5, and every fifth day thereafter.

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Str. City of Kingston. FROM TACOMA, DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY). Lv. Tacoma . . . . . 8:00 a.m. Ar. Seattle . . . . . 10:30 a.m.

THE GREAT NORTHERN. Leave S.S. City of Kingston . . . Daily. Connecting at Seattle with overland freight. J. H. ROGERS, Agent.

Mines and Mining.

Kaslo Notes. Between 60 and 75 men are now employed at the Queen Ross. The mine continues to improve under development, and the lowest tunnel is now in ore for a distance of nearly 100 feet.

The man would at once begin drifting from the present level and when the new boiler arrived would run a three compartment upraise from the drift to the surface, so as to have it ready for the installation of the huge compressor and machinery plant lately ordered.

Provincial News.

TRAIL. Mrs. Geo. Yeo and daughter have arrived from Kamloops and will make their home, Mr. Yeo is a fireman on the Trail-Robson road.

A few years ago Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea was unknown. Today it is a household word. Why?

THE EVENING NEWSPAPER. Of all newspaper work that involved in the conduct of an afternoon newspaper is the most trying and probably the least appreciated.

THE CANADIAN ROYAL ART UNION. Offers free courses in art to those desiring same. The course includes drawing and painting from still life, models and for magazine work.

ATLIN MINES. Reliable information can be had by applying to RANT & JONES, Notaries, Mining Brokers & ATLIN, B.C.

JOHN MESTON Carriage Maker, Blacksmith, Etc. BROAD ST. BETWEEN PANDORA AND JOHNSON.

Big Shipping Mines. Each week sees a decided change in all the big Boundary Creek mines. There is a big surprise in store for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

FARMERS' INSTITUTES. Details of New Districts and Suggested Meeting Dates. According to the amended act passed at the last session of the legislature, the following districts have been subdivided:

NEW WESTMINSTER. Mr. B. W. Shiles is about to erect at handsome two-story residence on the site of his former home, wiped out by the late fire.

GREENWOOD. Dr. G. M. Foster has arrived from Cascade to take charge of the railway hospital at Greenwood.

GRAND FORKS. W. B. Bower, having completed his residence building in this city, has moved down from Columbia and will make his home here in future.

HOTELS, SCHOOLS, LODGE ROOMS, PUBLIC HALLS, CLUB HOUSES, STORES, CHURCHES and PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

STODDART'S JEWELRY STORE. Watch Repairing Department. Complete stock of material kept for English, Waltham, Elgin and Swiss watches.

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Charles Hayward, (Established 1870). Funeral Director and Embalmer. Government Street, Victoria.

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Victoria Waterworks. Notice is hereby given that all persons letting water run to waste will be prosecuted under authority of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

FULL MANLY VIGOR is a priceless boon to all who possess it. Time was when unhappy men were willing to exchange the possessions of a king for the principal elements of a perfect man.

ERIE MEDICAL CO. 64 Niagara St., Buffalo, N.Y. will send their great cure to be paid for if satisfactory, or returned at their expense, no cost to the patient.

ROSSLAND. Louis Bonus, who last week had a rib fractured on the left side by being struck with the bar of a muckhoe drill, is rapidly recovering.

HOW RESIN IS COLLECTED. In the days of the poet Ausonius the Bull of Arachon were already famous for their "groves whose rich trees wept odorous gums."

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, dated the 15th day of December, 1898, James Irvine Partridge was appointed administrator of the estate of John Partridge, late of the city of Victoria, deceased.



Along the Waterfront.

Bazin's roller ship, the Ernest Bazin, now lies in the Hull docks, England. Had she realized the high expectations of the builders she would have revolutionized the construction of our swiftest passenger steamers.

As told in these columns some days ago three new steamers are being built at Philadelphia to replace the steamers Alameda, Mariposa and Moana, of the Oceanic line.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries, returned last evening from Nelson, where he has been conducting an investigation into the causes which led to the wreck of the steamer Alsworth on Kootenay lake last winter.

Are You Ever Depressed?

And is it not due to nervous exhaustion? How can you have courage when suffering with headache, nervous prostration, and great physical weakness?



It removes the cause of your suffering, because it cures all impurities from your blood.

doubt loss of life would not have resulted. The drowned men, it seems, swamped the boat in which they might have found safety in these haste to leave the steamer.

Steamer Amur sailed from Porters wharf at noon for the north, carrying a large number of passengers. The greater part of her accommodation being taken up. A partial list of the passengers, which, as will be seen, includes a number of Victorians, is as follows:

The old rumor that the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company would shortly place a good sized steamer on the up-coast route from Vancouver, was received in local shipping circles this morning.

The Transpacific Bureau of the United States War Department has decided to allow British ships to compete with American vessels in transporting freight from the Pacific Coast to Manila.

A special issue of the Times from New York says: "Fire was discovered in the engine room of the steam-freighter Selkirk about 5:30 o'clock last evening.

Capt. Campbell, who left here on the sailing schooner Umbra, is back, he having left the Umbra at Vancouver in consequence of a disagreement with her owner, who is sailing on her.

Tug Lorne arrived from Port Angeles last evening this morning she towed the schooner Dominion, which was reported to have been wrecked on Saturday last in the Roads, to Port Townsend.

Steamer Oscar arrived last evening from the Fraser with a cargo of produce and this morning left for Vancouver to take a cargo of coal from the Crow's Nest Pass to Esquimalt for the navy.

the steamer Charmer arrived, having waited four hours at Vancouver for the train. Steamer Alouette will sail this evening for Honolulu, Suva, Wellington and Sydney.

In an interview published in a Victoria paper the interviewee is quoted as saying "there were many ships in Hongkong when he left." This is an astonishing fact when it is remembered that Hongkong is one of the largest ports in the world.

Steamer Queen is expected to arrive early this evening from San Francisco. She had not been sighted up to the time of going to press.

The C. P. R. bulletin announces the arrival at New York yesterday of the Anchor line steamer Ethiopia.

Steamer Rosalie will sail from Seattle to-morrow for Alaskan ports. She will not call here.

Steamer Charmer left Vancouver at 1.40 p.m., and connected with the train. Ship Orion was towed to Chemainus this morning by the tug Bilou.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The appeal in Pender v. War Eagle from the order of Mr. Justice Drake, refusing to order C. F. Jones to furnish notes of evidence taken at the trial, was heard by the Full Court this morning and judgment was reserved.

Bank of Montreal v. Williamson was the next case taken up. The notice of appeal was given in the morning and the court ruled against Mr. Wilson for the bank took several preliminary objections to the appeal.

Mr. Peters appears on the other side. EXTRADITION REFUSED.

Lethbridge, N.W.T., March 9.—An interesting case was concluded here today. David Fokler, a former citizen of Lethbridge, was arrested recently charged with burning, in April last, in Butte, Montana, a building which cost a quarter of a million dollars, belonging to the Anaconda Copper Mining Co.

A CONSUL WHO WORKS. Corpus Christi, Tex., March 9.—Dr. J. Diaz Prieto, Mexican consul at this place, has just been granted the sole right to reclaim 35 million acres of government land in the districts of Montezuma, Salmancipa and Arispe, Sonora Mexico, comprising some of the gold lands of the Yagui country.

A VILLAGE WIPED OUT. Berne, March 9.—The village of Reide, in the Bernese Alps, was totally destroyed by fire last night.

A CARD. Reverend A. H. Macfarlane, Franktown, Ont., advises all men who are weak and who desire a speedy and perfect cure to write to:

DR. G. H. ROBERT, 225 Water Street, Victoria, B.C.

Finnan Haddle to hand. Frozen Oysters in half gallon tins. Dutch Cheese, very fine. Limburger Cheese, original import. Ripe Olives, choice. Japanese Oranges.

Ersine, Wall & Co. The Leading Grocers.

Ho! For the Gold Fields! W.Y.T. Co. OWNERS OF LAKE BENNETT SAWMILLS. Manufacturers of Lumber of All Descriptions. Traders and Freighters. Builders of Boats and Barges.

CHEAP HOMES. Why pay rent? When you can purchase at these figures. Large lot and cottage, in good repair, near northern city limits.

PERSONAL. E. Gagne, of Roseland, is at the Wilson. Captain Martin, of Peterboro, is at the Dominion.

Sporting Intelligence. THE RING. Godard Defeated. New York, March 8.—Gus Rubilla, of Akron, O., met and defeated Joe Godard, of Australia, in the fifth round of what was to have been a 20-round bout before the Lenox Athletic Club last night.

BASKET BALL. Practice This Evening. The Swifts are to meet for practice this evening at the Assembly rooms, Fort Street, prior to their battle with No. 1 Company to-morrow night.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. A Schoolboys' Game. The South Park and Central School-boys played a friendly game of Association football at Beacon Hill yesterday.

THE OAR. Argonauts For Henry. The Toronto World says: Everything points to a most successful trip of the Argonauts to the Yukon.

LAW TENNIS. Annual Meeting of Victoria Club. At the annual meeting of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club held last week the election of officers for the ensuing season resulted as follows:

TO RENT Fine 10-Roomed Residence. With every modern convenience, one acre of ground and frontage on three streets. Apply to: MUNN, HOLLAND & CO.

BRIAR PIPES. JUST RECEIVED. Have a Peep at the Show Window. HARRY SALMONS. CORNER GOVERNMENT AND YATES STREETS.

JUST RECEIVED. New Labrador Herrings in hf. bbls. and bbls. New Mackerels in kits and hf. bbls. New Salmon Bellies in kits and hf. bbls. New Oolicans in 25 lb. and 50 lb. kits. Scaled Herrings in boxes. Eastern Bloaters in boxes. Eastern Cod Fish in 5 lb., 40 lb., 100 lb. boxes. Simon Leiser & Co. VICTORIA, B.C.

Outfitting for Klondyke WILSON BROS. Have the best goods obtainable for money, and are ready to sell them at a reasonable profit. We have had a large experience in this business, and it will pay you to call on us. Nos. 76-79 and 80 Wharf St., Victoria.

J. PIERCY & CO. Wholesale Dry Goods. Spring stock in Underwear, Silk, Wool and Cotton, Prints, Zephyrs, Fancy Flannellets, Muslins, Lace Curtains, Dress Goods, etc. 25, 27, 28 and 29 Yates St., VICTORIA, B.C.

NEW VANCOUVER COAL CO., LTD. NANAIMO, B.C. SAMUEL M. ROBINS, Superintendent. Best Protection Island Nut Coal \$4.25. Best Protection Island Lump Coal \$5.50. Per ton, delivered. KINGHAM & CO., 44 FORT STREET, Sole Agents for Victoria for the New Wellington Collieries. Telephone Call No. 647. Wharf, Store St. (Spratt's Wharf).

H. M. GRAHAME SUCCESSION TO Lowenberg, Harris & Co. Financial, Real Estate, and Insurance Agent. RENTS AND INTEREST COLLECTED. 41 Government Street, Victoria. Agent at New Westminster, F. J. COULTHARD.

DIED. McPHEE—On the 8th inst., at the residence of his daughter, North Saanich, Alexander McPhee, aged 85, a native of Argyleshire, Scotland. A FATHER'S GRIEF. Committed Suicide Because His Daughter Was Arrested. New York, March 8.—Ralph Selcher killed himself in his room in Newark today because his 14-year-old daughter had been arrested for stealing \$15. In the police court to-day, when the judge heard of the father's suicide, he remitted a fine of \$15 he had imposed and allowed the fatherless girl to go free.

THE PRICE OF BROOMS. Chicago, Ill., March 8.—The manufacturers of brooms and broom makers and dealers of broom corn are holding a two days' session at the Palmer House in this city to regulate the price of raw material as well as of finished brooms. A number of out town manufacturers, including Montreal and Toronto, are represented at the meeting. Broom corn, it is said, will be advanced \$35 a ton, while the price of brooms will be advanced 50 cents more per dozen.

FLOUR OUTPUT. Minneapolis, Minn., March 9.—The Northwestern mill reports the flour output last week at Minneapolis, Superior, Duluth and Milwaukee as 253,885 barrels.