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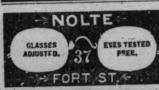
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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Saturday, 18th Instant, for the completion of the interior of the Coart House at New Westminster. Plans and specifications can be seen, and orms for tender obtained, at the Government office, New Westminster, or at the flower of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Deputy Commissioner of Lands & Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria & B.C., 8th March, 1890.

A POSTMASTER ARRESTED.

He is Held on a Charge of Tampering With the Mails.

With the Mails.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 9.—Edward F. Bogard, postmaster of Wilkesbarre, was arrested to-day charged with tampering with the United States mails, About-two months ago several complaints were lodged with the postal authorities at Washington that the mail was disappearing, or that which they received bore evidence of having been opened by a steaming process. Detectives found the postmaster scated at his desk in which were three letters addressed to prominent business men of this city, and all of them open. Mr. Bogard, besides being the editor of the Evening Leader of this city, is a member of a large number of lodges and for the past ten or twelve years has been an active member of the baseball association. The news of his arcest has created a sensation.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

Albany, N.Y., March 0.—Mr. Maher's ill abolishing capital punishment, on he order of third reading, was made a pecial order for Monday evening in the

Britain Will Support China

Important Announcement Madein the British House of Commons.

No Power Will Be Allowed to Interfere With the Railroad Contract.

London, March 9 .- In the House of Commons to-day the parliamentary sec-retary of the foreign office, the Right Hon. William St. John Broderick, reply-Hon. William St. John Broderick, replying to a question on the subject, said Her Majesty's government had not modified its undertaking to support China, against a power committing aggression in China, because the latter had granted British subjects permission to make or support a railroad or public work, but, he added, the government did not expect that a question of this description would arise with respect to the British contract, for the northern railroads. The Hutcheson Company Incor-The Provincial Gazette, which issues onight, will contain the official anouncement of the appointment of Ald. dex. Stewart as a member of the boar!

The foregoing question and answer arise from the Rüssian protest against the British railroad contract, and the statement of the British minister at Pekin, Sir Claude M. McDonald, that any attempt to repudiate the contract would be regarded as a breach of faith merit-ing retributive measures. At the same time he recalled Lord Salisbury's assur-ance of support for China, if another power should attempt to force her to regard for the contract Westminster.

The partnership between D. H. Mc-Donald and J. J. Moffat, carrying on business in Vancouver under the name of The Burrard Inlet Packing Co., has been dissolved, the last named retiring

POPE LEO'S CONDITION.

Among the extra-proxincial companies registered under the laws of the province are the "St. Clair Gold Mining Co., of St. Clair, Mich.," capital \$50,000, provincial office, Rossland, E. W. Liligeran, attorney; "The O'Shea Gold Mining and Milling Co.," of Spokane, capital \$50,000 provincial office, Camp McKinney, Thos. Donald, attorney; and "The Shannon-Dolphin Gold Mining Co.," with the same capitalization, head office, local office and attorney. the Pope's wound was made to-day by Dr. Mazzoni, who found it was making excellent progress. His Holiness hopes to re-commence his receptions shortly. The fact that Dr. Lapponi is again sleeping at the Vatican has aroused a fresh crop of rumors, including one to

ARMING THE FILIPINOS.

An American Traveller Says Arms Are Supplied by a Firm in Shanghai.

Dolphin Gold Mining Co., wath the same capitalization, head office, local office and attorney.

A court of revision for the North Victoria district will be held by Wm. Wa'n at Salt Spring Island on May 1st at 9 a.m.; at New Westminster; for Dewdeney, Richmond, and Delta, at the same date at 10 a.m.; for Nanaimo City, North Nanaimo and South Nanaimo, at 12 o'clock noon the same day; for Cumberland, at Cumberland on April 3rd, at 10 a.m.; and for Cowichah at Duncans on May 1st at 11 o'clock.

The following companies are incorporated: "The Hutcheson Company, Limited," of Victoria, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Westside," the "Duncan River Coopeative Mining and Development Company, Limited," of Rossland, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, With a capital stologous Columbia Townsite Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, With a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, With a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Vapaimo, With a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Wapaimo, with a capital of \$150.000; w M. Shoemaker, of this city, an author and traveller, has returned from a year's tour through India and the Philippines. tour through India and the Philippines. He spent the greater part of the month of Jandary in and about Manila, where he made a stidy of the Filipines. He says self government by the Filipinos will be impossible, and that the natives would soon relapse into savagery. They are, he says, inturally a treacherous, suspicious and "no account" race. They need the iron rule of good government to keep them within the bounds of civilization. The half-caste class in Manile, corresponding to the Mulatto, are the capital \$100,000; Aftin Hydraune and ing Company, Limited, non-personal hability of Victoria, capital \$100,000.

The following appointments have been made: Peter W. Rolston, M.D., of Clayonot, fleet surgeon, retired, to be a made: Peter W. Rolston, M.D., of Clayoquot, fleet surgeon, retired, to be a
coroner for the province; Herbert R.
Townsend, of Rossland, to be mining recorder for Trail Creek division; Cecil K.
Courtney, of Victoria, to be a notary
public for the province; and Alex. Stewart, of Victoria, to be a member of the
board of licensing commissioners for filiscity; Frank R. Stewart, and Walter
Boult, of Vancouver, and Alex. L. McKillop, of Nelson, to be members of the
licensing commissioners of their respective cities; and Samuel Lovatt, of Pilot
Bay, to be a coroner for the county of

David MacEwen Eberts, of the city from New York on February 19 for Ma-David MacEwen Eberts, of the city of Victoria, esquire, barrister-at-law.

The Hororable Joseph Martin, of the city of Vancouver, attorney-general.
Charles Wilson, of the city of Vancouver, esquire, barrister-at-law.

Ernest Victor Bodwell, of the city of Victoria, esquire, barrister-at-law.

William John Taylor, of the city of Victoria, esquire, barrister-at-law.

Edward Pease Davis, of the city of Vancouver, esquire, barrister-at-law.

Albert Howard MacNell, of the city of Rossland, esquire, barrister-at-law.

To be Her Majesty's counsel learned in the law, and to take rank and precedence in the order in which their names appear. from New York on February 19 for Manilia arrived here yesterday. By permission of the governor of Malta, General Sir Arrhur James Lyon Freemantle, the American troops, consisting of 2,000 men, landed tooday and the governor attended by his staff, inspected them on the Florir parade grounds. Subsequently, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers by, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers by, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers by, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers by, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers by, the Americans marched past and the election on the The following officers to-day. Fifth British ment, 1st battalion, to tenant J. P. Hibben; Lieutenant B. H. T. I. lieutenant R. H. T. I. lieutenant, provisionally hame; to be surgeon-ms at large attendance of naval and military. manding the infant, there was also a large attendance of naval and military men, and an immense concourse of people, as spectators. dence in the order in which their names appear.

Notice is given by Charles Hay that after the expiration of one month from date application will be made to the Lieutenant-Governer-in-Council for the incorporation into a city municipality, under the name of the corporation of the city of Columbia, of that certain locality in the Province of British Columbia, being all the land included within the limits of lots 380, 520 and 533, group one, Osoyoos division of Yale district, in the said province. Dewey's Health.

Dewey's Health.

Washington, D.C., March 9.—When his attention was called to the statement coming from Vancouver, to the effect that Admiral Dewey is breaking down and cannot last a month longer. Secretary Long said that he had no information whatever on this point. The stories of the admiral's ill health have been in circulation with more or less persistency for the past four months. They are all fracentic to private reports, and though officers of the navy who have returned recently from Manila state that Dewey's health so far as it could be anguage from his appearance, is about the same as it has been for the past year, they agree that the private reports probably have a fair basis of fact. Dewey will be 62 years old next December, and to many years has not been a strong man physically. Prince Henry of Prussia and His Wife Will Return From China by Way of America, Perlin, March 9.—It is stated that in pursuance of the Emperor's order, Prince Honry of Payssia and Jis wife the Princess Irene, who are both in China, will return in the apring of 1900 by way of America, going with three-first class warships around Cape Horn. They will visit the Eastern cities of the United States. It is the Emperor's idea thus to complete the friendly entente with the United States. It is the Emperor's idea thus to

CONTINUES TO IMPROVE.

New York, March 9.—Kipling continues to make steady progress toward recovery. His sleep is better and more refreshing, lasting several hours at a time. His brain power is still impaired, but that is only a temporary condition resulting from extreme physical sickness. Only one nure remained in Mr. Kipling's, room last hight, and there were no calls for her services.

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Mr. Kipling was removed at 11 o'clock this morning to another room in the hotel. The new room is larger and has a more exheerful outlook. It is hoped the change will do the patient good. Mr. Kipling is very much improved and took a breakfast of best tea, rosters and eggs. Little Elsie is sitting up in bed and on the high road to recovery.

MAIL BAGS RECOYERED.

London, March 9.—Six mail bags be longing to the Dominion line steamer Labrador, which was wrecked about four miles from Skerryvore, off the coas of Scotland, on March 1st, while on he way from St. John, N.B., to Liverpool

HER HEAD CRUSHED IN.

Marderous Assault by an Unknown Man In New York-He Used a Brick.

some trivial reason a man crushed in a woman's skull with a brick early this morning at Thirteenth street and Fourth areane. The police are trying to find the man who fled after the assault, fear-ing the woman unconscious on the ing the woman unconscious on the side-walk. Kitty Costello, 19 years old, is at the Bellevne hospital, and will probably die in a few hours. The man and Kitty, evilently strangers to each other, met on the street corner this morning, started the quarrel is a mystery.

DR. RAFFAEL'S SUCCESSOR.

Washington, March 9.—The state department has been informed that Dr. Salf has sailed from Germany for New York en route to Samoa. He has been named by the German government to replace Dr. John Raffael, the late president of the municipal council at Apia, who has just arrived at San Francisco on his way back to Berlin.

STORM ON BLACK SEA.

St. Petersburg. March 9.—A hurricane, raged over the Black Sea for four days and numerous vasualfies among shipping have been reported. Two English steamers are ashore near Poti, a Turkish steamer has been wrecked and a salling ship bound for Theodosis has been sunk. The crew of the latter perished.

ELECTION IN ENGLAND.

London, March 9.-In the election yes-London, March 9.—In the election yesterday in Elland division, west riding of Yorkshire, for a successor in parliament to M. Thomas Wayne, Liberal, resigned, the Liberal candidate, Mr. Charles P. Trevelyn, was elected by a majority og 984. At the last election the Liberal majority was 306.

MOB LAW IN MISSOURI.

Missouri City, Mo., March 9.—This morning sixty masked men battered down the jail door and seized Odit Summera, who was locked up on a charge of vagrancy. They took him to the public school ground, stripped him, tied him to a tree and lashed him forty times with a twisted grass rope. He was then released and warned to leave Clay county and never return. The mob afterwards secured Jim Jackson, Jesse Yates, jr., Jos. Asbury, Dennis Stevens and Ben Monkers. The five prisoners were taken to a stone quarry, stripped, whitped and admonished to leave Clay county. The victims declare that they do not know why they were punished. Missouri City, Mo., March 9.-This

Ottawa March 9 - (Special)-The writ has been issued for the election in Levis. The nomination takes place on the 22nd

The following officers were gazetted to-day: Fifth British Columbia regito-day: Fifth British Columbia regiment, 1st battalion, to be major, Lieutenant J. P. Hibben; to be captain, Lieutenant B. H. T. Drake; to be 2nd lieutenant, provisionally, H. McA. Grahame; to be surgeon-major, E. C. Hart, M. D., vice G. Duncan, M. D., retired. Lieutenant-Colonel Otter, Lieutenant-Colonel Irwin, Ottawa, have been appointed honorary A, D. C.'s to Lord Minto.

Sir John Carling has been appeinted honorary lieutenant-colonel of the 70th battalion.

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A deputation from Wellington, headed by Messra, McMullen and Semple, saw the government to-day on the question of local patronage.

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PAPAL NUNCIO DEAD

Paris, March 9.—Mgr. Clarl, the Papal muncio here, who was stricken with appelexy years ago.

Protecting Her Majesty

Extraordinary Precautions Taken by French Government to Guard the Queen.

British Sovereign Will Proceed to the Riviera Through Lines of Soldiers.

London, March 9.-The Queen has postponed her departure to the south of France until Saturday next, in conse-

The postponement of Her Majesty's departure is a striking illustration of the extreme care and of the precautions with which she is surrounded. Instead of going in her own yacht to Cherbe sea trip and go from Folkestone to Boulogne-Sur-Mer in a special passenger, boat, which has been chaptered for the eighty minutes' trip. All sorts of staging and platforms had been erected at Folkestone, where Rear Admiral John Fullerton, aide-de-camp to the Queen, who has been in command of the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, since 1884, and a host of court officials, have been superintending the arrangements. Two trial trips have already been made and everything was in readiness to-day.

At Boulogne Sur-Mer, in addition to the large force of gendarmes and custom house officials, two battalians of infantry were in readiness, while the outlies rail-

house officials, two battalions of infantry were in readings, while the entire tailroad line to Nice was guarded by soldiers, posted at intervals, supplementing the usual force of railroad employees detailed for duty in such emergencies.

The French government is taking an usual precautions on account of the supposed hostility of a portion of the people to the Queen.

All, these arrangements in France were upset by a dispatch from Rear Admiral Fullerton postponing the journey on account of the weather prevailing in the channel, He classed as a "storm" whereas only a moderate sea was running.

The Situation at Dawson

In Two Months Time Hundreds of People Will Be Without Food.

Relief Committee Is Compelled to Suspend Operations Owing to Want of Funds.

Washington, March 9.—The United States consul at Dawson, Mr. J. C. Mc-Cook, under date of January 4th, in-forms the department of state concerning the condition of the people there as fot-

tion. The half caste class in Manila, corresponding to the Mulatto, are the most intelligent.

Speaking of how the insurgents procure arms, Mr. Shoemaker says that a firm in Shanghai, consisting of five brothers, furnished arms, and escapes the responsibility by representing that cach one is a resident of a different country, so that if one nation objects the blame can be laid on some other country.

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"Many Rave gone out over the lee and are going out daily, white others are remaining in the hope that they will be able to strike some pay on claims leaved from others. Applications are made daily at this office for relief. The indigent sick so far are being taken care of by the relief committee and by the local authorities, the interpretation opens.

Local Battery Announced To-Day. in relief work. The destrict see, while many of them are not paupers in the strict sense of the word, being tempor-arily without funds, are compelled to call on the relief committee and finally pay when they receive remittances from the

outside.
The relief committee at this place is unable to extend any more aid as all funds collected have been exhausted, and they are some two thousand dollars in debt.

"The greatest evil, however, will be the large number of people who will have exhausted their supplies and who will fail to succeed in getting paying

claims.
"I know it is not customary for cry nation to provide for destitute citizens of their own country, still I feel it my duty to put this matter before you to take whatever action you deem best."

· ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE.

St. Scholastique, Que., March 9.—
Preparations are almost complete for the double execution of Cordella Viau and Sam Parslow for the murder of Isidore Poirler, the husband of the woman. They will ham to morrow morning and Radcliffic will be the executioner.

A sensation was caused this morning when it became known that Parslow had succeeded at midnight in getting out of his cell in an attempt to escape. He was searched to see that he had nothing concealed about his elothing, and was then returned to confinement.

SALISBURY HAS A COLD.

London, March 9.—Lord Salisbury suffering from a cold. He was unable attend the cabinet meeting yesterday.

-Smoke union made cigars.



THE ANDREE STORY. Russian Explorers Return With No Champion High Diver Fractures His News of Missing Aeronauts. News of Missing Aeronauts.

Toronto, Marcht 8.—A bill giving Ortawa, power to run street cars on Sunday was passed by the private bills committee to-day.

Winnipeg, March 8.—The remains of the late Rev. Principal King were interred in Kildenan cemetery to-day.

Montreal, March 8.—Cordella Poirier says she will make a confession on the scaffold. The scaffold is so arransed that the excentions can take nace simulations.

London, March 8.—"We understand," says the Times, "that the navy estimates win show an increase for the ensuing year of nearly 43,000,000 over last year's total and will reach almost £26,000,000. It is proposed to add between 4,000 and 5,000 men. The largest share of the increased expenditure, however, is for shipbuilding, repairs and the like."

The same paper commenting editorially upon the foregoing, says: "It is pretty-clear that Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancelor of the exchequer, will have an admirable opportunity to display his powers as a constructive financier, and

Manila, March 8, 3:35 p.m.-The tem-

THE FRENCH ARMY.

Paris, March 8.—The French army budget was discussed in the Chamber of Deputies to-day. The members of the House while complaining of the budget, which totals up 875 million francs, admitted the impossibility of retrenching and the necessity of meeting German increases by corresponding abilitions. The minister of war admitted that the Epoch in the Complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the left citizeness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this and the complaining to the budget, which totals up 875 million frances, admitted the impossibility of retrenching and the necessity of meeting German increases by corresponding abilitions. The lishes a story to the effect that a party of armied Cubans is terrorizing the Spaniards at Mayori. It also says these Cubans have murdered several Spaniards near Bazajagua and mentions cases of the persecution of Spanish in Calba-zar, province of Santa Clara.

A LITTLE LIGHT.

Every young woman increases a little light apon the sub-zar province of Santa Clara. minister of war admitted that the femch, the subeffectiveness was inferior to the German, but it was impossible to remedy this owing to the lack of population. It is not necessary to be adarmed about neighboring increases. France must meet quantity by quality. The rifles and guns of the French army were without their equals and the country, therefore, might await the future with confidence.

Newport News, March 8.—The German teamship Albino, which has arrived Newport News, March 8.—The German steamship Albino, which has arrived here, reports, the sinking of the tug James Bowen with twelve persons on bourd. The Bowen, having the mud barge Admiral in tow, was caught in a gale and spring a leak outside of the Capes. The Albino sighted the barge in discress and after a hard battle with the and spring a leak outside of the Capes. The Albino sighted the barge in distress, and after a hard battle with the waves succeeded in taking off the capital and crew of the sinking barge. The second mate of the Albino was washed overboard while making the rescue.

WOMAN'S FAVORITE WEAPON.

Paris, March 8.—Madame Charles Bianchini, wife of the famous scenic Bianchint, wife of the famous scene artist of that name, whose trial on a charge of attempting to polson her busband began on Mondaly last, was sentenced to-day to five years' penal servitude. As she was leaving the court from the prisoner made a futile attempt to commit suicide by stabbing herself with a her prin

RIGO DIVORCED.

Vicinia, March S. Countess Jaranda, who was the first wife of Rigo, the gipsy musician who attained notoricky by cloping with Princess de Chimay. gipsy musician who attained notoriety
by cloping with Princess de Chimay,
be secured a divorce from her husband. Rigo may now legally marry the
Princess, who was formerly Miss Clara
Ward, of Detroit,

Torpid liver and constipation are surely
and speedily cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant
tone up and invigorite the liver, stomach
and bowels. No substitute urged by mercenary dealers is as good.

Prescriptions

HIS LAST DIVE.

Skull in New York.

The following telegram has been received at Stockhoim from Baron Renterskjold, the minister of Sweden and Norway in St. Petersburg.

"The Governor-General of Irkutsk, at present in St. Petersburg, has received a relegram from the Governor of Yeniscisk, dated Krasnojarsk, February ID., evening, stating that the reports of the discovery of the remains of Herr Andree and his companions have received no confirmation.

"The mining inspector for the northern Yeniscisk district, who is an energetic and intelligent man, has made an exhaustive search on the Upper Pit river, and the ski-runners whom he sent out found no traves of the expedition."

CANADIAN BREVITIES.

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INCREASING THE BRITISH NAVY.
London, March 8.—We understand, says the Times, "that the navy estimates will show an increase for the ensuing year of neurly £3,000,000 over last year's total and will reach almost £20,000,000 and 5,000 men. The largest share of the increased texponditure, however, is for shipbuilding, regains and the like.

Negotiate a Treaty:

Ottava, March 8.—A commission, appeared to the Dominion government, will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the condemned should see will have the Dominion government, will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the creating an leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the will leave Edmonton, N.W.T., on the view of Adhabasca.

In the probability of May next to negotiate a treaty will be harded to Alabasca.

Negotiate a Treaty:

St. Scholastique and has to ride to and from Montreal every day.

Increasing the United States are about 2

GOOD FOR COTTON OPERATORS.

Whitinsville Mass. March 8.—The Whitinsville cotton mill and the cotton mills af Linwood and Saundersville have announced an advance in wages to take place April 2. About 1,000 operatives are affected.

The Fuerst express steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse has arrived at New York from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg, making the most surprising record trip across the Atlantic, a distance of 3,148 knots, in 5 days, 21 hours and 8 minutes.

Nine persons, including five military

Nine persons, including five military officers, have been drowned by the cap-signing of a pleasure yacht off the Brit-

capability as a wife and mother, and the health and strength of generations to come are dependent upon this.

Nothing in the world will destroy the good looks, wholesomeness, the amiability, and the usefulness of a woman quicker than disorders of the delicate and important organs that bear the burdens of maternity. Dr. Pierce's Pavorite Prescription is the best of all medicines for women who are aliling in this way. It makes a woman strong and healthy where a woman most needs health and strength. It relieves pain, soothes inflammation, heals ulceration and gives rest and tone to the tortured nerves. It cures all the ills and pains too commonly considered an uncomfortable inheritance of womankind. It has been used for over thirty years with an unbroken record of success. Moreofit has been sood than of all the other medicines for women combined. It is the discovery of Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years with a unbroken combined. It is the discovery of Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. He will cheerfully answer, without charge, all letters from alling women.

"Three years ago." writes Mrs. I. N. Messler, of spt. Vanderbilt Avenue, New York, N. V. the best physicians in this city said there was no cure for me unless it was got a hospital and have an operation performed. I could not waste across the room. I look Br. Pierce's Pleasant Torpid liver and constipation are surely and speedily cured by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant

Wrangel To Be Canadian

Col. Crittenden Circulating a Petition To Be Transferred to Canada.

The Proposition Receives the Endorsement of the Wrangel Press.

The movement among Northern cities looking to a transfer of part of the territory now under United States jurisdiction to British control is by no means confined to Dyea. Latest advices from the North indicate that Wrangel also is anxious to pass under the British flag. Col. Crittenden, one of the most prominent citizens of Wrangel, is fathering the movement and it is having the support of the Stikine River Journal. It is claimed by them that the Sound cities dictate the law for the Northern cities, without any reference to the wishes of

Canadian route to the great undeveloped Northwest Territory. According to the doctrine of all just power of government being derived from the consent of the governed, the people of Wrangel know better what they want than the good in-tentioned people who never saw Alaska, but persist in holding mass meetings to dictate what should be done with us. It is containing an unbeard of eigenvectors.

Professor Knapp Says Aguinaldo is Discredited and the Natives Do Not Wish Independence.

Washington, March 8.-Professor F. Washington, March 8,—Professor F.
A. Knapp, of the University of Louisiana, who was sent to the Philippine
Islands by the department of agriculture
to study the agricultural conditions, particularly the culture of rice and sugar,
has returned to Washington. During his
stay in the Philippines he had unusual
opportunities for informing himself as to
the conditions and disposition of the na-

perature to-day at 3 o'clock was 84 degrees, have been drowned by the capteres, but the cloudy air was like steam and the troops were greatly inconvenienced in the line, in spite of the temporary shade afforded by matting and bamboos wherever feasible. There were fewer prostrations, however, from the hear.

Our troops to-day were not compelled to remain in the open country to the same extent as yesterday, when they were engaged in clearing the jungle. The rebels seldom appear in the open except in the cool of the morning and in the evening. Our soldiers will probably feel the heat less when they are on the move. The French socond-class cruiser Jean Bart has arrived here.

Paris, March 8.—The French army budget was discussed in the Chamber of the property from degree of the pr

"Did you find anyone who had confidence in him?" "No. I did not; that is, no intelligent people."

"Who are the people surrounding him? Is he their chief or, is he their tool?" "I was assented by more the house him.

and have had a great deal to do with him
that at first he was the chief, but that
the situation has passed out of his hands,
and that he now has no control over it.
The natives have been so enslaved that
they have no idea of liberty; they de
not know what the word means. While
a few of the leaders are educated, the
masses are ignorant and have no conception of what they are fighting for.
They were led to believe that Americans
would make them slaves, imprison them,
confiscate their property and massacre
them. The proclamation of the Catholic
bishop, who said the Americans were a
barbarous race, and invaded the islands
for the purpose of steffling everything,
was taken in good faith by the people.
This accounts very largely for the support which Aguinaldo has had.

"The people had lived under Spanish
militarisms and oppression. There was
no instice for them. If they appealed
to the law they were always beaten and
then severely punished. They now want
to make their own laws and govern
themselves. The leaders, with Aguinallo, want to confiscate everything and
loot the cities. They have confiscated all
of the property of the religious orders
within the limits of their rebellion and
all the estates that belong to Spaniards,
and will not permit a forceigner to look
after his plantations without paring
the material solution of the property of the religious orders
within the limits of their rebellion and
all the way from \$100 to \$5,000. That is
where they get their funds. If the money
is not forthcoming they solze the crops.
The business men want peace and order, and believe they will have it best under American government. They do not
want independence.

"What class of men are behind Aguinaldo, now." Local politicians and ofrent and bott few are professional men,"
They are not property owners to any extent, and but few are professional men,"
"Did yon hear of the insurgents receiv
"What class of men are behind aguinthe thems." If did, but it came to me
through Filipino sources that cannot be

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is what Aguinaldo and his associates are looking for. They want a chance to plunder the country under the protection of some power that will prevent foreign infervention and permit them to do as they please, the consideration to be certain exclusive commercial privileges."

"Who sends the stories that are sent from Hongkong?" "There is a junta there, a thoroughly reckless, irresponsible body of men, who deliberately send out falsehoods for the phripose of prejudicing public opinion. They sent the commission to the United States, and furnished money to peddie their lies through our newspapers, thinking they could influence the action of congress on the peace treaty."

BRITAIN'S ONLY POLICY.

War Unless the Open Door is Maintained.

London, March 8.—A representative of the Associated Press interviewed Lord Charles Beresford on his return from a tour around the world. Lord Charles reiterated his well known views on the subject of the "open door" in China, as the only policy of Great Britain. In so doing he said it was impossible to estimate the importance of the Chinese market, a single province of which was worth the whole of Africa from a commercial point of view. The Admiral also said that there would be war unless the "open door" policy should be adhered to.

In an interview with a Daily Mail reporter he insisted that if all the powers began grabbing land in China it could only result in quarrels and wal.

"It is absolutely necessary," he said, "to keep China on her feet. Better stand up now for the open door than venture upon the dangerous course of spheres of influence. I do not suggest a cut and dred alliance. I do not hing America will join an alliance. But America, Britain, Germany and Japan might agree to work together to maintain the open door.

"The provincial rulers are more pro-

"The provincial rulers are more progressive than those of Pekin. They all favor the open door policy and only want to save China's face; but they think we are afrain of Russia."

think we are afrain of Russia."

Orly British Need Apply.

Pekin, March 8.—Sir Claude M. McDonald, the British minister, has informed the officials of the Chinese foreign, office that any attempt to repudiate the railroad contract will be regarded as a breach of faith meriting retributive measures. At the same time the minister has received. Lord Salisbury's assurances of support for China if any other power attempted to force ber to repudiate the contract.

Willing to Apologize.

Rome, March 8.—According to the Tri-bune, the Chinese government has offer-ed to send a written apology to Senor-Martino, the Italian minister, for the



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Negroes Make Things Lively

man Killed and Several Persons Injured.

Atlanta, Ga., March 9.-The Tenth Immunes (negroes) Col. Jones, who were austered out at Macon yesterday, began to show their ill temper as soon as the train bearing them home began to move other arms, which they in some way firing from the windows. Bullets flew

will Goodycar, a 16-year-old boy, whose arm was fractured by a ball.

As the train passed the various stations or the road the rioting was renewed, shots being fired from the train at people on the platforms to see the train go by:

At Griffin Ga, where the first section

At Griffin, Ga:, where the first section

Is he their chief or is he their tool?" "I was assured by men who know him well and have had a great deal to do with him that at first he was the chief, but that the situation has passed ont of his hands, and that he now has no courted over it.

The native he consideration and respect of all who have taken the trouble to study his character and watch the trend of events of which he

taken the trouble to study his character and watch the trend of events of which he is the central fagure.

That he loves pomp and opera-bonffe, Indicrous though it, seems to the European, cannot condemn him to the showy nobility of the kingdom that taught his people to reverence gold braid and plumed cockades, nor to the gaudy monarchies of the Old World, nor to our own be-medalled, brass-buttoned, and gold-chevroned army and navy. Aguinaido is but a feeble imitator of a civilization a thousand years bis senior. The cost of all the insignias of his tinge hundred officers would not equal the expenditure for the full-dress regalia. I have seen worn by the English colonial governor at Hong-kong. His much-advertised gold collar pales into insignificance in comparison with the ones worn by the British dignitary.

Aguinalde takes himself seriously. It is a primitive old-fashioned idea, and never fails to arouse the anuised smile of a foreigner. If we set that same representative of a higher civilization down in the presence of the Tagnio chieftain at Malolos headquarters, the smile will vaulsh from his face, and he will begin to ask nimely for the faces as an experience of the tagnio chieftain at Malolos headquarters, the smile will vaulsh from his face, and he will begin to ask nimely for the faces as a foreigner. If we see that same representative of a higher civilization down in the presence of the Tagnio chieftain at Malolos headquarters, the smile will vaulsh from his face, and he will begin to ask nimely for the faces as a foreigner of the coverse of the Fliphosoldiery.—Harper's Weekly.

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The regiment came over the Central decorgia railway in three sections, when the train stopped at Griffin the negroes, who by this time had filled up on whisky, began firing their pistols and yelling like Indians. Over 200 shots were fired and the police were powerless. The city was at the mercy of negroes who kept up a fasilade of shots until the train carried them beyond the city limits.

News of the outrageous conduct spread rapidly over Griffin and it was idetermined that the next section of the regiment should be held in check. Mayor Davis telephoned to the governor, asking him to order out the Griffin Rifes. The governer sent him word that he would consult the authorities and instruct him in a few minutes. Mayor Davis then ordered out a company on his own responsibility, as tare was no time to loge. The men were given five rounds of amountain, and under the command of Lieut. David, marched to the depot. In a addition to the militia the mayor and sheriff Morris deputized nearly 100 citizens to assist the officers in preserving a price and protecting the city.

A out 5:15 p.m. the second section came in sight and above the roar of the train could be heard the rattle of fire and instruments. A could be commanded them to keep quiet. The negroes saw 200 armacel, were as decile as lambs. Those why he were fractious were clubbed into a submission. When the train cube to decrease the nearest control of the train could be heard the rattle of fire and the police of the could be heard the rattle of fire and the police of the could be heard the rattle of fire and the police of the police of the could be compared to the police of the could be compared to the police of the pol

Officer—What is your name? Jones—M'namish—his—Jamesh J-on-osh, Officer—Is that your full name? Jones—Yeh, tha-thes full name—sober namesh Jajame—his—Jones,—Town Topics,



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ing in the Chicago Record, says:

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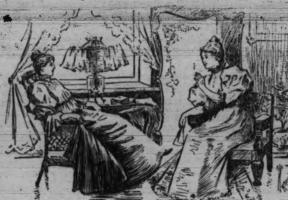
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and individual rivalry will mean disaster. British Columbia's capital? Are there In the circumstances there is only one not leaks here that should be stopped as course to adopt and that is the one we quickly as may be? Perhaps in search-have mentioned at the beginning of this ling for means to raise the revenue the

FREAKISH LEGISLATION.

"Good-bye, friends; I'm off to New mark among British Columbia news papermen, setting forth for the sweetjust passed a bill that provides handnely from press workers. and editors are to work eight hours a and have two hours (off the eight?) for luncheon each working day. This is neglected. truly grand; but unfortunately the bill does not provide for a supply of pro-The provisions of the bill will meet with. en, even if the bill itself does not win the admiration of the Senate, before which august body it must soon go.

Should the measure pass (all-newspape become law, there will be a journalistic hejira extending from Maine to California and from Edmonton to Key West, tate on the North Atlantic shore, where the laborer is worthy of his hire, and that hire is higher and his luncheon spell longer than even in the most Arabian Nightish dreams he ever dreamt.

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stieth centrally with a show that is expected to cellipse anything of the kind ever held in the British Islands. In all probability a great many of the articles exhibitor at the big display in Paris in 1900 will be taken over to (tlasgow to "cut lee" in the exhibition of 1901; thus, exhibitors will have a chance to make their goods do the maximum amount of advertisins.

Those two exhibitions will probably attached the control of the British and orderly as the quarter-deck of a first-class battached the probably attached the probably at the begins the day's work promptly at noise days work promptly at nine o'clock in the morning; has an hour off for luncheon, another for dinner, and he closes the library exactly at ten o'clock every night. The library is closed on Sundays. The reading room is the admiration of every visitor; it is the probably attached the probably attached to the probably attach

partments; the theory being that the

not leaks here that should be stopped as quickly as may be? Perhaps in searching for means to raise the revenue the citizens and council are overlooking some expenditures that are open to challenge from practical men. In declining to vote two thousand dollars for the library the city council made no mistake; we should like to see the grant now given made to produce results like those obtained in St. John's before any increase is considered. We must not be too ambitious; things must be dealt with as they are, not as would wish they were; many matantase of the province strouble is not seemed a story or two higher up. The ill-temper of some British Columbia to as would wish they were; many matantase of the province strouble is not seemed a story or two higher up. The ill-temper of some British Columbia to the fact that the board is not so bountifully supplied as it used to things must be dealt with as they are not as would wish they were; many matters equally as important as the library, perhaps more important, are pressing for attention, and they should not be marketed.

No elections are pending in the United States just now, therefore the voice of the tail twister is not heard in the land.

our remarks re Deadman's Island sawmill. Sorry, but can't see any other
view that will square with common
sense. World wants us to mind our own
business and go and look at Government
street. Declined with thanks; our businose is the business of British Columbia, of which Vancouver is a part; and our remarks re Deadman's Island sawmuch are situated in Canada,

we shall continue to poke our Cyrano de
Bergerae into all sorts of business for
the benefit of our readers. The World
wants Vancouver to be a "beauty-spot";
we thought the ambition of Vancouver
was to become a great industrial centre;
unbeautiful maybe, but fairly rolling in
the oofty-oof. Victoria is British Columbia's beauty spot; healthiest, wealthiest, beautifullest spot in the whole great
province.

much are situated in Canada,

An Ottawa despatch says there must
either be repeal or disallowance of Britisk Columbia anti-Japanese legislation.
It is quite certain the law will not be
repealed, so it is probable it will be disalways and the command of the Colonial
Secretary, as the Imperial government
is very anxious to retain the friendship
of Japan. The Japanese are a proud
and high-spirited people and deeply reset being placed in the same category
as Chinese. en will say it should) the Senate and bia, of which Vancouver is a part; and having for its objective point the small wants Vancouver to be a "beauty-spot";

"Mcs. John J. Boss wishes to express her kind thanks to her friends and neigh-bors who so kindly assisted her in the death of her dear husband."

We hope the heartless woman and her cold-blooded accomplices are by this time safely in the custody of the police.

Never before has so much care been taken by the French government for the safety of Queen Victoria on her journey through France to the Riviera. Probably there was nothing but talk in the recent threats, but the French authoristaken by the French government for the recent threats, but the French authorities are taking no chances. Her Majesty is extremely popular with the

China is in a funny fix. If she dare to repudiate that railway contract with Great Britain, she will eatch it. If she resist any attempt of any foreign power to make her repudiate it, Britain wil Poor old China Well may shi back my kites and fans and leisure

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Licensing

Buildings Unsuitable for Saloon Businesses Will Not Have License Transfers.

Board

A Gust of Applications Granted Yesterday-The Hall Saloon Case.

When the Times went to press yesterday afternoon License Commissioners Mayor Redfern and T. B. Hall were holding the usual quarterly meeting, the newly appointed commissioner, Alderman Stewart, being absent owing to his presence at the session of the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. being indispensable.

Considerable business was disposed of as the following list of transfers, which were granted, will indicate:

Dawson hotel-From J. F. Dawley to Edwin Davis. Dawson hotel-From Edwin Davis to Mrs. M. White. California hotel-From Walter Martin to

Whife Horse saloon—John Walsh to James M. Barker.
North Pacific saloon—David Dale to Charles Richard Lawson.
Brown Jug saloon—From Michael Powers to J. B. Simpson.
Jubilee saloon—From Joseph Ball to John McPherson and Hugh Simpson.
Clarence hotel—From A. R. McDonald to James Adam and John Skinner.
Tille following the temporary permits with the contract of the contract of the contract and extended to the Telegraph—hotel—From—Charles—de—in-Haye to Frederick Sturm.

Telegraph hotel From Charles de la Haye b Frederick Sturm.

Colonist hotel-From Edward Smith to Alfred Wood.
Empire hotel-From A. P. Briggs to Edgar George Walker.

Horse Shoe saloon-From E. Q. R. Quagliotti to C. P. Ledlevre.

Mirror saloon-From E. E. Leason to H. H. Trson. Commercial notes - road to William Field.

Everett's Exchange-From F. Smith to

transfer of licenses attached to property which cannot be considered suitable for

North Pacific, corner of Yates and Wharf streets.
Albion, corner of Yates street and Wad-

Albion, corner of Tates street and Waddington alley.
Abbion, Herald street,
Jubileo, Johnson street,
Teutonia, Government street,
Lighthouse, corner of Store and Cormor
ant; and
Prince of Wales, corner of Government
street and Cormorant.

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This action was taken, not under section 14 of the Liquor Traffic Regulation Act, that section having been repealed, but by virtue of the powers given the commissioners generally to exercise their discretion. The Hall asloon on Fort street had been granted a temporary transfer and selling authority. The present holder of the license is now in Yokohama, and no legal application for transfer could be made. It was therefore refused and it would seem as though the license may be lost, as section 13, under which the owner of the premises might have received it, has also

THE NOVEL OF THE DAY.

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The talk of the month in metropolitan literary circles is 'The Open Quesfion, the novel by the well known American actress Elizabeth Robins. The book was published in England last autumn, and came to America with the stamp of approval of the best English critics. The noted artist, Whistler, has pronounced it, in his estimation, the novel of the age, and at some time or other we may look for an edition with appropriate illustrations from his brush. "Dr. Kellner," the great German savant, is another celebrity who was struck at first sight with the artistic power of the novel. As soon as he had read it, he wrote to Miss Robins, asking that he be permitted to translate if into German. With such a European record behind this book, it is of interest to note its receptions in the author's nadeside there will be transmits of this personal and misses. A gold images weighing twenty. The personal control of the children of the childre

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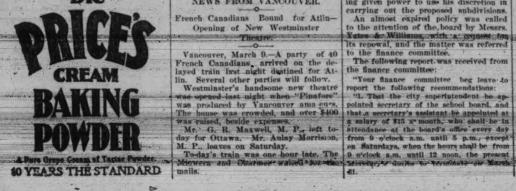
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(f) Penelope's Experiences In Scotland," being extracts from the Commonplace flook of Penelope Hamilton, by Kate Bonglas Wiggin, published in Bell's Indian and Colonial Library, (2) "The War In Cuba;" the experiences of an Englishnoon with the United States army, by John Black Atkins, M.A., published by Smith, Elder & Company, London

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. Salem-lina, rather older than the other two, does the chaperon business, a mere form in

Early where in their, generation, make a capital compound of their various likes and dislikes, from breatfast dutius up words. "In the matter of breatfast, when we have leisure to assert the analysis of their colors, and I coffee. We can never, therefore, the served with a large cosmofronted instead with a caravana of silkes fugs. Challenged the pot of anything, but are confronted instead with a caravana of silkes fugs. Challenged the colors of all the several many and the color of their colors, and I coffee. We can never, therefore, be served with a large cosmofronted instead with a caravana of silkes fugs. Challenge and the color of anything, but are confronted instead with a caravana of silkes fugs. Challenge and the color of the place than while each in her secret heart wishes that the other two were less exigeante in the matter of diet."

Going to Edinburgh they show, as most Americans do (to our shame be it said), how much better "up" they are in the history and local color of the place than many an old dweller in "fair Edinburgh from and the place than many an old dweller in "fair Edinburgh from and the place than many an old dweller in "fair Edinburgh from and the place and the commonwhat the possibly remember of Edinburgh from an extra control of and phrases she can possibly remember, are really so brilliant that they deserve to be "a joy for ever" Let me quote but one verse from her "Farewell to Edic-

"So fetch me tartan, heather, scones, Then bind my claymere to my side. My kilt and mutch gae bring: Thile Scottish lays soun' I' my lugs.

Is not that excellent fooling?. There the happy dash of love-making in the book that brightens up life so wonderfully, and everything ends well. Such a comfort. But how sorry we are to part from this bright trio of girls, bubbling over as they are with wit, sweetness and innocence.

picturesqueness. From the first to the last page there is not a dull line in the whole book. It is not spun out, but can be read easily at a sitting, so that one gets the whole flavor in one morthful, always an advantage with a book of this description. Leaving England on April 23rd, 1888, Mr. Atkins gives us bright little sketches of various partiotic American fellow-passengers hastening to offer their services at the front. Then we see New York in the height of the war fever, when everything and everyone breathed and spoke of warshop-keepers calling dress shirts "campaign shirts" and filmsy looking city boots, "war shoes." We gain a clear idea of the construction of "the New York National Guard," and meet and instantly take to our hearts Theodore Roosevell's strangely raised force, first called the "Rustler" or "Cowboy" regiment, then known as "the their "flexible efficiency" was very mark-ed. They had not the machine drilled bull-uprightness look of either the British or Prussian soddiers, but were just the right kind of men for the work before them. kind of men for the work before them. 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 bumber of grey-hended officers in both men who would have been superannuated years before in the British army-the American plan of giving military appointments to non-military men being the cause of this slowness of promotion, a most reprehensible and discouraging plan, as the author naturally thinks. Mr. Atkins was fortunate enough to be allowed to attach himself to the 9th United States Infantry. Whilst at Tampa waiting for the order for embarkation he occupied his time by visiting the various camps in the neighborhood. One was a regular regulant of infantry, camped on Piente Island: It had come from San Francisco, where it had been stationed for ten years. Most won-

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the bush made the whole thing a blind-fold game, and the military balloon was a perfect nuisance, as the only thing it seemed to do was to show the Spaniards exactly where the Americans were in the dense thickets. The battle of San Juan is as good a piece of writing as one could wish to read, so clear and simple and no was thoroughly, magnificently done by the men in the lines. It was their battle-a soldier's battle-that is the only expres-sion descriptive of it." Then we read of

out of the many books and magazine articles written on the Spanish-American war this one, composed of the substance of the letters sent home by the war correspondent of the Manchester Guardian, will hold its place easily in the front rank, because of its clear simplicity and vivid picturesqueness. From the first to the last page there is not a dull line in the whole a sitting, so that one morthfal, always an of this description.

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the stantic block. The cross of all death was given as grippe.

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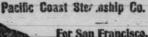
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The Jackson has shipped 194 tons ince January 1st, 1890.

since January 1st, 1899.

The Whitewater shipped 128 tons last week to Kaslo sampler.

Phil McDonald, Dan McPhail and Neil McFadden sold their three-quarter interest in the Bannockburn group, consisting of seven claims, Silver Bottom, Silver Reef, Buckere, Evergreen, Iron Mask, Fossil, Bannockburn, to O. T. Stone. Colonel Stone resold his interest to E. H. Tomlinson, J. M. Schwartz and others.

rs, the following is the amount of ore the different mines that has been ted over the K. & S. Ry. from Feb. of the 27th.

Mine.	February 27	Pounds.
Reco	. Aurora	40,000
Last Chance.	Aurora	120,000
Payne	Omnan	205,000
Rambler	Aurora	30,000
Last Chance.	.San. Francisco	80,000
Jackson	Kaslo	60,000
Whitewater	Kaslo	128,000

Big Shipping Mines.

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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. If the rapid development of the last two months continues until the railway reaches here, the big railway company will be forced to hustle in order to handle all the ore that will be offered. Negatiations are in progress for the erection of several smelters in the Boundary Creek valley. The C. P. K. smelter at Cascade is under way, and the Granby Mining & Smelting Company will soon begin work. Men with plenty of money back of them are trying to purchase the water power at Boundary Falls with a view to utilizing the power, and building reduction works below. The construction of big smelters is a slow process at bog, however, and the railway will be forced to devise some means of proceding the orealize the oralize the ora will be forced to devise some means of andling the ore. It is difficult to realize the enormous possibilities of the district

the enormous possibilities of the district so far as a daily output is concerned. In this connection, H. S. Wallace, ex-mayor of Rossland, tells a good story: Mr. John, the superintendent of the Mother Lode, is most enthusiastic con-cerning this famous property. He takes keen delight in astonishing visitors by Mother Lode, is most enthusiastic concerning this famous property. He takes keen delight in astonishing visitors by pointing out the large ore hody and in witnessing their surprise at the manner in which the property is being developed. Mr. Johns is well known in Rossthina. "You can tell Nick Traghey of the Le Roi." he stated to Mr. Wallace: "and the superintendent of the Gentre Star that in less than a year the Mother Lode can ship more ore than the three combined. If they don't believe me, let them come over and see for themselves. If they are not then convinced I will pay their expenses."

One cannot inspect the workings at the Mother Lode without being convinced that Mr. Johns's enthusiasm is fully justified.

fully justified.

The seventeen miners at the B. C. are making a good weekly showing. The work at the 200-foot level is in some very rich ore. Still better progress will be made when the 40-horse-power holler recently purchased is in-

power honer recently purchased is installed.

Mr. W. L. Hogg, of Montreal, is daily expected in the city. He is the owner of the Sunset mine in Deadwood camp, where a force of men are at work.

The owners of the King Solomon mine in Copper camp are not anxious that anything should be made public regarding their property. It is understood, however, that the outlook is very favorable and that the property is being rapidly developed to that point where a steady output of rich copper can be meintained.

work on the Old Ironside and

The work on the Old Ironside and Knob Hill, Stemwinder and Brooklyn, and the Winnipeg and Golden Crown is being vigorously prosecuted.

Now that the Provincial government has voted a substantial appropriation for the construction of the West Fork road, and the C. P. R. is surveying a route for a railway, more attention is being directed to the mining interests in this promising district. During the next few months claim holders will gothere to continue development work and many prospectors have signified. a that besilte Roundary Creek Th

At the B. C.

that he could not speak of the progress of work at the mine as he had been in Rossland for some time and could not tell 'just what had been done in his absence.

He informed us, however, that a new hoist and boiler was now on the road from Bossburg and would be, in place at the mine shortly if the roads continued passible. The machinery now at the mine was entirely inadequate for its operation at depth, it only being possible to operate with the power now available.

The Birmingham Post learns that Lord Salisbury will shortly go to Paris in order personally to settle the pending Anglo-French questions with President Loubet and Foreign Minister Delciasse. The decadence of the prohibition party was shown in the city elections at Portland, only 167 were cast for the prohibitionist candidate. This being less than 1 per cent, the prohibitionists will not be entitled to representation on the official ballot in the next election.

the men 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.

This plant includes a thirty-drill compressor and a hoist and boilers of sufficient capacity to operate the mine to a depth of at least 1,000 feet. The present shaft is so small that it has been found necessary to open up the proposed three

shaft is so small that it has been found necessary to open up the proposed three compartment shaft as the mine's chief working, and has been decided that the upraise from the drift will be commenced at once and completed without moving the present small plant. Eighteen men are now employed on the projecty, and as room is made for them the force will be increased.—Grand Forks Miner.

Kamloops Camp.

Another mining deal has just been put through, which goes to prove flat Kam-loops camp is rapidly coming into prom-inence with Eastern and British capital. An English syndicate has just completed the purchase of four claims situated one mile east of R. H. Lyons's ranch, named the Le Roi, Ls Reine Anacouda and mile east of K. H. Lyons's ranch, named the Le Roi, La Reine, Anaconda and War Eagle, for the sum of \$10,000 cash. The claims are owned by Mossers. Pegram, Lyons and Yuengling. The proposition is a copper-gold one, and was reported on h# Mr. W. T. Newman; the company being exceedingly well pleased with his report.

FARMERS INSTITUTES.

Details of New Districts and Suggested Meeting Dates.

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Kamlooss now includes all that portion of North Yale lying to the northward and westward of a line alrawn from the southeast cereer of township 19, range 2, to the south of Chasses creek; thence of a line northward to the northern boundary of North Yale.

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Monday, 15th May, Salt Spring Island.
Tuesday, 16th May, Nanaimo.
Thursday, 18th May, Sandwich, and
nother point if desired.
Friday, 19th May, Parksville.
Saturday, 20th May, Alberni.
Tuesday, 23rd May, Cowichau or Cobdo, Hill.

Tuesday, 23rd May, Duncans, Friday, 26th May, Metchosin, Saturday, 27th May, Metchosin, Saturday, 27th May, Garaham

Tuesday, 30th May, Richmond (morn ing or afternoon). Tuesday, 30th May, Central Park

Wednesday, 31st May, Port Hammond

morning and afternoon). Wednesday, 31st May, Hancy (even-

ing)
Thursday, 1st June, Ladners,
Priday, 2nd June, Surrey Centre,
Saturday, 3rd June, Langley,
Monday, 5th June, Abbottsford,
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Mt. Lehman,
Wednesday, 7th June, Chilliwack,
Thursday, 8th June, another point,
Priday, 9th June, Agassiz,
Monday, 12th June, Kelowua,
Tuesday 13th June, Vernon or vi
ity.

Wednesday, 14th June, Armstrong Wednesday, 14th June, Enderby. on Arm. Saturday, 17th June, Kamloops

CATARRH AND HAY FEVER.

CULL MANLY VIGOR is a priceless boon to all who possess it. Time was when unhappy men were willing to



returned at their expense cost to the patient-if it is not the wonder-worker they claim.

Provincial News.

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

Chas. Keeley will move in a few days to his new quarters in the Klondyke Hotel, adjoining the present stand. Carpenters have been at work the past week making extensive alterations.

*J. N. Meore has bought out the Thompson Valley Meat Market Company's busi-

ness.

The Copper King intends shipping another carload of ore this week.

H. E. Hobbs, of Vancouver, and formerly foreman of the C. P. R. shops, Donald, is visiting Kamloops.

An enthusiastic meeting of the directors of the proposed new hotel was held on Monday night, when everything was accounted for the incompositive of a consequence of the proposed new hotel was held on Monday night, when everything was arranged for the incorporating of a company. The capital of the company is to be \$50,000, in shares of \$10 each. The site has not yet finally been decided on.

The death of Dr. Richard R. Sage, of Cemetery road, was recorded on Tues-day. The deceased was 35 years of age and a well-known members of St. Michael's Church, Mount Pleasant. The new Alhambra theatre opens on Erider vocaing.

Friday evening.
Mr. Oscar Boult and several other

Meeting Dates.

According to the amended act passed at the last session of the legislature, the following districts have been sub-divided: Victoria district now includes the electoral divisions of South and North Victoria, exclusive of Salt Spring Island, Mechosin is created a separate district and includes the electoral division of Esquimult.

Surrey and Langley are divided and each municipality is created a separate district.

Okanagan is sub-divided into three districts, called respectively Spallumcheen, okanagan and Osoyoos.

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their plans for a large hotel on the Fisher addition. The work of construc-tion will be commenced in a few days.

Mr. John Ross, an employee of the Horselly Mining Co., at Horselly, passed down the road with Mr. John Hagan. down the road with Mr. John Hagan, another cumployee, who is en route to Ashcroft for medical attention, he having recently had the misfortune to fall and break several ribs and otherwise sustain serious bodily injury.

Notices are up at various places along the Cariboo road calling for tenders for the erection of a school house near the 115 Mile House known as the Lae la Hache school.

Hache school.

Messrs, Fred Tingley and Wm. Parker are en route to Asheroft, making arrangements along the road for stopping places and stable room.

For the past four or five days it has been one flake upon another until the length and breadth of Cariboo has remained a manusally deep carpet of snow.

length and breadth of Cariboo has re-ceived an unusually deep carpet of snow. The outlook for the miner is therefore promising. In all likelihood the Cariboo Hydraulie Mining Company and other concerns to whom the water supply is of the first and last importance will have a most successful season. The ground be-neath the snow is frozen hard, so that the water in the spring will seek the usual channels in full force instead of in part finding its way into the soil.

The blast furnace at the Hall Mines smelter was blown out on Sunday. G. M. McDowell, who is trying to se-cure a site for the crection of sampling works at No

will succeed.

The second large transfer large of the At the B. C.

John M. Scrafford, superintendent of the B. C. mine in Summit camp, was in the city on Wednesday. In conversation with a reporter Mr. Scrafford said that he could not speak of the progress of work at the mine as he had been in Rossland for some time and could not tell just what had been done in his in order personally to settle the pending absence.

The Birmingham Post learns that Lord Salisbury will shortly go to Paris and order personally to settle the pending angular processions with President.

The fire department had a call on Saturday to a brick residence owned by L. Pozue on Victoria street. It is supposed that the fire originated in an attempt to thaw out a frozen water pipe. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

During the month of February the collections of the inland revenue department in Nelson, as made by F. W. Swannell, amounted to \$4,457.91. Of this amount \$3,633.35 was upon spirits: \$210 on malt:

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

will be assured of the perfect use of his knee and will be able to sit in a chair and personally receive the reports of the mine managers. For three days, however, the physicians have ordered him to be excluded from everyone and to take conting row.

John M. Finch, monager of the Silver Queen Mining Company, has bought the lot and building on the north side of Coumbia avenue between Lincoln and St. Paul streets, from Alexander Miller, who is the manager of the branch of the Merchents' Bank of Halifax at Grand Forks. The price paid was \$7,000 and it was a frontage of 30 feet on Columbia avenue and there is a three-story building upon it.

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

The funeral of the late Mrs. Knight The tuneral of the late Mys. Knight took place on Turesday morning. The Rev. J. P. Bowell and Rev. T. Scouler officiated. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present to pay a last respectful tribufe to the departed one.

day evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Major have returned at from a visit to San Francisco. Their trin, which occupied about three months, extended into Mexico and Southern Calicated into Mexico a

ed by the car, exonerating the motor-man and conductor from all blame.

left hand, by a slip of the axe he was using.

An addition has been built onto the rear of the building used as an office by the townsite company, and it will be fitted up as a dwelling honse.

The organization and first meeting of the local board of health took place in the city clerk's office last Tuesdry, the members of the board present being Mayor L. A. Manly, City-Physician R. B. Stanley Smith, and Police Magistrate Johnson. Mr. Johnston was appointed secretary of the board, and it was decided to ask that the city connects of lime, etc., to better the sanitary condition of the city.

Salt Phanm

Native Sons Meet to Frame a Constitu-

The Pioneer Hall, Broad street, was well filled last evening, when about 150 young men who were born and have been raised in the province met to organize a society similar to one established in California, which has done much to further the interests of the place generally.

The meeting was a very representative one and great enthusiasm was displayed.

The meeting was a very representative one and great enthusians was displayed. Mr. W. A. Ward, of Robert Ward & Co., presided, and Mr. R. J. Ker. of R. P. Rithet & Co., was elected secretary. At a previous meeting a committee had been formed for the purpose of drafting a constitution, and it was presented at last evening's meeting.

The report was received and adopted after a lengthy debate, and a committee was appointed to make all preparations for the election of officers, which will take place on Tuesday evening next.

The objects are for mutual benefit and help, and though a severe lodge in some respects the constitution does not debar any denomination from entering, providing they are native born British Columbians.

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Nearly all those who were present last

officers.

HOW RESIN IS COLLECTED. In the days of the poet Ausonins the

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An effort is being made to induce the city conneil to require the closing of all bortels and saloons in the city from 12 celeek Saturday night until 6 clock on the following Monday.

Judging by the arrivals at the hotels, travel to and fro from Nelson continues good, the arrivals averaging over sixy a day.

ROSSLAND.

Louis Bonus, who last week had a rib fractured on the left, side by being singet with the bar of a machine drill, is rapidly recovering. He is at the Sisters hopital under the care of Dr. Conthard.

Drs. McKetzle and Scalox, who are m charse of W. A. Carlyle, are very hope with the supportation takes place, Mr. Carlyle with have been but lichly wounded. The work of a much time have given renewed stimulus to the fresh forests planted since their time have given renewed stimulus to what might have proposed since the law to give have been early given the days of the Gauls.

At any time the Residue the arrival time the forests, perhed agon his long pole, fitted with its little steps, that seems at first to be leading against noth ing. He rosts it party upon one knee, party on the pine in which the scar is to be made, some thirty inches long by four in width. At the bottom the resin is caught in a little earthen pot, which takes about three weeks to become full. It is then emptical into buckets, and the brockets into vata, the contesting in the proposed state of the improvident waste at pr

THE EVENING NEWSPAPER.

Of all newspaper work that involved in the conduct of an afternoon newspaper is the most trying and probably the lenst appreciated. The afternoon newspaper is the product of latter-day journalism. Nothing in the history of the business is comparable to the rise of the afternoon newspapers. It has not been many years since there were only two or three of them in the United States that had any considerable circulation or indulged in anything that could be called newspaper enterprise. Now there are hundreds of afternoon newspapers which give so complete a record of the current events of the day on which they are published that

plote a record of the current events of the day on which they are published that they leave very little for the morning paper which comes out next day.

The reader who has had the one in his office or by his fireside the evening before and peruses the latter the next morning is more and more surprised every day at the lack of novelty in his morning newsment sumply. He feels morning newspaper supply. He feels more and more like a man who is compelled to breakfast on a sucked orange. He may be heard at home, on the street cars, in his shop and wherever he may be to remark that he "read that yester-day evening."

The jury which inquired into the leath of Eva Douglas, killed by a tramear on Monday evening, returned a verdict that the child was accidentally killed by the car, exonerating the motorman and conductor from all blame.

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.

Little Gus Anderson, while splitting kinding last Monday evening, had the misfortune to cut off two fingers from his left hand, by a slip of the axe he was practically from sun to sun for its creat
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Salt Rheum

AND ITS PAINFUL SYMPTOMS Dr. Chase's

Ointment.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Lirseed and Tur-pentine has the largest sale of any prepar-ation for the cure of bronchit's, asthma, coughs, colds and la grippe; 25 cents a large bottle.



I was cured of terrible Lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT. REV. WM. BROWN.

I was cured of a bad case of ea ache by WINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. KAULBACK.

I was cured of sensitive lungs by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. MASTERS.



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Offers free courses in art to those desiring same. The course includes chaving and painting from still life, models and for magnaise work. These courses are absolutely free, and application for admission may be made at any time.

The Canadian Boyal Art Union, Linsited, was founded for the pugpose of encouraging art, and distributes works of art at each of its mosthly drawings, which are held on the last day of each month.

For further particulars apply to

The Canadian Royal Art Union, Limited Montreal, P. O.

Next Drawing; Thursday, March 30.



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

PRIVATE RESIDENCES can all be appropriately decorated with Pedlar's Steel Ceiling, not a substitute but superior to lath and plaster, will not crack and fall off, absolutely fire-proof, handsome in appearance. Estimates furnished on receipt of observed.

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SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Transportation" will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Wednesday, the 5th April, for the transportation from Victoria, B.C., to Dawson, Yukon Terri-tory, via St. Michael of (approximately) von hundred and fifty rons of Canadian Government stores, to leave Victoria not inter-than the 3rd June, and to be defluer-ed at Dawson not later than 1st August next.

Tenders to state the rate per toz, (a) by weight, (b) by measurement, (c) by weight or measurement, ship's option.

Tenders to give the names of the beats from Victoria to St. Michael, and also from St. Michael and also from St. Michael and also from St. Michael to Liausportation will be performed.

Separate tenders will be received at the same time for the transportation, in broken quantities, during the season of 1889, of tapproximately) two hundred tens of strees from Vancauver, R.C. to the Mounted Pulice Post at Tagish, Yukon Territory.

Tenders to quote the rate per ton from other charges (cus igway or elsewhere, measurement, (c) by at, ship's option.

accepted.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian Bank cheque or draft for an amount equal to five per cent, of the Iolial value of the transportation tendered for, which will be forfeited if the tendered ecclines to enter duto a contract when called upon to do so, or if he falls to complete the service contracted for.

If the tender-is not accepted the cheque or draft will be returned.

Ottawa, 16th February, 1890. TENDERS

Tenders, sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Monday, March 13th, at 4 p.m., for

17 Policemen's Suits at \$20 cach. 1 Chief's Suit at \$25. 2 Sergeants' Suits at \$25 each, and 20 pairs of Sewed Boots.

All to be made in accordance with spec firstens, which can be seen at the offic of the undersigned.

WM. W. NORTHOOTT.

Purchasing Agent for the Corporation. City Hall, Victoria, February 28, 1899.

To Contractors.

Tenders sealed, endorsed and addre Tenders scaled, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned will be received up to 4 p.m. on Monday, the 13th day of March for the erection of a brick Fire Hall on the corner of Yates and Camesan streets for the detry-action of the Sity of Neirosia. The party receiving the centract will be required to enter into a bond with the said Corporation for the aum of one thousand dollars as security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHOOTT.

Building Insigetor.

City Hall, Victoria, R.C.: February 28, 1859.

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JOHN MESTON

Carriage Maker, Blacksmith,

BROAD ST., BETWEEN PANDORA ***************

******* ATLIN MINES.

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

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Charles Hayward,



Funeral Director and Embalmer Government street, Victoria.

ANDREW SHERET.

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Applications for Position of City Engineer. Applications for the position of City and Water Works Engineer, for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, will be received at the office of the undersigned until the 13th day of March negt, at 1 p.m., appli-

the unsuccessful applicatis.

For this purpose each applicant will state the address to which, in the event of his application not being accepted, he desires his testimonials to be sent.

The Corporation reserves to itself the right to reject any or all applications.

The salary attached to the position will be \$208.33 1-3 per month.

By order.

By order, ... WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., 14th

Victoria Waterworks

Notice is hereby given that letting water run to waste wi cuted under authority of Sec. Corperation of Victoria Water 1873." JAS. L. RAYMUR, ... Water Commissioner,

ty Hall, Feb. 7, 18

Applications from a male teacher, holding a First Class B. C. Certificate, will be received by the undersigned up to the 20th March, 1839, for a position on the Victoria City teaching staff.

By order,

B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary of School Trustees, Victoria City
School District.

Male Teacher Wanted.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Drake, dated the 15th day of December, 1888. Jane 1997, 1998. Jane of the distribution of the dis

NOTICE.

To the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victorian BCC; dentlement I beg to apply 16 your honorable board for a transfer of the licenseheld by me to sell spiritness or fermented liquors by retail at the premises known as the Commercial Hotel, situated on the morthesst corner of Cormorant and Donglas sixets, in the city, to William Fleth.

Victoria, Feb. 14, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that at the next smilling of the Board of Licensing Consistences for the City of Victoria, B.C., I intend to apply for a transfer of the fivense held by me to sell spirituous and formented liquors on the premises known as the present the Constant of the constant

paid for if satisfactory, or the company about it. Full information sent sealed.



BAKING
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Absolutely Pure

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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. Letters from Philadelphia give a description of the triplet of new give and the triplet of new give and t ton. There is a demand for the frozen ment in California, and the new steamers will meet this demand by carrying New Zealand mutton to. San Francisco. Besides the frozen ment cargo the steamers will carry 2.500 tons of general cargo and 2.000 tons of coal in their bunkers. They will be built to comply with the navy regulations and when in service, like the Empresses, can be turned into auxiliary cruisers inside of thirty-six hours.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries, returned last evening from Netson. Where he has been conducting an investigation into the causes which led to the wreck of the steamer Ainsworth on Kootenny lake last winter. As will be remembered, the steamer was caught in a sudden squall and was swamped and sank with awful suddenness. Nine persons lost their lives in the disaster; six of the grew the mate, steward, cook. and sank with awful suddenness. Nine persons lost their lives in the disaster; six of the crew, the mate, steward, cook, two firemen, and one deck hand and three passengers. The evidence of Captain Lean, the second mate, two deck hands, two passengers, the builder and three who at one time or other were owners of the lost vessel, was taken by Capt. Gandin, and is now being typeowners of the lost vessel, was taken by Capt. Gandin, and is now being type-written for submissal to Ottawa. There was nothing in the evidence to throw any more light on the disaster. The steamer, It was shown, was swamped, and falling on her side, filled and sank. One thing was proven, however, and this was that had there not been so great a hurry to leave the lost river steamer, without

Are You Ever Depressed?



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

The Transportations 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. This has been brought about by the efforts of the San Francisco shipping combine to coast, exceptions, charge to the San Francisco shipping combine to coast, exceptions, charge to combine the same properties.

efforts of the San Francisco shipping combine to exact exorbitant charter rates from the government. The British vessels are to be given the freight if they put in the lowest bid. They will be allowed to keep their own flag and no change of masters or crew will be de-manded. A despatch from Washington says that Col. Bird, chief of transporta-tion, in an interview said the govern-

Steamer Oscar arrived last evening from the Praser with a cargo of produce and this morning left for Vancouver to take a cargo of coal from the Crow's Nest Pass to Esquinant for the navy. The coal is said to be smokeless. It will be tested by the navy officers.

If was eleven o clock that night before

says: "Fire was disc

Steamer Mowera will safe this everying for Honolufu, Suva, Welliagton and Sydney. She will have a heavy cargo of general freight. About 25,000 barrels, of lime from Roche Harbor for Honolulu will be taken aboard here, together with a small quantity of general freight. The following are ticketed to sail from here: Rev. Canon Beanlands, who goes to the Paradise of the Pacific to recuperate, and A. B. Nesbitt and Peter Tray, of this city; M. Chamberlain and C. L. Green, of Seattle, and W. T. Fleming, of Portland. All are bound to Honolulu.

In an interview published in a Vic-toria paper the interviewee is quoted as saying "there were many ships in Hong-kong when he left." This is an aston-ishing fact when it is remembered that Hengkong 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

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

Steamer Rosaiie will sail from Scattle to-morrow for Alaskan ports. She will not call here.

Ship Orion was towed to Chemainuthis morning by the tug Bilot.

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. The Attorheard by the Full Court this morning.

and judgment was reserved. The Attorner-General appeared for the plaintiff, the appellant, and A. S. Potts for Jones. In September Jones went to Kootenay to act as court stenographer during the sittings of the court up there. His instructions were contained in a letter from the Attorney-General's department, in which it was stated that his remuneration should be settled on his return, and when he came back he relied on an old order-in-council passed in 1891 and claimed \$10 for the first day's work and \$8 a day thereafter. The department would not pay him this and he refuses to rive the parties in the action a copy of the evidence, although they offer to pay him the usual rate per folio for copy. He claims a lien on his notes and will not transcribe them until the government pays him what he claims. Mr. Justice of the evidence, although they offer to pay him the usual rate per folio for copy. He claims a lien on his notes and will not transcribe them until the government pays him what he claims. Mr. Justice of the evidence, although they offer to pay him the usual rate per folio for copy. He claims a lien on his notes and will not transcribe them until the government pays him what he claims. Mr. Justice of the count of the claims a lien on his notes and will not properly appointed by an order-in-council an official stenographer. The Attorney-General contended that Jones was now estopped from contending he was not properly appointed because he had acted as a court stenographer and could not move heard to deny that he was. He also argued that it was a contempt of court. A. S. Potts for Jones claimed his client had a lien on his notes until paid for his services, and he only claimed a fair remuneration and such was fixed by the order-in-council in 1891. Justice of 1890 came into force and Mr. See Cleaver, former pastor of the also argued that it was a contempt of the parties of the partie The old rumor that the Canadian Pa-cific Navigation Company would shortly place a good sized steamer on the up-coast route from Vancouver, was re-vived in local shipping circles this morn-ing, says the Province. The company

Bank of Montreal v. Williamson was the next case taken up. The notice of appeal was given the same day the statutes of 1899 came into force and Mr. Wilson for the bank took several pre-liminary objections to the appeal. The notice was given for the court sitting at Victoria and because the writ was is sued in the Vancouver registry he claimed the appeal should have been set down for Vancouver. The covert ruled against him on this objection and he then claimed that the appeal from the interlocatory order is out of time under the amended Subreme Court Act, but was in time under the old act. The question is being argued at the time of going to press.

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

Lethbridge, N.W.T., March 9.—An interesting case was concluded here to day. David Pelkier, 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 Ansconda Copper Mining Co.

The object of the arrest was to extradition commissioner, Mr. Germly appearing for the state of Montana, together with Mr. Conybeere, Q.C., of Lethbridge. Mr. Harris, of Macleod, dofended of the prisoner.

The commissioner gave a fengthy summary of the case and finally discharged Lethbridge, N.W.T., March 9.-An in-

The commissioner gave a, length of the commissioner chiefly upon the following grounds: The prosecution failed to show that the charge was laid by the state of Montana, no delicto was proved, and there was a lack of important evidence to show his guilt; the most damaging evidence having been given by a woman of no acknowledged religion and not corroborated.

CONSUL, WHO WORKS,

says: "Fire was discovered in the engine room of the steam-freighter Selkirk about 5:30 o'clock last evening. With the assistance of the fire brigade another steamer Joan the fire was extinguished with little loss to the cargo. The loss to the boat will amount to about five hundred dollars. No insurance." The Selkirk is a late addition to the fleet of steam-freighters which make this port their headquarters. She was built for her present owner, Capt. Wan. Grant, about a yeer ago, and is commanded by Captain A. Bissett. Of late she has been carrying freight between Vancouver and Nanaimo. Corpus Christi, Tex., March 9.—Dr. J. Diaz Prieto, Mexican consul at this place, has just been granted the sole right to reclaim 33 million acres of government land in the districts of Montezuma, Sahuancipa and Arispe, Sonoro Mexico, comprising some of the goldlands of the Yaqui country. The agricultural tracts of this vast grant are to be colonized by Spanish ex-soldiers from Porto Rice and Cuba. A conservative estimate places the value of the grant at about 40,000,000. The grant was made by the Mexican government to Dr. Prieto fog bringing foreign capital into Mexico. Capt. Campbell, who left here on the sealing schooner Umbrina, is back, he having left the Umbrina at Ahousett in consequence of a disagreement with her owner, who is sailing on her. He has now taken command of the schooner City of San Diego, which he cleared to-day. "The City" will sail to-morrow. Capt. Campbell said the schooners all got their Indians without trouble this season. Tug Lorne arrived from Port Angeles last evening and this morning she towed the bark Hommion, which, since her arrival from the Hawaiian Islands on Saturday last has been in the Roads, to Port Townsend. The ship Dominion, which left the islands thirty days previous to the bark is now many days overdue and underwriters are getting anxious.

A VILLAGE WIPED OUT.

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

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Fight-roomed house, with bath and pantry, Discovery street 3.00
Ten-roomed house and two lots, choice site, Nob Hill
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James Dunsmuir, M.P.P., and Mrs. Dunsmuir returned on the Kingston from the Sound last night.

John Nelson, Cobble Hill: Chas. Raley, Cowichan Lake, and Wm. Rivers, of Shawnigan Lake, are at the Occidental. cause the writ was isconver registry he claimould have been set down
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Captain Gáudin, Rev. W. Leslie Clay and A. E. McPhillips were among the re-turning Victorians on last night's Charm-

c. H. Amerine, J. Kehoe, W. A. Ward and Peter Brown, of Seattle are here out-fitting for the north. They are staying at the Dominion.

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THE RING.

New York, March 8.—Gus Ruhlin, of Ak-ron, O., met and defeated Joe Goddard, of Australia, in the fifth round of what was to have been a 20-round bout before men stripped in excellent condition, but Rubilin had the call in the betting. This was certainly justified from his appear-ance, and from the outset he held his

was a 2 to 1 favorite in the betting 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 to-morrow night. Several of the

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THE OAR.

Argonauts For Henley.

The Toronto World says: Everything points to a most successful trip of the Arbonaut eight to Henley in June. Almost half of the \$3,400 required has been subscribed, and the total will surely be reade as before the oarsmen complete the as soon as the lee leaves that ever pulled on the Thanus return with the championship. The crew will be seen to be one of the heavest that ever pulled on the Thanus return with the championship when trained to rowing form the eight will average a little over 167 lbs. per man, the weight, being as follows:

Lox. R. K. Baker.

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Per steamer Charmer from Vancouver—A E McPhillips, R Collister, J McJay, Capt Martin, R A Jackson, R Cox, Jus Robertson, R J Weldon, G Purcell, Rev C M Kennedy, Jas Freel, Rev Lesle Clay, Capt Gaudin, Miss Lipman, Thos Davies, Inc.

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Chicago, Ill., March 8.—The manufacturers of brooms and brokers 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 out-put last week at Minneapolis, Superior, Duluth and Milwaukee as 253,885 bar-

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McPHEE-On the 8th inst., at the residence of his daughter, North Saanic Alexander McPhee, aged St, a native Argyleshire, Scotland.

A FATHER'S GRIEF. Committed Suicide Because His Daugh-

New York, March 9.—Raiph Seither killed himself in his room in Newark to day because his 14-year-old daughter had been arrested for steeling \$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 allow of the father said to 52,5750.