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Prices Reduced on Cool Shirt Waists

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The buying of our Shirt Waists this summer was done with the intention and determination to have not only the largest but also the finest and most varied stock, and to sell them at prices that would at once stop all argument as to which was the proper store to look to for shirt waists. The season has been a very successful one, and we can now afford to let what is left of them go at greatly reduced prices.

Nice Cool Blouses with Detachable Collars From 50c.

The Hutcheson Co., Ltd.
THE WESTSIDE. July 20th, 1899.

TO LET Hotel Brunswick,

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Furnished or unfurnished
96 rooms, exclusive of dining room, office, etc.
B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY,
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25c a Quart Bottle.
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OUR ICE CREAM IS DELICIOUS

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A 7 roomed house, nearly new and modern; electric light, baths, lavatory, etc.; good stable carriage house and lodge; grounds 120x220 feet, fronting two streets. **SUPERB SITE**, will sell very reasonable, or would take a cheaper house and lot in part payment. I have also several good boys in small houses and cottages. I will pay you to investigate my sale list before purchasing. Insure your property in the reliable "STIN FIRK" COMPANY.
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Fuel Gas, \$1.25 per M. cubic feet.
Stoves can be seen at the Gas Works, Lower Government street, and at L. J. BROWN, 66 Post Office Building, Government street.

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ANY FLAVOR 5c
HALL & CO. Dispensing Chemists,
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Ice Cream Soda, etc.

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First-class repair work.

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Sale of Boots and Shoes still going on at
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And London Tradesmen Have Reaped a Rich Harvest During the Season.

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The Queen at a Garden Party—Movements of the Prince of Wales.

JUST ARRIVED FROM THE PERTSHIRE HILLS

A large shipment of
Dewar's Scotch Whisky
"EH, MON, IT'S GRAND."
Hudson's Bay Co.
Sole Agents for British Columbia.

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WANTED—Old copper, brass, zinc, lead, scrap iron, rope, canvas and sacks; highest prices given. Apply Victoria Jute Agency, 312 Store street, B. C. Antagon, Agent. 2,000 potato sacks and 1,500 coal oil cans for sale.

KEEP OUT THE FLIES—Cheap screen doors, sash, and meat safes, at Moore & Wittington's, Carpenters, 106 Douglas street.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow. Apply to Hedding, Grocery Store, Victoria West.

FOR SALE—Just the place for a house, lovely lots with fruit trees all ready. Call at any time. Wm. Anderson, Stanley avenue.

WELL FURNISHED ROOMS, single or en suite; modern conveniences; good dining rooms. Sample rooms for commercial use. M. Wall, The Vernon, 69 Douglas street.

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LUMP COAL—NUT COAL, SACK COAL, BLACK COAL. Telephone 694. Munro, Holland & Co., Trowbridge and Broad streets.

COAL, \$5.00 PER TON—New Wellington Collieries. Kingham & Co., agents; office, 44 Fort street; telephone call 937.

UNION BREWERY DEPOT, 150 Government street, down stairs.

KODAKS from \$3.00 to \$37.50; also plates and supplies; new stock, at John Barnesley & Co., 119 Government street.

EXCURSION TO SEATTLE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

PER

SS. CITY OF NANAIMO

Notice to Contractors.

COURT HOUSE, ROSSLAND, B.C.

Sealed tenders, properly indorsed, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., up to 12 noon of Monday, the 1st August next, for the erection and completion of a Court House at Rossland, B. C.

Drawings, specifications, and conditions of tendering and contract may be seen at the Provincial Government Offices at Victoria, Vancouver, Rossland, and Nelson, B. C., on and after the 27th instant.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, in full of the amount of the tender, as security for the due fulfilment of the contract, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for, or if he returns to the tenderer the tenderer will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, and signed with the actual signature of the tenderer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Secretary, Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 21st July, 1899.

HASTIE'S FAIR

FOR Tin and Enamelware.

77 GOVERNMENT STREET.

THE CELEBRATED
Dodge Felt Shoes
FOR KLONDIKE.

J. L. BECKWITH
Sole Agent for B. C.,
40 JOHNSON STREET.

Notice to Stonecutters.

Sealed tenders, accompanied by plans and specifications, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, B. C., up to 12 noon of Thursday, 27th inst., for supplying and fixing about ninety feet of granite coping or curb, to be set around the fountain at the Government Grounds, James Bay.

W. S. GORE,
Secretary, Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 20th July, 1899.

OGAL AND WOOD—Baker & Colston, what and office, Belleville street, James Bay, telephone 407; city office, Sarnerton & Oddy's, telephone 401.

which is fastened to the dress like a brooch.
The enthusiasm which marked the inaugural meeting of the International Kennel Club on Wednesday at Stafford House, St. James, S. W., which the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland loaned for the occasion, promises well for the future of the club. The objects of the club are to form a powerful combination of representative owners from all parts of the world, to effect improvement in national breeds, and to raise the tone of dog shows. Lord Linnos, the president, and many well known ladies who are dog fanciers were present.

The Prince of Wales has promised the club his patronage. Among the national presidents appointed were the following: The Duke of Marlboro', Mr. James Gordon Bennett, United States; Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, Canada; and the Earl of Dunraven, Wales.
Extraordinary disclosures were made this week in the course of an action for debt, tried at Brackley, which are interesting to Americans, as they concern church affairs at Sougrave; a Northamptonshire village which is visited annually by scores of Americans on account of the local memorial of the Washington family. The parish clerk said the church wardens for thirty shillings, two months salary. The debt was not disputed, but poverty of the church was pleaded as the reason for the non-payment of even this pittance. The judge announced strongly upon the

Vicar's Disgraceful Conduct, adding there must be many wealthy Americans who would gladly subscribe £100 to perpetuate the memory of Washington if they knew the parish was so poor.
The heat throughout the week, both in England and the continent, has been unprecedented. While the mercury has not approached American records, Americans who have arrived recently say it is hotter here than at home. The clearest evidence of the heat, however, and one which most impresses Englishmen, is the fact that in certain courts, judges informed lawyers that they could dispense with the wearing of wigs, a judicial permission which was gratefully accepted.
In spite of the heat the Queen on Thursday drove twelve miles to a garden party and bazaar, which the Duchess of Connaught had organized for the restoration of a church.

The Queen visited all the stalls and made numerous purchases at the American stalls. Her Majesty also tasted real American sherry cobbler, through a straw. Jaggers, the messenger boy who was on duty at one of the stalls, was presented to the Queen, who questioned him about his American trip.
The approaching marriage of the Crown Prince Danilo of Montenegro and Princess Jutje of Mecklenburg-Strelitz will be celebrated with splendor unprecedented in Montenegro. The bride will arrive at Antivari on Sunday and her formal conversion to the Greek orthodox faith will take place a few hours later in a private house socially consecrated for the purpose. There is only a bride path from Antivari to Cetinje, and the Princess will therefore perform the journey on horseback. She will be accompanied by her future brother-in-law, the Prince of Naples, whose wife is Princess Helena of Montenegro. The prospective bride and suite will enter Cetinje on Wednesday next. The wedding takes place the following day. Great festivities are being prepared in honor of the event.

SEIZURE OF FISHING BOATS.

Six Canadian Fishermen Arrested by United States Authorities—They Unintentionally Trespass on American Waters.

(Special to the Times.)
Vancouver, July 22.—Six Canadian fishermen lost their bearings off Point Roberts in the dark early on Tuesday morning, and drifted into American waters. An American cutter in charge of a United States deputy by the name of a fish-cutter from Washington state ran afoul of the boats with all their nets spread. The men were arrested and their boats and tackle confiscated and taken to Blaine. July 26 was set for the sale of the confiscated property.
The fishermen complain that there is a line no light to demarcate the boundary line they could not tell where they were, and that they poached on American waters unintentionally.
As soon as the news was conveyed to Vancouver the wires to Ottawa were sent humming with messages for the purpose of laying the facts before the officials at Washington, D. C., to prevent, if possible, the loss of the men's boats and tackle.
Mr. George R. Maxwell, M. P., sent the following message to Sir L. H. Davies, Minister for Fisheries: "Six fishing boats seized by an American cutter for fishing south of imaginary boundary line at Point Roberts, held in Blaine. Sale threatened. Fishermen state there is no light or beacon to guide them and that they trespassed unintentionally. Earnestly recommended that a light be placed above the houses also that you will correspond with Washington to prevent the ruin of the men, owing the boats, through confiscation."

AN ITALIAN CONSPIRACY.

Tallah, July 22.—The grand jury, which investigated the lynching of five Italians, reported last night as follows: "It is evident from the facts brought to our knowledge that the men who were lynched had formed a conspiracy to assassinate Dr. Hodges, and the mob, learning the facts, took the law into their own hands. After diligent inquiry, we have not been able to learn the names or identity of any of the men composing the mob."

Tupper in an Angry Mood

He Would Like Americans Prohibited From Mining in the Yukon.

And Wants a Railway Built From Kitamat to Dawson City.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the Settlement of Alaskan Boundary Dispute.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, July 22.—At today's morning session of the House Sir Charles Tupper spoke strongly against the United States in regard to its action in connection with the settlement of the Alaskan boundary. He said that if Britain had exercised the same kind of negotiations with France as she is now doing on this question with the United States, she would have lost the Nile. He asked the government to proceed at once with the building of a railway from Kitamat Harbor, in British Columbia, to Dawson City, and to provide that only British subjects could do mining in the Yukon. Power to do this, he said, should be given before prorogation.
Premier Laurier, in reply, said there were only two ways to settle the boundary question, and that was by arbitration or war. No one thought of war, and the only way left was arbitration. He said that the defeat of the Yukon-Stikine railway bill two years ago was a crime. He would ask if it would be wise at this moment when the matter was under negotiation to take such action in regard to the building of a railway to the Yukon and shutting out American miners from the Klondike as would provoke retaliation. He would, however, say that he would take Sir Charles Tupper's proposition into consideration.

NORTHERN HARDSHIPS.

Nine Men of a Party of Fourteen Perish on the Was to Dawson—Success Rewards the Survivors.

(Associated Press.)
Seattle, July 22.—From passengers on the steamer Brunswick, which has just arrived here from Alaska, it is learned that a passenger is on his way from Kotzebue Sound to Washington, in behalf of one thousand miners said to be stranded in the Kotzebue district. He will ask the government to send revenue cutters to Kotzebue, and he is provided with proof that unless government help is given many lives will be lost.
Twelve hundred people went into the Kotzebue country well outfitted for the search for gold. Two hundred succeeded in getting over the snow last winter, but many died en route. There are now nearly one thousand people on the shore of "Bupe. No merchant vessels will run to that district this year, and the whalers which call will not take passengers.

BURIED A FILIPINO.

(Associated Press.)
San Francisco, Cal., July 22.—The Chronicle says: "A casket supposed to contain the remains of Private Francis Decker, Company L, First California Volunteers, was lowered in May last into a grave in the Deckerman plot in the Old Fellows' cemetery. On the eleventh of the present month, on suspicion that a mistake had been made, the casket was disinterred at the request of the boy's father, and the suspicion verified. Decomposition had set in to such an extent that identification was impossible, but it was plain to the bereaved father that a dead Filipino had been given the resting place intended for his son."

HAWAII'S FAMOUS VOLCANO.

Manua Loa Supposed to Have Been Destroyed by an Explosion of Sea of Lava.

San Francisco, July 22.—The officers of the steamer Australia, which arrived yesterday from Honolulu, say it would not surprise them to hear that there had been a fearful explosion of the great volcano and that the mountain was destroyed. After leaving Honolulu the ship ran into a remarkable cross sea, which the crew thought was caused by a submarine disturbance of unusual force. A bluish vapor hung over the water for days and a heavy cloud, shaped like an umbrella, came from the direction of the volcano. When talking about the eruption of the volcano, Chief Officer Lawson said: "The afternoon that we left Honolulu the evening papers contained the news that the lava flow was within ten miles of Hilo and traveling steadily. The island steamers were crowded with passengers. Some of the people were going to view the eruptions and others were going to see how their families and relatives were faring. In my opinion the whole crest has been blown off, and if the waters of the sea have found their way into the crater, then the whole island has been shattered. In no other way can I account for the peculiar experience after leaving Honolulu."

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Fast colors, 100 dozen.

Maro. Socks.

10c. per pair. Just to hand.

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Guaranteed Absolutely Pure Paint. \$1.50 PER GALLON. Guaranteed Imperial Measure.

J. W. MELLOR, 76-78 FORT ST. Screen Doors from \$1.25 up

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Smith's Machine Roller Bread. Try it. For sale by all grocers, or leave orders for wagon to call.

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M. R. SMITH & CO.

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co. Limited. Supply from the Nanaimo, Southfield and Protection Island Collieries. Steam Coal. House Coal.

The Daily Times. Published every day (except Sunday) by the Times Printing & Publishing Co. W. Templeman, Manager.

Subscription prices: Daily, one month by carrier, 75 cents; Daily, one month by mail, 70 cents; Weekly, one month by mail, 1.50.

MASSACRE OF THE GAME. From a trustworthy source we learn that other game besides deer are being wantonly slaughtered in the close season.

Section 13 further makes it clear that the intention of the act is to protect the game effectually; it runs: "No person shall buy or sell, or have in his or her possession, any of the said animals or birds, or any part or portion of any such birds or animals, during the period in which they are so protected."

Another outrage that is being committed, and that ought to be put down with a strong hand before it is too late to interfere, is the killing of blue grouse cocks by so-called sportsmen during the spring and summer. This is a very serious matter, owing to the fact that the blue grouse do not pair, one cock taking charge of a number of hens.

Under the present absurd non-protective act it is often the case that those sportsmanlike runners shoot the hens, too, during the close season, and this accounts for the large numbers of the young of the blue grouse found dying of starvation or actually starved to death.

possible had been done to avert such danger. It may comfort the alarmed but gallant Colonel to learn that the people of British Columbia have at the quarantine station one of the most efficient officers in the Dominion, and that the guardianship of the public health of British Columbia, so far as the entrance of diseases from foreign countries is concerned, could not be in better hands.

Through our Vancouver correspondent we learn that the report published in the Colonist this morning, saying there was a meeting of the ward committees in Vancouver last night at which Mr. Oulton was denounced and a citizens' ticket was formed, is flatly denied by Mr. A. M. Tyson, who declares no such meeting was held. Hence that report in the Colonist is a deliberate falsehood.

Some scientific man writing in the British Medical Journal tells of a way of keeping mosquitoes alive for a long time. It is by feeding them on sherry and sugar. What most people want to know is how to kill mosquitoes in a manner so wholesale that presently there shall be no mosquitoes.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS. To the Editor: I should like to make known through the columns of your valuable paper the cruelty that horses are put to in our city.

DOMINION DAY IN LONDON. A Successful Celebration: The High Commissioner's (Home-Bi) Day Day - Same Later: His Speeches.

THE CHURCHES. Calvary Baptist Church, Herald street. The usual services will be held throughout the day, Rev. J. F. Vignier, M. A., preaches at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

HONEST ADVICE FREE TO MEN. The Times is requested to publish the following: All men who are nervous and debilitated or who are suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from overwork, excess or youthful errors, for which the most wasteful advertising to cure these conditions cannot be relied upon.

Colonel Prior is quite unnecessarily in a state of nerves over the quarantine maintained here. He says "the people of British Columbia are a little nervous about the danger of bubonic plague and would like to be assured that everything

A Hawaiian Vesuvius. The Volcano of Mokuaweweo Throws Up Fountains of Lava.

A Magnificent Yet Terrible Sight on the Island of Hawaii.

Hilo, Hawaii, Saturday, July 8.—After a term of rest and nearly complete idleness extending over a period of several years, the volcano of Mokuaweweo has again broken out, and gives promise of one of the greatest demonstrations ever furnished by the volcanoes of Hawaii.

The eruption was first noted at the Volcano house, where, early on the morning of July 4, the guests at the hotel were awakened by an explosion, and on making their way to the verandas witnessed one of the most grand and elaborate displays of Pele's eruption ever given.

From Hilo the sight has been witnessed nightly by interested crowds. From the Waikuku bridge the illumination is to be seen directly up the river, and the bright red from the huge mountains and the overflow as it is seen through the clouds is brightly illuminated.

THE CHURCHES. Emmanuel Baptist Church, Fernwood road and Chatham street. Rev. J. H. Hastings, M. A., pastor, will preach, 11 a. m., "Self-Justification"; 7 p. m., "Justification by Faith"; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. Monday night, 8 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday night, 8 p. m.

Centennial Methodist Church, Gore road. Rev. W. J. Barrows, M. A., pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; morning services, "Abiding in Christ"; evening subject, "What Jesus Would Not Do Regarding Amusements"; Miss Shakespeare, of Nanaimo, will sing during the evening service.

Salvation Army. Colonel Jacobs, assisted by Brigadier Howell, will conduct a service at 8 o'clock to-night. Sunday meetings, 7 and 11 a. m., 3 and 8 p. m., conducted by Adjutant Jessie Melner, 40 Broad street.

Metropolitan Methodist Church. Rev. J. C. Speer, pastor. Services, 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday school and Bible class; 7 p. m., sermon by the pastor.

St. Barnabas Church. Holy eucharist, 8 a. m.; choral matins, 11; choral evening, 7 p. m.; Rev. Fr. G. Miller, will be the preacher.

St. John's Church. Morning prayer and litany at 11 and evensong at 7. The Rev. Rev. Percival Jones, will preach at both services.

"POCKET YOUR DOUBTS" AND PUT IT TO THE TEST. THE PRINCE OF WALES BRAND. CEYLON TEA. IS UNASSAILABLE IN QUALITY. Lead Packets Only. All Grocers. 40c., 50c., 60c.

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J. Piercy & Co. Wholesale Dry Goods. Manufacturers of Every Description of Clothing by WHITE LABOR. 25, 27, 28, 29 Yates Street. will preach morning and evening.

BROOKLYN RAILWAY STRIKE. Service No Longer Interrupted—A Serious Mishap—Car Upset and Seven Police-men Injured.

ASTHMA CURED. After Twelve Years Suffering—Toronto. Physicians Advised Leaving Home to go to Manitoba—Clark's Kola Compound Cured.

DYSPEPSIA CAN BE CURED with Dr. Van Stan's Pineapple Tablets. 35c. and 10c. They are delicious.

CHAPTER XV. 1. No wonder that chronic dyspepsia is skeptical of cures! 2. They have tried this, that, and the other without obtaining relief.

SOUVENIR OFFICIAL PROGRAMME. NOTICE. Mr. C. Bailey has been retained by us to solicit advertisements in the above programme, the only one authorized by the Societies' Committee.

SAVOY THEATRE. JACKSON & McDONELL, PROPRIETORS. VICTORIA. H. GRAHAM, SECRETARY.

5th Regiment Band. SHAWNIGAN LAKE. FARE FOR THE ROUND TRIP 50c. Children Under 12 Years, 25c.

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EMPLOYMENT GIVEN to lady and gentleman agents. Apply T. N. Hibben & Co.'s Subscription Book Department, 23 Broad street.

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REMOVAL—Thomas Catterall, builder and general contractor, to 16 Broad street, near Fort.

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A. & W. WILSON, Plumbers and Gas Fitters, Bell Hanger and Transmitter Dealers in the best descriptions of Heating and Plumbing.

VETERINARY. S. F. TOLMEY, Veterinary Surgeon—Offices at diary's livery, 100 Johnson street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417.

SCAVENGERS. JULIUS WEST, General Scavenger, successor to John Dougherty—Yards and cesspools cleaned; contracts made for removal of earth, etc.

PETER H. SMITH, GEORGE WALSH. Stage Manager Musical Director.

Programme. For week commencing July 17. The Clever Song and Dance Artists, 6 PERI SISTERS.

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A BLOOD-MAKER and WASTE RESTORER
WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE
Bread to the hungry—a drink that restores—non-alcoholic.
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No. 100 Government Street, Near Yates Street.

WEATHER BULLETIN
By Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 22.—A. m.—The barometer pressure has increased and a high area covers the northern portion of the Pacific Slope, where cloudy, cooler weather prevailed, accompanied with rain. The rain has fallen on the lower Mainland in Cariboo.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, minimum, 53; wind, 9 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Nanaimo—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 8 miles S.; weather, cloudy.
Portland, Oregon—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .46; weather, cloudy.
Tacoma—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 54; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, .17; weather, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, clear.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.
Jelly Glasses, Fruit Jars, Preserving Kettles, etc., at R. A. Brown & Co., 80 Douglas street.
Get your bicycles fixed up by the reliable firm, Onions & Pimley, the practical bicycle makers in city; 42 & 44 Broad street.
At the last regular meeting of Segs Council, No. 85, Y.M.I., S. A. Bant and Rev. J. A. Van Navel were elected delegates, and M. Steele and John Leonard alternates to the 4th Grand Y.M.I., which will convene in Seattle on August 21st.
Band concert at Oak Bay to-night.
At a meeting of Calvary Baptist church on Thursday evening last, a number of thanks were tendered by a church to Mrs. Dr. Lang for her efficient services as organist during the year. Her health has compelled her resignation, and Mrs. W. H. Beatty has been appointed to succeed her.

Trading Stamps given with all bars at the Sterling Summer Clearance Sale, 88 Yates street.
The moonlight excursion by the City Nanaimo last evening was poorly patronized, the threatening weather militating against its success. Those who did enjoy a pleasant time. Three hours were spent upon the water, the salubrity heading in the direction of Sidney.

Shew Sing came up this morning on a charge of larceny, charged with obtaining money under a false pretence. He was charged with the same character of crime that came before the court arising out of a Chinese merchant advancing goods to a fellow countryman with an understanding that his customer would go to work in a cannery. The charge against Shew Sing was withdrawn.
Go to Oak Bay to-night. Band concert.
For preserving season Erskine, Wall & Co. import by each steamer Peaches, Apricots, etc., fresh, at lowest prices. Full line of Fruit Jars in stock.

News has reached here from Wrangell that considerable excitement has been occasioned there by the finding of gold ledge in Alexander Bay, about 30 miles from Wrangell. H. Stuart Brimley, who located the claim last May, recently brought into Wrangell some fine specimens of quartz rock, and has sent him to Tacoma to secure a mill test. The ledge has a width of about 125 feet and a face, the mineral value of which is an average depth of twenty feet test run into hundreds of dollars. It would the assay prove as satisfactory as anticipated, work will be started at once. Mr. Brimley is well known in Seattle and Victoria.

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Few men are foolish enough to tell the readers of a great family journal untruths about their goods. If they do they are soon found out. "HONDI" Ceylon Tea is as represented—therefore kept always before you.

Rev. Canon Reynolds on Wednesday visited in marriage Mr. M. K. Reynolds of Halifax, N. S., and Miss Brenda Nickells, daughter of Captain John Nickells, of Liverpool.
The contract for supplies to the provincial and for the current year have been awarded as follows: Fuel, Baker & Colston; groceries, Becking, Wall & Co.; meat, Porter & Sons; bread, L. Dickenson.

F. S. Taggart and N. P. Luxton, of Vancouver, were passengers from the Terminal City on yesterday's Islander. Mr. Luxton on Monday assumes charge of the stock exchange now being conducted by Messrs. Taggart & Co. on Government street.
Police Magistrate Hall, having been engaged all week in an accumulation of legal business at the city court, has not had time to come to a decision in the *Brash* skin case. The postponement of his trial, which was to take place today, has therefore been deferred for a week.

It is reported that a well known young woman of Victoria attempted suicide in Seattle yesterday. She is said to be in the hospital there now, the attempt on her life having been unsuccessful. Owing to the news being received too late to verify from Seattle, the name of the young woman is withheld.
Lipton's teas at Hardress Clarke's.

The attention of contractors is called to an advertisement in this issue inviting tenders for the erection of a court house at Roseland. Drawings, specifications and conditions may be seen at the government offices at Victoria, Vancouver, Roseland and Nelson after the 27th inst., and 21st of August respectively.
J. G. Brown is secretary of the excursion committee, from whom tickets and other information may be had. Further information will be published in these columns from time to time.

Promenade concert, Oak Bay, to-night.
The very interesting description of the supposed match between the English and Australian eleven at Lord's, published in yesterday's Times, was erroneously credited to a nephew of Mayor Redfern's instead of his son, Mr. William Redfern. The error arose from the fact that both his worship's son and nephew have literary ability, and the latter was the author of some interesting letters recently addressed to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales.

The remains of the late George W. Young, who was killed yesterday on the E. N. railway between the East Junction and Chemainus were brought to the city by special train last evening and removed to Hanna's parlors. They will be shipped this evening on the Utopia to Portland, Oregon, a telegram having been received from deceased's brother containing instructions to that effect. It appears that Young was assisting the brakeman in coupling some cars when he slipped and fell, the cars passing over his body, breaking the left leg and severing ribs and cutting the left arm off. He never recovered consciousness and died before medical assistance could reach him. Mr. Young was 39 years of age and a native of Pennsylvania, and a resident of Victoria for about eight years. He was formerly in business in Arlington, Eastern Oregon, and his relatives reside in that state.

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A Pipe Dream
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Says Desperate Characters Are Banded Together and Will Rob Trains.

Thomas W. Farnworth, owner and representative of over one hundred gold claims in the Atlin district, who left Alaska July 4th, arrived here on Sunday and is registered at the Grand hotel, says the Examiner of July 18th, "I come," said Mr. Farnworth, "to organize a \$1,000,000 mining company in this city. I have brought up a large number of year-operations on Alaskan quartz and placer mines, whose owners have struck it remarkably rich, but have not the money to work their claims.

"I am confident that the gold veins of Southern Alaska are of fabulous richness," said Mr. Farnworth, "although no one can tell just what it is, because of the constant fear prospectors are in of claim-jumpers and because of an utterly inadequate judicial system. The consequence is that whenever a man is in possession of a rich find he does all he can to keep it hushed up. Englishmen repeatedly put up notices of protest on American claims. This means that all work must be at once suspended, \$25 must be deposited with the authorities, as required by law, and the mine-owner must keep his hands folded pending a long wait for the time when the judge's calendar when his case comes up for settlement."

Mr. Farnworth is Past Grand Chief of the Arctic Brotherhood, a large and influential fraternity, the only secret organization of the far north, and former publisher of the *Dryden Trail*. He made the following statement yesterday on the lack of protection by the government of life and property in Alaska: "A large number of desperate characters are banded together, and a hold-up of the White Pass & Dawson railroad trains, running from Bennett to Skagway, is imminent. These men are miners who have been 'struck-staked' and have lost all they had in a dogged fight against fate. They have long since closed their minds to finding treasure, and disgusted with their prospects, and discouraged, have settled down to eat what they have left. They are determined to stop at nothing. William Lieberman, a detective in the employ of some of the people in Alaska, has been working on the roads, disguised as a laboring man, and he told me of plots now being hatched to effect one of the big robberies in the history of the coast. The trains, which carry large quantities of gold of enormous value, taken from the mines, are protected by no constabulary whatever. There are mounted English police on the Canadian side, twelve miles north of Skagway. Marshal Shopp alone is in charge of Sitka, and is the only one to represent the United States and preserve order in Dyea, Prasad Harbor, Haines Mission and all the surrounding districts. This leaves the road, running twelve miles over the most dangerous part of the country entirely unprotected. Something must be done to re-enforce the small number of mounted police."

STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.
(Specially prepared for the Times by Frank S. Taggart & Co., Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange brokers.)
New York, July 22.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange:
Open. High. Low. Close.
Am. Sugar 157 1/2 158 1/2 157 1/2 157 1/2
C. B. & Q. 137 1/2 137 1/2 136 1/2 136 1/2
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Manhattan 118 1/2 118 1/2 118 118
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Tenn. Coal & Iron. 68 68 68 68
Louis. & Nash. 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2
Brooklyn R. T. 115 1/2 115 1/2 115 1/2 115 1/2
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Wheat—
Sept. 79 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2 79 1/2
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TELEGRAPHIC TICKETS.
The steamer *Gloves*, which was struck in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, surrounded by ice floes, all winter, was sold yesterday by order of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland to pay the salvage awarded the Kite. She was bought by Captain Paraguard of Halifax for \$27,000.

STARTLING CONFESSIONS.
Show that 25 per cent. of men and women suffer the tortures of itching piles. Investigation proves that Dr. A. W. Chase's Ointment has never yet failed to cure itching piles, and all of these men and women could end their sufferings at once by using it. Scores of thousands have been cured by its treatment. Everybody can be cured in the same way.

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MUSIC AND OZONE.
Concert This Evening at Oak Bay and at Shawigan Lake To-Morrow.
The Fifth Regiment band, encouraged by the success of the first Oak Bay concert of the season last Saturday, have announced another one for this evening. The street cars will give the usual ten-minute service and the programme is as follows:
Overture—"Light Cavalry".....Supt. Caprice—"First Heart Throb"; Elsie; Sixette from "Lucia".....Donsett; Popular Selection—"The Winner"; Mangle (Introducing the popular song "Give Me Your Love").....Sousa; Grand Selection from "Fanny".....Gould; "H. H. Myer" from "Trovatore".....Venti (Duet for cornet and trombone)—Bandsmen North and Douglas);
(b) Intermzzo—"La Rosa".....Ascher; Popular Selection—"Pousse Cafe"; Hot gal (Containing a number of the latest song successes).....Sousa
The two trains by the E. & N. for Shawigan to-morrow should be fairly crowded, the return fare being placed at 50 cents, the lowest on record for the trip. Many will doubtless avail themselves of the opportunity to get away for the whole day, leaving by the 5 o'clock train, although of course the big crowd will be taken by the afternoon special. The Fifth Regiment band will render the following programme:
Overture to "Raysonde".....Thomas; Gullian Dance—"Mann".....Misses; Selection from "Carmela Rustiana" (by request).....Masconi; Descriptive Oriental March—"La Caravane".....Aeche (Descriptive of a caravan crossing the desert; (a) the caravan is heard counting the beating of the Indian drum; (b) the caravan is marching through the tops, the music here being vividly descriptive of the marching of elephants, camels, etc.; (c) the caravan is slowly disappearing.)
Concert Waltzes—"Amorette"; Gargi
Introduction of Ten Minutes; Grand Selection fr. "Tambourine"; Wagner (The colossal position occupied by Wagner by the musical world as the greatest of composers is fully supported by the public at large, who listen with the greatest pleasure to everything that bears the stamp of his immortal genius);
Zoukbar Caprice—"Happy Hotentots"; Glider
Popular Selection—"The Best Even";
(Introducing the following song successes:—"The Man"; "Mabelle"; "Mars"; "You May Forget Some Day"; "Mamma's Little Pumpkin"; "Colored Queens"; "The Swell-est Thing in Town"; "Who Do You Love"; "At the Old Home To-Night"; "Give Me Your Love"; "The Walk Fiddle";)
Introduction and Prayer from "Mass in F";.....Rusini
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Military Matters

Communications from members of the different branches of Her Majesty's Service reported in Victoria and Vancouver with regard to the coming of "Chevron," Times Office.

The gratifying statement is made by the Minister of Militia that the permanent artillery service is to be offered exclusively by graduates of the Royal Military College.

Mr. P. S. Lampman, judge of the small debts court, has been appointed paymaster of the First Battalion, with rank of captain. Second Lieut. Hayes retires from the battalion.

W. W. B. McLean, M.P., has cheered the hearts of Nanaimo's military enthusiasts by securing from the Minister of Militia and the general officer commanding have promised to revive the Nanaimo rifle company before long. General Hutton has promised to go into the matter when he visits the coast.

Rear Admiral H. St. L. Bury Palliser has been placed on the retired list. The admiral is understood to have objected to the step, but the authorities were inexorable. In him the service may lose an able officer, while it parts with a man who did much, both on this station and in China, to unpopularize the service.

A meeting of the officers of the First Battalion was held on Monday to take into consideration the arrangements for the annual regimental picnic. The date for this enjoyable event has not yet been fixed, neither has the scene of the picnic been selected, but both will be made known in all probability in a few days.

Sergt. Instructor Carroll, of the Winnipeg Dragoons, who is coaching the Nelson company of Kootenay rifles, is giving his men nightly instructions. A large band of eight members has also been formed. A rifle range of 700 yards has been obtained, and an association will be formed at once. Capt. Hodgins is throwing much enthusiasm into his work.

Manager Harris, of the Dalhousie Hotel, was in the city for a few days this week, and it is hoped that as a result of his investigation into the facilities for his hotel, Victoria will be honored with a visit from them. He examined the drill hall and decided that 2,200 people could be accommodated there, and that should the band come the drill hall would be the best place to bring off the concert. In Vancouver it would have to be held in the park. Mr. Harris had a consultation with Col. Peters, D. O. C., in reference to the matter.

The stevedores, commenting upon Admiral Palliser's test of the Crown's Naval coal, says: "He (the admiral) states that he found the coal in every respect superior to Pacific coast or North of England coal, having less smoke, less ash, more durability, and greater evaporating power. The only coal he compares it with is best Welsh, and he declares that it is equal to this in most respects, only falling slightly below it in respect of smoke, and being 8 per cent. behind it in economy. At present all the best steam coal used by the Pacific squadron is brought from South Wales, a distance of 2,000 miles by water, around the Horn. Fernie can now supply the 40,000 tons per annum required for this service with a transportation of only 500 miles. In addition there is a large and increasing demand in Chinese waters."

The Esquimalt correspondent of the Army and Navy Record says: "The Americans are nothing if not practical. One of their ships which we met the other day had been using United States coal, which they say is far superior to the Comox coal, although the latter is only used in British ships in case of emergency. When Welsh coal cannot be obtained, the result being that their fuel had become very dirty, and in order to clean it a party went ashore and cut down a small fir tree, which was taken off to the ship, passed down the smokestack, and drawn out again. The result was, no doubt, excellent as regards the smokestack, but one can picture a British first-lieutenant contemplating this novel sweep-brush, as it dropped a great part of its load on his white decks before being thrown overboard."

General Hutton, who has returned to headquarters, thus summarizes the work of the annual review: "It is unreasonable to expect that regiments who have previously received training at uncertain periods and in a spasmodic manner can attain a standing of efficiency which will satisfy the military requirements for the defence of any country. The officers, especially, must suffer from lack of experience and knowledge. The troops have heartily responded to the demands made upon them, and the major-general feels that their military instincts and patriotic feeling have been alike gratified at the success which has, upon the whole, been the marked result of the training of 1899. It is fully, however, to suppose that a satisfactory military training can be given in the short space of 12 days. In the present instance, in consequence of unusually fine weather, it has been possible to make use of every available hour. Military training, it is to be heartily satisfied, and to satisfy the conditions of an effective military force, must take place at fixed and regular periods, and in the conditions pertaining in Canada, should extend over at least 30 days."

Broad Arrow—Judging from the proceedings of the conference at the Hague, so far as the informal rapid growth of the press can be relied upon, the millennium of peace does not seem to be within that measurable distance which its prophets looked upon as safe and certain. The main question on which the Czar's manifesto was first founded, was that of armaments, the great and rapid growth of which was held to be the portentous danger which threatened to disturb the harmony of nations. It was a question the importance of which was apparent alike to monarchs, statesmen and peoples. To more than one country it meant not only increased taxation, but discontent and

impoverishment, which might lead to civil discord. It was a serious question enough for England—but to Russia it was one of the most pressing moments, for famine and a depopulated expanse were imminent evils with which she had to grapple. It was no wonder, therefore, that the desire for a cessation of or pause in the great preparations for armed strife, which were being made in the arsenals and dockyards of Europe, should be strong and sincere in the mind of the Emperor. So far as the differences of the Continental press went, the imperial views seemed to have met with approval from France and Germany, the two nations whose distrust of each other has been of late years the chief disturbing factor in the political world. The conference has assembled and after many days talk the world is informed that the idea of the arrest of armaments cannot be accepted as a fact to be accomplished. Germany will have none of it. Other nations may have suffered or may be suffering from the burdens of "bloated" armaments, but according to the German delegate's very outspoken speech, "Germany is not ruined—on the contrary her wealth, contentedness and standard of life are daily increasing." So is the dream of "disarmament" only but also of the arrest of armament. An international court of arbitration is agreed upon, but a court of arbitration whose deliberations will be attended by disputants armed to the teeth and ready for the appeal to arms will surely be a farce. This does not anger peace, but it does anger the nations that have been laboring, but the result to-day seems to be as insignificant as that told in the classic fable of old.

CHEVRON. Cured of Epilepsy. THE STORY OF A ST. CATHARINES LADY WHO IS RESTORED TO HEALTH

She Suffered Severely, Sometimes Having as Many as Four Spasms in a Week. Several Doctors Consulted Without Benefit.

From the Star, St. Catharines. Mrs. S. R. Wright, of St. Catharines, has for a number of years been a severe sufferer from epilepsy, from which dread disease she is now happily free. To a reporter who recently called on her to ascertain the manner of her cure she said: "It is to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I owe my release. It is some years since I had my first attack. At that time I did not know what the trouble was, but the doctor who was called in to attend me at once said it was epilepsy and that the disease was incurable. After this I had spasms as often as two, three and four times a week. I had no premonitory symptoms, but would fall no matter where I was. I always started heavily after an attack, finding that the local treatment was not helping me, my husband took me to a doctor in Hamilton. He also said that he could not cure me, but that he could give me medicine that would prolong the period between the spasms. This he accomplished, but I longed for a cure rather than a relief, and I finally consulted a specialist, who told me that he could cure me, but that I must have patience. I asked him how long he thought it would require to effect a cure, and he replied at least six months. He gave me medicine and I took it faithfully, but instead of getting better I was surely growing worse. After following this treatment for some months without avail, I felt I could not hope for a cure and was about resigning myself to my fate. My sister, however, urged me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and I did so. For a time after beginning the use of the pills I continued to have spasms, but I felt gradually that they were less severe and my strength to bear them greater, and I persisted in the treatment until the time came when the spasms ceased and I was as well and strong as ever I had been. I took in all twelve of fourty boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and although several years have elapsed since I discontinued their use, I have not in that time had any return of the malady. I owe this happy release to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and will always have a good word to say for them."

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DUCHESS OF YORK, AT A SMOKING CONCERT. "Many stories," says the writer of an interesting article dealing with the naval career of H. R. H. the Duke of York, which appears in the Windsor, are told illustrative of the kindness shown to the crew of the Crescent during its recent commission by the Duke and Duchess. On one occasion they were both present at a concert given by the sailors, and while it was proceeding the Duchess noticed that the men were not smoking. She mentioned the matter to the Duke, who, having ascertained that his wife would not object, gave the order, "All hands may smoke." In an instant pipes were produced from pockets and immediately filled, cigars and cigarettes were lit, and before very long the hall was filled with tobacco smoke, making the place seem like a smoking carriage on the underground railway than a room on board a first-class cruiser. The Duchess expressed herself as delighted with the entertainment, and remarked on leaving that she did not know when she had spent a more pleasant evening.

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SALMON FIGHT HARD.

This King of Fish Not Always Caught When Hooked. A salmon doesn't take the fly as a trout does and it never rises to one while it is passing up or down stream. It is an experienced angler for this king of fish to a Washington Star reporter. "It is only while the salmon is lying at rest in pools, the reposing water at the foot of some rapid, or the silent starting place of such a rapid, that it will respond to the fisherman's throw in the deep stretches of a stream cast. Salmon may be moving along by the rapids, but the angler might drop his flies above them for a month, if it were possible, without even being rewarded by a single rise. The pool is the place to which the fisherman's throw is made in the afternoon. If the epicurean denseness of the pool is so inclined there is sport ahead for the angler. He drops his fly lightly on the water and then the salmon in the humor will rise to it and seize it at once. Then the excitement begins. It is divided between the fisherman and the angler. The more the salmon tries to get out of trouble the deeper he gets the fisherman in. The fish no sooner feels the hook in his jaw than he seems to realize that he has got to get it out as soon as possible. Then things begin to boil. The first thing the fisherman knows 100 feet of line have been spun from his reel and he thinks he is in for a long chase down stream, when suddenly the salmon doubles and dashes straight back toward the boat. Then there is work for the angler. If he expects to reel in his fish the line must get it taut again in good time.

"No sooner is the line taut once more than the salmon feels its tension through the hook in its jaw and the chances are that he will shoot upward and out of the water his entire length and more. Taking his head to start down stream like a steam engine, putting the guide at his best to keep the boat near him. The salmon may lead a chase of a mile in this way, then stop suddenly and resume its leaping and doubling tactics.

"The fight may last an hour or more and if the angler is skillful and cool and his guide or man dexterous and watchful the contest should have but one ending and eventually the glittering prize will be stretched at the bottom of the canoe. If the angler is not skillful and cool the fight will also have but one ending. The glittering fish will be stretched at the bottom of the canoe, but in a very short time will be in the bottom of this pool, no doubt congratulating himself that his foe was not worthy of his steel."

FINGERING HELPED STATUES. Curious Discovery Made in Berlin Museums. Until a short time ago, says the New York Times, the bronze statues in most of the Berlin museums were most carefully labelled "Hands Off," just as it is in American museums. What happened in Berlin, however, may cause the curators of some of our museums to take down their signs. It was observed in Berlin that those parts of the bronze statues which were surreptitiously handled by the public retained a good surface. This led to the conclusion that fat had something to do with it. An experiment was therefore tried for some years with four bronzes. One was coated every day with oil and wiped with cloth; another was washed every day with water; the third was similarly washed but oiled twice a year; and the fourth was left untreated, as are other bronzes, in a museum isolated behind the notices "Hands Off."

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OR. The first looked beautiful, the third, which had been oiled twice a year was passable; the second looked dead, and the fourth was dull and black. It is probably a fact not generally known that the ancient Greeks polished their statues by constant hard rubbing. Perhaps the curators above mentioned, who have charge of statues and other adornments, will profit by the experiment here described.

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Provincial News.

CRANBROOK.

H. Bullock-Webster of provincial department has received instructions to proceed with the erection of a 40 jail in Cranbrook.

RELIGION.

B. Jacobson and Jennette Brown of ma were married at the Methodist church on Monday evening by Rev. Johnson.

VERNON.

Operating operations are now well under way and the farmers from all parts of district report heavy crops.

KAMLOOPS.

The marriage of Mr. Michael Spratt of Kamloops and Miss L. Haley of Vancouver, N. Y., at the Convent Chapel, took place on Wednesday.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

The New Westminster Creamery is doing increasing business these days. Staff is now busily engaged in getting out an order for 4,000 pounds of butter for the Klondike.

GREENWOOD.

Central real estate transfers are recorded for the week. The sales were largely residential lots, the purchasers of those who intend building homes in city.

VANCOUVER.

A tax collector Sutherland sustained their severe fall while alighting from wall street car on Cordova street on Monday morning. He got up unassisted and walked away limping.

BRITAIN'S NAVAL POLICY.

London, July 21.—The Right-Hon. George Goschen, first lord of the admiralty, discussing the shipbuilding vote in the House of Commons today, said that there had been no change in the policy of foreign governments, and so there was nothing to induce the British government to change their policy.

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A Letter From the Oldest City in Canada Concerning Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. James Walters, of Quebec City, replies to a Toronto Enquirer—Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Him of Kidney Disease.

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Situated at the head of Hidden creek, in a large basin, are a number of properties of merit and which have the indications of making mines.

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"I'll take some strawberry short-cake," said the man with the brick-colored complexion, "with whipped cream."

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A NEW BULLET.

The Hague, July 21.—At today's meeting of the first committee of the Peace Conference, the point of Mr. Vanderbeck's report dealing with the prohibition of dropping explosives from balloons was unanimously agreed to.

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Ordinary household duties shouldn't exhaust a woman who has good health. Don't let such work, though, this warm weather, tire out, or even prostrate a woman who suffers from any derangement of the heart or nerves.



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Successful Candidates

The Results of the Examinations of Pupils for the High School.

The Story of General Excellence Told by the Examiners Awards.

For some weeks many hearts have been beating more or less irregularly in anticipation of the publication of the lists showing what pupils who desire to enter the High School were successful in satisfying the examiners.

NORTH WARD SCHOOL.

Table listing names and marks for North Ward School, including pupils like May, Gibson, Shields, etc.

GIRLS' SCHOOL.

Table listing names and marks for Girls' School, including pupils like Newcombe, Helen, Carter, etc.

SOUTH PARK SCHOOL.

Table listing names and marks for South Park School, including pupils like Campbell, Gladys M., Emery, Violet W., etc.

BOYS' SCHOOL.

Table listing names and marks for Boys' School, including pupils like Sexsmith, Harvey C., Gordon, Daniel H., etc.

VICTORIA WEST SCHOOL.

Table listing names and marks for Victoria West School, including pupils like Tall, Ernest Lyle, Bahman, Ewald Henry, etc.

SHIPPING NEWS

According to a report from Washington the steamer Victoria of the Northern Pacific line, whose charter was reported in these columns yesterday, is not the only vessel chartered to carry horses to Manila.

here will go into Esquimalt drydock for repairs and then be placed in the hands of her charterers. The Siam left Nanaimo yesterday morning with 5,000 tons of New Vancouver Coal Co.'s coal for San Francisco.

From the returns compiled by Lloyd's Register of Shipping for the quarter ending June 30th, copies of which have just been received by Mr. D. Carmel, Lloyd's surveyor at this port, it appears that, excluding warships, there were 528 vessels of 1,286,367 tons gross, steam and sail, under construction in the United Kingdom at the close of the quarter ended 30th June.

Business is rather quiet in the shipping line. Freights are firm, with so limited an amount of tonnage on the coast suited to a value on their holdings which permits steamers to compete, and unless some marked improvement abroad occurs, it is highly probable the maximum rates of the season are now in sight.

It was not until 11 o'clock this morning, twelve hours after her scheduled time, that the steamer Princess Louise was able to get away on her voyage to Naag and way ports.

Steamer City of Seattle will carry an excursion party to Alaska under the auspices of the Presbyterian Synod of Washington when she sails on August 1st.

Bark Nanaimo, 297 tons, Capt. Otter, one of the three sailing craft whose arrival was being looked for, came into the Royal Roads last night in tow of the tug Pioneer.

An excursion will reach here from Seattle to-morrow on the steamer Alice Gerstede. She will leave Seattle at 5:30 a.m. and is due here about 4:30 p.m.

A cablegram from Brisbane says: The Canadian-Australian S.S. Mlowera sailed from that port for Victoria yesterday.

Steamer Boswell will receive a new tall shaft as soon as she can secure accommodation on the ways.

WELL FED BRAINS AND HEALTHY BODY CAN DO THINGS EAT GRAPE-NUTS GET STRENGTH AND HEALTH FROM FOOD.

One of the surest ways to head off and stop disease is to make a complete change in diet. Food makes the body and if your body is ill or becoming so the symptoms are which plainly say: "Give me better building material."

The beard has lately fallen under the suspicion of being the haunt of bacilli, according to the British Medical Journal. It is hinted that suggests that wish to keep inviolate the aseptic faith should for conscience sake sacrifice what Parrot calls "valor's exponent."

Sporting News.

THE RIFLE AT NANAIMO. Following are the scores made yesterday, the second day of the Provincial Rifle Association meet:

Table of rifle scores for the Provincial Rifle Association meet, listing names and scores for various categories like Victoria, Nanaimo, etc.

RESTRICTED TO TYROS. The scores of the extra series were as follows:

Table of rifle scores for restricted tyros, listing names and scores.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY CUP. New Westminister.

Table of electric railway cup scores, listing names and scores.

TO-DAY'S GAMES. At the barracks this afternoon an eleven representing the United Bankers is playing the R.M.A. eleven, while at Beacon Hill the Collegiate school club is pitted against an eleven composed of Vancouver school boys.

ATHLETICS. THE INTER-VARSITY CONTEST. London, July 21.—The following is the list of events and competitors in the International University contest which takes place to-morrow:

EXTRA SERIES—500 Yards. Thursday. Corp. Cunningham, Westminister, 25; Sgt. Lettice, Victoria, 24; Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver, 23; Corp. Richardson, Victoria, 21; Sgt. Lettice, Victoria, 21; Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver, 21; Corp. Sison, Westminister, 21; Corp. Houston, Westminister, 22; R. Watson, Nanaimo, 22.

EXTRA SERIES—500 Yards. Friday Morning. Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria, 25; G. Miller, Westminister, 23; G. Burg, Westminister, 23; G. Peels, Westminister, 23; G. Carven, Victoria, 21; Bomb. Currie, Victoria, 21; Bomb. Bodley, Victoria, 21; R. Adams, Nanaimo, 22.

EXTRA SERIES—400 Yards. Friday. Corp. Sison, Westminister, 25; Lieut. Stuart, Vancouver, 25; Corp. H. J. Peers, Vancouver, 24; G. Pittendrig, Nanaimo, 24; Sgt. Kendall, Vancouver, 24; Bomb. Bodley, Victoria, 23; G. Mortimer, Vancouver, 23; Q. M. S. Winsby, Victoria, 23; Q. M. S. Kennedy, Vancouver, 23; G. R. Wilson, Westminister, 23; G. Burg, Westminister, 23.

LACROSSE. THE GREAT GAME. As the Times goes to press this afternoon big crowds of lacrosse enthusiasts are making their way out to Colodona ground where the J. B. A. and New Westminister teams meet for the first time this season.

THE LEAGUE STANDING. A Times reporter spent several hours this week in the effort to obtain a correct statement of the standing of the teams in the League. He found the densest ignorance existed in some quarters where he had expected to obtain the necessary information.

tion, but finally, by the courtesy of Mr. Gou Colwell, he received the following statement which was published last night:

Table of tennis scores, listing names and scores.

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LIGHTWEIGHTS TO MEET. (Associated Press.) Denver, Col., July 22.—Kid Parker and Spike Sullivan have been matched to fight twenty rounds before the Olympic club in this city on August 11.

LAWN TENNIS. THE LOCAL TOURNAMENT. The entries for the club handicap events in the tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club closed yesterday.

Billiards. CARTER'S CHALLENGE. Chicago, July 22.—Eugene Carter, the billiard player, has issued a challenge to play any man in the world at cushion carom or three cushion carom.

Miners Are Starving. Terrible Plight of Hundreds of Prospectors in the Kotzebue District. Unless Relief Is Sent to the Stranded Men Many Will Perish.

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There were among the number about 30 Copper River men, many of them still in the prime of life, but with all the ambition and energy pinched out of them by the hardships through which they have passed.

Among those who came down on the Topeka debarked at Port Townsend, were caught the Utopia to Victoria last night, was M. Perelman and H. R. Hanson, of San Diego, Cal.

At Five Fingers another break was made in the party. Here a scow containing much of the supplies was lost, and with difficulty Eric Armstrong, one of the party, was saved.

At White Horse Rapids two of the party named Dow and "Long James," died from a typhoid fever, while shortly after reaching Dawson the reason of another began to totter, and he died brooding over imaginary troubles.

Those who survived seem to have struck it well, and Messrs. Perelman and Hanson, who are now at the Queen's hotel, in this city, do not seem to give the cause of their troubles.

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