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### **LEGISLATURE** OPENED TO-DAY

THE SPEECH OF THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

#### Legislation Which Is Forecasted in the Address From His Honor.

Every encouragement was offered the ocial turn out which accompanied the pening of parliament at 2 o'clock this social turn out which accompanied the opening of parliament at 2 o'clock this afterneon. The westher was ideal and the temperature sufficiently summerlike to permit a generous display of costume and to attract a large attendance of the fair sex. The demand for tickets of admission was exhausted early in the day and a great many recent back to be made to prevent over. carry in the day and a great may re-fusals had to be made to prevent over-crowding. As it was, all the available seating capacity was taken and stand-ing room was at a premium. Over-250 seats on the floor of the House were occupied.

As in past years the guard of honor was furnished by the Fifth regiment. The detachment, which made a very creditable appearance, was commanded by Capt. J. C. Harris, and Lieutenants B. Prior and P. T. Stern.

The Lieut. Governor was attended by a brilliant show of uniform, his staff, consisting of officers from the Fifth regiment and the Royal Canadian artillery and other corps stationed at Work Point, with, a representation of officers from the Shearwater and

Egeria.

The following ladies and gentlemen

The following ladies and gentlemen were those invited to seats on the floor of the House;

Mrs. Dunsmuir and sparty, Bishop and Mrs. Perrin, Chief Justice and Mrs. Hunter, Hon. E. Dewdney, Col. E. 3. Prior and Mrs. Prior, Mr. Justice Circing, Mrs. Irving and Miss Irving, Justice Classes, Mr. Justice Classes, Mr. Justice Classes, Mr. Justice Classes Mr. Justice Morrison, Mr. Justice Cle ment, Senator and Mrs. McDonald, Monseur and Madame Duchastel de Monseur and Madame Duchastel de Martrouge, French consul at Vancou-ver; C. Loewenberg, German consul; Thomas R. Smith, Swedish and Nor-weglan consul, and Mrs. Smith, Hon. A. E. Smith, United States consul, and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Young,
R. P. Rithet and Mrs. Stihet, Mrs.
Tatlow, Mrs. Bowser, Miss Eberts,
Judge Cornwall and Mrs. Cornwall,
A. S. Gray and Miss Gray, Mrs. Reld,
Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Pooley, Mrs. Elliston,
Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Muspratt Williams, G. F. Baldwin, city
controller of Vancouver, and Mrs.
Baldwin, Mrs. (Col.) Wolfenden, Judge,
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Mrs. (Col.) Hall. Mrs. Allgood, wife of
Commander Allgood; Hon. Robert
Beaven and Mrs. Beaven, Judge Young
and Mrs. Young, Hon. J. S. Helmcken. Mrs. Higgins, Fred Peters, K. C., and Mrs. Peters, Mrs. K. Simpson Hayes, ex-president of Canadian Women's ex-president of Canadian Women's Press Club, Canon and Mrs. Beanlands, Mrs. Fell, Miss Fell, Dr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. H. C. Brewster, Mrs. O. H. Nelson, Mr. and Miss Blakemore, Sheriff Richards, Rev. G.
K. B. and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. GeorgeFraser, Rev. Wesley Clay and Mrs.
Clay, R. E. Gosnell, Miss. Geomell, John
Nelson and Mrs. Nelson, C. H. Lugrin
and Mrs. Lugrin.
Following the usual formalities of

and Mrs. Lugrin.
Following the usual formalities of assembling. His Honor was pleased to open the second session of the eleventh parliament of British Columbia, with the following speech

Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

meeting you again at the opening another session, it is my privilege to be able to congratulate you on the prosperity which, during the past year, has prevailed in nearly all lines of and industry.

appointment of which you authorized last session, has entered on its duties, and its report and recommendations will submitted to you. In accordance with those recommendations, legislation will be introduced to secure a more equitable and efficient system of distribution of water for irrigation pur-

poses.

The large increase in immigration, with the consequent demand for land under pre-emptions, warrants my govunder pre-emptions, warrants my government in asking you to place a larger sum in the estimates for an extension of the provincial surveys.

A measure will be laid before you with a view to the restriction of immigration of undesirable persons.

With the aim of encouraging and ex-

With the aim of encouraging and expediting railway construction, it is proposed to exempt from taxation, for a
period of ten years from time of completion, certain railways already authorized. To do thits you will be asked
to pass an act empowering the government to graht such exemptions.

In accordance with your recommen dation that a representative of the government should be sent to London to erment should be sent to London to lay before the imperial government the fact of the refusal of the federal gov-erment to entertain British Colum-bia's claim for more adequate and quitable treatment in the matter of, provincial subsidies, the honorable the first minister was assigned to under-take the duty, and his report of his mission and its results will be laid be-fore you.

business, it has been thought desirable to regulate the civil service, and a measure for effecting that and creating a superannuation fund will be submitted for your approval.

With a view to obviate the necessity

of our youth going abroad to perfect themselves in the arts and sciences, an act to establish a provincial univers-ity will be introduced during the ses-

public works under appropriations the legislature, and with the obof securing uniformity between

ject of securing uniformity between the federal and provincial systems in the method of accounting and the collection of statistics, it is deemed advisable to change the commencement of the financial year from July to April.

I am pleased to be able to inform you that the finances of the province are in excellent condition. This has enabled my government to effect a large reduction in the public debt, while still able to show a substantial surplus over the actual expenditure.

Measures will be submitted to you designed to secure to the province the full benefits that should accrue to the treasury from the utilisation of its re-

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The public accounts for the

On account of the increase in the de-mands for public works and buildings, and the development taking place in the northern parts of the province, it is e northern parts of the province, it is semed advisable to create the office of minister of public works, and you will be asked to approve of an an

be asked to approve of an amendment to the Constitution Act to effect that.

I now commend these various measures to your attention, believing that their adoption will be to the advantage of the province and the welfare of the

#### ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

ON STEPS OF CHURCH

#### Theatrical Effort of Parisian to End His Life in Montreal.

Montreals Jan. 16.-Yesterday afternoon an actor named R. Laurette, of the Theatre Francaise, made a theatrical attempt to end his life. He had been on a visit to the church of the Immaculate Conception, and while de-scending the steps with Father Lalonde suddenly drew a revoler and shot him-self in the right lung. The attempt at suicide caused a lot of excitement, and the injured man was hastily removed to the Hotel Dieu, where the bullet was extracted, and it is thought the actor, who comes from Paris, will recover. Father Lalonde declined to make any statement as to the probable cause of the abooting, but it is supposed a

of the shooting, but it is supposed a come so despondent as to desire to end it all, which he nearly succeeded in doing, and in fact his recovery is not by any means certain.

Conductor on Electric Car Seriously Injured Near Paris, Ont.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 16.—A Grand Valley Railway electric car dropped bout 20 feet over a trestle bridge near Paris last night and Conductor Deacor of Brantford, may die from injuries

which he received. Motorman Longhurst, also of Brantford, was seriously injured, and seven or eight passengers sustained painful



HON. JAMES DUNSMUIR

Lieut. Governor of the Province, Who Opened the Legislature This Afternoon.

TWO VILLAGES SUBMERGED. TOWN MAY SINK

Ykaterinodar, Russia, Jan. 16.-The formation of a heavy ice dam on the love affair of some kind is at the bot- Kuban river has resulted in the inundation of the two villages and the is feared that there has been serious

DEATH OF RUSSIAN PRINCE.

Berlin, Jan. 16.—The death is an-ounced of Prince Edward Zunnhausen Und Knippausen, president of the Prussian House of Lords. He was born

SOUTH HURON NOMINEES.

Toronto, Jan. 16 .- M. Y. MacLean. Liberal, and Mr. Horton, Conservative, were nominated at South Huron yesterday for the vacancy caused by the deeth of B. B. Gunn.

have been hastly evacuated.

The sinking of the ground is believed to be due to the caving in of a portion deeth of B. B. Gunn.

stomerging of a large area of land. It Inhabitants of Spanish City Flee From Houses-Gaps in Streets.

> Minas de Rio Tinto, Spain, Jan. 16 .--This town is threatened with complete destruction owing to the subsidence of the ground,

Large gaps are visible in the princ al streets and four hundred houses

have been hastly evacuated.

of the copper mines.

HOUSES DESTROYED BY QUAKE, Gonaives, a Town in Hayti, Visited by TO DESTRUCTION

Port au Prince, Hayti, Jan. 16.—An earthquake has occurred at Gonaives, 55 miles west of this city. A few houses have been destroyed and others damaged. No news of loss of life re-

Prolonged Shock.

ported. Communication is broken. The shocks ontinue. The first was followed by a tidal wave. Gonaives is one of the r thriving towns in the Haytian republic Gonaives has a population of about

St. Petersburg, Jan. 16.-The trial by having surrendered the Port Arthur-tress to the Japanee, is nearing its d, and a verdict is expected early next week.

BOARD OF CONTROL

Much Opposition Expected to Scheme For Civic Administration.

Calgary, Jan. 16.—The committee ap-pointed by the city council to draft a new form of executive has decided upon new form of executive has decided upon a board of control to consist of the frieyor and four controllers, to be elected from the city at large, to hold office for two years, unless their resignation is demanded sooner by a two-thirds yote of the council. Controllers must have had one or more years' experience in the city council, and have a salary of not more than \$1,000 a year, except the mayor, who may have more.

Much opposition to this scheme is feared, and it may not pass the provincial legislature.

V. L & E. RAILWAY,

W. Sloan Presents Petition in the

Ottawa, Jan. 16,-W. Sloan presented An petition in the House to-day of the Vancouver Island & Eastern Railway Company for the building of a railway from the city of Victoria to the Narrows, and the Yellow Head Pass to Edmonton.

Calgary, Jan, 16 .- The annual meeting of the Knox church was held last report of the expert of the department ing of the knox church was held have report of the expert of the department of agriculture, signs almost equal to membership has more than doubled, the best Havana product, could be and two new congregations have been formed. The church is considering the proposition of adding two more congregations in the city.

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**EXPLOSION CAUSED** 

BY "BLACK HAND"

#### Front of New York Tenement Building Shattered-Panic in Hospital.

New York, Jan. 16.-An explosion which the police attribute to the Black ment house in East 29th street, shattering the front of the building, breaking windows in nearby buildings, and causing a panic in the wards of Belletue hospital, which are located on that side of the hospital towards the build-ing where the explosion occurred. No one in the building was seriously in-

The explosion seems to have been directed toward the family of Pierre On-arato, a coal and wood dealer, whose wife and three children were in the

oullding.
Onarato states that on December 5th he received a letter signed "Black Hand,' in which he was directed to place \$1,000 on the grave of a certain Italian in a Brooklyn cemetery within a month, on penalty of being killed with all his family,

\$7 YEARS IN NANAIMO.

Aged Resident Goes to His Long Home -Death of James McAloney,

Nanaimo, Jan. 15 .- James Stove, aged , who came to Nanaimo in 1851, and as the oldest pioneer of this city, died

last night.
Anternal Revenue Officer Jos. McAloney, aged 53, died this morning of
heart disease, after a year's illness.

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# CANADA'S TOBACCO

B. C. GROWERS NOT SATISFIED WITH LAW

New Bill Will Amend Inland Revenue Act, Says Hon. W. Templeman.

(Special Correspondence).

Ottawa, Jan. 9. - A discussion took place in the House yesterday in which the merits of Canadian tobacco played a part. As splendid tobacco is grown in British Columbia, particularly in the Okanagan valley, the discussion is of especial interest to the people of the Pacific province. It arose from a motion calling for copies of documents, T. W. Paterson, of Victoria, and W. J.
Haney, of Toronto, are among the incorporators.

CALGARY PRESBYTERIANS.

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CORRESPONDENCE for Copies of documents, correspondence, etc., received by the government since 1904 relative to the encouragement and protection of the Canadian tobacco industry.

Duncan Ross, M. P., referred to the

excellent tobacco grown in his constituency, from which, according to the

and before the hon, minister of inla revenue (Mr. Templeman), replies, my constituency are not satisfied with the present regulations. They believe present regulations. They believe that they are handicapped by these regulations. They are anxious that the
numerous stamps that are now being
used in connection with the inland revenue department should be abolished
and that only one stamp should be
used for all cigars manufactured in
Canada. They are also anxious that
the regulations should be so amended
as to absolutely abolish the system of
rebates on clippings which has been in
force under the present regulations for
some time back. Tobacco growing is a that they are handicapped by these regome time back. Tobacco growing is a very important industry, in so far as British Columbia is concerned, it is be-I is becoming more important every year, and
I hope that the minister of inland revenue, in the legislation, which I unders,
stand, he is about to introduce into
the House, will so amend the present,
regulations as to give greater encour-

ngement to tobacco growers."

In the course of his remarks in reply to the various speakers, the minister of inland revenue (Hon. Mr. Temples

man) said:
"This is an age of advancement and mprovement, and, even in the question of tobacco and its growth in Canada, the conditions and opportunities are receiving, and have been for a considerable time receiving the very serious attention of the department of inland revenue. I have been a smoker of citags for many case for a smoker of citags for contract of the contract gars for many years, and I know that the numerous labels put on cigar boxes are a detriment to some extent to the native-grown article. If the adoption of one uniform label will place the to-bacco growers of Canada in a better nosition, then they then the position than that they now occupy, for my part I know of no good reak we should not have one uniform label. I agree also with the remarks of the hon, member for South Essex (Mr. Clarke) and the hon, member for Halton (Mr. Henderson) that much may be done in instructing the tobacco growers of Canada in the best methods of growing and curing tobacco. I feel sure that Canada, particularly my own province of British Columbia, can grow as good bacco as may be grown on the continent of America, excepting, possibly the island of Cuba. I believe my hon, friend the minister of marine and fishfriend the minister of marine and fish-eries (Mr. Brodeur) has already inti-mated that this question was receiving the attention of the department and that we hoped before the present seasion is over, to introduce a mea amending the inland revenue act alo the line proposed in the discussion here to-day. Just what that bill will be it is premature, for me to say; but I hope that, before many weeks have passed, we shall be in a position to anr to the House a measure that will to a considerable extent at any rate, remove the difficulties under which the tobacco growers of Canada are said now to be laboring. There can be no objection, I take it, to the motion."

ARMORED CRUISER AGROUND.

German Warship Met With Bad Accident While Engaged in Evolutions.

Kiel, Jan. 16.-The new German Scharnhorst cruiser aground near Buelk last night while engaged in evolutions. It is reported that a hole one hundred feet long war torn in her double bottom. Three of the cruiser's stoke holds immediately filled with water, and it was necessary to close the collision bulkheads in order to prevent her from sinking.

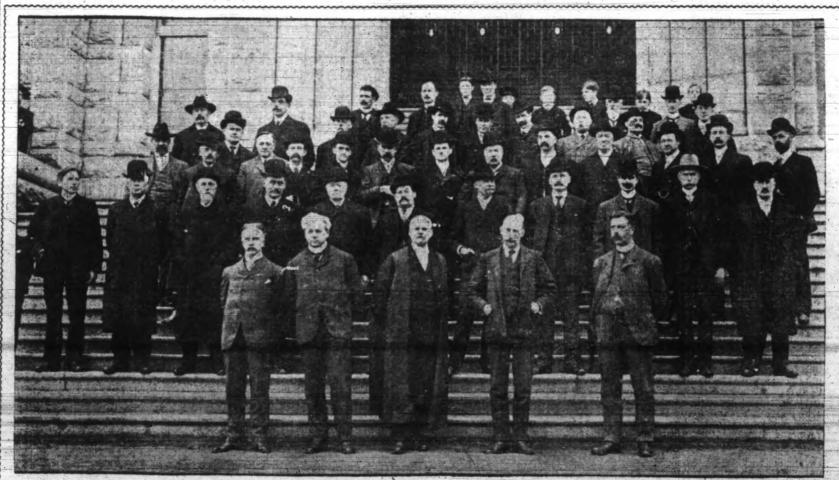
Under her own steam the cruiser entered the Imperial dock yard here,
where she will undergo repairs,

BIG OAKLAND FIRE.

Pacific Press, Building Destroyed—Old Man Dropped Dead From Fright,

Oakiand, Cal., Jan. 16.—Fire last night destroyed the Pacific Press building at Twelfth and Casmie streets.
During the progress of the fire W. K., Coldian, 81. years of age, a mining, broker, dropped dead from fright. A fireman was aeriously injured.
The Pacific Press building was one of the oldest in the city. The total loss is estimated at \$80,000.

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Members of the Legislature of B. C., Who Entered Upon the Duties of the Present Session This Afternoon

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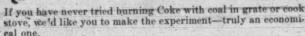
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### SCHEME OF LAWS FOR ALBERTA

#### MATERIAL PROSPERITY OF THE PROVINCE

Speech From Throne Delivered at Opening of Session To-Day.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 15.-The third sion of the first legislature of Alperta was opened to-day, the following

berta was opened to-day, the following being the speech from the throne:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

"I have much pleasure in welcoming you to the third sesson of the first legislature of the province of Alberta. For the degree of material prosperity which has marked the progress of this province in a year of great stress and storm over the whole divined world and our exemption from the more severe features of this crisis, our thanks are due to Divine Providence. An extraordinarily severe winter followed by a somewhat inclement summer foreshadowed widespread distress, but the

a somewhat inclement summer fore-shadowed widespread distress, but the beautiful weather of the autumn neaths. I have learned with pleasure, revented to a very large extent such calamity.

"As loyal Canadians you will have beeved with pride that during the nancial disturbance which has spread inancial disturbance which has spread lisaster throughout the world, while here has been a shortage of capital, both in Alberta and in the more popu-ous portions of the Dominion, yet the boundness of the financial institutions soundness of the financial institutions of the country has once more been proved and the forward flow of the trade and commerce of the Dominion has gone on almost unchecked. My ministers have to take part during the recess in two conferences, the one imperial and the other international, on education and taxation, which I have no doubt will have an important influence in the administration of these branches of the public service.

"Royal commissioners have been engaged during the year in the examination of conditions of the two most fmortant branches of trade and com-

ment of a commission to examine his these conditions. I have endeavored to arrive at that precise knowledge which is the first postulate of amelioration. The vast coal fields, which come after the wheat fields, appear to be the largest set with which providence has

asset with which providence has endowed Alberta, have also received attention by a commission with important results. The report of both the commissions will be laid on the table of the House for your consideration.

"The national wealth of the province assisted by the flow of immigration and capital which continues in spite of the temporary checks imposed by exceptional weather and monetary conditions will, I have no doubt, develop in the course of a longer or shorter period, important manufacturing interests, and my ministers have thought it ad-

Legislative Assembly, I feet every as surance that these and other measures ought to your attention will receive the most careful consideration, and that the same will result in the ad-incement, welfare and prosperity of

JAPAN'S OPPORTUNITY.

Now is the Time to Go to War With America Says Italian Paper.

Rome, Jan. 16.—The Corrière D'Itali, an organ of the Vaticab, in an article on the Japanese-American situation on the Japanese-American situation says that war between these two countries would be fatal and is inevitable.

It expresses the opinion that the present moment is the most favorable for Japan.

#### WEST COAST SHIPPING REPORT

Tatoosh, Jan. 15, (9 a. m.)
Rain, wind south 25 miles. Barometer 29.78, temp. 47. South-east storm warning.

Misty, light rain, wind south 35 miles. Barometer 29.81, temp. 46. Steamer Chillan passing in at 2 p. m., lumber lader.

#### THEATRE FIRE AT ST. CATHARINES

#### Picture Machine Exploded, Injuring Youthful Operator ... Severely.

St. Catharines, Ont., Jan. 16.-Fire following an explosion of a picture mahine, which was attended by serious results and no little damage to property, occurred yesterday afternoon at the Hippodrome theatre, where the

bone and he is suffering from the shock. The stores occupied by L. Mc-Dermott and A. J. Gilmore on both sides of the theatre were badly dam-aged by fire and water. The loss is probably \$2,000 or \$4,000.

## IN KETTLE VALLEY

#### Residents to Make Strong Representations About Mis-

ANOTHER IRRIGATION SCHEME IN PROVINCE

#### Proposition to Carry Out an **Undertaking Near Ashcroft** by London Company.

At a general meeting of the B. C. De-elopment Association held recently in ondon, the chairman's report referred to the acquisition of a tract of 5.000 acres in the Thompson valley near Ash-croft, and from that report it is evi-dent that the irrigation scheme in-

dent that the irrigation scheme involved will be carried through to a successful seue. The report says.

"Having come to this conclusion, we looked around to see what other property we could get which was suitable for us to take up, and we had offers of properties, several of which we have taken options on, including one of about 5,000 acres of fruit land on the Thompson river. We have not bought this fruit land with our eyes shut. We have taken the best advice we could get, and engaged Mr. Palmer, the fruit expert for the British Columbia government, and also one of Lord Aberdeen's expert for the British Columbia government, and also one of Lord Aberdeen's experts, and Mr. Ashcroft, who is Lord Aberdeen's engineer, has advised us on the questions of water rights and irrigation, so that we may say that we have absolutely reliable reports from these gentlemen, and we feel that we have taken every step we can to protect your interests before taking on these properties. We shall have a considerable outlay to make on these properties in the near future. We are having surveys made for water and making every preparation so that we can start. These things require, of course, a considerable sum of money. As rea considerable sum of money agrds the experts, I am sorry that Mr.
Hamilton Hoare is not here to-day, but
he is one of the guarantors of whom
I will speak directly; but in order to
satisfy himself, and knowing Lord Aberdeen, he wrote a letter to his lord-ship asking him if he thought these gentlemen were reliable, and the folgentiemen were remane, and the in-lowing reply came: Dear Mr. Hamil-ton Hoare:—I have pleasure in saying that Mr. Palmer and Mr. Asheroft are both well known to me, and 'I doubl whether in the whole of Canada you could find two men on whom you could more confidently, rely for an opinion on the subject referred to. I think that coming from Lord Aberdeen is a very satisfactory reply. (Hear, hear,) I am sure we are very much obliged to Mr. Hamilton Heare for having obtained that opinion from Lord Aberdeen. "These 5,000 acres of land we have bought at very reasonable prices, and from the reports we have neard as to other fruit lands in British Columbia, it appears that we shall make a very handsome profit out of the transaction when it all goes through. It will take ould find two men on whom you could

when it all goes through. It will take ing, but there is no doubt that the land is amongst the very best in British Co-lumbia for fruit growing, and the irrigation rights are ample. We hope be able to produce on these lands be able to produce on these ands in course of time fruit equal to that which we have here to-day as a small exhibition of fruit grown in the same province, and after this meeting I will ask you to see what a splendid show it is. It is only a little bit of the show this year at Westminster, but I think you will find it year interesting. Now as fluence in the administration of these branches of the public service.

"Royal commissioners have been engaged during the year in the examination of conditions of the two most important branches of trade and commission to remain so, are deeply involved in the conditions, and are likely for many years to remain so, are deeply involved in the conditions, and by the appointment of a commission to examine into these conditions, I have endeavored to the hippodrome theatre, where the working swinch with the wear of Ben Hur were between the working shown. The audience numbered about fifty, principally women and shown. The audience numbered about fifty, principally women and shown. The audience numbered ince, and after this meeting I will ask you to see what a splendid show it is only a little bit of the show this year at Westminster, but I think you will find it very interesting. Now, as regards the question of raising money.

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Member for Islands Spoken of if New Portfolio Is Created.

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works department, The chief commissioner of lands and works when questioned on the subject this morning intimated that the idea

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Lord Roberts Will Inaugurate Fund for the Destitute.

London, Jan. 15.-Public opinion has cently been stirred by newspapers of veterans of the Crimea and the Inof veterans of the Crimea and the Indian Mutiny who are destitute, many'
of them being in workhouses. Field
Marshal Lord Roberts now announces,
the inauguration of a relief fund to insure weekly allowances to the veterans,
enabling them to spend their last years
in comfort, and appeals for subscriptions. King Edward has consented to
be the patron of the fund, and opens
the list with a subscription of 1,000 the list with a subscription of 1,000

"BEWARE OF GOBBLERS."

Toronto, Jan. 15 .- A motion to con

Perfection Cream Sodas

Tallway board, which has power itself to commit for contempt.

JAPAN'S AMBASSADOR TO U. 5.

Rome, Jan. 15.—Baron Korogo Takshira was soing to leave Rome.

Tara, Ont., Jan. 15.—Solomon Woods was sentenced to two months' impurisonment and \$100 fine on a charge of bigamy.

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### TO PRESERVE HISTORIC SITE

CANADIAN CLUBS AND PLAINS OF ABRAHAM

Speech Before Large Audience at Ottawa.

towards a plan by which Canadian clubs throughout warding the proposal outlined by His tion in August next of the tercentennection therewith of the historic and Ste. Foyle, in that city. The nucleus of a central committee drawn from various Canadian clubs was appointed to co-operate with another larger body in charge of the general details of the Quebec memorial project. William Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R., also president of the Canadian club, Winnipeg, has been appointed chairman of this has been appointed chairman of this central committee. Hammett P. Phill, president of the Canadian club, Ottawa, was chosen as vice-chairman, and Gerald H. Brown, of Ottawa, honorary

Gerald H. Brown, or or secretary.

The conference, which was made up of representatives of almost all the was highly excitable and irritable. Once the passed the witness; he was mutter-toria, was presided over by. William Whyte, and was entirely unanimous in its approval of the project. The following resolutions were unanimously carried:

"This is awful." Baggan said Thaw finally asked him to have a package put in the safe.

"What was in the package?" asked Mr. Littleton.

"Three eigsrettes wrapped in tinfoll."

of the Canadian club of Hamilton, secof the Canadian club of Hamilton, seconded by R. F. Surveyer, of the Canasian club of Montreal: "That this conference of representatives of Canadian club of Canada heartily approves of the principle of acquiring, the Quebec battlefields as a national park for memorial of the heroes of France and Great Britain, who rendered the locality forever illustrious by their valor, and whose races, anciently descended had known Thaw for fourteen years, and whose races, anciently descended had known Thaw for fourteen years, and whose races, anciently descended had appear and the same of the club rooms every day.

"As irrational" Ity forever illustrious by their valor, and whose races, anciently descended from allied stocks, have founded and formed the united Canadian people."

Moved by John Campbell, of the Canadian club of Toronto, seconded by W. C. Sterns, of the Canadian club and John B. Gleason, one of the counsel of Hamilton. "That the various Canadian to Thaw at the first trial. At other from allied stocks, nave rounded and formed the united Canadian people."

Moved by John Campbell, of the Canadian club of Toronto, seconded by W. C. Sterns, of the Canadian club of Hamilton: "That the various Canadian clubs throughout Canada are recommended to show their suproval of commended to show their approval of the plan to acquire the Quebec battle-field us a national park by stimulating public interest in and support of the project, and that the individual clubs be left to decide upon the details of action they may deem best in their own localities."

Resolved: "That a central commit-tee be formed of representatives of the various Canadian clubs throughout Canada to co-operate with any larger body having charge of the general de-tails of the project, and that the fol-lowing gentlemen compose the commit-tee, with power to add to their num-bers: Chairman, William Whyte, Cana-dian club, Winniper: vice-chairman, dian club, Winnipeg; vice-chairman, Hammett P. Phill, Canadian club, Ot-Hammett P. Phill, Canadian club, Ot-tawa; honorary secretary, Gerald H.

tawa; honorary secretary, Gerald H. Brown, Canadian citb. Ottawa."

A motion thanking the governor-general for inaugurating the movement was also adopted.

At a largely attended meeting held in the Russell house in the evening in

sectioon with the same project, Earl Grey, after congratulating the clubs on their spirit and the action they had taken in the movement, thanked them and especially the Canadian club of Edmonton for their most welcome assistance, and the support they had given and were giving in response to his appeal to celebrate the approaching Champlain tercentenary by rescu-ing the famous battlefields of Quebec rom the present neglect.

It was a movement in which there

It was a movement in which there was no party, sectarian or sectional. It has been agreed that there was no better way of doing honor to what might roughly be regarded as the 300th birthroughly be regarded as the 300th birth-day of Canada than the nationalization of the battlefields of Quebec. The im-mortal associations which clung round them were the precious inheritance of Englishmen, Scotsmen, Irishmen and Frenchmen. Another aspect especially dear was the fact that on these fields Franch and British assessments. Franch and British parentage gave birth to the Canadian nation. To-day the inhabitants of the Dominson were neither French nor English. They were Canadian. Every well-informed Briton had a personal interest in the Plains of Abraham, where the corner stone of Greater Britain was laft. He might say the same of every well-informed American. It was known that the

American. It was known that the battlefield of 1759 was the parchment on which in 1775 the Declaration of Independence was inscribed.

He had proposed that a statue of peace be erected at the edge of Citadel rock, Quebec, where it would be the first object visible to incoming vessels on rounding the point of the Isle of Orleans. He hoped that the government would make sure that this proposed statue should be worthy of its great position, of Canada and the crown. The statute must not be banal or vulgar with flowing windy draperies, Toronto, Jan. 15.—A motion to commit W. H. Greenwood, managing editor of the World, for contempt of court for publishing an article headed "Beware of Gobblers," commenting on the action of the Ontario railway board in the street railway trouble in Toronto Junction, was heard by Justice Riddeli this morning. His ordship reserved judgment, considering the whole case a question of judgment, considering the whole case a question of judgment, considering the whole case a question of judgment. The base of the state can be represented by different phases of Canadian life. He hoped every, Canadian boy would be taught that by paying a feet whole case a question of judgment considering the whole case a question of judgment. The base of the state can be represented by different phases of Canadian life. He hoped every, Canadian low the could commit for contempt.

The witness was sure it was not, because Miss Nesbitt had put in several that day herself, one, the witness and the defendant was board but in several that day herself, one, the witness was called for the stand. Dr. Wood as microwant as though blessing incoming ships, or the witness was sure it was not, because Miss Nesbitt had put in several that day herself, one, the witness was called for the witness and the defendant was board but in the morning after she left, the 75 calls were put in?" asked but the witness and the defendant was benjamin Thaw.

Dr. Horatio C. Wood, of Philadelphia, was called for the witness was to Burr McIntosh.

Mrs. Carolyn Lowery and Wm. A. Johnson, newapaper writers, who with the stand that Thaw Impressed the tragedy, declared in turn upsulting the case of the stand that Thay impressed the tragedy declared in turn upsulting the case of the state of the stand that Thay in the case of the state o

## SAID THAW HAD PECULIAR STARE

BUTLER TELLS OF MANY ECCENTRICITIES

Earl Grey Delivered Patriotic Phalanx of Evidence to Show Roof Garden Murderer Was Insane.

> entirely new to the case, testified at the trial of Harry K. Thaw to-day, and told stories of his recent eccentricities dur-ing the years immediately preceding the killing of Stanford White. They all declared he impressed them as be-

> ing irrational.
>
> The most interesting testing that of Christopher Baggan, a steward of the New York Whist Club, who told of Thaw's doings the day of the tragedy and who, under cross-examination by District Attorney Jerome, gave amusing details of the whist game in which Thaw and several men of prom-

inence participated.

The first witness to be heard told of in the club on June 20th, 1996, just five days before the roofgarden tragedy. Although the day was hot Thaw insisted on taking a screen with him wherever he went about the rooms. He was highly excitable and irrigible.

"Three eigarettes wrapped in tinfoil."
Thaw's witness said he had a peculiar stare. A telephone message came for

to Thaw at the first trial. At other times, he said Gates and Mr. Schwab

times, he said dates and Mr. Schwab were present.

"But they always appeared calm, dirt they?" asked Mr. Jerome, "Yes."

"And Thaw was nervous?"

"I don't know."
"Haven't you any idea?"
"No, sir, I am not supposed to have
iny."

"I know you are not supposed to have any, but as a matter of fact, haven't

"The rules forbid playing for money,

"Did Thaw and his party have anything to drink on June 25th?"
"Oh, yes, all sorts of mineral waters,"

"And what else?" "Nothing, unless they had it with them. We don't serve anything but mineral waters at the club, sir."
"But every member has a locker?"
"Yes, sir."

"And they keep all they want in the

"Yes, sir, I guess so."

"And drinks were served from the lockers that day?"

"I really den't know, sir."

"Thaw understood the game of bridge whist, didn't he?"

"Yes, sir."

"And played with the best members?"
"Yes, sir."
"And how did he fare generally; to
old his own?"

"I guess so, sir."
The witness said Thaw had been more The witness sau Thaw had been more or less nervous ever since he had known him. He was calmer when playing bridge than at any other time. Thaw was at the telephone for the better part of an hour the day of the tragedy, and the witness heard him repeat: "This is awful." Thaw's nervousness increased noticeably during the last years the witness knew him. Miss Mathilda Stein, who was a tele-

he knew Thaw under the nam Parr. She had often seen him, and his eyes were always staring and bulging. His manner was irrational. One morning Thaw put in 75 telephones calls in less than three hours. One morning he ordered his breakfast three times 'In

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"No, sir." said the witness. Henry W. Schmall, another member of the coroner's Jury, also testified as to defendant's irrationality. They all said the jurors discussed Thaw's men tal condition after rendering their ver-

phone operator at the Grand hotel in 1903 and 1904, when Thaw was a guest there, was the next witness. She said she knew Thaw was a successful property of a surprise by asking the witness that the had read District Attorney Jerome's comments on the said she knew Thaw washes the said she knew Thaw washes the said she knew Thaw washes the said she washes the washes the said she washes the said she washes the said she washes the washes the washes the said she washes the washes

piled in the affirmative.
"Did my remarks influence your judg-ment?" demanded Jerome "In a way they did," said Schmall,

The luncheon recess was here taken Alfred Lee Thaw, of Richmond, Va.



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#### THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

We gather from a digest of the tion disposes. It is not at all likely that an experimental office on the constitution ander the leadership of when one is run down from too, when one is run down from too. When one is run down from too, when one is run down from too. When one is r ecessity for its enactment.

ence to the irrigation of the rich lands of the dry belt in the great interior of the province. With the principle of such the province. With the principle of such the province of the principle of such that the the province. With the province of the season of the opposition must be fully in accord, because the leader of the opposition was the first member of the tween beats," and private business and House to point but the certain effects public duties could be kept at a full portant of British Columbia's indus- thing about avoidance of the energation tries, agriculture and horficulture. Irriing climate of Victoria. The Attorgation of the dry belt is not the least important part of the policy of the Liberal party. It is the details of the easure which will be subjected to nealthy criticism.

It is hinted that something will he provide for surveys of provincial lands available for settlement. This is another subject which has been frequently forced upon the attention of nent by the opposition. cry has been raised occasionally that British Columbia has been discriminated against as compared with the other provinces in the matter of immi ration. What has been done to provide for and accommodate immigrants of the agricultural class when they one of them ever obtained any information from the source which ought to be the fountain of information. If any intain in the hope of satisfying himself, he was practically told the proince was wide and he could go forth and help himself provided he could find anything to which speculators had not previously helped themselves. Briish Columbia ought to be the most attractive province in the Dominion for ninigrants. Our climate is unsurpassed, our products of a superior variety, our market unlimited, our prices unequalled. We have every possible inducement for settlers except the essential thing—land to put them on when they get here. In other provinces timmigrants have simply to go in and sit down upon homesteads already sursite do no cost save the first cost of transportation. Is it any wonder immigrants have not been attracted here, or when attracted have gone to other provinces surely time for a change, and we hope something effective will be done to Angle-American" wants to know: remedy this state of affairs as promised in the speech.

Various other measures are proall tending to greate an impression that fact? the McBride government is at last going to revise its policy of simply increasing taxes, sitting tight and calling attention to the progress of the alien who becomes a naturalized citiseems to have made up its mind at last quently returns to his mative land to to attempt something of a really con-structive character. Great public works American citizenship. Take the case will have to be undertaken during the of a Briton who has taken the oath next few years, we are confident- of allegiance to the United States, tion of such a possibility additional ance to the King of Great Britain. tion of such a possibility additional ance to the King of Great Britain: wife of James Goldie, a well known revenue must be raised. Does this "This man lives in the United States dour miller, is dead, aged 84. tain anything that can be construed as England to make his home, as so of interest to the present generation? many do. What is he, Briton or The next few years is such an in-definite period that all we can do is British nationality, if he really lost it wait and see what the government by his American naturalization? Does policy respecting great public works he have to take out naturalization pa-

sessional programme will not be alludbeen born in Great Britain?

ed to in the Speech from the Throne, it will not constitute a number at all if once a Briton always a Briton, and Premier McBride can find any rule or order under which it can be shelved. the Lieut-Governor for the disallow- comed by same."

ance of, Mr. Bowser's so-called Natal A well-known K. C., interviewed in Bride could have revealed any circum- exception. Since then any British sul or the sacred oath of office. This is the whatever the American law may be feature of the legislative programme "His only way of becoming a Brit-

OVERWORKED MINISTERS.

lature this afternoon that the ministers Governor this afternoon on the open-ministers. The Premier was looking term of the council being elected to-ing of the egislature that it is not the quite toll-worn just previous to his ining of the legislature that it is not the intention of the government to submit a very extensive programme for the consideration of the members. The Pinance Minister says he hopes for an expeditious discharge of business and an early adjournment. But the best-laid schmes of men, as well as of mice, "gang aft agley." In fact, parliaments "gang aft agley." In fact, parliaments age, "The osonic from the briny water of the guist are substantial schmes of men, as well as of mice, "gang aft agley." In fact, parliaments "The osonic from the briny water of the guist are substantial schmes of men, as well as a condition of affairs which cannot but be beneficial to the city. We hope the increased interest will be a sustained, permanent feature in connection with the administration of our municipal afairs.

Canada appears to be the only coungovernment proposes and the opposition disposes. It is not at all likely that
the disposes. It is not at all likely that
tellect and brace up the constitution on the benefit to business. The New York World says

ecessity for its enactment.

Probably the most important matter comment of Vancouver at least two foreshadowed in the speech has reference to the irrigation of the rich lands scheme upon the most im- head of steam all the time, to say noney-General, as anyone will agree who ontemplates his obvious loss of avoirdupois, needs more leisure. If we hope

Lands and Works as a consequence of a cruel curtailment of his visits to the golf links; upon the change in the appearance of the jocund countenance the Minister of Finance, the heels of whose favorite steed have become almost fiery on account of lack of daily exercise; or upon the worried look of come here looking for homesteads? Not know, unless it be the framing of Unione in search of land went to this and the imposition of an eight-hour

A "Perplexed Anglo-American" re siding in Christchurch, New Zealand, sit down upon homesteads already surveyed and prepared for them. There is

years than in any other section of the
2 to 5 o'clock.

Musical Entertainment on Friday Evening Will Be of Excellent Quality. Empire. Possibly thousands of Canadians have gone to the United States. where the conditions are all in their cherishing the belief that their status favor, and not against them? It is as Britons has not been affected by

and the swelling revenue. It zen of the United States, and subseinformed, and that in anticipa- and has expressly renounced allegi-

newhat enigmatical statement con- for many years, and finally returns to really means.

The most interesting number on the naturalized or native subject, having

sthe interesting point as to the subject to expatriate himself. Any stillity of the chief adviser of authoritative statement would be wel-

There is a mystery about the London, said: "By the Naturalizataion death of that inert bill which has never Act, 1870, if was made possible for a been dealt with frankly by the Premier. British subject to divest himself of We doubt very much whether the his British nationality. Before the House will get a satisfactory explanation, because we know that if Mr. Me. Nemo potest exwere patriam, knew no stance which would have placed him-self in a favorable light such a revela-ted States ceases to be a British subtion would have been made long ago, ject. On his return he is an American and regardless of constitutional usages citizen in the eyes of the British law,

The Daily Times that will give gest to the proceedings is subject is by taking out naturalization papers. In law he would then tion papers. In law he would then become a naturalized British subject. though grammatically he would be both naturalized and native-born.

We gather from a suggestion dropped especting the speech read in the Legiscity has so deep an interest been taken are working more than eight hours a in a municipal election. Whoever may tay thus doing violence to one of the have the fortune to be chosen as laws of the union. In order to effect Mayor, or whatever the composition of aws of the union. It is a salutary reform the department of Lands and Works is to be cleft in the council may be, the chief magistrate and his aldermanic board may rest comfortably in the assurance that pointed. The people of this province every act of the council during the are not hard task-masters. They will be watched more keenly than agree with us that there is ample evi- ever before. This in itself is a guardence of the burdens of state sitting antee that the various important mattoo heavily upon the shoulders of the ters to receive consideration during the

fortunates who have to do with the discussion of political affairs. The House is in session-but Mr. Howser is also again in our midst.

-The government wires to Carmanah s and Communication Farly this mornin

The lucky number in the drawing for the thoroughbred mare Ermiss, with buggy and harness was No. 142 which was held by W. J. Walker, of

J. Lake, managing director of the to retain his absolutely necessary ser-vices, the membership of the cabinet present in the old country superintend-We might enlarge upon the physical received to-day by the Victoria agent, Mr. Lake states that the Carlboo will Victoria during the latter

-On Sunday, Jan. 12th, in All Saints' On Sunday, Jan. 12th, in All Saints church, Alberni, the rector, Rev. J. H. Wimberley, by authority of the Bishop of Columbia, dedicated the stained glass windows in memory of the late Dr. Watson, his son, Edward Watson, exercise: or upon the worried look of the Minister of Education, whose favorite form of recreation we do not know unless it be the framing of University Bills, but we think we have and Percy Bayne.

gone far enough to demonstrate the necessity of an addition to the cabinet and the imposition of an eight-hour day upon all its members, with not less than two weeks holidays every month. We believe Comrade Hawthornthwaite intends to introduce a resolution covering the subject of this timely discourse.

ABOUT NATURALIZATION.

—Last Monday evening nominations for reeve and counciliors for the municipality of North Cowichan were selected by acclamation to replace H. Bonsall, who replaced H. Fry. C. E. Aitken was re-elected for Cominken. John Evans and Islay J. Mutter were nominated for Somenos, and H. Keast and R. H. Whidden were nominated for Quamichan.

-On Monday evening, January 20th, the diningroom of the Empress hotel will be opened, when a table d'dhote

#### PERSONAL

adians have gone to the United States, become naturalized citizens of Uncle Sam's domains, and returned home cherishing the belief that their status as Britons has not been affected by what they have done. "Perplexed Anglo-American" wants to know:

"Does a British-born subject who becomes naturalized in fact?

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Mrs. (Judge) Harrison leaves for South ern California to-morrow by the N. P. R for the winter. Miss Harrison and Mas ter Harrison accompany her.

GUELPH RESIDENT DEAD.

Guelph, Ont., Jan. 16.-Mrs. Goldle,

COAL DISCOVERIES

IN BULKLEY VALLEY

Probably never in the history of the Exploratory Work Carried Out in Dominion During Past Year.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—A summary report of the geological survey for the past year has been presented to parliament. It is a record of exploratory work conducted by the officers of survey in every part of Canada during the last summer's season.

D. D. Calrus spect, the summer in the Yukon and found coal in a number of places along Lake Labarge, Lewis river, and its tributaries, the Teslin, and Big Salmon rivers. Extensive coal discoveries are also reported by W. W. Leach, who spent the summer in Bulk-

discoveries are also reported by W. W., Leach, who spent the summer in Bulk-ley Valley, B. C.

D. B. Dowling spent the season ex-amining the coal areas north of Sas-katchewan, when workable seams were discovered on the south branch of the Brazeau, giving a total of 66 feet 4 inches, Only about half of the measures were reconsisted and Mr. Dowling

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—The inconor-anda exchanged between the government of Japan and Can-ada and the Lemieux arrange-ments regarding Japanese immigration are satisfactory countries. Hon. R. made an ampuncement in the House on Tuesday that the as-surances of Japan for the en-forcement of restrictions were acceptable.

LORD RECTOR OF ST. ANDREW'S

Lord Avebury Installed in Position Formerly Held by Mr. Carnegie.

St. Andrew's, Scotland, Jan. 16.- Lore St. Andrew's Scottand, Jan. 18. Lord Avebury was to day installed Lord Rector of St. Andrew's University in succession to Andrew Carnegie. He was elected on November 1st. Mr. Carnegie withdrawing.

Carnegie withdrawing.
In an address of thanks for his election the new Lord Rector eulogized
Mr. Carnegie, referring to him as a
"great captain of industry who had retired to employ his vast fortune, not in
luxury and ostentation, but in the
noble object of raising the status and adding to the happiness of man.

DARING HOLD-UP. Money Within Sight of Police

Station.

(Special to the Times) Vancouver, Jan. 18. Harry Stevens, a bank elerk, and D. B. Hanna, were held up early this morning at the corner of Hastings street and Westminster avenue by two masked men armed with re-

volvers.

The young men were forced to give up their gold watches and twelve dollars in cash. The hold-up occurred on a prominent corner within one block of the police station.

PARFITT BROS. GET CONTRACT.

(Special to the Times),
Ottawa, Jan. 16.—The contract for the
public building at Ladysmith has been
awarded to Parint Bross, of Victorie, for
SERASS. There were three tenders and all

HIGH-CLASS CONCERT.

On Friday evening in the Victoria the

—It is reported in government circles that Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney-general, will during the present session of the legislature introduce legislation dealing with immigration along the lines of the Natal Act.

-The vote on the contest for mayor wife of James Goldie, a well known dour miller, is dead, aged 84.

WITH INTENT TO KILL.

Toronto, Jan. 16.—Jas. Hunter has been sent up for trial on a charge of shooting at W. O. Chute, a tailor, with latent to kill. He was admitted to ball.

The vote on the contest for mayor of the city has not been a heavy one up to the time of going to press. Only about 1,300 votes had been cast up to that time. It is expected that there will be a large rush upon the polling places this afternoon and evening. The Times, as the ballots are being counted, will bulletin the returns in front of the office.

## SPENCER'S FRIDAY BARCAIN NEWS

### Good News From the Men's Store Men's Sample Overcoats, Made to Sell at \$25 Your Choice To-morrow \$13.75

To-morrow we are placing on sale a special purchase of MEN'S HIGH-GRADE SAMPLE OVERCOATS. These are exceptionally fine garments, and are the cream of the market. They are made of tweeds, cravenettes, in full length, three-quarter and topper styles, and were made to sell regular at \$25.00. They are all strictly high grade; and embody all the latest style and good tailoring that one could wish for. Your choice to-morrow \$13.75

### Men's Overcoats, Reg. \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

Extra Special To-morrow \$5.00

Just think of it, getting an overcoat for \$5.00! Why, the price we are selling them at would not pay for the material, not counting labor, etc., but owing to each lot being of a small number we have decided to clear them out regardless of what they cost. They are made of good quality tweeds, cravenettes, etc., and of the latest style. Regular \$10.00 to \$5.00 \$15.00. Extra special to-morrow, each.

# Seven Big Sale Leaders Are These:

Ladies' Hip-Length Coat

Regular \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00 Each, To-morrow \$5.00

These hip length coats are made of very fine quality broadcloths, in the very latest styles, including tight and semi-fitting, in colors of red and black, and will undoubtedly leave the store in a rush to-morrow at this price. The regular prices were \$12.50, \$13.50 \$5.00 and \$15.00. To-morrow.

#### Ladies' Carcul and Broadcloth Coats

Regular \$25.00 and \$27.50. To-morrow \$10.00

Another exceptional offering for the ladies. This lot includes Ladies' Black Carcul Coats. (imitation fur) and trimmed with stitched straps of broadcloth, also some black broadcloths in tight-fitting styles in seven-eighth lengths. The regular values of these splendid cloths in tight-fitting styles in seven-eighth lengths. The regions wearables was \$25.00 and \$27.50, but for to-morrow they are marked at \$10.00

### Ladies' 3-4 and 7-8 Coats at Half and Less

Regular \$30.00 to \$37.50. To-morrow \$15.00

This lot includes a splendid assortment of Ladies' Three-quarter and % length Coats, made of extra good quality shadow plaids and broadcloths, in colors of black, blue and brown, with semi and box backs, double-breasted, with outside pockets, some in plain styles, others with kimona sleeve. Regular values \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$37.50. '\$45.00 To-morrow......\$15.00

### Ladies' High-Grade Carcul & Broadcloth Coats

Regular Values \$40.00 up to \$65.00. To-morrow \$25.00

These are all strictly high grade coats, in chiffon finished broadcloths and carcul, in threequarter and seven-eighth lengths, lined throughout with satin, box and seini-fitting backs, kimona sleeves, finished with stitched straps and silk braid, in colors of black, red. fawn 

#### Ladies' Walking Skirts Reg. \$8.50 to \$12.50 for \$4.75

These are in tweed mixtures and plain col-ors. All the very latest styles of pleated skirts included in this lot. To-\$4.75 morrow, at.....

#### Ladies' Walking Skirts Reg. \$2.50 to \$3.00 To-morrow for \$1.50

These are a specially fine line of Walking Skirts, and are in light and dark \$1.50 grey; \$2.50 to \$3.00, for....

### Ladies' Fine Walking Skirts at Half Price

Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 Each. Extra Special To-morrow, Each, \$2.50

These are splendid skirts, are made of extra good quality material, and are splendid bargains. They come in shades of fawn, grey, and black and white mixtures, full pleated \$2.50 with trimmings of stitched straps; regular \$4.50 and \$5.00. To-morrow....\$2.50

#### OTHER BARGAINS FOR TO-MORROW

MEN'S COLORED AND WHITE SHIRTS; regular values \$1.00 to \$1.50. To

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS; regular values \$1.25 to \$1.75. To-morrow .... 750 MEN'S FINE LINEN COLLARS; regular price \$1.50 and \$2.00 doz. To-morro

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS; regular per dozen \$4.00. To-morrow .......\$2.00 MEN'S SUSPENDERS; regular values \$1. To-morrow ..... MEN'S WORKING BRACES, 25c, for 15c MEN'S STRIPE UNDERWEAR; values 35c, for .... MEN'S NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR

regular 50c, for ..... MEN'S NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR regular 75c, for .. MEN'S ELASTIC RIB UNDERWEAR; reg-ular value \$1.25. To-morrow....\$1.00

ue \$2.00. To-morrow......\$1,35 MEN'S WORSTED SOCKS; regular 25c. BOYS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS; regular value

MEN'S UNLAUNDERED WHITE SHIRTS; CHILDREN'S UNDERVESTS, wool lamb; regular values 35c and 40c. To-morrow

50c. To-morrow.....

CH.LDREII'S UNDERVESTS, sizes 47; regular value 45c to 60c. To-morrow

LADIES' VESTS AND DRAWERS; regular values 75c. To-morrow..........35c SPECIAL BARGAINS IN NEW FICTION; regular \$1.25 and \$1.00, for ..... 75c BOYS' AND GIRLS' BOOKS; regular 

#### Special Sale of Beautiful Laces To-morrow ALL OVER LACES GO DOWN

To-morrow offers rare opportunities to get beautiful laces at a great saving; regular values were 15c to 75c per yard 35c To-morrow 10c, 15c, 25c and 35c

The regular value of these lovely laces were from 75c up to \$4.50 per yard, but for to-morrow we have reduced them down to prices ranging from \$2.50 50c

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### Local News

-Hats are going; no wonder; when sold at haif price, at the Elite.

-Lots of help for the ladies at the -Be sure to come to the rink to-night

and see Monohan, the world's greates skater, Plenty of good seats provided. English honeycomb towels, size 20 inches x 30 inches; white with neat striped border. Special sale price, 10c. each; 3 for 25c. Robinson's Cash Store, 86 Yates street.

For sale Dry beach wood, de-livered to any address for \$4 per cord. E. A. Wilson. Telephone 290.

-William Hodge, of Belleville street, vas on Tuesday kicked by a horse, sustaining rather severe injuries, and as onsequence he is laid up for a week

—Any one interested in phrenology should not fall to attend the meeting of the Phrenological Society in the Y.
M. C. A. rooms this evening at 8 p.m.

of applications where those having paid poil tax and producing proof were permitted to vote. Fully two score made application. Magistrate Jay granted a number

-Alphonso Roy appeared in the poce court this morning to answer the charge of causing a disturbance on the C.P.R. wharf on the 14th inst. The lawyers were too busy, so the case was shelved until to-morrow. Roy is out on his own recognizance.

-Remember Mr. Monohan at the rink to-morrow night. Do not miss

-Mr. Arnold, Y.M.C.A. religious work director of Washington, D.C., who is visiting to-day with A. J. Brace of the local Y.M.C.A., and leaves tocorrow to attend the Washington state convention of Y.M.C.A.'s, took tea last night with the mid-week social club at line local association rooms. About 25 men sat down to the board with him. After tea he gave an interesting and helpful address on the general work and a discussion followed.

#### OAK BAY ELECTION FIXED FOR SATURDAY

Residents in One Ward Vote on Council-By-Law Before the People.

re Ward at Oak Bay will take place on Saturday next in a shed on the corner of Monterey avenue and Oak Bay avenue, ear Robinson's store. There are three candidates from which to choose two ouncillors. Of the candidates it is diffi-ult to say too much. Councillor Noble has done some excellent work for the municipality, giving a great deal of his time and getting little praise in return. Coun-cillor Fernie is one of those unassuming men who talk little, but who do a good Mr. Arnold has not yet been proved, but he may be useful if given the opportunity. It was expected that there would have been no election, but an unexpected opposition developed at the annual meeting, the dissatisfied ones bringing out Mr. Arnold as their candidate.

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Besides the election for councillor there are two by-laws before the electors. The principal of these is the one which proposes to purchase the piece of property from the city of Victoria at the back of the Old Men's Home, extending from Hampshire road to Cranmore road. It was at one time proposed to erect the municipal buildings on this plot, but the electors chose the property which has already been purchased from Femberton & Son. The by-law was introduced at the instance of Councillor Henderson.

PERSONAL

Miss Anderson, formerly of Duluth, has taken up her residence in Victoria. She is making her home with her uncle, Anthony Anderson, Pandora street. Miss Anderson is a nurse of wide experience in the city of Duluth, and will follow her profession here.

Judge Young, who has, with Mrz. Young, been spending the winter in Vic-toria, will return to Atlin on February 8th.

Thomas Teeson, an old-timer from Al-berni, is in town, spending a few days at the Balmoral.

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Juo. W. E. Laker and W. Wright, of the sable ship Resider, are staying at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blygh, of Vancouver, are in town, staying at the Balmineral.

### Something Good and Tasty

 I want for Breakfast is always the cry.
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 FRESH CAMBRIDGE SAUSAGE, per lb.
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 SMOKED HALIBUT, per lb.
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ROSS BAY CEMETERY

Funeral of the Late Hon. G. A. Walker Held Yesterday Afternoon

The remains of the late Hon. George A. Walkem were laid at rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon. Proceeding from his late residence, Mapiehurst, to Christ Church Cathedral, services were conducted there by Rev. Canon Beanlands.

hymns, "I heard the voice of Jesus Say" and 'Lead Kindly Light." The pallbearers were as follows

Hon, Chief Justice Hunter, Hon, Mr Justice Irving, Hon. Richard McBride, Capt. the Hon. R. G. Tatlow, Major Du-

pont and George Gillesple.

The attendance was very large, including the Lieut.-Governor, Hon.
James Dunsmuir, the members of the Supreme court and the many friends of the deceased jurist and public man.

-Monohan. Three hundred extra seats prepared for you at the rink. Come and use one to-night.

January sale Striped flannelettes, January sale Striped Hannetettes, 30 inches wide, in good washing color-ings. Regular 12½. Sale price 8½c.; 12 yards for \$1. Robinson's Cash Store, 86 Yates street,

-At to morrow night's meeting of Far West Lodge, K. of P., the rank of Knight will be conferred on several candidates in the amplified form. The ball committee will also have a report

-Prizes on view at Wilson Bros., Government street, for masquerade ball January 16th. Spectators' admission 50 cents.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office,
Sith to 14th January, 1998.

During the first portion of this week
the weather was for the most part over
cast and considerable rain fell both on
Vencouver Island and the Lower Mainland, During this period the barometer
was unusually high to the southward or
this and low along the Coast and over
Northern British Columbia. On Saturday,
lith, these conditions were reversed and
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Coast. On Monday, 13th, an ocean storm
area spread highned over this province, accompanied by strong southerly winds and
heavy rains west of the Cascades, while
in Cariboo and Kootenay snow fell. This
disturbance was followed by another fair
spell which continued until the close of
the week.

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CHURCH WEDDING.

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Don't forget the masquerade ball Thursday, January 16th, A. Dawson—Snow, 1.20 inches; highest temperature, 32 on 9th and 10th; lowest, 5 on weather, part cloudy.

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Dawson—Snow, 1.20 inches; highest temperature, 4 on 10th; lowest, 35 below on 10th.

To protect the interests of unfamilied "The Bachelor" is to be published at Prague.

LOCAL SLATE HAS

ARRIVED IN CITY

Very Extensive Quarries Have Been Opened on the Coast by Company.

area of six hundred and twenty-five acres, producing a tough, durable slate that ranks with the best in the Weish mines, is now in the bands of the Pamines, is now in the mands of the Pa-cific State Company of Victoria. Prac-tically speaking it is the largest claim in the world, although just opened. The first shipment from the quarries has arrived in Victoria, comprising seven-teen thousand square feet, and the re-sult of the test shows it to be far suinto twenty-four pieces to an inch in thickness. The grade of the slate is thickness. The grade of the state is known as unfading blue black, and it is the first discovery of the kind on the continent of America. The property is situated on Jervis inlet, about eighty miles north of Victoria. It passed into the present holders' hands about a year ago, but in addition to the claim then being worked they secured over three nundred acres more on a le

alia, where at the present time Welsh-tte is used exclusively. The result been that it compares very favor ably with the product of these ancien and will be that contractors will mport the slate from British Columbia An agent of the company is now in the southern continent and trade will soon be started.

The slate mines are a new industry

for the Dominion, and the advantag of the mineral over the shingles for reofing is too apparent to need enumeration. The principal point in its favor at that it is fire proof. So far very little work has been done in developing but as the demand increases improvenent will be made. At the time forty men are engaged in the quarries under the supervision of an experienced man from the Welsh mines. The market for slate he rising rapidly, and the company shortly anticipate putther in heavier machinery and increasing their market of the company shortly anticipate putther in heavier machinery and increasing their market of Rev. Canon Beanlands.

The surpliced choir of the cathedral The prospect is very bright, and Victoria contractors are finding that slate the shingles.

From Australia Appeared Again This Morning, But Case Was Postponed,

Antonio Loschavi, of Sydney, Aus-ralia, appeared in court for the third line this morning on the charge of desertion. With his two girls Loschiavi has been incarcerated for close upon three weeks awaiting the arrival of papers relative to his case from the Land of the Southern Cross. He was arrested upon the arrival of steamer from Australia by the police, who were notified by cable. The authorities of New Sorth Wales were immediately notified a when Loschiavi was taken into custody, but despite the fact that they have ample time to send the necessary several services. necessary papers nothing so far ha

Magistrate Jay had perforce to remand the prisoner until the 23rd inst, SURVEYORS ORGANIZATION.

nnual Meeting Concluded With

Dinner in the Boomerang.

The annual general meeting of the B. Land Surveyors, which was held on uesday as reported in the Times. oncluded with a very pleasant re-

Victoria, Jan. 18.—5 a. m.—An important storm area, centred off Vancouver Island, is causing a strong southerly gale along the Coast from this to the Columbia river. Northhead reports 30 miles an hour. Rain is general west of the Cascades and snow in Cariboo and Koofenay. The weather is mild in Alberta and about zero in Manitoba.

For 35 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong casterly to southerly winds, unsettled with rain.

tion of Manifoha and northward to Prince
Albert.
Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine recorded was 15 hours and 38 minstile; rain, 115 inch, highest temperature,
47.3 on 14th; and lowest 25.5 on 12th.
Vancouyer—Rain. 1.80 inch. highest temperature, 47 on 5th; lowest, 30 on 12th.
New Westminster—Rain. 1.41 inchhighest temperature, 45 on 8th; lowest, 30 on 12th.
Wastminster—Rain. 1.42 inchhighest temperature, 45 on 8th; lowest, 30 on 12th.
Kamloops—Snow, 3.69 inches; highestlemperature, 47 on 5th; lowest, 30 on 12th.
Ramloops—Barometer, 30.9; temperature, 30 minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles 8.E.; rain, 15; weather, rain.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.9; temperature, 30 minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles 8.E.; rain, 15; weather, sow.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.9; temperature, 30; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles W.;
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Edmonton—Barometer, 30.9; temperature, 42 minimum, 32; wind, 30 miles S. E.

Victoria—Barometer, 20.99; temperature, 30 minimum, 32; wind, 30 miles S. E.

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Victoria—Barometer, 20.99; temperature, 42 minimum, 33; wind, 40 miles S. E.

Victoria—Barometer

POULTRY SHOW IS STILL IN PROGRESS

The Exhibits Delighted All Who Attended-Will Close To-Morrow Night.

There was a fairly good attendance the poultry and pet stock show in he market building last night, and all ose who went were loud in their admiration of the exhibit. Local men are taking their quota of prizes, among the winners being pouttry from the yeards of Messrs. Baylls, Wootton. Prior and Blackstock Bros. The Buff Orpington cock shown by S. Y. Wootton as pronounced by the judge to be

the best he had ever seen.

The feature of this show is the fact that every line of poultry is well represented. It might be called a well balanced show, and as most of the exhibitors have had considerable experience in showing block to exceed the control of th lence in showing birds, it naturally folabove the snowing birds, it naturally fols lows that the quality of the stock is above the average. This is in marked contradistinction to the show at Vancouver, where so many of the exhibitors were new at the business and the result was that many of the exhibits were of very inferior quality.

The judging is not yet follehed but rere of very inferior quality.

The judging is not yet finished but the following is the list of additional up to date:

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Buff Plymouth Rock.

Cock-2, Mrs. 8, Perry Mills; 3, W.
Walker, Sapperton.
Cockerel-1, W. Walker; 2, Blackstock
Bros.; 3, Mrs. R. Hamilton.
Hen-1, W. Walker; 2, W. Walker; 3,
W. Walker.
Pillet-1, Blackstock Bros.; 2 and 3, W.
Walker.

Walker, Pens 1, W. Walker; 2 Blackstock Bros.; 3, W. Walker. White Wyands

Cockerel-1, T. R. Pearson; 2, Surpriss Poultry Yards; t. C. Malcolm, Hen-1, Surprise Poultry Yards; 2, W. Densmore; 2, T. R. Pearson, New Cestminster.

Pullets—1 and 2, T. R. Pearson; 3, Sur-rise Poultry Yards.

Pens—1, Surprise Poultry Yards; 2, T.

Pearson; 3, W. H. Densmore.

Buff Wyandottes, ock-2. W. Baylis. Hen-1 and 2, W. Baylis, Pullet-1, W. Baylis, Pen-1, W. Baylis.

Silver Pencilled Wyandottes Cock-1. James Flett. Cockerd-1. A. T. Flett. Hen-1, 2 and 3. James Flett. Pullet-1, James Flett, 2, A. T. Flett.

Silver Laced Wyandottes.

Cock-1. W. Baylis.

Pullet-1, 2 and 3, W. Baylis.

Pen-1, W. Baylis.

Black Wyandottes, Cockerel-1, Jas. Dixon, Hen-1, Jas. Dixon, Columbia Wyandottes,

Cockerel-1, W. Baylis. Pullet-1, W. Baylis. S. C. Rhode Island Reds. S. C. Rhone Island. Jenpings, All prizes taken by Wm. Jenpings, Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, Cock-2 and 3, H. Flemming. Cockerel-1 and 2, J. Taylor; 3, J. J.

ngan. Hen-1, 2 and 3, H. Flen Pullet-1, 2 and 3, R. C. Hall, Pen-1, R. C. Hall; 2, O. B. Ormond, Dark Brahmas, Cock, hen and pullet-W. Walker.

Buff Cochins. Hen-1 and 2, W. Walker. Partridge Cochin Pullet-W. Walker

Buff Orpington. Cock-1, S. L. Wootton; 2, H. D. Reid; Zos. H. D. Reid; 3. J. Wood; 3. S. Y. Wood; 3. S. Y. Wood; 3. S. Y. Wood; 3. S. Y. Wood; 3. H. D. Reid; 3. J. Wood. Pullet-1, 8. Y. Wootton; 2. H. D. Reid; 3. W. Walker.

White Orpington, Hen-I, Mrs. C. M. Rochfort; 2, H. D. teid; 2, Mrs. C. M. Rochfort, Pullet-3, Jas. Dixon.

Black Orplogton Cock-1, S. Y. Wootton; 2, O. Nelson; Cockerel-1, W. N. Mitchell; 2, H. D. Hen-1, H. D. Reid; 2 and 3, S. Y. Pullet-1, A. S. Averill; 2, S. Y. Wootton Blackstock Bros.

Silver Grey Dorkings Cock-3, H. Haggard. Hen-2, H. Haggard. Rose Comb Brown Leghorn. Cock-2, H. D. Reid. Hen-1, 2 and 3, H. D. Reid. Pullet-1, H. D. Reid.

the week.

Light frosts occurred on the Lower Mainland on three days; in Northern British Columbia and in Kootenay the weather has been comparatively mild, and even at Dawson, with the exception of one day, the temperature has not been much below zero.

The weather in the ordinic provinces has also been unusually mild, and only at the close of the weather in the ordinic provinces has also been unusually mild, and only at the close of the week were zero temperatures reported, and then only in a small portion of Manifoba and northward to Prince Albert.

Reports.

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NANAIMO PAPER SUED. Alderman Wishes to Recover \$5,000 for Alleged Libel.

Nanating, Jan. 16. The Bally Free Namino, and the trace of a liber suit for \$5,000 damages entered by Aid.

Forcester, by reason of a letter which appeared over a non de plume in the Free Press recently, and in which flections were east on Ald. Forrest

Christman scens to have first been of served between 180-190 A. D.

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SMALLPOX IN GUELPH?

Guelph. Ont., Jan. 15 .- An expert from Toronto has been su investigate several cases smallpox on the outskirts of the city.

Hard Coughs

EXPLOSION MYSTERIES.

Monongah Jury Recomments U. S. Burehu of Investigation—Ex-onerates Company.

Fairmount, Va., Jan. 15,-Late this afternoon the coroner's jury returned its verdict in connection with the inaster. It finds that the explosion was due to either a blown shot or the ignition of the powder, which in turn ignited the gas in the mine. It finds that there were traces of gas in mines No. 6 and No. 8, but not in dangerous quantities, that the company compiled with all the state regulations and took all reasonable precautions, such as sprinkling for the keeping down of the coal dust, and practically exonerates the Fairmount Coal Company from re-

An old Helgian custom requires the King to stand godfather to every seventh son. At Standen, where one has just been horn, King Leopold was represented at the baptism by the local burgomastes.

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### Sporting

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

PEOPLE'S SHIELD. Vancouver, Jan. 15 - 3 ugby has been Vancouver, Jan. 15.—Lugby has been sanished from Recreation park, but, occer, the scintillating game, the sastine in which open play, speed, ombination, foot defence and vigor are eatured, will occupy the bill there for short period. It will be the venue or the Canadian championship, when he People's Shield is fought for in well and Vancouverites will be able elves on first class football. The local committee has closed the deal which has been negotiating for some little time. The Recreation Park Company found the terms suitable enough and the enclosure will be se-cured for April 18th, 21st, 22rd and 25th, world's championship can be decided in The park is expected to be in a good dry condition, because of the change of season, and it is thought much larger crowds will be secured than if larger crowds will be secured than if the series were played at Brockton-Point. The gates will be pooled and divided according to the traveling ex-penses of the teams figuring in the competition. Already Secretary Ellis has received applications to compete from Kamloops, Revelstoke, Kelowna

from Kamloops, Revelstoke, Kelowna and Nelson, and it is the intention to try and bring teams from Winnipeg. Calgary and eastern Canada. The committee who have the arrangements in hands are Con Jones, B. F. Arm-Mayor Keary, Westminster; J. G. Brown, Victoria, and J. Adams, Lady-

#### RUGBY FOOTBALL. SCREWING THE SCRUM.

it is said that J. C. Barnacle is be-It is said that J. C. Barnacie is be-ing blamed for penalizing the Vancou-ver men for "screwing the scrum." That is ridiculous. Only the day after match Mr. Barnacle in criticizing the match Mr. Barnace in criticians, the game to a Times reporter said that the home team should learn and practice the trick. He teaches his own boys to do it, and now to say that he penalized them for doing so is out of the question. What Principal Barthe question. What Principal Barnacle objected to was picking up the ball in the scrum. That is a different thing altogether. The Vancouver menhave a trick of picking up the ball with their knees, and this is the point that the referee would not allow. Vancouver has appealed to England for a devision and it is fairly certain that they

GAME AT NANAIMO.

The team picked to meet Nanaimo The team picked to meet Nanaimo can hardly be classed as Victoria's the boys had to travel a good deal of the senior team for half the men are intermediates, but all the same they are a likely looking fifteen and will in all probability give a good account of themselves. Victoria is not altogether out of the running even though they have been beaten twice. If they make two wins over Nanaimo and the latter defeat Vancouver twice the home team may make a tie of it. The chances are, however, rather doubtful. Nanaimo will have their strongest possible fifteen on the field so that there will be a big game. The following men will play for either team: Victoria

	Johnston Fullback Snowde
	Thompson Three-quarters Coldcloug
	Bendroit Carruther
١	Erb Taylo
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1	Newcomb Halves Bennet
1	Mason Dixo
	Adams Forwards Roge
	Sweeney Wilso
1	Miller McKenne
1	Spencer Dyke
1	Ceuch Watso
ij	Arbuckle Woodwar
4	Morley Jorda
ł	Alexis Martin or J. Jenkinson of Na
	naimo will referee.

THE RING. JOHNSON IN TORONTO.

Jack Johnson, the colored heavy-weight, gave the sporting writers and a few of the rounders a little more than the stereotyped exhibition bout in Toronio one afternoon recently. And as the populace filed out of the Star after the show they little suspected that the big fighter was going several links faster than usual behind the cur-

a bureau of investigation and information, to aid in the study of the various conditions under which explosions occur and as to how they may be prevented.

The bout showed that Day has not had to exert himself to even a fraction of his ability to win from any of the amateurs, and that his effort against a fast, experienced man like Johnson

The question of the hour in the Irish boxing world, which is not small, is will Jem Roche fight the Canadian. Well, "Barkis is willin," and, indeed, the boy from Wexford is only too ready and anxious to come to terms with the world's champion. Nobody blames Burns, under the circumstances, and his admitted keepness to make as much his admitted keenness to make as much "stuff" as possible during his stay in the British islands, for having with haste fixed up a contest with Jack Palmer. The latter's stake and purse were handy, while even yet the venue for the problematical match between Burns and Roche has not been arranged, No doubt, bar a hitch, this will be all right before March, and then the

world's championship can be decided in the Irish metropolis, the Irish metropolis.

It is believed that there will be no difficulty about a purse of \$5,000, and if the Theatre Royal is eventually decided on as a fit and proper place for the contest this sum will be easily got. The side bet, of course, is all right, so all that will be necessary is that the Irish champion should be in his best form to put up a memorable fight with Noah Brusso.—Dublin Exchange.

CONTESTS AT NEW ORLEANS. New Orleans, La., Jan. 16.—Tommy Devlin, of Phila., knocked out Ralph Kelly, of Boston, in the sixth round

John Regan, of Phila., and Johnny Lynch, of Boston, fought ten rounds

#### BASKETBALL SHAMROCKS AGAIN.

The Shamrock junior basketball team The Shamrock junior basketonii team is still leading in the city-league and the lead has been accentuated by the victory of last night when they beat Emmanuel Baptist juniors by a score of 8 to 6. This victory with the failure of Victoria West to win last night makes it probable that the Shamrocks will win out. The line-up was as fol-

Shamrocks-Guards, O'Rourke and

is nome again. They wen only one match during the tour, but they put up some splendid games and proved themselves formidable opponents. The trip was a rather hard one, for the boys had to travel a good deal of

More interest is being taken in the Phoenix Curling Club this year than inany season since the curling rink was constructed, the list of members for the winter being a lengthy one. A schedule of games has been arranged for January and February, in, which 48 members, or 12 rings, will take part in a competition for a silver cup donated by Pither & Leiser, of Vic. part in a competition for a silver cup donated by Pither & Leiser, of Vic-

toria.

Besides the local contests, games are frequently played with rinks at Green rood, where the game also has many evotees. The ice has been in fine condition of late, all through the soft weather, which has made the lee pe in other places. The members of t to take pare at Nelson beginning January 20th.

The cup donated by the Victoria firm is a hardsome one, resembling the famous Kilmarnoch cup, only smaller.

#### ATHLETICS.

BURN TO RUN AGAIN. Art. Burn, the long-distance runne Art. Burn, the long-distance runner, announces that in order to make sure of a place upon the Canadian Olympic team, he had decided to run in the Boston Marathon race. Burn is considered to be a middle distance runner, but he has done the longer distances and beat a marathon record as far as twenty-three miles when he sprained an ankle.

sponsibility, for the loss of life.

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had to exert himself to even a fraction of his ability to win from any of the amateurs, and that his effort against a fast, experienced man like Johnson—a top-notcher in his profession—was, to say the least of it, extremely meritorious. He took and gave using two hands, and while not as fast as a lightweight, carried his 240 pounds around on fairly nimble pins. He landed in mix-ups at will.

It loosened Johnson up a bit, and he is certainly ciever, with two good hands, a tremendous reach and a good blocking defence. He has evidently a punch which he did not let go, nor did be use his shiftiness to as great an extend as though he had to.

But it opened up the possibilities in the big black, and in action he looks better and more likely even than on

appearances only. He is very thick through the shoulders, with thin, tapering legs that look like speed, but did not show any particular abfilty in that line. And he was good-natured about it, and congratulated Day on his good work.

To Fight Burns.

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#### GENERAL NOTES.

It is with regret that the sporting Marquis of Queensbury rules were adopted or not. The contestants for fistic honors had to do without the formality of a ring, except such as was formed by the surging crowd that surrounded them.

The management of the Y. M. C. A. who were accredited by the morning paper with a five hundred tournament for to-night, wish to disclaim any connection with it. The tournament is doubtless the one that is to take place at the Fernwood hall to-night.

Watt Adam has accepted the chal-lenge of George Paris, of the Van-couver Athletic Club. The match will probably come off in this city in the near future. Paris is said to be a

near future. Paris is said to be a pretty good boxer.

The Portland Journal publishes a picture of the crack rowing crew that represented Portland last year. Among the four is Dillabough, of this city, who they are hoping will return to take his place as number 2.

The big games next Saturday will be played side by side on the Oak Bay

played side by side on the Oak Bay and Y. M. C. A. will play Esquimalt United.

J. B. A. A. junior basketball team plays Victoria West this evening in the James Bay Club gymnasium.

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THE LOST TRIBES.

Subject of British People Being Identified With Israelites to be Studied.

The question of the identity of the critish with the Israelites, the chosen copie of God, is one which is being onsidered in Victoria at the present time. A class is being formed for the purpose of making an investigation, and already application has been made to the Y. M. C. A. for the use of a room

nce a week. The noted preacher Mark Guy Pearse,

which fulfils all these conditions but the British." BOOTH WINS CASE. ,

Toronto, Jan. 15.-In Sprague vs. Scoth, a case arising out of the Can ada Atlantic deal, the action of Mr. Sprague, the assignee of Dr. Seward Webb, of New York, is dismissed, and J. R. Booth's right to the \$250,000 deposit is confirmed according to

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### HOARDED MONEY BEING RELEASED

**TENDENCY TOWARDS** MONETARY EASE

Outlook of Affairs in the United States is Towards improvement.

New York, Jan. 11.—The tendency of affairs in Wall Street is distinctly toward-improvement. Comfidence is reviving and a much greater degree of faccovery has already been established than could possibly have been foretold a month or six weeks ago. This improvement is almost entirely due to favorable developments in the monetary situation. The premium on currency has finally disappeared and rates for time money are steadily declining. Along with this movement there has been a corresponding drop it rates for time money are steadily declining. Along with this movement there has been a corresponding drop it rates for time money are steadily declining. Along with this movement there has been a corresponding drop it rates for time money are steadily declining. Along with this movement there has been a corresponding drop it rates for time money are steadily declining. Along with this movement for the demand for which has much improved.

The derangement in credit is gradually passing away; liquidation has been severe and has had the effect of releasing large sums previously locked upin high-priced securities. The return movement of funds from the interior has fairly begun and will now continue for some time to come. There is an ordinate of "Fruit-a-tives" are fruit Juices in which the medicinal action is greatly intensified by the wonderful process of making them. Tonics and internal antiseptics are also added, and the new compound them made into tablets. "Fruit-a-tives" never fail to cure Irritated Heart. Take them on that for the trouble is own have leading and that the bowels are not ceptular. Indigestion and

severe and has had the effect of releas-ing large sums previously locked up in high-priced securities. The return movement of funds from the interior has fairly begun and will now continue for some time to come. There is an abundance of currency in the interior and a relative scarcity in New York. This is demonstrated by the last na-This is demonstrated by the last na-tional bank statement, which showed that the banks in the central reserve cities in order to belp during the crisis allowed that reserves to decline to \$22,000,000 below legal requirements, while the country banks carried sur-plus reserves of country banks carried sur-plus reserves of country banks. plus reserves of over \$103,000,000. With the return of confidence and the resum-ption of specie payments, there should be a very large influx of these funds book it. New York and other reserve For this reason the deficit in York reserves must be nearly New York reserves must be nearly wiped out, and for some time to come rising averages will probably be the rule. When it is recalled that the increase in circulation during the last twelve months has been \$195,000,000, of which nearly \$70,000,000 was added in Preserving in will be compared that

the offsets which are likely to counter-act any tendency toward excessive monetary case. In the first place, there are many millions of clearing house cartificates to be retired; next, the gov-ernment must be expected to reduce its enormous deposits with the banks at the first favorable opportunity; then the trust companies, which must now submit to similar regulations as the banks when doing a banking business. submit to similar regulations as the banks when doing a banking business, will be compelled to increase their re-serves and carry them in cash. Again, many demands for new capital which were postponed in the last half of 1907 will certainly be forthcoming at the first opportunity. Some of the railroads are in serious need of funds for the completion of improvements which cannot be delayed; and considerable maturities and installments on subscriptions will have to be considerable. scriptions will have to be provided for Finally, any undue ease in money rates would be sure to start an outward movement of gold and thus automati-eally check exceptional weakness in the money market. The monetary outlook, therefore, is decidedly complex; and while the abnormal rates which have prevailed during the last few months

The noted preacher Mark Guy Pearse. In writing to a friend after perusing "The Fuliness of Nations," which deals with this subject, says as follows:
"I must send you a few words from under this giorious stretch of sky and wonderful sunshine, to tell you that I have gone carefully through the book which you were good enough to give me. The study of it has let a flood of light in upon the Scriptures, and I cannot see that anyone can help acknowledging the truth of the argument, supported as It is at every step by Scripture, and giving a meaning and completeness to much that is otherwise confused and almost unmeaning. I agree with the writer that somewhere there must exist this fullness of nations—that the position and characteristics of this fullness of nations are distinct and specific, and that there is no nation which fulfils all these conditions but the British."

prevailed during the last few months succeeded by easier rates, there is no reason for expecting any prompt return to excessive low rates.

There can be no question about the stimulating effect which the change in the money market has had upon securifies. The prospects of the latter, however, are also influenced by other considerations. There has been no important investment buying this season for reasons well understood, and much of the recent advance was, as might be expected, assisted by manipulation. In order to stem the panic many stocks were bought by strong interests, which the latter are now anxious to dispose of at a profit. It is also recognized that the railroad situation is in many respects very unsatisfactory. Already there has been a shrinkage in the volume of traffic and a further contraction is anticipated. Expenses meanwhile are running unavoidably high, and is anticipated. Expenses meanwhile are running unavoidably high, and profits of nearly all of the railroads have suffered a serious diminution. This will be partly counteracted by This will be partly counteracted by a policy of economy and retrenchment, but Wall Street is quite safisfied that we are in for a period of dividend reductions and has apparently discounted that contingency to its present satisductions and has apparently that contingency to its present satisfaction. Two railroad receiverships have been announced and others are anticipated, but these events seem to have little effect upon values. What is now most needed is buying power, and that will develop with the return of confidence.

While the general investment demand While the general investment demand while the general investment demand. You must sleep, or break down. You must sleep, or break down.

While the general investment demand has unquestionably shrunk, owing to the less profitable condition of business and recent conditions of the money market, these is always a reserve of wealthy institutions and individuals feady to invest when confidence begins to revive. The latter have lately been entering the market, and they have bought very freely of high-class bonds, of which the supply is now much reduced, it being impossible to buy any considerable amount except at advanced quotations. Other classes of bonds are also beginning to feet the beneficial effect of this demand. As to stocks, generally show a decided upward ten-

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dency. In view of the recent rise, it dency. In view of the recent rise, it is quite possible that the market may experience temporary setbacks, but, as already stated in these advices, it is important, to remember that the tendencies of the day are towards recuperation, while a year ago they were clearly towards an impending crisis. Our farming and manufacturing classes have been but slightly injured by the panic.

removing weak spots and releasing large sums of capital previously locked rease in circulation during the last we've months has been \$195,000,000 of which nearly \$70,000,000 was added in December, it will be apparent that a pery material increase in the supply of canable funds is imminent at this carrely in the country, the country, the country is timated at over \$270,000,000, are being cleased and will soon be restored into irculation.

Is also to expital previously locked up in pools and syndicates at inflation prices. There has also been much improvement in the commercial situation owing to the easier monetary situation.

A good demand for commercial paper now exists at more reasonable rates, and sound concerns have little or no difficulty in renewing obligations, the extension of which a month ago threatened is serious commercial difficulties. Another favorable, factor, was added in prices. There has also been much improvement in the commercial situation owing to the easier monetary situation of wing to the easier monetary situation of the country, and good and for commercial paper now exists at more reasonable rates, and sound concerns have little or no difficulty in renewing obligations, the extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month ago threatened and concerns have little or no extension of which a month estimated at over \$270,000,000, are being released and will soon be restored into circulation.

In short, we are rapidly running into a peroid when the supply of funds will be more nearly sufficient for requirements, in view of lower prices and smaller demands than a year ago. Ordinarily, a redundant currency acts as a great stimulus to stock market values, and no doubt his has been an important element in hastening recovery. It is well, however, to consider some of the offsets which are likely to counteract, any tendency toward excessive

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Dramatic Outcome of Walsh Trial in Chicago Occurred Outside

Chicago, Ills., Jan. 15.—Three shots were fired at S. R. Hamili, one of the attorneys for John R. Walsh, by Mrs. Thos. Metcaffe, in the corridor of the Federal building here late yesterday. The incident occurred outside the courtroom of Judge Anderson, before whom John R. Walsh is on trial on charges of having misapplied the funds of the Chicago National bank. Mr.
Hamill, according to witnesses of the
affair, left the room late in the Atternoon, followed by Mrs. Metcaite. As
he was about to leave the building the woman drew a revolver and fired. Secrecy is being observed about the affair by the federal authorities.

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### AN ALL ROUND DOWNWARD MOVE

WHEAT AND OATS SLUMPING FAST

Eggs and Butter Going Lower -Rhubarb Just Appeared on Market.

There has been an all round slump in prices during the week. This has been expected for some time, but the flurry of Christmas business seems to have kept the prices steady during the holl days and the few preceding weeks Eggs started on their downward course last week and now they are selling at

45 cents a dozen for the fresh ones and 25 cents for the cookers.

The largest downward movement has been in wheat, which has made a sudden dive of \$8 a ton, the price now being from \$30 to \$35 a ton, according to quality. Oats have followed with a drop of \$3, being now \$35 a ton. On the other hand bran and middings have each moved up a dollar.

Butter has joined in the general falling away. It was stated at the time of the rise that butter would resume its old price in February, but the mild weather and the general bearish ten-

weather and the general bearish ten-dency of other products has hastened the time for which housekeepers have been feverently praying.

The first of the rhubarb has just ap-peared on the market. This is very early for the product, and it is very tender. Not month it will be

Dentiful and consequently cheaper.	tender. Next month it will	be more
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### FINAL MEETING OF CAMPAIGN

ALDERMAN HALL MADE A TELLING SPEECH

Room Was Crowded to Its Utmost at Last Gathering Before Election.

Last night's meeting in the city half capped the climax of a campaign which contest has developed most healthful and lusty vigor

ting of hobody in par tit was the meeting of nebody in par-ticular. Every ward was interested, and all the candidates were given op-portunity to speak. The crowd filled every available space in the hall, and when the process of squeezing in had stopped of sheer necessity, the corri-dors and stairways held a large and disappointed representation of the elec-

torate.

It was a good humored crowd. They were not there particularly for instruction. The issues of the campaign had been amply clucidated in ward meetbeen amply elucidated in ward meetings and in newspaper reports. The,
people assembled with an intent, trahsparently predisposed, to participate in
the business of the hour-that of making a noise with the vocal organs—and
their purpose was accomplished with
an effect which was electrifying and
dramatic. An old-timer was heard to An old-timer was heard to dramatic. An old-timer was a say that the closest scrutiny of the municipal political record of past history failed to disclose anything to excel the demonstration of last night.

In the hydro-headed interlocutor represented by the assembled electorate, the propalar suffrage was

presented by the assembled electorate, every aspirant for popular auffrage was more or less toyed with for the people's diversion. But each of them, without exception, was also permitted to show a serious front, and no essay spoken in appeal to the electorate was allowed to pass altogether without thunderous acclaim from the audience.

There was appliance when Mid. Glean and his way onto the paliform

and proposed J. W. Deckying a train-man, and when that gentleman emerg-ed from the crowd in response to a cyclonic endorsation of his chairman-ship, a roar of cheers greeted his ad-vent. Thenceforward the business pro-ceeded with a perfect fairness, but with

good humored hilarity.
"Is Mrs. Jenkins in the hall?" asked chairman. Apparently she was not. the courtesy of allowing first hear-So the courtesy of allowing first hearing to the lady candidate for school trustee was unwittingly balked. It was decreed, however, that the trustees should shoot first in the contest for popular favor. So Mr. Riddell was heard. Mr. Riddell has already served eighteen months as a trustee, and bespoke a forward policy with reference to the need for educational accommodates.

local firms were allowed to tender on the heating contract in Victoria West.

Mayor Morley's advent was inopportune. It came just when the spirit of mischief was awakening in the crowd, who saw the time slipping away without any fun worth while. And just as Mayor Morley hove in sight the itch for making a noise broke out all over the hall. The electors proceeded to debate matters among themselves, but finally matters among themselves, but finally consented to be quiet upon the good-natured announcement from the chairman that Mr. Morley would get a hearing if they had to stay with him till midnight. This awful prospect had an immediate subduing effect, and Mr. Morrey proceeded to go over the topics of the hour as outlined on several or pryed his way onto the paliform of the hour as outlined on several oc-proposed J. W. Beckwith as chair-casions already in the public prints. casions already in the public prints.
And he was cheered too just like the others. The crowd was disposed to cheer when it took the notion just for the sake of doing it. But they were otherwise disposed also, They cordially invited the chairman to take a drink.
They wanted to know if two very They wanted to know if two years was not long enough for any mayor. And then they wrangled over the answer. then they wrangled over the answer, some shouted yes. Others bellowed no. The speech of the Mayor contained some very bitter references to D. R. Ker, Col. Prior and R. L. Drury, who were characterized as bosses, to whose domination Ald. Hall, if elected, would be susceptible. Allegation was made that Mr. Ker had propounced in facer.

know why Mr. Riddell did not see that local firms were allowed to tender on the heating contract in Victoria West.

The heating contract in Victoria West.

Few escape a cold this weather, but, alas! many colds run into catarrh.

Neglected catarrh is the straight gateway to consumption:

So look out—act now—use "Ca-tarrhozone" and be cured! Catarrhozone is a germ-killer—de-

This relieves the cough, the nostrils, clears out the phiegm.
You feel better in an hour.
In a day you're greatly relieved, and
on goes the curing of Catarrhozone till

tone goes right to the spot-acts quick-

ly cures thoroughly catarrh, bron-chitis and all throat affections. Complete two months' treatment for \$1.60, guaranteed. Sample (trial) size. 25c. All dealers, or N. C. Poison & Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and King-

heard. Mr. Ridgelf has already several eighteen months as a trustee, and heteleghteen months as a trustee, and that Mr. Ker had pronounced in favor to Arnish Rock, Stornoway Bay, is a lighthouse without a light. Instead, it. This was disputed by the audience, and the same upon it from a lighthouse on the was required. An auditor wanted to gentleman was apparently not in at-

know why Mr. Riddell did not see that local firms were allowed to tender on the heating contract in Victoria West. But as the trustee's five minutes were nearly exhausted when the question rose, the balance of its times was the balance of the times when the sacretal properties of the profession of the public selected when the suggested that graduates from the public selected in fulling variety which he suggested that graduates from the public selected in fulling variety and the work and the work of the profession. He showed that Mayor Morley had shifted. He had come to favor a byte for the public selected in the stabilish a Normal school in Victoria.

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	Year.	Tons.	Per Ton.
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1	1906.	110,042	12.37
1	1907	131,696	10.49
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Treadwell, covering an area of about 50 acres, which it was deemed adviscot iguity to the Black Bear claim,

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During the year \$164,468 was expended on the exploration and development of the mine, of which \$45,544.83 was incurred in connection with the sinking of the five compartment main working shaft of the Le Roi mine form the 1,850 to the 1,650-foot level. A winze was also sunk from the 1,650 to the 1,750-foot level. The amount written off capital on account of development expenditure incurred during 1907 and previous years was \$110,050.30.

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The Northport smelting plant, which was closed down by order of the board of directors on October 17th, 1905, was restarted and commenced smelting ore on December 26th, 1906, and continued until January 25th, 1907, when it closed on account of fuel shortage. On February 28th smelting operations were resumed and continued for the balance resumed and continued for the balance. on December 26th, 1206, and continued until January 25th smelting operations were resumed and continued for the balance of the fiscal year. During the period under review the smelter was operated for 154 days. The ore smelted at Northport during the year ended June 26th, 1207, amounted to \$1.582 dry tons. The matte shipped was 763 tons of the net value of \$323,636,30, equal to \$149,38

Northport during the year ended June 20th, 1806, amounted to 1.18.28 dry 1005, amounted to 1.18.

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Owners of the Townsite of Port Mellon. Paper Co., Limited. Owners of the Townsite of Port Mellon.

The Company have established the townsite of Port Mellon on Howe Sound, 25 miles from Vancouver, and secured the water rights of Rainy River, which is capable of developing from 2,000 to 5,000 horsepower, for the location of our mammoth plant for the manufacture of newspaper, building paper, wrapping paper, etc., the plant to have a capacity of 450 tons of finished paper per week; the company hope to have the pulp plant in operation by November 1, 1908.

We now offer for subscription the balance of our first allotment of Preferred Stock in Blocks of 100 at \$1.00 per share; each 100 shares entitled to a bonus of 25 shares of Preferred.

#### Special Notice

In the event the first allotment is over-subscribed the company recrees the right to reduce any or all subscription

to an amount satisfactory to themselves.

The preferred species entitled to a dividend of 7 per cent, commenging November 1, 1908. The 7 per cent dividend is due and payable before any dividend is paid upon the common stock. After 7 per cent, has been paid upon preferred both stocks thereafter participate equally. There is no good reason why the preferred should not pay from 25 to 50 per cent, dividends.

The books of the corporation are open at any time for the inspection of the general public. There is no watered stock, no inflated values, no ground-floor plan, or huge promoters' projects in the enterprise. Unlike most corporations, instead of allowing 15 to 25 per cent, for advertising and sale of stock, the entire commission, literature, newspaper advertising, brokerage, office expenses, etc., is limited to 10 per cent.

The public are cordially invited to visit our demonstrating plant, 313 Cordova street, and witness the manufacture of pulp paper from refuse material, such as slabs, discarded shingle bolts, etc., that is now being burnt at the local mills.

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GREELY KOLTS, Formerly General Manager Pacific Coast Soda Co. 1. The Company is organized under the laws of British Columbia

2. Capitalized at \$1,000,000. Divided into 600,000 Preferred Stock and 400,000 Common

2. A large tract of land has been purchased on Howe Sound, 25 miles from Vancouver, for the location of the plant, which is to have a weekly capacity of 180 tons of newspaper and 270 tons of wrapping paper. The Company hope to have the pulp plant, with a capacity of 270 tons of chemical wood pulp per week in operation by November.

4. There is no watered stock, no inflated value, no "ground floor plan" or huge promoter's profits in the enterprise,

5. The books of the Company are open to the full inspection of the public at any time.

Unlike most corporations, instead of allowing 15 to 25 per cent for advertising and sale of stock, the entire commission, brokerage, advertising, literature, etc., is limited to 10 per cent.

7. No officer or director of the Company, with the exception of solicitor or secretary, is to receive one dollar for service until the pulp mill is established and ready for business. 8. Not one share of stock has been issued to any director or stockbroker otherwise than at the regular authorized

There have been no rebates or favorites, each director has subscribed for a large block of stock and paid for it precisely the same as an outsider. 9. The first allotment of Preferred Stock is now being placed on the market at \$1.00 per share; each 100 shares entitled to a bonus of 25 per cent. of Preferred Stock. This bonus of 25 per cent is only to apply to the first allot-

ment. 10. The Preferred "tock is entitled to a dividend of 7 per cent., commencing November 1, 1908. After 7 per cent has been paid upon the preferred both preferred and common thereafter participate equally. There is no good reason why this stock should not pay from 25 to 50 per cent. dividends.

11. The entire plans and specifications and erection of the mill are to be under the supervision of Mr. Chas. B. Pride, of Appleton, Wis., one of the most-distinguished authorities on the erection of pulp and paper mills, having built more than fifty of the leading mills of the United States during the last 25 years. The entire mill will cost approximately \$600,000, and will be capable of turning out news and wrapping paper for less than \$32.00 per ton.

12. The Company will be able to make a profit of from \$12.00 to \$20.00 on every ton of pulp or paper-manufactured.

13. Over \$500,000 of paper is annually consume! in Western Canada, the product of the United States and Eastern Provinces. Why should we secure this vast amount of goods from abroad when we can manufacture it equally

14. China, Japan, Australia and New Zealand combined import over \$10,000,000 of pulp and paper from Eastern Canada, United States and Europe every year. Freight rates can be secured to these points from Vancouver at \$5.00 per ton, and there is no reason why British Columbia should not participate in this vast trade. Our position enables us to place goods in the Orient at a less price than any known competitor.

15. The destiny of Western Canada lies in its manufacturing industries, and we invite the co-operation of the people of British Columbia in building up this great and useful industry.

16. Payments for stock: 10 per cent, on application, 15 per cent, on allotment, balance in eight equal calls of 30 days.

17. The public are cordially invited to visit our demonstrating plant at 313 Cordova Street, and witness—the manufacture of pulp and paper from sawdust, slabs, etc., that is now being burnt at the local mills.

# HARMAN & PUNNETT

Successors to the Royal Guarantee and Trust Co., Ltd. Local Agents, Victoria, B.C.

Corner of Government and Yates Streets.

# PASSENGERS WERE

FOUGHT FOR FOOD ON MOUNT ROYAL

Even Sailors Were Fearful During Terrible Experience of C. P. R. Vessel.

Penned in their dark quarters with the hatches closed on them, the 400 steerage passengers on the C. P. R. steamship Mount Royal, went through days and nights of lereor, of which they would doubtless give thrilling and possibly exaggerated accounts had they command of English It. will be re-

possibly exaggerated accounts had they command of English. It will be remembered that the Mount Royal after beating about off the Irish coast for nearly a month, put into Queenstown with damaged boilers.

The whole shipload of foreigners became seized with a panic when they heard the engines had broken down, and the buffeting of the ship by the huge sea waves added to the terror inspired by their seasickness and the fact that the majority had never before salled on salt water. ed on salt water

Beat Back Strenuous,

were closed on them, they to their food supply would be reduced and might be totally cut off, and on every occasion when food was delivered to them on trays, what might be termed free fights occurred to secure the food, and officers were compelled to beat back the more strenuous so that the weaker members would receive their share. Among the whole number, who seem still tertified by their experience only one could be found capable of speaking chough found capable of speaking chough the agic control to the wation.

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Whiether the new move is present on an attempt to end the disastrous struggle cannot be ascertained, but it has the aspect of conciliation. The White Star Company is contended to differential of 15 shillings, independently the control of the structure of the control of the

san peasant tells the following story:
"We were all nice and pleasant
when we started from Antwerp," said
he: "all the Hungarians together, and
the other passengers looked at us
down below, where we were all living
together like the village of heave all together like the village at home, only bigger. As a great sallor, because I was in America before, of course, I knew they would all be sick, and I was myself, too, but I wouldn't let any-body know it; only laughed at them. All Were Sick.

But we didn't get better, and by-"But we didn't get better, and byand-bye they wouldn't let us go on
deck only for a short time each day.

The big waves made the ship lean
away over, and, oh, we were all so
sick. Many of the passengers never
saw the ocean before, and they were
rauch frightened, but I tried to tell
them that it was nothing, but I was
much frightened myself. The women
lay about on the floor of the ship, and
sometimes when the boat seemed to

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 16.—A

Worst on Christmas.

"We thought when we sailed that we would all see Christmas in America, but it was on Christmas Eve — we make a lot of that night in the old country—that it was the worst, and even i, though I am a good sailor, and have been across the ocean twice before. I thought we were lost.

"The sailors put us down below, where it was dark, and fastened all the doors, so we were more frightened than ever. See the control of the

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"The sailors put us down below, where it was dark, and fastened all the doors, so we were more frightened than ever. Somehow we couldn't get our food very well for a long time, and when it would come in with the big wooden trays the people would light for bread and meat, though they thought they were going to be a MARINE NOTES.

MARINE NOTES. they were going to be

was at the worst, our priest old man Father Echegrasu his name was made them all stop and pray all together, and after that every days and every night we prayed and sang together. Once they wanted to recite the gether, Once they wanted to recite the Litany for the dying, but he would not Bill in Parliament With Object to De-

allow that.

"The sailors told us we were safe, but the fear was on them, too, and when we would begin to chant our songs they would run away fast. Baby Died,

"There was one woman all alone, who had no man with her. She had a little baby that was very sick. The mother prayed all the time for the minister to deport such immigrants. Mr. Lewis has another bill under preparation dealing with parties found ittle one, but we thought it would die every night. That was very bad to see, and you shall hear what was worse, for the baby died after we came to Queenstown and were safe."

New York, Jan. 18.—Following the refusal of the Cunard Steamship Company to come to terms, the International Marine Company agains cut its east-bound sterage rates or boats of the White Star and American lines, making a total reduction in this class of \$11.25 since the rate war began. The cut was met by the Cunard Company, and it is probable that further reductions will be made in the next few days: An official of one of the steinmaily companies concerned said today that a rate of 10, to Europe might soon be offered.

One would be caused to Canada.

DIAMOND TRADE DEPRESSED.

Johnsnesburg Jan. 15.—The depression in the diamond markets of the world resulting from the recent financial crisis. In America and the money stringency in Europe has assumed services to day that a rate of 10, to Europe might soon be offered.

MAUDE FOR VANCOUVER.

headquarters of the steamer Maude. Ready for instant service for wrecking purposes, she will carry a complete

Vancouver, in the company's opinion, is the fact that a larger number of actidents occur in the Sound waters, which can be reached more quickly

TO OVERHAUL CAMOSUN.

Steamer, Will Be Laid Off During the

The steamer Camosun, of the Union Steamship Company, will be laid off her run on February 1st for her annual overhauling, reupholstering, etc. She will resume service on March 1st. The Camosun is expected at Vancouver from the North on Saturday, and she will leave on her last trip prior to her overhauling on Monday, January 20th, when she will make a special call at Kilomasi.

War of Companies May Come to Head at General Meeting in London.

London, Jan. 16.-The Atlantic passenge rate was assumed a new posse last night, through the Cunard Steamship Company making a partial concession to the de-

to an attempt to end the disastrous strug-gle cannot be ascertained, but it has the aspect of conciliation. The White Star

This was Ladislaus A. Szechenyi, a Hungarian pensant on his way to America for the second time. He spent some years in the Pennsylvania coal mines. Beyond what he says little can be learned, as the officers of the ship will not say much about it, except to state that the appetites of the passengers were ravenous, and that they had nothing to complain of. They seemed to fear they were to be starved as a preliminary to being drowned, and each steward who entered their quarters with trays of food was supplied with a guard to see hat all were supplied. The Rusian peasant tells the following story. We were all to be a party to the conference, which, is announced, has now been indefinitel postponed.

CASCADE ON DUTY.

She Will Go North to Place Gas Beacon at Different Points.

The steamer Cascade, under comsion to the Marine and Fishery Department, is leaving on beacon work. She will proceed to Coffin Island, where one of the new gas beacons will be put in position to replace the 31-day light now in use. A similar work will be done at Lund. The depairment finds It expedient to replace the 31-day lights wherever possible by the gas beacons. The latter are found more satisfactory, being more easily picked up by navigators than the 31-day lights.

sometimes when the boat seemed to be going right over one would scream, and then they would all start in and treat they would all start in and treat until they were tired and fell asseep.

Worst on Christeen

frought they were going to be fearliest opportunity.

Started to Pray.

"On Christmas eve though when it was at the worst, our priest, a very old man Father Echegrazu his name was made them all stop and pray all ogether, and after that every days and the mail stop and pray all ogether, and after that every days and stop and pray all ogether, and after that every days and stop and pray all ogether, and after that every days and stop and pray all ogether, and after that every days and stop and pray all og re-rected at the occasion of the stop portunity.

A Chilian fireman named Manuel Toy.

Of the steamer Northwestern as Eastle yesterday afternoon for mutiny at Valence and bit and kicked the officer ation.

" ARMED IMMIGRANTS.

port Incomers Carrying Weapons.

Ottawa, Jan. 15.-E. N. Lewis, West Huron, introduced a bill in the House to amend the Immigration Act,

me to Queenstown and were safe."

Cerning the treatment of immigrants by shipping companies bringing people to Canada.

holders.

The statement sets forth that the diamond markets have been almost completely dislocated, and that the depression has reached such proportions. B. C. Salvage Company Witt Make Her Headquarters in Terminal City.

It is the intention of the B. C. Salvage Company to make Yancourer the position of the premier mine it has become imperatively necessary to conserve and sugment the resources to meet any possible future difficulty.

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# SAILING SHIP

OMINOUS DISCOVERY ON WEST COAST

Lifebuoy Bearng Words "Hartfield, Liverpool," and Wreckage Found.

A grave piece of news conveyed by wireless to the Times from Pachena this morning would suggest that a marind disaster has taken place on the west coast of Vancouver Island. It states that an imitation lifebuoy has been picked up between Hesquoit and Estevan, bearing in pencil writing the words "Hartfield, Liverpool." Nearby this ominous discovery were cabin and lifeboat fittings, belfs, doors and a mass of indistinguishable wreckage such as might have been swept shorewards from a wreck after she had pounded to pieces.

The discovery was made by a ma-The discovery was made by a man called Nukovitch, who immediately bore the intelligence to the wireless station at Estevan. From there it was dispatched down the cogst, and Capt. Gaudin, the local agent of the marine and fisheries department, was notified. There would seem but too much reason to believe that a salling ship has

There would seem but too much reasen to believe that a sailing ship has been wrecked, and the discovery of the initiation buoy with the words above stated would show that it is in all probability the Hartfield. The Hartfield, which is a British sailing ship, left Valparaiso on October 26th bound for Tacoma. She would thus have been off this coast about a week, ago, and was probably driven far out of her course during the terrific gale which raged off Cape Flattery not long since. for Tacoma. She would thus have been off this coast about a week ago, and was probably driven far out of her course during the terrific gale which analyse of Cape Plattery not long since.

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full rigged sailing ship of 1,857 tons.

She was built of iron in the Old Country in 1884, and classed 100 A1 at Lloyds, and owned by Balfour & At the end of 25 1-5 seconds the

#### SEATTLE UNEMPLOYED TO DEMONSTRATE

Ten Thousand Will Camp Around City Hall and Force Council's Hand.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 16 .- At a cor vention of delegates from labor unions it was decided last night that a mon-ster demonstration be made on Monday to enforce the demands of the un-

Ten thusand men will assemble and march to the city hall, where they pro-pose to camp until the city council tak's favorable action.

NEW PHASE IN JAP CABINET CRISIS

Changes to Be Made in Budget -\$2:)0,0000,000 for Army and Navy.

Tokio, Jan. 16.-The presentation of a synopsis of the budget to the leaders of both houses, which it had been arranged was to have occurred this was announced that changes are to be made in certain items. While absolutely nothing official has

been given out, leading business men estimate that the government receipts for 1908-9 will amount to about \$610,for 1908-9 will amount to about \$610,-000,000 and expenditures to about \$615,-000,000, of which approximately one third is for the army and navy. This would leave a defict of nearly \$5,000,000 which Finance Minister Sak;

chief atani expected to pay by increased tax

TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., January, 1908.

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The time-used is Pacific Standard, for the 136th meridian west. It is counted from 6 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

l'one Heavy This Morning-Fractional

New York, N. Y., Jan. 16.—The stock market opened heavy with the following prices: Amal. Copper, 32%, American Smelting, 78; American Loco, 40%; Anaconda, 32%; Athison, 73%; Brooklyn, 45; C. P. R., 152; Erie, 15%; Great Northern, 123%; Mo. Pac., 45; M. K. T., 26%; N. P., 124%; Pa., 115%; Reading, 100 to 168%; R. I., 24%; St. Paul, 115%; S. P., 76; S. R., 109; U. P., 125%; U. S. Steel, 30; U. S. Steel Pfd., 34%, New York, Jan. 16.—(Wall Street)—The prices of the principal active stocks receded an average of a moderate fraction in the opening dealings. A number of less active stocks rose a

ate traction in the opening desings. A number of less active stocks rose a small fraction. American Smelting decided 14; Westinghouse Electric, 1, and Reading, Union Pacific. Colorado & Southern, 1, St. Ptd., Great Northern ore, Amal. Copper, large fractions. Southern Pacific Ptd. rose a point.

#### STAGE KISS LASTS \*TWENTY-FIVE SECONDS

Mary Garden and Charles Dalmores Thrill New York With Novelty.

New York, Jan. 16.—A stage kiss that lasts 25 seconds by the watch, almost half a minute, is the latest novelty to thrill New Yorkers. It is called the "Louise kiss" and was imported from France by Mary Garden and Charles Dalmores.

The kiss occurs for the first time in the opening of act III of "Louise." Dalmores is seated "down stage" read-ing. Enter Miss Garden. She steals upon the unsuspecting tenor and before he knows it the lucky man is incased

The number of her crea is 20.

During that gale two sailing ships were seen beating off Pachena, trying to make for the open sea. It is not unlikely that the Hartfield was one of these, and that stress of weather drove her inshore higher up the coast with the result that she struck on reefs and finally pounded to pieces, and that the result that she struck on reefs and finally pounded to pieces, and the result that she struck on reefs and finally pounded to pieces, and the result that she struck on reefs and finally pounded to pieces. The Hartfield, Capt, Sanderson, is a terested husbands with an unspoken

> mured one railbird sadly.
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> At the end of 25 1-5 seconds the stage lips part and the agony of the audience is over-till the next time.

#### HOTEL ARRIVALS

DRIARD.

Mrs. T. H. Knapp, Miss Bellinger, J. E. Bellinger, Seattle; J. H. King and wife, Cranbrook; C. H. Peach, Tacomi; W. R. Dock-rick, J. H. Beard, Seattle; W. R. Dockrill, New Westlevineter; J. J. Wholen; Vancouver, rill, Chemainus; F. M. Dockrill, New Westenister; J. J. Whisien, Vancouver; L. B. Ketchan, Seattle; E. W. Coulthard, Fernie; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rowser, W. A. Allan, Vancouver; M. J. Knight, San Francisco; J. P. Thompson, Vancouver; W. L. Collins, Quesnel; H. Miskin, G. F. Baldwin and wife, Vancouver; E. E. Baldwin and wife, Vancouver; E. E. Cochran, Regina; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cluff, Winnipeg; Mrs. F. E. Burns, Vancouver; G. A. Meduire, A. H. B. Macgowan, Vancouver; John A. Fraser, Quesnel; A. Tingley, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Caigary; E. Barreit, W. J. Manson, Vancouver; G. M. Wells, Ketchikan; Wm. F. Bell, Seattle; C. Doering, Vancouver; H. Stone, Seattle; A. E. Greenwood, Jas. Morton, Vancouver; J. S. Gibson, Scattle.

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KING EDWARD.

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Harvey, Seattle; H. C. Anchor, Redding;
Mrs. C. S. Birch, North Saanich; T. M.

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#### BURYING DEAD IN OPERA HOUSE HORROR

**Wany Bodies Were Charred Be**yond Recognition in Boyertown Holocaust.

Boyertown, Pa., Jan. 16,-This little borough which lost one-fifth of its population in the opera house horror on Monday night, to-day turned to the task of burying its dead. Because of the condition of most of the bodies, the borough authorities have asked the bereaved relatives to bury the deal within these days.

bereaved relatives to bury the deal within three days.

All hight long scores of men worked in the morgues preparing the identified dead for removal to their late homes or to the cemetery. As early as 5 o'clock a long line of death wagons moved-here and there distributing corpses and before nightfall most of the dead will be ready for interment. There was a slight hitch in the work of removing bodies from the morgues through the action of Coroner Strasser forbidding the removal of any bodies during his absence. This was due to a mix-up in identification of the body of a boy. There were three claimants for the body and all appeared before the coroner for permission to remove for the body and all appeared before the coroner for permission to remove it. Each one was positive that the body was the one they were looking for. Therefore, in order to prevent mistakes the coroner issued the order. Burgess Kohler learned of this and immediately communicated with the coroner at Sanding where he had cone or oner at Reading where he had go with the relatives has removed more

More than sixty death certificates were issued up to 10 a. m. and more of these bodies will be buried during the day, most of them without any funeral ceremonies. There is not a clergyman in town able to conduct services. There will be no services in the Lutheran church Sunday. The Rev. Adam Weber, who lost a daugh

rice. Adam Weber, who lost a daugh-ter, is still prostrated.

The horough has decided, to, buy eight lots for the burial of the uni-dentified dead. In the centre of the plot sufficient space will be left for the

Daylight found crowds around th entrances to the morgues clamoring for admittance. At 7 o'clock the doors were opened and the gruesome work of identifying the dead was again taken up. It is believed that more than fifty bodies will never be identi-fied.

BANK RATE IS

NOW FIVE PER CENT

Strengthening of Gold Reserves in Great Institution Relieves Monetary Strain.

London, Jan. 16.-The rate of discour of the Bank of England was reduced from 6 to 5 per cent. to-day. fresh gold arrivals, most of which were absorbed by the bank, and the return

of cash to the country, so materially strengthened the reserves in the meta in spite of the considerable amount taken by South America, that there was no excuse for a further prolonga-tion of the higher rate, which so dis-commoded trade for some months past. Even had the bank desired to retain a higher rate, it is doubtful if it could be made effective, as the supply of noney in Lombard street was so abun-

in excess of the requirements.

during the American stringency would be allowed to remain for a time here and the bills renewed. This proved a further inducement for the bank to lower its rate. The stock exchange already had fully discounted the 5 per cent. rate, and the actual announcement only caused a slight hardening in quotations.

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recommended.

The most eminent and leasing-mode each of the ingredients entering into Dr. Pierce's medicines in the strongest possibly terms. The makers of Dr. Pierce's medicines believe that intelligent people do not wish to open their mouths like a lot off young birds and gulp down whatever's presented to them, either in the way of food, drink or medicine, without knowing sangthing of the properties and harmies character of the agents employed. They believe that health is too sacred a heritage to be experimented with, and that people should not lake medicines at heritage to be experimented with, and that people should not lake medicines are made wholly from the roots of plants found growing in the depths of our American forests. They are so compounded that they cannot do harm in any case, even to the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Dr. Pierce has taken his medicines out of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Dr. Pierce has taken his medicines out of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Dr. Pierce has taken his medicines out of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Dr. Pierce has taken his medicines of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Pr. Pierce has taken his medicines of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Pr. Pierce has taken his medicines of the list of secret nostrums, of doubtful merit, and made them remediates of the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Pr. Pierce has taken his medicines are made to the most delicate woman or child. By open publicity Pr. Pierce has taken his medicines of the most delicate woman or child. By op

all by themselves, being absolutely and in every sense non-secret.

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disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, largen, bronchia, stomach (as catarrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as mucous darrhal dyspepsia), bowels (as mucous darrhal

No other medicines put up for general ments and irregularities incident to use through druggists can make claim through druggists can make claim through distinction and none other thy acting invigorating tonic and use through druggists can make claim to any such distinction, and none other than Dr. Pierce's medicines have any such professional endorsement of their ingredients. Such professional endorsement should have far more weight with the afflicted than any amount of lay, or non-professional, endorsement, or testimonials.

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ments and irregularities incident to women. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and twenty in the women. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and twenty in the professional and the scaled women. It is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and twenty in the professional endorsement should have far more weight with the afflicted than any amount of lay or non-professional, endorsement, or testimonials.

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SKATING PARTY

MET DISASTER

The reduction was anticipated as the Human Chain Endeavoring to Rescue Comrades Crash Through Ice.

Connellville, Pa., Jan. 15 .- Of six perons who formed a skating party at the Jimtown reservoir, near here, tonight, five were drowned. They are John Luxner, 10 years old; George Cochrane, 21; Frank Cochrane, jr., a dant as to be almost for the moment brother, 17; William Fulmer, 23; Eliza-

In excess of the requirements.

The discount rate in the open market fell to 4½ per cent.

The recent continual purchases of sterling bills indicated the probability that the gold borrowed from France that the water. As the other membes, of the water, as the other membes, of beth Fulmer, 17. the party gazed horror-stricken at the the party gazed horror-stricken at the spot two neads reappeared above the surface. Cochrane supporting the girl with one hand and clinging to the broken edge of the lee with the other. In an instant a human chain was formed by the other four, who clasped hands. Andrew Mack, the only surport, was at the end of the line near-

above the water for several seconds and then all was still. At a late hour to-night none of the bodies had been

\$100,000 HOTEL

Toronto, Jan. 15.—The Canadian Railway News Company and the Grand Trunk railway have completed the purchase of forty acres of land at Norway Point, Huntsville, for the erection of their new \$100,000 hotel.

DESTINY OF JAPAN

LIES IN ASIA

Viscount Aoki Is Opposed to Yellow Men Seeking Naturalization Here.

Honolulu, Jan. 15,-A local Japanese newspaper prints an interview, with



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Miss Susan Peske, 49 Edward St., Toronto says: "A year ago last Spring my arms and face broke out with Fezema. Not only was it troublesome and painful, but very unsightly 100. I used various kinds of salves and ointments, but received no bene-fit until it began with Zam Buk. I first heard of this remedy through a friend who had been cused of a long standing case of Eczema by using Zam, Buk. The very first application seemed different from other ointments used; it relieved the terrible tighing, and also soothed the pain. In a very short time after commencing with the Zam-buk treatment I was cured entirely of Eczema. My arms and face were so smooth and clean from any pemples or rash as they had ever been. I have since kept a box by me in case I should need not are time. I find it very good for chapped hands or roughness of the skin after washing. I can necommend it to anyone afflicted as I have been. You have my permission to use this, also my photo in any publication."

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#### Horticultural Societies and Civic Improvement

By Major H. J. Snelgrove, M. A. Ph. B., Cobourg, Ontario

What can Horticultural societies do general civic consciousness, which promote civic improvement? To means the redemption of our communits query my answer is: By arousing ties from the sordid and the shabby. all citizens to develop The old order, the old love grown to by raising the standard of municipal taste and tidiness. By materially contributing toward making our Canadian home life brighter, healthler and hapes.

To DO these things by means of ororking out its salvation by dint of atience, stick-to-itiveness and com-

Inon sense,
I sumbit that the prime object of our horticultural, societies should not be merely to cultivate a love of flowers per se by the distribution among the members, once or twice a year, of seeds, plants, bulbs shrubs, and trees, but our constant aim should be to educate public sentiment along lines of civic improvement, and thereby achieve the greatest good to the createst sum.

can we not, in most cases, furnish the initiative, the motor power, "the rush and the pull" behind the throne, by suggesting reforms in some depart-ment of civic administration, result-ing inevitably in the creation of a pubic sentiment that will either impel or compel our municipal authorities to DO THINGS which hitherto have been

ulterly neglected or gadly misunder-stood in the average community? Perhaps someone will ask, "What is the meaning of civic improvement?" It is a recognition of the rights of the people to the free and unobstructed enjoyment of the natural beauties be-

where,
In our natural life we are at the
turning of the ways. We have commenced to think of living, but how can menced to think of itving, but now can we live happily amidst an environment of ugliness, the defacement of nature, loathsome home surroundings and dearth of rational recreation, the pro-ducts of sordid commercialism?

We must reorganize our civic life in natmony with that nomestic interpre-tation given by John Ruskin, when he said that the exterior of our houses is not private property—unless we build in a wilderness. Our mission should be to create a conviction of the heautiful along the highways and by-ways of our modern Canadian life, and to unite private individuals, voluntary ons and industrial corporation tward expression of this cor in the outward expression of this viction. Public beauty is the dmoling idea of the twentieth century. fown beautiful is no longer a dream of the idealist, but in many places it is becoming an accomplished fact. rever one travels, whether by railwherever one travers, whether by fail-road, boat or carriage, he cannot fail to be struck with a remarkable tendency everywhere toward embellishment. Beauty and art in the highest sense are no longer reserved for the rich. few, are no longer the perquisite of luxury-loving aristocrats; but are made

oughout the American continent we find gentlemen possessing the ability of statesmen devoting themselves unselfishly to the pursuit of citizen-making and citymaking, strenuously striving to prepare a model city for the future. It is the awakening of the

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"look out committee" are appointed.

The duty of the former is to contribute paragraphs to the columns of the local newspapers, offering suggestions touching every feature of the development of the aesthetic and civic side of town life, and showing that the character of the community is formed by the sur-roundings which even the humblest citizen maintains about the threshnord of his home; also illustrating, from time to time, how efforts to beautify will induce every tenant in the block to follow suit. People who will allow weeds to grow luxuriantly about their

premises are occasionally "written up" as a sort of "horrible example." The effect of this publicity is often magical. The town is divided into wards or The town is alviced into wares or districts which are assigned for purposes of observation to the different members of the look-out committee. For two or three months this committee goes about quietly taking note the common property of the municipality. In the spring, a meeting of the committee is held, at which notes are compared by the members, and a report prepared for submission to the town prepared for submission to the town council. Through the chairman, the Mayor is requested to call a special meeting of the council, when a type-written report of the committee is pre-sented and discussed, clause by clause. A committee of the council is then ap-A committee of the council is then ap-pointed to co-operate with the direct-ors of the society in carrying out, as far as possible, the recommendations of the look-out committee, which are handed out to the local press for pub-

manifesting itself in a general atte In appointing our civic improve to avoid misfits. I mean by that, merely ornamental members with only hames, who do nothing and are not worth a cent to the work-a-day purpose of any live association. And it may be said, by way of parenthesis. that even a well-selected committee, with a sincere desire to do things, rare-ly gets anywhere unless the chairman has the gift of initiative. Someone has said that all the world's great prizes go to initiative; that is, the faculty of seeing for one's self what should be done, and of doing it without ado. Usually an entire committee or a whole Usually an entire committee or a whole society holds back, waiting for the man or the woman with the initiative to point the way. At least, that has been our experience in Cobourg.

You have heard the story of the

is essentially and unpolitically a busi- its relation to the improvement move ness proposition, wherein the health and happiness of each citizen is considered a tangible asset equally with the annual tax bill, where the costly, ruinous regime of the incompetent, self-seeking politician is ostracized, and where public service, as an honor and a duty, is cheerfully assumed by the

If, as has been suggested in Chicago, art is a correcttive for crime, then art If, as has been suggested in Chicago, art is a corrective for crime, then art should be made effective as a preventive of crime. Educators are beginning to see that the sphere of the state embraces not only the redemption of those who have fallen from grace, but, equally the prevention of those walking in the paths of virtue from falling out by the wayside and becoming moral casts with the paths of the sphere of prevention is the waykide and becoming moral cast-aways. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." As a conse-quence, we rejoice to find that our schoolhouses are becoming more and more to be the centres of refinement more to be the centres of refinement for those who enter their walls. The schoolhouse should be made a real civic centre of the community, and a peren-nial source of hopeful, helpful uplift to all classes. Unkept school-grounds leave bad impressions on children, which in after life will surely be their homes and work a day surrounding. homes and work-a-day surroundings.
There is no doubt the refining influence There is no doubt the renning indicates of school gardens takes out of hoys the tendency to pilfer fruits and flowers. Each child feels that he has a personal stake in some living, growing thing. It implants in his fresh, impressional mind a love of the beautiful. enthrone beauty is our common interest.

May I describe some methods of conducting a civic-improvement campaign, which have been efficiently carried out by the Cobourg Horticultural Society?

At the annual meeting, held in January, a "publicity committee" and a "look-out committee" are appointed. The duty of the former is to contribute paragraphs to the columns of the local philosopher in ancient Greece, which

philosopher in ancient Greece, which we ought to take to heart to-day. Here are a few concrete objects which our societies should work for, distinguished from more genera civic ideas, viz:

Preservation of the natural beauty-pots, Removal of unsightly bill-boards, ooles, overhead wires and signs.
Object-lessons on how to plant th me grounds, showing the impor

nome grounds, showing the impor-tance of a right start, etc.
Offering prizes for the best porch window and garden display.
A relentless war against dirty, garbage-strewn streets and vacant,

weed-grown lots, Bringing influence to bear so as Bringing induced to bear so as to a make railway-stations grounds tidy and attractive. First impressions are usually lasting ones, and unfavorable impressions can only be formed by uncouth conditions about a town's main of all eyesores and offences against impressions can only be formed by unthe sense of sight, and also noting how couth conditions about a town's main much better the town would look if 
certain improvements were made with 
the common property of the municipality. In the course a meeting of the 
names that way. Cemetery improveevery visitor and every travener passes that way. Cemetery improvement: "God's Acre," in many towns and villages in Canada, is a wilderness of tangied weeds and matted grass—the countryside; a standing reproach to our Christian faith.

Enough perennials and bedding Plants to embellish scores of small gardens are thrown away every year by professional gardeners on a large scale. It would be a good plan for our societies to request these florists with far as possible, the recommendations of the lock-out committee, which are handed out to the local press for publication. The effect is marvellous, the natural inpulse for civic improvement manifesting itself in a general attempt. I fear my address has already trans-

gressed in length the bounds of time et for it, but I cannot conclude without giving you a final summing up and re-inforcement of my argument, which I take special pride in doing in the clear, cogent and concise language of Mr. J. Horace McFarlane, the distinguished president of the American Civic Associuplished wonders for "a more beauti-

3. It would seem to me that the hor-3. It would seem to me that the nor-ticultural associations might be inter-ested in civic improvement, also, be-cause of the way in which improve-ment conditions tend to satisfaction and permanence in the matter of in-dustrial workmen. Some of the most successful manufactures reasons sur-importance of providing pleasing sur-roundings, helpful recreation and pro-per playground facilities for the work-men and their families in a soff-re-specting way, to the end of keeping these workmen sober, happy and con-

4. The ed through the eye. Ugly surrounding give an education in ugliness. Beauti ful surroundings give an education i beauty. No one would for a mo suggest that the better citizens grew out of an education in ill-looking and evil-smelling surroundings. Yet this point has been lost sight of all over our peint has been lost sight of all over our great continent and we grow our calldren in pigpen conditions, wondering, after a while, why they do not appreciate healthful and heautiful conditions as fully as they ought to. I am sure that I am within the facts when I say that if will pay any community to surround its children with clean beauty to cause them to hate ugliness.

5. In making a final suggestion to your associations, it would be that the boards, the correction of poles portions, into a most unbe seding, will insist upon pleasant dings for sch the children will not have to through the years of their education in

I have the greatest faith in the future of Ontario, and I sincerely trust your

J. HORACE McFARLANE,

Pres. A. C. A. Ladies and gentlemen, representantario, let us propagate this beautiful

#### **Robinson Crusoe** In Real Life

Dundce People's Journal.

enough adventure to spice a whole life-time, Mr. Donald Morrison, an Abroatime, Mr. Donald Morrison, an Abroa-thian, one of the heroes of the Cruso-esque experiences in the Pacific, walked into his home at 10 North Tay street. Dundee. His stalwart frame, attired in an ill-fitting grey suit, and his foot encased in half-tanned boots several

structed boat the Dondres, which was being taken out to her owners at Bu nos Ayres. Arrived at that port, the crew were paid off, and Mr. Morrison accepted the berth of second officer on the 1600-ton barque Alexandra, of Cu-bis, Norway. They sailed in ballast thence to Newcastle, New South Wales, where they were chartered to carry coal to Panama, on the west coast of Central America. While lying in the Australian port, however, Mr. Morrisen, was offered a situation on a steamer, but declined R. He now regrets that Austraian port, increased a situation on a steamer, but decined it. He now regrets that he did so. Newcastle was left on November 26th. 1906, and the barque stood out to the open Pacific. A month's fair province along the lines inaugurated by the Horticultural Societies in Massatory and other parts of the Ocean until the barnates clumg United States, I had the honor to receive the following reply:

Having written to Mr. McParlane, but decined it. He now regrets that he did so. Newcastle was left on November 26th. 1906, and the barque stood out to the open Pacific. A month's fair province along the lines inaugurated by the Horticultural Societies in Massatory and other parts of the ocean until the barnates clumg by the Horticultural Societies in Massatory and other parts of the ocean until the barnates clumg bix inches thick on their hull. The of the ocean until the barnates clumg six inches thick on their hull. The stock of provisions and waiter was rapidly depleting, and it was ultimately decided to abandon the vessel. On May depleting and it was ultimately depleting and it was ultimately decided to abandon the vessel. On May behind them and chased them towards when in the clear water, and I got a situation on the canal construction work, and the remainder proceeds at a fely accomplished, and the crew set—led down in the new camp.

The Life Primitive.

The Across the isthmus of the crew set—led down in the new and the remainder proceeds and the waster. The most primitive nature.

The Life Primit

Sopt. 19th, 1907.
Sopt. 19th, similar oncentration and application that tells every time.

In undertaking this work, we should not attempt to remake the town in one year. We do not purpose medding officiously with the work of our municipal bodies, or offensively dictating to them what they should or should not do. Appreciating their responsibility, we approach them deferentially, and politely offer to co-operate with them for the good of all. Every town official who has an eye for the public good should certainly welcome the co-operation of our influential societies for bettering municipal conditions.

The making of the ideal modern tows

the miscellaneous articles of clothing and convey them to the camp. Mr. Morrison had, by the way, left his watch on board the Alexandra when she was abandoned, but his albert was in the boat. He was a strong swim-mer, and he made v journey, almost at the risk of his life, to the wrecked craft for his possessions.

Making the cave by the spring their base, parties sallied forth to explore for water and to hunt for food. The thickness of the scrubby growths, mostcentre of the island impossible, and the migrations of the party were made along the bolder-strewn shore. One party, consisting of the captain, Mr. Morrb n, the carpenter, the steward, and an American named Fred Jeffs, and an American named Fred Jens, from Tacoma, struck out and came upon a spring. The arduous march had made them exceedingly thirsty, and the captain took a deep draught of the liquid. It proved to be salty, and he was instantly taken with illness. He sent his companions back to camp, saving he would follow them the next. saying he would follow them the next maring he would follow them the next morning. He did not, however, appear then. About three days later Mr. Mor-rison was working about the camp, when he heard someone shouting for help. He proceeded along the rocks, and encountered the commander lying in a state of exhaustion and sickness. He had, he shid, crawled on his hands and knees from the place where he was taken iii. Turtic soup and water were soon procured for him, and he was conveyed to the camp, where he iay raving for six weeks.

Another company of four men set out to the eastward on the search for bet-ter conditions of living. Their way led them along the foreshore, and at one part they had to wade through the shal-lows of a bay, neck-deep, as the land tance to the east of this bay they dis-

German Sallor Drowned. Having thus dropped fortunately upa good site for headquarters, news as conveyed back to the first camp, me of the men there, however, were it in a fit state for fransit, and dur-styler convalescence fortnightly vis-active exchanged by members of the two bases. On one of these occasions a German seaman named Martin Schaffer, disappeared. His loss was not dis-covered for some weeks, and on going over the ground between the two places his bones, and later his skull, were disovered at the edge of the above-mentioned bay. It was surmised that he had perished in fording it,

The men in the old camp being by his time somewhat stronger, prepara-ions were made for the "flittin" to camp. As the journey, atthough of only twenty miles, had to be made over very trying ground, it oc-cupied three days and three nights. A slock of water and provisions was therefore essential. Mr. Morrison, be-ing a sailmaker to trade, made two can-vas water bags for each man, and with these filled and with a portion of turtle flesh each they were ready to start. The man Jeffs, however, who, in common with the others, was in a very dispirit-ed mental condition, absolutely refused to accompany them. "No!" he said: "you will die on the way for want of water. After the suffering I have gone through here, I will not risk it. I will be picked up as soon as you." Entreaties, coaxing, and threats were of no avail. He would not budge. So the others had reluctantly to let him remain, leaving with him two turtles. main, leaving with him two turtles, while the spring assured him of a plen-titude of water. The migration was

t boats, one with ten men being under the shallower water. They seized the other in charge of the mate. The restens of the latter portion of the crew is already known.

Sometimes we had so many on hand that we allowed several turtles to lie for days on their backs before we used them. That ensured us fresh meat. In their only supply of water was contained their only supply of water was contained their only supply of water was contained. came eggs were also to be had some-times, and were to us a delicacy, even although the white of the egg was like leather. Numbers of seals used to come and bask on the sandy portions of the beach, and we, getting between

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many. Their skins we found useful lava rocks were our boots away, and We also stretched pieces over stake ed from the ground. This kept us from the damp of the earth, but the scanty shelter which we were able to rig up above did not protect us from the atmospherical moisture. have we awakened in the morning with

had one box of matches. We lighted a fire at our first camp, and, by did of careful attention, we kept it burning sadly depleted our stock of lucifers So much so that of the anxiously harbored articles we had only four when

"The imperativeness of hunting for employment we should have pined. But ground, suggested a one-time inpromptu bedstead. Later it was discovered that an American student expedition had visited the island and
camped at that spot.

"" we would be carried out into mid
ocean. So we abandoned that project we would be carried out into ocean. So we abandoned that pro and devoted ourselves to the o and at the time more pleasing, calling of hunting."

The Rescue.

The men had rigged up a pole 30 feet The men had rigged up a pole 30 feet high, and from its top fluttered a flag gnade from Mr. Morrison's sea-muffler and a towei. A large fire was kept Gurning, and it was the smoke from this that attracted the attention of the stoop, which was searching for the lost mariners. The vessel stood inshore and took the men aboard. When rescued they presented a curious appearance. The captain's head-gear consisted of the rim of an old hat, over which he had stretched a piece of cloth from the had stretched a piece of cloth from the tail of his white shirt; his feet were encased in two turtles' flippers! Mr. Morrison himself wore a pair of trous-ers—much the worse for wear-and a lattered shirt, while his footgeer was made from the sealskins. The other were in a similar plight, and all were miserably thin and emaclated.

Jeffs Left on Island.

The rescued men told the captain of the sloop of the position of the Ameri-can, Jeffs. It was proposed to notify him of the rescue—a mission that would occupy six days—but as the sloop's the vessel shaped her course for Guaya oull. It was intended that after tisking in more provisionss he should return and take up the unfortunate Tacoman, but it is thought very probable that by the time the sloop could get back to the isle Jeffs will have perished of starvation The long lost sailors were landed a

Guayaquil, and after a week's sojourn there they, "clothed and in their right mind," embarked on the steamer Peri

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O'Brien and Redmond Factions Have Still Many Points of Difference. Dublin, Jan. 15.-The recently dis

ussed reunion of the dedmonites are ne O'Brienites is still far from co-immation, judging from an incides hich took place to-day at the mee which took place to-day at the meeting here of the national directory of the United Irish League. Two nationalists from Cork, supporters of Mr. O'Brien, and duly accredited delegates to the meeting, entered the hall, but as soon as their presence was discovered, the league officials ordered that they be expelled. The delegates from Cork declined to obey and after an Cork declined to obey, and after a

Core decimed to obey, and after an exciting struggle, they were finally ejected by force.

After order was restored, John Redmond was re-elected president. A report was submitted showing that the receipts of the league for the past three years had exceeded those of the revolus. Three years by more than previous three years by more than

340,000, and that more than 1,200 evicted tenants had been reinstated.

A resolution was adopted expressing confidence in the parliamentary party under the leadership of Mr. Redmond, and congratulating the Nationalists on their response to the appeal for a vigrous campaign in favor of home rule Mr. Redmond's action at the con-ference between him and William O'Brient, then a member of parliament for Cork, at which Mr. Redmond re-fused to yield to the demand for immediately summoning a national con-vention on a new basis of new repreentation, was also endorsed, and sur

sentation, was also endorsed, and sup-port was pledged to the movement for the breaking up of the grazing ranches. The final resolution adopted wel-comed "as a basis for attracting atten-tion to the absurdity of the hereditary rinciple in legislation, and the moral and political imbecility of the Irish peerage as a class," the candidature of Lord Curzon for the Irish representa-

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### FRUIT GROWERS HEARD REPORTS

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR PRESENT YEAR

Work of the Exchange Fully Explained by the President.

The B. C. Fruit Growers Associaon continued its meeting yesterday afternoon and evening. A good part of the afternoon proceedings was devoted to the receiving of reports. After the secretary had given his account of the year's work, as reported in last night's Times, other reports were received by the meeting.

The election of officers resulted as

The election of officers resulted a follows: President, James Johnston Nelson, re-elected; first vice-president S. Bartholomew, Summ nerland; second Notice-president, A. E. Gale, Keating third vice-president, A. B. McClenag than, Golden: fourth vice-president Thomas Wilson, Vancouver; secretary treasurer, W. J. Brandrith; executive committee, R. M. Palmer, Victoria; H. Sipp. Chilliwack: S. Bartholomew Summerland; James Johnston, Nelson, and W. J. Brandrith.

The report of the executive commit-

tee was read by the secretary, as fol-Gentlemen:-Your executive commit-

tee beg to report that, acting on in-structions received at the annual meet-ing; the secretary invited delegates from the strawberry-growing sections to meet at Mission City, for the pur-

to meet at Mission City, for the purpose of agreeing on a uniform price for small fruit.

The meeteing was held March 29th, and a minimum price agreed to.

On March 7th a largely attended meeting was held at Keating, and addresses given by Messrs. Brydon, Johnstone, Scott and Brandrith. Og the 8th a meeting was held in Duncans, uddressed by Messrs. Johnstone and Brandrith, and on the 5th, the Jurycom in the court house at Nanaim was comfortably filled to hear the same peakers and Maxwell Smith.

On April 1st, at the quarterly meeting held in Summerland, a resolution was passed unanimously, requesting the association to call a meeting of delegates from the various local assoiations and exchanges to devise som plan to obviate the present unsatisfac-tor, nethod of distribution of our rult. Accordingly, delegates were inrited to meet at Sicamous, April 24th. out owing to want of room there the but owing to want of room there the delegates proceeded to Armstrong, where it was decided to organize the "Fruit and Produce Exchange of Brit-ish Columbia." A draft constitution and by-laws were drawn, the meeting and by-laws were drawn, the meeting then adjourning to meet at Reveistoke than adjourning to meet at Reveistoke May 22nd to perfect the organization, which was finally consummated June 29th.

The president of the association, James Johnstone, Nelson, gave full details concerning the formation of the Fruit and Produce Exchange of British. Columbia as follows:

Practical Demonstration

pruning in the forenoon, and in the afterroon on the proper method of mixing and applying sprays. On the 2rd Mesrs. Johnstone and Brandrith proceeded to Kelowna, where in the strated to a large and appreciative aulence. On meeting in the evening as fairly well attended, although a was fairly well attended, although a bezaar in aid of the hospital was being held in the same building. On the 4th, at Vernon, despite the

rain, there was a good turnout to the demonstration in planting and pruning, and a fairly well attended meeting in

Armstrong on the 6th, addressed by Messrs, Johnstone and Brandrith, on accesses. Johnstone and Branderth, on subjects of interest to the growers.

At Salmon Arm, on the 8th, addresses were delivered by the same gentlemen to a large gathering, on spraying and co-operation. At Kamloops, on the 9th, planting and pruning were again demonstrated in the afternoon and addresses. pranting and pruning were again dem-cristrated in the afternoon and ad-dresses delivered in the evening. At all these meeti gs the idea of a central exchapge yes enthusiastically received and delegates appointed.

Enderby, addressed by Mr. H. Kipp, who gave a practical demonstration in pruning to an appreciative audience. On the 29th a well attended meeting was held in Revelstoke, addressed by Messrs, Johnstone, Brandrith and Kipp.

full house on the same subjects as at Cranbrook. On the 10th Mr. Brandrith held a meeting at Enderby, when plant-ing, pruning, spraying, etc., were demonstrated in the afternoon, and a local branch organized in the evening. From Enderby Mr. Brandrith pro-ceeded to Windermere on the 17th, where he addressed an enthusiastic gathering on planting, pruning, varie-ties to plant etc.

ies to plant, etc. On the 19th at Wilmer he address

large gathering on the same sub-

At Golden on the 22nd he demor trated planting and pruning in the af-ernoon, and in the evening addressed large gathering on "The Work of the Association." "Varieties to Plant,"

spraying, etc. That these

Meeteings Are Appreciated is evidenced by the fact that requests for their continuance are constantly being received, and more especially from the newer sections of the province; and we strongly recommend that the executive be authorized to continue this part of the work.

Pure spraying materials for the use of members has been secured at the lowest cost, and the necessary varieties of paper have also been We would rec

tary be instructed to secure a supply of both for the current year ones Bradstreet's reports are becoming more valuable to our members each year, and we strongly recommend that the subscription be continued.

Your committee have taken up with the propers authorities the subscription of the propers authorities the subscription to the propers authorities the propers are the propers and the propers are the propers are the propers are the propers and the propers are the propers and the propers are the propers are the propers and the propers are the propers are the propers and the propers are the propers

the proper authorities the question of better handling and better facilities for fruit shipments by both lake and rail, and have received assurances that every effort will be made to have

the fruit properly handled. They have succeeded in having the gross weight of the 2-5 pound and 4-5 crates fixed at 15 and 25 pounds respectively. They have also urged that a reduction of rates should be made; but as the matter of rates is in the hands of the reliance companies. hands of the rallway commis nothing has been done by them up to the present time, we do not know whether our request will be granted or not

association are due to the provin cial government for the hearty manner in which they have responded to our requests for ald to enable us to carry on the work made necessary by the increased territory to be covered, and the greater cost of transportation in the outlying districts.

We especially desire to acknowledge our indebtedness to the Hon. R. G. Tatlow for the support he has at all times extended to this association.

We cannot close this report without congratulating the fruit growers of British Columbia on the ial government for the hearty manner

British Columbia on the

Successes Achieved

by them at the principal exhibitions in reat Britain, under the capable management of Mr. R. M. Palmer, to whom also the thanks of the fruit growers are due. And also on the eminently successful outcome of the competition at the Northwest Fruit Growers' convention, held in Vancouver in December last.

"During the past season the most im-

meeting, and a resolution passed strongly recommending action to be taken and a central exchange formed. This Summerland resolution was in-dorsed at Vernon, Kelowna, Armstrong, dorsed at Vernon, Kelowna, Armstrong, Solmon Arm, Kamloops and all points visited by your executive during that tour. A meeting of delegates from associations throughout the province was held at Armstrong, by-laws and constitution were drawn up and a meeting called at the earliest possible date to form the exchange. Owing to the fruit season being well advanced before there necessary preliminaries were gone through only five associations formally jemed the exchange, namely, Chilliwack, Kamloops, Salmon Arm, Chilliwack, Kamloops, Salmon Arm, Revelstoke and Kootensy, but during the season fruit and produce was handled from many other local ex-changes in the Okanagan and else-where. I shall give a brief outline of this Central Exchange.

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r manner.
"All possible advice and assistance will always be rendered by the exchange management to shippers who, through ignorance, may make mistakes, but wilfulness, carelessness and negtet wilk receive no consideration. It will be the duty of members of the "During the past season the most important work. It is associathrough ignorance, may make mission has been the formation of the takes, but wilfulness, carelessness and from the produce Exchange of British neglect with receive no consideration. It will be the duty of members of the was untiling the various fruit growing sections of our province into one consideration. It will be the duty of members of the was untiling the various fruit growing sections of our province into one conjective body will more than justify within range of jarge to the produce the sections of our province into one conjective body will more than justify the necessary assistance which our the produce that the produce that the produce the produce that the produce tlement has been made by an agent the director, being notified by the man-ager by wire, will turn up on the spot mmediately after and check up the honesty of such settlement. A charge of 5 per cent. is made to cover expense of selling and collecting accounts in carload lots and 16 per cent, on small express shipments. At the end of the season, after allowing a sufficient reserve fund to carry on the busi

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government have given us during the year, and which they have been re-quested to give us during the present year."

The financial report was presented at the meeting, and was as follows;

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M. S. Wade, exp. convention

R. J. Hogg, exp. convention more large and allowers. In the sechange lakes place early next month, and a large number of asheld in Revelstoke, addressed by Messrs. Johnstone, Brandrith and Kipp.

Weskly reports are sent to the manager of the probable supplies to be obtained from the various local shippers fith and Kipp attended the quarterly meeting in Kaslo, and addressed those gathered together on planting, pruning, spraying and allied subjects.

On the 4th Messrs. Brandrith and Kipp gave demonstrations in planting and pruning at Greston in the afternoon and spoke on spraying, co-operation, etc., in the evening.

On the 8th they demonstrated planting and pruning at Burton in the afternoon, and in the eveing addressed a the balance of the order is placed else
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President Johnstone, in replying to the mayor, spoke further of the advan-390 00 tages of co-operation.

tages of co-operation.

Thomas Brydon addressed the meeting on the subject of "Better Fruit and How to Obtain It." The address was a most practical one. Mr. Brydon has made a success of the industry, and is well qualified to speak on the subject.

He went fully into the question of selecting a proper location for an or-15 0) treated by him. He also dealt with 15 20 spraying, which called forth a dis-22 70 cussion.

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