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EX-PRESIDENT ESCORTED TO FRENCH CRUISER

Night of Pillage in Port au Prince—Authorities Finally Restore Order.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 3.-The stirring events of an historical day saw President Nord Alexis driven from his capitol with an in-furlated mob at his heels, were followed by a night of looting and pillage. The passions of the populace had been aroused, and after being defeated in their endeavors to do bodly harm to Nord Alexis, they turned their attention to well-stocked stores and houses, and the residence of the stores. and the residences of the supporters of ucceeded in controlling the situa-Twelve men were killed before was restored.

The trouble began shortly after the president had been escorted to the French cruiser Duguay Trouin by Mr. Carteron, the French minister. People from the Belaire and Salinas sections of the city invaded the business.

sections of the city invaded the busi-ness quarter and lost no time in turning to the work of pillage and robbery They divided into bands, and worked their way down way down one street and up her, breaking into stores that of-the best chances of loot. The of doors that barred their pro-were blown out with rifle bul-The pillage was well under way o'clock, and at 10 o'clock eleven stores had been completely looted.
Nine of the establishments belong to
Syrians, while Haytiens owned the
other two. The proprietors stood by
helplessly witnessing the destruction

f their property.

At midnight the city was compara the midnight the city was compara-tively quiet, although the night was punctuated by occasional rifle firing until sunrise. Had these disorders broken out in the day time it is prob-ably that armed forces from the American and French cruisers would have been landed. As it was no foreign sallors were sent ashore. General Pol-deven has been highly commended for his firm stand, which undoubtedly saved the city from a general outbreak of piliage and incendiarism. Should a us situation again arise, howeve

serious situation again arise, however, the committee of safety promises to ask the foreign cruisers to send landing parties ashore.

The British cruiser Scylla and the American gunboat Eagle came into port at daybreak to-day. Their arrival gives Port au Prince the protection of five foreign warships.

CHRISTIANS IN COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 3.-The feder America was formally opened in the Academy of Music here last night with Academy of Music here last night with impressive ceremonies. More than 400 delegates, representing 32 religious denominations and 18,000,000 people in the Protestant churches, were present. The proceedings were opened by Dr. Wm. Henry Roberts, a man prominent in the inter-church conference of 1905,

MEETS TERRIBLE DEATH AT CHEMAINUS MILL

Japanese Employee Crushed Between Carriage and Log Deck.

Chemainus. Dec. 3.—A Japanese employed by the Victoria Lumber Company on the log deck in their mill was almost instantly killed last night about 7.20 p. m. by being caught between the carriage and the log deck. Deceased was down in the the log deck. Deceased was down in the carriage way, where he should not have been, and the sawyer's back being to-wards him, he was not noticed, and when the carriage was returned, after making a cut, the man was caught against the edge of the log deck and crushed so hadly that he died before he could be gotten to the hospital.

ENGLISH BYE-ELECTION

Cheimsford, Eng. Dec. 1. The Liberals suffered another disastrous par-llamentary defeat in the bye-election for a member of the House of Commons tof a memoer of the riouse of Commons this week. Captain Prettyman, Conservative, running in one of the Middlesex divisions, was victorious over A. H. Denie, Liberal, The voting resulted as follows: Prettyman, 6,152; Denie, 3,587.

DR. M'COSH DEAD.

New York, Dec. 3.—Dr. Andrew J. McCosh, the well known surgeon and a son of the late president of Princeton University, James McCosh, who was injured in a runaway accident on Saturday last, died last night in the Presbyterian hospital, of which institution he was the surgeon.

SNOW DELAYS TRAIN.

Butte, Dec. 1.—Heavy snows in the Dakotas have hampered the movement of trains on the transcontinental lines operating through Montaga. The Great Northern yesterday was five hours be-

350 LIVES REPORTED LOST IN TYPHOON

Tokio, Dec. 3. - Thirty-five Japanese fishing boats were caught in a typhoon yesterday off Hatsu Island in Kawatsu Bay, and wrecked. It is report-ed that 350 fishermen lost their

FARMERS DISGUSTED CAR SHORTAGE

Wholesalers Also Complaining That Collections Are Slow -Elevators Full.

Lang, Sask., Dec. 3.-The car shorts

iemporary granaries. A warenouse wan accommodation for ten thousand bushels is nearing completion, but this is a mere drop in the bucket, considering the situation. There are 30 cars on order at the present time, but not one can be secured.

KILLED WOMAN WHO REFUSED TO ELOPE

Mrs. Edith French Succumbs to Injuries Inflicted by John Cavanaugh.

Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Edith French, shot by John Cavanaugh on November 18th, following, it is said, her refusal to elope with him, died of her injuries at the Waterbury hospital this morning. Cavanaugh, who has been held pending the outcome of Mrs. French's wounds will now be charged with murder in the

HUGE WHEAT "CORNER" BY CHICAGO MEN

Twenty Million Bushels Held Waiting for Prices to

Soar.

Chicago, Dec. 3 .- More than 20,000,000 ushels of wheat, the largest amount ever held by any one man or commis-sion of men in Chicago, is now in the hands of W. H. Bartlett, Geo. Paten and Frank S. Fraser. The market is in a state of high excitement, anticipating the results of a deal without procedent. It is bigger than Joe Leiprecedent. It is bigger than Joe Lei-ters' corner, when that plunger lost \$11,000,000. It is the biggest since the Gates corner, in which millions were lost by the corner a few years ago. It is bigger by at least five million bushels than the "Old Hutch" attempt on the

main line officials.

Effective on December 15th, W. J.

Uren, at present chief train dispatcher
of the second district, Central division,
with headquarters at Winnipes, will be
promoted to the position of superintendent at Brandon. T. R. Flett, at
present superintendent at Brandon,
will be transferred to the position of
superintendent at Saskatoon. C. S.

Mahars, superintendent at Saskatoon superintendent at Saskatoon. C. S. Maharg, superintendent at Saskatoon. will be transferred to the position of superintendent at Medicine Hat, vice J. S. Lawrence, assigned to other duties.

Saulte Ste Marie, Ont., Dec. 2 .-- The Algoma steel plant has shut down the rail rolling mill through lack of orders. The other branches will continue work-

DROWNS IN RED RIVER.

J. T. Mortimer, Formerly of Vancou-ver, Believed to Have Lost His Life.

operating through Montage. The Great Northern yesterday was five hours be-hind its cehedule, the Northern Pacific three and the St. Paul is reported sev-eral hours late.

BABY EMPEROR ASCENDS THRONE

STRIKING CEREMONY IN FORBIDDEN CITY

Pekin Regaining Confidence-Conservative Rule Said to Be Assured.

Pekin, Dec. 3.-The little Emperor, Pu Yi, was enthroned yesterday. The ceremony of enthronement was one of ceremony of enthronement was one of striking interest. It was absolutely different from anything seen in the western world on similar occasions. It included obeisances to the tablets of the dead Empress Dowager and Emperor, and prostrations before the intent Emperor, the three-year-old son of Prince Chun, who yesterday formally took the throne.

The imperial programme for the function was prepared the previous day, it ordered that music for the occasion be prepared, but that not a

casion be prepared, but that not a single note be played. This was because of the mourning of the court for their late majesties. Troops began entering at the eastern gate of the palace at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. They took up that rook they bear and were took up their positions inside, and were no sooner in the palace than the officials of the Empire began to

The size and the importance of the gathering within was indicated by the waiting carriages, which with a vast number of sedan chairs, respl and brilliant in the winter sunshine were waiting for the ceremonies to-come to an end. The function began by the princes of the imperial family and the high officials of the Empire kowtowing to the memorial tablets of their late mejesties. After this they

all kowtowed in turn to Pu Yi.

Pu Yi then offered a sacrifice before
the tablets of the Emperor and Dowager Empress. After this he was relieved of his dress of mourning, and
was clad with much more care in a diminutive imperial garment embroi-dered with the imperial dragon. His nurses performed this duty with at-tention and care.

This arrayed, the toddling Emperor scended the throne amid a fanfare of trums, bells and firecrackers. He nade his way alone, and showed no eed of assistance which willing hands would have given him had his little feet faltered. From the throne Pu Yi kowtowed to his stepmother, the Dow-

of mourning.

The ceremony took place in the

The ceremony took place in the throne hall of the Forbidden City, The officials present were selected with great care, and were the highest men in the Empire.

According to an old established custom, a number of humble coolles, men from the lowest water of life, men from the lowest water of life.

tom, a number of numble coolies, men from the lowest walks of life, were brought into the sacred precincts of the Forbidden City, to act as witnesses. The soldiery played but an inconspicu-ous part in the proceedings, At 11.30 o'clock the officials began leaving the palace leaving the palace, Traffic outside the Forbidden City

ranic outside the Forbidden City was at no time impeded. The scene was enlivened by a number of pligrims who had come in on camels all the way from Mongolia.

All day Tuesday sacrifices were made to their late majesties by the highest dignitaries of the Empire at the five most important temples of Periods. nignest dignitaries of the Empire at the five most important temples of Pe-kin, the temple of Heaven, the temple of the Ancestors, the temple of the Earth, the temple of Agriculture and the temple of Confuctous. The edict setting forth the accession of Pu Yi to the throne and granting amnesty was carried with such

than the color side.

Yet it is not a corner. Its purpose is merely to take advantage of what the operators believe to be a world condition, and to have a large amount of wheat to sell when the price soars. In their opinion, it will go to \$1.38 or \$1.40, not as a result of their purchases, but because of a combination of circumstances around the world, over which no man has control.

The edict setting forth the accession of Pu Yi to the throne and granting amnesty was carried with much cerestone to the throne hall, it was established to the throne hall, it was established to the throne hall it was given the official vermillion seal. This observance concluded, it was carried out of the Forbidden City and thence to the office of the board of rights, where it C. P. R. APPOINTMENTS.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 3.—Several important changes in the officials of the operating department of the C. P. R. are being made, following those that became effective on December 1st, Three additional appointments were announced to-day which affect the main line officials.

Effective on December 15th, W. J. Uren, at present chief train dispatcher into officials, advances the degrees of Scholars, dismisses all pending crimstances and princesses and princesses with seatons.

inal cases, excuses certain liabilities and grants bounts to the soldiers in the service of the empire.

The fact that the enthronement of the new Emperor has taken place has in part re-established confidence here, and has resulted in the exceptor. and has resulted in the prophesy in various official circles of an extremely

conservative rule.

The Dowager Empress has reinstated the notorious eunuch, Li Lien Ying, as head of the palace administration. Prince Chun's first appointee was a

personal friend.

Official information was received from Tokio yesterday that full mournings was being observed, and that Japan had ordered that the Japanese legation guard be immediately reduced by one-half, thereby giving expression to Japan's confidence that the Chinese government could maintain order, Russia also notified the government that similar action would be aken with regard to her legation guards.

ONE DEAD: ONE INJURED.

VICTORIA, B. C., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1908

Pembroke, Ont., Dec. 3.-Fred Rowe an engineer of Ottawa, was killed and
Fireman Crawford, of Ottawa, was injured in a collision with a light engine on the C. P. R. this morning.

VICTORIA'S NEW BISHOP.

Very Rev. Dr. McDonald Is Given Farewell Address by People of Antigonish. Halifax, N. S., Dec. 3.—The Very Rev. Dr. McDonald, bishop-elect of Victoria, B. C., was given a farewell yesterday by the people of the Anti-sonish diocese. The clergy presented him with an address and a substan-tial gift.

WAR OFFICE CONFERENCE.

perial Interchange of Officers Will Be Discussed.

ecial to the Times). London, Dec. 3.—At a war office cor-ference which Sir Frederick Borde will attend, a larger scheme for in-pertal interchange of officers will be discussed.

CANADA AND HER TRADE POLICY

IS NOW GREATEST COMPETITOR OF U. S. A

Sir Frederick Borden Discusses Dominion's Duty in Imperial Defence.

London, Dec. 3.-In a speech at the Canada Club banquet to the Hon, R. den criticized humorously the article in the London Times of yesterday by

a gentleman who had spent a monthin the Dominion. (Laughter). He declared there was no fear that Canada
would step aside from her present
path of enlarging her trade possibilities. (Hear, hear and spolause.)
"We claim the right to dictate and
control our own trade policy. We concede to the statesmen of the Mother
Country the same right. We did not
give preference for the purpose of making a bargain. (Cheers.) The UStates' action in erecting high be States' action in erecting high barriers against Canada for an object I will not define further has only forced Canada to become her greatest competitor in the markets of the world. Canada has defied her neighbor and has conquered. (Loud appisuse.) Canada's heart is with the Mother Country, and Canada knows if the United States lowered the barriers it would be only for her own convenience." (Hear, hear and laughter.)

detence, Sir Frederick asked if Canada was not doing her duty by building up the material for an army, while the Mother Country did what she was much more fitted to do, namely, maintaining a navy equal to the two-power standard plus ten per cent.

Hon. R. Lemieux on rising, said that happly many things which people did happly many things which people did

Hon. R. Lemieux on rising, said that happily many things which people did not even suspect came under this observation of travelers. In the course of his errands abroad he made a real discovery. England is a much abused and an atrociously libelled country by Englishmen themselves. As a matter of fact England is not only the land where, girt with friends or foes, a man may speak the thing he will. It is also the home of kindness and refinement; but he confessed one must come here to make that discovery, for most of the people of England are still, as the witty French writer puts. it "almost unknown."

Mr. Lemieux next referred to the in-

'FRISCO MAN DIES FROM PIOSON BY POST

"Indigestion Powders" Prove Fatal-Detective Investigating at San Jose.

(Special to the Times.)
San Jose, Cal., Dec. 3.—Polson malled from San Jose to Henry Boas, of San Francisco, a salesman, in the guise of indigestion powders, killed Boas, who died this morning. 'Charles McHower, M. D., was signed to the powders, which Boas apparently took for samples. A San Francisco detective arrived here at noon to investigate.

WOUNDS MAY BE FATAL

Explosion Severely Injures Man Work-ing at Shields, B. C.

with regard to her legation guards,

ALGOMA BY-ELECTION.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 3.—The by-election at Algoma for the legislature to fill the varancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Smyth, M. P., is fixed for December 24th.

(Special to the Times.

Grand Forks, Dec. 3.—A man named Flock, while working at Shields, a few miles east of this city drilled into a missed hole with the result that he was mearly killed. His left eye is gone injuries which are likely to prove fatal.

He was brought to this city and placed in the hospital here.

MINISTERS AND

OF RESPONSIBILITY

Leaders of Parties Seize Opportunity to Discuss Constitutional Problem.

Berlin, Dec. 3.-The constitution debate in the Reichstag yesterday was ressed by the all-Liberal party and party, that some change in the consti-tution was desirable to the end of naking the ministers responsible e country; The motions brought in, owever, varied considerably in their however, varied considerably in their byraseology, and because of the existing party jealousy it does not seem probable that an agreement regarding a final formula can be reached.

The present plan is to refer the avecality of the property of the propert

commission for report, this siep to be taken after the speakers have threshed out the subject in the House for three days more. This arrangement will delay the drawing up of the final and definite motion until after the Christmas vacation, which begins on December 19th, and lasts until the middle of January. nmission for report, this step to be

December 19th, and lasts until the middle of January.

Dr. Yon Bethmann-Holweg, minister of the interfor, spoke for the federal council. He made a conciliatory declaration, and said that although the Beichstag often had discussed changes in the constitution, no definite proposals had ever yet been placed before the Eundesrath. This body, however, was fully prepared to consider the subject when a majority of the Reichstag brought forward a clear proposition.

The tone of the speakers throughout the debate of the day was very firm. Practically every member of the Reichstag remained in bis place during the entire sitting. The discussion brought out a very large attendance, and the

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out a very large attendance, and the royal, diplomatic, and public galleries were filled to overflowing.

Dr. Heinrich Muclier, member from Meiningen, proposed a resolution de manding, on behalf of the moderate radicals, the enactment of a law providing for ministral proposibility. rividing for ministerial responsibility. He urged the House not to allow the constitution as it exists to-day to become petrified, and declared that the members should avail themselves of the present opportunity to bring about a change.

Continuing, Herr Mueller said the

nation desired that the ministers be fully responsible, instead of being as they were to-day, "morally responsible," a capdition which he described as mere intangible phraseology. The logical outcome of the axiom that "The King can do no wrong" was that the King's ministers should take over the entire responsibility of the government. If this axiom led to the mystical idea that the monarch personally was intallible, common sense would revolt, but the Emperor, the speaker continued, was not sovereign of Germany, it was only as president of the federated governments that he took a premier position in the councils.

In conclusion, Herr Mueller proposed that all five motions on the matter of ministerial responsibility be referred.

ministerial responsibility be referred to a special committee.

While Herr Mueller was speaking. Prince August William, the fourth son of the Emperor, and his wife, accompanies to the companies of the companies panied by a numerous suite of officers and ladies of the court, entered the royal gallery. They came from the University of Berlin, where the Prince clared that the time had come for minsterial responsibility to become an ac tual thing

Mr. Lemieux next referred to the intellectual preference and predicted that the volume of British periodicals read in Canada, would in the near future reach far greater proportions, and he laid down as a general proposition that the spirit of imperial unity could only be developed by them knowing more of one another.

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tual thing.

George Ledebour, Socialist, kept the House in roars of laughter for over an hour by reciting the extraordinary lengths to which the Imperial Chancelloir or and the Emperor might go under existing conditions. When called to order for indulging in personalities he turned his phrase, amid general laughter. In the land." ter, into 'Any chancellor in the land.'
Continuing, he said that Chancellor
Von Buelow had not treated parliament in a proper spirit to-day by remaining away. He should have been
present to hear the demand of the
German nation that it be treated as
a said for it. Propers received the German nation that it be treated as an adult, for it no longer required the guardianship of an effete bureaucracy. The personal element in politics, said Herr Ledebour, was the patural ac-companiment of a sham constitution.

present and the gallerles were only sparsely filled. Herr Graef, expressed the regret of his party that the question of ministerial responsibility had come up for debate, but he said the party was ready to consider the motion in committee, reserving the ton in committee, reserving the right, however, to request His Majesty to restrain his utterances in the future. The party would reject totally any proposal for a parliamentary system of government such as exists in Great Britch and France.

CHOLERA IN ST. PETERSBURG.

EDITOR IS NOT GUILTY OF LIBEL

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 3.—In the case of McLagien vs. John Dafoe, editor of the Free Press, on a charge of criminal libel, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty yesterday afternoon.

TURKISH GENERAL IS ASSASSINATED

Former Aide-de-camp of Sultan Shot Down by Army Officer.

Constantinople, Dec. 3.—General Ismail Mahir Pasha, a former aide-decamp of the Sultan who investigated camp of the Sulfan who investigated the revolutionary movement in the army last May and who was considered to have been a spy of the old regime, was assassinated last night in the Stamboul of the city. He was approached by an officer of the army, who fired flye revolver shots at his ho fired five revolver shots at his ictim. The assassin escaped,

PROTESTED ELECTION.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 3.— The election of Fraser (Conservative), who defeated Hughes (Liberal) in Kings, is being protested, the charges being corruption. Disqualification is

WHEN WOMEN

Will No Longer Wander "In Maiden Meditation, Fancy Free."

GET THE FRANCHISE

New York, Dec. 3.-The World today says: "According to Miss Ethel M. Arnold, of London, the niece of Lathom Arnold and the sister of Mrs. Humphrey Ward, one of the strongest arguments for woman suffrage in Eng-land is that it will save many women from the tragic fate of single blessed-

SEVERE REVERSE TO HAZEN GOVERNMENT

Term of New Brunswick's Premier Likely to Be Shortlived.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 3.-The Haz gove, ament received a severe reverse by the defeat in the Northumberland and Carleton county bye-elections of general provincial election last March they carried these seats by 1,500 and

500 respectively. The vacancies were caused by the resignations of B. F. Smith, of Carleton, to contest the federal seat against F. B. Carvell and Donald Morrison, in F. B. Carvell and Donald Morrison, in Northumberland, to run against W. S. Loggie. Both of them were defeated, and they refused to run in the bye-elections.

ated by the Liberals of Northumber-land to run against F. B. Swim, the Conservative nominee, and he was conservative nominee, and he was elected by 200, although absent in the United States at the time of nomination and throughout the campaign, on a trip for the benefit of his health, Mr. Burchill had the active support of Hon. John Morrisy, commissioner of public works in the Hazen cabinet, who, notwithstanding the appeals of Premier Hazen and the rest of the cabinet, refused to drop Mr. Russing that in doing that I was supported to the mayoratty.

Premier Hazen and the rest of the cabinet, refused to drop Mr. Burchill and support Mr. Swim. It is freely predicted as a result of Morrisy's attitude, that his ministerial career will be short.

In Carelton, where the government candidate had a great majority last March, C. W. Upham, Liberal, won by 147 over W. J. Owens, Conservative, Two more vacancies are imminent in Kings and Albert counties, but the government will hardly dare open these constituencies after yesterday's reverse.

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these constituencies after yesterday's reverse.

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To-day's Debate.

Berlin, Dec. 3.—The resumption in the Reichstag to-day on the debate on the question of the possible legal regulation of ministerial responsibility showed a distinct diminution of interest in this subject.

Scarcely a hundred members, were present and the galleries were only sparsely filled. Herr Graef, expressed.

There is a general revolt against Cross-examined.

nly DIVERT CURRENT BY DYNAMITE.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Dec. 3.—Efforts to divert the current of the Arkansas tiver from the gradually crumbling banks which border the business sec-

NOT GUILTY OF LARCENY.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 1.—There were twenty-four cases of Asiatic choices and ten deaths from the disease during the twenty-four hours ended at coor of the funds of the company by a noon yesterday.

SHITH IS SENT

COMMITTED ON CHARGE OF DEFAMATORY LIBEL

Reserves Defence in Action Brought by Mayor Hall.

Phit, R. Smith, managing editor of he People's Press, and the Press Pub ishing Company, Ltd., were to-day emmitted by Magistrate Jay for trial in the higher courts on the charge of defamatory libel laid by Mayor Hail in connection with the publication of the cartoen representing him as a tight-rope walker which was published on November 21st

November 21st.
There were not many people present beyond those immediately interested and the witnesses. The defence was reserved until the trial of the action. The lawyers engaged were D. S. Tait and J. A. Alkman for the prosecution and W. C. Moresby for the defence, Ex-Mayor Morley was prominent in sug-gesting questions for cross-examina-

Mr. Smith was called by the pros tion to give formal evidence as to pub-lication and sale. He described himmeaton and sale. He described himself as a printer and bookbinder, and managing editor of the People's Press. The cartoon published in the issue of November 21st went in with his knowledge and the papers of that date had been distributed through the mails and by carrier.

Mayor Hall Gives Evidence

Mayor Hall was the first witness for se prosecution, and was examined by

Mr. Alkman.
"Had you, up to Saturday, November 21st, given out your intentions with ber 21st, given out your intentions with reference to the mayoralty after your present term had elapsed?" Mr. Alk-

Mr. Moresby objected to this as eading question, and was upheld he magistrate. Another form of the question, as to whether he had published his intention

prior to November 21st, was objected to as leading, and as not being relevant, The court was not concerned with Lewis Hall's intentions, Mr. Moresby Mr. Aikman maintained that any published intentions of the mayor were of public interest and concern,

and the question was allowed.

"What had you done with reference
to running for office as mayor again?" "It was given to the reporters and published in the daily papers that I

would run."
"When did you first see that car-toon?" on the afternoon of the day it was published." "What are the objectionable words on that cartoon?" "The words bawdy

Mr. Aikman had his Worship describe ed him as walking a tight rope stretched across a stage, and balancing between the church and temperance vete and the saloon and bawdy house vote, allowing the saloon and bawdy house vote to outweigh the church and

temperance vote, which he was sup-posed to represent.
"What fair meaning do you take from that cartoon and the accompany-ing words as a whole?" "The meaning I take there is that last year I had tried to get the vote of the saloon and bawdy house and the church and tem-perance vote, the bawdy house vote being a criminal one, and that I had openly secured that vote to gain my election to the mayoralty."

Cross-examined,

dedge that they were on the list.

"You know that in other cities it is found impossible to suppress that class of vote?" "I do not know what you mean by 'suppress.' I do not know of any city that has not this class of house."

"It is customary to locate them in one particular locality?" "I do not know that it is."

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The plans for the wholesgie grocery warehouse which Wilson Bros. company is going to erect on Herald street, beside the cold storage warehouse of B. Wilson, are now in the hands of the building inspector and a the foot of Discovery street as a finerentit will shortly be issued. A description of this building was publicated in the Times on Saturday,

There have been no police cases on the city police court docket for the ast two days:

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FREIGHT ON FRUIT Local Board of Trade Request-

> ed to Aid in Agitation.

The council of the Board of Trade. number of matters which were brought H. Lugrin, C. D. Todd, D. R. Ker, H.

A letter acknowledging the receipt of olution of condolence was received from Mrs. J. G. Cox, who expresse

er thanks to the board.

The question of filling the on the council caused by the

on the council caused by the death of Capt, Cox, came up and H. G. Wilson was elected. Being notified of his elec-tion he attended the meeting. A letter was received from the Citi-sens' Relief committee at Fernie ac-knowledging the balance of funds re-ceived and expressing thanks to the doners in the city of Victoria, who had in no small way assisted in the relief

A communication was received from the Marine and Fisheries department in reply to a letter from the board. The department advised that arrangements had been made for two steamers to aid the Kestrel in patrolling the in-shore waters of British Columbia.

The point was raised that more than one cruiser was required as expressed by the board at previous meetings. A letter was accordingly ordered to be sent asking that the government construct smaller vessels or tenders as auxiliary to the cruiser for which tenders were now being invited.

auxiliary to the cruiser for which ten-ders were now being invited.

The point of the jurisdiction of the Canadian government in Hecate Straits was introduced and the secretary was instructed to look up the board's rec-ords and see what had been done and what information existed.

Some letters relative to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition were read.

Some letters relative to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition were read. These included one from the Vancouver Board of Trade asking co-operation in securing Dominion government aid towards an exhibit. The local secretary had advised the Vancouver board of the interview with Hon. W. Templeman on the question and gave Templeman on the question and gave the information that the Dominton government had decided to erect build-ings and had asked for a site 150 feet

asked co-operation in securing reduced freight and express rates to points in This was referred to the

way freight committee,
form of Bill of Lading for Canada
ich will be presented for approval
the railway commission was referto the same committee.

red to the same committee.

A letter was received from the Graham Island Settlers' Association complaining of the mail service, which is
only monthly. F. W. Vincent, of the
C. P. R. service, was present by request, and explaimed the reasons for
the present steamboat arrangements.
This was referred to the Trade and
Commerce committee with nowes the

The recent decision of the full court in Liny & Co. of Seattle vs. A. R. Johnson, was brought up and as it was held by some that the credit of CHINA AND J. the province was affected it was referred to the legislative committee of the

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VESSEL BROACHED AFTER **CONTACT WITH SCOW**

Hole 20 Feet Long Torm in Port Bow-Passengers Trans ferred to Joan.

Vancouver, Dec. 3.-C. P. R. steame 1:35 o'clock she was ashore at the north side of the Narrows, exactly opposite the Brockton Point lighthouse,

have been injured, The Bermuda was entering the har-

bor and the collision occurred just off

still across the bay alongside the Charmer, taking off the latter's passengers. The collision occurred in the exact apot where two years ago the Princess Victoria ran down the steamer Chehalis.

er Chehalis.

The Charmer to-day struck the heavily laden scow load of coal and tore a hole twenty feet in length in her port bow. Her hold was immediately flooded and her captain turned her to the north shore of the narrows, which was not more than a quarter of a mile agent. a mile away. She sank at high tide with her bow away down and her-stern so high out of water that her propeller is in plain view from the op-posita shore of the narrows half a mile

will be patched up and brought to this port for repairs.
Captain Troup, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Coast Steamship Company, when asked how the passengers of the steamship Charmer would be brought to Victoria, stated that no definite arrangements had yet been made. He, however, was considering having the Princess Victoria come back to Victoria to night instead of going to Seattle from Vancouver, and that means that the passengers who should have reached here by the Charmer at 6:30 this levening, will arrive about 3 a. m. to-morrow.

CANADA AND HER

TRADE POLICY

(Continued on page L)

We must trade with each other. We fr We must trade with each other, We in Canada have given you a preference. It was a free gift. That policy has benefited the Canadian consumer; it has encouraged trade with Canada's best customer and money lender, and it has offered an inspiring example to the rest of the Empire." (Applause.)

PLEASED WITH VOICE

will do all I can to help her in the future. She has a full rich voice which with further training and some achool-ling will develop. She has a wide reg-ister but at present her middle regis-ter contains her best notes; some of er higher notes are very sweet."

her higher notes are very sweet."

The foregoing is the opinion expressed this morning by Madame Nordica after hearing Miss Muriel Hall, of Victoria, sing two songs and run the scales in the drawing room of the Empress hotel. Madame Nordica expressed herself as pleased with the qualities of Miss Hall's voice, which act.

Complaint was also made of delay in mails between Comox and Victoria. Incidentally there were other matters affecting inalls referred to, including the holding over of English mails for the city in Vancouver and in delays in forwarding advices of money orders to Australia. This was referred to the president, the vice-president and secretary to go into with Inspector Mc-Leod.

CHINA AND JAPAN

Sample Shipment to Be Sent Within the Next Fort-

TO HIGHER COURT

(Continued on page L)

"It is done in this town?" "Not with

"Is it not a fact that the bawdy-

"Is it not a fact that the bawdy-houses are collected practically in one coenity?" "No."

"You had better get pekted. Have you made an effort to set posted ""I have instructed the police to carry out the law to the fullest extent by what-ever means were at their disposal."

"You employed detectives and tried to make out a case against one woman?" "Yes."

carry out the law but it is not part of my duty to hunt up these places. The council only places so much at my disposal for secret service, and I have spent more than the amount now."

His worship admitted that it was quite possible other keepers of bawdy-nouses beside the one who was pronecuted had a vote, just as it was also possible that many allogo keepers had ecuted had a vote, just as it was also possible that many saloon keepers had votes. He denied that at last election he had any conversation with Harry Maloney in the booth or that Maloney was a worker bt his, it was quite possible that votes of either of these classes might have been given to him or to Mr. Morley.

"And it would not be improper for them to do so?" "They have their vote and can use it as they like."

"Is there anything in that cartoon that says you got this vote last year or would get it again?" "It practically makes out I got it with full and open knowledge."

knowledge."
"Where does it make that out?"
"There is the balancing pole. You have
to have a pole equal at both ends and
here the bawdy-house and saloon end
outweighs the other."
"Ison't to a fact that in balancing."

them criminal."
"Why do you think that the saloon and bawdy house end, being the lower, suggests you had been sulity of some improper act?" "Well, if I had not been guilty of any improper act that should not have been on there at all." "Suppose a saloon-keeper or a bawdy house keeper did yote for you and told you they had voted for you would there be anything improper in that?" "In putting that on there I

he never solicited any votes from any a class, good or bad. For him it would be wrong to solicit a bawdy-house

worship said. He had told the people he would carry out the law; that he was an abstainer and always had been. Asked as to Mr. Morley, the mayor said that gentleman said he was not a total abstainer. One issue presumably was that Mr. Morley wanted to get in for a third term with he was the control of the

"Mr. Morley was an enemy of the sa-leon vote?" "So far as I know."
"And you may be too?" "I am not in favor of these things."

"There had been a determined effort on the part of the saloon people to de-feat Mr. Morley?" "I do not know." "There was nothing wrong in this

other."

"You would prefer that these people would not vote for you?" "I am not suggesting any opinion. I do not ask anyone to vote for me."

"You said that anyone who would ask for a bawdy-house vote would not be fit to be mayor?" "I say so still. I will not solicit a saloon vote, or a church or temperance vote, if it comes to that."

"You think it would not be moral to

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to estrange these people from him, but be able to get them again. The greater weight indicated by the pole being lower on that side conveyed to him the impression that this vote had the greater weight with the mayor.

Mr. Moresby's question was the one has been dear the average of south.

"Isn't it a fact imawhen your weight leans one whave to lower the end of the pole on
the other side? Is not that a fair meaning of that cartoon?" "That is not the
meaning-I-take out of it."

"As a drawing if means that your
weight is going to the other side and
you have to tilt the pole to pull you
hack to balance?" "That is not the
C. meaning I take, I don't agree with
your interpretation."

"One't you think it is susceptible of
that meaning?" "I don't think so. Of
that meaning?" "I

"Is, there anything wrong in a man asking for a vote from these people, who have votes?" asked Mr. Moresby. "For Mayor Hall, because he has been a life-long temperance man." "If not a temperance man would there be anything wrong in it?" "That would be the standard of the man in the case."

the case."
"Would there be anything improper that: In putting that on there's solicited 1 do not all the solicit this vote say yes."

The Mayor stated emphatically that it would. I might run myself and if he never solicited any votes from any a saloon man wanted to vote for me

cent meaning on this cartoon?" "It would be a very fine shading."

Mr. Moresby questioned the witness as to meetings of temperance people in the Mayor's business office and of the Citizens' League, and as to the attitude of then Mayor Morley and the present mayor.

Mr. Moresby submitted that no case had been made out. The cartoon appeared to be drawn by a clever and able artist, and did a streice to Mayor Hali in that to any fair mind it was made plain that the Mayor was leaning to the temperance side and that the other vote was trying to pull him over. The moral issue was the chief issue in the coming campaign and the only intention of such an action as this must be to stiffe free criticism from a paper which was established in the interests of moral reform.

Mr. Alkman contended that there was an undoubted libel in the cartoon.

The magistrate considered that the question was one for a jury to decide

"There was nothing wrong in this vcte being given to either you or Mr. Morley, or in its being given again?"
"I presume that is an admission we two will be in the field again."
"Where do you find anything in that cartoon showing that you were trying to get this vote?" "Take it in the words that if I can get this vote poiled, again I will go in. The cartoon states that I got it before and that if I get it again, and so on; that I gain practically trying to work both votes."

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The Hotel Cecil, formerly known as the Poodle Dog, was sold to-day. The new proprietor, Al. Coopman, will conduct the house under the name of the St. James, Mr. Coopman says he will conduct the house in such a way as to ensure patronage, and will look well after the public. The popular 25c. lunches on week days will be continued, and a special Sunday dinner will be served.

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R. Marpole, general executive assistant of the C. P. R., who has been here since yesterday, left on the Princess Victoria this afternoon for Vancouver.

In the course of the next week or two the local Fruit Growers' Association will be church of the Corporate to that."

"You think it would not be moral to go and solicit the saloon vote, if do not think on the major will be corner of Vancouver and Douglas streets on a motor bicycle shortly before noon to-day Arthur Hunter, an employee of the Plimley Automobile company, was thrown to the ground with great violence owing to the machine skidding. He was brought into the residence of Charles Sayward nearby and the assistance of Dr. Geo, Hall was requisitioned, when it was found that no bones were broken, although Mr. Hunter was badly shaken up and bruised in parts. His motor or reading matter that you had asked to take the corner at too high a rate for the saloon and bawdy house vote of speed.

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ARGUMENT BEGINS IN FISHERIES APPEAL

Counsel for Dominion Raises New Point Regarding Jurisdiction.

Vancouver, Dec. 2.-Lively passages between bar and bench marked peries case involving the question of the respective rights of the province and Dominion to regulate the fisheries and be given undisputed ownership of the fish. The argument also raised the new point, with spe-cial reference to this case, that where John Kendall went fishing above Westminster bridge was over ground within the railway belt, and, therefore as F. C. Wade argued, solely within the turisdiction of the December.

as F. C. Wade argued, solely within the jurisdiction of the Dominion.

Kendail had both Dominion and provincial licenses. He fished at a time permitted by the Dominion and prohibited by the province. He was fined \$50 and costs, which fine Judge Howay set aside, holding that the Dominion had and the province had not the right to pass regulations in regard to fisheries.

The answer of the province is in a

The answer of the province is, in a word, that as it is undisputed owner of the fish it has the right to impose conditions as to how and when and where these fish shall be taken, and where these has shall be taken, and can even say that they shall not be taken at all. The Dominion replied: "When we have covered the field by legislation you can not interfere in the fisheries any more than in immigration." In addition the point, with special reference to this case, is raised that this affeged offence occurred in he railway belt and in the harbor.

Mr. Cassidy—That point wasn't alsed in the proceedings in the lower

Mr. Justice Morrison-I am not sur prised, for so far we have heard little from you except legal platitudes. Speaking for myself, I do not care to sit and hear counsel sweep the whole gamut of legal authority on irrelevant matters.

Mr. Cassidy-Of course, if your

matters,

Mr. Cassidy—Of course, if your
Lordship thinks that my argument is
irrelevant I may as well sit down.

Mr. Justice Morison—I merely wish
to get at a concrete case. I would like
to know at the outset wherein this
case differs from that decided by the
Privy Council in 1893. Judges, your know, have an equal right with coun-sel to express their views as the case

Upon the main question Mr. Cassidy contended that the Dominion's only right to exact the Beense it does to sh in British Columbia was by way of a tax for Dominion revenue purposes. The right of the province is the right of the country of the fish, with which the Dominion could not interfere, "The man who takes out such a provincial ileense as Kendall cannot ifterwards quarrel with its conditions. idded Mr. Cassidy, "Our regulations re an appropriate exercise slative right."

"Even if you repeal Magna Charta,"
"Even if you repeal Magna Charta,"
"Yes," returned Mr. Cassidy, "the
Magna Charta, like any other act of
England, can be adopted or rejected
by the province, which is supreme in
its own orbit."

Mr. Cassidy added in effect that it was beyond the power of the Dominon parliament to pass regulations in regard to the fisheries of this prorince, assuming thereby to give or ake away the right to fish, to leave or take away that which belongs to the province. But it can impose a personal tax by way of license, and that license can have no further legal

Mr. Wade-My learned friend so ar has assumed that the province was the ground. But this is a case vithin the railway belt, and we can lso show that it is within the harbor, ontrolled by the federal authorities. 'If this place where Kendall was fishing is harbor, you may as well say that the whole Fraser river is the harbor," returned Mr. Cassidy. "As to the place being within the rallway belt, I am not prepared to meet that point now. The Dominion should have Mr. Wade-You should have raised

Mr. Cassidy—I protest against its being brought in now.

The case was late this afternoon adjourned to a day to be fixed, Mr. Cassidy will look up further authori-

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SAYS CANADA SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO NAVY

Captain Clive Phillipps-Wooley **Declares Dominion Must** Act Quickly.

a Navy?" was the question asked in the lecture given by Captain Clive Phillipps Wolley at the city hall last night. The tecture was given under the auspices of the Navy League and the Daughters of

of in a cathedral by a primate address.
Ing a Kneeling people. It was really a served the conquers the matter of national life, which went to the real heart of the people, and he believed that the heart of the Empire was touched in the matter. Lately ford Roberts who had seen too huch of war's real alarm to be easily frightened, had siven a very serious warning as to the position of the Empire—had shown that although Britain was still most seen to find the matter. serious warning as to the post Empire—had shown that altho-was still mistress of the seas.

Supremacy Was Being Disputed.
What was the position of Canada—a people of six millions with a long stretch of

adjourned to a. day to be fixed, Mr. Causiddy-will look up forther authorities.

NELSON COURT HOUSE FINISHED

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Nelson, Dec, 2—A credit alike to the provincial government responsible for its erection, to the city of Nelson in which it is located, and to W. G. Gillett who bull it, is the que court house, which is now ready for occupation. Constructed of marble it presents a handsome and at the same time in imposing appearance, the material and an account of the Building household the recentisc level to the count of the Building froughout. The excellent impression of the building harmonizing froughout. The excellent impression created by the exterior of the building has been well taid out, all the offices aid rooms being large, airy and well lighted, while the two court rooms combine these qualities with elegance and beauty. Especially is this so of the assistance of the mother who had nursed her take some burden of the mother and propultion, and the corner of Ward and Vernon sitresis. The cost of the building complete with elegance and office and rooms being large, airy and well lighted, while the two court rooms combine these qualities with elegance and beauty. Especially is this so of the assistance of the Providence and Canada had not yet recognized that it was a breath of the Control of the building and proud-out the corner of Ward and Vernon sitresis. The cost of the Public and Canada had not yet recognized that it was here there are the word of the providence of the p MESTMINSTER CIVIC RACE.

New Westminster. Dec. 2.—Aidermen Gray, Jardine. Fader, Johnston, Henley and Garrett have definitely announced their intention of again standing for reselection to the city council. D. D. Bourke, Percy Venables, T. H. Smith, F. J. Lynch and Marshall Sinclair have also decided to enter the lists. A. Hardman and A. P. Halliday will, most likely be in the running, though neither has yet given a definite answer to his supporters. George Adams has practically decided not to allow his name to go before the vigars this year. A number of probable candidates have deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of appriants has greatly devided not to globe for the vigars this year. A number of probable candidates have deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of appriants has greatly devided not to globe for the vigars the pockets of Canadians has the deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions, but the number of supporters are deferred making an announcement of their intentions of the date of the past of private marketing power. Germany and a clogged inactive liver. The body can't get rid of its wastes, and the elong that to be on the strong as any two nations could boast—as strong as any two nations could boast—as strong as any two nations could be assured that the mailed fist meant along the supporters. The belief as the past in the pockets of Canadi

self, and which no nation had dared to sult by offering such help.

It might be objected that if Canada paid, Canada should have a

Voice in the Expenditure of the navy also a voice in questions of peace and war, treaties and so forth. Of course, and this position had been fully recognized years ago by Sir Michael Hicks Beach, and other statesmen. It might be said that England had not called on Canada for help. Of course not. The Old Country was too proud for that, but year by year, aye, day by day, it became more and more manifest that if the Embecame necessary, then the Old Country and her colonies must consolidate not for offence, but for the defence of what had

Wolley at the city me.

Incurre was given under the auspices of the Navy League and the Daughiers of the Empire.

Captain Citys Phillipps-Wolley said the question they had to discuss was of such question they had to discuss was of such autional moment that it might be spoken and made those people and made those people and made those people and their conquerors. The Britons serve their conquerors they subdued and their

Upiliting and Betterment of those who came under the British flag. He had heard that Vancouver had demanded a "White Canada." Only by the supremary of the British flag could that ambition be obtained. Let Canada, there-

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JOHN NELSON, Managing Director.

guilible, Englishmen write to their home papers about this country. It times." pleases them, it astonishes their read- also the Colonist ardently advoc actual experience of Englishmen who do well in this country—and there are thousands of them is more po-tent in its influence than the apocrypha of the few who fall because by heredity they are incapable of succeeding anywhere. The case of the correspondent of the respondent of correspondent of the London Times the galling yoke of celibacy, or somewho wrote to his paper making all sorts of wild charges against the commissioners in charge of construction slop is arrived at is not given. But of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is easily understood. This unsophisticated gentleman, although he ought presumably to have been trained in the art of sifting the wheat of truth from the chaff of error, fell into the hands of judices, and possibly he cannot look at a certain clique in Canada, and mere-ly reflected the opinions of that class of club critics. That is a matter the able standpoint. Thunderer will have an opportunity of A most gracious and generous man is explaining and setting straight. The Mr. Breadner, a representative of the credit of the country is involved, and Canadian Manufacturers' Association,

letantes which throws a bright and sideration? Is the average condition and indicates why they fail to suc-ceed, why none of them can never suc-age circumstances of the consumer? ceed until they consider their ways. The tendency of the times can and become wine as a result of the hardly be considered as supporting the lessons of experience. T. P.'s Weekly, position of Mr. Breadner, though it circulates chiefly in London. recently contained a review of a book Western Canada. T. P., as most of liam would within a very few years our readers doubtless know, is Mr. T. become two of the leading shipping P. O'Connor, an Irish member of Par liament of some prominence and a fig- an extraordinary example of what may ure in the literary world of still great- be brought about in externally uner prominence. T. P.'s Weekly says: "So many of my readers are interested directly or indirectly in the Doested directly or indirectly in the Do-minion of Canada that I am pleased to Lone Land. call attention to a little book the absolute sincerity of which is stamped upon every page. I refer to "Canadian Life as I Found it: Four Years' Homesteading in the Northwest Territories." Having vouched for the veracity of the author the Weekly proceeds to give tions from his work which will tax the credulity even of the Canadian who is familiar with the ways of the average English tenderfoot. may have a pupil this year," says the writer, "a young fellow from home who wants me to teach him Canadian farming. I have written and painted in true colors what he may expect if he comes here. If he is a nice lad he may help, but if he has too high an re. Some Englishmen who case and make allowance ome out here are terribly green. Did I tell you the story about one living not far from us, who thought that bran was very good food for cattle, the tablets of history. How many so he bought three bags of it and people outside of the Black Republic so he bought three bags of it and people outside of the Black Republic sowed it on the ground; he also sowed had up till the date of the present so as to grow his own porridge. This is not romance, the unworthy ruler of Hayti? It really happened." There ought to be a sequel to that story, but there isn't, apparently. The young Agritrue to the traditions of his kind. should have written to the London Times complaining that the bloomin' country was a fraud, the soil without country was a fraud; the soil without fertility, inasmuch as the intelligent, he initiated, industrious farmer could not reap as

ter a few months in office, has brought Montreat and Toronto if these two amdown on himself the wrath of that province for his zeal in trying to de-feat the Minister of Public Works dur-ing the Dominion elections. Two Conservatives who resigned their provincial seats to contest their constituen-cies as supporters of Mr. Borden were defeated, and now two Liberals occupy the former seats of these two sup-porters of Mr. Hazen in the New Brunswick legislature, And there are still some more things coming to Premier Hazen for his efforts to defeat the Hon. Mr. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works. The New Brunswickers Public Works. The New Brunswickers are a spirited people. They refuse to gratify Premier Hazen's vanity at the has no other vices. expense of their business interests.

It is futile, we know, to call the attention of the government of British Columbia to what is going on in coun tries whose governments realize the value of natural resources. According

which may be exploited, though at present only one-quarter of this is utilized. Steps have been taken to protect the use of the streams, with a view to prevent the transmission of current to foreign countries. A reso-lution was recently passed by the Swiss Congress, placing the utilization of water power entirely under control of the federal government,

The Times has no recollection of having bemoaned the sad fate of Vic-toria because of the defeat of Mr. THE ENGLISHMAN IN CANADA. fall the city with such a valiant champion of Asiatic exclusion as Mr. G. H. Barnard representing her in Parliadians should take so very seriously ment? The mere thought of the wisthe things imaginative, impressionable ment? The mere thought of the and we might also say exceedingly wisdom displayed in this selection is inspiring and will unquestionably be productive of "good Besides, have ers, and "it don't hurt us," at least and guarding our interests? With two not very seriously, and certainly the such bulwarks Victoria should fear no harmful effects are not permanent, foe. We confidently expect the very Truth is mighty and will prevail. The best of times for the ensuing five actual experience of Position years.

> One of the leading British Suffragettes, a lady connected with son would have the effect of relieving a vast number of the sisterhood from sion is arrived at is not given, But on the face of the thing, does it not the Suffragettes must have an effect precisely of an opposite character? Of

such statements cannot be permitted who is reported in Vancouver to have to gain currency throughout the said that he would not think of sug-But the tittle-tattle of the mere gossip who writes to the papers because he has nothing else to do is a different matter. There is another side to the stories of these social dilletantes which throws a bright and shining light upon their characters of the manufacturer in Canada very

Speaking of the growth of cities, who written by an Englishman resident in or less that Port Arthur and Fort Wilbecome two of the leading shipping centres of the world? Their growth is promising localities by the wonderful development of the great West, allud-

> At any rate the Kalser has the satisfaction of knowing that he started a movement which will not end until Germany is freed from the last tincture of autocracy. The agitation will continue until the government of the Germany empire is responsible not to the figurehead who for the time being may represent the crown, but to the legislature elected by the people and representative of the people,

President Roosevelt says he can see no reason why good men should have slanting shoulders. Neither is there any reason why good men should wear glasses. But the difficulty is that all opinion of his own dignity. like that men are not born physically perfect.

feat of having his name engraved upon

Penny postage between the United States and Germany is the very latest thing in postal achievement. Behold the force of example. Sir William Mulock probably did not anticipate the ultimate effect of the notable reform

Winnipeg, the capital of the prairies, Premier Hazen of New Brunswick, af- Canada to-day, She will overtake both bitious cities of the East do not water

' FAILED TO MAKE GOOD.

out.

(Toronto Globe.) The Toronto News seems afflicted with an insurable attack of meian-cholia. To be sure, it promised a majority of fifteen for Borden-gand wasted tons of paper in an effort to "make

> OR VIRTUES? (Toronto News.)

Metals show fatigue, says a scientist. That must account for so many iron constitutions breaking down.

EVER NOTICE IT?

How easy it is to borrow mersy when you haven't any use for it. St. Louis

To-morrow Will Be a Bargain Day

We have made preparations for a great day to-morrow, it being the first Eriday Bargain Day of December. Although we have had some very busy Fridays in the past, we expect the following values will make another record for us to lower.

Xmas Bargains Friday in the Men's Department

Men's 75c and \$1.00 Silk Ties, 50c

A beautiful lot of Silk Ties, just the right kind, just at the right time. The quality of silk usually sold at 75c and \$1.00. Bargain Day price 50¢.

Boys' \$1.25 to \$1.75 Sweaters, 95°

A good assortment of Fancy Sweaters for boys, in an extra good quality of worsted, in a good variety of pretty fancy colorings. Different sizes. Regular values \$1.25 to \$1.75. Bargain Day Price 95¢.

Three Bargains in Gloves

At 50c-Boys' Kid Gloves. At 75c-Men's Kid Gloves, Mocha, wool lined. Regular \$1.00. At \$1.00-Men's Kid Gloves, wool lined. Value

MEN'S MOCHA GLOVES, 75c

MEN'S MOCHA GLOVES, nice quality, wool lined for cold

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MEN'S SUPERIOR QUALITY MOCHA GLOVES, wool lined, dome fasteners. Special, per pair\$1.00

BOYS' GLOVES, \$1.00 BOYS' EXTRA QUALITY DOGSKIN GLOVES, wool lined,

dome fasteners at wrist. Special, per pair \$1.00 MEN'S SOCKS, 25c

MEN'S SOCKS, colored lisle, in shades of green, blue, red, etc. WOOLLEN GLOVES, 50c

MEN'S WOOLLEN GLOVES, double lined, very warm, shades of brown, grey, heather and black. Special, per pair...50¢

BOYS' GLOVES, 75c BOYS' LINED DOGSKIN GLOVES, warm wool lining, dome

MEN'S SHIRTS, \$1.00

MEN'S FINE PRINT SHIRTS, in a great variety of neat pat-terns, cuffs separate or attached. Special, per garment .\$1 SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c

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MEN'S SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, hemstitched borders, silk embroidered initials in corner. Special, each35¢

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MEN'S UNDERWEAR, \$1.00

MEN'S UNDERWEAR, extra heavy, all wool, garments rein-

MEN'S UNDERWEAR, \$1.00

MEN'S ELASTIC UNDERWEAR, unshrinkable wool, best make; shirts double breasted. . Special, per garment . . \$1.00 MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, 12 1-2c

MEN'S FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS, durable silk finish, white ound, with colored borders, hemstitched. Special 121/2¢

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silk as 50c grade, good patterns and colors, Special 25¢ MEN'S TIES, 50c

plain silks and poplins. All colors, Special50¢

Linens and Napkins at Bargain Day Prices

The prices on these articles are so attractive that they do not need any very extended mention. SATIN DAMASK TABLE LINEN, 70 and 72 inches wide, in new and attractive prices. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50. Bargain patterns. Regular \$2.50. Bargain Day price \$1.50 LUNCH NAPKINS, size 19 x 19 inches, fine Irish linen, hem-med or unhemmed. Regular \$3. Bargain Day price. \$2.00

Friday Sale of Fit-Rite Suite

\$18.50, \$20 AND \$22.50 Suits Will Sell for \$13.75 A sale of Fit-Rite Suits. This announcement in itself is enough to draw a crowd, but better still a sale of these suits at a big saving, that makes it doubly interesting. Fit-Rite Clothing has a reputation, the right kind of a reputation, one that stands for nothing but the best, the best fit, the best style, and the best workmanship. Most men know this; we merely repeat it for the benefit of those who do not.

There are 75 suits in this lot; they represent everything that is new in style and cut, being just from the manufacturer. They are in both single and double breasted style, the single breasted effect prevailing. In the matter of cloths they excel in particular, not before this season have we found such a handsome lot of patterns and all the newest shades are shown. One of these suits would be a valuable addition to any man's wardrobe. Regular \$18.50 to \$22.50

TO-MORROW.

\$13.75



Friday Sale of Children's Coats

Values Up to \$12.75 for \$5.75

ABOUT NINETY COATS in this offering, and every one is a bargain. All the styles best suited for children are included in both three-quarter and full length coats. They are nicely made of attractive patterns in fancy tweeds; also plain military serges in different shades. They are nicely trimmed with contrasting colors and have brass buttons in some cases. Some are lined others are unlined. The sizes run from 4 years to 14 years. Reg. selling prices up to \$12.75. Bargain Day. \$5.75

Our Friday's Sale of Women's Waists

Values up to \$1.25 for 75c

A large assortment of HANDSOME WAISTS on sale to-morrow. These waists are made of good quality flaunclettes in a large variety of light, medium and dark shades, in floral, Persian and other designs, Also some styles made of extra good quality sateen with a beautiful satin finish, in black and white, navy and white patterns, These waists are all new goods and made up in the best styles, Regular values 756 up to \$1.25. Bargain Day price ... 756

Friday's Sale of Silks

A little shake-up in the Silk Department for to-morrow. These six items are worth your careful attention to-morrow morning:

FANCY TAFFETA SILKS, in a variety of stripes and checks. Regular 75c. Bargain

JAPANESE SILKS, all colors, including a good assortment of art shades. Regular 50c. Bargain Day price35¢

TAMOLINE SILKS, a good variety of fancy checks, also tartan plaids, in quite a variety. Regular 65c, Bargain Day price

FANCY DRESDEN TAFFETA, very handsome designs, Regular \$1.50. Bargain RICH BROCHE SATINS and TAFFETAS, suitable for evening dresses and waists. Regular op to \$2.25. Bargain Day price \$1.35 RICH BROCADED SATIN, in several different shades. Regular up to \$2.75. Bargain

Slippers at Reductions

Good Slipper Bargains for To-morrow.

chance to save money on slippers to-morrow. Perhaps you'll be able to get some for presents that you intended making, and at a substantial saving.
CHILDREN'S FELT JULIET SLIPPERS. Regular \$1 to \$1.40. Bargain Day price

LAST YEAR'S WOMEN'S FELT SLIP-PERS, oddments in values up to \$1.25. 13 only. To-morrow's price 50¢ BROKEN LINES IN MEN'S SLIPPERS values up to \$1.25. To-morrow's price 50¢

Brushes on Sale To-morrow

Day price \$1.90

Good Savings in These Lines

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To-morrow a Sale of Furs REGULAR \$6.50 TO \$12.75 VALUES FOR \$5.

A nice lot of Furs on sale to-morrow and furs good enough to make a most acceptable gift, The different kinds are Thibet, Grey Squirrel, Opposum, Marmot, Lynx, Foxaline and other nice furs. They are made up in the very best styles, both in stoles and ties. A great

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250 NOVELS, nicely bound in cloth, with gilt letters, a large list of titles to select from. Regular selling prices 450 Bargain Day price 150

Sale of Workboxes

Regular 25c to 75c for 10c
FANCY WORK BOXES, little girls' companions, hairpin boxes, etc. Make nice panions, hairpin boxes, etc. Make nice gifts for girls. Regular value 25c 10c to 75c. Bargain Day price 10c On sale Third Floor.

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TIMES AD. CALENDAR

DECEMBER

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will have to buy fewer presents this year than usual, read the store ads. before making up your mind.

Local News

-Best repair work. Sign of the Big

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tennial Methodist church this evening when A. T. Frampton will speak on "Child Life in India." A collection will be taken up in aid of missions,

corps of the Collegiate and University schools will parade in uniform and march to Christ Church cathedral, Rev. Canon Beanland will preach the ser

ociation held their regular meeting ast evening. A considerable amount last evening. A considerable amount of business was discussed and a so-clable time enjoyed by all. Owing to the illness of the president and for various other reasons. Rev. E. G. Miller kindly consented to postpone his talk on the Pan-Anglican Congress until a later date.

—The Pride of Island Lodge, Sons of England, at its last monthly meeting.

England, at its last monthly meeting elected the following officers: Past president, Bro. Dykes; president, H. O. Savage (re-elected); vice-president, C. Gilman; chaplain, W. Johnson; secretary, W. T. Gravlin; treasurer, W. Norman; first committeemen E. Periodo. Norman; first committeeman, E. Ren-dell; supreme lodge delegate, C. Pom-

The B. C. Electric Company during the month of November handled 23,686 passengers, as compared with 316,721 for the same month of last year. The total number of passengers handled up to the present this season is a long way ahead of last. The eleven months of the year show 4,175,357, as compared with 3,434,200 last year during the same period.

The request of the Victoria Fruit Growers' Association and of the Creamery Association for the return of some portion of the market building to its original use, by allowing the sale of farm and dairy produce there, will be the subject of a conference to-night between representatives of these property of these conferences to the conference to the confe will be the subject of a conference to-night between representatives of these bodies and the special committee ap-pointed by the council, consisting of the Mayor and Aldermen Henderson, Fauline and Gleason. After the mat-ter has been discussed in conference the committee will formulate a pro-posal for submission to council next Monday evening.

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-A concert will be given in the

formerly president of the local Y. C. A., who is in the city, was the g of honor at a pleasant meeting of directors in the Y. M. C. A. rooms

-Members of the chorus for the ora-

-The next quarterly meeting of the rine next quarterly meeting of the victoria Teachers' Institute will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 in the Y. M. C. A. hall. Miss Ohlson, who has receptly returned from Germany after completing a two years' course in music, will render a plano solo, and Mr. Waddington will contribute year selections. Miss Mills will bute vocal selections. Miss Mills will conclude her address on "The Old Masters," illustrated by lantern slides.

Anyone interested will be welcome,

The annual business meeting of the Alexandra Lodge, Sons of England, was held last evening, when the election of officers for the enauling year took place. The following officers were elected: President, A. E. Kent; vice-president, W. Appleby; secretary, J. Critch-ley; treasurer, R. Dinsdale; lodge surgeon, Dr. Stainer; committeemen, S. R. Bell, W. Baker, T. Temple, W. Dawson; inner guard, O. Dinsdale; outer guard, W. Millett. *0-

Lenten services will be held in St. Barnabas' church schoolroom, beginning this evening at 7.30 o'clock, and each week during Advent. The subject for the first service will be as follows: St. John Baptist, preaching, Cain and Abel, death of Abel, building of ark, the flood (1), the flood (2), dove sent from ark, Abraham journeying to Canaan, three angels appearing, flight of Lot, Hagar sent forth, Hagar and Ishmael in the desert. Appropriate hymns will be sung.

Chaucer street, and later at St. Columba church, where a very impressive service was conducted by Rev. J. McCoy. There was a very large attendance of friends, deceased being a general favorite with all who knew her. A number of floral offerings were sent, among which was a beautiful design from the teachers and members of St. Columba Sunday school. The following acted as pallbearers: C. Hopper, S. McCoy, B. Coulson, E. Taylor, R. Burns and S. Gaudin.

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schoolroom of the Metropolitan Metho-dist church on Friday evening in aid of the funds of the Sunday school library. A number of well known local artists will take part. All are cordially invited to attend. A collection will be taken in aid of the funds.

-Horace J. Knott, of Vancouver, evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies' auxiliary, and a very soci-able time was spent.

—Members of the chorus for the oratorio of "St. Paul" are reminded that
a full rehearsal will be held to-night
in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock prompt. It
is very important that everyone who
intends to take part in the performance should be present at this rehearsal as well as the rehearsal Sunday at 8:30 p. m., and the final rehearsal Tuesday at 7:45 p. m.

The funeral of the late Myrtle C. Losie took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Chaucer street, and later at St. Colum-

AT MONTHLY MEETING The entertainments which were started at the Victoria theatre last week will be continued this evening, and will be carried through for the remainder of the week with a special matinee Saturday afternoon, to which children will be admitted for half price. The management has this week decided to give a complete entertainment instead of two shows of the same piecures. This should insure a large audience at every entertainment, and it is

Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Moving Pictures Will Be Conting During Remainder of Week,

-The bazaar which was held yester-day by the ladies of the First Con-gregational church was well attended

-A most successful sale of work was held by the ladies of St. John's church Tuesday, about \$300 being realized. Great credit is due the ladies not only for the high grade of work offered for

Warn were interred yesterday, The cortege left the family residence ortege left the family resident

ceeded to Holy Trinity church, North Saanich, where services were held at 2 o'colck by Rev. J. W. Flinten. There

are busily engaged putting the finish-

ing touches to the two plays which will

out their strongest five, which will be

The Mothers' Club held a largely attended and very enjoyable meeting on Wednesday afternoon in Miss Rus-sell's room at Spring Ridge school. The

sell's room at spring Ruge school. He meeting was opened by the president, Mra. Graves, who read with much effect, the poem, "Waiting," by John Burroughs, which was followed by the reading of the minutes by Mra. Simmons, and the appointment of a delegate to the Woman's Local Council. Dr. Wasson the medical inspector of

Dr. Wasson, the medical inspector of schools, was then introduced by the

president and gave a most interesting talk on the subject of children's teeth, which was listened to with great in-terest and attention.

A bazaar was respectively and respectively of the church yesterday afternoon and evening in the lecture room. It proved a great success and was largely attendant of the church yester and the church

great success and was largely attended, Miss Margaret Clay, assisted by several young girls, had charge of the candy booth; Miss Helen Clay had

terfly department. Tea was served dur-ing the afternoon and an enjoyable musical programme was rendered at night. Plano solos were given by Miss M. Clay and Miss Polson; a whistling solo by M. Carruthers; recitations by

Mrs. Gleason and Miss Rietta Rober son, and a song by Miss Bannister.

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charge of the Christmas tree; Misses Latmer the art gallery, Misses Oliphant and Polson the

and Dobson

Progress in All Branches-Christmas and New Year Plans.

Reports handed in at the monthly oard meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last cone at every entertainment, and it is expected that the patrons of the the-atre will fully appreciate the efforts of the management to give them as good a show as possible for the low plished the usual high standard of work since the last monthly meeting R. C. Horn, vice-president, occupied the chair. The treasurer reported \$46 as the receipts for the month and \$350 paid out in disbursements. The secre tary reported employment having beer found for twelve, and board and room this city for the popular price of admission. The doors of the theatre will be open at 7, and there will be a continuous performance until 10.30, for sixteen, Mr. Jones, who has recent ly taken charge of the boys' department, was reported to have done ex

For the religious work committee Mr Frampton reported fairly successful gregational church was well attended and proved a financial success. Supper was served between the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock. A good programme was ren-dered in the evening, the following-taking part: The Misses Scowcroft and Cocker, and Messes, Shandley, Collins Sunday meetings in the New Grand theatre with a record attendance of 400 max. The formation of six Bible classes was reported and more are to be instituted, as businessmen come forward and offer their services as teachers. The educational committee reported that Mr. Suttle has given entire satis-

faction and proved a most efficient teacher, especially in the book-keeping Capt. McIntosh, for the literary com-

sale, but also for the way in which they succeeded in disposing of the same. The proceeds will be applied towards the reduction of the \$1,100 in-debtedness which still remains upon St, John's hall. ittee, announced the mock parliament as drawing well, and although the knox entertainment had not proved a uccess financially it had been of great service and the c

ed a second engagement,

A. C. Field, on behalf of the physical
committee, reported a total attendance
of 1,044 for the month. Dr. Wasson had made 22 physical examinations. The lunior harriers had made three suc full runs and the senior basketball team had been hard at practice. Dr. Wasson had also given instruction to four first aid to the injured classes. The Y. M. C. A. team had won their first game in the basketball coast was a large attendance of friends and many flowers were sent. The following acted as paliberaers: J. Johns, R. Bre-thour, A. McDonald, C. Moses, J. Roberts and C. McIllmoyl. first game in the basketball coast league against Bellingham. J. G. Warner, the third Y. M. C. A. man in the year to receive an appointment would leave December 15th for Cal would leave December 15th for Cal-gary, where he would take up the du-tles of physical instructor to the Y. M. C. A. at that town. Physical Director Findlay was grant-ed two weeks' leave of absence at

Christmas time,

ing touches to the two plays which will be presented in the Christ Church cathedral Sunday school of December 9th. The performers are rapidly rounding into shape, and an excellent entertainment is assured. Special scenery is being constructed for each play, which will add immensely to the players, and are being disposed of rapidly, thus insuring a crowded house. ristmas time.

The boys' committee, reporting on the mprovements made to the quarters, aid the new quarters were satisfac-orily furnished and well appointed. A library for the boys had b senced with 96 volumes. The Friday -The Bay's teams to play North Ward

social teas had been a success, and as a result of the membership contest 37 names had been added to the list. C. W. Wilcox, the Y. M. C. A. secre-tary for Washington, wrote that the annual state convention would take place at North Yakima on December 11th to 18th Conpent Secretary Prace 11th to 16th, General Secretary Brace was instructed to be present and to examine and report upon the new Y

The Bay's teams to play North Ward Monday night at the Assembly rink in the local basketball league has been selected as follows: Guards, J. Finlayson and R. Peden; centre, L. Spencer; forwards, J. Clark and T. Peden; reserve, Ken Hughes, The team will get to work to night against a scratch J. B. A. A five for training purposes. The Bays have been hard at work for the past two months, and have their men now in good form. They intend to make a strong fight for the top position, and the game they put up against North Ward will give a good indication of their chances. North Ward will turn out their strongest five, which will be was instructed to be present and to examine and report upon the new Y.

M. C. A. building erected there.

A Christmas dinner to the young men away from home will be given in the Y. M. C. A. hall and a committee to arrange details appointed, P. D. Hilli made a large contribution to thi A reception will be held on New Year's day in which all committees will assist. There will be physical contests in the afternoon and a literary entertainment in the evening, for which events suitable decorations to the building will be

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LEA & PERRINS SAUCE, 1-2 pint35. 1 pint
SOUP, Davies, per tin
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SHRUBB LEAVES THIS MONTH FOR ENGLAND

Despairs of Arranging Series

Despairs of Arranging Series of Races With Tom

Longboat.

Bostor, Mass., Dec. 2.—Alf. Shrubb. the noted English professional distance runner, is planning to return to England during the holidays and will not return to this country until late in the spring. Shrubb, who has returned to spring. Shrubb, who has returned to spote the Harvard cross country team of which he is coach, ran in the intercollegiate cross country championship Saturday afternoon, said he was making highest plans to return to England for the winter as he saw little prospect of the winter as he saw little prospect of making a match race with Tom Long.

bluff me out of my possional stiff challenge. I am not so easily buffed, "As matters stand at present I shall go back to England about Christmas lime, and the side would be the assurance of a match series of races with Longboat with \$1,000 posted upon the outcome of each race. I have said be over on any body else in the world, for that matter, is prepared to agree to a series of races at five miles, en miles, en miles, en miles, en miles, for the game against Vancouver, and the loser forty per cent, and the loser forty per cent, of the net receipts for such a series, they will find the best kind of bask-race with Tom Long.

"I believe that the five mile, ten mile take it in to-night."

boat in a match.

"There is a chance, however, for both Longboat and myself to clean up a mice little sum and at the same time.

Into Lillooet.

DODDS KIDNEY PILLS

public which is the best and most versatile middle and long distance runner. Planagan, even before he came out with that twnety mile challenge directed to, knew exactly my wishes in the race question, but evidently hoped to

of which he is coach, ran in the intercollegiate cross country championship
Saturday afternoon, said he was making his plans to return to England for
the winter as he saw little prospect of
making a match race with Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, on any
terms that he considered fair.

"Fiangian can never force me into a
race," declared Shrubb with some bitterness, "nor can he dietate all the
terms and conditions. In the light of
my past performances I consider I am
entitled to some say in the matter of
a match race and could probably
worry along and get all the work I
want even though I never met Longboat in a match.

"There is a chance, however, for both

HUNTING WAS GOOD.

Mark Eagleson, M.P.P. for Littooet, was in the city yesterday on business, leaving again last evening for his home. He reports that the hunting has been good this year and there have been no less than twenty-five parties which have invaded the district. These expend. Mr. Eagleson says, on an average of two or three thousand dollars each in the district. One party of Germans which has just come out of the district spent probably \$3,000. It went into the Chicotin district and brought out carlbou, grizzlies, mountain goat and other trophies. The parties have for the most part had good hunting this season, and are well satisfied with Eagleson, M.P.P. for Littooet

The leading botanists in the world are unanimous in the opinion that plants grow faster between 4 and 8 a. m. than at any time

BASKETBALL GAME

AT RINK TO-NIGHT

Victoria Has Hardest Game of Series Against Vancouver.

The second local game in the Y. M. C. A. basketball league of the Northwest coast will take place to-night at the Assembly rink, Fort street, between teams representing the Victoria and Vancouver Young Men's Christian Associations. The Vancouver team is recognized as the crackerjack team on the coast, and a win for Victoria would

race question, but evidently hoped to bluff me out of my position by a good stiff challenge. I am not so easily bluffed.

"As matters stand at present I shall go back to England about Christmas time, and the only thing that could keep me on this side would be the assurance of a match series of races with

A Challenge.

The men of the steamer Teuor unloaded, with other cargo at the outer wharf last night, a challenge to play any Victoria soccer team on their return here in ten days' time. Chief Officer Simpson is in charge of the Teucer team and all challenges and he posted on the other of the other care. can be posted on the outer wharf, where the Teucer docks. They will have immediate attention. The Teucer men beat a Tacoma team when the chip called there for freight last week.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

RETURN SCHOOL GAME.

Twenty-eight to nothing in favor of the University school was the result of the return game between the University and the Collegiate schools played yesterday afternoon on the hospital grounds. Alexis Martin refereed the game. The winners put on twenty points in the last change. Altogether they secured 2 goals and 6 tries. The last score was obtained by Bowser,

THE KENNEL VICTORIA CLUB MEETING.

The Victoria Kennel Club has an im-The Victoria Kennel Club has an Important meeting to-night, when all interested are asked by the secretary to be present at the offices of T. P. McConnell. Fort and Government streets. The club will consider the question of severing its connection with the Canadian Kennel Club and joining the America Kennel Association. The object of the change as put forward by these erica Kennel Association. The object of the change as put forward by those in favor of it, is that under the A. K. A. dogs will be able to gain their championships quicker, the opportunity offering to show at five shows in the year instead of two under the C. K. C. The meeting will also take up the question of parlor shows for the year. tion of parlor shows for the year.

GOLF.

HANDICAP ROUND SATURDAY. The United Service Golf Club will hold a handicap round Saturday after-noon, commencing at 1:35. The club has obtained the services of J. Moffat, the Winnipeg Golf Club professional, who will give lessons to those applying to the secretary.

IMPREGNABLE DEFENCE TO OPPOSE VANCOUVER

Fast and Clever Soccer Eleven Will Leave on Friday Night.

The Victoria soccer team will go to return game in the Pacific Coast league this course would be taken as Nanai-mo was unable to fill the date, the action required the sanction of the Victoria and District Association Football league, which body last night met at Victoria West hall and selected the Victoria West hall and selected the following team to make the trip: Goal. Beaney; fullbacks, Lorlmer, Dunn (F); halfbacks, Eiton, Prevost, Kerchin; forwards, Buxton, Thomas, Sedger, Okeil, Todd,
The reserves are Telford and Sher-

ritt.

There is not much the matter with the team selected. As it looks on paper there are two weak spots. It is unfortunate that Cowass, of Esquimalt, was not registered in time to be placed on the team. Dunn, however, at fullback, has been registered and doubtless Cowans' registration will be effected in time for the match against Scattle, December 12th. He is among the three best forward men in the city. The team teaves Friday night and in the back lines it is almost impregnable.

playing fullback, who kicked well down the field and following the ball was the Ladies' Ald of the Congregational able to secure again and, passing the opposing back, crossed the line about in making their annual bassar such half way out.

-Next Sunday night at 8.45 o'clock Dr. Spencer will speak at the New Grand theatre on "Shall We Have Local Option in B. C.?" Men and women are earnestly invited. A male quartette will sing, Dr. Ernest Hall will preside. Electors particularly in-

—Andrew Blygh, who has just been appointed manager for the province of the Alberta-Chicago oil fields, near Pincher Creek, reports that he is selling a lot of stock in Victoria and may make his headquarters here. One of those interested in the company is John W. Warner, for three years expert for the Standard Oil Company.

A day or two ago a permit was issued by the clerk of the municipality of Oak Bay to C. Dubois Mason for the erection of a house on Prospect street, just at the bend off Oak Bay Typographical list Monday tect, and T. H. Matthews the contractor, The house, which is a story and a half building, will cost in the neighborhood of \$4,500. The regulation requiring the issuing of permits for dwellings in the Oak Bay municipality has only recently come into force, so Mr. Mason's house was commenced without taking out the permit through ignorance of the existence of such a substitute of the narrow gorge at the english of the order of the orne, France, where the first abbey was founded in 1140, by Rotrou Count of Perche, "La Trappe" ignorance of the existence of such a substitute of the orne, France, where the first abbey was founded in 1140, by Rotrou Count of Perche, "La Trappe" ignorance of the existence of such as the contract of the orne, France, where the first abbey was founded in 1140, by Rotrou Count of Perche, "La Trappe" in the department of the orne, France, where the first abbey was founded in 1140, by Rotrou Count of Perche, "La Trappe" in the department of the orne, France, where the first abbey was founded in 1140, by Rotrou Count of Perche, "La Trappe" in the contractor.

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Blacksmiths lst and 3rd Tuesday
Bollermakers 2nd and 4th Tuesday
Boilermakers' Helpers 1st and 3rd Thurs.
Bookbinders Quarterly
Bricklayers 2nd and 4th Monday
Rartenders 1st and 2rd Sunday
Cooks and Walters, 2nd and 4th Tuesday
Carpenters Alternate Wednesdays
Cigarmakers Int Pelday
Electrical Workers 3rd Friday
Garment Workers 1st Monday
Laborers 1st and 3rd Friday
Leather Workers 4th Thursday
Laundry Workers 1st and 3rd Tuesday
Longshoremen Every Monday
Letter Carriers 4th Wednesday
Machinists 1st and 3rd Thursday
Moulders 2nd Wednesday
Musicians 3rds Sunday
Painters 1st and 3rd Monday
Plumbers Ist and 3rd Tuesday
Printing Pressmen 2nd Monday
Shipwrights 2nd and 4th Thursday
Steam Fitters 1st and 3rd Tuesday
Stonecutters 2nd Thursday
Street Railway Employees
1st ruesday, 2 p.m., 3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m.

Mr. Mason's house was commenced without taking out the permit through ignorance of the existence of such a rule. The house is almost finished, and is a fine structure facing the sea. It has been referred to in these columns before.

—At the meeting of Alexandra Lodge Sons of England last evening, W. Millett was presented with a jevel of merit by the lodge. Mayor Hall, in making the presentation spoke on services which had been redered to the lodge by the recipient, R. Dinsdale, referred to the wonderful growth of the lodge in the last few years. There had been from one to seven young men initiated each meeting of this year. The lodge was now second to none in the city. Secretary Critchley, speaking of the lodge's success, stated that \$400 had been received that evening.

ANOTHER DIVIDEND.

Green-Worlock Estate Will Pay Ten Per Cent. to Shareholders.

The fourth dividend, in chancetton with the Green-Worlock ostate will be paid on the 10th instant at 129 Langles of exite, and La Trappe again became the mother house of the order. There are about 1,800 oreditors to participate in the payment.

ETHELEMENT'S LITTLE WAY.

KITCHENER'S LITTLE WAY.

KITCHENER'S

as the three previously paid, ten per cent. Mr. Heisterman announced this morning that a small and final divided all the atories told of him, but, in the absence of contradiction, the world will be paid probably next year when the estate will then have been finally wound up. There are about no doubt accept the latest addition to the series. A local official wanted upon the payment.

The United Kingdom has 142,000 miles of road, 15,000 of rail, and 5,000 of waterway.

Lord Kitchener will never overtake trict, and to urge that troops should be sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort. But, my dear sir, do you considered to be the danger of an indical. Kitchener every final to be sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort of the sort and the sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort of the sort and the sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort of the sort and the sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort of the sort and the sent to support the civil arm. Lord Kitchener declined to do anything of the sort of the sort and the sort of the sort

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R. B. BRETHOUR.

Clerk.



HONOR AT FOOTBALL

Are Anxious to Win Fresh

MISLEADING REPORT.

/illiam Henderson Denies That Em-ployees Have Lost Lives on West Coast Trall.

the fertile valleys of the Skeena and

MEN OF TEUCER GAIN

Movements of Local Vessels—Trade Expansion in B. C. Waters— Gleanings of Interest From the Seven Seas

STEAMER MERA HAD VERY ROUGH TIME

Kosmos Liner Encountered Severe Gales on West Coast of South America.

The Mera was at Valparaiso October 20th. At that port and some of the other West Coast ports the Kesmos company has assumed the discharge of company has assumed the discharge of lighters of 5,000 tons carrying capacity of the purpose.

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OIL PAINTINGS,

STRANDING OF NORTHLAND. Chief Officer Says Steamer Was Car ried on Reef by Strong Tiderip,

The steamer Northland, which ran on a reef in Active Pass, has been taken to Tacoma, and the first officer, in referring to the accident, says:

"We were coming down from Alaska by way of the inside passage. It was very dark, but the weather was clear. The vessel swing toward the reef he-

Encountering severe storms on her passage up the coast, the German steamer Mera, of the Kosmos Hamburg-American line, is in Tacoma again after an absence of more than a year. Captain Jurgenson is in command.

The Mera left Hamburg August 20th and until she arrived on the Pacific, she encountered fair weather. Almost immediately after passing through the string plate the water entered our strait of Magellan, she was beset by a series of severe gales. In one storm in particular the Mera encountered high head acas and at times her decks were awash and one of her life boats. Was carried away.

The Vessel swung toward the rect, being caught in a strong tiderip, Before she struck I attempted to steer her out into the channel, but she would not a hard vessel to handle, and the tide was very strong. We struck just at the beacon which marks the reef. The reef is a dangerous one and should be marked by a light.

Either from a hole or from a sprung plate the water entered our fuel tank, which was the cause of our fuel tank, which was the cause of our fuel tank, which have been able to back from the reef had head acas and at times her decks were awash and one of her life boats. Was carried away.

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irst officer of the marine department, arrived
in part yesterday and left again almost
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Tramp Coming From Magdaiena Bay for Over-

hauling.

Steamer Leaves This After-

Captain Watt Made 528 Trips Acre Without a Mishap of Any Kind.

Five hundred and twenty-eight voyages across the Atlantic without ar secident to any of the vessels unde his charge! Such is the wonderful record of Captain Watt, the commodor of the Cunard fleet, who retired interprivate life last week, when he brough the Lustania into harbor at Liverpool Captain Watt's sea career extends over

half a century. Captain Watt is a Scotsman, and has pany for thirty-five and a half year to the time he was called upon to command the Lusitania he had sailed in every vessel of the Cunard fleet with the exception of the Caronia. "I have always believed," he added, "in giving ample sea-room to ocean-

"in giving ample sea-room to oceangoing traffic, especially in a fog, so that
I might as far as possible ensure the
safety of my ship even if an approaching vessel might make a mistake."
Captain Watt thought that the possibilities of a quicker passage across
the Atlantic were not exhausted. As
to how far the record might be lowered he was not prepared to say. "There
seems," he remarked, "no finality to
the capabilities of the coming liner."

WAGES SECURE

United States Supreme Court Decide Seamen's Pay Cannot Be Garnisheed.

The question whether the wages of a United States seaman can be gar-nisheed was decided a day or two ago in the negative in the supreme court of the United States in connection with the case of James L. Holt, tax assessor and collector for the first taxation division of Hawali, versus the Inter-Island Royal will be available for the north-Steam Navigation Company. Holt sought to attach the wages of a seaman named Tullett, who was in the employ of the navigation company. The Hawalian court held that under the law this could not be done, and the supreme court affirmed that under the law this could not be done, and the versus the court affirmed that under the law this could not be done, and the supreme court affirmed that under the law this could not be done, and the versus the law that the law this could not be done, and the versus the law that the law this could not be done, and the versus the law that the law that the law this could not be done, and the versus the law that the la supreme court affirmed that judgmen the opinion being read by Justice Da

MARINE NOTES

Steamer Governor left last night for San Francisco with 332 passengers abroad.

C. P. R. steamer Princess Beatrice will be ready to leave the ways at Bullen's ship yards this week.

Steamer Ramona, which sank in the Fraser a short time ago, has been brought down to New Westminster under her own steam, and will soon be put on the river run again.

Santa Rosalia advices state that the British ship Baliachulish, Captain Butler, went ashore two miles south of Topolobampo, November 19th. She was floated two days later after jettisonling part of her cargo. Whether or not she is badly damaged the advices do not state.

The world uses 3,500,000 steel pens a day.

SHIPPING REPORT

Capa Lazo, Dec. 3, 8 a, m.—Cleary calm, barometer, 20.92; temperature, 28. Sea smooth; at 7.50 a, m. spoke D, G. S. Quadra which left. Duncans bay at 7.30, bound south, Point Grey, Dec. 2, 8 a, m.—Fair; foggy; calm; barometer, 30; temperature, 36. Defeat Team at Tacoma and

Tatorit. Dec. 3, 8 a m. Cloudy white elst we miss; barometer, 22.35 temperature, 44. Passed in steam schooner at 5.20; passed in two-mass schooner towing four-mast schooner at

The steamer arrived at Tacoma a short time ago completing a long voyage from Liverpool, and was unloading a quantity of cargo when a discussion arose as to the ability of sailors to play football. The Teucer men claimed that they were as good at the game as Tacomans, so a challenge was issued and accepted, and Chief Officer Simpson set off up town to buy a hall, Gathering the most likely looking men from the ship, many of them engineers. Simpson marshalled his forces, and after a good practice ashore met the Tacoma team and beat them by a score of four goals to three. Estevan, Dec. 3, 8 a. m.—Clear alm; barometer, 30.04; temperature

33. Sea smooth.

Cape Lazo, Dec. 3, noon.—Clear;
caim; barometer, 29.97; temperature,
36. Sea smooth; at 10 a.m. D. G. S.
Quadra passed south.

Point Grey, Dec. 3, noon.—Fair;
caim; fog; barometer, 30.03; temperature, 42. Spoke Quadra south bound at
11.55.

Tatesch, Dec. 3.

to three,

The crew of the Teucer now carry the Tatoosh Dec. 3 noon.-Clear: wind across it to meet any team that waiks the earth. When an opportunity presents freelf the men indulge in practice. They expect a game in Victoria when they return to load for the Orient, and it is rumered that Customs-Officer McLaughlan will have a team ready to meet them. er Beechley at 9.30 a.m.; schoone Mary at 10.10 a.m., and steamer Tor lenskold at 11.30 a.m.

denskold at 11.30 a.m.
Pachena, Dec. 3, noen,—Clear; haz
on sea; wind east; barometer, 29.33
temperature, 41. Sea smooth; steame
Tees passed up at 11.15 a.m. Estevan, Dec. 3, noon.—Clear; light east wind; barometer, 30.08; tempera-ture, 48; sea smooth.

In regard to an interview given to the Colonist by Mr. Campbell-Johnstone in which he refers to the bad state of the trail along the West Coast near Carmanah, Wm. Henderson, superintendent of Dominion public works, was this morning seen, and he stated that it must be the old trail that is referred to, as the new one does not go within sixteen or seventeen miles of that place. The trail is being built from Eanfield south, and the intention of the government is to continue the trail as far as Carmanah. It is to overcome just such difficulties as Mr. Campbell mentions that the trail is being built. LLOYD'S REPORT ON SHIPBUILDING FOR YEAR

SHIPBUILDING FOR YEAR to the conveyance of troops, etc., and trail along the West Coast rate of commanh. Wm. Henderson, superintendent of Dominion public works, was this morning seen, and he stated that it must be the old trail that is referred to, as the new one does not go within sixtsen of seventeen miles of that place. The trail is being built from Banfeld south, and the intention of the government is to continue the trail as far as Carmanah. It is to overcome just such difficulties as Mr. Campbell mentions that the trail is being built.

Mr. Henderson, however, denies that during the last twelve years, the time he has been in office, any government employees have lost their lives on the trail.

SHIPPING EXPECTED

TO BE VERY BRISK

Trade With the North Next Spring Will Be

Large.

There seems every reason to believe that the present winter will be an unusually short one so far as the slackness in the coast shipping trade is concerned. The prospective opening of early Prince Rupert in the spring or early Prince Rupert in the spr

ness in the coast shipping trade is concerned. The prospective opening of Prince Rupert in the spring or early Brown & Co., Ltd., Clydebank, this vessel was constructed under the spewhich is being pushed with vigor, the development of the farming country in the fertile valleys of the Skeena and the fertile valleys of the Skeena and lits tributaries, the development of the greatest satisfaction to all concerned that the achivements of these fine queen Charlottes and the general vessels on their transatlantic voyages have so fully justified the confidence of both owners and builders. There is said to be a corresponding ship Rotterdam, 24,149 tons, built by

ship Rotterdam, 24,149 tons, built by Messrs, Harland & Wolff, Ltd., for the stir on the American side. The supplies in the town of Pairhanks are reported to be short and there is a good deal of railway, road and mining material to go in so that work may begin early. On the Copper river the Guggenheims are said to be anxious to get in a lot of machinery to use when work begins.

A short winter recovery and the supplies the suppli begins.
A short winter means a prosperous set, which is fitted to burn liquid fuel, season. The opening of the Alaska-is, the largest yet constructed in Japan, and is the first built in that country in which turbine machinery. Columbia will share in everything that the solns.

Columbia will share in everything that is going.

In order to cope with the extra trade the different companies interested in the shipping business are making special efforts to meet the situation and a number of changes will be made during the coming season, some of which will come in the nature of surprises. The C. P. R. will have their fine new coaster, the Princess Charlotte, on the Victoria-Vancouver-Seattle run, and there are all sorts of rumors going around of opposition steamers. That next spring will see many changes is a practical certainty. The Princess Royal will be available for the northern trade and the Rupert City, recently purchased by McKenzle Brothers, will run on a regular schedule.

TIDE TABLE.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY, This is the age of research and experiment, who elimative soft open is remarked by the scientification of the comfort and happiness of man. Science hindeed made giant strides during the past century and among the—by no means least important discoveries in medicine comestant of

THERAPION. genuine and reliable Patent Medicines ever intro duced, and has, we understand, been used in the Continental Hospitals by Ricord, Rostan, Jober Velneau, Majsonneius, the well known Chassale

Lalemand, and Roux, by whom it was some time since uniformly adopted, and that it is worthy the since uniformly adopted, and that it is worthy the attention of those who require such a remedy we think there is no doubt. From the time of Aristotle downwards, a potent agent in the removal of these diseases has like the famed philosopher's atone) been the object of search of some hopeful, generous minds; and far beyond the mere power-if such could ever have been discovered—of transmuting the baser metals into gold is surely the discovery of aprinced so potent as stere-plenish the falling energies are conformed, swelf at the one case, covery of aprinced so potent as stere-plenish the falling energies are conformed, swelf at the one case, to expect from the system without the aid, or even the knowledge, of a second party, the poisons of acquired or inherited disease in all their protease or inherited disease in all thei

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POULTRY IN JAPAN.

A notable recent event, says the Illustrated Poultry Record, England, is the exportation of poultry and poultry the exportation of poultry and poultry appliance to Japan. In which country there is an awakening interest in practical poultry-keeping. Since the war with Russia the government has been paxing a considerable amount of attention to this question, and has sent representatives to Britain and America to study the methods adopted. The latest party of these is at present in Europe, having come by way of America. latest party of these is at present in Europe, having come by way of Ameraica, and they have made large purchases of stock for the improvement of the poultry in Japan. These are enirrely of utilitarian breeds, and it will be extremely interesting to see which prove most successful in the Land of the Sin, though we anticipate that al-most any breed will be easily acclima-tized in a country so diversified in its natural conditions and surrounded by

In the World of Finance and Trade

Local Markets-Stock Quotations From New York, Chicago and London-Doings in Mining Centres

LOCAL APPLES ARE COMING IN FREELY

Eggs Are More Plentiful This Year-Prevailing Prices.

The staple articles of local produce show little change in price during the past few weeks, with the exception perhaps of eggs. As is the rule at this time of the year, the price of eggs has gone far beyond the regular rates. On this subject, however, some dealers state that there is a marked increase in the number of eggs received at this season of the year as compared with preceding years. There is avidently more attention being paid to the poultry industry than has been the case in try industry than has been the case in

Yesterday there were rather large consistements of apples received at the headquarters of the Victoria Fruit Growers Association in the city. The Progress packing house located near the pumping station, sent in a good quota, apparently fearing cold weather.

These have been readily placed with

These have been readily placed with ocal deglers, the quarters of the asso-lation has evening being a busy place filling the orders of wholesalers. California fruits are showing a ten-

ency to reduced prices.

The retail prices are as follows: Pratt's Coal Oil

Meats—
Hams (B. C.), per lb.
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.
Hams (American), per lb.
Bacon (American), per lb.
Bacon (Rolled), per lb.
Shoulders, per lb.
Bacon (long clear), per lb.
Pork, per lb.
Mutton, per lb.
Mutton, per lb. Fork, per lb.
Mutton, per lb.
Lamb, hindquarter
Lamb, forequarter
Veal, per lb.
Suet, per lb.
Farm ProducePresh Island Eggs
Eastern Eggs
Beat Dairy Butter

Okanagan, per ack.
Okanagan, per bbl.
Calgary Hungarian, per sack.
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.
Moose Jaw, per sack.
Moose Jaw, per bbl.

try Flours
jowflake, per sack
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K. Best Pastry, per sack
K. Four Star, per sack
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dack.

Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 45-b. sk.
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 90-b. sk.
Oatmeal, 10-b. sack
Oatmeal, 50-b. sack
Rolled Wheat, 10 bs.
Cracked Wheat, 10 bs.
Whost Flakes, per packel
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 bs.
Graham Flour, 10 bs.
Graham Flour, 50 bs.
Feed—

Onions (Cal.), per lb. WHOLESALE MARKETS. Lemons
Walnuts (Cal,)
Walnuts (Eastern)
Apples, per box
Pineapples, per dos.
Cabbage, per lb.
Coccanuts, each Bacon
Carrots, per lb.
Bananas, per lb.
Pears
Sweet Potatoes
Potatoes (local), per ton
Potatoes (Ashroft), per ton
Potatoes (Ashroft), per ton 1.50@ 1.75 Butter (Creamery), per 1b. Butter (Dairy) Onions (Spanish), per 1b, ...

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Listed Stocks.

Alberta Coal & Coke Co. Portland canal M. & Dev. 70 Unlisted Stocks. American-Canadian Oil American-Canadian Ou B. C. Copper B. C. Packers, pref. B. C. Parmanent Loan B. C. Pulp & Paper B. C. Trust Corp. Canadian Con. S. & R. Canadian Northwest Oil Cariboo Camp McKinney ... Diamond Vale Coal & Iron Dominion Copper
Dominion Trust Co.
Great Weat Permanent
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke
Pacific Whaling, pref.
Royal Colleries
Sullivan 2.00 Vancouver Ice & C. S. ...

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1,000 International Coal 1,000 International Coal 500 International Coal 100 Western Oil 1,000 American-Ganadan 1,000 Carboo McK. 2,000 Royal Collieries ... Traveller's Valuable Find.

Canadian Oil

Travelling on the I. C. R., Mr. Harry
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badly chapped hands at the time so
applied the balm. He says: "ZamBuk eased the pain and smarting,
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since proved it a really wonderful
healer. It cures cuts, sores, or burns
equally well, and I would not like now
to be without a supply."

Mr. Towers is only one of thousands who are glad they heard of Zam-Buk. There is no skin disease it will not re-lieve and cure. Its fame is spreading everywhere, and it is now regarded as on the farm, or in the home. No traveller should be without it. Every home should have its box always retiring each night will keep the skin soft and free from chaps, cold-sores,

or disease.

If you have a cut, a bruise, or some rritating skin disease, which has defied all ordinary remedies, apply Zam-Buk. it first cleanses a wound by killing off til harmful bacteria. Then it builds up all harmful bacteria. Then it builds up new tissue cell by cell—just as a brick-layer lays row after row of bricks. Then it covers the wound with new healthy skin, and the cure is effected!

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A Misouri newspaper office was shot into with buckshot by the local grocer because in his advertisement which should have read, "A fresh stock dairy butter," the printer used an "h" instead of a "d" in the word "dairy." The editor concludes that the printer takes more chances than any other man on earth.—Ex.

NEW YORK STOCKS

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1	Amal. Copper 84	834	831
i	Amer. Car & Foundry 462	46	464
H	Amer. Loco 554	554	554
4	Amer. Sugar	1309	131
	Amer. Smelt 922	912	92
9	Anaconda 495	494	491
a	Atchison 99	979	981
q	B. & O1081	106E	1070
ã	B. R. T 559	541	55
1	C. P. B		1754
1	C. & G. W II	102	102
ij	C., M. & St. P	149	1501
g	C. & N. W1742	174	174
ā	C. & O 501	484	50%
ä	Colo. Fuel & Iron 37	37à	521
ä	Colo. Southern 521.	53	223
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d	L. & N	1204	121
ŭ	M., K. & T 381	374	384
Ŋ	Missouri Pac 664	644	60
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ą	N. Y., O. & W	1402	1417
뿧	Pacific Mail S. S. Co 387	261	279
ĕ	Pennsylvania Ry 1281	1285	1282
ŭ	People's Gas 100)	100	100
1	Pressed Steel Car		384
1	Reading	1374	138
'n	Repub. Iron & Steel 262	264	261
ı	Rock Island 25h	246 582	602
e	Do., pref 618 St. L. & S. F., 2nd pref 401	392	401
ď	S. P	117	1170
ij	Southern Ry 250	249	251
ì	Texas & Pacific 334	33	335
).	U. P1804	1792	1794
3	U. S. Steel Co 548	534	544
ľ	Wabash 374	139	37h
5	G. N	874	884
	Total sales, 910,600 shares.		0.32

LOCAL STOCKS

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Alberta Coal & Coke Co	
American-Canadian Oil 074	.,
Burton Saw Works	7
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Bakeries, Limited	
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Nicola Valley C. & C	
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Royal Collieries	
Sullivan	
Silica Brick	
Van. Ice & C. S	
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MINING STOCKS

Copper King Humming Bird Lucky Calumet Missoula Copper Monitor Nabob

THE CITY POUND.

To the Editor. In to night's issue of the Times I notice an item on some special integration that His Worship Mayor Hall wants introduced in the coming session of the provincial parliament. Among other tried a mendments, there is one that asks for relief.

Victoria, Dec. 1st, 1908.

THE BITUMINOUS

COALS OF ALBERTA In Great Demand for Railway Purposes.

C. S. Railways West of Rockies De

It is not generally known by the purity that the area of minimpose these merry wooden actors are espectically limited to the Crow's Nest district in Southern Alberta and the Feace River district in Northern British Columbia. There are enormous deposits of Hanitic coals in Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but the lignitic coals are unfit for railway purposes for the reason that they produce cinders which cause prairie and forest fires, and, consequently, involve the railways in cause prairie and forest fires, and, consequently, involve the rallways in heavy damages. It is a well-known fact that the C. P. R. were importing bituminous coals from Kentucky and Ohio for use during the dry seasons before the Crow's Nest Company's mines were opened up. These bituminous coal fields are an invaluable treasure house to the Far West of Canada, and should be carefully, husbanded, for in the years to come they will be more highly prized than even they are now. It is only comparatively a few years ago that similar coal lands in Ohio could be bought for from 42 dillar and is guaranteed; sample size ozone," she makes the following public statement: "For two years I had never used anything giving such quick results as Catarrhozone. It promotes to the Far West of Canada, and should be carefully, husbanded, for in the years to come they will be more highly prized than even they are now. It is only comparatively a few years ago that similar coal lands in Ohlo could be bought for from \$2 to \$2.50 per acre. The lafest big colliery to be opened in the bituminuous field of Afberta is the Western Oil & Coal Consolidated's new colliery at Beaver Criek, known as the Beaver Colleries. Recent reports.

Joseph Port wo years I had are only being such quick results as Catarrhozone. It pays that next year should be a "hummer" for the islands. The riches are only being touched upon yet. The kical company is shipping steadily are only being touched upon yet. The kical company is making a large profit. At Collison Bay a mine has just been struck, called the Copper Coin, which promises well. The Eagle Tree mine at Jedway also promises well. The Eagle Tree mine at Jedway also promises well. So good is the outlook that the Tyee company is reported to have given \$80,000 for it, although it is still only a prospent of the promise of the Moreahy In the timber line with the same and the promises with Victoria.

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The coal lands of the Canadian Northwest are being pretty eagerly bought up, and the opportunities for securing bituminous coal lands are getting very rare.

Victoria Meteorological Office, 23th how, to ist bec. 1998.

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At Victoria, there were registered 21 thours and 42 minutes of pright sunshine; its lowes and 42 minutes; highest, 45 on 25th; lowest, 24 on 18t; rain, 78 inch.

New Westminster-Highest, 46 on 25th and 28th; lowest, 24 on 18t; rain, trace.

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wants introduced in the best voice. The control stands of numerous residents, there is one that asks for the abatement of certain kinds of nuisances affecting the confort and enjoyment of citizens. We have heard a lot of talk on the streets and read quite a number of items in the press about dogs and pound by-laws and the pound keeper not doing his duty (which, by the way, is a blessing to the residents in this district), but not a word about the nuisance that is constantly affecting the confort and sulcomment of the residents in this locality. I refer to the city pound. The fact that over eighty citizens signed a petition to have this nuisance removed, besides the complaints of numerous residents, does not seem to have the least effect on the Mayor and council.

I understand there is to be a public school bult near the place where this cive institution stands. It will be a file lesson for our children on kindness to dumb animals when the dogs are barking and howling in their best voice. The teachers will have to be gifted with good lang power to make any headway against their canine competitors.

Now, sir, I hope our Mayog and council will exercise the powers they have and show the people living in this vicinity that their petitions have not been in vain by removing this nuisance, that does not require any special legislation.

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A PLAY OF WESTERN LIFE, Texas" Will be Given Here on Mon-

George Broadhurst's play of American frontier life, entitled "Texas," will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Monday next. "Texas" is a charming play of western life, and is unusually picturesque, in fact, it is as romantic as any costume play ever presented, and deals with a variety of subjects almost entirely new to the stage. It tells of the ve and trials of the people of the manner, and immediately wins the hearts of every auditor. The play is at es exciting, as western life is apt to with its cowboys, Mexicans and in men," but it also has its monents of love and sentiment, its ouches of pathog and noble self-sacrifice, as well as its moments of happi-, joy and sunshine.

The drama presents a picture of a that is fast passing away from inroads of civilization. This is the

FRIENDLY HELP SOCIETY.

ations for Christmas Distribution Will be Thankfully Received.

The regular monthly meeting of the The regular monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Society was held on Tuesday in the market building. Mrs. Perrit presided and there were eight members present. The treasurer's report showed that thirty-two persons had been helped during November, sixteen had clothing, sixteen groceries, seven fuel, three milk (daily), and one was supplied with a bed.

Cash donations were acknowledged.

Cash donations were acknowledged from A Friend, subscriptions, E. J. Bagshaw, Miss Kate Angus, Mrs. Coop-

the city.

Donations of clothing were received. with thanks from the following: Miss Tuckey, Miss Angus, Mrs. Dr. Morrison, Tuckey, Miss Angus, Mrs. Dr. Morrison, Mrs. George Carter, Mrs. Dean, Mrs. J. E. Wlison, A Friend per Miss Woods. The rooms will be opened on Monday, December 21st, and a committee of ladies will be in attendance to receive donations for the Christmas work. New clothing and groceries will be thankfully received.

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HAPPT IHUUGHT.

A lady writing from Ireland says 1—21 went to see my sister's baby, who was very ill indeed. She had been up for nights with him without undreasing 1 he was crying all the time as with some internal pain. The doctor told her he could do nothing except put him in a warm bath, which gave him a lattle case for the time being.

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SOOTHING POWDERS which used for my own children; and next day I sent some to my sister, when she gave the child half a powder according to directions. For the first time for a fortnight she and the baby, and, in lact, at the household, had a good night's sleep, and the fittle fellow has continued to improve ever since.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Miss Mary Gillis left recently en oute for Mercedes, Cal.

Mrs. A. J. Ripley is paying a visit to friends on the mainland Mrs. Gordon Hunter left this morn-

visit friends in Vancouver. Mr. W. D. Muirhead, of Fort William,

who is touring the coast is at present in Victoria. ...

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward, of Ganges Island, are spending a few days in town. Mrs. Chas. Copeland has returned from a pleasant visit to her old home at Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Driccoll and hild, of El Paso, Texas, are spending a few days in town.

Mrs. H. de M. Meilin and Miss Morris returned to their home in Duncan to-day after a short stay in town.

Mrs. H. R. McIntyre will receive on the first and fifth Thursdays of the month instead of Friday as formerly.

H. Woodward left this morning for ancouver en route for New York, whence he will sail by the White Star ine for England. Mr. Archie S. Guild, of Honolulu,

Mr. H. M. Hicks and Miss Hicks, of Brisbane, Queensland, are in the city awaiting the Australian steamer. Mr. and Mrs. Allan C. Wright, of

Winnipeg, who have been spending a delightful time on the coast and in Victoria particularly, left this morning for Vancouver en route for the prairie

The next guest day at the Alexan-dra Club will be held on Wednesday, December 9th from 3:30 to 6:30. There will be a pleasing feature in connection with this event, which is not ye made public, and it is hoped that all members will be present.

Mrs. A. W. Knight, of Pandora avenue, has returned from a delightful six months' stay in the old country. While abroad Mrs. Knight was the guest of her eldest son, and sister, Mrs Butt in London, and also visited friends in the Isle of Wight, Chester etc. Mrs. Knight is at present stay-ing with her daughter, Mrs. Mottiam, 2616 Third street.

Mrs. Hugo Beavan, Mrs. Luxton and Mrs. Prentiss were the hostesses of were enjoyable tea given on Tuesday evening to the old ladies of the Aged Woman's Home in the dining room of that institution. Among the visitors were Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. Prentiss, Miss Macdonaid, Canon Respirates Canon Beanlands, and a number of the committee. After tea, a number of committee. After tea, a number of young people gave a bright, catchy play, which was thoroughly enjoyed by the audienc

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victori Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Dec. 3.—5 a. m.—The high pressure area east of the Rockies has become divided, one part remaining in the north and the other moving southward through the lower Mississippi valley; the pressure has decreased over the North Pacific states; heavy rain has fallen at Los Angeles and 8 inches of snow at Flagstaff.
Arisona; the weather is fair from California northward through British Columbia and the middle west provinces and
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these organs are not properly clearing out the waste matter, the blood will be poisoned and the skin sallow "muddy" and sprinkled with pimples. Plenty of ripe fruit helps more than any others food the outer than any others food the course this conditions. GIVEN GRAND RECEPTION

> High Class Concert Given by Famous Singer at Victoria Theatre.

Last evening at the Victoria theatre, Madame Nordica showed that she is not only the "Queen of Song" to the sessional singers but the definition of the general public. She is a ger who appeals quite as strongly those who are unacquainted with the niceties of technical music as the professional vocalist. From the professional vocalist. From the professional vocalist. From the professional vocalist. From the professional vocalist is up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you est will go you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach will go you as soon as with the wagnerian will go you good. entitled to the honor from the standto the professional vocalist. From the time when Madame Nordica opened her programme with the Wagnerian selection "Dich Theure Halle," until she responded to her last encoure for the evening her receptions grew warmer. She was greeted at the start with applause which was most hearty. She closed and a tumultuous demonstration in recognition of her efforts. The audience after ioning with the The audience, after joining with the great artist in the singing of "God Save the King," cheered the singer to the ceho and leaving the place with reluctant steps. This was all the more remarkable as Victoria audiences are

remarkable as Victoria audiences are rather undemonstrative. It is not usual for a response like that of last night and it is doubtful if any singer who ever visited the city was given such a reception.

Madame Nordica shows wonderful ability in her choice of a programme to render before a popular audiențe. It is such as appeals at once to the general public. Last night there was an entire absence of vocal gymnastics. She has mastered a style on the stage in which it would be difficult to suggest any improvement. Its naturalness stamps it with the highest order of art. Possessed of a commanding presence and the most perfect syle. presence and the most perfect syle,

paves the way for a proper apprecia-tion of her singing. She has nothing adverse to overcome. It is a difficult matter to decide in It is a difficult matter to decide in-what particular the great attist ex-cels. In the simple rythmic songs last evening she was able to display a voice which it was difficult to under-stand how it could be kept in such perfect form through a long career of strenuous singing. It was the per-fect voice of a child at times with all the beauty and naturalness which goes with youth and at the same time the perfection of a training of long years.

such selections as Schumann's "Waldesgesprach," the dram-atic power of the singer came into play and her adaptability of voice and person to impassioned opera was person to impassioned opera was proved.

The effect was very striking when

The effect was very striking when Madame Nordica in spite of the evidence that the audience was not yet, satisfied decided to close the entertainment. Bearing the beautiful shear of chrysanthemums presented to her earlier in the evening she sang as a parting:

"The aweetest flower that blows I give you as I part. To you it is a rose.

To you it is a rose.

To me it is my heart.
The fragrance it exhales
Is—if you only knew
Which but in dying falls—
It is my love to you."

The visit of Madame Nordica to Vic-The visit of Madame Nordica to Vic-toria will long be remembered. The public are ready to acknowledge the debt owed to the Victoria Musical So-ciety in making possible the rare treat they enjoyed last evening. Had it not been for the efforts of that society it would have been impossible to have had a visit to the city from the artist. Assisting Madame Nordica last night Assisting Madame Nordica last night vere Frederick Hastings, baritone, and Emms Showers, planist. The fact that they have to appear on the same programme with Madame Nordica is very exacting upon these musicians. They, however, were, very much appreciated and both were repeatedly recalled.

and in her playing especially where nice feeling was to be interpreted did excellent work. Her rendering of Liszt's Rhayssodie Hongroise was de-

cong, where a vigorous style was required, seemed very much at home and produced a good effect.

In Andre Benoist, the accompanist, Madame Nordica has a treasure, His sympathetic work and perfect understanding of the principal left nothing to be desired.

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Snowshoe Mine Makes Record -Ore Shipments Well Up to Average.

Nelson, Dec. 2-During last week the Nesson, Dec. 2.—During last week the output of the mines in southeastern British Columbia has been well up to the average for the year, but with the exception of the Snowshoe in the Boundary no records have been broken. During the week the Canadian Consol shoring the week the Canadian Consolidated company's property, the Snowshoe, shipped out 1,200 tons to the B. C. Copper Company's smelter at Greenwood, in addition to 1,019 tons to the Consolidated Company's works at Trail, or 2,219,tons in all, the largest shipments from this mine for any single week this year.

eek this year, Messrs, Hudson and Bell, who have a lease on the Second Relief mine at Erie, brought in during the week the second gold brick from the mill, valued at about \$43,000. The first gold brick valued at a similar amount, was brought in during October.

No zinc shipments were reported last week, but the tonnage which was reweek, but the tonnage which was re-ported the previous week from the Whitewater will be found in the ap-pended statement. It represents the output for the three preceding weeks. The following are the ore shipments for the past week and year to date:

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Year. Granby	Week.	Year,
		952,828
Mother Lode	9,847	250,897
Snowshoe	2,219	28,831
Oro Denoro	590 -	54,746
Sally	20	128
Other mines		22,511
Total Rossia		1,309,941
Centre Star	4.762	159,408
Le Roi	2,303	71,994
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Other mines		1,282
Total Slocan-Ko		269,398
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CHAPTER III .- (Continued.)

Berger replied, slipping off the table. Then he went out again. I'm waiting

"What did he say?"
"Nothing."
Nothing at all?"

"He came in a few minutes since,

"Well, it's time you were both in bed

And Carl Courlander departed,

Emile, tired of waiting for Maurice's return, disengaged himself reluctantly from the pearl of a dressing-jacket, and, assuming other garments not least resplendent, got into bed. But, disturbed by visions now hopeful, now despairing, in which Millicent was the central figure, be did not siego. He

entral figure, he did not sleep. He

did not even attempt to sleep. Like many people in the earlier stages of love, he was apt to regard sleep as a waste of time which could more prifitably be devoted to visions. And so the

brief supper night passed over the dreaming silence of Tudor Hundreds and was gone. And at dawn Emile arose and bathed and dressed, and de-

cended cautiously through the house, o vast and still, into the early, virgin-i freshness of the gardens which he

a; freshness of the gardens which he had helped to plan. And he gazed at the distant wonder of the statue, his

creation, and said to himself that it was good. Ultimately his restlessness brought him to the foot of the statue. On the plinth, a man in evening dress

closed eyes in front of the disguised

door; a poor little dwarfed figure un-der the mighty spadow of the statue. Round the upper stud of his shirt-front spread a nearly mathematical circle of

deed a too surprising and violent en-counter with the real.

CHAPTER IV

Maurice.

Maurice.

Emile gazed at the prone figure an instant only and then, without further examination of any kind; ran away fast towards the house. He was a Frenchman, and though Frenchmen have a thousnad fine qualities, the quality of presence of mind in the first moments of a crisis is not one of them. And this was a crisis, it was a crisis of the greatest magnitude.

After seven minutes of hard running, he arrived at the house, which he had quitted by the great glass doors on the legrace. He greatest glass doors on the legrace. He re-entered it, breathless, by the same doors and stood, paralysed for a few seconds by excitement and alarm, in the vast hall. Two of Lody Mary's Japanese spaniels had employed their leisure in masticating the corners of a Persian rug late on the previous

And Carl Courlander departed.

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The total adipments for the past week were 46,980 tons, and for the year to date 1,695,526 tons.

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SHIPPING GRAIN TO ENGLAND.

Vancouver Board of Trade Discusses Western Route.

Vancouver, Dec. 2.-Many Important natters came up for discussion at the ionthly meeting of the board of trade last evening. The most interesting was last evening. The most interesting was that dealing with the transportation of Alberta grain to England via Vancouver and Cape Horn, it was clearly demonstrated that with feright rates west from Calgary-equal to those going east, there would be a decided difference in favor of the Vancouver demonstrated that with reright rates west from Calgary equal to those going east, there would be a decided difference in favor of the Vancouver route. It was left to the council of the route. It was left to the council of the last Friday of each month.

route. It was left to the council of the board to ascertain if there was any reason why such rates could not be obtained.

Interesting addresses were also given by Mr. Walsh and Mr. Breadner, of Toronto, representing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Mr. Walsh deaft with the question of a better bill of lading for shippers, and Mr. Breadner dealt with the tariff problem.

The wonderful nature-fertilized volcanic soil of the Indiana is beginning. A number of the Clayoguot band went to Kynquot last week to a politach. The Keisanah Aribe have invited the Dodgers Cove Indiana to come up to their feast.

At a general meeting of the settlers last Wednesday, committees were appointed to make preparations for a Christmas entertainment, Miss Hielary, who has been compelled to resign owing to ill leath. Her many friends will regret to see her

canic soil of the Island of Ceylon imparts to tea a delightful fragrance and leave.

The other came up on Saturday to get lent quality of "Salada" Tea bears tes-timony to this fact.

The Otter came up on Saturday to get the balance of the salmon at the local

-Christmas.-Rubbers, laces, hand-6.507 — Christmas. Rubbers, laces, hand Mosquito Harrise, left on the Otter on 27,100 kerchiefs for fancy work, cushion tops, 23,737 fancy linens, silkine. Berlin wool, 918 Shetland floss, glit neck cords, fancy collars, in great variety, at our usual collars, in great variety, at our usual low cash prices.—Robinson's Cash the West Coast Indians who were em-2,902 Store, 642 Yates street.

ooked through the door. The immen

TIMBER CRUISERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Camp Flooded and Men Wade Through Water to Safety.

(Special Correspondence.)

Clayoquot, Dec. I.—About two weeks ago R. Riley took a party of timber-cruisers up near Sidney Inlet, where they pitched their camp on the bank of a mail mountain stream. During the night a heavy downpour of rain swelled the stream. One of the men felt the water running about him and aroused his comrades. By this time they were standing in water knee deep. Without waiting to collect their outfit they hurried for higher ground, and once or twice were in water up to their necks. Finally they reached a place of safety where they stood huddled together to keep warm until morning, when they pulled over to the Sidney Inlet mine and secured more provisions.

A regular meeting of the Clayoquot

A regular meeting of the Clayoquoi Liberal Association was held in the schoolhouse on Saturday evening. There were about forty present, includ-

annery. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McDonald of Mosquito Harrose, left on the Otter or Saturday for Victoria.

tion of the statue. Maurice sprang up the steps of the

"Stabbed!" said Emile.
"My God!" Maurice cried. A single terrible sob shook him.
"Shall I telephone for a doctor?"

muit, on the sun-reflecting granite beneath the monstrous statue—gradually
the sense of unique and appailing disaster took possession of Emile. At first
he had hardly been able to believe. He
had said to himself: "It is impossible
that I should have found this. It is
impossible that this should have happened to my friends. It is impossible

seconds.
"I'm ready," he said coldly.
Englishmen were amazing creatures,
Emile thought. When you expected
them to be calm they lost control of
themselves; and when you expected
them to display emotional disturbance,
they displayed nothing but the most
astounding phlegm.
Maurice stopped at the door of the
bedroom. "Come here." "Come here."

Maurice approached a few steps.
"What is it?"
"I am sure the right arm was not like this when I left it. It was less under the body. You cannot see the hand at all now. But I'm sure I saw it before, because I remember the ring on it."

bedroom.
"What were you doing out there so early?" he asked.
"I couldn't sleep." said Emile. "So I went out.
"Hm" was Maurice's cold comment.

"At the statue?" How at the statue!"
He looked at the clock on the mantlepiece. "Hasn't he been to bed?"
Emile schook his head. "You mustcome. Now!"

"I will," said Maurice, sitting up.

"No."
Maurice asked no more questions. He
put two garments over his pyjamas,
pushed his feet into a pair of slippers,
and seized a cap. It was done in ten
seconds.

went out.

"Hm!" was Maurice's cold comment.

"I couldn't sleep either."

They rushed forth. There was no other conversation. Emile feared to grumble, after a strange pause, or a Persian rug late on the previous evening, and the rug lay there or creased and out of place, and the absence of dust over a narrow oblong of the marble floor showed where the rug ought to have been. Such things Emile mechanically observed. The chimfler mechanically observed. The chimfler mechanically observed. The chimfler dock at the other extremity of the hall performed a melody of Mozart, played the quarters, and struck five, sounding as it were a menuce and a struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five, sounding as it were a menuce and a struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the quarters, and struck five by means of which Lady Mary played the

self a square of fifty feet, reposed the insignificant, trifling, twisted, human figure whose will had caused the crea-

plinth, ran towards the body, then haited a few feet away from it.
"He's dead!" he cried to Emile in-

the dewy earth. But nevertheless it the dewy earth. But nevertheless it the twenty or thirty servants were asleep in their own wing. The gardeners and other workmen were asleep over the distant garage. Lady Mary and Millicent and their maids were asleep. Emile listened intently. Not a sound results to the corps. The twenty of the corps. The corps. To the corps. The corps. To the corps. To the corps. The corps.

so ked through the door. The immense expanse of garden and lake were utterly deserted. The statue glittered superbly in the sunlight over the distant converging lines of elms.

Nothing seemed to live except Emile. None of the sleepers dreamed of what attended their wakening. Emile alone knew, and Emile had to tell.

It was fantastic impossible.

knew, and Emile had to tell.

It was fantastic impossible,
Suddenly nerving himself, he hurrled
to the lift. It was up at the second
floor where Carl Couriander had left
it four hours ago. By pushing a buttion Emile might have brought it
down. But he could not wait. He ran
up the wide and velvet-floored staircase, on which statutes by Rodin, and
Gilibert occupied every corner, and violently invaded the room of Maurice.
Maurice was lying, wide awake, on
his baok, his hands clasped under his
head. He started nervously and violently lifting his head with his hands.

head. He started nervously and vioientily lifting his head with his hands.
Then he sank back.
"What's up now?" he demanded coolly. "Anybody iii?" There was something almost resentful in his voice.
"No! Yes! It's your father, mon
pauvre ami! At the statue!"

"At the statue!"

"At the statue!"

"At the statue!"

Emile tried to open the door of the
statue. It was locked.

And gradually, as he looked, horrified,
first at the corpse and then at Maurice
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for it at the corps and then at Maur impossible that this should have hap-pened to my friends. It is impossible that such a fate should have been waiting for exactly Carl Courlander!" But so it was. And the realization of the fact, if slow, was overwhelming. "Maurice," he whispered. Young Courlander made no sign. "Maurice!" Well!" The tone was even and frisid.

"But even if he had been alive when you found him, he would not have put his hand under his body!" Maurice seemed to grumble, after a strange

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Notice is hereby given that, thirty days after date. I intend to apply to the Super-intendent, of Provincial Police for a remewal of license to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises known as the Four-Mile House, situated on Goldstream

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Esquimalt, B. C., Nov. 17th, 1908. LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1900

Notice is hereby given that, thirty days after date, I intend to apply to the Super-intendent of Provincial Police for renewal of license to sell intextecting the previous for the premises known as the Conch and Horses, situated on Engurnal

Esquimalt, B. C., 17th November, 1998 LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that, thirty day after date, I intend to apply to the Super intendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of license to sell intoxicating liquor on the premises known as the Oakdel House, situated at Colwood, B. C. L. O. DEMPERS. Colwood, B. C., 24th November, 1998.

clue, no hint.

When he returned, Maurice was sta

ing down the avenue of elms.
"Who's that?" he questioned. Someone was coming along the

"It's your mother" said Emile,
"Mother! What can she---" Maurice glanced in alarm at Emile, "She
must be stopped!" he exclaimed, "She
must be stopped! She musn't see this.
Go and stop her,"
"I"

"Yes, yes! Go and stop her. "Till

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Dated this 13th day of November, 1908

Notice is hereby given that I. Francis Ledingham, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer from me to George Stokes of my license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail at the Princess Saloon, situate at the corner of Herald and Government streets, in the said City of Victoria.

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Notice is hereby given that, thirty days after dath, i intend to apply to the simply intended in the simply intend

Dated the 6th day of November, A. D. FRANCIS LEDINGHAM.

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LOST—Part of single set harness; re-ward. Return Brown & Cooper. LOST-English setter dog, eight months old; color, white with blue ticks, black spot on rump; suitable reward. R. Por-ter & Bons, Ltd., Douglas street.

LOST—In Douglas street car, Monday afternoon, gold curb bracelet, with pad lock; reward. 484 Times Office. LOST—On Monday last, a gold brooch bar and pearls, probably on North Parl street. Finder please return to & Xates street and receive reward.

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FOR SALE Gordon Head road, seven acres cleared land for \$20 per acre-must be sold. Lee & Fraser, Il Trounce

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its tax esselon, for a transfer of the license to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises situated on Store street, in the City of Victoria, known as the Telegraph Hotel, from James Dupen to Walter Poole, of the city aforesaid.

Dated this 34th day of November, like, at Victoria, B. C.

JAMES DUPPN,

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to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises situated on the corner of Johnson
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known as the Grand Pacific Motel, from
John Vaire and Virginio Bargetto to Virginio Bargetto and Joseph Glachero, of
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Detted this second day of November,
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Pee, \$6.00. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year, or paid to the Mining Recorder. When \$500 has been expended or paid and other requirements compiled with the claim may be purchasely the second of the claim of the claim was perfectly and the claim of the purchase of the claim of the claim of the claim of the purchase of the claim of the claim of the purchase of the claim of the miles each of a river may be issued to make the claim of the claim of

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PREPARE FOR CHRISTMAS

Children's Ward at

Hospital.

chair, fourteen new members were welcomed into the society, thus making a

most satisfactory opening for the new

The sum of \$30 was donated as usual to the Christmas work of the Jubilee

hospital, which includes the marine

and isolation hespitals. The Christmas

tree for the children's ward will be the

special care of this society, and contri-

butions of books, toys, candles and ornaments will be gladly received, and

may be sent to the Daughters of Pity, care of the matron, Royal Jubilee Hos-

pital, during the earlier part of the Christmas week. Miss Fell, Miss Mar-ion Dunsmuir, Mrs. Wilkerson and Miss Loyell were appointed a special.

In connection with the fancy dress

ernment House on Tuesday evening, December 29th, in aid of the Daughters

December 29th, in aid of the Daughters of Pity funds, a standing vote of thanks was tendered His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsmuir for their kindness in allowing the ball to be given in their home and under their support and patronage, Tickets for this dance must be purchased

tes for this assect must be purchased beforehand and presented on arrival. The musical programme is in charge of Mrs. P. E. Wilson, Miss Dunsmulr and Miss Thain.

The Daughters of Pity take over the

care and up-keep of the children's ward from this date.

Miss Emily Nicholes resigned the secretaryship of the society on account of her probable absence from the city. Her resignation was received with regret, and Miss Lovell elected in her stead.

MOCK PARLIAMENT.

Prohibition Voted Down at Last Evening's Session.

Prohibition was voted down by the nock parliament at the Y. M. C. A.

last evening. The opposition amend-ment to the adderss in reply to the

speech from the throne, expressing re-gret that the government had not in-troduced a measure prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating

liquors, was ruled out of order by

Speaker Higgins as being an infringe-ment on Dominion jurisdiction. Ther

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

Work of Tranquille Sanatorium Is Heartily Endorsed.

The Trades and Labor council of

Cinderella dance to be held at Gov-

working year.

DAUGHTERS OF PITY

RECORD ESTABLISHED AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Returns Show That 4,652 Will Have Charge of Tree in Books Were Issued in November.

A record was established in the pub-ic library in November, the number of books issued, 4,652, being far the high-est number issued in any month since the board of Trade rooms, with the president, Miss Margaret Fell, in the the library was opened, and the issue of 312 in one day being the highest

daily issue on record.
The daily average issue for the month was 194, and there was a circulation of 1.042 books during any one day. The number of new cards issued

was 108. There are now about 7,000 volumes on the library shelves.

There has been a steady increase in the use of the library by the public since it was opened. In the first two months of 1906 the average issue was 50 books a day, which had risen to 100 by the end of the year. This latter figure has now doubled. The daily aver-age for 1906 as a whole was 94, and for 1907 it was 121, as compared with 196 last month.

STEEL PIPE PLANT IS BEING INSTALLED

Firm Which Secured Contract

is Putting in Necessary Works.

The Hydraulic Supply Manufacturing company, which was awarded the city Company, which was awarded the city contract for steel pipes, has now al-most completed the building of a fac-tory for the purpose of manufacturing the pipes as specified in the contract, at the corner of Government street and Princess avenue. The company has erected two large frame buildings with all necessary accommodation and all necessary accommodation and equipment for making the pipes. The interior fittings and machinery are now being installed on the premises, and the first cosignment of sheet iron has arrived this week from England. The whele of the work will be carried out here, and a commencement made with in a few days after the machinery la

rully installed.

It is the intention of the company at the conclusion of the contract to enter into the business of iron founders and steel pipe makers here permanently. They will probably be bidders on other contracts and take all classes of work for which, their machinery and business is adapted.

CANNON AS BULLION.

The Maharajah-Gaekwar of Baroda

nas mented gown and converted into bullion the celebrated gold and silver-cannon of Baroda.

Of these costly but useless toys, the silver guns were the inspiration of a former Gaekwar. In order to "go one better" than his predecessor, the late Gaekwar of the who was charged. Gaekwar (he who was charged, in 1875, with the attempted murder of Colonel Phayre) had the gold guns cast and mounted at a cost, it is said, of \$500.

They reposed in the state armory, and were the wonder and admiration of all visitors to the capital.

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Gift pieces that are useful are the sort most appreciated, and in our offerings for this Christmas season you'll find the greatest variety of suitable and serviceable gifts and the widest latitude in the matter of price. You are truly welcome to come in and spend as much time as you wish—come early, come often, come to-day.

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H. Miller (Vancouver), seconded by A. Johnson (New Westminster), proposed another amendment regretting that the government had not proposed to pro-B. Knight, secretary of the Victoria Asiatic Exclusion League, asking for hibit the sale of liquor in the province.
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A. Johnson urged a reduction in the reported that steps were being taken

A Johnson urged a reduction in the membership of the house and an adjustment of constituencies, arguing that the giving of four members to Yictoria and five to Vancouver was Victoria and five to Vancouver was great over-representation, and the size of the house made it necessary to give members to "such insignificant districts" as Esquimait and Saanich, The proposal was opposed by Premier Van Munster, Messrs, Vaughan (Kaslo), White (Greenwood) and Ryan (Dewdney), and supported by R. W. Coleman (Deita), Ald, Glesson secured the floor son.

SAANICH BAPTISTS,

Efforts Being Made to Have a New Church Built to Meet Needs.

On Tuesday last a special meeting was held at the Temperance halt. Sannieb, under the auspices of the Baptist congregation, when a good programme of music, recitations and addresses was given by local talent and by friends from Victoria. The Emmanuel male quartette pleased everybody and the singing of Miss Cocker and Miss Jones was of a high order. Rev. Mr. Letts acted as chairman and Dr. Spencer pleaded for a new building for church work. This is to be taken up and it is expected will shortly be realized.

The Trades and Labor council of Victoria, at the regular meeting in Labor hall last evening, heartily endorsed the work of the Tranquille sanatorium for patients suffering from tuberculosis, and unanimously decided to ask the provincial government to take the institution over and maintain it as a provincial undertaking.

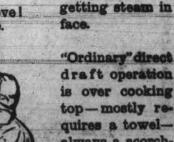
The matter was brought to the notice of the council by delegate Fred. C. Pink, who reported that the Typographical Union had adopted a resolution in support of the anti-tuberculosis campaign, and requesting the council to give their endorsation to it.

Vice-President Gibson, who was a delegate to the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress at Hallfax, made an interesting report on the proceedings of that bdoy. Mr. Gibson had made a trip to his old home in England while east and spoke at some length on the conditions prevailing in various trades over there.

A letter was read from P. M. Draper, secretary of the Dominion Congress, asking for information respecting labor conditions here, to be sent to the Retrieb assent of the council, and the

retary was instructed to prepare Paul I. Sapperfon and George R. Chir. Purpose of investigating timber limits of Vancouver Island with a view to invest





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