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NEW RUSSIAN LOAN.

(Associated Press.) (Associated Press)
(New York, Feb. 28.—Ignoring Berlin,
Paris and other European banking centres, the Russian Imperial government
fans come to New York for a tonn of
\$25,000,000, says the Herold. A syndicate of financial institutions of this city
have just arranged the purchase of anbase of 4 per cent bonds, guaranted by
the Russian government, payable in
American gold.

ARTIST DEAD London, Feb. 28.-Wm, Stott, the ar-

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Boers Contest Every Yard of the Advance of Buller's Army Towards Ladysmith.

## THE CAPTURE OF PIETERS HILL.

Irish Regiments Suffer Severely--Canadians Were Engaged in Hand-to-Hand Fighting When Cronje Surrendered-Nearly 5,000 Boer Prisoners.

ering in his efforts to reach Ladysmith has brought public interest with a sharp from Roberts's victory to a realization of point marked cataract.

he commander of the forces in Natal has and throughout they maintained the cave been relieved, while the list of a half down the banks of the river, and by Bulier is always awaited with dread and anxiety.

that Buller is determined to reach White this time, and the nation confidently awaits the news of the relief of besieged

The Boer Prisoners. With the additional 600 Boers reportd to be prisoners at Kimberley, it ems that the number of men captured by Roberts nearly reaches 5,000.

chievement, laying special stress on the gallantry of the Canadians, who, accord-

## PIETERS. HILL CAPTURED.

Enemy's Main Position and Sixty Boers Takes VesterJay-Buller Tells of the Advance.

London, Feb. 28.-The war office has received a dispatch from Gen. Buller announcing that Pieters Hill, the enemy's main position, was magnificently captured yesterday, and 60 prisoners taken.

Buller's Dispatch. London, Feb. 28.-The war onice nus received the following dispatch from

Finding that the passage of Klange to carry Railway Hill from Pieters, They

on February 25th. We co

ruary 26th; finding that I could make the passage practicable, I crossed the of the Tugela, took up the pontoon bridge on Monday night and relayed it at the new site, which is just below the

conditions still existing in "During all this time the troops had been scattered, crouching under hastily constructed small stone shelters and exed as a victory bravely won, posed to galling shell and rille fire, most excellent spirits.

On Tuesday Gen. Barton, with two battalions of the 6th Brigade, and the until Ladysmith shall actually Dublin Fusiliers, crept about a finile and sualties invariably following any gain ascending an almost precipice cliff of about 500 feet, assaulted and carried the top of Pieters Hill, This bill to a certain extent turned the enemy's left and the fourth brigade, under Col. Northcote, and the eleventh, under Co. Kitchene commanding, the whole under the com mand of Gen. Warren, assailed the en emy's position, which was magnificently carried by the South Lancushire regiment about sunset. We took 60 prisoners and scattered the enemy in all di-

"There seems to be still a considerable ody of them ica on and under Balwana.

They certainly are much less than they would have been were it not for the admirable manner in which the artiflery was served, and especially the guns manned by the Royal Naval force and the Natal naval volunteers."

CHARGE BY IRISH SOLDIERS. Only 105 Officers and Men Answered the Roll Call After Attack on Railway

IM3. Loudon, Feb. 28.-Richard Harding Davis sends the following dispatch, dated Feb. 24th, to the Daily Mail from Pieters, describing the desperate fight at Railway

"Last evening the Inniskilling Fusiliers, nixed with some of the Dublin Fusiliers "Headquarters, Handwam, Feb. 28 and the Connaught Rangers, attemnted wacht's Spruit was covered by strong were under a continuous fire through which they passed up the heavy broken

reated to the crest, and then came back

oll call only 5 officers and 100 men and

of the Inniskillings, Col. Sitwell of the second Gordons and Col. Thorold of the Weish Pusiliers were killed. One hunleed and fifty-two of the rank and file ere killed or wounded.

"Gen. Lyttleton's brigade reliev. I there at 10 o'clock this morning, when the Boer the surrender of Gen. Cronje. artillery pounded the troops holding the centre kopje without pause but with little effect."

Queen and Irish Soldiers. London, Feb. 28.-The Queen has teleraphed Buller as follows: "I have heard with the despost concern the heavy losses sustained by my brave Irish solthing towards headquarters. diers, and I desire to express my sym-pathy and admiration of the splendid figuring qualities they have exhibited

throughout these trying operations."

## BEFORE THE SUURENDER.

Belayed Message - Camp Formed at Poardeberg 'o Rest the Soldiers and Get Supplies.

Passieberg, Feb. 26.-(Delayed in ansmission.) On this, the eighth day d Crimje's resistance, Gen. Smith-Dorrein has worked up the river bed to with ir two hundred yards of the Boer mager, squeezing the enemy into a more and

The stay of the British here has no been in any way due to Cronie, but ir which had become absolutely necessary Now there are daily arrivals of convoys allowing full rations to the men, which had, at best, been intermittent during the last three days. A heavy rain has

Great Discomfort to the British but greater to the Boers, and the cold

When the story of Lord Roberts's movement is written it will be found on the map, would be nothing very mar

were borne with wonderful cheerfulnes There has been a drenching rain for the winds, all of which proved the admir-

able pluck and endurance of the men, Every day, owing to the enormous of tent of the British lines, news is brought of some little action which had presed unnoticed in the excitement of Cronje's

Last Monday night a brilliant piece of work was performed by the Gloucesters During the afternoon they approached a kopje occupied by a body of Boers. charged the kopje with the bayonet and

drove off the enemy with loss, Bayoneting Several of Them, The positions taken were evacuated

however, during the night, Last night the rattle of musicetry showed that the Boers had discovered our hightly rush forward in the river bed, which they have been unable to stop. Yesterday they were shelled in

The Boers possess two Vicker-Maxim guus, two 15-pounders and are supposed to possess a big gun, all of wmen ap pear to be sedulously hidden.

## The war balloon is doing good work. THE SURRENDER

Scene in the British C mp Wt en flen Cronje Apperred Before Field Marshall Lord Roberts.

Paardeberg, Tuesday, Feb. 27.-3 a.m. The British camp was awakened by the continued rattle of ride fire at daybreak and the news arrived that the Canadians, while building a trench quite close to the enemy, had been fusillaled at a range of fifty yards. The Canadians gallantly worked forward and occupied the edge of the trenches along the river, entirely enfilading the Boers, Dublin Fusiliers, Capt, Muitland of the This movement was followed by a feesation of the fire except for an occas mal

> Suddenly a regiment stationed on the rest of a hill perceived a white flag and buret into cheers, thus first appounding

> Shortly afterwards a note reached Lord Roberts bringing tidings of the

Being apprised of Gen. Cranic' proach Lord Roberts went to the front

(Continued on page 8.)

Provincial
Legislature

For Pure Prings and Clemicals.

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Mr. Turner
without a government?
Mr. Higgins—Yes yes.
Mr. Turner—I don't believe it.
Mr. Higgins—How was it in your case?
Mr. Turner—Oh, they had one before
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the Turner—Oh, they had one it was dis-Mr. Martin-Awale, 1? Why I never detection of privilege was out of order meetings the subject. (House a state the reconstruct required two days notice.) Has be thought that at soon as the motion was put the hon, member mayed an objection, which was datale mount to an appeal.

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ish Columbia and the crisis which had taken place in New Zealand and News Scotia at certain periods of this history. He then went on to argue that the present government ought to have come to the rescue of the Turner ministry when that administration was being dealt with in a manner not constitutional. He praised Mr. Turner for his magnanimity in supporting a resolution of this kindafter what had passed, but he condemned his course in doing so.

Mr. Turner explained that he had not said that the Lieut-Governor had not the power to desmiss when he choose. He has, even when a ministry is working with a large majority. In the present case it was not known to the House that there was any intention to dissolve the Legislature.

Mr. Kellie did not want to give a silent vote. This resolution asked the opinion of the House as to whether the Premier had a majority on the floor of the House or not, and the zeoner it was known the better. In spite of the fact that the Lieut-Governor had been informed last night that the Premier had a majority on the floor of the House or not, and the zeoner had a majority on the floor of the House or not, and the zeoner had a majority on the floor of the House flee had dismissed the government. He intended to vote for the resolution.

Mr. Booth was anxious to know what were the grave and cogent reason for the diamissed to the detriment of the country. He would support any ministry that would introduce legislation on the right lines. He though it would stuftify him to vote for this resolution, which was a vote of censure on His Honor.

Mr. McBride dwelt on the very critical nature of the, position, and that it was without a parallel in the British Empire. He had heard a very great deal to day about the Lieut-Governor of British Columbia, but very little about the people of the position, and that it was without a parallel in the British the people of the position, and that it was without a parallel in the Brite about the people of the position, and that it was without a parallel in the Brit

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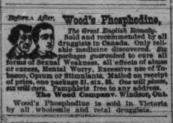
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from of the present complicated situation, will be taken. Of the two courses over all the world. But this has not open to the Lient Governor to grant been accomplished without great loss of Mr. Semiin a dissolution or call upon valuable lives and many laid low with Kipling got to Africa. ter, and Mr. Joseph Martin has under- pendent on them and those wounded.

taken to form a government and appeal Capt. Clive Phillips-Wolley has written to the people for their approval. It is and published a poem entitled "Our any other subject than himself what he himself is, thinks and does, and suffers, to much has been accomplished and that the sale of which will be added to the Canadian National Fund. The fame of what his subject before the House may be at last there is a possibility of order be. Canadian National Fond. The fame of wing restored, for it is searcely conceiv. Mr. Wolkey as a post is well known; as uble that the pending election will not some of his work has been printed and

the called a constitutional government until their selection had been ratified by the people, but that no matter what ing the souvenir Mr. Wolley says: might be evolved from the late upprecedented and the secured to make it truly expresentative of the people. For that reason we think Mr. Semilu made it an idstate in trying to patch up his government in the manner he is represented to have done without announcing that the house the business the exigencies of the case required and then the manner he is represented be sent to film at Victoria, and remitting the House the business the exigencies of the case required and then the section. We were told that it was to save the province the expense and turmoil of another election that the course proposed was decided on, but these things, though undoubtedly they carry considerable weight, do not justfy such extraordicary arake-shifts. The present as far a sunder almost as the poles in the following the content of the content of the poles in the City Hall, the objection of many later exposed to the world. The dread and the poles of the poles in the City Hall, the objection of many in the souvenir Mr. Wolley says:

WHIAT KILLED SIR JOHN.

St. John Telegraph.

In his speech the other day Sir Charles Tapper dectared, with his treme of a synchronic policy of many pring for, and then set the source of mine (poor as it may be will suggest this fact to some one who might otherwise overlook it and act has a souvenir of our man and of that the leader of the opposition had the loss overlook it and act has a souvenir of our man and of that the leader of the opposition had the late and the care of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had that the leader of the opposition had the same of the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the same that the leader of the opposition had the leader of the opposition of the care of the opposition had the same that the leader of the oppo considerable weight, do not justfy such. While Mayor Hayward was doubtless extraordinary urake-shifts. The present actuated by the most commendable morpharties on the floor of the House were tives in instituting a war bullefin service us far asunder almost as the poles in the City Hall, the objection of many the principles they advocated, and the members of the council to consiminary and unity proposed would have the same is certainly well grounded. The member of the same is certainly well grounded. The water and be gave was not large, but it the fitch the winds by one side or the other to second of doom gathering over the Conservative party, and was emburing the atmospheric proposed. The distribution of the world. The dread and hamiliation was too but for the yelering the atmospheric proposed to the world. The dread and hamiliation was too but for the yelering the casting of those principles to cost. So per week-was not large, but it some foreign fand; but not bere in Canada where the facts are still fresh in the public mind. cure that harmony and unity necessary become purveyors of news and expect

downton was the only possible one purious for the circumstances. If Mr. Semin had asked for a dissolution at an earlier stage of the proceedings his request twould doubtless have received due con-

in bringing into the House what was information by the newspapers, as their practically a resolution of condemnation bulletin service since the opening of the of the representative of Her Majesty campaign has been prompt and full. But for refusing to accept the coalition government supposed to have been condisputches are secured and published in
structed by the lender of the late gov-

and none more so than that of Mr.
Pooley, which has been held up to the public as a sample of condensed wish to place itself in that position, nor to enter into competition with the public as a sample of condensed wish dow. In the latter part of his speech Mr. Pooley said:

"These gentlemen knew they had been put in power unconstitutionally; and yet, when the same course was pursued towards them as to their predecessors, the came to the House and asked condonence. He fully agreed with the unconstitutionality in both cases; but in the present case the House certainly had no right to censure the Lieut. Governor, and this applies more or less to every newspaper that undertakes to maintain anything approaching a full telegraphic service.

Prof. Summer, of Yale University, has undertaken to instruct his young men in for the course which they now held to matters which his heaters no doubt think.

of the people; the other was defeated in the House on Friday and the will of the people as expressed by their representatives carried out by the Lieut. Gov which have biased the professor's views ernor in the dismissal of his advisers, in some respects; but there is some truth and yet we are told that in both in-

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MRS CROOK, Victoria West poet office.

When Cronje surrendered we are told all respects, and it is hardly worth the Canadians were in the trenches en-arguing over the matter. Oriona taken at Geo Marsden's for deBoers and that they were supported in
this gallant charge by the Highlanders
and Cornwalls. Our boys will be proud
of the honor that has been done them,
The events of yesterday have cleared just as we are all filled with pride to the profits galleries. Things have come to
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the political atmosphere and at learner of the state of the profits as we are all filled with pride to the press galleries. Things have come to know that an appeal to the people of with the Imperial House of Commons British Columbia, the only possible solu-ringing with cheers at the recitation of High Commissioner. entleman to form a new adserious wounds, and in memory of the he has decided on the lat. dead and for the benefit of those deter, and Mr. Joseph Martin has unders pendent on them and those wounded, result in one of the parties we don't commended in the leading liberary publications of England, and we believe all know how many there are now coming back with a decisive majority.

The Times did not say that the new advisers of the Lieut. Governor could not be called a constitutional government a literary and mechanical point of view the most is generally the poorest and most thready and the most is generally the poorest and most thready and the most is generally the poorest and most thready and the most is generally the poorest and most thready and the most is generally the most is generally the most is generally the most is generally the most in any attention of the field of the most is generally the most in the most is generally the most is generally the most in the most is most worth watching.

sideration and we do not see how it heavier than the popular reader im-could have fairly been refused.

We think a great mistake was made that there has been ray withholding of ernment, but the resulting discussion detriment of the newspapers which are responsible for the maintenance of the serarguments advanced were extraordinary, vice. We feel sure that the city does

for the course which they now held to matters which his heaters no doubt think the northing but right and just. He did, can only be learned by experience. The not propose to support the resolution or any part of it. The legislature had not right to pass censure upon the Lieut.

Governor. One government was defeated in an appeal to the people and dismissed by the Lieut. Governor and His Honor's action endorsed by the representatives and do not wait until they have found and wait until they have found they have found they have found to the band. stances the action of Her Majesty's pecially in the United States, the mar-

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THE CANADIANS,

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Judgment was reserved.
W. J. Taylor, Q. C., and J. M. Bradburn for the plaintiffs, and A. E. McPhillips and G. H. Barnard for defendants.

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New York, Feb. 28. The following are the closing quotations on the Stock Exchange: American Sugar, 1075; C. B. E. & Q. 12415; C. M. & St. P. 123; Manhmittan, 945; People's Gas, 1005; C. R. I. & P. 108; American Tobacco, 1075; Atchison pfd., 65%; Union Pacific pfd., ex jiiv, 74%; Tenn; Coal, 94; Louisville & Nashville, 82%; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 68%; Union Pacific com., ex div., 40%; American Steel & Wire com., 57%, Union Pacific pdf. ex div. to-day, 2 per cent.; com., 1½ per cent. Money Youngs at 2½ per cent.

. Chlengo Markets. Chlengo, Feb. 28.—The following are the closing quotations on the Board of Trade: May Wheat, 65%; July Wheat, 66%; May Corn, 25; May Pork, \$10.55; Liverpool Wheat, May, 5s 8%d.

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THE MARKETS.

(Revised every Wednesday.) The market prices this week show a condency toward weakening in some particulars, especially flour, which takes a trop. Bran and ground feed go up slight-

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## First News From Nome

Late Arrivals Bring the Winter's

making good wages. A few were working near low water mark, prospecting and near the water, edge that had neves been touched by the pick or shovel; others, and where the best pay seemed to be found, were about midway between the tandra and fow water mark. About a mile above town, November 13th, A. H. Haynes took out six onness in a few hours; a few feet above, Jack Walgren the next day found a water mark. About a mile above town, November 13th, A. H. Haynes took out six onness in a few hours; a few feet above, Jack Walgren the next day found a mumber of small nuggets, one of which was worth \$1.50. In the same vicinity George A. Sharer, Ran McLachhau, J. Flynn and Jack Mlascall were all making good wages.

And they were working ground that for the same will be found. Therefore as soon as the feet is solidly frozen to the bottom of the shore, they will begin prospecting, and their soor, will be watched with interest of their soor, will be watched with interest. Cape Nome, is a letter from F. A. Strong, a well known newspaper man, at Cape Nome, in which he says:

Considerable prospecting will be carried on this whiter. Many miners have an idea, whether tenable or otherwise prospecting only will determine, that at and below low water mark the richest sands will be found. Therefore as soon as the ice is solidly frozen to the bottom of the shore they will begin prospecting, and their work will be watched with interest, in annuch as it, will tend to solve a much roved question as to the origin of the gold in the beach sands. Prospecting in the tundra warrants the belief that it is impregnated with gold much in the same maner as the beach.

Tundra prospecting has not as yet been carried on extensively, owing to the difficulty encountered in sinking to bedrock on account of water. The ground is found frozen to an unknown depth, the same as in the Klondike, and if it is should prove rich an area of country will be developed that will be greater than a source of Klon.

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Many men are engaged in rocking and taking out dumps for next spring. They prefer working at a disadvantage to being idle. Six miles west of this city Jack Underwood and James Freeman are working steadily. They are taking out a dump which will be washed next spring. Underwood estimates that the dump will av-

worth from \$1 to \$5 each have been mon. Men who could not make at \$25 a day accounted the ground but diggings; \$10 a day ground was not sidered worth wasting fine on. As as \$200 if day to the man was taken and in not a few instances authenticate reported where two men rocked \$600 in a single day of ten hours.

. THE PUBLIC MEETING.

Various Speakers Discussed the Victoria Chilliwack By Law-A Good

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Mayor Hayward was voted to the chair,

which will have been decided by the

dumps and doing considerable rocking, while Lane and Goodro, Oscar Rothen-burg, Thomas Kearn and numbers of oth-

burg. Thomas Kearn and numbers of others are preparing to prospect the beach between here and Penny River and take out dumps during the winter.

Contrary to general opinion, it is believed that the beach can be worked the greater part of the winter without "burning," as is done in the upper Yukon country. The work will be slow, but the quality of the dirt, it is thought, will enable fair wages to be made.

The coast has been prospected for a



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TRAGEDIES AT CAPE NOME.

The Usual First News -Policeman Shoots Cook-Theatre Manager Shot-Nome Prices.

The first news of the far away Cape Nome gold fields has been received.

News up to the middle of December has reached the outside by two distinct writers. One party leaving the digings on December 10th made their way to Dawson and another party leaving Nome December 15th, by way of Katmal in Cook's Inlet, seached Sitka.

Winter prospecting was progressing on creeks and along the beaches. In the direction of Golofin Bay good prospects are reported to have been found eighty miles or so from Cape Nome. The beaches showad gold as far as Clarence, though as far as reported of no great prospect, atthough the Cape York creeks prospected well.

The party who went up the Yukon to Dawson started on December 10th and arrived at Dawson. Pebruary 4th, where the news from Nome and the journeying of the party was published in full by the Daily News of that place. Two men sam prised this party. They are Charles D Campbell and Carl You Knofelstorff. The weather in December access to have been quite mild for the most part, but in Jan mary they travelled in weather sixty degrees below zero.

thary they travelled in weather sixty degrees below zero.

A speedal issue of the Nome News contains the facts of a murder at Nome occurring early in December. John F. Mailon, a cook, was shot by Policeman Edwards. Mallon was trying to make his escape after having shot and seriously wounded George Stewart, who, however, will recover. Mallon was drunk, and a quarrel ensued, when he pulled his gun and began shooting. When ordered to stop running by the officer he refused and was shot, dying instantly.

The Skagway Dally Alaskan, which was the first Coast paper to print the news from Cape Nome, contains the following murder story from Nome: Boston Page, who for several months the year before last was the manager of Dave Blake's.

Page was well known among the sport-ing frateralty of Skagrway, and after the theatre was burned down, left here for Dawson. There he was also a high roler for a few days, after which he accepted the humble position of box porter at the Monte Cristo music hall. His failing in Dawson was faro. He could neither eat nor sleep as long as he had a dollar and a chance to play at the game that absorbed the richest sands do not carry the ruby variety at all.

Some of the finds in the Nome district have been phenomenal; magnets worth as high as \$30 have been found, while those worth from \$1 to \$5 each have been com-

rata, Maude Haymond, one of the vaude-ille girls playing at the Monte Cristo, and gave her a severe beating. The sha-ow of the woodpile menaced his personal berty in consequence, and he skipped to

FOR THE BABIES.

Mayor Hayward was voted to the chair, and Mr. A. B. Fraser secretary.

After a few preliminary remarks, the chairman called upon Mr. C. E. Renout, who proceeded to fully explain the by-law and the advantages which would accrue to this city through the construction of the road. The speaker explained how the by-law came about, incidentally reverting to the De Cosmos project, and the data that was obtained by a special corps of engineers at that time—information that was now being utilized by the present committee. Mr. Recouf explained the cost of the proposed raliway as well as the by-law, clause by clause. On concluding, the speaker was heartily applauded.

Mr. Belgea, whe was next called upon.

Mr. Belgea, whe been so anxious to decry the by-law. Victorial could not afford to-remain still. "If the control could not afford to-remain still. "If the control is the beak."

Mr. Robert Carsddy, the next speaker, vigorously attacked the cittle by-law on the strength of clouse two, which, he considered, would "damn any proposition." By it the city must necessarily subscribe \$500,000, when the company had, in any way they saw fit, secured \$500,000. At that rate, nothing was to prevent Mr. Patterson from subscribing that amount and then seiling the Victoria-Sidney radiway over to the company, at fits own price, as it was deemed necessary that the road result be taken over.

Mr. Patterson gave an excellent practical speech, in which he directed attention to the absolute necessary of Victoria securing railway connection, but, personally, it was immaterial to him, whether another step was taken or not, although Mr. Cassidy appeared to think otherwise. The speaker pointed out how railroad councection would build up trade, as well as a good harbor the Victoria-Sidney railway was indebted build in trade, as well as a good barbor. The Victoria-Sidney railway was indebted build in the second of the Victoria-Sidney Railway Company. This discussion gradually developed into an piporar, in which Mr. Cassidy was the central fluore, the audience shouting to him to Sit down, and that gentleand longity defined his seat, which he did, remarking that he did so "in deference to the chairman." After some further discussion, the audience shouting to him cover the company of the chairman and the did so "in deference to the chairman." After some further discussion, the audience shouting to him cover the come further discussion, the audience endorsed the by-law, and the meeting was termined.



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FAVORS THE ALIEN LAW.

To the Editor: In the Victoria Col-

To the Editor: In the Victoria United States and prefer is solated at the pest house getting along satisfactorily and are naging to put in the time. The path, Clayton, is recovering rapidly, but not been taken out of the dark room, McLennan is making a close study the case, which he pronounces as of rage severity, rather inclining to provide the pronounces as of rage severity, rather inclining to provide the pronounces as of the case, which he pronounces as of rage severity, rather inclining to provide the provide that he statement, I considered to prevent the provide the provide the provide the provide the provide the provide the provided to prevent the provided the provi

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FROM CATARH\*\*

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No symptom of extarrh causes more anotysace than food breath, Tiff offense we olor counes from the ulceration of a membernes, and is an indication or a membernes, and is an

erican miners, to suit their own political purposes, were men from all purts of the United States, who not only had never mined, but had never been in a mining country, while we had the old, reliable Cariboo miner, the Kootenay miner and the miners from the Australian colonies. In fact it was them who took lessons in mining from the Canadian miner and not he from them, and it used to be a standing joke and laugh amongst the British Columbia miners of the experienced American miner who had come to British Columbia for the philanthropic purpose of teaching us how to mine and at the same time to earry



Another year of active business has been done by this company. The aggregate of new assurance written was \$4,929,000, a sum which is alpost a million more than in any previous year, and attests the popularity of the company. The testimony given by policy-holders of satisfaction with the earning power of its endowment policies must-assist in calling attention to this form of life assurance, which is one that the NORTH AMERICAN has exemplified with a marked degree of success. In one case a policy-holder received \$27,381 for a \$20,000 endowment taken out in 1884; in another the amount paid in cash on a \$2,000 endowment was \$2,597. These two persons were manifestly satisfied to receive such returns and to have their lives kept insured all the time.

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John Beaton is steadily pushing development work on the Dominion claim on the
south fork of Wild Horse creek. The tunnel 18 now in over 50 feet, following the
vein, which averages about two and a halffeet in width. The ore consists of hematite and quarts and one assay taken across
the paystreak returned \$33.

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The vein is a well defined fissure, between
granite and diorite walls, and has a surface width of five feet. The tunnel will
tap it at the depth of 80 feet. One assay
from the vein returned \$40 in gold, while
others went respectively 15, 17 and 10 per
cent. copper.

Another body of ore has been uncovered at the Silver Oup.

The Nettle L. reports cutting the lead in the lower tunnel, and at the point of intersection chim to have several stringers of high grade ore.

P. Nicholson and W. Shannon have stopped work on the Sharon, and will not return until the snow goes. They are now working on the Josle, if very likely property about two miles above Ferguson.

## DESPONDENT MEN

Find New Hope and Fresh Energy in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

The care and worry, the anxiety andnettrity of business life constitute a sectous drain on the nervous system.

The business of this work-a-day world
goes with such a rush that fron nerves
even break down under the strain.



Men. who want their brains bright and clear, and all their energies alive should like Milbura's Heart and Nerre Pills on the first approach of a nerve break down. The reconstructive power of these pills on the nerve centres is simply marvellows. They induce sleep, restore vitality and vigor, and give new life to the mental and obtained forces.

TEST THE URINE.

If you have backache and there are brick dust deposits found in the urine after it stands for 24 hours you can be sure the kidneys are deranged. To effect a prompt and positive cure and prevent Bright's Disease, suffering and death, use Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the world's greatest kidney cure.



The cook is handicapped and good food spoiled unless the best kitchen utensils are available. In every respect the

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## Change of Time.

On and after Tuesday, February 20th, the Vancouver boat will leave C.P. N. Co. wharf. Victoria, at 7 a.m. every day except Monday. The Sun day night boat will leave Victoria at 12 o'clock (midnight) instead of at 11 o'clock as formerly.

## NOTICE.

Rock Bay Bridge is closed to traffic during repairs. C. H. TOPP, City Engineer.

TEACHER WANTED.

Feb. 22nd, 1900.

NOTICE.

the matter of Francis Fergus deceased, and in the matter Trustees and Executors Act.

These "Regulations of the Provincial Board of Health re Smallpox."

These "Regulations" give the Local Board of Health power to compet all porsons who have, see been vaccinated within the last Tyears to be vaccinated.

In the opinion of the Local Board the agreent eigenmetance de not indicate the efforcing of "compliony vaccination," but for the purpose mafeguarding the public health the Board would earnestly navise all persons when these "Regulations would apply to be at once fraccinated. Any or any physician in Victoria. A superior of the seed of the

NOTICE.

I beg to announce that I have purchased from Thomas Shaw the Marine Iron Works as a seing concern, from January 20th. All debse will be collected and all liabilities assumed by Mr. Shaw previous ANDREW GRAY.

SETTLE CLAIMS AND ENST THE CITY OF VICTORIA OF DAM-AGES ARISING FROM THE POINT ELLICE BRIDGE ACCI-DENT.

Whereas it is expedient to raise a sum of money for the purpose of settling all inst claims now pending in the Supreme Court of British Columbia against the Corporation of the City of Victoria in respect of damages alleged to have been received in the Point Ellice bridge accident in the year 1896, and for that purpose of to raise the sum of two hundred thousand dollars; And whereas it will require the sum of thirteen thousand four hundred and eightyfive dollars (\$13,485.00) to be raised annually by rate for payment of the new debt and interest;

And whereas the whote ratable into and improvements or real property of the said. Corporation of the City of Victoria me-cording to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1800 is \$13,007,814;

And whereas it will require an annual rate of one mill and one-sixth of a mill in the dollar-for paying such new debt and three-set.

the dollar for paying such new debt and interest:

And whereas this By-law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-In-Council;
And whereas a petition, under Section 60 of the "Municipal Clauses Act." has been presented to the Municipal Council signed by the owners of more than one-tenth of the value of the real property in the said city requesting the said Council to introduce a By-law with the hereinbefore recited objects:

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts is follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation, by way of the Debantures bereins, bedy or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of two hundred thousand dollars as the rate of four dollars and eighty-six and two-third cents to the pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised and re-

recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of Debentures to be made, executed and Issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000,000) either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of four dollars and eighty-six and two-thirds cents to the one pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said Debentures being of the amount of one thousand dollars or its sterling equivalent, at the rate aforcesaid, and all such Debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3. The said Debentures shall bear date the first day of April, 1900, and shall be made payable in twenty-five years from the said date at such place either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Cañada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stämped, printed or lithograsphed.

4. The said Debentures shall bear inter-

ddressed to the undersigned, will be recived up to 3 o'clock p.m. on Monday.

2h. March prox., for 2 Steam Fumps and
littings; also for 3 Bollers and Fittings;
l to be litted and fixed in place peeds the
orth Dairy Farm, about 3 miles from the
sty Hall, in accordance with specificaons, which can be seen at the office of
the undersigned. Certified cheque, payable
a City Trensurer, equal to 5 per cent, of
modult of tender, to accompany each ten-

The time for receiving the above tenders is extended to the 19th day

coupons.

5. It shall be sawful for the said Mayor to cause the said Debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

aln, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

6. For the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the interest on the said Debentures thring their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of eight thousand dollars, and for the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the debt at maturity there shall be raised annually the sum of five thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars.

7. The said annual sums in the next preceding paragraphs mentioned shall be talsed and levied in each year by a rate sufficient therefor on all the ratable land or improvements or real property in the

Victoria builders desiring to tender for the above can see the plans and specifications at the residence of the owner, 180 view street.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of James Hogarth, deceased. All persons having claims against this estate of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the and Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipality of the said Corporation of the said Debentures or any of them.

9. This By-law may be cited as "Point Effice Bridge Accident Loan

NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building. Cormorant freech, for the North, South and Central Warsis, on Friday, the 16th day of March 1960, that the poil will be kept open between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m., and 4 o'clock p.m., and that Wm. W. Northcott has been appointed the Returning Officer of the said vote.

WEDLINGTON J. DOWLER.
City Clerk's Office, C. M. C. VIctoria, R. C., 28th February, 1980.

City Clerk's Office, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., 28th February, 1900.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that it is my ntention to apply at the next sitting of he Board of Licensing Commissioners for he Gity of Victoria for a transfer to John Colgderippe of the Reense now held by me to seit agirtsoom and formented liquous by reality upon the premises known, see the City of the Commission Monday, see the City of the Commission for the Property of the Commission of the City of the Commission of February, 1900. Dated this first day of February, 1900, FRED, STURM.

Notice is hereby given that I shall apply the Board of Licensian Commissioner or the City of Victoria at their meeting be held on the 14th day of March, 1900 or a transfer of the license now held h

## Victorians at the Modder

The Times Correspondent With the First Contingent Writes From the Front.

Sports in Camp.

Belmont Camp, 3 p.m., Jan. 18.—The following has just come to hand from my nuxilary at Modder River, dated Modder River, Jun. 10th, 8 p.m. We commented the following the Borr position at Magers fontein at 4.30 p.m. to-day, the enemy replying for the first time in two weeks. Our balloon went up to-day and reported Borr position mechanged since the New Year. The big naval guns and 4.7 gaus have shelled with lyddite, but from our view of vantage we cannot estimate the Boer losses. Our casualties nil, Several men are sick with fever and dysentry, and will be sent down to Orange River. The health of the troops in general very good. The Guards fired at long rauge to-day. All is well at Kimberley."

cording to Col. Basileo-Fourelt, with great
gallutry when they found Marking polled for the aforementioned by law
as 337, 500 being in favor and 128
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Sports were held in camp yesteriar,
17th. The B. C. boys shone fairly were
committee to arrange for an executable
committee to ar

Horse Sickness.

The Q. M. I. are losing several horses with what appears to be a kind of influenza, and I very much fear that 30 per cent...of their mounts will die before the end of the campaign.

This horse sickness is to me a very curious and mexplicable malady. Horses though subjected to a long voyage arrive in Capetown in very fair condition, and after a week or two on shore pick up, wonderfully, but soon after they are sent up country they begin to look poor and cough at frequent intervals. The Q. M. up country they begin to look poor and cough at frequent intervals. The Q. M.
L have made a corral mar aur signalling shack, and put thirty or forty sick horses in it, and it is a pittful sight to see the dumb brutes and hear their body shaking cough. All sorts of theories abound the only reason that I can assign for it is, that being picketed out in the open, exposed to the intense heat rays of the sun during the day and the chilly air at night, they contract these sickness by tome minisum or exhalation from the property of the distinction achieved by Canadian soldiers.

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Our commissariat continues to improve, and except for not getting our beer regularly, up to the last few days, leaves fittle to be desired. It is a comparative by easy matter to send off ships filled up with all sorts of stores, but the real difficulties cannot begin to dill the need. Provisions are being sent up to the camps from the point of disembarkation.

Barrels of fruit and many other articles were thrown overboard the Sardinian, which could have been easily served out to the men. I shall most likely refer to this and other matters at some future date, when the pen will be readier than the sword, and less tied than at present. The present expedition bill for provisions will be an immense one. Supplies of every description are most liberal, onsequently the difficulties to be overgome are far greater than have ever previously been the case in the bistory of the wars of the world. Mistakes will happen, and are unavoidable, but let us hope that our officers will use their common seuse and not suffer from lethargic paradesis in the single paradesis. The mail is due to arrive, and we hope to get a goodly number from Victorians, and I'm off to post this and get my share. SEYMOUR HASTINGS O'DELL.

Royal Canadians, Belmont Camp, Jon 16. We have just seen Capt, Clive

Royal Canadians, Belmont Camp, Jon. 16.—We have just seen Capt. Clive Philips Wolley's poem, "A Sketch of the Poese," "Ale following steepers," Just, Modder River, to the Cape Times, dated Jan. 12th, will be interesting, as it refers to verse 6 of the poem: "Modder River, Jan. 12.—An incident occurred

that might have ended seriously, but only afforded some amusement. A High-lander was seen awaggering up to the picket line from the enemy's trenches. Everyone worskred what he was doing there, and no one fired, waiting for him to approach nearer. Suddenly he dropped down and fired behind some cover. He was a Boer in disgnise. The pickets replied, but the venturesome fellow get away.

away.
"It is probable that the man hoped to make a circuit of our defences, trusting to his disguise to carry him safely

Shelling Boers at Magersfontein

-British Columbians Hold

Sports in Camp.

Shelling Boers at Magersfontein

Wood (Victoria) came up from the Cape a few days ago looking the picture of health.

"SEYMOUR HASTINGS O'DELL."

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

Oriowa, Feb. 28.—The customs re-ceipts of the Dominion for the month of February were \$3,175,088, compared with \$2,000,788 for Feb. of 1899, an in-crease of \$169,118 over the same period of last restr.

(Associated Press.)

Montreal, Feb. 28.—A Detroit disposars nine cases of smallpox have broot in Detroit College of Medicine, dusis alleged, to the dissection of the body a negro, who is supposed to have died that disease.

LOCAL NEWS,

eral very good. The Guards area at long rauge today. All is well at Kimberley."

From the meagre information at my disposal from the firing line we may conclude that Magersfoutein and Spytfoustein are still being plied with shells by our artiflery, but the end cannot be far off. Of material damage from the enemy's fire there will, of course, be a certain amount; but not nearly so much as one would be at first inclined to imagine. Casualties can be very largely avoided by the exercise of a little common sense. The Boers are notoriously averse to assuniting prepared positions, but we know that they have assaulted, and, according to Col. Baden Powell, with great gallantry when they found Mafeking could not be reduced by shell fire alone, and when we come to make a general assault on this position with our siege gens the hills will melt away like crumbling ruins. I cannot see what alternative now lies before them but to again the content of the street, and shortly after it will be desided whether or no the ratepayers desire rall-vive on the first and the content of the strength of the afternoon 621 votes had been cast, while the total number of way on the content of the last by have before the people, dealing with the rectamation or what was 637, 500 being in favor and 128 legainst. Polling will be discontinued when the provided whether or no the ratepayers desire rall-vive and Sanaich Railway Extension and Loan Bylaw, and Loan Bylaw,

Hall concert Saturday night.

The regular monthly meeting of the Native Sons' Society was beed last evening, when Past Chief Factor Dr. J. D. Helmcken installed the following officers: Past chief factor, Aid. Jas. Stuart Yates; chief factor, Frunk Higgins; first vice factor, W. C. Moresby; second vice-factor, Geo. Madigan; spervtary-treasurer, E. P. Johnston; recording secretary, A. E. Haynes; treasurer, Chia, Gardiner; inside guard, T. Watson; outside guard, W. H. Cox; committee of management, J. E. Wilson, Geo. Powell, E. H. Henley, B. W. Pratt and A. T. Ker. After the installation ceremonies, a supper was partaken of tion ceremonies, a supper was partaken of and speeches delivered appropriate for the occasion. During the evening it was pa-nounced that the society had sent a con-gratulatory telegram direct to the Victoria boys in South Africa.

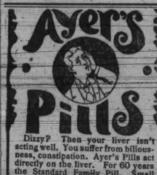
judge with you achieved by Canadian soldiers. "LANSDOWNE."

During the past month the only fire occurring in the city was a small blaze in the roof of the Yancouver Hotel, Yates street, damage \$10.

dWe would ask you to inspect the "New Lines" of Lace Curtains, Drapery Coths, etc., etc., at Weller Bros.

Judge Forin is not, as stated in a telegraphic dispatch yesterday, down with smallpox at Nelson. At latest re-ports he was well.

-Miss Inez Carusi in vocal solos, Drill all concert Saturday.



## The New Government

Mr. Joseph Martin Called in by Bis Honor to Succeed Hon. Mr. Semlin.

Some Names in the New Cabinet That Will No Doubt Cause Some Surprise.

Mr. Joseph Martin himself admitted to day that he had received and had accorted the Governor's mandate to form a new ministry to succeed that of the Hon Mr. Semilin. Mr. Martin, with characteristic vigor, lost not a minute in proceeding to select his cabinet. Two gent themen have already been chosen. They are Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, M.P., ellest son of the Lieut-Governor and representative of Nanaimo City in the Dominion House. He has already arrived from Ottawa. It is deemed probable that he militake the portfolio of minister of mines. Mr. Curtis is now in Victoria. The name of Mr. J. C. Brown, of New Westminster, is freely coupled with the portfolio of minister of mines. Mr. Curtis is now in Victoria. The name of Mr. J. C. Brown, of New Westminster, is freely coupled with the portfolio of dimension of the minister of mines. Mr. Curtis is now in Victoria. The name of Mr. J. C. Brown, of New Westminster, is freely coupled with the portfolio of dimension of the minister of mines. Mr. Curtis is now in Victoria. The name of Mr. J. C. Brown, of New Westminster, is freely coupled with the portfolio of dimension regard not the state to the state across the border are disposed to boast of the state in the tainty of their state, it is pleasing to note, according to the members of this company, that the Governor General he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers, that the Governor General he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers, that the Governor General he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers, that the Governor General he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers, that the Governor deneral he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers, that the Governor deneral he required to dismiss the Lieut-Governor had surrounded himself by unconstitutional advisers that laight Gove Brown, of New Westminster, is freely coupled with the portfolio of the minister of finance. A statement could not be had from the gentleman in time for of the cabinet will not be

LEGISLATURE TO-DAY.

Mr. Martin Makes An Announce

H. D. Helmcken said the hon, gentle-

House into his confidence and shed the light of his countenance upon it.

Mr. Kelks, and this was at result to the Legislature. They had received no communication from the Governor. (Loud applause.) Unless some communication was forthcoming he would move that the Dominicon government he asked to rean the Lieut.-Governor. (Applause.)

Mr. Green said the members were, to do she country's business, and he asked if it was not possible to go on with the liastness. He wanted to see the wonder Bill proceeded with.

Mr. Prentice said at husbaness was to

seen called.

Mr. McPhillips, who has all along de-ent of the Governor, intimated that the unit had been reached and that the Gov-rnor was treating the House with dis-

croor was treating the House with dis-respect.

Hon. Mr. Martin rose and said he had been called upon to form a ministry. The rights of the neople he thought were not suffering. He thought that a little later while ministry and a order that the grave question of arranging a ministry had been completed.

Mr. Deane said the Governor was treating the House like a lot of school

at Paardeberg showing 12 killed, 67 early in his place, and the leaders of the wounded and 4 missing, including 7 officers and 4 Canadian privates, wounded. Lord Roberts walked to and fro in

Lord Roberts walked to and fro in front of the cart until the Boer general striped, when the British commander advanced gravely and kindly saluted the Boer commander. He shen molloued Gen. Cronje to a, seat in a chair which had been brought for his accommedation, and the two officers conversed through an interpreter.

Gen. Cronje referwards breakfasted with the British officers.

Paardeberg, Feb. 27.—Gen. Cronje's arrender was effectly due to the gillant surrender was culedy due to the games night attack upon his trendles by the Canadians and Gordons.

The Canadians' Paret.

Paisoners at Modder River. Capetown, Feb. 26.—There are now six hundred prisoness at Modder River, most of whom surrendered on Friday and Saturday, They are kept under guard between wire tences.

British Reoccupy Rensburg. London, Feb. 28.—A dispatch from Anuadel save that the British troops have again occupied Reusburg. Chamberlain's Congratulations.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.-The Governor-Gen emi this afternoon received the following cable from Hon, Joseph Chamber an: "Hearty congretural time to Canada on the noble pert faken by the Canadian troops in Roberts's achievement."

THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT. Contributions to Potriotic Fund and

Mr. Principe said of business was to the particle found and \$40,000 to the particle said of business was to the particle found and \$4,000 to the particle found and \$

saided. If the third accessive for vancourser had I pon taken into the Governor's confidence he should say so. Why
ait this mystery and concessment?

Mr. Martin said that he didn't see why
the business might not be proceeded
with it fae House saw fit. "If my suggard on over not accepted I will retire,"
said Mr. Martin.

"A great condecension," interrupted
the Attorney-General.

Mr. Martin concluded by saying that
it would be univise to puss any legislation which would be until and void if a
chauge should take place.

It was contended by Mr. Macphesean
that it swand the speaker pointed
out that even if legislation were passed
there was no official to bring it to the attention of the Governor.

Cel. Buker, amid applayes, sald it was
one of the boasts of British people that
the Sovereign always treated the Housen
of Parliament with respect. He was sorry
to see this rule departed from.

Mr. McBride asked if the third member for Vaucouver had been called on,
why he did not say so. He had hinted
that he had been called, but he (Mr. Mc
Bride) wanted to know if he really had
been called.

Mr. McPhillips, who has all along defepr'ed the Governor, intimated that the
fepr'ed the Governor, intimated that the

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Is sent direct to the diseased party by the Improved Blower.

However, the wheathy shears the air passages, stop oppings in the passages, and the shearsh wheathy shearsh with the control of the shearsh with the shear wi

of the Corridors.

Governor could communicate the information.

Mr. Deane said it was well known that orders had been given for prorogation, the plans being altered at the last minor. Who was giving these orders?

Capt. Irying had some light. It was because 'my son Willie' had not arrived.

Mr. Semila then read Mr. Martia a lees our regarding his precious atterances in regard to the high motives which should actuate honorable miembers, and asked him to adhere to that high plane of action.

Finalls Mr. Prentice moved that:

A. G. Long, of Portland, arrived this mortion and the he has been could not in time for he is in the emaining units e in any case glalature.

O-DAY.

Announcement Governor's wall be bright and bring in supplies from this city.

A. G. Long, of Portland, arrived this morting with the Champion combination chemical engine and hose vagon while he has sold to the evagon while he has sold to the city. Mr. Long says the engine is a bargain, and as Victorian because so liberally he was inclined to allow them to get the additional list of British and ordered a guard of the Seaforths tod.

A group of horsemen then approached, a wide brimmed hat, ordinary tweed two great and brown shoes. It was the maintiquation appenents," but the square and brown shoes. It was the maintiquation appenents, but the square and brown shoes. It was the maintiquation appenents, but the Speaker 2:15 p.m. The and accepted in a rough shoes a great was greated the maintiquation of the maintiquation and case of the same the case of the maintiquation and ordered a guard of the Seaforths tod.

Casualties at Paardeberg.

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be \$3,922.50.

F. B. Morse, manager of the Belle Archer Co., which peays Hogt's "The Convented Wemans" at the Victoria the are an March Sth, is at the Victoria the are an March Sth, is at the Victoria the signs when the company plays here it has been aranged that Miss Archer to has been aranged that Miss Archer to has been aranged that Miss Archer to has love a ranged that Miss Archer to has a love of the detectation of Victoria and the women of the popular "Contented Womans" Next year Miss Archer's company will be seen in a new comedy, written for her by the New Yorker, Forbes Herman, who reviewed and chief the of the developed and chief a man who reviewed and chief a man that the control of the name of the author Wester Herman, who reviewed and chief a man the control of Miss Archer being awarded for the correct guess. This are the first the wind was too high, then other than the control of the name of the author Wester Herman, who reviewed and chief a man the control of the country are guessans, a prize of a panel photo of Miss Archer being awarded for the correct guess. The control of the country are guessans, a prize of a panel photo of Miss Archer being awarded for the correct guess. The correct name will be given out in the sprang.

Steamer Handen To be a merchandise consigned to local merchandise, the first of the Puebla singe she was taken off the run Puebla singe she was taken off the run when impressed for transport service. She is releasing the steamer Unarflin, to allow of that vessel being docked.

They across the straits are having many trials in the efforts to hold a Italia of their new torpedo hoat Goldsborough. First, the wind was too high, then other than the for the last builders' trial of Monday she had covered half the distance when she broke a rock-shaft or man. This will cause a delay until a new forging is made in the east.

Steamer Kieshin Maru is due from the Aroun is very much due from Skag-warded for the correct guess. The correct name will be given out in the sprang. is Z. The correct mann-out in the spring.

St. The correct name will be given out in the spring.

M. J. Caspers, representing R. E. Cobb, is ponkry game, etc., firm of St. Paul, is at the Victoria on his first trip to the Coast. He is enthudastic over the climate and gargeral appearance of this city, and to-day has done some busy thinking how it can be possible at this tame of year that the lawns and gardens of this city are so fresh and green, while in the cities he has been in fresh blade of games.

Steamer Breconshire of the Northern Asfatic passengers.

Steamer Breconshire of the Northern Asfatic passengers.

Steamer Walla Walla will sail for San Francisco to-night. Among those book-

Matt Mastson, Theim Alio, Y. Henrigson and a lurge number of other Scandistavians who have been engaged in mining on the Coast for some time, are at the Queen's. They are upolday buying outfits and getting ready to sail on the Last Adderley, from Honolulu to Chemainus and getting ready to sail on the are: A. E. Action John Rintoul and Mrs. Campbell.

Bark Adderley, from Honolulu to Chemainus for lumber, was towed into the quarantine station yesterday. Ship Antofogasten is loaded at the island mill and ready to proceed to sea.

A number of commercial men are any steamer Tosa Maru passed out this age those registered at the Driard to morning heavily loaded with cargo from day. There are Henry Jacobs, L. R. The Sound, nearly all through freight. She did not call here. of Vancouser, and R. Parker, of Guelph,

The Occidental hote, will reopen about the beginning of the may week under the management of Alex, Ziukovic, who has arrived down from Wellington to take over the hotel. He is making a

E. C. Howkins, of the W. P. & Y. raibyny, was a passenger from the Sound by the Victorian this morning. S. H. Graves and E. C. Hawkins, of the W. P. & Y. raibway, are at the Delevit.

Driard.

J. Islay Mutter and J. C. Macneil, of J. Islay Mutter and J. C. Macneil, of Somenos, are registered at the Dominion.

W. A. Bafr, of Rousland, is among the late arrivals at the Driard.

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SHIPPING NEWS \*

Steamer Willapa returned last night from Naas and northem: British Columbia ports with a small complement of passengers. She brought Mr. Otteson and the Forty-three Mining and Milling Co.'s men, 17 in all, who went to the Naas by the Tees. They were landed at Vancouver, and go to Asheroft to go in over the Asheroft Quesnelle route. They abandoned the trip via Hazelton as the secont heavy showstorms in the north

acre. The steamer landed 75 tons of general merchandise consigned to local merchants. This is the first visit of the Puebla since she was taken off the run when impressed for transport service. She is releasing the steamer Umaffila, to allow of that vessel being docked.

1:20, connecting with the train.

CANADIAN BREVITIES. Fox Buy Settlers-Recorder Court Fines

Thos O'Brien, the well-known mining man of Dawson, is at the Driard. He is on bis way to Ottawa on business in connection with his northern interests: He will leave to-morrow morning.

S. J. Maxwell, superintendent of the Victoria, Seatle and Tacoma route for Dodwek & Co., armived by the steamer Victorian this morning.

Capt. Center, piou of the N. P. line, armived from the Sound bis morning to the incoming steamer Reconshire, now in quarantime.

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DIED;

DOUGLAS-At New Westmi 26th, Benjamin Douglas. ALEXANDER At 808 Hornby street, Vancouver, Mrs. Jane H. Alexander, aged 78 years.

furnish police for court duties. The court of Queen's Bench opens to morrow but the chairman of the police committee refuses to allow the city police to at

Rev. Abbe Sorin, a well-imown Ron Catholic clergyman of Notre Da church, is seriously ill. Ottawa, Feb. 28.—The Hon, A. Aylmer, who has been on the sick ever since his return from England fall, is about to return to his dutic adjutant-general. He is also acting officer commanding the Canadian mili

Per steamer Islander from Vancouvel.

Mrs Anderson, M. A. Johnson, Mrs Alhardt, L. & Flynn, Vic L. Hockey Tear.

Mrs Townsend, McEwen Co, H. McBride,
J. McBride, D. R. Featherstone, A. Jukes,
C. McDonald, A. Turnstall, J. D. McCook,
Fletcher, Lieut Chapman, Lieut Raymor,
Lieut Irwin, J. Burns ir, L. Boscov,
Balfour, Dr. Fagan, Mrs. Fagan, Mr.

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and wife, R. Goodacre, S. Goodacre, McHae and child, J. Bell.

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Pen steamer City of Puebla from San Francisco A Stewart, B C Elec Ry Co. B. Williams & Co. C A McGregor & Co. C R King, D. H Ross & Co. E G Prior & Co., E B Marvin & Co., E Stewart, Griffin & Co., E R Stewart, Griffin & Co., G E Murro, Govt Ptg Office, J Q Hay, H H Cooksey, H 28-Co. Houg Ly Lung, Hardress Clarke, J Robertson & Co. J Meston, J W Miller, J H Todd & Son, Lenz & Leiser, M R Smith & Co., Minister of Prov Govt, On Hing Bros. P W Dempster, R P Rither & Co., Hinkman Tye Co., T N Hibben & Co., T H Duland, Colomist Co., B A Plain Co., Gliant Pdf Co. Vic Mack Depot, Vic Book & S Co., Vic Lhr Mfg Co., Wm. Matbel, Weller Bros. Wm Harrison, W J Penkray, Wetson & Hull, Wilson Bros. O J Moore, Thos Kraig, A R Johnson, W J Thedder Co., Brown & McGregor, Central Pish Mrt, Winch & Bower, W H Malkin, Gas Co., Schaske Mach Wks, W t Toles, West Union Tel Co., Wells, Fargo & Co. Windsor, Feb. 28.—Howard Stewart is ill with smallpox at Ruthven, a village a few miles from here. The victim was a student in Darroit College of Medicine and came home from there on Thursday last, a The disease developed the next day.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—An interesting fight is now on between the city council here and the provincial government and there are the first of the first of the first of the first is now on between the city council here and the provincial government and therefore the first of the f