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It is not "Independence"

In the Dominion House of Commons, on the 25th ult. Mr. Blake moved a resolution setting forth that Canada should negotiate her own *commercial treaties*. In the debate which arose thereon, Sir John Macdonald opposed the motion, contending that the principle was inconsistent with existing relations. Mr. DeCosmos and a Frenchman went beyond the resolution, and declared in favor of Canadian Independence. The resolution was defeated by a vote of 124 to 58. The Nanaimo *Free Press* published the Ottawa dispatch setting forth these facts, and then it turned round and gave its readers a leading article upon what it refers to as "the Independence resolutions of the Hon. Mr. Blake." In the course of the article it endorses the loyal utterances of Sir John, expresses doubt about Mr. DeCosmos having done what the dispatch attributed to him, and concludes by throwing up its hat and shouting: "Long may the flag that has 'braved for a thousand years the battle and the breeze' float proudly on every flag pole from Vancouver's Isle on the west to Newfoundland on the east." Now, we will yield to no man in the Dominion—not even the editor of the *Free Press*—in a desire to see the connection between Canada and the parent empire perpetuated. We will go a step farther and say that we desire to see them drawn still closer, the bond made stronger, more real and substantial, without being less sentimental. When we declare, which we now most solemnly do, that the BRITISH COLUMBIAN would strongly oppose and deprecate the severance of that tie which binds Canada to dear old fatherland—well, Her Majesty will sleep more soundly o' nights. But while, as it would appear, very much at one with our contemporary on that question, we must take exception to what is misleading in the article referred to. Why call that "the Independence Resolutions" which was something altogether different? Why represent fifty-eight members of the Dominion House of Commons as advocating Independence, when there were only two? Upon a public occasion, during his recent visit to the Old Country, the Marquis of Lorne stated his conviction that there were not more than ten men in Canada who desired separation. It would appear to be the ill-luck of British Columbia to be represented at Ottawa by one of the ten! But we must condemn the carelessness of a public writer who would create the impression that there were fifty-eight in the House of Commons in favor of Independence. Adverting to Mr. DeCosmos, we do not share the difficulty of our contemporary in believing that eccentric individual capable of doing that which the telegraph has attributed to him. It would be just like him—in fact it is no more than he has said before. But we must utterly demur to the proposition that the power to make commercial treaties would necessarily involve separation. Canada has long enjoyed the right and power to frame her own commercial policy; and has she hesitated to exercise that power to the full bent of her information, framing a customs tariff which in England has been very generally regarded as hostile to the commercial and manufacturing interests of the parent empire. As we said in a former article, it is difficult to see why the power to negotiate commercial treaties should be incompatible with the continuance of political union any more than the right already possessed. We are, in their nature and effect, pretty much the same. There can be no doubt that cogent reasons of expediency and policy can be urged in favor of the treaty-making power as well as the other. But, at the same time, we are free to confess that if that power could only be acquired at the sacrifice of our connection with Great Britain, we should prefer the bond to the power.

Scientific Miscellany.

The venerable French chemist and instructor, M Chevreul, has just celebrated his ninety-sixth birthday.

A species of temporary color-blindness has been observed as the result of long exposure to dazzling light.

A new geyser has been discovered near St. Etinne, France. A vein of hot water was tapped at a depth of 5,000 feet, and the result is an intermittent fountain throwing a stream to a height of nearly 100 feet above the surface of the earth.

Dr. Schrveinfurth has succeeded in preserving and preserving many of the leaves and flowers from garlands found on the breasts of mummies discovered last year at Deir el Bahari. A small herbarium is thus formed from plants which grew some thirty-five centuries ago. A number of the species have been identified with those now found in the east.

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The celebrated "Kent's Hole" of the geologists is located near Torquay, in Devonshire, England. This remarkable cavern, first scientifically explored in 1824 by a Catholic clergyman, has given up remains of the mammoth, rhinoceros, hyena, elk, and other animals now extinct in England, together with many flints and other relics of ancient man. The earth in the cave has now been explored to a great depth, and the finding of a human jaw far below the surface has added a link to the chain of evidence establishing man's great antiquity.

It appears to be quite well established that ants and a few other insects have the highly organized faculty of communicating their ideas to one another. The researches of modern observers, such as Lubbock and McCook, have confirmed the belief in such a power. Dr. Franklin shared the belief, and tested the matter in an interesting experiment. He placed a small jar, containing a little treacle, in a closet, where a number of ants soon collected to pray upon the vessel's contents. When all was eaten the doctor cleared the jar of the ants, and putting some fresh treacle in it, suspended it by a string from a nail in the ceiling. A single ant remained in the jar, which ate until satisfied, and then sought to find its way out. It was for some time perplexed, but finally climbed the string to the ceiling, and escaped down the wall. It had been gone but a short time when a large swarm of ants flocked into the closet, climbed up the wall to the ceiling, and then descended by the string into the jar, where they remained until the treacle was devoured, and then departed by the string. It is hardly possible that this should have taken place had not the first ant made some communication to the others.

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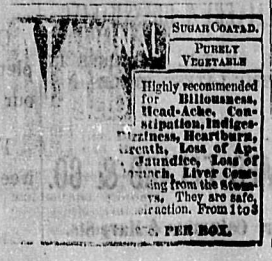

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The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, May 10, 1882.

Dock Building.

It is by comparison that the mind is often assisted in reaching intelligent and correct conclusions. The Government of British Columbia have been engaged in building a dock at Esquimalt for about ten years off and on, and although little more than fairly begun, the work has, one way and another, cost the country in the neighborhood of half a million. According to the last estimate of the Government Engineer, it should be completed at some indefinite period in the future, at a total cost of eight hundred thousand dollars, in round numbers. If a reasonable margin be left for damages, &c., to which the unpardonable mismanagement of the Government has rendered the country liable, it will be much safer to place the final cost of the dock at a million. Should it fall to the lot of *the present Government to complete* it, prudent men competent to form an opinion would be disposed to put the possible ultimate cost as high as twelve hundred thousand dollars! For present purposes we shall assume, however, that the dock will be completed at a total cost of one million. When? Turning from this discouraging picture of home dock building, some eight months ago Mr. Villard visited Portland, Oregon, in connection with his great railway and maritime schemes, and before leaving it occurred to him that a dry dock would be desirable at that junction of sea and land transport. The Portland Dry Dock is now well under way, and it is confidently expected that it will be ready to receive ships in ten months from the present time. Its dimensions are as follows: *Extreme length, 410 feet; breadth, 115 feet; depth, 50 feet; draught over sill, highest water, 46 feet, lowest water, 18 feet.* It need hardly be remarked that the capacity will be ample for the largest shipping. It is to cost, complete, $125,000. Eighteen months in time and $125,000 in money produces a complete dock of the above amplitude at Portland, while to build one of similar dimensions at Esquimalt bids fair to cost twelve years in time and one million in money—*just eight times as long and eight times as much!* And yet these great dock-builders of ours are the very men respecting whom the organs said imploringly, "Leave, O! leave them in office till they finish the dock. Their dock-building experience is invaluable, and should not be lost to the country." If the cost of the experience be the gauge of its value, there can be no doubt that it represents a princely sum; but one would be apt to imagine that the dear-bought experience in dock-building constitutes precisely the ground upon which these blundering schemers should be summarily cast out. The constituencies have been starved; public works have been neglected; the federal subsidies have been mortgaged; constitutional safeguards and principles have been trampled under foot; the ordinary revenues of the country have been illegally alienated; parliament has been deceived, and the people have been led, or at any rate asked, to believe a lie—and all this in order that these men may develop their marvellous capacity for dock-building! Would that their blundering were confined to the dock. The same incapacity, the same crookedness, characterises everything that they have done; but it is more effectually dragged into the light. And these are the men who ask the people to grant them yet another four years' lease of power! What for? To complete the work of spoliation and ruin they have been so signally successful in inaugurating? To continue the insane policy of spiting the Judiciary and fighing a Federal Administration which is making every reasonable effort to do justice to our long-neglected Province?

Editorial Notes.

For some time we have been endeavoring to impress the stock farmers of British Columbia with the importance of improving the breeds of cattle and horses. It is, therefore, with no ordinary pleasure that we note a very decided movement in that direction. Already this season there have been several very important additions to the breeding stock of the interior, notably, two very fine stallions imported by Mr. Barnard; two equally likely ones by Mr. Vernon, and two very fine stallions and seven thoroughbred bulls by Mr. Harper. The last named gentleman has also imported, at great expense, a large Spanish jackass and a Maltese janet. These instances are, we trust, examples to be followed by many of our large and wealthy stock-raisers beyond the Cascades: for if this Province is to hold its own against the great stock farmers on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains, it must be by improving the breeds.

The news from home is heart-rending. It is horrifying! Last week Lord Frederick Cavendish was appointed Chief Secretary for Ireland. But before the ink on his commission was dry he was assassinated! This thing is as inexplicable as it is horrible. At the moment the Government was straining itself to concede all that the will and judgement of the nation would stand, the very hand that one might have expected to have been stretched out in thankful recognition, plunges the dagger to the heart of the benefactor! The act is so utterly heartless, so un-Irish that one experiences some difficulty in realizing that it is true—in attributing it to any party. When Guiteau struck down Garfield, the President was the unyielding opponent of his wishes. But the very object of this man's appointment was that he might give Ireland more than his predecessor was willing to yield. Yet he is met with the assassin's knife, instead of the friendly grip of the hand. It seems impossible to doubt that, if endorsed by the Irish party, this act will alienate the best sympathies hitherto extended to that party. The immediate result we will not attempt to forecast; but it is not very easy to see just now how good is to be evolved from this terrible evil.

R. GARRYPIE

(DECEASED).

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my10 W. NORMAN BOLE.

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A PLOUGH (TWELVE-INCH Collins & Co., number reserved) was stolen from my premises on the wharf in front of the Holbrook House, in this City, on Thursday night the 20th April. Five bundles of shingles were taken at the same time.

A Reward of $10 will be paid to whoever may give such information as will lead to the recovery of the Plough and conviction of the thief.

WM. RAE.

New West., May 9, 1882. my10

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24TH MAY, 1882

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No Bar for the sale of intoxicating liquor will be allowed on board.

Tickets for the round trip can be obtained from the members of the Committee at New Westminster, or from Dr. Masters and Geo. Black, Granville; D. Milligan, Moodyville; and W. H. Ladner, Ladner's Landing.

Tickets for Gentlemen - $2 each

Tickets for Ladies - - $1 each

Children between the ages of 3 and 15 years, 50 cents each; under 3 years, free.

All persons are requested to be on board at a quarter to 7 a. m. sharp.

By Order of the Committee,

J. ORR,
Secretary.

New Westminster, May 9th, 1882. my10

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of New Westminster that I require the presence of the said Electors at the COURT HOUSE on FRIDAY THE 12TH INST., at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing two persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Councillors, one for St. George's Ward and one for St. Andrew's Ward.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:—The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two Voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be opened on MONDAY THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF MAY INST.

Of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at New Westminster this 9th day of May, 1882.

A. PEELE,
Returning Officer.

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CHORAL UNION

CONCERT!

A CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN at the

DRILL SHED!

By the above Society, on

Wednesday Evening, 10th May.

The Programme will consist of SONGS, PART SONGS and GLEES.

TICKETS—$1.00; Children half-price. Special rates for Family Tickets.

Books of Words will be sold in the room on the evening of Concert at 12½ cents each.

Reserved Seats (without extra charge) may be obtained at T. R. Pearson & Co.'s Bookstore on day of Concert. my6

Pacific Coast Steamship Co's

STEAMER

VICTORIA

CAPT. PLUMMER,

WILL SAIL FROM SAN FRANcisco for New Westminster on or about

WEDNESDAY, 17th MAY, 1882.

RETURNING—Will sail from New Westminster for San Francisco on or about MONDAY, 22ND MAY.

For rates of Freight and Passage, apply to

GOODALL, PERKINS & CO.,
San Francisco,

Or to J. A. R. HOMER, Agent,
mh18 New Westminster.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE I have admitted MR. GEORGE TURNER to a partnership in my Business.

The Business will in future be carried on under the name of WOODS & TURNER.

CHARLES E. WOODS.

New Westminster, May 1, 1882. my3

AUCTION SALE

ON WEDNESDAY *next*, the 10th May, I will sell by Public Auction, at my Salesrooms, Columbia Street, a miscellaneous assortment of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and other articles.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m.

H. V. EDMONDS,
Auctioneer.

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WE WANT

TWO APPRENTICES—ONE TO learn

DRESS-MAKING

And the other to learn

TAILORING.

TRAPP BROS.

New Westminster,
April 28, 1882. ap29

TO CONTRACTORS!

SEALED TENDERS

ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERsigned, will be received up to the 20th May for the erection of a Church at Chilliwhack.

Specifications may be seen at the Store of the undersigned, Chilliwhack Landing.

G. R. ASHWELL,
Sec.-Treas. Board of Trustees.

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Notice to Contractors!

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to Saturday the 20th day of May, for the erection of a two-storey frame Dwelling House at Bayview Farm, Boundary Bay, about six miles from Ladner's Landing. All material provided. Plans and specifications can be seen at Messrs. T. R. Pearson & Co.'s Bookstore.

JOHN McKEE.

Bayview, April 20, 1882. ap22

LONDON HOUSE

COMPLETE

ASSORTMENT

—OF—

SPRING and SUMMER

GOODS!

CONSISTING OF

Brocaded Silks and Satins, in all shades,

New Ombre Trimmings,

Black & Colored Cashmeres & Merinoes,

New French Satin Merveilleux,

Black & Colored Velveteens,

Athol Glaces, in all shades,

Black Paramatta Cloths, &c., &c.,

Oatmeal, Niagara, Lace Stripes, Foulards, Momies, and other Cloths,

White and Colored Piques, in all the newest styles,

India, Mull, Nainsooks, & Swiss Muslins, Lace and Muslin Curtains,

New Neck Rufflings, Silk Scarfs, Fichus, Chenille Necklets, Latest styles in **Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk Cords** and **Tassels,** in all shades,

GLOVES,

Jerseys, in Black, Silk and Lisle, in all shades,

The New Laced Kid Gloves,

A fine assortment of **Feathers Flowers, Ribbons,** and **New Millinery Trimmings,**

A good line of **Hosiery,**

A large stock of Men's and Boys' **Straw Hats,**

Men's and Boys' Clothing

MILLINERY & DRESSMAKING

DONE ON THE PREMISES IN THE LATEST STYLES.

JAMES ELLARD & CO.

Cor. Columbia & Mary Sts.

AND STILL THEY COME

TRAPP

BROTHERS,

SUCCESSORS TO

R. W. DEANE & CO.

WE HAVE GREAT pleasure in announcing the arrival of our first lot of

New Goods!

From England and the East, which we have just received as follows:

Per steamer "VICTORIA,"
78 CASES;

Per steamer "G. W. ELDER,"
15 CASES;

Per sailing vessel "YUCA,"
6 CASES;

Making a Grand Total of

NINETY-NINE CASES

Of NEW GOODS, consisting of

STAPLE & FANCY

DRY GOODS,

MEN'S & BOYS'

CLOTHING.

Men's & Boys' Hats,

(IN STRAW & FELT),

CARPETS,

MATS,

FLOOR CLOTHS,

HARDWARE,

&c., &c.

These Goods we are now opening.

COME AND SEE THEM

As we intend selling at Bed-Rock Prices for Cash, as we have still larger consignments to arrive.

Our stock is now as complete as any in town, and our prices the lowest.

Further particulars next week.

TRAPP BROS.

C. G.

MAJOR

—OF—

New Stock!

—OF—

WINTER GOODS.

LADIES'

Heavy Jackets and Quilted Skirts. Colored Merinos, blk Cashmere and blk. Crape Cloth

FLANNELS

In White, Scarlet, Blue, Gray, and Plain and Stripes, and Checks—both English, Canadian and American, twilled and plain, wool shaker and cotton.

COTTONS

In white and gray. Brown and white Sheetings. Towels of all kinds.

BLANKETS

In colors & white. QUILTS and Counterpanes. Ticking, Drilling, and Hessians. Canadian YARN.

FURS.

Ladies' Furs in Muffs, Boas & Caps.

CLOTHING.

Men's Clothing in Tweed suits or otherwise. Overcoats and Ulsters.

Hats in Every Style.

GLOVES

In Ladies' black, dark & light shades in kid. In Men's Gloves, buck, doe, dog, kid, sheep, antelope, and cloth—all shades, lined and unlined.

EVERYTHING
In Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

LAMPS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE.

PLATED WARE AND TABLE CUTLERY

THE BEST.

In Groceries and Provisions

Everything the best that can be had, and at the lowest prices for a GOOD article.

MORAL—If you want a **Good** article, go to C. G. MAJOR'S: if you want things cheap, but "cultus," why, go elsewhere.

ITEM—What everybody says must be true; and if true, then the handsomest display of **Valuable Goods, Silver** and **Plate,** is undoubtedly to be found at

C. G. MAJOR'S,

COLUMBIA STREET,

New Westminster, B. C.

1861. 1882.

THE

COLUMBIA HOUSE.

THE PROPRIETOR, after 21 years of mercantile life in this City, begs leave to report to his numerous Patrons that his Business is prosperous and the outlook for the future is bright. We hope to do a big trade during the present year. We have now in stock a complete assortment of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

With some heavy shipments on the way from the Eastern Markets. We are buying for Cash, getting large discounts, which enables us to sell at much lower rates than formerly. We are determined to keep the COLUMBIA HOUSE to the front, making it, as it has been for years, the leading mercantile House on the Mainland. Our stock is usually so complete that we can fill orders sent to us at cheaper rates than any other House in this City, and we will do it.

JAMES CUNNINGHAM,
IMPORTER.

New West., Feb. 8, 1882. fe11

FASHIONABLE

MILLINERY

AND

DRESS-MAKING!

OPP. MR. CUNNINGHAM'S,

Columbia St., New West.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of New Westminster and surrounding country that she has received and opened out a fine assortment of the Newest and most Fashionable Goods from San Francisco and Eastern Markets, and she is now prepared to execute all orders in Millinery and Dressmaking with promptness and care. The latest fashions always on hand. FANCY GOODS of beautiful design and workmanship. No pains will be spared to satisfy customers. All are cordially invited to call and examine our goods and fashions. ap15

MRS. D. A. MACDONALD.

H. MOREY

HAS OPENED THE STORE ADjoining the City Hotel, Columbia Street, where he will sell, cheap for CASH:—

Groceries,
Tobacco,
Cigars,
Candles, &c.

By careful attention to business he hopes to merit a share of the Public patronage.

New West., April 20, 1882 ap22

BOOTS and SHOES

FROM

H. RATHBORN'S

Boot & Shoe Manufactory,

VICTORIA,

AT VICTORIA PRICES.

R. THOMAS,

Shop under the new Oddfellow Hall, Columbia st., New Westminster.

WANTED:

FOR NICOLA VALLEY—A GOOD Farm Hand, who can milk and understands the driving and care of Horses, and make himself generally useful. Wages—$30 per month.

Apply to TRAPP BROS.,
ap12 New West.

The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, May 10, 1882.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer PRINCESS LOUISE, from Victoria, May 9—Mrs McMullen, Capt Irving, Messrs Brodie, Wadhams, Ballen, Westgarth, Young, English, Smith, Williams, Clark, Halpenny, Hume, Hughes, Eckel, Johnson, Willey, Emerton, Grant, Palmer, Perkins, Bass, Benson, Kirkland, and 590 Chinamen.

BIRTH.

On Saturday evening, 6th inst., the wife of J. B. Kennedy, Brunette Mills, of a son.

Mr. Ferguson, M. P. P., leaves for Cariboo this morning.

Mr. Marcus Smith went up to Emory on Saturday, returning an Monday.

Considerable matter has been unavoidably crowded out of this issue.

Joseph O. Cope, Clerk of Privy Council at Ottawa, died on the 22nd April.

Mr. Rae offers a reward for the recovery of a plough, &c. See advertisement.

Mrs. Hammond and Miss Reed, of Maple Ridge, are spending a few days in this city.

Go to T. R Pearson & Co 's early to-day and secure seats for the concert this evening.

It is stated that there are 90,000 Chinese at Hong Kong, awaiting transport to America.

The steamer Western Slope arrived from Victoria on Saturday evening and proceeded up-river.

Mr. Brophy, C. P. R. S. will take up his quarters at Port Haney in the course of a few days.

The *West Shore* for May is to hand This number contains some exceptionally interesting plates.

The steamer Wm. Irving Capt Insley, returned from Emory yesterday with a few passengers.

The Cariboo-Fly arrived from Victoria last night with a full freight. She will return to Victoria to-day.

Unprecedented snow storms in the Alps were reported on the 1st inst., rendering impassable the Simplon route.

The market has been over-stocked with oolachans during the past few days. They are rather larger than usual.

The steamer Princess Louise leaves at 3 o'clock this morning, in order to connect with the outgoing mail steamer at Victoria.

It is stated that the Dominion Parliament will be prorogued on the 12th inst., and that the election will take place on the 28th June.

The Western Slope broke one of her crank-pins, when near Cadboro Bay on Monday, but she managed to get in to port with one engine.

Messrs. Trapp Bros have succeeded in getting two apprentices to the dress-making business, but they are still without the tailoring student.

Yesterday one of the carpenters employed on the COLUMBIAN office extension received a severe scalp wound from a falling piece of timber.

A map of Port Haney townsite is in course of preparation. Over a dozen of lots are already engaged, and building has already commenced.

Those about to commence housekeeping or desirous of adding to their stock would do well to attend Mr. Edmonds' sale at 11 o'clock this morning.

The infant daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Connought has just been christened, her name being Margaret Victoria Augusta Charlotte Norah.

Ah King, formerly a well-to-do Chinese trader at Cassiar, suicided at the Old Rock Bay tannery, near Victoria, last week, by hanging himself with a dog-chain.

On Friday, at Victoria, Messrs. Roberts, Walls, and Irving were formally called to the British Columbia Bar and entered on the roll of practicing Barristers.

The steamer Reliance, Capt. Odlin, went up to Yale on Saturday, returning on Monday, with a large number of passengers and 63 head of cattle for Mr. Greaves.

The steamer Princess Louise, Capt. Lewis arrived from Victoria at 5:30 last evening, bringing a heavy freight and a large number of passengers, including 590 Chinese.

Andrew Murray and wife, of Arthur, Ontario, died from injuries received at the burning of their house, making four victims. The youngest child was not expected to survive.

The publishing and editorial offices of the BRITISH COLUMBIAN are being greatly enlarged and otherwise improved in order to meet the requirements of a rapidly increasing business.

On Friday Mr. Macnamara, with his "boys," completed the plank-way to Government House gate, placing substantial hand-rails along the hill-side fitting at the descent to the glen.

The *Northwest Enterprise*, a smart little paper published at Anacortes, Washington Territory, thinks there is a good opening for direct steamboat communication between here and that place.

The books of words for the concert this evening are neatly gotten up, and are well worth a bit a copy, altogether apart from the great convenience of having them so as to follow the singers intelligently.

The steamer Enterprise broke her shaft on her way to Victoria from this city on Saturday. She managed, however, to make port. The steamer Princess Louise takes her place until the damage shall have been repaired, which will probably be in a week or six days.

Mr. Roderick Finlayson has purchased the Lenevue wharf property in Victoria for $16,000, and now owns the whole front from H. B. Co.'s wharf to J. P. Davies & Co. and he intends building a block of stone and brick warehouses the entire length.

The *Churchman's Gazette* for May contains the usual amount of interesting news and useful reading. It announces the sailing from Liverpool, on the 29th ult., of Rev. Mr. Horlock, the new rector for Yale, and Miss Davidson.

The steamer Victoria is expected to commence running for the season on or about the 20th inst., between Soda Creek and Quesnellemouth. Capt. McLeese is now sole proprietor, having purchased Capt. Irving's interest in the steamer.

The water in the Fraser continues to rise. It is feared that the C. P. R. steamer Skuzzy cannot be taken up through Hell Gate this season, the water being too high, and there is some talk of bringing her down for service on the river below Yale.

An Ontario exchange says a vote was taken on the train which left Yonge-street on Wednesday for Winnipeg. The result showed 300 votes for Mr. Blake and 210 for Sir John Macdonald There were about 500 voters on the train, all leaving Ontario.

The gross proceeds of the sale of work held in connection with the Church Mission Fund in this Diocese, amounted to $1,194.35. This included the proceeds of the concert and some donations, notably the Yale donation of $74.50. There will be something more to add to it, from the sale of the balance of the work sent to Yale.

Yesterday morning three black bears, one of them a monster, made their appearance on the beach on the opposite side of the river, fishing for oolachans. They were seen quite distinctly from the city. In the afternoon a large lone one was wandering about on the beach for some time. Capt Peele started across with his rifle, in hopes of getting a shot at the bush before he got within range.

The Mongolian curse still rolls in on our coast. On Saturday 1,700 more arrived at Victoria from Hongkong direct, and 590 more arrived here by the Princess Louise on Sunday evening, proceeding up river the same night by the steamer William Irving. The babel produced on Pioneer wharf when all these chatterers got together was wonderful. Last evening 590 more arrived by the Princess Louise, and she will return this evening with a further instalment of 600.

Quite a flourish of trumpets was made over Mr. Bunster having obtained for Mr. Kenny the position of penitentiary steward. The new appointee came over and entered upon the duties of the office last week. It appears he was under the impression that the salary was $1,000, with board and lodging. Upon learning that the pay was only a little more than half that, without board, &c., he immediately threw up the situation in disgust, and left for his Island home, a wiser if not a better man.

PERSONAL.—Mr. L. H. Palmer, representing Messrs. Palmer & Rey, of the great Scotch type house, San Francisco, arrived in the city last evening.

A GOOD JOKE.—Mr. Anglin is credited with making a really splendid speech on the Irish Address in the Dominion Commons; but, somehow, in *Hansard* it was credited to Mr. Bunster, who bought up the whole edition!

CIVIC ELECTION.—By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that the election to fill the vacancies in the City Council will be held on Friday next. Wouldn't it be a good idea for the ratepayers to take an interest in the matter?

THAT JUDGESHIP.—The *Colonist* of the 7th says: "Mr. Justice Strong has been offered and will accept the vacant Judgeship in British Columbia. His successor will probably be Sir Alexander Campbell. This will be bitter news for the local premier."

RELIGIOUS BELIEFS.—According to the census returns, the leading religious bodies of the whole Dominion stand in the following order of numerical strength: Roman Catholic, 1,791,982; Methodist, 742,145; Presbyterian, 676,165. Church of England, 574 318

THE CHANNEL TUNNEL STOPPED.—In the British House of Commons, on the 1st inst., the president of the board of trade announced that government had concluded to stop work in the channel tunnel, and further action will be taken by parliament in the matter.

LARGE OUTPUT.—The output of the Wellington Collieries of Messrs Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. aggregated over 20,000 tons for the month of April. Arrangements are being made for a material increase even in that large output within the next few months.—*Free Press.*

THE EXCURSION.—Elsewhere will be found an advertisement setting forth the outlines of the programme for the Queen's Birthday celebration. The committee have taken the matter in hand in an energetic and business-like spirit, and the public may rely upon everything being done that could be reasonably expected towards rendering the occasion thoroughly enjoyable. Quite large additions to the excursion party are expected from the surrounding country, and there is every reason to anticipate a really pleasant time.

HIGH WAGES FOR SERVANTS.—Sixteen Scotch girls, immigrants by the Parisian, arrived in the city yesterday noon from Quebec. They remained in the depot until the evening, when they left for the West. Several parties, some of them from registry offices, endeavored to engage them for services in the city, but though offered as high as $15 per month, the girls refused to accept any offer. A lady on her way to Prince Arthur's Landing offered to take one of the girls at $20 per month. This offer was also refused.—*Montreal Exchange.*

HO FOR PORT MOODY!—Early on Monday morning Mr. Contractor McMullen's scow flotilla, in tow of Capt. Van Bremer's steamer, sailed for Port Moody, the crews being on board. A little later the corps of wharf-builders started overland for the same destination, taking the North road or trail.

CHORAL UNION.—It is no mere figure of speech to say that there will be a rich musical treat at the Drill Shed this evening. We know the programme to be a very attractive one, and there need be no hesitation in saying that it will be efficiently carried out. Reserve seats can be secured to-day without extra charge.

LARGE GAME.—Mr. Chris. Brown, of Mud Bay, goes for large game. Not long ago he shot a seven-foot cougar or wild-cat. A few days ago he knocked over with his unerring rifle a huge black bear Bruin had been lurking about the outskirts of the clearing with the obvious purpose of paying improper attentions to the smaller stock—pigs and such-like, and so Mr. Brown brought him to account. The fellow tipped the beam at 500 lbs.

QUICK DISPATCH.—The Nanaimo *Free Press* of the 3rd inst. says:—"The steamer Western Slope, *en route* from New Westminster to Victoria, called at the V. C. Company's shutes on Monday afternoon for coal, and in less than 20 minutes after being in position under the shutes received 50 tons of coal, and went on her way rejoicing. She had a number of passengers on board, and they made the City look lively for a few minutes.

HANLAN AGAINST THE WORLD!—That to Canada belongs the honor of producing the champion oarsman of the age is beyond all question. It is evident from the details of the match rowed on the Thames, on the 1st inst., between Hanlan and Trickett, that the former was actually playing with the latter. He came in four lengths ahead, and there seems little reason to doubt that he could have made it twice as much. Hanlan can rest on his laurels.

A FIRST-CLASS COLLIER—The San Francisco *Call* says:—"A contract has recently been closed by Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., of this city, for the construction, in England, of a first class steam collier for their coal carriage between Departure Bay and this port. According to the contract she is to carry 2,500 tons of water ballast. She will have all the latest appliances for loading and discharging and will cost $250,000. Her speed is to be 11 knots.

MANITOBA.—The ice-flow in Red River has caused unusually high water and inundated a considerable area. Portions of the city of Winnipeg were under water, the Broadway bridge was swept away, and much damage done. West Lynne was under water and Emerson was partially submerged. At Winnipeg the Louise Railway bridge was seriously damaged and might be carried away at any moment. Quite a number of less important bridges were carried away and the loss of one life was reported.

THE CANADIAN ADDRESS.—In the British House of Commons, on the 3rd inst., Gladstone, replying to Callahan, said he had not yet received the resolution of the Canadian Legislature with regard to Ireland, and therefore could not present it to the House. As to any action upon it, the matter was referred to those concerned, the Imperial Legislature alone. As to that portion of the Canadian address relating to the matter of the discretion of the executive, it had the Government's close and constant attention before the suggestion contained in the address reached them in any shape or from any quarter.

Good News From Ottawa.

On Saturday, Mr. J. C. Armstrong received the following telegram from Mr. Homer:—

"The reserved lands on the located line of railway are to be thrown open for settlement."

It will be remembered that this constituted one of the "planks" in the political platform laid down by Mr. Homer at the late election; and he has not been long in making good his promise in that regard. This is, indeed, good news, and it is to be hoped that the utmost possible haste will be made in giving practical effect to the decision of the Government. As was pointed out in recent articles, these lands are urgently needed for the purpose of supplying the armies of railway-makers with food. Now, intending settlers come along. Here are some of the most fertile lands in the country—with an absolute certainty of a good cash market right at your door. The bar is at length removed. Enter, and take possession!

Heroes of the Jeannette.

Lieut. Danenhower, seaman Cole and the Chinese steward arrived at St. Petersburg last week and were the heroes of the hour. The Lieutenant seems convinced that Capt. DeLong will never be found alive. He is loud in praise of the treatment he and his companions received at the hands of the Russians in Siberia. He was received by the Emperor and Empress on Tuesday (yesterday week), and on the following day visited the Grand Duke Alexis and other notabilities. The party would shortly go to Paris, and England, and the Lieutenant purposed reading before the Royal Geographical Society of Great Britain a paper which he had prepared on the possibilities of trade on the north coast of Siberia.

Herr Kraus has lately proved that all plant organs swell and contract periodically every day. This phenomenon is due to variations in the amount of water contained at different periods during the twenty-four hours.

Diabolical Assassination!

The New Chief Secretary and the Under Secretary for Ireland Murdered!!

DUBLIN, May 6th.—Lord Frederick Cavendish, the new Secretary for Ireland, and Under-Secretary Burke were strolling in Phœnix Park about half a mile from the city this evening about 8.10 o'clock, when a car drove up containing four men, two of whom jumped down and attacked the two secretaries, stabbing them several times in the throat and breast. The victims struggled hard for life, and in the struggle became separated, their bodies being found some ten paces apart. No clue to the assassination.

LONDON, May 8.—Land League met this afternoon and adopted a manifesto to the people of Ireland, deprecating in the strongest terms the atrocious outrage, which they regarded as a severe blow struck at the liberties of Ireland in the moment of her brightest hopes, and calling upon the people to show to the world that Ireland condemns the act. It concludes:

"We feel that no act that has now been perpetrated in our country during the exciting struggles of the past fifty years has so stained the name of hospitable Ireland as this cowardly and unprovoked assassination of a friendly stranger and that until the murderers of Cavendish and Burke are brought to justice that stain will sully our country's name."

(Signed) CHAS. S. PARNELL,
JOHN DILLON,
MICHAEL DAVITT.

May Day.

In consequence of the backwardness of the season, last Monday was celebrated as May Day. There was a heavy rainfall during the night, and it looked cloudy and threatening up till near noon, doubtless occasioning anxiety to many a young heart. However, by the time for starting arrived, the clouds passed away and the sun shone out as though it meant to shine for the rest of the day. And it did shine.

Shortly after 1 o'clock the

ROYAL PROCESSION,

preceded by the excellent Militia Band, entered the beautiful grounds. The Queen and Queen-elect, accompanied by their ladies-in-waiting, were immediately conducted to the platform or throne, by their Ministers, Mr. Thomas and Mr. McColl. Having taken their places

QUEEN MAUDE

at once proceeded to deliver her valedictory, which she did in excellent voice and style, as follows:—

FAITHFUL SUBJECTS:

Accept my thanks for the loyalty and zeal with which you have upheld my dignity and defended my crown and kingdom during my reign.

The cares of state and the intrigues of foes are sometimes fatal even to royal hearts; but by your loving offices and dutiful service you, my beloved subjects, have made the royal pathway one of fragrance and of flowers.

On this day of festive mirth it is my duty and pleasure to resign the crown and sceptre to the keeping of her whom you have been pleased to elect as my successor. May confidence and affection bind our hearts to her, and may the next return of this glad festival find every heart filled with happiness and sunshine, as ours are today.

ROYAL SISTER:

By these my loyal subjects you have been elected Queen of May. This crown and this sceptre are the emblems of your authority, and these garlands of May-flowers speak the happiness of our loyal hearts. Let the beauty and grace of your person be emblematic of the queenly grace which shall be characteristic of your illustrious reign. To the protection and confidence of our faithful Hyacks I commend you.

ROYAL SISTER:

By virtue of my prerogative, and in accordance with ancient and honored custom, I now crown you QUEEN OF MAY!

At the conclusion of the speech, she handed the beautiful floral crown to her Minister (Mr. Thomas), who, placing it on the head of

QUEEN MARGARET,

exclaimed, "Hyacks, behold your Queen!"—an exclamation supposed to evoke hearty cheers from loyal throats.

Her Majesty then proceeded to deliver the following speech:—

BELOVED SISTER:

I heartily thank you for your good wishes, and sincerely trust that my reign will be as happy as your own. I trust that I shall only be taking my place beside you in the hearts of loyal subjects, where I hope we may long hold our places.

LOVING SUBJECTS:

I greet you as the happy symbol of spring in this merry month of May when nature is clothed in verdure and decked with sweetest flowers. It is the fitting time for gladness and frolic, as the best way of expressing our thankfulness for all the blessings with which we are surrounded. I therefore command you to join in the mazy dance and mirthful games proper to this season, and make my reign memorable, to the extent of your enjoyment. Let all do his and her best towards general happiness.

GALLANT HYACKS:

Your well known fidelity to the public welfare, in preserving the lives and property of your fellow citizens from destruction by fire, speaks volumes for your goodness of heart. To you, therefore, I can trust the guidance and protection of my young and loving subjects who are met here to-day to enjoy themselves; your gallantry on all occasions will find here an opportunity for display, and I am sure I can depend on your truth and loyalty. Begin the revels!

Then came the merry dance

ROUND THE MAY-POLE,

followed by dancing on the greensward and in the ball-room, and games and races on the lawn, the day's ceremonies and sports being concluded by an impromptu ball in the Drill Shed, in the evening.

The whole affair went off very pleasantly and the young people appeared to enjoy themselves immensely. It is due to the Brass Band to say that they contributed very much indeed towards the enjoyment of the occasion.

Richmond Council.

Council met at the Town Hall, on Monday, May 1. Present—The Reeve and Councillors Smith and Kidd.

Communication from J. McMyn was read and referred to board of works.

Communication from Judge Crease was read and the clerk instructed to reply.

Wild Land Tax By-law was amended and passed.

Board of Works reported that they had contracted with Mr. Herbert Kirkland for the construction of a flume at the north end of road No. 11, for the sum of $280.

Appeals by J. Kilgour and E. Gerand were heard, and their assessment and that of W. Nicol amended.

The Revenue By-law was read three times.

The Clerk was instructed to communicate with J. R. Hett requesting return of deeds of Corporation land.

The Clerk was ordered to be paid $50 on account of salary.

Councillor Smith gave notice that next meeting he would introduce a By-law imposing a road-tax.

Council then adjourned.

It has been pointed out that the fragrance of violets differs widely, being influenced evidently by the season and temperature, warmth and shelter appearing most conducive to sweetness.

British Columbia Agency of Toronto Safe and Lock Works, J. & J. Taylor, Proprietors.

These celebrated safes are made from heavier iron, weighing 20 per cent. more, and have all the modern improvements of the best American Fire and Burglar Safes, including the Sargent Greenleaf Dial Lock. Being of Canadian manufacture, they are duty free, and consequently can be sold cheaper than either English or American Safes.

Fire and Burglar proof vault doors manufactured of all sizes and quality, at prices ranging from one hundred to three thousand dollars.

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Miss Dunlop is inspired with a devouring curiosity about the Miss Conisbroughs. What can you tell us about them and their antecedents?"

"Miss Conisbroughs," said Sir Gabriel, knitting his brows. "Oh, of course. Marion Arkendale's daughters. Parson Conisbrough's girls. Ah! she was a bonny woman, and a nice woman, was Marion Arkendale, when we were all young. I know them a little—yes."

"They are Squire Aglionby's grand-neices, aren't they?"

"Yes, what of that?"

"Will they be his heiresses? You see, I don't know the local gossip yet."

"His heiresses—I expect so. Old John never confided the secrets of his last will and testament to me, but it is the universal expectation that they will, when any one ever thinks anything about it. He disinherited his son, you know, in a fit of passion, one day."

"Lucky for me that you can't," said Randulf mournfully.

"I'm more likely to disinherit you for inordinate yawning than anything else," said Sir Gabriel.

"His son married; did he leave any children?"

"One boy."

"Surely he won't ignore him utterly."

"But he will. I remember him telling me that the mother and her relations had the boy, and were going to look after it, and that he was sure they hoped by that means to get a pull over him and his money. He added with a great oath, that the brat might make the best of them, and they of it, for never a stiver of his should it handle. He is the man to keep his word, especially in such a case as that."

"Will these girls be much of heiresses?" asked Randulf, apparently stifling a yawn.

"Very pretty heiresses, if he divides equally. Some fifteen hundred a year apiece, I should say. But why do you want to know?" added Sir Gabriel. "Has something happened?"

"Nothing to my knowledge," replied his son; "it was only the extreme interest felt in the young ladies by Miss Dunlop that made me ask."

"Well, that's all I can tell you about it, except a few anecdotes of old John's prowess in the hunting-field, and of his queer temper and off-hand ways."

Sir Gabriel left them. Randulf implored Miss Dunlop to sing, which she did, thereby reducing him to the last stage of woe and dejection.

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That night the tempest howled out its roughest paroxysms. The following day was wet, and hopelessly so, with gusts of wind, melancholy, if not violent. The inmates of Danesdale Castle were weather-bound, or the ladies at any rate considered themselves so. Sir Gabriel was out all the morning. Randulf was invisible during the greater part of the day, and was reported by his man as having a headache and not wishing for any lunch.

"*Headache!*" cried Sir Gabriel to the ladies, with a mighty laugh, "at his age I had never even dreamed of a headache. I'll bet something he's on his back on a couch, with a pipe and a French novel."

The ladies said nothing. In the afternoon Sir Gabriel was out again, and Miss Danesdale and Miss Dunlop yawned in company until dinner-time, when they and their mankind all met together for the first time that day. They were scarcely seated when Sir Gabriel said:

"It's odd, Randulf, that you should have been asking so many questions last night about old John Aglionby and those girls. There does seem to be a fatality about these things sometimes."

"As how?" inquired his son.

"Old John is dead. He had an apoplectic fit last night, and died at noon to-day. I met the doctor while I was out this afternoon, and he told me. It gave me a great shock, I must confess. Aglionby of Scar Foot. was a name so inseparably connected with this dale, and with every remembrance of my life that has anything to do with the dale, that it is difficult to realize that now he must be a remembrance himself, and nothing more."

"Yes, indeed, it is very strange. And he leaves no one to take his name."

"He is sure to have made a proviso that those girls shall take the name of Aglionby. I cannot grasp it somehow; that there will be Conisbroughs at Scar Foot—and women!"

"Do you visit them, Phillippa?" asked Randulf, turning to his sister.

"We exchange calls occasionally, and we always ask them to our parties in winter, but they have never been to one of them. Of course I must go and call upon Mrs. Conisbrough at the proper time."

"I'm not sorry the poor girls will have better times at last," observed Sir Gabriel, on whom the occurrence seemed to have fallen almost as a blow. "And, after all, he was seventy-two and over. When I get to that age, boy, you will be thinking it about time for me to clear out."

Randulf smiled, and drawled out, "Perhaps I may, sir," but his eyes met those of his father. The old man and the young man understood each other well already. Sir Gabriel Danesdale slept that night with the secure consciousness that if he lived to be a hundred, his son would never wish him away.

"Ah, there's a deal in family affection," he reflected. "If Aglionby had only been a little more lenient to that poor lad of his, the winter of his life might have had more sun in it and less frost....How he used to ride! Like a devil sometimes. What runs we have had together; and what fish we have killed! Poor old John!"

"The first concert of the season, Bernard, and you musn't miss it. Really, for the life of me, I can't tell what you hear in those awfully classical concerts. Isn't it 'classical' that they call them? I've been to some of them. I like watching the swells come in, and I dare say it's very amusing for them, who go regularly to the same places, to meet all their friends, and that sort of thing; but there, I'm done. Those concerts send me to sleep, or else they make my head ache. It's nothing but a bang-banging, and a squeak-squeaking, without any tune to go by in it. I *can't* tell what you hear in them."

It was Miss Vane who thus addressed her swain on the Wednesday evening after he had told her about his meeting with his grandfather. He held his hat in his hand, and listened to her smilingly, but without any signs of relinquishing his purpose. Perhaps you don't, my love. I hear a great deal in them. To-night I shall hear Madame Trebelli sing "Che faro senza Eurydice?" which is enough to last any fellow for a week, and make him thrill whenever he thinks of it. Likewise, I shall hear Beethoven's symphony, No. 5, which——"

"Oh, those horrid long symphonies. I know them. I can no more make head or tail of them than I can of your books about ethics or agnostics, or something sticks. But go, go; and I hope you may enjoy it. I like a play or a comic opera, for my part. Promise you'll take me to 'Madame Angot' the next time it comes, and I'll be good."

"To 'Madame Angot' you shall go if I am here, and able to take you," he rejoined, his eyes smiling darkly beneath the brim of his hat.

"You won't be gone to bed when I get back," he said. "It won't be late; and we can have half an hour's chat; just half an hour."

Well, if you're not too late, said Miss Vane graciously.

Bernard promised and vowed to return very early; and then went off to enjoy his one piece of genuine, unadulterated luxury and extravagance his shilling's-worth of uncomfortable standing-room in the "body of the hall," which shilling's-worth, while the great singers sang, and the great orchestral masterpieces were performed in a style almost peculiar to Irkford, of all English towns—represented to him a whole realm of riches and glory, royal in its splendor.

He secured a good place, just behind the last of the reserved seats, which were filled with a brilliant-looking audience. From the moment in which the well-known leader came on and received his rounds of applause, to the last strain of the last composition, he was all ear and all delight.

It was certainly a feast that night for those who care for such feasts. There was a delicious "Anacreon" overture, full of Cherubini's quaintest thoughts; and there was the great cantatrice singing in her most superb style. "Che faro," though, came in the second part of the performance. Before it was the Fifth Symphony. Bernard, drinking in the sounds, remembered the old tale of how some one asked the composer what he meant by those four portentous and thrilling chords which open the symphony, and how he replied, "Thus fate knocks at the door."

"Se non e vero e ben trovato," thought our hero, smiling to himself. "A fate that knocked in that way would be worth opening to, good or bad. But one usually hears a more commonplace tap at the door than that."

He listened with heart and soul to the grand scene from "Orpheus." The cadence rang in his ears:

"Eurydice! Eurydice!
Che faro senza Eurydice?"

When it was over, he slipped out, not caring to spoil the effect of it by listening to anything more. As he marched home, his pulses were beating fast. The strains of "Eurydice" rang in his ears. But the opening chords of the symphony struggled with them and overcame them. "Thus fate knocks at the door," he repeated to himself many times, and in a low voice hummed the notes. "Thus fate knocks at the door," he muttered, laughing a little to himself, as he inserted his latch-key, and opened the door of No. 13, Crane Street.

He found Lizzie in the parlor, seated on a stool in the very middle of the hearth-rug, and gazing upward at a brown envelope which she had stuck on the mantlepiece, in front of the clock.

"Bernard," she said, "there's a telegram for you." She scarcely turned her delicate fair face toward him as she spoke. "It came almost the minute you'd gone, and I'm fairly dying to know what it can be about."

He was very much surprised to see it himself, but did not say so, taking it as if nothing could have been more natural than for it to come.

"Why, it's addressed to the warehouse," he remarked. "How did it get here?"

"That boy, Robert Stansfield, from the warehouse, brought it. He said it came just as he was leaving, and he thought you might like to have it. I believe that boy would die, or do anything for you, Bernard," she added, watching him as he opened and read the message without a muscle of his face changing.

"James Whaley, solicitor, Yoresett, to Bernard Aglionby, 15 Fence Street, Irkford.—Your grandfather died suddenly this morning, and your presence here is indispensable. Come to-morrow by the train leaving Irkford at 2.15, and I will meet you at Hawes, and explain."

"What a long one Bernard! What is it all about!"

"A stupid thing which will oblige me to set off on a business journey to-morrow," he said, frowning a little, speaking quite calmly, but feeling his heart leaping wildly. Was it fate that knocked at the door? or was it "but a bootless bene?"

Why did he not tell her, or read her the telegram? It was chiefly because of their conversation on Monday night last. It was because he knew what she would say if she heard the news, and because, rough and abrupt though he was, he simply could not endure to hear her comments upon that news, nor to listen to the wild and extravagant hopes which she would build upon it, and which she did not hesitate to express. He would have laughed long and loud, if any one had told him that his sense of delicacy, and of the fitness of things, was finer and more discriminating than that of Miss Vane, but it was a fact that it was so.

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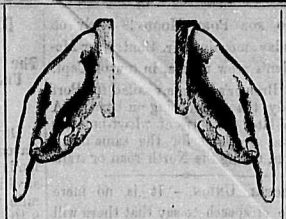

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jny14tc Chilliwhack.

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JAMES WM. SINCLAIR,
Clerk to Municipality.

Maple Ridge, March 13, 1882. mh15