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Current Events and Opinions.

The Orangemen of Ulster, who under the name of Loyalists contemplate engaging in a rebellion, made a mistake when they boasted of the aid they would receive from Canada and Australia. That is a point upon which the Nationalists have a great advantage of them. If any aid is to be furnished from this side of the sea, America will send ten men to fight in the Nationalist cause for every one sent by Canada to fight in the cause of the Ulster Orangemen. The latter had better be careful how they invoke aid from the outside. It would be a dangerous precedent.—*Seattle Post.*

Slowly the work of forcing polygamy to surrender goes on. By a process so gradual as to resemble growth the loop-holes of escape are being closed, and the alternative seems imminent, either give up or get out. Last week the Mormons appeared by counsel before the judiciary committee of the house of representatives in opposition to the pending Edmunds bill, but without making any apparent impression. The indications are that the bill will pass and become a law. And now the supreme court of the United States has opened the week with a decision which can hardly fail to materially facilitate the enforcement of the existing anti-polygamy legislation of congress. Wherever they turn for sympathy and succor the upholders of the great abomination are checkmated and baffled. The decision just rendered is to the effect that not simply plural marriage is criminal, but that the first wife, so long as she be alive and the matrimonial bond undissolved, is the lawful wife. In the case appealed the convicted polygamist put away his real wife and clove to a younger woman to whom he had been "sealed," and thought thus to evade the penalties of the law. The lower or territorial court convicted him and the supreme court sustained the conviction. Several other cases now pending hinged upon this appeal and the decision rendered. Now that the obstruction of that appeal has been removed the work of enforcement should be resumed. Some of the leaders, besides George Q. Cannon, have fled the country, but there are enough left to keep the machinery of justice reasonably busy for some time yet. The great thing is not so much to swell the number of arrests and imprisonment as to convince the Mormons that the government is thoroughly in earnest, and that the impediments in the way of executing the law have at last been removed. This enemy of decency and domestic virtue is situated now very much as General Lee was when General Grant resolved to "fight it out on this line if it takes all summer." It took not only that summer but the next fall and winter to fight it out, but the line was so drawn that the enemy could neither resist nor run away, and utter collapse was only a question of time. A few months, more or less, cut very little figure in the case. So whether the overthrow of polygamy be swift or slow is not important. The point to be kept in mind is certainty, and if the local authorities of Utah will only follow up the advantage of the decision just rendered there can be no doubt about the result.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

Political Peculiarities.

Mrs. Jenny K. Trout, M. D., vice-president of the society for the advancement of woman and a well-known resident of Toronto writes thus to the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* respecting the progress of woman in Canada:

Last winter in the House of Commons, a new franchise bill was introduced by Sir John A. Macdonald, the premier of Canada. This bill gave Indians, widows and unmarried women the right to vote; but, surprising as it may seem *the red men will now have more to say about the affairs of state than women.* The power which the premier intended to confer on women was eliminated from the measure during its passage through the house. However, in the Ontario legislature municipal franchise has been conferred on widows and unmarried women. In some of the towns these new voters have marched to the polls and succeeded in securing the election of men favorable to the temperance movement, which is now making rapid strides notably in the province of Ontario. In this city (Toronto), the second in size and importance in Canada, an organized effort will be made to bring the several thousand women voters to the polls next winter.

Dr. Trout might have added that the woman's suffrage clause was eliminated with the consent, and by the connivance of Sir John Macdonald personally, and that his presentation of the proposal was only a cheap attempt to gain a little clap-trap applause. But to adopt the immortal language of the Hon. John Henry Pope, who for some occult reason or other, has not been present in parliament for more than a week past, "There ain't nothing to it."—*Free Press.*

Teaching Deaf-Mutes to Read.

Instruction is conveyed to deaf-mutes in most instances by the use of sign language, or the manual alphabet. The foundation maxim of the methods used is "first ideas, then words." The mind must be roused to activity, and, as the foundations of knowledge which other children acquire by the aid of hearing are here wanting, progress is, of course, very slow at first. Usually, instruction is begun by the word method, words being connected with the objects they represent. For instance, the child is shown some common object, or a picture of an animal, and the printed name of the object or animal is shown him at the same time. He is thus taught to connect names with their objects and to recognize printed words. When a few words have been learned, sentences are framed, and the child is taught to recognize these as units embodying a complete idea. The printed and the sign alphabets are taught together and, when these are mastered, instruction in spelling is not difficult. After names of objects, their obvious properties, with numerals and verbs of action, are next taught. The adjectives first brought forward are those of size and color, then prepositions of locality. The simple tenses are exemplified by calling attention to a series of actions. Much use is made of contrast of ideas. A child of 10 or 12 years of age, if possessed of ordinary intelligence, can usually, at the end of a year, construct for himself simple sentences about every-day affairs. During the first two or three years text-books prepared especially for deaf-mutes are used, after that any text-books will serve. Another method of teaching deaf-mutes, by lip-language or visible speech, is described in *Our Curiosity Shop Book* for 1885.—*Inter-Ocean.*

Emancipation in Great Britain

Slavery existed in early times in Great Britain as a part of the feudal system. The English peasantry in Saxon and Norman times, were sold in the markets like cattle for exportation. After the Norman conquest the serfs were mere chattels, bought and sold with the land on which they toiled, and many cruel laws confirmed the absolute power of the master over them. But with the advancement of civilization the feudal system gradually weakened. The church had always opposed the practice of holding Christians in bondage and had set many free, and numbers took advantage of the privilege granted them in certain cases to purchase their own freedom. In 1574 Queen Elizabeth ordered the bondsmen in the western countries of England to be set free at easy rates. In 1660, the abolition of tenures and knight's service destroyed serfdom. But a form of the cruel system continued to survive in Scotland, where the law compelled colliers on entering a mine to perpetual service there, the right to their labor passing with the mine to any inheritor or purchaser, and their children being in like nature attached to the mine, and forbidden under severe penalty to seek other employment. This form of legalized serfdom was not abolished until 1780. The negro slavery of modern times, however, never became naturalized in England, though many Englishmen shared in the profits of the slave trade. An account of the first part taken by England in this traffic, through Sir John Hawkins, will be found in our curiosity shop book for 1885. Between the years 1680 and 1700 Great Britain exported from Africa to America no less than 300,000 slaves, and between 1700 and 1786, she imported 610,000 into Jamaica alone. In all England's American colonies slaves were held. But it should be said to the credit of Englishmen, that the condition of the slaves in these colonies was far better than in most slave holding countries. The flogging of women was prohibited by law, and courts were established to hear complaints of slaves who regarded themselves cruelly treated. But while slavery was legalized in colonies under British rule it was decided, in 1772, by the court of King's bench, in the case of the negro Somerset, that as soon as a slave set foot on British soil he became free; though, if he returned to the colonies, he might be again reclaimed by his master. Before the idea of emancipation of these slaves was contemplated, efforts were made in Great Britain to put an end to the share of that country in the slave trade. In 1787 a society for the suppression of the slave trade was formed in London. The most active member of parliament in the cause was William Wilbeforce, and he secured the favor of Mr. Pitt, the prime minister, for the contemplated measure. In 1788 an order from the crown directed an inquiry into the traffic and the same year an act was passed to regulate the burden of slave ships. Mr. Wilberforce's bill forbidding further importation of slaves was debated in 1791, but was not passed. As Great Britain's conquest of the Dutch colonies in America led to a great increase in the British slave trade, this traffic in the conquered colonies was forbidden in 1805, and in 1806 an act was passed forbidding British subjects to take part in it, either for British colonies or foreign countries. In the next year, the general abolition bill, making all slave trade illegal after Jan. 1, 1808, was adopted by parliament. As the profits of the traffic induced British subjects to continue in it, under cover of the flags of other nations, it was in 1811 made a felony, punishable with imprisonment at hard labor or transportation. Subsequent laws made it piracy, to be punished with transportation for life. The agitation on the subject directed the attention of philanthropists to the more complete measure of abolishing slavery in all the British colonies. An anti-slavery society was formed to press the subject upon the attention of parliament. In 1833 an emancipation bill passed both houses and received the royal approval. This act gave freedom to all slaves throughout the British colonies, and indemnified their owners with an award of £20,000,000. Slavery was to cease on Aug. 1, 1834, but the slaves were for a certain time to continue as apprenticed laborers with their former owners. As this apprenticeship was not wholly satisfactory to either side it was shortened, and complete emancipation took place in 1838.

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TO RENT, FURNISHED, for a short or long term of years, one of the best business situations on the line of railway, at the junction of the Nicola and Cariboo roads and route to the Similkameen mines; about four minutes walk from the Spence's Bridge railway station and on the main trunk road to the upper country. A good business has always been done there. The house contains 20 bedrooms, 2 sitting rooms, one large dining room, one small one, a good roomy kitchen, a large bar, one of the best stables on the road, with corral and outhouses. Also ground for a garden, and water to irrigate the same. It is situated beside the Spence's Bridge nursery, greenhouse and gardens, which make the surroundings pleasant. The present lease expires 1st July, 1886.
Apply to the proprietor,
JOHN MURRAY,
my12w5 Spence's Bridge.

Painting and Drawing Class
MRS. E. J. MILLER IS PREPARED to receive pupils in Drawing, Oil Painting, Crayons, and various kinds of Decorative work, at her temporary studio, Occident Hotel, Room 19. my1

Every Man to his Own Business
A. PEELE,
PRACTICAL
CHEMIST & DRUGGIST,
COLUMBIA STREET
(OPP COLONIAL HOTEL),
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes a Specialty.
N. B.—Only Genuine Drugs used. Over twenty years' experience. mr23

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Estate of Trapp Bros....J. H. Turner
Notice.....L. Willie
Concert.....Choral Union
Special Notice.....C. G. Major
Reserve Sale.....A. J. Alport
Notice.....A. J. McColl

The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, May 29, 1886.

A Wooden Navy.

It was announced lately that the North Atlantic squadron of the United States had been ordered to the Canadian fishing grounds to protect the interests of the republic. Commenting upon this announcement the San Francisco *Call* points out the utter ineffeiency of the American navy for such a purpose. The North Atlantic squadron is made up of such material, it says, that in case of actual hostilities it would be forced to take refuge in flight or suffer sudden annihilation. It is made up of 6 vessels of which 1 is classed first rate, 1 second rate, and 4 third rate. The number of guns carried is 62, not one of which throws a projectile of more than 180 lbs. The vessels are all wooden, and none of them can make more than 10 or 11 knots an hour. Contrasted with this, the British North Atlantic squadron is made up of 11 vessels carrying 71 guns. Of these the Bellerophon is an ironclad with guns throwing shot of 600 lbs., and the Canada is a steel cruiser with 10 guns. The vessels and guns are of modern types, and one of them would make short work of the whole U. S. fleet if, unfortunately, hostilities should begin. It is not at all probable, however, that either the fighting or fleeing powers of the U. S. navy will have an opportunity of being tested in connection with the fishery quarrel. Great Britain does not feel disposed just now to undertake a war with the United States. She is very much in the same mood as Artemus Ward when he declared himself ready to sacrifice the whole of his wife's relations rather than yield.

Political Pointers.

It is not often that we are able to coincide with the opinions expressed by the *Mainland Guardian*. In Wednesday's edition of that paper, however, we notice an article on the evils of allowing mainland constituencies to be represented by islanders, with much of which we agree heartily. The views there expressed are similar to those uttered by THE COLUMBIAN several weeks ago, and are such as ought to commend themselves to the judgment of every voter. So long as we permit persons to represent us whose interests are at Victoria, so long may we expect that our interests will suffer. There is not a single constituency in the country, we are quite sure, in which one could not find residents who are capable of making excellent representatives, and there is certainly nothing to be said in favor of outsiders. But our cotemporary says some things in his otherwise fair article which are misleading and which we cannot endorse. He mentions Mr. Wilson of Cariboo, Hon. A. E. B. Davie of Lillooet, and Hon. Jno. Robson of this district as island members who should not be re-elected for mainland constituencies because of pro-Victoria sentiments. Two of these gentlemen are members of the government, and the other has generally given the government his support. Why does the organ mention them only as examples of absentee members who ought not to be re-elected? Why does it not mention also Mr. John Grant, the member for Cassiar, who resides in Victoria? The organ shows clearly the dishonesty of the motive by which it was prompted because it counsels mainland electors to reject only such non-residents as are favorable to the government. It is not contending for a principle, but seeks under the guise of principle to accomplish a political end. Moreover, the organ ought to have discriminated between private members and cabinet ministers. While it may be laid down as a wrong principle to elect for mainland constituencies private members who reside on Vancouver Island, such a rule could not be applied to members of the government. The organ knows well enough that as soon as a member accepts a portfolio he must necessarily make his residence at the capital, and remain there so long as he holds office. It knows well enough that the Hon. John Robson is a mainlander, and that his interests are as much on the mainland as ever they were, although his official duties require him to reside at Victoria. If the doctrine of our cotemporary were applied without discrimination it would simply prevent any mainland representation in the cabinet at all, and this would undoubtedly weaken our influence in the management of the affairs of the province. It is not difficult to perceive the real object our cotemporary had in view when he brought this matter before the notice of his readers.

Free Passes.

Senator McInnes has been stirring up the sleepy senate again. On the 17th inst. he moved for the names of all members of the senate and house of commons who have received free passes from the Canadian Pacific or Grand Trunk railway. Speaking to this motion he said there seemed to have been an attempt made by the C. P. R. people to boycott all members who opposed their schemes. He further stated that before bringing forward its last proposition, to give the government a certain quantity of land in lieu of part of the money borrowed, the C. P. R. syndicate distributed free passes to all members of both houses who supported the government. It is claimed that this was done, of course, for the purpose of influencing legislation in favor of the company. And it is quite probable the claim is well founded. No one will suspect the C. P. R. or any other railway corporation of distributing free passes out of pure philanthropy, or from personal affection for senators and commoners. The passes were undoubtedly placed where it was believed they would do the company the most good. The subject is a legitimate matter for enquiry although the motion of Senator McInnes was promptly voted down. Senator Ogilvie, who had evidently been prepared beforehand by the railway people, produced a letter from Senator McInnes to Mr. Van Horne which read as follows:

All the members of the commons and the senate, with the exception of the undersigned, have received half-fare passes from all railway companies in Canada—and I understand a majority of them free passes over the Canadian Pacific railway east of Port Arthur. As I am the only exception, would like to know the reason why.

The construction put upon this letter was that Senator McInnes intended in it to convey a hint that a pass would be just as acceptable to him as to any other member of the house. It is quite possible this construction is justified. If Mr. Van Horne had taken it in this light and forwarded the senator a free pass we should not be surprised if the matter of railway passes would never have come up for discussion at all. Be this as it may, the principle remains the same. Senator McInnes may have been prompted by motives entirely selfish and unworthy, but the question he has brought to public notice is one of great concern and one that ought to enlist the interest of every person who desires pure and independent legislation. If our law makers consent to allow a powerful corporation like the Canadian Pacific Railway to influence their minds by free passes, how can we expect the rights of the country to be protected when they come into conflict *with the plans of the company!* The practice of giving passes to legislators or persons in positions of public trust, by corporations who are constantly before the legislature, is full of danger, and ought not to be allowed to continue. Members of parliament are now receiving an allowance for mileage far in excess of the cost of going to Ottawa and back, and there is no proper reason at all why this liberal allowance should be supplemented. In some of the states there is a law which *prohibits legislators from accepting* such favors, and we hope such a law may soon be found on the Canadian statute book.

Betsy, an old colored cook, was moaning around the kitchen the other day, when her mistress asked her if she was ill. "No, ma'am—not 'zactly," said Betsy. "But the fac' is, I don't feel ambition 'nough to get out of my own way."

An Efficient Remedy

In all cases of **Bronchial** and **Pulmonary Affections** is AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. *As such it is* recognized and prescribed by the medical profession, and in many thousands of families, for the past forty years, it has been regarded as an invaluable household remedy. It is a preparation that only requires to be taken in very small quantities, and a few doses of it administered in the early stages of a cold or cough will effect a speedy cure, and may, very possibly, save life. There is no doubt whatever that

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Has preserved the lives of great numbers of persons, by arresting the development of **Laryngitis, Bronchitis, Pneumonia, and Pulmonary Consumption**, and by the cure of those dangerous maladies. It should be kept ready for use in every family where there are children, as it is a medicine far superior to all others in the treatment of **Croup**, the alleviation of ***Whooping Cough, and the cure of Colds*** **and Influenza**, ailments peculiarly incidental to childhood and youth. Promptitude in dealing with all diseases of this class is of the utmost importance. The loss of a single day may, in many cases, entail fatal consequences. Do not waste precious time in experimenting with medicines of doubtful efficacy, while the malady is constantly gaining a deeper hold, but take at once the speediest and most certain to cure,

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Druggists.

NOTICE

ALL ACCOUNTS DUE TO THE UNDERSIGNED must be paid on or before the 15th June next, otherwise they will be placed in the hands of a collector.

my29td L. WILLIE.

Estate of Trapp Bros.

ALL ACCOUNTS DUE TO THE ABOVE Estate must be paid immediately at the store of T. J. Trapp & Co.

All accounts not paid on or before the 25th June will be placed in the hands of our solicitor.

J. H. TURNER, Assignee.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

ALL ACCOUNTS ON MY BOOKS will **positively** be

CLOSED ON THE 31st INSTANT.

Customers will please accept this notice as FINAL and govern themselves accordingly.

THE BALANCE OF STOCK ON HAND will be sold

AT COST AND UNDER FOR CASH ONLY.

No parcel delivery of goods after the first of June.

my29tc C. G. MAJOR.

SIXTEENTH CONCERT

—OF THE—

CHORAL UNION!

Wednesday, June 2nd, 1886

—IN THE—

SKATING RINK.

ON THIS OCCASION THE BEAUTIful Cantata of

"REBEKAH,"

By Joseph Barnby, will be given. Principal parts by **Mrs. Sillince, Mrs. Moresby, Mr. Henderson, and Mr. White.**

Mr. C. Pichler has kindly undertaken to play two violin solos in the second part.

Doors open at 7:30; concert at 8. Admission, 50 cts. No reserved seats. my29t2

NOTICE.

THE REVISING OFFICER FOR THE Electoral District of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, under "The Electoral Franchise Act," hereby gives notice that he will hold a sitting on the 6th day of July, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in the City of New Westminster, in the said Electoral District, for the final revision of the list of voters for Polling Districts Nos. 1, 2 and 3, of the said electoral district.

All objections and claims for additions to or amendment of the said list, with the grounds therefor, and the name, addition and post office address of the person objecting to any name on the list, or claiming to add to or amend the list in any other respect, unless the same have already been sent or delivered at the preliminary revision of the said list, must be delivered to the said Revising Officer at his office, New Westminster, or sent to him by registered letter, addressed to him at New Westminster, before the 21st day of June, 1886, *in the same form, as nearly as may be*, as of notice of complaint in the schedule to "The Electoral Franchise Act."

If the objection be to the name of any person already on the list, the person so objecting must, at the same time, deliver or mail by registered letter to the person so objected to, at his last known address, a copy of the notice of objection.

Dated 31st, May, 1886.

A. J. McCOLL,
Revising Officer for the Electoral District of New Westminster.

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Canadian Pacific Railway

FRESH WATER TERMINUS!

City of New Westminster!

IMPORTANT.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

City Reserves & Gardens!

A PUBLIC AUCTION WILL TAKE place at the **Council Chambers**, in the City of New Westminster, on

TUESDAY, 15th JUNE, 1886,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when the following Lots will be submitted to public competition in accordance with Land Sale By-Law, 1884, and amendments thereto, viz.:

Government Office Gardens, Block A
Lots Nos. 1 to 11 inclusive.
" 13 to 20 "

Victoria Gardens, Block B.
Lots Nos. 1 to 7 inclusive.
" 21, 22, 23, 34, 35 and 36.

St. Patrick's Square, Block D.
Lots Nos. 4 to 8 inclusive.
" 10 to 18 "

Alice Gardens, Block E.
Lots Nos. 6, 8, 9 and 10.

Clinton Place Reserve, Block F.
Lots Nos. 1 to 10 inclusive.
" 33 to 36 inclusive.

St. George's Square, Block H.
Lots Nos. 6 and 7, and Lots Nos. 12 to 22 inclusive.

St. Andrew's Square, Block K.
Lots Nos. 6, 7 and 8, and Lots Nos. 16 to 40 inclusive.

TERMS.—33⅓ per cent. on the fall of the hammer; 33⅓ per cent. in three months, and the balance of the purchase money in six months from the date of sale,

By order,
A. J. ALPORT, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, New Westminster, 28th May, 1886. my29d

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

PACIFIC DIVISION.

TENDERS ARE ASKED UP TO NOON on

Wednesday, 2nd June, next,

FOR THE

Pile Wharves and Bridges at New Westminster.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the Engineer's Office, New Westminster.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. ABBOTT,
General Superintendent.

Vancouver, May 25th, 1886. 26my2t

Port Hammond Nursery!

NOW IS THE TIME TO SEND IN your orders, if you want some of those nice fruit or ornamental trees, shrubs, etc., from Ontario. As I return about the middle of June to settle up my affairs there and come out this fall with the stock for my nursery here, and will *select and bring your orders right along* with me for this fall and next spring's planting, I will satisfy all both as to quality of trees and fruit, and I will be settled here in the business so you will know where to find me. All communications after the middle of June may be addressed to me at Bowmanville, Ont., or to Carleton & Harris, Port Hammond.

G. W. HENRY,
my22tc Port Hammond P.O.

NOTICE.

PARTIES REQUIRING FISHING LIcenses, or other information regarding fishing matters in British Columbia, will apply to THOS. MOWAT,
5my1m Acting Inspector of Fisheries.

Dominion Lands in British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY DIrection of the Honorable the Minister of the Interior that the operation of the provisions of the Homestead clauses, numbered 13 to 24 inclusive, of the Regulations for the disposal of Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in this Province, has been extended by Order in Council so as to make these clauses applicable to lands settled upon until 1st July, 1887.

JOSEPH W TRUTCH,
Dominion Govt. Agent.

Victoria, B. C., 20th May, '86. 22my1m

New Westminster, Coal Harbor and Seattle Route.

THE STEAMER

EVANGEL

(J. W. TARTE, Master.)

WILL LEAVE SEATTLE EVERY **Monday Morning at 7 o'clock**, for New Westminster and Coal Harbor, via Port Townsend and the Islands; arrives at New Westminster on Tuesday forenoon, leaves for Coal Harbor about four hours afterwards; leaves COAL HARBOR **Tuesday Night** for Seattle.

Fare to Seattle,.....$4.00
Freight per ton,..... 4.00

Special rates to merchants. ap10tc

D. S. CURTIS & CO.

Wholesale and Retail

DRUGGISTS!

New Westminster, B. C.

mh10tc

To Printers!

FOR SALE

—AT A—

BARGAIN

A GUILLOTINE

Paper CUTTER

Thirty-two inch knife, and in good order.

☞This machine will be sold at a great bargain, as it has been replaced by another.

Apply to
D. ROBSON & CO.
jy25tc New Westminster.

A. BOSSHARDT,

The CITY TAILOR

WISHES TO THANK THE PEOPLE of New Westminster for the generous support he has received during the past two months. Coming to the city a stranger, by the favor of the citizens, the practice of economy, careful attention to business, and a faithful application of the artistic skill which he has acquired by experience, he has been able to build up a first-class business, which he hopes still further to increase.

Tailoring in all its Branches

Also, Repairing & Renovating.

DYEING A SPECIALTY

This branch of business Mr. Bosshardt has introduced, and can point with great satisfaction to the large quantity of work already turned out.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success.

Come and try A. Bosshardt for a suit of clothes, or leave your old garments to be dyed or renewed.

Don't forget the place, **two doors east of the Occident Hotel, Columbia Street.**

A. BOSSHARDT, The Tailor.

N. B.—Bosshardt has also established a department where old clothes are bought and sold at fair prices. 15my1m

Never Offered in the City before!

HAVING CONCLUDED TO GIVE UP business I shall sell the entire stock consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Men's Furnishing Goods, Boots, Shoes, etc., at

25 Per Cent. Below Cost.

Suits from $5.00 upwards.
14 yards best Print, for.....$1.00
14 " " White Cotton.. 1.00
14 " " Brown " .. 1.00
10 " No. 1 heavy Drilling, 1.00
10 " Canton Flannel..... 1.00
Best 8/4 Bed Sheeting, 25c. per yd.
Fine Children's Shoes, 75c. per pair.
Fine " Straw Hats, 25c. ea.
10 pair Ladies' Stockings, all colors, for $1.00.
10 pair Men's Socks for $1.00.
Men's White Shirts, 75c. each.
Best blue, gray and brown Overalls, 75c. per pair.

Come and secure Bargains before we close our store.

G. LEISER.

New Westminster, May 18, 1886. my19tc

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LONG FELT WANT.

A New Map!

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DISTRICT OF

New Westminster

JUST ISSUED BY

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This Map has been produced at great cost, and gives a vast amount of information never before available respecting the most important district in the Province.

The new Map shows the latest surveys, the latest roads, the line of the C. P. R. and extensions.

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FOR SALE AT

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NEW WESTMINSTER AND VANCOUVER.

ap24tc

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"GLADYS"

CHANGE OF TIME.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE WILL leave Ewen & Co.'s wharf at 7 a. m. MONDAY for CHILLIWHACK and Way Places, returning on Tuesday. Will go to GRANVILLE and return on WEDNESDAY. Leave at 7 a. m. THURSDAY for HOPE and Way Places, returning on Saturday.

Through connection with the 'TEASER' to and from Victoria.

For Freight or Passage, apply on board or to

MR. DRAPER, On the Wharf.

ap3tc

Henderson Bros.

Agents for the Canadian Pacific Navigation Co.'s Steamers,

—ALSO—

STORAGE, FORWARDING, AND PURCHASING AGENTS,

HOPE, B. C.

HAVING BUILT A GOOD WAREHOUSE, we are prepared to receive and store freight. Merchants and traders in the

GRANITE MINING DISTRICT

would do well by arranging with us to receive and forward their goods. Our experience in the business and the advantages we have enable us to guarantee entire satisfaction. A fire-proof safe in our office. Awaiting your demands, we remain, yours respectfully,

ap3m2 HENDERSON BROS.

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AGENTS FOR THE

Canadian Pacific Navigation Co.

DEALERS IN

General Merchandise and Farm Products,

Also, manufacturers of Harness, Saddlery, Tinware, Cooperage, &c., &c.,

SHIPPING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Chilliwhack, B. C.

HAVE FOR SALE—

One Farm, containing 320 acres, partly improved; with two yoke Oxen, one Plow, one Harrow, one Wagon. Price, $4,000.00.

One span heavy Work Horses. Price—$350.00.

One span black Driving Horses. Price—$250.00.

One Platform Spring Wagon. Price—$140.00.

Two Single Top Buggies. Price each—$165.00.

One Open Single Buggy. Price—$60.00.

For full particulars, call on or address

HENDERSON BROS.,
ap3m2 Chilliwhack, B. C.

D. DRYSDALE AND CO.

WILL OPEN ON

THURSDAY May 13th,

In TRAPP BROS. OLD STAND, with a fine assortment of

NEW GOODS!

Selected personally in the best Eastern Markets.

CONSISTING OF

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,
House Furnishing Goods & Carpets,
Men's, Youths' and Boys' Clothing,
Men's Furnishing Goods,
Hats and Caps.

In fact, everything usually kept in a first-class Dry Goods House.

☞We invite inspection of our goods and feel satisfied you will find our selection good and our prices right.

We have also bought the stock of the estate of Trapp Bros. at a very low figure, and will offer everything very much below the wholesale price.

BIG

BARGAINS

May be EXPECTED from this stock as it must be closed out at once.

Having a thorough knowledge of the business I feel confident that I can compete successfully with any House in the province, and trust to merit a fair share of patronage from the people of the mainland.

D. DRYSDALE.

New West., May 12 1886.
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Spring Goods

GLOBE HOUSE

Has imported from London, Eng., a large stock of

MILLINERY

The Latest Shapes and Fashion.

Trimmed and Untrimmed

HATS,

Feathers, Flowers,

Wings, Aigrettes, Ornaments, &c.

Staples and Fancies

Also, a good Assortment of

Jerseys, Capes, Dolmans, Jackets,

As late in fashion, cheap and good as to be had in B. C.

Kerr & Co's N. M. T. 200-yd. 6-cord Spools, 50c. per dozen.

We keep a stock of

WOOLS

OF ALL KINDS,

—ALSO,—

Gents' Furnishings

At the commencement of another Spring we take this opportunity to thank the public for past favors, and hope for a continuance of the same.

Globe House

WM. RAE, Manager.

COLUMBIA STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER. ap3tc

VANCOUVER

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—AND—

Stationery STORE,

Granville, B. I.

T. R. PEARSON & CO

Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Musical Instruments, Newspapers, Toys, &c.

It will be the aim of the manager of the Pioneer Book and Stationery Store to conduct business upon such principles as will secure and retain the confidence and patronage of the people of

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Articles not in stock will be procured with the utmost despatch

Prices will be found as low as anywhere else in the Province.

Newspapers and Periodicals supplied promptly.

FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE

In First-Class Companies.

If you want anything in the above lines, call at or address the Pioneer Book and Stationery Store.

JAS. Z. HALL, MANAGER.

Granville, Burrard Inlet. ap2tc

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The Driard House

IS THE BEST HOUSE TO STOP AT IN

GRANITE CITY.

FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATION, and the Table supplied with every possible delicacy. The hotel is under the personal management of the well-known caterer, B. F. Boyce.

BOYCE & CAIRNS, Proprietors.
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AGENTS FOR C. P. N. CO.

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO RECeive, Store and attend to Forwarding Goods from

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Merchants and others consigning goods to our care will have our best attention at the lowest rates.

Fraser & Peters.

Hope, B.C., April 22, 1886. 24ap3m

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Importer and Dealer in

Fancy Poultry

INCLUDING

WHITE LEGHORNS, BROWN LEGHORNS, PLYMOUTH ROCKS, LANGSHANGS,

White Crested Black Polands, Guinea Fowls, Rouen Ducks, White Pekin Ducks. Pit Games, Houdans.

☞Birds and Eggs supplied at low rates, and all stock guaranteed.

Royal Avenue, East of Douglas St.

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IRVING & STRAHAN,

Cor. Begbie and Columbia Sts.

FURNITURE

MANUFACTURERS,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

Spring and Wool Mattresses and Bedding always on hand.

HAVE ON HAND THE

LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF FURNITURE ON THE MAINLAND.

Estimates for Office and Store Fittings. de6tc

C. M. McNAUGHTEN,

—PRACTICAL—

Watchmaker & Jeweller!

Has just received for the Holidays a fine assortment of Gold and Silver

JEWELRY

GENTS'

GOLD & SILVER WATCHES

Ladies Size Swiss Gold Watches from $25 to $55,

Ladies Size American Stem-winding Gold Watches, at $32.50.

REMEMBER—We do not sell "filled" Watches and Jewelry as solid gold.

Our goods are guaranteed just as represented, and prices lower than any other house in B. C.

COLONIAL BLOCK,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

de16tc

The Colonial BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

Colonial Hotel Building, NEW WESTMINSTER.

WM. ROSS

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

BOOTS and SHOES

The French Lenoir, Goodyear, Pinkerton, Cochrane, Cassils & Co., Armes Holden and Slater Boots and Shoes.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN ARE RESpectfully invited to call and examine the stock.

I have also on hand the

SCOTCH-CANADIAN LEATHER WATER-TIGHT KNEE BOOT,

Which now takes the place of gum boots.

jy29tc

NOTICE.

ALL ACCOUNTS DUE TO ME MUST be paid forthwith otherwise they will be placed in the hands of my solicitor.

G. LEISER.

New Westminster, May 18, 1886. 19my3m

ADVERTISING RATES.

Transient Advertisements—First insertion, 8 cts. per line; subsequent insertions, 2 cts. per line.

Regular Commercial and Business Advertisements—1 column, $12 per month; ½ col., $7 per month; ¼ col., $4 per month; 2 inches, $2 per month; 1 inch, $1.50 per month. These rates to be charged on standing advertisements which remain over 3 months. If for a less period the rates will be: 1 col., $15 per month; ½ col., $9; ¼ col., $5; 2 inches, $3; 1 inch, $2.

Specials, among reading matter—Each insertion, 20 cts. per line.

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 each. Funeral notices accompanying death notice, 50 cts. extra.

☞All transient advertisements will be measured by a scale of solid Nonpareil, which makes 12 lines to the inch and 7 words to the line. Display lines must be allowed for in making estimates. No advertisement inserted for less than $1.00.

The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, May 29, 1886.

Water in the river is rising rapidly.

A Winnipeg special announces the death of the widow of Louis Riel.

Lots 4 and 5, Block C, Louise Gardens, for sale cheap. WOODS, TURNER & GAMBLE. ap24tc

Attention is called to the notice elsewhere referring to the estate of Trapp Bros.

The board of trade meeting called for last Saturday was adjourned until last night.

It is believed that Messrs. Dunsmuir and Raybould will both be re-elected for Nanaimo.

The str. Rithet arrived from Victoria a few minutes after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

A meeting of the city council was held on Thursday afternoon, but the business lacked public interest.

Boils, blotches, pimples, and all skin diseases, are quickest cured by cleansing the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Hon. L. S. Huntington, who figured so conspicuously in connection with the Pacific Railway scandal, is dead.

The horse race at Ladner's Landing on Wednesday between Green's Lucy and Dooley's Molly was won by Lucy.

It is claimed that a new British torpedo boat lately launched makes 27¾ miles an hour. This is unprecedented.

Mr. G. W. Henry, of the Port Hammond nursery, is soliciting orders in this city, and has met with great success.

The 16th concert by the Choral Union will be given in the Skating Rink next Wednesday night. See advertisement.

Salmon are very scarce, and fishermen are not able to procure enough for the local market. The high water is assigned as the cause.

Mr. T. J. Trapp will sell by auction next Tuesday the whole stock in trade of Mrs. Stirsky, milliner, &c., who is retiring from business. Sale at 10 a.m.

In addition to our new stock of spring goods we have opened an invoice of Diagonals, West of England Broadcloths and French Cassimeres. Walsh the Model Tailor. HERBERT WALSH, Manager. ap21tc

It was 10 minutes to 6 o'clock when the str. Rithet arrived from Victoria with the mails last Wednesday. This is worse than the service given by the much-abused B. B. Co. years ago. But the people seem to like it now.

Persons wishing to vote at the approaching election for school trustees must register their names with the government agent, Mr. Warwick, before next Tuesday. Let every one take an interest in school matters this year.

At 10 o'clock this morning Mr. Trapp offers for sale, in rear of Trapp Bros.' store, a lot of horses, carts, wheelbarrows, and a large miscellaneous collection of articles. Anybody who is judicious might get rich by attending this sale.

Memorial services, in connection with the death of the Rev. J. S. Mackay, will be held in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow forenoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. D. Fraser of Victoria and Rev. R. Jamieson.

Another sale of city property has been arranged for the 15th June. There has been considerable enquiry for lots since the last sale, and it is expected there will be some brisk competition at the next. City property continues to advance steadily.

Mr. Percy Peele laid on our table a few days ago a beautiful bouquet of wild roses gathered on the commons. These roses are very fragrant, and in this country they grow and bloom with remarkable facility. They are later this season than usual by nearly a month.

The protest against the Vancouver election is signed by Thos. H. Condell, W. H. Soule, A. Holman, C. G. Johnson, D. Oppenheimer, Dr. Lefevre, Dr. Beckingsale, A. G. Ferguson, E. E. Barker, A. J. Mouat, and W. E. Wood. At a meeting held on Thursday night resolutions were passed denouncing the protest.

The distress in Newfoundland continues without abatement. A heart-rending story of the death of two men and a boy named Barrett, and another named Sheppard, from starvation and exposure at Criquet, on the French shore, is told. The steamers have all returned from second trips with very few seals. The seal fishery has been a great failure.

Messrs. T. J. Trapp & Co., who purchased the hardware branch of the Trapp Bros. estate, have got the stock into shape now and are fully prepared for customers. The firm's business announcement will appear in THE COLUMBIAN next Wednesday. In the meantime persons looking for hardware, paints, oils, &c., should call and look at the stock.

At a public meeting held on Thursday night, the mayor presiding, it was decided to have a public celebration in this city on Dominion Day. The boat races and horse races are to be carried on under direction of a public committee, and the usual sports and games will be left to the management of the Caledonian & St. Andrew's Society. Collectors will call upon citizens for donations at once.

The *Bulletin* is our authority for the statement that mines discovered by Mr. Okanagan Smith in Okanagan country, have been bonded for $125,000 by Portland capitalists. Making every allowance for the editor's booming proclivities, there evidently is something in the story. The real and permanent golden age for British Columbia is only beginning to dawn upon our province—*Times.*

The revising barrister for this district has posted up the first revised list of the voters under the Dominion franchise act. [illegible] notices elsewhere respe[illegible] may say that all persons w[illegible] have been placed on the [illegible] voters' list since the 1st of [illegible] apply at once to be added to [illegible]ion list, otherwise their votes [illegible] taken in a Dominion election.

SIGNIFICANT.—The large maple tree near old Government House was removed lately by the penitentiary authorities, and under it were found some Indian remains. There was a rude coffin containing the bones of a child and also the bones of a dog. The dog and the child had evidently been placed in the same box. Among the Esquimaux it has been customary always to bury the favorite family dog with a child. This is done because it is believed the child may have some difficulty in finding its way to Paradise unless guided by canine instinct. The discovery under the big maple, which is several hundred years of age, points to identity between our Indians and those of the east.

CAMP-MEETING.—The annual camp-meeting at Chilliwhack will begin on Tuesday next, after the arrival of the steamer from this city, and will continue until the following Monday. We understand that arrangements have been made to supply visitors with refreshments as well as lodging at reasonable rates. Persons from this city can go up by the str. Gladys on Monday or by the Reliance on Tuesday. These camp-meetings have accomplished much good in past years, and it is hoped the coming one may be the most successful ever held. We are informed that the C.P.N.Co. has offered to carry persons to the camp meeting and back for one regular fare, which is certainly very generous.

DEEP SEA FISHERIES.—Mr. D. W. Gordon, M.P. for Nanaimo has sent the following telegram to the *Free Press:* "A deputation consisting of Messrs. Powers, Gordon, Morrison (Montreal), Morrison (Ottawa,) Lemesurier, Sirdall and Mellis of Newfoundland, had an interview yesterday with the Dominion minister of marine in regard to the speedy and practical development of the deep sea fisheries of the waters of British Columbia. The minister of marine promised he would give every assistance possible for the thorough examination of the fishing banks and waters of the British Columbia coast. Several Newfoundlanders leave at once for British Columbia, and if the prospects are good and they report favorably, at least four hundred heads of families will go to our province from Newfoundland within a year, to extensively engage in the deep sea fishing industry."

B. C. S. & P. Co. — The book and stationery establishments of Messrs. T. R. Pearson & Co., New Westminster and Vancouver; J. B. Ferguson & Co., Victoria; and the printing and publishing concern of D. Robson & Co., have been formed into a joint stock company, with a paid up capital of $50,000, under the name of the British Columbia Stationery & Printing Company (Ld). The head office of the company is New Westminster, and at the first meeting of shareholders the following officers were elected: President, D. Robson; secretary, T. R. Pearson; general manager, J. B. Ferguson; deputy-managers, J. A. Hart and T. R. Pearson. It is the intention of the company to continue the establishments at New Westminster, Victoria and Vancouver as heretofore, and with forces united it is anticipated that the facilities for business will be greatly simplified and increased. Speaking of this new company the Victoria *Colonist* says: "All the gentlemen are practical stationers and full of energy, and we predict for the new organization a bright and very prosperous future." The *Times* says: "The new company will be a very strong organization, and with the management above named should be successful."

The opinion of the general public in regard to Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is confirmed by clergymen, lawyers, public speakers, and actors. All say it is the best remedy that can be procured for all affections of the vocal organs, throat, and lungs.

From Granite Creek.

Mr. W. H. Blake arrived from Granite Creek on Tuesday, having left the mines on the 20th. No claims were working at the time he left, because of high water. The freshet carried away all the wing-dams, sluice-boxes and flumes on the creek. It is not expected that the water will subside so that mining operations can be resumed before the 15th June, the date upon which all persons holding claims must take personal possession. A few claims managed to get in some work between the frost and the flood, with results that are said to have been quite satisfactory. There are probably between 400 and 500 white miners now on the creek, and about 300 Chinamen. There is practically no work to be had, however, and more men are coming out than are going in. As all claims must be represented on the 15th June, it is expected there will be quite a rush on that date, and claims not then represented will be liable to be jumped. Provisions remain about former prices, and are plentiful. Quite a town has sprung up at Otter Flat, 6 miles from Granite City. Boulder Creek, 7 miles distant, showed an encouraging prospect, and all the available ground has been staked off. The sawmill has been running for several months, and lumber is plentiful at $45 per thousand, but there is not much building going on. There has been considerable sickness during the winter, and one death. The most prevalent disease is said by the doctors to be mountain fever. No person should go to the mines before the middle of June unless he is well supplied with funds. The Hope trail is open for regular traffic. With the exception of about three miles at the summit it is free from snow, and in excellent condition. In some places the snow is about 7 feet deep, and through this a path has been cut for the pack animals. Mr. Blake leaves next Tuesday on his return to the mines, where he carries on the Granite Creek News Agency and Stationery depot.

Several more bombshells have been found in suspected places in Chicago. These bombs are made of a composition resembling lead, and are about three inches in diameter, a quarter of an inch thick, and weign over a pound. A nut screwed on to a piece of iron fastened to the lower half and piercing the upper half, keeps the two halves together, the edges fitting closely. A small hole in the side admits the fuse. The inside would hold three or four ounces of explosive material.

Do not delay in getting relief for the little folks. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is a pleasant and safe cure. If you love your child why do you let it suffer when a remedy is so near at hand?

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The 24th at Ladner's.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

LADNERS, May 26.—A very enjoyable day was spent by the residents of this place and vicinity on the 24th. The programme opened at 10 a. m. with horse racing at Boundary Bay, whither a large proportion of the populi repaired, some in wheeled vehicles, but the majority on horseback—or mounted on "the hurricane deck of a cayuse." The racing was a decided success, and it is said to be the best race meeting ever held on the lower Fraser. The following is a list of the races and prize-winners: ½-mile race; heats—1st, J. Dooley's Molly W.; 2nd, Jordan's Billy; 5 entries. ¼-mile race; heats—1st, C. F. Green's Lucy; 2nd, J. William's Jack; 8 entries. ¼-mile pony race; heats—1st, C. F. Green's Punch; 2nd, Indian Charley's Sally; 5 entries. Last in Race—Last, Indian Harry's Dick; 2nd last, R. McKee's Jessie; 4 entries. Race for bridle and whip given by A. R. Green—1st, C. F. Green's Lucy; 2nd, J. Dooley's Molly W.; 5 entries. Consolation Race—1st, W. H. Ladner's Silver Tail; 2nd, W. T. Arthur's Bill; 5 entries. After returning from the bay the people congregated on the grounds of W. H. Ladner near his residence, where the remainder of the sports, consisting of running, jumping, etc., were participated in. The 200 yard race was won by Indian Bill. J. Arthur and J. Charlton each won a 100 yard race, and Jack Green, who, by the way, distinguished himself as a jockey in the early part of the day, ran away from the small boys. In the evening there was a dance at the town hall, which was a brilliant success, as such affairs here invariably are. The hall was well filled, of course, with the proverbial "youth and beauty," and the ladies looked, if possible, more than usually charming in their light and airy summer apparel, which our rather backward spring has only lately permitted them to don. As an outcome of the horse racing a match for a considerable stake has been made between C. F. Green's Lucy and J. Dooley's Molly W. The race is to be run to-day, distance 1 mile, Molly W. to carry 160 lbs., Lucy not less than 60 lbs.

Pope & Bitleau, druggists, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writes: We have never sold any medicine that gives such satisfaction to the consumer and pleasure to the seller as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. We can refer you to numbers that have used it for diphtheria with entire satisfaction and success.

From Surrey.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

We folks of Surrey are nothing if not loyal. We celebrated the Queen's birthday in fine style, and would be well pleased if she had several birthdays a year. Picnics were the order of the day and even the confirmed mossback (of which we of course have few) was seen, clothed and in his right mind, abroad in the sunshine, taking his basket to the sea shore or else stretched at full length under the branches of a shady tree in the centre of his happy family. We laid aside all petty jealousies, even those concerning the appropriation for the Nicomekl, and mixed together as one or rather three happy families. The people of Hall's Prairo had a picnic on the beach at the mouth of the sinuous Campbell Creek; the Mud Bay folks and those of the vicinity rusticated on the pebbly strand of Blackie Spit; while the Clover Valley nabobs took their ease in the shady grove of historic Waterloo. Besides these, a few, thinking that a journey would better symbolize a holiday, attended the sports of Langley and some straggled as far as Ladner's Landing. That I should particularize is not needed as all know the varied round of feasting, fooling, flirting, fishing, sailing, and such like amusements that characterize picnics, and these were very much like the common run except perhaps a little better.—Mr. Wm. Shannon of Clover Valley has sold out his ranch to Mr. Murphy, late of Ontario, who has removed here with his family. The price paid I believe was $4800. The extent is 240 acres and is to a great extent clear.—Mr. Huck has moved into his new shop and looks well in his new quarters.—Mr. Keary, an employee of the Royal City Planing Mills camp on the Nicomekl, sustained a severe injury. At latest reports he was doing well—Reports are that some cattle of a vicious turn of mind are roaming on Hall's Prairie and are causing quite a stir in that peaceful community.

C. A. Livingstone, Plattsville, Ont., says: I have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, from having used it myself, and having sold it for some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism.

Canada's Prosperity.

The London *Standard* of the 23rd ult., in referring to the display made by Canada at the colonial exhibition says: "Representing as it does an area of two and a half million square miles, a large space is necessarily devoted to the Dominion of Canada. Her leading exhibits are naturally in the main agricultural. A fine trophy of corn and fruit and vegetable produce at the head of the court presents at one view the prime elements of Canadian prosperity. It may be safely assumed that one effect of this exhibition will be to bring into increasing prominence the vast territory of Manitoba and the Northwest, now being opened to the world by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The corn, the fruit, and perhaps most of all, the roots, displayed from the newly opened territories are striking evidences of fertility. Some very fine agricultural implements and machinery of Canadian manufacture are shown. They are so good as to render it doubtful whether the Canadian manufacturers need any longer the doubtful aegis of protection for these essentials of their greatest industry. Of the mineral produce British Columbia sends a trophy in the shape of an obelisk showing the quantity of gold found in the colony during the last twenty-five years. It is estimated at £10,000,000 in value. Nova Scotia contributes a smaller obelisk, showing that her yield of gold has been $7,250,000, or about £1,450,000. In both these lands, and particularly in British Columbia, gold mining has received an impetus recently. More important than the precious metals is the reserve of coal, of which Nova Scotia sends some fine samples. At present the Dominion of Canada draws its supplies largely from the United States, but the coal seams of Nova Scotia at no distant date will add largely to its wealth."

The small boy learning the alphabet is very much like the postage stamp—he often gets stuck on a letter.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 17.—The president has transmitted to congress a report of the secretary of state with accompanying papers with respect to the location of the frontier line between Alaska and British Columbia. Mr. Bayard says the British government is prepared to take part in the preliminary investigation of the boundary question, and that nothing now delays action but the want of an appropriation by congress to enable this government to take part in the survey. $100,000 is asked for.

PITTSBURG, May 18.—A special from Washington, Penn., to the *Dispatch* says: After months of search, Professor Jonathan Emery of William and Mary College has discovered the aerolite which fell in Washington county on September 14, 1885. It was found embedded deep in the soil on Frederick Miller's farm, two miles north of Claysville. Professor Emery says it is the largest aerolite on record, and weighs fully 200 ton. Its composition is chromium, nickel, aluminum, copper, magnesium and tin.

NEW YORK, May 18.—A London cablegram says: Edmund Yates, whose political predictions have lately been notably fulfilled, says in this morning's *World*: "I am enabled to announce on the highest authority that the defeat of the government is to be followed by the immediate dissolution of parliament. Gladstone discussed the whole situation with the Queen at the audience which her Majesty gave him at Buckingham Palace, and he received her sanction for a dissolution, which I am informed he declared to be the only reasonable and practical issue of existing complications, and the only one which can be expected to lead to at least a temporary settlement for all parties. I understand that the Queen was ultimately convinced by Gladstone's argument that the course which he proposes to pursue is the best under the circumstances, and a complete understanding about the impending crisis now exists between her Majesty and the prime minister. The uncompromising attitude which Gladstone has assumed during the last ten days is due to his profound conviction that the general election will give him a working majority and that his opponents—Conservatives, Radicals or Whigs—will be smitten hip and thigh."

OTTAWA, May 24.—A topic of interest to British Columbia is the probable early formation of "C" battery at Victoria or Esquimalt. From what the minister of militia states, it appears that communications have passed between the Dominion government and the Imperial authorities, as the result of which the latter have decided to allow the men of the naval reserve living in British Columbia to enter the Canadian service and to continue to draw their naval pension. It is hoped that many of these men will join the new battery and help to make it as efficient, or even more efficient, than the two eastern batteries.

LONDON, May 25. — Mr. Gladstone went to Windsor to-day in obedience to a summons from the queen, and conveyed to her the opinion of himself and colleagues with reference to home rule, and proposed the dissolution of parliament. The queen intimated that she was willing to meet the wishes of the minister. Baron Rothschilds has sent the unionists £500 sterling. They are widely circulating anti home rule literature. The government does not promise reconstruction of the home rule bill. The upshot of to-day's meeting of the cabinet is virtually a move in the direction of concession to disaffected Liberals. Several of the ministers urge that clause 24 of the home rule bill be eliminated. After a long discussion it was decided to leave the matter in Gladstone's hands to deal with as he might think fit. His mind was apparently quickly made up, for early in the evening government whips were instructed to summon rank and file of the Liberal party to a general meeting on Thursday when modifications on home rule will be announced in order to preserve the government from defeat on the second reading. Morley was alone in continuing to oppose the omission of clause 24 from the home rule bill. Hartington's section maintain their enmity to the bill and will not attend the Liberal conference. Ministers are confident that with the accession of thirty-five radical dissenters and doubtfuls they will have a majority of 40. The bill will be dropped after the second reading. It is probable that Parliament will be dissolved in autumn. If the Gladstone government be returned, the winter session will be devoted exclusively to discussion of the home rule bill. The home rule debate was resumed in the house of commons to-night. Viscount Lymington, Liberal, said the bill was a chaotic measure. Ireland required social remedies. The agrarian question was at the root of the whole difficulty. The attorney-general said that one reason of the failure of recent Irish remedial legislation was that it came too late; another reason was that the benefits wanted were not what the Irish wanted, but what parliament thought they ought to have. Alluding to Chamberlain's views, the attorney-general said the bill would go further and not retard federation. Protests about Ulster were mainly buncomb and bluster, and the religious question was merely a bogus bugbear intended to frighten Ulsterites, whose alarm was without foundation. The government, he said, sought to substitute a real for an unreal union. (Cheers.) Mr. Trevelyan once again said that he was unable to support the bill. He quoted an alleged remark of Mr. Parnell's to the effect that he "would not rest until the last link that connected Ireland with England had been broken." Mr. Parnell here interposed, exclaiming, "This is not the first time that this calumny has been uttered. I demand the date and place of that speech." Mr. Trevelyan answered "Cincinnati; and if Mr. Parnell considers his words derogatory let him withdraw them and express his regret." Mr. Parnell retorted that Mr. Trevelyan had not given the date and name of the paper from which he quoted. He (Parnell) possessed verbatim reports of his Cincinnati speeches which showed that he had not used such words. Mr. Trevelyan said he fully accepted Mr. Parnell's denial, and added that the date was February 23rd, 1880, and the paper was the *Irish World*. Proceeding with his speech Mr. Trevelyan said that the chief objection to the land purchase bill was that the measure would prove ruinous to the country. He asked why the government could not alter the present bill to meet the objections of some of its most faithful followers. (Cries of "Oh!" and cheers.)

TORONTO, May 25.—For over three hours to-night the city was under mob rule. Word was received by the Knights of Labor that omnibuses from Kingston for the use of street railway strikers would arrive here between 6 and 7 o'clock to-night, and a large crowd went to meet them, accompanied by a brass band. On their arrival the omnibuses were driven slowly through the principal streets, the crowd gradually increasing in number, until nearly 3,000 persons were following in procession. Every street car met on the return was attacked with bricks and stones. Passengers, drivers and conductors were ejected, and the wildest uproar was kept up, the police being powerless to do anything. Between thirty and forty street cars were wrecked in this way, and are now lying in the company's shops. Such a scene has seldom, if ever, been seen in Toronto. So far as known no person was dangerously injured. Had not the Knights of Labor broken up the procession much more serious results would have followed.

LONDON, May 25.—Some of the members of the Inniskillen fusiliers stationed at Aldershot attended a Conservative meeting to-day at which some orators savagely denounced home rule and described the Irish people as being unfit for self-government. The fusiliers became enraged at the speakers and attacked them and their supporters. The police were called on to protect the speakers, whereupon a fight ensued between them and the Irish soldiers. Comrades of the fusiliers went to their assistance and the police were badly whipped and driven away. They secured reinforcements, and returning, suppressed the rioting and arrested five of the soldiers.

ST. PAUL, May 25.—A Miles City *Pioneer Press* dispatch says: Many of the most extensive stock growers of this territory are driving large bands of cattle across the border, and are pasturing them on the Northwest Territory ranges, which are leased from the Canadian government for a term of 21 years. A party started from here this morning to survey ranges in the Dominion for Montana cattle owners. No duty is charged on the cattle driven across to feed. Canadian rangers are incensed against the Dominion government for permitting Montana drovers this privilege, and will petition to revoke the law granting such right.

ST. PAUL, May 27.—A Winnipeg special says that in the legislature to-day a motion of want of confidence in the Norquay government was defeated. So hot was the discussion thereupon that an opposition member crossed the floor after the debate and called Premier Norquay a d——d contemptible liar. The bulky premier promptly hit his assailant on the nose, and a fight followed. All the members rose in excitement and cries of "shame," "order," and "let them fight it out," drowned the voice of the speaker, who was endeavoring to restore order. The oppositionist rose and squared off at the premier, and the two were dancing around each other when members interposed and ended the disgraceful scene. The occurrence is the talk of the city.

LONDON, May 27.—The general Liberal meeting, called by Mr. Gladstone, assembled at the foreign office this afternoon. The meeting was well attended by the premier's supporters, but none of the known Hartington or Chamberlain followers were present. Mr. Gladstone was cheered when he entered. He at once approached the business on hand and announced that the government decided to modify clause number 24 of the home rule bill, excluding Irish representatives from Westminster. He did not state what the nature of the proposed modification was to be, but he did state that the government decided to modify the clause provided the bill passed its second reading and was referred to a select committee for action during the autumn session of parliament. Mr. Gladstone declared he would, at the autumn session of parliament, introduce an amended Irish home rule bill. A number of Liberal dissenters, who did not care to risk compromising themselves by attending the meeting, have hailed with undisguised satisfaction the attitude of apparent conciliation adopted by the premier. These now openly proclaim their intention to return to their party allegiance and vote with the government for the second reading. Among the first to announce their return have been John Fletcher Moulton, Radical member for Clapham, and Samuel Whitbred, Liberal member for Bedford. Both were adherents of Hartington before to-day's meeting. Both have since announced themselves as supporters of Mr. Gladstone.

Mr. Alex. Robinson, of Exeter, in writing about one of the most popular articles, and one that has done more good to the afflicted than any other medicine has during the short time it has been in existence, says: "I have used four bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, and have been cured of Dyspepsia that troubled me for ever ten years. Part of that time I had it very bad, and was at considerable expense trying to get relief; but this excellent remedy was the first and only relief I received."

A cablegram announces the construction on the Clyde of a most formidable engine of war, which threatens to annihilate every ironclad in the world, according to the claims of the inventors. It is a vessel with a speed of 23 knots, armed with Maxim guns, throwing 10 six-inch shots a minute, and also a shell containing 400 pounds of blasting gelatine, which can be hurled 1,500 yards. Each one of these shells, the makers of this mysterious engine of naval warfare say, can wipe out of existence the largest ironclad afloat.

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A confectioners' journal says that green cucumber peel, scattered about a building infested by cockroaches, will clear it of the vermin. The bugs devour the peel with great voracity and it poisons them. It may be necessary to follow up the experiment for two or three nights, using fresh peel every night.

The interior decorations of J. C Flood's new house in San Francisco, furnished by a New York firm, are said to have cost over $800,000.

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New Bedford, June 1, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & CO.—Twenty years ago I was a harpooner in the North Pacific, when five others of the crew and myself were laid up with scurvy. Our bodies were blotched, gums swollen and bleeding, teeth loose, purple blotches all over us, and our breath seemed rotten. Take it by and large we were pretty badly off. All our pickled lime-juice was accidentally destroyed, but the captain had a couple dozen bottles of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA and gave us that. We recovered on it quicker than I have ever seen men brought about by any other treatment for Scurvy, and I've seen a good deal of it. Seeing no mention in your Almanac of your Sarsaparilla being good for scurvy, I thought you ought to know of this, and so send you the facts.

Respectfully yours, RALPH V. WINGATE.

The Trooper's Experience.

Moroco, Basutoland (S. Africa), March 7, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & CO.—Gentlemen: I have much pleasure in testifying to the great value of your Sarsaparilla. We have been stationed here for over two years, during which time we had to live in tents. Being under canvas for such a time brought on what is called in this country "veldt-sores." I had those sores for some time. I was advised to take your Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which made my sores disappear rapidly, and I am now quite well.

Yours truly, T. K. BOSEN,
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Parsnips	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Beets	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Cabbage	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Onions	"	2 00 @ 3 00
Apples	"	1 50 @ 2 00
Pears	"	0 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 25 @ 1 50
Peas	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Hay,	per ton	0 00 @ 10 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 00 @ 0 25
Cheese,	"	0 17 @ 0 18
Eggs,	per doz.	0 20 @ 0 25
Geese,	each	1 50 @ 1 75
Ducks	"	0 75 @ 1 00
Chickens,	per pair	0 75 @ 1 00
Turkeys,	per lb	0 20 @ 0 25
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 00 @ 3 50

Toronto Exhibition.

THE DOMINION PIANO & ORGAN CO.

Speaking of the great central exhibition opened at Toronto on the 10th Sept., the Toronto *Globe* says:

An object of special attention, which by very reason of its prominence on the grounds cannot escape the attention of the most casual and careless observer, is the pavilion of the Dominion Organ Company. This is a separate building but a little distance from the south east of the Main Building. This pavilion must be about 50 feet by 40 feet, with a porch or railed passageway all around it extra. It is handsomely painted, with ample and almost entire glass section, comprising fully one-third of its height in windows, and announces to all in broad letters that it is the pavilion of that company, and that Joseph Ruse, of 68 King-street West, represents the company. Inside no pains have been spared to make it attractive, and certainly its designs have succeeded. No one should visit the Exhibition without going through this pavilion, there he will find a little paradise of music. Here are decorations, handsome pictures of the Dominion factory and of the present store room of Mr. Ruse, and above all, pianos and organs of the most artistic and unique designs. The display of these instruments is grand indeed, and a splendid tribute to the genius and skill of our Canadian manufacturers. Pianos and organs of every style and artistic design are found here—a parlor grand, squares, and uprights of rose-wood, satin-wood with walnut trimmings, ebony and gold, mahogany and beryl walnut. A double manual and pedal bass organ, with handsome pipe top, faces the visitor at the extreme end as he enters this pavilion. For company are organs of every style and design to suit the purchaser. The Company also exhibit with the degree of triumph and merit the fact is worthy of a cable despatch to them from Antwerp, Germany, announcing that at a Grand National Exhibition held there the Company had just carried off the first prize over all competitors for its instruments. This is certainly remarkable, though when the rapid rise of this Company to public favor and confidence is considered, not so remarkable as at first might seem. The Company's success in honors, home and international, is something remarkable. The exhibit on the grounds is certainly attractive and will amply repay a personal inspection and visit.

Sir Charles Tupper on Wednesday last emphasized the high compliment he paid the Dominion Organ and Piano Company at the opening of the London Fair. In his address from the platform of the Art Gallery, speaking of the great impetus Exhibitions gave to every industry represented, he referred to the Canadian exhibit at the Antwerp International Exhibition, Belgium, and cited as an illustration of the wonderful progress this country is making, the success of the Dominion Organ and Piano Company there. He said that this Company (the Dominion Organ and Piano Company) had not only taken the highest award there, the very highest the judges could possibly confer over all other competitors, from England, France, and Germany, but the very centres of cultivated classic music, countries justly celebrated for their skill and acquirements in musical knowledge, but these judges, who comprised some of their ablest and best musicians, had declared further that the instruments of this company were superior to any they had ever seen, heard, or examined. With such a compliment from such a source, in addition to their success at this Exhibition, the Company ought to feel content.

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The Confederation Life.

The annual report of this solidly prosperous Canadian institution will be found in another column. The facts revealed in the accounts and the Directors' report thoroughly justify the encomiums which the shareholders present bestowed upon the management. Thanks to the resolute manner in which the Company has declined to embark upon extravagant methods of procuring business, the working expenses of the company bear to the total income the very small ratio of between 17 and 18 per cent. A point attesting the soundness of the finances of the Company is the fact that the interest income is sufficient to pay the death claims—which in a company of the age of the Confederation Life is something to be proud of. The ass ts and liabilities are set forth in minute detail, and the tables show that, after making allowance for all possible contingencies and providing for every debt, there is a surplus of $282,199 over liabilities and capital combined. The increase in the assets in the last year was $260,300. So much for what can be done by rigid adherence to what the President defined as the true policy of the Company, viz:—"To keep its balance sheet right and avoid unnecessary, unwise, or extravagant expenditure for the sake merely of increasing new business." —*Toronto Globe.* T. R. Pearson & Co. are agents for this company in British Columbia. m19tc

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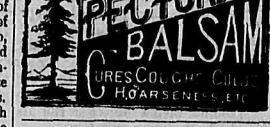

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13. Any person, male or female, who is the sole head of a family, or any male who has attained the age of 18 years, shall, on making application in the form A in the schedule of these regulations, be entitled to obtain homesteads entry for any quantity of land not exceeding one quarter section, and being of the class of land open under the provisions of the regulations to homestead entry.

(2.) The entry for a homestead shall entitle the recipient to take, occupy and cultivate the land entered for, and hold possession of the same to the exclusion of any other person or persons whomsoever, and to bring and maintain actions for trespass committed on the said land; the title to the land shall remain in the crown until the issue of the patent therefore, and the said land shall not be liable to be taken in execution before the issue of patent.

(3) The privilege of homestead entry shall only apply to surveyed agricultural lands; no person shall be entitled to such entry for land valuable for its timber, or for hay land, or for land on which there is a stone or marble quarry, or coal or other mineral having commercial value, or whereon there is any water power which may serve to drive machinery, or for land which by reason of its position, such as being the shore of an important harbor, bridge site or canal site, or being either an actual or prospective railway terminus or station, it will be in the public interest to withhold from such entry.

14. Whenever the survey of any township has been finally confirmed and such township opened for homestead entry, any person who has bona fide settled and made improvements before such confirmed survey on land in such township, shall have a prior right to obtain homestead entry for the land so settled on, provided such right be exercised within three months after the land is opened for settlement; and provided that such land has not been reserved or the right to homestead entry is not excepted under the provisions of these regulations; no homestead entry shall be granted to any other person in respect of such land until three months after notice in writing shall have been given by the local agent to such bona fide settler that such land is open for settlement.

15. The person who shall have first bona fide settled and made improvements on Dominion lands before such confirmed survey as aforesaid, may stake out the land so settled upon in the following manner; It shall be in the form of a square, and its area shall not exceed one hundred and sixty acres. Its boundaries shall be north and south, east and west lines. At each angle a post at least four inches square, and standing four feet above the ground, shall be planted and plainly marked with scribing iron or knife to designate the angle of the claim, and shall also have in same manner the name of claimant marked thereon. Between the posts at the angles if in timber, a line shall be well cut out and marked. He shall also, with his application to the local agent, accompanied with a fee of ten dollars, furnish an intelligible sketch, showing the nature and shape of the claim, the timber, if any thereon; also all streams, roads, hay lands, water powers, quarries, &c., and if it shall afterwards be found that the applicant has suppressed any information in said sketch, the right of claimant shall be voided in every respect; and after the land shall have been so staked out he shall, in addition to the prior right of obtaining homestead entry granted by the last preceding section, be entitled (if he shall have continuously resided on such land), to bring such actions of trespass and ejectment as he would be entitled to bring were he owner in fee of the same land: Provided always, that nothing in these regulations contained shall give, or be construed to give, any such person any rights whatever against the crown.

16. To obtain homestead entry it shall be necessary for the person applying therefor to appear and make affidavit before the local agent according to form B, C, or D, in the schedule to these regulations, as the circumstances of the case require. Upon filing such affidavit with the local agent, and on payment to him of an office fee of ten dollars, such person shall receive a receipt from the local agent according to the form F in the schedule to the regulations; and such receipt shall be a certificate of entry, and shall be authority to the person obtaining it to go into possession of the land described in it;

(2.) Provided, that in the case of intending immigrants or other persons proposing to settle together, the minister of the interior or the land board, on requisition signed by them, may authorize any person they name to obtain homestead entries for them, before their arrival in the territory in which the land they desire to occupy is situate;

(3.) The person so authorized shall, to obtain such entries, make application in the form G in the schedule of these regulations, on behalf of each of those whom he represents, and shall make affidavit before the local agent according to form H, J, or K, in the schedule to these regulations, as the circumstances require, and pay for each homestead entry the office fee of ten dollars hereinbefore prescribed for such entry;

(4.) Persons occupying land owned by them may obtain homestead entry for any contiguous land open to the same; but the whole extent of land, including that previously owned and occupied, must not exceed one quarter section;

(5) A person applying for such entry for contiguous land must, when making the affidavit prescribed for homestead entry, also describe therein the tract he owns and lives upon; and his residence upon and cultivation of the whole shall thereafter be of the kind and for the term required by the provisions of these regulations, in the case of ordinary homestead entry, before he shall be entitled to patent for the part so entered for: Provided, that such residence and cultivation may be upon the land originally occupied by him or that for which homestead entry has been obtained, or both.

17. In case a dispute arise between persons claiming the right to homestead entry for the same land, the local agent, or any person thereto authorized by the minister of the interior, shall make investigation and obtain evidence respecting the facts; and his report thereon, together with the evidence taken, shall be referred to the minister of the interior for decision or to the Dominion lands board, commissioner of Dominion lands, or such person as may be appointed by the governor-in-council to consider and decide in cases of such disputes:

(2.) Provided, that when two or more persons have settled upon and seek to obtain homestead entry for the same land, the one who settled first thereon and has continued to reside upon and cultivate the land for which homestead entry is sought shall be entitled to such entry if the land be of the class open to homestead entry, and if it be not in the opinion of the minister of the interior otherwise unexpedient, in the public interest, to entertain any application therefor;

(3.) Provided further, that where contending parties have valuable improvements on the lands in dispute, the minister of the interior, if the application to acquire the land by homestead entry is entertained by him, may order a division thereof in such a manner as shall preserve to each of them, as far as practicable, his improvements; and the minister may, at his discretion, direct that what the land so allotted to each of them may be deficient of a quarter-section shall be made up from unoccupied land adjoining, if there be any such of the class open to homestead entry.

18.- Any person who has obtained a homestead entry shall be allowed a period of six months from its date within which to perfect the entry, by taking, in his own person, possession of the land and beginning continuous residence thereon and cultivation thereof; and if the entry be not perfected within that period, it shall be void, and the land shall be open to entry by another person, or to other dispositions under these regulations, by the minister of the interior;

(2.) Provided further, that in the case of immigrants from elsewhere than the North American continent, the governor-in-council may extend the time for the perfecting of entry to twelve months from the date thereof.

19. In case a certain number of homestead settlers, embracing not less than twelve families, with a view to greater convenience in the establishment of schools and churches, and to the attainment of social advantages of like character, ask to be allowed to settle together in a hamlet or village, the minister of the interior may, in his discretion, vary or dispense with the foregoing requirements as to residence, but not as to the cultivation of each separate quarter-section entered as a homestead.

20. At the expiration of three years from the date of his perfecting his homestead entry, the settler, or in case of his death, his legal representatives, upon proving to the satisfaction of the local agent that he, or they, or some of them, have resided upon and cultivated the land during the said term of three years, shall be entitled to a patent for the land provided such proof is accepted by the commissioner of Dominion lands, or the land board, and on payment of one dollar per acre for the land: Provided also, that the patent therefor shall not issue to any person not then a subject of Her Majesty by birth or naturalization;

(2.) Provided, that in the case of a settler who may have obtained homestead entry for land occupied by him previous to survey thereof, in manner hereinbefore mentioned, residence upon and cultivation of the land for the three years next preceding the application for patent shall, for the purpose of the issue of patent, be held equivalent to that prescribed in the foregoing clause, if such residence and cultivation be otherwise in conformity with the provisions of these regulations;

(3.) Any person proving that he has resided on the land for which he has homestead entry for twelve months from the date of his perfecting his entry therefor, and that he has brought under cultivation at least thirty acres thereof, may, before the expiration of the three years defined in sub-clause two of this clause, obtain a patent by paying two dollars and fifty cents per acre for the land;

(4.) Proof of the residence, required by this clause, shall be made by the claimant by affidavit and shall be corroborated by the evidence on oath of two disinterested witnesses, resident in the vicinity of the land affected by their evidence, and accepted as sufficient by the commissioner of Dominion lands or the land board; such affidavit shall be sworn and such testimony given before the local agent or some other person named for that purpose by the minister of the interior.

21. In case it is proved to the satisfaction of the minister of the interior that a settler has not resided upon and cultivated his homestead, except as herein provided, for at least six months in one year, the right to the land shall be forfeited and the entry thereof shall be cancelled; and the settler so forfeiting his entry shall not be eligible to obtain another entry except in special cases, in the discretion of the minister of the interior;

(2.) Provided, that in the case of illness, vouched for by sufficient evidence, or in the cases of immigrants requiring to return to their native land to bring out their families to their homesteads, or in other special cases, the minister of the interior may, in his discretion, grant an extension of time, during which a settler may be absent from his homestead without prejudice to his right therein; but the time granted shall not count as residence

22. A homestead, the entry of which has been cancelled, may, at the discretion of the minister, be held for sale of the land with the improvements, if any—or of the improvements only in connection with homestead entry thereof—to another person.

23. Any assignment or transfer of homestead right or any part thereof, and any agreement to assign or transfer any homestead right or any part thereof after patent which shall have been obtained, made or entered into before the issue of the patent, shall be null and void; and the person so assigning or transferring or making an agreement to assign or transfer shall forfeit his homestead right and shall not be permitted to make another homestead entry: Provided, that a person whose homestead may have been recommended for patent by the local agent and who has received from such agent a certificate to that effect in the form L, in the schedule to these regulations, countersigned by the commissioner of Dominion lands, may legally dispose of and convey, assign or transfer his right and title therein.

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mh3tc REID & CURRIE.

NOTICE.

Sittings of the County Court of Cariboo

WILL BE HOLDEN AT THE UNDERmentioned places and times, viz:—

At LILLOOET.....On 4th June next.
At CLINTON.....On 17th June next.
At SODA CREEK.....On 30th June next.
At QUESNELLEM'TH, On 3rd July next.
At RICHFIELD.....On 8th July next.

By Command,
JOHN ROBSON,
my26 Provincial Secretary.

REGISTRATION

FOR ELECTION OF

SCHOOL TRUSTEES

THE REGISTERS FOR THE REGIStration of Voters in New Westminster City School District will be closed after the 31st day of May.

SECTION 25, PUBLIC SCHOOL ACT, 1885.

"Any householder or freeholder resident in any ward of any City School District for a period of six months previous to the application to register, and the wife of any such householder or freeholder, shall be entitled to be registered as a voter for the election of Trustees in the ward in which he or she resides. Provided Chinese and Indians shall not be registered."

C. WARWICK,
Government Agent.
New Westminster, April 27th, 1886. ap28td

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSMENT TAX AND PROVINCIAL REVENUE TAX.

NEW WESTMINSTER CITY AND DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACcordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1886, and payable at my office; Assessed Taxes, if paid on or before the 30th June, 1886, are collectible at the following rates, viz:

½ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
1-5 of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
½ of 1 per cent. on Income.

If paid after June 30th, 1886:—

½ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
¼ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
¾ of 1 per cent. on Income.

C. WARWICK,
May 20th, 1886. Assessor and Collector. my22tc

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS are hereby warned against purchasing, leasing, or otherwise being deceived by any person attempting to lay claim to the southwest quarter of Section 23, Township 26, New Westminster District, other than myself.

H. RAMSAY.
Chilliwhack, May 4th, 1886. 8my2m

TAKE NOTICE

THAT MY YOUNG STALLION

"SIR STAFFORD"

Will stand the Season from the 1st day of May to the 30th June, in

CHILLIWHACK AND SUMAS

Terms, $7.50, $10 and $15.

D. W. MILLER.
Sumas, B. C., March 9, 1886. mh10tc

The Norman Percheron Stallion

"PRINCE JUNIOR"

Will stand for service during the Season of 1886 at his stable, Sumas and Centreville.

TERMS:—To insure, $20, to be paid 1st March, 1887; Season, $15, to be paid at close of season; single service, $10. Parties disposing of their mares before foaling must pay full insurance whether in foal or not. All accidents to mares at the risk of their owners. Parties sending their mares from a distance will be allowed one-half of the expense. Pasturage free. Season to extend until July 10th.

PRINCE JUNIOR is a dapple grey, 17 hands high, and weighs 1600 lbs., and took first prize at the Provincial Exhibition, New Westminster, in 1885. Pedigree can be seen at residence of undersigned, or at Custom House, Victoria.

ap7tc WM. CHADSEY.

To Horse Breeders!

THE GENERAL-PURPOSE STALLION

"YOUNG TUPPER"

Will make the season of 1886, week about, between Chilliwhack Landing and Langley, Fraser River.

"Young Tupper" is rising 6 years old, weighs 1550 lbs., iron gray color; is a sure foal getter; stands 16 hands 3 inches high; of excellent action and gentle disposition. His sire and dam were imported from Oregon: sire, a Cleveland bay; dam, Norman stock.

Terms for Season.....$20
Insurance.....30
Single Service.....10

Season will begin 1st May and end 1st August.

GEORGE A. COUGHILL,
Owner.
Nicola, March 23rd, 1886. mh27

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Power of Attorney.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT James Mackie, of Langley, holds a Power of Attorney from Rev. Alex. Dunn, and is authorized to transact business for him.

5my1m JAS. MACKIE.

NOTICE.

A COURT OF REVISION will be held in the Council Chambers on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of MAY, 1886, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to hear complaints (if any) against the Assessment Roll of the Municipality of the City of New Westminster for 1886.

By order,
A. J. ALPORT, C.M.C.
New Westminster, 15th April, 1886. ap17tc

NOTICE.

APPLICATION WILL BE MADE BY the Chilliwhack Municipal Council to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the gazetting of public highway commencing at the S.E. corner Sec. 30, Township 26, New Westminster District, running west on the line to the gazetted road on the bank of the Chilliwhack river; to be 20 feet on each side of said line.

JAMES PATTERSON,
my12m1 C. M. C.

NOTICE.

APPLICATION WILL BE MADE BY the Chilliwhack Municipal Council to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the gazetting of a Public Highway, commencing at the northwest corner of Section 27, Township 26, Group II, New Westminster District; east along the north line of Sections 27, 26, 25; thence north along township line to trunk road. The same to be 66 feet wide.

JAMES PATTERSON,
5my1m C. M. C.

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

Portions of New Westminster Suburban Lot No. 4, Block X.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of William H. Burr to the above mentioned lands has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate thereof; Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate certificate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, 28th April, 1886. [ap28m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping and maintaining, gasworks, and supplying gas to consumers at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Coal Harbor and English Bay, New Westminster District, and of doing all acts and things requisite or convenient for effecting the purposes aforesaid.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Langley St., Victoria.
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Dated 16th December, 1885. de23tc

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, managing and maintaining Water Works at the terminal point of the Canadian Pacific Railway on Coal Harbor and English Bay, and for the purposes thereof granting to the said company the privilege of taking water from Capilano Creek, Burnaby Lake or other suitable points, with power to the said company to build flumes, aqueducts, lay pipes, erect dams, acquire lands, and do all other acts and things necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated September 30th, 1885. de9tc

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at the next session thereof, for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing, managing and maintaining water works at the terminal point of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on Coal Harbor and English Bay, and also at Port Moody and the City of New Westminster and adjacent places, and for the purposes thereof granting to the said company the privilege of taking water from the Coquitlam River or Lake, with power to the said company to build flumes, aqueducts, lay pipes, erect dams, acquire lands, and do all other acts and things necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

CORBOULD & McCOLL,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated November 9th, 1885. no11tc

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase (640) six hundred and forty acres of land situate in New Westminster District and described as follows:

Commencing at a post about 20 chains east of the northeast corner of Lot 272, thence north, 40 chains; thence west, 80 chains; thence south, 40 chains; thence east, 80 chains to point of commencement.

Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot 265, thence north, 40 chains; thence west, 80 chains; thence south, 50 chains; thence east, 40 chains; thence north, 10 chains; thence east, 40 chains to point of commencement.

MOODYVILLE SAW MILL CO.
B. SPRINGER, Manager.
Burrard Inlet, B.C., 16th April, 1886. 17ap2m

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