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Current Events and Opinions.

It is not generally known the British authorities have applied to India a system of education resembling that of Great Britain, and that the coming generations are being taught, so in the event of the unforseen happening, they will be competent to govern themselves instead of sinking back into the anarchy from which the British rescued the peninsula. In the nine provinces subject to Great Britain, there are 1,888,345 children in the elementary schools, of whom only 103,357 are girls. In India, the prejudice against female education is strong, and even the pagan idea that woman is an inferior sex has not yet ceased to influence the popular mind. Over a quarter of a million of children are in the secondary schools; about 20 receiving special or technical education and several thousand additional are studying in the arts and higher courses. This is a gratifying state of affairs for the knowledge of which the mass of Canadians are little prepared; but nevertheless the news will be welcome to all who take a patriotic interest in the empire.—*Ottawa Free Press.*

For some months past real estate speculators have been in a state of unmixed uncertainty as to where the actual or ultimate terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway would be placed. So far as the contract, or agreement between the Dominion Government and the Province of British Columbia is concerned, rails laid to Port Moody dissolves the obligation, but since that harbor was made the objective point, the Canadian Pacific Railway Syndicate has *entertained, or listened to propositions* from property holders interested in extending the line. One may suit ones taste or convenience by calling the additional road an extension, or branch, but the extension or branch brings one to the actual terminus all the same, and the terminus may be said to be moveable hereafter. As matters stand to-day, it would appear from what we can learn from good authority, that honors are divided between Coal Harbor and English Bay, and they are so very close together, that, aside from the actual town site, what will help one location will certainly assist the speedy development of the other. We are informed by captains of steam vessels, who navigate these waters, that the *narrows* between English Bay and Port Moody are serious obstacles to that harbor, and it is the general impression that the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway will come down the coast. In this connection, it may be interesting to our readers to learn the distances from Coal Harbor and English Bay to Yokohama, Japan, New York, Boston, Montreal and Liverpool, as compared with other places and routes with which these distributing centers will ultimately come into active competition. It is stated on good authority that the distance between Coal Harbor and Yokohama, Japan, is 4,374 nautical miles; from Coal Harbor to New York, via Canadian Pacific Railway, 3,241 miles; to Montreal, 2,862. Comparing these figures with the distances from San Francisco to Yokohama, we find that there is a saving in favor of the Canadian Pacific Railway terminus of nearly 800 miles; between San Francisco and New York, a saving of about 150 miles; and, as between San Francisco and Liverpool, the Canadian route has the advantage in distance, via the Canadian Pacific Railway over all other rail routes, of about 800 miles. The distance from Yokohama via San Francisco and New York to Liverpool, is stated to be about 12,038; via Coal Harbor or English Bay, and Montreal, 11,111 miles. We are looking ahead a good deal when we speak of the opening up of the Hudson Bay route, at the same time there are many practical and scietific men who firmly believe in this outlet, and who are enthusiastic about the feasibility of the general plan. From Coal Harbor via the Canadian Pacific Railway and Hudson Bay route to Liverpool would give a saving of 2,600 over the route from San Francisco to the same point. As the Asiatic trade with this continent is constantly on the increase, the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway will revolutionize freight rates, and the terminus of the road on this coast will undoubtedly become a port of great commercial importance.—*Resources of British Columbia.*

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Saw Mill Refuse.

For several months past a machine has been under construction for the manufacture of paper pulp from sawdust and other saw mill refuse. An experimental machine was completed some time ago. Sawdust, bits of lath, shavings, and refuse known as "drift-wood" were converted into a pulp in a very short time, the product being equal to any pulp manufactured. The working of the experimental machine was so satisfactory that the inventor found no difficulty in interesting others in the invention. The inventor having completed his machine, made pulp with it to his satisfaction the first time it was tried. The machine is cylindrical in shape and stands on the end. It is 14 feet and 4 inches in height and 6 feet 2 inches in diameter in the clear. The gearing is on top of the cylinder. The sawdust is placed inside the cylinder —1,600 pounds being a charge—and *it is reduced to pulp by rollers* traveling around the inner surface of the cylinder, the principle being the same as a wagon rolling over a plank road or the chewing of a bit of wood. These rollers are 200 in number and attached to the shaft, hang on to what is known as a step at the top of the machine, rollers, shafts, etc., making a total of 20,600 pounds hanging from the step. This apparatus presents a novelty in mechanism, the like of which was never seen before. The entire machine weighs 68,200 pounds; 15 horse power will operate the machine perfectly, and the steam pressure required is from 60 to 80 pounds. About three hours time will convert a charge of 1,600 pounds of sawdust into pulp, the product being 1,200 pounds. A *Times* representative was present when the machine was in operation, and examined the pulp after being taken from the machine. It showed a fine, long fiber, and a person could hardly believe, without witnessing the operation, that it had been made from sawdust. The patentee has an apparatus for bleaching the pulp. The product is cleansed automatically as it leaves the machine and *is carried direct to the bleacher*, where it is rendered as white as snow at an expense not exceeding 50 cents per ton. The invention will work a revolution in paper manufacture. His experiments show that a fine quality letter paper, as well as book, news, and wrapping stock can be made from the products of the machine direct, thus doing away with the expense of beating engine and other ponderous machinery common to paper mills. It has already produced writing paper in a variety of shades, as well as all other grades capable of being manufactured from rags, jute, straw, or any other material, and his productions are in every way equal. As the raw material can be had for carting, the manufacture of paper from sawdust pulp effects a wonderful saving.—*N. Y. Times.*

The Wrong Way.

He entered the office of the Superintendent of Police with a black eye, a skinned nose, and other evidence of total depravity, and without waiting to be asked whether he had been knocked down by an ice wagon or run over by a butcher cart, he led off with:

"It was off up this way, on some street or other, and I was never so misused in my life. I'm a square man, and all I want is a square deal and a fair show."

"Well?"

"Well, I sat there drinking a glass of beer, when in comes a chap with eyes like peeled onions and a nose which gave him away forty rods off. He had two cockroaches in a box, and he was a tricky man."

"What was his game?"

"It was to draw a circle about two feet across on the table with a piece of chalk, and then dump the cockroaches in the center. He'd select one and I the other, and whichever roach ran over the circle first took the money. Say, it looked like a square deal."

"Yes."

"Well, I put down a dollar and selected the cockroach with a sort of wart over his left eye. The insects clawed around for awhile and acted like cats in a strange garret. Then mine squinted his right eye and made a break. He saw the cold lunch on the table ten feet away, and he was after it."

"I see."

"He'd got within six inches of the chalk-line and was just a-climbing for Limburger cheese, when the stranger he ups and hauls off with a beer glass and knocks my roach into the middle of next January."

"What for?"

"Why, he claimed that I had rubbed my end of the table with taffy! I never did it! Stranger, I'm square—square as a hole in a grindstone. I grabbed the stakes and he grabbed me. He got the money and I got a licking. Can you do anything for me?"

"No more than to advise you to get a warrant."

"Squire, I can't do it. I'm on my way to Chicago and can't tarry to fool with the law. If that's the best you can do then, good-bye. I'm a square man and never kick if I have half a show. I don't care particularly for the dollar, nor for this black eye and abused nose, but say, if that wasn't the brutalest, cold-bloodest way to serve a poor cockroach then may I be called a kicker!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

Italy reports a remarkable decline in the number of fresh cases of cholera, and it may be hoped that the most ready material in Naples having already succumbed the advent of cooler weather will enable the authorities to exert their preventive measures with success. In Rome the heat in October rarely reaches 80° in the shade, and over much of the north the first hoar frost occurs. This cool weather favors the disappearance of the disease, though it by no means ensures it. In Russia one of the very worst epidemics of cholera occurred in midwinter, but the populations affected were dirty in their habits and habitations. It is in similar, if not quite so great, disregard of cleanliness that the danger lies of cholera surviving the winter in Southern Europe, and reaching America next summer.—*Globe.*

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TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT Henry Wark's farm, Langley, on
Wednesday, the 22nd of October,
His entire stock, with that of the Hudson Bay Co., consisting of about 3 head of fat cattle—cows, young steers, heifers and calves. The stock is all in prime condition. Also, about 80 tons well saved Timothy Hay, in sheds.
Six months' credit will be given on approved security. Parties buying the fat cattle and hay can have the use of the sheds to winter them in. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.
A band of HORSES will be sold at the same time.
T. J. TRAPP, Auctioneer.
Langley, 17th Sept., 1884. se17td

GUNS!
Rifles & Revolvers!
BIG GUNS!
BREECH-LOADING SHOT GUNS
From $10.00 to $150.00.
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From $3.50 to $25.00.
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All sizes, from dust to 2? ball.
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Having imported direct from the Factory the largest stock of Guns, Rifles and Revolvers ever held in this Province, I can and will sell cheaper than any other house in B. C., and what WORDS says you can rely on.
Mainland Gun Store,
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An immense stock of Sporting Goods, Pocket Cutlery and Tobacconists' Sundries, and Fancy Goods. au18tc

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Money Found.....J. S. Bryson
Notice...Drake, Jackson & Helmcken
Special.....Mr. Ross
Specials (2).....J. Ellard & Co

The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 22, 1884.

The latest number of the *Scientific American* contains an illustration of the Keely gun with which such wonderful results were recently obtained. It is declared that the gun is nothing more than an air gun, and the inter-atomic ether is compressed air! From the first the *Scientific American* has pronounced the Keely motor a fraud, and we are inclined to think it is right.

On the 9th inst. a vote was taken on the Scott Temperance act in the counties of Simcoe, Ont., and Stanstead, Que. In both counties the act was carried by substantial majorities. The majority in Stanstead is 247, and in Simcoe it is said to be over 1000. These two additional victories show unmistakably that people in the east are rapidly becoming impressed with the need of firm measures looking towards the suppression of this cursed traffic.

Protection Needed.

The Nanaimo Free Press draws attention to the miserable class of boats furnished by the marine department to lighthouse keepers on this coast. Storms on the straits often come up with surprising suddenness, and are sometimes extremely severe. These boats are absolutely useless in such emergencies, as was shown in the case of the sandheads, when the men who trusted themselves to the lighthouse boat perished. It seems to us there should certainly be something done not only to prevent the recurrence of such disasters, but to place lighthouse keepers in a position to be able to render valuable assistance whenever marine disasters occur within reach. The shipping on this coast is large and important, and it will be considerably increased when the Canadian Pacific Railway begins operation. With proper lifeboats at the lighthouses, it might be possible to save many precious lives in case of shipwreck, and we heartily endorse the suggestion of the *Free Press* in this direction.

A Queer Story.

The Ottawa *Free Press* publishes an interview with a person whom it styles a prominent Tory politician in which the cause of Sir John Macdonald's hasty exit to England is discussed. It is stated that there is more than public business or personal health in the visit, and the following curious explanation is given: *Not long ago Lord Claude Hamilton* wrote a letter in the interest of the Grand Trunk Railway, with which he is connected. The letter contained some severe reflections up on the C. P. R., and incidentally blamed the government because it had permitted the syndicate to acquire such large privileges and become a huge monopoly. Now, Lord *Claude Hamilton is related to the* governor-general, and it is said that he was a guest at Rideau Hall at the time he wrote the obnoxious letter. The affair, it is said, has given great offence to Sir John. He induced Hon. Peter Mitchell to answer Lord Hamilton's letter, and Mitchell went for the lord without gloves. Among other things he slapped Lord Landsdowne because he permitted so unpatriotic a letter to be "dictated from the convenient shelter of Rideau Hall." Sir John, it is said, will never permit himself to be struck over the shoulder of anybody else, and matters have become so warm that he has left the country in wrath. The story is rather sensational, and does more credit to the imagination than the common sense of the interviewer.

Is it True?

The following statement, purporting to be a special telegraphic dispatch from this city, appeared in the Victoria *Standard*:

This town is full of rumors to-day of a not very complimentary character to the Local Government at James Bay. The most important one is that the syndicate formed last summer, and composed principally of members of the local ministry, including the Hon. Provincial Secretary, and a Victoria business firm for the purpose of purchasing the Hastings Mill timber lease for speculative purposes, in view of the C. P. R. being extended to Coal Harbor, have been granted a new lease to the vast area covered by the mill lease, and this too without the usual and necessary publicity. The old lease it is said expires in a short time, and this new one will enable them to hang on to the lands until something definite is known about the final terminus. They are, it is alleged, getting hard up for cash, as the agreement of purchase from the Hastings Mill Company calls for the payment of twenty-five thousand dollars every three months, until the whole amount is paid, at 12 per cent interest. This will explain the sale of lots at the town of Hastings and their persistent but futile efforts to boom that section. It is also currently reported here, with every indication of truth, that one of the weak members of parliament has been given five acres of land in the vicinity of Coal Harbor by the syndicate, in order to give him strength and stamina when it comes to voting on certain matters at the next session of the legislature. He is known to be a poor man, not able to buy one acre at the price asked for land there, yet five acres, it is said, have recently been registered in his name. This new lease of land which the government has granted itself will possibly bear dummy signatures but cannot mislead the public.

This dispatch bears no signature, and may be either true or false. It was, apparently, sent by some person in this city whose interests conflict with the interests at Coal Harbor, and who does not care to have his name made known. Be this as it may, THE COLUMBIAN wishes to remark, first, that the charges contained in it are very serious, and are such as no person should be allowed to make unless he is prepared to back them up by sufficient proof. We do not know whether any of the ministers are interested in the syndicate which has lately purchased the Hastings mill or not. We believe a minister of the crown may with perfect propriety acquire lands or other property, and may administer his estate in any legitimate way that seems to him best, so long as he does not make use of his official position to further his own personal interests. This he cannot do with impunity; and if it can be shown that the provincial secretary or any other member of the government has so far forgotten his duty and his obligations as to use his position for personal ends, THE COLUMBIAN will pronounce that man unworthy of public confidence. It is impossible for us too closely to guard this point. It is to be feared that it has often been lost sight of, and that both private character and the public interest have suffered damage. We believe it would not be improper to extend the Hastings Mill Co's. lease for a limited period. That lease was granted many years ago, when the timber of this country was commercially of very little value and could scarcely be given way. During the dark days of this district, when property went down and employment could not be had, the Hastings Mill and the Moodyville Mill afforded relief to many a deserving pioneer. These industries kept on operating when the rest of the mainland sat still in almost hopeless despondency. Since these days times have greatly changed. The sings of progress and prosperity are everywhere discerned, and both land and timber have become valuable. But there is a large quantity of timber still uncut on the Hastings Mill Co's. lease, and we are of opinion that a reasonable time should be allowed the company to have that timber removed. The despatch intimates that the new manipulators of this mill property have not been able to produce a boom at Coal Harbor, and had to sell Hastings lots to keep them from financial embarrassment. This is surely nonsense. The Hastings lots belonged to the government, and whether government members were interested or not in Coal Harbor, they could not take government funds and apply them to their private business! We are afraid the insinuator gives himself away in his anxiety to strengthen his position. The remark respecting a weak-kneed member may or may not be true, but we shall ask for very substantial proof before we shall permit it to influence our opinions. The member referred to must be Mr. Jas. Orr, one of the representatives of this district. If it be true that he has accepted real estate at Coal Harbor for the purpose of influencing his vote, he deserves the scorn and contempt of all men. If he has not, the miserable sneak who uttered this vile insinuation deserves to spend the remainder of his days in the chaingang. We hope Mr. Orr will not allow this thing to pass without notice. A committee of the house should be appointed to ascertain whether or not the independence of parliament has been tampered with, and whether such statements may be published without incurring punishment. We must guard the purity of our representative institutions, and we must defend those who serve us with fidelity.

MONEY FOUND.

FOUND ON THE PORT MOODY ROAD, on the 21st inst., a sum of money. The owner may have it by proving property and paying expenses of this advertisement. Apply at Archie Burns' store, Columbia street.
oct22t3 J. S. BRYSON.

NOTICE.

Mortgagee's Sale!

TO BE SOLD UNDER A POWER IN A Mortgage Deed, the North East quarter of Section 17, Township 8, New Westminster District, containing One hundred and sixty acres, more or less, with the *improvements* thereon.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of the property above referred to, till 20th November next.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Apply to
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc22m1 Victoria.

NOTICE.

In re the Estate of BENJAMIN H. WILSON, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the late Benjamin H. Wilson, of Granville, are hereby requested to send in their accounts to the undersigned on or before 20th November, 1884, and all persons indebted to the above estate must pay their accounts forthwith to LOUISA WILSON, of Granville,
The Executrix.
Dated Granville, Oct. 14, 1884.
oc15td

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is just what you need, and will do you incalculable good.

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Sold by all Druggists; $1, six bottles for $5.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for timbering purposes the following described tracts of land situate in Coast District:

Tract No. 1—Commencing at a stake set on Haswell Point in Topaze Harbor, thence north 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south to shore line of Topaze Harbor; thence easterly, following meanderings of shore line to point of commencement; containing 1280 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2—Commencing at a stake set on shore line of Chancellor Channel, about 300 yards southerly from Shorter Point on Thurlow Island; thence south 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north to shore line of Chancellor Channel; thence easterly, following meanderings of shore line to point of commencement; containing 1280 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 3—Commencing at a stake set on the north shore line of Cardero Channel, about due north of Green Point; thence north 160 chains; thence east 160 chains; thence south to shore line of Cardero channel; thence westerly, following meanderings of shore line to point of commencement; containing 2560 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 4—Commencing at a stake set on north shore line of Sunderland Channel, due south of Sparks' Cone; thence north 80 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence south to shore line of Sunderland Channel; thence westerly, following meanderings of shore line to point of commencement; containing 1280 acres, more or less.
J. H. GILLESPIE.
New Westminster, B. C., Oct. 17, 1884.
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Care of MRS. MONCK,
15oc1m Douglas Street.

Sale of City Reserves

BY AUCTION.

NOTICE.

THE SALE OF CITY RESERVES AND Gardens will take place at the **Court House** instead of the Council Chambers, City of New Westminster, on **Monday, 27th October,** at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
By order, A. J. ALPORT,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, New Westminster,
14th October, 1884. 15oc1t

NOTICE.

SALE OF LAND ON MAYNE ISLAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the vacant portion of the east half of Section twelve, Mayne Island, will be offered for sale at public auction at the upset price of $2.50 per acre, at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon on Friday, 7th November next.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Com. of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C. 9th October, 1884. oc15td

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IMPORTANT

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Household Furniture

And EFFECTS.

I AM INSTRUCTED BY MR. RANKIN to sell by Public Auction at his residence, Ferris street, on

Thursday, October 23, 1884,

AT 10.30 A. M.,

The whole of his well kept Furniture, consisting in part as follows:

PARLOR.

Carpet, Centre Table, Sofa, Chairs and Rockers, Ornaments, Pictures, Chandelier, Fire Irons, Window Blinds, Lace Curtains, &c.

DINING ROOM.

Oil Cloth, Extension Table, Stove, Chairs, Lounges, Rockers, Brackets, Lace Curtains, Crockery, Glassware, Clock, &c

BED ROOMS.

2 Walnut Bedroom Suites Complete, Carpets, Spring Mattresses, Lace Curtains, Blankets, Comforters and other Bedding, Stove, &c.

PANTRY.

A complete outfit.

KITCHEN.

No. 9 Range, and very complete outfit.

Persons wishing to inspect the furniture may do so any time before the sale by calling at the residence.

TERMS CASH,

JOSEPH GOLDSTONE,
oc11td **Auctioneer.**

Hard Times

THE PEOPLE OF NEW WESTMINster and surrounding country are invited to see the

GREAT REDUCTION

In the prices of Goods at

The ROYAL CITY Boot & Shoe Store

The people are no doubt aware of the *Superior quality of Boots and Shoes* and other Goods kept by

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Which are unquestionably the best in this City, and cannot be surpassed anywhere in the Province.

NOW IS THE TIME

To make purchases, when Goods are sold *to suit the times, because*

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The following goods, imported from the manufactories, are offered at a great reduction, as the stock is larger than the state of the market justifies:

40 pieces Canadian Tweeds.
275 suits of Men's, Boys' and Youths Clothes.
100 dozen White Shirts.
50 dozen assorted Shirts.
35 dozen fine American Hats of the latest styles and finest quality.
16 cases of New Goods just received by steamer Idaho.

The following is the reduction of prices:

20 per cent. off Boots and Shoes.
25 " " Tweeds.
35 " " Clothing and Hats.
35 " " Dry Goods.
40 " " Fancy Goods.

This Great Reduction begins on

Tuesday, October 14th

AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Country orders will be punctually attended to.

NOTE THE ADDRESS:

MRS. E. GOLD,

ROYAL CITY
Boot and Shoe Store

COLUMBIA STREET,

Opp. Ewen's Cannery, **NEW WESTMINSTER.**
oc11tc.

IMPORTANT!

Not for 20 days,
Not for 40 days,
Not to get rid of Old stock,

I Have None

Not to make room for my new importations of fall Goods, they too are to go, and of which 71 cases have arrived.

Not forced by circumstances to close out business, but it will be done all the same.

DON'T FORGET IT

On and after the 15th inst, my entire stock of DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
CROCKERY,
GLASS WARE,
SILVER and
PLATED WARE,
GOLD WATCHES,
CHAINS, Etc.,
will be sold at cost for cash OF COURSE.

Before the 15th I will publish a list of the principal LINES of GOODS, Etc., and prices which will astonish somebody.

C. G. MAJOR

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UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the rates of express freight on packages and parcels, safely and properly put up and not containing any extra valuable or dangerous compounds will be:

Between Victoria and New Westminster.

Packages under 10 lbs.....25 cts. each
Packages over 9 and under 25...50 cts. each
Packages over 24 and under 50..75 cts. each
Packages over 50 at.....1 cent per lb

From New Westminster to Yale.

Less than 3 lbs.....25 cts. each
From 3 lbs. to 10 lbs.....50 cts. each
From 10 lbs. to 25 lbs.....75 cts. each
From 25 lbs. to 50 lbs.....$1 00 each
From 50 lbs. to 75 lbs.....$1 50 each
From 75 lbs. to 100 lbs. or over..2 cts. per lb

TO LYTTON AND POINTS BETWEEN YALE AND LYTTON.

Less than 2 lbs.....25 cts. each
From 2 lbs. to 5 lbs.....50 cts. each
From 5 lbs. to 10 lbs.....$1 00 each
From 10 lbs. to 25 lbs.....10 cts. per lb
From 25 lbs. to 75 lbs.....8 cts. per lb
Over 75 lbs.....6 cts. per lb

To Spence's Bridge, Nicola, Savona, Kamloops, Cache Creek and Clinton, 20 cts. per lb.

To Barkerville and all points between Barkerville and Clinton..25 cts. per lb

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City of New Westminster.

IMPORTANT

AUCTION SALE!

—OF—

CITY RESERVES AND GARDENS

A PUBLIC AUCTION will take place at the Council Chambers, City of New Westminster, on

Monday, the 27th day of October

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON,

When the following Lots will be submitted to public competition in accordance with the Land Sale By-Law, 1884, viz:

Government Office Gardens, Block A
Lots 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15, 17, 22.

Victoria Gardens, Block B.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 12, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22, 24, 25 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 33, 35, 36, 38.

Alice Gardens, Block E.
Lots 1, 4, 5, 7, 9.

Louise Gardens, Block C.
Lots 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8.

Clinton Place Reserve, Block F.
Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 18, 20, 22, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 33, 35.

Merchant Square, Block G.
Lots 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9.

Sailors' Home, Block L.
Lots 1, 2.

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 date of Sale.

By Order,
A. J. ALPORT, C. M. C.
Dated at New Westminster the 2nd day of September, 1884. 3setd

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—FOR—

SEPTEMBER, 1884.

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The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, Oct. 22, 1884.

The weather yesterday was cool and cloudy.

Ladies' Fur Capes for $3.50 and upwards at J. Ellard & Co.'s. oc22tc

The total strength of the British army in Egypt on Sept. 22 was 13,559.

Use only the celebrated "Louis" Velveteen. For sale by JAMES ELLARD & Co.

There were six ships at Moodyville and Hastings yesterday loading lumber.

Ladies' Jerseys, Fur Trimmings, Lace, Millinery, and Hosiery at J. Ellard & Co.'s. oc22tc

The great sale of stock and hay comes off at Langley to-day, at 10 a. m.

Remember that D. S. Curtis & Co.'s Drug Store is next door to the Colonial Hotel se27tc

There was no meeting of the city council on Monday night because there was no quorum.

Game of all kinds continues to come in freely. Wild geese are arriving at the river mouth.

The str. Idaho, from Tacoma, arrived yesterday morning with 8 passengers and 63 tons of freight.

Mr. Joseph Wise has been employed to repair the Port Moody road, and has had a gang of men at work for several days.

His Lordship the Bishop of New Westminster and Mrs. Sillitoe have returned from an extensive missionary tour in the interior.

The officers of No. 1 Battery wish to thank the Royal City Band for its kindness in turning out to the funeral of the late Dr. MacLeod.

About 200 men are employed in constructing the Nanaimo and Esquimalt Railway, and the contractors are pushing operations very vigorously.

Mr. S. Trapp takes an occasional spin on Columbia st. with his bicycle, and always has a crowd of spectators to observe his feats (not his feet).

The Teaser did not reach this city until Monday afternoon. She came in with flags at half mast, in consequence of the death of the ship's carpenter.

To-morrow forenoon, at 10:30, Mr. Goldstone will sell the whole of Mr. Rankin's well-kept furniture, on Ferris st. See advertisement in another column.

At Clarkson's old stand, Mary Street, Mr. Ross has just received, by Idaho, a lot of Confectionary; fine lot of wine biscuits; lots of eggs always on hand. —oc22t4

Leaves are radient with autumnal tints, and many of them are rapidly falling to the ground. Winter may be expected with its chilly frosts before another month.

There is a great scarcity of eggs in the province just now, and large numbers are being imported from the sound. There is scarcely an egg to be found in this city.

Monday next is the day upon which the sale of city squares takes place in this city. The sale is a very large and important one, as a great deal of the property is very valuable.

The artillery turned out in full force last Saturday morning and escorted the remains of the late Dr. McLeod to the steamer. The Royal City Band played the Dead March, and a very large procession followed.

Complaints have reached us lately respecting the sale of intoxicating liquors up the line of railway by people who have no license. The guilty parties are chiefly Chinese; but, whoever they are, the laws against this nefarious practice should be vigorously enforced.

The real estate market was quite excited yesterday. Coal Harbor property was in active demand. Several parcels changed ownership at prices varying as high as $800 per acre. Operators are now awaiting the "official news" that a final selection has been made.—*Times.*

Alex. Weir, ship carpenter, died on board the str. Teaser last Sunday night. He had been ailing for some days, but nothing serious was apprehended until Sunday when he suddenly became quite ill. He comes from the eastern provinces and, we believe, has a wife and family.

On Sunday last Rev. Thos. Crosby delivered two addresses in the Methodist church on missionary work. Numerous incidents were mentioned in connection with the Indian missions on the coast, and the addresses were altogether full of interest. The rev. gentleman left yesterday for Victoria.

If the action taken by Mr. Ewen succeeds in stopping the sale, it is possible the whole matter of submitting a new by-law and advertising afresh will have to commence *de novo*. This will be a great misfortune to the city. The time is near when we shall need to take definite action in the branch railway matter.

In another column appears an advertisement from a gentleman who found a small quantity of money while travelling along the Port Moody road. Some men would have put the money into their pocket and said nothing, but Mr. Bryson belongs to a different class. In the long run it always pays best to be strictly honest.

A party of 12 sportsmen from Mud Bay chartered the sloop Alice the other day and left on a grand shooting expedition among the islands across the straits. They were armed with every kind of destructive weapon, and it is fully expected they will return with meat enough to turn the rest of the settlement green with envy. If their anticipations are realized the meat market may be seriously affected.

Among the ninety-one Chinese arriving on the Queen of the Pacific yesterday, were a large number of women. They were brought to Victoria to be placed in dens of prostitution, and thus swell the already large list of that degrading class in Chinatown. It is a serious matter, and that there is no rigid law to prevent the importation of this class of humanity is to be sincerely regretted.—*Victoria Times.*

A little insignificant looking bug about half the size of a common fly, and having a sharp pointed head and a hard shell back, is causing a commotion among the tobacco dealers in Philadelphia and elsewhere. It thrives on tobacco in any shape, but shows special fondness for cigarettes, in which it burrows and deposits great quantities of eggs. It has already caused losses of hundreds of dollars to some dealers. It is feared that if preventive measures are not soon found, a decided coolness will be generated between the small boy and the cigarette.

Lost.—In this city, on Friday, a ring upon which were strung a $2.50 gold piece, 25 ct. gold piece, small knife, and a carnelian heart. The finder will be suitably rewarded upon leaving these articles at T. R. Pearson & Co.'s.

News for the Farmers.

Hay Presses and *Hay Tedders* substantial and cheap to be had from the Albion Iron Works Co. Limited, Victoria, B. C. jy9m2

HENRIETTA MOORE. — We are requested to say that this talented lady will lecture at Maple Ridge to-night. On Friday night she lectures at Granville, Burrard Inlet, and in this city she will probably speak on Sunday and Monday nights. Miss Moore is said to be a very impressive speaker, and as her subject is temperance, there will undoubtedly be large audiences to hear her. The lectures will be free, and a collection will be taken up to defray expenses.

BRICK & TILE MACHINE. — From the London *Free Press* of 2nd inst. we notice that at the great Western Fair held at that city the brick and tile machine manufactured by Henderson Bros., of Wardsville, carried off first prize. This is the machine used by Mr. Henderson in his brick yard in this city, and it is certainly very creditable to find it carrying off first honors in competition with the best American machines. Mr. Henderson of this city is a member of the firm of Henderson Bros., who invented the machine.

PACIFIC CARRIAGE WORKS. — The steamer Idaho yesterday brought over a large lot of material for the Pacific Carriage Works, of this city. This material consists of hubs, spokes, axles, and other manufactured parts of wagons and buggies. It was imported direct from the factories in Ontario, and one cannot help being struck with the superior quality of the wood used in these things. The materials will be finished and put together here. Messrs. Johnson & Smith, proprietors of the works, are now prepared to turn out every description of rig, from a wheelbarrow to a heavy stage coach.

THE INJUNCTION.—Action has been commenced against the city corporation at the suit of Mr. Alex. Ewen, and a notice of motion for an injunction to restrain the corporation from selling Merchant Square has been served for to-morrow before the Chief Justice. The papers were served at half-past 7 o'clock on Monday night, and an appearance would have to be entered at Victoria at noon to-morrow. In order to do this the whole case would have to be prepared before the steamer left yesterday morning. It was found impossible to do this, and affidavits were prepared and sent down asking for an adjournment until Friday. We cannot very well understand why this matter should have gone to Victoria at all. There is a supreme court judge in this city, and we have at hand the whole judicial machinery. To take it to Victoria is to involve the city corporation in largely increased expenses which the citizens will have to pay.

Too Too.—The naval sham fight which came off at Beacon Hill yesterday has been a seven days' wonder among the newspapers of Victoria. Every day it has afforded a fresh and gushing paragraph; and it has been a matter of some wonder to observe how these paragraphs have been increasing in length and vigor. First, the two morning papers timidly announced that it was reported that a sham fight would take place shortly, and the evening papers echoed that it would be shortly. Next day the important additional fact was ascertained that the fight would be somewhere in the vicinity of Beacon Hill, and that guns and pistols and swords and things would really be fired off! This statement caused the little papers to throw up their hands in ecstacy, and one of them even ventured all alone to suggest that it would be too awfully jolly for anything. For a whole week this style of paragraphing continued, until on Monday the item of two lines in the morning papers had grown to nearly half a column, and the evening echoes were fairly frantic with suppressed wonder. It is to be hoped the Victoria press did not burst before the awful spectacle really presented itself. It is not every day one can witness a sham fight on the Pacific coast, and the occurrence was undoubtedly a legitimate find for the papers. But they ran it into the ground long before the freshness should have left it. This is one of the misfortunes of too much competition. Victoria is just about large enough to support two daily papers, but when it comes to four there isn't news enough sometimes to go round. They double their advertisements (at least some of them do) to fill up space and save cost of composition, and engage in periodical fits of quarrelling over a circulation the actual extent of which not one of them has courage enough to make public.

If you would have appetite, flesh, color, strength, and vigor, take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which will confer them on you in rapid succession.

Langley Protests.

On Monday, the 13th inst., a public meeting was held at Langley Prairie to consider the present unsatisfactory mail service and to endeavor to obtain a more suitable arrangement. Mr. Robt. McKee occupied the chair, and after a full discussion the following resolutions were put to the meeting and carried:

Proposed by Mr. A. Bovill, seconded by Mr. H. Davis, that the present mail service is most unsatisfactory for the following reasons: The distance by river from New Westminster to Langley is only 16 miles, and by road 19 miles; and whereas now our mail goes beyond by rail to Yale, and is only delivered by return, by which it is carried over a distance of about 150 miles, a needless delay in transit of 3 days is caused.

Proposed by Mr. J. M. Johnson, seconded by Mr. R. Oakes, that a mail service twice a week by road would be the best for this part, and the most easily worked, because there is already a mail carried to Mr. Innes', at Alma, and the distance from this to Fort Langley is only 6 miles.

Proposed by Mr. N. Larmer, seconded by Mr. J. Labimer, that a copy of the above be forwarded to Mr. R. Wallace, of Victoria, and Mr. J. A. R. Homer, M. P., of New Westminster, respectfully requesting their assistance to bring about the alteration as speedily as possible.

Why go about with that aching head? Try Ayer's Pills. They will relieve the stomach, restore the digestive organs to healthy action, remove the obstructions that depress nerves and brain, and thus cure your headache permanently.

Property belonging to the Ebenezer Brown estate for sale by C. D. RAND.*

From Nanaimo.

Special Despatch.

NANAIMO, Oct. 21.—Miss Henrietta Moore's temperance campaign in this city closed last night. It has been very successful, and Miss Moore has been accorded very high compliments by large audiences. A Woman's Christian Temperance Union was organized here yesterday.

From Kamloops.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

Mr. G. B. Wright has a considerable force of men on the east side of the Columbia river, extending his wagon road up the Illecillewaut river. He is expecting to meet the road party from the road side about fifteen miles out, when there will be direct wagon and sleigh connection with the end of the track of the Central Pacific Railway, in the Kicking Horse Pass. He is still employing all the men who offer for chopping or grading. A bar has been struck above the Little Dalles, about ten miles from Eagle Pass, on which, we are assured upon the best authority, ten or twelve men are working out good wages. Some men came down from there to the crossing for provisions and brought considerable gold dust. We hear numerous complaints about the detention of freight, as well as extortionate charges, along the line of railway, and understand the company offer as an excuse the scarcity of engines, etc. Now we have been credibly informed that no later than *last week a "special car" was run up* to the Black Canyon with the Honorable Joseph William Trutch and his brother John, auditor to the company, and two attendants, as well as a son to Mr. Onderdonk, and three dogs belonging to the government agent. The honorable gentleman and his escort were out on a hunt near Cherry Creek, where it was supposed the bracing mountain air would recuperate overworked officials. It would appear the "high jinks" must have their "good time," no matter whether the people who are paying high rates are accommodated or not. The country is getting tired of this sort of thing and are anxiously looking for relief.

From Clinton.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

CLINTON, Oct. 8. — The supreme court was held at the court house Sept. 30th, Mr. Justice Walkem presiding. There was only one criminal case brought up. Livingstone of Alexandria, *a saloon keeper*, was charged by an Indian with firing at him with a shotgun. The evidence of the Indian was rather conflicting and the Grand Jury found no bill. The 150 and vicinity have been a little notorious for Indian liquor supplying and China opium dens. The Grand Jury brought the matter prominently before the court and consequently Judge Harrison laid the weight of the law on one of these dens. There was one appeal case, Capt. Martley vs. the deputy commissioner of lands and works in the case of granting water privileges. The court sustained the commissioner's decision. One civil case, Patrick Ginglass vs. P. Park, who sued the latter for wages. The accounts of both plaintiff and respondent were clipped considerably, leaving a balance in favor of Mr. Ginglass of $6. Mr. Eberts for plaintiff; Mr. McColl of N. W. for defendant. A few weeks ago an Indian at the 150 struck a Chinaman on the head with a club. The Chinaman died a few days after and the Indian was arrested at Lytton by Sergt. Lindsay. Judge Harrison, the Sergeant, and Dr. Offerhaus left here by special express to examine the case. A post mortem examination was held and the Indian was committed for trial at the next assizes at Lytton, Oct. 18th. Judge Harrison at the same time fined the Chinaman who owned the cabin at which the murder was committed $120 and costs for supplying opium and liquor to Indians; also a Chinaman who was looking on the game, $20. The cause of the murder was a gambling game. The Indian alleges he was robbed and wreaked his vengeance on a Chinaman who took no part in the affair. It is desirable that the law should be vigorously enforced on all gambling places, white and yellow.

CURE FOR DEAFNESS.—As numerous testimonials will show, there is no more reliable cure for deafness than Hagyard's Yellow Oil. It is also the best remedy for ear ache, sore throat, croup, rheumatism, and for pains and lameness generally. Used externally and internally.

Hanlan and Beach.

The Glasgow *Mail* has the following with regard to the Hanlan-Beach race:—After waiting for the last five weeks for some details of the great race for the championship of the world between Edward Hanlan and Wm. Beach upon the Parramatta River, we are at last able to give an account of the struggle gathered from Australian papers. The interest which the meeting between the champion and Beach evoked in this country was completely dwarfed by that manifested in Australia, and for a long time previous to the auspicious 16th of August the excitement in all quarters was intense. Beach was, however, thought to have *but a poor chance against Hanlan*, and the latter was backed to win large sums at 2 to 1. Both men, after a lengthy period of training, were reported in best of health, and nothing was spared by either to get the best boats possible. From an early hour on the day of the contest crowds flocked to the scene of the race, and the banks of the winding Parramatta were packed with sightseers, and it is estimated that at least 70,000 persons witnessed the struggle. Steamers followed the race in great numbers. The government steam launch, which accommodated a number of members of parliament, was placed at the disposal of the umpire, Mr. P. J. Clarke, a well-known judge of rowing in the colony. The course, starting from a place known as Charity Point, was three miles and three hundred yards in length, and with a brisk westerly breeze blowing the southern shore was considered the better. In tossing for stations Beach won and chose this side. Soon after four o'clock the men were ready, and no time was lost, as starting by mutual consent they dashed away simultaneously. Hanlan rowed in the best form, and for a quarter of a mile there was little to choose between them. Hanlan quickened and rapidly shot to the front, getting a two-lengths' lead, which advantage he held easily up to the mile point, which they were timed to have reached in 6 minutes 9 seconds. A quarter of a mile further on Hanlan had increased his lead to nearly four lengths and was sculling easily, apparently without much effort; but an open point of the river had now to be crossed, and the water was much rougher, both men having a difficulty in keeping their boats steady. All went well, however, until Beach's steamer, the Tomki, headed out into mid-stream and right across the tract of Hanlan, who rowed right up to the vessel before he was aware of the danger. Beach had meanwhile drawn closer to him, but the champion put on a tremendous spurt and shot past the bows of the steamer and again left Beach four lengths in the rear. Again Beach slowed down, and to all the onlookers it appeared as if Hanlan had the race in hand; but after going another quarter of a mile Beach put on a magnificent spurt and rapidly overhauled Hanlan, who was in the former's water, and going alongside the sculls were for a moment locked. Hanlan appealed for a foul, but Beach, clearing *his right hand scull*, pulled away and soon put five lengths between his boat and Hanlan's. The American restarted, but was clearly distressed, and although he made repeated attempts to overhaul his opponent, Beach responded to every spurt, and eventually passed the winning flag half a dozen lengths in front. Hanlan finished the more distressed of the two, and immediately appealed for a foul, but the umpire gave the race to Beach, alleging that Hanlan was in the latter's course when the foul occurred. The time given was 20 min. 28 secs. Beach was hailed with immense enthusiasm on his return to Sidney, a meeting of his admirers being convened to meet him on his arrival. Hanlan and his conqueror met the following day, and the Canadian is reported to have said that Beach was the better man.

FRAUDULENT TRANSACTIONS. — There are many frauds perpetrated in medicine, and many advertised remedies worse than useless. Not so with Hagyard's Yellow Oil. It remains as ever the best internal and external medicine for all pain, soreness and injuries with which human flesh is afflicted.

Communications.

The W. C. T. U. and the Liquor Traffic at Chilliwhack.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—It is well known that such is the prevalent temperance sentiment at Chilliwhack that no liquor-dealer has yet been able to obtain a license to sell intoxicants in the municipality. Recently, however, it has become no secret that illicit liquor-selling was being carried on at what is known as the Bartlett Hotel, at Centreville, and worse still, by the attraction of cards and beer, even minors were there being led astray from the way in which they should go. Naturally enough, parents who have boys growing up felt indignant at this bold invasion upon the peace and sanctity of their homes, and their indignation was the more aroused when it was known that on the occasion of the late agricultural show one of the liquor-vendors who was thus tempting the youth of the place was a woman and a mother!

The W. C. T. U. of Chilliwhack accordingly determined to bring the offenders to justice, and so manifest their faith in temperance by their works. A complaint was laid against Mrs. Bartlett and Mr. Calkins for having sold intoxicating drinks without a license on the 2nd and 3rd insts.; and the trial, which brought out an unusual gathering of ladies as well as gentlemen, took place at the Chilliwhack court house on Thursday the 16th inst., before the reeve, D. McGillivray, and A. C. Wells, Esqs. Indeed, it is no exaggeration to affirm that no such a scene has ever been witnessed in the history of this province, where the presence and sympathy of wives and mothers have upheld and defended the integrity of social and domestic virtue, as they did upon this occasion. The court house was full, but one half of those present were ladies. The agent of the W. C. T. U. was Mr. G. W. Chadsey, who acted as prosecutor and examined the witnesses, and it is only due to him to say that he acted his part well and ably represented his fair clients.

Mr. Calkins' case was first heard but did not occupy much time as he acknowledged his offense. Mrs. Bartlett, however, asserted her ignorance as to the different kinds of liquor, except whiskey, which, she said, she could identify by color and smell, so she pleaded "not guilty." Witnesses came forward and completely rebutted her statement and proved her guilty, by declaring that they had asked her for beer at the hotel upon the occasion aforementioned, and she had sold it to them. This left the magistrates with no alternative but to impose a fine each upon Calkins and Mrs. Bartlett, which with the license fee and costs amounted to $150. The court reprimanded the offenders justly, not only for their infraction of the law—which they warned them not to repeat—but for their reckless disregard of the feelings of others by the demoralizing practices which they had introduced in the settlement. The ladies who had come forward in the interests of law and order to prosecute the evil-doers were highly complimented and their services in behalf of the peace and prosperity of the community were acknwledged and appreciated by the court.

Indeed the noble stand taken by the W. C. T. U. of Chilliwhack, upon this occasion, in repelling this intrusion upon the sacredness of their homes and upon the morals of the community, is deserving of all praise and may well encourage others to go and do likewise in behalf of God, Home and Native Land.

BLUE RIBBON.

Chilliwhack, Oct. 18:1884.

THE EFFECTS OF WHISKEY.—The effects of whiskey are always evil, and those who feed upon alcoholic stimulants, vainly endeavoring to cure coughs and consumption, but nurse a viper. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is a remedy that is always reliable for all throat, bronchial and lung troubles, and never does harm to any one.

Chilliwhack Council.

Council met on the 7th inst.; present, Reeve, and Councillors Cawley, Thompson and Wheeler. Communications received and read from Jas. Judson Young, Alsop & Mason, Chas. Warwick (gov't agent), and H. Parker. Report of H. Kipp, emigration agent, was approved and resignation accepted. Following bills were ordered paid: R. Nowell, $320.31; Bank of B. C., $515 (to raise a note for that amount, being an over-draft for the use of the council); G. W. Chadsey, $90.39; Samuel Cawley, as chairman of committee to look after and settle constable and witness fees in the suit of Chadsey vs. corporation, $20; James Patterson, clerk of municipality, part of salary, $25; H. Kipp, half of salary as emigration agent, $28.50. On motion, Jas. Murray was directed to make a bookcase for the use of the council, cost of same to be $25. H. Kipp, emigration agent, reported that the number of settlers actually located by him was ten and that as many more could be located within the limits of the municipality. Council adjourned.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—The mission of the Portuguese Envoy who recently arrived for the purpose of urging upon the Government the claims of Portugal to the Congo country has completely failed.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—It is reported that there were serious dissensions in to-day's session of the English cabinet. The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, President of the Board of Trade, *denounced as cowardly* the proposed compromise on the Franchise bill. Mr. Chamberlain was, in his turn, taken to task for the bitterness of his speech at Hanley last night, in which he sneered at compromise and insisted that the Franchise bill be forced through without conciliating the House of Lords by first introducing a Redistribution bill. He was told that his violence of language was not only undignified in a member of the ministry, but it was mischievous in its tendency, as it could only result in stiffening the opposition of Lord Salisbury and his party to all measures of reform.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—It seems quite certain now that England will soon have another African war upon her hands. This time the troubles come from the south of the continent, instead of the north, as in the Soudan tangle, and the English base of operation will be the Cape Colony, instead of Egypt. The continual encroachment of the Boers upon the natives and settlers in Bechuanaland and Zululand are held to be a sufficient cause for England to wage war upon the Transvaal. The treaties between England and the countries named make it imperative upon England to forcibly interfere in certain cases, and many politicians here insist that a case demanding interference has now arisen. This is the tone of several leading London papers, and about half the members of the ministry are said to be of a similar opinion. The Conservative papers say that the whole excitement about the Boers and the Transvaal is a trick to withdraw attention from the government's blunder in Egypt. Meanwhile the Transvaal side of the story has never been told in print. While President Kruger and the rest of the delegation from the Boer republic were here last spring, trying to get justice from Earl Derby, the London papers, instead of giving intelligible accounts of their grievances and desires, contented themselves with deriding those Dutchmen from Africa, criticizing the cut of their cuts, and noting that they drank tea and remained at home with their wives during the evening, instead of drinking champagne and going elsewhere. In order to see the other side of the shield your correspondent called this evening upon Dr. Clarke, an eminent practitioner in London, who spent some years of his life in Southern Africa, and to whom the Volkraad of the Transvaal republic recently sent a formal vote of thanks for having championed the cause of the Boers against the slanders of interested Englishmen. Dr. Clarke said: "It should be known that the Transvaal republic has formally and officially disclaimed responsibility for the marauding in Bechuanaland and Zululand. The marauders are not citizens of the Transvaal, but of little so-called republics, founded on unoccupied land by any emigrant who chooses to pitch his tent there, in true patriarchical fashion. Some of them are Boers, but they are beyond the control of the Transvaal authorities. The Transvaal is an immense region, and if its frontiers, between Bechuanaland on the west and Zululand on the east, were strictly guarded, it would require a standing army such as the peaceful farmers of the Transvaal have neither the means nor the inclination to maintain. It is infamous, Dr. Clarke continued, to make the Transvaal government answerable for matters so utterly beyond their control. The Transvaal people respect the convention entered into with England. They are grateful to England for the justice done to them in the matter of boundaries, tardy though it was, but there is another thing which England ought to know by this time—they will *resist to the death any attempts at* English dictation.

CANTON, Miss., Oct. 9.—A barrel of whisky exploded in a saloon here yesterday from spontaneous combustion.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—It is said that the paper trade is in a ruinous condition, owing to the government's embargo on the importation of rags. The manufacturers will hold a meeting at Cleveland on *October 15th, when prices will doubtless* be advanced.

ARGUSVILLE, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Charles Van Devere, amateur balloonist, made an ascension in his balloon last evening and was lost to sight in six minutes.

CHATTANOOGA, Oct. 9. — People are flocking to the new silver mines in Murray County, Georgia. It is said that ore has been found at a depth of eleven feet that assays a dollar to the pound.

NASHVILLE, Oct. 9.—A Mormon family from Lewis Co. passed through the city yesterday en route west. A boy and a girl aged 10 and 12 respectively, were harnessed in a small cart containing their earthly possessions. The ankles of the children were swollen and bleeding. The father and mother each carried a child.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The removal of the electric lighting apparatus in the Capitol shows that the building is in a most untidy condition on account of billions of insects which the brilliancy of the electric light attracted, and whose skeletons are piled up in heaps all over the recesses of the roof.

HAVANA, Oct. 9.—The situation of the army owing to its suspension of monthly pay is pitiable. The soldiers have received no money for six months, and some have had none for a much longer time. The officers are at the mercy of the usurers to obtain the necessaries of life for their families. The civil and military police are also unpaid. In several of the interior towns the troops have taken food by force. Forty tins imported by the steamer City of Washington as containing lard were seized and *found to contain opium.*

PARIS, Oct. 17.—The *Figaro* says: The Chinese force defeated at Chu was only a column of the left wing of army invading Tonquin. It explains the slaughter of 3,000 Chinese by the fact that no quarter was given or taken, and no prisoners taken. The right column, which is passing along the river Songeau, is directed against Hong Hoa, in Tientsin-Nant. It asserts French soldiers in Tonquin are only 4,000 effective men, and declares the Chinese invasion, if not arrested, threatens to overwhelm the French, and it is necessary that not a mere reinforcement but an army be sent to their assistance.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—A dispatch from Tien Tang says in an interview, the viceroy asserted that two battles were fought at Kiang midway between Lang Soon and Bacninh, one resulting in the defeat of the Chinese and the other in the defeat of the French. The losses to the French are considerable, and those of the Chinese heavy. Advices from Foo Chow state that a Min river pilot expects that all French ships have left Matson for Port Arthur.

ALEXANDRA, Oct. 17.—The expenses of the Nile expedition increase daily, and it will probably cost England £10,000,000.

WADYHALFA, Oct. 17.—The steamer Fervz, with forty row-boats on board, has arrived at Dongola. Osman Marraddin, an inhabitant of Kortes, has arrived here from Khartoum, having been fourteen days on the way. He was present at Khartoum during the whole of the siege and saw Gordon capture a quantity of guns and rifles of the rebels. He says the road from Khartoum to Senaar is free of rebels. Gordon's steamers, after bombarding Berber, Dfelyeer and Mimne returned in safety to Khartoum. Kasimil Pasha has undertaken to occupy Berber with a force which Gordon was getting in readiness at the time when Marridden left Mahide to come to Shatt, only six days' journey from Khartoum, but on hearing of the insurrection at Geb el Deir was forced to turn back. Before starting he summoned the tribesmen and villagers to accompany him, but very few obeyed. They would rather remain loyal to the Khedive, as Mahdi had left Mohammed Abdel Kadjer in command at El Abeid with only 5,000 troops. Bakara tribesmen and inhabitants of Geb el Deir, joined by 100 Egyptian troops, made an attack on El Obeid and captured a number of slaves and cattle. The attacking party was so much encouraged by the success that they threatened to renew the assault.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—30,000 reinforcements with stores leave Toulon for Tonquin within a fortnight.

CAIRO, Oct. 18.—An Arab from Mahdi's camp has arrived at Dongola. He reports much sickness among the Mahdi's forces and defection of tribes at Mahdi's rear still continues.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 18.—Six officers of the army were sentenced to death early in the week for political offences. They were executed to-day at the St. Petersburg citadel. Besides them there were two women who paid the death penalty. One was Mad. Walkenstein, the other Mary Fegnen, the daughter of a priest. The only persons who witnessed the execution were the ministers of justice and the interior, and the prison officers.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—In the chamber of deputies to-day the Marquis DeRoyers interpolated the government regarding the economic crisis. He demanded the same protection for the agricultural as for the manufacturing industry. Ferry replied that the government were equally solicitous for both industries. The truth of this position, he declared, was shown by the proposed increase of the tariff on cereals. He thought the present time, however, inopportune for discussing this subject, and therefore moved that the order of the day be pure and simple. Adopted; 259 to 173. Meline, minister of agriculture, will amend the bill increasing the duties on foreign live stock so as to make the duty on oxen 50 francs per head, sheep 5 francs, and swine 10 francs. He will also support the demand of Counsel-General Aisne, that the government shall levy a duty of two francs per hundred weight upon wheat, and four francs per hundred weight upon flour. The French press is absorbed in the discussion of protection duties. The *Republique Francaise* says the economic crisis through which France is passing can only be cured by the sovereign remedy of an increase of custom duties. Such increase, it contends, will ameliorate distress, and the agricultural industry will lower the price of transportation and make more abundant circulation of money throughout the entire interior country. Rappel declares that Meline's project will find lessening support when it is seen that it will increase the price of bread and meat. The deputies will think twice before approving it. The radicals say the great majority of commission on protective duties are favorable to Meline's proposal.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 18.—A report has just reached the city that Louis Reil, the leader of the Red River rebellion, was shot on Thursday near Prince Albert, N. W. T. Few will regret the end he so justly deserved. The cruel death of poor Scott has at last been revenged. Reil, in his day, was a tyrant of the worst form.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 18. — News of the death of Major Crozier, of the mounted police, has reached the city, and creates great excitement. The daily papers containing the account of the massacre are in great demand. Fuller particulars are hourly expected. It is feared that an uprising of Indians and half-breeds will take place in the disaffected districts of the territories. It is now difficult to foretell what may be the result of the unlooked for events of the past few hours. The most stringent measures will be adopted immediately to enforce the majesty of the law at all hazards. Startling developments may now now be expected.

MONTREAL, Oct. 18.—The Canadian Pacific railway has just concluded a contract with the Lackawana Iron and Coal Co., of Scranton, Pa., for 10,000 tons of rails, steel, at $25.50 per ton at mills, or delivered to any Canadian port, or in New York, for $26.50. It is believed this is the first time an American company have been successful in competition with English manufacturers for steel rails delivered in Canada. The reason given by the assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific railway is that the American price is about two dollars per ton cheaper, owing to present competition among manufacturers there.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The government has decided to expend a million pounds on its fortifications at Signapore and Hongkong. Orders have been sent from the war office to hasten the work.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The proposal of the minister of agriculture to increase duties are opposed by Rouvier, new minister of commerce, but are approved of by Tierand, minister of finance. It is reported the resignations of Meline and Tierand are imminent. Anti-ministerial papers denounce the practice of French troops in Tonquin of taking no prisoners and killing the wounded. The *Galoise* says that because the Chinese refuse quarter cannot justify soldiers of a country, pretending to be the advance guard of civilization in making war like savages.

THE SECRET OUT. — The secret of beauty has been at last revealed. Without good health, pure blood and a fair clear skin none can possess good looks. What is more repulsive than pimples, blotches and a sallow or pasty complexion? Burdock Blood Bitters reveal the fact that all can gain pure blood and freedom from the repulsive diseases of the skin that result from impurities.

YESTERDAY'S DESPATCHES

(Special to the Columbian.)

QUEBEC, Oct. 20.—A farmer at St. Jacobin left four children in the house while he went to the field this morning. The eldest, aged eleven, played with a flask of powder on the stove. Some of the powder got inside the stove and exploded, blowing the stove into fragments and setting fire to the house. Three of the children were rescued and are dying; the fourth may recover.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A despatch to Renter's Telegram Co. says that America has accepted an invitation to the conference, and Bismarck will probably preside.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Queen's speech, to be read at the opening of parliament, is brief, and refers to no home measure except the Franchise bill. Vague allusions are made to the settlement of the Egyption question, the Nile expedition, and South African affairs. The Conservatives will hold a meeting on Wednesday to prepare a line of opposition. Lord Randolph Churchill advocates continued obstruction to the Franchise bill. The High Commissioner of Canada has obtained assurance of Lord Granville, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and Earl Derby, Secretary of State for the Colonial Department, that England will confirm the commercial treaty between the Dominion and Spain. If this treaty is concluded, negotiations will be commenced to include Porta Rico in the terms of treaty.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—General Delisle advises the government to the effect that a force of twenty thousand men will be necessary to continue the offensive operations and repel the innovasion of Tonquin. Figaro says the plan of campaign of General Delisle, as presented to the government, provides for the formation of two columns of ten thousand men each, the first column to oppose the coming of the Chinese from Kwang Si. The base of operations for this column will be Plutang and the objective points, Bacle and Langsoon. The second column will operate against China from Yuen Nan, having Hong Hoa as a base, and Loo Koi and Caobang as objective points.

MONTREAL, Oct. 20.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Management took over from the contractors to-day a portion of line from Sudburgh.

SEATTLE, Oct. 20.—The steamer Eliza Anderson left here at eight o'clock this evening, having on board quite a number of excursionists from Seattle, going to witness the naval manœuvres at Victoria to-morrow.

WHAT'S IN A NAME!—Scrofula is so called from the Latin *scrofa*, a pig, from the supposition that the disease came from eating swine's flesh. It is often inherited from parents, and leads to abscesses, ulcerous sores, debility, king's evil and consumption. The case of the Rev. Wm. Stout, of Wiarton, who suffered 23 years from scrofulous abscesses, is one of the most remarkable on record, Burdock Blood Bitters cured him after the best medical skill had failed.

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PASSENGERS.

Per str. Princess Louise, from Victoria, Oct. 20.—Mr & Mrs Lord, Miss Arthur, Mr, Mrs & Miss Ross, Miss Bonita, Messrs Laidlaw, English, Burt, Benson, Pearce, Gisborne, Joyce, Atkins, Miller, Atkins, Green, and others.

Per str. Idaho, from Tacoma, Oct. 21.—Mrs Dougherty, Mrs Manning & 2 children, Miss Woodward, Miss Pelly, P Bomey, M Martin.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str. Idaho, from Tacoma, Oct. 21.—A Onderdonk, C McDonough, C Johnson, D S Curtis & Co, E M North, E S Scoullar & Co, F Eickhoff, G R Austin, Johnson & Smith, Jas Cunningham, J D Working, Kyle & Tilton, H Will, E Gold, Mrs E Gold, Order, S H Webb, Trapp Bros, Thos Briggs, Tim Kee, U Nelson, W McColl, W R Austin, W Hamilton, Zed S Hall.

THE WEST SHORE FOR SEPTEMBER.—The Great Illustrated British Columbia Edition. A full supply now on hand at T. R. Pearson & Co's., sole agents for the Mainland, at 25 cts. each. tc

THE LANGLEY SALE.—Bear in mind that the date of the Langley cattle sale has been changed from the 19th November to the 22ND OCTOBER. oc1td

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UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular Communications of this Lodge are held on the first Monday in each month. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend WM. HOWAY, fe23-tc Secretary.

TEMPERANCE. — The W. C. T. U. meets every Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 in the basement of the Methodist Church, Mary St. The Blue Ribbon Club meets every Wednesday evening at the Skating Rink; musical and literary entertainment from 8 to 9. Every one is cordially invited. Band of Hope meets in the lecture room of the Methodist Church every Saturday afternoon at half-past two o'clock. au2tc

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NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between William D. Purdy and Thomas E. Henderson as Tile and Brick Manufacturers has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm are to be paid to Thomas E. Henderson by whom all liabilities will be settled. Dated 18th October, 1884.

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Our Story.

A REMARKABLE STORY.

(Continued.)

If Hester had but known that she was supposed to be "drawing him on" by her absences! but fortunately she did not know. And nothing could have made them understand each other on that point. They belonged to two different species, and talked different languages. But the superficial explanation which Catherine was ashamed of herself for giving, and which Edward despised, would have seemed quite natural to Harry, though in many ways he was better than they were, and far more true to his own system of morality. He neither hid nor deceived; he did not cheat himself nor any one else; and truth is so precious that even a low matter-of-fact truth is better than half a falsehood, however delicately or cleverly carried out. Harry was all genuine throughout, not elevated in kind, but never pretending to be what he was not. He liked to think that he had a great many advantages to bestow, and that the lady of his hopes had too much good-sense not to take these advantages into consideration. This was different from wild impulse and passion, which some people think finer things. But Harry did not think so: he knew nothing indeed about them. He considered that a man (and on the other side perhaps an heiress) might "please his fancy," in the first place, about his wife, before thinking of other matters, but that the girl should weigh the advantages, and strain a point to accept a good offer, was as clear to him as daylight. It would not, in the smallest degree, have vexed him to know that his own claims were thus reasonably weighed. He had the proud satisfaction of thinking that Hester was not very likely to get such another offer, and he felt sufficient confidence in her good-sense to be sure that this must have its just influence upon her. Why should not it weigh with her? She was "no fool." She could not but see on which side the advantage lay.

The only thing was, that he got tired of waiting for the decision. He thought it unreasonable that, having so honorably and unequivocally displayed his intentions, he should not be allowed to carry them out. Summer began to wane and autumn to come on, and yet he had never been able to speak to the object of his affections. At last his patience failed him altogether. He announced his mind to Mrs. John almost with solemnity. "I can't go on much longer," he said; "the servants worry me to death. Ellen always took that sort of thing off my hands. But I don't want Ellen to get her nose in again and spoil my wife's chances when she does come. The truth is, I should like to get married before Christmas, if I am to be married at all. Why should Hester hold me off and on? If she won't have me let her say so, and I can look elsewhere. I don't think I should have much difficulty in finding—" he concluded, his annoyance going off in a half-smile of vanity as he caressed his light mustache.

A shiver ran through Mrs. John. Before Christmas! Even if Hester would consent at all, was it possible that her reluctance could be overpowered so soon, or that she should be made to acquiesce in Harry's quite practical and matter-of-fact view. "No doubt you want a lady in the house," she said, sympathetically. "I am sure, if I could be of any use—"

"Oh yes, of course you could be of use," said the straightforward lover, "after we are married; but it would be making a laughing-stock of ourselves if I were to have you before. If there was any reason for putting off I might wait, but I don't see any reason. Once it's settled we could make our arrangements comfortably. It is being hung up like this from week to week which is such a nuisance to me."

He went away that evening almost angry. What was to be done? Mrs. John's natural instinct was to "talk to" Hester; but she had learned by experience that "talking to" is not a very effectual instrument. All that she had been able to say had been said, but without much apparent effect. She had pointed out all the advantages. She had shown, with tears in her eyes, what a change it would be—what an unspeakable, delightful difference. Insensibly to herself, Mrs. John had become eloquent upon the charms, if not of Harry, at least of the White House. But this had suddenly been brought home to her by her remorseless child, who said calmly, "Mother, if I could marry the house and let you have it I would do so in a moment;" which stopped Mrs. John's mouth.

"Marry—the—house?" she said, with a surprised cry.

"It is of the house you are talking. I know it is nice—or at least I know you like it. I do not care for it myself."

"Oh, Hester, my first married home!"

"Yes, mother, I know. I wish I could get it for you—on easier terms," the girl said, with a sigh. And this was about all that ever came of talking to her. She was very obstinate, and such a strange girl.

But some way Providence, so much appealed to—whom we upbraid for not furthering our plans—suddenly did interfere. It was entirely by chance, as people say. Mrs. John had gone out of the room not two minutes before, and Hester, who had been walking and had just come in, stood before the old-fashioned dark mirror which occupied the space between the windows, arranging her hair, which had been blown about by the wind. It was, as has been said, troublesome hair—so full of curls that the moment it had a chance it ran out of the level and orderly into rings, and twists which were quite unfashionable in those days. It had been loosened out by the wind, and she was trying to coax it back into its legitimate bondage, with her arms raised to her head and her back turned to the door. Harry came in without knocking, and the first intimation Hester had that the long-avoided moment had come, and that there was no escape for her, was when she saw his large form in the glass close to her, looming over her, his fair head above hers, looking down with admiration and tenderness upon her image. She turned round hastily, with a cry of astonishment, her rebellious locks escaping from her hands.

"Why shouldn't you let it stay so? It is very pretty so," Harry said, looking at the curly mass with a smile, as if he had a great mind to take a lock of it in his fingers.

Hester sprang away from him, and twisted it up, she did not know how.

"It is so untidy; there is so much wind." She was angry with herself for apologizing. It was he who ought to have apologized. She pushed the hair away behind her ears and got it fastened somehow. "I did not hear your knock," she said.

"I fear I didn't knock. The veranda door was open. I saw nobody about. I did not know whether I should find any one. You are so often out now."

"Yes, I walk with old Captain Morgan about this time. In the morning I am always at home."

"If I had known that I should have come in the morning," he said; "not regularly, because of the bank, but I should have come once to see you. However, this is far better. I am so glad to find you. I have wished for this for months past. Has it never occurred to you that I was anxious to see you, Hester? You looked to me as if you were keeping away."

"Why should I keep away? I do always the same thing at the same hour. Captain Morgan is old—he requires to have somebody with him."

"And I—I am young, and I want somebody with me."

"Oh, it does not matter about young people," Hester said.

"I think it matters most of all, because they have their life before them; and don't you know the choice of a companion tells for so much—"

"A companion!—oh, that is quite a different question," said Hester. "It is teaching I have always wanted, never a companion's place."

"I have heard of that," said Harry. "When you were quite a little thing you wanted to teach, and Aunt Catherine would not let you. You—teaching! It would have been quite out of the question. Won't you sit down? Do come for once, now that I have found you, and sit down here."

It was the little, old-fashioned settee that was indicated, where there was just room for two.

"Oh, I have got things to do!" cried Hester, in alarm. "My mother will be here immediately, but I—have got something upstairs—"

"Always when I come," he said. "Just once, because I am here, listen to me, Hester. It won't take very long. I think you use me very ill. You know I come here for you, and you will never let me see you. And now when I find you by chance, you insist that you have something to do. Leave it till to-morrow. Perhaps after to-morrow," said Harry, in a lugubrious voice, "I may not be coming any more."

"Is anything to happen to-morrow?" said Hester, betrayed by his seeming gravity.

Then Harry cheered up again and became more at his ease.

"No," he said, "if something should happen to-night. That's what I wish—that something should happen now. Sit down, please, and listen. Don't you know, Hester—they say women always know—that I've been in love with you ever so long?"

"No, I don't know anything about it," said Hester, though a sudden flush came over her face.

She had seated herself on the sofa in a kind of desperation, fearing that he meant to place himself beside her. And such had been Harry's intention, but some dim sense of fitness moved him to depart from this portion of his programme. He stood before her instead, looking down upon her, feeling now that he had it all in his own hands.

"It is true, though. What do you suppose I have been coming here for every night? I *think* I've been in love with you ever since I first saw you—when you were only a child. Now I'm alone, since my sister is married, and quite free to choose where I like." He made a pause, but Hester did not say anything. She sat drawing patterns upon the carpet with her foot, listening, because she could not help it. She who was so full of eagerness and life, it seemed to Harry as if every line of her figure expressed the listlessness of a subject that wearied her. Now this was more than a fellow could stand, although even now he felt that it drew him on. "By Jove!" he cried, "one would think you were getting offers every day of your life."

She looked up at him with a brightening countenance.

"No," she said. "If this is an offer, Cousin Harry, it is the first I have ever had."

"And you think no more of it than that!" he cried, with most natural feeling, flinging himself down in a low, wicker-work chair at her feet, so that he made it shake and tremble. This restored Hester once more to herself. She began to be amused, which, in the dull life she was leading, told for so much.

"How should I take it? I don't know, indeed, for I never was in the circumstances before. It is true, I have read about it in books," said Hester, considering. "A girl in a novel would say that it was a great honor you had done her, Cousin Harry," for he showed signs of natural impatience, jumping up and pacing noisily about the room. "Don't you see it is very difficult? You make a statement to me about your own state of mind, and then you look as if you expected something from me; but what am I to say? I am not in love with you—or anybody," Hester added quietly, as if by an after-thought.

He was coming toward her, with his lips apart ready to speak; but this quiet, little, additional word seemed to stop in a moment what he was going to say. He did not quite know how, nor did she know, whether she meant anything by it; but it had an immediate effect. He gave a gasp, as if those arrested words almost choked him, then said, "Nor anybody?" suddenly. It had seemed certain to him before that: she never could have seen anyone, and she had informed him that this was her first "offer"; nevertheless, he took those words—having them thrown at him, as it were, in a surprise—as a great concession. He drew a long breath and said:

"Then, Hester, there is the more chance for me."

Thus in a moment their relative positions were changed. Harry had begun by feeling that he had a great deal to bestow—many things which no girl in her senses could neglect or reject; but in a moment he had been reduced to what in chivalry should be a lover's only standing-ground, the right of telling his love with or without response, waiting absolutely upon his lady's pleasure, hoping for her bounty—no more. He was so carried away by this new impulse that he did not understand himself, or the change worked in him; but with a gasp as for breath turned from the nineteenth century version of love-making to the primitive one, not knowing what he did.

(To be Continued.)

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New Westminster, Mar 28th, 1884. [tc

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERTHIP HERETOFORE existing between S. M. Walker and J. A. Bowes, doing business under the name of Walker & Bowes, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and by the firm to be paid to and by J. A. Bowes.

S. M. WALKER,
J. A. BOWES.

Witness: JAMES WARDLE.
Hope, Sept. 26, 1884. 1oc1m

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Ladner's Landing	.....	7 a. m.	.....	7 a. m.	.....	7 a. m.
Victoria	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plumper's Pass	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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GENERAL MANAGER.

OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTORS,
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY,
Yale, March 1, 1883.

NOTICE.

In the Estate of M. Michaud, late of Popcum, deceased intestate.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are required to settle such indebtedness forthwith; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must send in proved accounts on or before the 8th November next.

Dated 8th October, 1884.

E. A. JENNS,
oc11td Administrator

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned will sell by **Public Auction** at the Government Land Office, New Westminster, at 12 o'clock, M., **Tuesday, the 28th day of October next,** at the upset price of $2.50 per acre, that piece or parcel of land situate on Westham Island, known and described on the Official Map of the District of New Westminster as the north portion of Lot 162*a*, Group 2, and containing 259 acres, more or less.

C. WARWICK,
Government Agent.

New Westminster, B. C., Sept. 27, 1884.
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TABLE

Showing the dates and places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer for the year 1884.

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(ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.)

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Nanaimo.....Wednesday,..... 4th June.

(ON MAINLAND.)

New Westminster,..Wednesday,... 7th May.
Yale,.....Monday,.....19th May.
Kamloops,.....Friday,.....30th May.
Clinton,.....Saturday,..... 7th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[ON VANCOUVER ISLAND.]

Victoria,.....Monday,.... 24th November.
Nanaimo,.....Wednesday, 3rd December.

[ON MAINLAND.]

Richfield,.....Monday,.... 8th September.
Clinton,.....Tuesday,..30th September.
Kamloops. .....W'dn'sday 8th October.
Lytton,.....Saturday,..18th October.
Yale,.....Saturday,..25th October.
New West.,.....W'dn'sday,12th November.

29th January, 1884. fc2tc

County Court.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the next sitting of the County Court will be held on **Wednesday the 5th day of November, 1884.**

E. A. JENNS,
Registrar County Court,
oc11d New Westminster.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT

SAVINGS BANK!

New Westminster Branch.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO present their Pass Books for insertion of interest up to the 30th June, 1884.

G. PITTENDRIGH, Agent.
N. W., Sept. 3, 1884. se6m2

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

Lots Nos. 5 and 6, Block XXVII, in the City of New Westminster.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lots will be issued to James Morrison on the 22nd day of November, 1884, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lots or some part thereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster District, 21st August, 1884. au23-3m

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, Block VI, in the Town of Port Moody, Clarke's Survey.

WHEREAS, THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of James Cooper Keith, James William Harvey, and William Holland Keary, to the above mentioned Lots, bearing date the 3rd day of June, 1884, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate certificate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 4th October, 1884. 4oc1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situated in the District of New Westminster:

Commencing at the NW corner of the Government Reserve, situated on the southern side of English Bay; thence due south, along the western boundary of said Reserve, to its southwest corner; thence due west 110 chains, more or less, to the eastern boundary of Point Grey Reserve; thence due north, along said eastern boundary, to the shore of English Bay; thence easterly, along shore of English Bay, to the place of commencement, containing about 800 acres, more or less.

R. T. WILLIAMS.
Victoria, B. C. 3rd April, 1884. ap5-tc

Legislative Assembly.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," when for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation will affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows:—

A notice in the *British Columbia Gazette*, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
se24tc

STEAMER NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER SEPTEMBER 10th up-river steamers will leave New Westminster

WEDNESDAY AT 5 A.M. FOR CHILLIWHACK AND WAY PORTS, RETURNING SAME DAY.

AND SATURDAYS AT 5 A.M. FOR HOPE AND WAY PORTS, RETURNING MONDAY.

THOS. L. BRIGGS,
se3 Agent C. P. N. Co.

NOTICE.

In re the Estate of JAMES WILLIAMS, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of the late James Williams, of Osoyoos, are hereby required to send in proved accounts to the undersigned on or before the 19th November, 1884, and all persons indebted to the above estate must settle their accounts forthwith.

Dated 19th Sept., 1884.

E. A. JENNS,
20se1m Administrator.

To Butchers & Stockmen!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE EXTENsive facilities for

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On their premises at Langley Prairie, and are prepared to take cattle for winter fattening or keep. Butchers and stockmen who wish cattle kept fat and in good order will find every facility, and moderate charges. The farm is only 13 miles from New Westminster, and is on the Trunk road. INNES BROS.,
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To Railway Contractors

AND OTHERS.

NOTICE.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY of New Westminster are prepared to offer the sum of

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

($50,000) as a Bonus to any person or company that will build, maintain and run a Railway from the City of New Westminster to the Canadian Pacific Railway terminus at Port Moody. Said offers to be sent in to this office on or before the last day of November, 1884.

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

City Clerk's Office,
New Westminster, 9th Sept., 1884.
10se2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for timbering purposes the following described lands situated in New Westminster District:

1. Commencing at a post on the shore of Gillies Bay, Texada Island, about one mile N. W. of Shelter Point, extending along the shore for a distance of 160 chains, with a depth of 80 chains, containing 1280 acres, more or less.

2. Commencing at a post on the North shore of Cardero Channel, nearly opposite Denham Island, extending along the shore for a distance of 100 chains, with a depth of 160 chains, containing 1600 acres, more or less.

3. Commencing at a stake on the shore of Hemming Bay, Thurlow Island, about one-half mile West of Jackson Point; thence following the shore line 120 chains; thence in a N. W. direction 240 chains; thence Easterly 100 chains; thence South to point of commencement, containing 3500 acres, more or less.

HASTINGS SAW MILL CO'Y,
RICHD. H. ALEXANDER,
Manager.

Burrard Inlet, B. C., 30th July, 1884.
au13tc

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CONTRACTOR'S OFFICE,
VICTORIA, Sept. 22, 1884

SCHEDULE OF WAGES

For White Labor on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway.

Rock Foreman.....	$3 00 to $4 00	per day
Earth Foreman.....	2 50 " 3 00	"
Bridge Foreman.....	3 50 " 4 00	"
Bridge Carpenters.....	3 00	"
Blacksmiths, 1st class	3 50	"
Drillers.....	2 00 " 2 25	"
Laborers.....	1 75 " 2 00	"
Hewers.....	3 00	"
Choppers.....	1 75 " 2 00	"

All outside labor ten hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employees find themselves board, bed and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board, $4 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employees to board in the company's houses.

Wages will be paid monthly on the 15th of each month.

GRAHAM & BUSK,
oc4tc Contractors.

NOTICE.

PARTIES LOCATING AND PREempting land are hereby notified that land within the limits of the Hastings Saw Mill Company's lease is not open for settlement, and that any one entering thereon will be prosecuted for trespass.

RICH'D H. ALEXANDER,
de8-tc Manager.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Municipal Council of Maple Ridge intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for to establish a public highway 66 feet wide, commencing at N.W. end of Ealing street, on the map of Port Hammond Junction, thence along lot 584 on said map to railway fence line, thence to follow railway fence line to the point of intersection of railway with boundary line between lots 222 and 280, Group I, thence to continue on said boundary line to the N. W. corner of lot 280. PAUL MURRAY,
24se1m Clerk Municipal Council.

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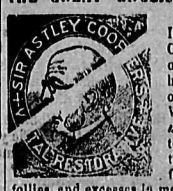

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