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Fashion demands that when young people marry they shall go away on a wedding trip, which means no small outlay of cash. A couple recently married felt this pressure, but conceived a scheme by which to thwart the process of custom and save the item of expense. They went to the station, accompanied by a party of friends, and boarded a train, with good-byes said all around, the friends extending the regulation wishes for a safe and happy tour. But the couple didn't remain on the train. Oh, no! They walked through the car and out at the end opposite that at which they entered, and, getting off on the opposite side, quickly skipped around to their home, where they remained in seclusion for a week, while friends thought them away enjoying the honeymoon.—*Ex.*

C. P. R. Tea Trade.

Mr. Everett Fraser, head of the great New York tea firm of Fraser & Co., was interviewed by the Vancouver *News* the other day. He said that for tea carrying purposes the Canadian Pacific was superior to the other transcontinental lines; it was 200 miles shorter to the east than the Northern Pacific. Between London and Quebec there are over a dozen Canadian ports which are in direct connection with any part of the United States and the Dominion. This made the distribution of the cargoes a very easy matter, the freight rates to all these points being the same. Although a considerable portion of the teas are shipped to the States, the Canadian consignments are dropped at their destinations all along the route, thus saving extra handling with its consequent expenses. The route from the Orient via the Suez Canal to England and thence to New York entailed extra handling and re-insurance, making the freight rate much higher than it was via the Canadian route. Two more tea vessels only will go to Portland, Oregon, thence to be shipped over the O. R. & N. and Northern Pacific companies' lines to the east. There are three bars on the Columbia River, which make the voyage very risky and the cost of towing the ships into Portland is fully $1,000 more than would be charged for towage into Burrard Inlet. The failure of the Carrier Dove to arrive in port before the Flint, although she sailed ahead of the latter vessel, coupled with the fact that the Carrier Dove grounded on the bar and had to have sufficient cargo taken out of her hold by lighters to raise her two feet, had completely spoiled Portland's chances of securing any more of the trade. After the arrival of the two ships now on their way, the trade with Portland would cease entirely and all the future business would be done via Vancouver and the Canadian Pacific Railway. In reply to a question, Mr. Fraser said he had travelled over the Union and Central Pacific Railroads, but nothing he had ever observed could surpass the superb scenery along the line of the Canadian Pacific. The road was solidly constructed; the rails well laid and the train wonderfully steady. The promptness in connection and punctuality in time were remarkable, the train coming, not only on time, but minute or two before. The views along Lake Superior, where there were cliffs from 150 to 200 feet in height, and from Calgary to the coast were indescribably grand. Nothing could surpass them. With reference to the proposed subsidized line of steamers between Vancouver and Hong Kong, Mr. Fraser was very enthusiastic. He said that if such a line of steamers were established, and conducted on the right principles, it would be immensely popular. It would draw a large passenger traffic and compete successfully with the route via the Red Sea and Suez Canal, which has various drawbacks—the heat being intense that the complaints from passengers were numerous. England would make a special effort to open up the Oriental traffic and induce travellers to visit Great Britain via Canada. Making Vancouver the starting point of these steamers would draw a large business to the terminal city. The steamers carrying the mails would leave at a certain hour on a certain day, whether there were few or many passengers on board, and such an arrangement would tend to make Vancouver a noted resort for travellers and largely increase the earnings of the Canadian Pacific.

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New Westminster, 30th Aug., 1886.
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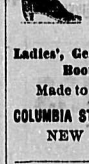
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EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated September 30th, 1885. de9tc

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Monday Evening, Sept. 6, 1886.

Road Work.

Mr. John Sprott, who has been for some time superintendent of road work in this district, informs us that it has been decided to do no road work this year except such as is absolutely necessary. The appropriations made for road work will be carried over until next year, and work will be begun as early in the season as the weather will permit. This is a very sensible arrangement, and ought to meet with the approval of every tax payer in the country. We have many times pointed out the folly of undertaking the construction or repair of roads just before the fall rains set in, and the waste of money which that practice entails. We have suggested that the fiscal year be so changed as to enable appropriations to become available earlier in the season, or to have preliminary arrangements so far advanced as to make it possible to have work begun as early as the first of July at least. But hitherto none of these things have been done, and it was feared that this year we would witness a repetition of the blunder in an aggravated form. We are glad to find that this is not to be the case. It will be a disappointment to a great many of the settlers to learn that scarcely any road work will be done this season, but it is better a great deal that it should be so than that the money should be wasted. The year's appropriations, if judiciously expended next spring, will produce a much more lasting benefit than if they had been spent this fall to satisfy the expectations of the farmers. In view of the circumstances we have great satisfaction in congratulating the government on the wisdom of its determination.

The C. P. R. Extension.

By reference to an extract from the Vancouver *News*, published in another column, it will be seen that the extension of the C. P. R. from Port Moody to Vancouver by way of the inlet has been abandoned for the present. It seems to have been the opinion of the syndicate that it had authority under its original charter, to construct extensions or branches almost anywhere, and it has been a matter of surprise to the people of this country that a work of such great importance should have been undertaken before the breadth of the charter had been accurately measured. The change of front now announced will delay but not defeat the syndicate's plans. It will cause inconvenience to the company and disappointment to those who have made bona fide investments in Vancouver under the impression that railway facilities would be extended to that city immediately. It will probably postpone a considerable amount of investment and improvement which otherwise would immediately be undertaken there. But there is no reasonable doubt of the ultimate extension of the road, either by way of Burrard Inlet or through this city. Until that has been done the syndicate will not care to enter upon any very large scheme of trade expansion, and there will be a corresponding loss to the province. The wharf accommodation, as well as all other kinds of accommodation at Port Moody, are altogether unequal to the handling of a large trade. Two ships lying at the wharf occupy nearly the whole of it; and there is neither storage room nor engine room, nor even a turn-table. It is not probable that the company will erect any of these things at Port Moody. It will erect nothing there that can be in any way avoided. In the mean time we suppose traffic will continue to run in the channels in which it now runs. The transfer of the local business will, of course, be made at this city instead of Port Hammond, and the other business will probably go, as at present, to Port Moody. It is possible the syndicate may so arrange matters as to make this city the chief business place until the extension has been completed, but of this there is now no certainty. The people of New Westminster would not object if this city is made the sole terminus in the interim, but that need not be expected. If the syndicate faithfully fulfils its promise to treat New Westminster, Vancouver, and Victoria with disinterested impartiality we shall be content, and shall have no fears for the future.

Mr. John Magwood, Victoria Road, writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure is a splendid medicine. My customers say they never use anything so effectual. Good results immediately follow its use. I know its value from personal experience, having been troubled for 9 or 10 years with Dyspepsia, and since using it digestion goes on without the depressing feeling so well known to dyspeptics. I have no hesitation in recommending it in any case of Indigestion, Constipation, Heartburn, or troubles arising from a disordered stomach."

The tube of the great Lick telescope now constructing will be fifty-six feet long, and, with the enormous spectroscope attached, the extreme length of the instrument will approach sixty-five feet. The only novel feature in the plans of the observatory is the use of hydraulic power to raise and lower the flower of the dome, thereby obviating the necessity of an observing chair.

Cuff Buttons Lost.

LOST ON THE 29TH AUGUST on the Railway Track somewhere between this City and Port Moody, a pair of Cuff Buttons in a pair of Linen Cuffs. Any person leaving them at this office will be suitably rewarded. dse4l3

HOP LEE

HAS REMOVED HIS LAUNDRY

From Front Street to No. 54 Columbia St., opposite Thos. Ovens' Blacksmith Shop, where he will be glad to see his old customers. dau30m1

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for a license to sell fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail on the premises now occupied by me as a store on Front Street, to be hereafter used as a hotel. JAMES WISE.
New West., 26th Aug., 1886. dau26w2

Knights of Labor.

THE KNIGHTS OF LABOR HAVE removed from the Foresters' Hall to the Orangemen's Hall, where they hold their weekly meetings on TUESDAY NIGHT at 8 o'clock.
M. P. CROCKER,
Secretary.
New West., Aug. 27th, 1886. dau28m1

Cancellation of Reserve

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Reserve placed upon Section 4, Block 1 North, Range 7 West, has been cancelled, and that three months from the date hereof the land will be open to purchase.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 1st, 1886. dse4m1

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Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, Sept. 6, 1886.

Travers, Cal., rejoices in a sunflower that measures 45 inches.

Depression in the Irish cattle trade has lessened the value of stock £20,000,000.

Barracks for the Salvation Army, to cost $5,000, are being erected at Kingston, Ont.

For Sale—Hotel doing a good paying business; cheap. Apply at Woods, Turner & Gamble. jy14tc

Rev. Cannon Thynne will deliver a lecture in the Drill Shed next Friday evening. Amission free.

Chinamen are to establish a new town near Yreka, Cal., to be settled exclusively by Mongolians.

The Boston *Record* rather cleverly describes French jokes as "jests which cheer, but do not inebriate."

Corns cause intolerable pain. Holloway's Corn Cure removes the trouble. Try it and see what an amount of pain is saved.

Quite a number of grouse were bagged on Saturday. The hunters all declare that they came honestly by the birds.

The deposits in the official savings banks throughout Japan now aggregate twenty-two million yen, equal to $21,780,000.

The evidence in the appeal case, McKay & Currie vs. the corporation, was heard before Mr. Justice McCreight to-day and argument adjourned.

Mr. Egan, who lately severed his connection with the C. P. R., was presented with a cheque for $10,000 by the officers of the company before leaving Winnipeg.

For the month of August the collections at Nanaimo custom house amounted to $2,090, a decrease of $4,394 as compared with the same month last year, when the receipts were $7,484.

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

The city policemen have donned their new uniform and have now quite an official air about them. Their appearance is very creditable and their efficiency will no doubt be correspondingly increased.

The Rithet brought up 2,100 cases Northern salmon and 475 cases from the B. C. P. Company's cannery to-day for shipment over the Canadian Pacific. She also brought 25 tons freight for this city.

Simla advices state that of the 9,000 miles of disputed boundary, the Afghan commission has conceded 7,000 to Russia and 2,000 to the Ameer of Afghanistan. It is proposed to submit the Khoja-Saleh question to arbitration.

There are two plums in Messrs. T. R. Pearson & Co.'s show windows that beat anything yet reported either at Victoria or Nanaimo. They came from Councillor Elliott's garden, and weigh 5¼ ounces each. These island fellows had better scratch a while longer.

The Artillery class-firing on Saturday passed off very successfully. Eight out of eleven who took part in the shooting made a score sufficient to entitle them to a place on the list of first-class shots. Gunner Hill won the badges with a score of 72 our of a possible 80.

The gloomy fears, the desponding views, the weariness of soul that many complain of, would often disappear were the blood made pure and healthy before reaching the delicate vessels of the brain. Ayer's Sarsaparilla purifies and vitalizes the blood; and thus conduces to health of body and sanity of mind.

The *Daily Globe* of 30th ult. contains this paragraph: "Senator McInnes sends us some plums from his garden at New Westminster. The plums are of a variety resembling the Lombard, but are sharper in taste. They would in appearance have taken the prize over any plums usually exhibited at the Ontario exhibitions." Senator McInnes informs us that he did not send the plums to the *Globe*, but to his wife in Toronto, and they attracted so much attention that some of them got into a reporter's hands.

Ayer's Ague Cure, when used according to directions, is warranted to eradicate from the system all forms of malarial disease, such as Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, Intermittent, Remittent and Bilious Fever, and disorders of the liver. Try it. The experiment is a safe one, and will cost you nothing if a cure is not effected.

DEEP SEA FISHERIES.—Mr. Thos. Mowat, inspector of fisheries, leaves to-morrow morning for Victoria where he will take the schooner Pathfinder and proceed on an exploring voyage for deep sea fisheries as far north as Queen Charlotte Islands. He takes with him patent appliances for taking deep sea soundings, &c. Mr. Mowat will be absent about six weeks.

ASSISTING DESERTERS.—Chief of Police Sargent of H. M. S. Triumph arrived this morning to prosecute in a case against one Julius Sterne, a young German, for assisting one of her majesty's seamen to desert from the flagship while at Port Moody. The prisoner, who claims to have deserted from the American navy, was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of $200 and costs, in default to suffer 6 mos. imprisonment. A charge of having a portion of her majesty's uniform in his possession was withdrawn.

SALE OF CITY SQUARES.—The sale of city squares on Saturday evening, considering that another is to take place so soon, was quite satisfactory and shows that the oldest and shrewdest residents of the city have increased confidence in it. The total sales amounted to $4,715. The following property was disposed of to the parties named: Arthur M. Herring, block B, lots 8 and 9, $505 each; Jas. Cunningham, block A, lot 4, $505; E. J. Phillips, block B, lot 17, $515; Howard L. DeBeck, block F, lot 5, $305. Elisa J. Campbell, block F, lot 10, $305; Howard L. DeBeck, block F, lot 13, $205; A. Scoullar, block H, lots 12 and 13, $255 each; Chas. Murray, block H, lots 32 and 33, $255 each; Robt. F. Bonson, block K, lots 7, 31, and 32, $105 each; Maxwell M. Mowatt, block K, lot 8, $105; A. J. Calbick, block K, lot 19, $105; Alexander Ewen, block K, lots 21 and 23, $105 each, lot 22, $115.

ABANDONED FOR THE PRESENT.—Mr. Henry Abbott, general superintendent of the Pacific division of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in an interview with a *News* representative on Thursday night, said that his company had now given up all idea of completing the road from Port Moody to the terminus until they could secure legislation for the purpose. It was not yet decided whether they would apply to the provincial or the Dominion parliament for the necessary powers, but the Dominion house would most probably be asked to grant the charter. Mr. Abbott said that his company had done all in their power to get the line through to Vancouver, but the property owners are alone responsible for the delay and entirely to blame for the non-completion of the road. Every effort had been made to settle with them, but they made such impracticable stipulations (although they would not name any actual figures for their lots) that it was impossible to come to any arrangement. Double the amount of the valuation made by the provincial land surveyor, who was a man of great experience and made the regular sworn valuation required by law, had been offered by the company to be deposited in a bank, but the proposal had been refused. In answer to a question, Mr. Abbott said if the property owners even at this late hour came to an arrangement, 2,000 men could be put on the road and it could be finished in a month or five weeks. The company would proceed with their improvements during the winter; work of all kinds would go on and large sums of money spent which would greatly benefit the town.—*Vancouver News.*

Personal.

Dr. Hendrickson, of Vancouver, was in town to-day.

Mr. J. Lenny arrived on to-day's Victoria steamer.

Mrs. and Miss Ladner were among to-day's arrivals by the Rithet.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. MacLeod came up from Victoria this morning on the Rithet.

Mr. Wm. Clarkson has gone to Harrison Lake to try the virtues of the sulphur springs.

Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, of the Northwest Territories, arrived in town on Saturday and left for Victoria yesterday.

Prof. Buell and Mrs. Buell, the celebrated photographic artists of natural scenery, are in town in their special car.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Armstrong returned on Saturday from Harrison Hot Springs, where they have been spending some weeks.

Mr. Innes, M.P. for South Wellington, Ont., accompanied by Mrs. Innes, is in the city and will remain in these parts visiting the salmon canneries and points of interest for a few days.

Mr. C. E. C. Brown, dentist, will leave for Kamloops on the 14th inst., intending to be absent three weeks. Mrs. Brown will accompany him in the hope that a change of climate may benefit her health.

Mr. M. Hagan, late of the Kamloops *Sentinel*, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon. After spending a few days here Mr. Hagan proposes to visit Victoria and return to the interior where he will go into the ranching business.

Messrs. Jno. Leckie of Toronto, and H. Y. Telfer and P. W. Bell of Collingwood, arrived yesterday by the C. P. R. and are staying at the Colonial for a day or two. They are in search of both business and health, and are delighted with the trip.

Mrs. W. M. Cochrane and family arrived yesterday from Ontario to take up their residence in this city. Mr. Cochrane, who has been among us for some time, is at Harrison Hot springs spending a vacation and is unaware of his family's arrival, a telegram sent from Winnipeg having failed to reach its destination.

Joseph Beaudin, M.D., Hull, P.Q., writes: Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil commands a large and increasing sale which it richly merits. I have always found it exceedingly helpful; I use it in all cases of rheumatism, as well as fractures and dislocations. I made use of it myself to calm the pains of a broken leg with dislocation of the foot, and in two days I was entirely relieved of the pain."

Communications.

The Police Uniform.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—Will you kindly allow me to ask for a little information through your columns? I noticed to-day that our police officers were gaily clothed in new beaver suits with brass buttons. On enquiry I find that these suits were made by a Victoria firm, although one of our city firms offered to make the same kind of suits for a good deal less than was paid for these in question. Will the police committee inform your readers why this favoritism was shown, or your correspondent may have a little more to say on this matter. Yours respectfully,

SNIP.

The Right of Way.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—You will please allow me through your columns to draw the attention of our city fathers to the Consolidated Railway Act of 1879. Each and every one of them should be able to read and understand it for themselves. The city solicitor is also solicitor for the railway company, which makes it rather awkward all round. I don't mean to say that the city solictor is not a strictly honest man; but under the peculiar circumstances it is in the interests of the tax-payers that the city fathers should know what is right and what is wrong, and a strict compliance with the railway act would have saved a great deal of unnecessary trouble and expense. From what has already transpired between the company and the municipal fathers and the property owners it is quite evident that the tax-payers will have to pay a great deal more for the railway connection than they should. The truth is that the company is no doubt very shrewd, the property owners are very shrewd, but, alas! the city fathers as a whole are *not* very shrewd, and hence the present muddle. More anon.

JAMES KENNEDY.

The Price of a License.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN:—Can you tell me the price of a liquor license? Can any of your readers tell the price of one liquor license? Let me tell you a true story, then if you or anyone reading these lines can tell what such a license costs, let him do so. Before I came to this province I lived in an eastern city. One evening about half-past 9, a policeman walking his beat in the suburbs of this city found the body of a young girl lying on the sidewalk, with her skull crushed in, apparently, with a heavy blow from a club. She could only have lain there a few moments, for she had not perceptibly grown cold when he found her. But she was dead. Her young life had been given in part payment of a liquor license. Can you tell what that one life was worth? Can you tell the value of the hopes and love that were all blasted by the cruel blow of a liquor-crazed man? Yes, it was the work of the vile stuff to sell which these men want you to grant them leave for a few paltry dollars! I don't care if we received thousands for each license, it is still too paltry. If it was your young daughter that had been foully murdered; or, more dreadful still, your son that had struck the blow; you would begin to realize the price of a liquor license. *But only begin*, for it is not possible for one heart to realize all the grief and horror of such crimes. This hapless girl was engaged to be married to a young man that had left home and friends and crossed the sea to make a fortune, as many young men here have done. Do you think that young man could tell in dollars and cents the price of a liquor license? I think he would have told you that every dollar received for liquor license was the heart's blood of some innocent child. The new country grew hateful to this young man after months of vain efforts to find the cruel murderer, and so he went back to his old home, sad and disappointed. His old mother and loving sisters tried to cheer and comfort him; his father and brother to rouse him to an interest in home life and pleasure once more. Time is a good physician, and he had begun to recover some of his former cheerfulness, and though he could never forget for long his murdered love, life was growing more bearable. One evening there was a knock at the door, and presently two men entered the room, and, quickly stepping to his side, claimed him as their prisoner. And before he realized what they meant he was manacled. Of what was he guilty? The detectives had never ceased to search for the murderers of that poor innocent girl. They had found enough circumstantial evidence to warrant them in taking out extradition papers and to travel over sea and land to bring him back to be tried for the murder of his betrothed wife! Do you think he could tell you the price of a liquor license now? His old father is almost bereft of sense and reason; his white-haired mother lies in a dead faint; while his sisters and brothers—but how can I portray the grief and agony of that scene! And as he was borne from their sight, bound with irons, could his father, mother, brother or sisters tell the price *of a liquor license? And in that long* voyage, loaded with irons, guarded day and night, would not he have cried, it is blood! blood! He was carried to Boston, and for six months was confined in a murderer's cell; and then a poor wretch that had, while crazed with drink, committed another murder, for which he was to be hanged, confessed just the day before his execution that he killed this girl too. He said he had been drinking that evening, and after he got home he sat down and read a while, when he was seized with an uncontrollable desire to kill somebody. He went out and armed himself with a club from his father's shed, and this poor girl was his victim. He had quietly done all he could to throw suspicion on her lover, and had managed such a chain of evidence that the officers felt justified in taking the young man from his home and friends and country to answer the fearful charge of murder.

Now, readers, can you estimate the cost of a liquor license? Fathers, this is not a fancy sketch, neither is it the only *one of its kind, though one such terrible* result of any traffic ought to doom it to annihilation. And when these men want your vote in favor of giving them a license, remember that if you do not pay for it in blood someone else must, for there never was a liquor license without its victim. May the love of God and compassion for your fellow creatures constrain you to register a vote which shall not be the means to cause your heart or the heart of your brother to bleed with unavailing sorrow—a vote that shall never lay the price of a liquor license on your heart as you look upon its destroying influence on "mother's boy."

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Latest by Telegraph

This Afternoon's Despatches.

Special to the Columbian.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Sept. 5.—At 10:40 to-night another shock was felt here. These shocks are severe on the buildings, which are greatly strained.

PHILLIPOPOLIS, Sept. 5.—Prince Alexander has issued a decree summoning a national assembly to meet on the 10th inst.

ATHENS, Sept. 5.—The *Ephemesis* states that Prince Alexander has notified the czar of his abdication of the throne of Bulgaria.

LONDON, Sept. 5.—The *Post's* Berlin correspondent says the Emperor William proposed Alexander's telegram to the czar as the best means of effecting a reconciliation, and that the czar's reply was therefore a direct blow at the emperor. The correspondent further says the news of Alexander's abdication caused the utmost indignation against Russia among German army officers. Advices from Vienna say the news of Alexander's abdication was received with consternation there, the prince's action being looked on as the beginning of a serious stage in the Bulgarian question. It is believed in Vienna that his abdication will not deter Russia from attempting to occupy Bulgaria, a proceeding which Austria cannot allow.

SOFIA, Sept. 5.—Before Alexander announced his intention to quit the throne he received a telegram from Bismarck recommending him to abdicate in order to save Bulgaria.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 5.—It is rumored that, in accordance with advice given by two friendly powers, Turkey is making military preparations on the Asiatic frontier. It is also said that orders have been given to supply the army in Erzeroum and along the border with additional guns, stores and *munitions. This activity* is due to movements on the part of Russia, which is supposed to be making efforts to gauge the military and naval strength of Turkey. A suspicious foreign artist has been seen making sketches of forts outside of Constantinople, and it is thought he was an agent of Russia. It is learned that large contracts have been made on Russian account for coal for Odessa, and that a contract has been made to supply 30,000 tons of metal plates of 12 inches thickness, with steel facing, for the Russian arsenals on the Black Sea.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The health officers last night found Grant Golden, fireman on the steamer Atlas, suffering from yellow fever in St. Vincent's hospital. The steamer came in last week from a voyage to the West Indies and South American ports, and Golden, who is a Scotchman, took board at 231 West st. On Saturday he was taken ill, and by Sunday the characteristic symptoms of yellow fever had developed. The health officers removed him to St. Vincent's hospital, where he is now dying. The steamer, hospital and boarding house have been disinfected.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—The president has sent the following reply to Queen Victoria's telegram of sympathy for earthquake sufferers: "Executive Mansion, Washington, Sept. 6.—Victoria, Queen and Empress, Balmoral, Scotland: Your majesty's expression of sympathy for the sufferers by the earthquake is warmly appreciated, and awakens a grateful response in American hearts. (Signed) Grover Cleveland, President."

GLASGOW, Sept. 5.—The heaviest rainstorm ever known in this part of Scotland has fallen here, and over the western part of the country it did much damage to crops.

BELGRADE, Sept. 5.—A despatch from Samblint says: King Milan of Servia, who with his minister was on his way to Gluckenburg, has, on account of the gravity of the situation created in the Balkan states by Alexander's abdication, abandoned his contemplated journey and arranged to return to Belgrade. The Bulgarian crisis, it is feared, will have a critical effect on Servia.

THAT "TOCSIN OF THE SOUL, THE DINNER BELL," as Byron calls it, suggests no pleasing reflections to the dyspeptic, bilious sufferer. He partakes, of course, but the subsequent torment is egregiously out of proportion to the quantity of food he eats, which lies undigested, a weight like lead in his unhappy stomach. There is a remedy, however, and its name is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. No case is entirely hopeless.

DIED

EVANS.—At the North Arm, Fraser River, on the 4th inst., Edward D. V. Evans, son of Albert Evans, aged 6 mos. and 20 days.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. Rithet, from Victoria, Sept. 6.—Mr and Mrs J O MacLeod, Mrs and Miss Ladner, Mrs Byron, Mr and Mrs Innes, Ben Young, M M English, Chief Sargent, HMS Triumph, Mr Michaud, Wright, Barber, and others.

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Cabbage	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Onions	"	2 00 @ 3 00
Apples	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Pears	"	0 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Hay,	per ton	12 00 @ 10 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @ 0 30
Cheese,	"	0 18 @ 0 19
Eggs,	per doz.	0 28 @ 0 30
Geese,	each	1 50 @ 1 75
Ducks	"	1 20 @ 0 25
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Respectfully yours, RALPH Y. WINGATE.

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The Confederation Life.

The annual report of this solidly prosperous Canadian institution will be found in another column. The facts revealed in the accounts and the Directors' report thoroughly justify the ecomiums which the shareholders present bestowed upon the management. Thanks to the resolute manner in which the Company has declined to embark upon extravagant methods of procuring business, the working expenses of the company bear to the total income the very small ratio of between 17 and 18 per cent. A point attesting the soundness of the finances of the Company is the fact that the interest income is sufficient to pay the death claims—which in a company of the age of the Confederation Life is something to be proud of. The assets and liabilities are set forth in minute detail, and the tables show that, after making allowance for all possible contingencies and providing for every debt, there is a surplus of $282,199 over liabilities and capital combined. The increase in the assets in the last year was $260,390. So much for what can be done by rigid adherence to what the President defined as the true policy of the Company, viz:—"To keep its balance sheet right and avoid unnecessary, unwise, or extravagant expenditure for the sake merely of increasing new business."—*Toronto Globe.* T. R. Pearson & Co. are agents for this company in British Columbia. m19tc

WHITE BRONZE MONUMENTS.—White Bronze is a comparatively new substance, and has come into large use, rapidly, for special purposes in this country. It has been found to be so well adapted for *statuary and monuments, that companies* have been for some time established at Bridgeport, Conn., Detroit, Mich., Des Moines, Iowa, and St. Thomas, Canada, who are making monuments of all kinds and styles. From experiments made by these companies, it has been found that the material will stand exposure for an indefinite period—it is practically indestructible. White Bronze being noncorrosive and unchangeable, it is stated to be equal to gold, silver or platinum, and superior to copper or antique bronze, which throws off a verdigris. The monuments are cast from refined zinc, and are given their sparkling appearance by the sand blast, sand being blown against the work under a high pressure of steam, which cuts the surface, but does not adhere to it. A thin film of oxide which forms on this bronze is indistructible by the elements; it cannot be dissolved by water, and air cannot penetrate it, although the film is so thin as to be immeasurable. No corrosion, it is affirmed, can take place.—*Boston Journal of Commerce.* Chas. J. Robson, New Westminster, is agent for the White Bronze Monuments in British Columbia. Much cheaper and more durable than any other. my5tc

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Monday Evening, Sept. 6, 1886.

Latest by Telegraph

Saturday Night's Despatches.

Special to the Columbian.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.—Arrived, str. State of California, from Astoria. Cleared, str. Wellington, for Nanaimo; ship Prussia, for Port Townsend. Sailed, barks Ferris and Thompson, for Nanaimo; Pearl, for Port Townsend.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—Judge Churchill, of the supreme court, to-day granted a writ of habeas corpus ordering the emigration commissioners to produce 13 Mormon emigrants who are waiting on Ward's Island to be sent back to Europe, to test the legality of the power of the commission to send back Mormons as unfit to enter the country.

JERSEY CITY, Sept. 4.—A disastrous fire broke out at 5:10 this evening in the Pulman Palace Co.'s shed in the New York Lake Erie & Western Railway yard, at Provost street crossing. It spread in all directions with frightful rapidity and in less than an hour had destroyed a large amount of property; there were 8 Pulman sleeping cars in the shed; two of them were hauled out and a third partially burned. The other 5 were totally destroyed. They were valued at $16,000 each. By this time the car shed was a mass of flames, which next enveloped 2 strong brick buildings at the easterly end. These were used by the Pullman Co. for offices and store room purposes. They were destroyed. Two buildings at the western end of the car shed were also burned. The flames next attacked the freight depot of the Northern R. R. of New Jersey and the New New York R. R. Both companys occupied a two-story frame building with long freight shed attached. These buildings, with 13 freight cars and two empty oil cars, were burned up. Six of the freight cars were loaded with ice; the other seven were loaded with miscellaneous freight of which there was also a large assortment on the platform and in the shed. The total loss cannot be ascertained, but it is believed will amount to about $200,000, most of which is covered by insurance.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Sept. 4.—Two slight shocks were felt here to-day, one at 6:38 and the other at 9 a.m.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4.—The Canadian Pacific Railway's earnings for August, 1886, were $917,000; for August, 1885, $802,000.

SOFIA, Sept. 4.—Prince Alexander has publicly announced his intention of abdicating. He says he cannot remain in Bulgaria on account of the objections of the Czar. Before leaving he will establish a regency.

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 4.—A special to the *News-Observer* to-night says *news has been received at Nashville* from Mitchell county. The effects of the earthquake phenomena were very startling in the mountains. In the vicinity of the pinnacle of Black mountain the subterranean mutterings were tremendous, and continued 15 minutes. Immense rocks were removed from their beds and hurled down the mountain sides into the valley. People fled from their houses into the woods.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 4.— The steamer Meraroa arrived to-day from Sydney, Australia. She brought news of the arrival there of the German war ship Albatross from among the New Hebrides islands, where she had been for the purpose of punishing the natives for the murder of German subjects. At the island of Lenevre a crowd of armed natives who had gathered on the beach were fired into and a hundred or more killed. The village of Tambolonga, on the island of Pentecost, was then bombarded and many more natives killed. When a landing was effected at the latter place portions of human bodies were found, but most of the bodies had apparently been carried away. On both the islands all the native villages that were found were burned. Before the Albatross returned to Sydney she is reported to have proceeded to the Caroline islands and hauled down the German flags flying there.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 4.—At 9:30 to-night another earthquake shock of about five seconds' duration, the first of the day, startled and shook up the people. It was not so severe as the shock of last night.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 4.—Another very distinct earthquake shock was felt in this city to-night at 9:25 o'clock, the vibrations continuing about 15 seconds. The shock succeeded as usual in clearing all large houses in the city of their occupants.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 4.—About $30,000 in cash has been received for the *sufferers, and indications are that several* times that amount will be forwarded. A reporter made a tour of the city to-day, and was surprised to find so much wrecked property which had before escaped the eyes of the press representatives. At least four-fifths of the buildings are damaged more or less. City Assessor Kelly says that the loss will reach $10,000,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 4 (midnight).—A big fire is raging at Long Island City. Demais' sash and blind factory and *Donohue's* and *Quinn's* planing mills are burned to the ground. A large three-story hotel owned by Jos. McGee is now in flames. One of the largest business blocks in the city is threatened.

SOFIA, Sept. 4.—Prince Alexander made an address at a reception given by him to the officers of the army, in which he made the following statement: "The circumstances of Bulgaria are such that I must leave the country. If I didn't, Russia would reoccupy it. I will, however, consult with the superior officers and constitute a regency which will endeavor to protect the interests of my officers. In any case I rely on the army." Prince Alexander stated his intention of abdicating to the German and Russian consuls. A grand council of members, among which are MM. *Stambouloff* and Karaveloff, is being held to arrange for a regency. The prince will probably leave within two days. The officers of the army are greatly excited, and talk of detaining the prince. They have resolved in any case to refuse to receive the Russian envoy. They will hold a meeting to decide what course to adopt. *The city is tranquil.*

The Roumanians.

What is now known as Roumania was within the limits of ancient Dacia, whose inhabitants were allied in origin to the Thracians. The Romans conquered the country in 105, A.D., held it till 275, A.D., and colonized it, and then gave way to the Goths. For several centuries this country was the scene of the struggles between the Gothic, Hunnic, Bulgarian and Slavic races—who alternately ruled or were expelled from the country. These people all left more or less trace of their characteristics among the Romanized Dacians, and thus helped to form that composite people, the Wallachs, who later controlled the entire country. Two provinces were now formed of this country—Moldavia and Wallachia. In the eleventh century the Wallachs were converted to Christianity. During the two following centuries their country was overrun by the Turks, the Mongols, and the Tartars, who left it so utterly devastated that no trace of the native population existed anywhere save in the mountains and forests. During the fourteenth century, however, the Wallachs again secured possession of the two provinces, and established independent government. In the sixteenth century both of these placed themselves under the protection of the Porte, *reserving* the right to choose their own rulers. This, however, they lost some time later, and the Turks governed them by rulers selected from the Greek princes of Constantinople, who had no interest in the countries beyond enriching *themselves by farming their revenues.* In 1802 the Russians wrested from Turkey the right of surveilance over the principalities, but they could not secure the independence they desired without first successfully overthrowing the claim upon their sovereignty made by the Greeks. In 1858 the two principalities were united under one ruler, under the name of Roumania. The people of these provinces, though known to all Western Europe as Wallachs, called themselves Romani, in consideration of their claim to a mixture of Roman blood in their ancestry. A number of Roumanians are also found in the other Danubian provinces. Roumania has had a constitutional government since 1866. Its entire independence was recognized by Turkey in 1878. The language used by this people is composite, because of their mixed origin. About three-fourths of their words are of Latin origin; the rest are derived from the Greek, Gothic, Slavic, and Turkish dialects.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

Propagating Weeds.

One of the nuisances encountered on the farm is the growth of weeds. They are a crop that never fails, wet or dry, hot or cold. It is a constant warfare to keep them down. The soil is full of seeds. They are allowed to perfect their seeds from year to year, and these are scattered broadcast. Some grow and some remain in the soil for years, if we can believe the scientists, ready to sprout up at the first favorable condition. Seeds deeply buried by plowing are the ones that do not sprout. So we have an everlasting accumulation. In addition to this, nearly every crop that is harvested; and more especially the hay crop, is full of matured weeds. These weeds shell out their seeds in the barn yard, in the stall and wherever fed, and they are mixed with the barnyard manure. This manure, in the spring, is usually drawn out and scattered over some field. In modern times the stable manure is often carted out and scattered over the field as fast as made. Here goes out an additional accumulation of weeds to fructify and overrun every uncultivated spot, and some spots that are cultivated. For even in the case of hoed crops, as corn and potatoes, the weeds have an abundant opportunity to grow and mature their seeds after the last hoeing or cultivating. Who that has had a chance for observation has not seen the ground in a potato or corn patch literally covered with weeds? The question is how to prevent this growth of weeds and the annual sowing of their seeds. We know of no better way than to prevent the ripening of their seeds by early and frequent cutting, when possible, through cultivation, and the better rotting of manure, so as to kill the vitality of the seeds before applying it to the soil. It is some work to properly rot manure, but we doubt if it is more than to fight the barnyard weeds. Besides, the rotting puts the manure in better condition to afford food for crops.—*National Live Stock Journal.*

A Chance to Save Money.

Patient—Then you think my finger will *have to be amputated, doctor?*

Surgeon—Yes, it will have to come off.

Patient—How much will the job cost?

Surgeon—Fifteen dollars.

Patient—Is that the best you can do, *doctor? I'm a poor man.*

Surgeon—Yes, fifteen dollars is the best I can do for one finger, but I will cut two of 'em off for twenty-five dollars.—*N. Y. Times.*

A Georgia rattlesnake got into a pantry the other day and found some eggs which it swallowed. Then it crawled partly through the handle of a jug, and, fidding some more eggs, swallowed them. This brought about an interesting state of affairs, for the greedy snake found it impossible to get out of the handle, being unable to move either backward or forward. In its efforts to escape it made a great rumpus, and it was soon killed by the awakened inmates of the house.

The wealthiest colored man in the United States is said to be Tonie Lufon, a French quadroon of New Orleans, whose fortune is estimated at $1,100,000. *An organ of the* colored people in the South says that the colored people of the South pay taxes on $90,000,000.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we intend to make application to the Honourable the Minister of the Interior, 30 days after date, for a license to cut and haul timber on Sec. 21 and W. ½ Sec. 22, Township I, Group II, New Westminster District.

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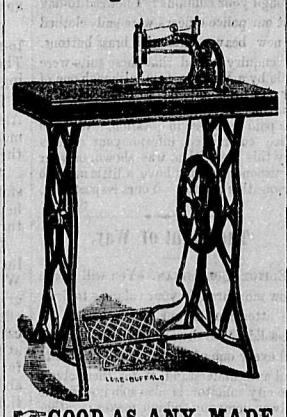

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Vancouver, 23rd June, 1886.

MR. G. ROBERTSON,
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SIR.—We the undersigned having witnessed the terrible fire which wiped out of existence the young city of Vancouver, on the 13th inst., have, after the fire, examined the safes sold by you, some of which were put to the most severe test, having been surrounded by large quantities of lard and bacon, and we are pleased to testify to the remarkable manner in which every Safe sold by you preserved its contents, not only books and papers, but also thousands of dollars in paper money were taken out in perfect condition. We can, therefore, with the greatest confidence, recommend them as thoroughly fire proof:

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NOTICE.

Dominion Lands.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, the surveys of Townships Nos. 1 and 2, *west of Coast Meridian, and Townships* Nos. 7, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16, east of Coast Meridian, New Westminster District, having been duly confirmed, the undersigned is now prepared to receive applications for *Homestead Entry on Dominion Lands in* such Townships respectively.

Applicants must personally appear before the undersigned at the Dominion Lands Office, New Westminster, and *make the affidavit and pay the entry fee* of $10 prescribed by Clause 16 of the Lands Regulations of 1885.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Agent of Dominion Lands, B.C.
14th August, 1886. dwau10m1
(Mainland Guardian copy.)

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

Lot 21, Block VI, part of District Lot No. 196, in the City of Vancouver.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of George Fraser to the abovementioned land has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a *duplicate thereof; Notice is therefore* hereby given that such duplicate certificate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
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Land Registry Office,
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