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By T. J. Trapp, Auctioneer, at Ewen's Wharf, on the 9th Sept., at 5 p. m., a lot of Fishermen's Supplies and Hamilton's trotting mare "Bella." See adv.

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Sept. 8, 1887.

The tremendous storm predicted by Prof. Wiggins, of this city, and announced in the New York *Tribune* of May 10th, 1884, and in the Detroit *Free Press* of August 22nd, 1883, is due to strike America on the 19th of September next. Prof. Wiggins expects it to be the most violent blow of the century. The storm, which will originate in the Artic circle, is to cross the meridian of London, England, on the 16th, moving westward across the Atlantic. The wind on the 19th will be south-east at Halifax. A counter wave sweeping across the great lakes from the north-east will roar over half the Continent, the gale being at its height along the Atlantic on the 19th, when the storms meet. The professor is keeping pretty quiet just now, paying more attention to the Finance Department than to the elements.

When will Sir John Mcdonald give the more thoughtful portion of the public the satisfaction of hearing from him something elevating in tone, something adapted to awaken in the minds of Canadians generally a sense of duty to their country, and not a mere greed for local advantages at the general expense? We grieve to have to record the fact that in his tour last year through the Ontario constituencies, hardly anything was heard from our veteran stateman, but a continuous appeal for support for his government on the ground that it had done such and such things for the several constituencies, and had put money into people's pockets through the National Policy. And we grieve further to notice the same tone again in the Premier's New Brunswick speeches. He drops a hint to the people of St. Stevens, that they had better "press upon the government the necessity for some practical return to the town from the large expenditure made upon the railways of the country." Ever the old note—support me, and it will be money in your pocket! Really, is this the highest lesson in public duty and political principle, that the man that has reached the very summit of honor in this country can teach? There is no mistake about it: the public opinion of Canada is terribly apathetic.—*Montreal Star.*

It would seem from many indications that there is some growth of sentiment in this province in favor of the union of Canada with the United States. From expressions freely made by prominent business men, or a half hours talk with farmers in the market, one is lead to think that the feeling is growing and becoming more outspoken. This will strike some persons as surprising, but if it is a fact, as we believe it is, it may as well be chronicled. Nor are the reason far to seek. The government of Canada has pursued a course of running into debt, and of wasteful extravagance in the management of public affairs that has wearied our people of Canadian rule. They have despotically invaded provincial rights. They have taxed out of the pockets of the people of the Eastern Provinces vast sums to be expended in the West, while shaping their fiscal policy to crush our growth. For people tire of seeing our city stand still for a quarter of a century while Western cities have doubled their population and their wealth. This would not have been, it could not have been had we been fairly treated. We confess that we are in doubt how far the feeling in favor of political union has spread. It is yet an uncertain quantity, but such growth as it has attained we charge to the popular discontent arising from Tory misrule. Such misrule has twice brought about rebellion in the North-West, and has now again brought the people of Manitoba to the point of taking up arms in defence of their rights. Ever increasing in debts, taxation, sectionalism and public extravagance has begotten in many minds throughout the Dominion a distrust of the permanence of the Confederation. Where the present unsettled state of popular feeling will end it would be difficult to foresee, but one has only to read a single day's issue of Canadian newspapers, east and west, to be convinced that the existence of the Canadian union rests on no very secure foundation. If anything can stop the growth of popular discontent in the Maritime Provinces, and the direction it is now taking, it will be full reciprocity with the neighboring Republic. The Government have set their faces against reciprocity. If they persist in this course, they must be held responsible for the consequences.—*St. John (N. B.) Telegraph.*

BY TELEGRAPH.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Statue to Krupp.—Gladstone's U. S. Invitation.—The Exeter Theatre Horror.

STATUE TO KRUPP.

BERLIN, Sept. 7.—A statue of the late Alfred Krupp is to be erected in the market place of Essen by the municipal council of the town. It will cost £3,000. Herr Krupp has left £25,000 to be used for the benefit of the inhabitants of Essen, and he desires his son and successor to set aside £20,000 for a charitable fund in aid of the workmen of the establishment, which fund is to be managed by a committee of workmen and officials.

GLADSTONE'S U. S. INVITATION.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Commenting on the invitations to Gladstone from the executive committee to attend the centennial celebration at Philadelphia of the adoption of the American constitution, the *Times* says: "Englishmen will not fail to gratefully recognize the kindly feeling that prompted the invitation. We are sorry as Mr. Gladstone was chosen that he is unable to accept, but we find it difficult to discover how the conclusion was arrived at that Gladstone was peculiarly fitted to represent England on such an occasion. We should hardly select Blaine to represent the United States if an English celebration were in question."

THE EXETER THEATRE HORROR.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Dr. Bell, who has been examining the heaps of human remains deposited in the stable yard near the Theatre Royal, reports having found forty-eight trunks of bodies, but it is impossible to identify any of them. The total number of corpses so far found is 170. The subscription for the families of the victims now amounts to $5,000 and is rapidly increasing. The coroner's jury visited the ruins of the theatre to-day with Mr. Bell, and then went to the hospital and took the testimony of some of the injured. The inquest was adjourned until Friday.

THE EX-AMEER.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Ayoob Khan tried to enter Afghanistan several days since, but was driven back and is now in tho Ghsceu district.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

Indians in War Paint Killing Settlers.—Another Fillibustering Expedition to Cuba.

Warrant to Issue for McGarigle.—O'Brien on Trial.—The Fisheries Question.—Anarchist Trials.

THE AUTHOR ABROAD.

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Robt. Louis Stevenson, the English romancer and author is at the Victoria hotel, having arrived here yesterday from England. He is travelling for his health and will spend the winter in Indianapolis where Mrs. Stevenson was born and will then continue his trip across the continent to California, going thence to Australia.

O'BRIEN ON TRIAL.

DUBLIN, Sept. 8.—The chief event in Ireland this week will be the prosecution of Wm. O'Brien in Mitchellstown to-morrow. Already Labouchere and Brunner, members of parliament, have arrived in Dublin en route for Mitchellstown, with the intention of witnessing the proceedings in court. Dillon and several other Irish members will also go down Friday, and immense concourse of people from Cork and the surrounding countries will assemble and demonstrate.

THE FISHERIES QUESTION.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—The government organ in Canada has the following to-day and it is official: It is understood on excellent authority that although the exact working of the fisheries commission is not known here, still sufficient of its nature has been ascertained to warrant the assumption that it will not be strictly confined to the consideration of the fisheries question proper, and the scope of the commission will be sufficiently large to enable the commissioners to exercise discretionary powers to consider and report upon commercial questions. Thus the whole matter relating to the fisheries, including any measure in the way of reciprocal arrangements for interchange of commodities and mutual rearrangements of certain trade relations between the U. S. and Canada may, it is believed, become subjects for consideration by the commission. This will be a cause for congratulation as it leads to the hope that through the instrumentality of the commission an amicable and satisfactory settlement on a permanent basis of this long pending question may be arrived at.

NUMBER OF VICTIMS.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The number of victims by the Theatre Royal fire is now estimated at 188.

THE ANARCHIST TRIALS.

OTTAWA, Ill., Sept. 8.—The latest rumor here in regard to the anarchist cases is to the effect that there is too much difference of opinion among the justices as to the form the decision should take, and the probability is now that no decision will be filed this term but the whole matter will go over to the spring term.

CANADIANS AFTER M'GARIGLE.

MONTREAL, Sept. 8.—The indictment drawn up against the Chicago boodler, McGarigle, which will be presented to the jury to-day, charges McGarigle, W. R. Pinkerton, and Michael Hickey, of Chicago, with having conspired to injure Jas. Baxter by making false evidence against him in a criminal case before the courts here, and by placing his photograph in the "rogue's gallery" in Chicago. There are four counts. As soon as a true bill is found a bench warrant will be issued and forwarded to Detective Kellert and the American officers who have been shadowing the fugitive ever since he arrived in Canada. Crown Prosecutor Greenshield says he has no fears regarding the indorsement of the warrant by Ontario magistrates, and believes they will not ignore the jurisdiction of the highest criminal court in the Dominion.

APACHES ON THE WAR PATH.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., Sept. 8.—News was received this morning that a small band of Apaches are depredating Bavisbe and Optus, and killing cattle. Four Mexicans also proved victims. Dr. W. K. Perkins was killed by Indians yesterday in Sierra County.

YAQUIS RAIDING THE SETTLEMENTS.

TUCSON, Ariz., Sept. 8.—The Yaquis made a descent lately on ranches near Yaqui River, killing 2 men. They have been forced back to their villages by state troops.

MORE OPIUM SEIZURES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—Peter Johnson, fireman on the steamer Empire, which arrived in port yesterday from British Columbia, was arrested last evening by a customs inspector for smuggling opium. The officer found a can containing the drug in Johnson's possession. Johnson endeavored to explain by saying that when he bought the can at Nanaimo he thought it contained oil.

MORE CUBAN PATRIOTS.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 8.—A Cuban expedition is believed to have sailed from here several days ago, intending to land upon the eastern portion of the island and join Matagasas and other guerrilla bands of the interior. The party is led by one Bercabien and armed with repeating rifles, improved revolvers, etc., and is well supplied with dynamite. Other parties are said to be arranging to follow from here, New Orleans, Jamaica, and other points soon.

A NEW VOLCANO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—H. H. McIntyre, supt. of the Alaska Commercial Co., who has just returned from the north, says a snow-covered mountain, 7,000 feet high, on Acoutan Island, Ounalaska, a month ago began to belch forth fire and ashes and has been steadily at it ever since. The natives in the vicinity are severely frightened.

A DOUBTFUL REPORT.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 8.—It leaked out to-day that Sir Jno. A. Macdonald has written prominent Conservatives in this province, threatening that if the province continues its opposition to the federal government he will certainly go to the extreme limit and send in troops to quell those whom he is pleased to call rebels.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

Great Loss of Vessels on the Newfoundland Coast.—Gladstone's Reply to the American Invitation.

SARA A PILGRIM.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Sara Bernhardt has been on a pilgrimage to Lourdes, and Parisians are speculating as to whether she is about to return to the nunnery.

GLADSTONE TO AMERICA.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Gladstone has replied to the invitation to the centennial celebration of the adoption of the American constitution at Philadelphia. In it he says: "Had I any option in the case I could not but accept; but limitations on my strength and time, and necessary pressure of engagements, make me know too well that I have none. I must, therefore, decline the most flattering proposal I have ever received."

LOSSES OF NEWFOUNDLAND VESSELS.

ST. JOHNS, N.F., Sept. 8.—Reports received here to-day state that during a gale on Aug. 26th, an unknown vessel was wrecked on the beach of Langley Island, near St. Pierre, and as no trace of her crew has yet been found, it is feared that they must all have perished. Several large vessels went ashore on Dog Island, near St. Pierre, and in many cases became total wrecks. One hundred thousand dollars will not cover the damage to property sustained by Newfoundland vessels that were driven on the banks during the storm. French fishing cherrevel reports having passed large vessels bottom up on the banks. There are as many as 5 banking schooners missing from Burin, 5 from Grand Bank, and one from Burgeo.

SOCIALISTIC RIOT.

ROTTERDAM, Sept. 8.—Meinwhuin, the Socialist agitator, was tendered a reception last night by the Socialists of this city. A crowd stoned the building where the reception was being held and tore down and burned the Socialist flag. Several men forced an entrance into the house and smashed the Socialist emblems and made a general wreck of furniture. The Socialists fled through the back door. The police charged the mob and succeeded in dispersing it. Quiet was not restored until midnight.

THE PROGRESS OF MEDICAL ENLIGHTENMENT has led to the abandonment of many antiquated remedies of questionable value, and the adoption of newer and more rational ones. Prominent among the latter is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, the justly celebrated Blood Purifier, a comprehensive family remedy for liver complaint, constipation, indigestion, loss of physical energy, and female complaints.

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Thursday Evening, Sept. 8, 1887.

It is to be hoped some permanent good will result *from* the conference about to take place in Washington for the purpose of securing an arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States. The British deputation comes out under the auspices of the London Peace Society, and will carry with it the earnest sympathy of thousands of prominent men everywhere. If an international arbitration treaty can be successfully negotiated between Great Britain and the United States, the foundation will be laid for universal arbitration under international laws, and the barbarous custom of settling disputes by force of arms will come to an end. It is not creditable to civilization that this custom has so long prevailed. If different nations can justify an appeal to arms for the purpose of settling misunderstandings between themselves, the justification may be stretched so as to cover duelling and personal violence. It has been said that the awards made in the two arbitrations between the United States and Great Britain were very unsatisfactory, and in many senses unjust; but if the two nations had gone to war over these disputes the results must in any case have been a thousand times more disastrous, besides involving an immense sacrifice of innocent lives. By all means let us adopt the principle of international arbitration; and if once in a while the results may be disappointing, nevertheless the end will show how much wiser and better it is to suffer wrong sometimes than to become responsible for the indescribable horrors of war. The success of the movement now seems to depend upon the spirit in which it is received by the United States government. If the British deputation is heartily received, and the government at Washington takes the proposal into favorable consideration, there is *much reason to hope for success.*

Our esteemed cotemporary of the *Herald* comes to us again with a whole column of endeavor to misrepresent the utterances of the COLUMBIAN. It would certainly be unprofitable to follow him through this vast array of words, but we shall briefly point out one or two samples of the whole. In a former article our cotemporary put forward the fact that the representatives of Manitoba in the house of commons voted for disallowance in proof of his contention that the agitation against it was confined to a small minority. We disputed this evidence, and referred to the well-known fact that Manitoba was deceived into electing pledged supporters of the government by the assurance that the disallowance policy would be abandoned by the government. In voting for disallowance, therefore, the Manitoba members were not representing the views of their constituents. On this foundation our cotemporary imputes to this journal the doctrine that legislation is not binding if any one chooses to suppose that a majority of the representatives were influenced by party considerations! "This is the rankest rubbish," says our cotemporary — and we quite agree with him—but it was never uttered by us! Once more our cotemporary endeavors to justify his assertion that the editor of the COLUMBIAN promised to shoulder his musket and assist the rebellious Manitobans to defy the federal authorities, and this is his proof: "Such an outrage would instantly kindle a thousand camp fires throughout Canada, and willing hands would be stretched out everywhere to help the weak against the strong." Now, this is the basis on which our cotemporary makes the astonishing assertion that we promised to shoulder our musket and join the rebels! And *ab uno disce omnes*, for this is a fair example of our cotemporary's style in controversy. The words quoted were written months ago, and referred to a hint that an armed force might be employed to compel the abandonment of the disallowed railway. And in the light of subsequent events it was a remarkably shrewd prophesy, for when it became rumored that Sir John had asked for imperial troops for this purpose, indignation fired the people of Canada to such an extent that Sir John made all haste to deny publicly that he had ever done anything of the sort. Our readers will see how ridiculous are the inferences and *conclusions* reached by our cotemporary from premises that are distorted and misapplied in the most unreasonable way to suit his own ends.

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NOTICE.

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1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from the 16th day of August to the 8th day of October, 1887, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings or trial of causes triable or proposed to be tried elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any judgment where such matter has been argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

4. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with applications for judgment under Rule 27 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1880.

5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules are substituted for the Rules of Court published in the "British Columbia *Gazette*" of 4th August, 1887, and may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1887."

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
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FASHION NOTES.

—Very pretty visiting toilets for young girls are made of checked surah. The skirt is plaited. The bodice is a long waisted jacket, remaining wide open in front. A pretty model of this style is in a large check pattern of three or four shades of colors—heliotrope, china-blue, old pink and myrtle-green—each square of the check is divided from the other by a fine streak of old-gold color. The opening of the fronts shows a vest of dark colored heliotrope, open in the shape of a V and finished at the waist by a velvet sash, not above two inches deep, the end of which is lost in a sheath of silk passementerie. A chemisette of cream-colored surah is visible in the opening of the vest. It is gathered round the neck on to a small turned-up collar of heliotrope velvet.

Another for a miss of 10 was of china-blue zephyr, with trimmings of cream embroidery; neck and waistband of cream insertion, with silver buckle.

Another was of cream nun's veiling, with a flounce of cream lace, chemisette of cream lace, cuffs and collar of poppy-red velvet, poppy-red cord and pompons. This is for a miss 4 or 6 years.

A dress for a young girl of 8 or 10 was of oak spotted delaine, bows of velvet on shoulders and loop and bows at the waist.

A very pretty dress for a youngster of 4 or 6 years was of blue and pink striped zephyr, with flounce of lace at the bottom. The back and front were trimmed with lace and the under-sleeves were lace.

A dress for a girl of more mature years was of coral-pink and green check washing silk. Panel cuffs and collar of green velvet; front of cream canvas; oxidized buttons.

A dress for a little one of from 2 to 3 years was of biscuit openwork embroidery, with sash and shoulder bows of poppy-red ribbon.

A pretty model for a miss of 15 is of elephant-gray Sicilienne. It is a sort of redingote dress, in the princess shape in front, and with a skirt added on at the back. The fronts open down to the waist, with border of elephant-gray velvet showing beyond, between which appears a chemisette of alezan-brown surah. From the waist down to the foot of the skirt there are two more velvet borders, which gradually widen down to the edge of the dress, and a plaited tablier of alezan-brown surah. At the back the skirt is put on in full plaits from the waist-line. The sleeves are particularly pretty. They are in the shape of coat-sleeves, only they are entirely plaited and fitted on to the lining, with puffings at the arm-hole and at the bend of the elbow, and are finished with a wristband of alezan-brown velvet; the standing-up collar is of the same. Hat entirely veiled over with gray tulle. The rather high crown is of gray moire ribbon, and the brim of fine gray straw, turned up with gray velvet. By way of trimming, a band of the moire ribbon and a large cockade bow of the same. With both the above toilets pretty filoselle stockings of the color of the dress should be worn, with boots of dull or glazed kid and small American tips. Gloves of unglazed kid or of silk.

—*Cloaks for traveling use are indispensable* at this season. They are always long, and they cover the costume fully. The shape most used has a rolled sleeve starting from the back seam and skirt gathered in the back, or with redingote plaits, cording or passementerie, falls over the skirt. These cloaks are of water proof silk, Scotch plaid serge, summer vigogne, summer "limousine," mohair and light cloth. Some models have Watteau plaits in the back, ironed down, and the slightly fulled fronts are sewed to the waist of the garment. Cording covers the part where the waist and skirt are joined. Another style is plaited down the whole front and has several small collars reaching to the shoulder. A number of very light garments are of silk etamine or woolen goods in beige or "ficelle" colors, lined with colored silks. The favorite tones for traveling garments are light brown, bluish gray, smoke gray or beige gray. Some traveling dresses in course of making for bridal trousseaus are of Scotch plaid woolen goods, with blue or beige grounds. The jackets are of plain cloth in the darkest color of the suit or of fancy-ribbed or curled goods.

—Woolen costumes are trimmed with wide and narrow galloons. There are many kinds of galloons, a favorite style being a combination of light woolen tissue and gold, silver, bronze, or steel metal. Steel is more favored than other metals. There are also mohair and velvet galloons, which are either plain or worked with silk, worsted or beads. This trimming is arranged on the lower part of the skirts in wheel-shaped designs, or it forms rows one above the other. Narrow galloons serves for trimming waists, gumpes or vests, and the yokes of blouses. These galloons also form lengthwise panels down the sides of the skirts, when the overdress or polonaise opens to show this trimming. Many polonaises are worn over skirts made in this manner. Sometimes the skirt is plain, and the polonaise has designs, checks, etc. Waists in blouse style are plaited or gathered. They produce the effect of being loose, but they are made over tight-fitting linings.

A Fortune in Dispute.

Colonel Reynolds, of South Carolina, who recently died, was deemed one of the richest farmers in that state. His estate is estimated to amount to about $500,000. Some fifty years ago, being sorely disappointed in respect to an anticipated marriage, and being also a slaveholder, he took one of his female slaves as a concubine, and practically made her his wife, without any marriage ceremony, and lived with her as such up to to the time of his death. By her he had a large family of mulatto children, for whom he amply provided, and several of whom received a liberal education.

A few hours prior to his death Colonel Reynolds made his will, and drew the will with his own hand, thereby giving almost his entire estate to the Negro woman with whom he had lived as a wife and the mulatto children born to him by her. He had sisters and other relations who intend to dispute the validity of the will. Eminent lawyers who have examined the instrument, have expressed the opinion that it is legally constructed in every respect. We suppose that there is no doubt as to the question whether, under the laws of South Carolina, he had the legal right thus to dispose of his property.

And we add that we have no doubt as to whether, in the circumstances as existing, he did the right and honorable thing by this woman and her children. She had been practically his wife for nearly half a century, and, under the rules of the common law, was his wife; and her children were his children. To have treated them otherwise would have been in an and contemptible to the last degree.

It is all well enough to say there is nothing in a name; but suppose a man named Slaughter should start a summer hotel, and call it Slaughter House?

A Veritable Poem of Poems.

A Lady of San Francisco is said to have occupied a year in hunting up and fitting together the following thirty-eight lines from thirty-eight English poets. The names of the authors are given below:

1. Why all this toil for the triumphs of an hour?
2. Life's a short summer, man a flower;
3. By turns we catch the vital breath, and die;
4. The cradle and the tomb, alas! so nigh.
5. To be is better far than not to be,
6. Though all man's life may seem a tragedy;
7. *But light cares speak when weighty cares* are dumb,
8. The bottom is but shallow whence they come.
9. Your fate is but the common fate of all;
10. Unmingled joys here to no man befall.
11. Nature to each allots her proper sphere,
12. Fortune makes folly her peculiar care;
13. *Custom does often reason overrule,*
14. And throw a cruel sunshine on a fool.
15. Live well, how long, how short, permit to heaven.
16. They who forgive most shall be most forgiven.
17. Sin may be clasped so close we cannot see its face—
18. *Vile intercourse where virtue has not place;*
19. Then keep each passion down however dear;
20. Thou pendulum betwixt a smile and tear;
21. Her sensual snares, let faithless pleasure lay
22. With craft and skill to ruin and betray.
23. Soar not too high to fall, but stoop to rise,
24. We masters grow of all that we despise:
25. Oh, then, renounce that impious self-esteem;
26. *Riches have wings, and grandeur is a dream.*
27. Think not ambition wise because 'tis brave,
28. The path of glory leads but to the grave.
29. What is ambition? 'Tis a glorious cheat,
30. Only destructive to the brave and great.
31. What's all the gaudy glitter of a crown?
32. The way to bliss lies not on beds of down.
33. How long we live, not years, but actions, tell;
34. That man lives twice who lives the first life well.
35. Make then, while yet ye may, your God your friend,
36. Whom Christians worship, yet not comprehend.
37. The trust that's given guard, and to yourself be just;
38. For, live we how we can, yet die we must.

1. Young; 2. Dr. Johnson; 3. Pope; 4. Prior; 5. Sewell; 6. Spencer; 7. Daniel; 8. Sir Walter Raleigh; 9. Longfellow; 10. Southwell; 11. Congreve; 12. Churchill; 13. Rochester; 14. Armstrong; 15. Milton; 16. Baily; 17. Trench; 18. Summerville; 19. Thompson; 20. Byron; 21. Smollett; 22. Crabbe; 23. Massinger; 24. Crowley; 25. Beattie; 26. Cowper; 27. Sir Walter Davenant; 28. Gray; 29. Willis; 30. Addison; 31. Dryden; 32. Francis Quarles; 33. Watkins; 34. Herrick; 35. William Mason; 36. Hill; 37. Dana; 38. Shakespeare.

Home.

A home is not a mere shelter from the weather, nor is it only a place in which to lodge and eat; nor yet is it a showroom for furniture or a museum for bric-a-brac. It is the living place, where the courtesies of life are to be cultivated and where health and happiness, peace and prosperity are to combine to make life a sublime joy.

Home should be the neatest and most beautiful house your means can provide. If you cannot afford a whole house, take part of a house. See that the situation is healthful, the outlook as pleasant as possible and the plumbing, drains and ventilation in good order. Then keep every part of the place perfectly clean.

Have a place for everything, and see that everything is in its place. Allow no dirt holes in closets or corners. See that the cellar is as clean and tidy as the parlor. Much disease comes from decaying vegetables and stale rubbish-heaps in foul cellars.

Require everybody to be absolutely neat and careful in the use of the bathroom and its belongings.

Dont make your garret a storehouse for what ought to be sent to the junk-shop or thrown away. Some people keep as food for many generations of moths old clothes, which might be given to the poor or sold.

If the home contains a musical instrument, learn to play on it, so that the music will be a delight and not a bore to those who listen.

Every meal ought to be a pleasant festivity, however plain the fare. Bring to the table all the joyful good cheer you have. Pleasant conversation at table is a delightful seasoning for meals. It keeps off dyspepsia too.

Every one who lives in the home should contribute his or her full share of all that helps to make home happy. Any one who is sulky, or sour, or cross, ought not to come to the table, but should go to some private corner, or to the cellar, rather than shed gloom over the others.

However tired or overworked you may be, it is no reason for being growly or severe. We all have our burdens to bear. Let us bear them cheerfully.

Make friends and neighbors and guests welcome when they enter the house, and bid them heartily make themselves at home.

Parents should make home the place to which their children will look back with tender and loving memories, however far they may wander from it in their after life.—Home life and home surroundings have a powerful influence on the *next generation.*

Polyglot Perplexities.

A person speaking only the English language may meet with amusing incidents while travelling in Europe. For example, an English clergyman stopping at a Swiss hotel, desiring ink, got out his "phrasebook," looked carefully through to find the French word for ink, and failing in his search, concluded to sail in on his English. He rang his bell and the chamber-maid came to the door. "Will you bring me some ink?" said he. She stood statue-like, and he repeated, "Ink! ink!" She went out, but very soon returned and asked him, partly in French and in poor English, whether he would have it warmed. Again, on one occasion, I gave a railroad conductor in Germany a small silver coin in order to have the compartment we were in all to ourselves. After riding some distance we came to a station where he was replaced by another conductor. Before leaving he came and spoke to us in German. Supposing he desired to see our tickets, I extended my hand with them, at which he shook his head. We then thought we must change cars again, having ridden twenty miles without doing so, and all rose, at which movement he a second time shook his head. We next decided that it certainly must be time to have our baggage vised, as it was four hours since the last examination, and we accordingly pulled down our valises and started for the door, whereupon the conductor not only shook his head, but pushed us back and shut *the door.* We afterwards learned that he, through innate politeness, and in return, no doubt, for the silver coin I had given him, was simply endeavoring to bid us good-by.

While going up the Rhine we saw four English gentlemen on the deck sitting together; they called a waiter and ordered *lemonade for four. The man went* away, was gone nearly half an hour, and at last appeared with ham and eggs for four. Nor was he far astray, as to the sound of the order, different in nature as were the viands he brought, as anybody with a bad cold will perceive if he will repeat the words ham and eggs and lemonade alternately.

Business Directory.

The following Business Directory relates only to persons whose advertisements appear in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN. It has been found true, as a rule, that persons who advertise liberally are liberal in their dealings, and many persons make it a rule to give preference in their dealings to those establishments which advertise freely. *The following list is arranged alphabetically:*

LEGAL.

T. C. Atkinson.....Columbia St
W. Norman Bole.....Columbia St
Branch Office at Vancouver.
Corbould & McColl.....McKenzie St
Branch Office at Vancouver.

MEDICAL.

Dr. H. M. Cooper.....Church St
Dr. J. C. Henderson.....Chilliwhack, B. C.
Dr. I. M. McLean.....McKenzie St
Dr. DeWolfe Smith.....Clarkson St

INSURANCE.

W. J. Armstrong [fire]... .....Court House
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
T. R. Pearson [fire & life].....Columbia St
Rand Bros. [fire, life & accid't]......McKenzie St
Branch Offices at Vancouver & Vic.
Turner, Beeton & Co. [fire].....Victoria
Woods, Turner & Gamble
[fire, life & accident].....Columbia St

REAL ESTATE AGENCIES.

W. N. Bole.....Columbia St
Corbould & McColl.....McKenzie St
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

ARCHITECT, &c.

G. W. Grant.....McKenzie St

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

Ackerman Bros.....New Westminster
Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

BRICK-MAKERS.

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st
Manahan Bros.....New Westminster
Elroy O'Brien.....Port Haney

AUCTIONEERS.

T. J. Trapp.....Columbia St

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

AGRICULTTRAL IMPLEMENTS.

W. H. Jenkins..Westminster & Chilliwh'k

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

D. Lyal & Co.....Columbia st

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

T. R. Pearson.. .....Columbia St

PRINTING & RULING.

The Columbian Steam Printing Establishment.....Columbia St

STOVES & TINWARE.

H. M. Cunningham & Co.....Columbia St

GAS FITTINGS.

H. M. Cunningham & Co. .....Columbia St

SEWING MACHINES.

C. J. Robson.....Columbia St

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

W. R. Austin .....Front St
C. G. Major.....Columbia St
Wm. McColl.....Columbia St
C. McDonough.....Front St

DRY GOODS.

Bon Marche.....Columbia St
I. X. L.....Vancouver
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St

DRESSMAKING.

Bon Marche.....Columbia st
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia st
Misses McDougall.....Columbia st

TAILORING.

F. M. Leahy.....Columbia st

WOOD & COAL.

W. R. Austin.....Front st
Henry Elliott [Orders left at W. McColl's]

DRUGS, &c.

D. S. Curtis & Co.....Columbia St

BUTCHERS.

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS

F. Crake.....Columbia St
Thomas Gifford.....Front st
F. Stirsky.....Columbia St

BLACKSMITHING & CARRIAGE WORKS.

Thos. Ovens.....Columbia St
Reid & Currie.....Columbia St
J. E. Sulley.....Douglas st

HOTELS.

Colonial (Pither).....Columbia st
Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St

LIVERY, &C.

Mainland Transfer Co.....Columbia St

BOOTS & SHOES.

G. H. Grant & Co.....Columbia St
H. Kelly.....Columbia St
Wm. Ross.....Columbia St

SOAP-MAKERS.

Pendray & Co.....Victoria

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

NURSERIES.

G. W. Henry.....Port Hammond
E. Hutcherson.....Ladners

MONUMENTAL.

Alex. Hamilton.....Church st
Rudge & Monck.....New Westminster

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Andrzejewski and John Mekisko has this day been dissolved and that the undersigned is the only person entitled to deal with the property of the *late partnership and to receive the debts* due said partnership.

J. W. ANDRZEJEWSKI.
Dated 25th August, 1887. dwau25m1

Boys Wanted

—TO—

SELL THE DAILY COLUMBIAN.

ONE OR TWO SMART BOYS ARE wanted to sell the DAILY COLUMBIAN in the city. A boy who knows his business and isn't afraid to "holler" can make 50 cts. for an hour's work every evening. Apply at this Office. dau20tc

TO AGENTS

THE CANADIAN NEEDLE CO., 46 & 48 Front St. East, Toronto, get up the Neatest and most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 4, finished in Fine Plush. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

Don't worry if you are out of employment. Write to Mr. Kowdy, 41 Wellington Street East, Toronto. Send stamps for reply. dwmy12m6

The British Columbia AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

EXHIBITION

OF 1887

WILL BE HELD AT THE GROUNDS of the Chilliwhack Agricultural Society AT CENTREVILLE, on

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday,

26TH, 27TH AND 30TH SEPT., 1887.

The pamphlets of the Association will be distributed in a few days.

The Chilliwhack Agricultural Fair Ground has been enlarged and contains 4 acres of ground and is well furnished with commodious sheds and pens for stock. The Agricultural Hall is under way and will be finished in a short time.

A. C. WELLS,
President.

GEO. W. CHADSEY,
Secretary B.C. Ag'l Ass'n.
Sumas, B. C., Aug. 11, 1887. dwau12td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 480 acres of land situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, and described as follows:

Commencing at the N. E. corner of the S. E. ¼ of Sec. 6; thence North 40 chains; thence West 80 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence East 40 chains; thence North 40 chains; thence East 40 chains, to point of commencement.

H. D. HELMCKEN.
Victoria, B. C., June 18, 1887. dje25m2

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 480 acres of land [more or less] situate on Texada Island, New Westminster District, and described as follows:

Commencing at the N.W. corner of N.E. ¼ of Sec. 6; thence South 80 chains; thence East 5 chains to shore line; thence following meanderings of shore line in a northwesterly direction, 130 chains [more or less]; thence East 85 chains [more or less] to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., June 18, 1887. dje25m2

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 480 acres of land on Texada Island, New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at the S. E. corner of S.W. ¼ of Sec. 3; thence East 40 chains; thence South 80 chains; thence West to shore line; thence following meanderings of shore line in a north-westerly direction to S. E. corner of Sec. 4; thence North 10 chains [more or less]; thence East 40 chains; thence North 40 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES LUMBERT SMITH.
Victoria, B. C., June 20, 1887. dje25m2

D. S. CURTIS & CO.

Wholesale and Retail

DRUGGISTS!

New Westminster, B. C.
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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

SPRING ASSIZES.

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Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....7th June.

[On Mainland]

New Westminster..Wednesday...4th May.
Kamloops.....Monday.....6th June.
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland]

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept.
Clinton.....Wednesday..28th Sept.
Kamloops.....Monday.....3rd Oct.
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday...9th Nov.

[On Vancouver Island]

Victoria.....Monday.....28th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th December.
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To San Francisco, Cal.,

BY WAY OF THE

Oregon and California R. R.

AND CONNECTIONS.

THE MT. SHASTA ROUTE.

Quicker in Time than any other Route between

New Westminster and San Francisco.

Grand Scenic Route of the Pacific Coast.

ONLY TWENTY MILES STAGING

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Between Portland and Ashland, Cole's and San Francisco.

Fare from Portland to Sacramento and San Francisco:—Limited First Class, $25; unlimited, $30; limited emigrant, $15.

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E. P. ROGERS,
dje28tc Gen. Freight & Pass. Agent.

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"Treatment by Absorption has for some time been recognized by Medical Men to be the most simple and effectual means of conveying to Diseased Organs, "Curatives," but in cases of Kidney Disease and Complaints attendant thereon, successful treatment was practicably impossible until *the introduction of the Starr Kidney* Pad. It costs less than a single prescription and is immeasurably *more decisive and effective than any quantity of internal Medicinal dosing.* Worn immediately over the seat of Disease, its curative properties become absorbed by the diseased and enfeebled Organs, continuously and directly, as required to insure in return their healthy action and original vigour. It is comforiable to the patient and pleasant in its effects, and cures when nothing else can. The Starr Kidney Pad accomplishes positive, decisive results. A more valuable discovery as a true remedy for Kidney Diseases was never made.—*Medical Gazette*

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INSTITUTED 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES & OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Vessels; also, Ships building and repairing, Barges and other Vessels on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland and in Foreign Countries,

FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

Subscribed and Invested Capital,

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W. J. ARMSTRONG,
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Confederation Life

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Guarantee Capital.....$1,000,000

Full Gov'm't Deposit

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, CANADA

A HOME COMPANY.

This Association merits the confidence the Public is reposing in it from the following FACTS:—

The Security offered to policy holders is unsurpassed by any Company doing business in Canada.

It has no schemes of insurance, but the well-established lines, hence the policy holders cannot be misled as to their contracts.

Its statements to the public can be readily understood, its cash statement showing every item of income and how expended.

Its position is ascertained annually from a detailed valuation in which every item of liability is included.

Its progress has been unexampled in the history of insurance in Canada.

Its policies are indisputable after three years, and non-forfeitable after two years' existence.

Its profits are distributed upon an equitable basis. *The profits to one class of* policy holders are not lessened to give larger profits to any other class, which method affords superior advantages over the uniform bonus plan of distribution.

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J. K. MacDONALD,
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Agent, New Westminster
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In all shades and material of DRESS GOODS, including Cashmeres, Merinos, Silks, Satins, Black and Colored Velveteens and Plushes. COTTONS (bleached and unbleached). LININGS, BUTTONS, HOLLANDS, &c. Grey, White, Scarlet and Checked FLANNELS. LADIES GLOVES, in Cotton, Wool, Silk and Kid. Ladies Merino and Lamb Wool Vests. JERSEYS, all prices. Hosiery, Muslins, Diaper Irish Linen, Brilliants, &c., &c.

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For Quality, Style, Fit and Price, can't be touched.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

In every Line. Cotton, Merino and Wool Underwear, White Shirts, Cuffs, Collars, Gloves, Braces, Cardigan Jackets, &c. Also, Cotton, Merino, Cashmere, Lambs Wool and Knit SOCKS, in great variety.

Also, HATS and CAPS, Ladies' and Gents' RUBBER GOODS and UMBRELLAS.

In House Furnishing Goods

Carpets, Rugs, Window Poles with Rings and Mountings, Window Holland (Buff, Green and Striped), Damask and Cretonnes, Sheetings, Towels, White Counterpanes, Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens, Napkins, Tickings, Blankets and Arctic-down Quits, Table Cloths and Covers.

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Everything found in a first-class Establishment, and none but the best. Canned Goods, Fruits, Meats and Vegetables.

I don't offer Cheap Goods. I don't buy them or keep them, but I offer you the best and at the lowest price they can be sold at, and you get what we represent dac28tc

COLONIAL HOTEL.

New Westminster, B. C.

THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN RECENTLY RENOVATED THROUGHOUT, AND is now one of the finest Hotels in the Province. A new Office and Sitting Room just added. Headquarters for Tourists and Commercial Men. Sample Rooms. Bath Rooms, etc. Table supplied with the best in the market. Rooms large and well furnished. New management since April of this year.

LUKE PITHER, Proprietor.

☞ **Strictly First-Class in Every Respect.** dwau23tc

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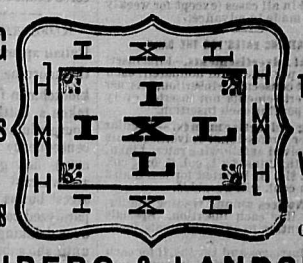

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Next Door to Marten's Grocery,

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University of Kings College, Windsor, N.S., and Graduate of the Provincial Normal College, Fton, N. B.

ASSISTANT IN ENGLISH, DRAWING, &c.:

THOS. F. WATSON, Esq., Certificated by the Science and Art Department of S. Kensington, London, G. B.

INSTRUCTOR IN FRENCH & GERMAN:—**MONS. HENRI JORAND.**

PIANO:—**E. MARVIN, Esq.**

BRASS OR STRING INSTRUMENTS:—**Prof. F. H. BAERNSTEIN.**

Additional Visiting Teachers will be obtained should the necessity arise.

The Christmas Term will Open Wednesday, August 17th, 1887.

In the **Classical Course** pupils will be prepared for the Universities; and in the **Business Course** for positions in the Mercantile Houses of the Province. In the latter Course TYPE-WRITING and SHORT-HAND may be learned. The **Modern Language Course** is directed by a Gentleman of large experience, and under him pupils enjoy the advantages of an accomplished native teacher. The School is outside the City, and by the Sea-side, with 5 acres of Play-ground. Fine bracing air. Boating, Salt-water Bathing, Cricket, Foot-ball, &c. *Not an accident or case of illness among 80 pupils last year.* Best School in the Province for Pupils requiring thorough teaching and attention. Good references required. **Charges moderate.** Circulars, Testimonials, and copy of School Newspaper, on application to

REV. C. J. BRENTON.

VICTORIA, July 30th, 1887. dwaulm1

BRITISH COLUMBIA

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The Business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a general Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

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Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwje7tc

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Total Funds, $18,000,000

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Risks Taken at Rates as Low as any other Reliable Comp'y.

T. R. PEARSON,

doc7tc AGENT.

NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT of Kootenay will be held at Donald, on Tuesday, the 20th proximo.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
5th August, 1887. dau13m1

W. R. AUSTIN,

DEALER IN

General Merchandise!

A large Assortment of

DRY GOODS

—AND—

GROCERIES

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Hay and Feed

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

WOOD AND COAL DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

We run two stages daily, except Sundays, to Port Moody, carrying H.M.S. mails.

As no liquor or tobacco is used we can by temperate habits and careful economy serve the public at especially low rates.

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THE DAILY COLUMBIAN

PUBLISHED

Every Afternoon except Sunday,

BY THE

BRITISH COLUMBIAN PRINTING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

At the Company's Steam Printing Establishment, Columbia St.

BY MAIL:

For 12 months	$8 00
For 6 months	4 25
For 3 months	2 25

DELIVERED IN THE CITY:

For 12 months	$10 00
For 6 months	5 25
Per month	90
Per week	25

Payment in all cases (except for weekly rate) to be made in advance.

ADVERTISING RATES FOR THE DAILY.

Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 2 cts. per line. Advertisements not inserted every day, 5 cts. per line each insertion.

Standing Advertisements.—Regular Business or Professional Advertisements will be received at following rates: 1 inch, $2 per month; 2 ins. $3; ¼ col. $5.80; ½ col. $9.75; 1 col. $18. If inserted for less than 3 mos. 10 per cent. will be added.

Special Notices among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion. Specials calling attention to advertisements, 10 cts. per line.

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 for each insertion; Funeral Notices in connection with deaths, 50 cts. each insertion.

Auction Sales, when displayed, charged 25 per cent. less than transient advts. If solid, charged at regular transient rates.

THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Wednesday Morning.

Delivered in the City, per year	$3.00
Mailed, per year	2.00
Mailed, 6 months	1.25

WEEKLY ADVERTISING RATES.

Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; subsequent insertions, 5 cts. per line.

Standing Advertisements.—For 1 inch, $1.50 per month; 2 ins. $2 per m.; 3 ins. $2.90 per m.; 1 col. $12.75 per m. If inserted for less than 3 mos. 10 per cent. will be added to these rates.

Special notices among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion.

Cuts must be all metal, and for large cuts an extra rate will be charged. No advt. inserted in either issue for less than $1.

☞Persons sending in advertisements should be careful to state whether they are to appear in the *Daily Edition*, or the Weekly, or both.

D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice.....W. S. Gore
Parlor Concert.....Wizard Oil Troupe
Wanted.....Mrs. Curtis

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Sept. 8, 1887.

One car load of eastern freight arrived last night.

Temperature to-day—Maximum, 72 deg. Minimum, 69 deg.

The boiler and engine have been safely fitted into the new tug Falcon.

The Abyssinia left Victoria last night for Yokahama and Hong Kong.

The steamer Wm. Irving left for Hope this morning with passengers and a large cargo of freight.

Mr. Robt. Campbell, late of the Arlington in this city, has leased the Sunnyside Hotel, Vancouver.

The adjourned meeting of the council turned out to be no meeting at all, as neither mayor nor councillors put in an appearance.

Work is progressing rapidly on all the new blocks being erected, and if the present activity is kept up, the greater part of the out door labor will be completed before the rainy season sets in.

The Rifle Company, Capt. Scoullar commanding, paraded last night in the Drill Hall for their first drill of the season. The men presented a good appearance and performed the drill very satisfactorily. The company will parade every Wednesday night until the annual drill is finished.

It will be seen from another column that the Wizard Oil Co. has arranged to give a parlor concert in the Skating Rink to-morrow night. Those who have heard the company's performances on the streets need not be told that even better results may be looked for in the hall than could be obtained in the open air.

The conductor and trainmen of the suburban train have been in the past working 15 hours a day from one end of the month to the other. The officials, recognizing that this was more than ordinary human beings could stand, have made a change whereby each man gets one day off in four. It is expected the new arrangement will work very satisfactorily.

The steamer Rithet arrived last evening from Victoria at 7:30 o'clock, bringing a large number of passengers and 75 tons of freight. 50 tons of the freight is for the interior and up-river ports; the balance for this city. She cleared again this morning at 7 o'clock for Victoria with 1,000 cases of salmon and 100 tons of eastern merchandise which arrived via C. P. R.

Is there anything more annoying than having your corn stepped upon? Is there anything more delightful than getting rid of it? Holloway's Corn Cure will do it. Try it and be convinced.

AN INCORRECT STATEMENT.—The *Colonist* of the 6th states that in the case of city of Vancouver vs McDougall, Mr. Justice McCreight dissolved the injunction on Sunday. The injunction was dissolved on Saturday 3rd inst. and His Lordship wishes it to be distinctly understood that he does not attend to any business on a Sunday.

ANOTHER SKIPPER.—Millard Dyer, of the *Colonist*, has also skipped, and is probably now safely south of the boundary. Dyer is the person to whom was entrusted the task of getting up the special number of the *Colonist* illustrating this city. He and Scott left the province about the same time. These boodle fellows are really to be pitied, for some time or other they must make up their defalcations to the best of their ability or take the terrible consequences. There is no escape from the operations of eternal law.

Amos Hudgin, Toronto, writes: "I have been a sufferer from Dyspepsia for the past six years. All the remedies I tried proved useless, until Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspepsia Cure was brought under my notice. I have used two bottles with the best results, and can with confidence recommend it to those afflicted in like manner.

VEDDER CREEK BRIDGE—A gentleman from Upper Sumas tells us that the bridge over Vedder Creek was carried away some time ago, and has never been replaced. Vedder Creek, which was a small stream some years ago, has became quiet a river, and at present there is no way in crossing it. Our informent says that unless something is gone to make a crossing, a great many people will be prevented from sending stock and articles to the provincial exhibition at Chilliwhack. We should think this matter ought to receive immediate attention.

KLOOTCHMEN AND WHISKEY.—An Italian appeared at the police station this morning and complained that two klootchmen from up the river had taken a bottle of whiskey into his house while he was absent and the consequence was his wife (a klootchman) had got drunk. He wanted a warrant made out for their arrest but as his wife was lying in a paralyzed condition from the effect of over drinking nothing could be done until she sobered up sufficiently to give information against the guilty parties. The police will ferret out the offenders and give them a few good reasons why they should not repeat the offence again.

A RICH STRIKE OF COAL.—As our readers are aware Mr. John Dick has been engaged for some time in putting down a bore for Messrs. Dunsmuir & Sons, of Wellington Colleries' on their estate near the machine shops. The bore went down through 130 feet of loam, gravel and cement before the rock was reached. At a depth of a little over 200 feet from the surface Mr. Dick struck the Wellington seam of coal. The drill went through 7 feet, 8 inches of excellent hard coal, without a particle of rock or dirt. This is a splendid result for it proves a very large area of the company's property, and clearly indicates that coal will be king for many a long year yet. Mr. Bryden, the manager of the Wellington colieries, has decided to follow up his good fortune, and already another bore has been started further along Diver Lake, and not far from where the old dancing platform used to stand. The company and the district are to be congratulated on the magnificent prospect.—*Nunaimo Free Press.*

Presb tery of Columbia.

The Presbytery of Columbia met in the Presbyterian Church, Vancouver, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. There were present, Revs. R. Jamieson, T. Scouler, of this city; T. Thomson, Vancouver; J. Jaffary, Spallumcheen; J. Chisholm, Kamloops; G. C. Patterson, Chilliwhack; A. Tait, Langley; Jas. Cormack, Richmond; D. Fraser, and D. Macrae, Victoria; A. Dunn, Alberni; and Messrs. J. C. Brown, A. Flett, F. McCleery, and W. Sanders, elders. The Revs. Professor Bryce, Winnipeg; Walker, Scotland; E. Robson, and — Kennedy, of Vancouver, being present, were invited to sit with the presbytery as corresponding members. The next meeting of presbytery will be held in this city on the 13th of December.

Personal.

Geo. Jay and wife of Victoria arrived in this city to-day.

J. H. Todd, came over from Victoria last evening on the str. Rithet.

D. Chisholm M. P. left to-day for Harrison Hot Springs en route for Toronto and Montreal.

R. R. Giltner, the projector of the Electric Light Co. for this city, has gone over to Vancouver and will retuan in a few days.

H. A. Harrison of the Chemainus Saw Mill Co. came over from Victoria on the str Rithet last night and proceeded to Vancouver this afternoon.

Guests at the Colonial: Wm. Shannon, G. Williams, H. A. Harrison, Theo. L. Davie, J. H. Todd, Victoria; G. C. Walker, Ladners; E. A. Wadhams, W. H. Howell, Victoria. J. S. Middlebrook, E. Mallendaine, jr., Harry T. Denman, Vancouver; L. D. Roper, A. C. Elliott, Geo. Jay and wife, N. Robertson, Victoria.

A Strange Proceeding.

Yesterday afternoon when the Coroner and jury arrived at St. Mary's Hospital to view the body of Mrs. Wolford they were met by J. E. Lord the undertaker and Drs. Hall & Cooper. Mr. Lord forbid the coroner to enter the dead house and demanded the key from the policeman who had it in his possession. Lord said the body was in his care and he would not allow any one to touch it. Dr. Hall also stepped forward and wanted to know on whose authority the inquest was being held. The coroner explained to him that it was at the request of six citizens. Some further altercation took place and it was not until the coroner assured them that he was not going to make an immediate postmortem examination and read some law on the subject, that these gentlemen desisted from their attempt to block the inquiry. Had they been committed for contempt of court the proceeding would have been justifiable.

The Reckless Easterners.

A number of young men arrived a few days ago from eastern climes where they had heard much of the freedom and recklessness that is supposed to exist in this wild western country. Not satisfied with getting drunk and hauling each other about in no gentle manner, they proceeded to derastate the western portion of our city by tearing down the railing from the bridge near Capt. Robinsons house. This feat being performed to their entire satisfation the tenderfeet considered the damage done was sufficient for one night and returned to their lodging plessed with their fun and highly delighted with their first wild act on the Pacific Coast. Unfortunately the actions of these deluded young men were observed and the police were notified of the fact. The railing will now be replaced at the expense of these gentlemen and they have promised not to do it again.

Moral—Young man come west if you wish to but take a salt water bath as soon as possible after reaching the country.

Coroner's Inquest.

The jury empanneled to sit on the inquest of Victoria Wolford, deceased, met again last evening at 8 o'clock in the Hyack Hall. Present James Elard, Thos. Owens, D. Lyal, A. W. Lundbom, M. Mowat, H. Reid, Thos. Spence, Walter Blackie, Geo. R. Smith, T. Dominy, J. Gray, W. Jennings. Henry Mathers, foreman.

Mr. Coroner Ferris in the chair.

The coroner explained that as the post mortem examination had not been made he thought it better to proceed *with the evidence at hand.*

Dr. Cooper, sworn, said: I was called to see the deceased about six months ago for the first time, her husband took me over to meet two other doctors who had been there a few days, they wanted assistance to deliver her of a child. When I examined her I told them she was not going to have a child then. About five months afterwards I was sent for again to see what was the matter with her, I was alone at that time. I diagnosed her "abdominal tumor." She asked what could be done to relieve her, I told her an operation was her only chance, she wanted to know how soon it could be done, I told her I did not know until another physician had examined her and then we would decide between us. She wanted this done as speedily as possible, and on the following Sunday I took Dr. Hall over with me. She wanted to come over right away, we told her we would give her husband an answer the following Wednesday. He came over on that day but went home without making arrangements. He came back a few days afterwards and said that his wife was very much disappointed and depressed as the arrangement had not been decided upon. We then told him he might bring her over the first of the week and keep her in the hospital and that we would endeavor to get her in good condition, as neither of us thought her condition favorable at the time. A week ago last Sunday Dr. Hall, Dr. Wad el Ward and myself went up to see her. She then urged on us to have the operation that week as she was suffering so much she could not stand it; but she was then not in a condition to operate on and we agreed upon the Friday of that week for the operation. Dr. Hall was called away on Wednesday and did not get back in time and the operation was delayed until Monday. She seemed very much depressed because it was put off again and we had to make it as soon as possible to satisfy her. Her husband in talking with Dr. Wad el Ward informed the Dr. that his wife had been subject to convulsions ever since she had been chloroformed. We both told the husband that if she took one of these fits after the operation it would kill her. He told us we would have to run the risk as she could not live the way she was, so we decided for the operation on Monday. Her husband came over on that day about noon. It took some time to get everything in readiness and at 2 o'clock we brought her down and put her on the table. She was put under chloroform and ether, and on opening the abdomen, which was done by Dr. Hall and myself, we found that all the tissues were bound down by former inflammation. On reaching the first tumor which was in the broad ligament on the right side and also attached to the fundus of the the uterus, we had to work off the adhesions before we could remove the tumor, which we did very carefully. The second tumor adhering to the bowels, the peritoneum was strongly adherent to it and very much thickened by former inflammations. We proceeded in the same way with that as with the former one but found it a more difficult operation. We had to divide it in order to take it out. The tumors were both very hard. The operation took about an hour. Before closing the wound we had to wait about an hour and a half until the bleeding was entirely stopped, and when we found it safe to do so we closed the wound up again. We then removed her to bed and put her slightly under the influence of morphine. We left then and came down to dinner it being about six o'clock She was in good condition when we left her. We left order to keep her under the influence of morphine so as to prevent a recurrence of the convulsions and keep down the pain. I had to go to Port Moody that night and I left word for Dr. Hall to go and see her. I came home about 1 o'clock and about 3 o'clock in the morning her husband came to my office and tole me she was very bad and he thought she was dying, I returned with him to the hospital and we found she had just died. Dr. Hall followed in about five minutes. I found on enquiry the morphine had not been administered.

By Mr. Ferris: I would not like to say this neglect caused convulsions. I have been accustomed to operations of this sort and some that require much more skill. The tumors were removed in about an hour. We used the usual instruments, a knife, scissors, forceps and director. I sharpened the knife twice and cleaned it afterwards before using again in boiling water.

By the foreman: Three persons were present when the operation was performed. I cannot say that if my orders had been strictly carried out that the woman would have lived.

Dr. Hall, sworn: Corroborated Dr. Cooper's evidence almost word for word.

Dr. Bentley having declined to make a post mortem examination and no other physician having been chosen for that purpose the foregoing evidence was considered sufficient and no post mortem examination would be necessary as they were fully satified. Having agreed to this no further witnesses were called.

After considerable discussion among the jurymen the following verdict was returned:

The verdict is that the deceased died from convulsions which occurred subsequent to the removal of two tumors, one from the uterus and another from the bowels and peritoneum, and there is no blame to be attached to any person concerned.

HENRY MATHERS, Foreman.

Worms cause feverishness, moaning and restlessness during sleep. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant, sure and effectual. If your druggist has none in stock, get him to procure it for you.

Police Court.

(Before T. C. Atkinson, P.M.)

The adjourned case of Adair vs. Parks for assault came up again this morning. Mr. Bole, Q.C., appeared for the defendant.

Peter Adair recalled and cross-examined by Mr. Bole, said: I hav'nt worked for two or three weeks. When I stopped working for Ewen I got $125, and when I left Laidlaw $25. The money is all spent, probably I spent $20 in whiskey. I have only been drunk once since I stopped work. I was not drunk on the 3rd inst., but I can't tell how much whiskey I drank, not over three glasses of beer and six or seven of whiskey at the most.

Wm. Henderson, day watchman at the R. C. P. Mills, sworn, said: I know Parks, the defendant, he left work on the morning of the 6th about 7:30 o'clock.

The counsel for the defendant having promised to bring up a very important witness to-morrow his honor further adjourned the case to allow this very complicated web of conflicting evidence to be properly unravelled.

The D. R. A. Matches.

The Dominion Rifle Association Matches held at Ottawa are over for this year. The Governor-General's prize of $250 and badge was won by *Pte. Duncan, Queen's Own; score 93.* For the Martini-Henri series, 500 yards, Sergt. Rolston, of the 31st batt. won 1st prize of $10 and cup with 35 points. At 600 yards, *Corp.* Carron, of the Foot Guards, scored 34 and took 1st prize, a repeating rifle, In the grand aggregate, first on the list wins M. R. A. medal and badge and $50, Lieut. E. A. Smith, St. John rifles, 257 points: second D. R. A. medal and badge and $40, Sergt. W. H. Adams, 62nd batt. 251; Provincial match, $100 and cup—Ontario, 638; $80, Nova Scotia, 628; New Brunswick and Quebec tied for third place.

Following are the scores made by the winning 20 in shooting off for places on the Wimbledon team next year:

1. Lt. L. A. Smith, St. John Rifles	343
2. Sergt. Case, H. G. A.	336
3. Lt. H. Chamberlain, 43rd Batt.	334
4. Staff-Sergt. W. Marshall, Queen Own	331
5. Lt. Fiske, 63rd Batt.	330
6. Lt. J. Dower, 7th Bett.	330
7. Pte. W. S. Duncan, Q. O. R.	326
8. Pte. D. McMitchell, 13th Batt.	323
9. Lt. W. Mitchell, 32nd	324
10. Lt. H. Gray, G. G. F. G.	323
11. Staff-Sergt. A. Wilson, 33rd Batt.	323
12. Sergt. W. A. Adams, 63rd Batt.	321
13. Sergt. Aft Armstrong, G. G. F. G.	322
14. Sergt. W. S. Short, G. G. F. G.	322
15. Sergt. W. Marks, 6th	321
16. Sergt. Goodwin, 13th	321
17. Campbell, H. G. A.	321
18. Pte. R. McFee, Victoria Rifles	321
19. Lt. McMicken, 14th Batt.	320
20. Lt. Miner, St. John's Rifles	320

Lt. M. Clarke, 91st, Col.-Sergt. G. N. Mitchell, 90th, waiting men.

A letter from P. O. Sharpless, Druggist, Marion, Ohio, in writing of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, says: One man was cured of sore throat of 8 years' standing with one bottle. We have a number of cases of rheumatism that have been cured when other remedies have failed. We consider it the best medicine sold.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY:

A FIRST-CLASS GIRL TO DO GENERAL Housework.
dwse8tc MRS. CURTIS.

GRAND

PARLOR CONCERT

—AT THE—

Skating Rink, New Westminster,

BY THE FAMOUS

Wizard Oil Troupe!

FRIDAY, 9th SEPTEMBER

AT 8 P. M.

THIS WILL NOT BE A RE-HASH of their street songs, but a select program, *reserved specially for such occasions.* There will be no tiresome waits, no medicine talk, nothing for sale; no slaughter of Beethoven, Meyerbeer, et al; no red-nose, black-face, cheap variety performance, but simply a two-hours entertainment that entertains, filled with good vocal music and bubbling over with hearty, innocent fun, free from the faintest tinge of coarseness.

Admission, 50 cents to all, great and small. Reserved seats, at 75 cents each, may be secured at Hall's Bookstore *until 7 p. m. Friday.* After that hour all seats not actually sold will be open for first comers. The management respectfully ask patrons not to bring infants-in-arms when it can possibly be avoided. The entertainment is not one that will specially please children, and one industrious babe with healthy lungs can burst up the finest concert ever given.

Secure Seats. Everybody Going.
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NOTICE.

To Bridge Engineers and Contractors.

THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF COMmissioner of Lands and Works hereby invites Bridge Contractors to submit plans, details, specifications, straining sheets, and tender for the construction of a Traffic Bridge, to cross the Fraser River at Lillooet, up to noon of Saturday, 29th of October next.

Required—One clear span of 300 feet in length; approach (*on the west side*) three spans of 50 feet each; width of roadway, 16 feet; live load, 1,000 lbs. per foot; factor of safety, 5.

False work can only be erected in winter when the river is frozen over.

The bridge site is about 55 miles from Ashcroft Station, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, with which it is connected by wagon road.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for $500, payable to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, which will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The contractor will be required to give satisfactory security, amounting to half the contract price, for the due fulfilment of the contract, and for the maintenance of the bridge for a period of six months from the date of the completion of the work.

A plan and profile of the site can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 25th August, 1887.
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Teacher Wanted.

FOR THE MOUNT LEHMAN PUBLIC School. Applications must be made by the 21st of September to

E. J. THOMSON,
Sec. Board of Trustees, Mt. Lehman.
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FALL SHIPMENTS.

STAPLE

DRY GOODS!

CLOTHING,

RUBBER GOODS,

—AND—

House Furnishings!

JUST OPENED OUT.

Ogle, Campbell

AND COMPANY,

Columbia St., New Westminster.
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TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on **Saturday the 10th September,** for the erection of a BRICK BUILDING on Front Street.

Plans and *specifications at my office,* Mary Street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. W. GRANT, Architect.
New West., B. C., Sept. 1st, 1887. dse8td

A RARE CHANCE

—FOR A—

FINE FARM.

MY ONLY SON BEING DEAD, I DEsign to retire from farming. I therefore offer to sell my Homestead, one of the best Farms on the Lower Fraser. The Estate contains 215 acres, including over 3 acres of Orchard, with House and large Barn. WM. KENT.
Ladner's Landing, Aug. 23rd, 1887.
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Public Works of Canada.

FRASER RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Mattresses," addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to **Saturday the 10th September next,** for making BRUSH MATTRESSES and delivering them at the mouth of Fraser River.

Drawings and specifications, including terms of tender and contract, can be seen on applicatson to the undersigned and to the Postmasters at New Westminster and Ladner's Landing.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Resident Engineer.

Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th August, 1887.
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In the County Court of New Westminster.

Holden at New Westminster.

BETWEEN
The Corporation of the City of New Westminster, Plaintiffs; and
JOE KENYON, Defendant.

BETWEEN
The Corporation of the City of New Westminster, Plaintiffs; and
W. JOHNSTON, Defendant.

BETWEEN
The Corporation of the City of New Westminster, Plaintiffs; and
W. C. FRANKS, Defendant.

AND BETWEEN
The Corporation of the City of New Westminster, Plaintiffs; and
EDWIN HILD, Defendant.

THE FOLLOWING ORDER HAS BEEN made in each of the above cases:

Upon the application of the Solicitor for the above-named Plaintiffs and upon reading the affidavit of William James Whiteside filed herein this day,

I do order that said Plaintiffs be at liberty to issue a summons in this action out *of this Court against the above-named* Defendant, and that the same shall be made returnable on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1887.

And I do further order that a copy of the said summons together with a copy of this order be posted up in the Office of the Registrar of this Court and published in one newspaper for one week and thereupon the Plaintiffs may proceed as if personal service had been effected.

Dated 25th day of August, A. D. 1887.

(Signed) J. F. McCREIGHT,
Acting as a Judge of County Courts.
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AUCTION SALE

Important to Canneymen, Packers of Salt Salmon, Horse Breeders and Farmers.

ON FRIDAY NEXT THE 9TH INST., I will sell by Public Auction, on Ewen & Co.'s Wharf, Front Street, New Westminster,

600 (Six Hundred) **Salmon Kits,**

700 (Seven Hundred) **Half Barrels,** more or less, and

One Large Oil Pot or Cauldron, suitable for Dog Fish purposes, and holds about 200 gallons.

☞These will be sold to the highest bidder without reserve.

I will also sell at same time that **famous trotting Mare,**

"BELLA,"

Known in New Westminster as Hamilton's Mare, by whom she was imported from California and cost laid down nearly $500. She stands about 16 hands high, is of a bright bay color, is seven years old, has an excellent pedigree, is very gentle (a lady having driven her a great deal), and would be an exceptionally good family animal; she is also a good brood mare. This is a chance that seldom occurs in B. C. to secure a high-priced animal embracing most of the really desirable qualities of a horse, viz., fine appearance, good color and action, well formed and a very gentle disposition.

Several **Saddle & Work Horses** will be offered at same time.

Sale will take place at 5 o'clock.

Terms Cash.

T. J. TRAPP,
dwse6td Auctioneer.

New Goods. New Goods!

NEW DRESS STUFFS

PLUSHES AND TRIMMINGS

—IN ALL THE—

NEW FALL SHADES

—AT—

James Ellard & Co-'s

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New Goods! New Goods!

JUST ARRIVED,

THE FIRST CONSIGNMENT OF

Autumn & Winter Goods!

—AT THE—

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COLUMBIA STREET,

New Westminster, B. C.
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TAILORING

F. MEAHY, THE TAILOR,

Columbia St., Over D. Drysdale & Co.'s, **NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.**

Has just Received a Large and Well Selected Stock of

Cloths, Tweeds and Cassimeres,

Which he offers to make up at *REASONABLE RATES.* A perfect fit guaranteed.
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Notice of Sale by Sheriff.

PURSUANT TO EXECUTIONS AGAINST LANDS ACT, 1874.

In the County Court of New Westminster, holden at New Westminster.

WILHELMINA FAY, PLAINTIFF. GEORGE SWAN, DEFENDANT.

IN OBEDIENCE TO A WRIT OF *Fi. Fa.*, ISSUED OUT OF THE COUNTY Court of New Westminster on the 5th day of August, 1887, and to me directed in the above named Suit, for the sum of $500.12, debt and costs, also interest on the same at six per centum per annum from the 5th day of August, 1887, until paid, besides Sheriff's fees, poundage and other expenses of this execution: I have seized and will offer for sale by Auction, *at my Office, Court House Building, New Westminster, on* **Friday the 9th Day of September, 1887,** at 2 o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of the said George Swan, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the registered judgment debts and expenses.

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.
New Westminster.	East half of Lot 395, Group 1, New Westminster District.	Lot contains 80 acres; 10 acres cleared.	Interest.

The Mortgage under which Judgment was obtained was registered in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, against said Lands on the 18th Day of May, 1886.

dau24td W. J. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff.

Painting & Drawing

MRS. E. J. MILLER

WILL RE-OPEN CLASSES FOR HER Pupils in Painting and Drawing, **Sept. 16th,** at the old address. Terms as usual. dau30m1

NOTICE.

ALL ASSESSORS under the "Assessment Act, 1876," and amending Acts, are hereby instructed to prepare their rolls on or before the 30th November next, and the duties of all Courts of Revision and Appeal are to be completed, and the rolls finally revised and completed, on or before the 31st day of December next.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
15th August, 1887. dau20m1

Westminster Woollen Mfg Co

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Trustees held Sept. 2nd, an assessment of $1.25 per share was levied on the capital stock of said company, payable on the 12th Sept. inst. to the Secretary in this city. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on Oct. 3rd, 1887, shall be deemed delinquent and duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on Oct. 18th prox. to pay delinquent assessments together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

J. N. DRAPER, Sec.
Sept. 5, 1887. dse6m1

Furnished Rooms

ON COLUMBIA STREET TO LET—either with or without Board. Apply to the Editor of this Paper. djy28tc

DOMINION GOVERNMENT.

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO to present their PASS BOOKS at the Office on Columbia Street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1887.

JNO. S. CLUTE, Agent.
New Westminster,
July 30th, 1887. dau16m1

Salmon Fisheries, Etc.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE GOTTEN up a Gill Net Twine for Salmon, called the

STOW TWINE,

And has been used by the Cape Ann Fishermen for Pollock, a very powerful fish, with the Flax Salmon Twine, and they find it of ample strength, and it lasts very much longer than flax. The pressure to break a mesh is nearly 100 pounds, dead weight. Samples can be found with our *friends,*

MESSRS. FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE, VICTORIA, B. C.

We are giving special attention to the Fisheries of the Northern Pacific in

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