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Current Events and Opinions.

In discussing the fishery question, a portion of the American press adopt an irritating tone not at all likely to conduce to concessions on the part of Canada. It is of course true that the question of the interpretation of the 1818 treaty lies between the British and American governments; but to assume, as the Boston *Globe* does, that Canada has no voice in the disposition of her fisheries is to assume too much. Canada has rights in the premises which she will stand by, notwithstanding that she is dealing with a nation "seven times as large and at least ten times as powerful" as herself. To adduce this as a reason why Canada should tamely submit is hardly worthy of so powerful a nation. It may suit the American argument to assume that there is plenty of room for contention as to whether the treaty of 1818 has been superseded or not; but Canada denies this; the treaty is in force, and for this mightier nation to try to avoid its obligations is simply dishonest. Canada maintains that under that treaty American fishermen have no right to buy bait in Canadian ports and harbors; and, if her government does its duty, it will resent any attempt from Downing Street to throw open the Canadian fishing grounds to American fishermen, without a proper equivalent. If this should be done through an Imperial order, the best course for Canada to adopt would be to impose a prohibitive export duty on bait sold to foreigners. That would be a perfectly legitimate return in kind for the exclusion of Canadian fish from the American markets. If Americans have, in the opinion of the Imperial government, a right under any treaty to buy bait as a matter of ordinary trading, Canada has an indisputable right on the other hand to protect her fishing industry by impesing a duty on the export of bait; and that duty ought to be prohibitive, until the United States government again opens its markets to Canadians or gives some other fair equivalent for the privileges Americans are now trying to get for nothing.—*The Week.*

The seizure of the fishing schooners by the Canadian authorities reopens an old dispute between the United States and Great Britain. The contention about the fisheries began in 1814, and in the second volume of his history Mr. Blaine gives a lucid account of it, and states the American case. The difference was adjusted temporarily by the Reciprocity Treaty of 1854, and by the fishery clauses of the Treaty of Washington in 1871. But these agreements are no longer operative, and the treaty of 1818 remains as the only specific arrangement upon the subject. This treaty was negotiated by Albert Gallatin and Richard Rush, and it contains a practical surrender of what were regarded for more than a quarter of a century after the Revolution as our undoubted rights. It permits American vessels to enter Canadian waters for certain purposes, and no other, and among the purposes mentioned the buying of bait is not included. Last year, when the arrangement of the Treaty of Washington expired, a diplomatic understanding was reached extending the existing arrangement until the close of the fishing season, and the president in his annual message to congress proposed an international commission to take up the whole subject and settle conclusively the long and vexatious dispute. The senate, probably upon the theory that the case was perfectly plain, and that there ought not to be any dispute, rejected the recommendation. But the conviction of one party in a quarrel that his right is indisputable is not apt to have great weight with the other, and the result is that two American schooners have been seized in Canadian waters, and a Canadian fleet is said to be in preparation to patrol the coast, and the senate has adopted a resolution authorizing the president to retaliate by treating Canadian vessels in our ports precisely as ours are treated in Canadian ports. Here is the old dispute revived, and as far from final settlement as ever. There is no doubt that the only specific agreement between the countries is the treaty of 1818, and that that treaty does not admit American vessels to buy bait. Our reply is that the treaty has been practically superseded by commercial arrangements and legislation. Caleb Cushing contended that England had totally misinterpreted the treaty to our disadvantage. Senator Evarts, whose view upon such a subject is worthy of careful consideration, holds that the fishery rights are regulated by treaty, but that transactions like the purchase of bait are determined by legislation or special convention. But this view does not dispose of the assertion that the treaty of 1818 is a special convention prohibiting the purchase of bait. Meanwhile, nothing is clear but the seizure of the vessels. Whether they are seized as engaged in violation of treaty stipulations or of the customs laws does not appear. There is a great deal of warm assertion and defiance and reproach. But it is evident that the dispute remains, not indeed with Canada, which is not a principal, but with Great Britain. Our case must be submitted to the Foreign Office unless we propose to stop with simple retaliation. But retaliation would not adjust the difference. There is no reason to doubt the friendly disposition of the British government in the matter, nor that there will be a satisfactory issue of the affair so far as international relations are concerned. But the situation is a complete justification of the President's course in recommending a commission definitely to conclude the whole question. In this country we are very firmly of opinion that commercial legislation has already settled it. But the actual situation shows that it has not settled it. American vessels are seized, and the Senate retaliates. If upon consideration the British government agrees that our view is correct, and that the point in controversy has been determined by legislation, and that damages are due to the seized vessels, the trouble will be for the time pacified. But the question of the proper interpretation of the treaty of 1818 is still open. The question of the fisheries in the large sense still remains, and good understanding and good policy require that it should be thoroughly treated and satisfactorily settled by agents specially empowered for that purpose.—*Harper's Weekly.*

Liquor Licenses.

Is it right for responsible citizens to allow their government to license liquor selling? I think not, for the following reasons. If these reasons are not founded on a solid basis and in harmony with the divinely designed object of civil government, I should like to have it pointed out.

TRAFFIC IN STRONG DRINK AN EVIL.

The great mass of intelligent, moral persons admit that the traffic in strong drink is an evil. But it is something more than an evil in the popular political sense of the term. It is a *physical* evil, inasmuch as it very seriously injures the bodily organism and deteriorates the race. It is a *social* evil, inasmuch as it leads to a full development of all those principles that are antagonistic to virtue, happiness and unity. It is a *moral* evil, inasmuch as it is a deliberate choice or determination to act contrary to the revealed moral laws of the Deity and ought in justice and accuracy to be termed wickedness. That is God's name for what some politicians call very softly an evil. Hence the dealers in intoxicating drinks and their patrons say that it must be *regulated* by a license law. Were it not an admitted evil in their sense there would be no necessity for regulating it. But it is positively wrong to license any evil. The Bible is definite on this point. "The wickedness of the wicked is in his heart: he abhorreth not evil."—Ps. 36: 1-4. "The soul of the wicked desireth evil." —Prov 21: 10. "Return ye now every one from his evil way."—Jer. 18: 11. "Evil shall slay the wicked." Ps. 34: 2. "Tribulation and anguish shall come upon every soul of man who doeth evil."—Rom. 2: 9. "God's testimony concerning Job was that he eschewed or refrained from or shunned evil."—Job. 1: 8. There are two characters here: one who favors evil—desires it, persists in it—exposed to a criminal's death on account of it, and to future death as a consequence. The other refrains from it and shuns it. Shall we license evil? We do it at the peril of our souls. God will not long be mocked; for we shall most certainly reap what we sow. There is not a single instance on record where he has failed either to reform or to destroy. He does not license; he prevents, prohibits and reforms, or he destroys. A license law is not only partial but encourages evil. A license law chiefly accomplishes two things: It protects the dealers in intoxicating drinks in their terribly destructive traffic; and it provides the drinking classes with the facilities of gratifying their unnatural appetite, to their injury. Both of these things are immoral and sinful, because they increase crime, pauperism and misery to a fearfully untold extent. It is brutal cruelty to the drunkard's wife and children to license a man to sell to the husband and father that which brutalizes the former and destroys the natural, tender, loving traits of the latter; and converts their home into a hell, their plenty into beggary, their comfort into wretchedness, and their happiness into misery. More than that: there is a species of absolute demoniacal wickedness in such an act. Can vengeance be long suspended considering the flaming light that now, in this particular, encircles our duties both to man and to God? As a free, responsible people we are under imperative obligation to provide a government that will protect home and family from abuse, misery, and ruin. Jehovah said to the Israelites, "If ye will not harken unto me then I will punish you *seven* times more for your sins," Lev. 26: 15-18, "and ye shall eat the flesh of your sons and of your daughters," 27-29. If such was the punishment threatened to a nation in its infancy and in the twilight of human knowledge for disobeying the Divine commands what must be our desert who are living under the influences of the precepts, examples, and providences of the past, accumulated during many hundreds of years. Where much is given much is and will be required. Can we encourage that

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Auctioneer ..... G. Byrnes
To Architects ..... W. S. Gore
$2000 Reward ..... Jno. Robson &c.
Proclamation (3) ..... Jno. Robson
Drugs, &c. ..... A. M. Herring
Proclamation (3) .... James A. Prevost
Proclamation ..... J. C. Hughes

The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, June 9, 1886.

More Organ Discords.

The local organ of the late provincial government professes to be much pleased because THE COLUMBIAN is publishing extracts from its editorials of 1879 in which Mr. Walkem is held up to public scorn and condemnation. The organ does not deny that these were its opinions then, or that its opinions have now so far changed that it is constrained to declare that "there is no man in the province so fit to be prime minister" as Mr. Walkem; and it puts forward no feasible explanation for the change of front. There is an explanation, however, which our cotemporary might have put forward. After abusing the Walkem administration for years the editor of the *Guardian* wrote a letter soliciting patronage from that administration and promising his support if the patronage was given. The offer was at first spurned, but it was finally accepted, and the organ thereupon completely reversed its tune and began industriously grinding out music appropriate to the new order. This is the only explanation that can be given of the political eccentricities of our cotemporary, because it is the true explanation. We now submit a few more extracts from the *Guardian's* opinions of Mr. Walkem and his government in 1879, and with these we shall probably rest our case for the present:

From the Guardian, September 10:1879.

The Walkemites have run their course, happily for us, in such a reckless manner that nothing can now save them. The districts which returned their supporters by large majorities would now reject any candidate that would support them, and they will doubtless ask their members to resign if they continue to follow Walkem in his mad career. There are perceptible shadows that presage coming events, pointing all to the overthrow of the worst local government the country ever had.

From the Guardian, November 22:1879.

If a number of these men, finding that the present order of things alone will permit of their being in the house, and in order to retain their seats they continue to support Mr. Walkem, then the people must take the matter into their own hands and turn them all out.

From the Guardian, August 9:1879.

The same fate is impending to the Mud Bay bridge and numerous others, for the sake of a little timely expenditure; thus thousands of dollars of public money are being wasted because our government has a pet scheme for the cultivation of votes and in order to provide for political supporters. And what is this scheme? Simply the most atrocious fraud that ever disgraced the annals of any country. For instance, the people of this country were cajoled and tricked into the expenditure of about two hundred and ten thousand dollars—under the most solemn promises that it was not to cost them one cent—on what Mr. Walkem has stated to be a worm-eaten cofferdam. This same leader of the government is now proceeding to expend two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which he hopes to obtain from the Dominion government, on the same rotten structure. * * * We ask the people of the province to consider where they are being led; they are being fleeced to an extent never before paralleled in any civilized country, their credit is being pledged to the Dominion for a quarter of a million which will have to be repaid, and pending repayment the subsidy paid by the Dominion, forming the principal part of our present revenue, will be proportionately reduced, requiring more taxation to make up the difference. The position then is this: The men at the head of our local government are—from ignorance or design—forcing the province into bankruptcy, and depreciating the value of every description of property in the most reckless manner. With these facts clearly apparent hesitation is ruin. The three men now driving us to perdition must be removed from power, and the affairs of the country placed in the hands of men endowed with some degree of honesty and common sense. How the people of British Columbia have so long patiently allowed themselves to be robbed and their homesteads rendered worthless, is beyond comprehension. Had all the mischief been done with any approach to ability or with the proper consideration for appearances, some allowance might have been made. But our present local government is wanting in every redeeming quality, the laws being framed in a brutally awkward manner showing a perfect regardlessness for humanity, justice or legality. The last straw has evidently been placed on the camel's back, and the sooner the people save themselves by ridding themselves of the present government the better for themselves: the continuance of these men in power is only thrusting us lower and lower in the scale of despondency.

It must not be forgotten that these denunciations were applied not only to Mr. Walkem but to the *whole of his cabinet, which included* Mr. Beaven, now leader of the party. But now the *Guardian* not only supports Mr. Beaven and his party but declares of Mr. Walkem "that there is no man in the province so fit to be a prime minister!"

Provincial Elections.

The writs have been issued for a general election in this province. Nomination takes place on the 23rd inst., and polling 14 days after that date. The time is short, and persons who propose to become candidates will have to make their announcements at once. We earnestly hope that an effort will be made in every constituency to select the best men available, and that in making a selection the moral status of the candidate will not be overlooked. Persons are sometimes foolish enough to promise their vote to the candidate who first asks for it, because they do not like to refuse. An elector would be wise if he refused to make any promise until all the candidates have announced themselves, and then he ought to select those who are worthy of confidence and best qualified to represent the constituency. There will doubtless be candidates whose aim is the accomplishment of some selfish scheme, and who concern themselves little for the good of the constituency. Such candidates ought to be rejected, because whenever their own interests come into conflict with the public interests, the public interests are sure to suffer. Let the next parliament be composed of men that will command the respect and confidence of the province.

Railway Passes.

Our esteemed cotemporary the Vancouver *Herald* refers at length *to the question of railway passes* and government patronage, as brought up by the late motion of Senator McInnes. The *Herald* does *not think it likely that senators* would be influenced by free passes, or that the C. P. R. company would be guilty of using any such means *to influence legislation. Having* satisfied itself on these points it asks if, assuming that such illegitimate influence is used, a newspaper *can occupy an attitude of independence* towards a government from which it receives patronage. Our cotemporary is comparing two things *that are not alike, and the conclusions* reached are as incorrect as the data upon which the argument is founded are misleading. We believe *there are many members of* the senate and house of commons whose judgment and vote would not be influenced by a pocket full of *free passes; but we are afraid there* are some whom a single pass might influence very much. There are members of the senate and commons who, we are quite sure, would not suffer their vote to be influenced if they were to receive patronage direct from the government in the way of contracts or supplies; but the law of Canada does not permit a man who holds a contract or furnishes supplies to sit or vote in the house. Does our cotemporary think it would be safe to remove this restriction? We believe he expressed very strong opinions on that point some months ago in discussing the conduct of a member of our own legislature who had been furnishing supplies to government institutions. *But if it is uncharitable to suppose* that a senator's vote would be influenced by the free gift of a pass for which no equivalent is asked, was it charitable for our cotemporary to suppose that a member of the local legislature would be influenced by receiving money from the government for which he gave a full equivalent in goods or work? A pass over the C. P. R. would be a gift of no small consideration to some of the members of the federal parliament. It would, in fact, be worth to them many hundreds of dollars, and for this valuable gift they were asked for no consideration whatever. In our opinion the free pass looks very much more like a bribe than the furnishing of government supplies, and we are sure our cotemporary does not wish to have the law so changed as to permit members of parliament to furnish supplies. Our contemporary says it has a "better opinion of the directors of the C.P.R. than to suppose that they would attempt to treat members of parliament as a purchasable commodity." We hope our cotemporary's opinion is well founded; but why did he hold a different opinion respecting the government of British Columbia because it allowed supplies to be purchased by its agents from a member of the house? In the latter case the government could not really be held responsible, because the supplies were arranged for and received, we believe, without its approval; but the free passes were a deliberate transaction for which responsibility could not be shirked by either party. We come now to the question of government advertising and independent newspapers. Between this and the distribution of free passes to the senate there is no ground of comparison. A newspaper's advertising columns are one of its sources of income; and if it is a newspaper worthy the name, an advertisement in its columns is worth the sum paid for it. The newspaper that publishes government advertisements, therefore, gives a full equivalent for the sum received, but the senator is asked to give nothing whatever for the pass! One is a free gift without condition: the other is a fair commercial transaction where one equivalent is exchanged for another. It is perfectly true that a newspaper publisher will generally be glad to receive government advertisements, if he is able to get fair prices for them; but he is even more anxious to receive business advertisements; and our Vancouver cotemporary will hardly say that a publisher is not in a position to pass an independent opinion on a transaction in which any of his advertisers happens to be concerned, simply because of that patronage. But he must either take that position or surrender the position he has taken with respect to government advertising. Government advertisements are published for public information, and they are paid for, or ought to be paid for, at current rates; and there is no way in which the government can so cheaply and effectively make known its official declarations as by publishing them in a newspaper of general circulation. The publication becomes, therefore, a public necessity—but there is no plea of necessity in the case of free passes to senators! If it is good policy and good law to prohibit members of parliament from furnishing supplies to government on the ground of improper influences, we hold that it is far more important that they should be prevented from receiving free passes from a powerful corporation whose relations with the government have been very intimate. Our reason for this contention is that those who furnish government supplies give an equivalent for the money received, while a free pass asks no consideration whatever, unless it be a favorable disposition of the recipient towards the company which gives it.

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I HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO sell by public auction at my Salesroom, Fort and Langley streets, Victoria,

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Containing 166 acres, more or less,

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B. C. PENITENTIARY.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, June 26th, 1886, for supplying the Penitentiary from July 1st, 1886, to June 30th, 1887, with the following articles:

1. Coal, Wellington screened.
2. Beef.
3. Bread, white and brown.
4. Salmon, red, fresh and salt.
5. Groceries.
6. Blankets, white, 4-pt., per pair.
7. Leather and findings for shoe shop, detailed lists of which can be obtained on application at the Penitentiary.

Neither the lowest or any tender necessarily accepted.

Samples may be seen and blank forms of tender obtained on application to the accountant at the Penitentiary.

No tender will be considered unless on these blank forms.

Imperial weights and measures required. All articles supplied to be of the best quality.

(Signed),
ARTHUR H. McBRIDE,
Warden.

June 8th, 1886. je9tc

Auction Sale!

MR. GOLDSTONE OFFERS FOR sale on

THURSDAY, JUNE 10,

At the Store lately occupied by Mr. Homer, Front Street, a quantity of

STAPLE GOODS.

Which must be sold without reserve:

Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes.
Winchester Repeating Rifle.
Set of Single Harness.
Ladies Side Saddle.
Baby's Covered Buggy (nearly new).
Quantity of Furniture.
Dexter Stove, No. 8, and other Goods.

☞Sale to take place at 11 a. m.

TERMS CASH. J. GOLDSTONE,
jn9tl Auctioneer.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
3rd June, 1886.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following Gentlemen to be Registering Officers for the Electoral Districts set opposite their respective names, viz.:—

H. W. H. Combe, Elect. Dist. of		Victoria City
Thornton Fell,	"	Victoria.
M. Bray,	"	Nanaimo.
J. J. Austin,	"	Esquimalt.
Henry Fry,	"	Cowichan.
G. F. Drabble,	"	Comox.
Charles Warwick,	"	New Westminster City
Josias C. Hughes,	"	New Westminster.
William Dodd,	"	Yale.
Frederick Soues,	"	Lillooet.
John Bowron,	"	Cariboo,
A. W. Vowell,	"	Kootenay.
Walter Anderson,	"	Cassiar.

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The great popularity of this preparation, after its test of many years, should be an assurance, even to the most skeptical, that it is really meritorious. Those who have used HALL'S HAIR RENEWER know that it does all that is claimed.

It causes new growth of hair on bald heads—provided the hair follicles are not dead, which is seldom the case; restores natural color to gray or faded hair; preserves the scalp healthful and clear of dandruff; prevents the hair falling off or changing color; keeps it soft, pliant, lustrous, and causes it to grow long and thick.

HALL'S HAIR RENEWER produces its effects by the healthful influence of its vegetable ingredients, which invigorate and rejuvenate. It is not a dye, and is a delightful article for toilet use. Containing no alcohol, it does not evaporate quickly and dry up the natural oil, leaving the hair harsh and brittle, as do other preparations.

Buckingham's Dye FOR THE WHISKERS

Colors them brown or black, as desired, and is the best dye, because it is harmless; produces a permanent natural color; and, being a single preparation, is more convenient of application than any other.

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NOTICE.

$1000 REWARD!

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Reward of $1,000 will be given by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons concerned in the robbery of the British Columbia Express Company's Stage, on Cariboo Road, on Saturday, 5th June, 1886.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Sec.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
5th June, 1886.

Another $1,000!

In addition to the above, the British Columbia Express Company (limited) will pay a Reward of $1000 on the same terms and conditions.

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FRANK S. BARNARD,
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WARNER'S SAFE CURE,	85c
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BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS,	85c
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AYER'S SARSAPARILLA,	90c
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,	90c
ALLAN'S LUNG BALSAM,	90c
JAYNES' EXPECTORANT,	90c
PIERCE'S MEDICAL DISCOVERY,	90c
HALL'S HAIR VIGOR,	75c
HOYT'S COLOGNE (Large),	75c
HOP BITTERS,	60c
DIAMOND DYES, 3 for	25c

And many others.

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[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of New Westminster City.

WHEREAS His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has, by a Proclamation bearing date the 3rd day of June, 1886, been pleased to dissolve the Legislative Assembly of the *said Province; and whereas it is necessary* to hold Elections throughout the said Province to fill the vacancies caused by dissolution, We command you that, notice of the time and place of Election being duly given, you do cause Election to be made according to law, of One Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of *the Province of British Columbia, for the* Electoral District of New Westminster City, and that you do cause the nomination of Candidates at such election to be held on the 23rd day of June, 1886, and do cause the name of such Member, when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the 1st day of September next, the Election so made distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia: Witness the Honorable Clement F. Cornwall, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the 3rd day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

By Command.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar of the Supreme Court.

[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislature Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and to all whom it may concern,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Our Executive Council of Our Province of British Columbia, to dissolve the present legislative Assembly of Our said Province, which stands prorogued until the Ninth day of the month of August next.

NOW KNOW YE, that We do, for this end, publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the Legislative Assembly accordingly, and the Members thereof are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the said Ninth day of August next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar of the Supreme Court.

[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come, GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS, We are desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet Our people of Our Province of British Columbia, and to have their advice in Our Legislature, We do make known Our Royal Will and Pleasure to call a new Legislative Assembly of Our said Province; and do further declare that, by the advice of Our Executive Council of British Columbia, We have this day given orders for issuing Our Writs in due form, for calling a new Legislative Assembly for Our said Province, which Writs are to bear date on the Third day of June, instant, and to be returnable on or before the First day of September next.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, The Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

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A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, Dep. Attorney-General. } WHEREAS a Writ for the *Election of a Member of the Legislative* Assembly for the Electoral District of Kootenay is about to be issued;

And whereas it is expedient that the place for the nomination of Candidates in the said Electoral District should be at Donald, in the said Electoral District;

And whereas by the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," the Governor in Council is empowered, from time to time, to appoint, by Proclamation, the place for the nomination of Candidates in each Electoral District:

NOW KNOW YE, that in pursuance of the powers contained in the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council appoints and declares, and it is hereby appointed and declared, that Donald shall be the place for the nomination of Candidates for election to the Legislative Assembly in the Electoral District of Kootenay.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of New Westminster, To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of New Westminster, *that in obedience to Her* Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the 3rd day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, I require the presence of the said Electors at Punch's Hotel, Brownville, on the 23rd day of June, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Electing three persons to represent them in the Legislature of this Province.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:

The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two registered voters of the District as proposer and seconder, and by three other registered voters of the said District as assenting to the nomination, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the Proclamation and 1 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be open on the 7th day of July, 1886, at

Matsqui, Riverside.
Punch's Hotel, Semiahmoo Road.
Town Hall, Richmond.
Town Hall, Surrey.
Court House, Burrard Inlet.
Mr. Hunt's House, Hall's Prairie.
Moodyville.
Agassiz's Landing.
Mr. York's House, Upper Sumas.
Alder Grove, Shortreed's.
School House, Sumas.
" " Langley.
" " Maple Ridge.
" " Trenant.
Centreville Schoolhouse, Chilliwhack.
School House, Burton Prairie.
" " Lehman's Landing.
" " Clover Valley.
" " Port Moody.

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

Given under my hand at Vancouver the 7th day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

J. C. HUGHES,
je9td Returning Officer.

[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come, GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS it is advisable to establish the following additional polling places in the several and respective Electoral Districts hereinafter named.

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the "Qualification ans Registration of Voters' Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares that the following additional polling places shall be, and they are hereby, established for the several Electoral Districts the names of which are set opposite such polling places respectively, that is to say—

Polling Places.	Electoral Dist.
School House, Somenos..	Cowichan,
Burton Prairie School House.....	New Westm'r.
Moodyville.....	
Surrey Town Hall.....	
Pt. Moody School House	
Lehman's Landing School House	
Clover Valley School House.....	
Alder Grove, Shortreed's Agassiz's Landing	
Ashcroft Station.....	Yale.
Shuswap Prairie Post O..	
Priest's Valley, Government Office	
Coutlie's Lower Nicola...	
Granite City, Government Office	
Spallumcheen, at Geo. Wallace's	
Chilcoaten	Cariboo.
Empire Ranch, west side of Fraser.....	Lillooet.
Farwell	Kootenay.
Windermere	
Kootenay Lake	
Golden City	
Donald.....	
Cranbrook.....	
McCullough's Creek	
Lorne Creek.....	Cassiar.
Aberdeen	
Metlakatlah	
Naas River	
Alberni	Nanaimo.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our said City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this third day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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NOTICE.

TO ARCHITECTS!

THE HON. THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER of Lands and Works hereby invites Architects, who are residents of British Columbia, to submit Plans and *Specifications for the construction of Law* Courts, to be erected upon the old gaol site, in the City of Victoria.

The cost of the building complete, including all charges, must not exceed $25,000.

There will be required, in addition to other requisites, the following rooms, viz:

A Supreme Court Room, Registrar's Office and Vault, Five Chambers for the Judges, Barristers' Room, Crown Counsel's Room, Grand Jury Room, Two Petit Jury Rooms, Two Witness Rooms, Messenger's Room, Law Library, and a Prisoner's Room, Lavatories, Closets, &c.

There will also be required a County Court Room, Registrar's Office and Vault, a Jury Room, Witnesses Room, Sheriff's Office, and an office for the Superintendent of Police, Closets, &c.

The rooms must be conveniently arranged with regard to their respective uses, and ample provision made for lighting, heating and ventilation.

Plans and specifications must be signed with a *nom de plume* and accompanied by a sealed letter containing the true name and address of the Architect.

The Architect of the design which may be adopted (if any) will be paid the usual commission if the work is carried out under his supervision, or he will be paid *five hundred dollars ($500) without superintendence*, as may be agreed upon or decided by the Government.

The Architect whose design is deemed next in order of merit will be paid the sum of $100. Rejected designs will be returned.

The Plans will be opened for consideration on the 30th June.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 1st June, 1886.
je9td

[L. S.] CLEMENT F. CORNWALL.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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To all to whom these Presents shall come, GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, Dep. Attorney-General. } WHEREAS it is unnecessary to continue the Polling Place at Boyd and Kilgour's, in the Electoral District of New Westminster; and whereas it is advisable to appoint a Polling Place at the Town Hall, Richmond, in the said Electoral District.

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue of the authority contained in the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," and the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1876," and amending acts, and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf enabling, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council declares, and it is hereby declared, that the Polling Place at Boyd and Kilgour's, in the said Electoral District, shall be discontinued, and further, that an additional Polling Place in the said Electoral District shall be appointed and established at the Town Hall, Richmond, in the said Electoral District.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable CLEMENT F. CORNWALL, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Third day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in the forty-ninth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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WILL OPEN ON

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In TRAPP BROS. OLD STAND,

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Selected personally in the best Eastern Markets.

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

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

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

BIG BARGAINS

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

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

D. DRYSDALE.

New West., May 12 1886.
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WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE, Store and attend to Forwarding Goods from

HOPE TO GRANITE CITY.

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

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

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Spring and Wool Mattresses and Bedding always on hand.

HAVE ON HAND THE

LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF FURNITURE ON THE MAINLAND.

Estimates for Office and Store Fittings.
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Has just received for the Holidays a fine assortment of Gold and Silver

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GENTS'

GOLD & SILVER WATCHES

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

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

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

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The Colonial BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

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

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

I have also on hand the SCOTCH-CANADIAN LEATHER WATER-TIGHT KNEE BOOT, Which now takes the place of gum boots.
jy29tc

NOTICE.

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

G. LEISER,
New Westminster, May 18, 1886.
19my3m

The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, June 9, 1886.

For Sale 1000 ¼-barrels and kits cheap. Apply at this office. ap10tc

Tenders are asked for Penitentiary supplies. See adv.

Mr. Maitland Stenhouse is out as a candidate for Comox.

Read Mr. Herring's new price list in our advertising columns.

The collections at Nanaimo custom house for May amounted to $3,085.

The mason work on the bell tower of Holy Trinity has been completed.

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

The rainfall at Ladners for the month of May this year was 1.06 inches.

The latest news from Granite Creek is that very little work can be done before July.

Bishop Cridge will preach at St. Paul's church next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. C. J. Brenton, M.A., formerly of Lorne College, has opened a college for boys in Victoria.

Remember Mr. Trapp's sale of the furniture and effects of Mr. W. R. Lewis on Friday next.

Excavation has commenced on the site of the new hotel for the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.—*Vancouver Advertiser.*

The extremely hot weather has been followed by rain and cool days, which may have some influence on the rising waters.

Architects should observe the notice in our advertising columns asking plans for the new law courts to be erected at Victoria.

To-morrow at 11 a.m. Mr. Goldstone sells by auction at Homer's old stand, a quantity of dry-goods and miscellaneous articles. See adv.

During the month of May there were shipped from Nanaimo 15,997 tons of coal, 75,000 feet of lumber, and 1200 gallons oil, valued at $49,251.

It seems to be the opinion of persons most competent to judge that there will be very high water this year—possibly exceeding the flood of 1882.

A mathematician who had a little spare time recently weighed the earth, and found it tipped the scales at exactly 5,855,000,000,000,000 tons.

The Hyack brass band of New Westminster, treated the crowd last evening to some fine music in front of Columbia hall.—*Vancouver Advertiser.*

The dental board met in Victoria on Saturday and organized. Dr. Jones, of Victoria, was elected president, and Dr. Brown, of this city, secretary.

It is stated that the French government has authorized the Panama Canal Co. to issue a new loan of six hundred million francs to complete the canal.

The *Colonist* mentions Messrs. Wilson, Cowan, Mason, Ferguson, and McLeese as candidates for the representation of Cariboo in the local parliament.

Up in Greenland it is nothing to run a daily newspaper. The days are three months long. A newspaper has just been started there which promises to make "bear stories a specialty."

We have received an annonymous letter from Maple Ridge criticising the conduct of a certain church official. As the letter does not bear the writer's name it goes into the waste basket.

Mr. Stamford, superintendent of the gas works, has gone to San Francisco to purchase the plant. It will be shipped direct from San Francisco to this city on the steamship Sardonyx.

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

Mr. Geo. Byrnes, auctioneer, Victoria, will sell by auction at Victoria on the 23rd inst., section 425, group 2, New Westminster district, known as the property of the late Alex. Harper. See adv.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a highly concentrated extract of Sarsaparilla, and other blood-purifying roots, combined with Iodide of Potassium and Iron. Its control over scrofulous diseases is unequalled by any other medicine.

The honey crop of Los Angeles county is estimated at nearly a thousand tons, according to the best posted apiarists, and unless some calamity interferes the wine and raisin crops will likewise be very large.

An excellent stone quarry has been found at the North Arm and it is not improbable we may have numerous stone buildings in Vancouver, as well as the brick structures now projected. —*Vancouver Advertiser.*

Two more candidates for the local parliament have appeared in Nanaimo. They are Messrs. S. H. Myers and James Lewis. Both were nominated by the workingmen. Nanaimo now rejoices in five candidates.

Attention is called to the business advertisement of Mr. Austin Brice which appears in another column. Mr. Brice is the contractor who completed St. Paul's church in this city, and is now erecting the new Orange Hall.

Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt has an ambition to own the finest steam yacht in the world, and has engaged Mr. St. Clare Byrne, an English naval architect, to design and construct it. The cost is to be not less than $300,000.

Some boys went into the convent grounds after cherries the other night, and did considerable damage to the cherry and other trees. Some of these scamps may find themselves landed in the police court sooner than they contemplated.

From a telegram published elsewhere it will be seen that Mr. Wm. Fortune, of Tranquille, has met with a very heavy loss by fire. This is very much to be regretted, and we are sure the sufferer will have much sympathy in his misfortune.

It is a generally admitted fact that the interests of Nanaimo, Vancouver, New Westminster and the lower mainland are more closely interwoven than the other centres of the province. While we are likely to have such close and intimate business relations, it would be well to become socially intimate.—*Nanaimo Free Press.*

Backache, stitches in the side, inflation and soreness of the bowels, are symptoms of a disordered state of the digestive and assimilative organs, which can be promptly and thoroughly corrected by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. As dinner pills, and as aids to digestion, they have no equal. They cure constipation.

CURE FOR SORE THROAT.—A prompt and efficient remedy for sore throat as well as croup, asthma, pain in the side, ear ache, deafness and many other common and painful complaints, is found in Hagyard's Yellow Oil.

POLICE COURT.—On Monday two Indian women were fined each $2.50 and costs for being drunk and disorderly. A man named Campbell was charged with supplying liquor to Indians, but the prosecution entirely failed and the case was dismissed.

FOR THE DISTRICT.—Mr. James Orr wishes us to announce that he will be a candidate for re-election as one of the representatives of the district of New Westminster in the provincial legislature. Mr. Orr's address to the electors may be looked for in our next issue.

FAIR AND HONEST.—We recommend every reader to peruse the article on the fishery dispute, taken from *Harper's Weekly*, which will be found on the first page of this paper. There are few, if there are any, more influential or better conducted papers in the United States than *Harper's Weekly*, and its opinion on the fishery troubles is fair, frank and founded on an unbiased knowledge of the facts.

MURDER AT POINT ROBERTS.—It is reported that John McSweeney, a rancher, was fatally stabbed at Point Roberts last Sunday morning by a fisherman named Bill Pollard. The two men, it is said, had been off somewhere together on Saturday and obtained liquor, and it is supposed that the deed was committed while the men were under the influence of this stuff. It is said that there has been bad blood between the two men for some time. Pollard is reported to have escaped. The act was committed in Washington Territory.

MAINLAND MAILS.—The Vancouver *News* of Saturday publishes the following letter from the deputy postmaster general at Ottawa addressed to Mr. A. W. Ross of Vancouver: "Mail arrangements between Victoria and the mainland are awaiting the commencement of regular train service through from Montreal to Vancouver. This is expected to take place in the course of a few days, and the postmaster general has every reason to believe that from that time the arrangements he has authorized will prove thoroughly satisfactory for mail purposes to all interested."

BIBLE SOCIETY.—In the report of the Directors presented at the annual meeting of the Upper Canada Bible Society recently held at Toronto, at which the Bishop of Huron was the principal speaker, we find the following reference to the branch in this city:—"We have just heard from our most distant branch, New Westminster, B. C., enclosing a remittance of $155.50 to the funds of the society. Also a donation of $25 to the building fund of the new Bible House. The detailed report has not reached us yet, but we cannot refrain from expressing our unfeigned satisfaction at the substantial proof of the spirit of our friends in New Westminster."

SIR JOHN'S VISIT.—It was stated in our last issue that Sir John Macdonald was expected to visit British Columbia during the summer. We learn that the visit has been fully decided upon, and that this city will not be left out of the programme of the distinguished statesman. Sir John will be accompanied by Lady Macdonald, Hon. Thos. White and Mrs. White, and during his stay in this city he will be the guest of Bishop Sillitoe. The date of his arrival has not been definitely fixed, but he is expected during the first week in July. It will be seen by the report of the city council proceedings in another column that steps are being taken to receive Sir John with becoming honors.

LAST OF THE BISON.—For many years it has been a matter of speculation as to whether the American Indian or the bison would go first. But, according to Mr. Nimmo, United States statistician, the speculation is at an end, for he estimates that there are not above 1000 head of the bison species in existence, and it goes without the saying that this last remnant will shortly go the way of the rest, and the species be extinct. Mr. Charles Goodnight, one of the largest cattlemen of the Panhandle, seeing that the buffalo will in a few years be a curiosity, has concluded to keep a herd on his Pato Duro ranch. He will keep a portion of them to themselves, and with others he will try the experiment of crossing them with the polled angus bull.

CUSTOMS SEIZURES.—On the 3rd of April the collector of customs at this port seized a steam threshing machine, self-binding reaper and seed drill, imported by Mr. T. W. Calhoun. The seizure was made on the ground of under valuation and false description. The goods were held subject to the decision of the minister of customs. That decision has been received. It requires the importer to pay the full amount of duty as determined by the collector, all expenses connected with the seizure, and a fine of $200, otherwise the goods will be forfeited. Yesterday the collector seized at McLaren's brick yard, Port Haney, a span of horses brought over from Washington Territory without having paid duty. We understand that another seizure of considerable extent has been made at Mud Bay, but the ruling of the minister of customs in this case has not yet been received.

GLADSTONE'S DEFEAT.—A second time Mr. Gladstone has been defeated on the Irish question. His first defeat was accomplished by the votes of the Parnellites: his second is in spite of that vote. The defeat of the home rule measure will not be unexpected, and it is not, perhaps, a ground of very much regret. For some days events have been shaping so as to lead to the conclusion that the measure would not pass its second reading. The bill itself, notwithstanding amendments, contains many objectionable clauses, and it may be better that home rule should be postponed for a brief period than that it should be established upon a wrong basis which it might be difficult afterwards to readjust. We are quite certain this is only a postponement of the question. It is sure to be carried either under the guidance of Mr. Gladstone or, perhaps, under less skilful hands. The majority against the bill was 30. It is not known what course the government will take under the circumstances, but it will probably be resignation and possibly dissolution of parliament.

WHY IS IT?—Why do so many limp and hobble about on sticks and crutches, suffering from rheumatism, stiff joints and cords, lame back, sprains and other aches, pains and lameness, when Hagyard's Yellow Oil, an unfailing relief, can be purchased at the trifling cost of twenty-five cents?

Fortune's Mill Burned.

By Telegraph.

KAMLOOPS, June 8.—Wm. Fortune's sawmill at Tranquille was burned to the ground last night. Loss estimated at $10,000. No insurance.

The Water Still Rising!

By Telegraph.

YALE, June 8.—The water has risen about 8 inches during the past 24 hours, and is now 6 feet below the high water of 1882.

MATSQUI, June 8.—The river has risen 6 inches here during the past 24 hours. It is 4½ feet below the high water mark of 1882.

CITY COUNCIL.—Council met on Monday night. Present, the mayor and Couns. Calbick, Douglas, Bonson, Shiles, Elliott, Lord, and Ross. R. Crossman applied for reduction in the amount charged for theatre ($5 each performance) as he was about to establish a permanent theatre in the city. On motion the matter was referred to the city solicitor to see if it could be reduced to $15 a month. The mayor presented deed of the library lot, and a motion of thanks was passed to the Dominion government. A number of accounts were passed. The police committee reported on the complaint of Capt. Pittendrigh against the lockup keeper, stating that the complaint was well founded, but recommending that he be not dismissed. The report also stated that no ground had been found for the complaint against Constable Grant. It was recommended that the policemen be furnished with uniforms and badges, that they remain on duty 12 hours each, and that they keep moving about while on duty. It was also recommended that the present nightwatchman be paid $20 a month during the summer. The sum of $20 was voted to R. A. McMorran for cost of moving foundation of house. The board of health reported that the Chinese quarters were generally clean, but a building belonging to the Sir James Douglas estate was crowded with dirty Chinamen and ought to be pulled down. The mayor was instructed to ascertain when Sir John would arrive in this city with a view to making arrangements for a suitable reception. It was ordered that printed notices be placed on the bridges and plank roads forbidding rapid driving, and that uniforms be procured for the police.

DANGER AHEAD.—There is danger ahead from neglected colds. A tight cough and irritated throat are the warning signs of lurking danger to the lungs. Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam cures colds, sore throat, stubborn coughs, and all bronchial and lung troubles.

B. C. Express Held Up!

$2000 REWARD FOR THE HIGHWAYMEN.

A despatch from Cache Creek, dated last Saturday, says: "About 10 o'clock this morning, when one mile south of the 83-mile stable, the B. C. Express company's coach, Tate, driver, was stopped by two masked highwaymen, who fired shots from revolvers and Winchester rifle over his head. The highwaymen seized the Cariboo treasure bag, which they robbed of its contents, with the exception of one small package of $1000, which they overlooked in their haste. Tate was then ordered to drive on which he gladly did. Constables are in pursuit." As soon as this news reached Victoria the government issued notices offering a reward of $1000 for the capture of the robbers, and the express company offered another $1000. It is a rare thing for such an act to be committed in British Columbia, and we earnestly hope the fellows may be taken. On Monday night the government agent in this city received the following telegram from Mr. F. Soues, government agent at Clinton: "Stage robbers are described to me as suddenly leaving Bridge Creek. One tall, thin featured, small pointed nose, and dark complexion, small dark moustache. The other short, stout, round built, but not corpulent, blue eyes, very round face, small blonde moustache, very pleasant spoken. The tall one very silent; both very well dressed, but clothes somewhat worn; the smaller grey colored tweed. They bought 100 lbs. flour and one sack salt from J. Hamilton, Bridge Creek, on 10th May."

The Home Rule Vote.

GLADSTONE DEFEATED BY 30 MAJORITY.

Intense Excitement During the Vote.

By Telegraph.

LONDON, June 7.—A special bulletin issued at 8 p.m. says:—The government was defeated by a majority of 30 on the second reading of the home rule bill. The vote was 311 for the measure, and 341 against it. Mr. Gladstone moved an adjournment till Thursday and the motion was adopted.

LONDON, June 8.—The excitement during the home rule division has had no parallel in the history of the house of commons. Lord Randolph Churchill was the first to discover the government's defeat, and by waving his hat and indulging in joyful demonstrations aroused the enthusiasm of the members of the opposition who, on rising, waved their hats and cheered again and again. When the figures were announced the noise became deafening. The Parnellites challenged the vote. Mr. O'Connor called for three cheers for the "grand old man," which were given with immense gusto by the government supporters. Sir Wm. Harcourt and his companions arose and bowed to Mr. Gladstone, who was somewhat embarrassed. The Parnellites then called for groans for Chamberlain which were given with shouts of "Traitor!" "Traitor!" and "Judas Iscariot!" Mr. Chamberlain merely laughed. When order was restored Mr. Gladstone arose, white and trembling, and moved to adjourn till Thursday. Heally and O'Connor again challenged the vote, saying they would not offer opposition but wished to express their repugnance of the conduct of many of the members. Gladstone kept talking to a party of friends during the bubbub. Gladstone, wearing a haggard look, left the house, cheered by his supporters.

IN BAD HUMOR.—"A year ago my head was covered with sores, and the eruption covered my face also, and spread even until the backs of my hands were sore. I became weak and ill. Finding no cure I tried Burdock Blood Bitters. Two bottles perfectly cured me." Statement of Miss Minnie Stevenson, Cocagne, N. B.

Mortgages, Deeds, Leases, Agreements of Sale, and blank forms of all kinds, at T. R. Pearson & Co's.

Communications.

The Commons Election.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—As there is likely to be an election of a representative to the commons in place of Mr. Homer, who has accepted office under the Dominion government, and as we must be prepared for many and important changes in this district and throughout British Columbia we should be prepared to meet the coming events that cast their shadows before. The temperance question is being strongly tested throughout the Dominion: why should not New Westminster take a new departure and come to the front and help the cause by sending a total abstainer to represent them in parliament? If the cause is good let it have a fair representative for the next five years and prove its merits. There are many and important questions relating to British Columbia that require to be brought prominently before the government, such as the land question, the fishing, and liquor license; and in all these it requires a man of firm and honest principle to obtain the just rights of the people. I hear of quite a number of aspirants, but I trust in this day of grace, and opportunity, the lovers of right and justice will come forward and elect a man who they feel assured will do what is right in any position of trust, bearing in mind a representative is most always taken as a sample of those he represents. S. C.

New Westminster, June 7, 1886.

OFF WORK.—"I was off work for two years suffering from kidney disease, and could get no relief until advised by a friend to try B. B. B. I was cured by two bottles and consider it a miraculous cure." The above is the substance of a communication from Wm. Tier, of St. Mary's, Ont.

Dominion Day Music.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—In your issue of the 5th inst. you ask for an explanation relative to the hiring of a band for the 1st of July, 1886. Now, as there seems to be a misunderstanding in the minds of many in regard to this matter, I beg leave to state the facts which are as follows: About two weeks ago we were made cognizant of the fact that the inhabitants of our sister city, Vancouver, had made up their minds to celebrate Dominion Day and a deputation from that city waited upon the Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society to see if it were possible for this society to postpone their sports until a later date, but as this day was decided upon about two months ago this society did not think it would be to their interest to postpone such and of such a fact informed the Vancouver deputation. At the same time it came to the knowledge of the Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society that our town band had been engaged by the Vancouver people to play for them on the 1st prox. After our regular monthly meeting I telegraphed to Victoria to ascertain at what price a band could be procured from that city for the 1st July, should we require one, and received an answer as follows in reply: "That music would be furnished during the day for the sum of sixty dollars ($60) and for the ball in the evening an extra charge of twenty-five dollars ($25), making in all $85 for day and evening performances." On receipt of this a public meeting was called, when Mr. J. Armstrong and myself were appointed a committee to engage music for the day and evening. We immediately interviewed one of the New Westminster Band authorities and were informed that their band was engaged to play at Vancouver on the 1st prox., but if we would wait until the evening they would let us know more particularly. Same evening a deputation from our city band informed me "that they would furnish music during the day for $75, but would not play during the evening." In answer to this I told them that if they played for the same prices as Mr. Haynes' band we would prefer to engage our own townsmen. This they refused, and as a sub-committee of our citizens and society were then assembled the above facts were at once laid before them, and on this question being put before the meeting by our chairman it was carried that the Victoria band be engaged at the rates quoted per telegram as before stated. Now, Mr. Editor, I think this will show to all who may be interested in the successful carrying out the sports of our national day that my action in this matter has been straightforward and above board. Apologizing for taking up so much of your valuable space.—I remain sir, yours truly, L. F. BOSSON.

June 7, 1886

A HEAVY BURDEN.—Mr. George Russell, of Aurora, Ont., says he was a great sufferer from a running sore of the worst description, which baffled the best medical skill, and his life was a burden. He was cured by B. B. B., to his great joy and the surprise of his friends.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 5.—The jury in the Maxwell case has just returned a verdict of murder in the first degree.

LONDON, June 5.—The house of commons in committee agreed last evening by a vote of 115 to 100 to the amendment to the Sunday sale liquor bill, providing for the closing of public houses on Sunday throughout England, except in London and its suburbs.

NEW YORK, June 5.—At one o'clock this morning Executive Committeeman O'Rourke said the car lines would resume operations in the morning. The police patrol wagons have returned to their stables and this would seem to indicate that all the trouble is over.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 5.—An Edmonton, N. W. T., special says: A rumor is current among the Indians of the district from Victoria to Lac Ste. Anne that the Indians of the south are preparing for an outbreak in the near future, in which they will be assisted by the Fenians and others from the south of the line. The Indians from this district are expected to join them, and it is said that it was to do so that the Bobtails left their reservation. The plan is to attack McLeod, Calgary and Regina, leaving the Saskatchewan country to be taken at leisure.

LONDON, June 6.—Politicians have been active throughout the day as a result of a recent meeting. From reports received from many quarters, comprising political rendezvous, very little hope is entertained for the success of the home rule bill.

BELFAST, June 6.—The funeral of Curran, the young man who lost his life by drowning during the recent Orange-Catholic riots, took place last Sunday. The body was followed to the cemetery by a large procession, numbering upwards of twenty thousand Catholics. A body of Orangemen threw stones at the procession and the Catholics retaliated by making an assault on the Orangemen and driving them away. A number of shots were fired, one man was stabbed, several persons were severely cut and badly injured. Finally the police succeeded in restoring order, but not before windows had been smashed and other depredations committed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4.—In the house, Mr. Boutelle, of Maine, introduced a bill relating to the duties on fish. Mr. Boutelle says in reference to this bill that the so-called retaliatory provision recently added by congress to the shipping bill, however proper and justifiable, will not be regarded with much concern by Canadians as they do not care much for the privilege of buying bait or supplies in our ports. He propose therefore to deal with the fishery question practically by terminating the free importation of fish, and increasing the import duties on all fish, thus compelling Canadians to pay for the mere privilege of selling their fish in the United States.

The Colonial Exhibition.

The London journals have naturally had much to say with regard to the Colonial Exhibition. They are unanimous in the expression of admiration of its magnitude and material value, while not a few look beyond and see in it a moral aspect infinitely greater. Take, for instance, the *Times*, still the leader of the press. At the time of the first great exhibition, five-and-thirty years ago, it says, it could hardly have occurred to anyone that the British empire itself would, in the next generation, be capable of furnishing forth from its own resources an exhibition of the products of its industry, agriculture, and fine arts, by the side of which even the great exhibition of 1851 would almost have paled its ineffectual fires. But it is as the symbol of the moral unity of national sentiment which constitutes a world-wide empire that the exhibition appeals most strongly to every subject of the Queen.

In the Conservative press the exhibition is commented upon with much enthusiasm. To the *Standard* it is the first distinctly Imperial festival celebrated on English soil—a display of immense commercial and political value. The fraternity of nations, to accomplish which was the object of the exhibition of 1851, was a dream; the oneness of the British empire, as shown by the present show, is a fact. The *Morning Post* passes in hasty review the vast changes in the British empire since the age of exhibitions commenced. India was still unsettled, New Zealand was the object of contention between English settlers and the Maories, the magnificent colonies of Australia were still but a "dumping ground" for the dregs of the criminal classes of the Old Country, while Canada was only commencing the work of constructing the network of railways which now brings the produce of her most distant fields within reach of the markets of Europe. The occasion reminds the *Telegraph* that Canada is now not only within a week of Liverpool, but has supplied in its transcontinental railway a new link with our distant dependencies in the Pacific Ocean. The evening *Globe* thinks we might fairly challenge the whole world to produce a counterpart of the splendid spectacle.

The Liberal press is not less appreciative. The *News* sees in the display a proof of the noble work that England's race has done, and of the birth, or at least the development, of the Imperial idea. It will give a new sense of the vast resources, the industrial activity, and the artistic culture of these new Englands beyond the seas. The *Chronicle* says the work of organizing this collection under one roof in the heart of London of articles from every corner of the empire, was done with a feeling that all so engaged were toiling for the common good. The Radical *Echo* also regards the opening as an event of national importance. It will, it says, bring home to the crowds, as nothing has brought home to them before, the greatness of that colonial empire of which most Englishmen know so little, and show them that if the union of the whole be once placed beyond uncertainty a career lies before us which may even eclipse our past lustre.—*Canadian Gazette.*

Richmond Council.

Council met June 5; all present except Coun. London. A communication was read from S. G. Chapman, requesting the council to construct 50 or 60 rods of ditch and roadway near his residence.—Board of Works instructed to comply. Communication read from E. A. Sharpe, requesting the council to construct a ditch and roadway (¼-mile) between lots 34 and 35, B. 4 W., R. 6 W.—Received and laid on table. The board of works reported having let contract to Mr. Woodward for filling in at bridge lately constructed by him and recommended payment of $5 for same. They also reported having let a contract to Mr. Scratchley for putting in a flood-box, &c., near Mr. Quigley's, for $110, and recommending payment for same. They further recommended that the contract of J. Conolly be transferred to Antone Haley and that he be paid $100 on contract.—Reports adopted. On motion, the revenue bylaw, 1886, was reconsidered and adopted. The board of works were authorized to have the road near Mr. Quigley's completed. The clerk, assessor and collector for 1886 presented his bonds which were accepted and bonds of 1885 cancelled.

Court of Revision held at 1 o'clock p.m. Some minor changes were made in the names of property-owners and some additions made to the roll of recent purchases of government lands, but no changes made in the valuation of the assessments.

On motion, the assessment roll for 1886 as finally revised by the court of revision was adopted. On the petition of A. Mitchell and others laid over from last meeting, it was ordered that tenders be called for constructing 1 mile of ditch and roadway. It was further ordered that the petition of Geo. Black and others be laid over till next meeting. The clerk was instructed to communicate with the chief commissioner of lands and works respecting the application of the council for the construction of bridges from Lulu and Sea Islands to mainland. The loan bylaw was laid over till next meeting, to be on the 1st Saturday in July next.

PIANO TUNING.

MR. O. H. GOODWIN, Piano Maker and Tuner, will be in town shortly, for a few days only. Orders left at Mr. Pearson's store will receive prompt attention. jn2tc

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Live Stock & Real Estate.

I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from **Mr. Wm. Murray** to sell by Public Auction on the premises, Langley Prairie, on TUESDAY, 22ND INSTANT, 8 Milch Cows with calves at foot, all gentle dairy animals; 5 2-year olds; 3 1-year olds; 1 Bull, well broke to work; 1 Mare and Colt 5 years old; 1 team of Horses well matched and well broken, dark bays 5 and 6 years old; 1 Farm Wagon; 1 Hay Rack; and a number of Work and unbroken Horses from the interior. The above is a good opportunity for parties desiring good family cows; and the terms being exceptionally good will give all parties a chance of getting what they may require in this direction.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 31st May, 1886.

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Lots Nos. 4 to 8 inclusive.
" 10 to 18 "

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Lots Nos. 6, 8, 9 and 10.

Clinton Place Reserve, Block F.
Lots Nos. 1 to 10 inclusive.
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which causes woe, sorrow, contentions, babblings, wounds, redness of eyes, and that biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder; that occasions licentiousness, disease, hatred, wrath, strife, drunkenness and murder; corrupt and foolish legislation, unwise and rash public measures; defects, disasters and despotism; insubordination and misconduct in armies and navies; broils and feuds in national cabinets; affronts, insults, and aggressions, terminating in wars between classes, peoples, and nations? Can we encourage these things with many more of like nature and not tremble for the results? We do so by granting licenses, high or low. It is a choice between God, humanity, and virtue on the one side, and the almighty dollar, poverty, vice, wretchedness, crime, and national punishment on the other. Which will we take? The choice involves a cool, deliberate, manifestation of the principles that guide us morally, religiously, politically, and nationally. More anon.

WM. KENT.

Maxwell's Statement.

Great interest is manifested everywhere in the trial of Maxwell, accused of the murder of Preller. The prisoner was allowed to make a statement in court, which is as follows:

"My full name is Hugh M. Brooks. I am twenty-five years old and was born in Hyde, Cheshire, England. I commenced to study law with Brown at Stockport, near Hyde, in 1878, and remained there four years. I am a lawyer by profession. I also studied medicine and surgery at the collegiate school at Manchester, but I am not a licensed physician. I first met Preller at the Northwestern Hotel at Liverpool, but did not get acquainted with him until I met him on board the steamer Cephnolia. I also met Warren on the steamer. Mr. Preller and myself were both Englishmen coming to a strange land and our acquaintance ripened into a warm friendship. We told much about our plans and purposes for the future, and our acquaintance and friendship continued after our arrival in this country. We reached Boston on February 3rd, and after three or four days Preller started on a business trip. I had conversations and correspondence with Preller about going to New Zealand. We agreed to meet in St. Louis and go there together. I told him about my financial condition, telling him in a letter that I had $100 all told. I treated Preller several times medically in Boston, and by letter he acknowledged having received decided benefit from the treatment. He knew that I never had practiced medicine regularly. I never used any deception with him in this regard."

Witness then described the various events prior to leaving Boston for Canada, and about his own and Preller's arrival in St. Louis and stopping at the Southern Hotel. He said that he had from $50 to $60 when he arrived here. He described how he tried to pawn some of his things before Preller came, his visits to Fernow's drug store and his conversation with Fernow, and his purchasing various articles of him, among them chloroform and carbolic acid, which in combination he used himself in treating a bad tooth that troubled him. He states that Preller arrived on the Friday prior to Easter Sunday. He told how they went together to sell his magic lantern and slides, and various other occurrences which took place between Friday and Sunday, all of which are familiar to nearly everybody. The court then took a recess.

After the recess the examination of the defendant was continued. "We, Mr. Preller and I," he said, "made two trips between the Southern Hotel and the Union Depot, where we attempted to discover the cause of the detention of my trunk which contained the lantern. We were told by a baggageman there that it was probably detained in Port Huron, Canada, by the customs authorities. We visited Aloe, the optician, in an endeavor to ascertain if he would purchase the lantern and slides when they should arrive. From the time that Mr. Preller arrived in St. Louis down to Easter Sunday we saw a great deal of each other. We were, as former witnesses have stated, almost inseparable. I visited his room several times, but when we were not looking around the city or playing pool, he spent most of the time in my room. We played pool a good deal, and whoever lost a game paid for it. We played about even, so the expenses were about evenly divided. We drank some, but not much. He paid for most of the drinks. Preller was accustomed to call at my room early in the morning and we would go down to breakfast together and return to my room and converse awhile, and then go down to the rotunda. On Easter Sunday, before I went to the drug store, he and I had a conversation about the performance of the operation heretofore alluded to, and also, a day or two before Sunday, Preller described to me his symptoms, and I concluded that he was suffering from a stricture, and that the best method of treating him was by passing a catheter. I took my authorities on medicine and read to Mr. Preller the directions as to the proper method of administering chloroform, and refreshed my own mind as to the precautions to be used. There are marginal notes on the pages treating of the simplest and the safest methods of using the drug, but I made these some twelve months before I left England. After this conversation with Mr. Preller I went to the drug store and purchased four ounces of chloroform and a quantity of absorbent cotton. On this same day Preller had gone to another drug store, the one under the Southern Hotel, and made some purchases, which he said we must have and could probably not get on our journey to Auckland before we should arrive in San Francisco. It had been understood between us all the time that I was to sell my magic lantern and some other things in order to get some money for the trip to San Francisco, and that he was to pay for my passage to Auckland with the understanding that I should refund to him the cost of the passage. While in the drug store I ordered and drank a mixture of bromide of potassium, valerian and ammonia to quiet my nerves. I drank this in the presence of Mr. Preller and he paid for it, as he did for the other things purchased there. We then returned to the hotel, and on our way up to my room we stopped at a cigar stand and purchased a box of cigars, for which my companion paid. We then went up stairs, and after smoking awhile and discussing the proposed operation, Mr. Preller went to his own room, returning shortly, having removed his waistcoat and replaced his coat with a dressing gown. Immediately thereafter we began to make preparations for the operation. Preller placed his trousers and drawers and laid down on the bed. I placed a four-ounce bottle of chloroform on the washstand and poured out a fluid gramme of the liquid on a piece of lint, which I folded three times, and then walked to the bed and held the lint about six inches from the patient's face, so that the vapor from the chloroform might become mixed with the air and produce no violent effect. It all evaporated in a few minutes and I turned around to get more and found that the bottle I had placed on the washstand had fallen into the basin, and a large portion of the contents had flowed out, and not enough was left to produce anæsthesia. I then went to Fernow's drug store to get more, telling Fernow that I had spilled what I had first bought. I wanted four ounces, but he had only two, and I took that. I hastened to my room. I placed about a gramme of the fluid on the lint a second time, and again held it six inches from his face. I continued this till I thought unconsciousness, or rather insensibility to pain had been reached. I then took up the catheter and proceeded to insert it. Mr. Preller made a peculiar noise, wincing as if he felt pain. I came to the conclusion that I had not administered sufficient chloroform. I poured out a gramme or a gramme and a half of chloroform on the lint, which I again placed before his face. Almost before I knew it, Preller's breathing became very labored and I at once suspended the administration of the chloroform, for I knew that his condition was serious. I seized a pair of my surgeon's scissors and at once cut his shirt and undershirt from his body and I tried all means of resuscitation with which I was familiar. I slapped him with wet towels on the neck and chest, dashed cold water on his chest and attempted to restore the respiration by moving his arms up and down."

The witness proceeded with a voice impressively husky: "I continued these efforts to revive my friend for over half an hour, but it was useless—entirely useless. Shortly after my friend ceased to breathe and his heart stopped beating. There was no breath on the mirror when I held it to his lips. Even after I was satisfied that he was dead I continued my efforts with him. I did not leave and call assistance. All my efforts were to restore him, because when chloroform takes hold of him and he sinks, in a few seconds a man is dead. I thought the time was better occupied in efforts to restore him. I finally decided that that he was dead and past all hope. Then I hardly knew what to do. My first impulse was to notify the authorities. Imagine my feelings. I did not know that a man could make a statement in his own behalf, thinking the same rules prevailed here as in England. I thought I would go away."

The prisoner then proceeded to tell the story of putting the body in the trunk in a wild and dazed sort of way, scarcely knowing what he did, and said that he was so wrought up that he could give no connected account of his subsequent sayings and doings. He tried to drown his terror in drink. Then he concluded that the only thing to do was to get away. He took Preller's money, $500 or $600, purchased a number of things, including a railway ticket to San Francisco, placed the paper reading, "So perish all traitors to the great cause," in the trunk with the dead man and shaved off his moustache in order to puzzle the authorities until after an autopsy, to gain time, and also cut a gash on Preller's breast with a scalpel, but could assign no reason for it. He asserted firmly that he had no intention of harming Preller.

The rest of the testimony was taken up with his subsequent journeyings.

Stung to Death.

(From Schwatka's Alaska.)

A fair wind one day made me think it possible to take a hunt inland, but to my disgust it died down after I had proceeded two or three miles, and my tight back to camp with the mosquitoes I shall always remember as one of the salient points of my life. It seemed as if there was an upward rain of insects from the grass that became a deluge over marshy tracts—and more than half the ground was marshy. Of course not a sign of any game was seen, except a few old tracks; and the tracks of an animal are about the only part of it that could exist here in the mosquitoe season, which lasts from the time the snow is half off the ground until the first severe frost, a period of three or four months. During that time every living creature that can leave the valleys ascends the mountains, closely following the snow line, and even there peace is not completely attained, the exposure to the winds being of far more benefit than the coolness due to the altitude, while the mosquitoes are left undisputed masters of the valleys, except for a few straggling animals on their way from one range of mountains to the other.

Had there been any game, and had I obtained a fair shot, I honestly doubt if I could have secured it, owing to these pests, not altogether on account of their ravenous attacks upon my face, and especially the eyes, but for the reason that they were so absolutely dense that it was impossible to see clearly through the mass in taking aim. When I got to camp I was thoroughly exhausted with my incessant flight, and completely out of breath, which I had to regain as best I could in a stifling smoke from dry, resinous pine knots. A traveller who had spent the summer on the lower Yukon, where I did not find the pests so bad on my journey as on the upper river, was of opinion that a nervous person without a mask would soon be killed by nervous prostration, unless he were to take refuge in midstream. I know that the native dogs are killed by the mosquitoes under certain circumstances, and I heard reports which I believe to be well founded, both from Indians and trustworthy white persons, that the great brown bear—erroneously but commonly called the grizzly—of these regions is at times compelled to succumb to these insects. The statement seems almost preposterous, but the explanation is comparatively simple. Brain, having exhausted all the roots and berries of one mountain, or finding them scarce, thinks he will cross the valley to another range, or perhaps it is the odor of salmon washed up along the river banks that attracts him. Covered with a heavy fur on his body, his eyes, nose and ears are the vulnerable points for mosquitoes, and here of course they congregate in the greatest numbers. At last, when he reaches a swampy stretch, they rise in myriads, until his forepaw is kept so busy, as he strives to keep his eyes clear of them, that he can not walk, whereupon he becomes enraged, and, bear-like, raises upon his haunches to fight. It is now a mere question of time until the bear's eyes become so swollen from innumerable bites as to render him perfectly blind, when he wanders helplessly about until he gets mired in the mud and starves to death.

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

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H. ELLIOTT.

GENTLEMEN.—In presenting our report for 1885, we beg to state that it becomes a necessity that provision should be made for greater accommodation and more funds, if the institution is to keep pace with the growing requirements.

The Steward has performed his duties acceptably to the Directors, and the Hospital has been kept in as efficient condition as the premises admit.

The Surgeon has been attentive in his duties and reports a large increase in the number of in-door and out-door patients.

The Directors notice that patients from all parts of the province seek admittance at this institution, notwithstanding that similar institutions are located in at least four other parts of the province; and as to the nationalities of the patients, the registry shows that citizens from all parts of the world have been admitted.

A great number of improvements have been made during the year. A house has been built for the Steward, by which the upstair rooms of the Hospital are used as lover wards. The foundations of the buildings have been thoroughly overhauled and repaired; the two large wards have been wainscotted and are filled with patients, in fact the Hospital has been crowded through the whole year.

A drain to the river is imperatively necessary, also wash and drying house, woodshed, &c. These improvements must be managed the coming year.

The Board desire to thank Holy Trinity Church congregation, Choral Union, and Port Moody Literary Society for amounts received from them, and the following ladies and gentlemen for old clothes, linen, quilts, cushions, books, papers and periodicals: Mesdames Townsend, Dickinson, Bentley, D. Hennessey, J. Cunningham, Wintemute, Bonson, Cummings, Suter, Baker, McNaughten, C. Robson, M. Thain, S. Cawley, Society of Little Helpers, Moodyville, the members of the Baptist congregation, New Westminster, and to Messrs. I. B. Fisher, W. J. Armstrong, S. Trapp, Z. S. Hall, and W. H. Keary.

Annexed find Surgeon's and Treasurer's report and statement.

W. H. KEARY,
Hon. Secretary.

ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL,
NEW WESTMINSTER,
10th April, 1886.

To the Members of the Board of Directors:

GENTLEMEN.—I have the honor to make the following report on the Royal Columbian Hospital for the year ending 31st March, 1886:

Number of Indoor Patients.....75
" Outdoor 56
" remaining under treatment, 20
" died.....7

CAUSES OF DEATH OF THE SEVEN WHO DIED:—*Old Age, 1; Softening of Brain, 1;* Aneurism, 1; Railway Accident, 1; Paralysis, 1; General Debility, 1; Chronic Alcoholism, 1; total, 7.

I have to thank you for carrying out the suggestions in my last year's report. The wards up-stairs have been found very useful, and with a little repair they would be all we could wish for. The Steward's house is quite comfortable and is well worth the outlay both to the Hospital and to the Steward and his family.

The wainscotting of the wards downstairs is a great improvement.

Again I have great pleasure in thanking a number of friends of the Hospital for presents of clothes, old linen, pictures, books, papers, &c., &c. I have also to thank the Steward, Mr. Charles Digby, for his constant attention to the cleanliness of the building and his watchful care of the sick and his promptness in carrying out all my directions.

I am sorry that you have not been able to undertake the construction of a thorough system of drainage about and from the Hospital; but I believe it is your intention to do so as soon as possible, *i. e.,* when sufficient funds are in hand.

I am yours faithfully,
R. J. BENTLEY, M. B.,
Surgeon.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

In presenting the accounts for the past year, the Treasurer begs to call attention to the fact that the outlay has been rigidly scrutinized, in which he has been greatly assisted by the Steward, Mr. Digby. Still there seems little prospect of any reduction of expenditure and, therefore, the help of the government and the public *must be increased if the efficiency of the* institution is to be maintained.

W. H. KEARY,
Hon. Treasurer.

THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH THE ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL.

April 1st, 1885 to 31st March, 1886.

To Cash, balance on hand	$ 493 42
" Grant from Provincial Govt.	4,500 00
" Grant from City Council	25 00
" Collections, &c., Holy Trinity Church	38 00
" Choral Union Concert	45 05
" Port Moody Literary Society	30 00
" Cash from paying patients	401 00
" Subscriptions	10 00
	$5,542 47
To Balance	$ 296 92
By C'sh p'd Salaries	$1,150 00
" " Washing	267 7
" " Bread	193 35
" " Milk	240 04
" " Vegetables	72 44
" " Fish	23 13
" " Light	91 71
" " Furniture	150 28
" " Groceries	765 60
" " Beef	778 34
" " Fuel	262 13
" " Funerals	98 00
" " Insurance	30 00
" " Audit	10 00
" " Bedding	101 93
" " Nursing	25 00
" " Printing & Stationery	64 00
" " Drugs & Surgical Appliances	223 93
" " Medical Comforts	31 62
" " Sundries	9 22
" " Shipping Incurable	20 00
" " Building Fever Ward	572 00
" " Clothing	29 87
" " Repairs to Buildings	97 13
" " Balance	296 92
	$5,542 47

W. H. KEARY,
Treasurer.

Certified correct,
A. SMITHER,
Auditor.
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NOTICE.

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

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

NOTICE.

Sittings of the County Court of Cariboo

WILL BE HOLDEN AT THE UNDERmentioned places and times, viz:—
At LILLOOET.....On 4th June next.
At CLINTON.....On 17th June next.
At SODA CREEK.....On 30th June next.
At QUESNELLEMUTH, On 3rd July next.
At RICHFIELD.....On 8th July next.

By Command,
JOHN ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
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EDUCATION BRANCH OF PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT, May 20th, 1886.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Legislative Assembly Hall, Victoria, commencing at

10 A. M. ON MONDAY, 5TH JULY.

Intending Candidates are required to notify this department and furnish Testimonials prior to June 25th.

Applicants for Renewal of Certificates are hereby notified to comply with subsection 8 of section 41 of the "Public School Act, 1885." S. D. POPE,
je2td Superintendent of Education.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

ASSESSMENT TAX AND PROVINCIAL REVENUE TAX.

NEW WESTMINSTER CITY AND DISTRICT.

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

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

If paid after June 30th, 1886:—
¾ of 1 per cent. on Real Property.
6 cents per acre on Wild Land.
¼ of 1 per cent. on Personal Property.
¾ of 1 per cent. on Income.

C. WARWICK,
Assessor and Collector.
May 20th, 1886. my22c

Dominion Lands in British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY DIrection of the Honorable the Minister of the Interior that the operation of the provisions of the Homestead clauses, numbered 18 to 24 inclusive, of the Regulations for the disposal of Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in this Province, has been extended by Order in Council so as to make these clauses applicable to lands settled upon until 1st July, 1887. JOSEPH W TRUTCH,
Dominion Govt. Agent.
Victoria, B. C., 20th May, '86. 22my1m

Port Hammond Nursery!

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

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

TAKE NOTICE

THAT MY YOUNG STALLION

"SIR STAFFORD"

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

CHILLIWHACK AND SUMAS

Terms, $7.50, $10 and $15.

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

The Norman Percheron Stallion

"PRINCE JUNIOR"

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

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

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

ap7tc WM. CHADSEY.

To Horse Breeders!

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"YOUNG TUPPER"

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

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

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

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

NOTICE.

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

J. ROLAND HETT,
Langley St., Victoria.
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Dated 16th December, 1885 dec23tc

NOTICE

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

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

NOTICE

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

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

J. H. TURNER,
my29m1 Assignee.

NOTICE.

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

JAMES PATTERSON,
my12m1 C. M. C.

NOTICE.

COULTER & CO. HAVING THIS DAY sold their Drug business to Messrs. D. S. Curtis & Co., take this opportunity of thanking the public for their kind patronage.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned having been dissolved by mutual consent, all accounts due the late firm must be paid to T. J. Armstrong on or before the 15th June or they will be placed in the hands of our solicitor.

F. H. COULTER,
T. J. ARMSTRONG.

Dated at New Westminster, 15th May, 1886. my22td

NOTICE.

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

CORBOULD & McCOLL,
Solicitors for Applicants.
Dated November 6th, 1885. nolltc

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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Burrard Inlet, B.C., 16th April, 1886. 17ap2m

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Vancouver City, 4th March, 1886. mh6tc

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