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Nanaimo Protests.

The good people of Nanaimo seem to have caught hold of the idea lately that they would do something to make themselves notorious. Usually Nanaimo is a quiet and peaceable town, and does not give much outward manifestation of its particular opinion. But its war paint has been put on liberally, and it seems bound to make a fuss with somebody. Not long ago some special police officers were sent from Victoria to Nanaimo, and the superintendent of police for the province went with them. The people of Nanaimo warmly resented this movement, and called a public meeting for the purpose of placing on record their emphatic protest. The meeting was very large, and the report of the proceedings published in the *Free Press* leaves no doubt but considerable enthusiasm and excitement were manifested by at least some of those present. Some of the speeches were excited. They abounded in statements which calm reflection must have pronounced unfounded and uncalled for. It was explained by Mr. Raybould, one of the local representatives for Nanaimo, that this police business was nothing more than a private matter. Mr. Dunsmuir has a great deal of valuable property about Nanaimo, and since the trouble between himself and the striking miners has grown serious he began to entertain a suspicion that his property might become a prey to the disaffected men. At his own instance, and at his own expense, he had some special constables sworn in and sent up to protect his property in case it should be attacked. At his request the attorney-general allowed the superintendent of police to accompany these men, but on the distinct understanding that all expenses should be paid by Mr. Dunsmuir. Now, there may have been no substantial grounds for Mr. Dunsmuir's fears, and the course he adopted may have been unwise. Of that we know nothing, and pronounce no opinion. But the meeting, with the full explanation of the circumstances before it, proceeded to pass censure upon the provincial government! The special constables did not belong to the government. They were simply persons hired by Mr. Dunsmuir to guard his property, and invested with constabulary powers so as to enable them to act effectively if required. The only matter in which the government could be made responsible was in permitting the presence of the police superintendent. The premier emphatically declared that the superintendent had not been sent with the knowledge of himself or the cabinet. It would seem, therefore, that the attorney-general had taken upon himself the responsibility of doing this without consulting his colleagues. It may fairly be open to question whether the circumstances were sufficient to justify the interference of the provincial police at all, but if there was any improper action the attorney-general alone was responsible for it. But the meeting was bound to censure somebody, and it proceeded to censure the government. We must say that such a proceeding is beyond defense. But another meeting was called last week to discuss the island railway bill, and political issues generally. The person who called this meeting is a squatter, and his principal desire seemed to be to censure the government and the representatives because they gave away the public lands without making adequate provisions for the protection of squatters. Now, this is just one of the things which the settlement bill does carefully protect, and the ostensible motive of this squatter could hardly be his real object in promoting the meeting. The same observation applies with equal force to the meeting called on account of the special police. There can never be an effect without a cause. There are certain persons in Nanaimo, we are told, who believe it would be a fine thing to air their eloquence in parliament. But as the constituencies are all fully represented already they find themselves in the position of Abraham Lincoln's pegs for which no holes could be found. They want to make the holes. By means of a public agitation, aided by a number of malcontents who are ready for any new development, these political wire-pullers hope to bring about the resignation of their present representatives, or an appeal to the people, which would open the doors of the legislature to themselves. We believe this will be found to constitute the milk of the cocoanut. The last meeting resulted in nothing, however, as no resolution was put. It may be that the agitators have permitted themselves to go beyond the region of forbearance, and they find the sensible people of Nanaimo will not lend themselves to the accomplishment of their selfish purposes.

The people of this country have spoken. They declare by their patronage of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, that they believe it to be an article of genuine merit, adapted to the cure of rheumatism, as well as relieves the pains of fractures and dislocations, external injuries, corns, bunions, piles, and other maladies.

Poetry.

For the Columbian.]

The Norseman's Death Song.

Oh! the joy of the combat,
The delight of my soul,
When the war-horses are singing,
The battle blades ringing,
And far overhead
The thick dust clouds roll.

Then Odin is watching,
And they, the fair maids,
The Valkyrs are winging
Where the war-songs are singing
And choosing the dead
Mid the clash of the blades.

The eyes darting lightning,
The sword swinging high,
The battle axe clanging;
Then comes the home ganging,
For the Valkyrs have chosen
And 'tis joyous to die.

All hail ye Valkyries!
With joy will I go,
For much would I rather
Greet Odin Alfather
Than dwell on the frozen
Plains here below.

The Scalds in their saga
Shall sing of my death,
While high in Valhalla,
With heroes whose valor
Is told in famed story,
Shall I mingle my breath.

And the bowl shall be flowing,
And the hunt shall be high,
Till Raynarok breatheth,
And my soul again taketh
Its sword for the glory
Of Odin to die.

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A JUDGE'S TESTIMONY.—At the recent session of the Durham, England, Assizes, Justice Hawkins, in his charge to the Graud Jury said:—"He had had considerable experience in courts of law, and every day he lived the more firmly come to the conclusion that the root of almost all crime was drink. It affected people of all ages and both sexes. It was drink which was the incentive to crime of dishonesty, and a man stole in order that he might get the means to get drunk. It was drink which caused homes to be impoverished, and they could trace to its source the cause of misery which was to be found in so many cottage homes where the common necessities of life were wanting. He believed that the nine-tenths of the crime of this country, and certainly of the county of Durham, was engendered in public-houses. When he came to that conclusion he considered it was his duty to enjoin upon the magistrates, who had the power in some respect to check the terrible ravages of drink, to do their utmost to suppress it with all their power and authority with which the law invested them. The county of Durham was the one county in all England where crimes were most prevalent. This spoke volumes; and having drawn the attention of the jury to it, he would make no further allusion to the subject."

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E. A. JENNS,
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The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, Oct. 13, 1883.

The King of Spain was recently insulted by a French rabble, and France has not apologized enough to satisfy the haughty Spaniards. From this insignificant circumstance serious complications may arise. Spain is too proud to receive insult with impunity, and France is too impetuous to reflect upon results. The relations between the two countries at this moment are exceedingly strained, and it is feared satisfaction may be demanded at the point of the bayonet. In a single-handed contest Spain would be no match for France; but would Spain be alone? Germany is thirsting for a row with her old enemy, and this may be her opportunity.

A Vast Revenue.

The United States government are just now accumulating surplusses at such an enormous rate that it seems difficult to discover ways and means for the application of them. The bonds available for redemption have nearly all been purchased. When the balance of the 3 per cents. has been redeemed, there will be no more bonds which the government can recall until 1891. At present the prospects are that these 3 per cents. will be exhausted in three years or less. The accumulating surplusses cannot be applied to the reduction of the public debt for nearly 7 years. The usual annual surplus amounts to over $100,000,000, and in 1891 the treasury may contain $700,000,000 surplus. This is a magnificent financial exhibit; but people are beginning to ask why the producers and consumers should be taxed so enormously to fill the treasury with useless gold. The revenue comes out of the people's pockets, and the people's pockets will not stand the constant drain without grumbling. The high customs duties have pressed heavily upon the people of the United States, and we should not wonder if the agitation which has been steadily growing may soon find itself strong enough to bring about a substantial reduction in the tariff. The same process is found in Canada, but on a smaller scale. We are burdened with heavy taxes, while the treasury every year shows a substantial surplus. It is time the governments of Canada and the United States were considering the propriety of adjusting the taxes so that surplusses shall disappear.

The Dark Continent.

The brilliant expedition of Mr. Stanley, the discoverer of Livingstone, directed the eyes of all the world to Africa, and awakened an interest in that country which has never since died out. Later explorations proved that the interior of the dark continent was by no means wanting in resources and attractions, and several nations have been looking with covetous eyes upon the wealth of the newly found region. Not long ago we mentioned the success which had attended Stanley's most recent attempts to establish commercial relations between interior Africa and Europe, and the counter efforts of the French in the same direction. In a late issue the *Globe* states that the attempt of De Brazza to gain for France a political foothold on the Congo has utterly failed. Stanley, the energetic explorer of the river and the discoverer of the greater part of it, is actively pioneering for science, trade, and religion, while De Brazza with a handful of sickly men is forced to stand idly by and see the efforts of the International Association crowned with complete success. An immense trade with the interior has already sprung up, the imports of English manufactures alone amounting now to three millions a year. These are carried up the Congo to Vivi, 120 miles from its mouth, in ocean steamers of the largest class. The river is navigable some distance further, and then the celebrated Yellala Falls are passed by a road 100 miles long, over which three steamers for use on the Upper Congo have been transported in sections to Stanley Pool. From this point they can navigate the river without interruption for 800 miles, opening up illimitable opportunities for the exercise of commercial enterprise, scientific ardor, and missionary zeal. Whatever opportunity France may once have had of seizing the gateway of the valley of this great river, it has completely vanished. It is as yet no man's land politically, the International Association being under Belgian auspices. There is absolutely free trade with the natives, and it is safe to say that so long as this state of affairs continues the bulk of the trading will be done by British merchants in British vessels. It is equally safe to say that Great Britain is not likely now to recognise any pretensions to ownership of a land which holds out such excellent opportunities for profitable trade, and that all her influence will be exercised with a view to keep up the present free and easy arrangement. Probably the first thing to break it up will be a violent outburst on the part of some hostile or treacherous tribe, and the sending in of troops to ensure the safety of British residents, after the manner of the Egyptian occupation.

T. R. Pearson & Co. will receive subscriptions for that excellent monthly, *Resources of British Columbia*, $2 a year. A full supply of the first numbers on hand.—*Adv.*

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FOUND IN THIS CITY, on the 10th inst., a sum of money. The owner may have it by identifying the property and paying charges. Apply at the penitentiary.

oc13t3 A. H. McBRIDE.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, as a FULL COURT, will be held in the City of Victoria, for the current year, on Thursday, the First day of November, 1883, commencing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

By Command,
T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., 10th October, 1883. [td

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PROSPECTUS.

Government of Canada Loan for $4,000,000, 4 per cent. Currency Bonds.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE for the Dominion of Canada is authorized to receive tenders for a loan of $4,000,000 currency bonds, bearing interest from the 1st November, 1883, at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, payable half-yearly on the 1st May and 1st November of each year, at his office in the Finance Department, Ottawa.

This loan is issued under the authority of an Act of the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, passed during their last Session, (46th Victoria, cap. 2, sec. 4.)

The object of the loan is partly to provide for the payment of debts maturing or redeemable in the course of the current fiscal year, and partly for expenditure on public works.

The principal of the loan now offered is to be repaid at Ottawa in twenty years.

Subscribers will receive bonds to bearer, which may at any time be converted into registered stock.

The subscription list will be opened on Wednesday, the 17th day of October next, and will be closed on Saturday, the 20th day of October next, at 4 o'clock p. m., and tenders in the accompanying form marked on the outside "Tenders for Debentures," will be received at the Finance Department, Ottawa, up to and including the latter date, at the hour mentioned.

Tenders must be made for not less than $1,000, and in multiples of $1,000.

The allotment of the loan will be made as soon as possible after the close of the subscription list, the amounts allotted will be payable on the 1st day of November next, and Bonds will be issued shortly after that date.

Copies of this prospectus and forms of tender can be obtained from the undersigned, from the several Assistant Receivers General at Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, Saint John, Winnipeg and Victoria, and from the Dominion Auditor at Charlottetown.

J. M. COURTNEY,
Deputy Minister of Finance.

Finance Department, Ottawa,
September 21st, 1883.

FORM OF TENDER FOR BONDS.

TENDER.

Government of Canada Loan for $4,000,000, 4 per cent. Currency Bonds.

Amount tendered for $..... Rate.....per cent

SIR,—

hereby tender for the sum of $, nominal capital in the above mentioned issue in bonds to bearer, at the price of per cent., and engage to accept the said sum, or any portion thereof which may be allotted to and to pay therefor at the said price and in conformity with the terms of your prospectus of the 21st September, 1883.

Name.....
Address.....
Date.....

To the Honorable
The Minister of Finance,
Ottawa.

NOTICE.

Estate of the late Andrew Fisher.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until 5 p. m. of the 31st day of October instant, for the purchase of the undermentioned Real Estate, situate in the District of New Westminster, as follows:

ALLERDALE FARM
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Lot No. 26, Group 2, containing 234 acres, more or less; 120 acres well dyked and under cultivation. Excellent Farm House, Barn and numerous other improvements.

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J. B. HENDERSON,
Manager.

New West., 8th Oct., 1883. oc10m1

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STEAMER

VICTORIA,

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WILL SAIL FROM SAN FRANCISCO for New Westminster on or about Saturday, Oct. 13th, 1883.

Returning, will sail from New Westminster for San Francisco on or about Oct. 19.

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The undersigned is also agent for Newspapers and Magazines in Canada and the United States. You can find the undersigned at the Reading Room or apply at the store of Chas. G. Major, Esquire. Those away from the city please address

H. W. HUGHES,
New West., B. C.,
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G. H. STARR, ESQ., Pres. People's Bank, Halifax, N. S.
JOHN N. LAKE, ESQ., Broker, Toronto, Director.
W. E. WELLINGTON, ESQ., Fonthill Nurseries.
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J. K. KERR, ESQ., Q.C., (Messrs. Blake, Kerr, Lash & Cassels), Toronto, Solicitor of the Company.
WM. MCCABE, ESQ., L.L.B., Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries of Great Britain and Ireland, Managing Director of the Company.

C. D. RAND,

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Ladies' and Children's, in plain and stripe, Merino and Lambswool,

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A nice line of Children's Hoods and Hats trimmed with fur,

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Public Works Department.

COTTONWOOD CANYON, FRASER RIVER.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Dominion Government Agent at Victoria, superscribed as above, will be received at this office up to 12 noon of MONDAY, OCTOBER THE 15TH NEXT, for the removal of certain Rocks which impede navigation at the above point.

Specification of the work to be done and Plan showing position of rocks and approximate quantities of rock to be removed may be seen at this office on and after 15th September inst., and at the office of Messrs Reid & Hudson, Quesnellemouth, on and after 22nd September inst., but the Government will not guarantee or be answerable for the correctness of the Plan or of the approximate quantities therein stated.

Tenders are to state the price per cubic yard.

Each tender must be accompanied by an *accepted Bank Cheque or Certificate* of Deposit for the sum of $500, payable to the order of the Dominion Government Agent, which will be forfeited if the Tenderer decline to enter into a compact when called upon to do so or if he fail to complete the work contracted for.

If the tender be not accepted the Cheque or Certificate of Deposit will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. S. ROEBUCK,
Secretary.

Office of the Dominion Gov't Agent,
Victoria, B. C., 8th Sept., 1883.
(se12td)

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THE OREGON RAILWAY AND Navigation Co. will dispatch the steamer Gipsy from New Tacoma with flour and merchandise for New Westminster direct on July 12th, 1883, and thereafter at regular intervals.

Through rates from Portland, flour and feed, $6 per ton of 2,000 lbs.; merchandise, $8 per ton of 2,000 lbs.

JNO. MUIR, Supt. of Traffic.
A. L. STOKES, Asst. Supt. Traffic.
jy4-tc] C. E. CLANCY, Agent.

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New Westminster and North Arm.

THE STR. "ALICE" WILL MAKE daily trips from North Arm to New Westminster and return, calling for Freight and Passengers along the mainland channel (wherever a signal is shown) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays; and along the South side of Sea Island on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The steamer will leave North Arm about 6 a. m., and leave New Westminster about 4 p. m.

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Nickel Clocks, at $2.25 (warranted).

Seth Thomas' Nickel Alarm at $3.25.

All kinds of Mantel and Office Clocks.

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Stock large and well selected. All Goods first-class, and will be sold at very low prices for cash.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SNAG BOAT!

SEALED TENDERS

ADDRESSED TO THE DOMINION Government Agent, Victoria, will be received at this office up to 5 p. m., MONDAY, October 15th next, for the construction of a

SNAG BOAT

—AND FOR—

Engines, Boilers and Machinery

For the Same.

Detailed Drawings and Specifications of the Snag Boat, and a general Specification of the Engines, Boilers and Machinery required, and of the conditions on which Tenders for the same are to be based, may be seen at this office, and at the Dominion Telegraph Office, New Westminster, on and after the 1st proximo.

Tenders will be received for the Boat and Engines, &c., conjointly, or for each separately.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted Bank Cheque or Certificate of Deposit for the sum of $1,000.00, if the Tender be for the Boat and Engines, &c., conjointly, or $500.00 if for each work separately, payable to the order of the Dominion Government Agent, which will be forfeited if the tenderer decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the Cheque or Certificate of Deposit will be returned.

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H. S. ROEBUCK, Secretary.

Office of the Dominion Gov't Agent,
Victoria, B. C., 21st Sept., 1883.
(se29td)

The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, Oct. 13, 1883.

There is no change in the Nanaimo coal strike.

Real estate in this city and the district is booming.

Thos. Sabin, of Eglington, says: "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure."

Tenders are asked for the purchase of the real estate of the late Andrew Fisher. See advertisement.

Since our last issue Mr. C. D. Rand, real estate agent, of this city, has sold $2,100 of Port Moody property.

On Wednesday the premier and provincial secretary visited the public schools, the hospital and the asylum.

The current number of the *Resources of British Columbia* is out, and, as usual, contains a great deal of useful information respecting this province.

Wonder who reported the agricultural exhibition for the Victoria *Standard*! It must have been somebody whose head needs soaking.

We learn that Mr. Brighouse has sold about an acre of land at Coal Harbor for $1000. The purchaser is Mr. E. Buse of Minneapolis, Minn.

Rev. Mr. Chantrell will hold service at St. Stephen's church, Delta, to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at 1 o'clock, and Rev. Mr. Dunn at the same hour on the following Sunday.

Yesterday the premier and provincial secretary visited and inspected the Royal City Planing Mills and the Dominion Sawmill in this city.

The steamship Sardonyx left Victoria for San Francisco yesterday. She will sail from San Francisco for this port about Saturday, the 20th inst.

We are informed that several head of stock from the other side, intended for the exhibition, could not be got across the river. This is very unfortunate.

Among the distinguished visitors at the provincial exhibition were Mr. D. W. Higgins, propietor of the Victoria *Colonist*, and Mr. M. Hagan, of the Yale *Sentinel*.

The Hon. Mr. Smithe and Hon. Mr. Robson visited Hastings, Granville and Moodyville on Thursday and inspected the various industries and provincial works.

Mr. C. D. Rand, of this city, has been appointed general agent on the mainland for the North American Life Assurance Co. Read the column advertisement elsewhere.

The str. Yosemite arrived from Victoria yesterday afternoon, and the Irving arrived from Yale at 6 last night. Other steamers have been making the usual trips.

As soon as the papers have been signed, Capt. Grant intends to begin the construction of a steam barge for a ferry. It will probably be about 2 months before the ferry will be fairly running.

Messrs. Kurtz & Co., the white labor cigar makers, of Victoria, have generously tendered to the Royal Columbian Hospital the prize-money awarded to them at the provincial exhibition. This is most commendable.

Mr. Ross, immigration agent at this city, reports that 3,800 acres of public land were taken up yesterday forenoon by persons lately arrived in the province, principally from England. One hundred and twenty-five persons called at the immigration office during the day, most of them looking for homesteads.

Mr. E. Buse leaves by the steamer to-day for his home in Minneapolis. He has purchased a considerable amount of property in this district. He takes with him a collection of fruit and potatoes from the exhibition to show the people of Mineapolis what British Columbia can grow. These samples will be excellent advertisements for this country.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. Robson, pastor. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m.. Sunday school and Bible class 2:30 p.m. Subject to-morrow evening; Spiritual Lessons from the Agricultural Exhibition. Seats free; strangers cordially invited. *

COQUITLAM BRIDGE.—An accident occurred a few days ago at the railway bridge now being constructed over the Coquidam river. One of the timbers fell, and two men were injured, but not seriously. It is expected the bridge will be finished this month. Five of the six spans are now up.

LARGE TIMBER.—Last Wednesday a very large piece of sawn square timber was taken on board a ship at Hastings Mills. It measured 28 inches square and 120 feet long, without a knot or blemish. This immense stick goes to China. We believe it is the largest ever shipped from Burrard Inlet.

RUSSIA'S PREPARATIONS.—Russia, it would seem, is making great military preparations along her western frontier. Thirty-six thousand military beds have been ordered for the use of the army in that portion of the empire; the railways have been directed to have cars in readiness suitable for the transportation of troops and munitions of war; provisioning depots have been established; a list of Russian steamers in the Black Sea has been made, and the commanders of them have been ordered to prepare for Government military service.

THE HATCHERY.—Mr. Thos. Mowat returned from Pitt Lake on Wednesday, having examined all the places likely to afford accommodation for a fish hatchery. He is much pleased with the facilities offered, but afraid of the ice. To-day he goes up to Harrison river on the steamer, and will inspect both that river and the Fraser with the object of finding, if possible, a clear stream where access would be easier than at Pitt lake. As soon as the best location is found Mr. Mowat will make preparations for establishing the hatchery, as soon as the weather permits. The building will be about 50x100 feet, 1½ or 2 stories high, and it is intended to put in five or six million eggs next season. Probably from 90 to 95 per cent. of the eggs will come to maturity. Mr. Mowat will remain and superintend the establishment. He has for years been connected with fish-breeding in New Brunswick, the province from which he comes.

Job printing of all kinds neatly done at the COLUMBIAN office. Prices will be found lower than at any other office in the province.—*Adv.*

THE CONCERTS.—The concert in the Skating Rink last Wednesday night was a very marked success. The house was probably the largest ever assembled in this city. There were about 300 people present. In some respects the programme was excellent, but there were also many defects observable. Among the best numbers were the "Lost Ship," by Messrs. DeBeck and Henderson; the two solos by Mrs. D. Robson; the medley by Messrs. DeBeck, Morey, Pearson, and Henderson; the recitation, "How he Saved St. Michaels," by Rev. Mr. Dowler; the solos by Mrs. Seccombe; and the instrumental music by Miss Clute, Prof. Francis and Mr. Morey. The instrumental trio was really charming. The concert on Thursday night, in aid of the Royal Columbian Hospital, was also very successful, and the audience numbered over 250. The principal attractions at this concert were the solos sung by Mrs. Sillitoe, Mrs. Moresby and Mr. Keary. Mr. Keary's songs were both in character and took immensely. The instrumental music by the amateur orchestra was in some respects well renndered, but the instruments were not in chord and the parts not as well balanced as one could have wished. There is good material in the orchestra, however, and we hope to see these imperfections disappear with practice. The first concert was in aid of the Methodist church, and the gross proceeds amounted to $157.50 (50 cts. a ticket). The second was in aid of the hospital, and resulted in about $251 ($1 a ticket).

From Moodyville.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

Last Wednesday the Blue Ribbon Club held their regular meeting, which was well attended, there being upwards of 90 present. The programme was a very interesting one, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, readings, dialogues, tableaux, &c., and the programme committee, as well as those who took part, deserve much praise. The club is gaining strength and should exercise a very beneficial influence on the community.

Our Farming Lands.

Before the immigration and colonization committee, which sat at Ottawa last May, Prof. Macoun was asked his opinion of the Agricultural resources of British Columbia. He said: "Since 1875 I have not been in British Columbia, but there are two tracts of British Columbia.—the lower valley of the Fraser, is a good agricultural reigon as regards to stock raising and farming, especially in regard to the manufacture of butter and cheese, because vegetation is wonderfully luxuriant and there is no winter. Then, above the Cascades, on the Thompson, from Spences' Bridge to Kamloops, there will be a splendid reigon for wheat growing, but it will have to be irrigated. Only bunch grass grows there, and very little of that. In the valleys in the southern part of British Columbia—Similkameen and the Kootenay and through there,—when the railway is built there and men go in, there will be farming, and especially stock—farming. Great quantities of cattle can be raised there and kept without any trouble. From Cache Creek up the Fraser as far as Quesnelle I have seen wheat growing where the ground was suitable, but there are no continuous stretches of agricultural lands in British Columbia except those two—the valley of the Lower Fraser, and the country between Spence's Bridge and Kamloops, in the upper country. They constitute the continuous agricultural lands of the country, but that there are lots of first-class land scattered in patches throughout the country there is no doubt, immense quantities of pasture lands. In British Columbia, the timber grows largely from 1,000 ft. to 2,000 ft. above the plain, on the mountain tops, and the slopes are all covered with fine grass, which extends up amongst the trees."

The Provincial Exhibition.

THE FIRST SHOW ON THE MAINLAND.

In our last issue we published a description of the agricultural grounds and buildings. There is nothing to be added to that description, but it may be remarked that everyone was greatly pleased at the beauty of the site selected and the excellent accommodation afforded. Wednesday was a beautiful day, clear and bright, and admirably adapted for exhibition purposes. It was quite late in the forenoon before the committee of management could get the articles all properly placed and ticketed. Then the judges had the premises to themselves for several hours before visitors were admitted. About 3 o'clock the gates were opened, and shortly afterwards it was announced that the exhibition would be formally opened by the Hon. Wm. Smithe, who was present.

THE PREMIER'S ADDRESS.

Hon. Mr. Smithe stood upon the steps of the agricultural hall and said that it afforded him much pleasure to be present and take part in the opening of the first provincial exhibition held on the mainland of British Columbia, and he had to congratulate the people on the fine display they had made. Considering the great drought which had prevailed during the past season he thought it was quite extraordinary. He was reminded of a remark made by Mr. Alexander, a gentleman from Ontario who had recently visited this country. Mr. Alexander said there had not been a drop of rain during his stay in the province. In any other country such a drought would have destroyed the crops, but in British Columbia he found green fields and every indication of an excellent harvest. But while this exhibition had brought together articles of excellent quality, he must say there was a lack in quantity. He believed a mistake had been committed by the directors in charging an entrance fee for every exhibit. The charges should be for membership, and one entrance fee should entitle a person to enter as many articles as he chose. The present arrangement tended directly to limit the number of exhibits and detract from the success and usefulness of the show. He had been informed that persons who brought stuff for exhibition refused to enter, because they saw other articles better than theirs and they would not pay the entrance fee unless they were assured of obtaining prizes. He hoped this mistake would be rectified at subsequent exhibitions, and that people would be encouraged to bring all they could. The exhibition had been opened under very favorable circumstances. The weather was exceedingly fine, and the grounds and buildings were most creditable. Speaking of the building he was reminded that at the close of this exhibition it would be used for other purposes than that of an agricultural hall—it was to be an immigrant's home. He was very glad that immigrants were coming to this province in considerable numbers and taking up land. He had been informed by the immigrant agent in this city that 600 men had taken up land in New Westminster district this season. This was a most important item. It meant 600 more families to subdue and bring under cultivation the lands of the province, and help stop the drain of money going out for foreign produce. He hoped the number next year would be 1600 instead of 600. He had great pleasure now in declaring the exhibition open.

OUTSIDE SHOW.

Compared with the exhibition at Victoria last year the show of animals is considerably less in quantity, but some of the animals are of excellent quality. Mr. J. D. Pemberton and Mr. S. Sandover showed two fine bulls, which took first prizes. Mr. Pemberton also had some fine cattle. Mr. G. B. Murray took first prize for his cow and second prize for the heifer. Mr. Pemberton also showed his fine Clydesdale stallion, which took a first prize, as did also the stallion for buggy shown by Mr. Wm. Turgoose. There were very few sheep, but the ram showed by Mr. Shopland is probably the finest on the Pacific coast. He is a Leicester, raised at Victoria from imported stock, and weighs 300 lbs. Mr. Shopland also shows 5 fine Southdown lambs. Mr. Wells took a 1st prize for his ram, and Mr. J. McKee's ewes carried off similar honors. The exhibit of fowls was very good, although small. There were some fine leghorns shown by Dr. Trew, and a pair of beautiful geese by Mr. Sandover. Messrs. Johnston & Smith, of the Pacific Carriage works in this city, showed 2 very nice buggies, one made by themselves and the other imported.

THE INSIDE SHOW.

The inside show is pronounced by every one to be the best ever seen in British Columbia. The grains shown embraced a large variety and superior quality, which would be creditable to any province in the Dominion. There were fall and spring wheat, peas, oats, barley, buckwheat, and other cereals. The collection of potatoes and roots was large and magnificent. There were potatoes weighing over 4 lbs., turnips that would not go inside of a patent pail, squashes measuring over 4 feet in circumference, and beets that could not be beat. The cabbage were very large and fine, and so were the onions and carrots and tomatoes. The display of butter was excellent, as well as the bread and cheese. Mr. Ferris showed some beautiful honey in comb, for which he took first prize. In fancy articles the exhibit did great credit to the ladies of British Columbia, and especially of this city. There were many articles of this description shown, and some of more than ordinary merit. Miss Madeline Webster, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. R. Stevenson (Chilliwhack), Mrs. and Miss Howay, Miss Philips, Miss Woods, Mrs. W. H. Smith, and others made fine exhibits in this department. Miss Webster showed a very tastefully arranged case of ferns which was much admired. Mrs. Major, Miss Clarkson, Miss Mildred Major, and Miss Cushing showed together a very nice collection of fancy and needle work. Mrs. R. Stevenson (Chilliwhack) showed some beautiful wax work and a patch-work quilt which took first prize. Mrs. Jos. Wintemute showed a white quilt which won the prize, and several other samples of needle work. Mrs. Bunte showed two very handsome wreathes of leaves, Mrs. Wintemute a beautiful feather wreath, and Mrs. Strang a wreath of hair work. Mrs. Tolmie and the Misses Howay also showed beautiful wreaths. There was a good display of manufactured articles. Messrs. Kurtz & Co.'s beautiful case of cigars and cigarettes attracted great attention and added much to the exhibition. Mr. Maynard showed a fine collection of photos. Messrs. Bagnall and Keary had a side room filled with various musical instruments and fancy goods. The Belmont Tanning Co. had a fine display of leather and boots and shoes, which occupied an entire room. Messrs. Mansell and Maynard had each a case of fine boots, shoes an slippers which showed excellent workmanship and taste. Mr. Rousseau, of this city, showed several pieces of leather made at his own tannery, for which he took a prize. Messrs. E. S. Scoullar & Co. exhibited some very handsome stoves from their establishment, and the Albion Iron Works (Victoria) had a room full of stoves and grates of all kinds. The finest display of manufactures was that from the Royal City Planing Mills of this city. It occupied a whole room, and embraced a very great variety of articles—2 beautiful tables, brackets, newel posts, doors, sashes, fish boxes, and a large lot of fancy and useful articles in wood, beautifully turned and finished. This collection was well worth a careful examination and did great credit to the establishment. We believe the most of the work was done by Mr. M. Leavens, who is an accomplished turner and cabinet maker. Mr. E. W. Swicord had a very creditable display of gloves and mits. Messrs. Ewen & Co. and the Richmond Packing Co. each showed canned salmon, while Messrs. Kyle & Tilton showed a pile of baking powder and a quantity of cranberries. There was a display of ale and porter from the Vancouver Brewing Co. which nearly all disappeared before the exhibition closed. Mr. C. M. McNaughten showed a case of watches and jewellery, and Mr. S. H. Webb, the gunsmith, had a number of firearms of various dimensions showing the progress which has been made in the trade. Miss Parker had a small case of beautiful gold nuggets from the Cariboo mines, and Mr. Ernie Robson showed a very good collection of minerals and fossils. There were several other exhibits worthy of note which we must pass over. The attendance of visitors was fairly good, and altogether the show must be pronounced a success. We are sorry that it was not possible to secure the list of prizes yesterday. It will appear in next issue, when we shall take occasion to point out some things which we think interfered to a considerable extent with the success of the show, and which ought to be remedied.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The prosecution in the case of O'Donnell, the murderer of Carey, have depositions from all of their witnesses, and have placed the whole case before the solicitor for O'Donnell. O'Donnell expressed a hope he would be acquitted, not so much for his own sake as for the sake of those who had the kindness to subscribe for his defence.

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Communications.

A Little Too Previous.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—In your last issue appears the following paragraph:

Columbus C. Johnston, printer and champion amateur athlete, claims to be the first child born in this city.

Allow me to say that this claim appears absurd on the face of it. It must be generally admitted to be a safe proposition that several little Siwashes saw the light of day, within the precincts of New Westminster city, ere C. C. Johnston's athletic form had darkened the horizon. If he had claimed to be "de fust chile," he would have made his meaning plainer, besides rendering his statement less liable to contradiction. K. G.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

OTTAWA, Oct. 9.—Canadian sugar refiners are urging the government to grant them a bounty on all sugars exported from Canada, stating that competition is already so great among them that unless a foreign market is found they will be obliged to greatly restrict production.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The Mark Lane *Express* in its review of the British grain trade for the past week says, notwithstanding that rain and wind have injured the outstanding portion of the harvest in some districts, trade in London was depressed by enormous stocks of foreign wheat.

MADRID, Oct. 9.—The ministerial council deliberated four hours upon the contents of a telegram from Don Fernanqinez, relative to the insults given to King Alfonso in Paris. El Ibria says the government desires satisfaction from France without making any impossible demand for redress.

MONTREAL, Oct. 9.—The Canadian Pacific railway has just completed most important arrangements which will give a direct through route between here and Toronto, to be open for traffic by the 1st of January next, it having leased the branch of the Ontario and Quebec railway which will now form the western division of the Canadian Pacific, giving an additional mileage of something like 530 miles.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Advices by mail from Batavia of September 1st, show that the earthquake which occurred in and about the Straits of Sunda did but little damage to the city of Batavia, and that only a few fishermen were drowned by the tidal wave. Advices, however, confirm the reports to the associated press of the extent of the damage to the south coast of Sumatra and the southwest coast of Java.

LONDON, Oct 9.—Postmaster General Fawcett announces that it is not intended by the government after August, 1884, to renew the present contract for the conveyance of mails between Great Britain and the United States. Mails thereafter will be dispatched as now, thrice weekly ffom Queenstown, but instead of making long contracts the department will monthly select the most efficient vessels for the transmission.

PARIS, Oct. 10.—It is reported that Colonel Randens, commanding the French forces from Haiphong has had an engagement with the Chinese regulars at Lainaih. The Chinese were defeated by the French gunboats and cut off from retreat. Colonel Bandens' force numbered 550 men. The victory is important. France's agreement with the black flags in Tonquin grants them arrears of pay and free procession between Loo Riang and Hanghoa. Epidemics have decimated the forces of the black flags and many are deserting. They abandoned their works near Hainoi and retreated beyond Dai and the Rapids canal towards Loo Riang. They have also partially evacuated Sontag. The French troops are in excellent health and spirits.

BOSTON, Oct. 10.—A letter from Henry M. Stanley, dated July 14th, at Stanley-pool, Congo river, has been received by a personal friend in this city. With regard to his sudden departure from Europe he explained the cause as being sensational and exaggerated. A telegram was printed in the English papers to the effect that one of the stations had been attacked and the chief the expedition badly wounded. The chief, who was heartily disliked, was shot in the arm, but no station was attacked. It was the act of leading men of the party, each of whom desired to succeed the chief. Stanley thinks the station can be supplied. The number of steamers and boats has been increased, and altogether he considers everything more encouraging. At Lepoldville there are two missions of the Baptist Church, and at Livingstone, on the Congo, the missionaries are already putting up imposing buildings. Stanley says: "Since I arrived on the Congo last December I have been up as far as the equator and have established two more stations, besides discovering another lake which I have explored for 100 miles or thereabouts. The resources of the country are truly wonderful. The river known on my map as the Wetember, but which is really Malundi, is not as large as stated in my book, but is about the size of the Arkansas and is deep, broad and very navigable. The big stream which is expected to drain the largest part of the South Congo basin must be some where higher up. Having become better acquainted with the country I am really struck with the dense population of the equatorial part of the basin, which, if, it were uniform throughout, would give this country a population of ten millions. The number of the products and the character of the people is likewise remarkable; rubber, ivory, camphor wood and hosts of other things, and would well repay transportation even by the very expensive mode at present in use. The people are born traders, and are, for Africans, very enterprising and industrious." Stanley tells of his mediation with tribes who were at war, and when at peace (brought about by his efforts) elected him "father and mother" of their country.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 11.—The Algoma election was carried by the Grit candidate, Mr. Lyons, against Mr. Plummer by a majority of about 67.

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Hanlan offers to make a match for $5,000 a side to row Courtney himself or beat the best time Courtney can make.

OTTAWA, Oct. 11.—Sir John Macdonald was unseated for county of Lennox on account of bribery by agents at last election. Sir John, who was elected for two counties, Lennox and Carlton, will now represent Carlton.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The *Standard's* Paris correspondent says: In case of a rupture between Spain and France all Spanish subjects in France will be placed under the protection of some friendly power, probably Belgium. It is significant that the doors of the Spanish embassy, usually open to all comers, were closed to-day even to diplomatic visitors. Forty hours will decide whether France yields, or the Spanish embassy leaves Paris. The reported refusal of France to make further reparation is confirmed. Leaders of the left held a conference this evening. Marto was present, and reported that the party is indisposed to facilitate a union with the liberal party, and is strongly opposed to Sagasta continuing at the head of the cabinet.

The Eliza Anderson Excursion.

[Cor. Seattle Intelligencer.]

NEW WESTMINSTER, Sept. 25.—At 9 o'clock the following morning our party, procuring conveyances, were driven to Port Moody, about five and one-half miles distant, the western terminus of the Canadian Pacific R. R. It was necessary to go in row boats about one and one-half miles further, to be on the actual running road. The party were received by Mr. A. E. Hill, the civil engineer of this division. A ride over the rails being proffered and accepted, we were soon whirling along, the first American excursion party over the rails on this end of the line. After riding a few miles we returned and three cheers were given for Port Moody and the western terminus of the Canadian Pacific. They were responded to by the railroad officials and the employees, and our party returned to Port Moody. This place is near the head of Burrard Inlet, about twenty-five miles from the Gulf of Georgia. The harbor is a very fine one, as are also the docks and wharves, the latter strongly built with 12 inch piling and six inch planking.

After partaking of refreshments and making a general tour of inspection we returned to New Westminster. During the day many prominent people of the city called on board the boat, and were hospitably entertained, and shown over the steamer, a great interest being taken in the calliope. Many presents of fruits and flowers were sent on board by friends. During the day ex Governor Ferry accompanied by several ladies and gentlemen, called on Mayor Edmunds and were well received. At 3 o'clock p. m. we bid adieu to New Westminster, and proceeded up the Frazer river. The scenery on the river is much more grand above New Westminster than below it. The growth of timber is larger and the scenery more picturesque. Four miles above the city we pass Pitt river, where a mile or so from its mouth is the great railroad bridge, the largest in British Columbia. Intending to visit it on our return we proceeded on our way. Some miles further the first view of the railroad is obtained, the track running along the left bank of the river for several miles and then proceeding inland. A few miles beyond on the right bank of the river is the old town site of Derby, located by Sir James Douglas, the Provincial Governor, in 1858. Nothing remains of what might have been what New Westminster is now except a few dilapidated roockeries. The latter place was located in the same year by Col. Moody and being nearer to Victoria and tide water, the site up the river was abandoned. Beyond is Langley, where the boats plying on the river receive and discharge their freight. No town can be seen, from the river, but quite a settlement has sprung up in the prairie country back from the river, extending for a distance of twenty-five miles to Semiahmoo City. Passing the mouth of Stave river, over which a railroad bridge can be seen nearly 500 feet in length, we came to anchor in the stream, being about twenty-five miles above New Westminster. During the evening a passenger steamer between Yale and New Westminster passed us, the steam calliope playing several selections, and a blowing of whistles and "Hail Columbia" was rendered by the passengers.

The following morning was very foggy and it was deemed inadvisable to start on our return trip until one o'clock p. m. Nothing of note occurred till reaching the mouth of Pitt river. Owing to the current our vessel made a quick trip down, but was unable to enter Pitt river because of sand banks at the mouth. While trying to cross the bar the Rithet steamed past us on her way to Yale. We were much disappointed at not being able to see the bridge across Pitt river. The structure is 1845 feet long and supported by 16 piers. Immense cutwaters and stanchions and masonry work make it strong and secure. The work was commenced in January, and has cost upwards of $100,000, the rock work alone costing $20,000. The view from this bridge is said to be very fine, the prairie country stretching away for miles until the Coquitlam is reached. Beyond is Pitt Lake, a beautiful sheet of water. On the left and beyond are high mountain peaks, snow-capped, and glittering in the sun. A sunset from Pitt river is said to be most gorgeously grand.

On arriving at New Westminster we lay opposite the wharf for a few moments, during which three cheers were given for the progressive town, and three responsive ones received for Seattle. Many people witnessed our departure from the docks and windows of houses overlooking the harbor, remaining at their posts until or vessel faded from sight down the river.

New Westminster is growing rapidly. There is no reason why great commercial advantages cannot be obtained by encouraging a trade with Seattle. A regular line of steamers could be put on this route. If it is done, Seattle can and will supply the trade of Fraser river better than either Victoria, Portland or San Francisco.

New Westminster being a port of entry, a direct trade could easily be established. Everything depends upon the energy of the merchants of both cities to create a reciprocity of trade, and, if carried out, immense advantages will acrue from the effort.

It will take years, even after the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, to build up a commerce at Port Moody. The country immediately back of it is yet a wilderness. The agricultural country lies south of Fraser river and is and will be for years to come controlled by New Westminster. Let our citizens combine to put a steamer on that route, touching at the islands of the lower Sound, and the result will be an addition to the exports of our city amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars annually.

T. R. Pearson & Co. have just opened out a very large and varied assortment of extremely handsome Church of England common prayer and hymn books. They are the finest ever shown in the city.—*Adv.*

The White Lily Society.

A POWERFUL, LAWLESS, SECRET ORGANIZATION

(London Telegraph Letter.)

It was in connection with the soldiers camped at Hangchow that I got some information respecting a system which has of late years spread all over China—I refer to the secret society. Night was coming on, and I had returned to my house-boat with the intention of turning in, when I found my sailors busily employed in getting up sail once more. As it was my intention to stay at Hangchow for the night I naturally asked the reason of this, when my men frankly replied that though the "Braves" I had been looking at were very orderly in camp and very excellent people in their way, yet there were attached to the camp, a certain number of pestilent persons who would very possibly take advantage of the darkness to cut my throat and pillage the boat. In vain I expressed scepticism on this point; the boatmen were positive, and in the end, as either of the probabilities they pictured would have seriously incommoded me, I concluded to let them have their way. Accordingly we moored the craft nearer to the gates of the city, close to a police watch-house. It was then that the "captain" of the boat asked leave for a few hours. He belonged, he said, to a secret society, and could find out how matters stood at Hangchow if I would let him go; and, permission being given, away he went, to return at midnight, in company with several companions, all of whom slept in the front of the boat till morning, and then departed. I afterwards learned that they had come at his request to watch for any stragglers from the camp who might chance to turn up. A very little inquiry showed me that this story of the secret society influence was no myth, but that the "society" to which the man referred was a very real and powerful organization. An incident which afterwards came under my notice in a neighbouring country to China confirmed this. The proprietor—a Frenchman, curiously enough—of a sawmill thought fit to kick one of the Celestials in his employ before the rest of the workmen. An hour later the mill bell rang for the midday meal. Out filed the 500 Chinamen or so who had been at work, all as pleased and apparently as satisfied as though they had been attending a funeral; but, when the bell rang for the resumption of work, not one of the almoned-eyed returned. The proprietor fumed and fretted, but to no purpose. No Chinamen in sight. At last it struck the Frenchman that something might be wrong, and a short examination showed him that all his saws and bands had been broken, and that a notice from the Chinese secret society was posted on his mill door, warning all Chinamen off. Things were begining to look serious; nor did they mend when he went home, for there lay a letter telling him that the secret society intended to punish him with death for what he had done. A little reflection convinced him that it would be better to leave the place, which he did with useless anathemas against secret societies in general, and the Society of the White Lily in particular. Of course I heard of many another incident of a like kind before I left the Far East. It was clear to me that any man might be removed by the secret society without any trouble, and that, with the exception of the authorities at Singapore, who have found a method of coping with this class of lawlessness, nobody had yet been discovered who could fight against the White Lily or its branches.

Growth of Salvation Army.

The Salvation Army is about to celebrate its eighteenth anniversary, and it is authoritatively stated that whereas at the last anniversary there were only 320 corps and 766 officers, the army now possesses, at home and abroad, 591 corps and 1,439 officers. A new order of sergeants has been created; 245 outposts have been occupied under their command, and each sergeant, taking with him a detachment of from two to twenty soldiers, marches on Sundays, frequently from five to ten miles to some village, where service is conducted in any school room, barn, or other building.

The army has 180 officers abroad. In India a sufficent number of natives have joined the army to provide interpreters in the most prevalent language of the principal cities; and the work has been, with the exception of £100 or £200, entirely supported by funds raised in India. The growth of the army in Australin Colonies has been the marvel of the year. Twelve months ago there were only some three or four corps established in South Australia. Now in the 4 Australian Colonies and in New Zealand the army has twenty-four corps, under some forty officers, Half a dozen buildings have been erected or purchased. The English *War Cry*, issued once a week twelve months ago, has become a bi-weekly, while no fewer than twelve other *War Crys* are published in different parts in the world, and there is a prospect of four others before the close of the year.—*London Standard.*

IMMENSE SPOTS ON THE SUN.—A recent observation of the sun showed that his golden face is disfigured at present by three huge spots, one in the southern and two in the northern hemisphere. The largest spot covered a space of at least a twentieth of the sun's diameter, which translated into figures is about forty-four thousand miles. Imagination fails to give an idea of a huge cavity or raging cyclone on such a gigantic scale. The earth could be tossed in the seething vortex like a ball into a pond. The four inner planets, Mercury, Venus, the earth and Mars, transfused into one mass, would not half fill the chasm, if its depth be in proportion to its external dimensions. Even the giant Neptune, the third planet in size of the solar family, measured side by side with this enormous sun cavern, would not equal its diameter by thousands of miles. Immense as was the size of this sun spot, it has been greatly exceeded by several that have been observed during the past year. The second spot was nearly as large as the first, and the third was by no means insignificant.—*The American.*

THE QUEUE OF A CHINAMAN.—A New Jersey Court will soon be called upon to decide a case without the aid of precendents. Five Chinamen, calling themselves Sam Kee, Moy Wing, Moh Tom, Moy Dock and Sam Wah, served a term of imprisonment at Trenton for an assult upon one of their own countrymen. On their arrival at the prison, the keeper, according to usage, cut their hair, which involved the loss of their pig-tails, almost precious in the minds of Chinamen as the heads to which they are attached. They now bring suit for damages against the prison authorities for the loss of the appendages, which, as they claim, have a religious signifiance, and sacredness. They base their suit upon the article of the Constitution which declares that all men shall be protected in their right to "worship God according to the dictates of their own consciences."

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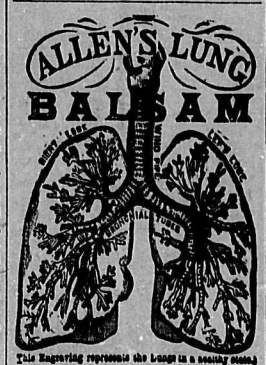

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NELLIE'S MEMORIES.

(Continued.)

Through the thin, blue-veined hand his eyes looked wearily up to the sky as if they would pierce its very depths, and his lips moved slightly as if in prayer.

"Mr. Clive," said Milly, in a pained tone, "do not talk so, it grieves me to hear you: you cannot have known such suffering as this?"

"Pardon me Miss Vaughan, I was not speaking of personalities."

"Oh, forgive me," she said, looking at him so imploringly that his momentary hauteur vanished, "something in your voice was so sad that I feared you were speaking of yourself: but of course in your ministerial capacity you must have a large experience of hearts and human life."

He did not answer her, but lay for awhile with shaded eyes, till suddenly and abruptly, as I thought, he turned to me.

"Miss Mortimer, you think a great deal, your face shows it; do you imagine that there is balm to be found for wounds such as I have been describing?"

The mans weary face evoked my sympathy.

"Can you ask, since the sting was taken away from death? Has not everything its appointed cure?"

"No," he said; "there is no real cure for remorse."

"Because their is no such thing with the Christian, for with him, remorse merges into repentance, and repentance brings its never-failing consolation."

"But must not man pay the penalty of his short-sighted weakness?"

"I suppose so, to a certain extent, but you know the old saying, 'the wind is tempered to the shorn lamb; and even to these gusts and storms of human passion there shall come a 'peace, be still.'"

A sweet smile broke over his face, and then he looked at Milly; a look so sad, so yearning, so tender, that she must have read it, for a conscious color reddened over face and neck, and rising, she said—

"We are becoming sad, talking like this, so I shall show Nellie my pretty white cow to raise her spirits."

We went together, but as she unlocked the little green door, Mr Clive was at our side again.

"The sight is no novelty to you," said Milly, playfully.

"Is that a pretext for ridding yourself of my company? I am very fond of visiting your pretty white cherry."

"Herwald sent her to us," said Milly, "and he gave me the bee-hive too; he has promised me a glass hive next summer for the front garden; and, look, these bantams are from Hurst Hall too."

"Ho, Tiney, and lo, Tiney, and pretty little cow, stand still," sang Milly, as Cherry, jangling her bell, tossed up her head and scampered round the yard.

"Steady there, lass," and she patted her sleek satin skin.

"Cherry never behaves like the Tiney of the song; she never kicks me or her pail either, but gives me freely her sweet new milk; now come and see old Molly."

Old Molly was a sow feeding at a trough with her curly-tailed litter of pigs. I had a wholesome dislike for the unclean tenants of the sty, and I was accordingly surprised, and I think Mr. Clive too, at Milly's coaxing remarks to old Molly, and to see her stroking her hairy back with a long stick, till she rushed off snorting with her whirly tail in the air

"Now I want you to see my thrush's nest in the field, and my red-eyed rabbits, and dormice. Oh, the gate is locked, and Arthur has the key."

"Shall I fetch it?" said Mr. Clive, "but the grass is long and damp, perhaps you had better not go there."

Milly looked at her neat little slippers, and said "Very well," so we turned back to the house; at the door we meet the others.

"You have cut us, Milly," said Herwald, "and now we are going to cut you; the carriage is here."

"Oh, not so soon. Surely, Nellie, you will ask him to stay; we can't let you go."

"We must indeed," said Herwald, who had before told me that he had ordered the carriage early, that we might not overtax their hospitality.

"Now don't you fly off at a tangent; I am going to leave you to unpack the hamper Mrs. Arundel has sent."

"A hamper! oh Herwald, how kind; what is in it?"

"A haunch of venison, and some head of grouse for Arthur, and some Paris chocolate and bonbons for your little self, and I believe Mrs. Arundel has put in some home preserves and hothouse fruits; but that is hers and Davidson's business."

"Herwald," said Milly, stamping her foot, "if you have overloaded it, I shall send it back. I won't have you rob yourself."

"My dear Milly, do you expect me to eat all my game myself? I should only have sent it to Gray and St. Clair; I am only sorry they are not my own shot, but this fellow is such an angler, he cares for no other sport."

Milly wrinkled her eyebrows and looked dubious; perhaps she was thinking how her little maid-of-all-work would manage the grouse.

"And, Milly," continued Herwald in a coaxing tone, "I have brought you a little souvenir from Rome—a cameo, Psyche's head, I am sure you will like it. You will accept it, will you not? I have sent it to Liverpool to be set as a brooch."

"Oh, Arthur, listen to him, the setting will cost as much as the cameo."

"On the contrary," said Herwald, provokingly, "it is rather a costly one, it is beautifully cut."

"Then I won't have it," said Milly, decidedly.

"Won't you? very well, I vow that if you do not instantly accept it, I'll present it to Miss Rivers; she will be charmed, I know; and now I think of it, a little offering will be acceptable."

"No, no," cried Milly, in a fury, "she shall not have it, it is mine; do you hear! it is mine; but I will not thank you for it, you are far too generous——"

"Nonsense, wait a minute, I have something for Arthur too, in the carriage;" and he darted away to get it, returning out of breath. "Now, Arthur, don't scold for wasting my money as Milly did; I would keep this myself if I dared, but I should become a Romanist and make an idol of it if it were in my possession, but your mind is stronger than mine"—and he unfolded from many wraps an ivory crucifix, so exquisitely carved that its value must have been priceless. "Bridget will be shocked at her master's heresy; but never mind, Arthur, hang it up fearlessly in your eyrie——"

"My dear boy, I am not a muff, and I am not going to keep this gem;" and Arthur's blue eyes peered through his spectacles hungrily at the beautiful crucifix.

"Then I'll smash it," said Herwald, snatching it so roughly that Arthur, thinking he meant it, grasped the treasure in sudden fright, and his face quite flushed as he tried to thank his friend.

"Nonsense," again said Herwald, "I won't shake hands for that;" but he did, looking as happy and radiant as a young prince. Herwald showed more to advantage at Rose Cottage than at the Cedars; there he was the listless cynical young aristocrat; here, among his friends who loved him, he was frank, boyish, and full of life. As we passed into the little dark passage, I whispered something to him to which he gleefully responded:

"Milly, Nellie has proposed a capital plan; that you and Arthur should spend a long day with us. I will send the carriage for you at eleven o'clock, the day after to-morrow; so that you, old fellow, may have a couple of hours' fishing before lunch, and afterwards we will have a boat on the river."

"Oh, what fun," cried Milly, in her odd, childish way; and then as I said good-bye, she raised herself on tiptoe and kissed me. The last glimpse, as Arthur placed me in the carriage and we drove off, was Milly standing by the gate, and behind her, just in shadow, Hubert Clive.

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The next day was the first at Hurst Hall that I was allowed to enjoy quietly, and I did enjoy it thoroughly to my heart's content. From morning till night nothing occurred to mar its tranquility; no stray visitors; no business agents or business letters for Herwald, but one delightful occupation following another. Three hours' work in the fernery, planting, transplanting, and arranging; a breezy ride over the moors; an evening passed in company with Beethoven and Mendelssohn, and a moonlight stroll in the park.

Punctually at eleven o'clock the following morning the carriage dashed up the avenue, and Milly tripped out in her fresh white muslin, and broad straw hat, and Arthur followed her, looking gentlemanly in his light gray suit. While the gentlemen went off to their sport, eager not to lose a minute, Milly and I wandered leisurely through the conservatories, park, and garden; and then selecting a shady nook, worked and chatted till the gong summoned us in to the midday meal. There we found Mr. Clive waiting our return on the terrace, whom Milly seemed more pleased than surprised to see; though I own his being there looked to me very pointed. Herwald took it naturally, however.

"What, come to swell the number of our oars? that's right."

Mr. Clive muttered something about a leisure hour and parochial duties; but for all that, came with us, as a matter of course, when we crossed the meadows to the river, and embarked in Herwald's pretty pleasure-boat.

There we spent the afternoon deliciously, now being swiftly impelled along by our four oarsmen, now drifting lazily with the current; Arthur and Herwald chanted now and then some old boating song, while Milly steered and I sat trailing my hand lazily in the cool water. Once we landed, and wandered along the green banks; while Dudley followed us in the boat. The afternoon was waning into evening when we returned to the house, and I took Milly up to my room to prepare for dinner.

"Oh, the dear room, rose-colored every bit of it; how pretty, Nellie!"

"Is it not?" I said; it is Herwald's taste, and it was all done for me; was it not kind?"

Of which self-satisfied little speech I repented, when Milly's eyes took the same quiet searching look that Mrs. Arundel's had on a similar occasion. Whereupon, not without a covert rebuke for her feminine suspicions, I gave her to understand once for all the connection between us and Herwald, though I am not sure I quite convinced her that that was the whole truth. She brushed out her long black hair thoughtfully, and said nothing.

"What beautiful hair, Milly!" I said, to change the subject, and how long!"

"Yes; look, I can kneel on it, or if I hold back my head so, I can make it touch the floor; sometimes," continued vain Milly, "when I brush it, it crackles and crisps like a cat's back, and I call Arthur up to admire it."

"Well," I asked, smiling, "does he?"

"Of course, though he sometimes calls me a vain puss, or a feminine Absalom, but once when he was playing with it," said Milly, softly, "and making believe to strangle himself, I felt him kiss it, poor dear; for would you believe it, Nellie, Arthur loves me ever so much more than I do him, though I do care very much for my dear ugly boy, who pets me, and works for me, and tries to make me as clever as himself. Nellie," she continued, as she knotted and braided up her hair so swifily with her dimpled hands, "do you ever think yourself pretty?"

"Of course not, Milly; what an idea?"

"I do; is it wrong? but sometimes I talk to myself in the glass, and think what a nice little face I am looking at, and sometimes when I think of all the pretty trinkets and fine new dresses mamma used to buy me, I am ready to cry. Am I very naughty, Nellie?" and she turned her earnest child's eyes on me.

What could I say—I, who had read her secret, and knew why the pretty face was prized and made much of? Was it by a natural sequence of ideas that she should then ask me what I thought of Mr. Clive, and how I liked him?

"You ought, Nellie, for he has taken a great fancy to you; he told me you had a true woman's face."

"I was thankful to be able to say without effort that I liked Mr Clive exceedingly, though I thought him reserved and a little proud.

"He strikes me, I must say, Milly, as the most melancholy man I have ever seen; he must have known great trouble."

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By Command,
JOHN ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
17th August, 1883. au22td

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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 Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our city of Victoria on Thursday, the 13th day of Sept. instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS, the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the *Province of British Columbia, stands* called for Thursday, the Thirteenth day of Sept. instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

Now know ye, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of *you; of your attendance at the time* aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on **Thursday, the 15th day of the month of November next,** you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of British Columbia 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 Sixth day of Sept., in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and in the forty-seventh year of Our Reign.

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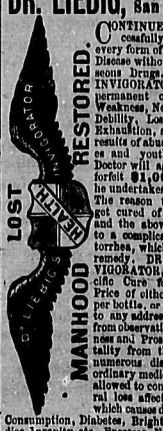

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