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Provincial Lands.

The following clauses constitute the principal features of the act passed at the last session of the legislature to amend and consolidate the land laws of the province.

PRE-EMPTION OF SURVEYED AND UNSURVEYED LAND.

3. Any person being the head of a family, a widow, or single man over the age of eighteen years, and being a British subject, or any alien, upon his making a declaration of his intention to become a British subject, before a Commissioner, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or other officer appointed therefor, which declaration shall be in the Form No. 1 in the Schedule hereto, and upon his filing the same with the Commissioner, may record any tract of unoccupied and unreserved Crown lands (not being an Indian settlement) not exceeding three hundred and twenty acres in extent in that portion of the Province situate to the northward and eastward of the Cascade or Coast Range of Mountains, and one hundred and sixty acres in extent in the rest of the province: Provided, that such right shall not be held to extend to any of the aborigines of this continent, except to such as shall have obtained permission in writing to so record by a special order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

4. Any chartered or incorporated company may acquire such right, by obtaining permission in writing by a special order of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

5. Any person desiring to pre-empt, as aforesaid, shall, if the land be unsurveyed, first place at each angle or corner of the land to be applied for a stake or post at least four inches square, and standing not less than four feet above the surface of the ground; any stump of a tree may be used for a post, provided it be squared as aforesaid, and of the required height and dimensions, and upon each post a notice in the following form shall be affixed:

"A. B's. land, N. E. post" (meaning north-east post); "A. B's. land, N. W. post" (meaning north-west post); and so on, as the case may be.

And if such land shall not be so staked off and marked, the applicant shall not have the right to record the land intended by him to be recorded; and if such land, not having been so staked and marked, shall nevertheless be recorded in favor of the applicant, he shall have no right at law or in equity therein or thereto. After the land is so staked and marked, the applicant shall then make application in writing to the Commissioner of the district in which the land is situate to record such land, and in such application the applicant must enclose a full description of the land intended to be recorded, and enclose a sketch plan thereof, and such description and plan shall be in duplicate; the applicant shall also make, before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Commissioner, and furnish the Commissioner with, a declaration in duplicate, in the Form No. 2 in the Schedule hereto; and if the applicant shall in such declaration make any statement, knowing the same to be false, he shall have no right at law or in equity to the land, the record of which he may have obtained by the making of such declaration.

6. Any person desiring to pre-empt surveyed land must make application in writing to the Commissioner of the district in which the land is situate to record such land, and in such application the applicant must give the surveyed description of the land intended to be recorded, and enclose a sketch plan thereof, and such description and plan shall be in duplicate; the applicant shall also make before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Commissioner, and furnish the Commissioner with, a declaration in duplicate in the Form 2 in the Schedule hereto, and if the applicant shall in such declaration make any statement, knowing the same to be false, he shall have no right at law or in equity to the land, the record of which he may have obtained by the making of such declaration.

7. Every piece of such unoccupied, unsurveyed, and unreserved land as aforesaid, sought to be pre-empted under the provisions of this Act, shall, save as hereinafter is provided, be of a rectangular or square shape, and 160 acres shall either measure 40 chains by 40 chains (equal to 880 yards by 880 yards), or 20 chains by 80 chains (equal to 440 yards by 1760 yards). All lines shall be run true north and south, and true east and west.

8. Where such land is in whole or in part bounded by any lake, or river, or by any pre-empted or surveyed land, such lake, river, pre-empted or surveyed land, may be adopted as the boundary of such land; and it shall be sufficient for the applicant to show to the Chief Commissioner that the form of the land conforms, as nearly as circumstances permit, to the provisions of this Act; but all other boundary lines, except as mentioned in this section, shall be run true north and south, and true east and west.

9. The Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General may, however, in carrying out any Government survey, or any survey authorized by this Act, or by him, if, in his opinion, circumstances require it, survey pre-emption claims or purchased lands recorded previous or subsequent to the date of this Act, and also unsurveyed, unoccupied, and unreserved land as aforesaid, recorded under the provisions of this Act, by such metes and bounds as he may think proper; and every survey so made and certified by Gazette notice, shall be binding upon all parties affected thereby; and the survey, so certified, shall be deemed in any Court of this Province to have been done in compliance with the provisions of this Act; but nothing in this clause contained shall apply to any land when a Crown grant thereof has or shall have been issued.

10. Upon the compliance by the applicant with the provisions hereinbefore contained, and upon payment by him of the sum of two dollars to the Commissioner, the Commissioner shall record such land in his favor as a pre-emption claim and give him a certificate of such pre-emption recording, the Form No. 3 in the Schedule hereto, and such record shall be made by the Commissioner in triplicate, the original to be handed to the pre-emptor, a duplicate to be retained by the Commissioner for local reference, and the triplicate to be forwarded forthwith to the head office of the Lands and Works Department, to be there filed, and if found in all respects (or if necessary, after having been amended by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and Surveyor-General so to be) to be accordance with the provisions of this Act, to be finally entered in the Land Office Register, the pre-emptor to be notified of any alterations being made in the description of his claim, whose duty it shall be to alter his stakes so as to agree with the amended description.

11. The pre-emptor shall, within thirty days after the date of the certificate of record, enter into occupation of the land so recorded; and if he shall cease to occupy such land, save as hereinafter is provided, the Commissioner may, in a summary way, upon being satisfied of such cessation of occupation, cancel the record of the settler so ceasing to occupy the same, and all improvements and buildings made and erected on such land shall be absolutely forfeited to the Crown, and such settler shall have no further right therein or thereto; and the certificate of record given to such pre-emptor shall be deemed to be null and void to all intents and purposes whatsoever; and the said land may be recorded anew by the Commissioner, in the name of, or upon application by, any person satisfying the requirements in that behalf of this Act.

12. The occupation in this Act required shall mean a continuous bona fide personal residence of the pre-emptor, his agent, or family, on land recorded by such settler; but Indians or Chinamen shall not be considered agents.

13. Every pre-emptor, as well as his agent and family (if any), shall be entitled to be absent from the land recorded by such settler for any one period not exceeding two months during any one year. He shall be deemed to have ceased to occupy such land when he shall have been absent, continuously, for a longer period than two months, except as in hereinafter provided.

14. If any pre-emptor shall show good cause to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, such Commissioner may grant to the said pre-emptor leave of absence for any period of time, not exceeding four months in any one year, inclusive of the two months' absence from his claim, provided for in Section 13. Such leave of absence shall be made out in triplicate, the original to be handed to the pre-emptor, a duplicate to be retained by the Commissioner for local reference, and a triplicate to be forwarded forthwith to the head office of the Lands and Works Department.

15. No person shall be entitled to hold, at the same time, two claims by pre-emption; and any person so pre-empting more than one claim shall forfeit all right, title, and interest to the prior claim recorded by him, and to all improvement made and erected thereon, and deposits of money paid to Government on account thereof; and the land included in such prior claim shall be open for pre-emption.

16. Any pre-emptor of unsurveyed land may have the land recorded by him at his own expense (subject, however, to a rectification of boundaries) by a surveyor approved of and acting under instructions from the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General. The field notes (original and duplicate) and a sketch of any such survey must be forwarded to the head office of the Lands and Works Department within thirty days from the date of completion of such survey; and should such survey be accepted by the department, a notice thereof shall be published in the British Columbia *Gazette* for a period of sixty days, giving the official description of the land, also the name of the pre-emptor for whom the land was surveyed, during which period any other parties having claims to such land must file a statement of their claims thereto with the Commissioner, and unless two or more parties are claimants of the same land, the Commissioner, at the expiration of such sixty days shall record such surveyed land in the name of the pre-emptor.

17. Where any Government survey shall be made, in which shall be included the land recorded by any pre-emptor, and a map of such survey shall have been deposited in the office of the Commissioner, and notice thereof shall have been published in the British Columbia *Gazette*, such pre-emptor shall, within two months thereafter, make and file with the Commissioner, a declaration in the Form No. 6 of Schedule hereto annexed, describing the land settled upon by such pre-emptor, based upon the survey made, giving the number of the township, section, quarter-section, or fraction thereof, if any, as the case may be; and unless two or more parties are claimants of the same land, the Commissioner shall, at the expiration of two months, record such land in the name of such pre-emptor, without any further declaration by him: Provided however, that if such declaration shall be found to have been fraudulently made, or to contain wilfully false statements, the land so recorded, with all improvements thereon, shall be forfeited to the Crown, and such pre-emptor shall have no further right therein or thereto; and the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works may cancel the record of such land in the books of the Land Office, and the certificate of such record shall thenceforth be deemed to be null and void to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

18. When the land shall have been surveyed, and in the event of two or more parties claiming the same land, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works shall have power to hear, settle, and determine the rights of the

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DR. WELSH, DENTIST, Will leave for up-country about the middle of May. may24d

DR. E. MATHERS, M. D., Office—Columbia st., opposite Postoffice. Residence—Princess street, adjoining the Public School, New Westminster. may24c

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Land Registry Ordinance..C.J Leggatt
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Just Opened Out.....T. R. Pearson
Special.....R. E. Church

The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, May 24, 1884.

Long Credits.

There is an opinion prevailing very extensively among the merchants of this city that the credit business should be greatly curtailed. We understand that the practice has grown to such an extent as to interfere seriously with legitimate trade. Some merchants are carrying from $5,000 to $25,000 of book accounts many of which will never be paid at all. A business handicapped by such a load cannot be prosperous. Money in this country is worth 10 per cent. per annum, and $20,000 in book accounts represents a loss of at least $2,000 a year to the establishment, unless these accounts bear interest. It often happens that persons run long accounts when they are abundantly able to pay cash; and the money which they ought to pay the merchant is used in speculation or lent out on interest. A merchant must either charge paying customers a large enough profit to cover his interest account and recoup him for bad debts, or he must eventually fail. It happens, therefore, that the honest customer who pays promptly has to pay a proportion of the loss sustained by long credit and bad debts. The profits of any business should be arranged upon a cash basis; but where long credits prevail, this is impossible. Prices are arranged on a basis of credit, and those who pay cash are assessed for profits which are not legitimate. It is time a general movement was undertaken in favor of cash or short credit. There are very few cases in which settlements could not be made monthly, and in ordinary business no accounts should be allowed to extend beyond a month. If a system of cash or short accounts were adopted and adhered to by the merchants, both buyers and sellers would receive a direct benefit. The buyer would be able to purchase at lower prices, and the merchant would obtain larger profits because he would be relieved from the losses which invariably accompany long credit. We hope this matter will receive the earnest attention its importance demands, not only in this city but elsewhere throughout the province. Let there be united action; and let the public be fairly advised that the long credits must cease, and unless payments are made promptly goods cannot be had. Some houses are already adopting this plan, but it should be adopted by all.

Dominion Liquor Licenses.

Recent events seem to indicate that the federal authorities have determined to put the machinery of the Dominion liquor act in force this year. We had hoped this would not be done. The act itself is in many respects an excellent one, and would be immensely superior to the license acts now operating in this province. There is no province in the Dominion so far behind the age in license regulations as British Columbia, and the prospect of obtaining a satisfactory law from the provincial legislature is not very encouraging. Under these circumstances many persons would be glad if the Dominion act became the law of the province. There is a constitutional question at issue, however, which should not be lost sight of. It may be possible that if all our laws were framed and enforced by the Dominion government, the affairs of the province would be better administered; but it would undoubtedly be bad policy for us to surrender our provincial rights and autonomy. For some years past the federal authorities have manifested an unmistakable disposition to encroach upon provincial rights, and to grasp the entire patronage of the confederation. This is a policy which THE COLUMBIAN has always firmly resisted, and will continue to resist. If persisted in, the stability of our nation will be seriously imperiled, for the power to manage our local affairs will pass to a legislative body which we cannot control. The British Columbia legislature is elected by the people of British Columbia, and by them it can be dismissed; but in the federal parliament we have only 6 votes in about 200. Whether the right to grant liquor licenses belongs to the federal or local legislatures has been a matter of dispute for some years, and it seems to us extremely unfortunate that the federal government should persist in forcing its law upon the province until the question of jurisdiction had been finally disposed of. This conflict of authority can bring nothing but evil. The various provinces now have their own systems of license in force, and, with few exceptions, they propose to dispute the Dominion government's right to set aside these systems. If federal licenses are issued, there will be two distinct systems and two sets of licenses, and the result will be endless litigation and trouble. Lately the Dominion license commissioners in Ontario have issued circulars stating that the act will be enforced; and that, in the event of the Dominion act being declared constitutional by the courts, those persons who hold only provincial licenses will not be allowed to sell. On the other hand the government of Ontario has intimated its intention to protect persons holding provincial licenses, and the government newspapers warn all Dominion license holders that they will be liable to an action at law. We have before stated that the question of jurisdiction will be submitted to the supreme court of Canada; and one would have supposed that, in view of an understanding to this effect, it would have been much more sensible if no attempt had been made to enforce the Dominion law until the courts had been heard from. An amendment was carried through the house of commons last session in which, among other things, the time for enforcing the act in British Columbia was extended to the 10th of June. But unless more haste is manifested by the Ottawa authorities, the 10th of June will be upon us before the necessary machinery for enforcing the act will have been provided. Commissioners have not yet been appointed in some places, and some of those appointed have received no instructions and know nothing whatever about their duties. It seems that every step taken by the federal authorities in this matter involves them in still greater perplexity.

About The Congo.

Public interest in the region of central Africa watered and enriched by the River Congo still continues, and there seems to be a disposition manifesting itself in many quarters to accept a slice of that wonderfully fertile country. By virtue of certain trading posts which have been long established, the little kingdom of Portugal seeks to assert a legal claim to a large portion of the coveted land. By what authority she established these posts, or how the government of them gives her any exclusive rights, it might be difficult to show. But in places where the usages of civilized society have not reached, the rights of property are often very hard to define. What right, for example, had Europeans to occupy and monopolize the American continent, driving out before them the natives who were the natural heirs to the soil? The same process is likely to be repeated in Africa; and the nation which first gets a firm foothold there will be apt to stay—if it is strong enough. Not long ago Great Britain and Portugal made an agreement by which both parties granted certain concessions supposed to be mutually beneficial. Something of the nature of this agreement may be learned from the following extract from the *Pall Mall Gazette*: "The first thing to ascertain," says the *Gazette*, "is what we have ceded to Portugal. On this point much confusion exists. We have not ceded the Congo to Portugal. There are two Congos—the Upper and the Lower. The former is immeasurably the more important. The power in command of its waters has 4,000 miles of uninterrupted river and lake communication in its control. The Upper Congo is the proper name for the highroads of Central Africa. It is the artery of the heart of the Dark Continent. But with that great river the treaty has nothing to do. It relates solely to the Lower Congo. The Lower Congo is practically nothing more than a blind alley running 300 miles inland from the West African coast and then stopping short. Between the end of the Lower Congo and the beginning of the Upper Congo intervene 100 miles of waterfall and rapids, down which the drainage of Central Africa plunges foaming over a declivity of several hundred feet on its way to the sea. The rocky banks which hem in the cataracts preclude the hope of running a railway from the end of the Lower Congo to the beginning of the upper river almost as effectually as the falls prohibit navigation. To reach the Upper Congo a certain tract of land must be crossed, and, judging from the gradients, the railway that will connect the lake and river system of the Congo with the sea will debouch on territory lying north of the country now recognized as Portuguese. In other words, the gateway of the continent will not be the Lower Congo, but the Kwilu, a river now under the control of the International African Association. But not only does the treaty under discussion leave the Upper Congo and its chief entrance intact, but it provides that the land east of the Lower Congo shall be left free from Portuguese jurisdiction." From this it would seem that the concession of sovereignty to Portugal is not such a real advantage as was generally supposed. Great Britain has consented that Portugal takes the shell, while she appropriates the kernel to herself. But it may turn out that this little arrangement will not be accepted as final by the other European powers. If the great continent of Africa is to be taken and carved up, France and Germany and others wish to have a voice in the matter. Indeed France has for nearly a year been pushing explorations on the Congo with an industry and perseverance which will undoubtedly look for reward. She has been endeavoring to gain the good-will of the native tribes, and to persuade them that their future safety and happiness will best be secured by putting the country of the Congo under her protection. It is said that the region of Africa lying about the equator is rich and magnificent, and beyond comparison with anything to be found in civilized countries. It is a high tableland, abundantly supplied with rivers and lakes, and possessing a climate equal to any in the world. It is towards this large tract of land that Great Britain is just now looking. Under her protection it would be thrown open to commerce, the rivers and lakes would be plowed by steamers, and railways would be constructed through the very heart of the dark continent. Then protection would develop into possession, and a second India would be added to the British empire. At the present moment that empire sways its sceptre over 315,000,000 of people: the possession of central Africa would bring it up to 400,000,000, or nearly one-third the whole population of the globe!

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

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, 21st May, 1884.
my24-3m

TENDERS.

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The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Dated 19th May, 1884.

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JAS. CUNNINGHAM.
May 20th, 1884. my21-2w

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JOHN C. HROWN,
Postmaster.

Postoffice, New Westminster, 16th May, 1884. [Guardian copy.] my17-3t

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New Westminster for	7 a.m.	.....	7 a.m.	.....	7 a.m.	.....
Ladner's Landing	7 a.m.	.....	7 a.m.	7 a.m.	7 a.m.	.....
Victoria	7 a.m.	7 a.m.	.....	7 a.m.	.....	7 a.m.
Plumper's Pass.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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G. F. Cortright, H. Elliott, James Cunningham, C. M. McNaughton.

Annual Report:

The Directors of the Royal Columbian Hospital have to report that during the years 1883-4 they have done their utmost to keep down the expenses of the institution. When they took office there was a debt of $1072 against the institution, which has been cleared off, besides which the Hospital expenses exceeded the Government grant by over $100 a month for nine out of the twelve months, although the expenses were severely cut.

The Directors have to thank the public and the Government for their great assistance.

During the last session of Parliament the Government have granted 500 towards most necessary repairs to the institution. These repairs have all been completed by contract, the grant does not appear in our financial statement, as the Government which made the money payable was Provincial.

We desire to thank Messrs. McNaughton and Bunting for the useful bed which they collected for and presented to the Hospital for the benefit of patients.

We annex our Treasurer's report, Surgeon's report, and subscription lists from Clinton, Kamloops, Lytton, Moodyville, Hastings Mill, Granville and New Westminster.

Surgeon's Report.

NEW WESTMINSTER, APR. 9, 1884.

To the members of the Board of the Royal Columbian Hospital—GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to present to you the following report for the year ending 31st March, 1884: The number of patients treated was: Indoor, 70; out door, 40. The number of deaths (10) was a large percentage, but I may state that six of these came in dying condition, and died within a week after being admitted. Causes of death: Heart disease, 3; brain disease, 2; Aneurism, 1; chronic alcoholism, 2; blood poisoning, 2; bronchitis, 1; pneumonia, 1; phthisis, 1; disease, 1; cancer, 1; gangrene, 1; fracture of spine, 1. Total, 15. I am glad to state that great improvements have been made in the building. I have the honor to be, &c., yours faithfully,

R. F. BENTLEY, M. B.,
Surgeon R. C. H.

Treasurer's Report:

The Royal Columbian Hospital in account with W. H. Keary, Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

Government grant	$4437 48
Do. to pay last year's bills	500 00
Donations and subscriptions	1006 44
Paying patients	475 00
Proceeds of Concert	202 50
Church collections	129 65
Total	$6751 07

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	$1817 42
Funerals	309 00
Washing	158 00
Wood and coal	277 70
Meat	722 12
Vegetables	141 40
Clothing	11 75
Light	78 60
Furniture	182 61
Repairs	54 02
Groceries	676 70
Bread	241 60
Fish	20 00
Milk	256 71
Drugs	395 86
Medical comforts	78 00
Drayage	5 75
Nursing	30 00
Stationery, postage & telegrams	26 75
Printing & advertising	51 77
Stock-taking	10 00
Insurance	45 00
Laundry	5 9
Shipping mortuaries	31 00
Sundries	30 00
Liabilities from last year paid off	1072 33
Balance	91
Total	$6751 07

Examined and found correct.
W. H. FALDING, Auditor.

Subscription Lists:

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S K de Knevett	$25	J W Harvey	$5 00
W Norman & Co	5 00	L Wilde	5 00
I B Fisher	3 00	W J Armstrong	5 00
Corbould & McColl	5 00	Jas. Cunningham	10 00
Stewart & Cash	10 00	Peter Bickford	5 00
H V Edmonds	10 00	Henry Eckhardt	5 00
H Elliott	10 00	C M McNaughton	5 00
S Brighouse	5 00	R C Scott	5 00
J E Insley	5 00	W D Ferris	5 00
J Van Vickenberg	5 00	W Ross	5 00
G Gardner	5 00	J Cunningham	5 00
J Laidlaw	10 00	A Graham	5 00
C Holdsworth	10 00	J O Dake	5 00
M Templeton	5 00	Geo. Gore	3 00
W B Townsend	5 00	W McColl	5 00
J Homer	1 00	Wm Rogers	1 00
A Mehaly	10 00	Mr Horne	2 50
D Cantil & Co	5 00	C O Johnston	2 50
C McDougall	5 00	R Thomas	2 50
J McPhaden	5 00	W H Smith	2 50
C P R Co	30 00	S W Daggett	2 50
C G Major	5 00	J A Kennedy	2 50
J B Henderson	5 00	L O'H Horne	2 50
J A Laidlaw	5 00	Thos Owens	2 50
Jas Orr	5 00	Cash	5 00
Cupid Brothers	5 00	C Cassidy	2 50
H Webb	5 00	G L McCommon	10 00

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J A Mara	$ 50	Jas B Leighton	$1 50
S T Tunstall	50	J A McIntosh	2 50
Fred'k Bennett	2 50	T R Martin	2 50
Hugh Murray	2 00	W P Tremaine	2 50
Alex Hardie	1 00	A D Walker	1 00
Alex Hoffman	1 00	Jno E Holland	2 00
John O'Brien	1 00	Norman McLeod	1 00
J H Augustus	1 00	Edward Simpson	1 00
P Fairweather	2 00	John Phillips	1 00
J D McDonell	1 00	S J Tennent	2 50
D McEdwards	1 00	A W Murray	1 00
G E Pendleton	1 00	A Stevenson	5 00
P Kilroy	2 00	S Bue	1 00
A F Hautier	2 00	S Lamplo	50
L Lautier	2 00	F Hussey	1 00
R McIland	2 00	J F Whiteway	2 50
James Bell	2 00	John McIntyre	5 00
A Requa	2 00	Joe	50
O Harvey	2 00	Johnny	2 00
C F Casterton	2 00	Johannes	2 00
W B Bailey	2 00	W McIntyre	5 00
John McDonald	1 00	Wm Rush	1 00
Samuel Pearce	1 00	John Murray	5 00
George Bullock	2 00	J W H	1 00
H H Cornack	4 00	A Clemes	1 00
J F Smith	1 00	Morton House	5 00
B Balanger	1 00	W Fears	2 00
L Curreau	1 00	James Vair	2 00

MOODYVILLE.

M S M Co	20 00	M Ross	$1 00
B Springer	5 00	D Sutherland	2 50
H Brauttecht	5 00	K Forbes	2 50
A N C King	5 00	J Fr wley	5 00
E Cadwallade	2 50	A Hansen	1 50
H Godden	2 50	A Pantre	1 50
H Beard	2 50	L Chabot	2 00
T D Forbes	2 50	M T Ross	2 00
H H Walker	1 00	P Williams	2 00
J Little	2 00	E Currier	2 00
A Bright	50	J Reynolds	2 50
C Irvine	1 00	A Parcult	2 00
J Merritt	1 00	L Lapoplle	2 00
H Chick	2 50	A Wilson	2 00
W J Cox	1 00	Ah Tonge	1 00
O Schubert	1 00	J Lester	5 00
T K Emma	1 00	G W Hays	1 00
H Cadwallader	1 00	A Forest	1 00
H Munson	1 00	J McDowsch	1 00
P A Allen	2 00	L Solomon	1 00
H Schaffler	1 00	E Farris	1 00
M W Thain	5 00	J Talcourt	1 00
J Van Bramer	10 00	H Conley	2 50
W Power	5 00	W Wattson	2 00
J L Herrington	2 00	W Morrison	2 00
D McMasden	2 50	M Muir	1 00
S J Randell	1 00	A McDonald	2 00
H Barker	5 00	P Kelly	10 00
J McWhinney	1 50	S Kutzen	2 50
D Mattison	1 00	H Thompson	2 50
D Corr	1 00	W Dineen	10 00
W McDonald	1 00	F Cardinell	2 50
Suddaby	1 00	E Trim	2 00
O D Lamoureux	1 00	F Black tone	2 00
Simon Reid	1 50	D Mitchell	1 00
D M Gillum	1 00	G Giskin	2 50
P Conners	1 50	W Smith	2 50
J A Fisher	1 00	J H Stevenson	2 00
James Smith	1 00	A Eligh	2 00
T Hanson	1 00	V Cordell	2 50
H Gragan	1 00	J Huntley	1 00
G White	1 00	A McKenzie	1 00
W McBride	4 00	H Calver	2 50
A McCrimmon	1 50	J Gardner	1 00
W Dickinson	5 00	W Tweedie	1 00
C Kelly	2 50	G Billings	1 00
A W McGillivray	2 00	H Ramsdell	1 00
J Jewell	2 00	Peter Hand	15 00

HASTINGS.

H S M Co	$50 00	C Gregory	$2 00
H Alexander	5 00	Geo Gregory	2 00
A J McNeat	5 00	A McGregor	1 00
A McCreight	2 50	Thos Hansen	1 50
C A Coldwell	3 00	Kramo	1 00
Robt Smith	2 00	H Harvey	5 00
H T Frost	2 00	Rev G Ditcham	2 00
M Hansen	1 00	Tom Maloy	1 50
R H H Alexander	2 50	Fred Helston	2 00

CLINTON.

H Higginbottom	$1 00	E G Offertians	$2 00
S M E J	5 00	Robt Carson	2 50
H Fills	2 50	S A Armant	1 00
J A Lougheed	1 00	Geo Cassidy	1 00
Jos Geekie	1 00	N Gustafsen	2 00
E Bell	2 50	Alex Burnett	2 00
H W H	1 00	North American	5 00
W M Carson	2 00	D Kresh	2 00
John Kostert	1 00	W F Allen	5 00
Daniel Smith	1 00	G Hayes	2 00
F Webster	10 00	Wm Boyd	1 00
L Doherty	2 00	Jas Gingles	1 00
C N McLellan & Co	2 50	Oliver T W Hall	1 00

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NOTICE.

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

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

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In Ladies' & Children's Hats, Flowers, Feathers.

WHICH HAVE JUST ARRIVED.

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THE Subscribers have on hand a large stock of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Shingles, Shakes, Doors, Windows, Mouldings, Turned Work, &c., &c., which they are now selling cheap for cash.

ALL goods furnished during the month are to be paid for on or before the 15th of the following month (unless where there is a special contract), as we intend to sell cheap and keep short accounts.

ALL old accounts must be settled on or before the 21st day of May, or they will be placed in Court for collection without fail.

ROYAL CITY PLANING MILLS CO.
NEW WESTMINSTER.
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WOODS & TURNER,

Conveyancers,

Real Estate Agents, Land Surveyors, Draughtsmen, and Insurance Agents.

Our property lists are now very complete, and we would call attention to the following selections, which we are enabled to offer at very reasonable figures. Titles guaranteed:

New Westminster City.

Lot 20, block XXXII—good residence site.

Subdivision of lot 10, block XXXV—66x132 feet.

Southwest ¼ of lot 17, block XXXVI.

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Lots 7 and 8, block V—graded, cleared and fenced; adjoining residence of W. B. Townsend, Esq.

Lots 68 and 70, block V.

Subdivisions of lots 1 and 2, block 6.

Subdivisions of lots 10 and 23, block 7.

New Westminster District.

Good farms in all parts.

165 acres on False Creek road.

450 acres at Matsqui—good dairy farm; highly improved; to be sold with stock and implements if desired.

200 acres at Sumas—a splendid chance for dairy farmers.

245 acres near Ladner's Landing.

320 acres on Lulu Island.

Port Moody.

A large and complete list, embracing all parts of the Townsite.

Land Surveying

In all its branches; maps compiled, tracings prepared, and all descriptions of surveying carefully and promptly attended to. 30 years' experience.

Having been over almost the whole of New Westminster District during our surveying tours, we are in a position to give intending purchasers a correct description of the property offered.

Money to lend on approved security at low rates of interest.

Agents For

The Phenix, of Brooklyn, and the Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Companies.

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A LARGE CONSIGNMENT

JUST RECEIVED!

.....BY.....

T. R. PEARSON & CO.

A BY-LAW

To Enable the Corporation of the Municipality of Chilliwhack to Raise the Sum of One Thousand Dollars for the Purpose Therein Set Forth.

WHEREAS, THE MUNICIPAL Council of the Municipality of Chilliwhack has resolved to raise the sum of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS for the purpose of erecting a Municipal Hall, and in order to do so require the sum of $1000.00 to be obtained in the manner hereinafter recited.

AND WHEREAS, it will require the sum of $247.00 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest, as is hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Municipality, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, being, for the year 1883, $100,000 irrespective of any future increase of the rateable property of the Municipality, and of any income in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends from the building, and also irrespective of any income from the temporary investments of the Sinking Fund, or of any part thereof.

AND WHEREAS, for paying the interest and creating a Sinking Fund for paying the said principal sum of $1000.00 and interest as hereinafter mentioned, it will require an equal annual special rate of one-fourth of one per cent. in the dollar.

Be it therefore enacted by the Reeve and Council of the Municipality of Chilliwhack,—

1st. That it shall be lawful for the Reeve and Council of the Municipality of Chilliwhack to raise, by way of loan, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $1000.00, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Municipality for the purpose and with the object above recited.

2nd. That it shall be lawful for the said Reeve and Council to cause any number of Debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not less than $100.00 each, and that the said Debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Municipality of Chilliwhack, and be signed by the said Reeve.

3rd. That the said Debentures shall be made payable in SIX YEARS at furthest from the day hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect, at the residence of the Treasurer of the said Municipality, and shall have attached to them Coupons for the payment of interest.

4th. That the said Debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of eight per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable annually, at the residence of the Treasurer of the said Municipality.

5th. That for the purpose of forming a Sinking Fund for the payment of the said Debentures and the interest at the rate aforesaid to become due thereon, an equal special rate of one-fourth of one per cent. in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property in the said Municipality during the continuance of the said Debentures, or any of them.

6th. It shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council, from time to time, to purchase any of the said Debentures from persons desirous of selling the same, and all Debentures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled and destroyed, and no re-issue of Debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

7th. That this By-Law shall take effect and come into operation upon the day of A. D. 1884.

8th. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Municipal Hall Loan By-Law, 1884."

Take Notice.

That the above is a true copy of the proposed By-Law, upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken on the **7th of June, A.D. 1884,** from 10 o'clock a.m. till 4 o'clock p.m., at the following described place: **Council Chamber, Centreville.**

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Regular Commercial and Business Advertisements.—1 column, $12 per month; ½ col., $7 per month; ¼ col., $4 per month; 2 inches, $2 per month; 1 inch, $1.50 per month. These rates to be charged on standing advertisements which remain over 3 months. If for a less period the rates will be: 1 col, $15 per month; ½ col., $9; ¼ col., $6; 2 inches, $3; 1 inch, $2.

Specials, among reading matter.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line; subsequent insertions, 5 cts. per line.

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 each. Funeral notices accompanying death notice, 50 cts. extra.

☞ All transient advertisements will be measured by a scale of solid Nonpariel, which makes 12 lines to the inch and 7 words to the line. Display lines must be allowed for in making estimates. No advertisement inserted for less than $1.00.

The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, May 24, 1884.

All the city stores will be closed to-day.

Weather continues charming. Wild roses are now out in full bloom.

The barge Taylor has nearly finished discharging her cargo of bricks.

The str. Yosemite brought 150 sheep from east Oregon on Wednesday.

Stages are now running regularly to Port Moody, over the new road.

Panama canal diggers unearthed $4,000 of American gold coins April 23rd.

It is proposed to grade Mary st. to full width from Columbia st. to Royal Avenue.

It is expected that those who have flags in the Royal City will put them up to-day.

The str. Dunsmuir is expected to leave this city for Nanaimo at 7 o'clock this morning.

There will be a game of base ball at 9 o'clock this forenoon, on the grounds near the asylum.

It is estimated that there are 40,000 persons in New York dependent upon gambling for a living.

In India the natives have hoarded $1,000,000,000 in gold, which cannot be got into circulation.

Mr. E. Holt is fitting up the old photograph gallery on Front st. and intends to open a lunch house.

A large band of cattle came down by railway to Port Moody yesterday and were driven over to this city last evening.

The gay and festive mosquito is numerous and unusually active. He means business, and neither gives nor gets credit.

Messrs. J. C. Hughes and T. C. Atkinson have formed a partnership as real estate brokers, conveyancers, collectors, etc.

Messrs. Kelly Bros. have opened a new bakery and grocery in the shop adjoining Mrs. Emma Gold's on Columbia st. See adv.

Two more natives were up before the police court yesterday morning for having liquor in their possession. There were also 2 drunks.

The last of the machinery has been removed from Armstrong's old sawmill on Front st., and we believe the building is to be pulled down.

A long and interesting letter from Sumas, written by a representative of THE COLUMBIAN, was received yesterday, and will appear in next issue.

"Do boys or girls make the most noise?" This is one of those painful questions which we feel constrained to answer in the affirmative.—*Chicago Sun.*

Quite a number of people are going down to Ladner's this morning to witness the sports. We learn that a fund of about $200 has been raised for prizes.

The services of the Reformed Episcopal Church will be held in the Court House to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. Geo. B. Allen, pastor.

It has been arranged that the mails for up country will not close until 8 o'clock on Friday nights, so that letters coming down on Friday may be answered by return steamer.

Mr. J. C. Hughes leaves for upcountry this morning. He goes to Lytton to make preparations in advance for Bishop Sillitoe's meeting with the Indians of that region.

Mr. Wm. Ross arrived down from Lehman's Landing by canoe last Thursday night. He reports road work in that district progressing very favorably under the superintendence of Mr. Benson.

As the str. Slope calls at Ladner's for excursionists this afternoon it is probable it will be late before she reaches this city. The post office, however, will remain open one hour after arrival of mail.

A woman in Canada has been granted a divorce because her husband yoked her up with a steer. Now, why don't she sue the minister or squire who yoked her up with the other brute?—*Merchant Traveler.*

Mr. D. S. Curtis and his bride were passengers on the str. Idaho which arrived Thursday. The courage and judgment displayed by Mr. Curtis are worthy of imitation by all young men. THE COLUMBIAN offers congratulations.

A correspondent of a fashion paper asks, "What shall I get for moths?" We should not get anything, but if the correspondent is fond of moths a very acceptable present would be a sealskin sacque.—*Auburn News and Bulletin.*

The present registered British voters are as follows: England, 2,618,453; Scotland, 310,441; Ireland, 224,018—total, 3,152,912. The present number of members is: For England, 489; Scotland, 60; Ireland, 103—total, 652.

The new Oddfellows' hall at San Francisco is to be built from plans furnished by Messrs. Wright & Sanders, architects, formerly of this province. The hall will be one of the most magnificent structures on this continent.

It is estimated that there are £90,000,000 in sovereigns and £20,000,000 in half sovereigns in circulation in the United Kingdom, and that these have become so worn that it would require at least £700,000 to restore them to their full weight.

The power developed by the explosion of a ton of dynamite is equal to 45,665 tons raised one foot, or 45,665 foot-tons. One ton of nitro-glycerine similarly exploded will exert a power of 65,452 tons, and one ton of blasting gelatine similarly exploded, 71,060 foot-tons.

The total population of British Empire, at home and abroad, is 315,000,000, and is increasing at the rate of 50,000,000 every 20 years. The total revenue amounts to £165,000,000 sterling yearly, and the external commerce of the United Kingdom, with all its colonies or dependencies together, to nearly $1,000,000,000 in annual value.

The str. Idaho, from Tacoma, arrived at 12:30 Thursday afternoon with 3 passengers and 75 tons of freight. A considerable quantity of freight for this city reached Tacoma about the time the steamer left, and she may be expected back early week.

In Siam the women are agitating the question of their rights. They have gone so far as to petition the king that their husbands shall not pledge them for gambling debts. It is not considered probable that the king will grant such a preposterous request.

Judge—"Your client had better make a compromise. Ask her what she will take." Counsel—"My good woman, his honor asks what you will take." Old Woman—"I m obliged to his honor. As he's so kind, I'll just take a glass of warm ale."—*Boston Gazette*

The general manager of the Canadian Pacific states that the rumor to the effect that 4,050 Chinamen, who have had experience on the Union Pacific, will be employed on the Canadian Pacific is devoid of truth. The rumor, Mr. Van Horne thinks, has been circulated for the purpose of preventing white men joining the service of the company.

CHORAL UNION.—We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Sillitoe will not be able to sing on Monday night, and the Choral Union concert has, therefore, been postponed indefinitely.

METHODIST CHURCH, Mary Street—Rev. E. Robson, pastor. Service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2.30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday 8 p. m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

ILLUSIONS.—No. 56 of the Humboldt Library contains a very interesting discussion on illusions. The article treats the subject very fully, and contains a great deal of psychological information which every student should know. Published by J. Fitzgerald, 20 Lafayette Place, New York.

MAMMOTH BIRD'S EGG.—At the Hastings Museum, Burrard Inlet, may be seen an egg which measures 17 inches one way and 15½ the other. It is an ostrich egg from Southern California, and is presented by T. J. L. Kay, Esq., an English gentleman who visited Burrard Inlet about a year ago.

EARLY CLOSING.—We believe some merchants propose to adopt the suggestion made recently by THE COLUMBIAN, and close every night at 7 o'clock, except Saturday. But the movement should be unanimous if it is to be successful. It is to be hoped all the merchants will give it their serious consideration, and that these unnecessarily long business hours will be abriged.

SHIPPING ITEMS.—Wednesday: str. Irving for Hope at 5; str. Slope for Victoria at 7; str. Yosemite from Victoria at 1.45. Thursday: str. Yosemite for Victoria 7 a. m.; str. Idaho from Tacoma 12.30 p. m.; Slope from Victoria at 3 p. m. Yesterday: str. Idaho for Tacoma at 4 a. m.; Slope for Victoria at 7; Yosemite from Victoria at 1 30 p. m., and left for Hammond at 2.30; Irving from Hope at 3; Yosemite from Hammond at 6:45.

BLUE RIBBON.—At the meeting on Wednesday night the following programme was presented: Solo and chorus by Miss Mildred Major and the choir; solo and chorus by Miss M Grant and the choir; solo and chorus by Miss Maude Williams and the choir; chorus by the choir; recitations by Miss Ella Grant and Mr. Major Williams; readings by Mr. Geo Grant, Mr. Thos. Cunningham and Miss M Grant; address by Rev. G. B. Allen. Refreshments were served by the ladies, as usual.

ANTI-GAMBLING.—A large and enthusiastic public meeting was held in Victoria last Thursday night to discuss the gambling question. A number of stirring addresses were delivered, and resolutions were passed condemning gambling and looking towards its suppression. Victoria seems to have become thoroughly aroused, and we earnestly hope the enthusiasm will not abate until this ruinous practice has been stamped out. It was resolved to bring the police magistrate's late gambling decision before the supreme court.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the New Westminster Rifle Association was held last Thursday. The report from last year showed a good membership and a good balance of cash on hand. The report of retiring board was adopted, and the following council appointed for the present year: President, Hon. Senator Nelson; vice-presidents, Capt. Pittendrigh, Capt. Peele, Mayor Dickinson; sec.-treas., Dr. Trew; Messrs. J. S. Clute, Jas Wilson, E. S. Scoullar, W. McColl, C. M. McNaughten. The season's matches were arranged for. The first will take place to-day, firing to begin at 11 a. m.

MAGISTRATES COURT.—On Wednesday and Thursday the case of McMahon vs. Crossman was heard before Mr. W. D. Ferris, J. P. The charge was larceny. McMahon claims to have been in partnership with Crossman in the Maple Leaf saloon in 1882, and when he withdrew Crossman handed him $800 as his share of the business. McMahon took $100 and placed the balance in Crossman's hands to keep for him. At various times he received certain sums, but when he applied for the balance of $300 remaining Crossman refused to pay it over. Mr. Bole appeared for McMahon and Mr. Corbould for Crossman. The magistrate reserved judgment.

BOARD OF TRADE.—At the regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Trade, held last Thursday night, a number of matters affecting the commercial interests of the province were discussed. Among other things the board expressed regret that the post office authorities had reduced the mail service between this city and Yale to two mails a week instead of four. The question of constructing a branch line to connect this city with the C.P.R. was discussed, and the general feeling seemed to be that preparations for construction should be made without unnecessary delay. The question of long credits came up informally, and the practice of extending credit to long periods was considered injurious both to the consumers and the merchant.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla has such concentrated, curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and surest blood-purifier known.

CORRECT.—The people of New Westminster must undoubtedly possess the faculty of perceiving coming events. By common consent it was decided to have no public celebration on the Queen's Birthday. The wisdom of this decision will appear from the following paragraph published in the *Colonist* of Thursday: "Official notification has been received from Ottawa that the 24th of May, Queen's Birthday, will not be celebrated as usual. All public celebrations will take place on Coronation day, the 28th of June. No salutes will be fired by the artillery or the warship on Saturday. The Lieutenant-Governor has also received notice to the same effect. This action is consequent upon the recent death of Prince Leopold," Of course Victorians have been making large preparations for the celebration; but Victoria isn't always as wise in her generation as she might be.

Baldness may be avoided by the use of Hall's Hair Renewer, which prevents the falling out of the hair, and stimulates it to renewed growth and luxuriance. It also restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, and radically cures nearly every disease of the scalp.

From Clinton.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

CLINTON, May 20.—The Supreme Court will meet on June 7. Jurors under the new act have been selected. There are a few criminal cases. The escape of Boswell and Favell, who have not yet been recaptured, will lighten docket of two important cases. The County Court will be presided over by Judge Harrison about the same time. The prolonged drought causes serious outlook to farmers. Already creeks are low and prospects of rain not favorable.

Canada Pacific Railway.

MONTREAL, May 14.—At the third annual meeting here to-day of the share-holders of the Canada Pacific Railway the following were elected a Board of Directors:—Mr. George Stephen, Montreal; Mr. R. B. Angus, Montreal; Hon. Donald A. Smith, Montreal; Mr. H. T. Northcote, London, M.P.; Mr. Du Pascoe Grenfell, London; Mr. C. D. Rose, London; Baron De Reinach, Paris; Mr. R. V. Martinsen, Amsterdam and New York; Mr. W. L. Scott, Erie, Pa.; Mr. John Turnbull, Montreal. The changes in last year's Board are: John T. Kennedy, of New York, who retired in January last, has been replaced by John Turnbull, of this city, and Duncan McIntyre, who declined re-election, has been replaced by W. C. Van-Horne.

The shareholders' meeting was made special in order to authorise the Directors to lease the Manitoba and South-Western Railway. The road is leased on a basis, it is understood, of a rental representing interest on the bonds of the South-Western Company (not to exceed $12,000 per mile.) Under this lease the Government's valuable land grant of 6,400 acres per mile accrues to the Canada Pacific. This land is situated in Southern Manitoba, and includes, it is said, some of the most fertile districts in the North-West.

Gilbert Laird, St. Margaret's Hope, Orkney, Scotland, writes: "I am requested by several friends to order another parcel of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The last lot I got from you having been tested in several cases of rheumatism, has given relief when doctors' medicines have failed to have any effect. The excellent qualities of this medicine should be made known, that the millions of sufferers throughout the world may benefit by its providential discovery."

Communications.

Churchman's Gazette and Wine.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—In reply to the leading editorial in the *Churchman's Gazette* of this month, I beg to plead guilty to having a copy of the Temperance Bible Commentary on my shelves, though I made little use of it in my first reply to the *Gazette*. The right reverend editor of that monthly is entirely mistaken, in supposing that my faith is "pinned on to" that volume, or to the *Churchman's Gazette* either; in fact, my faith in the latter, as an expositor of scriptural temperance principles, is so small that a pin could not be stuck into it.

I am charged with short-sightedness and resorting to "total abstinence spectacles," and "Methodist spectacles," by which I make "any verse assume the form and character desired." But this is surely excusable in me, when, according to the *Gazette*, "every religious system (including of course that represented by the *Gazette*) is built up upon the same process of interpretation." Talk of spectacles! By what *long*-sightedness, or ecclesiastical binoculars, did the editor of the *Gazette* discover, among the Methodists, a belief in "the bondage of the will and the irresistibility of grace," when all the world knows that these same Methodists have spent more than a century in professing, publishing and defending their belief in the *freedom of the will and the resistibility of grace?* Why, that is a worse mistake than putting "syrup for wine." The *Gazette* cannot understand why the Jews should trouble themselves about methods of preserving grape juice from fermentation, when the temperature of their country was such that vinous fermentation could not take place during the vintage season. Why, the Jews were long-sighted enough, even without spectacles, to see that the temperature would get cooler, after a while, and they wanted to have some good temperance drinks later on in the year. Does the "enigma" disappear? I did not pretend that Q. H. Flaccus, or the other authors quoted by me, were total abstainers. Does the *Gazette* suppose that none but teetotlers are competent or trustworthy witnesses, regarding the nature and manufacture of wines in their respective countries? My witnesses gave full, clear and convincing testimony, as to the points at issue, and were more competent to testify, upon these matters, than either the editor of the *Gazette* or the president of the Blue Ribbon Club, poor water-drinkers that we are!

A challenge is given, to produce from "the Bible anything approaching to a prohibition, nay, anything approaching to a caution even, on the subject of fermented grape juice." I regret having to accept the challenge from such a quarter, but I accept it, nevertheless. Read PROV. 23:31, 35. The article there mentioned is grape juice, and it is fermented, the marks of fermentation are given, and it is prohibited, in language as general and emphatic as can be used. See LEV. 10:8, 11, where wine is strictly prohibited to the priests, during their ministrations. It would have been well for the honor of religion if all modern "priests" had observed the same rule. NUM. 6:2, 4, shows that it was entirely and permanently prohibited in the case of all Nazarites. PROV. 31:4, 5, declares that kings and princes should not drink it, and gives good reasons for the prohibition. From JER. 35:6, 18, 19, we learn that the Rechabites were interdicted from using it, by their father, and that God honored and rewarded them for their obedience. Note, also, the historical fact, that when God himself provided a "bill of fare" for over two millions of men women and children, during forty years of exposure and hardship, He gave them bread, flesh and water, but no wine. For practical and voluntary examples, see DAN. 1:8, 16, when Daniel and his companions in Babylon select a teetotal diet, and TIM. 5:23, respecting Timothy in Ephesus. As to caution; the man who can find no caution in the above, or following passages, had better change his "spectacles" — PROV. 20:1; 23:20, 29; Rom. 14:21; I. TIM. 3:2, 3, 8; I. PETER 5:8. I am held to be guilty of an unfair use of Rabbi Mannaseh's evidence. Now, I simply quoted his words, without note or comment, and the assumption, that I "would have" my "readers believe that it applied equally to meats and drinks," is altogether gratuitous. Nevertheless, from the admission of the *Gazette*, that "solids" include, in this case, the various kinds of liquors made from fermented grain, it seems that the belief would not have been, practically, very heretical. The allowance of grape wine at the Passover feast, I accounted for, and therefore could scarcely have wished my readers to suppose that it was not there. The fact is, it *should not have been there*, and was tolerated, only by the use of a fiction, somewhat familiar to the readers of the *Gazette*. Keeping in mind the adage about people who live in glass houses, let us see how this champion of fair criticism deals with the authors of that detested Temperance Bible Commentary, Describing the differences between the Baptist and Jesus. These authors, in their exposition of MAT. 11: 18, say that John came "neither eating nor drinking, that is, as the generality of men did, without any peculiarity. His meat was locusts and wild honey and his drink was restricted to the water of the spring or stream." The *Gazette* attempts to show the "perversity" of the commentators by accusing them of saying that the Baptist "came eating and drinking, that is, as the generality of men did, without any peculiarity," which is the exact opposite of what they do say, and the egregious blunder is all the more inexcusable, inasmuch as the context and drift of the comment show, beyond doubt, the meaning intended. Verily, "we can scarcely believe but what there is some mistake here," but the "mistake" and "perversity" are with the critic and not the commentators. To tamper, after this rude fashion, with an honest exposition, is as sure an indication of "prejudice" as to "tamper with Scripture." The fact is the Bible Commentary, in this instance, agrees perfectly with Cruden, who has no theoretical "spectacles," and with the editor of the *Gazette*, who has.

As to the problem of preventing fermentation in grape juice, it was solved by the ancient Greeks, Romans and Jews, and is solved at the present time by the Mohammedans and Christians on both hemispheres, and by the W. C. T. U., so that hundreds of tons of unfermented grape wine are used every year.

In reference to the correction of my statement, regarding the quantity of wine used at the Passover feast, I have not before seen the assertion made in the *Gazette*, that, according to the "ritual of the Passover," the one cup of wine was made to serve some ten or twelve persons, during the whole feast, by handing it round four times. *Possibly* the editor may be right, but it would have been kind of him to have given his authority, for reference. I, of course, could not be expected to hold up against him on a matter of *ritual*. I followed the Bible Dictionary, written by a number of learned Anglican clergymen, some of them high in the church and universities, and edited by Dr. Wm. Smith, classical examiner in the University of London. That excellent work says, "The Mishna strictly enjoins that there should never be less than four cups of it (wine) provided at the paschal meal, even for the poorest Israelite." I take that to be a more generous provision than four "sups" from one cup, in common with ten or a dozen other people. I have pleasure in giving Dr. Smith's note on this extract from the Mishna. "The reader will bear in mind that, a leaven being prohibited, the wine used on the occasion must, of necessity, have been unfermented." I ask the candid reader, Whose words are misleading? mine or those of the *Gazette?* I do not know whom he fires at through the "monstrous" assertion, that "the wine in common use amongst the Jews was anything but a fermented and intoxicating liquor." I did not make the statement. As it is now with us, so, probably, it was then with them: there are among us fermented, intoxicating liquors, all too commonly used; but there are, also, unintoxicating beverages, natural and manufactured, and the question is, which shall we use, particularly at the Lord's table?

If I erred, in attributing to the churches the use of leavened bread in the Supper, I wrote from limited observation; nevertheless, upon reference, I find no intimation of a return to the use of unleavened bread, until the ninth century, and then it was by those "Romanists" who, according to the *Gazette*, look "through Roman spectacles," and see all sorts of dreadful things. The Greek Church retained the use of leavened bread and, in this, is followed by the Reformed churches generally. If the High Anglicans have really discovered the necessity for unleavened bread, I fear it is because they have been looking through those dreadful "Roman spectacles," which would be very naughty, you know, as the *Gazette* is persistently severe upon the "Romanists" From the last word of the *Gazette's* editorial, now under criticism, pass down to the closing sentence of the article which follows it and read, "When you have no case, abuse the plaintiff's attorney." If the editor of the *Gazette* has anything more to say upon this subject, will he please condescend to refute the arguments produced in my former letter, in favor of using unfermented wine, instead of belaboring Messrs. Lees and Burns, the "Romanists," and the poor Methodist parson, with reckless assertions, unsupported by necessary proof, and with such expressions as "short-sighted," "total abstinence spectacles," "Roman spectacles," "Methodist spectacles," "obscuring the clear light of knowledge," "driven to interpret," "a warping of the text," "not innocent," "little less than monstrous," "perversity," "misleading," &c., or will he not? Yours, &c.,

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New Westminster, May 20, '84.

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LONDON, May 22.—A Sydney dispatch states that Hanlan won the sculling match with Laycock by half a length. The betting was heavy and Hanlan had his hands full to win.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

WINNIPEG, May 10.—An arrangement was entered into yesterday between the Canadian Pacific railway authorities and heavy property holders at Fort William by which the terminus of the line is to be removed from Port Arthur to Fort William. The owners agree to give the company a right-of-way, river frontage, wharfage facilities, and abundant land to build works on, and the company will build a 1,000,000 bushel elevator there.

OTTAWA, May 11.—The Manitoba deputation had an interview with Sir John Macdonald and other members of the ministry yesterday and submitted their demands. It is understood that the whole question of Manitoba's grievances will be referred to a committee of the privy council consisting of Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir Alexander Campbell, and Mr. Macpherson, for enquiry.

WINNIPEG, May 11.—Advices from Emerson report a sanguinary engagement between citizens and a party of men headed by Dean Westbrook. The latter built the iron bridge at Emerson, but the town could not raise the money to pay them, whereupon Westbrook and party seized the bridge. The citizens opposed their attempts to levy toll, whereupon the draw was swung out, and the contractors retained possession. On Friday an attack was organized, and all available boats and rafts were secured. The fleet bore down upon the bridge. A fierce struggle ensued, in which the citizens were victorious. Several narrow escapes from drowning occurred. The key was thrown into the river, and the draw remains open.

LONDON, May 12.—The weather in London to-day became suddenly oppressively warm, and the thermometer this afternoon indicated the phenomenal temperature for this season of 80 degrees in the shade. Last week there was a snow fall of several inches in and about London.

OTTAWA, May 12.—The Hudson's Bay Company have been awarded all the contract for Indian supplies in the Manitoba superintendency, and also nearly all for supplies for the Northwest superintendency.

TORONTO, May 14.—Judge Boyd in opening the general sessions of the peace yesterday referred to the Dominion and provincial liquor acts. He said the decrease in the number of licenses granted this year showed the tendency of the public mind to prohibition. If the temperance wave kept on as at present in a few years the total abolition of the liquor traffic would be the result. Over a thousand immigrants, mostly British, arrived here this morning.

OMAHA, May 14.—General Freight Agent Hannaford, of the Northern Pacific, to-day concluded an agreement with the Union Pacific officials for the interchange of business at non-competitive points, and commencing June 1 all freight from Omaha, Kansas City, and all freight from local stations on the Union Pacific consigned to Portland on points East, will be forwarded by way of the Utah Northern to Garrison, instead of by the Central Pacific to San Francisco, and by coast steamers to Portland as at present. Freight from Portland for points on the Union Pacific will be forwarded by the same route. This will divert a large amount of business from the Central Pacific, and probably lead to serious complications. Arrangements were also made to-day for the sale of tickets at Union Pacific depots to points on the Northern Pacific between Garrison and Wallula Junction, and *vice versa*. The contract now in force with the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company precludes the necessity for arranging for the interchange of passenger traffic west of Wallula.

HARRODSBURG, KY., May 19.—A horrible case of wholesale poisoning by hemlock took place near this place to-day. Eighteen boys, after playing a game of base ball, started in search of wild parsnips, but got hold of the deadly hemlock instead. The boys are freely, and all were taken violently ill. Two died almost immediately, five are in a critical condition, and not expected to live, and the others are suffering more or less from poison. Particulars are meagre and the names of the boys are not known.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Yesterday Beecher, who preached mainly on General Grant and Conkling, announced that Remenyi, the violinist, would play at the end of the sermon, and at the conclusion of his sermon Beecher invited Remenyi to the pulpit, but the artist declined, and took his position on the pulpit stairs. He played a beautiful piece of sacred music, which was enthusiastically applauded. Beecher arose in evident anger, and said: "I am surprised at any such demonstration. I could not be more surprised if one of my prayers to the Almighty should be applauded." Remenyi closed by playing the national hymn of Hungary.

WINNIPEG, May 20.—An Indian head special says one of the Piapot runners passed here to-day, going to Crooked lake reserves to rouse the Indians. Things are beginning to look serious and it is generally expected there will be trouble at Sun dance.

LONDON, May 21.—A severe shock of earthquake was felt to-day through the peninsula of Cyzicus, Asia Minor. Several villages were damaged, many houses destroyed and 20 persons killed.

CAIRO, May 21.—A naval expedition starts immediately for Assouan.

LONDON, May 21.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says that Wolsley will command an expedition in the autumn which will land at Tuskin and march to Berber. He will build a military railway across the desert in June.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Thomas Gardiner who purposes establishing in Victoria, B. C., an afternoon paper to be called the *Daily Times*, was among passengers on the steamship Queen of the Pacific, which vessel sailed for Victoria this morning. The side-wheel steamer Amelia arrived here to-day from Wilmington. It is understood she has been purchased by Victoria parties to run in an opposition line along the coast of Vancouver Island. Extensive overhauling and alterations are necessary before she is prepared for passenger service, but whether alterations will be made here or at Victoria is not stated.

WINNIPEG, May 21.—Private advices from Vice-President and Manager Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific say that no new branches of the road will be built, or extensions of the present branches made, this season. He says that Stephen has failed in securing money in England for the extension of the Manitoba and South-western.

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Per str. Western Slope, from Victoria, May 22—Mrs Cool, H H Horsey, W K Smith, J J Moore, W Burrage.

Per str. Yosemite, from Victoria, May 23—Mr and Mrs Todd, jr, Mr and Mrs Foster, Mrs Casad, Miss Smith, Miss Murchison, W Irving, Gibbons, Cartwright, Wilson, Sword, Speak, Gamble, Ward, Myers, J K Suter, Lenz, Sims, Abbott, Atkinson, and 4 Chinese.

Per str. Irving, from Up-river, May 23—Mrs Lewis, Mrs Dufren, Mrs Howe, Wm Scola and wf, Rose Filardoe, Mary Filardoe, W H Burr, jr, J B Burr, T Tallon, J Bailey, R Thompson, G Massanger, N Sylvester, G A Lee, J Smith, McLaren, Brewer, and 35 others from Port Hammond.

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

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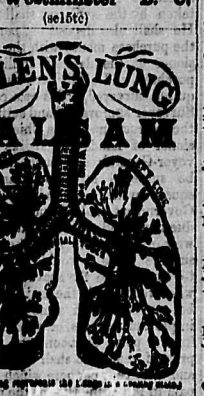

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20. A pre-emptor of surveyed land, shall be entitled to receive from the Commissioner a certificate, to be called a "Certificate of Improvement," in the Form No. 4 in the Schedule hereto, upon his proving to the Commissioner, by the declarations in writing of himself and two other persons, or in such other manner as the Commissioner may require, that he has been in occupation of his pre-emption claim from the date of the record thereof, and has made permanent improvements thereon to the value of two dollars and fifty cents per acre, and such declaration shall be in the Form No. 5 in the Schedule hereto. Such certificate shall be in triplicate, one part to be handed to the pre-emptor, another part retained by the Commissioner for local reference, and the third part transmitted forthwith to the head office of the Lands and Works Department; and it shall be the duty of the Commissioner to note the issue of such certificate on the duplicate pre-emption record thereof retained in the Commissioner's office.

21. All declarations authorized to be made under the provisions of this Act shall be subscribed by the person making the same, and shall be filed with the Commissioner, who is hereby fully authorized and empowered to take the same; and shall be made before such Commissioner, or before any Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, under and subject to the provisions and penalties of the "Oaths Ordinance, 1869."

22. Every person pre-empting surveyed or unsurveyed land, shall pay one dollar per acre for the same, to the Commissioner at his office, in four equal annual instalments of twenty-five cents each per acre. The first instalment shall be due two years from the date of the record of the land pre-empted, and each subsequent instalment yearly thereafter until the full amount is paid; Provided, however, that the last instalment shall not be payable until the land so pre-empted, if unsurveyed, shall have been surveyed. If default be made in payment of any of the instalments according to the terms hereof, the record made of the said land may be cancelled by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and the land with the improvements (if any) thereon, together with any instalments paid thereon, shall be absolutely forfeited to the Crown.

23. After the grant of a certificate of improvement as aforesaid to the pre-emptor, and payment of one dollar per acre for the land has been made, a Crown grant or conveyance, in the Form No. 7 in the Schedule hereto, of the fee simple of and in the land mentioned as recorded in such certificate shall be executed in favor of the said pre-emptor, upon payment of the sum of five dollars therefor; but no such Crown grant shall be executed in favor of any alien who may have declared as aforesaid his intention of becoming a British subject, until such alien shall have become, according to law, a naturalized subject.

24. No transfer of any surveyed or unsurveyed land pre-empted under this Act shall be valid, until after a Crown grant of the same shall have been issued.

25. In the event of the death of any pre-emptor under this Act, his heirs or devisees (as the case may be) shall be entitled to a Crown grant of the land included in such pre-emption claim, if lawfully held and occupied by such pre-emptor at the time of his decease, but subject to the issuing of the certificate of improvement as aforesaid, and payment for the land; but if no person makes any application in respect of the said pre-empted land, for a period of one year from the death of the said pre-emptor, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works may cancel the said record, and all improvements made on the said land, and all moneys paid in respect thereof, shall be forfeited.

EJECTMENT.

26. Any person lawfully occupying a claim, by record or pre-emption, or holding a lease under this Act may, in respect thereof, institute and obtain redress in an action of ejectment or of trespass, in the same manner and to the same extent as if he were seised of the legal estate in the land covered by such claims; but either party thereto may refer the cause of action to the Stipendiary Magistrate of the district wherein the land lies, or to a Justice of the Peace, who is hereby authorized to proceed summarily, and make such order as he shall deem just: Provided, however, that if requested by either party, he shall first summon a jury of five persons to hear the cause, and their verdict or award on all matters of fact shall be final.

JURY.

27. It shall be lawful for any Magistrate, by an order under his hand, to summon a jury of five persons for any purpose under this Act, and in the event of the non-attendance of any persons so summoned he shall have the power to impose a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars.

APPEAL.

28. Any person affected by any decision of a Magistrate or Commissioner under this Act may, within one calendar month after such decision, but not afterwards, appeal to the Supreme Court in a summary manner; and such appeal shall be in the form of a petition, verified by affidavit, to any Judge of such Court, setting out the points relied upon; and a copy of such petition shall be served upon the Magistrate or Commissioner whose decision is appealed from, and such time shall be allowed for his answer to the said petition as to the Judge of the Supreme Court may seem advisable; but no such appeal shall be allowed except from decisions on points of law.

29. Any person desirous of appealing in manner aforesaid, may be required, before such appeal be heard, to find such security as may be determined by the Magistrate or Commissioner whose decision is appealed from; and such appeal shall not be heard until after security, to the satisfaction of the Magistrate or Commissioner, shall have been given for the due prosecution of such appeal, and submission thereto.

SALE OF UNSURVEYED LAND.

30. Every person desiring to purchase unsurveyed, unoccupied, and unreserved Crown lands shall give two months' notice of his intended application to purchase, by a notice inserted, at the expense of the applicant, in the British Columbia *Gazette*, and in any newspapor circulating in the district wherein such land lies; such notice shall state the name of the applicant, the locality, boundaries and extent of the land applied for; such notice shall be dated, and shall be posted in a conspicuous place on the land sought to be acquired, and on the Government Office, if any, in the district. He shall also place at one angle or corner of the land to be applied for, a stake or post at least four inches square, and standing not less than four feet above the surface of the ground; and upon such initial post he shall inscribe his name, and the angle represented thereby, thus:—"A. B.'s N. E. corner" (meaning North-East corner), or as the case may be. Except such initial post is so planted before the above notice is given all the proceedings taken by the applicant shall be void. He shall also deposit ten per cent. of the purchase money with the Commissioner at the date of application to purchase, and shall have the land required surveyed, at his own cost, by a Surveyor approved of and acting under the instructions of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General; and such lands shall be surveyed on the rectangular or square system now adopted by the Government, and all lines shall be run due north and south, and due east and west, except where from the nature of surveys made it would be impossible to conform to the above system; and wherever possible the said survey shall be connected with some known point in previous surveys, or with some other known point or boundary; and the price of said land shall be two dollars and fifty cent per acre which shall be paid in full at the time of the purchase, ten per cent. being paid as before provided, and the remaining 90 per cent. when the survey shall have been accepted by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works; but no right or title can be acquired to any such land until after such land shall have been surveyed, and such survey shall have been accepted by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General, and payment in full made for said land: Provided always, that it shall not be lawful to survey or sell any lands under authority of this section in such manner as to dispose of a less quantity of land that 160 acres, measuring 40 chains by 40 chains (except where such area cannot be obtained), nor more than 640 acres, measuring 80 chains by 80 chains, nor shall the application nor deposit of ten per cent. on the purchase money above mentioned of itself confer any right or title to the land applied for upon the applicant: Provided that, unless good and sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General be shown to the contrary, the survey must be completed and payment in full must be made for all land sought to be acquired under the provisions of this section within six months from the date of application to purchase; in default of which all claim of the applicant to the land applied for shall cease and determine, and the money deposited at the date of application shall be absolutely forfeited to the Crown, and the land shall thenceforth be open to pre-emption and purchase by any other person: Provided further, that when there are two or more applicants for the same tract of land, and a prior right of either or any of the applicants is not established to the satisfaction of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works or Surveyor-General, the same may be tendered for by the applicants and sold to the highest bidder.

SALE OF SURVEYED LANDS.

31. Unappropriated, unoccupied, and unreserved lands, the surveys of which have been duly made, and confirmed by notice in the British Columbia *Gazette*, and which are not the sites of towns or the suburbs thereof, and not Indian settlements, shall, except as further provided, be open for purchase at the rate of two dollars and fifty cents per acre: Provided, that whenever so ordered by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, such surveyed lands as may be deemed expedient from time to time may be put up at public sale (of which sale due and sufficient notice shall be given) at the upset price of two dollars and fifty cents per acre; and all surveyed lands purchased under the provisions of this Act shall be paid for in full in one payment at the time of sale.

32. The Crown grant of any land sold under the provisions of this Act shall not be issued until full payment therefor shall have been made, and such Crown grant shall be in the Form No. 7 in the Schedule hereto.

UNPAID PURCHASE MONEY.

33. The Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works may insert notices in the British Columbia *Gazette*, requiring all persons from whom the balance of purchase money is due on any lands pre-empted or purchased by them under any Act or Ordinance heretofore passed, to pay to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, within twelve months from the first publication of such notice (and such notice shall be published continuously for such twelve months), the balance remaining unpaid of the purchase money due on such lands; and if, within such twelve months, any person holding land on which the balance of the purchase money is due to the Government and unpaid, shall not pay such balance, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works may cancel all or any records or agreements concerning such land; and, in such case, the right of such person therein or thereto, and all money paid by him thereon, shall be absolutely forfeited, and he shall have no further right at law or in equity to the land so partially paid for.

(Concluded on Wednesday.)

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED to the estate of the late J. W. Howison are notified that payment must be made before the 1st June, 1884, otherwise the accounts will be put into the hands of a lawyer for collection.

MARY HOWISON,
mylo-td Executrix. [

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the the Crown lands commonly known as the Railway Reserve, lying to the West of Port Moody, in New Westminster district, are not open to purchase or pre-emption, and all persons are warned against squatting upon or otherwise dealing with the same.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Com. of L. & W.

Lands & Works Dept., Victoria, B. C., May 2nd, 1884. my3tc

NOTICE.

THE HON. THE CHIEF COMMISsioner of Lands and Works will receive tenders up to noon on Monday, 2nd June next, for the purchase of Wire Cable lately used for plying the ferry across the Thompson river at Savona, as the same is now stored at that point.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-general.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria B. C., May 13th, 1884. my17-td

NOTICE.

TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Thursday, 22nd of May, next, for the construction of a Wagon Road from the Forks of Nicola-Kamloops Road to the East end of Douglas Lake.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and form for tender obtained, at the Government Agent's Office, at Kamloops, and at the residence of John Clapperton, Esq., Nicola Valley.

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W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Department, Victoria, B. C., April 15th, 1884. [26m1

PUBLIC NOTICE.

LANDS IN NEW WESTMINSTER DIST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all vacant, unreserved and unoccupied Crown Lands situated to the south of the North Arm of Fraser River and to the west of the Mud Bay road, will be open for sale or pre-emption on and after Monday, the 2nd June next.

All persons claiming a right to any of these lands must file a statement of their claim with the Commissioner for the District prior to that date.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Com. of L. & W.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., May 10, 1884. my14-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS, BY A PUBLIC NOtice, Dated 3rd August, 1878, published in the British Columbia Gazette, certain lands on the Mainland of British Columbia were reserved for railway purposes.

And whereas, the Dominion Government have relinquished all claim to that portion of those lands lying to the west of Port Moody.

Public notice is therefore hereby given, that the above Reservation is hereby rescinded in so far as it relates to those lands lying to the west of the Mud Bay road, the North road and the North Arm of Burrard Inlet.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Com. of L. & W.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., May 10, 1884. my14-1m

NOTICE.

ISLAND RAILWAY LANDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on and after the 1st June next, all those lands which are reserved for Railway purposes, on Vancouver Island, will be open to pre-emption by actual settlers, at the rate of one dollar per acre, as provided by the terms of the Settlement Act, 47 Vic., ch. 14.

Squatters who have occupied and improved any of the lands within this tract, should make immediate application for a record of the same, upon printed forms for the purpose, which can be obtained from the Government Agent for the District.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Com. of L. & W.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria B. C., 7th May, 1884. my10-1m

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29th January, 1884. fe2tc

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County Court.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the next sitting of the County Court will be held on Wednesday, the 4th day of June, 1884.

Dated 4th April, 1884.

E. A. JENNS,
Registrar County Court.
ap5-td New Westminster.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Colonial Hotel are requested to present them to the undersigned at once; and all persons indebted to the said hotel are requested to make immediate settlement.

J. E. INSLEY, Proprietor.

New West., Dec. 17th, 1883. [de19-tc

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

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CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, 17th April, 1884. ap30-1m

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