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Labor candidates were put forward in each of the three ridings in Montreal but in none of them did they succeed. The question therefore suggests itself to the labor classes whether it is better to keep on putting up labor candidates to be slaughtered or make terms with one or the other of the rival political parties. Even the labor class is not united with itself. Almost every man has party tendencies, and instead of standing by the labor candidate he votes with his party.—*Toronto World.*

At the Welland Assizes an important decision was given in regard to the responsibilities of sureties. Over a year ago, Peter Learn, Treasurer of Bertie Township, decamped, leaving his accounts short about $4,600. There were five sureties. Four of them paid their share of the deficit, but the fifth refused to pay, and the township brought suit against him and all the others to recover the balance. A year ago a trial of the case resulted in a nonsuit. Yesterday it was again brought up, when it was dismissed with costs as against the sureties and judgment entered against Learn, the absconder. This was in consequence of the fact that the plaintiffs were unable to show the details of the Treasurer's account, though they had Learn's written acknowledgment of the deficit. The securities who have already paid will now enter suit to have their accounts refunded. This should prove a lesson to municipalities.—*Hamilton Times.*

Stealing Clothes.

Lord Randolph Churchill has shown either that his party has no principles and no policy, or that he is not a party leader. His sudden importance as a political figure is one of the extraordinary incidents of the moment, and the practical substitution of a flippant and blackguard youth for one of the most distinguished in the long list of British Prime-minister's is an amazing spectacle. Mr. Smalley, the correspondent of the *Tribune*, who has been a long resident of England, and who is a close and experienced political observer, says that Lord Randolph Churchill has taken the leadership of the Tory party out of Lord Salisbury's hands and he adds that the party adopts as its own the total change of front which Lord Randolph Churchill announces. One of the capital caricatures of Disraeli represents him as stealing the clothes of the Whigs while they were bathing. Disraeli has been always the model of Lord Randolph, and he now gravely declares the measures of the Liberal party to be the Tory policy, excepting the Irish home rule scheme of Mr. Gladstone, and for that he proposes to submit a home rule scheme of his own. There has been no more grotesque demonstration than this performance of Lord Randolph that in the game of party "naught is everything and everything is naught." It has been hitherto impossible to take him any more seriously than Disraeli. Everybody felt that Disraeli was merely an actor, and it has been the general feeling that Lord Randolph is a harlequin. But this view must change if his declaration be accepted by his party, because that would show both his sagacity and his power—his sagacity in justly apprehending the situation, and his power in compelling his party to follow him. He is apparently aware that he and his Tory friends are in office; not because the country prefers Toryism to Liberalism, but because it did not like one Liberal measure. He sees, what is evident enough, that the general sentiment of England is ordinary times is Liberal and not Tory, and finding himself and his party fortuitously in office, he adopts the Liberal policy as that of the country, and then virtually says that on all questions but that of Ireland the Tory government represents national opinion as well as a Liberal government, while on the Irish question the country trusts the Tories more than the Liberals. The Liberal sentiment of the country, therefore, he holds, can be best carried out by the Tory government. This is perfectly unprincipled conduct, but it is plausible, and it may succeed if the country can make up its mind to trust Tories to do the work of Liberals. The vice of Lord Randolph's manœuvre is his forgetfulness that party, tradition, spirit, and character are very strong, and that the reasons which produce parties prevent a sudden change of party feeling and action. But his game is daring and interesting.—*Harper's Weekly.*

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New West., Sept. 24, 1886. dwse29tc

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It is also provided by the said order that all persons indebted to the said estate or having in their possession any effects of the said estate (other than what has been legally disposed of), are to pay, deliver or account for the same to me.

T. J. ARMSTRONG,
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New Westminster, B. C.,
Oct. 27th, 1886. dwoc27tc

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HENRY W. HUGHES.
New West. Aug. 20, 1886. dau20tc

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Daily British Columbian

Friday Evening, October 29, 1886.

Some days ago the *Colonist*, which seems lately to have had quartz on the brain, published a sensational item to the effect that a quartz lode had been discovered somewhere on Vancouver Island that panned out at least $70,000 to the ton. The Nanaimo *Free Press* now states that the quartz was not found on Vancouver Island at all, but was a specimen brought from Idaho. The young man says he was met by a *Colonist* reporter who wished to see the specimen, and he had no objection to show it; but beyond that he is not responsible foa tee item. We are afraid our friend of the *Colonist* is developing into sensationalism.

A Railway to Cariboo.

A few days ago we published a statement made by Mr. Amos Bowman to a reporter of this paper respecting the resources of the interior of this province and the prospects of railway development. There appeared also in the *Colonist* lately a letter from Mr. H. P. Bell in which we find a good deal of information on the same subject, and in which the opinion is reached that a railway ought to be built to Cariboo, and that the resources of that part of the country are such as to lead to the conclusion that such a road would pay. The proposal is worthy of most serious consideration. Mr. Bowman, who has traversed nearly the whole region through which the road would pass, states that the country is wonderfully adapted to railway construction. There are really no serious obstacles in the way, and the cost would not be greater than the cost of the C. P. R. between this city and Hope. Moreover, not only are the mining interests of the interior very large, but its agricultural capabilities are far greater than people generally suppose. There are considerable tracts of land available for cultivation, and the productiveness of these lands is proverbial. Hitherto agricultural operations have been necessarily confined to very limited areas where a local demand existed, for transportation any distance was out of the question. But a railway would make it possible to extend agricultural operations because all the region through which the road passed would be brought within reach of some market. It is a fact well known that the two great difficulties in the way of developing the mining industries of the interior have been the want of capital and the enormous cost of transporting machinery and supplies. The construction of a railway would remove both of these obstacles. Transportation would become at once easy and comparatively cheap, and the price of labor at the mines would experience a corresponding reduction. Capital always goes where the materials for its profitable employment are found, and it certainly would follow a railway into the Cariboo country. It is the opinion of all mining experts that the quartz deposits of Cariboo and other districts in the upper country are enormously rich. All over the country alluvial diggings of more or less richness have been discovered, and the source from which these diggings were supplied with gold cannot be far to seek. Indeed the quartz formations have been actually found and tested sufficiently to enable us intelligently to pronounce them rich. Railways for the express purpose of carrying local traffic are of vast importance to the country. Through roads sometimes sacrifice local interests to through traffic, and their value as a means of developing the resources of the localities through which they pass is limited. The Cariboo road would be exclusively a local road, and its interests would lie wholly in the direction of local development. It has been said that the provincial government will do all it can to promote this scheme. The government could hardly do anything else. A scheme in which there is contained such vast promises of future good must commend itself to any government. Whenever quartz mining in Cariboo has come to be an established and permanent industry, this country will experience a new impulse such as it has not known since the first great strikes in that region. It will become a hive of busy workers through whom millions of dollars every year will find their way into circulation all through the province, and every industry will feel the beneficial effects of the new life. The cost of keeping the trunk road to Cariboo in repair amounts to over $50,000 a year, a great deal of which would be saved if a railway were in operation to Cariboo. We hope the people throughout this province will consider well the interests involved in this project, and if the preliminary explorations demonstrate its entire feasibility, it ought to enlist the hearty sympathy and co-operation of all British Columbians.

A M Hamilton, Warkworth, writes: "For weeks I was troubled with a swelled ankle, which caused me much pain and annoyance. Mr Maybee, of this place, recommended Dr Thomas' Electric Oil for it. I tried it, and before one bottle was used I was cured." Beware of Electric or Electron Oils, as they are imitations of Dr Thomas Eclectric Oil

NOTICE.

The Shuswap and Okanagan Railway Company.

TAKE NOTICE THAT A GENERAL meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock of the Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Davie & Pooley, Langley Street, Victoria, on Saturday the 27th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon.

By Order of the Provisional Directors of the Company,

M. LUMBY,
Acting Secretary.

Dated 17th day of October, 1886. doc28m

ROOMS TO LET.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET— Corner Royal Avenue and St. Andrew's Street. doc27t3

NOTICE.

I HAVE AUTHORIZED MR. H. B. Shadwell to act as my agent and to receive all accounts due me.

G. LEISER.

New Westminster, Oct. 20, 1886. doc21w1

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WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of George Raywood to the above-mentioned land has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate thereof;

Notice is therefore hereby given that a fresh Certificate of Title will be issued in lieu of that so lost or destroyed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from date.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, 27th Oct., 1886.
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Chilliwhack Farmers!

TAKE NOTICE

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TO THE ELECTORS OF

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GENTLEMEN:—At the earnest request of a large number of the Electors of this District, I have consented to come forward as a candidate to fill the vacancy in the Dominion House of Commons occasioned by the lamented death of your late representative, Mr. Homer. At an early date I shall publish my address and make appointments to meet you at various places throughout the District for the purpose of discussing some important public questions.

Your Obedient Servant,
doc16tc THOMAS CUNNINGHAM.

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

Daily British Columbian

Friday Evening, October 29, 1886.

For ladies' dressmaking call at the Bon Marche. doc26w1

A fine assortment of ladies' cashmere jerseys at the Bon Marche. doc26w1

The finest selection of Hats and Caps in the city will be found at the Bon Marche. doc28w1

New styles in Mantle Cloths for winter wear now opening at Jas. Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

A choice lot of fur goods for ladies and gentlemen may be seen at the Bon Marche. d28o1w

A fine assortment of Carpets and Carpet Squares just arrived at Jas. Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

A splendid assortment of Gents' Underwear at astonishing low prices at the Bon Marche. doc28w1

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

The latest styles in Men's hard and soft Felt Hats, English and American Ties, at Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

Mr. John Charlton, M. P., accompanied by Mrs. Charlton, arrived from Victoria this afternoon by way of Port Moody.

Bills are posted up around town announcing an "auction sale." Somebody evidently contemplates raising the wind.

The Mexico arrived at Port Moody yesterday with four cars of canned goods and leather. She took on board 8 cars oil for San Francisco.

Before deciding on the plan of your new house look over the latest architectural designs at Mr. Hill's office, McKenzie st., and combine economy with utility and beauty. dw-se13tc

Trial proves that honesty is the best policy in medicine as well as in other things. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a genuine preparation, an unequalled blood purifier, decidedly superior to all others.

J. D. Jackson was convicted in the police court to-day on a charge of supplying whisky to Indians and was fined $50, in default to suffer one month's imprisonment. He elected to go to jail.

The Gladys arrived from Harrison River to-day with Messrs. Mathers, McGillivray, Dawson, Edge, and several others on board, and a freight of 15 tons farm produce. She leaves for Yale on Monday.

A first class excursion leaves Montreal on the 29th October for the Pacific coast, allowing a return any time within seven months, to enable persons to remain there during the entire winter season.—*Montreal Star.*

The "Fleming Cup" will be shot for to-morrow (Saturday) both here and in Victoria, at 1 p. m. Ranges, 300 and 600 yards, 7 shots at each. The cup is now held by Lieut. McColl. Boys, don't let the Victorians take it.

Mr. Max Mowatt returned from Harrison river yesterday, where he has finished work for the season. About six and a half million eggs have been placed in the hatchery, which are doing well. The fry will be let go about next March to fight their way their through the world.

An exciting race took place on the river yesterday between Burr's barge and the ferry boat. Both ran at the height of their well-known speed, and for a time the result of the race seemed doubtful, but the ferry boat, after much puffing, crossed the line ahead, winning, so to speak, by a neck.

A Jap, a stowaway on the Carrie Delap, died on board ship a few days before her arrival, and was buried at sea. The case contradicts the theory that sea-sickness is never fatal, as the poor Jap was afflicted with it during the whole voyage, and was finally carried off, though he was well attended to and received every kindness from the captain.

It is stated that the running of Leamy's mill at False Creek on Sunday last was strictly a work of necessity and that the men who refused to work did so for other reasons than that of a dislike to "do violence to conscience." It is said that two of the men who refused to work on that occasion are to-day active members of the chain gang.

As the Reliance was coming up North arm last evening a deer was noticed ahead crossing the river. The steamer being stopped the crew put off in a boat and took the deer ship in out of the wet and brought him to the city. It is a fine buck, weighing about 250 pounds, with a magnificent pair of antlers, and is as pretty game as one would wish to see.

FOR THE COMMONS.—Mr. John Kirkland authorizes us to state that he will be a candidate for the vacancy in the Dominion Parliament caused by the death of the late Mr. Homer.

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COMMONS ELECTION.—We are authorized to state that Mr. Donald Chisholm is in the field as a candidate for the seat in the House of Commons rendered vacant by the death of our late lamented representative, Mr. Homer. dwoc25tc

REMARKABLE CARROTS.—Some time ago Mr L. L. Doane, of this city, received a few carrot seeds raised on the spot where the battle of Waterloo took place. From this seed he raised a very remarkable carrot, resembling a man's hand with four fingers and thumb clearly developed!

BACHELORS' BALL.—A bachelors' ball held at Hastings last evening was attended by several young ladies and gentlemen of this city, who speak of it as the best of the season. The music was supplied by well-known musicians and the gay company continued to "chase the fleeting sounds with flying steps" till early this morning. Supper was spread at Mr. Black's hotel.

WHO'S CARRIE DELAP?—It was a very fortunate thing for one of our genial customs officials that he was a single man when the following telegram was received by him from Port Moody the other day: "Carrie Delap has arrived. Come over." Now, if he had had someone to ask him, "Who is this Carrie Delap?" and had not been able to make a sufficiently lucid explanation, he might have felt an unpleasant sensation at the roots of his hair.

INDEED!—Speaking of the Dominion election campaign in this district, the Victoria *Post* says: "It is hardly probable the election will take place before the general election next summer. There is no pressing necessity why New Westminster district should be represented this season." There is just as much need for a representative from this district as from any other in the Dominion, and the *Post* speaks of a matter in which he has neither voice nor concern.

SUB JUDICE.—We have received another letter from Mr. Wm. Reed touching the death of his wife and the treatment received by Dr. Trew. But as Dr. Trew has taken proceedings against Mr. Reed for libel the matter is now sub judice, and it is not proper that its merits should be discussed in the press by either of the parties. For that reason we must decline for the present to publish Mr. Reed's letter. We may just say that Mr. Reed expresses satisfaction at the prospect of the matter being brought into court.

PROSPECTIVE IMMIGRANTS.—Mr. H V. Edmonds, of this city, informs us that he is in communication with a gentleman in Florida who is organizing a party to come out to this province next spring. The party already numbers 27, and will be a great acquisition to the province, as it is composed mostly of persons who possess considerable means. Mr. Edmonds' correspondent, himself, is a schoolmaster of 15 years' experience, and was formerly principal of one of the leading schools in Quebec, and is now principal of a public school in Florida having 8 teachers and 400 pupils. It might be well for any school board having need of such an experienced and successful teacher to communicate with Mr. Edmonds.

A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE.—The holiday number of the *West Shore*, in addition to containing numerous fine colored engravings, will be accompanied by a magnificent picture of Mt. Hood, printed in eight colors. It is something everyone who has seen the noble "monarch of the Cascades" will desire to possess, and it can only be had by subscribing for the magazine, as the supplement will be sent to yearly subscribers only. The publisher announces that this picture and the October, November and December numbers of this year will be sent free to all who subscribe now for 1887. The *West Shore* is now in its thirteenth successful year of publication, ranks with the first-class magazines of the Union, and is the only one on the Pacific coast publishing original illustrations. The subscription price is $2 per year. L. Samuel, publisher, Portland, Oregon.

RATHER FISHY.—Mr. A. P. Macdonald, like others who have lately visited this province, fell into the hands of the interviewers on his return east, and tells a very remarkable fish story. Speaking of the canning business on the Fraser he says: "My wife and I went up the river to see some of the great fish canneries. We found they were in the act of putting away for the season all their plant and appliances, and the season was supposed to be lost, when suddenly an excited Chinaman gave a shout, and instantly all hands were out launching their little boats. We looked out, puzzled to know what the fuss was about, and only saw a silvery wave a foot high extending across the great river and steadily advancing against the great current, but we soon learned what it meant, when we saw the scoop nets dashed from every boat, and at each lift bearing from two to five salmon into the boats. It was a wonderful sight, hard to describe, and impossible to realize unless one had seen it. The fish never swerved from their course; but passed steadily up the river, four or five deep, and extending from shore to shore. It is needless to add that the canning establishments were at once in full blast, with every prospect of a prosperous season." The sight must certainly have been a wonderful one; but it could not have astonished Mr. Macdonald more thoroughly than his remarkable statement will astonish the cannerymen of the Fraser River. We venture to assert that no one but Mr. Macdonald ever witnessed such a sight as he describes.

Sproule Executed This Morning.

Special Dispatch.

VICTORIA, Oct. 29.—Robert E. Sproule, the man convicted of the murder of Thomas Hammill in Kootenay on June 1st, 1885, was hanged in the gaol yard here at 8:10 a. m. today. The prisoner, who had every hope of a commutation of his sentence until Wednesday last, was completely prostrated on being informed that the sentence was to be carried out, but resumed his normal condition the following day, which was spent in writing and interviews with friends. He met his end bravely, walking unaided to the scaffold. Here he spoke for several minutes protesting his innocence to the last. Death was instantaneous, his neck being broken in the fall.

S Chadwick, of Arcadia, Wayne county, writes: "I have had severe attacks of Asthma for several years I commenced taking Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The first dose relieved me in one hour; I continued taking it in teaspoonful doses for a few days, and have not had an attack of it since, now nearly one year"

Personal.

Mr. J. B. Ferguson, of Victoria, arrived in the city from Vancouver last night.

Mr. John Charlton, M. P., who arrived in the city to-day, and will deliver an address in the Drill Shed to-night, expressed himself greatly pleased with the appearance and position of our city.

The following were arrivals by the Rithet to-day: Miss Crosby, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Byson, Mr. and Mrs. Figg, Miss Evans, Messrs. Jas. Laidlaw, Evans, Coutlie, Elliott, Yondell, A. Grant, Freedman, Berthery and Geo. Haynes.

Registered at the Colonial to-day: Capt. Greville Hanston, London, England; W. S. Capcos, Port Hammond; Capt. Lewis, ship Carrie Delap; A. B. Gray, Victoria; C. T. Conover, Port Moody; R. Y. Ellis, C. P. R.; John Charlton, M. P., and wife, Ontario.

Mr. John Charlton, M. P.

In yesterday's paper it was briefly announced that Mr. John Charlton, M. P. for North Norfolk, Ont., who is now on a visit to this province, had consented to deliver an address in this city to-night. Mr. Charlton is a very influential and prominent member of the Canadian parliament, and has represented North Norfolk continuously since 1872. He is an eloquent and forcible speaker, always receiving an attentive hearing in the house of commons, and has taken a prominent part in urging both moral and political reforms in the Dominion. In politics he is a Liberal. It is not often the distinguished statesmen of Canada give us an opportunity of hearing their views on public questions, and we are sure the opportunity of hearing Mr. Charlton will be taken advantage of by our citizens generally. It has been arranged that accommodation will be made for ladies and their escorts in the best seats, and we are sure the fair sex will avail themselves of a privilege they have so rarely enjoyed. Admission will be free to all, and "there will be no collection taken."

The Railway.

TRAINS AGAIN PROMISED IN A FEW DAYS

A special car came into the city this afternoon with Messrs. H. Abbott, Marcus Smith, C. E. Cambie, Wm. Downie, asst.-supt., and Mr. Brown, general traffic manager, on board. This time the drooping spirits of our citizens are again raised by the assurance that trains will commence running according to promise on Wednesday, November 3rd. This very satisfactory news is coupled with the announcement that probably two trains per day will be run between here and Port Moody. As evidence that the company is shaping itself for business, Mr. Fagan the agent here has received a supply of tickets and Mr. Brown was to-day making arrangements for the handling of freight. Arrangements have also been made for securing the right of way from the Italian and unless some unexpected hitch should occur the matter will be settled to-morrow. Plans of the station house have also arrived and the building looks very well as delineated by the architect on paper. We trust that the vexed question is approaching a satisfactory solution.

Mr. James C. Flood, the mining millionaire, will soon move into his new and costly residence on "Nob Hill, San Francisco. The house is notable as the only structure in that city faced entirely with Connecticut brown stone. The wall about the large lot is also of brown stone, with an artistic fence of bronze. The architect is Augustus Lauer, who drew the plans of the New York state capitol, and most of the decoration was by New York designers. The total cost will not be less than $2,500,000.

PERSONS OF SEDENTARY HABITS, the greater part of whose time is passed at the desk, or in some way bent over daily tasks, cramp the stomach, weaken its muscles, and incur dyspepsia early. Their most reliable and safest medicinal resource is Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, the Great Blood Purifier, and which is especially adapted to Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation and Poverty or Impurity of the Blood.

An Indiana tramp was seen hiding a package in a hedge, before he entered Chatham on a begging tour. The package contained $70 in nickels, $400 in greenbacks and a certificate of deposit for $300. All this wealth was handed over to the tramp and he was told to move on.

Hundreds of letters from those using Ayer's Hair Vigor attest its value as a restorer of gray hair to its natural color. As a stimulant and tonic, preventing and often curing baldness, and cleansing and soothing the scalp, its use cannot be too strongly recommended.

ELECTORS
—OF—
New Westminster District.

GENTLEMEN.—As a successor to your late representative in the Commons will soon have to be elected, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position.

I purpose publishing an address in which I will give my views on the most important questions affecting your interests, and will visit the different settlements and address the electors before election day.

In Politics, *I am and will be* THOROUGHLY INDEPENDENT.

Yours respectfully,
T. J. TRAPP.
dwoc25tc

Mr. C. Riggins, Beamsville, writes: "A customer who tried a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery says it is the best thing he ever used; to quote his own words, 'It just seems to touch the spot affected.' About a year ago he had an attack of bilious fever, and was afraid he was in for another, when I recommended this valuable medicine with such happy results."

Latest by Telegraph

This Afternoon's Despatches.

Special to the Columbian.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Earl of Strafford is dead. He was 80 years of age.

PARIS, Oct. 29.—*Journal des Debats* says England must understand that France will not surrender her share of influence assured her in Egypt by her past position as a great power and her colonial interests, and declares that as long as England refuses to satisfy the just demands of France a cordial and reciprocal British-French policy is impossible.

SOFIA, Oct. 29.—Gen. Kaulbars, Russian military agent, has addressed a fresh note to the Bulgarian minister in which he says, in view of the arrival at Varna of government emissaries, who are spreading reports that the presence of Russian gunboats there is without importance, I am compelled to inform you that these gunboats will vigorously affirm their importance if events render it necessary.

BOSTON, Oct. 29.—The str. Panama of the Cunard line got ashore in a thick fog last night on High Pine Ledge, near Dunbury and 3 miles north of Guinet Point. She lies in a very dangerous position. The Panama sailed from Liverpool for Boston Oct. 19th. She is barkentine rigged though a screw steamer of 3,400 tons burden. Guinet Point, near to which the Panama went ashore, is at the north side of the entrance to Plymouth harbor, Mass. She has fifty cabin, forty-two intermediate, and 300 steerage passengers on board. No further particulars are obtainable this p.m., as the fog outside is very thick. A tug has gone to her assistance.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—A public meeting of working men and land reformers is to be held in London next Monday, the object of which is to support a policy of land restoration, and to express sympathy with American workingmen in their efforts to elect Henry George as mayor of New York. Among those who will sit on the platform are Dr. McDonald and Dr. Clarke, members of parliament, Helen Taylor, and Rev. Mr. Headlam.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29.—Passengers per Queen of the Pacific for Victoria: Mrs. K. G. Campbell, son and daughter, Mrs. J. Dwyer, J. Meyer, Mrs. J. Mathew, D. S. Bornstein, B. F. Loyett, G. F. Kyle.

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LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Special to the Columbian.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Cleared, str. Queen of the Pacific, Victoria.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 28.—A *Times* special gives details of the horrible burning of eight people in a log cabin near Flatrock, Knox county, on Tuesday. Wm. Poeg, a farmer, went away from home on business, leaving his wife, five young children, and two young ladies of the neighborhood, Miss Alice Kearns and Miss Sallie Adams. During the night the house was burned and all the inmates perished. Their remains were found next day by the husband on his return. It is not known how the fire caught, but the mother's remains were found clasping those of her baby, and the bed clothing near by showed an effort had been made to extinguish the flames. The remains of the others were found in the ruins.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Three batterries took part in a salute of 100 guns fired from the battery on a wired signal at the moment of the unveiling of the statue. Steamers on the bay blew their whistles and the men-of-war returned the salute from their guns at 4 o'clock. At 4:20 the guns on Governor island and other forts, and those on the war ships, were unmasked, and belched forth their thunder for half an hour. The New York *World*, which bore such a prominent part in the raising of the pedestal fund, was represented in a naval parade by two steamers.

DUBLIN, Oct. 28.—*United Ireland* tells Irish tenants the time for patient endurance has passed, and says it is time for them to stand up and fight, hitting hard from the shoulders. The unionists, it says, have been in power for six months, and have not made an attempt to suppress the National League, which is stronger and more resolute than ever, and laughs at the government's devices of bluster and threats. The paper taunts the government with being afraid to use coercion.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—This was the fourth day of the Houghton meeting. The race for the Houghton handicap plate was won by the duke of Westminster's 3-year-old colt Ormond; *Prince Soltykoff's 3-year-old colt* Mephisto second, and A. Casson's 4-year-old colt Theodore third.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—The *British ship Lucknow* arrived this morning from Port Louis, Mauritius. The captain states that on Sept. 29th four of his crew mutinied. The captain was below when one of the crew suddenly set upon the boatswain, assaulting him brutally and knocking him down. The captain came on deck, and after some lively work the men were subdued and intimidated into submission by the captain's pistol. They were then put in irons and kept so for the rest of the voyage.

The steamer San Pueblo, which arrived today from Hong Kong, reports stormy weather most of the way. When the steamer left Yokohama a gale came up, which soon became a violent typhoon. The ship was then in the strength of the Japan current, and the easterly sea became enormous. The velocity of the wind was extreme. The steamer was hove to for 18 hours. She sustained no damage, only one boat being smashed.

SOFIA, Oct. 28.—At a private meeting at Tirnova of the deputies belonging to the government party it was unanimously decided to adhere to the policy towards Russia. Gen. Kaulbars telegraphed to the regency advocating the raising of the state of siege at Sofia and Varuna. The Russian consul at Varuna threatens to order Russian warships to bombard the town unless the prefect permits the free access of Russo-Bulgarian partisans to the Russian consulate, or if he (the prefect) tries to prevent the landing of sailors from the war ship. Members of the sobranje are preparing to elect a regent to replace Karavaloff.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The str. Borderer from Boston has collided with the Minerva in the Thames. The latter vessel is sunk and 7 persons were drowned. The Borderer sustained some damage.

Lord Lytton will succeed Lord Lyons as British ambassador at Paris.

Lord Lonsdale's colliers in Cumberland who have been on strike have resumed work pending arbitration.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 28.—Str. San Pablo arrived to-day with Hong Kong dates to Oct. 2nd and Yokohama Oct. 13th. Joseph Dacruce, accomplice of Betran, the Hong Kong forger, has been found guilty and sentenced to 10 years imprisonment. Though cholera in Japan is somewhat abating, the mortality has been enormous. From Sept. 21 to Oct. 7 there were 6,014 cases 4,435 deaths; in Tokio 483 new cases occurred and 409 deaths. Returns for four weeks ending Sept. 25 give 34,908 cases and 23,774 deaths, average mortality over 68 per cent.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. is negotiating to obtain running powers over the Central Vermont to connect with New York. The Central Vermont has heretofore been the outlet for the Grand Trunk.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Oct. 28.—From the most reliable accounts obtainable to-night the number who perished does not exceed ten, and these were all in the passenger coach next the baggage car. The only occupants who escaped were the children, whose mother, Mrs. Scherer, handed them out to a brakeman. Mrs. Scherer was pinned down by a seat and already enveloped in flames. Rescuer's hands were burned to a crisp. None of the charred remains can be identified. No passengers in any of the sleepers were killed. Conductor Searle was in the baggage car when the shock occurred, and Baggageman Clark and Brakeman Phillips. They were pinned under several trunks, unable to extricate themselves. To their horror they saw flames burst in. They redoubled their efforts and Phillips managed to crawl out and released the others. The conductor is now lying prostrated at his home in Milwaukee. He says there were not to exceed 15 passengers altogether. He has lost his tickets, and so there is no record. As nearly as he can recollect, the occupants of the car where the frightful incineration occurred included a woman with a little girl about 6 years, another dark haired woman with a babe less than a year old, a blonde woman of 35, who seemed to be a companion of of the former, and two sisters of charity. He can recall no description of the others. From all accounts there must have been a frightful scene in the car wherein the fatalities occurred. The pressure caused coaches to assume the position of the letter "A." Lamps were broken and stoves overturned, scattering fire and flames in all directions through the coach. Mangled and bleeding passengers were pinned securely by broken seats and many were heaped one upon the other. Their agonized shrieks told the story of fractured limbs to which was added the horror of cremation. It is positive that only 3 escaped. The hero of the catastrophe was the engineer who, in the face of seeming death, held his hand on the throttle and thus saved the lives of all the passengers in the sleepers. Then when the train stopped he scrambled out from beneath his engine, bleeding, and alarmed the sleepers of the danger from fire.

A late despatch to the *Sentinel* estimates the number of people burned as 20. A force of men has been engaged to-night in raking over the ruins of the coaches. At 11 o'clock the charred remains of 11 victims had been taken out.

BERLIN, Oct. 28.—Abbe Collier, an editor of *Lorraine*, published at Metz, has been indicted for attacking the judges concerned in the recent sentence of Abbe Sabouret for invoking the divine protection of the French. Herr Schurze, editor of a Bambourg journal, has been sentenced to one month's imprisonment for attacking the Bavarian minister's dealings with the late King Ludwig. Discontent is growing in Bavaria at incessant press prosecution. At Friberg, in the Black forest, the house of a miller named Sissest was destroyed by fire. Sisset, wife and 4 children and servant were burned to ashes. The remains were buried in one grave.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The secretary of state made another effort today to secure a further reprieve for R. E. Sproule, condemned to be hanged to-morrow at Victoria, B. C., for murder. No reply has been received, and it is presumed the Canadian authorities, who postponed the execution 3 times upon request of the American department of state, will not show further leniency. The American consul at Victoria is thoroughly imbued with a belief in Sproule's innocence, which belief is shared by the mayor and many prominent British citizens in Victoria.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The diary of Bishop Harrington, who was put to death by order of King Magra, of Uzandi, Africa, has been published, giving details of the last week of his life. He describes the arrival of his party at Lubiaras, where the chief at the head of 1,000 troops demanded ten guns and three barrels of powder. As the chief asked Bishop Harrington to remain with him for a day, the latter complied. While taking a walk the bishop was attacked by about 20 natives. He struggled with his assailants, but became weak and faint and was dragged violently a long distance by the legs. When his persecutors halted they stripped and robbed him and imprisoned him in a noisome room in a hut full of vermin and decaying bananas. While he was lying there ill and helpless the chief and his hundred wives came out of curiosity to feast their eyes on him. Next day he was allowed to return to his own tent, where, though still ill, he felt more comfortable. He was still guarded by natives. He remained in bed during the following day, parties of the chief's wives out of idle curiosity coming daily to see him. He was allowed to send messages to friends, but he believed they were intercepted. On the 7th day, he writes, fever continued. At night the place swarmed with vermin, the guards were drunk and noisy, and he was unable to sleep. At last he became delirious, on Oct. 8th. On the 20th he was conscious. His entries on this day were: "No news. Hyena howled all night, smelling a sick man. He will not have me yet." This is the final entry. It is believed that shortly after writing it he was taken out and put to death. Throughout the week there were frequent entries referring to the comfort he derived from reading psalms.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—Floods in the Rhone and Garrone valleys caused great ravages. The operations of the Bordeaux tramway have been suspended. Numerous villages were submerged and the inhabitants are in great distress.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The *Daily News*, commenting on the dedication, says: "It is a great mistake to think the statue will increase the friendship between the two countries. America did not want the statue; she took it because it was offered. When the last cannon boomed New York was richer by a remarkable statue, and that is about all."

A Russian millionaire has recently had built for him in St. Petersburg a most sumptuous smoking-room, with walls literally lined with European bank notes. Instead of the mass of white ceiling which forms the desperation of disciples of William Morris, is seen a profusion of Austrian notes most artistically grouped a blue ten-florin bank note. Charming designs composed of French, English, Italian, and Russian bank notes adorn the walls.

On September 6th Judge Dawson delivered a lengthy opinion sustaining the law prohibiting the introduction of intoxicating liquor into Alaska. The decision was rendered in the case of the United States vs. Otto Nelson, which was regarded as a test case. The defendant had been indicted at the May term of the District Court for selling liquor in the town of Stika.—*Alaskan.*

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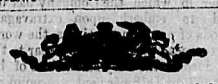

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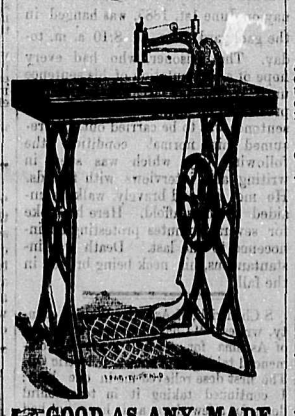

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