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AN ERROR APPEARS IN THE BRITish Columbia Agricultural Pamphlet which places Durham and Holstein Cattle in the same class. I am instructed to notify the public that the Durhams and Holsteins will form two classes and each class will receive the same amount of prize money.

GEO. W. CHADSEY, Sec. B. C. A. A.

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AUCTION SALES.

Mr. T. J. Trapp, auctioneer, will sell at the Agricultural Exhibition Grounds, Chilliwhack, on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 29th, a lot of horses, cows, sheep, pigs, poultry, wagons, &c. See adv.

Mr. H. N. Rich, auctioneer, will hold the autumn sale of live stock, implements, etc., at Ladners on the 12th October. See adv.

Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, Sept. 26, 1887.

Archbishop Seghers' Murder.

Mr. J. G. Brady, who arrived at Seattle a few days ago from Sitka, gave the *Post* the following additional particulars of the murder of Archbishop Seghers: "As United States commissioner, it became my duty to conduct the examination of young Fuller, charged with the murder of Archbishop Seghers. There was but one witness, and that was the Indian Slidog, who was present when the deed was committed. The defendant refused to made any statement. The testimony of Slidog was very straightforward. He said the three were journeying together; that on the day previous to the murder the Archbishop seemed very much out of sorts, and whipped the dog with his snowshoes and then threw the shoes away. Fuller picked them up and carried them some distance, and handed them to the priest, who again threw them away. The Indian then picked them up and carried them until evening. Traveling was very difficult, and but poor progress had been made that day. During the evening a spirited discussion took place between the Archbishop and Fuller, and the Indian judged from their manner that they were quarreling, but could not understand anything that was said because it was spoken in English. The next morning early they arose, and before breakfast, in fact before any words had passed between any of them, Fuller raised his rifle and shot Archbishop Seghers through the head. As he fell dead, the Indian jumped and grabbed the gun, but Fuller shook hands with him and indicated that he had no intention of harming him. After the testimony was all in, I held Fuller without bail to answer to the charge of murder.

From the Interior.

Capt. Larkin returned on Wednesday night from an extended visit into Okanagan and Spallumcheen, with which districts the Captain is agreeably disappointed. He is a shrewd observer; a good practical judge of the capabilities of a country, so that his testimony is of vast value. He drove over a considerable portion of that country and found there were many thousands of acres still in virgin condition awaiting the hand of man to cultivate, a soil equal in richness of loam and alluvial soil to any he has ever seen. Here can be found farms for thousands of settlers. The land is not heavily timbered, in fact he found it to be a park-like country, with a most luxuriant growth of grass in the woods. It is indeed a beautiful country; well watered and admirably adapted for farming. This section of the province contradicts the statement that there is no agricultural land to be found in the country, in the most emphatic manner. The Capt's belief is that those knowing of its richness have been anxious to hide the fact from the public, well knowing that in a short time the whole valley would be studded with the homes of a happy, provident people. The machinery in the new mill of Messrs. Rashdale & Lawes was put in motion last Saturday in presence of a number of visitors. Nothing could possibly work better or give greater satisfaction. Not a jar or a knock was felt, every movement was perfection. Grinding wheat began on Monday. The firm have a large supply of wheat on hand. In a few days their flour will reach Victoria where it will receive a severe test, for there it will meet the product of the Northwest and that of Oregon and California. The people are clamoring for a railway to open up the interior country and afford an opportunity for the development of its latent resources. The construction of the Shuswap and Okanagan railway it is believed is now a question of but a few months.—*Times.*

Mr. G. W. Macully, Pavilion Mountain, B. C., writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I ever used for Rheumatism. Nearly every winter I am laid up with Rheumatism, and have tried nearly every kind of medicine without getting any benefit, until I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It has worked wonders for me, and I want another supply for my friends, &c."

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BY TELEGRAPH.

A French Officer Wounded by German Officials.—Enthusiastic Meeting of Socialists in Chicago.—The Salvation Army Mobbed in Ottawa.—The Great Yacht Race.—Yachts Ready for the Race.

The Dominion Government Offered Capital to Build the Pacific Cable.—Cardinal Gibbons on a Western Tour. A New Hampshire Cobbler Runs Away with His Employer's Wife.—An Afghan General with 2000 Men Deserts to the Enemy.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

A FRENCH OFFICER WOUNDED BY GERMAN OFFICIALS.

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The *Temps* publishes a telegram from Epinal saying: "Lieutenant of Dragoons, accompanied by a gamekeeper, while out shooting at Bachaur Plaine, near the frontier, yesterday, was fired at by invisible marksmen in German territory. The gamekeeper was killed, and the lieutenant's thighbone was fractured. The surgeons affirm that the shots were fired by military, and say that the lieutenant's thigh will have to be amputated. It is believed the shots were by customs officials.

WRECKED AN INN.

DUBLIN Sept. 26.—In Belfast last night a mob wrecked an inn and pelted the police with stones. Several league meetings in Clare were dispersed yesterday by police without resistance.

A SOCIALISTIC MEETING.

CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Socialists and sympathizers of the condemned anarchists held a largely attended meeting at Turner's Hall yesterday. Several defiant speeches were delivered amid great enthusiasm, and resolutions were adopted denouncing the supreme court.

A WOMAN'S INFATUATION.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—"If those anarchists are hanged their wives will kill their children and then commit suicide," said Mrs. Captain Black, "Nina Van Zandt has frequently assurred me that if her husband, August Spies, goes to the scaffold she will die by her own hand the same hour; other women tell me the same thing." According to Mrs. Black, Miss Van Zandt is not alone in her insane infatuation. She declares that a beautiful and wealthy girl is in love with Lingg. The parents of the deluded woman had to lock her up to keep her away from the jail.

THE SALVATION ARMY MOBBED.

OTTAWA, Sept. 26.—An attack was made last night on the Salvation Army while passing through the principal streets of the city, in which some 500 roughs took part. The timely arrival of the police prevented a serious conflict between the army and their assailants. Several of the Salvationists as well as a number of the assaulting party received bad beatings. There is much influence being brought to bear to drive the Salvationists out of the city.

THE GREAT RACE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The last vestige of the cloud which might have obscured the prospective view of a magnificent yacht race was dissipated yesterday by the decision of Geo. L. Schuyler, referee, that the discrepancy between the stated water-line length of the Thistle and water-line length as obtained by actual measurement is not sufficient to disqualify the Thistle from starting in the race. Yachtsmen regard the decision with much satisfaction because facts that have come to light since the controversy arose have shown that from beginning to end, the representative owner of the Thistle has acted in a most sportsmanlike manner and at no time sought to obtain any unfair advantage for his boat.

THE CANADA-AUSTRALIA CABLE.

OTTAWA, Ont., Sept. 26.—Minister Foster states to-day in an interview that the Dominion government will propose to parliament that Canada take the first step in laying the proposed Pacific cable by inaugurating next spring a preliminary survey. The government will fit out a vessel thoroughly equipped for the survey, and invitations will be sent to the Australian colonial governments to appoint delegates to participate. He believes that active work will begin on the cable within a year. The Canadian government has been offered ample capital in London to prosecute the work alone without the aid of Australia.

A CANARD.

PARIS, Sept. 26.—The *Gaulois* publishes a report, which it does not credit, to the effect that the remains of Napoleon have been stolen from the tomb in the Hotel des Invalides.

DIED IN QUARANTINE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—Two of the quarantine cholera patients died on Saturday night and one yesterday morning. Twenty-three of the Alesia's passengers are now very ill. The others are improving.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

STOLE BOTH MONEY AND WIFE.

DOVER, N. H., Sept. 26.—P. A. Cressley, treasurer of the Eastern National Protective Association of New Hampshire, the most powerful labor organization in the state, robbed the order of $5,000 in money, subscribed for the cash prizes in the grand annual fair of the order to be held here, and, deserting his family, fled yesterday to Canada. He was accompanied by Mrs. Elma S. Lord, the wife of a manufacturer in whose mill Cressley worked.

A SENATOR ON TRIAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—The trial of Ex-Senator D. J. Creighton, charged with jury fixing, commenced to-day.

ENDED HIS TROUBLES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Alfred Haas, a despondent restaurant proprietor, ended his troubles this morning by blowing out his brains with a revolver.

CARDINAL GIBBONS COMING WEST.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 26.—Cardinal Gibbons, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Chappelle, of Washington, left Baltimore this morning for the west. Portland, Or., is the cardinal's objective point, where he will confer the pallium on Archbishop Gross.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Advices to-day from Cabul, the capital of Afghanistan, under date of Sept. 16th, state that Abdullah Khan, commander of the Zamandurir army of the Ameer, fled with 2,000 soldiers and went to join Ayoub Khan, and safely reached Koyamain in northern Beloochistan, on the 12th, Ayoub being there at the time.

THE DECISION STANDS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The decision in the Sharp case has been affirmed by the general term of the supreme court. All four judges concur.

THE TELEPHONE CASE DISMISSED.

BOSTON, Sept. 26.—In the United States court in Boston a decision was rendered this morning sustaining the demurrer of the Bell Telephone Co. against the government in its suit. The case was dismissed.

INCOMPETENT CATTLE LIFTERS.

DUBLIN, Sept. 26.—Bailiffs, accompanied by a body of police, seized a number of cattle belonging to a family named Hurly at Killarney to-day. Crowd attacked the officers with stones and pitchforks. The police charged their assailants with fixed bayonets and bayoneted several, but they were obliged to retreat without the cattle.

THE CAPTAIN WINKED.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The Volunteer was lowered in the water from the south Brooklyn dockyard this morning. Sails were soon bent and her centerboard hung. The final preparations are also complete on the Thistle. Capt. Barr said he was praying for a good and fresh breeze. "The papers say the Volunteer can beat us in stiff weather," said he with a wink, but I hope we will have it just that way."

SMALLPOX IN 'FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—Louis Berthold, a butcher, died from smallpox to-day.

From Ladners.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

LADNERS, Sept. 24.—A Methodist concert was held in the Town Hall last night, a very attractive programme being arranged by Mrs. Seccombe, including a cantata admirably rendered, the splendid singing of Miss Lou Ladner being the most noticeable of all. A magic lantern and some solos swelled the programme, and the entertainment wound up with a pleasant dance.

Harvest is nearly over, and the crops are very short, oats being away below an average crop. Potatoes are scarce, and selling rapidly. Hay is in great demand, and is being shipped as fast as the steamers will take it.

The autumn cattle fair will be held on October 12th, when a large attendance is expected, as, besides the cattle, a consignment of nursery stock will be sold from our mainland nursery. While other places are pleading for bounties in aid of market places, one has been erected here by private enterprise and should receive the support of the district.

Buildings are going up in all directions. Salmon packing still goes on, but the fish are scarce. Mr. W. H. Ladner, M.P.P., is in a fair way to recovery after his recent accident, and, it is hoped, will soon be round again.

From Maple Ridge.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

The cause of temperance is not on the decline in this locality. The evils associated with licensed whisky houses are fully recognized, as is evidenced by the manner in which the magistrates invariably deal with applications. Not a licensed whisky house exists in the municipality, and the chances are that none shall be tolerated in the future. Not many years ago not fewer than four of those dens were duly licensed here to carry on their nefarious work. The temperance sentiment found expression in the formation of a lodge of the I.O.G.T. on the 22nd inst. The name of the lodge is the "New Era," and meets on alternate Wednesday evenings in the Town Hall. The officers are as follows: Rev. R. B. Hemlaw, chief templar; Mrs. Hemlaw, vice templar; P. Murray, lodge deputy and secretary; Jas. Fraser, financial secretary; Wm. McAdam, treasurer; James Harris, marshall; Samuel Harris, past chief templar; Thos. Russell, sentinel; James Irving, guard; Agnes Irving, L. H. S. chief templar; Janie Trembath, R. H. S. chief templar; Charles McDonnell, assistant secretary; Nettie Braden, assistant marshall. May the influence of the "New Era" be widely felt in reclaiming the fallen.

The sad news of the death of Mr. John Pemberthy, C.E., at the 150-mile house, cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood. Mr. Pemberthy was in the employ of Mr. Harper at the Horse Fly Mine, but not feeling well he left the mine for home, and died at the 150-mile house Wednesday morning. Mr. Pemberthy was a gentleman of sterling qualities, always ready to help forward any cause which had a tendency to benefit his fellowman. His widow and four children in their sad bereavement have the sympathy of their many friends here.

Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, Sept. 26, 1887.

Our readers are again reminded of the provincial exhibition which opens at Chilliwhack next Wednesday, and of the importance of putting forward every possible effort to make it a success. If persons decline to enter on the ground that they do not expect to win a prize, a great deal that is valuable will be witheld from those who attend for the purpose of gaining information respecting the resources of the province. It is to be hoped that every person who has anything worth shewing at all will bring it, and that the exhibition will be the best ever held in the province.

We intended to have mentioned some days ago that the Vancouver *Herald* must really excuse us if we decline to enter into a discussion with it just now on the question of commercial union. It is a very broad subject, and life is at best limited to a century, more or less. The prolixity of our cotemporary under ordinary circumstances inspires the fear that with such a wide subject as commercial union the close of the first century would find him scarcely more than half way through the business, and with so many threads hanging loose as make one tired. Besides, it is not probable that the discussion would result in anything practically useful. Our cotemporary has a habit of explaining away the practical when it comes into conflict with his prejudices, and putting forward, for all they are worth, theories which, when applied, run one into embarrassment. We are willing to discuss some things with our cotemporary, within certain limits, but must be excused on the question of commercial union.

Although the crops are short in many parts of the province this season, they have been secured in excellent condition, and there is every prospect of a large demand and excellent prices. It is possible that feed may run short before the end of winter, for we are under the impression that since last year the number of animals to be fed has increased to a greater extent than the quantity of feed. All things considered, the season is likely to be a fairly profitable one to agriculturists, and probably some will be encouraged to go more extensively into that industry. There is plenty of room. There are thousands of acres of excellent land in this district where a plow has never been and where large returns would certainly reward an ordinary expenditure of labor. With the rapid increase of population, the demand for all sorts of farm produce will become larger each year. This province is still importing many things which ought to be produced from its own soil. We hope the farming industry will develop rapidly, until it is able fully to meet the local demands at least.

Seattle still continues to congratulate herself on the improvement of her prospects through the advent of Henry Villard, who has suddenly resumed the position of an influential director of the Northern Railway. In response to a congratulatory telegram from the mayor of the city, Villard stated that he represented 365,799 out of 754,193 shares of the company, and gave an assurance that "all the just claims of Seattle will be recognized." Villard has always been looked upon as a warm friend of Seattle, and it is presumed this assurance is given in good faith. The *Post* produces from these materials a very handsome and attractive picture in which glowing colors represent the achievements of the future. "Connection by rail with the C. P. R.," says the *Post*, "is certain within the near future, and Seattle's two arms of steel, the Puget Sound Shore Line and the Seattle & West Coast, will reach out to the American railroad system on the south and the Canadian system on the north." Besides all this the Union Pacific has almost reached Seattle, and altogether the outlook, as far as railways is concerned, is certainly most encouraging. One of the reasons why so much of Seattle's trade has been coming over the C. P. R. is the hostility of that city towards the Northern Railway because of the unfair treatment it has received. If the assurances given by Villard are fulfilled, Seattle will feel disposed to give the Northern Pacific its business. It becomes all the more important, therefore, that the C. P. R. should have connection by rail with that city without delay. Until this has been accomplished the Canadian line will not be able to compete on equal terms for the trade of that city.

A bright little boy of seven years was corrected by his father the other day for having been, to put it mildly, mistaken in his facts. "Remember the example of George Washington, my boy," said the careful father. "Who was George Washington, papa?" queried the hopeful. "Why, he was the man who couldn't tell a lie, of course." "What was the matter with him—couldn't he talk?" There was much anxiety in the paternal mind as to the youngster's future.—*N. Y. Mercury.*

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J. N. DRAPER, Sec.

Sept. 5, 1887. dse6m1

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM McKENZIE, late of Surrey, in the District of New Westminster, deceased intestate.

ALL SUMS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late William McKenzie must be paid to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must send in their accounts, duly verified, to the undersigned at New Westminster on or before the 20th day of October, A. D. 1887.

Dated at New Westminster the 20th day of September, A. D. 1887.

GEO. WISE,
dse20m1 Administrator.

NOTICE.

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

In the Estate of JOSEPH HAMBURY, *deceased.*

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned, or by W. NORMAN BOLE, Q. C., his solicitor, on or before the 21st day of October, 1887, for the purchase of **Lot No. 4 in the Town of Centreville.** Upon said premises there is erected a small dwelling house.

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

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

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

W. S. GORE,
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Lands & Works Department,
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LIABILITY OF BANK DIRECTORS.

The Supreme Court of Illinois has recently rendered an important decision in relation to the liability of bank directors. Mr. Gardiner Case was a depositor in the Bunker Hill Bank, at Bunker Hill, Ill., which bank became insolvent while holding his deposits. He brought a suit against the directors of the bank individually for the recovery of these deposits, claiming that if the deposits were received when the directors, by the exercise of due diligence, might, and therefore should, have known that the bank was insolvent, they were legally liable for such deposits. The court of Macoupin County that tried the case in the first instance, gave judgment in his favor, upon the facts as shown by the evidence; and then the defendants appealed to the Appellate Court, and by this court the judgment of the court below was affirmed. The defendants then carried the case to the Supreme Court of the state, and here again the judgment was affirmed, thus settling the law of Illinois on this subject.

The doctrine laid down by the court embraces these two principles:

"*First*, That the directors of a bank are trustees for the depositors, as well as for the stockholders.

"*Second*, That they are bound to the observance of ordinary care and diligence, and are liable for injuries resulting from its non-observance."

The second of these propositions results, by a legal necessity, from the first one. If it be true that bank directors are trustees for depositors, then it follows that if the latter suffer injury by the non-performance of duty on the part of the former, such depositors are entitled to have the injury made good by the delinquent directors. The court held this to be a sound principle of law.

Bank-directors, in cases not a few, are mere 'figure-heads,' lending their names to banking institutions and imparting credit to them in the general community, but practically leaving the whole question of bank management to bank officers, and themselves knowing little or nothing about this management. This is one of common causes of insolvencies and defalcations. Such directors do not perform their duty to the depositors or stockholders. They virtually deceive the public; they are not in fact what they profess to be; and if a bank becomes insolvent as a consequence, then all parties injured thereby have a just cause of action against them. Let the principles laid down by the Supreme Court of Illinois be adopted as a general rule; and the effect would be to sharpen up the wits of bank directors and make them more attentive to their duties. This would be good for banks, and good for the general public.

The horrible misuse of bank funds made by the Vice-president of the Fidelity National Bank, of Cincinnati, in the recent gambling "wheat deal" at Chicago, raises the question of liability on the part of the directors of that bank. If the immense loss that has fallen upon depositors, as well as upon stockholders, can be shown to be due to any negligence on the part of the directors properly to perform their duty, then, according to the doctrine stated by the Supreme Court of Illinois, these directors are legally liable therefor, and suits ought to be brought against them. This is a most conspicuous case of virtually stealing bank funds; and all parties responsible therefor should suffer for it.—*Independent*.

Omens of the Dog.

The Hindus of India and the Sinhalese of Ceylon observe various good and bad omens in reference to the dog. The Hindus especially have great faith in them. Pictures of dogs are kept in their dewalas. They believe that Siva became a dog. It lives among them and is sometimes called "Bahirawaya" and sometimes "Viraswamiya."

However that may be, if these omens in respect of the dog are true, it is worth the while of all people to value it tens of thousands of times more than an ornament set with pearls or precious gems. It is proper that every-body in the world should have at least one in his house. But they must be dogs having tails, for without the tail it is difficult for it to show good and bad omens.

If a man who went on a journey met with a dog scratching its head, ear or any other part of its body with its right leg soon after leaving the house, he is sure that his journey will be attended with great success; but if it were to scratch in this manner by its left leg, he is sure of loss and danger. If a number of dogs were to howl for two or three mornings looking at the rising sun, the people should know that the houses in that village shall be destroyed by fire, or thieves will enter into them. Should they howl at midday, it is a sign of death. Should they howl in the evening time, the crop of the paddy-fields shall be destroyed. If a dog were to dig a pit opposite the house one of the inmates shall die, sometimes a child, if any. If a dog were to get upon the roof of a house in whatever way, and were he to howl being there, somebody in that house shall die. If a dog were to dig a pit in the garden, the owner thereof shall lose cattle; if it were to dig at the bottom of a wall of a house, thieves will enter into that house.

According to the belief of the Hindus, the dog is a great friend of the farmer. If it were to howl being on a bush, it shall rain. If it were to smell the right knee of a farmer he knows that his cattle will soon be multiplied, and rejoices. If however the left knee be smelt, he shall quarrel with his wife. If a dog were to jump upon a bed and were to groan in a lamentable tone without any cause, the sleeper of the bed shall fall ill or die. It it very good to breed black dogs, for all omens in respect of them are good; besides, it will take care of the inmates of the house from the fear of ghosts.

Something About Wires.

There are twenty thousand miles of telegraph wires in New York city. Of this number one company operates and controls more than five thousand miles. The same company operates over 430,000 miles all told. Its wires if stretched in one continuous line would go around the Globe nearly eighteen times, and they would reach from the earth to the moon and almost back again. The twenty thousand miles of wire in New York city would make over two thousand two hundred and twenty parallel lines from the Battery to Harlem river, and over double that number from the East to the North river at the greatest width of Manhattan Island. This length of wire weighs comparatively little. The wires of the Western Union Company vary in weight from 300 to 350 pounds per mile. Taking the smallest-sized wire as a basis for calculation, one ton of metal would make thirteen and one-third miles of wire, while 2,000 tons would be sufficient to stretch around the world, with plenty to spare.

THE two oldest ships in the British Navy, according to Lloyd's "War Ships of the World," are the *Monkey*, tug, built in 1821 at Rotherhithe, and now in use at Chatham, and the *Sprightly*, tender, built in 1823 at Blackwall, and now at Portsmouth.

CAPTAIN JOSEPH WARREN DORR, who died at Bedford Springs, Pa., July 31, entered West Point from Virginia in 1837, was graduated in 1841 and promoted to the 1st T. S. Artillery. He rose to captain in that regiment Dec. 21, 1853, and resigned in April, 1861, to link his fortunes with the Confederacy. He commanded a brigade at the first battle of Bull Run, and one time the senior Confederate Major-General. After the War closed he went to farming at Mattoax, Va., but not being successful came to Washington in 1880 and through the influence of Gen. Johnston and others obtained a clerkship in the War Department. He was first on duty in the A. G. O., but in 1885 was promoted to a higher grade and transferred to the office of the Judge Advocate General.

SECOND COMPTROLLER BUTLER has disallowed a voucher for $850 in the accounts of Lieut.-Col. Batchelder, of the Quartermaster General's Department. It is the amount paid for two horses purchased from the Hon. Robert T. Lincoln for the use of the Quartermaster's Deparment. The horses were appraised by a board of officers, and they were purchased by Col. Batchelder by direct orders from the Quartermaster General. Col. Batchelder pleads this order in defence of his action. The Second Comptroller criticises the mode of purchase as in violation of the law requiring such purchases to be made only after due legal advertisement, except in cases of extreme emergency.

THE Portland *Sunday Welcome*, referring to the recent death of Mrs. Sutherland, says: "She left one son living, Col. Charles Sutherland, U. S. A., and one daughter, Miss Mary Sutherland, who devoted hir life to the care of her aged mother. Two sons and one daughter—Judge Thomas W. Sutherland, Capt. James Sutherland, U. S. M., and Mrs. Caroline M. Prevost, wife of Gen. Chas. M. Prevost—preceded this dear old lady to 'the great unknown,' at the threshold of which, within hearing of their dear voices, she has been living for many years. No gentler spirit, nor purer soul was ever welcomed to eternal bliss."

ADMIRAL LUCE has come to an understanding with Captain Scott, Royal Navy, as to the exact claims of the Canadian Government with reference to fishing rights. The conclusions are presented in a series of questions propounded by Admiral Luce and answered by Captain Scott. Copies of these have been distributed among the vessels of our fishing fleet in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, in order that fishermen operating in these waters may be fully informed as to their privileges and the statutory restrictions.

THE *Dolphin* began coaling resently at the Navy-yard, in preparation for a cruise, and it is quite likely that she will report to Rear Admiral Luce for duty on this coast. The *Dolphin* looks "quite English you know," having received a coat of white paint from stem to stern, and it will undoubtedly make considerable difference in the temperature of the ship. It is, however, quite a marked departure from the traditions of the Navy to paint with white, and as such is a commendable step in the direction of comfort.

THE Navy Department will contribute its part to the Centennial celebration at Philadelphia of the adoption of the Constitution. Orders have been issued to Admiral Luce for the assembly of a naval force on the occasion, and the day of the great military display as large a force of marines and blue jackets as can be spared will be sent ashore to take part. The vessels will fire salutes and will be opened for public inspection, as usual on such occasions.

MAJOR GENERAL ADOLF SIEMENS, who died June 30 (originally a Hanoverian Artillery officer), entered the Prussian Service in 1866. The German Artillery owes to his talents many inventions and improvements, such as time fuses, friction tubes, etc. When sent to England to report on the Armstrong guns he emphasized particularly the advantages of Krupp's system, and this settled the question of the armament for the Imperial German Navy.

ABOUT November 1 next the U. S. S. *Marion* will be looked for at Panama, where she will repair for the purpose of transferring her present officers and crew to the Atlantic side of the continent, receiving, in return, a new crew. On the completion of this duty the *Marion* will probably resume her proper station in Asiatic waters.

THE new ordnance building to be erected at the Washington Navy-yard will encompass the old anchor and forging shops under one roof. It is to be 635 feet long and 173 feet wide. A travelling crane will be put up, equal to the weight of 100 tons. Each machine to be used will be placed on foundations of concrete built on piles, with a top facing of two-inch yellow pine.

THE Norfolk *Landmark* says: "An effort is being made by the authorities of Richmond to have the monitor fleet now stationed at City Point brought up to that city. This does not meet the approval of the officers stationed there, as most of them have their families with them, and don't care to be disturbed."

ERNEST HAUCK, late first sergeant of the marine guard of the *Trenton*, has been transferred to the marine barracks at Norfolk to await the return of that ship, when he will rejoin as first sergeant marine guard, under command of Capt. R. W. Huntington, U. S. M. C., for a three years' cruise.

IT is understood that Commander Evans will soon be relieved from duty as President of the Steel Inspection Board and ordered to duty as Naval Secretary of the Light House Board. Capt. Picking, the present Secretary of the Board, is to be given the command of a vessel.

THE new building occupied by the Naval Museum of Hygiene on New York Avenue, Washington, is rapidly being put into proper shape, and when completely arranged will afford far better opportunities for easy inspection of its hygienic treasures.

Panama Hats.

The famous Panama hats are all made in Guayaquil, Ecuador, and get their name because Panama merchants formerly controlled the trade. They are made of pita fibre, a sort of palm, and are braided under water by native women. The strands are often twelve and fifteen feet long, and fine ones are very expensive. It often takes two or three weeks to braid a single hat, which sells for five or six dollars, and lasts for ever. A traveller speaks of one made of a single straw or fibre, and fine as thread and soft as silk. The woman who made it was engaged four months in the work, and it was valued at 250 dollars.

THE U. S. S. Atlanta arrived at Gloucester, Aug. 5, and the Yantic at Charlottetown, Aug. 4. The Dolphin dropped down to Ellis Island, N. Y. H., on Aug. 4, and was taking in powder, preparatory to a trip North.

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LEGAL.

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

MEDICAL.

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

DENTAL.

C. E. C. Brown.....Columbia st

INSURANCE.

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

REAL ESTATE AGENCIES.

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

ARCHITECT, &c.

Clow & Maclure.....Columbia st
G. W. Grant.....McKenzie St

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

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

FURNITURE.

W. Prothero.....Columbia st

BRICK-MAKERS.

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

AUCTIONEERS.

T. J Trapp.....Columbia St

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

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

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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

PRINTING & RULING.

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

STOVES & TINWARE.

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

GAS FITTINGS.

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

SEWING MACHINES.

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

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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

DRY GOODS, &c.

Bon Marche.....Columbia St
I. X. L.....Vancouver
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St
Ogle, Campbell & Co.....Columbia st
J. E. Phillips.....Columbia st

DRESSMAKING.

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

TAILORING.

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

WOOD & COAL.

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

DRUGS, &c.

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

BUTCHERS.

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS.

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

BLACKSMITHING & CARRIAGE WORKS.

Thos. Ovens.....Columbia St
Reid & Currie.....Columbia St

HOTELS.

Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St

LIVERY, &C.

Mainland Transfer Co.....Columbia St

BOOTS & SHOES.

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

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

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WALTER J. WALKER,
dse21td Secretary.

NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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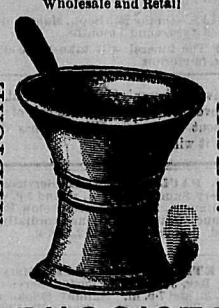

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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island]

Victoria.....Monday.....16th May.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....7th June.

[On Mainland]

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

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland]

Richfield.....Monday.....13th Sept.
Clinton.....Wednesday...28th Sept.
Kamloops.....*Monday*.....*3rd Oct.*
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday...9th Nov.

[On Vancouver Island]

Victoria.....Monday.....28th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th December.
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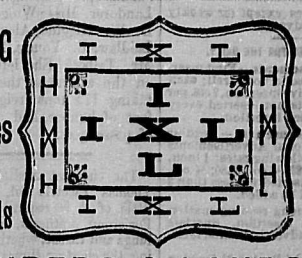

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EDWIN RAND,
New West., Sept. 23, 1887. Secretary. dse23td

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THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

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D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Appointment.....Prov. Sec
B. C. Fisheries.....Net & Twine Co

Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, Sept. 26, 1887.

Temperature to-day; Max. 73 deg. Min. 47 deg.

The churches were all well attended yesterday, both morning and evening.

Five carloads of eastern freight arrived yesterday, principally for Victoria.

New Fall Millinery—Just received at Jas. Ellard & Co.'s the latest styles in Fall and Winter Millinery. se26tc

The Artillery will parade at the Drill Hall to-night at 8 o'clock sharp. It is hoped the turnout will be a large one.

Special services will be held in the Presbyterian Church to-night at 7:30. Rev. Mr. Tait will address the meeting. dse26tc

A large number of Vancouverites passed the day in town yesterday, and some of them seemed very happy indeed.

Mr. Young's new residence at Sapperton is almost completed, and will be ready for occupation in a couple of weeks.

The steamer Princess Louise, is likely to replace the Str. Rithet on Wednesdays trip, or at the latest on Friday,

The str. Irving arrived down yesterday afternoon from up river ports with a large number of passengers and considerable freight.

A great many people will leave for Chilliwhack to-merrow morning on the Steamer Irving. The Irving gives the round trip at one fare.

A buck and a doe, about the first deer of the season, were exposed for sale on the market this morning. They were in prime condition and were soon bought up.

Nine carloads of freight went east this morning; 2 of salmon for Hamilton Ont., 3 of lumber for Banff and 4 of general merchandise for various points along the line.

The R. B. George company and choral union of this place will give a concert in th Skating Rink, Monday evening, Sept. 26th, at 8:15. Admission 50 cts; children, 25 cts. *

Don't forget the George Company's concert to-night in the Skating Rink. A good programme is promised, and *every one who enjoys* well rendered singing should not fail to attend.

Our friend the Kamloops *Sentinel* has been presented with a four-pound potato. Having been thus secured against gaunt hunger for the winter, our cotemporary is supremely content.

When symptoms of malaria appear, in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure. It will prevent a development of the germs of disease, and eradicate them from the system. A cure is warranted in every instance.

The salmon run last night was very poor; the boats did not average more than 20 good fish each, although large white salmon and humpbacks were plentiful. Strange to say the principal catch were sockeyes.

When the system is debilitated by disease, it should be strengthened and renewed with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine invariably proves itself worthy of all that can be said in its favor. Sold by druggists and dealers in medicines. Price $1. Six bottles, $5.

Ackerman Bros., the contractors, have the frame work up for Mrs. Keary's *two new* cottages on Cameron street. From the present outlook it is evident the cottages will present a very handsome appearance when completed.

Messrs. Ellard & Co. have just received direct from the English manufacturers, in the newest and most fashionable styles, a large consignment of ulsters, mantles, jackets and ulsterettes, for ladies and children, for fall and winter wear. dse21tc

The meeting of the British Columbia Fruit Growers association called for Friday evening, at Mr. Nelson's house in Chilliwhack, has been changed to Thursday evening at the same place. The reason given for this change is that many people who would like to attend the meeting are obliged to return home on Friday morning.

An excursion consisting of 9 cars of eastern American tourists arrived in Vancouver last night, and immediately left for Victoria on the Yosemite. The party numbered just 300, and all expressed themselves as highly delighted with the scenery along the C. P. R. The run from North Bend, 129 miles, was made in 4 hours.

The steamer Rithet arrived over from Victoria yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, bringing 50 tons of local freight and 45 tons for points along the C. P. R. The following were among the passengers: Mr. & Mrs. Landorer, Miss Winger, Mrs. Deasy, D. W. Higgins, Alex. Laidlaw, J. A. Laidlaw, B. Young, Mr. Draper, and Mr. Talbot. She left this afternoon on the arrival of the 1 o'clock train, taking 175 tons freight, 16 thousand feet of lumber, and a very large list of passengers.

The cheapest medicine in use is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, because so very little of it is required to effect a cure. For croup, diptheria, and diseases of the lungs and throat, whether used for bathing the chest or throat, for taking internally or inhaling, it is a matchless compound.

VANCOUVER BOARD OF TRADE.—At a meeting held at Vancouver on Friday evening final steps were taken for the organization of a board of trade for that city. It was estimated that the cost of furnishing a suitable room would be $370, and the running expenses for one year were placed at $998. The entrance fee was fixed at $25, and the annual dues at $12. The Vancouver board of trade evidently intends to aim high. Twenty-two names were placed on the articles of association at the meeting.

PRISONERS FROM THE INTERIOR.—Constable Kirkup arrived from Donald yesterday with three prisoners in charge, who were sentenced to punishment at the assizes held in that district. Steve Newell, for larceny, 18 months; Bruso Fiorino, for assault, 3 years; and Mary Rathray, for larceny, 6 months. The constable experienced no difficulty in bringing down the prisoners, and immediately after arriving in this city turned them over to Mr. Moresby, who will attend to their wants until their sentences expire.

A FINE ANIMAL.—Mr. E. Hodgson, of Nanaimo, arrived in the city on Saturday by the steamer Dunsmuir, en route for Chilliwhack exhibition. He brings with him, what is generally admitted by good judges, to be the largest and finest, year old short horn Durham, in the province. The animal is certainly a very fine one, and has all the points its famous sire, Reuben Butler (imported by Dr. Tolmie) was noted for. Mr. Hodgson takes Bonnie Boy to Chilliwhack on the Irving to-morrow and he expects to carry away first prize.

B. C. FRUIT GOWERS ASSOCIATION.—At the last meeting of the above association, the following gentlemen were elected as Provisional Board of Directors. Mayor Dickinson, J. Fisher, H. V. Edmonds, W. H. Ladner, M. P. P., James Orr, M. P. P., R. Figg, T. Spence, New Westminster; J. M. Spinks, Vancouver; A. Innes, Victoria; Geo. Chadsey, Sumas; J. Reece, W. H. Gillander, Henry Kipp, Chilliwhack; T. Shannon, Clover Valley; Brown, Halls Prairie; A. Hawkins, Matsqui; W. Harris, Maple Ridge; S. Robinson, Langley.

SPECIAL EDITION.—Dr. Albert E. Gray is in the city to-day in the interest of the British Columbia edition of the San Francisco *Journal of Commerce* shortly to be issued. This edition is to be devoted exclusively to British Columbia, and will contain many illustrations. Dr. Gray is a writer of some renown, having been for some time editor of "Our Continent Magazine," published in New York. The illustrations of British Columbia will be taken from sketches which are now being prepared by A. D. Gihou, a rising artist of San Francisco.

CHICKEN STEALING.—The first case of chicking stealing, for this season, came before the police magistrate this morning, who sentenced the offender to three months imprisonment with hard labor. The sentence was none too heavy and everyone will join in commending the action of Mr. Atkinson in the matter. The chinamen have evidently opened the chicken stealing season, and it would be well for all who keep fowls to see that they are securely housed at night. The police intend giving the limit of the law to all who are arrested for this offence.

LATE ARRIVALS AT THE ST. ALICE HOTEL.—J. Dees, Kamloops; E. Austin, Rogers Pass; Mrs. Fry, Miss Fry, Victoria; F. D. Cross, Vancouver; J. S Lawrence, North Bend; J. X. Blunne, F. C. Bailes and wife, Victoria; Wm. Dodd, Stanley; W. S. Caine, Miss Caine, London, Eng.; J. J. Johnson, Calgary; Rudolph Roener, Tacoma; Wm. Saunders, Ottawa; Oscar Westerland, Vancouver; S. A. Bedford, Moosomin, N. W. T.; C. F. Green, Ladners Landing; Henry T. Ray, H. M. S. Triumph, Esquimalt; Horatio Howell, H. M. S. Caroline, Esquimalt; Wm. Pearce, Calgary; H. B. W. Aikman, T. S. Higgenson, Westminster; W. Fisk, W. A. Smith, Calgary; Geo. Irvine, Brampton; Harry Fawcett, Winnipeg; G. A. McTavish, D. R. Kerr, Saanich; Mrs. J. H. Turner, Victoria.

The Great French Remedy, Dr. LeDuc's Periodical Pills. These Pills are compounded from the purest drugs, and from those only which are known to act upon the *Generative Organs* in Females. They are first enclosed in an air-tight capsule, and by this means made to retain their full strength for years in any climate. Ask us for private circular. A. M. HERRING & D. S. CURTIS & Co., New Westminster; T. McNeeley, Ladner's Landing; H. McDowell & Co., Vancouver; Pimbury & Co., Nanaimo; T. Pickard, Denman Island; A. R. Johnson & Co., Chemainus; R. B. Richardson Cowichan; W. E. McCartney & Bro., Vancouver and Kamloops; Hastings Saw Mill Co., Vancouver; The Vancouver Drug Co., Vancouver; J. B. Lovell, Yale; W. R. Megaw, Priest Valley; H. Clark & Co., Kamloops; LANGLEY & Co., wholesale agents, Victoria. dwse28y1

Good for Show and Blow.

A gentleman from Vancouver, who was present at the fire on Saturday night in that city, states that the fire brigade were fully 20 minutes in getting water turned on the building, after reaching the ground. He also says they took an unreasonably long time to get to the fire, as proof of this the hook and ladder company were on the ground a quarter of an hour ahead of the rest of the brigade. The Vancouver fire brigade has a very good opinion of itself and is really good for show parades, races, etc., but when it comes down to quick work in getting to a fire somehow they seem to fail miserably, and are not a bit better than the Victoria brigade in that way. There is not a volunteer brigade in the province so well looked after and so well prepared to meet a fire as it is, but still it never did come to the *scratch properly*. Since the Vancouver papers have stopped telling them they "worked like heroes," and performed "surprisingly wonderful deeds" at each fire, the brigade seems to have lost the heart for anything but show purposes.

Personal.

Wm. Downie, asst. supt. C. P. R. is in the city.

C. A. Lombard, of Victoria, is in the city on a business visit.

John McNab went over to the salt water terminus this morning.

Mrs. Luke Pithers returned yesterday from a weeks visit in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Cambie, of Vancouver, were in the city this afternoon.

D. McRae inspector of timber limits came over from Vancouver today.

Dr. Albert E. Gray, of the San Francisco *Journal of Commerce*, is in the city.

J. R. Townley and W. F. Salisbury, of the C. P. R., Vancouver, spent Sunday in town.

We are glad to learn that Geo. R. Ashwell, has returned safely to Chilliwhack, from his trip to England.

James Orr M. P. P. returned to-day from Vancouver and leaves in the morning for Chilliwhack, to attend the opening of the exhibition.

C. G. Major, returned to-day from Harrison Hot Springs, where he has been spending a week. We are sorry that his health, which has been poor for some time, is not improved by the trip.

D. W. *Higgins*, M. P. P. came over from Victoria yesterday and spent today in calling on many of his old friends. He goes to Chilliwhack in the morning to be present at the exhibition.

H. B. W. Aikman, dominion land agent, and T. S. Higginson, crown timber agent, returned to the city today, from Kamloops, where they were present at the meeting of the board of *Dominion Land Agents*.

W. S. Drewry of Ottawa, who is in charge of the Dominion Topographical Survey party, now stationed at Harrison Lake, is in the city. Mr. Drewry states the party will return to Ottawa as soon as the wet weather set in.

Guests at the Colonial: A. E. Gray, A. D. Gihon, San Francisco; John Elliot, Ladners: A. J. Armstrong, W. B. Wilson, H. Smith, James Orr M.P. P., Vancouver; E. Haley, Warnick; H. Redgrave, Donald; J. Kirkup, Revelstroke; B. Johnson, Toronto; B. Young, Canoe Pass; D. W. Higgins M. P. P., F. Adams, Wm Dalby, J. McMullen, Victoria; Wm. Downie, Vancouver; W. S. Drewry, D. McRae, Belleville; H. B. W. Aikman, T. S. Higginson, City.

Pleasant as syrup; nothing equals it as a *worm medicine*; the name is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. The greatest worm destroyer of the age.

From Surrey.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

The government repairs on the Yale road will be finished in the course of a few days.

W. J. Robertson has received the government contract for gravelling and repairing a mile of the McLennan road across the Serpentine flats. It is to cost $500.

The inhabitants of Kensington Prairie had a picnic last Wednesday. A pleasant time was spent, and every one was well satisfied with the day's enjoyment.

Tenders are called for the Kensington school. It is the intention to have the building completed at as early a period as possible.

Surrey schools were inspected during the past week by the deputy-superintendent. He is favorably impressed with what he saw.

The Dominion government is calling for tenders to execute repairs for the better navigation of the Serpentine and Nicomeki rivers. It is intended to enlarge the canal in the big bend of the latter river.

A harvest home festival is talked of at an early date in connection with the Episcopal Church, Surrey centre.

Mr. Clark has moved his family from Westminster to Elgin.

Mr. Ward DeBeck has a residence in course of construction in Elgin. He intends bringing out his family as soon as the building is completed.

A new post office has been gazetted at Surrey centre. It is now doing business. Mr. A. Huck is postmaster.

Messrs. Doyle & Lawrence have opened a logging camp on the Nikomekl.

Wm. McBride, Mud Bay, has purchased a new thrashing machine of a modern pattern. It is his intention to do a considerable amount of thrashing in Kensington Prairie the present season.

James Johnson, Jr., has gone on a trip to the lower Okanagan country.

Mr. R. C. Winlow, Toronto, writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery is a valuable medicine to all who are troubled with indigestion. I tried a bottle of it after suffering for some ten years, and the results are certainly beyond my expectations. It assists digestion wonderfully. I digest my food with no apparent effort, and am now entirely free from that sensation, which every dyspeptic well knows, of unpleasant fulness after each meal."

Police Court.

Before T. C. Atkinson, P. M.

Charlie, a stuttering chinaman, was charged with attempting to steal chickens from the premises of Mr. John Cox. As was expected he pleaded not guilty.

John Cox sworn: said, I found the prisoner, in my chicken yard, on Saturday night about 7:30 o'clock; I asked him what he wanted there and he made off, but I caught him and handed him over to the police. He had taken some boards from the fence to effect an entrance. I am satisfied he intended stealing some of the chickens.

Charlie gave a number of very lame excuses to account for his presence in the yard, but they were not satisfactory.

His Honor after reading Charlie a lesson on the law, sentenced him to 3 months imprisonment with hard labor.

Annie Campbell, a half-breed woman charged with being drunk, was discharged with a warning.

THERE ARE CHEAP PANACEAS for various human ailments continually cropping up. Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure has no affinity with any of these. Unlike them, the article is derived from the purest sources, is prepared with the utmost chemical skill, and is a genuine remedy and not a palliative for Biliousness, Constipation, Kidney troubles, imiurity of the blood, and female complaints.

DIED

RAE.—In this city, on Sunday, 25th Sept., Dora Alecia, twin daughter of J. D. Rae, aged 7 months and 19 days.

SHILES.—On the 26th Sept., Mabel Shiles, aged 3 years and 6 months.

☞ The funeral will take place at 3.30 p. m. to-morrow.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. in the Church, St. John street, below Royal avenue. Seats free, all are cordially invited. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. (fe28tc)

METHODIST CHURCH, Mary St. Rev. J. H. White, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Thursdays at 8 p. m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited. je7-tc.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street East of Mary Street. Rev. Robert Lennie, Pastor. Lord's Day Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2:30 p. m. All seats free; strangers cordially welcomed. d-de2tc

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

PETER GRANT, Secretary.
fe23-tc

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 17th September, 1887.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:

Samuel Maxwell, Esquire, to be Assessor and Collector, under the Assessment Acts, Collector of Provincial Revenue Tax, and Collector of Revenue, for the Polling Division of Salt Spring Island, in the Electoral District of Cowichan, vice John Maxwell, Jr., deceased. dse2611

British Columbia Fisheries.

WE INVITE THE ATTENTION OF *Fishermen to our purpose of* preparing what we have reason to believe is an improvement in gear for Fisheries.

1st. A new cotton Twine, single twist, called the **STOW**, for Salmon Gill Nets, now on trial in the Pacific waters.

2nd. Seine and Trap Netting, as good as can be made from upland cotton—equal to any in the market.

3rd. A new Seine and Trap Netting, cable twist, called the **STOW**, for large Purse and hauling Seines and Traps where there is a strong current, that requires only 1200 lbs. twine, to 2000 lbs. common, *both of one strength*, and to save full 40 per cent. in the strength of handling, and increase the catch, it is believed.

Light and strong Fishing Gear promotes willingness on the part of the crew and larger nett profit. Samples sent by mail and all enquiries answered promptly.

Our friends are:

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

GLOUCESTER NET & TWINE CO., Gloucester, Mass.

Boston Office, 94 Commercial Street. dse6w1-wse7m2

Cheap Excursion!

—TO THE—

CHILLIWHACK EXHIBITION.

THE STEAMER

"GLADYS"

WILL LEAVE WESTMINSTER AT 4 a. m. on

Wednesday, 28th inst.,

For Chilliwhack. From Chilliwhack she will proceed to Harrison, connecting there with the Train to bring Victoria passengers to Chilliwhack.

RETURNING, she will leave Chilliwhack for Westminster on **Thursday Evening.**

She will again leave Westminster for Chilliwhack at 4 a. m. on **Friday,** returning the same evening.

Return Tickets, $2. Freight at half rates. dse21t29

Public Works of Canada.

Nicomeckl and Serpentine Rivers Improvements.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Nicomeckl River" and "Tender for Serpentine River" will be received by the undersigned up to **Saturday, 1st October, instant,** for enlarging the cut at the Big Bend of the Nicomeckl River, and for excavating a ditch through Sections 13 and 12, Township 2, on the Serpentine River in the District of New Westminster.

Specifications and drawings including conditions of tender and contract can be seen at the Postoffices at Clover Valley, Elgin and New Westminster and at Mr. Huck's store, Surrey, and at Mr. Punch's Brownsville.

Tenders must be made out on the forms supplied.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE, Resident Engineer.

Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 14th September, 1887. dse19t28

FALL SHIPMENTS.

STAPLE

DRY GOODS!

CLOTHING,

RUBBER GOODS,

—AND—

House Furnishings!

JUST OPENED OUT.

Ogle, Campbell

AND COMPANY,

Columbia St., . New Westminster.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of pastoral land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, described as follows:—Commencing at a post about one mile and a half from the mouth of Rock Creek and running north 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

JOHN CLARK, Per J. C. HAYNES.

Osoyoos, B. C., 26th Aug., 1887. dse12m2

$22.50

ONLY TWENTY-TWO DOLLARS and fifty cents for a splendid

NO. 8 COOK STOVE

(Gurney's Celebrated Make)

WITH ALL THE FURNITURE,

—AT—

Jas. Cunningham's '62 Stand

COLUMBIA STREET.

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The British Columbia AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION EXHIBITION

OF 1887

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

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday,

26TH, 29TH AND 30TH SEPT., 1887.

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

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

A. C. WELLS, President.

GEO. W. CHAMBERS, Secretary B. C. Ag'l Ass'n.

Sumas, B. C., Aug. 11, 1887. dwau12td

W. R. AUSTIN,

DEALER IN

General Merchandise!

A large Assortment of

DRY GOODS

—AND—

GROCERIES

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Hay and Feed

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

WOOD AND COAL DELIVERED TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

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

As no liquor or tobacco is used we can by temperate habits and careful economy serve the public at especially low rates. dwse30tc

Henderson Hall.

DURING THE PROVINCIAL AGRICULTURAL

EXHIBITION,

A Grand Concert

WILL BE GIVEN ON

Wednesday Evening, 28th Sept.

Ball and Supper,

Thursday Evening, 29th Sept.

☞ All are cordially invited.

A FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT

Running Night and Day during the *Fair, upstairs, in Henderson Hall.*

—ALSO—

An Auction Sale!

—OF—

Horses, Cattle, Wagons, Harness, &c., &c.,

ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 29TH SEPT.

At Henderson's Feed and Sale Stables.

We also have **Four Good Farms for Sale** on easy terms.

HENDERSON BROS.

Chilliwhack, 13th Sept., 1887. dwse14td

New Goods. New Goods!

NEW DRESS STUFFS

PLUSHES AND TRIMMINGS

—IN ALL THE—

NEW FALL SHADES

—AT—

James Ellard & Co.'s

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AU BON MARCHE

Just Arrived, Another Large Consignment, consisting of

Ladies & Children's Ulsters

DRESS GOODS,

Kid & Cashmere Gloves, Merino & Cashmere Underwear,

CORSETS,

Men's Knitted Coats, Cardigan Jackets,

Fur Trimmings, Tinsel Macrame Cord, Fancy Hair Pins, &c.

WALKER & SHADWELL,

dwse20tc Columbia St., New Westminster, B. C.

TAILORING

F. M. LEAHY, THE TAILOR,

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

Has just Received a Large and Well Selected Stock of

Cloths, Tweeds and Cassimeres,

Which he offers to make up at REASONABLE RATES. A perfect fit guaranteed.

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W. PROTHERO

Is not Dead yet, but still a Live Furniture Man, and keeps the Best Assortment of

Furniture, Mattresses, Lounges,

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, &C.,

In the City, at the Lowest Living Prices.

Call and Examine my Stock.

W. PROTHERO,

dwse16tc COLUMBIA STREET.

New Store! New Goods! New Prices!

J. E. PHILLIPS.

Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Hard & Soft Felt Hats, Rubber Coats, &c.

70 COLUMBIA STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER, OPPOSITE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

dwse21tc

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Watchmaker & Manufacturing Jeweler

(OPPOSITE THE BANK)

FORMERLY MANAGER OF THE WATCHMAKING DEPARTMENT OF SAVAGE & LYMAN, MONTREAL.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Plated Ware, Rogers' Best Silver-plated Knives, English Spoons and Forks, Plated and Pure Nickel.

ALL OF THE FINEST QUALITY AND LOWEST PRICES.

Patent Dust-proof Watch Case, Waltham or Elgin movement—$14 00. Hunting, *Gold-filled Watch Cases, stem-winding* Waltham or *Elgin*—$17.50; case warranted to wear 20 years. Ladies' Gold Hunting Stem-winding Watches—$17.50.

Agent for the celebrated **Perfected Spectacles and Eye-Glasses of Lazarus & Morris.** Anyone having a difficulty to obtain Glasses to see clearly, give me a call and try the patent trial frames.

☞ Fine and Complicated Watches and Chronometers repaired and adjusted. English Watch Repairs a specialty.

Sir Charles Tupper sent Lady Tupper's Watch to the makers, Dent, of Cockspur St., *London (after having been in the hands of 10 or 12 watchmakers in Canada and the United States).* Dent had it for one month and said he could not make it go. It was brought back and given to Mr. Crake, since which it has given perfect satisfaction and recommends him as a fine workman. dwse24tc

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