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For Plumper's Pass—Wednesday, 19.
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Westminster, 10th Oct., 1887. dwoc10m

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

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To Cure a Kicker.

The *Calistogian* gives this prescription its warmest endorsement: If you have a horse that is in the habit of kicking, put him in a narrow stall that has both sides thickly padded. Suspend a sack filled with hay or stray so that it will strike his heels, and let the horse an sack fight it out. Be sure to have things arranged so that the horse cannot hurt himself. The sack will be victorious every time, and in the end the horse will absolutely refuse to kick the sack or anything else.

A French opera manager was in despair at the prospect of having to produce "L'Africaine" with white negroes in the ballet, because the dancers refused to black their faces for fear it would injure their complexions. He issued an order, however, that all the young and pretty girls must color their faces, because it would do them no harm, while the old and plain onesu wold be allowed to appear without black faces, because they had more need to take care of their looks. The result was that every blessed one of the girls tried to get on more black than any of the others, and when the ballet was on the stage a half dozen extra calciums had to be used to keep the audience from thinking the lights had all gone out.

An hour previous to the banquet to President Cleveland in this city about 20 ladies succeeded in getting into the hall to obtain a private view While the colored waiters were arranging the tables about 10 of the hand painted menu and toast cards disappeared. Some of the visitors are leading society belles of the west side, and the members of the Merchants' Committee waxed wroth when they heard the fact. As each of the programmes had cost $1.50 the minimum number had been ordered and there were none to spare. It was found that there was not even one left for Mrs. Cleveland when she went into the balcony to retain as a souvenir. Col. Krez, gallantly contributed his for this purpose, and other guests somewhat reluctantly gave theirs to be presented to the ladies of her party. They were much pleased to get them, and laid them on a chair during the progress of the banquet. The chair was near the balcony door, and while they were listening to the toasts somebody grabbed them and fled unobserved.—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

Under the title "Chinese Alliances" the *Chinese Times* of Tientsin publishes an article discussing the possibilities of alliances between China and western powers, especially Great Britain. The latter is, the writer says, an idea which fills the mind with an alluring sense of soundness and completeness; but he argues that in the present condition of Chinese statemanship such an alliance is not within the sphere of practical politics. The scheme, he acknowledges, has its roots in the actual circumstances of the two Empires, and it needs no special perspicacity to see that the fundamental interests of India and China are united in substantial harmony. As it may be predicted of any country that it will ultimately do that which its material interests require, it may be argued that a common policy will *eventually promote the common interests* of the great Southern Asiatic Empires. Before such a policy, however, can be formulated, it is necessary that the statesmen of both countries should not only be convinced of the community of interest between the two, but also see *clearly how the fusion may be developed* without producing more injury than benefit. "If there be any Chinese stateman morally capable of laying down a far-reaching policy for his country, we have yet to make acquaintance with him. Intellectually there are many who could master the problem, and who have knowledge of human history sufficient to enlighten them as to the probable issue of new combinations. But, judging from all that has taken place under our eyes, we should say that any abstract resolution which might be formed overnight would be completely overwhelmed in the morning by some petty concern of the passing hour. It is not the way of Chinese statemen to provide against eventualities which can only be definitely conceived by a disciplined imagination. Sufficient for the day is the evil thereof, in their opinion, and the questions of the day are always sufficiently pressing to expel from the mind the consideration of what is as yet remote."—*The Week.*

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BY TELEGRAPH.

The Pope Opposes Home Rule.—An Appeal Made to Workingmen to Rescue the Condemned Anarchists.

Mormons in Turkey.—The U. S. Fisheries Commission's Steamer Albatross Coming to the Pacific Slope.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

THE TORIES CONFIDENT.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The present attitude of Mr. Chamberlain and of Mr. Bright, together with that which Lord Hartington has assumed in his speeches this week, has dispelled much of the premature speculation as to the result of the next general elections. The Tories are very confident of their ability to get successfully through the next session. Nor do they see any reason parliament should not have, at least, an average endurance. Among the few Liberal politicians now in London, none can foresee a ministerial crisis in the course of next session, although some of their leaders, including Gladstone, believe next spring will see another general election. It is admitted in Tory circles that the two months of the severest difficulty for the government will be in regard to the Irish land purchase bill, and the main provisions of the local government bill. But, at present, those dissenting Liberals who have sat in the house of commons know their own mind, and are thoroughly agreed to avoid an election as fraught with supreme disaster to their little party, and so long as they remain of that mind and by-elections are not sufficiently numerous to effect the majority, the Conservatives will continue in office. Upon both of these subjects as to which difficulty may arise, it is certain that Lord Hartington will be consulted by the government before the opening of the session, and it is not likely that circumstances will arise after the bills are framed to affect the views of these with whom Lord Hartington acts. Lord Hartington is no nearer to a junction with the government than he ever was, and there is no probability of this taking office unless events in Ireland should place the government in serious peril.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

THE POPE AGAINST HOME RULE.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The correspondent of the *Chronicle* at Rome denies emphatically that the Pope holds the same views in regard to Ireland as does Gladstone. The Pope believes in the settlement of the Agrarian question but not in home rule.

TERRIBLE GALES.

LONDON, Oct 31.—A Terrible gale raged in the south of England on Saturday night, many buildings were unroofed and there were numerous shipping casualties in the Channel. A boat with a party of 12 persons which left Weymouth for a nights trolling was capsized and ten of the party drowned. A sloop was wrecked off Dunkirk and four men drowned.

CANADA'S CLAIM

BOSTON, Mass. Oct. 31. Ex-minister Days of the Dominion cabinet, will lay before the fisheries commission the question of the international boundary settled in 1848, claiming that Canada was bodly worsted. The Dominion will claim a large postion of Northwestern Maine traversed by the Canadian Pacific. The Montreal *Gazette* says to-day, the right of Canada has been clearly demonstrated by published documents. The controversy is of much importance in connection with the short line railway from Montreal to Halifax and St. John.

A VALUABLE VALISE.

LOS ANGLES, Cal. Oct. 31.—The police announced to-day that a fortnight back, a drummer, for a New York jewelry house had his valise stolen from a sleeping car while eating supper in SanBernadino. It contained between $12,000 and $13,000 worth of diamonds and Jewelry. Three hard character are in custody on suspicion of being the robbers.

POISONED BY CHINAMAN.

LOUISVILLE, Cal. Oct. 31.—There was a post mortem examination held last night on the body of Homer Hallock reported yesterday as dying of heart disease at Briggs' ranch. Doctor Bales examined the body thoroughly but found nothing indicating heart disease and upon dissecing the body found traces of poisoning and is now analyzing the stomach which showed this morning evidence of poisoning. There is strong suspicions of foul play as Hallock was seen well on Saturday night at 11:30 on his way home. It has be ascertained that about 12 o'clock he was at the cabin of some Chinese employed on the Vineyard also that he had considerale trouble with the Chinese, and the supposition is they have poisoned him for revenge. Much indignation is expressed to-day and trouble is feared.

STEAMSHIP LOST.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Oct. 31.—The str. Panama, which left New York on the 24th inst., went ashore last night; all passengers were saved. The Panama was a new vessel.

THE FRENCH MUDDLE.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—*Figaro* says to-day that Friday next the ministry will propose a vote of confidence in connection with the Wilson investigation. A ministerial crisis is imminent and Flouvet is reported as saying that the ministry can be upset in 48 hours if *the opposition so wills. There is no* longer any talk of Grevy's resignation in advance of the Wilson investigation. For Grevy to resign now would be even more of a confession than Wilson's restitution. It is believed that the investigating commission will protect Wilson, but the entire Boulanger crowd will do all they can to keep up public excitement and secure the downfall of the ministry.

APPEAL TO RESCUE.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The sheriff and police were considerably agitated yesterday by the circulation from an unknown source through the mails of a circular without signature, or other indentification, calling upon workingmen to effect the rescue of the condemned anarchists on the day of execution. It closes in the following words: "The independence of the United States was brought about by the use of bombs and firearms. They are effective. Forewarned is forearmed. Any action that may be definitely determined upon should be kept secret until the proper time. It is not at all probable that the militia will be on the scene of any attempted execution. Further notice will be given later on."

GRAIN DESTROYED.

CHICO, Cal., Oct. 31.—A fire occurred on the ranch of D. M. Reeves, four miles west of this place. It destroyed an immense granary where *was stored about 350 tons of grain.* Total loss, $13,000; insurance, $7,000. Cause unknown.

THREE INDIANS SHOT.

KAMLOOPS, Oct. 31.—About eleven o'clock on Saturday night the watchmen, Indian William and Indian Oxime, attempted to arrest one Alexander Potes, a half-breed, for being drunk and disorderly on the Indian reservation here. He resisted, and drawing a revolver fired, killing William instantly. He then fired again, shooting Oxime in the head, wounding him, and from the effects of which he is not expected to live. It is supposed the Indians then fired on Potes, who was instantly riddled with bullets. *Coroner Clarke has just proceeded to* the reservation to hold an inquest on the bodies, the result of which will be wired immediately on receipt. All quiet.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

CHEAPER TELEGRAPHS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—The Western *Union Telegraph Company has decided* to make a reduction of twenty per cent beginning to-morrow on ten word dispatches between New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Chicago, and St. Louis. The rate will be forty cents for ten words.

MORMONS IN TURKEY.

CONSTATINOPE, Oct. 31.—Some of Mormon brethern have applied to the porte for permission to establish a community in Turkey. It is expected that the request will be granted.

NO DECISION YET.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The Supreme Court made no decision in Anarchist cases to-day. The chief justice announced that the decision will be rendered on Wednesday or Thursday.

JUDGEMENT CONFIRMED.

DUBLIN, Oct. 31.—The appeal of William O'Brien editor of the *United Ireland*, against the sentence of three months imprisonment imposed on him by the Mitchelstown court, has been refused and the sentence of the lower court confirmed. On the announcement of the decision, an antempt was made to take O'Brien from the Officers. The police succeeded in getting him away, Rioting is now feared.

TO DEVELOP THE FISHERIES.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—It is stated that the treasury department to-day that the U. S. fish commissions steamer Albatross will sail for San Francisco on Nov. 30. She will reach her destination about the 1st of May. Her route will be through the Straits of Magellan and she will make no intermediate stops it being desirable she should reach to pacific slope at the earliest practicable moment. Professor A. Lee will have charge of the scientific corps of the expedition. The objects of the exedition is briefly to develop the fisheries on the pacific slope and the Albatross will be employed for two years on this duty,

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

NAPA, Cal., Oct. 31.—Frank Lee, of Copelle Valley, while unslinging a deer on his return from a hunting expedition yesterday was killed by the accidental discharge of his rifle.

RUSSIAN FLAGSHIP ASHORE.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 31.—The flagship of the Russian Pacific squadron is ashore off the rocks at Vladvostock.

DEMURRER OVERRULED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—Judge Sullivan has just overruled the demurrer to the indictment of Frank T. Nerkrey, charged with embracery, and set the trial for to-morrow.

BANK FAILURE.

ST PAUL, Oct. 31.—The Third National Bank will doubtless go into liquidation this week. It is stated today that the bank is perfectly solvent and that depositors will be paid dollar for dollar. Deposits reach $200,000, and the capital is $500,000. The bank holds $200,000 worth of paper of Rood & Maxwell, lumber dealers, who failed at Washburne, Wisconsin, last week.

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)

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The Disallowed Road.

If it be true, as stated in a telegram which appeared the other day in this paper, that arrangements have at last been concluded for the completion of the Red River Valley Railway this fall, the fact will be very gratifying to a large majority of the people between the Pacific Ocean and Ontario. There is no doubt but the struggles of the people of Manitoba to secure additional railway facilities have enlisted much public sympathy. It is almost universally admitted now that the monopoly clause of the C. P. R. charter cannot be applied to either Manitoba or British Columbia, and it is, moreover, certain that the people of Manitoba at least had good reason to believe that there was no intention to apply it to them. The very language employed in the monopoly clause bears out this view. It is therein stated that no railway to the boundary shall be authorized by the "Dominion parliament," and that in the establishment of "new provinces" a condition of the constitution will be a restriction on the construction of competing railways. It is held that the right of chartering provincial railways could not be taken from local legislatures by the federal parliament, and, therefore, parliament could not impose the monopoly clause on provinces then existing. This was the view put before the house at the time the charter was ratified. Sir John Macdonald said: "In order to give them (the C. P. R.) a chance we have provided that the Dominion parliament — mind you, the *Dominion parliament* (we cannot check Ontario, we cannot check Manitoba)—shall, for the first ten years after the construction of the road, give their own road, into which they are putting so much money and so much land, a fair chance of existence." At the same time (February, 1881) Hon. Thos. White said: "There is nothing to prevent Manitoba granting a charter from Winnipeg to the boundary line. The provision does not take away from Manitoba a single right it possesses. * * * There is nothing to prevent the province of Manitoba chartering a railway from Winnipeg to the boundary to connect with any southern railway. * * * There is nothing to prevent a railway being built in Manitoba, within the province, that would carry the traffic to any railway that may take it from the American side." Speaking in Winnipeg on the 8th of last March Hon. Thos. White reiterated these views when he addressed the following words to the Conservative association: "As you are aware, the contract with the C. P. R. in no way interferes with the right of the legislature of Manitoba to grant charters within the boundaries of the province as they existed at that time." From these official statements it is plain that the province of Manitoba was quite within its powers when it granted a charter to the Red River Valley Railway, and that the federal government was under no obligation by reason of the monopoly clause of the C. P. R. to disallow it. While sec. 92 of the B. N. A. act declares that provincial legislatures have power to construct railway lines in the respective provinces, it expressly excepts among other things railways connecting two or more provinces, or "extending beyond the limits of the province." The question has arisen whether the Manitoba railway comes under this exemption. It does not cross the boundary of the province, but goes to the boundary, and there meets an American railway. On this point a decision has been given by the courts which clearly makes the road a provincial work. In 1871 the supreme court of New Brunswick pronounced judgment in the case of the North American Railway Co. which sought to extend its line to the United States boundary. In this judgment Chief Justice Ritchie (now chief justice of the supreme court of Canada) said that the claim had been set up that, because it was intended that at the boundary this road would connect with an American line, it was not within the power of the provincial government. "But," said he, "we think we have no right to look to intentions or anticipations, or doings of parties outside the provincial legislature * * * and that the intention of the legislature, as expressed in the act, alone can control us. * * * As to any possible or probable connection of the railway with a line of railway, not under the authorities of these acts, in the United States, we have nothing to do." In the opinion of the chief justice all the other judges of the supreme court concurred. Sir John Macdonald himself seems to hold a similar view, as appears from his suggestion to the Winnipeg deputation that they might build their road up to the very boundary line, but leaving space enough to drop a shilling between its rails and the rails of its American connection! Having shown that the federal government cannot legally veto the R. R. V. R. charter under the monopoly clause or under the clause relating to roads extending beyond the provincial boundaries, the only remaining ground is the general power of veto lodged with the executive with respect to all provincial legislation. It is evident, we think, that this power was never intended to be exercised in such cases as this. The powers of the federal government in this respect are precisely the same as those vested in the imperial government with respect to federal legislation; and every one knows that the imperial government never exercises this power as a matter of policy, but only where the legislation is clearly unconstitutional or conspicuously unjust. It was manifestly never supposed that this power would be used to deprive a province of any right expressly guaranteed to it by the constitution. Sir John Macdonald himself said: "The rights of self-government heretofore conceded to the several provinces are not in any wise impaired by their having entered into a federal compact." In 1876 Lord Carnarvon said that if the federal government "could be said to have the power of controlling the enactments or operation of provincial acts, the consequence would be a virtual repeal of the section of the B. N. A. act which gives the exclusive right of legislation in certain matters to the provincial legislatures." It is clear, therefore, that the exercise of the veto power by the federal authorities against the R. R. V. R. is an exercise of authority not contemplated by the constitution, and subversive of the rights guaranteed to the provinces. Under these circumstances the provincial government is justified in resisting the veto by every lawful resource within its reach.

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W. A. DUNCAN.
New West., Oct. 21, 1887. doc26m2

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alexander McKenzie, late of Clover Valley in the District of New Westminster, Deceased Intestate.

ALL DEBTS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late ALEXANDER 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 13th day of November, A. D. 1887.

Dated at New Westminster this 13th day of October, A. D. 1887.

GEO. WISE,
doc13m1 Administrator.

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22nd October, 1887. Assignee.
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New Westminster, 5th Oct., 1887. dwoc5m

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THOMAS THORNTON.
New West., Oct. 20, 1887. doc24m2

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of C. H. M. HUNTER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all persons who were indebted to the late C. H. M. Hunter must pay the amounts of such indebtedness forthwith to the undersigned. And all creditors of the said Deceased are hereby required to come in and prove their claims on or before the 25th day of November, A. D. 1887, otherwise they will be excluded from any benefit to arise from the estate and effects of the deceased. Such proved claims to be left at the office of Messrs. CORBOULD & MCCOLL, *my solicitors.*

Dated 19th day of October, A. D. 1887.

ELIZABETH HUNTER,
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Department of Public Works

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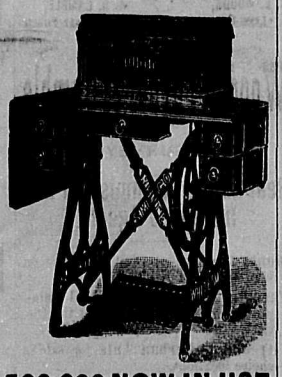

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It was in the evening; the bell in the spire of Zermatt had just sent forth its peals to announce the advent of the tenth hour; gay couples were whirling to merry lays in the Salon of the 'Hotel de Zermatt' at a gay *Soiree dansante*.

While within, the pop of enjoyment was full, I was reading the proclamation of the Swiss Alpine Club which emphasizes the dangers of mountain climbing and recommends as the best guaranty for success in difficult excursions the assistance of a competent guide, when I received a telegram informing me that a teacher named Kuhn, together with five companions of his, had been killed on the road from "Roththal Hut" to "Concordia-Hut." The dispatch was from the committee of "Section Toedi" and contained the request for me to at once proceed to the scene of the disaster. As a matter of course I was willing to respond, but desired corroboration of this news from Lauterbrunnen and the Eggishorn. The dispatch from Lauterbrunnen had the names of Kuhn, Baer, two Wettsteins, Bürgi and Ziegler. From Eggishorn no information came until the following morning, because there is no night service there. In the meantime I resolved not to wait for it; the certainty of the news being now satisfactory to me; and the following morning at five o'clock saw me starting from Zermatt with a team, to make sure of reaching the train that leaves Visp at 1:2[illegible] p.m. for Lausanne and Berne.

How long seemed the Nicolai valley and how much did I regret that the projected railroad from Visp to Zermatt is not already in operation! And this not because of the heavy drops of perspiration which a burning July sun extorted from me on the road to Visp, but because of the desire to push forward, that had taken entire possession of me.

The train at Visp was reached in time and arrived in Bern at eleven o'clock at night. The reports which received there left little to doubt that the six missing ones had really perished. I boarded the first train for Thun and Interlaken, and from Interlaken to Lauterbrunnen where I arrived at two o'clock. Here I met relatives and friends of the unfortunate travelers: Messrs Wettstein, father and son; a brother of Mr. Ziegler; Fleiner, editor of the "*Neue Zuricher Zeitung*"; Rev. Strasser from Grindelwald; Rev. Weber Imhof from Winterthur, all in great despondency.

The weather, which up to this time had been very doubtful, meanwhile improved materially, so I concluded to commence our journey for "Rothtthal Hut" as soon as possible.

My two guides Fritz Graf—father and son—and myself started for the Steckelberg; our conveyance took us there in one hour. From this point we began at once to ascend the Rothtthal. After an hour and a half we reached the Hut of Alp Stufenstein. Here we refreshed ourselves with milk, which was prepared for us by the kind inhabitant of the hut. He is the last man who saw the unfortunate victims alive, and conversed with them. He told us that they had called upon him at the hut, and that in view of the wretched weather he endeavored to get them to abandon their undertaking; but despite the rain and everything they continued their journey upward to Rothtthal-Shelter.

At eight o'clock in the evening we reached the Roth-thal-club-shelter and here we found seven guides who had been sent thither from Lauterbach the day before. Two carriers, who had just brought provisions for the guides, were also there. So there was a full dozen of us in the small hut; its accommodations were really intended for only eight men. But this did not annoy us. Were not all of us willing to crouch together and to get along as well as possible? Three of us now prepared beds on the floor and the remaining nine prepared to rest as well as was possible in the Bunk.

At a quarter of two in the morning while the world around us was wrapped in deep sleep, Graf junior, my guide, made our coffee; at half past two we were all ready to start; but we waited for the "hour of three" before leaving: by that time the sun would be near rising. We proceeded briskly up the ascent; the consciousness of a long journey ahead and, still more, the desire to solve the problem of our undertaking on the same day, hastened our steps and soon we had left our last night's quarters far below us. The road from the Rothtthal shelter over the South-West rib to the top of the "Jungfrau" has been repeatedly described, so it shall not be done here again. I desire however to allude to it to the extent of saying that it is certainly preferable to the former route, the dangers of the new route being visible, and readily overcome by skilled, cool-headed tourists, while the old route conceals unsuspected dangers which cannot at a given moment be avoided. My preference, however is based on the condition that the rocks are bare, that is, not covered with ice, otherwise I could not commend the new route at all.

We reached the snow which came across our route for traces of the deceased. Contrary to expectations we were successful and to such an extent that after reaching a certain height, we were enabled to trace the path of the perished men step for step. In this way we must finally reach a spot which would substantiate their death. This consideration had led me to choose the way from Zermatt to Lauterbrunnen and not to Egglshorn, although the latter route is the shorter.

Following the footprints, we at last, at 8:30 A. M., reached the steep snowy ascent that separated us from the summit of the mountain. Four of the guides, who had accompanied us so far left us here to investigate the Schaffauener-glacier, and we continued our sad journey.

Arriving at the rib near the summit we found to our surprise a stone enclosure, a sort of shelter consisting of four walls about two feet high, where we found a pocket case with blue lining, marked "K. B." and containing the body of a marmot wrapped in hay, which my guide took with him; a tin case with some morsels of preserved meat; a piece of omelette as big as a man's hand, wrapped in a piece of paper; and four playing cards of German pattern, spread about on the ground. We regretted there were no written communications anywhere. This enclosure is about sixty feet South-West from the summit, at a barren spot where the wind does not permit the snow to lie.

We advised the four guides that had remained below of this discovery by calling to them and they in turn informed us that the Grindelwald people had found the bodies at the foot of the North-East descent of the "Jungfrau." We now hastened to the top of the mountain but returned speedily, for we were anxious to reach the spot where the unfortunate men were lying. Moreover the weather and the heavy clouds in the South and West, urged us to lose no time.

Despite the haste of our descent, we mutually exchanged our respective ideas as to the probable events of the disaster. We all came to the conclusion that the six men were surprised by a tempest, and passed the night in the "Jungfrau."

The construction of the shelter under the surrounding circumstances involved considerable labor and was only undertaken after the men found themselves compelled to remain at this elevated place for some time. According to the story of the innkeeper at Trachsellaenen, they probably reached the summit about noon. The construction of the shelter, at most, required half an hour's time. But we must not infer that the construction was begun immediately after their arrival. There is no doubt that they spent some time in the enclosure as may be inferred from the presence of the above named articles. And finally, they certainly must have concluded that the hour was too far advanced and the prevailing weather to hostile to permit the venture of descent on the same evening. The men knew very well that it would be impossible to reach the "Concordia Shelter" and they had proven their competency in Alpine matters by finding the way to the summit.

I am convinced that the disaster occurred on the morning following, the day of the ascent, while the men were descending toward the "Rothtthal-saddle."

On the last named route for a part of the way, there were found traces. At one spot, not far from the summit, the traces were more numerous and marked. Then they disappeared in the direction of the "Jungfrau".

But knowing that the bodies had been found we left the traces and made straight for the "Rothtthal-saddle"; the guides especially were in a hurry. Arriving safely at the saddle we were surprised to be confronted on the side of the "Jungfrau firn", by a vertical rupture about fifteen feet deep and six feet wide.

But this was no place for reflection; we must go down and over. Pitching down our alpine staffs and knapsacks, a strong leap forward carried us over the crevass and to the glacier. Fortunately for us the latter was covered with snow. We continued our journey to the scene of death,—? Most difficult undertaking, not because of distance or local conditions but by reason of the softness of the snow; often we sank into the snow to our knees.

Soon we noticed, half way up the hill, an Alpine staff lodged in a snow-drift; then we saw a second staff fixed upright a few feet from the head of one of the dead men; and directly we saw the six lying within a space of some 50 feet around. Their heads were turned away from the mountain and the faces turned down towards the ground. The position of the bodies left little doubt that not one of the men reached the glacier alive. The bodies were not mutilated and were partly without visible injury. As they were, for the greater part, covered with snow, the scene did not appear so horrible as one might think. Knapsacks and hats lay near the bodies. The hats had been fastened to their heads with strings and must have been severed by the fall. The six corpses were connected with each other by a rope, which in some places was torn. Before the face of one of the bodies lay a watch or rather the case of a watch with a chain; the works had dropped out from the case.

The place were the dead lay is in the continuation of a "snow couloir" which leads down from the rib to the middle of the hill. Above, in the *couloir*, there were traces such as appear in the snow after the passage of snow shoes when the crus thus broken through. Evidently the deceased went too much towards the left in descending to the Rothsattel. Most probably the first man of the line fell and dropped the others after him—the work of a moment—a shriek, and then the silence of death.

The bodies themselves showed that the descent must have been very rapid and that in their passage the bodies did not receive many blows because the rocks below the *couloir* project very little. One of the men must have fallen very heavily because we coul'd at first count only five. Later my guide discovered that the shoes of two legs, which seemingly were of the same person, had different nails in them.

In the meanwhile we left the bodies as we had found them so as not to interfere with the official inquest at a future time. With a last glance at the lifeless bodies of these once promising, companionable men, and we proceeded to our next resting place the 'Monk's yoke' which we reached at 3 o'clock after a difficult journey. After half an hour's rest we proceeded to our journey. Having crossed the rough 'Grindelwald-Fiesch' glacier, we arrived safely in Grindelwald, at half past eight in the evening and here it became my sad duty to tell the brother of the deceased Wettsteins all the particulars of the disaster. Here my sad mission ended.

Labouchere Pitches Into Royal Yachts

The performances of the Queen's yacht on Wednesday last in running into the Orontes is equally discouraging to the British taxpayer and the British shipper. That after the thousands of pounds which are yearly spent on the Victoria and Albert she should proceed backward when intended to go forward, and thus knock hundreds of pounds' worth of gilding and ornament off her stern, is bad enough from the taxpayers' point of view; but that she should indulge in these vagaries when presumably being extra carefully handled because of the presence of the Crown Princess of Germany on board, is absolutely terrifying to the intending spectator of the naval review. The regulations for navigating the royal yacht are highly idiotic. It will scarcely be credited that in compliance with the most foolish and absurd royal order, these vessels are always taken alongside the landing place at full speed, the engine room telegraph being altered from full speed to full speed astern only when the jetty is being approached. It is wonderful that any officers can be found to undertake the charge of the engines under such preposterous conditions, as the delay of a second would cause a bad accident. All vessels have their engines stopped before altering the speed in this way, and the royal yacht ought to follow the usual rational practice.

—The Channing Memorial Church at Newport, has elected two women to its Board of Trustees. This is an example which many churches might profitably follow.

A Creaking Hinge

Is dry and turns hard, until oil is applied, after which it moves easily. When the joints, or hinges, of the body are stiffened and inflamed by Rheumatism, they cannot be moved without causing the most excruciating pains. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, by its action on the blood, relieves this condition, and restores the joints to good working order.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla has effected, in our city, many most remarkable cures, in cases which baffled the efforts of the most experienced physicians. Were it necessary, I could give the names of many individuals who have been cured by taking this medicine. In my case it has worked wonders, relieving me of

Rheumatism,

after being troubled with it for years. In this, and all other diseases arising from impure blood, there is no remedy with which I am acquainted, that affords such relief as Ayer's Sarsaparilla.—R. H. Lawrence, M. D., Baltimore, Md.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla cured me of Gout and Rheumatism, when nothing else would. It has eradicated every trace of disease from my system.—R. H. Short, Manager Hotel Belmont, Lowell, Mass.

I was, during many months, a sufferer from chronic Rheumatism. The disease afflicted me grievously, in spite of all the remedies I could find, until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. I took several bottles of this preparation, and was speedily restored to health.—J. Fream, Independence, Va. ††

Ayer's Sarsaparilla,

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles, $5.

Business Directory.

The following Business Directory relates only to persons whose advertisements appear in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN. It has been found true, as a rule, that persons who advertise liberally are liberal in their dealings, and many persons make it a rule to give preference in their dealings to those establishments which advertise freely. The following list is arranged alphabetically:

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. Cooper.....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 & acc'd'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. E. Fales.....Columbia st
W. Prothero.....Columbia st

UNDERTAKING.

W. E. Fales.....Columbia st

BRICK-MAKERS.

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

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
J. E. Phillips.....Columbia st
W. Rae.....Columbia st

HARDWARE.

H. T. Read & Co.....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
A. M. Herring.....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. Kells.....Columbia St
Wm. Ross.....Columbia St

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

NURSERIES.

G. W. Henry.....Port Hammond
E. Hutcherson.....Ladners

MONUMENTAL.

Alex. Hamilton.....Church st
Rudge & Monck.....New Westminster

A RARE CHANCE
—FOR A—
FINE FARM.

MY ONLY SON BEING DEAD, I DESIGN to retire from farming. I therefore offer to sell my Homestead, one of the best Farms on the Lower Fraser. The Estate contains 215 acres, including over 3 acres of Orchard, with House and large Barn.

WM. KENT.

Ladner's Landing, Aug. 23rd, 1887.
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JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS
GOLD MEDAL PARIS 1878

AGENTS: T. N. HIBBEN & CO., Victoria.
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E. HUTCHERSON,
NURSERYMAN & DEALER IN
Fruit and Ornamental Trees,
LADNER'S LANDING, B. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER WISHES TO INFORM the people of British Columbia that he has established a Nursery at Ladner's Landing, and is prepared to fill all orders for Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees, Shrubbery, Vines, Small Fruits, &c. Trees imported or home grown according to the wishes of customers. The subscriber has had a thorough practical training in the business, and having a permanent stake in the country it is his interest to deal fairly with the public. He will wait upon the various towns and settlements shortly, and all orders will have his personal attention.

au12tc E. HUTCHERSON.

FALL ASSIZE
SHERIFF'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT all Coroners, Keepers of Gaols, Houses of Correction, and Witnesses in my Bailiwick, who may have business thereat, are requested to attend the sittings of the Court of Assize to be holden at the Court House in the City of New Westminster on **Wednesday the 9th Day of November Next, at 11 o'clock a.m.;** that the roll of Grand and Petit Jurors who have been summoned for the said Assize will be called over at 11 o'clock a. m. on the date above given and all such persons will be expected to answer to their names. Petit Jurors failing to answer will be liable to lose their day's pay and subject themselves to a fine.

W. J. ARMSTRONG,
Sheriff.
New Westminster, October 27, 1887.
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MAINLAND
Transfer Comp'y
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
Hack, Stage, Livery and Feed Stables.

HACK RATES.

From the Stand to any one point south of Royal Avenue, e'ch person,	$ 25
From the Stand to any one point within the city limits, one person...	50
Each additional person.....	25
To or from Steamer or Train—same as above.	
Driving by the hour—first hour.....	2 50
Following hours—each.....	1 50
Hack to Vancouver and Return.....	10 00
" Port Moody and Return.....	7 50

Stables, Columbia Street.
djeotc Telephone Calls—16 & 33.

ST. ALICE HOTEL
Harrison Hot Springs, B. C.

AFTER OCT. 15 REDUCED RATES
$8 and Upwards per Week.

RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERING. PLEASURE FOR ALL

Hundreds of past Sufferers Testify to the Merits of these Springs.

The Leading Physicians Strongly Recommend Them.

☞ Experienced Attendants in Charge of Baths.

The Sportsman will find Game in abundance, with Guides and Boats at reasonable rates.

These Springs are situated only 60 miles from Vancouver and but 5 miles from Agassiz Station on line of C. P. R. A comfortable Stage meets all trains. Telephone communication with Telegraph and R. R. offices. dwoc11tc

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

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FALL ASSIZES.

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Clinton.....Wednesday..28th Sept.
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WHAT PHYSICIANS SAY ABOUT THE
STARR KIDNEY PAD.

"Treatment by Absorption has for some time been recognized by Medical Men to be the most simple and effectual means of conveying to Diseased Organs, "Curatives," but in cases of Kidney Disease and Complaints attendant thereon, successful treatment was practically impossible until the introduction of the Starr Kidney Pad. It costs less than a single prescription and is immeasurably *more decisive and effective than any quantity of internal Medicinal dosing.* Worn immediately over the seat of Disease, its curative properties become absorbed by the diseased and enfeebled Organs, continuously and directly, as required to insure in return their healthy action and original vigour. It is comfortable to the patient and pleasant in its effects, and cures when nothing else can. The Starr Kidney Pad accomplishes positive, decisive results. A more valuable discovery as a true remedy for Kidney Diseases was never made.—*Medical Gazette*

The Starr Kidney Pad, manufactured in Toronto, is a permanent sure cure for disease, disorders and ailments of the Kidneys, Bladder and urinary secretive system, or attendant complaints, causing pain in the small of the back, sides, etc., producing urinary disorders, such as too frequent, scanty, difficult, painful or copious micturition, inability of retention and sedimentary urine, tropical symptoms etc., denoting the presence in the system of diseases common to the urinary secretive organs—known as gravel, catarrh of the bladder and passages, Bright's disease, diabetes, dropsy, piles, nervous debility, etc. Send for pamphlet to LANGLEY & CO., Wholesale Agents, Victoria. Retailed by A. M. HERRING and D. S. CURTIS & CO., New Westminster; T. McNEELEY, Ladner's Landing; H. McDOWELL & CO., HASTINGS SAW MILL CO., THE VANCOUVER DRUG CO., Vancouver; W. E. McCARTNEY & BRO., Vancouver and Kamloops; J. A. LOVELL & Yale; W. R. HEGAW, Priest Valley; H. CLARK & CO., Kamloops. dwac23y1

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1 OLD BROAD ST. and 16 PALL MALL, LONDON.

INSTITUTED 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES & OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Vessels; also, Ships building and repairing, Barges and other Vessels on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland and in Foreign Countries,

FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

Subscribed and Invested Capital,
£1,600,000 STG.

Rates of Premium and every information can be obtained on application to

W. J. ARMSTRONG,
Agent for New Westminster

Confederation Life
ASSOCIATION.

Guarantee Capital.....$1,000,000

Full Gov'm't Deposit

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO, CANADA

A HOME COMPANY.

This Association merits the confidence the Public is reposing in it from the following FACTS:—

The Security offered to policy holders is unsurpassed by any Company doing business in Canada.

It has no schemes of insurance, but the well-established lines, hence the policy holders cannot be misled as to their contracts.

Its statements to the public can be readily understood, its cash statement showing every item of income and how expended.

Its position is ascertained annually from a detailed valuation in which every item of liability is included.

Its progress has been unexampled in the history of insurance in Canada.

Its policies are indisputable after three years, and non-forfeitable after two years' existence.

Its profits are distributed upon an equitable basis. The profits to one class of policy holders are not lessened to give larger profits to any other class, which method affords superior advantages over the uniform bonus plan of distribution.

Liberal Conditions as to Residence and Travel.

J. K. MacDONALD,
Managing Director.

T. R. PEARSON
Agent, New Westminster
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C. G. MAJOR,
DEALER & IMPORTER IN
Dry Goods
CLOTHING
—AND—
GROCERIES

JUST RECEIVED IN DRY GOODS,
A NEW STOCK
In all shades and material of DRESS GOODS, including Cashmeres, Merinos, Silks, Satins, Black and Colored Velveteens and Plushes. COTTONS (bleached and unbleached). LININGS, BUTTONS, HOLLANDS, &c. Grey, White, Scarlet and Checked FLANNELS. LADIES GLOVES, in Cotton, Wool, Silk and Kid. Ladies Merino and Lamb Wool Vests. JERSEYS, all prices. Hosiery, Muslins, Diaper Irish Linen, Brilliants, &c., &c.

Men's Clothing!
For Quality, Style, Fit and Price, can't be touched.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
In every Line Cotton, Merino and Wool Underwear, White Shirts, Cuffs, Collars, Gloves, Braces, Cardigan Jackets, &c. Also, Cotton, Merino, Cashmere, Lambs Wool and Knit SOCKS, in great variety.

Also, HATS and CAPS, Ladies' and Gents' RUBBER GOODS and UMBRELLAS.

In House Furnishing Goods
Carpets, Rugs, Window Poles with Rings and Mountings, Window Holland (Buff, Green and Striped), Damask and Cretonnes, Sheetings, Towels, White Counterpanes, Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens, Napkins, Tickings, Blankets and Arctic-down Quits, Table Cloths and Covers.

IN GROCERIES
Everything found in a first-class Establishment, and none but the best. Canned Goods, Fruits, Meats and Vegetables.

I don't offer Cheap Goods. I don't buy them or keep them, but I offer you the best and at the lowest price they can be sold at, and you get what we represent
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THE GLOBE HOUSE
Has Received a Large Stock of
Fall & Winter Dress Goods!
PLUSHES, VELVETS, RIBBONS, HOSIERY, GLOVES.
Ladies' & Children's Underclothing.
Also, a Fine and Well Selected Stock of
MILLINERY
Imported from London, Eng.
☞ GOODS SOLD AT MODERATE PRICES.
WM. RAE,
MANAGER.
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GENTS' FURNISHINGS
UMBRELLAS,
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Hats, Caps,
TRUNKS,
VALISES
WATCHES,
JEWELRY,
OF ALL KINDS.

KIRSHBERG & LANDSBERG,
Next Door to Martem's Grocery,
Call and examine our stock and be convinced that we defy competition. Cordova St., Vancouver.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA
LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, Ld.

THOMAS ALLSOP,
HENRY S. MASON,
CUYLER A. HOLLAND, } DIRECTORS.

HEAD OFFICE, - 56 New Broad St., - LONDON, ENGLAND.

The Business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a general Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mortgage at Low Rates. Town Lots and Farming Lands for Sale on easy terms.

Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwjo7tc

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H. T. READ & CO.
Ewen's Cannery, Columbia St.,
Have Just Received and are Opening Out a Full and Complete Stock of
HARDWARE
Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, Etc.
We invite Contractors and Carpenters to inspect our Stock and Prices before Purchasing.
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Orange Soiree!
A SOCIAL DANCE (WITH REFRESHments) will be given in the ORANGE HALL on
Friday, November 4th, 1887.
TICKETS, $2; Ladies free.
Dancing to commence at 8 p.m. doc10td

GUARDIAN
Insurance Com'y
OF LONDON, ENG.
Total Funds, $18,000,000
(NEARLY)
ESTABLISHED 1821
Risks Taken at Rates as Low as any other Reliable Comp'y.
T. R. PEARSON,
doc7tc AGENT.

WANTED:
BY A HIGHLY RESPECTABLE Young Lady, a position as daily or monthly Governess in a family of young children in town or country. Address "A. Z." Colonist Office, Victoria. dwoc7ml

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.
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THE DAILY COLUMBIAN

PUBLISHED

Every Afternoon except Sunday,

BY THE

BRITISH COLUMBIAN PRINTING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

At the Company's Steam Printing Establishment, Columbia St.

BY MAIL:

For 12 months	$8 00
For 6 months	4 25
For 3 months	2 25

DELIVERED IN THE CITY:

For 12 months	$10 00
For 6 months	5 25
Per month	90
Per week	25

Payment in all cases (except for weekly rate) to be made in advance.

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Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 2 cts. per line. *Advertisements not inserted every day, 5 cts. per line each insertion.*

Standing Advertisements.—Regular Business or Professional Advertisements will be received at following rates: 1 inch, $2 per month; 2 ins. $3; ¼ col. $5.50; ½ col. $9.75; 1 col. $15. If inserted for less than 3 mos. 10 per cent. will be added.

Special Notices among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion. Specials calling attention to advertisements, 10 cts. per line.

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Auction Sales, when displayed, charged 25 per cent. less than transient advts. If *sold, charged at regular transient rates.*

THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Wednesday Morning.

Delivered in the City, per year	$3.00
Mailed, per year	2.00
Mailed, 6 months	1.25

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Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; subsequent insertions, 5 cts. per line.

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Special notices among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion.

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.

☞ Persons sending in advertisements should be careful to state whether they are to appear in the Daily Edition, or the Weekly, or both.

D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Merchant Tailor.....S. A. Fekete
Wanted.....P. O. Box 148
Proclamation.....T. Elwyn

Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, Oct. 31, 1887.

County court will sit on Wednesday.

Warner's Safe Cure 90 cts, at Herring's Drug Store. doc12tc

Don't forget the pie social in the Baptist Church on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, sharp. Admission 25 cts. doct31t3

The sheriff took possession this afternoon of the stock and fixtures of W. Prothero, furniture dealer, on Columbia st.

Farmers in the vicinity of Chilliwhack are shipping very large quantities of fruit to the northwest. This is a new departure and it is found to work successfully.

The str. Western Slope arrived from Victoria yesterday and has been laid up for the season. She has been engaged for a few weeks in transporting canned salmon to Victoria.

The str. Irving arrived down from Chilliwhack yesterday afternoon with 60 bales of hay and a large quantity of farm produce. She leaves again for up-river ports at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning.

The trunk road from Chilliwhack bridge to Mrs. Evan's, a distance of 2 miles, is to be gravelled immediately. This is rather late in the season to make roads and expect the work to be well done.

A large number of people from Vancouver came over yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Dr. Trew. Among those who came over were several medical gentlemen and many prominent citizens.

It was remarked on all sides yesterday that the militia, both artillery and rifles, looked, marched and behaved remarkably well. They did credit to themselves and their officers, and the city is justly proud of her defenders.

Two carloads of freight arrived and two carloads went out yesterday. Eight carloads went out this morning. Up till Saturday night 125 carloads were received and 126 carloads were sent out since the beginning of the month.

A pie social will be held in the Baptist Church on Wednesday night. Everyone should go and taste the pies; some of the best culinary artistes in the city are now working them into shape. A short programme of songs, speeches, recitations, etc., has also been arranged.

The Chilliwhack and Sumas farmers are hard at work threshing and winding up farming operations for the year. Not more than half of the threshing has been accomplished so far and not more than half of the products have been marketed. It is expected the steamers will be kept busy for some time yet bringing the balance of the crop to market.

It is announced that Sir Adolphe Caron will arrive on the coast about the end of the week. When he visits this city Capts. Bole and Scoullar will, at the request of the board of trade, wait upon him for the purpose of representing the necessity of a militia force at Vancouver, and to discuss other military matters in connection with the mainland.

Before dismissing the men yesterday afternoon, Capt. Bole addressed a few words to them expressing his pleasure at the splendid showing they made and also paid a very just compliment to their behavior and steadiness. Capt. Scoullar also made a few remarks and thanked the men for turning out so well and for the soldier-like manner in which they behaved.

The str. Sauterne, of Victoria, arrived last night from Mud Bay with a boom of logs in tow for the Brunette Saw Mills Co. The captain reports he left Mud Bay at daybreak on Saturday morning and after getting out a little distance ran into a fog bank in which he lay, unable to find the entrance to the Fraser River, until yesterday afternoon when the fog rose. The Sauterne has three more booms to bring over from Mud Bay for the Brunette Mills.

An Edison Engineer.

Mr. J. Devrasey, tank inspector on C. P. R., will become a second Edison if he keeps on at his present rate. Not content with inventing a new actioned locomotive engine, he has busied himself in inventing an improvement on the ordinary stationary engine, whereby it may be reversed in an instant by the simple shifting of a lever. The inventor has completed a minature model, and finds that it works like a charm. A patent has been applied for. Mr. Devrasey's application for a patent on his locomotive engine has been received, and a patent issued.—*Kamloops Sentinel.*

Lots of Fog.

The str. Yosemite, which was due to arrive here yesterday, could not get out of Victoria owing to the dense fog that hung over the harbor all day. This morning the fog had partly cleared away and the steamer left at 7 o'clock for this city. In the gulf she encountered another fog bank which also hung over the mouth of the river, and as it would be dangerous to try and effect an entrance Capt. Rudlin ran up to English Bay and into Vancouver, the fog not being so dense in that direction. The passengers who came over on the train from Vancouver expecting to take the Yosemite here for Victoria were obliged to return as the steamer leaves to-night on the return trip. Arrangements were made to take our mail matter over by train to Vancouver. The Princess Louise has not reached Vancouver yet, and it is not known at the office here if she has returned to Victoria.

The Heathen Chinee.

About half-past three o'clock yesterday morning, as Policeman Carty was making his rounds at the eastern end of Columbia st., he met a Chinaman with a suspicious looking bag on his shoulder. As the hour was rather early for a Chinaman to be up, and remembering that chicken roosts had been suffering of late in that vicinity, the policeman halted him and inquired what was in the bag. The celestial without a moment's hesitation said he had chickens which had been given him by the people he worked for. On being asked where he worked the heathen pointed to a light and said that was the place. As the case seemed to require investigation Carty asked the Chinaman if he would be kind enough to walk back to the house and prove his story; he agreed to do so, and they walked back together. On reaching the house they rapped at the door, and just as it was being opened the Chinaman darted off like a shot down the street towards Chinatown, leaving the chickens with the constable. Carty threw off his heavy great-coat and started in pursuit, but the Chinaman was fleet and escaped. As might be expected, the people in the house mentioned knew nothing about the Chinaman or the chickens, and it was only a ruse of the wily celestial to throw the policeman off his guard. The chickens are in possession of the chief of police awaiting an owner.

The Late Dr. Trew.

Consigned to the Grave with Military Honors---A Large Turnout.

The funeral of the late Dr. Trew, which took place yesterday afternoon, was probably the largest ever seen in the city. The widespread feeling of sympathy for the bereaved family, and the general respect the deceased was held in showed itself in the manner in which the whole populace turned out and honored his memory. Shortly after 1 o'clock the people commenced to gather in the streets between Mrs. Trew's residence and Trinity Church, and before the hour set for the funeral to leave, fully 1500 persons must have been assembled in the vicinity. At 2:30 o'clock the firing party, composed of the N. W. Rifles, under Capt. Scoullar, the Artillery, under Capt. Bole, and a gun carriage, hauled by four horses, marched to the house of the deceased. The firing party opened ranks and when the coffin was brought out the order was given to present arms The coffin, which was wrapped in a Union Jack, was placed on the gun carriage, and headed by the firing party the procession proceeded to the church. The following gentlemen were pall bearers: B. Springer, R. H. Alexander, G. E. Corbould, A. McBride, Geo. Turner, I. B. Fisher. The order of procession was as follows:

Firing Party, N. W. Rifles.
Band.
Gun Carriage Carrying Deceased.
No. 1 Battery Artillery.
Retired and Visiting Officers.
Independent Order Odd Fellows.
Citizens on Foot.
Citizens in Carriages.

At Holy Trinity His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe, assisted by Archdeacon Woods, read the beautiful and impressive burial service of the Church of England, after which the procession reformed and marched down to Columbia street, and thence to the cemetery. The band played the Dead March in Saul at intervals during the march and the military escort carried arms reversed. The funeral procession was about a third of a mile in length, and the street was lined with spectators the whole distance to the cemetery. On reaching the gates the firing party halted and rested on their arms reversed while the gun carriage bearing the coffin passed between its ranks. Bishop Sillitoe read the last words over the grave, at the conclusion of which three volleys from the firing party finished the obsequies over the departed friend, brother and comrade. The troops were then reformed and, headed by the band playing lively airs, marched back to the Drill Shed, where they were dismissed. As the Oddfellows filed passed the grave each member dropped a sprig of evergreen upon the coffin in token that the virtues of their dead brother would always remain green in their memories.

Hundreds of persons who have used Ayer's Hair Vigor attest its value, as a stimulant and tonic, for preventing and curing baldness, cleansing the scalp, and restoring the youthful color to faded and gray hair.

Arrested for Stealing.

An Indian woman named Jennie was arrested this afternoon for stealing a watch and chain from a white man. It appears that Jennie, who is a loose character, and leads a very irregular and by no means virtuous life, while the man was in her house this morning managed to abstract the watch and chain from his clothes, She has been arrested and will appear before the magistrate to answer the charge laid against her.

Mr. Parpetus Boileau, Ottawa, says:—"I was radically cured of piles, from which I had been suffering for over two months, by the use of Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I used it both internally and externally, taking it in small doses before meals and on retiring to bed. In one week I was cured, and have had no trouble since. I believe it saved my life."

Personal.

Chas. F. Green and wife of Ladner, are in the city to-day.

A. J. Mowat, fisheries superintendent, has returned to the city.

D. E. Brown, district freight and passenger agent C.P.R., is in the city.

Sir Adolphe Caron, minister militia, is expected to arrive on the coast in a few days.

Jno. Wulffsohn and P. H. Bewicke, private bankers of Vancouver, are in the city en route for Victoria.

Capt. Worsnop, of the Vancouver *News*, was in the city yesterday and was present at the funeral of Dr. Trew. The captain is a veteran of the Northwest rebellion and won considerable renown during the campaign.

Guests at the Colonial: D. E. Brown, R. H. Alexander, Capt. Webber, J. W. McFarland, Thos. C. Sorby, L. Guichon, W. D. Munroe, John Wulffsohn, P. H. Bewicke, Vancouver; F. H. Fletcher, A. J. Mowat, Victoria; Chas. F. Green and wife, Ladners.

D. Sullivan, Malcolm, Ontario, writes: "I have been selling Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for some years, and have no hesitation in saying that it has given better satisfaction than any other medicine I have ever sold. I consider it the only patent medicine that cures more than it is recommended to cure." Unprincipled persons are selling imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Do not be deceived.

From Okanagan.

[Correspondence of the Columbian.]

OKANAGAN, Oct. 26.—The races at Priests' Valley were a grand success and were largely attended. The day was all that the most fastidious could desire, the sun shining brightly in our proverbial Italian atmosphere. There were about twenty trained horses on the turf, all but one of local breeding; the exception being of Kamloops notoriety, but he was badly left by the Okanagan horse. The night previous to the races and the night following the the light fantastic was freely tripped at the Royal Hotel by the lovers of Terpsichore.

The temperance society of Spallumcheen held a harvest festival and concert lately, which was well attended. The good work being done by this society and the increase in its membership show that the community is keeping abreast with the times.

The poll tax collector is out, and it is amusing how he is shunned, but he is versed in his duty.

Mr. T. R. Pearson, of Westminster, has been doing our territory and took a large insurance for the Confederation Life.

Priests' Valley, now changed to Vernon, boasts of a number of residents lately arrived; and numbers a druggist amomg the lot, a Mr. Teetzel, late of Illicillewaet.

The threshing machines are about to enter winter quarters, the season's work being nearly completed.

Ranchers are anxious for rain that they may commence fall plowing.

A sprinkle of the "beautiful" descended this morning, but is rapidly disappearing.

Sir Rich. Musgrave and Pike Bros., of Vancouver Island, returned from their hunt in the mountains a few days ago, and brought many trophies in the shape of deer and cariboo skins and antlers, and a large grizzly pelt.

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Mutton	"	10 00 @ 11 00
Hides(gr'n)	"	5 50 @ 6 00
Potatoes	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Cabbage	"	1 10 @ 1 25
Onions	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Hay,	per ton	20 00 @ 0 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @ 0 30
Cheese,	"	0 20 @ 0 00
Eggs,	per doz.	0 30 @ 0 35
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @ 4 00

Miss Mary Campbell, Elm, writes:—"After taking four bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, I feel as if I were a new person. I had been troubled with Dyspepsia for a number of years, and tried many remedies, but of no avail, until I used this celebrated Dyspeptic Cure." For all impurities of the Blood, Sick Headache, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Costiveness, etc., it is the best medicine known.

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A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney-General*, } WHEREAS *It is provided* by Section 3, of an Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia, in the fiftieth year of Our reign, intituled "An Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" that the said Act shall not come into force until a day to be named in a Proclamation by the Lieutenant-Governor and published in the *British Columbia Gazette*. And whereas on said Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, has been pleased to name the Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said Act shall come into force.

NOW KNOW YE therefore that in pursuance thereof, We do hereby proclaim the said Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said "Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" shall come into force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twenty-sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the fifty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

T. ELWYN, Deputy Provincial Sec'y.

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