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Almost every day brings to the public light new data proving the charming character of our consular service. The interesting list of consular ninompoops is always growing larger. The general aspect of the service is that of an extensive territorial eleemosynary establishment for the convenience of partisan Headbeats, bankrupt politicians, electioneering bummers, loafers, extortioners and superfluous villains.—*Chicago Times.*

The *Mail* has professedly received great and unexpected light on the temperance question. Since ever it had an existence it has been by way of eminence the whiskey organ, just as it has been, and is, that of Sir John, all professions and protestations to the contrary notwithstanding. If in the course of the last three days our cotemporary has really seen a great light and has listened at last to a voice from heaven, every true friend of his country will rejoice, and we shall be among the foremost in sending in our congratulations.—*Globe.*

The *Mail's* important article, which we publish to-day, not only relieves Sir John Macdonald of all responsibility for its utterances, but distinctly takes up the championship of Protestantism, which in the days of George Brown belonged to the *Globe.* So decided are the *Mail's* words that we conceive that it sees the anti-ecclesiastical cause to be better worth fighting for than even that party and party leader for whose advocacy it was brought into life. This is a sign of the times which will be viewed with no little interest by the Canadian people. Another sign of the times is the *Mail's* distinctly taking issue with Sir John Macdonald on the Prohibition question. The adhesion of the *Mail* to the Prohibition standard—so, we hope, we may read its words—means, we presume, that the victory of that cause, in Ontario at least, is within easy view.—*Montreal Witness.*

The repudiation of the *Mail's* anti-Catholic diatribes by the premier indicates an apparent want of harmony in the counsels of the Tory party, which must have a damaging effect on their prospects in the approaching election. Many people are asking themselves what the *Mail's* game is in thus venturing to antagonize the chieftain and his French Canadian and Catholic supporters. Is it not possible that the *Mail's* apparently short-sighted and suicidal course is dictated by the hope of detecting Mr. Mowat and leaving the party in the Dominion to take the chances? A good many of the Ontario Tories have chafed under the restrictions imposed on them by the alliance with the Ottawa government, which has kept them in a perpetual minority in the legislature. It is not surprising if the provincial Tories have grown tired of acting as a buffress and a feeder to the party at Ottawa and are impatient for an active aggressive policy which will at least give them a fighting chance in the legislature.—*Toronto News.*

According to the Baltimore *Journal of Commerce*, taking the history of cereal production of the United States since 1872, a most astonishing rate of progress is to be observed. In 1872 there were 68,280,197 acres in cereals, and the grain yield was 1,664,331,600 bushels; in 1885 the acreage had doubled and was in round numbers 135,000,000 acres, while the production for that year somewhat exceeded 3,000,000,000 bushels. In other words, we have produced 32,000,000,000 bushels of grain in fourteen years, until now the United States not only stands first among the grain producing countries of the world, but its annual cereal crop is nearly a third of the yield of all the other commercial nations of the world combined. From the year 1820 to 1875 the value of the continental exports of wheat and flour aggregated $1,412,212,561, while for the ensuing eleven years the value of the same exports reached an aggregate of $1,539,585,678, or $125,000,000 more in eleven years than for the entire sixty-six years preceding. The exports of corn similarly compared show a total value of $236,616,988 for the years 1820-1875 inclusive, as against $411,237,665 for the past eleven years. And yet but a fraction of the vast natural resources of the [illegible] vast territory of the Northwest and the Pacific slope have been developed.

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Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Sept. 30, 1886.

Bulgarian affairs begin to approach a crisis. It is quite evident from our despatches this afternoon that the people of that principality have become thoroughly awake to the fact that Russia's intentions towards them are not such as to inspire confidence. The deposition of Prince Alexander by Russian influence was a mistake, and the czar's cruel reply to the prince's letter of submission must have greatly intensified the distrust and hostility of the Bulgarian people. Bulgaria should have stood upon its dignity then. It assumes an attitude of independence now which may precipitate the struggle that is surely coming.

Moving Forward.

There is a very heavy freight and passenger business all along the Fraser River. Three steamers are regularly running between this city and Yale, each making two trips a week. In addition to this the Reliance frequently makes extra trips both up and down. These steamers seem to find all they want to handle, and the number of passengers and quantity of freight passing through this city is very large. It may be that the cheap rates now prevailing on the river have something to do with this rush, but there is no doubt the volume of trade is increasing. During this year the amount collected for duties at this port shows a very large increase over the same period of the year preceding. This, in the face of increased imports from eastern Canada, seems to indicate a continuous and satisfactory development that must be very gratifying to all friends of British Columbia. It may be fairly assumed that a good deal of the increased prosperity in this part of the country is due to the operation of the Canadian Pacific Railway. That company not only furnishes employment to a large staff of men, but in other ways it circulates a great deal of money in the province. It is bringing also hundreds of people, many of whom are staying with us and aiding in the development of our resources. The outlook is very encouraging, and especially so for the city and district of New Westminster.

The Island Railway.

It is announced that the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway is to be opened for business to-day, and a daily service will hereafter be maintained. The southern terminus of the road is on the Songish reserve, close to the city of Victoria. Nanaimo and Victoria are practically connected by rail. It is proposed to span the intervening water between Victoria and Songish (Russell station) by a bridge, so that trains may run right into the city. The construction and opening of this road are matters of considerable interest to the province. For many years the people of Victoria especially were extremely anxious to secure the construction of this road; but in spite of liberal inducements held out by the government, no one could be found willing and able to undertake the work. Finally Mr. Dunsmuir, who has certainly shown himself to be one of the most enterprising men in this country, formed a company and began in earnest to carry out the scheme. It has been pushed forward with such vigor that the directors are able to declare it open long before the time expected. Certainly Mr. Dunsmuir is to be congratulated, and so is his chief engineer, Mr. J. L. Hunter, C. E., under whose professional direction the work was laid out and brought to completion. It remains now to be seen how much of a success the road will be as a means of developing the resources of the country or as a source of revenue to its owners. All the districts through which it passes will experience a positive benefit inasmuch as they will be brought within easy reach of two large consuming centres, Victoria and Nanaimo. The result is sure to be the extension of agricultural operations to meet the demand, and a consequent addition to the wealth and development of the country. If the road can be made profitable in the hands of any one, it ought to be profitable in Mr. Dunsmuir's hands. His interests in the region of Nanaimo are very large, and to have these extensive coal mines connected by a railway of his own with Esquimalt and Victoria will enable him to consolidate his resources and attain to an independent business position which otherwise might be impossible. Mr. Dunsmuir has ample means at his disposal. Not only is his own wealth large, but he has associated with him some gentlemen who count their capital by millions. The control of this railway and the capital at its back places Mr. Dunsmuir in a position where his actions and influence may accomplish untold good or evil, and we hope and believe that this influence will be found on the right side. We wish every success to the Nanaimo-Esquimalt Railway that was opened to-day, and hope it may more than fill the expectations of its proprietors and its friends.

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Is the most virulent form of blood-poisoning. Less speedily fatal, but not less certainly so, is the vitiation of the blood of which the first symptoms are **Pimples, Sties, Boils,** and **Cutaneous Eruptions.** When the taint of **Scrofula** gives warning of its presence by such indications, *no time should be lost* in using AYER'S SARSAPARILLA, the only perfect and reliable medicine for the purification of the blood.

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Is a foul corruption in the blood that rots out all the machinery of life. Nothing will eradicate it from the system and prevent its transmission to offspring but AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. This preparation is also the only one that will cleanse the blood of Mercurial poison and the taint of Contagious Diseases. Impoverished blood is productive of

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Sketches shewing the position, approximately, of these berths, together with the conditions upon which they will be licensed, and the forms of tender therefor, may be obtained at this Department or at the Crown Timber Offices at Winnipeg, Calgary, N. W. T., and New Westminster, British Columbia.

A. M. BURGESS,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, 9th Sept., 1886. dwse20l5

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Just Received via C. P. R. one car-load of Stoves and Ranges. These Stoves are from the celebrated firm of of E. & C. Gurney & Co. and are well known to be the best in the market. Parties desiring Stoves will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as we are offering these Stoves at a slight advance on cost to make room for two more car loads now on the way.

E. S. SCOULLAR & CO.
dau13tc COLUMBIA STREET.

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"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*

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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

Lot 21, Block I, Lot 5, Block II, Lot 20, Block VI, Lot 7, Block IX, Subdivision E, parts of District Lot No. 183; Lot 12, Block XXVII, Subdivision G, part of District Lot No. 182, and Block 51, part of District Lot No. 264a, in the City of Vancouver.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES OF Title of John Callister to the abovementioned lands have been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for duplicates thereof; Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate certificates will be issued unless cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, B. C., 11th Sept., '86.
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With this Press there is no climbing up and tramping in the hay and climbing down again and pulling out the bale, as with the old-style presses. Everything is done on the level ground. You don't stop the team to tie the bale. The bale is discharged automatically, and moves itself on to a platform scale to be weighed and tagged.

It is the cheapest Press, besides being the best; as every farmer can afford to have one of his own, and it will save him its worth in one season by reducing the high rates of freight to a minimum, and by avoiding loss of time and vexation when you want to be bailing hay.

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And everything in the vehicle line on the shortest notice, and at reasonable prices.

We also keep in stock the above articles, and all kinds of Wagon and Carriage Material.

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In all its branches. Farmers', Loggers', Mill and Contract Work, and Horseshoeing undertaken, Agricultural Implements, and everything in the blacksmith line made to order.

We also keep in stock to supply the trade,—Iron, Steel, Cumberland Coal, Chain, Horse and Ox Shoes, Steel and Iron Harrow Teeth, Harrows, Springs, Axles, and a complete stock of Carriage Hardware.

Having secured first-class workmen, we feel confident of giving satisfaction.

All material and work leaving the shop will be guaranteed first-class. Orders from the country promptly attended to.

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HAVING PURchased the stock of **Hardware, Paints, Oils, &c.,** of the Estate of Trapp Bros., we purpose offering to the Public VERY GREAT INDUCEMENTS in this branch of the Business, which we trust will secure the patronage of those residing on the Mainland.

We have bought a large and well-selected stock of **Shelf Hardware** in the eastern markets FOR CASH, which we expect to arrive in a few days, and our assortment will be, we consider, second to none in the country, and will be found complete in all the following branches: General and Shelf **Hardware,** Cross-cut **Saws, Paints** in all colors, Boiled & Raw **Linseed Oil** [English and American], **Dry Colors** in all kinds, **Wall Paper** and **Window Blinds, Oakum, Pitch,** Giant, Blasting and Sporting **Gunpowder, Fuse** and **Caps, Brushes** in Paint, White-wash, Scrubbing, Horse, Dandy and Whisk, and a full line of Table and Pocket **Cutlery.**

We purpose doing a CASH BUSINESS and all orders intrusted to us will be subject to a cash discount of 5 per cent.—our motto being, "Small Profits and Quick Returns."

Thanking the Public generally for the liberal patronage accorded to us in the past, we trust by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

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BY THE

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

Delivered in the City daily...25c. per week
Mailed daily, one year.....$10.00
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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, 10 cts. per line each insertion.

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

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 for each insertion; Funeral Notices in connection with deaths, 50 cts. each insertion.

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

THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Saturday Morning.

Delivered in the City, per year.....$3.00
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Cuts must be all metal, and for large cuts an extra rate will be charged. No advt. inserted in either issue for less than $1.

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Sept. 30, 1886.

For Sale 1000 ½-barrels and kits cheap. Apply at this office. ap10tc

The curse of journalism in Canada to-day is subserviency.—*Toronto World.*

The tea ship Zoroya has finished unloading and another vessel is expected daily.

Fall and Winter Millinery, direct from London, now opening at James Ellard & Co's. dse23tc

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

It is said the O. R. & N. Company's steamers will pass into the hands of the Northern Pacific next month.

In the absence of Messrs. Corbould & McColl from the city, Messrs. Black & Woods will conduct the business of the firm.

It is reported that Mr. Trutch will cease to act as agent for the Dominion Government in this province after to-morrow.

Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers, Wings, Tips, Aigrettes, &c., for Fall and Winter wear, at Jas. Ellard & Co's. dse23tc

Mantles, Cloaks, Dolmans, Paletots, Ulsters, Capes and Jackets for Ladies' Misses and Children, in the latest Fall and Winter styles, at James Ellard & Co's. dse23tc

The only objection we have heard to the railway so far was that of a small boy who said he understood there was to be a switch connected with it.

Three immense iron columns weighing 3000 lbs. each, were placed in position in the gasometer to-day. Three more will arrive from Victoria to-morrow.

Thirty tons eastern freight for this city was brought down from Port Hammond last night by the Yosemite. A considerable quantity also went to Victoria.

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

An English railway porter, whose wages were nineteen shillings per week, has just died and left a $20,000 surplus as the result of "tips" from passengers.

The amount of pressure per square foot with the wind blowing at 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, and 80 miles an hour is respectively 2, 4½, 8, 12½, 18, 25, and 32½ pounds.

In addition to our new stock of spring goods we have opened an invoice of Diagonals, West of England Broadcloths and French Cassimeres, as Walsh, the Model Tailor, Westminster, Manager. ap21tc

Sir John is said to have warned several of his confidential friends to be prepared for a general Dominion election if the Quebec government is sustained at the coming provincial election.

The tenacity with which people abide by their early faith in Ayer's Sarsaparilla can only be explained by the fact that it is the best blood medicine ever used, and is not approached in excellence by any new candidate for public favor.

From an advertisement in another column it will be seen that the annual exhibition of the British Columbia Agricultural Society opens at Victoria next Thursday. Exhibits must be entered not later than Wednesday, the 6th.

Mr. Zhinderajahcarlahbunburree, a Hindoo, reposes in the Louisville gaol with a charge of drunkenness against him. A single policeman escorted the distinguished foreigner to the station, but it required two patrol wagons to bring in his name.

The owners of the enjoined property between Port Moody and Vancouver have stopped the railway company's cars on terms on which they will settle. The total sum, according to the *News*, which is asked to be paid for the land is $250,000.

Reports from Metlakahtla state that Mr. Tuck has made no progress with his survey, as the Indians are constantly interfering with his operations. He persists in his efforts, however, and declared that he would survey the two miles if it Tuck all summer to do it.

When symptoms of malaria appear in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure at once, prevent the development of the disease, and continue until health is restored, as it surely will be upon the use of this remedy. A cure is warranted in every instance.

The Chicago excursionists who left this city for Victoria last Tuesday morning passed a resolution expressing the pleasure they had enjoyed on the trip. The resolution was headed, "Str. Yosemite off Vancouver." It must have been a good way off Vancouver at the time.

The report circulated some time ago that a constable's horse had been killed at Granite Creek by cowboys had no foundation. Some weeks ago Indians drove off two horses belonging to the constables there but the animals were subsequently recovered, and the story doubtless had its origin in this connection.

Mr W. R. Lazier, bailiff, etc., Belleville, writes: "I find Dr. Thomas Electric Oil the best medicine I have ever used in my stable. I have used it for bruises, scratches, wind puffs and cuts, and in every case it gave the best satisfaction. We use it as a household remedy for burns, colds, etc., and it is a perfect panacea. It will remove warts by paring them down and applying it occasionally."

THE RAILWAY WIRE.—A train came into the city last evening and switched off two boarding cars with the men on board who are putting up the railway telegraph line. The branch wire is now going up.

CUSTOMS.—For the month of September, ending to-day, the collections at this port were: Customs, $14,975.92; other revenues, $104.02; total, $15,079.04. For the same month last year, $8,198.58; increase, $6,881.36.

THE BRANCH.—About two-thirds of the branch is ballasted. The work had advanced to Senator McInnes' ranch yesterday. The steam shovel has been discarded at the gravel pit and a large force of Chinese is now doing the work.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The board of management of Royal Columbian hospital acknowledge with thanks the receipt of $24.25 from Mr. Hugh Boyd, collected at the North Arm settlement, Fraser river. Also $36 from Holy Trinity church, being proceeds of the harvest home festival.

TO BE HANGED.—It will be seen by reference to our morning despatches that the imperial authorities refuse to interfere in Sproule's behalf and the sentence of death must be carried out. The scaffold has been erected and all necessary arrangements made for the execution to-morrow morning.

A IMPORTANT TRANSFER.—An arrangement has been consummated whereby the Dominion government telegraph and signal service in this province will be transferred to the Canadian Pacific Railway to-morrow. We are glad to know that the old staff will be retained by the company.

SEIZED.—A trunk of jewelry samples which is valued at $3,000 has been seized by the customs authorities at Victoria. The trunk was the property of a commercial traveler representing the house of Julius Newman, San Francisco, and who values them at $575. The matter has been referred to Ottawa.

BUSINESS EXTENSION.—Messrs. Kelly Bros., proprietors of the West End bakery, announce that they have purchased the bakery lately owned by F. Kimble on Columbia street, and will keep both places open. They will also keep on hand a good stock of groceries. These enterprising young men deserve to succeed.

LUMBER SHIPMENT.—The Royal City Planing Mills Co. will ship to-night from the mill over the branch railway one car load of doors and windows and five cars of lumber. Their shipments are consigned to various stations along the line as far east as Calgary, and some of it goes as far as Montreal. This is the first shipment over the branch line, and it is an event worthy of being recorded.

ATTENTION.—Thirty days hath September (so remarked an old poet), and that is all. To-morrow will be the first of October, and that is the day all members should call (after 12 o'clock) and pay 50 cts. in advance to support the Public Library, as well as Henry W. Hughes, the librarian. This will save the latter the trouble of wearing out his Sunday boots in looking after members who are never in when wanted. *

SALMON PACK FOR 1886.—The salmon pack at Cook's Inlet, Alaska, is put down at 30,000 cases, and for the whole territory of Alaska, 150,000 cases. The latest San Francisco estimate of the coast for 1886 is as follows: Columbia river, 470,000 cases; other Oregon rivers, 15,000; British Columbia, 125,000; Alaska, 130,000; California, 40,000; total, 795,000. It is a little above the actual figures, though not much.

NORTHERN PACIFIC CONNECTION.—We understand that the O. R. & N. company's steamer Isabel is about ready for business, but that she will not be placed on the route between here and Victoria before the 12th of next month. It is more than likely that the Northern Pacific will thus give us direct communication with its line before the C. P. R., a benefit which the people not only of the city but of the district will not fail to appreciate.

THE HOSPITAL.—It will be seen from an advertisement in another column that the management of the Royal Columbian Hospital appeals to the public for assistance so as to enable the hospital to meet the increased demands made upon it. It is now three years since a public subscription has been circulated for this institution, and we hope the response will be so liberal as to place a most worthy institution beyond the reach of financial embarrassment.

Beautiful photographic panoramic views of British Columbia, 75 cts. per set at T. R. Pearson & Co.'s.

AN INDIAN OUTLAW.—The report comes from Granite Creek of an Indian who in wicked deeds outrivals his contemporary the Chilcotin outlaw. Recently he killed a brother Indian in a quarrel at Granite Creek, and this is said to be the eighth victim of his knife. He fled to the mountains, and has thus escaped the vengeance of the murdered man's friends and the officers of the law. It is conceded that it would be somewhat of a dangerous and difficult business to hunt him down in the mountains, and this, as in the Chilcotin case, will probably save his neck.

A NOTED LECTURER COMING.—The Rev. T. Bowman Stephenson, LL. D., of London, England, the representative of the British Wesleyan conference to the general conference of the Methodist church at its recent session in Toronto, is on his way to this province. Dr. Stephenson, who has the reputation of being a very eloquent speaker, will deliver a lecture in the Methodist church in this city on the evening of Thursday, the 7th proximo; subject, "Twenty Years Amid the Sins and Sorrows of Child Life in London." Dr. Stephenson will lecture in Victoria on the Sunday following.

Personal.

Miss Augusta Grant has returned from a visit to friends in Chilliwhack.

Mr. Picken, of the Vancouver *Herald*, came down on the Reliance to-day.

Mr. Horatio Webb and family, of Chilliwhack, left yesterday for the old country. They will probably be away about 12 months.

Opening of the Island Railway.

Special Dispatch.

NANAIMO, Sept. 30.—The first through passenger train on the Esquimalt-Nanaimo Ry. arrived here on time at 11:40 this a. m., bringing about 30 passengers and the mail. The fare from here to Victoria is $3. The train left on time for Victoria at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Barnhart, cor. Pratt and Broadway, has been a sufferer for twelve years through rheumatism, and has tried every remedy she could hear of, but received no benefit until she tried Dr. Thomas' Electic Oil; she says she cannot express the satisfaction she feels at having her pain entirely removed and her rheumatism cured. There are base imitations of this medicine for sale; see that you get Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

Latest by Telegraph

This Afternoon's Despatches.

Special to the Columbian.

MARBLEHEAD, Sept. 30.—The wind is light and from north east. The yachts will not race to-day. At 9 o'clock Capt. Stine boarded the Mayflower, her colors were hauled down and she was out of commission. The sails were set and a few minutes later she sailed out of the harbor. The race between the Mayflower and Galatea is now supposed to be off for good.

NEWHAVEN, CONN., Sept. 30.—At 10:10 this morning telegraph operators at Brantford and Bridgeport reported that slight shocks had just been felt at these places. At Wheeler & Wilson's sewing machine works in Bridgeport the shock was distinctly felt, windows of the shop being severely rattled.

BRANTFORD, ONT., Sept. 30.—Andrew Lucas, colored, died here this morning at the supposed age of 128 years. He was born in slavery in Tennessee, and was Gen. Jackson's servant.

SOFIA, Sept. 30.—Gen. Kaulbars today received a deputation of prominent Bulgarians who called upon him to endeavor to induce him to withdraw or modify his circular. The deputation was composed of 114 of the most respected and influential citizens of the principality, headed by Dr. Vaulticheff who acted as spokesman. He stated to Gen. Kaulbars that the circular had surprised the Bulgarian people and asked him to reconsider some of Russia's demands, particularly that for the postponment of the elections for two months. The nation was anxious to speedily settle the choice of the Prince to occupy the Bulgarian throne, in addition to that modification the Dr. said: People desired Russia to withdraw her demand for the immediate raising of the state seige, also the demand for the instant release of prisoners in custody for complicity in the *coup d'etat*. The continuance of a state of seige was the only guarantee the Government had for the preservation of peace which the rest of Europe desired as well as the Bulgarians. The Bulgarians believing that the Czar had no desire to prolong the crisis begged Gen. Kaulbars to telegraph to him to hasten the choice of a Prince. The constitution stipulated that a grand *sobranje* elected to select a ruler should meet within one month after the elections. In regard to the liberation of political prisoners Dr. Vaulticheff said, "it is a dangerous precedent to establish to liberate without trial or punishment those responsible for such momentous acts as the deposition and kidnapping of Prince Alexander, besides being contrary to the laws which are the safe-guards of the country. Moreover, if prisoners were released as demanded the probability was that the people would kill them in the streets. Such was the popular indignation against the imprisoned men. In conclusion the deputation assured Gen. Kaulbars that Bulgaria was thankful to the Czar for his past protection but maintained that the laws of the country must be respected. No other ministry than that at present could extricate the country from its present crisis." Gen. Kaulbars said in reply, Bulgarians knew very well that the Czar had their prosperity at heart, but he added, "they must confide in the Czar and carry out his wishes." Dr. Vaulticheff interrupted Gen. Kaulbars at this point, saying: "If that is all you have to say we will retire." The deputation then withdrew.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30.—The President to-day appointed Quincy A. Brooks to be a collector of customs for the district of Puget Sound.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 30.—The weather to-day is cloudy and cool, threatening rain. There has been no earthquake here since 10 o'clock Tuesday. Several persons say there were two slight tremors this morning about 6 o'clock but these reports have not been verified.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—It is said that the shocks felt in Westchester county and portions of eastern Connecticut this morning were due to an explosion of dynamite at Baychester, on the Westchester coast.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—A terrific explosion occurred at the Dilmer Powder works, Baychester, on the Harlem river branch of the New York and Few Haven railroad at 10 o'clock this morning, resulting in the instant death of four men employed in the factory. The explosion occurred in the packing-house, a one-story frame building, 20x30 feet, in the centre of the grounds and about 200 yards from the main factory. In a large building near the water, where the bulk of the giant powder and nitro-glycerine used for the new aqueduct works is manufactured, men were hard at work putting up and packing cartridges when suddenly and without warning the explosion occurred, shattering the building to splinters and blowing four men to fragments, exploding the powder, of which there was a large quantity. The men were shot up into the air as high as fifty feet, and splinters of the building blown over a mile distant. Nothing is left of the victims except fragments of their bodies. Legs, arms, pieces of skulls, backbones and charred bits of flesh are scattered in every direction from five to six hundred feet from the packing house. Max Cruger, foreman of the works, says the explosion was caused by two men shooting into the building. He was in the packing house at the time, and coming out found two men who said they were shooting squirrels. He says he threatened them with arrest, when they became impudent. When the explosion occurred the men were seen hurrying away. A large tree near by was torn up by the roots and the branches of other trees were blown off. The ground around for half a mile was strewn with fragments of the dead, splinters, packing papers, etc. The violence of the explosion shook houses and shattered windows miles away. This is the second explosion that has occurred in these works this year.

PESTH, Sept. 30.—Prime Minister Tessea, replying on behalf of the government to interpolations in the lower house of the Hungarian parliament, said Austro-Hungary intended to prevent any single power from establishing a protectorate over Bulgaria. "We want independence among the Balkan states," he continued, "without hurting any courteous designs toward any of them. No community of interest exists in the Balkans. The Austro-German alliance continues guarding the mutual conditions of existence without endangering the peace. Austro-Hungary will not allow any single power to make armed interference in Bulgaria. Austro-Hungary earnestly intends following this policy during these critical times."

SOFIA, Sept.—The Bulgarian ministry have decided to postpone their reply to Russia's note demanding as a condition of the czar's protection the raising of the state of siege, the liberation of political prisoners, and the freedom of all parties to vote in the election for members of the grand *sobranje* which is to choose a new prince. The ministry are not willing to flatly refuse Russia's demands, and have resolved to dispute them and to instruct someone to enter into negotiations with Gen. Kaulbars with a view to finding some other method of settlement between Russia and Bulgaria.

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Mrs. George M. Pullman, wife of the palace-car millionaire, travels in a train of four private cars—one a drawing room, for reception and reading purposes, with easy chairs, lounges, piano, etc.; another a dining car, equally elegant; another a sleeping car, perfect in its appointments; and another for the accommodation of six blooded trotters and carriage horses.

The new Irish Viceroy has a right to be angry. At a recent banquet the Earl of Carnarvon said that "In these days clergymen were expected to have the wisdom and learning of a Jeremy Taylor." The next day a newspaper reported him to have said:—"In these days clergymen were expected to have the wisdom and learning of a journeyman tailor."

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Beets	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Cabbage	"	1 00 @ 1 25
Onions	"	2 00 @ 3 00
Apples	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Pears	"	0 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Hay	per ton	12 00 @ 10 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb.	0 25 @ 0 30
Cheese	"	0 18 @ 0 19
Eggs	per doz.	0 28 @ 0 30
Geese	each	1 50 @ 1 75
Ducks	"	0 20 @ 0 25
Chickens	per pair	0 75 @ 1 00
Turkeys	per lb.	0 20 @ 0 25
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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 D. WILSON, fe23-tc Secretary.

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NOTICE.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Reserve placed upon Section 4, Block 4 North, Range 7 West, has been cancelled, and that three months from the date hereof the land will be open to purchase.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 1st, 1886. dse4m1

TO THE PUBLIC

Royal Columbian Hospital

OWING TO THE LARGE INcrease in the number of patients received at the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, during the last year, the Board of Directors find it necessary to appeal to the public for assistance. In view of the fact that the disbursements for the last six months have been in excess of the revenue, and that no public subscriptions have been solicited during the past three years, the Board are compelled to make this appeal.

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Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Sept. 30, 1886.

Latest by Telegraph

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Special to the Columbian.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—The City of New York arrived this morning, bringing Hong Kong dates to Sept. 2nd and Yokohama to the 11th. On the morning of Aug. 13 a band of brigands made a descent upon the leading pawn shops of Huchana and murdered the proprietors and 47 employes. The robbers were all arrested.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—The British ship Endora has been chartered by the Canadian Pacific railway to carry tea from Yokohama to Vancouver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—The *Alta* says a despatch has been received here from Mr. Lamont, President Cleveland's private secretary, stating that the president had requested the imperial government to interfere to save the life of Sproule, the American citizen condemned to be hanged on Friday next in British Columbia, and that the president is very hopeful of success.

LATER—A despatch from Washington says: Sproule, the American who was convicted in British Columbia of murder, and whose sentence of death was suspended during an appeal to the courts at Ottawa and afterwards to the Privy Council of Great Britain, will probably be executed on the 1st of October, the date to which he was respited. The state department has exerted itself in his behalf, but has today been informed from London that the representations in Sproule's behalf have not been considered sufficiently weighty to overturn the verdict or longer to postpone the execution of the sentence.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 29.—The editor of the McLeod *Gazette* wires the *Manitoban* that no massacre has occurred and everything is quiet there, the Bloods being on their reserve. He adds: "The rumor probably originated from the killing of Bloods in Montana some time ago."

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—Cholera is still raging throughout Japan, the proportion of deaths to cases being very heavy. Between Aug. 28th and Sept. 5th, inclusive, 9 days, 13,348 new cases were reported. Deaths during the same period numbered 8,472. In Tokio alone during the 9 days there were 2352 new cases. The 8472 deaths were over 63 per cent. of those attacked. An examination of the wells in Tokio was made, and 740 of 1176 were condemned as unfit for drinking purposes.

At Canton on Aug. 27th a Chinese woman aged only 18 underwent the *ling chie* execution, in which while still living one piece of the body after another is cut away until it is divided up into exactly one thousand pieces. The victims, as in this case, always die from loss of blood before the horrible butchery is completed. The woman was charged with having poisoned her husband and three relatives, but although it was shown on examination that she was innocent of the offense, the people of the district insisted upon her execution, which the viceroy finally ordered.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The steamer Suffolk, which went ashore on Lizard Point, remains intact. Some of the cattle are still alive. Three hundred sacks of flour have been washed ashore.

VIENNA, Sept. 29.—The reichstag assembled to-day. In the lower house Deputy Heilsberg asked Prime Minister Von Taffe whether the government was disposed to characterize as positively idle inventions the rumors to the effect that a change has taken place in the relations between Austria and Germany because of Germany's support of Russia in Bulgaria. The *Free Press* says: "Bismarck's greatest connivance cannot destroy the elements of antagonism between Germans and pan-sclavists. Their natural sentiments will assert themselves, and Germany is not willing that Russia shall some day comprise the whole of Asia, and thus be able to put the greatest power in the world at the disposal of the pan-sclavists.

BORDEAUX, Sept. 29.—MM. Braulat and Dupré, rival editors of this city, yesterday fought their second duel to satisfy a mutual grudge. The first duel was fought on Monday, with swords. In the combat one broke his weapon, and the battle was declared a draw. In yesterday's duel pistols were used. At 20 paces each fired two shots without effect, and the second battle was also declared a draw.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Sir Reginald Hanson has been elected lord mayor of London.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 29.—Reports from all over the republic show heavy rains to have fallen everywhere, doing great good in forwarding the crops. In this city the rain flooded the streets in many places, necessitating the use of fire engines to pump out stores. The predicted earthquake did not take place, but the volcano of Calima is again in a state of eruption, with huge white clouds overhanging the summit, causing great terror among the inhabitants of the neighboring village. This is the third time within a year that this volcano has become active. The eruption is plainly visible from the city of Colema, on the Pacific coast, and unusual meteorological disturbances have been noted in that city.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—Gen Boulanger desiring to secure from the Government an appropriation of $20,000,000 for the new explosive bomb, recently invited the budget committee to witness an experiment he was carrying on in private. Experiments were made with a monster mortar designed as a type for the destruction of fortifications. A missile thrown was exploded with exceedingly destructive effect. It is charged with a new explosive, the composition of which Gen. Boulanger and his associates alone possess the secret. The compound, however, is admitted to have all the powers of gunpowder, with none of its defects, and is said in addition to be easily transported and to be free from liability to spontaneous ignition. It is stated that the budget committee were highly pleased with the result of the explosion, and promised to fully support Gen. Boulanger's demand for a large special appropriation.

BELFAST, Sept. 29.—There was desperate fighting to-day between Protestant and Catholic workmen at Barbour's foundry in this city. The police interfered, when the fighters joined issues, stoned and routed the police. Cavalry which were summoned, charged upon and dispersed the mob. Scores of rioters and several policemen were injured.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—A duel was fought to-day at Montpelier between M. Gariel, an editor, and Capt. Valicourt, of the French army. The quarrel was over an editorial criticism upon certain features of the army maneuvers. Capt. Valicourt was wounded four times by the editor, and his condition is precarious.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Advices from Vladivostock state that cholera attacked a foreign colony there early in September and that since that time 73 persons have died of the disease.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—China intends to issue a loan for $50,000,000 for the construction of railways in the empire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—Thos. Curley, an iron moulder aged 24, while on his way to the Western Hotel on Broadway street near Sansome yesterday morning was assaulted, beaten and robbed by four men. He died from the effects of his injuries this morning. His assailants are unknown. Detectives are investigating the case.

Bachelors' Ball.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

NORTH ARM, Sept. 28.—A most elegant entertainment was given last night by a select number of bachelors to the ladies of this settlement, in one of the spacious apartments of the Richmond cannery buildings, which was brilliantly lighted by innumerable lamps and profusely and tastefully decorated with evergreens, flowers and mottoes. Dancing began at 8:30 p. m., and was kept up with undiminished ardor until 5 a. m. this morning. The supper was of a most *recherche* description, combining the most savory solidities with the most refined delicacies, to which the votaries of Terpsichore did ample justice. The ladies showed their appreciation of the efforts made to give them pleasure by mustering strongly both in beauty and numbers and by evincing remarkable energy in the indefatigable manner in which they trod the floor on the "light fantastic." When the hour of separation arrived the unanimous opinion of all, both male and female, was that the gathering had proved an unmitigated success and that great credit was due to the committee of managment for their design so skilfully planned and so successfully executed, and all united in the hope that the coming winter might be made happy by a quick succession of evenings spent similarly.

Sumas Methodist Church.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

SUMAS, Sept. 28.—This new building was dedicated to the Worship of Almighty God last Sunday by Rev C. Watson, District Superintendant, who preached two eloquent sermons. At the 11 o'clock service the sacred edifice was crowded, and at the close the trustees approached the communion rail and through their Sec.-Treas., D. McGillivray, Esq., Reeve, formally presented the building to the Rev. Mr. Watson on behalf of the Methodist Church.

The opening dinner at 2 p.m., Saturday, was largely attended, the tables being thrice filled, and, as might be expected from the Sumas ladies, a most sumptuous repast was spread. After the dinner, which was served in the lecture-room a meeting was convened in the church, the Rev. C. Bryant, pastor, in the chair. The choir rendered excellent music and platform and pulpit were beautifully decorated with choice plants and flowers. The financial statement of the trustees being read by Mr. McGillivray, the Rev. Mr. Watson proceeded to plead with his wonted ability for the entire removal of the debt. The cost of erection amounted to $1600 and $400 had to be raised, that is beyond the cash and subscriptions already received. But Mr. W. had not finished his address ere new contributions were handed in, from the $1 offerings of little boys and girls who ran forward with their gifts to the Secretary's table, up to donations of $25 each, and the result, together with the collections on Sunday, must have been very gratifying to the trustees and all concerned.

The church is situate near the Methodist parsonage upon a site presented by G. W. Chadsey, Esq. Its design is according to plans furnished by the M. E. Church of Philadelphia, U. S., and consists of a main audience-room 24x48 ft., and a lecture-room 18x24 ft., which forms a wing to the east side of the building, the front facing the south. There is a tower 40 feet high at the intersection of the church and lecture-room, which has at the top of the spire an ornamental weather-vane. The lower part of the tower forms a vestibule or entrance to both parts of the building. The interior is nearly finished and seated, reflecting credit upon the contractor, Mr. O. B. Ackerman, of Upper Sumas.

The trustees have yet to provide fences and a driving-shed, besides such conveniences as heating apparatus and lamps for the interior of the building. When these improvements are completed the Sumas settlement may be congratulated upon having a very commodious church property and one which does honor to those who have assisted in its acquisition.

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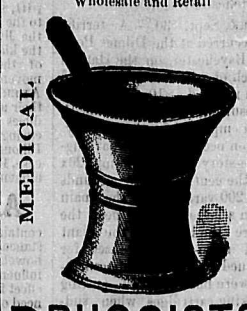

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By Command, JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary. Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, B. C., 6th Sept., 1886. dselim1

NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT of Nanaimo will be held at Comox on Tuesday, the 12th October, 1886.

And sittings of the County Court of Cariboo will be held—

At Richfield—Monday, 11th October, 1886.

At Quesnellemouth—Thursday, 14th October, 1886.

At Soda Creek—Saturday, 16th October, 1886.

At Lillooet—Wednesday, 27th Oct., 1886.

At Clinton—Monday, 8th November, 1886.

By Command, JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary. Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23rd, 1886. dse27w2

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