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Municipal Institutions.

There are within the District of New Westminster six municipalities, not counting the one in this city, and there is room for more. It would be unfair to judge of the usefulness of these institutions by the practical results already attained. More or less stumbling and tumbling during the baby-hood period of such institutions appears to be inevitable; and it is a notable circumstance that a greater amount of that sort of thing has developed itself in the city municipality than in any—may we not say all?—of the rural ones. It would almost seem as if the city would never emerge from its baby-hood period in this respect. There need be no hesitation whatever in attributing the want of more satisfactory results to indifference on the part of the rate-payers themselves—indifference as to the choice of councillors, and indifference as to the manner in which they discharge their duties after election. "Like master like man." An indifferent master makes an indifferent servant. Considering the large taxing powers and the large revenues at their disposal, it is surprising that greater importance has not been attached to the position in this city. If rate-payers were as zealous in seeking out and electing the best men and strengthening their hands in doing right after election as the bulk of them would appear to be in finding fault with what is done, very much more gratifying results would undoubtedly follow, and this community would not be the laughing stock, as has sometimes been the case, to surrounding ones in respect of its municipal administration. It would be, as it ought, a pattern for others. But the main object of this article is not to lecture either town or country corporations, but rather to endeavor to impress both with the increasingly important functions that both are sure to be called upon to exercise in the near future. British Columbia is, so to speak, just emerging from the chrysalis state. With the rapid progress and early completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and with branch and connecting railways about to be undertaken, this part of the Province more than any other will bound onward and upward. It becomes, therefore, the paramount duty of the communities throughout the Province, but (for reasons stated) more particularly those on the Lower Fraser, to set their houses in order for the coming tide by which they shall be borne on to fortune or left like stranded crabs, according as they improve or neglect the golden opportunity. Adverting more particularly to rural municipalities, we believe the time has arrived when it should be seriously considered whether it would not be conducive to economy and the best interests of the country that to the various corporations should be delegated the responsibility of expending legislative grants for roads, &c., within their bounds. It seems perfectly clear to our mind that if councils are composed of the best men to be found in the respective localities, they must constitute the best medium for such expenditures. Being on the spot, they ought to constitute the best judges, and having a direct personal interest in the money being laid out to the best possible advantage, they ought to be capable of attaining the most satisfactory results. This is bringing self-government right down to every man's door; and that is just what should be aimed at. In proportion as this is done will the corrupt employment of revenue and the bungling and uneconomical prosecution of public works by the central Government disappear.

A British Diplomatic Triumph.

The *Debats*, commenting on the triumph of English diplomacy at Constantinople, says:—"One fact is beyond doubt, viz., that England is now quite unfettered.....The Premier does not appear inclined to make Egypt a British province, but he evidently means to subject it to the exclusive ascendancy of England. It is true he has accepted Italy's proposals for insuring the protection of the Suez Canal, but too much importance must not be attached to this concession, for it is qualified by one of those reservations as to uncontrollable circumstances which English diplomacy knows how to turn to such good account." The *Francais* points out that Mr. Gladstone in his Mansion House speech adopted M. Waddington's Berlin phrase with a significant variation:—"Our ministers boasted of having come out of the European crisis with clean hands. Mr. Gladstone, more practical, contents himself with saying that he enters Egypt with clean hands; he does not engage to come away so. The difference is noteworthy, and contains a somewhat impertinent irony directed at the artless candor of our Republican diplomacy." The *Temps*, which a week or two ago was convinced that Germany would never allow England to have all her own way in Egypt, now takes note that Turkey is left in the lurch and is making concession after concession. It regrets Mr. Gladstone's brevity as to the wider field opened up for England. "He did not indicate where he fixed its limits, nor did he say whether in his opinion England was to have the whole course to herself, or whether she meant to invite the other European powers to enter the field with her." The *Grenzbote*, which is inspired by the Berlin Government, publishes an article on the Egyptian question, in which it is stated that though public opinion in Germany is, on the whole, hostile to England, the German Government is obliged to take a different view of the question. The Foreign Office at Berlin cannot risk the loss of its good relations with any of the other Powers by paralyzing and countenancing their policy without being absolutely forced to do so. Germany is, in the present case, only a spectator, not an actor, and has no call to act the schoolmaster or moralizer. She has neither the wish nor the right to play the part of a censor in Europe, and to lay down rules for other Powers in affairs in which she herself is uninterested, as France did before 1870. The security of the traffic through the Suez Canal is a question of the highest importance for England, whereas Germany has scarcely any interest in it. The German Government has only to protect its own interests, not those of other Powers, and it will, therefore, neither give a mandate to England to act on the Nile without the cooperation of the Porte nor hinder England doing there what she thinks necessary for the British interests. Germany would only think it her duty to interfere if her own interests were menaced. This eventuality has as yet not been realized; should this be the case, then Germany will have plenty of time to take her resolutions, which would have only one aim in view, the preservation of peace in Europe.

Cross and Crescent.

Rev. John Hemphill Becomes Enthusiastic Over English Exploits.

(San Francisco Morning Call.)

Rev. John Hemphill delivered the first of a series of lectures on "Egypt," last evening, at Calvary Church, to a large congregation. "Human history," said Mr. Hemphill, "is the fulfilment of divine prophecy. God, speaking through Ezekiel, predicted that Egypt should be laid waste by the hands of strangers, and become the basest of nations, and to-day we find the prophecy fulfilled, for where on the face of earth is to be found a baser nation than Egypt, although it was not always so. Alexander the Great was the first conquerer of this strange lotus land, and near the waters of the grand old Nile he founded the majestic city of Alexander—complete and superb—where flocked the artists, the philosophers and learned men from all portions of the earth. For centuries it was the center of art, science and literature. Its name was connected with great men and great historical events. Since the time of the Macedonian, Alexandria has had many rulers from among the nations of the earth; Christians and Mohammedans have alternately reigned over its people, and once more the sons of Pan and Jaffa, the east and the west, have met in murderous conflict on its shores. A nation not yet born when Alexandria was in its zenith is now in possession of its streets, its yellow domes and numerous mosques. It at one time seemed as if the religion of Mohammed would absorb that of the Cross, and for centuries has the scourge been permitted to have foothold in Egypt, but its glory and its power have now passed away. The boom of English cannon, battering down the fortifications of Islam, has reverberated throughout the world. They tell us that the glory of England has departed. I do not think so. The roar of her artillery is a pledge that she will in the future, as in the past, protect her countrymen. England is a glorious land, where law never becomes tyranny, and where liberty and Christianity reign supreme. Waves of successive revolutions have struck her shores and recoiled shattered. England, be thine to guard the light from all eclipse, and carry into the land of Moses God's grand truths. Avenge the massacre of thy slaughtered sons and daughters, shelter the oppressed, extend thy commerce, fight the battles of the Son of God and bless the world."

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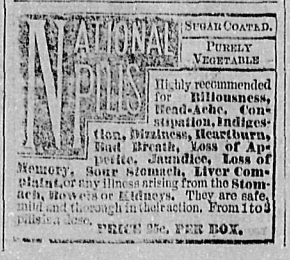

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Three Theories Considered.

How most economically and effectually to prevent the Lower Fraser overflowing its banks during spring freshets is indeed a question of profound importance; and, as is sure to be the case, there exists some diversity of opinion on the subject. Undoubtedly the popular theory is dyking, and some of the settlers largely interested have been recently engaged in what appears to have been a methodical and thorough examination of the shore, with a view to ascertaining with some degree of approximation the feasibility of the thing. While the final report made at a public meeting held in Chilliwhack a week or ten days ago leaves the impression on one's mind that the difficulties are greater than had been supposed, still we should be sorry indeed to indite one word of a discouraging nature. The object to be attained is far too important to justify one in suggesting the idea of impossibility. "Impossibility!" Let there be no such word. But while the preliminary steps for testing this question by a critical scientific examination are in course of development, it may not be deemed improper, it may be profitable, to consider other schemes looking to the same end. It will be remembered that, at the assizes in this city a few months ago, the Hon. Mr. Justice Gray propounded another theory,—that of keeping the channel clear by the removal of snags and other obstructions to the free flow of the river on its way to the sea. This proposition did not impress us very favorably at first; but the more it is considered the more appears to be in it. As an abstract theory it is undoubtedly correct; but when one comes to consider how far the theory is practicable as applied to that portion of the river to be affected one cannot help experiencing considerable misgiving as to its practicability, within reasonable bounds as to its cost, of course. Still this theory ought not to be lost sight of by any means, more especially as, it might be made auxiliary to another. But a third scheme has been suggested to us, and to submit it to the public criticism is the immediate object of the present writing. The river Serpentine takes its rise in low land nearly opposite Katsey, and within less than a mile of the Fraser. It falls into the ocean at the head of Boundary Bay. The distance from the point indicated on the Fraser to Boundary Bay is, as the crow flies, a little under ten miles. By the winding of the Serpentine the distance would probably be a little over ten miles. From the same point the distance by the Fraser to the sea is about thirty miles. Now, it will be seen that from a common point on the south bank of the Fraser opposite Katsey the distance to the sea is ten miles by the Serpentine and thirty miles by the Fraser. The proposition we have to submit is simply this: Cut a temporary and inexpensive canal so as to connect the Fraser with the Serpentine, thereby conducting a portion of the waters of the former into the latter, thus creating what the miners call a "draw-off." The water thus let in from the Fraser would, it is submitted, scour out a channel, until it is presumable that, say, one-third of the waters of the Fraser would find their way to the ocean through that shorter channel. It is quite clear that the fall, being compressed into one-third the distance, would be greater on the Serpentine than on the Fraser—a circumstance highly favorable to the scheme. It is contended that the effect of the "draw-off" thus created would be effectually to prevent the river overflowing its banks above that point, and it is here that Mr. Justice Gray's scheme would come into play as a valuable auxiliary. The theory is not our own. It has been submitted to us by Mr. H. P. Bales, who has very practical ideas about such matters, and we believe it to be deserving of serious consideration. If the theory be sound, and there seems to be little room for doubt on that point, this presents by far the most effective and inexpensive method of accomplishing the important object in view. Of course, we assume that no injury to the country drained by the Serpentine would ensue from carrying a portion of the waters of the Fraser that way. We are led to believe that, on the contrary, such a scheme would prove a great advantage to that splendid sweep of country, by establishing navigation right through it, and bringing it into more intimate relations with valuable sea-fisheries. Should it be found, however, that the reverse would be the case, that it would injuriously affect the country through which the Serpentine pursues its devious way to the sea, that would, of course, be a matter entitled to the fullest consideration. It would be indeed poor satisfaction to benefit one settlement by injuring another. The matter is now open for discussion, and we shall be glad to receive practical ideas sententiously expressed from anyone who can throw any light on it.

White vs. Chinese Labor.

There are those who have stoutly contended, and still contend, that certain industries cannot be successfully carried on in this country, indeed on this coast, without Chinese labor. We shall confine the present remarks to two—cigar-making and fish-canning. It has been broadly held that the cheaper labor and more nimble fingers of the Mongol are essential to the manufacture of cigars on the Pacific coast—that is, so as to compete successfully with other countries. Acting under that conviction those embarking in cigar-making in San Francisco employed Chinese labor almost exclusively. But, as has been the case in boot and shoe making, in tailoring and other branches of industry in San Francisco, "John" has to a great extent advanced from the position of employee to that of boss manufacturer, and it is an undeniable fact that the great bulk of the cigars manufactured in San Francisco today are not only manipulated by Mongolian fingers but are the product of Chinese establishments. Two or three years ago Mr. John Kurtz embarked in the manufacture of cigar at Victoria, and he courageously inscribed "No Chinese Labor" on his trade-mark. Friends doubted. Wise ones predicted failure. "You cannot," said they, "compete with Chinese labor in San Francisco. Much less can you hope to compete with Chinese labor in Victoria." But Mr. Kurtz was not to be discouraged in this way. He had faith in white, free labor, and he pressed onward, adhering faithfully to his vow that no slave or Mongolian labor should be applied to the production of his cigars. And what has been the result? The favorite cigar in British Columbia to-day is the Kurtz cigar. It is to be found in every respectable establishment where cigars are kept and *connoisseurs* ask for it. There are to be found plenty of cigars manufactured by Chinese in San Francisco and in Victoria, and some of them have very fine names too; but no *connoisseur* who has smoked the Kurtz cigar would tolerate them. Not only has Mr. Kurtz' adventure been entirely successful in so far as producing a first-rate article is concerned, but he has been successful in securing the best trade of the country and, what is of vital importance, in demonstrating that the thing can be done with white labor at a satisfactory profit. In fact he has practically pushed Chinese cigar-making to the wall. On patriotic grounds he would have a right to appeal to the country. But he has no need to do that. The superior quality of his cigars appeals irresistibly to the taste of the smoker. O! for a Kurtz in the canning business! We are persuaded that precisely the same results would follow, in so far as demonstrating the fact that white labor is preferable to the Chinese labor is concerned.

Another Instance.

It is about two months since one of the Judges treated New Westminster in such an extraordinary and cavalier way in regard to County Court. The day, appointed by himself, arrived; the witnesses, suitors, &c., were all in attendance, and the Judge deliberately walked away without even deigning a word of explanation! Another case somewhat similar has just occurred at Yale. County Court was appointed to be held on the 11th. The parties were duly summoned. Suitors were there; counsel was there, in some instances at considerable expense. But there was no Judge and no explanation; and so the lawyers and their clients returned home wiser and poorer, if not better men. This sort of thing is becoming monotonous. There are four Judges crowded into Victoria (Mr. Walkem among the rest), and the Mainland must even go without justice!

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GENTLEMEN:—I TAKE THIS mode of expressing my thanks for the honor you have once more conferred by returning me with an immense majority to represent you in the Dominion Parliament.

Four times have I contested your district; but never before have I been returned by so large a proportion of the vote. This I deem especially gratifying, for I consider it the means taken by you to show your appreciation of my services. I sincerely hope that the course I may pursue during the next term will be such as to meet with your approbation, and that you will have no cause to think I have relaxed my efforts in the least to promote the various interests of the district.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your Obedient Servant,
F. J. BARNARD.

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETing of the Burrard Inlet Fishing Co. (Limited) will be held at the offices of the Company on the 4th day of October next, at 1 p. m., for the election of Trustees and passage of Bylaws, and at the same time a proposition will be laid before the meeting to take into consideration the advisability of increasing the capital of the said Company to $50,000, in accordance with the 41st Section of the Companies Act, 1878.

B. W. PEARSE,
C. A. VERNON,
By his Attorney in fact,
B. W. PEARSE,
Trustees.
JAMES L. RAYMUR,
Secretary

Burrard Inlet, B.C., Aug. 31, 1882. se6

--RECEPTION--

OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE

-Governor-General-

AND HER ROYAL HIGHNESS

The Princess Louise

RECEPTION COMMITTEE:

L R McInnes, M. D., Mayor.
Councillor James Cunningham
" David Curtis
" D W Shiles
" William Johnston
" H V Edmonds
" Henry Mathers
Hon Thos R McInnes
Hon Hugh Nelson
J A R Homer, Esq., M P
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Sec. Pro Tem.

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LOST

ON 19TH AUGUST, BANK OF British Columbia Certificate of Deposit, No. 21-75, in favor of Carl Ericksen, for $60. Payment of this certificate has been stopped. The finder will be suitably rewarded upon handing the same to the Bank of British Columbia.

New West., Aug. 26, 1882. au30tc

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a Railway from a point in the City of New Westminster to some point near the 49th parallel, north latitude, between Semiahmoo Bay and Township Sixteen in the District of New Westminster, British Columbia.

GORDON E. CORBOULD,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

New West., Sept. 1, 1882. se2

(Government Gazette please copy.)

Administratrix Notice.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Re ROBERT JOHNSON, late of Brownsville, District of New Westminster, deceased intestate.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Estate of the late Robert Johnson are required to send in the same on or before the 15th day of September, 1882, to the Administratrix, Mrs. A. M. Johnson, New Westminster.

All persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the said Administratrix on or before the 15th day of September, 1882.

Dated at New Westminster the 21st August, 1882.

A. M. JOHNSON,
Administratrix.

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WILLIAM ROSS,
PROPRIETOR.

Port Haney, Sept. 5, 1882. se6

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E. ROBSON,
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New West., July 20, 1882. jy22

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Resources of the Company as at 31st December, 1881.

I. Subscribed Capital—			
Paid-up.....	£ 500,000	0	0
Uncalled	1,500,000	0	0
	£2,000,000	0	0
II. Fire Fund—			
Reserve.....	£844,576	19	11
Premium Reserve.	319,551	7	0
Balance of Profit and Loss Account.....	54,367	7	1
	£1,218,495	14	0
III. Life Fund—			
Accumulated Fund of the Life Branch..	£3,112,590	7	8
Accumulated Fund of the Annuity Branch..	395,515	3	4
	£3,508,105	11	0
IV. Revenue for the Year 1881—			
Fire Branch— Premiums and Interest	£1,024,460	16	11
Life and Annuity Branches—Premiums and Interest	478,825	14	5
	£1,503,286	11	5

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The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, Sept. 13, 1882.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamship VICTORIA, from San Francisco, Sept. 11—A Onderdonk, B C Packing Co, C McNaughten, F A Hubbard, T R Pearson, J A R Homer, J Irvine, Jas Cunningham, J McKee, Rev Hall's, Trapp Bros, W B Kyle, W H Keary, W Blackie. From Portland—A Onderdonk, C G M, C McDonough, F Eickhoff, J W, J A R Homer.

MARRIED.

On the 5th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, New Westminster, by the Rev. E. Robson, Russell Smither to Mary, third daughter of S. Holt, Esq.

On Sunday, Sept. 10, by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of New Westminster, assisted by the Rev. T. H. Gilbert of Maple Ridge, at St. Thomas' Church, Chilliwhack, Mr. J. W. Sinclair, of Langley, to Annie Isabel Irving, third daughter of Adam Irving, Esq., of Maple Ridge.

Arabi Pasha is reported ill with dysentery.

H. M. S. Comus arrived at San Francisco on Monday.

F. J. Barnard, Esq., M. P., left for San Francisco on Monday.

Mr. Maloney is making very rapid progress with the new steamer.

The steamer Ada, Capt. Rogers, returned from Nanaimo on Saturday.

Mr. Spurgeon's sermons have been translated into the Russian language.

Mr. Barnard, in a card elsewhere, thanks the electors of Yale-Kootenay.

The Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise should be in San Francisco to-day.

The Edmonton *Bulletin* says carpenters get from $3 to $4.50 per day in Edmonton.

Military drill is systematically taught in 1,172 schools in England and cookery in 300.

Wm. Yeats, an old Cariboo miner, died in the Royal Hospital, Victoria, on Monday.

The members of the Excelsior Band give a social dance at the Drill Shed this evening.

The chain gang force is doing splendid work on the Sapperton end of Port Moody road.

To-day the nomination for a Councillor to fill the vacancy in St. George's Ward takes place.

At Creedmore the shooting was, according to latest accounts, vastly in favor of the British.

Two hundred cattle were killed by an accident on the Canadian Grand Trunk Railway on the 22nd ult.

Mr. H. Nathan, ex-M. P. for Victoria, arrived in that city from England, *via* Manitoba, on Monday.

It is said that quite a large excursion party will come over from Portland to see the Vice-Regal arrivals.

The British Association for the Advancement of Science has decided to meet at Montreal, Canada, in 1884.

The steamers Wm. Irving and Gertrude returned from Yale on Monday evening with passengers and freight.

Among the 575,000 Indians reported in the United States, there are 219 churches and 30,000 church members.

The steamer Princess Louise, Capt. Lewis, came up from Victoria yesterday for a load of Fraser river salmon.

The contract for the new Dominion buildings at Nanaimo has been awarded to Messrs. Smith & Clark, of Victoria.

There is reason to fear that the past three days' rains will have operated prejudicially to the harvesting of grain.

Wouldn't it be better that the rural municipalities should join with the City Council in the reception and address?

The little daughter of Mayor Shakespeare will present a bouquet to the Princess Louise on her arrival at Victoria.

The steamer Enterprise, Capt. Gardiner, arrived from Victoria at 3:20 p.m., yesterday with passengers and freight.

The steamship Victoria lay off the B. C. Packing Co.'s cannery yesterday and took on board a large quantity of salmon.

The schooner Juanita, Capt. Greenwood, arrived from Nanaimo the other day, coal-laden. She sailed again on Saturday.

All the dismissed Irish constables, excepting seventeen bad characters, have been reinstated, and a better tone prevails.

The United States Postoffice Department has turned into the Treasury a surplus of a million dollars for the last fiscal year.

The *Colonist* says six young ladies selected by Mrs. Cornwall will receive H. R. H. the Princess Louise at Government House.

We understand both of Mr. Deane's new stores in the brick block have been let—one for a grocery and the other for a drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunsmuir and family are expected to reach their home at Nanaimo to-morrow, having completed their continental tour.

The grand total of Arabi Pasha's army is as follows. Infantry, 44,600; cavalry, 18,000; guns, 143; rocket tubes, 18; Bedouins, 3,050.

According to an official statement 103,000 out of the 124,902 persons representing the entire population of the Fiji Islands, are Wesleyans.

Major-General Schofield is to relieve General McDowell in command of the Pacific Division. The latter will retire from active service.

The British forces at Kassassin took on Saturday numbered 15,000, with 50 guns. An attack on the enemy was expected to be made on Monday.

The Reception Committee meets tomorrow night, when it is important there should be a large attendance, as the estimates are to be disposed of.

The last census gives Portland only 18,000, including Chinese. It is contended that it is all of 25,000, the census to the contrary notwithstanding.

Dr. Bliss asks $25,000 for services which some openly allege cost Garfield his life. Guiteau's share in the transaction cost the nation more than that.

Hon. A. N. Richards has recently come over to Ontario with his family, and will most likely return to British Columbia next spring and take up his residence in this city.

The Winnipeg *Times* says quite a number of settlers are drifting into Calgarry from British Columbia. Several parties have arrived lately—all good, industrious and able men.

The new school-house was occupied for the first time on Monday. Both teachers and pupils are very much pleased with it. The seating is a vast improvement on that of the old.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has headed with a liberal amount the subscription list for the purchase of an extensive block of buildings in London for the use of the Salvation Army.

It was the Governor-General who christened the capital of the North-West "Regina." It is said there exists some dissatisfaction among the people, who desired it to be called "Leopold."

A painful rumor comes to us to the effect that the Langley Municipal Council has fallen into a condition of partial disorganization. We sincerely hope the rumor may prove to be groundless.

It is probable that the next general conference of the Evangelical Alliance will meet in Stockholm, Sweden, in September, 1883. The Queen of Sweden is warmly interested in the work of the Alliance.

The General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, while deprecating the means and methods of the Salvation Army, prayed that the church would adopt similar determination and vigor and spirit of prayer.

Last week a committee appointed by the Alaska excursionists presented Capt. Carroll of the steamship Idaho with a splendid gold watch valued at $275, as a token of appreciation of his attention to their comfort.

It will be grieving to many of our local readers to learn that Mrs. Lenihan, wife of the ex-Indian Commissioner, has been very ill for the past five or six months. According to late accounts, she was recovering.

We beg to direct the attention of the Board of Works to the imperfect drainage at Mr. Harvey's corner and Mr. Chisholm's corner, respectively, where, in case of heavy rain, the footpath is generally rendered impassable.

The R. P. Richet and the Western Slope came up from Victoria on Saturday evening. The former continued on to Yale. The latter transferred her freight and passengers to the Gertrude, returning to Victoria on Monday.

The Archbishop of Paris has issued a pastoral letter deploring the secularization of educating and charging parents to undertake personally the religious instruction of their children in places where no educational provision beyond the State school exists.

Capt. Shaw, chief officer of the London fire brigade, accompanies the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise to San Francisco, by invitation. He is visiting the chief cities of the United States for the purpose of studying the principles and practice of fire extinguishment.

Some Indians found the body of a man floating in the river, about three miles below this city, late yesterday afternoon. They reported the fact to Mr. J. C. Hughes, Government agent, last evening, and delivered up to him a silver watch and a small sum of money found on the body.

The coal mine on the Westwood estate near Nanaimo, recently purchased by Mr. Wingate for Mr. R. D. Chandler of San Francisco, is about to be opened. We understand that the resident business manager will be Mr. Wm. S. Chandler, who recently found a fair bride in this city.

The Railway Mission.—The Cowley Fathers appear to have been doing good work along the line of railway. During the remainder of the season they will be chiefly occupied on the portion of the line between Emory and Port Moody.

Attack and Repulse. — At daybreak on Saturday the enemy made an attack on the British forces at Kassassin. Gen. Willis advanced and repulsed them. The British loss is roughly estimated at 100 killed and wounded—that of the enemy very much larger.

From San Francisco.—The steamship Victoria, Capt. Reichman, arrived from San Francisco via Portland on Monday, bringing a number of passengers and 120 tons of freight. She left for Nanaimo yesterday. The list of consignees will be found under the proper head.

S. Margaret's, Anfield, Liverpool.—At the dedication festival of this church there was an interesting gathering of old British Columbians, for in addition to the Rector, the Rev. John Sheepshanks, there were present at one or other of the services the Ven. Archdeacon Woods, and the Rev. R. J. Dundas, Rector of Albury, formerly of S. John's, Victoria.—*Churchman's Gazette.*

Australia Wine.—France has found a formidable rival in Australia. Recently some of the best French clarets and Chateau Margau and an Australian claret of four or five years old were sampled by a jury of experts. They were pronounced by the jurors to be so nearly equal in quality that considerable difficulty was experienced in making a definite choice between them, but finally it was found that the balance of opinion was in favor of the colonial claret. The difference in price in this case, if the reports are correct, is very great, for whereas the colonial wine is worth 25s. per dozen, the selling price of French is said to be 120s. per dozen.

En Route.—According to Kootenay news of the 1st inst., Rev. Mr. Turner of Cariboo, Messrs. Saul, Johnson, Vedder, Brown, Christie, Sanderson, Rogers, Flewin, Glass, McMillan and Postill, of Okanagan, arrived safely on their way to the North-West, with a band of about 60 horses.

Mr. H. C. M. Ridley, of Christ Church, Oxford, son of the late William Henry Ridley, Canon of Christ Church, and for forty-two years Rector of Hambleden, Bucks, has been nominated by the Rev. D. Horlock as lay-reader for the Parish of Yale and Hope. The Bishop grants him his license for this office and will admit him formally in the month of October next.—*Churchman's Gazette.*

Good for France!—The *Temps*, in an article on the Egyptian question, says the British expedition will benefit France even more than England. The awakening of the power of England proves that Europe is not reduced to the leadership of one power—Germany. This circumstance will benefit none so much as France, which is the natural ally of England. By separating from her we afford opportunity to Germany, whose omnipotence can only be opposed by an Anglo-France alliance.

Lay Delegates to the Synod.—The following Churchmen have been elected lay delegates to the Diocesan Synod:—For New Westminster, Mr. Corbould, Dr. Trew, and Mr. Falding; for the Midland District, His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, and Messrs. H. Cornwall and McLeod; for Burrard Inlet and North Arm, Messrs. Colbeck, Errington and Thornber; for Maple Ridge, Messrs. Stephens, W. Hammond and Culbert; for Sapperton, Messrs. Savery, Morey and Edward Hume.—*Churchman's Gazette.*

Chinese Immorality.—There is reason to believe that there is more than one Chinese establishment in this city into which Indian girls of tender years are enticed, drugged with opium and debauched. It is to be hoped the Indian Agent and the civic authorities will unite in a determined effort to stamp out these places of infamy. There is reason for believing that if these doings on the part of Chinese are not checked there may be trouble between them and the Indians. But it is not Indians alone that are being corrupted in these dens!

The Reception.—There was a meeting of the general committee on Saturday evening, when sub-committees were appointed and directed to prepare estimates of their several branches of work. It was generally conceded that the Indian canoe races and torchlight procession on the river should be made chief features of the occasion. An approximate estimate led to the conclusion that the amount of funds likely to be available for the occasion will be in the neighborhood of fifteen hundred dollars. The committee have been fortunate enough to secure the services of W. H. Falding, Esq., as Secretary.

Salmon and Salmon.

Once upon a time a powerful Highlander had occasion to visit Edinburgh town. Upon being asked what fare he desired his retainers to be regaled upon he replied curtly and contemptuously "Give them salmon"!—supposing it to be as cheap in town as among their native hills and lochs. When he came to pay his "reckoning" he was astounded to find the salmon charged at half a crown a pound.

In 1864 the Western Union Telegraph Company were engaged in construction in British Columbia, and the men were largely fed on salmon, as at once the cheapest and most available food. In scrutinizing the bills in the city of New York, the Directors seeing salmon in almost every line, and, assuming the fish to be an expensive luxury here, peremptory orders were issued: "Give the men no more salmon!"

Cruelty to Animals.

In most Christian countries are now to be found societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals, and there are, perhaps, few communities in which that most Christian work is more thoroughly done than in San Francisco. So far as we are aware no organization of the kind has yet been formed in British Columbia. Is it because there is no need for such? Alas, no. We regret to say that there is too much reason for believing cruelty to animals is very prevelent in this country. No one accustomed to travel on our steamers can help being pained at the want of consideration for the comfort of animals too often manifested by shippers and carriers. But we have recently been horrified by accounts of the cruel treatment of work-oxen practised in certain logging-camps. In some of these establishments we are happy to know that it is quite different—that the ox is treated with proper consideration and handled upon principles of reason and humanity. In one or two others, however, the case is very different—the driver indulges in an amount of brutality towards the patient, unoffending ox that ought not to be tolerated in any civilized country. It is matter of no little surprise to us that it is tolerated by the employers. It will not be necessary to go into details at present, but we would suggest that men who habitually practice the most shocking cruelty to animals should be made to feel that there is a law under which their brutality can be punished, and our immediate object is to suggest the desirableness of organizing a society for the prevention of this sort of thing. Who amongst us will take the initiative?

J. R. Bond, Druggist, &c., Schomberg, writes, "I have sold medicines for over twenty years, and no medicine could give better satisfaction than your Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry." This medicine is the old reliable cure for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, and all Summer Complaints.

The Constitutional Question.

The Thrasher case has been appealed to Ottawa, and it has been generally understood that with it would go the question as to the constitutionality of the Provincial Act assigning the Judges to certain judicial districts. The Dominion Government have been waiting for the question to come into the Supreme Court of Canada in that way. It appears, however, that the Thrasher case has been appealed *on its own merits*, and thus completely dissociated from the constitutional question. This is a matter of public concernment, inasmuch as the opportunity has been taken away of settling the vexed question involving the stated presence of the Judges in the several districts to which they have been assigned. Surely the Minister of Justice should have the courage to settle the matter at once without waiting for it to get into the Supreme Court by some side wind. The people most directly interested have waited long and with exemplary patience, and their interests and the interests of justice are suffering.

Pisces.

In any decorations that may be attempted here with a view to giving outward expression to the inward loyalty and respect of the people for the approaching visitors, it would probably be wise to make exhibitions at once unique and illustrative of the natural resources and industries of this section of the country. What, for instance, could be more fitting than an appropriate and ingenious display of the product of our great sub-marine farm? We are gratified to be able to state that the sub-committee charged with that branch have hit upon the happy idea of constructing a gigantic piscatorial arch. It is proposed to erect out of salmon cases massive pillars or columns upon which shall rest an arch, these columns to be surmounted by pyramids of salmon-tins. The arch will be appropriately decorated with fishing-nets, oars, &c., and with suitable mottoes. In each of the columns, at the base, will be an aperture to admit a fishing boat, in which will be fishermen plying their art, and in some way connected with it will be a specimen Indian canoe, manned by Indians. The conception is an excellent one, and if properly carried out, we feel confident that the piscatorial arch will not be the least striking and interesting feature of the occasion. With his usual liberality and enthusiasm, Mr. Laidlaw has volunteered to place the material for the arch at the disposal of the committee, free of expense.

Police Court.

On Monday, Thomas Manning (a dead beat) was sentenced to various terms aggregating thirteen months for divers acts of wrong-doing.

A Front street Chinaman was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for keeping a house of assignation. Last week the same fellow was fined $100 for the same offense.

A number of drunks were disposed of.

The half-breed assaulted by Chinamen and by them conveyed to gaol on Thursday evening, failed to identify the parties, and so the case was dismissed, as was also the cross action.

On Tuesday there were a number of Indian drunks.

Communications.

The Maple Ridge Sensation.

Editor Columbian.—The election excitements are now over, and the New Westminster political recreancy is exposed through the medium of the Columbian and other papers. Now the people are preparing for a period of political repose and are setting down to the "secret course which no loud storms annoy." But in this world of vicissitudes there are other occurrences beside politics which occasionally create excitements and mar the peace of families.

Now, Mr. Editor, the cause of the sensation here is an elopement. Two well known and aspiring striplings have taken it into their heads to get married. The improbability of such an event occurring put the parents off their guard. The old folks were not consulted. The youngsters thought, of course, by eloping, that their names would descend to posterity as the heroes of Maple Ridge. Such aspirations were encouraged by an ecclesiastic in this district of high standing. This ecclesiastic, himself, is an aspirant, and as he is young and inexperienced in the elopement business, he made up his mind to accompany to the matrimonial altar J. and A. Having neglected his sacred duties for this purpose, people are beginning to wonder what is next on the sacerdotal programme. One thing is certain and that is that this gentleman acted in a very indiscreet and unclerical manner. Young clergymen sometimes exceed the limits of their clerical functions, thereby bringing dishonor on a holy calling. We regret, but cannot recall the fact, that such should have happened at Maple Ridge.

The elopement was contemplated for some time, but disappointments and disclosures seriously interfered with the plans. The marriage license was procured upwards of five weeks ago, but the grand and final opportunity did not present itself until last Saturday afternoon. After various manœuvres and deceptive tactics the loving pair, accompanied by Rev. ——— got on board a canoe. They paddled on and on till at last sometime on Sunday morning they landed at C———. The toilsome journey of about 30 miles being overcome in spite of an adverse current, dark night and the hot pursuit of an angry father, a weeping mother and an indignant brother. Getting on shore the ceremony was hastily performed. The command "join hands" was obeyed with singular haste, and the young hearts throbbed, expecting to be interrupted before the final declaration was made—"Whom God hath joined let no man put asunder." Had the officiating clergyman known the circumstances, no doubt he would have chosen the other alternative,—that is, to send the youngsters home and there be admonished and, perhaps, chastised by aggrieved parents.

Justicia.

Dyspepsia is the most common of all diseases, and under ordinary drug treatment the most difficult to cure, it is a chronic weakness of the stomach with indigestion. The sensitive mucous membrane coating the stomach becomes irritated, and nearly all that enters the stomach continues to add fuel to the fire. Heartburn and Sour Eructions, Belching of Wind, Nausea, Headache, Variable Appetite, Costive Bowels, etc., are its prominent symptoms. Burdock Blood Bitters is a positive cure for this miserable disease.

Chilliwhack Council.

Council met on the 5th inst. Present—Reeve (G. R. Ashwell, Esq.), and Councillors Cawley and Kipp.

Following communications were received:

From Wm. Pollard, Esq., stating that he had sent $995 to the Treasurer of the Municipality;

From A. C. Wells, resigning as Councillor;

From Geo. W. Chadsey, asking the Council to pay him the sum of $50 on salary account;

From Gordon E. Corbould, relating to transfer of judgment registered against Saml. Greer's land, so that the judgment will stand in favor of the Corporation.

The following bills were received and ordered paid: — Robson Bros., $18.54; Geo. McKeever, $10.50; Geo. W. Chadsey, $50.

On motion, A. C. Well's resignation was accepted, and Geo. W. Chadsey was appointed to hold a nomination on the 12th inst., at Centreville, for Councillor to fill the vacancy.

On motion, the Clerk was instructed to notify all persons that have buried any of their friends on Mr. Kipp's place that since the recent high water the Council are satisfied that it is not a proper place for a cemetery; therefore, parties will remove the bodies to the little mountain or some other place.

Councillor Cawley brought forward a Bylaw to appoint and define the duties of, and remunerate, the Officers of the Corporation. Bylaw passed through the several stages.

Council then adjourned till Tuesday, 12th September, at 10 a.m.

Kidney Complaint.—The secretion from the Kidneys is often loaded with foreign and poisonous matter, a thick brickdust-like sediment, or a mucous collection forms. The Kidneys are often inflamed and congested, causing pain and weakness in the back and many distressing symptoms. Diabetis, Brights Disease, Dropsy, and all Urinary Complaints are promptly cured by that grand combination of diuretics, alterative tonic, &c., Burdock Blood Bitters.

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A Word of Caution.—Beware of Opiates and powerful astringent drugs in the treatment of Bowel Complaints, they may lull the pain and check Diarrhœa, etc., but are liable to produce inflammation. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is guaranteed safe and reliable, even for Infants, and is a specific for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Colic, Acute or Chronic Diarrhœa and Summer Complaints generally.

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R. T. Williams,
au23 Broad & Gov't Sts., Victoria.

☞ T. R. Pearson & Co. wish to draw attention to the fact that they are prepared to take subscriptions for all Canadian, American and British newspapers and periodicals at publishers' prices, without charging additional for remittance of money.—*Adv.*

Miss Woods will resume her morning and afternoon classes at the Rectory, Blackwood street, on or about September 13th. Terms, $2.00 per month; music, $2.50. For further particulars apply at the Rectory, Blackwood street. 1m*

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Caution.

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To avoid imposition, purchasers of Waltham Watches will observe that every genuine watch, whether gold or silver, bears our trade mark on both case and movement. Gold cases are stamped "A. W. Co.;" and guarantee certificates accompany them. Silver cases are stamped "A. M. Watch Co., Waltham, Mass., sterling silver," and are accompanied by guarantee certificates, signed R. E. Robbins, treasurer. The name "Waltham" is plainly engraved upon all movements, irrespective of either distinguishing marks. This caution is rendered necessary by reason of the fact that our cases are frequently separated from our movements, and put upon worthless movements of other makers and *vice versa*, thus affecting injuriously the performance of the watches, and vitiating our guarantee, which is intended to cover only our complete watches wholly made by us. It is necessary also, because it is so notorious as to be a public scandal that there is great fraud in the metal quality of both gold and silver cases as now generally sold. We have demonstrated by frequent assays that many gold and silver cases offered in the market are debased from 10 to 20 per cent. from the quality they assume to be. This is a fraud upon the purchaser, and accounts for the low price at which such cased watches have been sold.—American Watch Company, Waltham, Mass.

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Pocket Cutlery.—T. R. Pearson & Co. have received an assortment of Pocket Cutlery direct from England.

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NOTICE.

AN IMPRESSION HAVING GONE abroad that I have disposed of my property at Port Haney, I hereby state that such is not the case.

THOMAS HANEY,
au30tc Port Haney, B.C.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the City Taxes for 1882 are now due and payable at the office of the City Clerk.

JAMES ORR, C. M. C.
New West., July 25, 1882. jy26

NOTICE.

HAVING RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from Mr. J. W. Howison, late of the Occident Hotel, we hereby give notice that all accounts due him are to be paid to us at our office, Columbia Street, forthwith.

WOODS & TURNER.
New West., Aug. 29, 1882. au30ml

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I intend to apply to the Licensing Court, on the 15th day of September prox., for a licence to sell fermented and intoxicating liquors by retail on the premises known as "Deane's" Brick Building, on Columbia Street, in this City.

R. W. DEANE.
New West., 28th Aug., 1882. au30td

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About 30 or 40 Snags will probably have to be removed.

The Snags to be removed will be pointed out to the Contractor by the Dominion Government Agent or other agent of the Public Works Department when the work is undertaken, and those snags will have to be removed first which in the opinion of the said agent, most endanger and impede navigation

The snags in every case, including the portions thereof imbedded in the mud, are to be wholly removed, and either destroyed or transported to and made fast in such a position clear of the channel as shall be considered satisfactory by the said Agent.

The whole work must be completed by the 15th December next.

The tenderer is to state the rate per snag for the removal of the whole number of snags that may be required by the said Agent to be removed as above specified.

Payment will be made in three equal instalments proportionate to the progress of the work in the judgment of the said Agent.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit of the sum of $500, made payable to the order of the Dominion Government Agent, which will be forfeited if the tenderer declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque or certificate will be returned.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

H. S. ROEBUCK,
Secretary.

Dominion Government Agent's Office,
Victoria, B.C., 15th Aug., 1882. au19

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of New Westminster, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Court House, New Westminster, on Wednesday, 13th Inst., at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Councillor for St. George's Ward in the said City of New Westminster.

The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows:—The Candidate shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the nomination, and, in the event of a Poll being necessary, such Poll will be opened on Saturday, the Sixteenth day of [illegible]

Of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at New Westminster, this 8th day of September, 1882.

A. PEELE,
Returning Officer.

September 8, 1882. se9td

The Great International

FISHERIES EXHIBITION,

LONDON 1883.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS RECEIVED instructions from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to promote, by all means in his power, the objects connected with the exhibition to be opened in London, May 1st, 1883. The nature of the exhibits desired is explained in the circular notices, which will shortly be issued. A Committee of the Board of Trade has kindly undertaken to assist in securing the successful accomplishment of the important object in view; and the co-operation of the public to ensure a display which will be creditable to the Province will, it is trusted, be cordially afforded.

STORAGE IN VICTORIA will be provided for articles consigned to the care of the undersigned, and the requisite forms of entry supplied.

The early attention of intending exhibitors is requested. Communications on this subject addressed to the undersigned to be endorsed Fisheries Exhibition,

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,
Inspector of Fisheries, B. C.

Victoria, 12th Aug., 1882. au16

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G. PITTENDRIGH,
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N. W., July 11, 1882. jy15

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Our Story.

KITH AND KIN.

(Continued.)

No acute or even intelligent observer would have dared to say that that face wore an altogether happy, or peaceful, or satisfied expression; the faces of those who aim high and feel deeply, seldom, if ever, do look perfectly placid. There was a calm and settled power in it, not inferior, in its way, to that which dwelt in the countenance of Dr. Wentworth himself. The eyes were steady, scrutinizing and critical. It was the mouth which betrayed, more than anything else, the touch of sadness and dissatisfaction. It was when the face was in entire repose that the lips took that curve which makes one feel as if a sigh had just left, or was on the point of leaving them.

For the rest, one could see that she was in every way developed. She had more ease as well as more dignity of manner. She was more beautiful than before, as well as older; her face and form now more than ever were such as the most heedless could not fail to observe.

Neither she nor Dr. Wentworth sat down. Each knew the time of the other to be precious.

"You go home for your holiday to-morrow?" he said half-inquiringly.

"Yes. A fortnight amongst the Yorkshire hills will not be unpleasant."

"I wish you would take a month," was his abrupt remark.

"A month—why?" Her eyes opened a little, as she looked at him in some surprise. "Not because I look ill, surely—for I never felt better in my life."

"No; but because I wish you on your return to take a great deal more responsibility on your shoulders, and you will require some thorough rest and setting up before you undertake it."

"Indeed. And what is it you wish me to do?"

"My wife," said he smiling, "charged me to tell you that you were to do as I wished, on pain of forfeiting her friendship. Now, before I explain, let me tell you it is an onerous post I wish you to take. Little rest and much care and anxiety. Perhaps few friends, and lots of enemies. That for the disagreeable part of it. For the more agreeable; it ought to gratify that ambition of yours, to which you have never yet owned, though it is as patent to me as the sun in a sky without clouds—it ought to gratify that ambition, because it is a post of authority and consequence, and is well remunerated. I want you to become the Matron of the New Hospital at Ridgeford."

She raised her head quickly; her lips parted, and she looked at him in astonishment for a moment. Then her face flushed deeply, and she turned her eyes to the prospect outside.

Dr. Wentworth watched her unobtrusively, but with the keenest and liveliest interest. He had been her stanch friend ever since the evening he had first seen her, in this very room, standing before him in her homeliness and gloom, to be inspected, when she had said, with a *naïveté* which had amused him, and an earnestness which had gratified him:

"I do not know what you can give me to do, but I beg you will give me something. If it is only sweeping and dusting, let me have it; do not send me back."

He had not sent her back, for he had correctly discerned (which even genius does not always succeed in doing) that she was one of those tools which will work well, and he had from the first let her see that he expected a great deal from her. He had not been disappointed, and he had been charmed, like inferior men, to find his own prophetic verdict so thoroughly realized.

The more he asked of work, of study, of observation, or, as he would say in moments of expansiveness to the wife of his bosom, "of general all-round perfection in her work and her behavior," the more she had seemed ready and willing to give him.

Under his influence and by his advice, she had received training, not only in nursing, but in some branches of medicine and surgery as well. He had said little to her during her studies in these subjects, but had one day, not long ago, surprised her by proposing to her that she should study medicine thoroughly, and adopt it as a profession, adding that she had nothing to fear and would make her way.

He had calculated on that ambition, in which he had now told her he still believed; but it had not answered to the call. Judith had declined, saying she had no vocation. Mingled motives, so delicately shaded and complicated that she could not possibly have explained their whence or wherefore, had led her to this refusal. He had been as nearly angry with her as possible, saying in remonstrance:

"Scores of women who have really no vocation for it, who want notoriety, or are curious about things they don't understand, or who want to make a living, and think they have fewer rivals in the medical line than in the school-mistress one—they all rush into it, pushing to the front, and making themselves a spectacle for gods and men. Here are you—the very sort we want as a pioneer for the women doctors—high-minded and high-hearted, with a pure reverence for science and humanity, with every qualification, mental, moral, and physical. And you will not. You ought to lead the way, to be one of the pioneers on that road where the women who follow after you will some day be great.

Judith had shaken her head, smiling.

"You are quite mistaken," she said. "I lay no claims to a 'pure reverence for science and humanity,' as you call it. I know nothing about them, except that the one is really great and the other is thought so by some people. Do you suppose I became a nurse because I wished to do so? Not at all, and I never would have done it if I could have had a happier lot. I 'took to it,' as they say, because I was miserable, and wanted relief from my wretchedness; I did not like it then, and I do not like it now. You may think me a poor-spirited creature; but I would rather stay here and do as you tell me, and act under orders than be the first and cleverest woman doctor of all time."

"You are trying to cajole me by flattery."

"I am speaking the simple, unvarnished truth."

"My wife says indignantly (as if it were my fault) that if she had had your qualifications I should never have got her to marry me."

"Oh, how could she say such a thing? It is almost wicked of her," Judith had said, and she had remained immovable. Yes, she thought it a glorious profession, she said, the noblest that existed——

"Bar the clerical one," he had suggested, with a malicious smile.

"Bar none," had been Judith's emphatic retort. And she would honor a really clever medical woman, and would be quite ready to darn her stockings and do her drudgery. The position itself, of a medical woman, she declined. This refusal, and their dispute about it, was in Dr. Wentworth's mind now, as he observed her keenly and noted every change that passed over her face.

"I shall think you wish to be unfriendly to me, if you refuse me this," he said. "You are familiar with all the details of the scheme; you have heard them discussed at my house often enough. You know what the duties will be. The salary will be three hundred a year. Now, where is your 'Yes'?"

"'Yes' is sometimes a very hard word to say, Dr. Wentworth."

"It ought not to be so, when duty cries for it so loudly, as in this case."

"You are the chief of the council, and the real head of it, are you not?"

"I am. '

"And would you always give me your friendship, your counsel, and your advice?"

"You may depend upon them entirely."

"It would be a very useful sphere?" she said, musingly.

"You, as well as I, know *how* useful. In that place you will be an influence, and a benificent one, on hundreds. My dear friend," he took her hand, "apart from all other considerations, the woman who worthily fills that office, as it will be when it is developed, and as you will fill it—with its trials and its difficulties, its powers and its opportunities for doing good—that woman may, if the right spirit animate her, attain to the rank of the other good women whose names ought to stand opposite saints' days in men's and women's hearts."

"Then I cannot be worthy of it," said she, moved.

"And I say you are; and I say that if you will not take it, I know not where to put my hand on any other woman qualified as you are qualified for it."

"If I took it, I should have to make up my mind that it should be for the rest of my life?"

"You would."

A long pause. He did not interrupt her, nor press her for an answer, for, precious as the time of both was, these moments of reflection and turning over were absolutely necessary. He leaned against the mantlepiece in silence, and she stood by the window, equally silent, seeing, without heeding them, all the throng of men and vehicles which momentarily up and down the noisy thoroughfare.

What visions did she tear to shreds, he wondered, as he watched her without letting her see his observation—what hopes did she finally immolate? what bright illusions of girlhood did she lock out from her heart forever? Could he have known, he would have been aware that she had never had any youth, and that she even now inwardly expostulated with her destiny, which had led her up through five-and-twenty years of life without that youth. Though he and she had grown fast friends, though she and his wife had become almost like sisters, no word had ever passed her lips which could give any clew to the story of sorrow and hopelessness which had driven her forth from her home at twenty-two, a sad, unhopeful woman, and had first led her to them. That there was a story, he was persuaded; persuaded, too, that she went over it in her mind as she stood looking out of the window then, before she answered him—some story connected with her home in that green dale which he had never seen, but of which she had once or twice spoken, in words which, though simple, had been full of life and fire.

At last her answer came:

"I will do as you wish, Dr. Wentworth. I will go to Ridgeford."

In the joy and relief of his heart, he stepped forward and shook both her hands.

"I do thank you—from my heart I thank you. With you at its head, Ridgeford shall be the first place of its kind in England—that I swear!"

He laughed with satisfaction. Judith only looked very grave, and then he said.

"But have you no curiosity to know what my great and special reason was for wishing you to go?"

"What was it?"

"Just this. I don't want you to be lost to suffering humanity and the medical profession, whether as a member of it, or a servant of it. Once safe in that post, you are safe for life; but, until you are installed there, I have a consuming dread, which haunts me like a ghost, of your breaking away from us, and getting married."

"You certainly need not fear that," said Judith, after a moment's pause, as she looked at him. "It is the one contingency in my life which I am absolutely certain will never occur. Therefore be reassured."

"To think of you married," pursued the fanatic, "devoted to one miserable man and his tiresome family, is to think of something monstrous. Well, good-by. You'll see my wife to-morrow, before setting off. And stay at home a month, while you have the chance."

He wrung her hand again, and departed.

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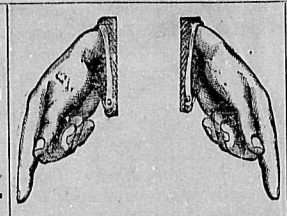

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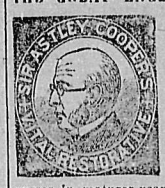

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