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Saturday Evening, March 3, 1888.

Items of Interest.

A Michigan farmer writes the Faculty of Yale: "What are your terms for a year? And does it cost anything extra if my son wants to learn to read and write, as well as to row a boat?"—*Watch-Dial.*

Tigers have lately been reported from two extremes of Siberia—Wladivostock, upon the Japan Sea, and a point to the north of the Caspian. They have long been known in the Chinese forests near Wladivostock, but their appearance in the region of the Caucasus is quite remarkable.

A frightened Mexican hare has been observed by Mr. R. W. Shufeldt to make three successive leaps of twelve, twelve and thirteen feet; and a medium-sized rabbit to jump seven feet. The ordinary progression of these animals rarely exceeds four feet and two feet respectively at any single leap.

It is announced that Miss Nina Van Zandt, the so-called proxy wife of the lately deceased Anarchist, August Spies, will go on the stage. She is certainly entitled to a place among the "freaks" in some dime museum, but she aims at something higher. A play is being written for her in which the heroes are anarchists, the villains capitalists and, several policemen are introduced as idiots. She ought to secure George Francis Train as manager.—*Mail.*

Lord Dufferin, Viceroy of India, was asked by the Nizam of Hyderabad to suggest a manager for his estate. The Viceroy remembered that when he was Governor-General of Canada, James Longham, a prominent cattle-dealer of Belleville, Ont., had an enviable reputation as a farmer. He told the Nizam of him, and the result is that Mr. Longham has had an offer of $15,000 a year to manage the Nizam's estate on the American plan, with the latest agricultural machinery, and has accepted.—*Chicago Times.*

The Rev. Dr. John Hall is said to have pocketed since last September fully $20,000 in marriage fees. One bridegroom gave him a cheque for $5,000 for tying the nuptial knot. Dr. Hall is worth $1,000,000; his total income is at least $100,000. His congregation is the wealthiest in New York city. The amount of $400,000,000 may be seen in his church any Sunday morning. Dr. Hall has a monopoly of all the swell weddings. Brides who desire to be in the fashion insist upon being married by the millionaire clergyman.

A lawyer told this story of another prominent Concord lawyer, now dead, the other day: An old man was on the witness stand, and was being cross examined by the lawyer alluded to. "You say you are a doctor, sir," "Yes, sir, yes sir." "What kind of a doctor?" "I makes intment, sir. I makes intment, sir. I makes intment." "What's your ointment good for?" "It's good to rub on the head to strengthen the mind." "What effect would it have if you were to rub some of it on my head?" "None at all, sir, none at all. We have to have something to start with."—*Concord Monitor.*

An idea of the magnitude of the business done by P. D. Armour & Co., of Chicago, in a single year, may be gathered from the following figures, which we find in an American exchange:—Total distributive sales during 1887 were $60,000,000, exclusive of board of trade transactions; slaughtered—hogs, 1,381,000; cattle, 525,700; sheep, 118,000. They turned out pork, beef, lard, oils, dry salted meats, sweet pickled meats, smoked meats, canned meats and fertilizers to the immense total of 425,285,000 pounds. Their buildings cover 40 acres of ground, the floors of which occupy 125 acres. Chill room and cold storage area, 30 acres, and storage capacity 120,000 tons. Employees, 5,000 in summer, and 6,000 in winter; wages paid last year, upwards of $3,000,000.

When the average feminine heart is not moved at the immense slaughter of birds with which to supply their head-gear with ornaments, such as is dictated by the vagaries of fashion, we do not imagine that such grim statistics as the following, from the *Shoe and Leather Reporter*, will cause a shudder. The *Reporter* says: "From 8,000 to 10,000 gallons of blood are utilized daily in a factory near Chicago. Dried fresh beef blood is used for many of the buttons worn on ladies' dresses. Many a woman, fond of cheap jewellery, has earrings or brooches, belt clasps or hair ornaments, besides many other articles, all made out of this dried blood. They innocently comb their hair with what they imagine is horn or celluloid, but in reality is albumen, left after the bulk of the blood has been evaporated."

BY TELEGRAPH.

Chamberlain's Opinion on the Treaty---The First Chinese Pensioner of the United States---The Prince Better.

The Opium Ring Exposure---The Engineers' Strike Likely to Extend to other Roads---Tamatave Devastated.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

CHAMBERLAIN'S REPORT.

LONDON, March 2.—The foreign office has made public the despatches received regarding the new fisheries treaty between the United States and Canada. Mr. Chamberlain, in a letter written to Lord Salisbury from Washington under the date of February 16, says that the satisfactory result obtained is largely due to the spirit of conciliation manifested by both sides of the commission, and the strong sense with which all his *confreres* were inspired of the importance of removing every cause for irritation, and of promoting a good and neighborly feeling and friendly intercourse between the United States and Canada and Newfoundland. Mr. Chamberlain says the relations of British plenipontentiaries in America were of the most cordial and harmonious character. Throughout the letter Mr. Chamberlain eulogizes Minister West and Sir Charles Tupper, and calls special attention to the valuable services of Messrs. Bergne and Maycock, clerks respectively of the foreign office and the commercial department, who accompanied them. Mr. Chamberlain expresses the hope that the arrangement contained in the treaty will extend the existing cordial relations between the United States and England. In conclusion the writer eulogises all the members of the commission and said it was his own desire that his staff should be on a much smaller scale than is usual in such a mission, thus throwing on its members a greater amount of labor and responsibility.

In the letter to Lord Salisbury Mr. Chamberlain said: "The American government repudiated any desire to share in the inshore fisheries of Canada. The point of dispute was, therefore, limited to the question of commercial facilities. In the discussion it became evident that a substantial agreement existed regarding the main facts."

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

KILLED HIS PARAMOUR.

OMAHA, Neb., Mar. 3.—Mrs. Hellen Howard was shot and instantly killed by Frank Ryan last night. Ryan boarded with Mrs. Howard and her husband, and unknown to the latter had been intimate with his wife. Ryan, who has been arrested, claims the shooting accidental.

SMALLPOX.

LAUREL, Del., Mar. 3.—Nine cases of smallpox have developed here. Five deaths have occurred.

CHAMBERLAIN'S OPINION.

NEW YORK, Mar. 3.—At the Canadian club dinner last night Joseph Chamberlain said: "The right of Canada as set up were unassailable from a legal point of view at the outset, but it was good policy that she should not insist on a strict construction. Canada has conceded everything that the claims humanity, claims of international courtesy or comity of nations can possibly demand, and at the same time Canada has maintained, as she was bound to maintain, the vital and essential interests of her citizens."

THROWN OUT OF EMPLOYMENT.

SCRANTON, Pa., Mar. 3.—Nearly six thousand men will be thrown out of work by the Beleware & Hudson canal company, which is discharging all miners in their employ who came from the Lehigh region after the strike there. Powderly will denounce the company's action.

A BRAVE ENGINEER.

TUCSON, A. T., Mar. 3. — James Redmond, an engineer, was thrown from the top of a wild freight train coming down Dragoon Grade yesterday, and fell fifty feet. The train had broken in two, the air brakes refusing to work, and he was setting brakes as the train was dashing down the grade. He saved the train, but his life is despaired of.

A PACIFIC COAST APPOINTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 3.—Secretary Bayard announces that although Wm. T. Coleman, of San Francisco has declined the appointment of chief commissioner of the U. S. to the Melbourne exposition, another appointment will be made from the Pacific Coast, as that part of the country is most directly interested in trade with the Australian provinces.

ANOTHER BLIZZARD.

HELENA, Mont., March 3.—A snow storm prevails throughout the territory. The lowest degree of temperature so far is 13 below zero.

MARY WON'T MARRY A LONDONER.

LONDON, Mar. 3.—Mary Anderson authorizes the denial of the announcement that she is to be married to a Londoner.

A CHINAMAN GETS A PENSION.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3.—A pension has been granted to Ah Lin, a Chinaman of San Francisco, who served in the navy during the late war. It is understood to be the first pension granted to a Chinaman by the U. S. government.

CHAMBERLAIN'S DESPATCHES.

LONDON, Mar. 3.—Chamberlain's despatches concerning the fisheries treaty, sent during negotiations, are made public by the foreign office. The dispatches state that the American government on the present occasion repudiates any desire to share in the shore fisheries of Canada. Point of dispute was therefore limited to question of commercial facilities.

A CURATOR ABSCONDS.

MONTREAL, Mar. 3.—The curator of a large estate has absconded leaving a deficiency of $100,000. The heirs will be ruined. The cause was speculation on Wall street.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

THE OPIUM RING EXPOSURE.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—The *Examiner*, which a few weeks ago so fearlessly exposed the operations of the opium ring and prominent men in connection with it, appears this morning with nearly six columns, giving details of the investigation by a special commissioner of the doings of the ring at Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Port Townsend and Victoria. The investigation shows that the main body of the ring has its headquarters at Victoria and that liable agents hold positions in the government service at Seattle and Port Townsend. Collector Abraham, of Portland, is credited with stating to the commissioner that he was satisfied that both Tacoma and Seattle are used by the smugglers for getting their goods into the country, duty free, as they offer unrivaled facilities for the entrance of schooners and small craft. At Seattle it was stated that there is a banker at Port Townsend to whom are attached grave suspicions that he is engaged in smuggling opium on a gigantic scale. The bank is merely conducted as a blind. At Victoria a list of twelve firms engaged in the preparation of opium was secured. They are all Chinese and not one of their names appear on the records of the custom house as exporters of the drug. The commissioner learned that a man named C. S. Joslyn was leader of the ring at Victoria. Presenting himself to Joslyn he told him he had a lot of opium he desired to have smuggled into the United States and enquired which would be the safest route, mentioning the Canadian Pacific. Joslyn replied, "I wouldn't do that if I was you, the arrest of Gardner, my partner, has caused lots of trouble and they are watching the border too carefully." "How about taking it down the coast to San Francisco," asked the commissioner. "That was a good route before Fogarty let himself get caught," said Joslyn, "But with him in trouble there and Gardner arrested back east I'm afraid the sound is the only route open to us. There's h—l to pay all round."

TAMATAVE DEVASTATED.

LONDON, Mar. 3.—A dispatch from Tamatave says a hurricane has devastated that town. Eleven vessels were wrecked and twenty persons killed.

FLEECE MILLS BURNED.

LONDON, Mar. 3.—Two fleece mills at Keighley were destroyed by fire. Loss $325,000.

GATHERED TO HIS FATHERS.

NEW YORK, Mar. 3.—Peter Herdick, the millionaire lumberman of Williamsport, Pa., died at the Glenbrom hotel yesterday.

THE PRINCE FEELS STRONG.

BERLIN, Mar. 3.—The crown prince passed a fairly good night. There is no change in his condition as regards coughing and spitting. He feels strong this morning.

LARGE FIRE.

MILWAUKEE, Mar. 3.—Ternecke's candy factory was entirely destroyed by fire this morning, and Goldsmith & Co's. carpet warerooms adjoining were gutted and the entire stock ruined. Several other places adjoining were badly damaged. Loss $200,000; small insurance.

A LUCKY BOY.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—In the probate court to-day Judge Coffrey decided the celebrated Jessup will contest in favor of Richard P. Jessup, whereby the latter comes into possession of an estate valued at $130,000. Jessup, who is 20 years of age, was the result of a liason between G.P. Jessup, the pioneer, and Miss Josie Lands, of Marysville. The latter died some years ago, and the boy's father died early last year. The will found after his death cut young Jessup off without a cent, although his father had had him thoroughly educated and had lavished a great deal of money upon him. The judge intimated in his decision that the will was a forgery, and decided in favor of the boy.

THE STRIKE LIKELY TO BECOME GENERAL.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The chairmen of grievances committees of all western roads are rapidly arriving this morning in response to Chief Arthur's call. The whole tenor of the talk points to the probability that strikes will be ordered on some other roads next week, with the view of bringing the Burlington to terms. Arthur confidently expects the engineers and firemen on the Reading will go out this afternoon. Efforts to induce the Reading men now here to return are meeting with poor success. The Burlington road is in good shape. A talk with representatives of railroads centering here indicates that they anticipate a general tie-up.

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They took a vote in Rolla, Mo., recently on the question who was the "sweetest girl in school," and as a result there have been no fewer than twenty fights between young men and old, friends and brothers of the fair contestants.

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Saturday Evening, March 3, 1888.

Some person at Vancouver writes to the *Colonist* that there are 160 cases of dynamite stored within 100 yards of the C. P. R. wharf at that city. The presence of such a quantity of explosive material is regarded as a menace to the city, and the correspondent thinks the authorities ought to take immediate steps for its removal. It is quite possible that Mr. Humphreys, the dynamite member for Comox, might undertake the contract. There are very few men in British Columbia to whom the people would entrust an undertaking of the sort with less concern.

It must have become apparent to everyone that the revenue of this city is altogether insufficient for its requirements. Our whole revenue is, in round figures, $15,000. When the necessary charges for the administration of the affairs of the city—such as salaries, gas, fire company, etc.—have been taken from this, the balance remaining is ridiculously small to be applied to public works and improvements. So long as the city is obliged to cut its expenditure according to this meagre income, we must be content to advance at a pace which is altogether out of keeping with our position and the times. It is a question worthy of serious consideration whether the system of assessment prevailing with us should not be changed. In this city the land only is taxed, buildings and personal property going free. This system is not equitable, for in many instances it fails to make a distinction between the rich man and the poor. Either the assessment must be extended to improvements and personal property, or the valuation of real estate must be raised much higher than it now is if we are to obtain a revenue equal to our needs.

Everybody has heard of the awkward position in which the man who drew an elephant at a lottery found himself. From present appearances it seems that the opposition in the local legislature are in a similar condition of embarrassment. They were evidently anticipating large results from the election of Mr. Humphreys, but he is proving himself a veritable elephant. He has succeeded thoroughly in disgusting every member of the house whose self-respect rises above his party instincts, and is becoming considerable of a public nuisance. The other day Mr. Bole, who also goes with the opposition generally, went for the member for Comox and (the *Standard* says) "sat on him to the amusement of the house." Mr. Bole was discussing the county courts bill, when Mr. Humphreys interrupted him with some observations which were scarcely in order. Mr. Bole, thereupon, proceeded to intimate that while he had endeavored to conduct himself like a gentleman in the house, Mr. Humphreys seemed to be ignorant of what gentlemanly deportment was, and he would not permit himself again to be interrupted in this way. Mr. Humphreys does not seem to have accepted the remark in a kindly spirit, for he is reported to have made a retort quite in harmony with his general conduct in the house. It may be wondered what oipnion the people of Comox have formed of their bumptious representative.

Among those who were summoned to appear before the select committee appointed to enquire into the charge of disloyalty brought against Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, was Mr. J. C, McLagan, *of the Times*. Mr. McLagan did not appear, but he sent a letter bearing indirectly on the subject under enquiry. In that letter, which is published in the committee's report, Mr McLagan states that a few days before Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir left for Portland, where the disloyal sentiments are said to have been uttered, he had a conversation with him in Victoria. In the course of conversation Mr. McLagan asked Mr. Dunsmuir's opinion on the subject of commercial union with the United States. "The reply the president of the council made," writes Mr. McLagan, "was that whilst it would be of advantage to him pecuniarily to the extent of close upon a quarter of a million a year, he could not advocate it, fearing the ultimate outcome would be annexation. He could not endorse a policy legislating against Britain, which had afforded us so much protection. He respected the flag of that country and the land of his birth too much to go back on them. He was in favor of a reciprocity of the natural products of the soil, animals, fish, etc.,—such a treaty as existed in the east from 1854 to 1876." This statement from the editor of a paper that has said a great many hard things about Mr. Dunsmuir, is strong circumstantial evidence that the charge made by Mr. Humphreys had no foundation. It is not at all probable that Mr. Dunsmuir would make a statement of this sort at Victoria and declare for annexation a few days afterwards in Portland.

There are a number of varieties of corns. Holloway's Corn Cure will remove any of them. Call on your druggist and get a bottle at once.

TEMPERANCE AND INTEMPERANCE.

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REGULAR MEETINGS.

I. O. G. T.—Every Friday, 8 p.m., Orange Hall.

R. T. of T.—Second and fourth Wednesday of each month, 7:30 p.m ,Forrester's Hall.

W. C. T. U.—Second Wednesday of each month, 3 p.m., basement of Baptist Church.

When Will You Give it Up?

Young man, you say, "when I find out that it is injuring me, then I will give it up." Is that sensible? You would not talk like that about anything else.

I once heard of a pilot who said he could pilot a vessel into Boston Harbor. "Now," said he to the captain, "I'll stand 'midships, and you can stand at the helm. I know every rock in this—every one of them—I know them all; and I'll give you warning." By and by the vessel struck a rock, and the shock threw everybody down upon the deck. The poor pilot got up rubbing himself, and said, "There's one of them!"

Now, we want to say to young men, "That's one of them! Hard-up your helm and steer clear!" That is sensible. And if you have struck, haul off and repair damages, and then strike again. Is that sensible? In time the poor old battered hulk will not bear any more damages; and men will bury you, a broken wreck. That is the end of it in many cases. "When I find out that it is injuring me, then I will give it up!" Gather all the drunkards together and ask them every one, "are you drinking enough to injure you?" And almost every man will declare he is not. Each one of them has become a drunkard in the sight of God and man before he has become one in his own sight.

Intoxicating drink is deceptive in its very nature. It reminds me of the fable of the serpent in a circle of fire. A man was passing by, and the snake said to the man:

"Help me out of my difficulty." "If I do you'll bite me."

"Oh, no, I wont" "I'm afraid to trust you."

"Help me out of the fire, or it will consume me; and I promise on my word and honor, I won't bite you."

The man takes the snake out of the fire, and throws it on the ground. *Instantly the serpent says:*

"Now I'll bite you."

"But didn't you promise me you wouldn't?"

"Yes, but don't you know it's my nature to bite, and I can't help it."

So it is with the drink; it is it's nature to bite; it is in its nature to deceive.

Young men tell us(and I have heard it more than once) that they "must sow their wild oats." Remember this, young gentlemen, "Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap" (Gal. vi. 7). If you sow corn, you reap corn. If you sow weeds, you reap weeds. If you sow to the flesh, you will of the flesh reap corruption. But if you sow to the Spirit, you will of the spirit reap life everlasting. Ah, young men, look at that reaping; and then look at the awful reaping of men to-day—who are reaping as they have sown, in bitterness of spirit and anguish of soul. —*John B. Gough.*

A Plea for Help.

Every one who knows any thing at all about the subject, said Canon Farrar recently, tells you, and has been telling you for fifty years; all judges, with one voice, all your police, all your jailors, all who have really mixed among and seen for themselves the condition of the poor, are telling you that the chief cause, both of vice and pauperism, is drink. For more than a hundred years good men, stung to the heart by pity, have been telling you to stay the plague and heal the cause of drink—as yet in vain.

We plead with you for the sake of our country. The masses of our poor countrymen have long been pleading with you to save them from their miseries, and to save them even from themselves. Will you once more lift no finger to help them? Which do you really think will make the people better, and which do you seriously believe will add to their happiness and reduce their degradation? The possession of some forty millionth fraction of political power, or some of those strong and simple measures, the work of a people which fears God, which might rescue them from the intolerable and interminable malignity of corroding vices?

Swallowing a Farm.

"A Woman" writes to the Fort Worth (Texas) *Gazette* as follows:—"My homeless friend, you say you have for years longed for the free, independent life of the farmer, but have never been able to get enough of money together to buy a farm. But that is just where you are mistaken. For several years you have been drinking a good improved farm at the rate of 100 square feet at a gulp. Figure it out yourself. An acre of land contains 43,560 square feet. Estimating land at $43.56 per acre, you will see that it is just *one mill per square foot*, and one cent for ten square feet. Now, pour down the firey dose and imagine you are swallowing a strawberry patch. Call in five of your friends and have them help you gulp down a five hundred-*foot garden*. Get on a prolonged spree and see how long it requires to swallow a pasture large enough to feed a cow—twenty cows."

England's Crying Sin.

Canon Wilberforce, an eminent English divine, says America is an Eden of sobriety compared with England. The United States tax on spirits and beer yields to the government about $75,000,000; the British tax on drink yields $195,000,000—and yet our population is double that of Great Britain and Ireland.

Pimples, Boils,

And Carbuncles result from a debilitated impoverished, or impure condition of the blood. Ayer's Sarsaparilla prevents and cures these eruptions and painful tumors, by removing their cause; the only effectual way of treating them.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla has prevented the usual course of Boils, which have pained and distressed me every season for several years.—G. Scales, Plainville, Mich.

I was badly troubled with Pimples on the face; also with a discoloration of the skin, which showed itself in ugly dark patches. No external treatment did more than temporary good. Ayer's Sarsaparilla effected

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and I have not been troubled since.—T. W. Boddy, River st., Lowell, Mass.

I was troubled with Boils, and my health was much impaired. I began using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, in due time, the eruptions all disappeared, and my health was completely restored.—John R. Elkins, Editor *Stanley Observer*, Albemarle, N. C.

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Business Change

THE UNDERSIGNED BEING COMpelled by failing health to retire from business, would most heartily and sincerely thank his many friends and the general public for their support and patronage during the many years it has been his pleasure to serve them.

The Stock and Goodwill of the Business have been sold to Messrs. W. & G. WOLFENDEN, for whom I would solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed on me, as I can with the utmost confidence recommend them to my friends and the public as fair-dealing, practical business men, with liberal capital, and connections secured in England and elsewhere, whereby they will be able to purchase their stocks at the lowest possible rates and supply their customers with the best in the best in the market at reasonable prices.

C. G. MAJOR.

W. & G. WOLFENDEN, IN SUCCEEDing to the business, beg to inform the public that it is their intention to carry on the same on the well-known lines so successfully adopted by Mr. Major, *by keeping the best goods only of* their kind and everything of the best. They have now on the way from the English and the Eastern markets a choice assortment of both DRY GOODS & GROCERIES which they will open out very shortly, and they trust by strict attention to business and prompt execution of all orders to merit a continuance of the support *so justly accorded to Mr. Major.*

W. & G. W. will be found at the old stand—corner of Columbia and Mary streets—and will appreciate the favor of a trial.

New West., 29th Feb., 1888. dwfe29w1

TIME TABLE

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Marine and Stationary Engines and Boilers, Planers, Matchers and Moulders, Buzz Planers, Wood Lathes, Band Saws, Blind Machinery, Gauge Lathes, Shaping Machines, Shingle Machines, Lath Machines & Bolters,

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Brick Machines and Crushers of either the Martin or Baird make.

Mill Supplies of all descriptions, including Circular Saws, Solid or Inserted Teeth, Lubricating Oils, Rubber and Leather Belting, which we carry in stock,

Steam Pumps of the Blake, Davidson or Knowles make also on hand.

M'Avity's Patent Boiler Feeders supplied on short notice, as well as Paints and Oils, Axes and Edge Tools of the celebrated Broad make, Wire Rope, Plumbers and Steam Fitters Supplies, &c.

We are sole agents in this Province for the JOHN DOTY Engine Co'y, whose Marine work cannot be excelled, as outfits we have furnished here will testify.

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VANCOUVER, B. C

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Honorable the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the south-east ¼ of sec. 21, south ½ of secs. 22 & 23, also the northerly portions of secs. 14 & 15, and the easterly 80 acres of Lot 228, together with the north-easterly portions of 16, all lying north of the Moodyville Co.'s limits in Township 39, New Westminster District.

GEORGE BUTCHART.

Port Moody, B.C., Feb. 9, 1888. dfe10m1

KOOTENAY DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the reservation placed upon certain lands in Kootenay District, in consideration of the provisions of the "Columbia and Kootenay Railway and Transportation Company Act, 1883," notice of which was published in the "British Columbia Gazette" and dated 23rd May, 1883, has been cancelled, and that the lands referred to will be open to sale and pre-emption one month from the date hereof.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 25th Jan., 1888. dja30m1

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Persons who have not proved by actual experience the ability of the establishment to turn out first-class work are invited to send a trial order.

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CURIOUS HAPPENINGS.

—A Charlotte Harbor (Fla.) man has set a hen on alligator eggs. The crowd think she has the jim-jams when the shells break.

—*Seven engagements were made* at a leap year party at Woodland, Cal., the other night, where only fourteen couples were present.

—An unfortunate Maine baby that happened to be born on the day of her grandparents' golden wedding was named Anna Versary.

—A Missouri man who had conscientious scruples about taking the oath as a juror stole two overcoats and $24 in money from his fellow-jurors before the panel was discharged.

—Mr. and Mrs. James O. Robinson are solid citizens of Charlestown, Mass. They have been married fifty years; Mr. Robinson weighs 278 pounds, Mrs. Robinson weighs 225, and of their seven living children none weighs less than 200 pounds.

—Several young ladies of Hamilton, Iowa, have been expelled from the high school of the city because they attended a ball. The Committee of Arrangements will in future see that the Principal of the high school receives an invitation.

—It is said that a popular young woman of Orlando, Fla., has a large and intelligent dog, who, whenever a visitor stays too late, sits down in front of him, yawns, and shows all the signs of being very sleepy. If the young man is bright he takes the hint.

—Tramps are quitting the vicinity of Jacksonville, Fla., in great haste. This action is due to a Judge of the city who, taking advantage of an old State law, has ordered the Sheriff to lay thirty-nine lashes on the bare back of each tramp that he catches.

—An old man was found dead in his cabin in Taylor county, Ga. The Coroner summoned a jury, who viewed the corpse, built a big fire of pine knots, emptied a jug of whiskey, and then rendered the verdict: "We, the jury, find the prisoner guilty."

—Wong Chin Foo, the lecturer of New York has entered an action for $25,000 against the Dominion Government, having suffered the indignity of being sent in bond from Clifton to Kingston with a label on his back, in accordance with the customs regulations.

—Justice Joseph Steinert of Vicksville, L. I., found five fine pearls in an oyster among a bushel of bivalves presented to him by a friend in Oyster Bay. He took the pearls to a New York jeweller for valuation, and received an offer of $350 for them, which he refused.

—A citizen of Salina, Kan., saw a big jack rabbit sitting by the side of the road. He ran home, a quarter of a mile, got his gun, ran back, and fired a charge of shot into the rabbitt, which was still sitting there. Even then it did not move, and further investigation showed that it was frozen stiff.

—Leroy Tucker, who died in the poorhouse at Athens, Tenn, a few days ago, was 103 years old. He had lived in the county sixty-one years and at one time was well off. He went to the poorhouse when *100 years old, and a year later* married an inmate of the house, who survives him at the age of eighty-one years.

—I. T. Harper of Victor, Iowa, owns a St. Bernard dog that stands twenty nine inches high, is sixty two inches long from tip to tip, and weighs 250 pounds. The other day he saw a little toddler making its way toward two angry boars that were fighting, and walking in front of the baby he pushed it away, and repeated this several times until the child's mother came.

—The Jasper *News* of Georgia tells of Mr. Henry Lewis's thrilling adventure with a "ferocious goat." It says that by "some means the goat got under him and was treating him very roughly, when his son ran up and pulled the goat down. Mr Lewis was unhurt, with the exception of momentary anger, which took possession of him, and we are told he punished the goat very severely for his behavior."

—A cat whose general appearance indicated great feebleness and general ill-health walked into a drug store in Van Buren, Mo., the other day and began biting and scratching at a paper package of catnip. A quantity was poured on the floor, and the cat ate greedily and rolled on the leaves. She was a daily visitor to the store, and got the medicine regularly, until to all appearances she was quite well.

—A Boston gentleman recounted a case illustrating the quaint way colored *preachers in the South have of presenting* their ideas to their assembled brethren. The informant while in Old Dominion attended a colored meeting, at which the presiding clergyman, who was discoursing upon "Man," delivered the following epigrammatic description of human creation: "First, man is nuffin'; second, he is somefin', and third, we can make somefin' uf him."

—Levi Kohl, the twelve year old son of a farmer of Elk township, Pa., in going home from Sunday-school recently, passed through a piece of woods said to be haunted by the ghost of a man who was murdered there years ago. Three boys, his playmates, for a joke hid there and groaned, and, when the boy ran, chased him, yelling. When young Kohl got home, he went into convulsions and died in great agony in a few days.

—It is told that a lively drummer for a Boston wholesale clothing house, on his way to Burlington, Vt., for orders, was stopped near the altitudinous village of Ludlow, highest point on the Central Vermont Railroad, by the snow blockade, and found his way to a farmhouse, where he made himself so welcome that he was urged to prolong his visit even after the snow embargo was raised. He wrote to the firm and was given permission to stay out a week of his vacation, and in the Spring he expects to be married to one of his Vermont host's fair daughters.

—Three years ago the two Draper sisters, who owned a little farm about 18 miles from Boston, gave up school teaching to see what they could make from their land. They started out with the idea of selling nothing but the very best products of their farm, and to make what they did sell appear to the best advantage. They began with fowls and eggs, and stamped each egg with the date of its laying. They never made a misstatement, and now they are making money, for they can get double the market rates for most articles that they offer for sale.

A Game Chicken Kills an Eagle.

St. Louis sports matched a game chicken against an eagle, and the bird of freedom was vanquished in seven short order. The first pass made by the chicken cut the eagle's head nearly off, and another blow settled him. The chicken did not loose a feather.

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I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for a long time, and am convinced of its value. When I was 17 years of age my hair began to turn gray. I commenced using the Vigor, and was surprised at the good effects it produced. It not only restored the color to my hair, but so stimulated its growth, that I have now more hair than ever before.—J. W. Edwards, Coldwater, Miss.

Ayer's Hair Vigor,

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If you are suffering from debility and loss of appetite; if your stomach is out of order, or your mind confused; take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine will restore physical force and elasticity to the system, more surely and speedily than any tonic yet discovered.

For six months I suffered from liver and stomach troubles. My food did not nourish me, and I became weak and very much emaciated. I took six bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and was cured. —J. M. Palmer, Springfield, Mass. tt

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Business Directory.

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

LEGAL.

T. C. Atkinson.......Columbia St
W. Norman Bole.......Columbia St
Corbould & McColl.......McKenzie St

MEDICAL.

Dr. H. M. Cooper.......Church St
Dr. John Garrow.......McKenzie st
Dr. I. M. McLean.......McKenzie St
Dr. DeWolfe Smith.......Clarkson St

DENTAL.

C. E. C. Brown.......Columbia st
E. A. Smith.......McKenzie st
F. Welsh.......Colonial Hotel

INSURANCE.

W. J. Armstrong.......Court House
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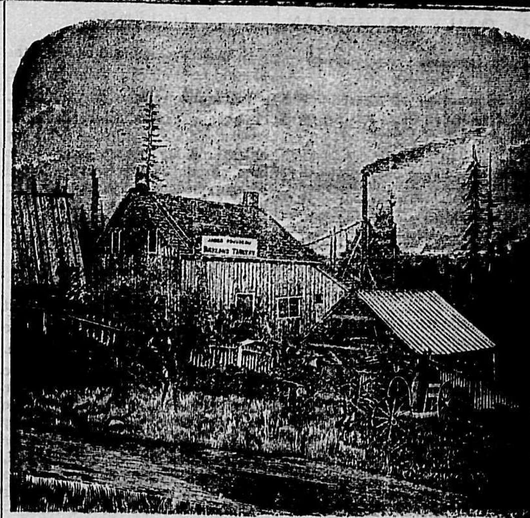

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Fancy Poultry,.....J. S. Cox
Panoramic Views,.....S. E. Burbank

Daily British Columbian

Saturday Evening, March 3, 1888.

Another sprinkling of the beautiful to-day.

Matters are exceedingly quiet in police court circles.

The rifles and artillery parade to-night for battalion drill.

D. W. Port & Co's. new steamer will be launched some day next week.

The disagreeable weather of the last few days has retarded building operations.

The Salvation Army arrived this afternoon and will commence the fight to-morrow.

Remember the "annexation" meeting at the Brunette Sawmill Co's. office to-night.

Business is steadily improving, and the merchants are very hopeful of a large spring trade.

In winter the chief occupation of the Alaskans is burning coal oil and swapping last year's lies.

The residents of Sapperton will hold a meeting to-night to discuss annexation to Westminster.

Dr. C. E. C. Brown goes to Chilliwhack on Monday the 5th inst., and will return Thursday. *

Scarcely two inches of snow fell at Maple Ridge on Thursday, and that had disappeared yesterday.

A gang of Chinamen went out this morning to begin spring operations in the brick yard on the Vancouver road.

The steamer Falcon arrived from Vancouver this morning. She will go over to Nanaimo on Monday for a load of coal.

The steamer Gladys returned from Chilliwhack last night with a large quantity of farm produce and a few passengers.

The steamer Adelaide arrived from Chilliwhack this afternoon with 30 hogs, 12 cattle and a large quantity of farm produce.

Grant & Maclure have been selling at a reduction of 15 per cent. for cash. They stop it to-night, and resume their usual prices Monday. *

The roof of the boiler-house in the Royal City Planing Mills, Vancouver, took fire last night but was extinguished before any damage was done.

In consequence of other meetings, the meeting proposed to be held to-night to discuss the artesian well scheme has been postponed until next Tuesday night, in Hyack Hall, at 7:30.

It is a good rule to accept only such medicines as are known to be worthy of confidence. It has been the experience of thousands that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best medicine ever used for throat and lung diseases.

Messrs. W. H. Higgins, J. Lord and A. Connor will take part in the gospel service to be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The subject will be Colossians, 3: 1 and 2. All young men are earnestly invited.

Everybody needs a spring medicine. By using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the blood is thoroughly cleansed and invigorated, the appetite stimulated, and the system prepared to resist the diseases peculiar to the summer months. Ask for Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Take no other.

Our readers should keep in mind the auction sale of city squares and reserves which takes place at the Colonial Hotel at 8 o'clock to-night. Quite a number of lots will be offered for sale, and besides Mr. Trapp will offer several private lots in the city and suburbs.

There seems to be a general feeling among our citizens that the city council should take some means of placing before the public a copy of the charter for their consideration. If the wishes of the people in this matter are to be granted it will be necessary to take immediate action.

Mr. Goodwin Purcell arrived yesterday from Douglass, having made the journey to the mouth of Harrison river by canoe. He has resided at Douglas for the last 30 years and is now the only remaining inhabitant of that once flourishing town, the nearest neighbor being several miles away. Mr. Purcell reports stock are doing well along the lake, the winter having been very favorable.

Fancy Poultry.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Mr. John S. Cox, importer and dealer in fancy poultry. He has now a splendid lot of fowls, of fancy stock, and is prepared to fill any orders promptly that are entrusted to him. Fresh laid eggs from any breed of hens are always on hand. Mr. Cox keeps none but pure bred fowls, and is certain to give satisfaction to all purchasers.

Wanted A Warm Berth.

An Indian, an Alaskan, on the point of death, was conjured to accept the rites of the Greco-Russian Church. He refused on the ground that if he did he would go above, but on the other hand if he died a sinner he would go below where it was very warm. This higher temperature he preferred after his long sojourn in cold, icy Alaska. Finally, however, he was prevailed upon to repent, and now his "soul goes rocking on the road."—*Alaskan.*

The New Charter.

The council sat again last night and this afternoon, discussing the new charter and passing it clause by clause. So far scarcely any deviations have been made from the copy presented, and it is likely the whole will be passed with very few changes. If the business is finished to-night the charter will go to Victoria by Mr. Bole on Monday, who will point out the changes required to the house, and will watch the passage of the act in the interests of the city.

An Interesting Trip.

On Monday night in Herring's Opera house, Prof. Burbank will give an exhibition of panoramic views taken along the line of the C.P.R. In this exhibition one can travel from the Atlantic to the Pacific in the space of a few hours, visiting every city, town and point of interest along the whole route, a distance of 3000 miles. Prof. Burbank has met with great success and has been highly spoken of in every place he has given this exhibition. A most entertaining evening is promised to all who attend.

Paying Debentures.

Mr. A. M. Herring, our civic minister of finance, has arranged with the Bank of British Columbia for the $17,000 debentures due to-day, redeeming 6 debentures and paying all all the interest on the whole loan. He also obtained an extension on the balance. It would have been possible to have redeemed 16 debentures instead of six had not the late council taken $5,000 from the land sale account and applied it to the general purposes of the council, which means that the taxpayer will have to continue paying taxes on this sum a little while longer.

A Respected Citizen Gone

After a long illness Mr. William Rae died at his residence in the city this morning. The deceased was a native of Scotland, having emigrated to Canada about 17 years ago. For some years he was engaged in business pursuits in Newfoundland, and afterwards in Toronto. He came to British Columbia about 10 years ago, and was engaged in commercial business till the time of death. Mr. Rae was well known and highly respected. He leaves a widow, but no family. The remains will be interred on Monday afternoon, the funeral leaving the residence at 1:30 and the Presbyterian church (of which he was an active member) at 2 o'clock.

A Good Price.

The sale is reported of the "Amelia" claim, Rock Creek, to the same parties who purchased the "Cariboo" mine. The price paid is said to have been $60,000. The company has thus secured a large body of ore, and it is understood that they will extensively develop it. Mr. H. Burnham was the original locater of the claim, and was one of the first men who camped on the now famous McKinney ledge. The Amelia and Cariboo are now owned by Spokane capitalists, and the latter claim adjoins that of the Alice and Emma Consolidated, which company have 1200 feet, and have done considerable work to open their mine, being now 75 feet down.—*Calgary Tribune.*

Canadian Militia Strength.

The annual report of the minister of militia has been published. As usual it is replete with information of interest to the militia force of Canada. Col. Panet, the deputy minister, in his report to Sir Adolphe, calls attention to the very gratifying fact that, as the department enlarges the sphere of its operations, it is clearly proved that the military system of Canada is steadily increasing in efficiency. The various reports on the royal schools of cavalry, artillery, mounted infantry and infantry, are very encouraging, and show the beneficial results that have accrued to the force by the military instruction that has been given to so many militia officers.

The following memo showing the strength of the active militia in 1873, the number authorized for drill each year since then, is supplied by Col. Powell, adjutant-general:

Year.	Strength of active Militia.
1873-74	45,750
1874-75	43,790
1875-76	43,720
1876-77	43,720
1877-78	45,035
1878-79	45,152
1879-80	45,152
1880-81	37,390
1881-82	37,390
1882-83	37,229
1883-84	37,036
1884-85	37,036
1885-86	37,348
1886-87	37,900

Pope & Bitlean, druggists, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, writes: "We have never sold any medicine that gives such satisfaction to the consumer and pleasure to the seller as Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. We can refer you to numbers that have used it for diphtheria with entire satisfaction and success.

Thoroughbred Stock for Sumas.

Mr. Geo. W. Chadsey, of Sumas, arrived from Victoria last night on the str. Rainbow bringing with him a magnificent Holstein-Friesian 5-year-old cow which he purchased from the well-known stockmen, B. & N. Davis, of Skeget, W. T. The cow is thoroughbred and Mr. Chadsey has all the papers, certificates, etc. of her pedigree. It was imported from Edam, North Holland, in 1884 by an Illinois stock-raiser and was afterwards purchased by the Messrs. Davis and taken to Washington Territory. Mr. Chadsey has a thoroughbred bull of the same quality and it is his intention to use the animals for breeding purposes. At the test trials in the state of New York, last year, the Holstein Friesians took the lead over all other breeds of cattle in quantity of milk, quality, quantity, color and grain of butter. The people of Sumas are to be congratulated on such a valuable acquisition, as this last importation, to their herds.

Wedding at Aldergrove.

Two interesting events occurred at this settlement on Thursday, 1st inst. Mr. Goldsmith having kindly placed his house at the disposal of the contracting parties, Lucy, only surviving daughter of Mr. Shepherd, of Clapham, England, was duly married there by the Rev. Mr Tait (Presbyterian) to Jefferson Crull, an enterprising pioneer of the settlement. For days great things had been anticipated, and every settler invited to the festivity donned his best. Some twenty or thirty guests partook of a most recherche dinner, among whom were noted: Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith, the Misses Cosens, Mr. and Mrs. Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd, and Messrs. Dingle, Kirby and Bruskey. Prior to this the infant daughter of Mr. Samuel Shepherd was baptized, receiving the names Elsie Winifred. We take this opportunity of hoping that the above interesting festivities are the prelude to a brighter era for the brother of the bride, who, it will be remembered by our readers, was completely burned out on New Year's day.—Com.

Personal.

G. W. Chadsey, of Sumas, gave us a call to-day.

C. N. Beecher has gone on a business trip to Winnipeg.

Geo. Butchart, J.P., of Port Moody, was in the city to-day.

Gideon Robertson, of Vancouver, paid the city a visit to-day.

C. A. Lombard, of Victoria, came over from Vancouver yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bowman, of Sumas, are stopping at the Colonial.

J. J. Fanning, a prominent lumber merchant of Winnipeg, is in the city.

Rev. R. B. Hemlaw came down from Maple Ridge yesterdry and returned to-day.

Dominion Parliament.

OTTAWA, March 2.—In the house to-day a petition of the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway, to be allowed to construct twenty miles a year, was read and received. Mr. Patterson introduced a bill to incorporate the Canada and Michigan Tunnel Company. The report of the committee on debates recommending the appointment of Thomas P. Owens on the Hansard staff was adopted and that portion of the report recommending that two months' salary be voted to the widow of the late George Eyvel was referred back to the committee to substitute six months. Mr. Davin and several other members spoke in high terms of Eyvel and thought six months' salary should be voted. Mr. Jamieson introduced a bill to amend the Scott act, simplifying and making it more efficient and extending it to British Columbia. Mr. McLelan resumed the debate regarding the Prince Edward Island mails and stated that the service was as perfect as it could be made, and that special trains would be put on when necessary. Replying to Mr. Bernier, Mr. Thompson said that a compendium of the criminal laws had been supplied to magistrates and had been found quite efficient. Replying to Mr. Barron, who asked, Does the government intend to pay Mrs. Gowanlock, who was killed by Indians at Frog Lake during the late Northwest rebellion, a pension in the the same manner and to the same extent as that now paid to Mrs. Delaney? Mr. White stated that Gowanlock was not an employee of the government as was Delaney, and his widow therefore was not entitled to a pension. Moreover, the firm of which Gowanlock was a member had received a bonus of $1,200 for the construction of a mill never completed, and that Mrs. Gowanlock had been paid $907 for personal losses. Replying to Mr. Weldon, Mr. Pope said $3,924,632 had been placed to the capital account of the Intercolonial railway during the last 4 fiscal years. Motions for a number of returns were carried without debate. On moving the adjournment, Sir Hector Langevin made a very touching allusion to the death of Mr. Alex. Robertson, the member for West Hastings, whom he spoke of as being of a retiring disposition, but all had appreciated the kindness and friendship of the deceased.

Latest Canadian News.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 26.—About forty rods of high trestle work in course of erection on the Niagara Central railway, near Thorold, was blown down by high winds this morning. Fortunately the men were not at work owing to the heavy rain. The loss will be considerable.

OTTAWA, Feb. 29.—The Dominion government has decided to restore the extra allowance made to the postoffice officials of Winnipeg which was recently removed.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 29.—The blockade in Manitoba has been considerably reduced during the last few days. At some points, however, the buyers have been compelled to cease operation for want of cars.

The *Free Press* this morning says: If Greenway should make a call to arms in connection with the Red River road, thousands of the best citizens would respond.

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

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. John Street, Opposite Orange Hall. Rev. Thomas Haddon, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Seats free; all are cordially invited. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

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

Sunday evening, Mar. 4: "Some Lessons for Temperance Workers."

UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular Communications of this Lodge are held on the first Monday in each month. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.

PETER GRANT, Secretary.

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DIED

RAE.—In this city, on the 3rd inst., William Rae, a native of Scotland, aged 39 years.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon next, from the residence, Columbia st., at 1:30; and from the Presbyterian Church at 2 o'clock.

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Re Lot 16, in Block 8, Subdivision of District Lot 196, City of Vancouver, B. C.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Thomas H. Boyd to the above-mentioned land has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate thereof:

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

R. W. ARMSTRONG, Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., 3rd Mar., 1888. djs26m1

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A PUBLIC AUCTION WILL TAKE place at the Colonial Hotel, in the City of New Westminster, on

Saturday, March 3rd, 1888,

At 8 o'clock in the evening, when the following Lots will be submitted to public competition, in accordance with "Land Sale By-Law, 1884," and amendments thereto, viz.:

GOVERNMENT OFFICE GARDENS. Block A.
Lots 14, 15, & 20.

VICTORIA GARDENS—Block B.
Lots 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 30, 35 & 36.

ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE—Block D.
Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 & 35.

CLINTON PLACE RESERVE—Block F
Lots 19, 20, 30, 31, 34 & 35.

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE—Block H.
Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 & 42.

☞ The Lots are mostly 66 by 132 feet.

TERMS—33⅓ per cent. on the fall of the hammer; 33⅓ per cent. in three months; and the balance of the purchase money in six months from date of sale.

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City Clerk's Office, New West., 17th Feb., 1888. dfe17td

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PURSUANT TO EXECUTIONS AGAINST LANDS ACT, 1874.

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

W. B. TOWNSEND, PLAINTIFF.
ALFRED BUNNING, DEFENDANT.

IN OBEDIENCE TO A WRIT OF FI. FA. ISSUED OUT OF THE COUNTY Court of New Westminster on the 7th day of February, 1888, and to me directed, in the above-named suit, for the sum of $80.80, debt and costs, also interest on the same at 4 per cent. per annum from the 8th day of October, 1887, until paid, besides Sheriff's fees, poundage, &c., I have seized and will offer for sale by auction at the COURT HOUSE, New Westminster, on

Friday the 9th Day of March, 1888, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

All the right, title and interest of the said Alfred Bunning as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment debts and costs, subject to a mortgage for $50.00 and interest on the same.

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Int'st
New Westminster City, Suburban.	South East half of Lot 24, Suburban Block 7.	Slashed and partially cleared.	An undivided half interest.

The Judgment was registered in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, against said Lands on the 8th October, 1887.

dfe21td W. J. ARMSTRONG, SHERIFF.

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