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AUCTION SALES.

On Saturday evening, Jan. 28th, T. J. Trapp will sell, at the Colonial Hotel, at 7:30, a number of city, suburban and Port Moody lots. For particulars see adv.

On Wednesday, Feb. 1st, J. P. Davies & Co. will sell by auction, in Victoria, a lot of choice teas and cigars. For particulars see adv.

Items of Interest.

An English pathologist thinks that cancers may be developed by arsenic-eating.

Sir John Lubbock's oldest queen ant has reached the age of fourtain, and still lays fertile eggs.

Tannin has been discovered as an animal substance by M. Villon, a French chemist, who finds that corn weevils contain about three per cent of it.

Seven varieties of fishes examined by naturalists of the Challenger expedition are found totally blind in the deep sea, but have eyes when inhabiting shallow water.

Abdominal massage has been successfully applied by Dr. H. Sahli, of Berne, to the cure of constipation. He patients are recommended to roll a five-pound cannon ball over the abdomen for five or ten minutes daily.

An annalysis of "mystery gold," reveals an alloy of copper, silver, gold, aluminium, and iron, the last probably being an impurity. Even when present in small proportion, the aluminium resists the nitric acid test.

A singular error is the use of the word "cocoa-nut," which, botanical authorities urge, should be coco-nut." The wrong spelling is charged upon Dr. Johnson, who is said to have confused the coco-nut" with "cocoa," which is the product of the cacao tree.

Astronomy is likely to have a "boom" in the United States. Among the institutions that have projected or just completed new observatories of importance are Iowa College, Carleton College, Smith College, Lake Forest University, and Bates College.

Austrian engineers speak favorably of Giezl's pilot engine for preventing railway collisions. It is worked by electricity, under the control of the engineer, and is run at any desired distance in front of the train, which it stops automatically on encountering any obstacle.

The possibility of infection from disease-germs escaping from hospital windows is attracting some attention, and a special inquiry is recommended. Hospital ventilation might be so arranged that the foul air would be drawn through a furnace before mingling with the outer atmosphere.

A commission of the Paris Academy of Medicine finds that hydrofluoric acid, which is highly antiseptic, has a therapeutic action when inhaled. It dissents, however, from the opinion of glass-workers that the inhalations cure consumption, but considers that they may be useful in diphtheria.

A London coroner has raised the question whether a man can cough himself to pieces. A broken rib was found in a deceased lunatic, when medical evidence was brought forward to show that under certain abnormal conditions bones may be broken by muscular efforts, or even by a violent fit of coughing.

An English chemist has shown that the brittleness of the bones of the aged is not due, as is generally supposed, to an increase of the proportion of mineral salts with advancing years. From a section of the femur of fifty subjects of different ages no difference in the proportion of ash could be determined.

A powerful disinfectant, adopted to all purposes, has been obtained in Paris from coal-oil. It is a sirupy brown liquid, of a not disagreeable odor, resulting from a peculiar saponification of the oil by caustic soda. It destroys moss and fungus on trees, and sponding with a weak solution keeps flies from horses.

In a very sensitive micro-radiometer described by Prof. Weber to the Helvetic Society of Sciences, the expansion of a tube of air presses a solution of zinc-sulphate toward the opposite side of a Wheatstone bridge; giving a great difference of electrical resistence. The radiation of the moon oscillates the galvanometer needle about five divisions.

The power of various explosives has been calculated to be equivalent to the following pressures, the figures giving tons per square inch: Emmensite, a new explosive for which important advantages are claimed in addition to great power, 283; nitroglycerine, 264; explosive gelatine, 253; forcite, 250; oxomite, 249; panclastite, 203; gun cotton, 198, dynamite, 144; atlas, 133; rackarock, 117; roburite, 24; blasting gun-powder, 23.

BY TELEGRAPH.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

Queen Isabella a State Prisoner.--The Government Refuse to Allow Canadian Wheat, Shipped through the U. S. to Re-enter Canada.

Hon. John Costigan Congratulates O'Brien on His Release from Tullamore.--A Big Storm, A Big Burglary and a Fatal Fire in Halifax

DON'T WANT INTERFERENCE.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—It transpires that Cardinal Manning has recently written a number of letters to the Pope with a view of dissuading the Holy Father from interfering with the Irish Catholics in their struggle with the English Government for Home Rule for Ireland. Concerning these letters, the *Chronicle* says they have undoubtedly had some effect, but their influence with the Vatican has fallen far short of the Cardinals expectations. The best results he had been able to obtain, the *Chronicle* asserts, are the not very positive assurance that the Pope will not publicly condemn the course of the national party but will content himself with giving private and detailed instruction to the Irish bishops as to the future conduct of themselves, of the clergy and laity. To what extent these instructions will be carried out, remains to be seen.

DONNELLY'S DRIVEL.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Doctor Mason, professor of literature in the Edinburgh University, and generally regarded as the foremost authority in the kingdom in a decision on literary questions, has written his opinions of Ignatius Donnelly's Cryptogram, treating of the subject in terms anything but complimentary to that gentleman. After going into the matter exhaustively to show the absurdity of Mr. Donnelly's claims, the Professor concludes by characterizing the American's work as a "miserable drivel, ending in a tissue of arithmetical conundrums that would be hissed and ridiculed even in bedalm."

ANOTHER RAILROAD SCHEME.

DULUTH, Minn. Jan. 24.—The Duluth North Western and Winnipeg Railway Company, with a capital of $35,000,000 was incorporated yesterday. The proposed line is to run from Duluth 90 miles to Grand Rapids on the Upper Mississippi to which point it is expected it will be built this season, and from there to the Manitoba border, and to a point on the Red River between the Northern Pacific railway at Fargo and the Manitoba Railway at Crookstown. It will make an eastern connection with the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic road.

THE IRISH QUESTION COMES SECOND.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Mr. Henry Matthews, the home secretary, in an address to his constituents this evening said there had never been a cabinet more united than the present one. The next session of parliament, he said, would be devoted entirely to business in which Ireland would take a second place. The local government bill, to be introduced at the beginning of the session, would be broad and liberal.

Mr. John Dillon, in a speech at Cambridge this evening, declared that the coercion policy of the government was an abject failure. His only fear was, not that the national spirit would be quenched by coercion, but that the last chance of knitting the hearts of the of the English and Irish people in the bonds of sympathy would pass without being seized.

Lord Dufferin, the governor-general of India, in reply to the tenants on his Irish estates, who asked for a reduction of their rents by 40 per cent., stated that he leaves the matter entirely in the hands of his agent. The maximum reduction allowed by the agent is 10 per cent.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

KILLED BY AN EXPLOSION.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—It is ascertained to-day that one man was killed and four badly hurt in the explosion in the Metallic Car Co.'s works near Huntington, yesterday. Other deaths are expected.

STORM, ROBBERY AND FATAL FIRE.

HALIFAX, Jan. 26.—During the past twenty-four hours a snow storm has swept over the province, and railway travel is again demoralized. In the middle of the storm on Monday night the post office at Annapolis was entered by burglars and through mail bags from Yarmouth for Halifax and from Halifax for Yarmouth and for and from St. John's were opened and the registered letters and money packages stolen. At midnight, when the storm was at the height of its fury, the dwelling house of Alexander Beaton, a prominent resident, caught fire, and in a few moments was destroyed. Beaton's wife and grandchild were burned to death, the other inmates barely escaping with their lives.

A BIG PURCHASE.

PARIS, Jan. 26.—The celebrated Absinthe manufactory of Pernad & Sons, at Pentaries, was purchased for $1,000,000 by Messrs. Neil and Pickard.

ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—Deputy Fish Commissioner, John W. Wellage was killed this morning at his residence in this city by a shot from his own revolver. It is not known whether it was a case of accident or suicide.

A MILE A MINUTE.

ASTORIA, Jan. 26.—Wind is blowing 60 miles an hour, and four vessels are on the sands. They are the Deanfield, Shenir, Lucipara and Medea. It is thought they will be gotten off at high tide without damage.

COSTIGAN AND O'BRIEN.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—There is much comment here over the interest the Hon. John Costigan, minister of inland revenue, has been taking in Ireland's cause against the coercion measures adopted by the British government Yesterday, as a member of the Dominion government, he cabled his congratulations to Wm. O'Brien on his liberation from Tullamore jail, to which, it is understood, the other members of the cabinet are taking exception. Every member of the Dominion cabinet is sworn as a minister of the crown, and Costigan is the representative in the cabinet of the Irish element of the Dominion and by no means in sympathy with the policy adopted by the British government toward Ireland.

THE WRITS OUT.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—Writs are out for the new election in Manitoba to enable the new ministers to go to their constituents. Polling will occur on Feb. 16th. No constituency has been found for Minister Jones. The legislature has not been dissolved but adjourned to-day to March 1st.

QUEEN ISABELLA A STATE PRISONER.

PARIS, Jan. 26.—*Figaro* referring to the fact that Queen Isabella is allowed to live at Seville, asserts the queen was conducted to the frontier, as a state prisoner.

SMALLPOX.

SANRAEFEL, Cal. Jan. 26.—One case of smallpox and one death from the same yesterday.

A BUSINESS LIKE PROCEEDING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—In Oakland on Tuesday afternoon Flora Allen obtained a divorce from Benj. Allen, of Seattle, and the same evening she was married to Geo. Taylor.

GRAIN MUST GO BY C.P.R.

OTTAWA, Jan. 26.—The Dominion government has refused to certify or bond Canadian grain shipped from the Northwest territories through the U.S. by the Northern Pacific and other American lines for re-entry into Canada, at Windsor, Ont. This announcement is creating intense excitement throughout Manitoba and the Northwest. The government maintains that the Canadian Pacific was constructed at a great cost through the western province, to facilitate people in the northwest securing direct communication with the outside world, and that the American roads cannot be allowed, if possible, to come into competition with the C.P.R., which might under other circumstances prevent American cars coming into Manitoba at the junction with the Northern Pacific.

Jacob H. Bloomer, of Vigil, N. Y., writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil cured a badly swelled neck and sore throat on my son in forty-eight hours; one application also removed the pain from a sore toe; my wife's foot was also much inflamed—so much so that she could not walk about the house; she applied the Oil, and in twenty-four hours was entirely cured."

Latest Canadian News.

SARNIA, Jan. 18.—Capt. J. C. Moore, late of the ill-fated Algoma, is now en route to Scotland, where he goes to oversee the building of a steamship of 2,000 tons burden to run between Kingston and Port Arthur. Moore will have charge of her when completed.

Rubridge, engineer in charge of the Trent Valley canal works, has put in his estimate of the cost of completing the undertaking. The sum mentioned is $8,684,650. This estimate is exclusive of damages and claims for reprarian rights and damages caused by the operations of contractors.

The postoffice department continues to receive encouraging advices, showing a great increase in the business between England and Japan via the Canadian Pacific.

HALIFAX, Jan. 19.—A most heroic act was performed at Mount Uniacke gold mines yesterday. The large number of miners at work were startled by the cry "Run for your life, the dynamite is on fire." A miner named Reseigh entered the building, from where the flames were issuing, and, at the imminent risk of his own life, succeeded in extinguishing the fire, but not a moment too soon, for the box containing the detonators was badly scorched.

TORONTO, Jan. 20. A large number of immigrants bound for the Northwest arrived at Halifax yesterday morning and left for Winnipeg this evening.

Canadian Pacific Railway company's earnings for the week ending January 14th are $176,000; same week last year, $148,000. The above does not include earnings on the South-Eastern Railway.

A sensational suit was decided yesterday morning. In March, 1886, Jas. H. Inchally and some friends entered Alexander's restaurant and partook, among other things, of some fish balls, which he complained were poisoned or decayed, and brought action against Alexander for $500 damages for subsequent illness. The court this morning decided he had no case and dismissed the action with costs.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—In spite of the protests from the volunteers, the Snyder rifle will again be used in the matches this year.

The Minister of the Interior was notified yesterday of the death by fever at St. Maurice, of J. Duprat, clerk of the Interior department. This makes six deaths from fever among the clerks of this department within the past few months.

Mr. Robertson, of Beaver, B. C., is here purchasing stock for British Columbia ranches.

Fred. White, son of the Minister of the Interior, will be married to Katie Gordon, daughter of Ald. Gordon, on the 8th of February.

M. Sheehan, of Oscado, Mich., writes: "I have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil on horses for different diseases, and found it to be just as you recommended. It has done justice to me every time, and it is the best Oil for horses I ever used." Observe that the name "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil" is on front of the wrapper, as there are imitations of it.

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Thursday Evening, Jan. 26, 1888.

The result of the contest in Victoria has been a genuine surprise to a large number of persons in this city. People sometimes succeed in persuading themselves that their own peculiar wishes are a reliable index of coming events. A great many people, therefore, had come to the conclusion that Mr. Duck would be defeated in Victoria, and that the event would mark the beginning of the end. It is no secret that a few hard-headed opponents of the present government have been cherishing the confident belief that a change is not far off. Of these persons the *Guardian* is the organ and mouthpiece. A few days ago it stated that there were fourteen members of the house ready to vote out the government at the very first opportunity. Quite possibly Mr. Williams was counted as one of the fourteen—but chickens are sometimes counted before they have been hatched. Mr. Duck's election was a surprise; but his large majority must have been much more than a surprise. It shows that the government stands firm in the confidence of the people, and that the calculations of the opposition have been sadly out of harmony with facts. It has been more than once intimated that the present government is the most corrupt that ever existed. If that statement is founded on fact, the electors who yesterday returned a government supporter in Victoria must themselves be very guilty, for their action is a distinct endorsement of the government policy. The danger to the public administration seems to lie not so much in its weakness as in its strength. A powerful and capable opposition is very important, but the present opposition seems to be singularly wanting both in numbers and ability. We should be glad to see it gain in both.

In consequence of the slowness of the mails lately, full particulars of the trial of the *Guardian* libel case did not reach this city until yesterday. The only witnesses examined were Mr. P. Æ. Irving, deputy attorney-general, Mr. M. W. T. Drake, Q.C., and Hon. John Robson. Many of our readers will remember that the libel arose out of a case which came before the courts at Victoria, in which a brother of one of the members was charged with a serious crime. The deputy attorney-general was crown prosecutor in the case, and it seems that the chief justice gave utterance to some very strong language respecting the preparation of some papers which he wished to put in as evidence. During the progress of the trial Hon. Mr. Robson came to the court house for the purpose of seeing Mr. Irving. The *Times* stated that the chief justice had very severely censured the crown prosecutor in connection with the papers mentioned, and insinuated that Hon. Mr. Robson's presence at court was for the purpose of influencing the case. For this an action was entered against the *Times*; but afterwards it published a retraction and apology, and the action was withdrawn. The *Guardian* made some very severe comments on the case, and when the apology appeared in the *Times* the *Guardian* intimated that it was not a bona fide apology, bnt had been procured by Hon. Mr. Robson so as to save himself from exposure. In evidence it came out that the remarks of the chief justice were not directed against Mr. Irving at all, but against the person who had prepared certain papers in connection with the case when it was before the police court; and it also came out that so far from Hon. Mr. Robson coming to court to exert an improper influence he merely came to consult Mr. Irving on a totally different matter; that he remained only about five minntes, and did not have an opportunity of speaking with Mr. Irving at all; and that Mr. Irving did not know he was there. The *Guardian* published certain comments on the case as reported in the *Times*, in which very uncomplimentary reflections were made on the provincial secretary, it being intimated that he ought to be in the chaingang. When the *Times* apology appeared, the *Guardian* made matters worse by its charge that the apology had been procured by improper means. In his evidence Hon. Mr. Robson stated that it was this last reference to the case that had led him to put the matter into court, as he and his friends felt that it ought not to be passed over in silence. There were no witnesses called for the *Guardian*, and the defence set up was that the articles were fair comments upon the plaintiff in his political character, and that plaintiff had, when publishing a newspaper himself, indulged in similar attacks upon the character of defendant. In his charge to the jury Mr. Justice Crease said that although in cases of libel the jury had to be judges both of the law and the facts, he would say in his opinion the words used by defendant were undoubtedly libelous, and there was evidence of a malicious motive which prompted it. In view of the evidence there seemed to be no course open to the jury but to find a verdict for the plaintiff, which was done.

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H. ABBOTT,
Gen'l Supt.

Vancouver, Jan. 23rd, 1888. djn23t6

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GEO. WISE,
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HORATIO JOHN ROBERTSON.
Vancouver, B. C., 20th Dec., 1887.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, on behalf of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster for an Act to authorize and empower said corporation to construct, equip and maintain water works, to bring water for domestic, fire, manufacturing and other purposes, into said city from Coquitlam River or Coquitlam Lake, with power to issue debentures therefor, and all other powers requisite and necessary to the completion of such work.

Dated at New Westminster this 2nd day of December, 1887.

T. C. ATKINSON,
dde2w6 Solicitor for Applicants.

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Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 5, 1888. dja7m1

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

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., November 3rd, 1887.
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Plans, specifications and forms of tender can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E., Post Office, Victoria, B. C., after Wednesday, 28th inst., and tenders will not be considered unless made on forms supplied and signed with actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, A. GOBEIL,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 19th Dec., 1887. dde31td

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E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.

P. O. Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 2nd January, 1888.
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Ataline, who is a young man of 22, very stiff in the back and of ancient antiquity, came forward with a bland smile on his face and his coat buttoned very tight around him.

"Brudder Pierson," continued the president in a rather dry way, "I has had an eye on you fur some time back. Ar' dat a diamond pin you has on?"

"Yes, sah—it is a glass."

"I thought so. Is dar' anything at de end of dat watch chain?"

"No, sah."

"Gold chain?"

"No, sah."

"How's dat suit of close, Brudder Pierson—paid fur or not?"

"N-no, sah—but I'se gwine to pay."

"Oh, you ar'! De tailor was ober to see me las' nite about 'em. Please lemme see dat big roll of money you war carrying round yesterday."

"I'se dun took it apart, sah. It was only a $2 bill wrapped around a rag."

"Just s' I sp'cted! How's yer bo'd, Brudder Pierson?"

"Three weeks behind, sah, but I'se gwine to pay up."

"I am glad to hear dat news. Owe any borrowed money?"

"Yes, sah, but I'se gwine to pay it back."

"Den, to sum up, you doan' own de clothes on your back. You ar' cheatin' de public wid a glass dimun, a brass watch chain, an' you am doggin' creditors in every direction. All dis for what? To put on a leader style. Brudder Pierson, you am a deceiver; you am a hypocrite; you am a liar. Sooner dan let de world know dey am poo' dey will commit a crime. Whar dey orter w'ar kaliko dey will buy velvets; whar day orter pay deir milk bills dey will use deir money to go to de grand opera. Meet 'em on de street an' you'd think dey owned a bank. Go to their homes an' you'd think you'd stumbled into de poo' house.

"I doan' understan', Brudder Pierson, why you kee' called upon to swell. Dem clothes won't hide yer black face; dem fashionable gaiters won't reduce de size of yer feet; a brass watch chain an' a glass dimun am not gwine to boost ye into high society an' hold ye thar very long. How does you reason dis case, Brudder Pierson?"

"I—I doan' know."

"Well, sah, you resoom yer seat. De nex' time you appear heah de chain an' dimun must be missin'. I'll give you just two weeks to part yer ha'r away from de middle. In abo' fo' weeks, if dat bo'd bill ain't paid up an' de tailor feelin' safe about his money, sunthin' will drap. It will drap hard an' it will hit you! Dis club believes in kaliker shirts an' cash down for grub; in stogy shoes an' house rent all paid up; in Kentucky jeans an' no bill at de butcher's; in paper collars an' no dodging creditors. Sit down, Brudder Pierson, an' think it ober."

Detroit Free Press.

Good Preaching.

The Dakota Bell relates the experience of a young man fresh from an Eastern theological seminary who went out to Murray, in the Coeur d'Alene country, to take charge of a church. The largest gambling hall in town was cleared for his accommodation the first Sunday, one table on which Spanish monte was usually dealt being left for him to stand behind. A large stock register book was laid on this, which was supposed to represent a Bible. The whole town turned out, and the young divine preached a powerful sermon. It is to be strongly deplored that gambling, horse-racing, drinking and profanity. That afternoon he was called on by a committee of leading citizens, one of whom said:

"Pardner, thar's a little matter we'd like to talk over with ye. I reckon it's all O. K. that you and me should speak to some matters as we are a good deal in the same line o' work—as I might say, both o' us tryin to better the community."

"Indeed, do I see a minister of the gospel before me?"

"I reckon not, capt'n, 'less there's one of 'em sneakin' up behind me—which ain't prob'ble, as I may say. Wot I meant was thet I am the chairman uv the vigilance committee."

"Is it possible."

"Mighty poss'ble, capt'n; the cussedest poss'ble thing yo ever seed. Wot we came here to say is thet we don't approve o' yer preachin'."

"I am very sorry that such is the case, but I can't see how I can change it."

"Can't, hey? Well, I reckon ye'll hev to. Ye've got ter let up on hollerin' agin' gambling, an' horse-racin', an' swearin', an' licker. Them things air all powerfule sore an' are highly recommended by the leadin' citizens, an' the clergy has got ter fall into line. As a committee we moseyed up here to warn ye, an' 'taint our style to warn more'n once."

"But, my dear sir, what can I preach against—I must denounce something?"

"What can ye preach agin! Well, I swan! Haint there wickedness 'nough in this country 'thout goin' outer yer way to jump outer sich things? Preach agin hoss stealin' an' jumpin' mineral claims uv course. Rip 'em up the back an' tramp on 'em! Then there's original sin—touch that up once in a while. Jes' confine yerself to these things an' the boys will jes' crowd in to hear an' cheer ye every time ye make a good p'int."

Couldn't Bother With a Drummer.

Recently I was awaiting the convenience of one of these "aristocrats" whose store is in a small inland town in the state. While I was patiently putting in my time on a convenient chair a gentleman, carrying two grips similar to those used by drummers, entered with a business-like air, and putting his baggage down the door began to make a minute inspection of the contents of the showcases. The autocrat was arranging his window, and now and then casting an interested glance into a dressmaker's work room opposite. He paid no attention to the new arrival, supposing him, as he afterward tearfully remarked, to be "only a drummer." The stranger glanced at him several times, and was plainly growing impatient. Finally he evidently decided that he had waited long enough, and with a muttered exclamation that he couldn't buy anything if he wasn't shown anything, he seized his grips and vanished through the door before the astonished jewelry could recover his scattered senses.

They were still more widely scattered a few days afterward when he learned that his competitor, a few blocks away, had sold the stranger a pair of diamond earrings and a two-carat stud. Now when a drummer comes into his store the autocrat's obsequious manners almost make his visitor's hair stand on end in astonishment.

Just Like Women.

Now, every body knows that a woman will never allow another woman to get the best of her in anything. She may play modesty out of politeness, but if one insists too much upon the superiority of any thing belonging to her, she'll provoke bad feeling and very acrid contradictions.

"I have been so ill," said a lady calling with some others at a house up town the other day. "I have been very ill."

"What was the matter?"

"It was pneumonia."

"Pneumonia!" said another; "I had the same thing."

"But mine was very serious and I didn't know if I'd get over it."

"So was mine. The doctor was quite alarmed about me."

"I was ill nearly three days."

"I was confined to my room four."

"But you couldn't possibly have been as ill as I was."

"I was even worse."

"It could not have been pneumonia?"

"Yes, it was."

"But my case was very aggravated."

"Mine was most serious."

"Yours could not have been the same kind, not as bad. My docter said mine was the most dangerous case of the kind he had ever seen."

"Mine told me I would surely die."

"I don't believe it was pneumonia you had."

"I know it was, but yours wasn't."

"I don't believe you were sick at all."

"I know you weren't. You had a cold in the head."

"Well, I never!"

And they are strangers now.

Like Her Elders.

A story of the rising generation:

In one of the suburban towns there is a young lady—quite a young lady she is, too—whose somewhat boyish aspect and innocently masculine tastes have won for her the sobriquet of Tommy. Not long ago she gave a little party to the children of the neighborhood, and in preparing for the event her mother, in order to get an idea of the sort of young people her daughter would like to have attend, told her to prepare a list of those she wished to invite. Tommy went to work with zest and in a short time finished a pretty long list.

"There, mamma," said she, with an air of conclusiveness, "there's every single one that I want to come."

Her mother took the document and read it with an astonishment which increased as her eyes approached the end of the list. Tommy had only one girl's name on the whole list.

"Why, Tommy," her mother exclaimed, "do you want none but boys to come to your party? What are you thinking of?"

"Well, mamma," said Tommy, "you know girls aren't any fun!"

"But would your boys have any fun if there wer n't any girls?"

"Wer-n't any girls? Why, there'll be Kitty Bickerstaff and me, and that ought to be girls enough!"

The mother, however, insisted upon the nomination of a full quota of girls; but in order to get it she had to make inquiries herself. Tommy's information was deficient.

The Old Man Was Too Hasty.

A staid old Hubbardston farmer came to the Hub yesterday to do "a leetle tradin'," and as he meandered down Washington street, "headed for the Fitchburg Depot," as he said, he suddenly halted, gazed excitedly at a sign in front of a clothing house, and then darted into the store exclaiming:

"Well, I vum, that is good!" After due deliberation he selected a $10 suit of clothes, tendering in payment just $7. "That's the right change, sir," said he to the astonished clerk.

"But I don't understand; I told you that suit would be $10," argued the clerk.

"Yes, I know; but don't your old sign out there, at the door say 'All we want is seventy cents on the dollar?'" and picking up his new purchase the honest old Hubbardston farmer hastily left. He trotted along, congratulating himself on his wonderful smartness, and was heard to mutter: "I guess I'm lively enough for these 'er city folks."

But a sudden change came "o'er the spirit of his dreams" after he had walked a short distance. A look of utter disgust overspread his face, the bundle fell from his arms and, in a mournful tone, he said: "Why in blazes didn't I look around a little before I bought them clothes?" The cause of this consternation was another clothing sign that read: "Goods sold here at half price." After studying the situation several minutes he resumed his journey depotward, saying: "I might have saved $5 just as well as not if I hadn't been in such a pesky hurry."

An Important Study.

Negro Father (to son)—How yer gittin' 'long at school?

Boy—Fust rate.

Father—Whut yer flingin' yer mine down on fur de mos' part?

Boy—Rifmertic.

Father—Got down te jogerfy yit?

Boy—No, sah.

Father—Well, I wants yer ter git down ter dat ex soon ex yer ken.

Boy—What's jogerfy gwine ter do for me?

Father—Whut's it gwine ter do fur you? W'y, it'll allus keep yew outen de po' house, dat's whut it's gwine ter do.

Boy—How come?

Father—Is yer dun los' all yer sense dat yer doan know how come? Doan' per know dat er man wid plenty o' jogerfy in his head ken allus tell de age o' er hoss by lookin at him? Doan yer know he ken fling his eye up ter de clouds an' tell w'en it's gwine ter rain, an' dat he kin skin er sheep jes' like snatchin' off er shirt? Know dat man what tuck er peach tree switch an' foun' dat fine well o' water on de Fulgum place, doan yer?

Boy—Yes, sah.

Father—Wall, he wuz er fine han' at jogerfy. Go back ter dat school 'ouse an' study jogerfy, son; go right back dar an' study it dis minit.

—Arkansaw Traveller.

Nitro-Glycerine.

Dr. M. H. Leskerstein, of Chicago, reports the remarkable effects of nitro-glycerine in resuscitating life. His patient was a woman, who sank rapidly and was apparently dead. Any action of the heart was imperceptible, the temperature of the body had fallen to 92 degrees F., and every indication of death was present. A solution of nitro-glycerine was administered hypodermically, when there was a gasp, followed by three others within a minute. During the second minute six respirations were noted, with a faint fluttering of the heart, but no wrist pulse was discernible. During the third minute eighteen respirations were evident and a feeble pulse. During the fourth minute the pulse rose to 180 and above, the face was flushed, the eyes rolled, the muscles slowly relaxed and the patient became comfortable.

"It Saved My Life"

Is a common expression, often heard from those who have realized, by personal use, the curative powers of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. ❋ I cannot say enough in praise of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, believing as I do that, but for its use, I should long since have died from lung troubles.—E. Bragdon, Palestine, Tex.

About six months ago I had a severe Hemorrhage of the Lungs, brought on by a distressing Cough, which deprived me of sleep and rest. I had used various cough balsams and expectorants, without obtaining relief. A friend advised me to try

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I did so, and am happy to say that it helped me at once. By continued use this medicine cured my cough, and, I am satisfied, saved my life.—Mrs. E. Coburn, 18 Second st., Lowell, Mass.

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

MEDICAL.

Dr. H. M. Cooper.....Church St
Dr. 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

INSURANCE.

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

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W. N. Bole.....Columbia St
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Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

ARCHITECT, &c.

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

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

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

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W. E. Fales.....Columbia st
P. Peebles.....Columbia st

UNDERTAKING.

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

BRICK-MAKERS.

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

AUCTIONEERS.

T. J. Trapp.....Columbia St

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

H. Peters.....Victoria, B. C.

PRINTING & RULING.

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

STOVES & TINWARE.

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

GAS FITTINGS.

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

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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

DRY GOODS, &c.

Bon Marche.....Columbia St
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia st
W. Rae.....Columbia st

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

R. J. Armstrong.....Columbia st
W. R. Austin.....Front st
C. McDonough.....Front st
C. G. Major.....Columbia st

CONFECTIONERY & FRUITS.

C. J. Robson.....Columbia st
R. J. Armstrong.....Columbia st

DRESSMAKING.

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

WOOD & COAL.

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

DRUGS, &c.

D. S. Curtis & Co.....Columbia St
A. M. Herring.....Columbia st

BUTCHERS.

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

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

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

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Wm. Ross.....Columbia St

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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Sixteenth day of February, proximo, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia stands called for Thursday, the Sixteenth day of February, proximo, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on

Friday, the Twenty-Seventh Day of the Month of January,

Instant, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

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

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
dja10td Provincial Secretary.

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ANY PERSON CLAIMING TO BE entitled to pre-empt or purchase lands within the area embraced by the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878," must, before the 1st day of February, 1888, make, and file with the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the District, a declaration in duplicate signed by himself and two residents in the locality of such lands, stating the Township and particular quarter-section claimed, the date of locating and particulars as to occupation, and fully describing the nature and value of the improvement made. Blank forms for declaration can be obtained from Mr. Chas. Warwick, Government Agent, New Westminster.

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

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., November 3rd, 1887.
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D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Annual Ball	Hyacks
Land Registry	R. W. Armstrong
To Let	I. B. Fisher

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Jan. 26, 1888.

The tug Falcon arrived in port to-day.

The steamer K de K will resume her trips in a few days.

The provincial legislature opens at Victoria to-morrow.

The rifles paraded last night, but the turnout was much smaller than usual.

The choral union society will give a concert in Vancouver on Tuesday evening next.

Parcel post between the United States and Canada comes into effect on March 1st.

A heavy warm rain fell for several hours last night and spoiled our beautiful sleighing.

The steamer Adelaide will be brought out of the Brunette and got ready for active service again.

The benedicts of Vancouver give the grandest ball of the season to-night. Many Westminsterites will be present.

Thos. Sabin, of Eglington, says: "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure. Reader, go thou and do likewise.

Large quantities of ice floated down the river to-day. The thaw has evidently penetrated well into the interior.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has no equal for destroying worms in children and adults. See that you get the genuine when purchasing.

Wild geese were seen flying towards the north to-day. This is taken as an indication that cold weather is over, and we hope the geese are not mistaken.

The news of Mr. Duck's victory over Mr. Williams, in Victoria, was a surprise to most people in this city. The news of the victory was not so surprising as the majority.

The stages between this city and Vancouver have been doing a splendid business during the last few days. The irregular running of the trains caused this stimulus to the traffic.

Nothing was done in the city election case to-day. It may be fun for the courts, but it is becoming a serious matter for the city, as there is nobody to carry on the corporation business.

Ayer's Pills cure constipation, improve the appetite, promote digestion, restore healthy action, and regulate every function. This medicine is pleasant to take and gentle in its operation. See article in Ayer's Almanac.

Copies of the WEEKLY COLUMBIAN containing a report of building operations and other city and provincial statistics for 1887 are now ready and may be had at this office or at the book stores. Price, 10 cts. each. *

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is prescribed and recommended by eminent physicians, and is taken with perfect safety by old and young. Its cleansing and vitalizing effects are sure and speedy, and it is universally conceded to be the most effective of all blood purifiers.

The steamer Yosemite arrived from Victoria to-day with a small quantity of freight and the following passengers: J Corgripie, B Pettingel, J Blair, J Bath, H N Barrie, W Collier and W H Steves. She left for Victoria at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

This morning while one of our stage men was making an artistic turn, near the Colonial, he managed to get a little more speed out of the horses than the icy condition of the street justified, with the result that one of the horses were thrown and suffered a few scratches. Caution is a valuable preventitive to accidents during the slippery season.

A HOST OF BODILY TROUBLES are engendered by chronic indigestion. These, however, as well as their cause, disappear when the highly accredited invigorant and alterative, Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure is the agent employed for their removal. A regular habit of body, and a due secretion and flow of bile, invariably result from its persistent use. It cleanses the system from all irregularities, and restores the weak and broken down constitution to health and strength.

The Wellington Disaster.

A despatch from Wellington at one o'clock says 16 more bodies have been brought to the surface to-day. As the lines went down immediately after this despatch was received, further particulars could not be learned.

The Victoria Election.

The election at Victoria yesterday, to fill the seat in the provincial legislature made vacant by Mr. Prior, was one of the sharpest political contests ever held in the province. At the close of the poll the vote stood as follows: Duck (government), 607; Williams (opposition), 365; majority for Duck, 242. There were 18 spoiled ballots.

The Sound Steamers.

The *Times* says that the Sound steamers now running between Victoria and Seattle, will shortly change their route, making Tacoma the eastern terminal route instead of Seattle. In consequence of this change it is said that the Olympian will not come to Victoria, but will connect at Port Townsend with a smaller steamer for Victoria.

A Novel Sight.

Thousands of skaters covered the Willamette river all day Monday, and when the Oregon was coming in at Portland she was met by a hundred or more people, two miles down the river. They followed her, skating by her side and guying the passengers. The Oregon fought her way through the ice, and was five hours in making the last six miles.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

The Trains.

Several days' delayed mails arrived last night at 8:30 o'clock in charge of Mr. Drummond, of the railway postal service. The mails were portaged across the slides and taken by special train to Vancouver. No passengers arrived in this city, as few of them cared to attempt the fatiguing walk across the slides. It is not expected any passenger trains will arrive before to-morrow afternoon, though not a moment will be lost in getting the delayed passengers to their destination after the line is clear again. The service between this city and Vancouver has been re-established.

The Pall Mall Gazette Correspondent.

Mr. Henry Norman, who is on a tour round the world as special correspondent of the *Pall Mall Gazette*, passed through Vancouver a few days ago on his way to Japan and China. On Monday Mayor Dickinson sent him a telegram inviting him to visit this city before leaving. A reply was received last night in which Mr. Norman expresses regret at his inability to accept the invitation, as he proposes sailing on the Parthia. The mayor forwarded to him a lithographic representation of Westminster, together with a number of newspaper articles relating to the business and progress of the royal city, from which Mr. Norman may form an intelligent idea of our position, resources and prospects.

Burned By an Explosion.

Fred. Strickland, an employee of the Royal City Planing Mills, had a very narrow escape from losing his eyesight this morning. He was engaged in melting a large ladle full of babbit metal and had brought it to a cherry red heat when, it is supposed, a drop of water from the floor above fell into the ladle causing an explosion. The molten metal was blown in every direction and a large quantity struck Strickland across the eyes and forehead, and set there. As quick as lightning he tore the metal from his eyes and thus probably saved his sight, but the portion which struck on the forehead inflicted a very serious and painful burn the scar from which he will carry for life. Dr. Cooper applied the necessary salves and dressed the burn, and except for the pain Mr. Strickland is not much the worse of the accident.

The Choral Union Concert.

The first concert given this season by the Choral Union took place last night in Herring's Opera House. The night was inclined to be unpleasant, but as a little inclement weather does not intimidate Westminster people the opera house was well filled with one of the most select audience ever gathered together in the city. The first part of the programme consisted of Handel's Oratorio, "The Messiah." The solos were sung by Mrs. Sillitoe, Miss Sutherland, Miss DeBeck and Messrs. H. L. DeBeck and Pelly. The choruses were sung with much power and precision and were excellently rendered, the voices showing that great care had been observed in the training, and the whole reflected credit on the tutorship of the conductor. In the second part, Macfarren's "May-Day," Mrs. Sillitoe sang the solo in a most charming manner, her excellent voice and expression doing full justice to the composer's intentions. The chorus in this piece was probably the best rendered of the evening, and the walls of the house fairly rang to the strains of this grand song. His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe conducted the concert, and its success is greatly due to his individual efforts. Miss Hill, who accompanied the singers on the piano, performed her arduous task with a grace and precision highly to be commended, and the playing in itself was indeed a treat. The same can be said of Mr. Morey, who accompanied on the organ. We understand the Choral Union intend repeating this concert in Vancouver; if so, the people of the terminal city have a treat to look forward to.

A GREAT SUFFERER.—That person who is afflicted with rheumatism is a great sufferer and greatly to be pitied if they cannot procure Hagyard's Yellow Oil. This remedy is a certain cure, not only for rheumatism but for all external aches and internal pains.

Afraid of British Columbia.

At a meeting of the San Francisco chamber of commerce last week, Charles R. Allen submitted a minority report, in which he held that the falling off of trade with British Columbia was not due to the Dominion tariff. He believed the free admission of lumber and coal would not tend to reduce the cost of those articles, and argued that the relief should come from the development of Californian mines and timber interests. The removal of the tariff would retard these industries and prevent the rapid settlement of the Northwest Territory. A communication was received from several individuals and firms protesting against any reciprocity treaty with Canada at the present time, as inopportune and unwise, as under this treaty the balance of trade would be very largely in favor of British Columbia. The prices of neither lumber nor coal would in the long run be affected by such a treaty. In the belief of the signers of the communication, such a treaty would transfer to British Columbia a large part of the immense lumbering interests now established on Puget Sound, Gray's Harbor and the Columbia River. Again, with cheap English iron and low-priced labor, manufactories would spring up in British Columbia, and machinery of all kinds would be purchased for Oregon and Washington Territory at least, in that country instead of in San Francisco. The communication was signed by a large number of prominent mercantile houses and many business men.

Personal.

W. H. Redmond has gone over to Vancouver.

Mrs. George Woodward has returned from a short visit to Port Hammond.

Miss Pearson, who has been visiting at Victoria for some time, returned to the city last night.

D. S. Curtis returned yesterday afternoon from Portland. He says the ice in the Columbia is six inches thick.

We are sorry to learn Mr. George Wise, registrar of the County Court, has found it necessary to go down to Victoria for medical advice and treatment. He has been suffering from asthma for some time past, and not having been benefitted by the treatment he has undergone, Mr. Wise has decided to go into St. Joseph's Hospital, and be treated there for the disease. Mrs. Wise accompanied her husband.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Maple Ridge Matters.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN:—Being in Vancouver the other day, I happened to take up one of your papers in a hotel, and was glad to see that in your leading article you had given publicity to a complaint of want of roads against the municipal council of the township of Maple Ridge. I can assure you, sir, that the complaint is well-founded; and every district in the municipality except one is in the same position and has the same complaint to make. That part called the town of Hammond * * * is fairly well provided with roads, but nowhere else. The only roads the people possess are roads they have made for themselves. Now, Mr. Editor, it is a notorious fact that the provincial government has paid to this municipality $2,700 for the purpose of making roads and improving the township in which no improvement at all has been made that should cost over $500. * * *—Yours, etc.,

WM. JOHNSON,

Hammond, Jan. 21, 1888.

[We have omitted some portions of our correspondent's letter which seem to us libelous; and we may say generally that we believe his representation of the condition of affairs in the municipality is very much exaggerated.—ED.]

Latest by Telegraph.

CANONIZATION AT ST. PETER'S, ROME.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A cable from Rome says: At St. Peter's yesterday the seven founders of the Servites and three Jesuits—Peter Claver, Simon Rodrigues and John Beroman—were canonized. The Pope intoned the "Te Deum" and sang the mass. He afterward read a sermon and received the holy communion on the throne, not at the altar. The expenses of the canonization were very great. The cost of the Jesuits' alone was $50,000.

WAR PREPARATIONS.

LONDON, Jan 20.—It is reported that the Russian forces for the Roumanian frontier now number 50,000, and there are 450,000 in Russian Poland. War preparations continue on a great scale. Six corvettes and two new ironclads have been added to the Russian fleet in the Black Sea. Operations are proceeding night and day. Large quantities of war material have arrived at Warsaw.

THE POPE'S ADVICE TO IRISH BISHOPS.

ROME, Jan. 20.—The pope lately received several Irish Bishops and priests, whom he questioned concerning the condition of Ireland. After hearing their replies the Pope expected them to use their influence to restore quietness and respect for law in Ireland, and told them that the Irish could not obtain what they expect by violence.

NEW ARMS FOR THE GERMAN ARMY.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—It is expected that the German army will be furnished with the new arms of small caliber by next spring, which were approved by the commission which condemned the older arms. It is understood the new arms embody all the good points of the French Lebel arm.

RUSSIA NOT DISARMING.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 20.—The Porte has advices from St. Petersburg denying the rumors of actual or intended Russian disarmament in connection with the Bulgarian question. Russia will not subordinate her military arrangements to those of other nations.

FINE IMPORTED ANIMALS.

PETALUMA, Jan. 20.—Within the past month twenty-seven fine stallions have been imported here from England and France, comprising Normans, Suffolk and French and English coach horses.

THE WELLINGTON EXPLOSION.

Latest Particulars Regarding the Recent Explosion.—Many Lives Lost.

THE WELLINGTON DISASTER.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 25.—At 9 o'clock to-night, after the change of the shift, 18 white men and 22 Chinese have been taken out of the pit, while 7 more bodies have been taken to the bottom of the shaft. There are yet 13 white men and 19 Chinese in the mine. James Morrison was omitted in last report, making the total of white nights men who perished in the east level 31, and of Chinese 41.

The following are the names of the white men taken out: Robert Williams, K. Greenwell, Alexander Ross, D. McDonald, John Stuart, John Ness, John Marshall, John Wall, all unmarried; John Jones has a wife and two children; John Balagna, a wife; Wm. Harn, a wife; Jacob Klenn, a wife; Wm. Wilkes, a wife and four children; Frank McCoy, is married. Veleria and two Belgians complete the number. The only present survivor from the east slope is a Chinaman, who is burned and injured almost beyond recovery. The bodies of the white miners are being washed and prepared for burial. Those belonging to the Masonic, Odd Fellows, and other societies, have been taken charge of by their brethern, while several others have been taken to their late homes. Some of the funerals will take place tomorrow. All the collieries of the Vancouver Coal Company and the Wellington collieries have been closed. Since the accident the Railway Company have been running trains night and day between Nanaimo and Wellington for the conveyance of volunteers to and from the various shifts.

RECOVERING THE BODIES.

WELLINGTON, Jan. 25.—The exploring party worked all Tuesday night and penetrated into the east slope and located the bodies of a number of whites and Chinese. It was not until about two o'clock this afternoon that the work of bringing the bodies to the surface was begun, and in a little over an hour's time the bodies of 7 white men and 8 Chinese had been raised to the surface. The bodies were all mangled and blackened beyond recognition, and the only means of knowing the unfortunate victim's names were the stalls and points at which they were found. The bodies were carefully wrapped in blankets and tied so as to screen them from head to foot, and as one reached the surface it was placed on a stretcher and two men carried this to sleighs in waiting, which conveyed them to where they were laid out for reclamation or for burial. Every possible assistance was rendered by Mr. Dunsmuir, who was present on the ground, in order that the work of recovery might be hastened, while his officials did all that was in their power to assist. There were not more than than 100 men and no women around the shaft during the afternoon, and the melancholy task proceeded with regularity and quiet. The dispatch sent at midnight on Tuesday with respect to the number in the mine is about correct. Every individual in the east slope where the explosion occurred was killed, even Robert Williams, the engineer at the top of the slope, about 50 yards from the foot of the shaft. The explosion did not penetrate into the west slope, further than to make a severe concussion which affected some severely, but the after-damp rushed in. However, by the presence of mind exhibited immediately in repairing the fan, the air current was restored and many lives were saved. This is attested by the recovery of a large number who were prostrated by the afterdamp, but who subsequently recovered consciousness and came to the foot of the shaft. The inquest will be held by Dr. Walkem. Great praise is due to Mr. John Bryden, the manager, and his efficient staff. Mr. Robins, the superintendant of the Vancouver Coal company, kindly assisted by sending an effective staff to assist the rescuing party. The admirable arrangements at the shaft could not fail to be noticed, for they are carried out like clockwork. There was no excitement, and each man attended to his work, hiding, for the time being, his sorrow. The Hon. Mr Dunsmuir arrived at noon on Tuesday, and was present at the shaft counselling and encouraging all to hope for the best. He was on duty till 5 this morning, and again early in the day after a few hours rest. He will remain on duty all to-night. He says he is proud of the noble men that are in his employ. They have proved themselves good and true in the hour of need. The resistless force of the explosion is proved by the manner in which the eight inch pipes were snapped in two. Heavy timbers were reduced to splinters, while one of the iron cages was blown completely out of the shaft. A Belgian miner was stripped of every vestige of clothing, while the mutilation of the bodies proves that the terrible force played with the bodies as though they were feathers.

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

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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

Re Lot 22, in the Subdivision of Lots 1 and 32, Suburban Block 7, New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Robert Dickson 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.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, B.C., 26th Jan., 1888.
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HYACK FIRE COMP'Y'S ANNUAL BALL

THE HYACKS WILL HOLD THEIR Annual Ball in

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—ON—

FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 10.

TICKETS, $2; to be had of the Committee,
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Sub-Division of Lot 25, Block vi, 12 Lots.—Situate between Pelham, Edinburgh, Montreal and Fortesque Streets, and upon the same side of the road as the gas works, and near the Royal City Planing Mills.

Sub-Divisions of Lots 20, 21 & 22, Block vi, 30 Lots.—Situate between Pelham, London, Montreal and Dublin Streets, comprising some of the best garden land in the city.

TERMS on the above will be, one-third cash; balance in 3 and 6 months, without interest, which can be extended to any time to suit purchaser at 8 per cent. per annum.

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TERMS—25 per cent. cash; balance in monthly installments to suit purchasers.

Lot 3, Block E, Alice Gardens.—Next the new residence of Mr. Peck.

19 Town Lots on the BYRNES ESTATE, on the Brooklyn side of Port Moody.

Sub-Divisions of Lot 7, Block 9, New West Suburbs.—Lots 4, 5 and 6; each 1-acre lots.

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Notice of Sale by Sheriff.

PURSUANT TO EXECUTION AGAINST LANDS ACT, 1874.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

S. J. PITTS—PLAINTIFF.

HUGH M. COOPER, as Executor of Frederick Kimble, late of New Westminster, deceased—DEFENDANT.

IN OBEDIENCE TO A WRIT OF FI. FA. ISSUED OUT OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia at New Westminster on the 19th day of December, 1887, and to me directed in the above named suit for the sum of $216.67, debt and costs, together with interest upon the said sum at the rate of 12 per centum per annum from the 27th day of September, 1887, besides Sheriff's fees and poundage, I have seized and will offer for sale by Auction at the Court House, New Westminster, on Thursday the 2nd Day of February, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said Frederick Kimble, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment debt and expenses in this action.

City Suburbs.	No. of Lots.	Concise description of property.	Estate in Fee.
New Westminster, Suburban.	Subdivisions 19 & 20, Lot 16, Block 10, Suburban.	Cleared & Fenced	Estate in fee.

Judgment was registered in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, against said lands on the 17th day of October, 1887.

dja26td W. J. ARMSTRONG, SHERIFF.

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