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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber on and from Lots 28, 29, 27, 26, 25, 30, 31, 32, 24, 23, 33 and 22, in the Hastings townsite, New Westminster District.

W. A. DUNCAN.

New Westminster, Feb. 25, 1887. dmnim1

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Also—One and one-ninth interest in City Water Company.

W. J. FRENCH.

New West., Nov. 11th, 1886. dwno12tc

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THREE THOROUGHBRED BROWN Leghorn Cocks for sale. These are fine young birds, and they are offered at very low prices. Apply at this office. d-de23tc

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

Lot No. 126, Group II, New Westminster District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Edward Hoskin 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 fresh Certificate of Title will be issued, in lieu of that so lost or destroyed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,

Deputy Registrar

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 9th Feb., 1887. d-fe9m1

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Commencing at the south-easterly end of a lake, which lake is about 2¼ miles easterly from a point on the easterly shore line of Loughbough Inlet, which point bears about East from Beaver Creek; thence as follows: South 80 chains, East 80 chains, North 80 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, West 80 chains, South to the shore line of a lake; thence south-easterly, following shore line of lake to its inlet, thence East to the shore line of the first mentioned lake, thence north-easterly, following shore line to point of commencement; said tract containing about 1800 acres, more or less.

ROYAL CITY PLANING MILLS CO. (Limited).

JOHN HENDRY, Manager.

New Westminster, Feb. 21st, 1887. dfe21m1

Public Notice

New Westminster Public Library.

THE UNDERSIGNED (THANKS TO the kindness and permission of the Mayor and City Council) two weeks ago re-opened the Public Library, and takes this opportunity to offer an invitation to residents of New Westminster to pay them a visit. Papers and Magazines from all directions are received for patrons and visitors, and more will be added in case a reasonable support is obtained. The terms are 50 cents a month, in advance, as papers, &c., are paid for in advance. This will amount to about 2 cents a day, or the cost of one cigar for seven days; permission to see news from all over the world, and elegant books which may be changed every 24 hours! There is no compulsion about this, but those who believe in getting in out of the rain and who can enjoy a decent fire will doubtless appreciate this institution. Ladies and strangers are free, so doubtless all the parties who believe in Blue Ribbon will come forward at once and join this attractive affair, both for their own credit and that of others. Come one, come all, and you will be attended to by one who can soap all classes, viz.:

Yours Respectfully,

HENRY W. HUGHES.

New West. Aug. 26, 1886. dawtfc

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

On Wednesday Mr. Theo. Davie presented a report from the railway committee recommending the Kootenay and Athabaska and Delta railways. Mr. Orr introduced a bill to amend the Vancouver incorporation act.—Mr. Ladner complained that the returns sent down relating to Campbell River bridge were incomplete. Hon. Mr. Robson said the letter referred to by Mr. Ladner was not an official letter. Mr. Orr made another motion about Granville crown grants.—On motion of Mr. Ladner a committee consisting of Messrs. Semlin, Orr, Higgins, Thompson, and Ladner, was appointed to draw up and submit to the house whatever amendments may be thought necessary to the municipal act of 1881.—Mr. Beaven moved the second reading of a bill to amend the companies act so as to prevent the incorporation of Chinese companies or the employment of Chinese by any incorporated company. The mover said his principal object was to prevent the employment of Chinese in quartz mining. Mr. Dunsmuir said this bill was put forward merely for election purposes, and he moved the six months hoist. The motion was seconded by Mr. Mason, who said it would operate disastrously in the district of Cariboo. Mr. Turner said Chinamen were better suited for reduction works than white men. Hon. Mr. Davie said the bill was unconstitutional. He suggested that Mr. Beaven had better go a step further and exclude Chinamen from all labor. Mr. Orr said that an anti-Chinese wave passed over the house last session, but this session a pro-Chinese wave was going over it. Col. Baker said this bill would be in the nature of persecution of the Chinese. A large amount of mining was done by these people in the province, and they added to the revenue by contributing to the taxes and increased trade. Mr. Dunsmuir said that every time the leader of the opposition opened his mouth he put his foot in it. If we refused to incorporate companies here without this restriction, they would go to Ottawa or elsewhere for incorporation and come here to do business. Mr. Cowan said the bill would afford great protection to white laborers, and he would give it his support. Mr. Higgins thought there were several unconstitutional clauses in the bill, but he would vote for the second reading on the understanding that it would undergo a thorough change in committee. Hon. Mr. Robson said the bill was altogether too sweeping and might seriously affect the canneries and other industries that might spring up. Mr. Orr said if this bill got the six months hoist he would move a resolution to repeal all clauses in private bills prohibiting the employment of Chinese. The six months hoist was carried on a division of 14 to 9, as follows: Ayes, Messrs. Robson, Croft, Thompson, Dunsmuir, Davie, Allen, Vernon, Turner, Prior, Baker, T. Davie, Mason, Ladner, Anderson; Noes, Messrs. Higgins, Martin, Beaven, Orr, McLeese, Cowan, Stenhouse, Grant, Semlin.—Mr. Higgins gave notice of motion for an address to the federal government asking that a clause be inserted in the contract with the transpacific steamship line requiring the vessels to call at Victoria or Esquimalt on both the outward and inward trip. Mr. Allen gave notice of a committee to examine the new gaol, with power to call for persons and papers. Hon. Mr. Smithe gave notice that he would move for a committee to prepare a jubilee address to the queen. Mr. Ladner gave notice of a clause securing to the wife a third interest in all real property owned by her husband. Mr. Thompson gave notice of a resolution declaring the expediency of establishing a weekly mail between Nanaimo and Alberni. Mr. McLeese gave notice of a motion to appoint a committee to take evidence and report upon the railway charges in this province.

The Great French Remedy, Dr. Le Duc's Periodical Pills. These Pills are compounded from the purest drugs, and from those only which are known to act upon the *Generative Organs* in Females. They are first enclosed in an air-tight capsule, and by this means made to retain their full strength for years in any climate. Ask us for private circular. A. M. HERRING & D. S. CURTIS & Co., New Westminster; T. McNeeley, Ladner's Landing; H. McDowell & Co., Vancouver; Pimbury & Co., Nanaimo; T. Pickard, Denman Island; A. R. Johnson & Co., Chemainus; R. B. Richardson Cowichan; W. E. McCartney & Bro., Vancouver and Kamloops; Hastings Saw Mill Co., Vancouver; The Vancouver Drug Co., Vancouver; J. B. Lovell, Yale; W. R. Megaw, Priest Valley; H. Clark & Co., Kamloops; LANGLEY & Co., wholesale agents, Victoria. dwse23y1

DARKENING UP.

Austria Constructing Forts and Giving Officers their Commands.

Russia Making Tremendous Preparations.

A COLLIERY EXPLOSION—146 BODIES TAKEN FROM THE SCENE OF THE DISASTER.

O'Donnovan Rossa Reported Missing—Anarchy in Bulgaria—A Ship Missing—Found Guilty

STRIKING CARMEN—FRENCH NEUTRALITY.

By Associated Press.

RESUMING THEIR PORTFOLIOS.

ROME, Mar. 5.—Prime minister Depretis and his colleagues held a conference which lasted 2 hours. It was decided to obey King Humbert's command to resume their portfolios.

SIR MICHAEL HICKS BEACH RESIGNS.

LONDON, Mar. 5.—It is officially announced that Sir Michael Hicks Beach has resigned his office of secretary for Ireland.

WILL CONTINUE TO STRIKE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 5.—At a meeting of the car men's assembly of the K. of L. last night it was decided to continue the strike and boycott on the Sutter and Geary st. cable lines, but to permanently discontinue the car men's omnibus line.

A FEARFUL EXPLOSION.

BRUSSELS, Mar. 5.—An explosion of gre damp occurred to-day in a colliery at Onaregnen, four miles from Mons. The explosion shattered roofs and galleries so that many of them fell. One hundred and forty miners are entombed, but it is not yet known whether any are killed, on account of the blockade of the passage. The work of rescue is slow and difficult.

LATER—A despatch from Mons says that 120 men who were in the mine at the time of the explosion were killed. It had not been possible at the time the despatch was sent to reach the bodies of the victims.

COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

LONDON, Mar. 4.—It is rumored the colonial conference will meet April 4th.

THE NEW REICHSTAG.

BERLIN, Mar. 4.—At the first setting of the new reichstag Von Moltke occupied the chair as senior member was appointed provisional secretary. 252 members responded. This constitutes a quorum. Windthost protested against the election of a president before the second ballot was concluded. Minister Von Baettlicher replied, repelling as unjustifiable any attack by protest. Upon summoning the reichstag to-day he said the government on the contrary deserved thanks for the expedient of opening.

FRENCH NEUTRALITY.

LONDON, Mar. 1.—A dispatch from Berlin to the *Morning Post* says M. DeLesseps is coming here to offer the French neutrality in the event of war in eastern Europe in exchange for German support in the settlement of the Egyptian question in conformity with French aspirations.

ROSSA REPORTED MISSING.

NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—There was a rumor that O'Donovan Rossa had suspended the publication of his paper and decamped. A reporter found Rossa in bed at his home. He said he ceased the issue of his paper because he needed rest. As to funds there was nothing to be said.

IRISH POLICY VOTE.

LONDON, Mar. 4.—At a late hour the vote asked for Irish policy was agreed to by 246 to 212.

THE EARTHQUAKE.

ROME, Mar. 4.—One person escaped alive to-day from the ruins at Diano, and a whole family was rescued from a cellar in Toggia. They have all been immured since the first shocks occurred. Engineers report only a few houses safe in Ongelia. It will be necessary to build huts for the accommodate the 7000 rendered homeless by the earthquake.

THE WAR CLOUD.

VIENNA, Mar. 4.—At the military conference, presided over by the emperor, it was decided to appoint several officers for superior commands in the event of war. The crown prince will command one army corps. The erection of wooden huts for troops in Gallica is proceeding rapidly. Forts are being armed, ammunition and provisions being stored, and the construction of strategic railway lines being hastened, 470 men being at work. These preparations are causing great anxiety in Gallacia. It is feared that in the event of an Austro-Russian war the Austrian troops would be withdrawn from defence lines in the Carpathians. A report is credited in Polish circles to the effect that when in conversation with Gallacian noblemen who referred to these fears it was said: If war breaks out with Russia we are determined to defend Gallacia.

RUSSIA MAKING ACTIVE PREPARATIONS.

BUCHAREST, Mar. 4.—Persians who arrived here from Bessarbia state the Russian war department has ordered the principal towns in that province to make preparations for the delivery of large quantities of bread daily whenever called on to do so. Bakeries are being made ready everywhere. Forage provisions are being stored. Premier Bretunce declares privately that Roumania will fight the first power that crosses the Roumanian frontier.

ANOTHER GRAVE RUMOR.

BERLIN, Mar. 4.—A report emanating from Paris is current to the effect that the Czar has given notice of his withdrawal from the alliance of the three emperors and resumes his freedom of action. The rumor is not believed in diplomatic circles.

BLOCKADED.

QUEBEC, Mar. 4.—Trains with the English mail had to return to St. Simon to-day on account of the prevailing rough weather.

A SHIP MISSING.

NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—The British ship L. N. Hart sailed from this city May 16th for Shanghai, since when nothing has been heard from her, and it is feared she is lost with all on board. She was commanded by Capt. McCarthy, with a crew of 20 men.

FOUND GUILTY.

LONDON, Mar. 4.—An indictment has been found against George Franklin Anderson, alleged American judge, who is accused of swindling Charles Deackin, of Susquehanna, Pa., out of large sums of money under the pretense that he was prosecuting a suit for the recovery of a large English estate to which Deackin was convinced he was heir. He was sentenced to five years imprisonment.

A REVOLT.

PARIS, Mar. 4.—A telegram from Giurgevo says risings have taken place at Tirnova and other places, and the insurgents are reported to be masters of affairs at Tirnova. Communication between Sofia and the provinces is interrupted, and anarchy is spreading in Bulgaria.

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES

VIENNA, Mar. 4.—Servia, as a precautionary measure, in view of trouble in Bulgaria, has sent troops to the frontier. It is also reported the Servian reserves have been called out.

TO CONGRATULATE EMPEROR WILLIAM.

PARIS, Mar. 4.—It is stated that President Grevy will send a special envoy to Berlin to congratulate the emperor on the approaching 90th anniversary of his birth.

NEW PRESIDENT.

BERLIN, Mar. 4.—Herr Weddell Presdorf was to-day elected president of the reichstag.

PASSENGERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 4.—Passengers per Geo. W. Elder for Victoria: W. Middlemass, J. C. Smith, wife and sister, W. Bigg, R. W. Hills, S. H. White, T. E. Downe, Thos. Shore, E. W. Smith, Geo. Montgomery, Wm. Schleiter, E. McQuade, Miss McQuade, J. McWhinney, T. McLean, W. H. Riddle, G. T. Mills, G. H. Burns, J. N. Seallic, J. Lamb.

SHIPPING NOTES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Mar. 4.—Arrived, str. Oregon, Portland. Sailed, str. Geo. W. Elder, Victoria; schr. W. L. Beebe, Tacoma.

PRESERVING LAW IN MOZAMBIQUE.

LONDON, Mar. 4.—The governor of Mozambique telegraphs that Portuguese gunboats will remain at Tungi to assist in the work of installing the Portuguese in authority there.

A SENSATIONAL REPORT.

LIMERICK, Mar. 4.—A sensation is caused by the perpetration of very extensive incendiarism in the country surrounding the city. A large number of houses occupied by tenants and outbuildings have been burned. The victims in all cases are persons who paid their rents.

A HOLY WAR.

ST. PETERSBURG, Mar. 4.—The *Journal de St. Petersburg* reports that the ameer of Afghanistan is preparing for a holy war. This is likely to cause more alarm in Bombay than at the Russian headquarters in Central Asia, where no attacks are meditated against the ameer's possessions.

What Toronto's well-known Good Samaritan says: I have been troubled with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint for over 20 years, and have tried many remedies, but never found an article that has done me as much good as Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure." CLARA E. PORTER.

Condensed Dispatches.

The governor of Selestria has been imprisoned.

Several persons were killed in the recent revolt at Silestria.

The Crown Princess of Denmark has been delivered of a son.

The leaders of the revolt at Rustchuk have been ordered shot.

Another shock of earthquake was felt yesterday morning in Nice.

Fear of war in Russian Poland is causing suspension of all business in Vienna.

A grand military tournament is being arranged for the benefit of the Nice sufferers.

Sir George Trevelyan will stand as a Gladstonian candidate as soon as the first vacancy occurs.

The *Daily Telegraph* thinks Sir Michael Hicks-Beach will resign his chief-secretaryship to Ireland on account of ill-health.

Lieut.-Col. R. W. Scott, third artillery chief of publication office of war records of the rebellion, died at his residence in Washington this afternoon, of pneumonia.

GREAT RESULTS ARE SPEEDILY ACCOMPLISHED by the leading alternative, Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. Indigestion ceases, biliousness disappears, constipation gives place to regularity of the bowels in consequence of taken it. Ladies suffering from complaints peculiar their sex experience long wished for relief from it, and impurities in the circulation no longer trouble those who sought its aid. Give it a trial and you will not regret it.

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Provincial Rights.

In reply to an enquiry Hon. Wm. Macdougall has written a letter which lately appeared in the Winnipeg *Sun*, giving his opinion on the subject of the federal right to disallow provincial railway charters. The question proposed was this: "Has the province of Manitoba a right to build a railway to connect at the boundary with another road or with an extension of the same road?" As the position of Manitoba in this respect is similar to that of British Columbia, and we are at the present moment interested in the construction of a railway to the national boundary, the opinion of Mr. Macdougall will be of interest here. He quotes sub sec. 10 of sec. 92 of the British North America Act, which provides that "lines of steam or other ships, railways, canals, telegraphs, and other works and undertakings connecting the province with any other or others of the provinces, or extending beyond the limits of the province," are exempted from the powers of the provincial legislature. If the projected road proposes to do any of the things mentioned in the above exemptions, it must obtain federal sanction before it can be lawfully constructed. But Mr. Macdougall thinks that an exchange of traffic at the boundary would not be held by the courts to be an extension of the line beyond the provincial limits. Mr. Macdougall concludes by saying: "The Dominion parliament has, in more than one case, exceeded its powers by building within a province local works which section 92 assigns to the province exclusively. But as the cost of these unconstitutional structures is in each case shared by six other provinces, I have not yet heard of any protest by the invaded province against this encroachment upon provincial rights."

After the Battle.

At the present writing the election returns for the district are quite incomplete, but there is no doubt that Mr. Chisholm has been elected by a large majority. This will be a cause of regret to all who opposed him on principle, because the verdict of the district does not remove any of the grounds upon which their opposition rested. The contest from the beginning was not hopeful. For many months Mr. Chisholm and his friends have been at work constantly in his interest obtaining pledges of support from the electors. While they were thus employed it was not known definitely who would be his opponent, as there were a number in the field. The convention nominated Mr. McGillivray; but if Mr. Trapp had come into the convention it is generally believed the nomination would have fallen on him. Mr. McGillivray and Mr. Trapp remained in the field as opponents of Mr. Chisholm until the day of nomination, and until that time successful canvassing was out of the question. From the day of nomination until polling day Mr. Trapp was addressing the electors throughout the district, but had no time to do more than pay a flying visit to each settlement. Over all this ground Mr. Chisholm or his friends had been long ago with requisitions and solicitations. The roads were bad, and the meetings were, consequently, attended by comparatively few; and it may be said with truth that not one fourth of the electors heard Mr. Trapp speak or express his views on public questions. The result of all this is that Mr. Chisholm's friends polled the votes, and those who were not his friends, but knew not Mr. Trapp, stayed at home. This is evident from the smallness of the vote. At Matsqui there are 41 names on the Dominion voters' list, of which only 11 were polled, and only one of these for Mr. Trapp. At Delta there are 125 voters, but only 66 were polled; at Vancouver 169 votes, and 80 polled; at Moodyville 111 votes, and 41 polled; at Maple Ridge 117 votes, and 49 polled; at Surrey 101 votes, and 47 polled, at Port Moody 110 votes, and 40 polled, at Chilliwhack 183 votes, and only 82 polled; at the Mission 58 votes, and 22 polled; in this city 389 votes, and 256 polled. This shows a total of 1,421 votes, of which only 714, or one half, were recorded. Langley and Sumas are yet to be heard from. As the voters' lists were newly prepared last summer, it is fair to presume that they contained very few names of persons who might not have voted if they had wished to do so. Polling day was very stormy, and roads in the country were doubtless in a bad state, but we are afraid many voters stayed at home without sufficient excuse. Mr. Chisholm is well known through the district, and has many friends; and although we must say frankly that we regret his election for reasons already given, the will of the majority must prevail. On nearly all questions affecting the welfare of this district we are perfectly in accord with our newly-elected representative

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INFORMATION REGARDING THE whereabouts of Nathaniel Dyson (late of Platterville, Wisconsin) who is supposed to have spent last winter in New Westminster, will be thankfully received by I. B. FISHER, Bank of B. C., New Westminster. dw-de9tc

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles Brown, deceased intestate.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE late Charles Brown are required to pay the amounts forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said Chas. Brown must forward the same on or before the 10th April, 1887, to the undersigned. E. A. JENNS, Administrator. dmh2m1

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Tract No. 1—Commencing at the Northwest corner of Purcell's claim; thence North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 80 chains, North 40 chains, East 120 chains, South 40 chains, East 40 chains, South 40 chains, East 40 chains, South 80 chains; thence to point of commencement; said tract containing 1280 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2—Commencing at a post set on the East side of small lake about two miles from Port Douglas; thence East 40 chains, North 60 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, South 40 chains, East 40 chains, South 100 chains; thence to lake, meandering around lake to place of commencement; said tract containing 1280 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 3—Commencing at a post set on the right bank of Lillooet River a short distance above its mouth; thence West 80 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, East 60 chains, South 40 chains, East 40 chains, South 40 chains, East 40 chains, South 40 chains, East 20 chains, South to point of commencement; said tract containing 1280 acres, more or less.

Tract, No. 5—Commencing at a post on left bank of Lillooet River, about 11 miles from Port Douglas; thence North 120 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 40 chains, South 40 chains, East 20 chains, South 80 chains, East 20 chains, South 80 chains, East 40 chains, South 40 chains; thence East to point of commencement; said tract containing 1440 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 6—Commencing at post on right bank of river about half mile above tract No. 5; thence West 80 chains, North 20 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, South 20 chains, West 40 chains, North 20 chains, East 40 chains, North 20 chains, East 60 chains, South 20 chains, East 80 chains, South to point of commencement; said tract containing 1440 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 7—Commencing at the N. W. *corner of tract No. 6; thence West 80 chains,* North 40 chains, West 40 chains, South 40 chains, West 40 chains, South 40 chains, East 80 chains, South 20 chains, East 80 chains, North to point of commencement; said tract containing 960 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 8—Commencing at a post set on the right bank or river about half mile below Scuzum-chuck; thence South 120 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 20 chains, North 80 chains, West 20 chains, North 40 chains, East 80 chains, *South to place of commencement;* said tract containing 960 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 9—Commencing at a post set on left bank of river, about three miles above tract No. 8; thence North 80 chains, West 40 chains, North 40 chains, West 80 chains, South 80 chains, East 40 chains, South 40 chains, East to point of commencement; containing 1120 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 10—Commencing at a post set on right bank of river, half mile below large creek; thence South 40 chains, West 40 chains, South 40 chains, West 60 chains, North 160 chains, East 100 chains, South to point of commencement; said tract containing 1040 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 11—Commencing at a post set on east side of Tenass Lake; thence East 60 chains, North 120 chains, West 20 chains, *North 80 chains, West to lake;* thence along lake to place of commencement; said tract containing 1000 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 12—Commencing at a post set on east side of Lillooet Lake; thence East 40 chains, North 40 chains, East 40 chains, North 80 chains, West 40 chains, North 80 chains, West to lake; thence along lake to point of commencement; said tract containing 1000 acres, more or less.

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WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., December 9th, 1886.
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Lela did pretty much what seemed good in her own eyes. She had a guardian, of course—an elder brother of her mother's. Another relative presided over the household of the lonely heiress since the death of her father, which event took place when she was fifteen years old.

"I want to go somewhere this summer where there is nobody, Aunty."

"Somewhere where there is nobody?"

"Yes, some place where there ain't a soul! I am going to study like—like fun. Aggie Austin learned Spanish last season while she was in such a lovely farmhouse, and used to make hay, and got all burned up with the sun, the way Dio Lewis says is good for you; and I'm going to do the very same thing this season."

"Um! You know Agnes Austin is a very poor girl, and is going to be a teacher. I do not see the necessity for you to bury yourself in that way."

"Aunt Nellie, you don't know how sick and tired I am of being the rich Miss Brownson. Now, everyone who looks at me, or speaks to me, thinks of dollars and cents, and Brownson's patent medicines."

"By yourself, Lela? Do not you want me to go with you?"

"No, Aunt Nellie, I do not. If you go, there is a nameless atmosphere of wealth about you; no one would ever believe I was poor. You must go to Saratoga as usual, and if I get tired of rusticating I'll join you."

"Well, I suppose you must have your own way, as usual," said Mrs. Malcom reluctantly.

"Of course I must—decidedly. I will be Little Bo-Peep, who lost her sheep, and you will be quite surprised to learn how few admirers I shall find, once I am perfectly clear of the pills and liverpads. I want to find just how lovable Lela Brownson is without the

Seated by the hay, she watched.

filthy lucre that arises from the ills that flesh is heir to."

"Another of your whims, dear," said Mrs. Malcom, with a half sigh. "Well, I hope no harm will come of it."

"Harm, Aunty Nellie? What possible harm could come of it?"

"I don't know. Somehow I do not like the idea. If you give your name people will be sure to guess who you are."

"Well, then, I won't give my name. I'll call myself Lela—Lela—I'll take your name, Aunt Nellie—Lela Malcom."

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The sun was setting among the white birch trees behind the old red farmhouse—the homestead of the Parker family, near North Attleboro'—as an ancient buggy drew up.

"I declare Aunt Mabel, here's the boarder come a-ready!" exclaimed Daisy, Mrs. Parker's rosy-cheeked niece.

"I declare—so it is! Well, Daisy, go and asked her in; I can't quit the fire till the bread's out."

Half shyly, half gladly, Daisy obeyed. She wanted to see the new boarder, and still she felt timid.

Miss Austin, the lady who had spent the previous summer with them, had highly recommended Miss Malcom—a nice quiet girl, who wished to study, and enjoy the advantages of fresh air, new milk, and berries. Agnes Austin had smiled to herself as she wrote the letter, thinking how soon the bells would tire of the farmhouse.

Tea in the kitchen was a new experience to Lela. She watched the amount of home-made new bread and tea that so rapidly disappeared, with astonishment. She drank fresh creamy milk, ate fresh strawberries, and admired the red flush that came and went so rapidly on Daisy's round cheeks. She retired early, and rose next morning when she heard the first stir in the house. On consulting her watch, she was surprised to find the hour was five.

"Dear me, what shall I do till breakfast time?" she said to herself. "I'll take a book out and sit down beside a pile of hay."

The wish was hardly formed when it was carried out. Seated by the hay, book in hand, she watched the changing colors on the dew-drops, the shifting lights among the birch-trees, and the clouds passing out of sight before the ardent gaze of the sun.

A manly footstep roused her from her reverie. A tall dark man stood before her, dressed in a loosely fitting suit of gray, with a soft felt hat pulled over eyes, and a book in his hand.

"Have I taken your seat?" inquired Lela, preparing to rise.

"Yes and no. I sit there at this hour usually, but the seat is not mine."

"Well, you may have it if you like. I think I will go and walk through that grove."

"Indeed I will not occupy the spot if I drive you from it. Is not there room for both of us?"

Lela did not know what to say or do. Perhaps the Parkers had a grown-up son. This man appeared to be about twenty-four years of age, and had not the look of a rustic.

She stole a glance at his book. It was a medical work. He was very quiet, and Lela studied his face for some time—a very good face she thought it—resolute, and perhaps a little stern.

Suddenly he looked up and caught her regarding him steadily, smiled slightly as she looked abashed, and began to talk. How well he talked, speaking on all sorts of subjects! He had traveled, and before she was aware of it, and drawn from Lela an account of her one visit abroad.

"It is breakfast time," said the stranger, rising and offering his hand to assist Lela to do likewise. "I suppose you are staying at Parker's?"

"Yes."

"I heard Daisy say they expected a friend of Miss Austin's to spend the summer."

He was one of the family then, but no, for when he entered, Mrs. Parker hailed him with a "Good morning, Mr. Studley!"

They took their places at the table and the conversation became general. Mr. Studley could talk as well to the farm people as she had done to her, and was well posted on other topics as on travel.

Days passed and Lela did not tire of the red farmhouse. She did not study much, however, though she had informed Frank Studley that she was preparing for the profession of a teacher. How her cheeks burned when she thought she had told a falsehood!

Four weeks since Lela had arrived at the farmhouse, and she still lingered, though she received letters almost every

They took their places at the table.

day from Mrs. Malcom, urging her to join her many friends at the seaside.

"I wonder why I like to remain here?" she said to herself, glancing over one of these epistles at the table, where the family were assembled to breakfast.

"Well, Mrs. Parker, I must leave you on Monday."

Frank Studley was the speaker. A pang shot through Lela's heart; the words seemed an answer to her unspoken question.

"Yes—dear me, how the time flies! yes, I suppose you must. Well, this is your last examination, ain't it?"

"Yes. When you see me again I shall be a full-blown M. D." he returned.

The next day was Sunday, and Lela attended church. In the afternoon she wrote some letters, and in the evening went to church again, accompanied by all the Parker family. She had not seen Mr. Studley during the whole day.

Daisy walked beside Lela, and after about half the distance to the church had been accomplished, began of her own accord to give her fuller information about their other guest than she had ever had before.

He had spent four summers with them. He was studying medicine under great difficulties, for he was very poor. She believed he was engaged to be married to Miss Austin.

How cold Lela grew when she heard this; how dull and dark the twilight seemed!

"They got acquainted right here in our house," said Daisy triumphantly.

Arrived in church, Lela saw Studley sitting in a pew near her. His eyes met hers, and rested kindly on her pale face, for she had turned white, the pain in her heart was so keen.

She knew very little about the sermon, listening to it in a dazed manner with great apparent attention, while in truth her thoughts were far away with Aggie Austin, the fortunate possessor of Studley's affections—Aggie, the girl she had pitied because she was poor! Oh, what words could describe how she now envied her.

"Aunt Nellie said harm would come of it, and so it has," she said to herself bitterly.

When the service was over, Lela found Studley beside her as they passed out of church, and he continued beside her as they walked home under the stars. He was unusually silent till they reached the little gate; then he said suddenly, in a voice unlike his own:

"Miss Lela, will you walk on with me? I have something to say to you."

She was too much agitated to speak, but she passed the gate.

"In the first place, I must tell you that I correspond with Aggie Austin, and

His eyes rested kindly on her pale face.

she has told me who you are. I can't plead ignorance as an excuse for my madness, and yet I must give way to it so far as to tell you. I love you with my whole heart—I, a penniless man. You are silent; it is my most merciful answer. Well, I will only say farewell. We shall never meet again. God bless you!"

He wrung her hand and turned to leave her, his face ashy gray in the starlight, despair in his strong manly heart.

As he walked away, Lela found her voice, and called after him faintly:

"Mr. Studley, I—"

"What!"

Joy was in the tone, though no other word was uttered. And joy was in his face when she held out her hands to him, saying fondly:

"You cannot love me half so well as I love you, for I am not worthy of such love."

A Passage That Lacked Brilliancy.

"Bromley, you never heard such an eloquent sermon before, I am sure. There was no lagging of interest. Such brilliant passages—"

"Yes, Darringer, I admit that. Still I slept during one of the passages."

"You did, eh? Why, Bromley, what passage was it?"

"The passage of the collection basket."—[Philadelphia Call.

Interesting Experiment.

A resident of Mason Valley, Nev., has raised toward promising cathood three kittens obtained from the nest of a wild cat. They are good ratters.

Business Directory.

The following Business Directory relates only to persons whose advertisements appear in the DAILY 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:

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

MEDICAL.

Dr. H. M. Cooper.....Church St
Dr. J. C. Henderson.....Chilliwhack, B. C.
Dr. I. M. McLean.....McKenzie St
Dr. DeWolfe Smith.....Clarkson St

INSURANCE.

W. J. Armstrong [fire].....Court House
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
W. D. Ferris [life & accident].....Ferris St
T. R. Pearson [fire & life].....Columbia St
Rand Bros. [fire & life].....McKenzie St
Branch Offices at Vancouver & Vic.
Turner, Beeton & Co. [fire].....Victoria
Woods, Turner & Gamble [fire, life & accident].....Columbia St

REAL ESTATE AGENCIES.

W. N. Bole.....Columbia St
Corbould & McColl.....McKenzie St
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
W. D. Ferris.....Ferris St
Capt. Pittendrigh.....McKenzie St
Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

ARCHITECT, &c.

C. H. Clow.....Clinton St
G. W. Grant.....McKenzie St

AUCTIONEERS.

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

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver
F. Welcome McCrady.....McKenzie St

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

D. Lyal.....Columbia St

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

T. R. Pearson.....Columbia St

PRINTING & RULING.

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

STOVES & TINWARE.

Jas. Cunningham.....Columbia St
H. M. Cunningham & Co.....Columbia St
E. S. Scoullar & Co.....Columbia St
Branch at Vancouver.

HARDWARE.

Jas. Cunningham.....Columbia St

GAS FITTINGS.

Jas. Cunningham.....Columbia St
H. M. Cunningham & Co.....Columbia St
E. S. Scoullar & Co.....Columbia St

SEWING MACHINES.

C. J. Robson.....Columbia St

HARNESS, &c.

Douglas & Deighton.....Columbia St

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

W. R. Austin.....Front St
Jas. Cunningham.....Columbia St
C. G. Major.....Columbia St
Wm. McColl.....Columbia St
C. McDonough.....Front St

DRY GOODS.

D. Drysdale & Co.....Columbia St
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St
Ogle, Campbell & Co.....Columbia St

FURNITURE.

Peebles & Heckley.....Columbia St
W. Prothero.....Columbia St

WOOD & COAL.

A. Burns.....Blackie St
Henry Elliott [Orders left at W. McColl's]

DRUGS, &c.

D. S. Curtis & Co.....Columbia St
A. Peele.....Columbia St

BUTCHERS.

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS

F. Crake.....Columbia St
F. Stirsky.....Columbia St
C. M. McNaughten.....Columbia St

BLACKSMITHING & CARRIAGE WORKS.

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

HOTELS.

Depot Hotel [Billadeaux].....Columbia St
Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St
The Clarence [Richards].....Victoria

PAINTERS, &c.

Chas. Murray.....Clarkson St

BOOTS & SHOES.

G. H. Grant & Co.....Columbia St
H. Kells.....Columbia St
Wm. Ross.....Columbia St

TAILORS.

D. Drysdale & Co.....Columbia St
Thos. Walsh.....Columbia St

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

NURSERIES.

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E. Hutcherson.....Ladners

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E. A. JENNS,
dfe11m1 Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Snat Stanton, an Indian, deceased intestate.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE late Snat Stanton are required to pay the amount forthwith to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the estate of the said Snat Stanton must forward the same properly proved to the undersigned, on or before the 15th March, 1887.

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Fire! Fire!

TESTIMONIAL!

Vancouver, 23rd June, 1886.

MR. G. ROBERTSON,
Vancouver:

Representing Goldie & McCulloch, *Galt, Ont.*

SIR.—We the undersigned having witnessed the terrible fire which wiped out of existence the young city of Vancouver, on the 13th inst., have, after the fire, examined the safes sold by you, some of *which were put to the most severe test,* having been surrounded by large quantities of lard and bacon, and we are pleased to testify to the remarkable manner in which every Safe sold by you preserved its contents, not only books and papers, but also thousands of dollars in paper *money were taken out in perfect condition.* We can, therefore, with the greatest confidence, recommend them as thoroughly fire proof:

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THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN

Printing Company

(LIMITED.)

ON THE 10TH OF JANUARY, 1887, the COLUMBIAN Newspaper and Printing Concern was purchased by a joint stock company composed of citizens of New Westminster, to be known as the "British Columbian Printing Co., Limited." The concern has been for nearly a year owned and controlled by the British Columbia Stationery and Printing Company, of New Westminster, Victoria and Vancouver. The object of the new company is to continue the publication of the BRITISH COLUMBIAN newspaper and carry on a general printing and publishing concern, controlled entirely by those whose individual interest it will be to promote the development, especially of the Mainland. There will be no slackening of the energy hitherto displayed in the management of the establishment, and its patrons may rely upon receiving *full value for their money.* The COLUMBIAN will continue to be entirely independent in both Dominion and provincial politics, and will devote itself to the advancement of such schemes as may be considered in the public interest. The concern is now entirely separate from any other business, the book and stationery establishment in this city having been taken over by Mr. T. R. Pearson, who will continue to carry it on in his own name and for his own benefit. It is desirable that a daily newspaper should be maintained in this city, and the new company asks for public patronage on the ground that it is engaged in an enterprise calculated to promote the public welfare. It asks that the COLUMBIAN be judged on its own merits and supported only so long as its policy is consistent with its professions. In consequence of this business change all accounts due the concern must be settled without delay so that the books of the former company may be adjusted and closed. Address all communications and remittances to

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THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

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Daily British Columbian

Saturday Evening, March 5, 1887.

OLIO

From Gilbert and Sullivan's New Opera "Ruddygore."

When the night wind howls in the chimney cowls and the bat in the moonlight flies,
And inky clouds like funeral shrouds sail over the midnight skies;
When the footpads quail at the night-birds wail, and the black dogs bay at the moon,
Then is the Spectre's holiday! Then is the Ghost's high noon.
Chorus: Ha! Ha!
Then is the Ghost's high noon.

As the sob of the breeze sweeps over the trees, and the mists lie low on the fen,
From grey tombstones are gathered the bones that once were women and men,
And away they go, with a mop and a mow, to the revel that ends too soon,
For cockcrow limits our holiday—the dead of the night's high noon.
Chorus: Ha! Ha! etc.

Tacoma wants a ship-yard.

The Dominion parliament has been convoked for April 13.

C. E. C. Brown, dentist, will be in the city after to-day. mh2dtc

The adjourned county court sittings were concluded to-day.

Rev. Robt. Lennie will address the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon.

The Northern Pacific sold 145,755 acres of land last year for $607,706.

The recent ice jam damaged the K. de K. considerably. She is leaking at present.

Another supply of Men's and Women's Rubbers just received by Ogle Campbell & Co. mh4d2

It is expected that the estimates will be brought down in the provincial legislature on Monday.

The small schooner Hunter brought up a cargo of potatoes from Ladner's Landing this morning.

I have *often noticed* a train with the conductor asleep, but it has been always going in the wrong direction.

The tug Buzz made a trip down the North Arm to-day. She reports encountering no ice of any consequence.

The bill to incorporate the New Westminster & Southern Railway has been read a first time in the legislature.

The customs returns from Nanaimo for the month of February show an increase of $69 over the same month last year.

Snow fell yesterday to the depth of about 6 inches. It rained nearly all night, and there is now scarcely any snow left.

The Vancouver *News* states that $51,000 worth of buildings are to be erected in that city by the railway company.

John Thomas, C. G. Ralston, and a third unknown party left Vancouver five weeks ago for an exploring tour up the coast and have not since been heard from.

In addition to our new stock of spring goods we have opened an invoice of Diagonals, West of England Broadcloths and French Cassimeres. — WALSH'S TAILORING EMPORIUM. dnc30te

In yesterday's issue we stated that an insane man was brought down from Lytton and lodged in the asylum. On further information we learn he came from Vancouver in charge of Constable Campbell, and his name was Magden.

The *Colonist* states that Hon. Edward Blake is on a snow-bound train somewhere in the mountains, having determined to visit British Columbia so as to boom Capt. McCallum's candidature in Victoria. The *Colonist* is probably lying—under a misapprehension.

The price of beef has gone away up, and we are given to understand that it may go higher still. A gentleman from Sumas asked one of our city butchers the other day what he would give him for beef cattle, and his highest offer was 5c per pound, live weight, which is equal to about 7½ dead weight. And yet we are paying the butcher 15 to 20c a pound.

THE G. T. R. AND THE NORTH PACIFIC.—A despatch from Winnipeg says: The Northern Pacific and the Grand Trunk are said to have just concocted an arrangement by which the former builds a line from Crookston to the boundary, where the Grand Trunk meets it with another extension from Winnipeg to Portage La Prairie, connecting with the Manitoba and Northwestern, which runs within 250 miles of Prince Albert. The Grand Trunk is said to have purchased the last-named road, giving it material for an important trunk line.

POLICE COURT.—A Chinaman was brought up this morning on a charge of stealing some potatoes from Mrs. Eickhoff. The prisoner was sent to gaol for one month with hard labor.

WEBB'S FURNITURE.—The furniture of the late Frank Webb was brought up from the North Arm this morning by the tug Buzz and deposited in Mr. Ewen's warehouse. It will be offered for sale.

THE EASTERN MAIL.—A despatch from W. Downie to Mr. Fagan, this morning, stated that the road would be clear to-morrow night or on Monday morning and that a through Eastern train will leave to-morrow.

BRICKS.—Messrs Manahan Bros., who recently arrived from the East intend going into brick-making on an extensive scale this summer. They expect when arrangements are completed, to be able to turn out 25,000 bricks per day.

THE C. P. R. LINES.—A dispatch from Montreal this morning states: The arrangements of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for through connection with China have been completed, and the first steamer will leave Hongkong early in April. Railway authorities here apparently do not anticipate any interference with the international train service as a result of the passage of the retaliatory measures by the U. S. congress.

W. C. T. U. RECEPTION.—The reception given by the W. C. T. U. last night was well attended, in view of the shocking condition of the sidewalks and streets. There were over 100 present. Besides refreshments, there was an entertaining programme consisting of several choruses, a solo by Miss French, recitations by Miss Matthews and Rev. Mr. Watson, and readings by Miss Minnie French, Miss Cochrane and Mrs. Cochrane. The entertainment closed about 10 o'clock.

DUNCAN'S INDIANS.— A despatch from Washington, dated Mar. 2, says: In the case of the British Indians wishing to emigrate to Alaska, the attorney general decides that the emigration of peaceful individual Indians, who have dissolved their tribal relations is not prohibited by statute and is not inconsistent with the general policy of the government, but there is no provision assuring to such foreign Indians any legal right to acquire lands, neither can the president set aside a reservation for their occupancy.

CARIBOO QTARTZ.—The source from which came the rich places of Cariboo has been a mooted question for years among the miners of British Columbia. It seems now that there has been developed a huge fissure vein of gold quartz whose existence has been known for many years, but whose richness was never ascertained. The ledge can be traced a distance of fifteen miles on the surface of the ground, and crosses all the gold bearing creeks in the vicinity of Barkerville. The rock essays from $70 to $155 per ton, and consists of free gold and sulphurets. Previous work done on the ledge has yielded poor results, owing to ignorance of any method of working the sulphurets. Extensive preparations will be made on the ledge the coming season.—*West Shore.*

PRESS OPINIONS.—"We have to bear in mind that the general tendency of democracies is toward extravagance. They have a fancy for the man who spends with a free hand. Sir John's knowledge of this weakness has helped him in many a tight place."—*Toronto Mail.* With its intimate knowledge of the character of Sir John, the *Mail* ought to speak with authority; but what a commentary on party government as conducted in Canada. Commenting on this extract the Montreal *Witness*, also independent of party, says: "Unless everybody is mistaken, Sir John is in the tightest place he has yet been in, which is saying a good deal; and he will, doubtless, spend all he can spend with as free a hand as ever, and thus, by taking advantage of the weakness of the democracy, he will resort to even desperate means to maintain him self in power."

A GIANT CEDAR.—About six miles from Oakville, Chehalis Co., Washington Territory, may be seen the burnt remains of a colossal cedar tree. It is simply a hollow shell, about 50 feet in height, measuring 87 feet in circumference one foot from the ground. At the height of 2½ feet it measures 73 feet, and at 6 feet it is 54 feet 8 ins. The cavity in the inside is also of great proportions, ranging from 23 feet in diameter at the height of 2½ feet to 13 feet at an altitude of 11 feet. This is the largest cedar tree in the world whose dimensions have been recorded, and stands like a lonely and deserted monument of the past, as there are no indications to be found of any other trees of such gigantic proportions ever having existed in the vicinity. Only three or four of the giant sequoias of California exceed it in size, while very few of them equal it.—*West Shore.*

Accident on the C. P. R.

A BRAKEMAN KILLED.

Last evening about 8 o'clock engine No. 351 was shoving some freight cars ahead of it about a mile and a half from Port Moody, when, on account of the ice on the rails, the caboose and some of the cars left the track and toppled over on the ground. Frank Quackenbush, a brakeman, who was standing on the platform of the caboose at the time of the accident, fell beneath it and was crushed to death. His body was immediately taken from under the car and conveyed to Moody, whence telegrams were sent to his relatives notifying them of his death. A gang of men replaced the derailed cars this morning.

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

Personal.

Rev. Mr. Croucher went to Maple Ridge to-day.

A despatch was received from Jas. Cunningham to-day stating that he would leave Hamilton, Ont., for this city next Monday.

At the Colonial: E. J. Bannerman, Kamloops; P. J. Gallagher, Kamloops; D. J. McDonald, Port Moody; O. H. Evans, Ashcroft.

The Commons Election.

CHISHOLM ELECTED BY 295 MAJORITY.

Sheriff Armstrong to-day received full returns from all the polling places, and the following is the result:

	Chis.	Trapp
New Westminster	168	88
Vancouver	60	19
Moodyville	39	2
Port Moody	31	0
Maple Ridge	30	19
Mission	17	5
Chilliwhack	42	40
Langley	35	13
Surrey	33	14
Delta	55	11
Richmond	13	17
Matsqui	10	1
Total	533	238

There was only one spoiled ballot. Mr. Chisholm had a majority in every polling division except Richmond. Mr Trapp forfeits his deposit of $200. The total vote polled is 871, while the voter's list shows 1617 names.

Shipwrecked Sailors.

The str. Sir James Douglas returned to Victoria on Thursday evening with the captain and crew of the str. Thos. R. Foster, which was wrecked on the 18th Dec. on the Northwest coast of Vancouver Island. Capt. Rugg, of the Foster, reports having left Departure Bay last December. For some days all went well, then terribly rough weather was experienced, the sea running mountains high. The bark springing a leak, it was decided to put back. After beating about for four or five days the vessel was driven ashore at Hesquoit. All the crew, 18 in number, succeeded in reaching land and encamped on the beach, where they remained for 22 days, until sent for by Rev. Father Nicholaye, who had heard of the wreck. When rescued by the rev. father the men were nearly starved. They were kindly cared for by the good priest, who placed all he had at the disposal of the shipwrecked men. They remained with him until the arrival of the Douglas.

A Sweeping Verdict.

After a careful investigation by a coroner's jury into the circumstances of the terrible railway accident which took place on the Baltimore and Ohio Railway on the 4th of January, a verdict has been found by the coroner. The names of the men killed are mentioned, and the report of the coroner goes on as follows: He also finds that freight engine No. 023 was in an unsafe and unserviceable condition, and that the officials of the road had been notified of this fact, but still allowed it to be used. The engineer of the freight train, Edward S. Kiler, was not intoxicated, as charged, but was worn out with sixteen hours and fifty minutes continuous duty with a green fireman and a poor engine. He had plenty of time to get from Republic to Seneca Siding, 38 minutes—ten miles—but his engine was so poor and leaked so that it died on the track at the point of the collision. The conductor of the freight, L. E. Fletcher, failed in his duty in not flagging the limited express, for he knew that the engine had died ten minutes before the express was due. The brakes on the express were inferior and ineffective, for they failed to diminish a speed of 43 miles an hour more than one-half in a distance of 1,000 feet. The manner of heating and lighting the cars of the express train was inferior, unsafe and dangerous, and contrary to the laws of the state of Ohio. Had the lighting and heating been proper the cars would not have been burned and the loss of life would have been very light. He therefore finds that the above persons came to their death through gross negligence on the part of the officials and managers of the Chicago division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad of Garret, Ind., and through the gross negligence of Conductor L. F. Fletcher in failing to signal the express train, and through gross negligence on the part of the owners, managers and officials of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway company for using on said express train inferior and ineffective brakes; also for using an improper, dangerous and unlawful manner of lighting and heating the cars of said express. It would seem that such negligence as resulted in such a great loss of life could not be other than criminal, but there are no laws in Ohio making such negligence a crime, and no laws under which such persons can be charged with crime.

An English sportsman, while partridge shooting, had his left had badly shattered through the bursting of his gun. On arrival the doctor exclaimed: "Well, you have made a mess of it. I must amputate it!"

The patient readily submitted to the operation without chloroform, and on the doctor leaving the room with the severed hand, he was astonished at the unfortunate calling after him:

"Doctor, I forgot to say how proud I always was of that little finger, so please save it for me for a tobacco stopper!"

Mr. G. W. Macully, Pavilion Mountain, B. C., writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I ever used for Rheumatism. Nearly every winter I am laid up with Rheumatism, and having tried nearly every kind of medicine without getting any benefit, until I used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It has worked wonders for me, and I want another supply for my friends, &c."

BIRTH.

AUSTIN.—In this city, on the 28th February, the wife of W. R. Austin, of a daughter.

Wholesale City Market.

Beef, per 100 lbs.	$8 00	@ $9 00
Pork "	8 00	@ 0 00
Mutton "	8 00	@ 10 00
Hides(gr'n) "	8 50	@ 0 00
Potatoes "	0 75	@ 0 00
Turnips "	0 37	@ 0 75
Carrots "	0 40	@ 0 75
Parsnips "	0 75	@ 1 00
Beets "	0 75	@ 1 00
Cabbage "	0 50	@ 1 00
Onions "	2 00	@ 2 25
Apples "	2 50	@ 3 00
Pears "	2 00	@ 2 50
Wheat "	1 50	@ 1 75
Oats "	1 50	@ 1 50
Peas "	1 50	@ 0 00
Hay per ton	15 00	@ 00 00
Butter (rolls) per lb.	0 27	@ 0 00
Cheese, "	0 15	@ 0 00
Eggs, per doz.	0 50	@ 0 00
Geese, each	1 50	@ 1 75
Ducks "	0 25	@ 0 30
Chickens, per pair	0 50	@ 0 75
Turkeys, per lb.	0 20	@ 0 25
Cordwood (retail) per cord	3 50	@ 4 00

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The Confederation Life.

The annual report of this solidly prosperous Canadian institution will be found in another column. The facts revealed in the accounts and the Directors' report thoroughly justify the ecomiums which the shareholders present bestowed upon the management. Thanks to the resolute manner in which the Company has declined to embark upon extravagant methods of procuring business, the working expenses of the company bear to the total income the very small ratio of between 17 and 18 per cent. A point attesting the soundness of the finances of the Company is the fact that the interest income is sufficient to pay the death claims—which in a company of the age of the Confederation Life is something to be proud of. The assets and liabilities are set forth in minute detail, and the tables show that, after making allowance for all possible contingencies and providing for every debt, there is a surplus of $282,199 over liabilities and capital combined. The increase in the assets in the last year was $260,390. So much for what can be done by rigid adherence to what the President defined as the true policy of the Company, viz:—"To keep its balance sheet right and avoid unnecessary, unwise, or extravagant expenditure for the sake merely or increasing new business." —*Toronto Globe.* T. R. Pearson & Co. are agents for this company in British Columbia. m19tc

WHITE BRONZE MONUMENTS.—White Bronze is a comparatively new substance, and has come into large use, rapidly, for special purposes in this country. It has been found to be so well adapted for statuary and monuments, that companies have been for some time established at Bridgeport, Conn., Detroit, Mich., Des Moines, Iowa, and St. Thomas, Canada, who are making monuments of all kinds and styles. From experiments made by these companies, it has been found that the material will stand exposure for an indefinite period—it is practically indestructible. White Bronze being noncorrosive and unchangeable, it is stated to be equal to gold, silver or platinum, and superior to copper or antique bronze, which throws off a verdigris. The monuments are cast from refined zinc, and are given their sparkling appearance by the *sand blast, sand being blown against the* work under a high pressure of steam, which cuts the surface, but does not adhere to it. A thin film of oxide which forms on this bronze is indistructible by the elements; it cannot be dissolved by water, and air cannot penetrate it, although the film is so thin as to be immeasurable. No corrosion, it is affirmed, can take place.—*Boston Journal of Commerce.* Chas. J. Robson, New Westminster, is agent for the White Bronze Monuments in British Columbia. Much cheaper and more durable than any other my5tc

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NOTICE.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Reserve, notice whereof was published in the "British Columbia Gazette," and dated the 7th day of August, 1884, has been cancelled by an Order of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, approved on the 6th day of December, 1886, in so far as it relates to the lands in New Westminster District which constitute the townsite of Hastings, Burrard Inlet, for the purpose of sale in lots or blocks at public auction, and for no other purpose.

WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
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