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Above and before the Riel business, and the hundred and one like issues over which Canadians are wrangling, the development of the resources of Canada demands and ought to get our first attention. We have one of the richest countries in the world. Rich in timbers, in mineral wealth. The first and second industries are in a progressive state; but we are not making anything like the headway we ought in the case of our mineral wealth, which is so great as to be simply immeasurable.—*Toronto World.*

The New England fishermen, after the greater part of a season's experience, are satisfied with the present arrangements, except that they want their full rights under the treaty of 1818, without being needlessly annoyed in their exercise. And in addition they want their commercial rights, under touch-and-trade permits, such as the Senate has already practically held to be due them. What progress may have been made in securing these rights by the London negotiations we shall perhaps be informed by the President in his annual message.—*New York Sun.*

There is a good deal of enquiry as to the purpose of the O. R. & N. Co. It is understoood here that the company has in mind to run a line down the Columbia River on the Washington side (crossing at Vancouver) thence to the Sound, with a branch down the west side to Port Townsend, and another down the east side, taking in Tacoma, Seattle and possibly Whatcom. We know nothing of the plans of the company, but should be very glad to see this proposition carried out. The O. R. & N. now has an opportunity to put its arms around the Sound, so to speak, a chance which will not always be open.—*Portland Oregonian.*

General Lew Wallace, whose *Ben Hur* has had a wider circulation and a greater success than any other religious book produced in this generation, has given to a contributor to the Detroit *Journal* some interesting reminiscences. He had completed, he says, the first part of *Ben Hur*, which carries the story down to the birth of Christ, when he chanced to meet Colonel Ingersoll. At that time the General did not trouble himself to inquire into the truth of religious doctrines, but Ingersoll's talk determined him to investigate and decide for himself as to the divinity of Christ. For five years he studied the life of Christ and the history and customs of Judea and the Jews. He had gone but a few steps when he came to the conclusion that Christ was divine. When *Ben Hur* was completed he went to the Holy Land, and spent months in visiting every place referred to, in order to verify his work. Not one word required to be changed.—*Harper's Weekly.*

The all-absorbing question is—What will Russia do? The Czar's agents may have deceived him as to the real feeling of the Bulgarians, but he is not a man to bear a disappointment with patience, and the powerful Panslavist party are already *clamouring for another forward movement.* The Russian Consul at Sofia has already formally protested against Sunday's elections as illegal, and that protest has been conveyed to the representatives of the Powers as soon as the Sobranje meets and begins to act, Russia must either suffer her protest to be ignored or take overt action. The St. Petersburg and Moscow journals are unanimous in their opinion that a decisive course of action cannot much longer be delayed, or in other words, that an army of occupation will soon be marched into the country. The attitude of the Powers remain unaltered. France subordinates everything to her cherished hope of revenge on Germany; Germany subordinates everything to depriving France of any opportunity; Austria, though angry and jealous, is not disposed to measure her strength against Russia; England alone and Italy hardly could. There is, therefore, little hope of exterior aid for Bulgaria.—*London Echo.*

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SOPHIA K. HOMER,
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G. E. CORBOULD,
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New West., Sept. 23, 1886. se23tc

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It is also provided by the said order that all persons indebted to the said estate or having in their possession any effects of the said estate (other than what has been legally disposed of), are to pay, deliver or account for the same to me.

T. J. ARMSTRONG,
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New Westminster, B. C.,
Oct. 27th, 1886. dwoc27tc

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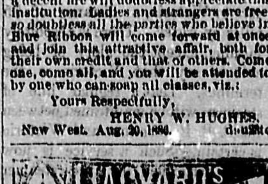
Yours Respectfully,
HENRY W. HUGHES.
New West. Aug. 20, 1886. dau20tc



NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Union Restraurant.....E. H. Barker
Tenders.....H. Abbott
Notice.....Leamy & Kyle
Lost.....This Office
Removal.....J. E. Lord

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Monday Evening, November 1, 1886.

First Regular Train.

An event that deserves to be recorded in very large letters in the history of this city occurred to-day. Promptly on time (12:23) the first regular C. P. R. train arrived at the temporary station, bringing through passengers, mails, express, and a large number of railway officials and citizens from Port Moody. Hereafter we shall have a daily recurrence of this gratifying experience. New Westminster is now connected by railway with the whole railway system of the continent of America Having passed through all the vicissitudes incident to isolation, to-day she shakes hands with the great business world and enters upon a new commercial era in which we hope she will find a full realization of her largest hopes. The people of the Royal City have much reason to congratulate each other to-day.

Bad Fish.

A few days ago we referred to reports, apparently well authenticated, concerning the canning of bad salmon on the Columbia River. The *Oregonian* of a late date seems to confirm these rumors It says: "Reports come from all directions of tons of diseased and unwholesome salmon being shipped to Astoria to be canned. It seems as if three or four cannerymen are determined to make up for a months' enforced idleness in the beginning of one season, by taking the wornout, exhausted fish from their spawning beds. Hundreds of the same kind are seen in this market, their attenuated bodies, sickly colors, hooked noses ferocious teeth presenting an appearance anything but inviting. The sight of these fish slaughtered just as they were ready to deposit their ova, and sold for food or to cannerymen in this unwholesome condition, shows that urgent necessity exists for the appointment of a fish commissioner who will have power to put a stop to this thing." We have drawn attention to this matter in the hope that some steps will be taken to prevent such a practice finding its way into this province. Our sea farm has been, and promises to continue, one of our most important sources of wealth, and it would be a serious disaster if anything should interfere with the success of that industry. It has already been stated that the Board of Trade at this city had under consideration the need of appointing an inspector whose duty it would be to inspect all fish put up for the market. If this is thought to be the best way to prevent the packing of bad fish, let it be adopted without delay.

That Railway Ferry.

Mayor Fell, of Victoria, told a Winnipeg reporter that "Mr. Dunsmuir is going to build a class of boats to run between the mainland and Victoria to transfer goods and passengers, right in the cars if necessary." He further stated that this was the purpose of Capt. Irving's present mission to Ottawa and Montreal. However ridiculous Mayor Fell's statement may seen, it does not appear that he is the only person who has gone daft on the ferry question. The first project was for a steam ferry to connect the C. P. R. terminus at Burrard Inlet with the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway terminus at Nanaimo, a distance of about forty or fifty miles. The C. P. R. cars were to be ferried across the gulf and placed on the island railway over which they would proceed to Victoria or Esquimalt. When this project came to be considered the folly of it soon came into view. The distance by water from Burrard Inlet to Victoria is about 75 miles, while from Burrard Inlet to Nanaimo is more than half as far. When once passengers and freight had been transferred from the railway to the steamer at Burrard Inlet, it would manifestly be absurd to make a second transfer at Nanaimo for the sake of saving thirty miles of a run on the gulf. This absurdity was long ago pointed out by the COLUMBIAN, and doubtless has come to be recognized by many of the people of Vancouver Island. The new scheme referred to by Mayor Fell is scarcely less absurd. What in the world do they expect to gain by taking the C. P. R. cars to Victoria, a distance of 75 miles by water! There is absolutely nothing, except the glory of being able to say that Victoria is the terminus. That a regular line of steamers will be maintained between the C. P. R. terminus and Victoria is certain. Such a service is now being performed by the steamer Louise; and when the railway has been extended to Vancouver, it will become less difficult because of the material shortening of the distance. If it be possible to extend the C. P. R. bridge or tunnel across the gulf, the extension might be in the interests of trade, but such a thing is quite out of question.

LOST

AT NOON TO-DAY (MONDAY) a small flat, black PURSE containing several dollars. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this Office. dn1t3

REMOVAL

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL, AT THE end of month move his business into Wintemute's new Building, opposite Lytton Square, and now offers his stock of Furniture at or below cost. Come buy.

JOHN E. LORD,
Columbia Street,
Adjoining Dickinson's Meat Market.
New Westminster, Nov. 1, 1886. dno1m1

TENDERS FOR C. P. R. STATION.

TENDERS ARE ASKED UP TO NOON of
Saturday, 6th Nov.,
For the erection of a Station at the junction of the New Westminster Branch with the main line.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at this office.

H. ABBOTT,
Gen'l Supt.
Port Moody, Oct. 30th, 1886. dno1d

Union Restaurant

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Oysters in any Style;
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New Westminster, November, 1886.
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TAKE NOTICE THAT A GENERAL meeting of the subscribers to the capital stock of the Company will be held, at the office of Messrs. Davie & Pooley, Langley Street, Victoria, on Saturday the 27th day of November next, at 12 o'clock noon.

By Order of the Provisional Directors of the Company,
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Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, November 1, 1886.

For ladies gossamers, call at the Bon Marche. doc26w1

A fine assortment of ladies' cashmere jerseys at the Bon Marche. doc26w1

A few were permitted to witness the execution of the Chinaman this morning.

The finest selection of Hats and Caps in the city will be found at the Bon Marche. doc28w1

We are pleased to see that an attempt is being made to improve Front Street.

New styles in Mantle Cloths for winter wear now opening at Jas. Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

A choice lot of fur goods for ladies and gentlemen may be seen at the Bon Marche. d28o1w

A fine assortment of Carpets and Carpet Squares just arrived at Jas. Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

Tenders are asked for the erection of a station at the Westminster junction. See adv.

A splendid assortment of Gents' Underwear at astonishing low prices at the Bon Marche. doc28w1

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

The latest styles in Men's hard and soft Felt Hats, English and American Ties, at Ellard & Co's. doc18tc

The last C. P. R. steamer for the steamer will leave Port Arthur, Lake Superior, on the 13th inst.

It is hinted that Sir Donald Smith will accept nomination as representative of Winnipeg in the house of commons.

The *Colonist* says that Mr. C. E. Perry, C. E., has gone to make a survey of the line of the proposed Okanagan railway.

It is reported that the Quebec legislature will meet early in December so as to decide whether the government has the confidence of the house.

The number of strangers in the city these days is unusually large. This morning the Colonial had to make the entry on the register, "*no more room.*"

Mr. Holland who has the contract of erecting two cottages at the penitentiary, came up from Victoria to-day. Work will be begun on them next week.

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

The gas which has already been extensively tested throughout the city being very good and will be still better when everything gets in good working order.

The board of directors of the Royal Columbia Hospital beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of $24 from collections taken in the Baptist church yesterday.

This has been an eventful day for New Westminster. Trains have commenced running, gas has been turned on and a hanging has taken place in it all in one day.

Trial proves that honesty is the best policy in medicine as well as in other things. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a genuine preparation, an unequalled blood purifier, decidedly superior to all others.

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

Hundreds of letters from those using *Ayer's Hair Vigor* attest its value as a restorer of gray hair to its natural color. As a stimulant and tonic, preventing and often curing baldness, and cleansing and soothing the scalp, its use cannot be too strongly recommended.

The customs receipts at Victoria for the month of October amounted to $70,012, inclusive of $358 for Chinese head tax. This shows a decrease of $6,766 compared with the same period last year. Comparing this with the returns from this city, it shows that while they are continually decreasing we are constantly on the increase.

In the competition for the Fleming cup which took place on Saturday, simultaneously at Victoria, and in this city. The top score, 49 points, was made by Gunner Wilson of Victoria, who will accordingly hold the cup for the next year. Private Trapp stood first amongst the New Westminster competitors with a score of 43. The Gazette score [illegible]

For the Commons.—Mr. John Kirkland authorizes us to state that he will be a candidate for the vacancy in the Dominion Parliament caused by the death of the late Mr. Homer. 20oc-d&wtc

Commons Election.—We are authorized to state that Mr. Donald Chisholm is in the field as a candidate for the seat in the House of Commons rendered vacant by the death of our late lamented representative, Mr. Homer. dwoc25tc

Good Templars.—A public meeting was held at the North Arm schoolhouse on Thursday, the 28th ult., when after an address the Golden Rule Lodge No. 13, I. O. G. T., was organized by Grand Chief Templar Rev. J. A. Wood, and the following officers were installed: C. T., Geo W. McRae; V. T. Priscilla Rowling; Sec., W. H. Rowling, Jr.; F. Sec., J. A. Lawson; Treas., Mayo Lawson; Chap., A. Mitchell; M., J. T. Moore; Guard, Jack Lawson; Sentinel, D. E. Daniels; P. C. T., W. H. Rowling, Jr.; L. D., J. Quigley; R. H. S., Mary Rowling; L. H. S., E. Stirtan; A. Sec., Geo. Rowling.

Receiving over the Canadian.—Ever since the completion of the Canadian Pacific railway to Puget Sound, about July 1st, G. Davies & Co. have ordered their goods shipped from the east by way of the Canadian Pacific. The goods would come plainly marked "via Canadian Pacific," but instead of coming by that road they were landed here by the Northern Pacific. Complaint was made to eastern shippers, and on Monday last the above firm received the first bill of goods, as marked, over the Canadian Pacific railway. It is to be hoped that arrangements will soon be completed by which our merchants can give their patronage to the Canadian road with the full confidence that their goods will come by that route.—*Seattle Post.*

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

Personal.

Rev. Jos. Hall, of Vancouver, is in the city to-day.

Mr. John Teague, architect, of Victoria, came up on to-day's steamer.

Messrs. D. McGillivray, of Sumas, and McCrea, of Chilliwhack, are in the city.

Mr. C. Strouss, of Victoria, came in from the east on to-day's through train.

Dr. Trew goes to Victoria to-morrow to attend a meeting of the medical council.

Mr. C. L. Street, of Sumas, is in the city and proposes to reside here with his family this winter.

Messrs. A. Gilmore, G. C. Shaw, (Cowan & Shaw) J. L. Beckwith (Storey & Co.) John Carthew, and Major Downie, of Victoria, are in the city.

Mrs. Wm. Rae returned home today from St. Johns, Newfoundland, having had the honor of coming to this city on the first passenger train over the branch railway.

Mr. W. E. Sandford, of Sandford, Vail, & Co., one of the merchant princes of Hamilton, Ont., arrived in this city last Saturday. Mr. Sandford is a gentleman of both large experience and wealth, and, besides, is one of Canada's best men. He is still in the city.

Faces as yellow as that of the "Heathen Chinese," in consequence of bile in the blood, grow fair and wholesome-looking again when Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and great blood purifier is used to relax constiped bowels and expel the billious poison from the circulation. Rheumatic and blood impurities are also driven out by it, digestion restored, and the system benefited in every way its use.

The Execution of Ah Suet.

Ah Suet, the Chinaman convicted at the spring assizes held at Yale of the murder of one Ah Foon, was executed at 8 o'clock this morning within the precincts of the New Westminster jail. He met his end like a man. Contrary to the expectations of his keepers, he walked unassisted to the gallows, and having mounted the platform, knelt in company with Father Harris and offered up a short prayer. He commenced to tremble as the rope was being tightened around his neck, but it was the work of a moment only to adjust the fatal noose and spring the trap, when it was all over with him. The crime for which Ah Suet has suffered the extreme penalty of the law was committed 5 miles above Spence's bridge in August, 1883, when Ah Foon was stabbed to death and robbed. Among the property of the dead man was a ring, and this ring it was which brought the crime home to the murderer. In the early part of the present year the ring was sold by Ah Suet to another Chinaman. It was subsequently identified by some of the murdered man's friends who saw it, and this with a direct chain of other circumstantial evidence fastened guilt on the proper party. He was sentenced to death in June last, but on account of developments in the famous Sproule case was reprieved till that should be settled. He told Mr. Moresby, governor of the jail, yesterday, that he had been a bad man, and as much as confessed his crime. He made the request that his body should be sent back to China, which the jailer of course told him he could not do, but promised him a decent burial.

J. H. Earl, West Shefford, P. Q., writes: "I have been troubled with liver complaint for several years, and have tried different medicines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which gave me immediate relief, and I would say that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horse in cases of cuts, wounds, &c., and I think it equally as good for horse as for man."

Execution of Albert Mallott.

HE DIES WITHOUT MAKING A STATEMENT.

By Telegraph.

Kamloops, Nov. 1.—Albert Mallott, who murdered Andrew Johnson, Aug. 15, 1885, about 15 miles east of Revelstoke, was hanged in the gaol yard here this morning. The prisoner, who is only 22 years of age, *mounted the scaffold with a firm tread,* and never uttered a word after leaving the prison door. Rev. Mr. Horlock accompanied the prisoner to the scaffold, and after a few minutes spent in prayer the trap was sprung, at exactly 8 o'clock, and Mallott swung into eternity. The neck was broken and death was instantaneous. At 8:07 Dr. Clarke pronounced life extinct, and at 8:40 the body was cut down and will be buried just outside the gaol yard at 13 o'clock to-day. Mallott was sentenced at Kamloops assizes, Sept. 15th, 1885, to be hanged Oct. 7th, 1885, but was reprieved several times. He was the first man ever hanged here, and considerable excitement prevailed. Hundreds congregated around the gaol yard on buildings and wagons, and the hill at the back of the gaol was covered. Only about 30 were admitted to the gaol yard. The prisoner's last request, *to take off his boots, was granted.* He said he did not want to die with his boots on. Sheriff Phair and his assistants deserve great credit for the manner in which everything was conducted, as the arrangements were most complete in every particular. Johnson, who had spent all his money in Mallott's saloon, asked for a cigar, and on being refused helped himself, and was fallowed out by Mallott and shot down like a dog.

"Under the Gaslight."

THE ROYAL CITY LIGHTED BY GAS.

The Columbian congratulates the people of New Westminster on being able to read their daily paper this evening for the first time by gas light. Such an event as the turning on of the gas is one of great importance to the city, bringing as it does into clearer light the evidences of our material progress. The event is scarcely as important as that of the railway, but the benefits which are found in the use of gas are very great, and no other improvement, perhaps, is so marked and so quickly observed as the welcome glare of gas lamps upon the streets.

The New Westminster gas works were built by the B. C. Construction Company, of which Mr. A. A. Green is president, Mr. C. D. Rand secretary, and Mr. J. L. Stamford general manager. The company obtained a franchise to build the works on the 1st of March last, when lots situated on Edinburg, Pelham and Fortesque streets were purchased for the site. These lots are about 2½ acres in extent. Work was at once commenced, and in April active building operations were started. The main building, which is of brick, is 85x37 ft., and is subdivided into retort house, exhauster room, purifying room, and station meter room. The coal shed is a 50x30 frame building with a capacity of 300 tons. The gas holder tank is of brick laid in cement, and is 62 ft. in diameter by 20 ft. depth, inside measurement. The gas holder is 60x20, with a capacity of 66,000 cubic feet, or of a sufficient size for a city with 10,000 inhabitants. The works are also located with a view to enlargement. As they now stand the works have cost $65,000. Everything about them has the appearance of being of the most substantial character and they are well known to have been constructed after the most modern and approved plan. Any one who visits them can not fail to notice the absence of a smoke stack which is seen on works of the old pattern.

Believing it would be of interest to our readers, we are enabled, through the kindness of Mr. Stamford, to give a brief description of how gas is made. The modus operandi is as follows: The coal, after being weighed, is introduced into the retorts in proper quantities, where it is subjected to a temperature of 2,000 degrees Fahrenheit. This distils the gas, which ascends into the hydraulic main where it parts with its tar and ammonical liquor. The refuse which is left in the retorts is termed coke. From the hydraulic main the gas goes to the condenser, where it is reduced to the proper temperature. From the condenser it goes to the washer and scrubber, where it is deprived of its ammonia. It then passes on to the purifiers, cast iron boxes 10x12 filled with oxide of iron and lime, which cleanses the gas of sulphur and other remaining impurities. Then it passes through the station meter, which measures the quantity manufactured. The gas next passes on to the gas holder previously mentioned. From here it is brought again into the station meter room, on its way to the town, where the pressure is regulated by a new governor, a most ingenious contrivance for automatically regulating the pressure. From the governor it passes along the network of mains, into which are tapped service pipes leading into the consumers' houses. The small meter in each establishment registers the quantity burned.

A Strange Coincidence.

Our attention has been drawn to the following strange coincidence at page 213 in the B. C. Directory of 1875, and which was published before the murder of Hammill. In the directory appears the following description of three persons, whose names are contiguous and appear so peculiarly applicable at the present time:

Sproule, R. E., miner, Kootenay L.
Hung Man, trader, Wild Horse Creek.
Ah Wye, trader, Wild Horse Creek.
R. E. Sproule (a) hung man (and) ah why.—*Nanaimo Free Press.*

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ELECTORS

—OF—

New Westminster District.

GENTLEMEN.—As a successor to your late representative in the Commons will soon have to be elected, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the position.

I purpose publishing an address in which I will give my views on the most important questions affecting your interests, and will visit the different settlements and address the electors before election day.

In Politics, *I am and will be* THOROUGHLY INDEPENDENT.

Yours respectfully,
dwoc25tc T. J. TRAPP.

AT LAST!

Formal Opening of Our Railway

THE FIRST TRAIN ARRIVES TO-DAY.

The event to which our citizens have been looking forward for years with great expectancy has at last taken place. At *precisely 12:23* (schedule time) the first passenger train over the New Westminster branch of the C.P. P. drew up at the temporary station erected on Lytton Square. The citizens have been so often disappointed with respect to the completion of this road, that although an official announcement appeared in Saturday's Columbian, a great many people were in doubt as to the actual arrival of the train. It was not until the whistle of the locomotive removed all doubt, therefore, that people generally accepted the fact, and immediately everybody made a rush for the station. The train *consisted of locomotive, post office,* express and baggage car, a sleeper, two first-class coaches, and an emigrant car. Among those on board were Mr. Harry Abbott, general superintendent, Mr. Wm. Downie, assistant superintendent, Mr. Brown, traffic superintendent, and other railway officials. The train contained 75 or 80 passengers, among whom were a considerable number from Port Moody. After stopping a minute or two at Lytton Square the train came down to the C.P.N. wharf where the passengers disembarked. Here Capt. Clarke and a deputation from the Port Moody Progress League came forward and the captain presented the mayor with the following address:

To His Worship Robert Dickinson, Mayor of New Westminster, and the Members of the Council of the same.—May it Please Your Worships: We, the president, vice-president, and secretary of the Port Moody Progress League; and representing, as *we believe, the feeling* of the general community of the people of Port Moody, wish to congratulate you, and through you the citizens of New Westminster, on this happy occasion of the opening of the New Westminster branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway. We (some of us old residents of New Westminster) feel much felicitude on this extraordinary event, and we must cordially congratulate you on this auspicious occasion when New Westminster has thus become practically connected with the great railway system of North America. We sincerely hope and trust that this event, connecting as it must the deep sea terminus with the fresh water terminus of the C. P. R., will eventuate in becoming highly profitable to the material interests of the Royal City of New Westminster as well as Port Moody. Repeating our congratulations, we have the honor to subscribe ourselves, your most obedient servants. Signed on behalf of the people of Port Moody: J. A. Clarke, President; W. Elson, vice; P. S. Hamilton, sec."

To this address Mayor Dickinson replied briefly by thanking Capt. Clarke and the deputation for their congratulations and good wishes. He also publicly thanked Mr. Abbott for fulfilling his promise to have the road opened on the 1st of the month. A general handshaking followed, and everybody congratulated everybody else upon the accomplishment of the great event. The train left for Port Moody shortly after 13 o'clock.

C. R. Hall, Grayville, Ill., says: "I have sold at retail, 156 bottles of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, guaranteeing every bottle. *I must say I never sold a* medicine in my life that gave such universal satisfaction. In my own case, with a badly ulcerated throat, after a physician penciling it for several drys to no effect, the Eclectric Oil cured it thoroughly in twenty-four hours, and in threatened croup in my children this winter, it never failed to relieve almost immediately."

Latest by Telegraph

This Afternoon's Despatches

Special to the Columbian.

London, Nov. 1.—It is learned on high authority that the French government has received little encouragement from Turkey in its agitation against the British in Egypt. The French envoy at Constantinople attempted recently to secure Turkish aid in extorting from England a definite promise to evacuate Egypt at an early day, but the sultan emphatically refused to be a party to such a proceeding and informed him that the porte could not agree with him in his strictures on the English policy respecting Egypt. To this action of the porte is due France's recent changes of front. The French government recognizes the fact that Russia, although prepared to assist in a united action, is indisposed to adopt a course of which the porte does not approve.

Valparaiso, Nov. 1.—Sarah Bernhardt will perform in the Victoria theatre here to-night and to-morrow night.

New York, Nov. 1.—A *Tribune* cable from London says: The draft of the prospectus of the proposed Pacific-Australian cable shows that the promoters contemplated asking for $10,000,000, and expected to get a six penny rate across the Atlantic and a two penny half-penny across to Vancouver Island, and they intended charging the public four shillings per word from England to Australia and the press a shilling. They propose raising $5,000,000, in ten pound shares, and $5,000,000 in 4 per cent stock secured on expected imperial and colonial guaranty of half a million annually. It is hoped that China will contribute $60,000, Australia $190,000, and the imperial exchequer a quarter of a million. The promoters talk of earning a net profit straightaway of $75,000. The project is generally regarded as much too sanguine. The only actual promise yet made comes from Hawaii, of $100,000 annually. Canada may offer a subsidy, but neither the imperial nor Australian governments exhibit much eagerness to do so. New Zealand may.

London, Nov. 1.—A convention with China allows England full freedom as to ruling authority in Burmah for six months. Gen. White has established in Burmah 120 fresh posts covering an area of 1,000 square miles.

Sofia, Nov. 1.—M. Stambouloff opened the sobranje at Tirnova to-day, in the presence of all the regents and members of the cabinet. Patriotic addresses were made, the speakers dwelling upon the maintaining of the independence of Bulgaria. The speeches were received with loud cheers.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—Bismarck has invited Herbert, French ambassador, to visit him at Varzin.

London, Nov. 1.—To-day being the semi-annual settling day at the Bank of England, it is a holiday at that institution and on the Exchange.

Sofia, Nov. 1.—At the meeting of the sobranje to-day Zukeff was elected presiding officer. The English and Italian agents attended the meeting. Gen. Kaulbars has refused to accept the reply *of the regency to his ultimatum, and* will leave Sofia. He threatens to bombard the barracks and government buildings at Varna if any opposition is offered to the debarkation of Russians at that place.

Brussels, Nov. 1.—The king will open parliament in person on Nov. 9. It is understood that he will announce in his speech the proposed introduction of a bill providing for compulsory military service.

Paris, Nov. 1.—It is reported that *the count of Paris, one night last* week, was sitting in his bedroom, when a man entered the room. The count, afraid of awakening his wife, *did not shoot, but hurled a revolver at* the intruder, who fled. Whether he was a burglar or a political enemy of the count is not known.

Dublin, Nov. 1.—"The Glin," county of Limerick, branch of the National League, owing to the treatment which Nationalists employed by Harland & Wolffe, White Star steamship builders at Queen's Island, received with the countenance of the chiefs of the firm, calls on members of the League everywhere to see that Irishmen boycott the White Star line until the firm reinstate the Nationalist workmen.

PASSENGERS.

Per str. Dunsmuir, from Nanaimo, Oct. 30—Mrs Whitfield, Mrs Thompson, Messrs Whitfield, Thompson, J King, Mitchel, Hoskins, Knight, Smith.

Per str. R. P. Rithet, from Victoria, Nov. 1—Messrs Wilson, Shaw, Booth, Watson, Matheson, Couthar, Kennedy, Calhoun, Green, Carthew, Sinclair, Teague, Allen, Jackson.

Per str. Reliance, from up-river, Nov. 1—Mrs E F Kennedy, Mrs Jas Best, Mr J McAllister and wife, Jno McLennan, J Wilson, H Whittaker, J Gannow, W McGregor, H Renny, Walker, Rollston, A Davisson, J L Cladsey, Preston, Mrs Le Croix, J W Wells, T Goudy, J A Morrison, McKee, J McDonald and others.

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Surface Indications

What a miner would very properly term "surface indications" of what is beneath, are the Pimples, Sties, Sore Eyes, Boils, and Cutaneous Eruptions with which people are annoyed in spring and early summer. The effete matter accumulated during the winter months, now makes its presence felt, through Nature's endeavors to expel it from the system. While it remains, it is a poison that festers in the blood and may develop into Scrofula. This condition causes derangement of the digestive and assimilatory organs, with a feeling of enervation, languor, and weariness—often lightly spoken of as "only spring fever." These are evidences that Nature is not able, unaided, to throw off the corrupt atoms which weaken the vital forces. To regain health, Nature must be aided by a thorough blood-purifying medicine; and nothing else is so effective as

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Port Moody, Oct. 30, 1886. doc30t7

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Latest by Telegraph

Saturday Night's Despatches.

Special to the Columbian.

PESTH, Oct. 30.—The budget for 1887 was laid before the lower house of the Bulgarian diet to-day. The expenditures are placed at 350,400,021 florins and the receipts at 328,356,095 florins. The deficit is 4,201,541 florins in excess of that of last year.

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Preparations for next year's elections for members of the Reichstag are actively proceeding. Efforts are being made towards effecting new groupings of the different parties since the recent declaration of leading principles of the programme of the national Liberals, which is to sever connection with the Progressionists and to support the government. The government project has been discussed for an alliance between the national Liberals and the Conservatives, to form a middle party essentially national and government in its character, and hostile to the Progressionists and to the Centre party alike.

The reports of inspectors of factories which have just been issued state that employes in most of the factories work eleven hours daily, not reckoning over time. With overtime, workmen in some districts, notably Dusseldorf, work from 36 to 48 hours at a stretch, though they are supposed to have liberty to leave after 24 hours' working. The usual hours of the better men in Dusseldorf are 12 and often 24 hours. In Magdeburg artisans work 12 hours. In Hanover 10 and Amesburg 11 hours. Cotton spinners in Pottsdam and Frankfort on the Ode work 12 hours per day in winter and 14 hours in summer. Steel ware and iron apprentices in Dusseldorf often work sixteen hours daily. In Furth glass works men work six days unceasingly, except for a couple of hours, when they sleep on benches or on dirty straw stacks in the corners of the workshops, and the general impression from the reports is that there is much overwork, bad arrangement of hours, with hideous sanitary conditions.

The Dortmund tribunal has sentenced Herr Lensing, editor of the *Fremonie*, to six months' imprisonment for an article appearing in his paper in which he attacked Prince Bismarck on his Polish social and religious policies. The article in question said that Prince Bismarck wanted to make the Germans happy in spite of themselves, and by methods that people reprobated.

A sensation has been caused in Hanover by the sudden flight of an esteemed solicitor, Dr. Von Hartmon, who left many debts and who embezzled monies and securities to the amount of $200,000 marks. He has gone to America.

Dr. Dekind, who was arrested on a charge of high treason, has been released.

Emperor William has given 1,000 marks to the fund for the Scheffel monument.

The diet of Saxe-Weimar has abolished the law exempting those of the military profession from payment of communal taxes.

The illness of King Otto, of Bavaria, has reached a crisis. It is rumored that he is in a moribund condition from exhaustion, brought on by the fury of his mania. The queen mother has sent for the priest to await the end.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Oct. 30.—The schooner Mary Brown has been lost off Buckalieu and three of her crew and a lady passenger, Miss C. H. Iver, have been drowned. The vessel broke in two soon after striking. Only the captain and three men succeeded in reaching shore.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The steamer Mariposa, which arrived from Sydney and Honolulu to-day, brings news of the resignation of the Hawaiian cabinet, and the appointment of a new cabinet. The resignation of the cabinet was due to the defeat on the 30th ult. of the ministry's amendment to a bill securing the two million dollar loan recently authorized by the Hawaiian legislature. The effect of the amendment was to secure the payment of the $700,000 previously loaned the government by Claus Spreckles. Owing to this action of the legislature Claus Spreckles has returned all his decorations to King Kalakua. In conversation to-day regarding the action of the Hawaiian legislature, John D. Spreckles, son of Claus Spreckles, said: "In effect the act of the legislature was one of repudiation before it was prorogued on the 13th day of this month, and it passed the loan bill with the proviso making its payments come before our claims. The government owes us $5,000,000 for which we hold bonds, and about $200,000 which my father advanced as book account to tide the national treasury over a financial gulf. Our claims will be paid, however, in spite of precedence given the last loan. To me this action looks like a scheme to get control of the islands. The loan is to be floated in England; payment is secured by mortgages on the Hawaiian revenues. It is very poor security, for that government is notoriously bankrupt, and last year its expenditures exceeded income by fully $1,260,000. The result of this will be that the loan cannot be paid. England will insist upon payment, however, and will find it necessary to take possession of the kingdom to secure the bondholders."

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Intelligence has been received at Auckland, New Zealand, that on October 7th seven native villages were destroyed by volcanic eruption on Niafer, Tonquin group of Friendly Islands. The island has been raised by volcanic deposits. White Island, in the Bay of Plenty, is in a state of active eruption. A vast column of smoke is seen ascending from the island to a height of a thousand feet.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 30.—News of a terrible crime comes from the neighborhood of Monticello, Ky., where a brother and sister were brutally murdered. Grant Prewitt went to the house where Jarvis Buck and his sister and her little son lived. After supper Tuesday night they enticed Buck into the mountains, where he and two men named Bill Jones and Bill Simpson killed Buck, whose head was almost severed from his body. Prewitt and Jones then went into the house, and seizing the woman, cut her throat from ear to ear and crushed her skull with a washboard. The boy escaped and gave the alarm. A posse pursued and captured Prewitt, who confessed and said he had been hired to do the murder by Jones. Buck sold a horse, and the object was robbery. Three men are under arrest, and there is great excitement over the affair.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 30.—A double tragedy occurred this afternoon at the Belnet slope of W. G. Payne & Co.'s colliery, near Kingston. Wm. Moses, one of the oldest mining engineers in Luzerne county, was on duty at this colliery. He was given the signal to hoist the cage from the bottom of the shaft, which was 300 feet deep. He supposed everything was clear below, and started his engine just as John Brodda was running a car on the cage. The sudden hoist threw Brodda off and in falling he was caught between the cage and brattice on the side shaft and was instantly killed. As soon as the engineer, Moses, was informed of what had happened he walked to his room near by, took a revolver from his coat and placing it to his forehead fired, killing himself.

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 30.—A La Portage special to the *Sentinel* says that Wells, the brakeman who is alleged to be responsible for the Rio disaster, walked into the county jail to-night and surrendered. He was locked up.

SOFIA, Oct. 30.—Gen. Kaulbars has issued an ultimatum to the Bulgarian government. He complains that Russians in Bulgaria are maltreated and terrorized, and says that if in three days he does not receive a satisfactory answer to his ultimatum he will rupture relations with the regency and leave Sofia, taking with him the whole personel of the Russian consulate. The government sent a circular to the various precincts, commanding them to adopt stringent measures for their protection. A Russian copy of the circular was sent to Kaulbars with a request that he furnish the names of the Russians whom he alleged had been maltreated.

Volcanic Glass.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Among the scientific papers which will appear in the appendix of one of the forthcoming reports of the geological survey is one by Professor Joseph P. Iddings upon an obsidean cliff of Yellowstone park. The cliff is an elevation half a mile long by from 150 to 200 feet high, the material of which, Professor Iddings says, "is as good a glass as any artificially manufactured." Its colors and structure not only make it highly interesting to the visitor, but furnish to the scientific investigator phenomena of importance. The cliff presents a partial section of a surface flow of obsidean which poured down an ancient slope from the plateau lying east. It is impossible to determine what the original thickness of this flow may have been. The dense glass which now forms its lower portion is from 75 to 100 feet thick, while the porous and pumiceous uppor portion has suffered from ages of erosion and glacial action. A remarkable feature of the cliff is the development of prismatic columns which form its southern extremity. These are of shining black obsidean, rising from the talus slope, and are from fifty to sixty feet in height, with diameters varying from two to four feet. The color of the material of the cliff is for the most part jet black, but much of it is mottled and streaked with bright brownish red and various shades of brown and olive green. The brilliant lustre of the rock and the strong contrasts of colors with the black are very striking. In places the glass in the process of cooling has been broken into small angular pieces, which have been again cemented by the later flow, producing many colored and beautiful breccia. In some places the material shows a fine satin lustre, while in other places a deep golden sheen is noticeable which under the lens resolves itself into thin beams of red and yellow light. Through the black and red glass are scattered dull bluish gray patches and bands and round gray and pink masses, the effect of which is to still further vary the appearance and beauty of the rock and make it the most conspicuous and characteristic variety of volcanic lava known.

ENORMOUS STREET PASSENGER TRAFFIC.—At a meeting of the Manhattan Elevated Railroad Board in New York, Oct. 12, it was reported that the reduction of fare on the Third Avenue line is producing a large increase in travel. The board then resolved to reduce the fare on the Sixth Avenue line also from November 1st. After that date the fare on all the elevated lines in New York will be five cents at all hours of the day. The company has issued a circular stating that since the beginning of the operation of the road, in 1872, the road has carried 692,929,878 passengers. The gross receipts were $45,502,420. Passengers carried during the year ending Sept. 30 last, 115,109,591. The daily average number of passengers carried during the year ending Sept. 30, 1886, was $315,369. The greatest number of passengers carried during any one day was 557,114. With existing facilities the capacity of the roads is fully 700,000 passengers per diem. Since the reduction of fares, Oct. 1, average increase per day of passengers, 117,112. Average daily increase in receipts, $3,489.

The appearance of Edwin Booth in St. Paul and Minneapolis leads one of their newspapers to recall the fact that in the same year that Booth made his first appearance on the stage in Boston the Indians made an attack upon the little log fort where now stands one of St. Paul's leading hotels; and that the year in which he first appeared in leading tragic parts, was the year in which the first house was built where Minneapolis now stands. Now each city claims 150,000 inhabitants, and all this growth has been within the professional life of a man whom no one calls old.

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Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., October 20th, 1886.
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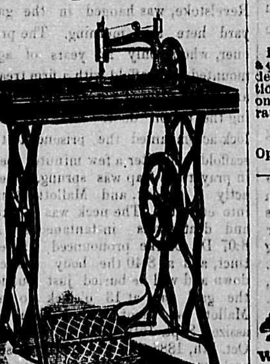

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