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THE NEWS.

THE HAWAIIAN MUDDLE.

Further Particulars of the Revolution and the Probable Outcome of the Matter.

A Papal Mission to Dublin—The Bulgarian Crisis—Evictions in Ireland.

The Bodies of the Best & Belcher Victims Recovered.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST.

By Associated Press.

THE HAWAIIAN REVOLUTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—While all nationalities were represented in the successful revolt made against King Kalakaua, Americans were predominant in the revolution, assisted by English, French, and Portuguese residents. Speeches at the mass meeting, at which demands were made upon the king, were in English, with the exception of two in the Hawaiian tongue. The declaration, however, that the natives were true to the king proved misleading, as it was from their vengeance that ex-Minister Gibson seemed most to fear. The meeting was presided over by P. C. Jones, *merchant at Honolulu, who in his* address used the following language: "I feel honored at being nominated as chairman of this, the largest and most important meeting that was ever assembled in this city. We have assembled in a constitutional manner and propose to conduct our operations in a constitutional manner. We are here for the purpose of asking for good government, a *thing we have not had,* but which we earnestly desire. We as representatives of all nations are assembled here and we can afford to conduct ourselves in a firm and dignified manner because we are firm and determined in what we ask." Wm. L. Green, also a merchant of Honolulu and named by the populace for prime minister, in the course of a speech said the government had become intolerable, and that it was necessary to demand, and if necessary fight for, a constitutional monarchy. W. A. Kinney, another speaker, said he would prefer to *have the country* independent, but the flag should be kept clean at all hazards. "We need a new constitution," said he. "The miserable rag we have does not give adequate representation nor impose proper restriction upon the power of the throne. The franchise will be reconstructed, and the king will have power as great as the ruler of Great Britian, and that ought to be enough for him. If to his own rights he wants to add the rights of 75,000 subjects he is not going to have them. Revolution of thought will be followed by revolution of arms. It always has been if our reasonable requests are not granted." S. B. Dale, another speaker, said they would give the king just one chance *to reform* and no more. C. R. Bubig, a resident of the island since 1840, said the people must have constitutional reform or fight. L. A. Turston, representative from the island of Molokai, said the Hawaiian king had in past tried to stay revolution by changing his ministry, but that the people should stop short of *nothing but a new constitution.* Liables said the American flag was what he wanted, but the Hawaiian would suit him under a new constitution. Hon. C. E. Cilbron said the Hawaiians were willing the king should remain on the throne, but it could only be under a new constitution. This speaker said: "If Queen Victoria were *to act* as badly as Kalakaua she would not live an hour." W. H. Rice spoke in the Hawaiian tongue and said that the people must declare open war against the king if he refused their demands. When the committee of thirteen waited on the king they found him in an absolute state of trepidation. His *body guard had disappeared* and there was no one to man any of the guns which had been taken into the palace. The king said he would give an answer at once to the demands of the populace, but the committee said they desired his reply in writing. The king then, on the following morning, called upon the foreign *diplomatic representatives* and asked them to assume the direction of affairs, but they declined, as already stated, whereupon the reply of the king was forwarded to the committe of thirteen. The arrest of Walter Murray Gibson, the deposed minister, occurred at 10 o'clock on the morning of July 1st. Col. V. V. Ashford, commanding the Honolulu rifles, made the arrest with a squad of his troops. These troops acted as a royal force, but on the first sight of revolution took sides with the constitutional party. They *number about 200 and are mainly* Americans and Englishmen. During the night Gibson made several attempts to escape and had he accomplished his designs there is no doubt he would have fallen into the hands of the infuriated populace. Gibson is an American, and has been in Hawaii for nearly 40 years. His *career is well known.* In an extra edition of the Honolulu *Gazette*, issued on the day the Mariposa sailed, the following mention is made of the fallen minister: "It is a sad commentary on this man's whole career to think that he has lived so long and escaped the gallows in other lands to be captured by the *very class he laughed at and spurned in the past, but who now have the whip* on this miserable apology for a human being and will see to it that justice is meted out to him to the full extent, *and who will also compel him and his* son-in-law to disgorge some at least of their ill-gotten gains, which they succeeded in filching from the public purse. It is a long lane which has no turn, and it is pleasant to know that this brace of accomplished swindlers of the public have reached their goal and the limit of their power to do further mischief." Shortly after ex-Minister Gibson and his son-in-law were imprisoned in the warehouse, six mounted riflemen and other guards were detailed to look after them. They will be watched night and day until further orders from the citizens' committee. The ire of the populace was roused against George W. Macfarlane & Co. for bringing in rifles and ammunition from Australia to bolster up the Gibons government. Macfarlane's party have hastened to deny everything. The arms were sent by Hoffning & Co. of Sydney, N.S. *At the time of the* seizure a great crowd went to the dock with the Honolulu rifles ready for a fight. When these munitions were taken the last hope of the Gibson faction expired, *as the citizens have hunted* out every large supply of fire arms. The rifles imported from Australia are of British make, part being Enfield and part Martini-Henry. The ex-minister took good care that there would be abundance of ammunition, having ordered an additional supply from Sydney. The extent of his preparations will be made manifest when next steamer from Sydney reaches Honolulu. A detachment of Honolulu rifles has been assigned the duty of watching every steamer coming in. On the night of June 30th J. S. Walker, auditor-general, and F. S. Pratt, registrar of public accounts, were noticed to carry from the palace a basket-full of documents which are supposed to have had some connection with the opium bribery case. Kalakaua also announced to the citizens' committee that the balls to be given at the palace would be discontinued from this time. The king also gave notice of a reduction in the force of attaches about the palace, and agreed to clear out the harpies and hangers-on who have lived in luxury for 14 years. He will also give up his hula-hula dancers. In an interview with the resident Hawaiian consul a representative of the associated press was informed that as far as was known at the consulate the action of the king was satisfactory, and that peace would be finally restored to the kingdom. The government is constituted entirely anew and the consul expressed the belief that *the revolution would stop* short of any change in the ruler. The new cabinet is as follows: Wm. G. Green, prime minister and minister of foreign affairs; L. A. Thurston, minister *of the interior;* Godfrey Brown, minister of finance; C. W. Ashford, attorney-general.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 10.—Interviews are printed here with merchants as to the probable *outcome of the present* crisis in the Hawaiian kingdom, but they are somewhat conflicting. Some of those familiar with affairs on the island contend that the trouble has *only commenced. Upon the fate of* Gibson considerable is thought to depend. In the past he has had considerable influence with Kalakaua, and should he regain his ascendancy it is possible *they might make a fight* against the revolutionary party. One merchant expressed the belief that as the white population had determined on a change and had control of the military forces, they would, if necessary, declare a monarchy in the end or set up a republic. The next steamer from *Honolulu will be the Australia,* to arrive next Wednesday, when more news will be available.

EVICTIONS.

DUBLIN, July 10.—In evictions at Colgraney county, Weckford, to-day, a man named Bercy and three daughters made such a defense in their house against the bailiffs who attempted to eject them that the officers in anger attacked the girls and badly injured one of them in the head. Three bailiffs were arrested and charged with assault for this. In the next house the tenant and his wife made considerable resistance but were put out and were arrested for scalding the police with hot water.

"VIVE BOULANGER."

PARIS, July 10.—When Gen. Boulanger reached Clermont-Ferrand he was welcomed at the railway station by *hundreds of people with shouts of* "Vive Boulanger."

NO SUCCESS YET.

VIRGINIA, Nev., July 10.—Supt. Lyman came up from the 1500 level of the *Consolidated California & Virginia* mine this morning and reports that the drill broke through into the Best & Belcher cross cut about 4:30 o'clock. The drill broke through *when in about five feet beyond the* face of the south drift from the bottom of the incline winze. A blast will be fired when the hole is large enough to admit men, and the opening blown through.

A PAPAL MISSION TO IRELAND.

DUBLIN, July 10.—Father Gualdi, who accompanies Mgr. Persico in a *special papal mission to Ireland states* that Mgr. Persico will first obtain all possible information from the Catholic bishop of Ireland. He will be then happy to receive any information on the subject *of the inquiry from* whatever source it is offered, and listen to all persons desirous of expounding their views on the questions before the country regarding Ireland, her education, land or politics. Mgr. Persico and Father Gualdi will visit the important cities of Ireland. It is impossible for Father Gualdi to say at present how long they will remain in Ireland.

MATHEWS' BLUNDER.

LONDON, July 10.—The *Times* admits that the result of the election in Paddington is not altogether certain to Conservatives and says it cannot be doubted that the contest was influenced by a serious annoyance of blunders made by the home secretary, Mathews, in the Cass case, while the opposition made, the *Times says,* most unscrupulous efforts to gain their end.

THE BULGARIAN CRISIS.

TIRNOVA, July 10.—The Bulgarian government crisis continues. M. Stambuloff, president of the regency, maintains that his party has a majority in the country and he insists that Nikoliff, minister of war shall resign. The sobranje has adjourned.

RUSSIAN PRESS PROTESTS.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 10.—The Russian newspapers unanimously disapprove of the election of Prince Ferdinand of *Saxe-Coburg Gotha to the* Bulgarian throne. They all pronounce the choice of the sobranje the result of Austro-German intrigue, and urge the porte to intervene and the powers to *witndraw their representatives.* The *Novoe Vremya* says Russia in no case will allow Prince Ferdinand to go to Sofia, and adds that if he arrives with an Austrian escort Russia will ask Austria to keep her hands off.

THE BODIES RECOVERED.

VIRGINIA, Nev., July 10.—The bodies of all six miners, Dougherty, Jeffree, Eddy, Kennedy, Tregallis, and Hamilton, have been brought out from the drift in which they were found to the main drift of the Curry & Gould and Best & Belcher. They are wrapped in canvas and will be sent through on trucks to the place where connection was made by the Consolidated Virginia. The bodies will have to be boxed and labeled. Some time will be consumed in getting them through the rough strip of ground run through by relief drift, on which there are no trucks and many ups and downs.

Messrs. Parker & Laird, of Hillsdale, writes: Our Mr. Laird having occasion to visit Scotland, and knowing the excellent qualities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, concluded to take some with him, and the result has been very astonishing. We may say that in several instances it has effected cures when ailments had been pronounced incurable by eminent practitioners.

Poetry.

Writing Her First Love-Letter.

BY AN UP COUNTRY MINER.

Over the desk within her room,
A pretty maiden bends.
To whom, I wonder, does she write?
One of her school-girl friends?
Ah, no! The smile upon her lips,
The roses in her cheek,
The tender light within her eyes
Another story speak.

For her first love-letter she writes,
And as she writes her hand
Trembles. She is as one who walks
Within an unknown land.
She hesitates, yet goes ahead,
Ah, pretty maid, beware!
The path in which you walk is marked
By many a pit and snare.

And yet she does not fear; in truth
For fear she has no cause.
It is her very happiness
That makes her sigh and pause.
A picture lies beside her there;
Her tender glances tell
How well she loves that noble face
Where truth and goodness dwell.

"Surely," she says, "I can put trust
In him. His love to me
Will be a shield against all harm,
Whate'er our lot may be.
I have not read his eyes in vain;
In vain I have not read
The tender smile with which his first
Soft words of love were said."

Thus, with her eyes now on the page,
Now on his pictured face,
Her first love-letter does she write,
While her thoughts swiftly chase
Each other toward that happy goal,
The time when she shall be
His wife, and they with love shall dwell
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Commercial Union.

Public meetings and pic-nics are being held in many places throughout Ontario for the purpose of discussing commercial union with the United States and obtaining an expression of opinion on the question. At many of these meetings Mr. Erastus Wiman has delivered addresses, and in some cases the gatherings have been addressed by American gentlemen, as well as Canadians. The question has likewise come up for discussion at various gatherings of farmers which usually take place during the early summer, and it is worthy of note that of the opinions expressed a very large proportion are in favor of commercial union under certain conditions. Among other methods employed to ascertain public opinion is that of inviting replies to certain questions. The Montreal *Witness* lately addressed a number of enquiries to its readers, and received a great many replies showing that a majority of its patrons favored commercial union. In view of the extent of this agitation it is quite possible that the question of commercial union will before long be taken up as a political issue by one of the great political parties of Canada, and in this way it may be forced upon the attention of the whole country. Canadian parties are now much more evenly divided than they have been for a number of years, and those in power are, therefore, less able to resist any popular movement. The majority is large enough, however, to prevent any sudden revolution, and it may safely be assumed that the merits of commercial union will be well discussed before the principle is adopted—if it is adopted at all.

The Hawaiian Revolution.

There seems no reason to doubt that the revolution in the Hawaiian kingdom is quite a serious affair. For a long time the government has been growing more and more unpopular. The extravagance and dissapation of the king, and the conspicuous corruption of himself and his court have been a standing disgrace to the nation and a constant menace to the stability of the empire. The absence of the queen, who has been paying her respects to Queen Victoria during the jubilee festivities, seems to have been made the occasion of still greater excesses by the Hawaiian king, and these exhibitions were more than the patience of his long-suffering people could endure. The result of the revolution is not easy to foretell. There has been for a long time a certain feeling of antagonism between the native population and the foreign element, and that antagonism will doubtless have considerable influence in shaping the destiny of the kingdom. From the reports already received it seems that the necessities of the case have been such, however, as to bring about a more cordial feeling between the various elements than was supposed to be possible. It is very plain that no party in the kingdom, unless it may be the party of boodlers, wishes to see the old administration continued. The white population, composed chiefly of Americans and Britons, seem to have taken a leading part in the demand for constitutional government, but the demand seems to have had the cordial approval and support of a proportion of the natives as well. In the despatches nothing is said of the Chinamen, of whom there are known to be large numbers on the island. As a rule Chinese are not very forward in agitations for constitutional rights, and it is quite possible they will preserve strict neutrality in the present fight. The position of the Hawaiian islands is such as to make them an object of solicitude to several nations. They lie in the line of transpacific trade, and are so situated as to make them invaluable to the power which aims at supremacy on the Pacific. For some time the people of the United States, whose citizens do a large trade with the islands, have been discussing the propriety of assuming a protectorate over the coveted kingdom. It is claimed that whenever this island surrenders its independence it must come under American influence, because America could not tolerate the establishment of a great foreign power so near her western coast. Great Britain, Russia, France, and Germany would all be glad to get hold of the island, both for the sake of extending their trade and in view of its advantages from a military point of view. It is probable, however, that King Kalakaua will be permitted for the present at least to remain on the Hawaiian throne, and the revolutionists will be content to accept a new constitution in which proper safeguards are given for the liberty of the subject. The islands are in some places very productive, and the kingdom is by no means without resources. The population is about 75,000. It is here that the great navigator and discoverer, Capt. Cook, met with his death at the hands of the natives in 1779. King Kalakaua is now 51 years of age, and has occupied the throne for 17 years. Additional news will be looked for with much interest.

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In case a poll is demanded, voting will commence at 10 a. m. of the next day and close at 4 p. m.

EXTRACT FROM "PUBLIC SCHOOL ACT, 1885"

"23. Any person registered as a voter, as hereinafter provided, shall be eligible to vote at any school meeting held in such District, and in the ward in which he is registered, for the election of Trustees; provided, always, that it shall not be lawful for any person to vote for Trustees in more than one ward in any City School District."

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12th of July.

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H. D. HELMCKEN.
Victoria, B. C., June 18, 1887. dje25m2

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Victoria, B. C., June 18th, 1887.
dje25m2 HENRY KLING.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres in New Westminster District, which may be thus described, namely:

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LATE FORGIVENESS.

"No, Mister," said Uncle Jake, "I ain't spliced nor never was."

For many years Uncle Jake had kept a little tavern near one of the inlets where the sea breaks through the long sand-bar into the Great South Bay, at a point about fifteen miles from New York.

Of a pleasant Sunday in Summer it was a pretty lively resort. Uncle Jake made a jovial host, and people used to say that he owed his good health in a great measure to the frequency with which he drank to it himself. Most of the fishing parties from the harbors along the bay stopped here for a clam-bake and a cocktail; yachtsmen anchored near the inlet and sportsmen would put up at the tavern for a week or two at a time.

But in winter it was a dreary spot. The monotonous turmoil of the surf was broken only now and then by the shrill cry of the gull or the shrieking of the wind as it whirled across the bar. During the long storms only an occasional wrecker or a patrol from the life-saving station visited the place, and at any time in Winter a party like ours was a rarity.

A real Bohemian freak had brought us down to Uncle Jake's that night. The evening before a dozen of us artists had met at a little reunion in the studio of one of our number, and one of us seeing a sketch of Uncle Jake's tavern on the easel, had proposed paying him a Winter's visit.

We all knew Uncle Jake, and the idea of a Winter's visit to him was too much of a novelty to be resisted. So we set out for the tavern the next day, and arrived there before night time. Uncle Jake knew that the trip across the bay had been a rough one. So he started a roaring wood fire; and when we had finished supper he put a steaming bowl of punch on the table.

But despite his attention and the jollity of our party, he wasn't in the best of spirits. Not that he didn't dip his glass into the punch bowl pretty often, but he seemed moody and didn't talk much.

His low spirits seemed also to have a depressing effect on Samson, his big mastiff, who was about as well known along the coast as Uncle Jake himself. Usually he barked a friendly welcome to every one who came to the house. But he had been sullen and silent all the evening and had sat near Uncle Jake, resting his head on his master's knee and now and then looking up wistfully at him.

I had known Uncle Jake and his big dog longer than the others had, and I noticed that something was wrong.

The old man seemed glad enough to see me again and made me sit next to him. But I felt that since I had been there some change had come over him and the dog and the old place; and at times he looked as though he would like to tell me something but hesitated on account of the others.

I remembered a pretty, bright-eyed lass, about 17 years old, when I last saw her, who was at the tavern in former years, and whom we used to call "Uncle Jake's little girl." She made herself handy about the place, and was so simple and graceful in her bearing that she was a favorite with all who went there. The sun had browned her face and arms, and the wind had played with her fair hair until it hung over her forehead like tangled sunbeams.

She was tall and lithesome, and as strong as she was graceful. Often, when she was a mere girl of 10 or 12, I had seen her pulling her skiff across the bay and hailing the old fishermen as they scudded past in their smacks. Many a time they would lay to and take her aboard and tow her skiff home; and then she would take the helm from the skipper, trim the sheet and shout with glee as the spray came dashing over the bow.

I wondered what had become of her and asked Uncle Jake, but he didn't seem to hear my question, though the dog sprang to his feet and roamed about uneasily before he slunk back to his master's feet. I was about to ask the question again when one of our party proposed a song.

While they gathered in a group around the old piano in the corner, the old man stole quietly to the door of another room and beckoned me to follow him. As I joined him he was stooping over an old bureau fumbling among some papers, while the dog, who had slipped in after him, watched him intently until he put his hand on a tin-type which he drew out and showed me. It was the picture of a child, and in the features I recognized "Uncle Jake's little girl."

In the next room some one was playing a jangling accompaniment and the rest were shouting a boisterous song. I thought then would be a good time to ask him what had become of the girl whose childish features we were looking at, so I inquired, by way of introduction, if he had ever been married. It was to this he had replied:

"No, Mister, I ain't spliced, nor never was. But yer see," he continued, as though he knew what I was driving at, "it's uncommon lonesome here in Winter, an' many a time when I've heard o' some young one ashore yonder as wasn't cared for at home, I've got its folks to let me take it out here with me. The children kind o' cheered me up durin' the long Winter evenin's, an' when Summer came I'd ask to have 'em stay a bit longer. The little ones would beg real hard, too, for I made a good deal of 'em; and they thought kind o' well o' me for it.

"Some o' them stayed a few years, but as they got big an' could be handy at home their folks fetched 'em away from me; an' so at last they all went; all but little Maggie, her as they used to call 'Uncle Jake's little girl.' It was a bad home I'd took her from, an' afore she'd been with me long her father wandered off an' her mother died in the poorhouse. There wasn't no one to take her from me then, so she stayed here; an' right glad I was to keep her.

"She was a smart, likely little thing, an' I thought as I'd care for her an' lay by a bit o' money for her. When she first came here she was no more than 5, an' when yer saw her two summers ago she was goin' on 18.

"Yer know Maggie was as good-lookin' a girl as yer could find hereabouts, an' many a feller as has come here with his boat in Summer has been kind o' took wi' her. I was kind o' proud to have 'em so too, for I'd a precious good opinion o' Maggie, an' I liked to see 'em back me up. It weren't every one she'd take to, neither; for she'd make her choice like any lady, would Maggie.

"I let her go sailin' whenever she wanted. She was a good girl an' a comfort to me Summer and Winter, was Maggie.

"It's goin' on three years now, Mister, that a little after the June Maggie got to be eighteen, there was a young feller as came over here to stay. He was a good-lookin' chap, strong an' quick, an' as handy in a boat as any one I ever see. He seemed to kind o' like it here.

"In the beginnin' he hired one o' my boats by the week, an' when he'd had it that way about four weeks he took it for the season. Well, I was glad to let him have it, for it was often as he'd take Maggie out, an' I felt easy when I knew Maggie was with him.

"One bright mornin' in September just afore they sailed away she came a-runnin' in to me an' says as they was a-goin' for a long sail an' wouldn't be back till late. I didn't begin worryin' about 'em until it got to be very late, an' they hadn't come back.

"Some folks as was at the house walked the beach between the inlets with me till late in the night; but we saw nothin' of 'em. But I didn't give 'em up. It had been a fine day, an it was a clear, bright night, an' I kind o' trusted the young feller. Next day early in the mornin' we spied the boat sailin' up the inlet, an' I began wavin' and shoutin' to 'em for joy. But some one as had a spy-glass said they wasn't aboard—an'—mister—they wasn't.

"The feller as was in her came from the Jersey coast, an' he said as a man an' a girl had landed there the day before, an' the man—a young, good-lookin' chap, he said—had paid him to bring the boat over.

"I'd kept up pretty well till then, but when I know'd she wasn't come back, an' felt all of a sudden as if she might never come back, I hid my face in my hands an' cried like a baby.

"She was all the world to me, was Maggie. I took her to me as a child, an' brought her up, an' set my heart on her; an for her to leave me in my old days was mighty hard.

"When I got quieted down they began to comfort me a-sayin' as she might come back. Ah, mister, if she only had! I'd have welcomed her, for she was still my little Maggie, an' I'd ha' loved her as much as ever. But it got to be Winter an' Spring an' Summer an' on toward Fall an' I heard nothin' of her.

"It wasn't much more than a year after she'd left when one mornin' a feller came sailing over from the shore with a telegram for me. It came from the city, an' it read that if I was to go to one o' the hospitals there, I'd find a girl as would like to see me; an' it told me to come quick, too, for she was very low, perhaps a-dyin'.

"Yer may know who the girl was; an' it's likely yer know, too, as I wasn't long a-gettin' to her. But I wasn't any too soon. She was lyin' on a cot, an' when she saw me, it was just all she could do to stretch her arms out to me, so she could put 'em around me an' press her poor, pale face against mine.

"'Father,' she whispered, 'I went back on yer—on yer who'd been so good an' kind to me; an', father, I want yer to say before I die as you've forgiven me.'

"I couldn't say nothin', mister, I just held her closer. I held her till they told me she couldn't speak no more, an' then I laid her back. It was only a few minutes after that she lived, but afore she died she opened her eyes once more an' moved her lips. I bent down to her an' she could just whisper:

"'Father, I'm sure yer haven't gone back on me. I'm sure yer forgive me. But—father—I want yer to forgive him, too. For—father—I've forgiven——'

"I forgive, her, mister, an' I've tried to forgive him. I'll try again, mister; I'll try hard for the little girl's sake. I know as his sin's a-goin' to drive him back here some time—drive him back that he may go on his knees to me an' tell me how he wronged her an' me."

The man's voice broke in his emotion.

I had always been fond of Uncle Jake, but after what he had told me I liked him better than ever. I knew that his "little girl's" death weighed heavily on him; and so after that I got up as many parties as I could to visit the tavern and cheer him up.

One day toward Autumn, two years afterwards, in one of my not infrequent visits to the tavern, Uncle Jake called me aside and said: "Mister, it's gettin' kind o' lonesome for the dog an' me down here Winters, an' I guess I won't stay here no longer after the Fall. I've got a house as I took over in the village ashore yonder, near to where the little girl's buried. The dog an' I want to be near Maggie, an' if yer'll come down off an' on, we'll be glad ter see yer, for it ain't much company we'll be havin'."

Well, Uncle Jake took the house and I did go down there as often as I could.

The blazing logs and the singing kettle seemed particularly cheery one January night. A fierce wind was howling around the house. It had been snowing all day, but as it grew colder the snow had stopped, and now the gusts sent icy particles rattling against the window panes.

The dog seemed sleeping peacefully—at least he hadn't stirred—when Uncle Jake went to the hearth to lift up the kettle. The old man had brewed a punch, and was just raising the glass to his lips, when suddenly Samson sprang toward one of the windows with a furious bark. As I turned in the direction in which he sprang I saw what might have been an illusion, it vanished so quickly—a man's face, pale, haggard and driven, pressed against the pane. A moment later the dog was leaping against the door. I sprang toward it and threw it open, letting out the dog, who remained outside barking and howling for half an hour after I had closed the door.

I told Uncle Jake that I thought a man had been out there, but all he said was: "I guess it's one o' them tramps as comes around. Samson ain't particular fond of 'em. But if the fellow was cold and wanted a drink why didn't he knock an' ask for it decent-like? Sure he'd ha' got it."

The next morning was bright and clear and very cold. As the wind had subsided, Uncle Jake proposed to go over to the grave-yard—he hardly let a day pass without going there. The grave-yard was a little enclosure a trifle further out of the village than our house. As we entered the gate the dog suddenly darted forward barking furiously as he had the night before. Following him hastily we saw what he was barking at. A thin, white hand had clasped the headstone, and over the grave lay, face downwards, the body of a man.

Uncle Jake grasped me and held me back a moment. Then we tried to loose the hand. But it was clasped so firmly that we could hardly draw it from the stone. At last it fell, and we turned the body over. I saw the same pale, haggard, driven face that was pressed against the window the night before.

"Mister," said Uncle Jake solemnly, "he's come back. An'—an'—I think I've forgiven him, as the little girl asked me for to do."

The Darkey's Four Wishes.

I heard a gentleman ask an old colored man the other day what he would take provided he could have any three things he would wish for.

The old darky replied:

"Well, boss, de fuss ting, I take a fifty-dollar in money; den a fine suit of clothes, and next a barrel o' rice.

"Den, boss," he continued, "if you let me make another wish I'd take four gallons o' good whiskey."—[Eastman (Ga.) Times.

Letter by George Washington.

A Philadelphia gentleman has recently found an autograph letter of George Washington, in which the latter negotiates for the purchase of a good, lively negro boy.

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:

LEGAL.

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

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 & acc'd't].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
Rand Bros.....McKenzie St
Wm. Shannon.....Vancouver
Woods, Turner & Gamble.....Columbia St

COMMISSION AGENCIES.

Thomas Spence & Co....New Westminster
Jno. Sirr.....Columbia st

ARCHITECT, &c.

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

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

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

BRICK-MAKERS.

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

AUCTIONEERS.

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

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

AGRICULTTRAL IMPLEMENTS.

W. H. Jenkins..Westminster & Chilliwh'k
Jno. Sirr.....Columbia St

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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

PRINTING & RULING.

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

STOVES & TINWARE.

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

GAS FITTINGS.

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

SEWING MACHINES.

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

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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

DRY GOODS.

Bon Marche.....Columbia St
D. Drysdale & Co.....Columbia St
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St
Wm. Rae [Globe House].....Columbia st

DRESSMAKING.

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

WOOD & COAL.

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

DRUGS, &c.

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

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
J. E. Sulley.....Douglas st

HOTELS.

Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St
The Clarence [Richards].....Victoria

LIVERY, &C.

Mainland Transfer Co.....Columbia St

BOOTS & SHOES.

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

SOAP-MAKERS.

Pendray & Co.....Victoria

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

NURSERIES.

G. W. Henry.....Port Hammond
E. Hutcherson.....Ladners

MONUMENTAL.

Alex. Hamilton.....Church st
Rudge & Monck.....New Westminster

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 480 acres of land on Texada Island, New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at the S. E. corner of the S.W. ¼ of Sec. 3; thence East 40 chains; thence North 80 chains; thence West 80 chains; thence South 40 chains; thence East 40 chains; thence South 40 chains to point of commencement.

ROBT. E. JACKSON.

Victoria, B. C., June 20, 1887. d je25m2

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AGENTS

Dominion Express Comp'y, Ld.

Eastern Canadian ank Notes Bought and Sold.

COLUMBIA STREET,

Telephone 38. NEW WESTMINSTER. d fe7tc

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

Sections 35 & 36, Block 6 North, Range 1 East, in the District of New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Hugh Ross (now deceased) to the above lands has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that a new Certificate of Title will be issued in lieu of that so lost, unless cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, 29th June, 1887. d je29m1

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:

L. A. Hamilton, for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; M. A. MacLean, Mayor; John J. Blake, Stipendiary Magistrate; Rich'd. Alexander, Justice of the Peace; John Boultbee, Police Magistrate, City of Vancouver; Thomas Dunn, Justice of the Peace; Isaac Johns, Col.; Edward E. Rand, Real Estate Broker; R. Balfour, Alderman; John Rankin, Real Estate Broker; Pither & Edson, Royal Hotel; H. F. Keefer, Contractor, C. P. R.; J. W. McFarladd, Port Moody, to Vancouver and English Bay; F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers; A. W. Ross, Real Estate Broker; Gravely & Spinks, Real Estate Brokers; R. C. Ferguson, Mgr. R. C. P. Mills. je30tc

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THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN Printing Company

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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 enconsistt 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

D. ROBSON, Manager.

New Westminster, Ja.. 28, 1887.

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The Security offered to policy holders is unsurpassed by any Company doing business in Canada,

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Its statements to the public can be readily understood, its cash statement showing every item of income and how expended.

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Its policies are indisputable after three years, and non-forfeitable after two years' existence.

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J. K. MACDONALD,
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T. R. PEARSON

Agent, New Westminster
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For Quality, Style, Fit and Price, can't be touched.

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In every Line. Cotton, Merino and Wool Underwear, White Shirts, Cuffs, Collars, Gloves, Braces, Cardigan Jackets, &c. Also, Cotton, Merino, Cashmere, Lambs Wool and Knit SOCKS, in great variety.

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Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwje7ml

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Wm. RAE,
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dwmy26tc Humboldt Street, Victoria, B. C.

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A TEACHER FOR THE MUD BAY Public School. Applications to be in by 25th July. Teacher to hold a certificate not less than third class, grade A.

HY. D. CHANTRELL,
dwjy2td Secretary.

Brighouse Estate.

ALL PARTIES ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against purchasing of Sam'l Brighouse or executing mortgages on any portion of the above estate without the sanction of Manuella Brighouse, his wife, or her solicitors.

dap15tc MANUELLA BRIGHOUSE.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. E. Murne, deceased Intestate.

ALL SUMS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late J. E. Murne must be paid to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons having claims against the said Estate must send in their accounts, duly verified, to the undersigned at New Westminster, on or before the 7th day of July, A. D. 1887.

Dated at New Westminster the 26th May, A. D. 1887.

JOHN ELLWOOD,
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Every Afternoon except Sunday,

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At the Company's Steam Printing Establishment, Columbia St.

Delivered in the City daily...25c. per week
Mailed daily, one year.....$10.00
Mailed daily, six months..... 5.50

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Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 2 cts. per line. Advertisements not inserted every day, 10 cts. per line each insertion.

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Auction Sales, when displayed, charged 25 per cent. less than transient advts. If solid, charged at regular transient rates.

THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Wednesday Morning.

Delivered in the City, per year.....$3.00
Mailed, per year..... 2.00
Mailed, 6 months..... 1.25

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Special notices among reading matter, 20 cts. per line each insertion.

Cuts must be all metal, and for large cuts an extra rate will be charged. No advt. inserted in either issue for less than $1.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice.....Leamy & Kyle
Notice.....E. A. Jenns
Assurance Co..Woods, Turner & Gamble

Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, July 11, 1887.

The chain gang is cleaning McKenzie st. to-day.

Four cars of freight arrived to-day from eastern points.

Bill Nye gets $100 a week. This accounts for his good humor.

Get one of those "Ice Cream" Freezers at H. M. Cunningham & Co's. djy8t3

Mayor Dickinson presided in the police court this morning in the absence of Mr. Atkinson, P.M.

The Parthia cleared her moorings at Vancouver at 2.45 this afternoon, and left on her return voyage to China and Japan.

Dr. C. E. C. Brown has returned to the city, and will be found at his dental rooms, over D. S. Curtis & Co's. drug store. djy83t

Trassieria, a lumberman, appeared before the beak this morning on a charge of drunkeness, and was fined $2.25 and costs.

Parties wishing fruits for preserving should place their orders at once. Special rates on quantities for putting up.—C. J. ROBSON. djy11t3

The Fraser is still high. For the last three days the height of the water has not varied an inch. The greater part of Harrison River meadows is still under water.

The wife of Mr. D. W. Brown, J.P., of Hall's Prairie, presented her husband with twins, two girls, on Thursday night last. Both mother and babes are doing well.

Fishermen made good catches last night. Mr. Vianen's 8 boats captured over a thousand fish. One of D. W. Port & Co's. boats caught 208 salmon in one drift, which is a very big catch.

It has lately been discovered that an Italian nobleman, who frequented the most exclusive London society and clubs at night, sells tinware from a handcart in the suburbs during the day.

In some parts of the district grasshoppers are appearing in large numbers and devouring much of the crops. This, with unusual drought, will interfere considerably with the profits of the farmers.

We understand that the Sunday observance by-law has been so modified as to remove the objections of most of those who were opposed to it, and it will be brought up again at the council meeting to-night.

Messrs. Woods, Turner & Gamble have been appointed agents for the Western Assurance Co. of Canada. A statement of the assets and operations of this company will be found in an advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

One of the notable things at the Yale college commencement was the speech of a Chinese graduate, giving "the other side of the Chinese question." It is enough to make statesmen of the Dennis Kearney stripe groan when a "haythen" has such privileges in such a place.

In a Chicago court the other day a man who was being examined with respect to his qualifications for jury service said he "would sooner believe a newspaper report than the sworn testimony of the average reader." That man could not have been a reader of our local cotemporary.

The Rithet arrived this morning about ten o'clock. She left this city on Saturday morning for Victoria but on account of the strong winds prevailing on the gulf did not leave the mouth of the river until 5:30 yesterday morning, arriving in Victoria at 11 o'clock. She brought up about 100 tons of freight.

DOMINION LANDS.—A correspondent writing from Yale says there is a good deal of complaint made on account of the delay in getting the railway lands into such a shape as will enable settlers to obtain titles; and he asks when the lands between Hammond and Yale will be ready for administration. On enquiry at the land office we are informed that a party of surveyors is kept at work constantly surveying these lands, and that as soon as the survey has been completed and a correct map made out the commissioner will be ready to issue titles to those who are entitled to them. No one can tell how long this will be, but it is not expected the commissioner will be in a position to issue titles until some time next year.

WHICH WAS THE BEST MAN?—Two lumbermen from Mr. Gilley's logging camp on Barneston Island, came down to the city on Saturday evening and proceeded to "fill up." Yesterday, about noon, they got arguing on their relative physical strength in one of the Front st. saloons, and they resolved upon going out on the street and giving their muscular capabilities a test. Accordingly both started for the street and began slugging each other, but being pretty drunk, they very soon tumbled to the ground. Here they rolled in the dust and bit and scratched each other until they presented a sorry sight. A policeman arrived and took both to the "cooler." They were let out this morning on each depositing $20 that they would appear in the police court on Thursday morning.

Ill-fitting boots and shoes cause corns. Holloway's Corn Cure is the article to use. Get a bottle at once and cure your corns.

Drowned in the Inlet.

TWO MEN LOSE THEIR LIVES BY THE UPSETTING OF A BOAT.

Two unknown men left Vancouver Saturday afternoon in the sloop Truant and started to cross the inlet to Moodyville. When about half way across a gust of wind caught the Truant's sail and swamped her. The occurrence was seen by people on the Vancouver shore and a tug immediately set out to rescue the men if possible, but before the tug reached the scene both men disappeared under the water, and were seen no more. There was some difficulty at first in obtaining the names of the unfortunate men, and it was reported that one of them was a saloon-keeper in this city. Vancouver advices this afternoon state that the names of the men are Brown and Curtings, that both of them live in Vancouver, and are married, and have families.

Sad Accident.

A RANCHER AND HIS WIFE AND CHILD DROWNED IN THE SIMILKAMEEN.

A sad drowning accident occurred about four days ago in the Similkameen River. Mr. Yockile, who keeps a ranch near the river, was crossing it in a small boat in company with his wife and child. It is not known how the accident occurred, but the first intimation of the disaster was given by Indians, who reported that they saw the boat, bottom up, floating midway in the stream down the river towards the rapids, and that Mr. Yockile's small dog was sitting on it, howling piteously. When near the rapids the dog jumped and swam ashore. No trace of the occupants of the boat was discernible and it was at once surmised that they had been drowned by the upsetting of the boat, and that they were probably unable to reach the shore and were dashed to pieces on the rocks in the rapids.

Rock Creek Booming.

A Bonanza Discovered---Miners Flocking in Great Numbers---The Richness of the Ore.

Thos. Daley, of Hope, arrived in the city to-day. Mr. Daley has just come from Granite Creek and brings news of a mining excitement at Rock Creek, near Keremeos, where a ledge of very rich gold quartz has lately been discovered. If the reports are not exaggerated the finders of the ledge, one of whom is Mr. Finney, a Cariboo miner, are to be envied. Mr. Douglas, a representative of an American syndicate, has examined the ore and offered Mr. Finney and his partner $75,000 spot cash for their claim, which these gentlemen promptly refused. The ore is of the very richest kind, some of it being almost a mass of yellow gold, and when broken by the hammer the pieces will hang together by numerous shreds of the valuable mineral. The discovery has caused intense excitement and miners are flocking in great numbers to the spot, and claims are being located by the dozen. Almost every white man at Granite Creek has deserted that place, and will try his chances in the new El Dorado.

Fire at Centreville.

The Pioneer Hotel is Burned and Many Inmates Narrowly Escape.

Special to the Columbian.

CHILLIWHACK, July 10.—At 3 o'clock this morning the pioneer hotel at Centreville was discovered on fire. The proprietor, Chas. Bartlett, was the first to give the alarm, and fortunately succeeded in getting the inmates out safely though two of the boarders had to jump from the upper story. The hotel, barn, stables and fencing were completely destroyed. Had the wind been from lee the whole village would probably have been reduced to ashes. The fire is supposed to have originated in the wood house from a fire which was left smouldering to expel mosquitoes.

ASSOCIATED PRESS NEWS

Condensed Despatches.

It is reported that another crisis is imminent in Servia.

Ballentine, the Gladstonian candidate, is elected for Coventry.

The United States Pacific squadron has been ordered to Honolulu.

All men on furlough in South Russia have been ordered to join their colors.

A meeting of the National League is called for at Cork on July 17th to adopt some course to resist evictions.

RESTLESSNESS, MORBID ANXIETY, and a fretful disposition, are usually met with in the dyspeptic. These mental indicia show how close is the connection between brain and stomach. Their most prolific cause, dyspepsia, is a complaint for which Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Blood Purifier is used with unvarying success. It also remedies Billousness, Constipation, and Impurity of the Blood.

Personal.

T. C. Atkinson is in Victoria.

Geo. Hayes, of Kamloops, is in the city.

W. B. Wilson, of Vancouver, is in the city.

J. C. Armstrong returned from Harrison Hot Springs to-day.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Huntley are at the Hot Springs.

Deputy-minister of the interior, Mr. Burgess, left for Ottawa on Saturday.

J. C. McLennan, of Hall's Prairie, left to-day for Victoria, per str. Rithet.

Eddie McKenzie, who for some time past has been in the C.P.R. telegraph office at Clover Valley, has been removed to the Hope office.

Passengers per str. Rithet this morning from Victoria: Mr. Coulter, S. M. McCartney, J. McLagan, W. Clements, Curtis, C. J. West, Howie.

We are pleased to know that the Hon. Hugh Nelson is rapidly improving in health at the Hot Spring sanitarium. He is now able to take a long spin in his row boat every day.

J. K. Cunningham, wife, 6 children and 2 servants, of Kobbe, Japan, are registered at the St. Alice hotel, Harrison. Mr. Cunningham came on the Parthia and is en route to his home in England, from which he has been absent many years.

The following are the arrivals at the Hot Springs during the last week: Wm. Templeman and wife, Victoria; Mrs. W. Moresby, New Westminster; Dr. Bentley and wife, Westminster; H. D. Munn, Kamloops; Walter Hogg, Montreal; J. La Riveire, Montreal; E. C. McLean, W. Bell, Vancouver; J. A. McDonald, Ferney Combe; J. Elliott, Westminster; A. M. Grant, Vancouver; J. T. McKarocher, Vancouver; E. J. Ermatinger, North Bend; Rev. G. C. Patterson, Chilliwhack; D. J. Hann, Victoria; Dr. J. W. Powell, Victoria; D. McGillivrais, R. Barton, Vancouver; Jno. Sprott, Westminster; J. Johnson, Vancouver; J. K. Cunningham, wife, 6 children and 2 servants, Kobbe, Japan; J. A. Williams, New York; Harry Frick, North Bend; Gilbert Monroe, Brandon; Peter Lorson, Vancouver; S. J. Thompson, J. C. Armstrong, Westminster, D. Fleming, Winnipeg; Marquis and Marchioness of Huntley, of Scotland, and two servants

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Jubilee Sunday School Picnic and Excursion.

While our American cousins have so nobly and heartily entered into the jubilee celebrations of this year, paying tributes of love and honor to Britan's worthy and beloved Queen Victoria, we, as Canadians, take delight to not only do honor to our own distinguished 1st of July, but to gladden the hearts of Chilliwhack's American visitors by observing the 4th.

On the lovely sunshine morning of last Monday a large number of all ages and sizes assembled at Chilliwhack landing to await the arrival of the William Irving to convey them to the prettily located town of Hope on the Fraser River, the beauty of whose groves and walks charm eye and invite the visitant.

After waiting for the unloading of freight, two hours later than the time specified, the whistle gave the signal and off the steamer floated with her Union Jacks waving in the breeze. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in social converse, vocal and instrumental music, and admiring nature, in all her mountain and rill grandeur. But notwithstanding the enjoyment experienced on the water we were all desirous of arriving at Hope in time to take in the beauty of the surroundings before the shades of evening drew the curtains. An apparent needless delay of half an hour to take on wood was an unexpected exercise on the patience of some on board. As we neared the destined port, the organist resumed her seat on the front of the steamer, surrounded by happy hearts and glad voices, who struck up "We are Coming," and "God Save the Queen."

While we gazed at the shore lined with whites, Chinese and Indians ready to hail our approach, our thoughts was absorbed with the dear absent face and vacant face of one, who a year ago could have extended a loyal and cordial welcome to his many Chilliwhack friends, but, while Hope has lost the loved and true, the heaven above has gained.

As soon as the gang-board was extended, the joyous party sought the shore, scattering to the groves and rivulets, some riding and more walking, many calling on friends, admiring flower gardens, &c.

It was with regret that we learned the absence of one of the leading families of the town who would have spiritedly joined in the commingling. On account of the late hour of arrival the excursionists partook of refreshments on the boats, a large space being granted for table room. The evening was pleasantly passed, some resorting to private homes, "making melody with their hearts unto the Lord" in sacred song, with piano accompaniment, while a larger number engaged in sacred song on the boat. The children having the use of the deck, and the evening being propitious, enjoyed running and amusements such as afford the happy little ones pure delight.

As we remained at Hope and so soundly enjoyed "Tired nature's sweet restorer," as not to hear the gentle whistle of the William Irving, we were not favored with the opportunity of a morning good-bye to the picnic party, whom we trust would have a charming ride down the river and safe return to Chilliwhack valley.

We regard this interchange of friendship as conducive to the best of feelings and largely corrective of selfishness that is apt to creep in were communities live altogether to themselves, of the happiness of their sister localities, as well as, of the divine injunction, "Look not every man upon his own things but on the things of others."

We trust this trip the on majestic Fraser will be often repeated repeated, and that the Hopeans may duly know when to expect their Chilliwhack friends that they may be ready to give expression to their loyalty and extend a cordial welcome.

We would not forget to thank the Giver of all good for His loving care and encircling arm of protection, and that nothing occurred to mar or sadden the jubilee excursion.

A lady from Chilliwhack remained over for a week for the benefit of rest and reinvigoration, who is greatly enjoying the pretty walks and drives, and who is already feeling physically improved.

We think if the people in the cities were aware of the beauties of Hope they would doubtless seek its cool shades as a summer resort and a most desirable spot for recuperation.

A RETURNED HOPEAN.

Mrs. A. Nelson, Brantford, writes:—"I was a sufferer from chronic dyspepsia for eleven years. Always after eating, an intense burning sensation in the stomach, at times very distressing, caused a drooping and languid feeling, which would last for several hours after eating. I was recommended by Mr. Popplewell, chemist, of our city, to try Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, and I am thankful to say that I have not been better for years; that burning sensation and languid feeling has all gone, and food does not lie heavy on my stomach. Others of my family have used it with best results.

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs	$10 00 @ $12 00
Pork	"	10 00 @ 12 00
Mutton	"	10 00 @ 0 00
Hides(gr'n)	"	6 00 @ 7 00
Potatoes	"	1 75 @ 1 50
Turnips	"	0 00 @ 0 75
Cabbage	"	2 50 @ 3 00
Onions	"	2 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Hay,	per ton	20 00 @ 25 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @ 0 30
Cheese,	" "	0 20 @ 0 00
Eggs,	per doz.	0 30 @ 0 35
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @ 4 00

F. Burrows, of Wilkesport, writes that he was cured of a very dangerous case of inflammation of the lungs, solely by the use of five bottles of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Feels great pleasure in recommending it to the public, as he had proved it (for many of the diseases it mentions to cure) through his friends, and in nearly every instance it was effectual. Do not be deceived by any imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Be sure you get the genuine.

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

PETER GRANT,
fe23-tc Secretary.

NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against Lorne College or Columbia College are requested to forward the same at once to the undersigned.
djy11t3 E. A. JENNS, Barrister.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease for timbering purposes of the following described lands:

Commencing at the South West corner of Leamy & Kyle's Limit B, Range 1, Lot 25; from thence running Northerly 40 chains, thence Westerly 40 chains, thence Southerly 60 chains, thence Westerly 120 chains, thence Southerly 20 chains, thence Easterly 180 chains, more or less, following the shore of Cardero channel to the point of commencement—containing 600 acres, more or less, and to be known as Limit E.

Also—the following lands, situated Port Neville, East shore: Commencing at the North West corner of the Moodyville Saw Mill Company's claim, Lot 5; thence Northerly 20 chains, thence Easterly 100 chains, thence Southerly 60 chains, thence Westerly 240 chains, thence Northerly 20 chains to the Southwest corner of said lot; thence Easterly 80 chains, thence Northerly 40 chains, thence Westerly 80 chains, more or less, to the point of commencement—containing 1320 acres, more or less, and to be known as Limit F.

LEAMY & KYLE.
Vancouver, 2nd July, 1887. djy11m1

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R. W. ARMSTRONG,
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Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, B.C., 20th June, 1887.
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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

SPRING ASSIZES.

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[On Mainland]

New Westminster..Wednesday...4th May.
Kamloops.....Monday..... 6th June.
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland]

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept.
Clinton.....Wednesday...28th Sept.
Kamloops.....Monday.....3rd Oct.
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct.
New Westminster..Wednesday...9th Nov.

[On Vancouver Island]

Victoria.....Monday.....28th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th December.

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