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Saturday Morning, June 24, 1882.

## The Assizes.

(Before Mr. Justice Crease presiding.)

The Court constituted at 11.30 on Wednesday morning.

The Grand Jury was composed of the following gentlemen:—H. V. Edmonds (foreman), J. W. Howison, R. W. Deane, J. C. Armstrong, Chas. McDonough, H. Eickhoff, D. Mills, T. Briggs, John Hendry, Jas. Wise, H. McRoberts, Geo. C. Webster, J. W. Harvey, H. Elliott, C. G. Major, and J. E. Lord, Esquires.

ADDRESS TO THE JURY.

His Lordship delivered an address to the Grand Jury which occupied fully an hour. He commenced by expressing satisfaction at the changes and improvements in the building, and congratulated the jury and the community upon the extreme lightness of the calendar and evident diminution of crime—there being only two cases of any importance. He traced the outlines of the case of the Queen against Forest and the cross one of the Queen against Powers, in doing which he took occasion to animadvert in the strongest terms upon the practices leading up to the crimes charged—the too free use of intoxicating liquor, expressing the fullest approval of the act of Powers in refusing admission to the Telegraph Hotel of an intoxicated person, and intimating that all public-house keepers would do well to act upon the same principle. Referring to the heavy calendars in times past, His Lordship expressed

ASTONISHMENT

at finding that he was almost entitled to a pair of white gloves at the hands of the jury. This happy change he attributed in a great degree to the circumstance of the corporation having wisely provided itself with a Police Magistrate. He expatiated upon the advantages of having all the lighter crimes summarily punished by means of such a tribunal, pointing out that in this way the disadvantages of not having a resident judge were more than compensated for, inasmuch as crime was more speedily punished and appeals were less frequent.

Adverting to the Fraser river

FISHERIES

His Lordship said he had been very much surprised and gratified by statistics furnished by Mr. Hughes, Government agent, since arriving in the city. From these statistics it appeared that there were, within a distance of about twelve miles, as many canneries, the probable average output of which was estimated at 16,000 cases for the season—representing an aggregate money value of $800,000. The averge number of hands employed for four months in the year was 300 to each cannery, making an aggregate working force of 4,800 persons, which, at $35 a month, would represent an average disbursement by each cannery of $42,000, or in aggregate of over

HALF A MILLION

paid out for labor alone in four months! He then referred to the more indirect benefits resulting from this great industry in the employment of Indian labor, and much credit was given to New Westminster for promoting the elevation and improvement of the Indians by so employing them, stating that, in reporting the marked diminution of crime, particularly amongst the Indians of this part of the province, it would become his duty to point out to the Dominion authorities that it was in a great measure owing to this industry. There were some

FORTY THOUSAND

Indians in the country, and if other communities followed the laudable example set by New Westminster the advantages to the country would be incalculable.

Turning from the contemplation of subjects calculated to impart gratification to every friend of the country, His Lordship next proceeded to express the deepest regret on account of the

DISASTROUS FLOODS

by which some portions of the country had been visited, and in some instances devastated. He considered that here was a proper occasion for Government interposition and aid, so as to enable the more unfortunate settlers to recover themselves. But this public calamity had its useful lessons, which will be well for the people to read and turn to practical use. One great cause of the overflow of the delta lands was the impediments to the free sweep of the current caused by the deposit of drift. An effort should be made to

KEEP THE CHANNEL CLEAR,

and he was glad to notice that the member for the District had succeeded in obtaining an appropriation for that purpose.

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# BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

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## Scientific Miscellany.

French hydrographers find the water of the Mediterranean Sea to be salter and denser than in the Atlantic.

Herr Kaltenbach has recently made experiments disproving a common notion that sunshine affects the draught of a chimney.

Extended microscopical examinations have convinced Prof. Reinsch that coal is largely formed of remains of a low order of marine life, and not entirely from land plants.

Ninety per cent of the yellow sand of the Sahara desert is found to be quartz grains, the angles of which are remarkably rounded—evidently by attrition through the action of the wind.

Kaltenbach has described an astonishing number of insects as found on some kinds of forest-trees in Europe, only comparatively few of which are particularly destructive. Thus, 537 species are injurious to the oak, and 107 are obnoxious to the elm; the poplars afford a livelihood to 264 kinds; the willows yield food to 396 species, the birches harbor 270, the alder 119, the beech 154, the hazel-nut 97, and the hornbeam 88. Among the coniferous trees, the junipers feed 33 species, and 299 species prey upon the pines, larches, spruces and firs collectively. Little is known of the number of insects which attack the trees of the United States, but it is undoubtedly large.

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Of the inconceivable minuteness of certain forms of life, some of which are of vital concern to mankind, Prof. Proctor says: "The minute organisms capable of inducing changes analagous to the fermentation caused by yeast have received great attention of late years and several important diseases are distinctly traced to them. Bechamp estimated that 8,000,000,000 of germs of one micro-ferment only occupied one cubic twenty-fifth of an inch. Not one of these minute bodies could develop except by carrying on complicated processes of a chemical nature, involving very active movements of its atoms and molecules. The mathematicians have made calculations founded on the pressure exerted by the gases, and other considerations, which show that a particle of the sort of matter—such as albumen and protoplasm—chiefly concerned in life processes, contains in a space of one cubic thousandth of an inch more molecules than any one could possibly form any conception of. Sorby, taking a probable mean of such calculations, supposes one cubic thousandth of an inch of water to contain 3,700,000,000,000,000, molecules. A sheet of ordinary note-paper is about one-hundredth of an inch thick. One tenth of this would, of course, be one-thousandth of an inch, and a little square box of that size each way would hold the amazing number of water molecules mentioned. Perhaps a few thousands of such molecules may suffice for some manifestations of life, but even if many millions should be requisite for the structure of the humblest and simplest germ, we could never expect to see the actual beginnings of life."

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# The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, June 24, 1882.


## To the Electors of the District of New Westminster:

GENTLEMEN—I beg to announce myself a candidate at the ensuing election to represent you in the Provincial Legislature.

I shall take an early opportunity of placing my views before you, and hope soon to visit the various settlements and meet as many of you as can make it convenient to come together.

JNO. ROBSON.

## Hightoned Journalism.

One can scarcely take up a copy of the *Standard* newspaper the columns of which do not bristle with such terms as "chameleon," "jackal," "Judas Iscariot," "Honest John," &c., &c., as applied to the editor of this journal; and these epithets are industriously culled and re-echoed by our local contemporary. Now, to this very peculiar and significant style of argument (?) we do not object on our own account. As the good-natured coal-heaver said of his infuriated spouse, at whose hands and tongue he was receiving unmerited abuse, "It doesn't hurt oi, and it pleases she." Everybody understands perfectly that recourse to calling an opponent naughty names is indicative of a bad cause; and if we had no regard for the honor of the "Fourth Estate," we should feel pleased rather than annoyed to find our political adversaries driven to such desperate straits. It was once remarked by Sir John Macdonald himself, "You will always find, in an orchard, the most sticks and stones at the foot of a good tree," and we have reason to feel proud of the number of "sticks and stones" thrown at us by envious and infuriated opponents. In the language of the old Scotch verse:

"The mair they speak, I'm kenned the better,
E'en let them clash;
An auld wife's tongue's a feckless matter
To gie yin fash."

But while not at all objecting to the Billingsgate of the organs, in so far as we are personally concerned, we do object to another habit they have of misquoting and garbling our articles and then constructing their own false theories and conclusions upon the emasculated extracts. It has been said that "the devil can quote scripture to suit his own purposes." Charles Lever, in his Davenport Dunn, describes the leading characteristics of our contemporaries of the *Standard* and *Guardian* to the very life, when he says: "One grew his facts like raw material, from which the other manufactured the curious wares with which he amused his fancy." Take, for instance Monday's edition of the *Standard*. It artfully cuts in two a paragraph in which this journal spoke kindly of Mr. Hett, in order to make it appear that we referred to that gentleman in insulting terms, and it has the audacity to lecture us for "disgraceful journalism"! In another place it misquotes this journal in order to make us say ill-natured things about Mr. Williams. As for the lesser organ published in this city, it is for the most part content to manufacture from the raw material grown by its chief the curious wares with which it amuses its fancy. But after all, why should we object? Is not the opposition of these journals a thing more to be desired than their support? Is not their abuse better than their good-will? Yes. Yes.

## The Resident Judge Question.

Mr. Justice Gray was both eloquent and interesting in his able address to the Grand Jury on Wednesday morning. But when undertaking to persuade the jury and the public that it was an advantage rather than a grievance to be without a resident Judge, he became amusing. First came the "broad grin," then the unsuppressed laughter, which had the effect of reminding his Lordship that he was talking to an assemblage of intelligent, reasoning men—not a lot of fifth-form school-children. When he undertook to prove that the reduction of crime in this part of the Province is attributable to the absence of a Judge of the superior court he attempted to prove too much. If this be so, it must be "rough on Victoria" to have *three* Judges huddled together. If the absence of the single Judge to which New Westminster is justly entitled operates in this way, what is the effect of the stated presence of *three* in Victoria? Surely it must be awfully wicked there! And if the absence of the Judges exerts such a very desirable influence as His Lordship claimed for it, would it not become the duty of the Government to remove them altogether from the province, in order that all the communities may enjoy this wonderful immunity from crime? Or, to extend the principle still further, mightn't the absence of Judges bring in that millennial era when crime shall cease upon the earth? We have no doubt Judge Gray is quite sincere in his desire to continue his residence at Victoria; but he must excuse us if we cannot believe in the extraordinary doctrine enunciated on Wednesday. At the assizes last fall he made an equally extraordinary but very different speech on the same subject. Upon this occasion he was certainly more agreeable, if less logical.

## Moodyville Mill.

The change in the management of this establishment is of sufficient importance to entitle it to something more than the cursory notice we were enabled to give on Wednesday. The Hon. Hugh Nelson, the retiring manager, is one of the early pioneers, and has been prominently identified with most of the principal political movements and enterprises of the country. Amongst those who fought for Confederation and representative institutions, he was chosen as the first representative of this important District in the Dominion Commons. Having creditably served for a parliamentary term, he was deterred by business considerations from seeking re-election; but, upon the death of Senator Carral, Mr. Nelson was appointed to fill the vacancy, and he is consequently now a life member of the Senate of the Dominion, and will, we feel assured, be always ready to render good service for the Province in general and this District in particular. We are not aware of what plans Mr. Nelson has formed, but understand it is his intention to pay a somewhat lengthy visit to his native Ireland. It is to be presumed, however, that he will not remain permanently away from the Province in which he has spent the last twenty-two years of his life and with the history and political struggles of which he has been so closely identified; but wherever his lot may be cast he will have the best wishes of the very large circle of friends which his sterling character and goodness of heart have drawn around him in British Columbia. His successor in the management of the mills, B. Springer, Esq., J. P., is a native of London, Ontario. Coming here some ten years ago, Mr. Springer has been connected with the Moodyville establishment ever since, and he has for several years held positions of great responsibility and trust, and has developed into a first class business man. The Company are to be congratulated upon their good fortune in securing the services of a gentleman so well fitted in every respect to fill the important and responsible position of manager of their large establishment. While, therefore, there will be a very general feeling of regret at the loss of Mr. Nelson, the circumstance of Mr. Springer having been chosen his successor will go far towards reconciling people to the change.

## Editorial Notes.

Six would-be deserters from the penitentiary were brought up before the Court on Wednesday to be dealt with according to law. To the surprise of many it was found that in some instances the offence was committed in 1880. One object in punishing these attempts to escape is to deter others from trying it, and, in this view, prompt punishment is essential. What the effect of delaying trial and sentence for two years will be upon the convicts generally cannot be doubted.

The time for Canada to send in her samples to the International Fishery Exhibition has been extended to September 1st, and it is understood that a special effort will be made to secure a first-rate exhibit from the Canadian fisheries. There is no province in the whole Dominion that can command the material to make a better show of fish than British Columbia, and this extension of time will exactly suit her case. Shall an effort be made to do justice to the great fish industry of the Pacific Province? Considering our remoteness and the expense attending shipment by rail and steamer, it would be the duty of the Government to step forward and at the very least pay all transportation charges, for it is of no little importance to the province that full advantage should be taken of so eminently favorable an opportunity to show the assembled representatives of the nations specimens of our great sea-wealth. Whatever is to be done in this matter should be set about without delay, and whatever is done should be done well.


# Hay for Sale

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS

40 TONS

OF GOOD

TIMOTHY HAY

For Sale, at $20 a ton, delivered on the wharf, properly baled.

WM. RAE.

New Westminster, June 23, 1882. jn24

# DOMINION DAY CELEBRATION

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Saturday, July 1st, 1882.

Reception Committee:

MAYOR AND COUNCIL AND GENERAL COMMITTEE.

J. W. HOWISON, Treasurer. D. S. CURTIS, Hon. Sec.

THE EXCELSIOR BRASS BAND

Will be in attendance during the day.

MUSIC AND BALL COMMITTEE:

Capt. Peele, H. V. Edmonds, Wm. Moresby, J.C. Hughes, W. H.Keary.

HORSE RACING,

On Agnes Street. To commence at 12 o'clock sharp.

COMMITTEE:—W. J. Armstrong, G. C. Webster, H. Elliott, W. B. Townsend.

1st Race — 1-mile heats; 2 in 3. 1st prize, $30.00; 2nd prize, $10.00.

2nd Race—500 yards, heats; 2 in 3. 1st prize, $15.00; 2nd prize, $5.00.

Winners in 1st race to be excluded from 2nd race.

In 1st race riders must wear distinct colors.

In all races 3 horses must run or no race.

Entrance money, ten per cent. of 1st prize in each race.

Entrance for 1st and 2nd race to be made, entrance money paid, and riders' colors declared, with J. W. Howison, Esq., Occident Hotel, before 9 a. m. on day of race.

The decision of committee to be final.

BOAT RACING,

To commence at 2 o'clock.

COMMITTEE:—Capt. Irving, J. Wise, W. Johnston, M. M. English, D. Chisholm, A. Ewen.

1st Race—4-oared gigs; prize, $40.00.

2nd Race—2 pair sculls (fishing boats); prize, $10.00.

3rd Race—1 pair sculls; prize, $5.00.

Entrance—1st race, $2.50; 2nd race, 50 cents; 3rd race, 50 cents.

If three boats compete the second is to have entrance money of race.

Canoe Race—11 Indians in each canoe; prize, $22.00.

GAMES AND SPORTS,

To commence at 4 o'clock p. m.

COMMITTEE:—J. A. Webster, D. Mills, Hon. T. R. McInnes, J. Orr, J. A. R. Homer, W. L. Ferris.

Foot Race (500 yards); prize, $5.00.
Married Men's Race, 200 yards (handicapped); prize, keg of beer.
Foot Race, 100 yards; prize, $2.50.
Wheelbarrow Race, 100 yards; prize, $2.50.
Boys' Race, 150 yards (under 15 years of age); prize, $2.00.
3-legged Race, 100 yards; prize $2.50.
Running Long Jump; prize, $2.50.
Running High Jump; prize, $2.50.
Standing Long Jump; prize, $2.50.
Standing High Jump; prize, $2.50.
Running High Jump with pole; prize, $2.50.
Putting the Stone; prize, $2.50.
Tossing the Caber; prize, $2.50.
Quoit Match, 18 yards; prize, $5.00.
" " 16 " " keg of beer

Entrance fee—25 cents.

DECISIONS OF VARIOUS COMMITTEES TO BE FINAL.

A FREE BALL

To be given in the DRILL SHED. Dancing to commence at 8 p. m.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

# NOTICE TO FISHERMEN AND OTHERS.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT the curing of SALMON BELLIES, apart from the Backs, is not allowable, unless the remainder of the Fish be utilized for food, either by salting or otherwise.

ALEX. C. ANDERSON, Inspector of Fisheries.

New Westminster, 30th May, 1882. my31-1m

# MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a Court of Revision will be held at the Municipal Council Chambers, on SATURDAY THE 15TH DAY OF JULY, 1882, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of hearing complaints, if any, against the Assessment Roll for the year 1882.

By Order,
JAMES ORR, C. M. C.

New Westminster, June 5, 1882. jn7

# $250 REWARD!

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE paid by the undersigned for such information as will lead to the conviction of the party or parties who, on Sunday the 21st May last, started fires on Suburban Lot 1, Block 12 (west of Douglas street cemetery), and on the ridge in the rear of Sapperton, whereby a large quantity of cordwood and other property was destroyed.

HENRY ELLIOTT,
JOSEPH WISE.

New West., June 6, 1882. jn7-1m

# GREAT SALE!

—OF—

# THOROUGHBRED STOCK

—AT—

# GRAFTON FARM!

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL OFFER for sale by

PUBLIC AUCTION

—ON—

Thursday, 6th July Next,

Nearly his WHOLE HERD of THOROUGH-BRED

SHORT-HORN DURHAM CATTLE,

Comprising OVER TWENTY HEAD of choice animals, including 9 Bulls and Bull Calves.

Catalogues with full pedigrees will shortly be issued and forwarded by mail to numerous parties, and furnished to persons attending on day of Sale.

A number of PURE-BRED

BERKSHIRE PIGS

Will also be offered at same time.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock noon.

TERMS—All sums under one hundred dollars, cash; over that amount, one-half cash at time of Sale, and on balance four months' credit will be given on being furnished with approved endorsed notes bearing interest at rate of ten per cent. per annum.

JAMES T. STEELE.

Grafton Farm,
Spallumcheen, B.C, May 25, 1882.
(jn3-jy1)

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Next Door South of Colonial Hotel,

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Glassware,
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Including Novelties in Fancy Straw Hats and Bonnets, Flowers, Feathers, Laces, Plain and Shaded Watered Ribbons,

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Made and trimmed, and satisfaction guaranteed.

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The largest and best-selected stock of

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on the Mainland of British Columbia, comprising History, Poetry, Biography, Science, Fiction, and General Literature. A full stock of the Seaside Library just received, including the latest numbers.

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All the authorized books for Public and High Schools. Also, School Requisites in great variety—Slates, Pencils, Crayons, Copy-Books, Drawing materials, etc.

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A very large assortment, imported direct from the manufacturers, embracing all sizes, shapes and qualities.

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A very large variety of Fancy Goods always on hand, to which additions are being constantly made.

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A very large and complete stock of miscellaneous articles such as are usually found in a stationery establishment.

Spectacles, Eye-Glasses,
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Gentlemen's Dressing Cases,
Splints, Velvet Frames, &c., &c.

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BEST PIANOS FOR THE PRICE

ever brought into this country. We are also agents for the Knabe Pianos, the Steinway, the Weber, the Decker, and others, any one of which we can supply on the most favorable terms. We are agents in this province for the Dominion Organ Co's. Organs (of Bowmanville, Ont.), and W. Bell & Co's. Organs (of Guelph, Ont.); and the leading American Organs.

PERSONS INTENDING TO PURCHASE

a Piano or Organ of any kind, Canadian, American or European, will find it to their advantage to communicate with us.

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Always on hand, a good assortment of Instruction Books for Piano, Organ, Violin, etc. The new and enlarged edition of Richardson's Piano Method. Also, a collection of miscellaneous music books, both vocal and instrumental. Music not in stock will be ordered promptly.

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We are agents for the NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE FIRE INSURANCE CO.; Capital, $10,000,000; Losses paid, $25,000,000. Also, the CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION, offering the lowest rates on the best security of any company doing business in Canada.

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New Westminster, B. C.

# AND STILL THEY COME

# TRAPP BROTHERS,

SUCCESSORS TO

R. W. DEANE & CO.

WE HAVE GREAT pleasure in announcing the arrival of our first lot of

New Goods!

From England and the East, which we have just received as follows:

Per steamer "VICTORIA,"
78 CASES;

Per steamer "G.W. ELDER,"
15 CASES;

Per sailing vessel "YUCA,"
6 CASES;

Making a Grand Total of

NINETY-NINE CASES

Of NEW GOODS, consisting of

STAPLE & FANCY

DRY GOODS,

MEN'S & BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Men's & Boys' Hats,

(IN STRAW & FELT),

CARPETS,

MATS,

FLOOR CLOTHS,

HARDWARE,

&c., &c.

These Goods we are now opening.

COME AND SEE THEM

As we intend selling at Bed-Rock Prices for Cash, as we have still larger consignments to arrive.

Our stock is now as complete as any in town, and our prices the lowest.

Further particulars next week.

TRAPP BROS.

# 1861. 1882.

THE

# COLUMBIA HOUSE.

THE PROPRIETOR, after 21 years of mercantile life in this City, begs leave to report to his numerous Patrons that his Business is prosperous and the outlook for the future is bright. We hope to do a big trade during the present year. We have now in stock a complete assortment of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

With some heavy shipments on the way from the Eastern Markets. We are buying for Cash, getting large discounts, which enables us to sell at much lower rates than formerly. We are determined to keep the COLUMBIA HOUSE to the front, making it, as it has been for years, the leading mercantile House on the Mainland. Our stock is usually so complete that we can fill orders sent to us at cheaper rates than any other House in this City, and we will do it.

JAMES CUNNINGHAM,
IMPORTER.

*New West., Feb. 8, 1882.* fe11

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THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT

IS UNDER THE CHARGE OF AN EXPERIENCED ARTIST.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS LEAVE to announce to the Public that he has purchased the above Hotel, where everything will be found first-class, and at reasonable rates.

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THE BAR

Is supplied with the choicest brands of WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, &c.

J. W. HOWISON,
PROPRIETOR.

# NOTICE.

HAVING CLOSED OUT THE "Popular Market," I desire to thank my numerous patrons for past favors; and to notify all those whose accounts are still unpaid that an early settlement is rendered absolutely necessary.

W. J. FRENCH.

New Westminster, June 2, 1882. jn3

# REWARD!

ON 25TH INST., 3 CHINAMEN were drowned at Lytton. $10 will be paid for the recovery of each body.

SPUZZUM CHARLEY,
Or KWONG LEE & CO., Yale.
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# The British Columbian.

Saturday Morning, June 24, 1882.


**PASSENGERS.**

For steamer WILLIAM IRVING, from Yale June 23—Mrs Pears, Mrs Towle, Mrs Riche, Messrs Kirkland, Lane, Benson, Isaac, Chester, Brown, Wilson, Gan, Jolly, and 15 others.

**DIED.**

At Moodyville, Burrard Inlet, on the 20th inst., Allison, second daughter of the late Jock Lynn, of the Royal Engineers.

**J. A. R. Homer will be a candidate for the representation of New Westminster District in the House of Commons, at the approaching election.**

**John Kirkland will be a Candidate at the approaching election, to represent the District of New Westminster in the Provincial Legislature.**

**Wm. Isaac, Maple Ridge, will be a Candidate for the representation of New Westminster District in the Provincial Legislature, at the approaching election.**

**W. H. Lauder is an Independent Candidate for the representation of the District of New Westminster in the Provincial Legislature, at the approaching election.**

Vanderbilt, the railway king, has gone to Winnipeg.

There are 50,000 French-Canadians in the State of Maine.

Mr. Bole conducted the crown business during this assize.

The weather continues very pleasant and crops are reported doing well.

Hon. Mr. Justice Gray proceeds to Yale to-day to hold the assizes there.

Those in want of good hay are referred to Mr. Rae's advertisment in another column.

Right Rev. Bishop Sillitoe is attending a convocation of the Episcopal Church at Seattle.

The steamer Wm. Irving, Capt. Insley, returned from Emory yesterday, bringing passengers and freight.

The steamer Enterprise, Capt. Gardiner, arrived from Victoria at 5:25 last evening with freight and passengers.

The water at Yale has fallen eight feet within the past few days, and it is proportionately lower all along the river.

The Grand Jury handed in their report to His Lordship yesterday afternoon. We have no room for the document in this issue.

The steamer Ada, Capt. Rogers, came round from Burrard Inlet on Thursday, where she had been engaged in towing for some days.

It is rumoured that Hon. D. L. Macpherson, Speaker of the Senate, will succeed Sir A. T. Galt as Canadian High Commissioner to England.

The steamer Western Slope, Capt. Moore, arrived from Emory yesterday morning and proceeded to Victoria. She had a number of passengers.

Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alfred Patrick, Colonel Dennis, and Colonel De Winton to be Companions of the most distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George.

The steamer R. P. Rithet, Capt. Irving, arrived from Emory yesterday morning, bringing a number of passengers and 90 head of cattle from Semilkameen for Mr. Greaves. She left for Victoria about 11 o'clock.

Large quantities of steel rails purchased in England by the Canada Pacific Syndicate are being landed at New York, transported thence to Buffalo by railway and canal, thence by American steamers to Milwaukee, where they are shipped by rail to Winnipeg.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. E. Robson, pastor. Service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited. Service at Port Moody at 2:30 p. m.

THE FIRST SHIPMENT.—On Wednesday Mr. Laidlaw shipped 160 cases of spring salmon of this season's pack,—the first of this year's harvest. Australia is the destination of these fish.

PERSONAL.—Miss Withrow, who has been attending the Ladies' College (St. Helen's Hall) at Portland during the past year, returned on Tuesday evening to spend the midsummer holidays with her parents.

THOROUGHBREDS.—We are in receipt of a catalogue of thoroughbred shorthorn cattle, which Mr. James T. Steele, of Grafton, B. C., will soon offer at public auction. The catalogue, which is from the press of Robson Bros., is a handsome little book.—*Colonist.*

HON. MR. MACKENZIE.—The *Globe* of the 7th says: "We regret to learn that the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie lies dangerously ill at Mr. Benjamin McDonald's, on the fourth concession of Markham. He was attacked on Monday night with acute peritonitis, and last night a decided change for the better was noticed by Dr. Langstaff, medical attendant."

BROADWAY WANTED.—The condition of affairs in the lower end of the city is such as to demand the immediate and serious attention of the Council. Owing to the high stage of water there is no passable roadway connecting the city with the mills; and the greatest inconvenience is experienced by both manufacturer and consumer. It is of vital importance that a substantial and convenient roadway be constructed as soon as possible. Where the road should be made or of what material proposed are matters of detail.

NUMBERING THE PEOPLE.—In the course of the Murry suit on Thursday, it was stated in evidence that since the jetty at Hastings, B. I., was constructed in 1875, no less than 180,000 persons have used it as a landing. Of these Capt. VanBramer's little steamer has carried nearly one third.

FILLING UP.—Police Inspector Todd, assisted by Officer Campbell, of the Victoria police force, arrived on Thursday evening with four prisoners for the penitentiary. The prisoners were: J. Kelly and J. L. Barry, seven years each; Wm. Edwards, 4 years, and Wm. McNeil 2 years penal servitude.

"MONITOR" has sent us a communication criticising with terrible severity the conduct of the medical officer and the Board of Management of the Columbian Hospital in connection with the O'Neil case. It is questionable how far the cause of right is likely to be helped by the employment of such drastic language; but in any case this subject had better be discussed over the proper names of those taking part in it.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.—The midsummer examinations in the Collegiate and High school, and the boys' department of the Public School, took place yesterday. There was a good attendance of visitors, and the exercises were most interesting. The quantity of other matter appearing in the COLUMBIAN this morning is so great that we find it impossible to give a report of these proceedings. We shall merely say now that the examinations were very creditable to all who took part in them. In next issue we hope to give full particulars.

CONTEMPTIBLE!—The *Guardian* has recently been guilty of an act which, for downright meanness, has been seldom equalled in journalism. Last week it credited the editor of this journal with certain acts for which the Rev. Mr. Robson was alone responsible. That gentleman sent a communication for publication correcting the mis-statements. The *Guardian* refused to publish the communication, but at the same time grossly misrepresented its contents. To expect anything like fair play or gentlemanly treatment from such a source would be quite as foolish as to expect pure water from a poluted fountain.

## True Bills.

The Grand Jury found true bills in every case, as follows:—Regina vs. Merlin, Regina vs. Lamproux, Regina vs. Pierre, Regina vs. Quihselle, Regina vs. George Alep, Regina vs. John Steele, Regina vs. Cum Yee, Regina vs. John Powers and William Powers, Regina vs. George Forrest.

## Deane's Block.

This new brick edifice is finished, and it is a credit to the architect and builder (Mr. Fry), to the owner, and to the city. The main building is 38 x 70 feet, two stories high. The lower flat is divided off into two splendid stores running the entire length of the building, fitted with tasteful show windows and front. The upper flat is divided into ten rooms, well lighted and admirably fitted for offices. The window caps and sills are finished with Portland cement. But the roof is the important feature. The building and the verandah are covered with what is known as the asphalt roofing, and we should imagine that any one who has taken the trouble to investigate the matter must have come to the conclusion that, of all the kinds of roofing yet introduced, this takes the lead for security, durability and economy. We congratulate Mr. Deane upon his new building.

## The Grand Jury.

At noon yesterday the Grand Jury were requested to attend upon His Lordship, who explained that, in consequence of what their foreman had told him about the difficulty of getting certain members to attend, he desired their presence. He addressed them at considerable length, pointing out the obvious unfairness of one member throwing the duty upon another. If one had a right to plead press of business as an excuse for absenting himself from meetings, all had that right. His Lordship said he had not the power to compel the attendance of Grand Jurymen, but he would make it his business to instruct the Sheriff in future to strike off the Grand Jury list the names of such persons as refused to do their duty. They would then be liable to petit jury service, and in that capacity he would take care that they did not shirk duty. Two of the jurymen whom the cap appeared to fit spoke, one of them complaining in a general way that recommendations of Grand Juries received no attention; and he instanced a recommendation last year for petit jurors to be properly paid. To this His Lordship replied that he had promptly sent to the proper quarter the report referred to, accompanied by the strongest possible recommendation from himself in favor of jurymen in this Province being properly paid, as they are in all the other Provinces; and he reminded the juryman that if those reports and recommendations were stowed away unread in pigeon-holes at James Bay it was not the fault of the Judges. It was the fault of the Government. Indeed, under our system of Responsible Government, it was the fault of the people themselves that they did not make their representatives look more sharply after the Government in order that such matters might receive proper attention. The fact of previous presentments not having received attention at the hands of the Government was certainly good ground for complaint, but not for Grand Jurymen shirking their share of duty.

## Personal Explanation.

The *Guardian* has thought proper to accuse us of being actuated by personal motives in making the observations we did in reference to the O'Neil case; and thus it has imposed upon us the duty of referring to matters over which we desired to throw the veil of charity. It assigns as the reason of our criticism of certain alleged conduct on the part of Dr. L. R. McInnes the circumstance of his having "stopped his paper on account of some wilful misrepresentation." Now it is quite true that "the doctor stopped his paper," but it is not true that he did so "on account of some willful misrepresentation." The facts are simply these: Upon the occasion of the recent accident in Messrs. DeBeck Brothers & Co.'s mill. Doctors Sivewright and McInnes were called in. Upon hearing of the accident a representative from this office ascertained the particulars at the Occident Hotel, to which place the sufferer was conveyed, and the name of Dr. Sivewright was alone mentioned as the surgeon who dressed the wound, and it appeared accordingly in the notice we made of the accident. In the paragraph which appeared simultaneously in the *Guardian* the name of Dr. McInnes alone appeared. The coincidence was remarkable, but it never occurred to us to accuse our contemporary of "wilful misrepresentation" because of the omission of Dr. Sivewright's name, and we feel quite confident that Dr. Sivewright did not commit the folly of stamping into our contemporary's office and shouting, "Stop my paper!" But Dr. McInnes did, and he committed the additional folly of inditing and sending to us a letter which we shall, from sheer pity, withhold, for the present at least. It is just possible that he was under the impression that for *him* to stop his paper would be a crushing blow; but we beg to inform him that, were he ten times Mayor, nothing he could do would deter us from lifting our italics against such mis-doing as has been attributed to him in the O'Neil affair. The poorest man in the land must have justice, even if the doctor were "Sir Laughlan McInnes." Reverting to the *Guardian's* article, it says "If the words attributed to him (O'Neil) were uttered—"about dying like a dog," they were simply the muttering evoked by approaching death, as he received every attention and kindness that could be bestowed upon him." Now, see how artfully the quotation is distorted, with a view to shifting the responsibility. What O'Neil did say was, "I have been treated like a dog!" —referring to the treatment received before being conveyed to jail, and it has never been suggested that he was not—in fact we distinctly stated that he was—treated with every kindness and attention that was possible under the circumstances after being removed to the gaol. But the dying words of the poor man must be distorted and falsified in order to screen the guilty party. We have only to add that we are advised that the most damaging disclosures in connection with the disgraceful proceedings which a majority of the Hospital Board are endeavoring to cover up are still held in reserve, and we are now compelled to lay over a communication on the subject owing to the pressure upon our columns this week.

## Elections in the East.

### Conservative Victory.

Yesterday's *Colonist* contains the following:—

MONTREAL, June 20.

The elections have resulted in a glorious victory for the Conservatives.

All the members of Sir John Macdonald's Ministry are returned with large majorities.

All the members of the late Grit Cabinet, with the exception of Blake, Mackenzie and Laurier, are defeated.

Anglin, Sir Albert Smith, Cartwright, Huntington, Laflamme and ex-Governor Macdonald are among the defeated.

All the leading cities, including Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Quebec, St. John (N. B.), and Halifax have been swept clean by the Conservatives.

Blake is returned by a very small majority over Bunting.

Following are the returns for each province so far as received:—

| | CONSERVATIVES. | LIBERALS. |
|---|---|---|
| Ontario..... | 46 | 29 |
| Quebec..... | 53 | 11 |
| New Brunswick | 8 | 7 |

Nova Scotia and Manitoba not yet in.

The Conservatives are celebrating their great victory with every manifestation of joy at the result. So far as the returns have come in they show a majority of 60 for the government.

This majority, it is expected, will be increased to 80.

## Public School Examination.

On Thursday the midsummer examination of the senior girls' department of the public school in this city was held in the school-room. The weather was very favorable and the attendance of ladies was large. Owing doubtless to the sitting of the assizes there were not quite as many gentlemen present as such an occasion should draw together. To say that the room was beautifully decorated conveys a very inadequate idea of the handiwork of the pupils. The taste and ingenuity with which flowers and ferns and mosses and tinted leaves were made to contribute to the gratification of the eye was really wonderful.

Following is a copy of the

PROGRAMME

of the exercises conducted for the most part by the Lady Principal, Miss Williams:—

Opening exercises, including hymn —"We are Watching, We are Waiting."

Simultaneous Reading (CIII. Psalm).

Geography—Mr. Rand.

Class Singing ("We go! We go!")

Simultaneous Reading ("Exile of the Acadians," from Longfellow's "Evangeline").

Solo and Chorus (Miss Black, solo) —"Hark, the Vesper Hymn is Stealing."

Recitation ("Papa's Letter")—Miss M. Jackson.

Class Singing ("The Alpine Shepherd").

Simultaneous Reading ("The Life Boat").

Class Singing ("Oh Come Ye into the Summer Woods").

Reading ("Sam Weller's Valentine") —Miss K. Clute.

Class Singing ("Reaper's Song").

Recitation ("David's Lament for Absalom")—Miss Mildred Major.

Simultaneous Reading (Tennyson's "Bugle Song").

Class Singing ("If I were a Sunbeam").

Recitation ("The First Party")—Miss A. Clute.

THE EXAMINATION

in geography was by Mr. Rand, (principal of the boys' department) and was very thorough, and the result must have been most gratifying to both teacher and parents, evidencing, as it did, very satisfactory progress. The solo by Miss Black was charmingly rendered. The recitation ("Papa's Letter") by Miss M. Jackson was splendid; Miss Clute read "Sam Weller's Valentine" exceedingly well. Miss Mildred Major recited "David's Lament for Absalom" in a most effective and feeling manner, causing some in the audience to use their handkerchiefs. Perhaps the

MOST REMARKABLE

performance was the recitation of the comic piece entitled "The First Party," by Miss Alice Clute, a little girl of eight years. The class singing and simultaneous readings were exceedingly well rendered, showing careful culture and training.

One very pleasing feature was the presentation of the

PRIZES

by Hon. Mr. Justice Gray, who evinced the deep interest he feels in popular education by adjourning the Court in the middle of an important case, in order to be present. Before proceeding to the presentation of the prizes His Lordship delivered a brief and most interesting address to the pupils upon the subject of education, pointing out its importance with especial reference to female duties and usefulness, interspersing his

ELOQUENT REMARKS

with occasional sallies of wit and humor and appropriate quotations from the poets, *inter alia* reciting with excellent effect the following beautiful and touching lines which had been engraven upon his memory in boyhood:—

Oh! in our stormy manhood, when no ray
Of earlier sunshine glimmers on our way,
When girt with sins and sorrows and the toil
Of cares that sear the bosom which they soil.
Oh! if there be in Retrospection's chain
One link that knits us with young dreams again,
So sweet we scarcely dare to muse . . .
On all the hoarded rapture it revives,
What seems our fondest instant in the back-ward range
The heart to soften and its ties to change,
And springs untouched for years to move,
It is the memory of a Mother's Love!

His Lordship also referred to the probable approaching visit of H. R. H. the Princess Louise, and pronounced a touching and eloquent elogium upon her Royal mother.

Following is a

LIST OF PRIZES

presented by His Lordship with humorous and appropriate remarks to the respective winners:—

FIFTH CLASS.

General improvement (presented by A. Jackson, Esq.)—Miss Katie Clute.

Grammar (Mr. DeBeck) — Miss Mamie DeBeck.

Geography (Mr. Clute)—Miss Mildred Major.

Department (M. Williams)—Miss Louisa Fluz.

Arithmetic (Mr. Pearson) — Miss Katie Clute.

History (W. J. Armstrong, Esq.)—Miss Mildred Major.

FIFTH AND FOURTH CLASSES.

Reading (Mr. Cunningham)—Miss Katie Clute.

Writing (Mr. Fisher)—Miss Maud Black.

Spelling by dictation (Dr. Trew)—Miss Mamie DeBeck.

FOURTH CLASS.

Geography (Mr. Major)—Miss M. Homer.

History (Rev. Mr. Jamieson)—Miss Annie Deacon.

Arithmetic (Dr. L. R. McInnes)—Miss Georgie DeBeck.

Department (a tie)—Miss Madalena Jackson.

Spelling by dictation (Dr. Trew)—Miss Margie Homer.

General Improvement (Mr. DeBeck) —Miss Priscilla Nicholson.

THIRD CLASS.

General Improvement (Mr. DeBeck) —Miss Alice Homer.

Spelling by dictation (Dr. Trew)—Miss Nellie Clarke.

Department (M. Williams)—Miss Ida Lehman.

Reading (Mr. Trapp)—Miss Alice Clute.

We would not be doing right were we to conclude this necessarily hurried and very imperfect sketch without a word about the teacher. In order to form an approximate estimate of the progress wrought during the present regime, one has only to compare the results attained on Thursday with those of former years It was indeed a treat to watch the beaming countenances of gratified parents and friends upon witnessing the evidences of proficiency exhibited by the loved ones. But while indulging.

PARDONABBE PRIDE

on account of the pupils, let it not be forgotten that these rich and precious fruits are the result of an amount of zeal and painstaking on the part of a conscientious and talented instructor entitled to a higher reward than any mere pecuniary compensation. While, therefore, parents are justly proud of the achievements of their children, let them accord honest and hearty appreciation and kindly sympathy to the teacher.

## The Assizes.

(From First Page.)

THE LUMBER INTERESTS

were referred to. He was gratified to learn that all our sawmills on the river have more than they can do, while those on the Inlet were likely to export half a million dollar's worth this season. Looking at the lumber, the fish and the agricultural interests of this district and the potent influence of railway construction, he was pleased to see such a bright prospect in store for New Westminster. There need be no jealousy of a town at

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The Grand Jury retired.

PENITENTIARY ESCAPES.

Six convicts from the penitentiary were brought up on charges of attempting to escape at various times extending over a period of two years, and for other misdoing. The attempts to escape having been either proven or admitted, these men were sentenced to various terms of extended servitude. The man John Steele, who some five or six years ago received such a severe sentence at the hands of Mr. Justice Crease, pleaded so effectually as to get off with one month added to his term; but inasmuch as he has seven or eight years to run and is in ill health, it is to be feared that the well-meant and highly proper leniency of His Lordship will be of no avail.

A colored man of the name of J. Verlin, upon being asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him, intimated that he had a great deal to say, and went on to say a great deal more than was pleasant to some people respecting the administration of the internal affairs of the institution from which he attempted to escape. Sentence was pronounced all the same, but His Lordship ordered Mr. Bole to enquire into the truth of Verlin's allegations, and Verlin was, upon application, allowed counsel. It is understood that the proceedings will be public, and it is most desirable that they should be thorough and impartial.

CUM YEE.

This Mongolian youth pleaded guilty to the charge of robbing Mr. Townsend's till of $100, and was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

*Thursday, June 22nd.*

REGINA V. FOREST.

In this case and in the cross one of the Queen against Powers, postponement was asked and obtained on account of the absence of an important witness.

There being no further criminal cases on the calendar, the next case called was that of

MORRISON V. VEDDER.

This case was also postponed on account of the absence of the defendant, who was supposed to be detained on account of the flood. The plaintiff sues in the capacity of trustee.

The case of

MURRAY V. VAN BRAMER

was next called.

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Messrs. Drake and A. E. B. Davie were counsel for the defendant, and Messrs. Theo. Davie and G. E. Corbould for the plaintiff.

The case occupied the whole day, a large number of witnesses being examined. After a most able and lucid charge from His Lordship, the jury retired at 7.10, and after an absence of upwards of three hours came into court and said it was impossible to agree. They were sent back to see if a majority verdict could not be arrived at, but that being impossible, they were dismissed.

*Friday, June 23.*

The case, Morrison v. Vedder, was taken up, Messrs. Corbould and T. Davie counsel for the plaintiff and Messrs. Drake and A. B. Davie for the defendant.

The matter was finally disposed of for the present by placing the accounts in the way of adjustment and leaving the law points to be argued at Victoria.

The Powers-Forest cases were laid over till 6th July.

The assizes having been adjourned till 6th July, His Lordship opened

COUNTY COURT,

and disposed of quite a number of cases, none of them promising any special public interest.

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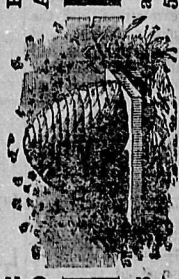

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| Premium Reserve | 319,551 | 7 | 0 |
| Balance of Profit and Loss Account | 54,367 | 7 | 1 |
| | £1,218,495 | 14 | 0 |
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| Accumulated Fund of the Life Branch | £3,112,590 | 7 | 8 |
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| | £3,508,105 | 11 | 0 |
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## Our Story.

# KITH AND KIN.

(Continued.)

She was silent, with a look of some pain and perplexity—not the dignified surprise he had expected to see. But the subject was, or rather it had grown, very near to Bernard's heart. He was determined to argue the question out.

"Is it because Scar Foot has become mine, because I could turn you out if I liked, and because you are too proud to have anything to do with me?" he asked, coolly and deliberately.

Judith looked up, shocked.

"What a horrible idea! What could have put such a thought into your head?"

"Your elaborate ceremonial of everlasting farewell, this afternoon, I think," he answered, and went on boldly, though he saw her raise her head somewhat indignantly. "Do listen to me, Miss Conisbrough; I know that in your opinion I must be a most unwelcome interloper. But I think you will believe me when I say that I have nothing but kindly feelings toward you—that I would give a good deal—even sacrifice a good deal to be on kindly terms with Mrs. Conisbrough and you, and your family. I wish to be just, to repair my grandfather's injustice. You know, as we discovered the other night, we are relations. What I want to ask is, will you not meet me half way? You will not hold aloof—I beg you will not! You will help me to conciliate Mrs. Conisbrough, to repair in some degree the injustice which has been done her. I am sure you will. I count securely upon you," he added, looking full into her face, "for you are so utterly outside all petty motives of spite or resentment. You could not act upon a feeling of pique or offense, I am sure."

She was breathing quickly; her fingers locked in one another; her face a little averted, and flushed, as he could see, by something more than the fire light.

"You have far too good an opinion of me," she said, in a low tone; "you are mistaken about me. I *try* to forget such considerations, but I assure you I am not what you take me for. I am soured, I believe, and embittered by many things which have conspired to make my life rather a lonely one."

"How little you know yourself?" said Bernard. "If I had time, I should laugh at you. But I want you to listen to me, and seriously to consider my proposal. Will you not help me in this plan? You said at first, you know, that you would not oppose it. Now I want you to promise your co-operation."

"In other words," said Judith quietly, "you want me to persuade mamma to accept as a gift from you, some of the money which she had expected to have, but which, as is very evident, my uncle was at the last determined she should not have."

Aglionby smiled. He liked the opposition, and had every intention of conquering it.

"That was the way in which you were to put it, I suppose," he said. "I do not see why you should, I am sure. You did not use such expressions about it the other night, and, at any rate, I have your promise. But I fear you think the suggestion an impertinent one. How am I to convince you that nothing could be further from my thoughts, than impertinence?"

"I never thought it was impertinent," answered Judith, and if her voice was calm, her heart was not. Not only had she not thought him impertinent, but she was strangely distressed and disturbed at his imagining she had thought him so.

"I thought," she went on, "that it was very kind, very generous."

"I would rather you took it as being simply just. But, at any rate, you will give me your assistance, for I know that without it I shall never succeed in getting Mrs. Conisbrough's consent to my wishes."

He spoke urgently. Judith was moved—distressed—he saw.

"I know I gave you a kind of promise," she began slowly.

"A kind of promise! Your words were, 'I shall not oppose it.' Can you deny it?"

"No, those were my words. But I had no time to think about it then. I have done so since. I have looked at it in every possible light, with the sincere desire to comply with your wish, and all I can say is, that I must ask you to release me from my promise."

"Not unless you tell me why," said he, in a deep tone of something like anger.

"I cannot tell you why," said Judith, her own full tones vibrating and growing somewhat faint. "I can only ask you to believe me when I say that it would indeed be best in every way if, after we leave your house, you cease to take any notice of us. If we meet casually, either in society, or in any other way, there is no reason why we should not be friendly. But it must end there. It is best that it should be so. And do not try to help my mother in the way you proposed. I—I cannot give any assistance in the matter if you do."

This was not the kind of opposition which Aglionby had bargained for. For a few moments he was silent, a black frown settling on his brow, but far indeed from having given up the game. Nothing had ever before aroused in him such an ardent desire to prevail. He was thinking about his answer; wondering what it would be best for him to say, when Judith, who perhaps had misunderstood his silence, resumed in a low, regretful voice:

"To spend money which had come from you — to partake of comforts which your generosity had procured, would be impossible—to me, at any rate. It would scorch me, I feel."

Again a momentary silence. Then the storm broke:

"You have such a loathing for me, you hate me so bitterly and so implacably that you can sit there, and say this to me, with the utmost indifference," with passionate grief in his voice; grief and anger blended in a way that cut her to the quick. And so changed was he, all in a moment, that she was startled, and almost terrified.

"What!" she faltered, "have I said something wrong? I hate you! Heaven forbid! I would be myself that I should hate because——"

"Because you had touched something that was defiled by coming from me. Because it had been mine!"

"Thank God that it is yours!" said Judith suddenly, and in a stronger tone. "It is the one consolation that I have in the matter. When I think how very near it was to being ours, and that we might have had it and used it, I feel as if I had escaped but little short of a miracle, from——"

She stopped suddenly.

"I do not understand you."

"Do not try. Put me down as an ill-disposed virago. I feel like one sometimes. And yet, I would have you believe that I appreciate your motives—it is out of no ill-feeling——"

"It is useless to tell me that," he broke in, in uncontrollable agitation. "I see that you have contained your wrath until this evening; you have nourished a bitter grudge against me, and you feel that the time has come for you to discharge your debt. You have succeeded. You wished to humiliate me, and you have done so most thoroughly, and as I was never humiliated before. Understand—if you find any gratification in it, that I am wounded and mortified to the quick. I had hoped that by stooping—by using every means in my power—to please you, I should succeed in conciliating you and yours. I wished to put an end to this horrible discord and division, to do that which was right, and without doing which, I can never enjoy the heritage that has fallen to me. No, never! and you—have led me on—have given me your promise, and now you withdraw it. You know your power, and that it is useless for me to appeal to Mrs. Conisbrough, if you do not allow her to hear me, and——"

"You accuse me strangely," she began, in a trembling voice, forgetting that she had desired him to look upon her as a virago, and appalled by the storm she had aroused, and yet, feeling a strange, thrilling delight in it, and a kind of reckless desire to abandon herself to its fury. Even while she raised her voice in opposition to it, she hoped it would not instantly be lulled. There was something more attractive in it, than in the commonplace civilities of an unbroken and meaningless politeness. She had her half-conscious wish gratified to the utmost, for he went on:

"Strangely, how strangely? I thought women were by nature fitted to promote peace. I thought that you, of all others, would encourage harmony and kindness." I appealed to you, because I knew your will was stronger than that of your mother. It only needs your counsel and influence to make her see things as I wish her to see them. And you thrust me capriciously aside—your manner, your actions, all tell me to retire with the plunder I have got, and to gloat over it alone. You stand aside in scorn. You prefer poverty, and I believe you would prefer starvation, to extending a hand to one whom you consider a robber and an upstart——"

"You are wrong, you are wrong!" she exclaimed vehemently and almost wildly, clasping her hands tightly together, and looking at him with a pale face and dilated eyes.

"Then, show me that I am wrong!" he said, standing before her, and extending his hands toward her. "Repent what you have said about benefits derived from me scorching you!" (He did not know that the flash from his eyes was almost enough to produce the same effect). "Recall it, and I will forget all this scene—as soon as I can, that is. Judith——" She started, changed color, and he went on in his softest and most persuasive accent. "My cousin Judith, despite all you have just been flinging at me of hard and cruel things, I still cling to the conviction that you are a noble woman, and I ask you once more for your friendship, and your good offices toward your mother. Do not repulse me again."

She looked speechlessly into his face. Where were now the scintilating eyes, the harsh discord of tone, the suppressed rage of manner? Gone; and in their stead there were the most dulcet sounds of a most musical voice; eyes that pleaded humbly and almost tenderly, and a hand held out beseechingly, craving her friendship, her good offices.

A faint shudder ran through Judith's whole frame. His words and the tone of them rang in his ears, and would ring there for many a day, and cause her heart to beat whenever she remembered them. "Judith—my cousin Judith!" His hot earnestness, and the unconscious fascination which he could throw into both looks and tones, had not found her callous and immovable. While she did not understand what the feeling was which overmastered her, she yet felt the pain of having to repulse him amount to actual agony. She felt like one lost and bewildered. All she knew or realized was, that it would have been delicious to yield unconditionally in this matter of persuading her mother to his will; to hear his wishes and obey them, and that of all things this was the one point on which she must hold out, and resist. Shaken by a wilder emotion than she had ever felt before, she suddenly caught the hands he stretched toward her, and exclaimed, brokenly:

"Ah, forgive me, if you can, but do not be so hard upon me. You do not know what you are saying. I cannot obey you. I wish I could."

She covered her face with her hands, with a short sob.

Aglionby could not at first reply. Across the storm of mortification and anger, of goodwill repulsed, and reverence momentarily chilled another feeling was creeping, the feeling that behind all this agitation and refusal on her part, something lay hidden which was not aversion to him; that the victory he had craved for was substantially his; she did not refuse his demand because she had no wish to comply with it. She denied him against her will, not with it. She was not churlish. He might still believe her noble. She was harassed evidently, worn with trouble, and with some secret grief.

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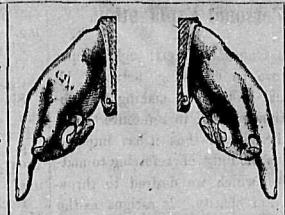

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