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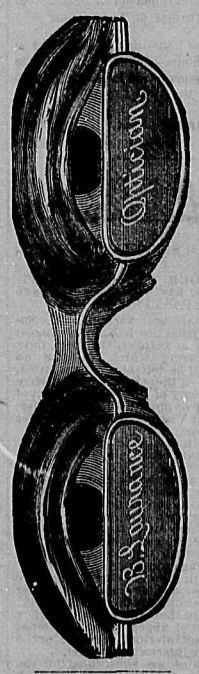

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From Clover Valley, Hall's Prairie and Langley Prairie—Thursday, 9.

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New Westminster, B. C., August 1st, 1887.
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Witness:—FRED. G. TURNER. dau2m1

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Hambury, deceased intestate.

ALL SUMS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late Joseph Hambury 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 10th day of September, A. D. 1887.

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Daily British Columbian

Tuesday Evening, August 30, 1887.

Ought to be Settled.

The increasing frequency of miscellaneous seizures in the Behring's Sea region emphasizes the necessity of some decided and intelligent action by the state department. It is in no way creditable to our government that all matters involving international relations drag along interminably, and are apparently more impossible of settlement to-day than in the ages when diplomacy meant the art of successful procrastination. It is seen, from the list of vessels apprehended for violating the seal fishery regulations, that this is not only a foreign but a domestic question as well. American sealers are as numerous in the catalogue of delinquents as are those carrying the British flag. And still the contention is made that the latter are subject to other restrictions than those imposed upon our own vessels, on the ground that the United States has exclusive jurisdiction over Behring's sea. The whole subject is involved in a mist of uncertainty and evasion. The British vessels taken last year were afterwards released. That was a plain confession in act by the government that it found no basis on which to sustain the claim that foreign vessels may be excluded from these waters entirely. And yet Mr. Bayard has not said this in so many words, nor has the question of damages claimed for unlawful seizure made any progress whatever toward settlement. The policy of the administration is a mere makeshift, doing to-day that which is least troublesome and turning over until to-morrow that which would excite unpleasant comment. It is risking little to say that the state department is prepared to abandon in practice the claim that the United States has exclusive jurisdiction over Behring's sea. But Mr. Bayard does not want to make such a proclamation, knowing the political effect that would be given to it as a democratic failure to uphold national pretensions. At the same time, the seal fisheries of the Alaskan coast are subject to constant depredations, concerning which no international question can possibly arise. Not only the citizens of British Columbia, but those of our own states as well, are attracted by the rich profits to be made out of poaching in the seal preserves. The right of taking seal in these waters has been granted to a single company, to the benefit both of the government revenue and of the fur interest; since, without such protection against indiscriminate slaughter, the seal would in a few years, follow the buffalo. Seizures made on the ground that the privileges guaranteed to the Alaska company must be protected, and occurring within a short limit which brings them legally within our jurisdiction, are not only justifiable but necessary. Yet there is a constant confusion of one class of cases with the other, and the dilatoriness of the state department in declaring itself on the subject enables the Canadian authorities to assume that all captures are made in accordance with a theory of exclusive authority which it believes to have been renounced and opposed by the United States more than half a century ago. The Behring's sea question, the question of the fisheries on the northeastern coast, and the question of the boundary line between British Columbia and Alaska, sure to provoke conflict in the future when the mineral wealth of that region shall be developed, ought all to be settled explicitly and permanently. For the delay and confusion surrounding one of them at least our own government is largely responsible. — *St. Paul Pioneer Press.*

In 1881, when Mrs. Julia A. Lennon was on her wedding trip, she lost her engagement ring while washing her hands in the toilet-room of a Pullman car. A few days ago a Toledo fishmonger, while cleaning some whitefish, found the ring inside of one. It still bore the inscription "J. A. B., Chicago, '68." It is supposed to have passed through the waste pipe as the train was crossing the St. Lawrence and to have been snapped up as it fell.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Isaac W. Phelps, of New York, has passed his summers in Saratoga for the last fifty-three years. He has recently erected the most elegant and striking cottage in the place. Mr. Phelps is now nearly 84 years of age, but is in good health and has a clear and active intellect. Mr. Phelps' fortune is estimated at about $10,000,000.

A lady writes: "I was enabled to remove the corns, root and branch, by the use of Holloway's Corn Cure." Others who have tried it have the same experience.

THE NEWS.

Barque Lost at Sea—Collision of Trains. An Extradition Treaty Talked of Between England and the U.S. Active Stock Markets—A Safe Robbery.

The English People Reported to be Favorable to Manitoba in Her Contest With the C.P.R.—No Change in the P. C. S. S. Co.—American News—Cable Notes.

By Associated Press.

THE DISALLOWED RAILWAY.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—In the house of commons to-night Sir Henry Holland, colonial secretary, read a telegraphic despatch from Lord Lansdowne, viceroy of Canada, to the government, saying, "Sir John Macdonald has denied that any application has been made for British troops to be sent to Manitoba. The provincial act authorizing the construction of the railway was disallowed by me because such railroad would tap the Canadian Pacific Railway territory yet undeveloped, and injure the whole country which has suffered sacrifices in the interest of the national road. The provincial government is proceeding under the Public Works Act, but has been enjoined by the Canadian Pacific people. The Dominion government has not interfered with it except by disallowance."

ARRIVAL OF DR. PARKER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The Rev. Dr. Jos. Parker, of the City Temple in London, who for years was a bosom friend of the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, and entertained that gentleman and his wife when he visited Europe last summer, arrived with his wife this morning on the steamer Umbria. He was asked by a reporter, "Is there any truth in the report that you have come over here in response to a call to fill the pulpit of Plymouth Church?" "None whatever. I was under contract before Mr. Beecher's death to come over this fall on a lecture tour."

THE UTE WAR.

DENVER, Aug. 28.—General Reardon has obtained information that there were four tribes of Utes in the battle on Thursday; they are the White River, the true Utes, and the Uncompahagre. There are eighteen hundred bucks on the reservation. Some of the Indians that were in the battle are Uncompahagre policemen, and if any of them were killed trouble would result as the Uncompahagres are a wild excitable tribe and would readily show fight. Estes, the chief of the Uncompahagre reservation, is expected to turn out as soon as information of the fight reaches there, and as the two places are only 30 miles apart the news has already been carried to him. The situation is really critical, and the requests of officers in the field and General Reardon for troops are justified, as the Indians are nearer reinforcements by one hundred miles than the state troops are. If further trouble can be avoided until Governor Adams and General Crook arrive to-morrow, they may possibly get the Indians to consent to go back to Utah without further war. Some think if Colorow does go back to Utah he will remain there only until the soldiers are returned to their post, and the militiamen to their home, when he will descend upon the unprotected settlers and avenge the death of his eight bucks.

POSTAL CONVENTION.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Acting P. M. General Stevens and Viscount Dos Nogueros, the Portugese minister to-day exchanged ratifications of an additional postal convention between Portugal and the United States. The convention modifies the system of keeping money order accounts, goes into effect Oct. 1st next.

DIED FROM STARVATION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—A young man groaning in pain and emaciated was brought into the receiving hospital this morning by an officer who said he had found him writhing in the cellar of a shanty erected upon a circus lot. The suffering man gave his name as Charles Cousin. He said that last Monday feeling sick he had crawled into the cellar where he was found and had lain there ever since without food or drink. He died shortly after his removal. Death is probably due to starvation.

SAFE ROBBERS.

MARYSVILLE, Cal., Aug. 29.—Early this morning E. C. Gassaway, clerk in Wells, Fargo & Co's. office was found lying on the floor of his room. He held in his right hand the keys to the money safe. The other employees who found him say that when they first touched him in moving him to the house he exclaimed, "Don't shoot, I'll open the safe." J. B. Fuller, the company's agent, examined and found that the safe had been robbed of very near $600 but owing to the curious construction of a package in which was $3,000 worth of greenbacks it had been overlooked. The examination of the wounds on Gassaway's head showed that he had been hit on the temple and on the back of the neck. There are no signs showing how an entrance was effected to the building, and it is supposed that the robbers followed him in as he came from the Oregon express train early this morning.

BARK LOST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Advices from Montevideo say that the British bark Garnock a vessel of 677 tons, en route from London to Victoria, B.C., was totally wrecked on the 28th inst. on Staten Island. She was 173 days out. Capt. Mudie and crew are safe but the vessel was broken to pieces after striking and part of her cargo drifted ashore. The loss is covered by insurance.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

Pacific Postal Press Union.

COLLISION.

CHICO, Cal., August 30.—At 1:06 o'clock this morning the north bound Oregon express dashed by the depot and struck the south bound train, which was standing at the water tank, with such force that the locomotives were fairly telescoped. The baggage cars of both trains were badly smashed. The engineers on both trains stayed with their engines. Only one of the passengers was slightly hurt, most of them being unaware that the accident had happened. The cause of the accident was due to the failure of the air brakes on the north bound to work.

AN EXTRADITION TREATY TALKED OF.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 30.—The assertion is made here to-day that at the state department it is believed an extradition treaty between Great Britain and this country will be negotiated at an early day, as everything seems favorable to this result. It is said that the growing objections of the Canadians to that country being a Botany Bay for this country has induced the home country to act. In addition to this statement it may be added that Minister Phelps has been industriously laboring to bring about a basis for a convention which would be satisfactory to the United States and Great Britain.

STOCKS ARE UNEASY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 30.—The stock market was active this morning and there was an advance all along the line of from five cents to two dollars. Consolidated California and Virginia reached nineteen, an advance of two dollars over yesterday.

NO CHANGE IN THE P. C. S. S. CO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—Capt. Goodall, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co., says there is to be no change in the running of the steamers either from the Northern or Canadian Pacific terminus. No new contract exists, and the boats will be kept running as heretofore. In referring to the telegram announcing that the Canadian Pacific had decided to put on a large steamer to run between Portland and Tacoma, he thinks the change would make but little difference, as there was a steamer belonging to the company already on that route.

THE ENGLISH PRESS FAVOR MANITOBA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—A cablegram from London this morning says: The English do not very clearly understand what the Manitoba railroad war is all about, but when the Toronto *Evening News'* account of Sir John Macdonald's threat to use the British troops was cabled here in the middle of the week, everybody at once said that the Canadian premier must be crazy. Since his denial of the interview nearly all the journals have expressed satisfaction at the discovery that he had not uttered the threat. From all that has been said it clearly seems the English public would not tolerate for a moment any imperial interference to compel Manitoba to sacrifice her markets. The Dominion generally is in favor of the Manitoba side of the contest.

DEPOSED FOR HIS EMBEZZLEMENT.

CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—A rumor was received in this city to-day from Fort Worth, Tex., that Burton Campbell, manager of the Texas Syndicate Ranch, has been arrested there charged with the embezzlement of $300,000. Inquiry at the office of the syndicate in this city brought a denial of the arrest of Campbell. It is learned, however, that the syndicate had become dissatisfied with his management and deposed him. Investigations of his accounts is in progress but the officials refuse to make any statement as to the result.

THE PRESIDENT INVITED TO 'FRISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.—The following despatch was sent to Washington to-day. "San Francisco, August 30th, 1887. To. Honorable Glover Cleveland, president of the United States: The municipality and prominent commercial and trade organization of the city of San Francisco have this day forwarded by mail an invitation to the president and Mrs. Cleveland to visit our city. E. B. Pond, mayor of San Francisco.

From Lulu Island.

[Correspondence of the Columbian.]

LULU, Aug. 27.—Rev. R. Lennie, of Westminster, preached here on Sunday, the 21st. He spoke in the union house of worship where a large and attentive audience had gathered to hear him. He administered the ordinance of baptism before the morning service. This is the first baptism on Lulu Island. The Methodists, Baptists, and Presbyterians have ministers stationed here at present. I believe Mr. Reid, of the Presbyterian church, will not be here after next Sunday. Mr. W. C. Steves, of the Baptist church, will leave for Toronto in a few weeks. There is no prospect of a school yet, much to the disappointment of parents. It is hard for parents to see their children growing up in ignorance of many things they could learn so easily now, if only they had the privilege of a school. Mr. M. Steves has gone east to Chatham, Ont., on business. The snag-boat Samson is moored at the public wharf and people have no opportunity of shipping produce there, the consequence is that there is a good deal of grumbling. The crops are light, and the demand for produce is far greater than the supply. We need more farmers and fewer speculators and land agents to keep the balance even.

Worms derange the whole system. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator deranges worms, and gives rest to the sufferer. It only costs twenty-five cents to try it and be convinced.

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So far no serious hindrance has been put in the way of the Red River Valley Railway, and it is probable that the grading is now about finished. The injunction to prevent the graders from crossing the Browning property was not served until too late. When it was known that such an injunction had been issued, the contractors put on a large force, hurried the road through the enjoined property, and ran a fence along both sides to prevent interference by the hostile parties. Latest advices at the time of this writing are to the effect that rails were on their way from the east. When they arrive track-laying will proceed at once, and it is said that the road will be ready for traffic in time to bid for the transportation of the present season's crop. Whatever differences of opinion may exist respecting the right and propriety of the people of Manitoba in this matter, all must admit that they have given proof of courage and enterprise, and it is to be hoped nothing will occur to interfere with the usefulness of the road when completed.

Reports of the Ontario crops for this season are quite disappointing. The severe frosts of spring and the unusual drought of summer were very fatal to fall wheat, which shows only 14,435,505 bushels. This is 6,200,338 below the average for the past five years, and shows only about 16 bushels to the acre. Spring wheat is estimated at 6,030,440, a shortage of 4,500,000, and an average per acre of only 12 bushels! Barley is about 2,000,000 short, the yield being 17,436,322, showing an average of nearly 23 bushels to the acre. Oats, 50,603,590, or 30 bushels to the acre, a shortage of about five million bushels. Rye is almost a complete failure, the yield being less than half the average. Peas show an average crop, 13,133,665 bushels. Hay shows 3,093,610 tons, an average of 1.36 to the acre. Potatoes and other root crops are going to be quite short. Altogether the outlook for farmers is anything but satisfactory, and it is quite evident that there will be little or no profit to them in the season's operations. As an agricultural province, Ontario has seen its best days.

The Canadian Pacific Railway company thoroughly appreciates the advantage of advertising. It has issued a great many pamphlets calling attention to the attractions of its road and the resources of the western territories, it has sent out exhibition cars containing samples of these resources for personal inspection, it has issued invitations to large numbers of capitalists and public men to go over the road and see for themselves what a magnificent heritage there is lying along its track, and now it is arranging for a special excursion of journalists to do some more editorial puffing. Fourteen of the leading newspapers of Ontario, 4 in Quebec, 5 in New Brunswick, 3 in Nova Scotia, and 2 in Prince Edward Island, have been invited to send representatives over the road to attend the agricultural exhibitions in the north-west and give through their journals a report of their observations. The plan is an excellent one, and we hope some of these newspaper men may be induced to venture across the mountains and take in the exhibition of the British Columbia Agricultural Association which opens at Chilliwhack on the 28th of September.

It has been definitely arranged that the interprovincial congress shall open in the city of Quebec on the 13th of next month. Hon. Mr. Mowat, premier of Ontario, has signified his intention to be present, and it is expected that nearly all the western provinces will be represented. One cannot foretell what results may come from this very important conference, and we think it would be quite proper to send a delegate from British Columbia. Doubtless the question of provincial rights will receive considerable attention, and with it the question of disallowance which has for some time been occupying the public mind. It is evident that the relations existing between the federal and provincial governments need to be modified in some respects if the harmony of the confederacy is to be maintained. The tendency towards centralization at Ottawa, and the questionable exercise of the veto in relation to legislation clearly within the powers of the provincial constitution have produced widespread discontent in many quarters, and unless a different policy is adopted there is danger that the confederacy may yet be resolved into its constituent elements. In these questions British Columbia is deeply interested, and ought to have a voice in the deliberations of the interprovincial congress.

Rev. J. McLaurin, Canadian Baptist Missionary to India, writes: "During our stay in Canada, we have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil with very great satisfaction. We are now returning to India, and would like very much to take some with us, for our own use and to give to the diseased heathen."

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N. W., Aug. 27, 1887. A. M. HERRING. dau26t5

COUNTY COURT.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a sitting of the County Court of New Westminster will be holden at New Westminster on **Wednesday, the 14th September, 1887.** And further, that the sitting of the said County Court set for the 7th September will be postponed to the 14th September aforesaid. By Order

GEO. WISE, Registrar.

26th August, 1887.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

BETWEEN

JOHN ELLIOTT & SON, Plaintiffs;

AND

W. H. JENKINS, Defendant.

Upon motion of Mr. Atkinson, of *Counsel for the Plaintiffs, the Writ* of Summons issued in this action on the 22nd day of August, 1887, the affidavit of William Norman Bole sworn the 22nd *day of August, 1887, and filed this day, the* further affidavit of said W. N. Bole sworn and filed this day, and the affidavit of W. L. Fagan sworn and filed this day, and *the Plaintiffs by their Counsel undertak*ing to abide by any order this Court may make as to damages in case this Court should hereafter be of opinion that the Defendant shall have sustained any by reason of this order which the Plaintiffs ought to pay: This Court doth order that an injunction be awarded to restrain the Defendant, his servants, workmen and agents from taking possession of, selling, interfering or otherwise dealing with any machinery, implements, goods and chattels being the property of and bearing the brand or mark of the Plaintiffs now or hereafter within the Province of British Columbia, and from collecting or receiving any notes, moneys, or securities for money now due or hereafter to become due to the Plaintiffs, and further to restrain the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, their agents, servants and workmen, Wm. McKee, of Ladner's Landing, and Blackett & White, of Langley, their agents, servants and workmen, and all and every person whomsoever within the Province of British Columbia, their and his servants, agents, workmen and contractors after notice of this order from giving up possession of any goods, machinery or implements the property of and marked with the name of John Elliott & Son to said W. H. Jenkins or any one in his behalf and from paying or causing to be paid, giving or causing to be given to said W. H. Jenkins or any one in his be*half any moneys or securities for money*, promissory notes, bills of exchange or other negotiable instruments in payment for any machinery, goods or implements *sold by the defendant as agent for or on* behalf of the Plaintiffs until judgment in this action or until further order.

J. F. McCREIGHT, J.

August 23rd, 1887.

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Provincial Secretary's Office, 5th August, 1887. dau13m1

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Commencing at the N. E. corner of the N. W. ¼ of Sec. 8; thence East 40 chains; thence South 160 chains; thence West to the shore line; thence along shore line in a Northwesterly direction to the intersection of the South line of Sec. 8; thence East 1 chain, more or less; thence North to place of beginning—being the East half of Sections 8 and 11, Texada Island.

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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W. NORMAN BOLE.

Dated 7th July, 1887. djy7m2

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2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings or trial of causes triable or proposed to be tried elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster *and Nanaimo.*

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the com*mencement of such vacation,* nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any *judgment where such matter has been* argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

4. Nothing in *these rules shall interfere* with applications for judgment under Rule 75 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1880.

5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules are substituted for the Rules of Court published in the "British Columbia *Gazette*" of 4th August, 1887, and may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1887."

By Command,

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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, Jan. 28, 1887.

The t[illegible] value of dress as [illegible]means, under favorable conditions, of preserving health, or, under unfavorable conditions, of destroying it, is not understood as it ought to be; and, though we would not have it thought for a moment that we wish to discourage any one from taking pains to obtain "things of beauty" in the way of articles of dress for themselves and their children, we must contend that, at least, equal care should be taken that those things are such as to be conducive, not injurious, to health—for health, like beauty, is most assuredly "a joy forever."

From the earliest times the object of dress has been twofold—first, to cover; secondly, to adorn. Among savage nations adornment has ever been considered the more important function, but sanitarians are popularly regarded as having no sense at all of its importance. This misapprehension is probably owing to the fact that certain ladies, calling themselves the apostles of rational dress, go about in costumes so utterly hideous and, to some people's taste immodest, that they bring ridicule upon the principles that they profess to advocate instead of gaining converts to them. The principles are perfectly correct, but these ladies having got a smattering of them tacked on to them their own particular fads.

Those who are truly concerned in the welfare of their fellow beings, for the most part, work unseen and unknown by the public. It is time, however, that the true sanitarians should come forward to clear themselves from the imputation which has, as it were, been cast upon them by the false prophets. Far from having no idea of the beautiful, we have what time will prove to be the highest and purest of all ideals.

Beauty for us is the perfect adaptation of the means to the end. This definition will be found equally applicable to anything and everything in nature or art; but in its application to the subject in hand—dress—it implies a great deal. The end of clothes, so far as we are concerned, is in warm weather to cover people without overheating them, and in cold weather to keep them sufficiently warm. Hence, as clothes to be beautiful must be perfectly adapted to this end, we must have no garments fitting so tightly as to impede the vital processes, none so heavy as to weary the wearer, none cut in such a way as to cramp her movements and none dyed with poisonous substances.

This ideal of beauty in dress is, we fear, far from being common at the present time, and we find much weakness, suffering and ill health consequent on the neglect of its precepts. Growing girls suffer much—first, from insufficient warmth of clothing; second, from the weight of clothes hanging mainly from the waist, and, third, from the pressure on the lungs, heart and other internal organs, caused by bands and garments too tightly made.

Most girls wear short skirts up till the age of about fifteen, and in quite cold weather, as a rule, their legs and feet are only covered by thread or silk stockings and cotton drawers under loose skirts. The middle part of the body is, however, overheated, for it is covered by the tops of the petticoats and drawers fastening closely round with bands, by the stays, chemise, and sometimes vest. The neck and arms are, as a rule, quite as badly protected as the legs, for they have only the thickness of the dress over them, as the vest and chemise are cut low in the neck and short in the sleeves, and high petticoat bodices are not always worn.

If we compare this dress with that of a young man we find that the male has greatly the advantage in matter of comfort. He generally wears woolen socks, drawers and vest with long sleeves and high neck, and his outer garments clothe him completely, and with an even warmth all over. I do not say that men's dress is perfect in comfort, but the balance is most dedicedly in favor of male attire.

As to the weight of girls' clothes, it is quite common to see a young girl, who, as it is sometimes said, is outgrowing her strength, and whose spine can scarcely support her head and shoulders erect, dragging herself wearily about in a dress the skirt of which alone weighs some pounds. This has possibly been bought for her with the mistaken idea that the heavier a material is the warmer it must be. The mistake, however, is a serious one, as heavy materials generally owe their weight and substantial appearance to admixture with cotton and fibrous rubbish some stuffs being, as it is called, "loaded" in order to deceive the public as to their value. All wool materials, if genuine, are light in proportion to their warmth.

The chief evil, however, of ordinary dress results from the way in which it is supported, pressing upon the waist, hindering the development of the internal organs and cramping them, thus tending to produce injuries which may affect the happiness of the girl's future.

We believe that a large number of the cases of curvature of the spine met with in surgical practice, generally in girls between the ages of twelve and sixteen, result directly or indirectly from the weight and improper pressure of clothes, a potent agent in causing the deformity being the wearing of high-heeled boots, which throw the body forward. Tight, stiff stays are responsible for a great deal of harm, and we are afraid that horrible process called tight lacing begins but too frequently earlier than is generally suspected.

Labor in Japan.

Perhaps it is because amusement is considered so important in Japan that labor makes but slight demands upon the energies of the people. A sojourner in that happy land writes:

"The year before last I had to employ two plasterers to repair a place in the wall of a house, where a piece of plaster of two feet square had fallen out. The two artists turned up at ten o'clock in the morning, and, sitting down upon a couple of empty wine cases, lit their pipes. At about half-past ten one approached the damaged place within a yard, took a mental photograph of it, and sat down again. At eleven o'clock a mutual friend appeared, who was warmly welcomed, and, after smoking a pipe or two, amused them by standing upon his head, and by that time they had got very hungry, and made a pause of two hours for tiffin. Pipes again. Then the one who had carefully sounded the wall, knocked another piece of plaster down. Pipes again. By five in the afternoon they had made the hole about three times the original size, and were so thoroughly exhausted that they left off. Next day a stray drop of water—wherever it may have come from—lighted on one fellow's nose, and made them conclude it was going to rain, so that no work could be done in the afternoon. Well, to cut matters short, those two square feet of plaster—that is, river mud—cost me three dollars, though wages are but forty-five cents per day.

Colonies of bees that have been wintered in warm cellars should not be brought out too soon, as the changes will be too sudden. It is earley enough to place the hives outside when natural pollen comes in.

How the Exiled Emperor Fared at St. Helena.

M. Charles Monselet has discovered in the memoirs of Careme, a famous cook, some interesting details of the life of Napoleon at St. Helena. He has given these to the world, after expressing a conviction that it is not without interest "to know what a tyrant can eat." Napoleon's house staff, taken with him from France, included a maitre d'hotel, a chef d'office, a head cook and a pastry cook. Four Chinese servants were added on the arrival of the exile and his attendants at the island. The nationality of this supplementary staff is cause of grief to Careme, who says: "M. Lepage (the chief cook) was doubtless the first French cook to find himself in such a difficult position—four Chinese men to assist him in his work! I repeat it, this position is the worst that could try a purveyor for the table; still, they set to work with the four Chinese. Apparently Napoleon was not a troublesome animal to feed. He had a particular liking for blood pudding, and they let him have all he wanted. Other favorite dishes were fowls a la Merengo, such entrees as could be fried vol-au-vent, and, being an Italian, maccaroni in all styles of serving. He had also a weakness for pastry and side dishes composed of sweetmeats. His breakfast usually consisted of a porridge made from sorrel or from any thing else, provided it was cooling; breast of lamb well broiled and served with thin gravy; a small roast fowl or two cutlets and sometimes vegetables, but those raised on the island were good for nothing. For dinner, a partridge, one releve, two entrees, a roast, and the indispensable sweetmeats and pastry. Sir Hudson Low provided the materials, and, of course, these were detestable, according to Careme, who says: "The poor cook for the Emperor as often made unhappy by receiving a lean fore-quarter of beef, while the Governor kept the hind-quarter for himself. There was no game on the island. Two or three times a year partridges and pheasants would come, but the Governor would grab them for his own table, and sent very few to the Emperor." Napoleon had his whims. One day he ordered "a soldier's soup." The cook, astonished, did not think it necessary to answer the demand literally, and made a soup with a very little bread, so light that the beans could be seen. Napoleon was not so easily humbugged. He sent for the cook.

"I believe that you were a soldier?"

"Yes, sire."

"Then you must know very well that this is not a soldier's soup."

"Excuse me, sire. I believed—I thought—"

"That will do. Make me a better one to-morrow."

The cook did not repeat his performance, and the next day served a soup so thick with bread and beans that a spoon could be stood erect in it. Napoleon was satisfied, but he ate very little of it, and never called for it again. And then Careme propounds this philosophical query: "What was the purpose of this great Captain in ordering a soldier's soup?" Another time Napoleon ordered from his Chinese retainers a dinner of Chinese viands. But he could not touch it.

Curious Facts About Flowers.

Within the Antartic circle there has never a flowering plant been found. In the Arctic region there are seven hundred and sixty-two kinds of flowers; fifty of these are confined to the Arctic region. They are really polar flowers. The colors of these polar flowers are not as bright and varied as are our own, most of them being white or yellow, as if borrowing these hardy hues from their snowy bergs and golden starts.

Perhaps the most beautiful of all our everlastings, that longest defy the autumn frosts and most brighten our winter bouquets, are white and yellow varieties. The rose of Florida, the most beautiful of flowers, has no perfume. The cypress of Greece, the finest of trees, bears no fruit. The bird of paradise, the most beautiful of birds, gives no song; and some of the loveliest of human forms have the least soul.

The Dorosidæ family of flowers, Ruskin tells us, including the five great orders—lilies, asphodels, amaryllids, and rushes—have more varied and healthful influence on man than any other tribe of flowers. Nature seems to have made flowers as types of character and emblems of women. So we name our children after them, and always intuitively compare a lovely, beautiful child to a flower. We say the timid snow-drop, the modest violet, the languid primrose, the coy lily, the flaunting marigold, the lowly, blushing daisy, the proud fox-glove, the deadly night shade, the sleepy poppy, and the sweet, solitary eglantine; these are all types. Flowers have their historical associations and individuality. The verbena, our great favorite, twenty-three centuries ago covered the altar of the gods. Virgil tells us the shepherds used it with frankincense in a spell designed to win the love of Daphne. The Turks cultivate whole fields of roses, from which they make the famous attar-of-roses, so fragrant that every thing touched with a drop of it seems never to lose its smell.

In some plants the flowers sleep during the night and the leaves during the day. Leaves will always face the sky and the earth; flowers will affect all kinds of positions. Some flowers have very great lifting power. A gentleman who owned a cask of sweet wine tells us that he placed it in an empty cellar in order to allow it to mature, and when he went for it years after, it had risen from the floor of the cellar to the ceiling, having been borne upward, as it were, on the shoulders of the fungi, with which plants the apartment was filled. Mushrooms have been known to raise a paving-stone from the pavement weighing eighty pounds. A growing pumpkin, in the course of its development, sometimes lifts two and a half tons. Plants like the calla, natives of warm climates, should be watered with warm water. They will thrive better, and bloom more and longer.

How to use Pianos in Summer.

"In the hot weather a piano should not be placed in a damp room or left open in a draft of air, for dampness is its most dangerous enemy. It causes the strings and tuning-pins to rust and the cloth used in the construction of the keys of action to swell, whereby the mechanism will move sluggishly or often stick together. Continual dampness will also injuriously affect the varnish and raise the soft fibers of the sounding-board, thus forming ridges. Extreme heat is scarcely less injurious. A piano should be closed when not in use, in order to prevent the accumulation of dust, pins etc., on the sounding-board, and yet it should be opened occasionally and daylight allowed to strike the keys; otherwise the ivory may turn yellow. An India rubber or cloth cover should protect the instrument from bruises and scratches. Moths may be kept out of a piano by a lump of camphor wrapped in soft paper, placed in the inside cover. A new piano should be tuned at least once every two or three months during the first year and at longer intervals thereafter.

Business Directory.

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Turner, Beeton & Co. [fire].....Victoria
Woods, Turner & Gamble [fire, life & accident].....Columbia St

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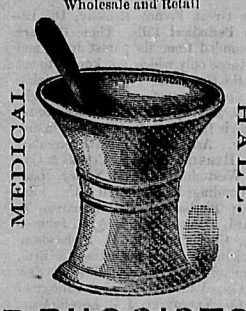

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INSTRUCTOR IN FRENCH & GERMAN:—MONS. HENRI JORAND.

PIANO:—E. MARVIN, Esq.

BRASS OR STRING INSTRUMENTS:—Prof. F. M. BAERNSTEIN.

Additional Visiting Teachers will be obtained should the necessity arise.

The Christmas Term will Open Wednesday, August 17th, 1887.

In the Classical Course pupils will be prepared for the Universities; and in the Business Course for positions in the Mercantile Houses of the Province. In the latter Course TYPE-WRITING and SHORT-HAND may be learned. The Modern Language Course is directed by a Gentleman of large experience, and under him pupils enjoy the advantage of an accomplished native teacher. The School is outside the City, and by the Sea-side, with 5 acres of Play-ground. Fine bracing air. Boating, Salt-water Bathing, Cricket, Foot-ball, &c. *Not an accident or case of illness among 80 pupils last year.* Best School in the Province for Pupils requiring thorough teaching and attention. Good references required. Charges moderate. Circulars, Testimonials, and copy of School Newspaper, on application to

REV. C. J. BRENTON.

VICTORIA, July 30th, 1887. dwaulm1

MAINLAND CARRIAGE WORKS

(LATE SULLEY & RENWICK.)

THE UNDERSIGNED, having purchased the Mainland Carriage Works, opposite W. B. Townsend's Livery Stable, Merchants' Square, Westminster, will carry on the business of **Blacksmithing & Carriage Building** in all its branches. Having had considerable experience in the business, and possessing first-class machinery and stock, work will be guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Horse-shoeing a specialty. Call and inspect the Establishment.

dje18tc **J. E. SULLEY.**

BRITISH COLUMBIA

LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, Ld.

THOMAS ALLSOP,
HENRY S. MASON,
CUYLER A. HOLLAND, } DIRECTORS.

HEAD OFFICE, - 56 New Broad St., - LONDON, ENGLAND.

The Business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a general Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mortgage at Low Rates. Town Lots and Farming Lands for Sale on easy terms.

Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwje7tc

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THE COLUMBIAN PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT has first-class facilities for all kinds of Commercial Printing. **Bill Heads, Letter Heads, Circulars, Cards, Envelopes, Blank Forms** of every description, **Posters, Dodgers, Price Lists,** &c. Prices will be found as low as at any other office where first-class work is done.

THE DAILY COLUMBIAN

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Every Afternoon except Sunday,

BY THE

BRITISH COLUMBIAN PRINTING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

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

BY MAIL:

For 12 months	$8 00
For 6 months	4 25
For 3 months	2 25

DELIVERED IN THE CITY:

For 12 months	$10 00
For 6 months	5 25
Per month	90
Per week	25

Payment in all cases (except for weekly rate) to be made in advance.

ADVERTISING RATES FOR THE DAILY.

Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 2 cts. per line. Advertisements not inserted every day, 5 cts. per line each insertion.

Standing Advertisements.—Regular Business or Professional Advertisements will be received at following rates: 1 inch, $2 per month; 2 ins. $3; ¼ col. $5.50; ½ col. $8.75; 1 col. $15. If inserted for less than 3 mos. 10 per cent. will be added.

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THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

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Delivered in the City, per year	$3.00
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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.

☞ Persons sending in advertisements should be careful to state whether they are to appear in the Daily Edition, or the Weekly, or both.

D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

For Sale	R. Lennie
Painting & Drawing	Mrs. Miller
Brooch Lost	This Office
Dissolution	Harling & Laska
Notice to Contractors	F. C. Gamble
Wanted	J. Cunningham

Daily British Columbian

Tuesday Evening, August 30, 1887.

4 cars of stock arrived to-day from Kamloops.

The Rainbow arrived from Victoria at 5 o'clock.

It is said that cohoes are very plentiful in English Bay.

It is said that Queen Victoria's plate ware is worth $50,000.

Gas rates in Victoria have been reduced from $3 per 1,000 feet to $2.

The weather continues remarkably fine: bright sunshine, but not too hot.

Miss A. Homer will reopen her school on Thursday, September 1st.
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In another column Mr. Jas. Cunningham advertises for a salesman who understands the hardware trade.

The hose reel boys are still practising nightly for the 1st. They are rapidly improving in coupling hose, and, no doubt, they will retrieve their lost honors.

Messrs. D. W. Port & Co. to-day made the largest fresh fish shipment of the season. The consignment consisted of 40 boxes, about 2½ tons. The bulk of it is for St. Paul and Toronto.

The WEEKLY COLUMBIAN will be ready to-morrow morning, and may be had at 10 cts. a copy. This is an excellent number for mailing, as it contains an account of the laying of the Masonic and Oddfellows' corner stones.

Dr. Wad-el-Ward's last entertainment and lecture will be delivered in the Drill Shed to-night. His subject is, "100 Minutes with the People of Jerusalam." In the course of the entertainment the doctor and his wife will be assisted by 20 persons in oriental costume.

Leo XIII is one of the most retiring of Popes. He is rarely seen in his reception robes; still more difficult is it to observe him in his house dress. He sits constantly before his enormous artistically carved writing desk, hidden behind piles of books, diplomatic letters, and newspapers.

Some 50 or 60 Italian navvies on the railroad between here and Port Moody, who have been living for some time past in boarding cars, were notified to leave and go into camp as the cars were needed for other purposes. They refused and struck work and are now being paid off by the C.P.R.—*News.*

The Vancouver council has decided to have the city lighted by the electric light company. The proposed contract is for one year at the following rates: For each 15-candle power light, $2.50 per month; for each 20-candle power light, $3; for each 25-candle power light, $3.25; for each 30-candle power light, $3.50.

The C. P. R. Co. seems to have fewer baggage cars than it requires, and for some time a common freight car has been doing duty in that capacity on this part of the line. In many respects it is very inconvenient, and it does not present a businesslike appearance. Considering the amount of traffic on the Westminster line we think it is entitled to a baggage car.

The young Lord Carmarthen, in conducting a canvass for election to the British house of commons, exhibited a sharp wit. During a speech he made several happy retorts upon persons who sought to annoy him. Among them was this: "Does your mother know you're out?" was asked. "She does," replied the little lord; "but she hopes to hear on Tuesday that I am in."

Mr. W. L. Fagan to-day forwarded to Peter Redpath, the millionaire sugar refiner of Montreal, a small box of the different samples of wood of the province. The samples were cut and dressed at the R. C. P. mills He also enclosed in the box yesterday's copy of the COLUMBIAN. Mr. Redpath will take the box to England, and exhibit it to friends, with the hope of introducing in England British Columbia lumber for building purposes.

MECCA.—Dr. Wad-el Ward's lecture last night related to a trip to Mecca, and was full of interest. Disguised as a Mohammedan the doctor made a pilgrimage to the sacred shrine, and his description of the incidents is the result of personal observation and experience. The lecture was listened to with great attention throughout by an appreciative audience.

THE GAS COMPANY. — It is hoped that our citizens will put forth an effort to raise the number of customers of gas to 150 so as to meet the liberal offer of the gas company. The gas company has not yet been in existence one year, and it evidently intends to meet the people in a fair and liberal manner. The members of the company are progressive men, and we hope that their liberal offer will be met in the same spirit.

Egg Throwing.

This morning a number of boys appeared before his worship the police magistrate on a charge of throwing eggs at pedestrians on Saturday night. The evidence against them was of the most conflicting character. The mischief was carried on under cover of darkness, and the witnesses were very doubtful as to who the real culprits were. By dint of a long examination and much cross-questioning two of the accused boys were found to be guilty. His worship then directed to fine them each $10 and costs or else be imprisoned for 1 month.

The Scotch Gathering.

Next Thursday the great annual gathering of Scotchmen will take place at this city under the auspices of the Caledonian and St. Andrew's society. Preparations for the event are well forward, and there is every probability that it will be one of the largest and most successful ever held. The programme consists of the customary athletic games and sports, for which liberal prizes are offered, and the other entertainments peculiar to Scotch gatherings. In the afternoon the hose reel contest will take place, and we believe this will be the great attraction of the day. It is not yet known how many companies will take part in this contest; but the Vancouver firemen will certainly be here to dispute the championship with our own company, and possibly we may have competitors from Victoria and Nanaimo. The whole performance will conclude with the usual ball, which will be held in the Drill Shed. If the present delightful weather continues (of which there is every prospect) we may look for a very large attendance.

Personal.

H. V. Edmonds is in Victoria.

Elroy O'Brien, of Haney, is in the city.

D. McGillivray of Sumas arrived in the city yesterday.

F. R. Glover, of Vancouver, was in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. C. R. Monck returned from Vancouver this morning.

C. S. Mason, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for California, arrived today.

C. C. Fisher, came over from Vancouver to-day, and leaves to-morrow for England.

H. C. Beeton, agent of the provincial government in London, Eng., arrived on the Rainbow from Victoria.

Senator Shultz came over from Vancouver to-day and returned by the 4:30 train. To-morrow he will go to Harrison Hot Springs.

Passengers per str. Rainbow, from Victoria: C. Williams, Rev. E. Robson, Dr. Kent, W. Cook, H. J. Edwards, H. C. Buton, and several others.

Jno. Kirkland and wife came up from Ladners yesterday. On Thursday they leave per C.P.R. for Guelph, Ont., for a visit. They will also take in the great industrial exhibition at Toronto, and probably go as far east as Montreal before returning.

The Alaska Seizures.

Thos. Spencer, one of the crew of the sealer W. P. Sayward, arrived at Victoria yesterday and furnished the *Times* with the following statement: The Sayward was seized about midway when 88 miles off the Island. Ounalaska was the nearest land. She had 500 skins, none of which were caught in Behring Sea, where she had arrived only four days before. The Sayward was taken in tow to Ounalaska. All the skins were removed, and the schooner towed out to the Pacific Ocean and navigated to Sitka by the crew in charge of a man from the cutter. At Sitka the crew, numbering twenty-five, were allowed to leave in six canoes and one boat. They were provided with only seven days provisions by the officials in charge of the Sayward, and the voyage occupied seventeen days. Two pieces of salt pork, six tins of preserved salmon, one box biscuits, two boxes of flour comprised all their stores. A gale of wind detained them three days at Whale Bay, and the provisions got wet and damaged; four days more brought them to Red Bay, and from thence three days were occupied in reaching Safety Cove, where the Pinta was at anchor. The suffering of the men from exposure and slow stravation was terribly severe during the latter portion of the voyage. For days all they had to eat was picked up on the sea beach and comprised mussels and other shell fish. The Pinta sold the men enough provisions to take them to Fort Simpson, where the Hudson Bay Co.'s people and others received them with open arms. Mr. Spencer speaks in strong terms of censure against the U. S. officials for sending them adrift on such a long voyage with a totally inadequate supply of provisions.

Job printing of all kinds neatly done at the COLUMBIAN office. Prices will be found as low as at any other office in the province.—*Adv.*

Rich Silver Mines.

Mr. J. G. Jaques returned yesterday from Illicillewaet, where he has been for two weeks past. From him a COLUMBIAN reporter elicited some information concerning the mines in that vicinity. Mr. Jaques stated that the largest mines were owned by G. B. Wright. Wright has over 15 claims. The two largest and richest, the Lanark and the Maple Leaf, are situated about 3500 ft. above the level of the railroad. About 60 men are working in the Lanark ledge, and the output is large. The ore is brought down to Illicillewaet station on pack mules. Here it is crushed in an ore-crusher and then transferred on board the cars and shipped to Omaha.

Mr. Wright owns another valuable ledge, the Isabella, which crosses the Lanark at an acute angle and runs up towards the Summit, about 1500 feet. He has a large force of men employed in opening up trails and paths, preparatory to constructing a cable, or wire tramway from the mine to the railway depot.

The Beefore ledge, owned by Wright & Matteson, has been assayed and yields very richly.

The Illicillewaet Mining Co., in which Mr. Jaques is a stockholder, has eight claims near the summit of the mountain. Edmonds' No. 1, the richest lead, is a vertical vein some 8 feet wide and 1500 feet long. Quartz and mineral matter may easily be discerned on its surface. The Jaques lead, another claim of this company, is on the north Fork of the Similkameen. It is not yet accessible, but a trail will shortly be opened to it. The Vancouver and Fanny, two more claims of this company, are being worked.

Corbett & Kennedy, an English Co. have a large number of claims on the other side of the mountain, about 1000 feet from the summit. They, too, will construct a wire tramway for transporting the ore over the mountain. Two of the claims are being worked, but the ore is simply taken out and stacked on the dumps. Corbett & Kennedy will erect smelting works at this point very shortly, and reduce all their ore as it is taken out.

Illicillewaet, Mr. Jaques thinks, will become a great mining centre. Gold seekers are being attracted thither from various quarters. Already about 190 claims have been recorded this summer.

During his visit to one of the mines far up in the mountains, Mr. Jaques enjoyed the novelty of experiencing a blinding snowstorm. Snow in August would certainly be a phenomenon on the coast, but at that elevated point snow falls almost every morning.

Messrs. Mitchell & Platt, druggists, London, Ont., write Dec., 1881: "We have sold Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil since its first introduction, and we can safely say, no medicine on our shelves has had a larger sale, or gives better satisfaction. We always feel safe in recommending it to our customers."

City Council.

The council met Monday night in the council chamber: Present, his worship Mayor Dickinson and a full board of councillors.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A memorial was read from T. R. Pearson, praying that the unsightly pile of rubbish and earth in front of of his residence on Royal avenue be removed.

A letter from J. N. Draper, harbor master, was read, calling attention of the board of works to the large quantities of sawdust and slabs that were continually falling off Richard st. into the river.

A letter was read from John R. Hall, secretary of the department for the interior, enclosing crown grant for rear half of library lot.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

The following bills and accounts were read:

G. Turner, $7.50, ordered paid; W. N. Bole, $110.50, referred to finance committee; Woods, T. & G., $110.50, referred to board of works.

REPORTS.

Coun. Elliott, on behalf of the board of works, reported that he and Coun. Duncan had made a personal examination of the lower end of Columbia st. and they had estimated the cost of widening it at about $850.

The loan repeal by-law was reconsidered and finally passed.

Coun. Reid brought in amended specifications for opening up a certain portion of Montreal st. and Edinburgh st. The tenders were read. Coun. Reid moved and Coun. Duncan seconded that the clerk call for tenders.

Coun. Curtis thought the work should be laid over a little while. The city had already spent about $5000 this season, or had contracted to spend, and he was in a position to know that the finances of the city were in a very exhausted state. He therefore moved that the matter should lie over.

Coun. Reid did not believe in a lavish expenditure of municipal finances, but he deemed this work a necessity. Many people had bought lots in that vicinity and had, as yet, no possible roadway to get to them.

The motion was then carried, Coun. Curtis dissenting.

Coun. Shiles asked for further time to bring in his specifications for opening up Cunningham st.

Coun. Curtis then laid Corbould & McColl's account before the council. He stated that the finance committee had gone over it carefully and had concluded a number of the items of cost should be struck out. The clerk then read the bill in full. The bill was then left in the hands of the finance committee to make the best settlement possible. It was resolved that the portion of the account charged on the branch railway account be paid from the land sales proceeds, and that $1500 of this fund be applied to the purchase of debentures 39, 40 and 41.

Council then adjourned.

Mr. Henry Marshall, Reeve of Dunn, writes: "Some time ago I got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery from Mr. Harrison, and I consider it the very best medicine extant for Dyspepsia." This medicine is making marvellous cures in Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, etc., in purifying the blood and restoring manhood to full vigor.

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs.	$ 8 00 @ 0 00
Pork	"	10 00 @ 0 00
Mutton	"	10 00 @ 0 00
Hides(gr'n)	"	6 00 @ 7 00
Potatoes	"	1 25 @ 1 50
Cabbage	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Onions	"	2 00 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Hay,	per ton	18 00 @ 0 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

LEADING DRUGGISTS on this continent testify to the large and constantly increasing sales of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, and report its beneficent effects upon their customers troubled with Liver Complaint, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Impurity of the Blood, and other physical infirmities, and as a female medicine it has accomplished remarkable cures.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. in the Church, St. John street, below Royal avenue. Seats free, all are cordially invited. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M.
(fe28tc)

METHODIST CHURCH, Mary St. Rev. J. H. White, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Thursdays at 8 p. m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited. je7-tc.

BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street, East of Mary Street. Rev. Robert Lennie, Pastor. Lord's Day Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2:30 p. m. All seats free; strangers cordially welcomed. d-de24tc

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, Secretary.
fe23-tc

The Great French Remedy, Dr. Le-Duc's Periodical Pills. These Pills are compounded from the purest drugs, and from those only which are known to act upon the Generative Organs in Females. They are first enclosed in an air-tight capsule, and by this means made to retain their full strength for years in any climate. Ask us for private circular. A. M. HERRING & D. S. CURTIS & Co., New Westminster; T. McNeeley, Ladner's Landing; H. McDowell & Co., Vancouver; Pimbury & Co., Nanaimo; T. Pickard, Denman Island; A. R. Johnson & Co., Chemainus; R. B. Richardson Cowichan; W. E. McCartney & Bro., Vancouver and Kamloops; Hastings Saw Mill Co., Vancouver; The Vancouver Drug Co., Vancouver; J. B. Lovell, Yale; W. R. Megaw, Priest Valley; H. Clark & Co., Kamloops; LANGLEY & Co., wholesale agents, Victoria. dwse28y1

WANTED:

A COMPETENT SALESMAN WHO understands the Hardware Trade.
JAMES CUNNINGHAM,
dau30tc New Westminster.

FOR SALE.

1 GENTLE HORSE, 1 SET HARNESS, 1 Covered Buggy, 1 Child's Buggy, 1 Cook Stove, 1 celebrated Karn Organ.—Apply to REV. R. LENNIE,
dwau30w1 Agnes Street.

Brooch Lost.

LOST THIS (TUESDAY) FORENOON, on Agnes Street, between "Spring Villa" and Mr. Hill's residence, a Gold Brooch set with four stones. The finder will confer a favor by communicating with this Office. dau30t3

Painting & Drawing

MRS. E. J. MILLER

WILL RE-OPEN CLASSES FOR HER Pupils in Painting and Drawing, Sept. 10th, at the old address. Terms as usual. dau30m1

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the co-partnership heretofore existing between James Harling and A. M. Laska, doing business in the city of New Westminster as Cigar Manufacturers, under the firm name of Harling & Laska, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by James Harling, who will receive all accounts due the late firm and pay all claims.
JAMES HARLING.
A. M. LASKA.
Dated 30th August, 1887. dau30w1

Public Works of Canada.

FRASER RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Mattresses," addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Saturday the 10th September next, for making BRUSH MATTRESSES and delivering them at the mouth of Fraser River.

Drawings and specifications, including terms of tender and contract, can be seen on application to the undersigned and to the Postmasters at New Westminster and Ladner's Landing.
F. C. GAMBLE,
Resident Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 29th August, 1887.
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Cricket Club.

A MEETING OF THE CRICKET CLUB will be held in Mr. Clute's Office on Wednesday, Aug. 31st, at 7.30 p. m. All members and intending members requested to be present. Business important.
JNO. S. CLUTE,
dau29td President.

Public Notice!

MR. W. H. JENKINS HAS CEASED to be the agent for John Elliott & Son, London, Ontario. All sums due that firm will be paid to
W. NORMAN BOLE,
New Westminster.
August 19th, 1887. dwau19tc

Teacher Wanted.

WANTED—A TEACHER FOR BOUNdary Bay School; first or second class certificate. Apply to
J. C. CALHOUN,
Sec. Board of Trustees.
Address, Ladner's Landing. dwjy23tc

Boys Wanted

—TO—

SELL THE DAILY COLUMBIAN.

ONE OR TWO SMART BOYS ARE wanted to sell the DAILY COLUMBIAN in the city. A boy who knows his business and isn't afraid to "holler" can make 50 cts. for an hour's work every evening. Apply at this Office. dau29tc

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Andrzejewski and John Mekiska has this day been dissolved and that the undersigned is the only person entitled to deal with the property of the late partnership and to receive the debts due said partnership.
J. W. ANDRZEJEWSKI.
Dated 25th August, 1887. dwau25m1

Seasoned Lumber!

FOR SALE

A LOT OF FINE SEASONED 1x6 & 1x8 RUSTIC, 1x4 & 1x6, S & G, FLOORING, CASING, and No. 1 SHINGLES, for sale at reduced rates. Enquire of JAMES TURNBULL or C. T. MILLARD.
dau25tc

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY GOODS the property of John Elliott & Son, London, Ontario, will notify the undersigned at once, sending list of articles, and will not deliver the same without written authority from
W. NORMAN BOLE,
Attorney in fact for
JOHN ELLIOTT & SON, Manufacturers of Agricultural and other Implements.
New Westminster, 19th Aug., 1887.
dwau19tc

CITY PROPERTY

For Sale by Tender.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until noon of Monday, Sept. 4th, for the purchase of Suburban Lots 20, 21, and 22, Block VI. These lots contain about 2 acres each, and are situated in a part of the suburbs where property is rapidly increasing in value. Tenders may be for the whole block, or for any one of the three lots; and the condition will be cash or its equivalent. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders should be endorsed "Tender for Suburban Lots," and may be sent to the COLUMBIAN Office.
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DOMINION GOVERNMENT.

SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS ARE REQUESTED TO to present their PASS BOOKS at the Office on Columbia Street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1887.
JNO. S. CLUTE, Agent.
New Westminster,
July 30th, 1887. dau16m1

NOTICE.

ALL ASSESSORS under the "Assessment Act, 1876," and amending Acts, are hereby instructed to prepare their rolls on or before the 30th November next, and the duties of all Courts of Revision and Appeal are to be completed, and the rolls finally revised and completed, on or before the 31st day of December next.
By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
15th August, 1887. dau20m1

Public Notice!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I am not Agent for John Elliott & Son, London, Ont., but am a partner to a contract to deliver machinery; receive my goods at wholesale rates as per contract now in my possession. John Elliott & Son never appointed or paid an agent in B. C. I appoint my own agents to handle my machinery.

Notice is hereby given that under my contract I am the only person that has any right to sell any Machinery in my name in storehouses, and any person delivering any of these goods to anyone without my order will be held responsible for the same.
dwau24w2 W. H. JENKINS.

TELEPHONE CALL No. 6. P. O. BOX 71

WM McCOLL,

General Merchandise!

Dry Goods, Men's Furnishings, Groceries & Provisions.

LUNDBOM'S BLOCK, Columbia St
dw-au31c

To Bridge Engineers and Contractors.

THE HONOURABLE THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands and Works hereby invites bridge contractors to submit plans, details, specifications, straining sheets and tender for the construction of a bridge over the South Thompson River at Kamloops, up to noon of Wednesday, 7th day of September next.

The bridge must have a roadway 16 feet wide, and a draw span with openings of 50 feet for the passage of steamboats.

A profile of the site can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th July, 1887. dwjy25

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Real Estate!

I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from MR. D. B. CALBICK to sell by Public Auction, on

Saturday Evening, 3rd Septemb'r, 1887,

At Sales Rooms in rear of Hardware Store, his

ELEGANT AND WELL-BUILT RESIDENCE

Together with Lot 10, sub.-div. of Lots 20, 30 & 31, Blk 5, of the Brown Estate. This will be found a commodious and well-finished House; contains 7 rooms, with out-house; two wells of never-failing excellent water; is well and healthily situated and commands an excellent view of the Fraser River and surroundings. "The Deed is clear and the Terms are cash."

Also—That excellent Lot on Agnes St., opposite the Baptist Church and adjoining "Spring Villa," and known as Lot 6, Blk 4, on the map of N. W.

Will also be offered at same time—Several one-acre and 1½-acre Lots, which will be found worthy the attention of speculators.

Full particulars of the above will be given in due course. ☞ Sale begins at 8 o'clock.

T. J. TRAPP,
dau24td Auctioneer.

THIRTY DAYS

CLEARANCE SALE

James Ellard & Company

Will sell the whole of their Large and well selected Stock of

Gent's Furnishing Goods Dry Goods, Clothing, House Furnishings, Carpets, Etc.

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In the County Court of New Westminster, holden at New Westminster.

WILHELMINA FAY, PLAINTIFF. GEORGE SWAN, DEFENDANT.

IN OBEDIENCE TO A WRIT OF *Fi. Fa.*, ISSUED OUT OF THE COUNTY Court of New Westminster on the 8th day of August, 1887, and to me directed in the above named Suit, for the sum of $560.12, debt and costs, also interest on the same at six per centum per annum from the 5th day of August, 1887, until paid, besides Sheriff's fees, poundage and other expenses of this execution: I have seized and will offer for sale by Auction, at my Office, Court House Building, New Westminster, on Friday the 9th Day of September, 1887, at 2 o'clock p. m., all the right, title and interest of the said George Swan, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the registered judgment debts and expenses.

District.	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.
New Westminster.	East half of Lot 395, Group 1, New Westminster District.	Lot contains 80 acres; 10 acres cleared.	Interest.

The Mortgage under which Judgment was obtained was registered in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, against said Lands on the 18th Day of May, 1886.

dau24td W. J. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff.