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Tuesday Evening, Nov. 29, 1887.

A Battle with a Whale.

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Nov. 18—The whaling steamer Lizzie N., Capt. West, which has been engaged in the finback-whale fishery on the Eastern coast this season, on Oct. 6 when about fifteen miles east southeast from Sequin Island, off the coast of Maine, saw a large lone whale of that species and attempted its capture. A boat was lowered and manned by Capt. West, his mate and four seamen. Capt. West with a large, heavy whale-gun, in which was an explosive bomb lance, took the breech of the boat, while the mate steered. Upon approaching the whale it was seen that he would be an ugly customer to deal with, as he showed no inclination to run, but kept slowly milling around, evidently waiting to be attacked. When the boat was near enough to warrant a shot Capt. West fired the gun, but as the sea was rough the motion of the boat destroyed the accuracy of his aim. The whale was badly wounded but not in any vital part. The whale then made for the boat, and in passing under it struck it with his flukes, throwing it some thirty feet into the air with its crew. As the boat descended the whale again struck it with his tail and completely demolished the boat and killed one of the crew, Jacob Klock, cutting him completely in two. The whale then commenced to bite and strike with his tail at the pieces of the boat, killing two more men, Neal Olson and Chris Johnson, who were supporting themselves on pieces of the wreck. Capt. West, the mate and the other men were safely taken aboard the steamer, and another boat was lowered to capture the monster. Then the whale attacked the steamer. By a quick turn of the rudder the steamer cleared him by a few feet. This occurred a second time, and the swell which was created by the whale's fall back into the water knocked all on board of their feet. By throwing over an immense cask at which the whale, thinking it was the ship kept bucking away, the Captain was enabled to get a shot with the bomb lance, and finally the whale was killed.

The Panama Canal.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Private letters received in this city from Panama report as follows:—No work of importance is being done on the canal. Two leading firms of contractors are said to be embarrassed financially. Another prominent contractor claims over $900,000 from the company. Several important judgments have been filed against the Canal Company, and several seizures and sales are advertised. The importation of the poor Liberian still continues. They are magnificent specimans of manhood, coal black. It was believed they could resist this death-dealing climate, but events have proved otherwise. Of the 282 who were the first to be brought here 36 died within four months. The statement of Mr. Blanchett in his work on the Panama Canal, that the canal has already cost over 40,000 lives is believed by careful observers here to be no exaggeration.

Theory of the Universe.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The scientific world is startled by what seems nothing less than a new theory of the constitution of the universe. This comes before the public with all the sanction derived from a paper read before the Royal Society, and with all the authority attached to the name of the distinguished astronomer, Mr. Norman Lockyer. The new theory, he declares, is the result not of speculation, but of spectroscopic research. It is summed up in the statement that all the self-luminous bodies in the celestial spaces are composed of meteorites or masses of meteoric vapour, produced by heat brought about by the condensation of meteor swarms due to gravity. This hypothesis if accepted may, as one eulogist remarks, weld all previous knowledge into one harmonious whole. At present it is received by men of science under all reserves.

Mrs. Barnhart, cor. Pratt & Broadway, has been a sufferer for twelve years through rheumatism, and has tried every remedy she could hear of, but received no benefit until she tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil; she says she cannot express the satisfaction she feels at having her pain entirely removed and her rheumatism cured. There are base imitations of this medicine for sale; see that you get Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Cable Rates to be Restored—The Chinese Commissioners—The Samoan Usurpation—The Fisheries Commission.

An Editor Murdered—Freight Rates on East-bound Goods Advanced—A Revolution Threatened in France if Ferry is Elected President.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

CROFTERS ON THE WAR PATH.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Two thousand crofters on the Isle of Lewis, supplied with rifles, tents, etc., have commenced a campaign to exterminate the deer in the forests. They allege that 6,000 crofters are starving who ought to be living on the land now given up to deer, and they declare that in adopting their present course they are actuated by sheer necessity.

COLLIERY DISASTER.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—An explosion occurred in the Conant colliery, at Aberdare, while 560 men were in the pit. The winding gear gave way and at first it appeared that none of the miners could make their escape. During the day, however, 220 got out through an old working. The others are still entombed. Search parties have so far been unable to reach them. There are hopes that all are alive.

THE FISHERIES COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The representatives of the U. S. and Great Britain charged with the fishery negotiations met at noon to-day. This is a second formal meeting of the conference and all of the members were present. The English representatives brought with them a number of official documents. Among the publications on the subject of the fisheries that have recently come into the possession of the American negotiators if a Canadian book of dispatches containing the correspondence between the Canadian and English government which was to a certain extent unknown to the department of state and is expected to prove of value in the pending negotiations.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

CABLE RATES TO BE RESTORED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—It is stated on good authority that Geo. Gould has not gone to San Francisco merely to attend to the Pacific mail matters, but to see Mackay. Their meeting will be followed by the announcement of restored cable rates and other important matters.

THE CHINESE CONCESSIONS.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Speaking of his Chinese concessions, and the rumor of their having been revoked by the Chinese government, Wharton Barker said yesterday: "It is not very likely that late and important news will come from China by steamer across the Pacific while there exists daily communication by telegraph with Chinese cities. Such a step as the revocation of the concessions would of course be announced by wire and notice of it would be sent to those who are entitled to know."

LIFE SAVING STATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Lieut. McLellan chairman of the commission to select and change sites for life saving stations has reported to General Supt. Kimball that he has decided to establish a new station at Point Adams at Neah Bay, W. T. and Cape Arago's will be removed to a more advantages site. Lieut. McLellan who is now at Astoria reports to Supt. Kimball that he will establish a station at Fort Stevens but not upon the reservation. He advises the purchase of large life boats for use on the bar at the mouth of the Columbia river. This recommendation should be adopted.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Henry B. Slaven, president of the Contracting and Dredging Co. which has been actively engaged in the work of dredging the Panama canal since the commencement, has just arrived here. He says: "I can say that the canal is more than half done. It is open at present for vessels drawing 15 feet of water for 20 kilometres on the Atlantic side, out of a total length of 74 kilometres. De-Lesseps denies he ever said the canal would be opened in February, 1889. My own judgment is, however, that ships will cross within three years from January 1st next.

EASY FINANCING.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The Northern Pacific Railway Co. has secured authority for issuing new third mortgage bonds, partly for the purpose of meeting the dividend certificates falling due at the end of the year. These amount to $4,640,821. Holders of something over a million dollars of these certificates have assented to an extension of their claims for twenty years at 6 per cent per annum and are receiving sheets of 20 coupons. It was stated yesterday that in order to hasten the extension of the remainder the company was offering a bonus of 10 per cent. in addition to the terms offered the holders who first assented. There was some discussion in Wall st. as to the mood in which the latter would receive the news of the larger privileges accorded to the belated acceptors of the companies extension scheme.

THE SAMOAN USURPATION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—The s.s. Australia arrived from Honolulu this morning. The following news regarding the Samoan usurpation has been received at Honolulu: King Tamasee has had a falling out with his people. It is very likely that when the German fleet sails away the people will destroy him. The disposition of the natives is to unite in favor of Mataafa during deposed King Malietoa's absence. He is now king over part part of the group. If Malietoa returns and says that Mataafa should remain king he will retain the crown, otherwise Malietoa will resume the throne as the natives are crying for him.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

RUN OVER AND KILLED.

OAKLAND, Nov. 29.—Fred. Langtree a carpenter was run over and killed last night. He was married only 3 months ago.

CITY FATHERS IN JAIL.

OMAHA, Nov. 29.—Mayor Sawyer and 12 councilmen, who were fined for contempt in disobeying the injunction of the Federal court by deposing Police Judge Parsons, have delivered themselves into the custody of U. S. Attorney Zierbower. They were taken to the county jail where they are now confined.

ANOTHER BIG CHINESE SYNDICATE.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Chester Holcomb, formerly of the American legation at Pekin, China, is in this city. In an interview published this morning Holcomb asserts he is in league with heavy American capitalists in Chinese investments and that he will obtain a charter on his return to China for the construction of a double track railway to run from Pekin to the iron and coal mountains, that are less than fifteen miles distant. The syndicate will also receive Imperial letters patent to develop the mines and supply the Chinese with coal and iron. They will also construct water works, sewers etc., at Pekin. Holcomb says, there was nothing in the concessions said to have been granted to Mitkewitz.

A NEW TRIAL FOR SHARP.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The court of appeal to-day reversed the decision in the Jacob Sharp case and ordered a new trial. When the news of the granting of a new trial was announced to Sharp he manifested no emotion what ever, receiving the news with that stolid indifference to all things that has characterized him since his incarceration.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—Ex-inspector of customs William A. Boyd who was indicted for selling Chinese certificates was released to-day on furnishing $10,000 bail.

ANOTHER MARTYR.

MAYFIELD, Cal., Nov. 29.—W. Smith, editor of the Redwood City *Times and Gazette*, was shot four times by Dr. Powers, of San Francisco, to-day. The latter was angered at a statement in Smith's paper. Smith is dying.

INNOCENT AS A LAMB.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Johann Most testified in his own behalf this morning. He denied he threatened the executioners of anarchists in Chicago or any one else. He addressed his hearers at the Koemers hall meeting as "fellow citizens," and not "anarchists." The speech, he said, lacked the threats and violent language which he is charged with having uttered. He had described Powderly as an instrument in the execution by his not taking sides with the condemned men. He was not sure he said he would give ten years of his life to know the hangman, and that he would strangle him. He never said that for every man killed in Chicago five hundred would be slaughtered.

THE RADICALS OPPOSE FERRY.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—The Radical journals energetically oppose Ferry as candidate for president, and accuse him of bribery and corruption in the administration of affairs in Tunis and Tonquin. DeRoulede, leader of the patriotic league, threatens to march to Palace Elysee at the head of 50,000 men if Ferry is elected president, and prevent him from entering on the duties of the office.

INCREASED FREIGHT RATES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—As the result of the subsidizing of the Pacific mail and the granting of differential rates to the Canadian Pacific Railway, the new transcontinental railroad tariff will soon be issued by the recently formed association. The new rates on east-bound freight to New York and common points from the Coast terminals, were received in this city yesterday. On the higher classes there is little change in the tariff, but on low class freight which comprises the great bulk of the traffic overland there is a material advance. Regarding the matter of the Canadian Pacific Railway differentials, about which several telegrams have lately been published, it is learned that the Canadian Pacific will hereafter be allowed by American lines to make rates averaging about 10 per cent. below those of their own companies on east-bound freight, taking from the territory lying in the recognized domain of American roads.

Bears at Work.

The Montreal *Star* of Nov. 23rd has the following:—

In the weekly report of the condition of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's telegraph lines for last week the circuit manager at New Westminster, B. C. make the following entry: "November 2nd. Nos. 1 and 2 wires crossed between Griffin Lake and Revelstoke, caused by bear climbing pole." The telegraph manager wired asking what evidence they had that a bear had been "fooling with the company's wires," and received the following reply: "The animal's tracks around the pole, nail prints the length of the pole, and no other cause apparent bears out the assumption. Do not however think it necessary to have bear traps for each pole."

O. Bortle, of Manchester, Ontario Co., N. Y., writes: "I obtained immediate relief from the use of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I have had asthma for eleven years. Have been obliged to sit up all night for ten or twelve nights in succession. I can now sleep soundly all night on a feather bed, which I had not been able to do previously to using the Oil."

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Bishop Cleary has sent a letter to the two leading Toronto papers complaining that he was misreported in his famous address respecting the loudness and immodesty of Canadian women. It seems to us the press of the east has lately been employing an uncommonly liberal use of concentrated lye, and one is scarcely safe in quoting anything from an eastern newspaper. The bishop, however, has not offered any modified statement of his denunciation of the public schools delivered in Kingston.

A good deal of attention is being paid in the east to the new Russian wheat to which reference was made in these columns some time ago as having developed such wonderful properties in the Northwest. We should be very glad to see some samples of this wheat tried in various parts of British Columbia. It happens not infrequently that the early fall rains interfere seriously with the successful harvesting of wheat in this part of the province, and it would certainly be a great advantage if our farmers could obtain a kind of wheat that would mature a few weeks earlier than that which they are now using. Perhaps our representative at Ottawa might be able to secure a small quantity of this grain for experiment. The time is not far off when a large flouring mill will be established in or near this city, and it is important that without loss of time the farmers should be providing themselves with such grain as will best meet the demand for wheat that will spring up. The new Russian variety may have faults which will overbalance its virtue of rapid maturity, and if it is unsuitable for British Columbia a trial will soon demonstrate that fact.

A gentleman who arrived from Ontario the other day informs us that large numbers of people are continually leaving eastern Canada for California. The emigration he estimates at something like 200 families per day. The causes of this exodus are the severity of the eastern climate as compared with that of the Pacific states, and the unsatisfactory results of agricultural operations during the past few years. It is a well known fact that thousands of Canadians may be found in all the states and territories west of Lake Michigan. In Oregon and Washington Territory there are large settlements of them. The extraordinary boom that struck southern California last summer has been the means of advertising it all over the continent, and one of the results is a great rush from the east. It is a pity the people of eastern Canada especially were not made more prominently aware of the attractions of British Columbia, so that a larger portion of this westward emigration might be brought to this province. In many respects we could offer them far better inducements in the way of climate and the materials for business success than they will find anywhere else on the coast.

It is a small matter, but perhaps it may be permissible for us to say that the *Times* is not at all accurate in stating that the new bank building in this city is to be heated by steam. The source from which our cotemporary obtained his information was the COLUMBIAN; but instead of taking the item as it appeared, and giving credit for it, the *Times* undertook to improve it with the result that it is not accurate. In the original item it was distinctly stated the building is to be heated by hot water. We should not have referred to this paltry matter at all if the *Times* had not gone out of its way on Friday to charge the COLUMBIAN with hypocrisy and untruthfulness because it stated that the delay of the Yosemite was caused by the late arrival of the San Francisco steamer. The reason assigned may not have been the real one; but it is the one given to our reporter by the officers of the steamer, and it was accepted by him in good faith. The point is of no importance at all, and yet our friend of the *Times* made it the subject of its leading editorial article on Friday. Our friend should really learn some useful lesson from this incident. He charges us with wilful falsehood on Friday because we published a statement obtained in good faith from the steamer, while on Saturday he garbles an item from the COLUMBIAN which he passes off as original after having it so twisted as to make it say what is not true.

AS AGE CREEPS ON APACE, the various functions of the body grow weaker in their performance. Old people who suffer from increasing indigestion, torpidity of the liver, and constipation, should give renewed impetus to the action of the stomach, bile-secreting organs and bowels, with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, from which aid is never sought in vain. It works wonders as a blood purifier.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP till noon on **Wednesday, 30th inst.** for the erection of a WAREHOUSE and FREIGHT SHED on the Wharf on Lots 1 & 2, Block 2. *Plans and specifications* can be seen at the office of A. J. Hill, Esq., C. E., Mary Street.
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Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 & 35.

ALICE GARDENS—Block E.
Lots 8, 9 & 10.

CLINTON PLACE RESERVE—Block F
Lots 30, 31, 33, 34 & 35.

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Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 & 42.

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City Clerk's Office,
New West., 22nd Nov., 1887. dno22td

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Dated 15th day of November, A. D. 1887.
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Department of Public Works

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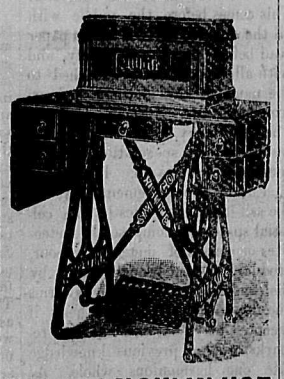

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Dated November 23rd, 1887.
EBERTS & TAYLOR,
dno23w6 Solicitors for Applicants.

New Westminster District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Reservation which was placed on the lands within the boundaries of Townships 13, 14, 16, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29 and 30, notice of which was published in the "British Columbia Gazette," and dated 13th April, 1878, has been cancelled. Crown lands within that area will be open for pre-emption and purchase on and after the 1st day of February, 1888.
F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., November 3rd, 1887.
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DR. E. A. SMITH

HAS TAKEN THE OFFICE LATELY OCCUPIED BY DR. TREW, WHICH HE WILL OPEN IN A FEW DAYS IN THE

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Notice to Ratepayers!

ALL MUNICIPAL TAXES MUST BE paid on or before the FIRST DAY of DECEMBER NEXT to entitle property-holders to vote at Municipal elections during the coming year.
By Order, J. A. ROBINSON,
dno22td C. M. C.

Scottish Gathering!

THE ANNUAL DINNER OF THE "Mainland Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society" will take place at the HYACK HALL on **St. Andrew's Eve** (Nov. 30), at 7 o'clock. All members and sojourning brethren are expected to attend. TICKETS, $2. By order,
JOHN SPROTT,
Nov. 21st, 1887. Secretary.
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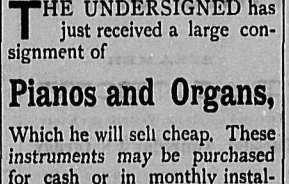

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ANY PERSON CLAIMING TO BE entitled to pre-empt or purchase lands within the area embraced by the "Sumas Dyking Act, 1878," must, before the 1st day of February, 1888, make, and file with the Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the District, a declaration in duplicate signed by himself and two residents in the locality of such lands, stating the Township and particular quarter-section claimed, the date of locating and particulars as to occupation, and fully describing the nature and value of the improvement made. Blank forms for declaration can be obtained from Mr. Chas. Warwick, Government Agent, New Westminster.
F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., November 3rd, 1887.
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[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come.—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. Æ. IRVING, Deputy Attorney-General } WHEREAS it is provided by Section 4 of an Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia in the fiftieth year of Our reign, intituled "An "Act to authorize the granting of a certain subsidy for, and in aid of, the construction of the Shuswap and Okanagan "Railway," that the said Act shall not come into force until a Proclamation declaring it to be in force shall have been issued by the Lieutenant-Governor, and published in the "British Columbia Gazette.

NOW KNOW YE, therefore, that by and with the advice of Our Executive Council, We do hereby proclaim the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. 1887, as the day on which the said "Act to "authorize the granting of a certain subsidy for, and in aid of, the construction "of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway," shall come into force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed:—WITNESS, the Honourable HUGH NELSON, Lieutenant-Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Sixteenth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the fifty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.
T. ELWYN,
dno21w1 Deputy Provincial Secretary.

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SIX QUARTS AT A DRAUGHT.

The Mighty Deed of a Yankee Skipper—Great Drinkers of Rum.

Drinking is a sea custom not yet dead—at least if it is dead, the fault is not Jack's, says a writer in the London Telegraph. But, even though the economical principles of owners had suffered perpetuation of the practice on shipboard, I question whether the most bibulous of the present race of sailors could carry it to the height to which it was formerly raised. I suppose the very biggest drink on record is that related by Dampier. He relates that there came on board his ship one Captain Rawlins, the commander of a small New England vessel, along with a Mr. John Hooker. They were asked into the cabin to drink, and a bowl was made containing six quarts. "Mr. Hooker being drunk to by Captain Rawlins, who pledged Captain Hudswell, and, having the bowl in his hand, said that he was under an oath to drink but three draughts of strong liquor a day, and putting the bowl to his head, turned it off at one draught, and so making himself drunk, disappointed us of our expectations until we had made another bowl."

Twelve pints to a swallow, without a sigh between! But then hard drinking was the custom, not on the privateers only, but of the whole seafaring races of early times. They were educated to it by liberal doses of grog. The allowance sometimes rose to a pint of rum per man a day.

In the French, Spanish and Portuguese ships, and very often in the Dutch, the sailors' courage before an action was nearly invariably helped with jacks of brandy, and the doses were repeated while the fight proceeded, a bumper being handed between the guns. The men, frenzied by drink, would mix gunpowder with the spirits, supposing that thus prepared, there was no better liquor for heroes. I think it need not be doubted that more actions were lost than gained by this custom. How should a drunken gunner aim his piece? And what mischief (save to one another) could a mob of inebriated small-arms men do in the tops or along the quarter-deck?

But if privateersmen could be found able to swallow six quarts at a draught, they had customs besides that of drinking which must have tended to make them desperately hard-seasoned men. It was their practice to keep their ships clear, so that the deck was the only bed they had to lie upon. No hammocks were allowed; no chairs or tables; they took their meals upon the deck and lay upon it, preserving, in this direction, the old tradition of the buccaneers, who denied themselves every imaginable comfort and convenience, that they might never be mistaken for anything else than the savage beasts they were.

FASHION NOTES.

Dresses of white Irish linen are made up with belted blouse waists and trimmed with dark blue dungaree bands, on which are rows of white linen braid.

Irish linen dresses are used for yachting and tennis and are commended for their coolness. The dungaree with which they are trimmed is an English fabric of twilled cotton very finely woven.

Another attractive costume is made up of picot edged ribbon and plat Valenciennes lace. The entire draperies, waist and sleeves are thus made. The dress is among the gems of the season's imports. The lower skirt is of faille in seashell pink; the ribbon is cream white, as is the lace.

A pretty wrap to throw about the shoulders while on the gallery in the evening is a three-cornered piece of China crape, embroidered with a light-running vine pattern and deeply fringed. These come in lovely shades of blue, rose, cream, pale-green, poppy-red and corn color.

Some very pretty hats worn at the seashore call to mind the coquettish headdresses of the Normandy fisher girls. They have very high, narrow, round crowns, which are covered with shirred cream-colored mull. The brim is covered with lace ruffles, and a big ribbon bow is placed upon the front.

Black stockings are being somewhat superceded by those which match the color of the costume. A new idea, but not a pretty one, nor deserving of popularity, is of stockings with front and back of different color. Some are shown with the front of black and the back of red; others are blue behind and olive in front.

The belted waist, or "bearded bodice," as sailors call it, is in great favor for summer toilets. These have a full straight skirt gathered to a belt and are without drapery. The sash is passed around the waist and tied in long loops and ends. The loops may be flatly folded, or there may be loose open loops that swing and form the drapery.

White, cream-tinted and yellow sashes are most used, though shades of tilleul and lettuce green are still liked for black and white lace dresses. Watered ribbons, with picot edges, are the general choice of these sashes. The Pompadour sashes are a novelty, with bands of satin strewed with small flowers of natural colors, alternating with watered silk stripes.

Lace dresses, made of the forty-inch laces, either black or white, are worn with belted waists of China crape and wide sashes. Sometimes the sashes are of the new Roman moire, which comes in such wide widths that the belted waists can alone be made of them and with the lace skirts have a very bright and pretty effect. The broadest sashes worn with these dresses are fourteen inches wide, but those from ten to eleven in width are much more popular.

The crocheted white laces and Irish point embroidery are very effectively used as a wide border at the front or side band on the skirt, and as a yoke or vest on the waist of cotton sateen dresses in shades of pale gray, heliotrope or the dull pink known as old rose. These bordered skirts are always plain around, not plaited, and for many the velvet border is sufficient without the lace. The same methods of trimming are used with good effect on cotton crepes and other cotton fabrics.

For children's sashes wide surah ribbons are imported with diagonal stripes and rows of balls separated by heavild twilled lines. These lie so closely any compactly that they do not easily come untied, and are, therefore, best liked for little people's wear. Madras sashes in rich dull colors are worn with black lace or net-dresses. When they are worn with basques they are folded narrowly, brought to a point in front, outline the basque, and are tied under the postillion, making a very bouffant effect.

A Frenchman recently rode into Waterville, Me., driving a big Newfoundland dog hitched to a small two-wheeled cart, which the animal had hauled inside of three days from a town in Canada, a distance of about 150 miles. The owner said the dog could outstrip in a day's journey the best of horses.

How Sailors are Made.

Editor Columbian:—You ask what they do with a man at sea if he is shipped as a sailor and can't do his duty. Well they have a variety of ways of treating him, but I won't borrow other people's yarns, nor draw on my imagination either, but will just give you the plain facts of a case of the kind to which I was an eye witness and which, as you will see came near having a fatal ending.

In September 1865, I sailed out of Liverpool in a large vessel called the "Sumatra" with over 2000 tons of coal for Hong Kong. Now, as it very often happens, the whole of the crew that were shipped did not turn up, and so when on the point of sailing, we had to fill up the vacancies by some men brought on board by the crimps, and among these late arrivals was a strong, able-bodied Irishman named Sullivan. Sullivan, of course was represented by the crimp as an A. B., whereas if the truth had been told Sullivan had never been at sea in his life, in fact he had, I might almost say, never even seen a ship, the extent of his seafaring having been the trip from Ireland to Liverpool as a deck passenger on the mail steamer. From this you will readily understand that Mike Sullivan, like Ranso of old "was no sailor," and not only was he no sailor, but he had an unconquerable terror of going aloft. At first we ascribed this to fear, but I really believe he was physically unable, he could not keep his head when he mounted the rigging, but then he shipped as a sailor and of course he was not to be allowed to "sojer" if he could possibly be made do his duty.

Well, Sullivan was told off into the second mates watch, and the second mate being a brother Irishman, and a poor sailor into the bargain, he listened to Sullivan's protestations, aye and tears too, and never forced him to leave the deck, and so Sullivan had comfortable times until the memorable night to which I am now coming.

I suppose we had been at sea about a month; it was fine weather, with a good stiff breeze and we were bowling along under all plain sail, it was the second dog-watch, and the mate, the second mate and myself were enjoying a quiet pipe on the poop, when the second mate, who was in charge of the deck, called out for a hand to go aloft and do some trifling job (I forget exactly what it was) and of course one of the men immediately responded by jumping into the rigging to execute the order. Now the fates seemed to be against poor Sullivan that night, for at the time the order was given he happened to be just by the main rigging and so had he been a sailor, should have been the one to go aloft. The mate at once observed this and said to the second "Why don't you make that great Irish lubber do it, if he was in my watch you bet he'd go aloft" "Oh, the poor wretch can't, let him alone," replied the second mate. Here I may say that the mate was just the reverse of the second mate. A thorough sailor, feared nothing, rough and hard himself, he could make no allowance for any one differently constituted. A man that all sailors liked and respected, but a perfect terror to a loafer or anyone that tried to play sojer. "Can't, can't he, poor wretch, I'll take the *poor wretch* out of him, I'll make a sailor or a corpse of him. Here you Sullivan, up that rigging with you and quick too, or, or, or (I will leave out the string of expressive adjectives that followed.) Sullivan cast a pitiful glance, he knew remonstrance with the mate was worse than useless, so he slowly clambered onto the rail and commenced tremblingly to ascend the lower rigging. We could see his legs shaking from where we were. Slowly he crept upwards till he reached the futtock shrouds where he stopped dead and said it was impossible for him to go over the top. But the mate was relentless, so with threats and oaths Sullivan was forced to scale the top, as I believe his fear of the mate overcame his fear of the ascent. All went well till he got as far as the cross-trees, but here again his fears brought him to a standstill, threats and oaths failed to move him and it was only when the mate was half way up the lower rigging, vowing he would throw him overboard if he did not get up to the royal yard, that Sullivan summoned up sufficient courage to make a start on the top-gallant rigging. Slowly and crying, frightened almost out of his wits he crept from ratlin to ratlin till the top-gallant yard was reached, and here you must know the ratlins end, and from there to the royal yard it is a case of pure shinning. This was altogether too much for Sullivan, with a wild yell he let go his hold and fell backwards. Those that were watching involuntarily closed their eyes, expecting next instant to hear the thud of his body on the deck. But

"The sweet little cherub that sits
up aloft,
To keep watch for the life of
poor Jack"

interfered to save poor Sullivan. In falling he got his arms round the royal back stay, down which he slid like lightening till he fetched up on the outriggers, where he lay howling and bawling for all he was worth. Well to make a long matter short, a couple of hands went up with a tail block which they made fast to the rigging and he was lowered down to the deck like a sack, more dead than alive. But his troubles were not over yet, he reached the deck safe enough but only to fall into the clutches of the infuriated mate. "You can't climb can't you; get up you lubber you (kick) you won't be a sailor won't you (knocked down) Get up! If you won't be a sailor you shall be a soldier (kick). Shoulder that handspike and get on the poop there, and walk up and down till I tell you to come down." During the conversation you can supply such marine adjectives as you think fit, but you must have been at sea yourself for your imagination to come anywhere near the actuality. By this time it was after eight-bells and the mate had the deck till midnight. What kind and forceable advice the mate gave Sullivan during that four hours, I don't know, as I and the second mate turned in, but I can easily guess. When we came on deck again after twelve o'clock Sullivan was still keeping sentry with his handspike on the poop and the last order the mate gave was to keep him there till he came on deck again at four, and not to allow him to sit down. Well we had not been on deck above half an hour when Sullivan begged to be allowed to go forward and get a smoke. As I said before the second mate was Irish too, and kind of easy going so he let him go. We were walking the deck talking and yarning, and Sullivan being out of sight we forgot all about him, till, I suppose it must have been two or three o'clock, when I though of him and remarked "What has become of Sullivan." The second mate told me to go and fetch him back and I went first to the starboard forcastle but no Sullivan, neither had the men seen him. I visited the port forcastle but still no Sullivan. I searched the half deck, the galley, and the carpenter's shop but still no Sullivan. Things began to look strange to say the least, and to add to the mystry as I was going back to the poop to report I found a hat, a pair of shoes, a pair of socks and a waistcoat lying on the deck beside a spar, as though he had sat on the spar to take them off. We at once came to the conclusion that Sullivan had jumped over-board; and we were not very far from the truth. Of course we called the Captain and mate and told them what had occurred. All hands were at once turned out and a thorough search of the ship made, alow and aloft, but no Sullivan was found.

Now the tables were turned on the mate and I think we were all pleased to see it, as although we liked him, yet we considered in this case he had carried things a little too far. The Captain did not object to Sullivan being driven aloft, he did not object to his getting a kick or two, nor to him being made walk the deck for two watches with the handspike, neither do I think he particularly objected to his being drowned, as far as that was concerned, because he looked upon him as a useless burden; but what he did object to was the fact that there would be sure to be an official enquiry into it when we got back to England, and he would be accused of allowing brutality on board the ship, and might get into serious trouble over it. He therefore vented his wrath upon the mate in no measured language and ordered him to his room, while he retired to his cabin and tried to drown his trouble in a joy of punch, as we could plainly see when we next saw him. But again the little cherub interposed for Sullivan. It was about half an hour after this that I went to strike eight bells, while the second mate walked over to the lee rail to look how she was going through the water—when he called out excitedly, "George, look here!" As soon as I reached him he pointed down to the mizzen-chains and said, "That's either Sullivan or his ghost." Well, of course, it wasn't his ghost, but it was Sullivan sure enough, sitting down in the mizzen chains, bare-headed and bare-footed, with his feet draggling in the water. He would not answer when called to, so a rope had again to be brought into requisition and he was hoisted on deck. He afterwards explained that he intended to lower himself gently into the sea and drown himself, but when he felt the water with his feet his courage failed him.

Of course the mate was released and the affair was, so to speak, forgotten, but it came near killing Sullivan and never made a sailor of him, for although he continued the whole voyage round world with us, he never afterwards went further aloft than the main yard.

Business Directory.

The following Business Directory relates only to persons whose advertisements appear in the British Columbian. It has been found true, as a rule, that persons who advertise liberally are liberal in their dealings, and many persons make it a rule to give preference in their dealings to those establishments which advertise freely. The following list is arranged alphabetically:

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

MEDICAL.

Dr. H. M. Cooper.....Church St
Dr. I. M. McLean.....McKenzie St
Dr. DeWolfe Smith.....Clarkson St

DENTAL.

C. E. C. Brown.....Columbia st
E. A. Smith.....McKenzie st

INSURANCE.

W. J. Armstrong [fire].....Court House
H. V. Edmonds.....McKenzie St
T. R. Pearson [fire & life].....Columbia St
Rand Bros. [fire, life & ac'd't], McKenzie St
Branch Offices at Vancouver & Vic.
Turner, Beeton & Co, [fire].....Victoria
Woods, Turner & Gamble
[fire, life & accident].....Columbia St

REAL ESTATE AGENCIES.

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

ARCHITECT, &c.

Clow & Maclure.....Columbia st
G. W. Grant.....McKenzie St

CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.

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

FURNITURE.

W. E. Fales.....Columbia st

UNDERTAKING.

W. E. Fales.....Columbia st

BRICK-MAKERS.

Beckett & Co.....McKenzie st

AUCTIONEERS.

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

AGENTS FOR MACHINERY, &c.

Fraser & Leonard.....Vancouver

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

T. R. Pearson.....Columbia St
H. Peters.....Victoria, B. C.

PRINTING & RULING.

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

STOVES & TINWARE.

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

GAS FITTINGS.

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

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

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

DRY GOODS, &c.

Bon Marche.....Columbia St
Jas. Ellard & Co.....Columbia St
W. Rae.....Columbia st

HARDWARE.

H. T. Read & Co.....Columbia st

DRESSMAKING.

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

TAILORING.

S. A. Fekete.....Columbia st
F. M. Leahy.....Columbia st

WOOD & COAL.

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

DRUGS, &c.

D. S. Curtis & Co.....Columbia St
A. M. Herring.....Columbia st

BUTCHERS.

Robt. Dickinson.....Columbia St

WATCHMAKERS & JEWELERS

F. Crake.....Columbia St
Thomas Gifford.....Front st

BLACKSMITHING & CARRIAGE WORKS.

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

HOTELS.

Farmers Home [Holden].....Church St
St. Alice Hotel.....Harrison Hot Springs

LIVERY, &C.

Mainland Transfer Co.....Columbia St

BOOTS & SHOES.

Grant & Maclure.....Columbia st
H. Kells.....Columbia St
W. C. Loye.....Clarkson st
Wm. Ross.....Columbia St

BAKERY.

A. Diebel.....Front St

NURSERIES.

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

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

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Pendray & Co.....Victoria

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au12c E. HUTCHERSON.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

SPRING ASSIZES.

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

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland]

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

[On Vancouver Island]

Victoria.....Monday.....26th November.
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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these Presents shall come,—Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION.

P. E. Irving, *Deputy Attorney-General.* } Whereas it is provided by Section 3, of an Act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia, in the fiftieth year of Our reign, intituled "An Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" that the said Act shall not come into force until a day to be named in a Proclamation by the Lieutenant-Governor and published in the *British Columbia Gazette.* And whereas our said Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice of his Executive Council, has been pleased to name the Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said Act shall come into force.

NOW KNOW YE therefore that in pursuance thereof, We do hereby proclaim the said Thirty-first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, as the day on which the said "Act to repeal (in part) the 'Sumas Dyking Act, 1878,'" shall come into force.

In Testimony Wherefor, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honourable Hugh Nelson, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this twenty-sixth day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and in the fifty-first year of Our Reign.

By Command.

T. Elwyn,
dwoc8tal Deputy Provincial Secty.

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D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Farm for Sale.....J. Hoskin
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Daily British Columbian

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 29, 1887.

Don't forget St. Andrew's dinner to-morrow night at Hyack hall.

The str. Stella will go over to Vancouver to-morrow morning with a scow load of lumber in tow.

The artillery paraded in the drill shed last night for heavy gun drill. *The attendance was not what it should* have been.

Seven carloads of freight arrived from the east this morning, among which were three carloads of cattle from Kamloops.

Fish are still reluctant to become entangled in the nets, and dealers, in dispair, have fallen back on their stock of frozen salmon.

240 barrels of sugar from Montreal, and 1987 sacks of flour from Winnipeg, consigned to Victoria merchants, arrived on Sunday.

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.*

Four gun carriages for "C" battery have arrived from Ottawa, and are lying on the C.P.R. wharf awaiting transportation to Victoria.

Wolves are reported very numerous on the other side of Burrard Inlet, and a party of bold hunters from Vancouver has been organized to clean them out.

The city council last night decided upon presenting an address of welcome to Sir Adolphe Caron, minister of militia, on the occasion of his visit to this city.

In our notice of the Presbyterian Social on Thanksgiving day we inadvertently stated that it was held in the church. It was held in the skating rink.

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The str. Dunsmuir arrived from Nanaimo yesterday and went down to the mouth of the river for a load of hay. In future the Dunsmuir will make two trips weekly to Nanaimo, leaving this city on Wednesdays and Sundays.

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Game is getting scarce again and it seems as if the Indians are all enjoying a holiday from hunting. The game dealers are becoming desperate and threaten to go out themselves and slaughter enough to keep the market supplied for a couple of months.

The steamer Irving arrived down from Chilliwhack this afternoon with a number of passengers and the following cargo: 123 sacks potatoes, 179 sacks grain, 80 boxes apples, 3 bales furs, 12 bales hay, 7 bdls hides and 9 boxes chickens. She leaves for Hope to-morrow morning.

A Californian who is largely interested in the fur seal industry says that sealskins are scarce simply because the trade limits the supply. The sealcatchers agree on the total number that they will put on the market and report to the London and Paris furriers, who meet every year and decide on prices.

The str. Yosemite arrived from Victoria at 4 o'clock this afternoon with the following passengers: Mrs. T. L. Briggs, Miss Wood, Mrs. Tate, Dr. McLeod, M. Nelson, Col. McGregor, T. A. McInnis, F. C. Gamble, A. R. Johnstone, Ed. Goudy, J. Crawford, W. H. Ladner. Her freight consisted of 30 tons for this city and 25 tons for the railway.

H. A. McLaughlin, Norland, writes: "I am sold out of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. It sells well, and I find in every instance it has proven satisfactory. I have reason to believe it the best preparation of the kind in the market." It cures Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Torpidity of the Liver, Constipation, and all diseases arising from Impure Blood, Female Complaints, etc.

St. Andrew's Day.

To-morrow will be St. Andrew's Day and on every continent of the globe the Sons of Auld Scotia will gather to do honor to her patron saint. In British Columbia the day will be celebrated as enthusiastically as in any other part of the continent. Victoria and Kamloops will celebrate the occasion by holding the usual dinners. Vancouver will give the grandest ball of the season, and in Westminster the Sons of Scotland will gather round the festive board and in harmony and brotherly love recall the happy memories of "Auld Lang Syne."

The Teacher Bounced.

Yesterday morning, when Mr. J. B. Henderson, one of the school trustees, proceeded to the school house in order to introduce the new teacher, he found that Mr. Robinson was teaching his class as usual. Mr. Henderson ordered him to desist, but he refused, and the former went for police assistance. Mr. Robinson was again requested to leave, but refused, and the policeman then put his hand on the teacher's shoulder and ordered him to leave, which the latter did under protest. It is understood that Mr. Robinson will take legal proceedings. —*Vancouver News.*

The Civic Elections.

The coming civic elections are beginning to absorb a great deal of public curiosity and interest. How many of the councillors, now serving their term of office, will run again, and how many of them will retire from the field of civic glory, are questions which as yet cannot be answered with any degree of correctness. It is evident though that the new council will number several who have never sat at the board before, and consequently some of the familiar forms which have decorated the table for many months past will be missed at the first meeting of the new council.

The Sunken Steamer.

Capt. Grant, of the snag-boat Samson, has succeeded in landing the steamer Gladys on the sandbar opposite Brownsville. A large barge is made fast on one side of the wreck and the snag-boat has a strong grip on the other side. The bar, on which the steamer now lies, runs in a slanting direction towards the shore and at every high tide the Samson is dragging her nearer the land. At each low tide, when the steamer is resting on the bar, a shorter grip is taken and when the water rises again further progress shorewards is made. It is expected the Gladys will be landed high and dry on the beach to-morrow night and then the work of pumping her out will be commenced. Her owners think she will be ready to leave for up-river ports on Saturday.

Police Court.

Before T. C. Atkinson, P. M.

Ah Sing, charged with stealing three pairs of pants from C. McDonough's store, was found guilty and sentenced to six months imprisonment with hard labor.

John McKay was arrested for being drunk and was admitted to bail in the sum of $5. John did not appear to answer the charge and the bail was forfeited.

Ah Hoe, charged with receiving a pair of pants knowing them to have been stolen. The prisoner who, by the way, is a highbinder, brought forward a witness, Chue Yen, who swore he was along with Ah Hoe, in Victoria, when the pants were purchased. He also identified the pants as the pair purchased. The chief of police, suspecting that false swearing would be resorted to, *to clear the prisoner*, substituted a pair of his own breeches in the place of the stolen ones. The *witness, on being shown the pants that* were stolen, said he had never seen them before. It was evident from this that Chue Yen was *perjuring himself* and that his evidence was wholly untrue.

His Honor sentenced Ah Hoe to three months in jail with hard labor.

The Manchester Marthyrs.

LIMERICK, Nov. 28.—The attempt to hold a demonstration here in honor of the "Manchester Martyrs" was frustrated by the police, and resulted in a serious riot. John McInnermey, of New York, who came here to preside over the ceremony of unveiling the statues of the martyrs, proceeded to deliver an oration in the presence of *an immense crowd of people, when* the police appeared on the scene and forbade any futher exercises. The crowd *hooted and jeered* the police, and the latter attempted to disperse the gathering and clear the streets, *using their bayonets and batons freely.* This summary action infuriated the people, who made a desperate resistance, and many civilians and constables were injured in the melee and taken to the hospital. The unwarrantable brutality of the police incensed the people in the houses and hotels along the streets, who taunted the constables from the windows with their cowardice. The police became restless at this and threw stones and other missiles, most of them throwing their staves at the windows, smashing hundreds of panes of glass, and inflicting severe cuts upon some persons who were unable to get out of the way. Meanwhile the resistance of the people in the streets, who resorted to the use of stones and every conceiveable form of missile, became so formidable that the police were compelled to send for the military to aid them. The troops appeared, but they were not called into active service, as the municipal officers of the city had succeeded in quieting the people and inducing them to return to their homes. The town was perfectly quiet at 11 o'clock tonight, and no further trouble is expected. Thirty wounded persons were treated in the hospitals, and a larger number were taken, or were able to walk to their homes.

Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

City Council.

The council met last evening at 8:15 o'clock for the transaction of the usual business. Present Councillors Bonson, Duncan, Reid, Curtis, Shiles and Elliott.

On motion Coun. Elliott took the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Bishop of New Westminster stating that the council had possession of half the lot on which he was requested to build a sidewalk, and as he had not been paid for the lot he did not think it fair to ask him to build unless the city intended laying their share.

It was moved seconded and carried that the city lay the sidewalk and charge the same to His Lordship.

From S. H. Webb, *asking for a stove* to be placed in Hyack Hall. Referred to Fire committee with power to act.

From Thos. Levi *asking permission* to occupy a portion of Columbia street, while making improvements. *Referred to Board of Works with power* the act.

From F. Welcome McCrady asking that the balance due him by the council be paid to Mrs. McCrady, and asking for arbitration on the disputed account Received.

From C. McDonough and others stating that the Sisters of Providence are desirous of making certain improvements on Agnes street, and would like to close a portion of Irving street. As the change would enhance the value of property in that vicinity the adjacent property owners were willing the street be closed. Referred to the city solicitor for a legal opinion as to the power of the council in the matter.

From C. Wintemute asking for lumber to cover the bridge he is building in rear of his property. Laid over.

From Benjamin Worth asking that Gloucester street he made passable for teams as he intended to build. Referred to the Board of works.

ACCOUNTS.

F. W. McCrady, $122.00; Jos. M. Wise, $171.50; Wintemute Bros., $6.00.

Coun. Duncan moved that the amendment to the Woolen mill by-law be read a first time. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Curtis seconded by Coun. Shiles that the city sue all tax payers delinquent up to 1st. January 1887. Carried.

Moved by Council Curtis seconded by Coun. Shiles that the clerk be instructed to apply to the land owners direct for the payment of taxes. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Curtis seconded by Coun. Shiles that all corporation works be suspended for the balance of the year, except those that are absolutely necessary. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Reid, seconded by Coun. Curtis that the board of works be instructed to make certain improvements in St. Andrews ward. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Curtis, seconded by Coun. Shiles that an auditor be appoined to audit the years accounts. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Curtis, *seconded* by Coun. Shiles that the city tender an address of welcome to Sir Adolphe *Caron, minister of militia, on his visit* to this city- Carried.

It was moved that the by-law for the *regulation of the election of a mayor* and council for the year 1888 be read a first time. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Bonson seconded by Coun. Shiles that the different committees hand in a list with the approximate value of all the city property in their various departments. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Shiles, seconded by Coun. Curtis that a committee be appointed to name all the streets unnamed in the city property. Carried.

Councillors Curtis, Duncan and Shiles were appointed.

The council then adjourned until 8 o'clock next Monday night.

Latest Canadian News.

OTTAWA, Nov. 25.—Richard Hardisty, of Edmonton, who is now in Ottawa, says the Indian population around Edmonton is being exterminated by measles.

The repeal of the Scott Act was carried by 28 majority in Charlettetown, Prince Edward Island.

In the election case against Sir John Macdonald in Kingston there are thirty-nine charges of bribery by giving or promising to give money for votes. In other cases travelling expenses and presents are among the inducements offered to get votes for the Premier. One party received a carpet, and another goods below cost, while the Premier is said to have made a vote by promising to get the voter's grandson out of the reformatory prison. Personation and intimidation are also charged. The approaching trial is causing great excitement in political circles.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.—Editor Shepperd was arraigned before the Montreal Courts yesterday for libel on the 65th *regiment, and remanded until Saturday* The officers demanded the payment of five thousand dollars and costs and an ample apology.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 25.—The civic deputation had a long interview with the local government yesterday afternoon relative to the Holt contract. Ample assurances were given by Holt of the interest of the Northern Pacific in the matter. Assurances were given that the work will be prosecuted immediately if the money is put up. The matter was adjourned until Monday, pending the return of Mayor Jones from the west.

Railroad returns show that only three million bushels, or about one-third the wheat crop of Manitoba, has as yet been sent out of the country.

An effort is to be made to find a market for Manitoba wheat in France.

The Winnipeg grain produce exchange was formally organized yesterday with Col. McMillan president.

Mr. Van Horne arrived this morning and left for the west with Mr. Whyte. It is his intention to make a complete inspection of the line from ocean to ocean. Particular attention is to be paid to the snow sheds.

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W. C. VanHorne, general manager C.P.R., arrived in Vancouver this afternoon from Montreal. Mr. Van Horne is making a thorough inspection of the line, and the snowsheds in particular.

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs.	$ 7 00 @ 0 00
Pork	"	8 00 @ 9 00
Mutton	"	8 00 @ 9 00
Hides(gr'n)	"	5 50 @ 6 00
Potatoes	"	1 00 @ 0 00
Cabbage	"	0 75 @ 0 00
Onions	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @ 1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Hay,	per ton	20 00 @ 22 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb.	0 35 @ 0 30
Cheese,	"	0 20 @ 0 00
Eggs,	per doz.	0 40 @ 0 50
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @ 4 00

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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-de2tc

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,
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