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Tuesday Evening, April 10, 1888.

Chilliwhack Council.

Council met on the 2nd inst. Present, the Reeve and Couns Chadsey, Wells, Kennedy, Wilder and Armstrong. The minutes were amended by recinding the motion adopting the reeve's report, in reference to Knight Bros. bill, for lumber furnished for Hope slough bridge. On motion a road 40 feet wide was ordered to be opened, commencing at the N. W. corner of the S. W. section of section 12; thence east along the south line of lot 281; thence north along the east line of said lot 281, until it reaches the corner of W. Holland's lot; thence all the road to be taken off Edwin Tait's lot, to where it intersects the gazetted road. On motion the petition of A. Evans and others was granted; road to be opened by by-law. Communications were read from T. Caulbick, M. McSween, Wm. Dolan, John McDonald and Chas. Bell, in reference to certain roads in the municipality; from Maple Ridge council, with regard to the amendment to the municipality act; from W. S. Gore, surveyor-general, in reference to Vedder Creek bridge; from John Sprott, in reference to specifications for Vedder Creek bridge; from Westminster city council, acknowledging receipt of the offer of this council, in connection with the advertising folder. Bills were handed in from B. C. *Gazette*, $10 for publishing by-laws No. 23 and 24; W. N. Bole, $247; B. C. Printing Co., for blank receipts and assessment slips $7; Henderson Bros., $90.90; John Mercer, $50; and E. Chapman, $5, orders for supplies on Hope slough bridge; T. Caulbick, $25 for brushing section line for road. On motion the time for receiving tenders for work on the road leading from Hope slough to Camp slough, was extended till the 7th May. On motion the collector was instructed to collect the road tax. On motion the clerk was instructed to return the auditors statement to Wm. A. Davidson for completion, as it did not show a correct account of the liabilities of the corporation. On motion the petition of P. McGee and others was laid over till the next meeting for further consideration. On motion the clerk was instructed to notify Mr. H. Kipp to settle the costs in the suit of Ashwell vs. corporation of Chilliwhack, amounting to $307. 95. On motion the clerk was instructed to write to Messrs. Corbould & McColl for a copy of Henry Kipp's bond, given to the corporation. On motion the clerk was instructed to notify Mr. J. Lumsden, that if his contract is not completed by the 30th April, it will be cancelled. Tenders were opened for repairing the landing road. Only one was received, that of J. Menzie, 45 cts. per yard for gravel delivered, which was accepted. For the ditch on McGuire's road, two tenders were received, P. H. McGee $1.50 per rod; John Campbell $1.40 per rod, both of which were considered too high, and new tenders asked for, to be in on the 7th May. For corduroying on Nelmer & Chapman's road, only one tender, J. Chapman, $1.25 per rod, which was accepted. On motion the clerk was instructed to notify A. C. Thomson, contractor for Hope slough bridge, and J. W. Thomson, his bondsman, that if the bridge is not completed by the 15th inst., the council will proceed against them for damages. On motion T. Caulbick's communication was laid over till the council could find out whether the road in question was gazetted or not. On motion an order was drawn on the treasurer for $23 in favor of A. Ennis. On motion the clerk was instructed to notify G. R. Ashwell and J. C. Henderson (bondsmen for P. H. McGee and Hugh Ramsay, contractors for Atchlitz bridge), that the contract is not finished according to specifications. On motion the clerk was instructed to notify all parties who have presented bills to the corporation, for supplies, or work done for A. C. & J. W. Thomson on the Hope slough bridge, that the council have decided to have the contractors finish the bridge, and that they will not accept the orders. Council adjourned to meet again on May 7th.

H. Gladden, West Shefford, P. Q., writes: "For a number of years I have been afflicted with rheumatism. Two years ago I was attacked very severely. I suffered a great deal of pain, from which I was not free for a day, until last spring, when I began to use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and I rejoice to say it has cured me, for which I am thankful."

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BY TELEGRAPH.

A Royal Marriage---Dr. Mackenzie's Decoration---Condemning Bismarck---The Abyssinian War Ended.

A Railroad Boom Commenced in Manitoba---The Japanese Fire Record---Emigration to Canada.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

A BOOM IN ELIGRANTS.

LONDON, April 9.—This week will see a large emigration to Canada, the Allan line despatch the steamers Sardinian and Siberian on Thursday with 2000 persons, a large proportion having capital, while others are joining friends. An equally large number follows during the next few weeks. A noticeable feature of the season's emigration promises to be that from the continent. Though the season has only just commenced the numbers that have already proceeded to Manitoba from the continent show an increase of 157 per cent. over 1887, 570 per cent. over 1886, 1454 per cent. over 1885 and the further prospects for this season are most gratifying. This is irrespective of the annually increasing emigration from Iceland.

CANADA STILL LEADS.

LONDON, April 9.—The Lacrosse match against Queen's College, Cambridge, resulted Toronto 6, Cambridge past and present 1. It was a splendid exhibition and a large crowd were present. The Canadians play the South Essex on Saturday.

HOMEWARD BOUND.

WASHINGTON, April 9.—Mr. Blaine has engaged his steamer passage for the United States and will sail on June 16th. The convention at Chicago will meet on June, 19th, and will nominate Mr. Blaine, who will at that time be about midway across the Atlantic. His sailing 3 days before the convention meets will cut off all personal communication with him and enable his friends to rush his nomination through the convention without any question as to whether he will accept it.

LIVELY MEETINGS.

DUBLIN, April 9.— At Loughrea, Mr. O'Brien tried to hold a meeting. He attempted to speak to a crowd numbering 4000 persons who had assembled on the outskirts of the town. As they proceeded to the place of meeting, the police and millitary obstructed the way and would not allow them to pass. Mr. O'Brien addressed the authorities and said he alone was responsible for the meeting and insisted upon his right to address his fellow-citizens. The police, however, raided the advancing crowd which was headed by Father Meagher. The latter counselled the people not to resist the police, but to be quiet, and the field was soon cleared. Mr. O'Brien continued to speak while the police were dispersing the crowd. At Killrush, county Clare, this afternoon, 6,000 persons assembled to participate in the proclaimed meeting of the nation league that was announced to be held there. Almost as soon as they assembled, the police, who had been awaiting their movements, charged upon them, and injured a number of them. They also demolished the triumphal arches that had been erected, and treated the crowd in a very rough manner. A riot seemed imminent, and the Berkshire regiment, which had been sent there for the occasion, with bayonets fixed charged upon the crowd, wounding many of them. They succeeded in restoring order, and finally the people dispersed. At Macroom, County Cork, Dr. Tanner, M. P. attempted to hold a meeting of the league which had been proclaimed, but he was ejected by the police, and the meeting broken up. Dr. Tanner burned a copy of the government proclamation early in the meeting at Macroom. Davitt and John O'Connor, with Father Corry, and other league leaders left Carmady's hotel at Ennis this afternoon and drove ten miles into the country. They were closely followed by a company of 80 Hussars, under Colonel Turner. Commoner Conden remained in Ennis by a pre-contracted arrangement, and attempted to hold a meeting there. The police, however, had been advised of the Nationalist's plan, and raided the meeting place, injuring some of the people in their attack. Fifty arrests were made.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

A ROYAL MARRIAGE.

BERLIN, Apr. 10.—Prince Bismarck, who is in better health to-day, had a prolonged interview with Herr Von Benning, leader of the national liberal party, and it is announced that the marriage of Prince Henry of Prussia and Princess Irene will take place in Berlin on May 24th.

MEDICO'S DECORATED.

BERLIN, April 10.—The decoration presented to Sir Morrell Mackenzie by the Emperor Frederick, yesterday, is the order, jewel and badge of the House of Hohenzollern. Tears stood in his eyes as he thanked the man who, he said, had saved his life. Dr. Hovell received, as assistant to Dr. Mackenzie, the decoration of the second class of the order of the Crown of Prussia.

CONVERTING INDIANS.

KANSAS CITY, April 10.—Advices from the Indian Territory say that 40 farmers of Ashland and other Southern Kansas points, organized a vigilance committee last week and made a raid on a band of Indians. Four of the band were captured and strung up to the nearest trees. Nine more were chased into the sandhills of the Cherokee strip and are now surrounded in a dugout. They refuse to surrender and the farmers propose to starve them out and hang them.

FARMERS DROWNED.

MANKOTA, Minn., 10.— The first loss of life reported in connection with the floods in this section, took place yesterday between New Ulm and Judson. Four farmers with their teams attempted to cross on the ice below the gorge at Judson, and three of them were overwhelmed by a portion of the breaking gorge and drowned.

A RAILROAD BOOM IN MANITOBA.

WINNIPEG, April 10.—The cessation of the railroad monopoly in this province has brought in its train an unprecedented boom in railroad enterprizes. Charters have been applied for to construct two branches through the southwestern part of the province, irrespective of the Red River Valley system. The latter, it is promised, will be finished by Dominion day, when the opening will be celebrated. It is reported that the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba will throw three branches across the boundary this year, all within a comparatively short distance of each other. Special efforts are being made to induce immigration.

THIS AFTERNOON'S DESPATCHES.

THE JAPANESE FIRE RECORD.

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 10.—The steamer Parthia arrived yesterday with Japanese advices up to the 26th March, from which are clipped the following: "A fire at Yakagawa on the 6th March destroyed 45 houses.

Two earthquakes were felt at Tokio on the 16th, but no damage was done.

On the 18th of March a fire broke out on the steamer Hyakkan Maru, in Harimanada inland sea. Out of 67 passengers on board, 16 lost their lives. The captain and several firemen were severely injured.

The chief judge of Neoboka county was among the lost. Two thousand four hundred packages of cargo were burnt and the vessel partially destroyed.

Fire broke out on the 18th of March at Sapparo, and destroyed 150 houses and two telegraph posts.

Small-pox at Hongkong has almost disappeared, and all fears of an epidemic are over.

Fire at Ikeshimura Nakogori on the 20th destroyed 16 houses, and another fire on the same date at Kashiwazaki Boshue resulted in the destruction of 340 houses.

THE MINNESOTA FLOODS.

ST. PAUL, April 10.—The Minnesota is gorged about five miles above Mankato, and a mass of ice and drift debris may any moment be hurled upon the river bridge. Breakwaters above the bridge are under several feet of water, while drifting trees and logs strike the bridge, and have to be cut loose. The stream is now from one and one half to two miles wide in many places. North Mankato, comprising a tract of nearly 200 acres, and containing 300 families, is entirely submerged, and portions of west Mankato is in a like situation. Boats are being used in rescuing those in danger. Enormous destruction of property will occur if the stream continues to rise.

CONDEMNING BISMARCK.

LONDON, April 10.—Vienna papers condemn the rough and heartless resource to newspaper publicity in order to bully the ill and wearied Kaiser into wearing the Bismarckian collar, even in his family affairs. There has been conflicting rumors to-day as to the queen's intentions to abandon her Berlin visit, but the best advices are that she will go.

CARNEGIE'S CASTLE.

LONDON, April 10.—Andrew Carnegie has leased Cluny castle in Inverneshire, Scotland.

KING JOHN DISAPPEARS.

MASSOWAH, April 10.—The Italian troops which are to return to Europe will commence to embark on Friday. A corps of occupation, consisting of 5000 men, will remain behind. The heat is intense. No Abyssinian forces can be seen.

LAND FORFEITED.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—A bill, general in its character, forfeiting all lands opposite the railroad lines not completed within the time specified by law, was agreed to by the house committee on Pacific railroads to-day. The April statiscian returns to the department of agriculture show that the yield will be smaller than usual in all the largest producing states.

CHOLERA DYING OUT.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Advices from Valparaiso state that cholera in infected districts of Chili is rapidly dying out.

THE QUEEN'S VISIT.

BERLIN, April 10.—Queen Victoria will arrive at Charlottenburg at the end of the week. Her majesty will stay at the palace. Preparations for her reception are being made.

WINNING NUMBERS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 10.—The following are the winning numbers of large prizes in to-day's drawing of the Louisana lottery: 1st, 12615; 2nd, 19862; 3rd, 10079; 4th, 85175; 5th, 36629; 6th, 25957; 7th, 57856; 8th, 30679; 9th, 27161.

BOULANGER EVADES THE TRUTH.

PARIS, April 10.—The private despatches which passed between Count Dillon and Gen. Boulanger, and which have been published, prove that Boulanger was cognizant of, and approved, his candidature for the chambers of deputies in the various departments in which he was first voted for, although he publicly repudiated all responsibility for the presentation of his name.

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A Costly Establishment.

In the provincial estimates for this year we notice the sum of $4,850 set down for the government house at Victoria. Last year the sum appropriated for this establishment was $3,400. From 1880 to the end of the current fiscal year the cost of maintaining the government house has been $30,699, and the appropriation asked for this year will make it $35,549 for the eight years. This seems a large sum. No one will say that the lieutenant-governor should not have a residence somewhat in keeping with the dignity of his position, and that it ought to be well furnished, but an examination of the items which compose these large sums leads us to wonder what sort of a place it can be after all. In eight years the amount expended for "repairs" is $7,960—almost sufficient to erect a new residence good enough for a governor. The cost of furniture during that period was $8,150, and $1,800 for "fencing." The public may wonder what extent of real estate surrounds the gubernatorial mansion when it takes $1,800 to fence it. But there is another feature about this establishment which strikes one as peculiar, and that is the constant recurrence of repairs and fencing. Of the sum proposed to be voted for government house this year, $1,500 is for repairs, $1,000 for furniture, and $500 for fencing. Standing by themselves these sums may not seem large, but we find that last year $250 was appropriated for repairs to government house, $500 for furniture, and $200 for fencing. It 1886 we had $250 for repairs, $450 for furniture and $390 for fencing. The previous year it stood, $400 for repairs, $550 for furniture, and $100 for fencing. In 1884 it was $300 for repairs, $300 for furniture, and $75 for fencing. It is to be hoped that this place may be securely fenced in the course of time; but one may be pardoned for wondering if it wouldn't be cheaper in the long run to build a new government house and fence instead of throwing away such large sums every year on the present establishment.

Better Late than Never.

Although rather late in the day, the telegram from Mr. D. Chisholm, M. P., to the city council, confirms the general reports in respect to the monopoly clause and disallowance. Of course the readers of THE COLUMBIAN knew a week ago that a settlement had been reached between the Canadian government and the C. P. R. which secured the abandonment of the monopoly clause. This agreement necessarily carried with it the abandonment of disallowance, and disallowance is the only thing that ever stood in the way of the Westminster Southern Railway. The monopoly clause, it is well known, never applied either to British Columbia or Manitoba; but the government of Sir John seems to have made a secret bargain with the syndicate that no charters for competing roads in these provinces would be allowed. If the extinguishment of the monopoly clause did not carry with it free railway construction to the border, it would be an empty concession; for the federal government could go on pursuing the very policy of disallowance which has caused so much friction and discontent. No one knows better than Sir John that the temper of the people of Manitoba is such as to make trifling in such a matter dangerous. The circumstances make it absolutely necessary that disallowance should be abandoned, and undoubtedly this follows the extinguishment of monopoly. It is asserted that Mr. Greenway has had a satisfactory interview with the managers of the Grand Trunk and Northern Pacific and other railways which are in a position to compete for the carrying trade of Manitoba and the northwest, and it is expected that one or more competing lines will be extended into that region during the present season. Already the fruits of the new policy are abundantly appearing. Immigrants are pouring into the country, and the shares of the C. P. R., instead of falling, have advanced to a point never before reached. The new policy will surely be of immense advantage to the whole of the country lying west of Lake Superior, and we are persuaded it will also benefit the great Canadian transcontinental railway itself. With respect to British Columbia, the advantage will be considerable. The C. P. R. trade with the sound and Oregon and California has developed into large proportions; but the trade is carried on under difficulties. Goods coming from the eastern states for these points are carried through Canada in bond, in sealed cars. At Vancouver the cars must remain sealed until the steamer arrives to take the goods to their destination, as the U. S. government refuses to permit them to be placed in a bonded warehouse there. If the C. P. R. had connection with the Pacific coast system by the Westminster Southern, this difficulty would be removed. The sealed cars would be sent through to their destination without transhipment, and the goods would be delivered in much better shape than they can be under existing arrangements.

Late Canadian News.

QUEBEC, April 4.—Mercier's organ says that the Protestants will shortly have a representative in the cabinet.

MONTREAL, April 4.—The *Gazette*, in a long article on the monopoly question, admits in a round-about way that the basis of settlement is as stated in the London *Financial News*, viz: The government guarantees C. P. R. bonds to the extent of $14,000,000, thereby enabling the company to procure money at 3½ instead of 5 per cent., thus saving a large amount in interest. The article intimates that special efforts will be made to improve and maintain the North Shore section.

The Canadian Pacific has completed the purchase of the Waterloo and Magog road, portions of which will be used as a short line to the Atlantic. The Grand Trunk has acquired the Central Stanstead, Shefford and Chambly. Both roads have been hitherto operated by the Central Vermont at a loss.

WINNIPEG, April 5.—Mr. Greenway, speaking in St. Paul, said it was possible that both the Northern Pacific and Manitoba roads would have running powers over the Red River Valley line, which would be owned by the Manitoba government. He said possibly the Manitoba road will purchase the Emerson branch from the C. P. R. The American roads are anxious to tap Manitoba, and the territories to the west, in half a dozen places.

OTTAWA, April 5.—The Manitoba & Northwestern road has got its bill, reducing the number of miles to be constructed each year to twenty, through the legislative committee of the House of Commons.

The Minister of Justice has introduced a bill to amend the election act. Among the provisions is one that the elections in the Northwest Territories and British Columbia shall take place on the same date as in other provinces.

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Vancouver, B.C., 6th April, 1888. dap9td

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JAMES McINTOSH.
New West., B.C., March 29, 1888. dmh29m

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
28th March, 1888.

The following telegram from His Excellency the Governor-General to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, in reply to a telegram from His Honour, stating that it was understood that parties fitting out for Behring's Sea were arming for the purpose of resisting seizure, is published for general information.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

TELEGRAM.

OTTAWA, 27th March, 1888.

TO LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, VICTORIA.

Your Government should issue public notice cautioning persons going on Sealing expeditions to refrain from assertion of their rights by force, and from taking on board arms and ammunition in excess of their usual requirements. The whole matter is engaging the attention of Her Majesty's Government and forms the subject of diplomatic negotiations now in progress. Any intemperate action in the meanwhile would be most detrimental to British Columbian interests and might lead to serious complications and be followed by grave consequences to those concerned.

[Signed], LANSDOWNE.

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A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT of Kootenay will be held at Donald, on Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1888.

By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th March, 1888. dmh26m1

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HER REVENGE.

"How pretty your cousin is! Paul Rosslyn said, lazily, to Miss Bertha May, as they stood in a cozy corner of a crowded saloon watching the dancing.

"Yes," Bertha replied, her eyes following a little figure in blue, dancing with the keen enjoyment and zest that come only to the very young. "She will be pretty when her manners are more formed and she gets over her boyden tricks."

"I like a tom-boy girl," was the reply. "Mind, I don't mean a fast woman. That is simply detestable; but a girl who is natural and has the fresh vivacity of youth."

"You will find plenty of fresh vivacity in Bella," Bertha replied, dryly. "She is rather overpowering to my taste, though I love her dearly.

Then a mustached, perfumed exquisite claimed Miss May for a gallop, and Paul Rosslyn was left alone in his corner. A tall, broad-shouldered man, with a face of faultless regularity of feature; large gray eyes, whose color changed with every emotion, and a languid manner, that suited well the slight, very slight, drawl in his voice.

The little figure he was watching was most unlike the stately blonde with whom he had been conversing, the daughter of his hostess.

Isabelle Huntley was neither blonde nor brunette, having a fresh, clear complexion, large brown eyes, and a profusion of short, nut-brown curls, that nestled closely round her shapely little head. She was small and thin, being at the age when *scragginess is fully developed*, and her movements were far too abrupt for grace; yet she was pretty, too, as she lifted her great eyes to her partner's face and revealed a row of milk white teeth in some laughing remark.

When she sat down near her aunt, Paul sauntered across the room and commenced a conversation with Mrs. May, which led, as he hoped it would, to an introduction to "my niece, Miss Huntley."

"This is our nearest neighbor, Bella," the lady said; "so you will meet him often this summer." And Bella, too entirely unconscious of her selfhood to be bashful, held out her gloved hand, and gave Mr. Rosslyn a schoolgirl's grip of welcome.

Mrs. May left them together, and Bella opened a conversation by informing the gentleman that she knew all about him. No reply following this startling piece of information, she added:

"Bertha drove me past your place yesterday as we came from the depot, and she told me you had just come from Europe because your father died—oh, I did not mean to say that; please pardon me if I hurt your feelings."

"You did not," he said slowly, watching with lazy admiration the quick changes of the expressive face.

"I thought how awfully jolly it must be to own that lovely house and grounds and do just as you please. When I leave school I've *got to teach*, you know, in the city; so all the country I ever see is what I find in vacation when Bertha has me down here. Bertha is very good to me," she added, gratefully.

"Is she?" questioned Paul, amused at her frankness.

"Awfully!" with a great sigh. "I've got no father nor mother, only Uncle Frank, and he's in China—and Aunt May. But Bertha tries to make up in vacation for the lonesomeness the rest of the time. Why, do you know, she gave me this party just to please me? I do so love dancing."

"Will you waltz now?" said Paul; and in a moment he had taken a place among the dancers, and was waltzing with the easy grace of motion that is positive luxury to one who loves dancing for its own sake.

After the waltz was over he led his partner to a vine covered balcony, where they paced up and down in the summer starlight and chatted of many things. Something in the frank, bright vivacity of Bella Huntley had a great charm for the world-weary man, who had traveled through the best society of two continents, and had his heart still his own, though it had been badly bruised and punctured in his thirty years of life's warfare.

They talked of pictures, and Paul invited Bella to view the collection he had brought from abroad; of books, and he promised her some not procurable in this country; of music, and he had an "Erard" that nobody opened.

Looking back, after her head pressed the pillow, Bella wondered if there was ever such a delightful party and the walk on the balcony, the soft eyes of Paul Rosslyn, were certainly most prominent in the delights of the evening.

And he, smoking a cigar in his lonely library, yawned and voted all parties a "bore," country seat gatherings worst of all.

"In the city one can escape on plea of another engagement," he thought, and then his musing took another form, and he concluded that he most marry and settle down.

The home of Mrs. May being separated from that of Mr. Rosslyn by only a slight iron fence, it was but natural the young man should find himself often in his neighbor's grounds strolling under the trees in the morning, playing croquet in the afternoon or sentimentalizing *upon the porch by moonlight*. And the sound of his low, musical voice, the sight of his handsome face, grew to be dangerously pleasant to Bella.

He had read deeply, had traveled much, and the girl, as the happy days *flew along, became so much more sedate* that Bertha noticed with a keen pang the dawning womanhood whose source she guessed only too well. She saw the careless dress becoming the subject of dainty finish, the brown locks carefully curled instead of being combed hastily to tangle as they would, knots of ribbon tied under snowy ruffles, where hastily pinned collars were before. Loving her little cousin, she trembled, knowing what a sensitive brain and heart she carried under her brusk manners. And the man of the world studied the frank, expressive face to see how he could make it flush and brighten by his praise or droop under his disapproval of a sentiment or even a ribbon. He liked to watch the changing color upon the round cheek, the flash of mistiness of the large eyes and the quivers of the sensitive mouth; and, being of a thoroughly selfish nature, he never thought of the exquisite delicacy of the instrument that answered so quickly to his lightest words.

For, in a stately fashion, he was wooing Bertha May for his bride. She was handsome, would be wealthy and would preside gracefully over his house. So one moonlight night, when they sat *alone on the wide balcony, he asked her* to be his wife, neither of them seeing a little white robed figure behind the lace curtains of the drawing room window.

Bella's heart seemed to stop as she heard the proposal. In a second the *child was a woman*, a woman scorned. Clearer as a belle came Bertha's voice:

"You are mistaken, Mr. Rosslyn; I am not Bella."

"Bella!" with a light laugh, "why surely you do not imagine I wish to marry that child?"

"She is 16. Many girls marry at that age."

"A bread and butter school girl? Ten years from now she will be a glorious woman; but she is a mere girl."

"Yet you have *wooed her as a woman*."

"You mistake! I never wooed her? Surely a man of my age may talk to a child of hers without misconstruction. But you, Bertha, you surely have read my heart more truly."

"*I read no love for me there*," was the quiet reply, "and if there were any no echo lives in my heart. We could never be happy together, Mr. Rosslyn. The memory of my little cousin's wrongs would prevent that."

He tried to move her by well-acted pathos, but she was firm, and he left her at last. While his step still rang upon the walk a little figure glided through the open window and crept into Bertha's arms sobbing, but tearless, a fierce, hot anger burning the whole nature.

"Bertha, he did tell me that I was the only one he ever met who thoroughly filled his ideal of perfect, tender womanhood. He did! He said—he said—" (tears came now.) "Oh! what has he done to make me love him? And he loves you *all the time*."

"He loves no one but himself," said Bertha, all her gentle nature roused to indignation. "He is not worth one tear, Bella."

"I know. But let me cry, Bertha, let me cry."

Tenderly Bertha held the little figure in a close embrace, now and then pressing soft kisses upon the tear-stained face, until the passion of grief has exhausted itself, and the child—who is a child no *more after to day*—rests passive and exhausted in her arms.

The autumn comes, the holidays are over, and a pale, quiet girl goes back to boarding school, where Uncle Frank pays all the orphan's expenses and proposes to make her a teacher. Two years glide along, three, and once more Bella Huntley is her Aunt May's guest. In all the three years she has never been to the old house; but Bertha is married and is in another part of the world, and her aunt is lonely. So Bella comes for a long visit; in fact, this will be her home until wedding bells ring for her, too. For Uncle Frank is dead, and Bella need never teach, being heiress to the large fortune the bachelor uncle has made in twenty years of trade in China.

The years of absence had changed the impulsive child into a woman of rare beauty, of a quiet dignity that suited well the tall, well-developed figure and statuesque regularity of feature. The chestnut brown curls had lost none of their waving luxurience, though the tresses that, unbound, fell far below Bella's waist were gathered away from the low, broad brow, and made rich masses of curls at the back of the pretty head.

When Paul Rosslyn accepted Mrs. May's invitation to a social gathering to welcome her niece he was wholly unprepared for the change in the girl he had totally forgotten until the note recalled her name. He was not a man given to demonstration of feeling, but he could not repress the admiration in his eyes when he bowed in acknowledgment of Bella's greeting. Memory brought him fleeting vision of a thin, gawky girl, with great brown eyes and a frank, bright face, clad in the simplest of muslin dresses.

Reality brought him a tall, beautiful woman, with snowy round arms and shoulders, upon which sparkled costly jewels—a tall, graceful figure, clad in a shimmering lace covered silk, with masses of curls caught by a diamond-starred comb, and tiny hands with glittering rings.

The frank face, the clear, ringing voice were gone, too, and yet the low, exquisitely modulated tones could leave no regret for any memory of different ones.

Before he realized the fascination that held him, Paul Rosslyn was conversing as he rarely conversed to man or woman. The quiet immobility of the lovely face roused *him to efforts to stir it to animation* that quite destroyed all his habitual languor, and he dropped the faint drawl to try to interest his listener in himself and subjects.

When she smiled a strange thrill of pleasure stirred his heart, and when she seemed abstracted he experienced a throb of disappointment that was a new sensation in his petted life.

For, with the one exception of Bertha's refusal, Paul had met no rebuffs in his *many flirtations at home or abroad*. With the facility that can only attend the utterly self-absorbed man, he had won silly hearts and thrown them aside till he believed his handsome face and tender eyes irresistible. He was not surprised when, after the first quiet greeting, Bella gave tokens of pleasure at his approach, entered readily into conversation with him and chose him often in crowded assemblages for her escort. It was a gay season, and the heiress was invited to all the meetings for young people, in doors or out, and Paul met her constantly.

He had held his heart bound by its own selfishness so long that he did not realize how it was slipping away from him till it was gone past recall. With a shock he wakened to the fact that he loved Bella Huntley with all the force of boyish impulse, all the fervor of mature years; loved her utterly, without thought of her wealth or position, but for the radiant beauty of her face, the rare, intellect and winning sweetness of her perfect womanhood.

And with the love there came little fear. He was wealthy, master of one of the finest estates in New York, handsome and of good birth. More than all, *in those past summer days, he had won* Bella's love. He was sure of that now, though it had troubled him little at the time. Vanity whispered that she had come to win him now.

So he was not a despairing lover, who on the same balcony where he had crushed her young heart three years before now pleaded for its love. Pleaded, too, as a man pleads for life. Not in the measured words with which he had asked Bertha to be his wife, but in burning, fiery eloquence taught by the first sincere love of his life.

And Bella listened, turning upon her finger a circlet of diamonds that flashed fire in the cold moonlight. When he ceased to speak, words as cold as drops of hail on glass answered him:

"Three years ago the love you ask for was all your own, won by your false words, your lying eyes. The child whose heart was your toy for a summer day's sport never questioned your sincerity, and put the treasure of her love into your careless keeping, never thinking of treachery. It was her first experience of pain when she tore that love away and left it off with her poor childish might till it dropped, faded and died.

"Then you have played with me!" he cried fiercely.

"I amused myself. Three years ago you amused yourself."

With an oath Paul Rosslyn strode away in the moonlight, and a hot tear dropped upon Bella's diamonds.

"It is a poor revenge, *after all*," she said, softly. "Leon, I will forget him now in your love—your love, given before I was an heiress—your love, that has conquered and obliterated all the heart pangs I suffered on this balcony when I *was only a girl*!"

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in the matter of the Estate of David Wells, deceased.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY W. H. Falding, Esq., District Registrar at New Westminster, up to the 28TH DAY OF APRIL NEXT, for the purchase of Lot No. 228 in Group Two, New Westminster District, containing 160 acres *(more or less). The lands are well improved*, with valuable buildings, including Dwelling House, Barn, Dairy, &c.

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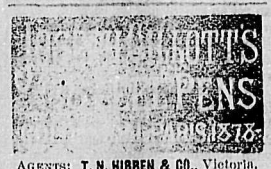

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dfe20tc On the Wharf.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we have applied to the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the following lands, viz.: The Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter-section and Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter-section of Section 23, and the North-*east quarter of Northwest quarter-section* and Northwest quarter of Northeast quarter-section of Section 14, all in Township 40, in the District of New Westminster.

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dap6m1 H. L. DEBECK, Manager.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the Matter of the Estate of Michel Lacroix, deceased intestate.

TENDERS ARE CALLED FOR UP TO the hour of 12 o'clock noon of the 20th April, 1888, for the purchase of **Lot Six, Group Three**, New Westminster District. Particulars can be obtained at the office of W. H. Falding, Esquire, District Registrar of this Honorable Court.

The highest or any of such tenders not *necessarily accepted*.

Dated 20th March, A. D. 1888.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 22nd March, 1888.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from Thursday the 29th day *of March, 1888, to Saturday the 7th day of* April, 1888, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

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 *or Nanaimo*.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, or 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 may be cited as the "Easter Vacation Rules, 1888."

By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,

dmh20td Provincial Secretary.

TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF a Freight Shed on the wharf on Block Two will be received up to noon on Monday the 16th inst., at the office of the undersigned, where the plans and specifications can be seen. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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JAMES PATTEBSON.

Chilliwhack, Mar. 19, 1888. dmh19m1

Notice of Removal

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA have vacated their old office in Jas. Cunningham's building on Columbia St., and are now occupying their new building, corner of Mary and Columbia Sts.

Several Offices (single or en suite, heated with hot water) above the Bank, also the Store in the Basement, are still to let at very reasonable rents.

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New West., March 27, 1888. dmh28m1

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

Lot No. 5, Block XII, and Lot No. 2, Block XXIII, *in the City of New Westminster*.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above-mentioned Lots will be issued to Alexander Ewen on the 25th day of May, 1888, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to *the undersigned in writing by some person* claiming an estate or interest in said Lots or some part thereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,

Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,

New Westminster, 21st Feb., 1888.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut, fell and carry away timber from the following described unoccupied and unreserved Crown lands in the District of New Westminster, that is to say:

Commencing at a stake planted on the right bank of a stream which empties into Howe Sound (west shore) about half a mile northerly of the Indian Reserve, which lies west of Woolridge Island, said stake being planted about 1½ miles from the mouth of said stream;

Thence as follows: West 40 chains, north 20 chains, west 40 chains, north 200 chains, east 40 chains, south 140 chains, east 20 chains, south 60 chains, east 20 chains, south 20 chains, to point of commencement; containing 1000 acres, more or less.

New Westminster, B. C., March 12, 1888.

ARTHUR MILTON,

By his Agent, CHARLES E. WOODS.

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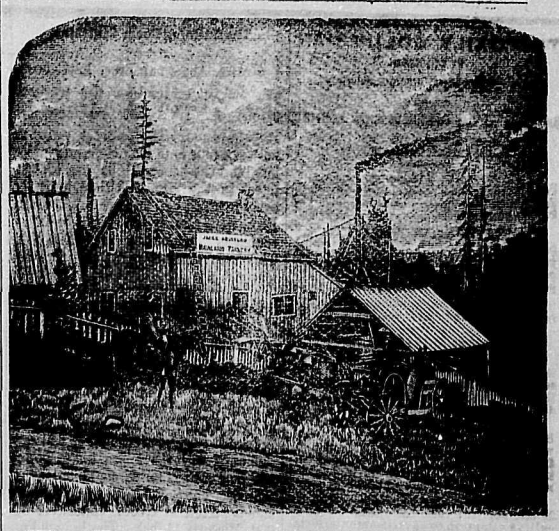

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Plot No. 2.—Ten acres, more or less, situated about twenty-two miles from Harrison Springs on the West side of Harrison Lake, bounded by shore and mountain.

Plot No. 3.—Three hundred acres, more or less, *situated about twenty-five miles* from Harrison Springs on West shore, opposite North end of big island, called "Half-way Point," bounded by mountain and shore.

Plot No. 4.—One hundred acres, more or less, situated on West shore of Harrison Lake, about half way between Silver *Creek and big slide, bounded by mountain* and shore.

Plot No. 5.—Fifteen acres, more or less, situated on West shore of Harrison Lake, opposite big slide, bounded by shore and mountain.

Plot No. 6.—Ten acres, more or less, situated on West shore of Harrison Lake, *one mile above big slide, bounded by* mountain and shore.

Plot No. 7.—Ten acres, more or less, situated on West shore of Harrison Lake, six miles from Douglas, bounded by mountain and shore.

Plot No. 8.—Fifty acres, more or less, West of Port Douglas Indian reserve, *bounded by Lillooet River and mountain.*

Plot No. 9.—Two hundred acres, more or less, situated on West side of Lillooet River and North side of Slucket Creek, bounded by Slucket Creek, Lillooet River and mountain.

Plot No. 10.—One hundred acres, more or less, situated on East side of Lillooet River, about four miles from the river's mouth.

Plot No. 11.—Fifty acres, more or less, situated about one mile of rear of Douglas on the wagon road.

JOS. MARTIN & SON.

Harrison River, B. C.,

April 2nd, 1888. dap5m1

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D. ROBSON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice ..... G. Berridge
Tenders ..... W. A. Duncan

Daily British Columbian

Tuesday Evening, April 10, 1888.

The str. Dunsmuir leaves for Nanaimo to-morrow morning.

A. M. Nelson shipped 100 sacks of potatoes to Victoria yesterday.

The Gladys left for Chilliwhack this morning with freight and passengers.

The salmon run still continues good and the fishing fleet is being added to daily.

The str. Rainbow left for Victoria this morning with a few passengers and 15 tons of freight.

The Brunette Saw Mills will ship 50,000 shingles to Nanaimo, to-morrow, on the str. Dunsmuir.

Dr. C. E. C. Brown goes to Chilliwhack on Tuesday, 10th inst., and expects to return on Friday, 13th. *

The Juveniles will not play in Westminster or Vancouver for the present, but will probably visit both cities in about 6 weeks time.

The Adelaide returned from up-river ports this afternoon. She was unable to reach Hope owing to the lowness of the water.

William Dorsey, of Milwaukee, made a bet of fifty cents that he could drink five glasses of whiskey in five seconds. He won. An hour later he was dead.

Gladstone used to be proud of a shabby old victoria in which he always drove. Now he speeds to Parliament steps with one of the finest turnouts in London.

If you have a cold, cough, bronchitis, or any form of throat or lung disease, do not neglect it. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, if promptly taken, will speedily relieve and cure all ailments of this character.

The weather, which has been raw and disagreeable for the last week, shows signs of becoming summer-like. The sooner it becomes so the better, or our early vegetables will be rather late.

Catarrh, when chronic, becomes very offensive. It is impossible to be otherwise healthy, and, at the same time, afflicted with catarrh. This disagreeable disease, in its most obstinate and dangerous forms, can be cured by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The Brunette Saw Mills Co. have lately added a new dining room and boarding house to their already large establishment in Sapperton. The continually increasing number of men employed by this company forced them to make this addition. A new and commodious office is also being erected.

All persons should be careful not to use the fire slips for unloading goods on to. These slips were built for the fire engine, and, in case of fire, must always be kept clear. The mayor said last evening, during the council meeting, that in future all parties making use of these slips would be prosecuted.

The marriage of Mr. L. A Hamilton, chief commissioner of lands, C. P. R., Winnipeg, to Miss Boddington, daughter of Dr. Boddington, Vancouver, took place in Vancouver this morning in the presence of a large number of friends and acquaintances. The happy couple left for Harrison Hot Springs in Mr. Abbott's private car, which was attached to the 1 o'clock train. After remaining a few days at Harrison they will proceed to Winnipeg.

In addition to the steamers Parthia, Abyssinia and Batavia, two other steamships will be run regularly on the Vancouver-Hongkong route during the coming summer. The intention is to make the service fortnightly, the demands of the trade making it necessary that the line should be added to. The length of stay in port at Vancouver will be eleven days each trip, which will give the vessels a chance to make the repairs that constantly become necessary.

A letter from P. O. Sharpless, Druggist, Marion, Ohio, in writing of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, says: one man cured of sore throat of 8 years' standing with one bottle. We have a number of cases of rheumatism that have been cured when other remedies have failed. We consider it the best medicine sold.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

The Building Boom Continues.

Messrs. Ackerman Bros. have been awarded the contract for the erection of Mr. Laidlaw's new residence on Royal avenue. The contract price is between four and five thousand dollars, and the house will be one of the finest in the city. Although it is early in April yet, Messrs. Ackerman Bros. have already on hand building contracts amounting to $20,000. This is a pretty good start for the season.

Maps of British Columbia.

Messrs, Rand, McNally & Co., of Chicago, the well-known map publishers, have just issued a map of British Columbia in a neat folder, indexed so as to make it very convenient for reference. It gives all the cities and settlements, with the approximate population of each as far as could be ascertained. The population of Westminster is placed at 4,000, Vancouver 5,000, Victoria 11,000. The branch line of the C. P. R. to Westminster, unfortunately, does not appear on the map, but the name of the city is made far more conspicuous than that of Vancouver.

The China Steamer.

The s.s. Parthia arrived in Vancouver last night 13 days and 14 hours out from Yokohama, one of the fastest trips made on this route. The list comprised 24 first-class, 16 second-class and 224 steerage passengers. The steerage passengers with 4 exceptions are Chinese, 113 of whom are destined for San Francisco. The Parthia brings about 2000 tons of cargo, consisting principally of rice and general Chinese and Japanese merchandise. After discharging cargo for eastern points she will proceed to San Francisco and land the Chinese passengers and freight for that port.

Fined Seven Dollars.

Last night Constable Carty arrested an Indian named Charley on Front st., near Chinatown, in a very intoxicated condition. A half empty bottle of whisky was lying beside him on the street, and he was almost paralyzed from the effects of what he had drunk. This morning Charlie informed the police that a Chinaman named Sing had supplied him with the whiskey. Constable Carty ferretted out Sing's whereabouts and brought him to the police court, but the evidence adduced was insufficient for conviction, and he was discharged. Charlie was found guilty of the charge against him, and was fined $7 or 14 days in jail.

Presentation of Colors.

The Drill Shed was filled last night with a very respectable and attentive audience to witness the presentation of colors to the Westminster division of the Salvation Army. Commissioner Coombs, of Toronto, delivered a very interesting address on the origin, principles and work of the army. It is now about 22 years since the army was organized, and now its soldiers may be found in almost every corner of the globe. During the period of its operations, the commissioner said, the army had been instrumental in saving 60,000 drunkards. The flag was presented to Capt. Coffin and the two hallelujah lasses, accompanied by a very impressive address. Staff Capt. Young, of Winnipeg, was present and took part in the exercises. Commissioner Coombs and Capt. Young left by train this afternoon for Winnipeg.

The Seven Clerks.

To-morrow night Herring's opera house will be packed to witness that interesting drama "The Seven Clerks," as put on the boards by the Westminster amateurs. A great many tickets have been sold already, and it looks as if the play will be much better patronized than these things usually are. The new drop curtain, lately arrived from the east, representing a view of the Bay of Naples, will be unfolded to the public gaze for the first time to-morrow night. It is a very handsome piece of work and well worth seeing. The farce which follows the drama is a very laughable affair, and is guaranteed to bring a smile to the face of the most solemn individual in the audience. The whole entertainment is given in aid of the bell tower fund, which the ladies of the church are nobly endeavoring to raise to sufficient proportions to allow of the tower being built.

Holloway's Corn Cure is the medicine to remove all kinds of corns and warts, and only costs the small sum of twenty-five cents.

Complimentary Resolution.

At a meeting of the vestry of Trinity Church, Hawkesburg, Ont., held on the 2nd inst., the following resolution was unanimously passed as an expression of the respect and esteem in which Mr. Chas. T. Higginson (who lately removed from that place to Chilliwhack) was held by his fellow churchmen:

"Moved by Stuart Brock, Esq., seconded by John Lovell, Esq., and resolved that this vestry do now record its deep sense of the loss sustained by it and the congregation which it represents, in the departure from us of Charles T. Higginson, who for many years devotedly served the church in this parish in various official capacities and strengthened its cause by an unwavering example of faithful, consistent churchmanship, and their hearty wish that God's blessing may rest upon him and his family in their new home."

A Dinner Pill.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment, it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convert the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

Personal.

Mr. Justice McCreight returned today from Victoria.

H. R. and W. Holden, of Stave River, are in the city.

W. L. Cusack, of S. J. Pitts and Co., Victoria, is in the city.

Wm. Downie, asst. superintendent C. P. R. was in the city this afternoon.

C. E. Jacques, who has been in Vancouver for a few days, returned home to-day.

A. R. Green, C. E., accompanied by Mrs. Green, went over to Vancouver this morning and will return this evening.

D. Wilson, B. A. inspector of schools, has almost entirely recovered from the effects of the illness he suffered from last week.

City Council.

The council met last night for the transaction of business. Present, His Worship Mayor Dickinson, Councillors Elliott, Calbick, Hoy, Ovens, DeBeck, Shiles.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Ven. Archdeacon Woods, stating he was willing to exchange for city lots of same value, a piece of ground in rear of Holy Trinity church necessary to straighten the street. Also calling attention to the state of the street in rear of the church and suggested that a lamp be placed there.

The councillors representing St. George's ward were appointed a committee to look into the matter.

From T. J. Smith, asking permission to use the street for building material. Granted.

From Stewart & Cash, informing the council that a nuisance existed on the property of Jos. Wise on Front street. Referred to the board of health.

From H. V. Edmonds and J. A. Webster, calling the attention of the council to the necessity of putting Front street in such repair that they would have a proper means of access to the new wharf built by them. Referred to board of works.

From the chief commissioner of lands and works, stating the communication anent gravelling Vancouver road had been received and would be taken into consideration. Received and filed.

From D. Chisholm, M. P., stating the Southern Railway allowance was all right, and there should be no uneasiness regarding it. Received and filed.

From L. F. Bonson, complaining of the drainage on Carnarvon st. Referred to the board of works with power to act.

From Chas. Murphy, asking permission to erect scaffolds on Columbia st., opposite the post office, and the Scoullar & Armstrong blocks. Granted.

From J. A. Calbick, asking permission to lay down building material on Agnes st. Granted.

ACCOUNTS.

BRITISH COLUMBIAN, $6 45; Gas Co., $208 25; Z. S. Hall, $5.85; Telegraph Co., $5.51.

Coun. Elliott asked if there was any communication from the city solicitor on the steam ferry charter.

Mr. Robinson said he had received none.

On motion the assessment by-law was read a first time and passed.

On motion the rules of order were suspended and the by-law was read a second time.

The council then went into committee of the whole, and, after consideration, rose and reported the by-law complete with amendments.

The by-law was read a third time and finally passed.

Coun. Hoy said there had been many complaints about the sidewalks being blocked by auction sales, and he thought these street sales should not be allowed.

Coun. Elliott also made the same complaint.

His worship said he would attend to the matter.

Coun. Calbick asked if the matter with regard to the cancelling of the water front lots had been pushed through.

His worship said Coun. Herring had the matter in hand and had made no report.

His worship said someone had piled a lot of wood on one of the fire slips. The slips were not built for that purpose and he would have any person summoned in future who made use of them without permission.

The council then adjourned to meet again on Monday night.

Late Despatches.

A HORRIBLE CRIME.

NEW YORK, April, 3.—Miss Lizzie Eastman, teaching school in one of the farming districts of Clearfield county, was found dead in the schoolhouse last Tuesday night. Her tongue had been cut from its roots and was found beside her dead body. The school had been dismissed as usual at 4 o'clock and the pupils left their teacher alone in the school house. In the left hand of the dead woman was found a lead pencil, and on the floor near her dead body was written the revolting particulars of her death. Two tramps entered the school house after the pupils had been dismissed, overpowered and assaulted her, afterwards severed her tongue with a knife, and fled, leaving her for dead. She recovered sufficiently to write on the school house floor, and succeeding in giving the above particulars with a description of her assailants, when she grew too weak to write more, and died before she was found.

DON'T DESPAIR OF RELIEF, if troubled with Chronic Dyspepsia or Constipation. These ailments, as well as Biliousness, Kidney infirmities, and feminine troubles, are eradicated by Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, an alterative of long tried and clearly proven efficacy. It is a fine blood depurent as well as corrective, and contains no ingredients which are not of the highest standard of purity.

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 7.30 p.m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

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Those of our readers who would like to have an elegant, large package of extra fine, Assorted Ribbons (by mail), in different widths and all the latest fashionable shades; adapted for Bonnet Strings, Neckwear, Scarfs, Trimming for Hats and Dresses, Bows, Fancy Work, &c., can get an astonishing big bargain, owing to the recent failure of a large wholesale Ribbon Manufacturing Co., by sending only 25 cents (stamps), to the address we give below.

As a *special offer*, this house will give *double* the amount of any other firm in America if you will send the names and P. O. address of ten *newly* married ladies when ordering and mention the name of this paper. No pieces less than one yard in length. Satisfaction is guaranteed, or money cheerfully refunded. Three packages for 60 cents. Address,

LONDON RIBBON AGENCY,
dwap10y1 Jersey City, N. J.

Westminster is to become a royal city in more than name, if the scheme for connecting that place with California by a new railway is carried into execution. The construction of the Westminster Southern line to a junction with the Seattle & West Coast road, on the international border, will give convenient access to the whole Pacific coast railway system, and in conjunction with the other advantages now possessed will greatly promote the growth and prosperity of Westminster. The junction with the Seattle line, it is expected, will be made by the beginning of next January.—*Kamloops Sentinel*,

Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents. dwmh20m1

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Pork	"	8 10 @ 9 00
Mutton	"	11 00 @ 12 00
Hides(gr'n)	"	4 00 @ 5 00
Potatoes	"	1 25 @ 1 50
Cabbage	"	2 00 @ 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	13 00 @ 00 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @ 0 35
Cheese,	"	0 16 @ 0 17
Eggs,	per doz.	0 20 @ 0 25
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @ 4 00

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street, East of Mary Street. 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.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. John Street, Opposite Orange Hall. Rev. Thomas Haddon, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Seats free; all are cordially invited. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

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

PETER GRANT,
fe23-tc Secretary.

TENDERS

ARE INVITED FOR CRIBBING BANK in rear of Queen's Hotel. For particulars apply to

dap10w1 W. A. DUNCAN.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by deed of assignment bearing date the 4th day of April, 1888, the British Columbia Stationery & Printing Company (Limited) have assigned to the undersigned for the benefit of their creditors all the real and personal estate of the said company, including the book debts and other claims owing to the said company. All persons having claims against the company are requested to forward particulars forthwith to the undersigned.

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TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF a Freight Shed on the wharf on Block Two will be received up to noon on Monday the 16th inst., at the office of the undersigned, where the plans and specifications can be seen. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

dap3td HENRY V. EDMONDS.

Notice of Removal

THE BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA have vacated their old office in Jas. Cunningham's building on Columbia St., and are now occupying their new building, corner of Mary and Columbia Sts.

Several Offices (single or en suite, heated with hot water) above the Bank, also the Store in the Basement, are still to let at very reasonable rents.

Apply to I. B. FISHER,
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New West., March 27, 1888. dmh28m1

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At 8 o'clock in the evening, when the following Lots will be submitted to public competition, in accordance with "Land Sale By-Law, 1884," and amendments thereto, viz.:

GOVERNMENT OFFICE GARDENS. Block A.

Lots 14, 15, & 20.

VICTORIA GARDENS—Block B.

Lots 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 30, 35 & 36.

ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE—Block D.

Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, 32, 33, 34 & 35.

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE—Block H.

Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 30, 31, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41 & 42.

☞ The Lots are mostly 66 by 132 feet.

TERMS—33⅓ per cent. on the fall of the hammer; 33⅓ per cent. in three months; and the balance of the purchase money in six months from date of sale.

By Order,

JAMES A. ROBINSON,
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City Clerk's Office,
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