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We have repeatedly pointed out that, by making some sixteen miles of inexpensive canal, the great Okanagan water system, extending from the international boundary line, could be connected with the head of navigation on the Spallumcheen river, thus opening an uninterrupted sweep of navigation through the most productive part of British Columbia upwards of four hundred miles long. It would be difficult to overestimate the importance of this work, and we are glad to observe in the last number of the *Inland Sentinel* an able article upon the subject. It is impossible to conceal the fact that far too little attention has been paid to such matters. Those in trusted with the management of public affairs have settled down in habits of idleness at a capital situated so remote from the great food producing part of the Province that one might almost be led to suppose they had forgotten that their responsibilities extend beyond the Cascades. Indeed, were it not that the recurring general election required the Premier to visit Cariboo every four years or so for the purpose of affording a personal exhibition of his love for the "blue-shirted miners," it is doubtful if a Minister would ever set foot on the Mainland. In this respect the Mainland portion of British Columbia is treated very much as Ireland has been treated. There is one respect in which it cannot be said that the Government neglect the Mainland. It is faithfully visited by the regiment of tax-gatherers. The settlers may never look on the face of a Minister. They may not even enjoy the privilege of seeing a school-master. But no settlement is so remote that the tax-gatherer cannot find his way to it at least once every year. Nor would the settlers in the interior grudge the taxes, severely as they fall, could they feel that the lightest effort was being made to give them some value in return. This remoteness, this absenteeism and neglect have had the natural effect of completely alienating the people of the interior and making them feel that they have no part or lot in the matter beyond paying taxes. Of course, under our form of Government the people have themselves very much to blame for this lamentable condition of affairs. They have the matter practically in their own hands. And we are very much mistaken if, at the approaching election, the constitutional remedy is not applied—not homeopathic, either, but in such a wholesale manner as shall most effectually clear the Ægian stables at James Bay. A sweeping change is what is wanted. The present set have had their in power far too long already. And is, however, likely in this instance to be evolved from evil. The reigning maladministration of the affairs of the country by these men appears to have completely aroused the people and there is every probability of a better class of men coming forward at the approaching election than those who have usually taken an active part in public affairs during these late years, and we greatly mistake the judgment and power of the electors if the new Legislature is not composed of a class of men very much above the average of the expiring one.

The sand of the Sahara desert is sometimes heated to a temperature of 170 degrees Fahrenheit by the vertical rays of the sun. This gives rise to a burning wind—the dreaded Simoom—which is rendered still more terrible by burning particles of sand it carries along. In 1813, Burkhart recorded 122 degrees in the shade during the presence of this pestilential blast.

M. Dufour has presented a new and interesting proof that the earth is round. The images of distant objects seen in the Lake of Geneva in calm weather show just the degree of distortion which a careful mathematical calculation would predict on account of the shape of the earth.

Scientific Miscellany.

The vineyards of Russian Turkistan are being destroyed by a parasitic fungus known as erysiple.

Sixty per cent. of the mechanical energy converted into electricity and applied to a Faure storage battery has been re-converted into work on discharging the battery.

The desirability of connecting lightning conductors with gas and water mains has been recognized by the Saxon Government, which has issued instructions as to the best methods of making the connections.

Assays of several hundred million dollars' worth of the native gold of California have shown an average proportion of 880 thousandths of pure metal. The gold of Australia gives an average of 960 thousandths.

The librarian of the Alessandrina Library at Rome, Prof. De Maes, claims to have evidence that a great Egyptian obelisk is buried in the vicinity of the Piazzi di San Suigi di Francesi, near the side entrance to the Senate.

The element caesium has been secured in an isolated condition by a German chemist, Herr Setterberg. It is found to be a silvery-white metal, resembling sodium and potassium in general behavior. Caesium had hitherto resisted all efforts to separate it from its combination with oxygen.

According to Mr. P. L. Sclater, F. R. S., the term lipotype, which is comparatively new to science, is employed to indicate animals which we should naturally expect to meet, but do not find in certain parts of the earth. For instance, Australian lipotypes are monkeys, vultures and woodpeckers.

Mr. W. H. Preece, F. R. S., states that the explosion of a cannon can be heard to a distance of twenty to twenty-five miles; and instances are known where the bombardment of a town has been heard at a distance of one hundred miles. It is very well known, he thinks, that the roar of the guns at Waterloo was heard on the English coast, more than one hundred miles from the battle-field.

The sale of 300 telescopes in France during the two years ending last October is cited by M. Camille Flammarion as showing to some extent the remarkable growth of astronomical taste in that country. The demand for M. Flammarion's books is, however, a more striking proof, two of them having quickly reached an aggregate circulation of 88,000 copies, while a third has lately appeared in its thirtieth edition.

The ground in the Jura Mountains is in a state of movement, as is shown by some curious observations pointed out by M. Girardot. Villages that were invisible to each other at the beginning of the century, or even thirty or forty years ago, are now visible. First the roofs appeared, and then the upper part of the walls. Such is the case with the villages of Doucier and Marigny, near Lake Chalain. Important changes have been noted even within ten years.

The ventilation of the great Alpine tunnels under Mont Cenis and the St. Gothard so as to free them quickly from the smoke of trains has been a work of much difficulty. It has been proposed to create a current of air by the keeping of large fires at one end, but the expense has been found excessive. A French engineer, M. Pressel, suggests that the same object may be attained by cooling the air at some point in the tunnel by water, which would give the difference in density of the atmosphere necessary to cause a draught. Cool mountain streams are numerous in the Alps, and could be readily applied to the purpose.

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Agriculture.

While all the other arts and sciences are marching onward and upward, some of them with giant strides toward perfection, shall agriculture stand still? In other lands it is keeping pace with others in the race. How is it here? It must be admitted that in British Columbia agriculture has not received that attention nor occupied that high place to which its undoubted importance entitles it to aspire. This condition may doubtless be attributed, in part at least, to the fact that British Columbia was regarded as a gold mining country, and people who crossed the continent for the distinct purpose of mining gold were not likely to turn themselves to the more prosaic occupation of agriculture. But these days of gold excitements are past, and thousands who came with very different intentions have long since settled down in this Province as their home; and few of them would be willing permanently to exchange it for any other. Not only so, but agriculture has come to be believed in as constituting at once the most independent and surely remunerative employment. Looking at it from a patriotic standpoint, its development is of supreme importance to the state. Hundreds of thousands of the country's wealth are annually drained away into foreign channels to pay for what should and, with proper management, would be raised from our own soil. If only these aggregated thousands were retained in the country, what a large and prosperous yeomanry would be built up. Under such circumstances it becomes the duty of statesmen to conceive and carry out such a policy as will in the highest degree promote the best interests of agriculture—elevate and expand this honorable and most important industry. It perhaps scarcely falls in our way just now to consider how far such a policy has been pursued by our statesmen. *Statesmen*, did we say? Ha! ha! ha! What a ludicrous misnomer. They dubbed one of themselves MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE. And what has he done to justify himself in flaunting the title? He hadn't even a report to offer for form's sake, when asked for by the Legislature. Undeniably the farmers have received a good deal of attention at the hands of the present Ministry; but it has been of a kind they would fain have been spared. Ministers have chiefly confined themselves to solving the problem how to squeeze the greatest amount of revenue out of the poor settlers. It was they who devised the ingenious expedient of adding 24 per cent. to what the settler owed on his land, and charging him 18 per cent. interest on the whole; and had not the Federal authorities stepped in and disallowed the outrageous and unconstitutional enactment, it is difficult to say how many of our farmers would have been sold out of house and home ere now under its infamous provisions. But while thus endeavoring to grind down the settlers by unjust and oppressive taxation, these heartless so-called statesmen would give them neither roads nor schools in many instances; and in this way agricultural development has been hindered, while the spirit of improvement has been to a great extent crushed out. What every well-wisher of the country should now earnestly desire and seek to promote is the cultivation of a spirit of progressive improvement, a laudable ambition to excel in the methods of farming, as well as in the breeds of stock. This can be brought about by a variety and combination of means, but a most important factor must always be a government capable of appreciating the supreme importance of the agricultural classes, and able and willing to devise and carry out a broad and paternal policy based upon that recognition. There are other means, such as annual competitive exhibitions, and the creation and proper regulation of good markets in which the producer may obtain satisfactory prices for whatever he may have to dispose of without the inconvenience and humiliation he has too often to undergo now; but these are branches of the subject which cannot be disposed of in the present article.

More About the Island Railway

Referring to an article which appeared in this journal a week ago, upon the possible consequences of recent legislation in respect to the Island railway, our contemporary of the *Colonist* politely tells us that the view we enunciated is "opposed to common sense." It might appear illnatured to remind our contemporary how unfortunate he has been in forecasting Island railway matters, and how lamentably results have fallen short of his prognostications in that connection. We have no wish to disconcert him, but we fear he may live to discover that however "opposed to common sense," the views we expressed were well-founded. Considerations of space alone prevented us going a step farther in the article alluded to and pointing out that the action of the Legislature may have the effect of weakening any claim for compensation for delays that the Province might be supposed to have. It had already been intimated that any such compensation could only take the form of aid in the construction of the Island railway. And yet, after the Dominion Government had come to a perfect understanding with the Dunsmuir syndicate on that as well as other points, the Legislature deliberately turned round and, in the rudest way, snatched the whole thing out of their hands. Under all the circumstances we submit that to suppose such conduct will not tend to prejudice the claim of the Province upon the Dominion Government in respect of the Island railway, is "opposed to common sense." The Dominion Government were urged and bullied and intreated to build the Island railway. They declined, but promised to use their influence with the C. P. R. Syndicate. That Syndicate declined to take it up. Finally a powerful syndicate, headed by our own "Coal King," came forward and, having made satisfactory arrangements with the Dominion Government respecting land and money assistance, asked incorporation at the hands of the Legislature. One would naturally have expected that the Legislature would have cheerfully acquiesced. But instead of that, incorporation was refused; and not only so, but the Act conveying the railway belt to the Dominion Government for the express purpose of being used as they were proposing to use it, was actually repealed, without even consulting the other party to the compact! Having done this, how can Columbia ever go to Ottawa again asking for help for that work? If the Clements syndicate carries out the work to the satisfaction of the country, all will be right. If not, all will be wrong. Of course the bill repealing the Act which conveyed the land to the Dominion Government could be disallowed, and thus the whole thing would fall through. But, as was intimated in a previous article, there is little probability of such a course being adopted. Sir John Macdonald will be only too glad to have the troublesome affair taken off his hands.

Editorial Notes.

In another column will be found a copy of a resolution passed by the highest court of the Methodist body in the Province. It does not say much for the moral stamina of the Legislature that there was not one member bold enough to make a motion with regard to the sheaves of petitions sent in. It is questionable if our Legislature has ever been so inundated with petitions on any subject before, and it is to be regretted that there was not to be found in the whole House one man possessing sufficient courage to move in a matter where common courtesy, if nothing else, required some action. One member of the court remarked that "he did not see the use of a devil if he could not manage such a House as that."

The Victoria *Standard* has recently given a very striking example of unreasonableness. It eagerly placed before its readers an Ottawa telegram in which Mr. DeCosmos was represented as having, in the House of Commons, declared himself in favor of the independence of Canada. Other journals exercised their undoubted right to criticise the act—one of them very properly pointing out that, as Mr. DeCosmos was not only Member for Victoria but special agent for the whole Province, he ought to be very careful as to what he said upon such subjects. The *Standard* thereupon turned round and coarsely rebuked its contemporaries for doing Mr. DeCosmos the injustice of judging him on a mere telegram. Well, it may be that the *Standard* is not very reliable authority; but it is something new to find a journal thus impugning its own reliability. There was certainly nothing unreasonable in assuming that Mr. DeCosmos was fairly reported in his own personal organ.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THIS DATE I have admitted MR. GEORGE TURNER to a partnership in my Business. The Business will in future be carried on under the name of WOODS & TURNER.

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New Westminster, May 1, 1882. my3

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY!

NANAIMO HAVING KINDLY INvited New Westminster to join her in the celebration of the Queen's Birthday, a Public Meeting for the purpose of considering the proposition is hereby appointed to take place at the Hyack Hall on THURSDAY evening, 4th inst., at 8 o'clock.

LOFTUS R. McINNES,
my3 Mayor.

AUCTION SALE

ON WEDNESDAY next, the 10th May, I will sell by Public Auction, at my Salesrooms, Columbia Street, a miscellaneous assortment of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and other articles.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m.

H. V. EDMONDS,
my3 Auctioneer.

WE WANT

TWO APPRENTICES—ONE TO learn

DRESS-MAKING

And the other to learn

TAILORING.

TRAPP BROS.

New Westminster, April 28, 1882. ap29

DENTISTRY!

DR. F. WELSH

HAS TAKEN ROOMS OVER MR. JAMES WISE'S Store, on Front Street, where he is prepared to attend to all who require his services

Particular attention given to the preservation of the Natural Teeth.

Partial or complete sets of Teeth made to order with promptness and care, and with the aid of the latest discoveries and appliances. ap29

JUST RECEIVED

—AT—

T. R. PEARSON & CO.'S

The New Poems—By Oscar Wilde.

"The Innocents Abroad," "Adventures of Tom Sawyer," and "The Prince and the Pauper," all by Mark Twain.

"The Worst Boy in Town," by the author of Helen's Babies.

Also, a magnificent lot of Scrap Books.

Moody & Sankey's Music Books. ap29

TO CONTRACTORS!

SEALED TENDERS

ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERsigned, will be received up to the 20th May for the erection of a Church at Chilliwhack.

Specifications may be seen at the Store of the undersigned, Chilliwhack Landing.

G. R. ASHWELL,
ap26 Sec.-Treas. Board of Trustees.

WANTED:

AN APPRENTICE TO THE TAILoring Business.

Apply to W. ELSON,
Merchant Tailor,
Columbia St., Opposite Lytton Square.
mh29tc

TENDERS WANTED.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to Noon on the 15th May for the erection of a Barn on South Arm, Fraser River. All material provided. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the Store of C. G. Major, where information can be obtained, or at the residence of the undersigned, South Arm.

ap12 ANDREW FISHER.

Notice to Contractors!

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to Saturday the 20th day of May, for the erection of a two-storey frame Dwelling House at Bayview Farm, Boundary Bay, about six miles from Ladner's Landing. All material provided. Plans and specifications can be seen at Messrs. T. R. Pearson & Co.'s Bookstore.

JOHN McKEE.

Bayview, April 20, 1882. ap22

LONDON HOUSE

COMPLETE ASSORTMENT

—OF—

SPRING and SUMMER GOODS!

CONSISTING OF

Brocaded Silks and Satins, in all shades,

New Ombre Trimmings,

Black & Colored Cashmeres & Merinoes,

New French Satin Merveilleux,

Black & Colored Velveteens,

Athol Glaces, in all shades,

Black Paramatta Cloths, &c., &c.,

Oatmeal, Niagara, Lace Stripes, Foulards, Momies, and other Cloths,

White and Colored Piques, in all the newest styles,

India, Mull, Nainsooks, & Swiss Muslins, Lace and Muslin Curtains,

New Neck Ruffings, Silk Scarfs, Fichus, Chenille Necklets, Latest styles in **Silk Handkerchiefs, Silk Cords** and **Tassels,** in all shades,

GLOVES,

Jerseys, in Black, Silk and Lisle, in all shades,

The New Laced Kid Gloves,

A fine assortment of **Feathers Flowers, Ribbons,** and **New Millinery Trimmings,**

A good line of **Hosiery,**

A large stock of Men's and Boys' **Straw Hats,**

Men's and Boys' Clothing

MILLINERY & DRESSMAKING

DONE ON THE PREMISES IN THE LATEST STYLES.

JAMES ELLARD & CO.

Cor. Columbia & Mary Sts.

AND STILL THEY COME

TRAPP BROTHERS,

SUCCESSORS TO

R. W. DEANE & CO.

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

New Goods!

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

Per steamer "VICTORIA,"
78 CASES;

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

Per sailing vessel "YUCA,"
6 CASES;

Making a Grand Total of

NINETY-NINE CASES

Of NEW GOODS, consisting of

STAPLE & FANCY

DRY GOODS,

MEN'S & BOYS'

CLOTHING,

Men's & Boys' Hats,

(IN STRAW & FELT),

CARPETS,

MATS,

FLOOR CLOTHS,

HARDWARE,

&c., &c.

These Goods we are now opening.

COME AND SEE THEM

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

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

Further particulars next week.

TRAPP BROS.

C. G. MAJOR

—oo—

New Stock!

—OF—

WINTER GOODS.

LADIES'

Heavy Jackets and Quilted Skirts. Colored Merinos, blk. Cashmere and blk. Crape Cloth.

FLANNELS

In White, Scarlet, Blue, Gray, and Plain, and Stripes, and Checks—both English, Canadian, and American, twilled and plain, wool shaker and cotton.

COTTONS

In white and gray. Brown and white Sheetings. Towels of all kinds.

BLANKETS

In colors & white. QUILTS and Counterpanes. Ticking, Drilling, and Hessians Canadian YARN.

FURS.

Ladies' Furs in Muffs, Boas & Caps.

CLOTHING.

Men's Clothing in Tweed suits or otherwise. Overcoats and Ulsters.

Hats in Every Style.

GLOVES

In Ladies' black, dark & light shades in kid. In Men's Gloves, buck, doe, dog, kid, sheep, antelope, and cloth—all shades, lined and unlined.

EVERYTHING
In Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

LAMPS, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE.

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THE B ST.

In Groceries and Provisions

Everything the best that can be had, and at the lowest prices for a GOOD article.

MORAL—If you want a **Good** article, go to C. G. MAJOR'S: if you want things cheap, but "cultus," why, go elsewhere.

ITEM—What everydody says must be true; and if true, then the handsomest display of **Valuable Goods, Silver** and **Plate,** is undoubtedly to be found at

C. G. MAJOR'S,

COLUMBIA STREET,
New Westminster, B. C.

1861. 1882.

THE

COLUMBIA HOUSE.

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

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

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

JAMES CUNNINGHAM,
IMPORTER.

New West., Feb. 8, 1882. fe11

FASHIONABLE

MILLINERY

AND

DRESS-MAKING!

OPP. MR. CUNNINGHAM'S,

Columbia St., New West.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES pleasure in announcing to the Ladies of New Westminster and surrounding country that she has received and opened out a fine assortment of the Newest and most Fashionable Goods from San Francisco and Eastern Markets, and she is now prepared to execute all orders in Millinery and Dressmaking with promptness and care. The latest fashions always on hand. FANCY GOODS of beautiful design and workmanship. No pains will be spared to satisfy customers. All are cordially invited to call and examine our goods and fashions. ap15

MRS. D. A. MACDONALD.

H. MOREY

HAS OPENED THE STORE ADjoining the City Hotel, Columbia Street, where he will sell, cheap for CASH:—

Groceries,
Tobacco,
Cigars,
Candies, &c.

By careful attention to business he hopes to merit a share of the Public patronage.

New West., April 20, 1882. ap22

BOOTS and SHOES

FROM

HEATHORN'S Boot & Shoe Manufactory,

VICTORIA,

AT VICTORIA PRICES.

R. THOMAS,

Shop under the new Oddfellow Hall, Columbia st., New Westminster.

WANTED:

FOR NICOLA VALLEY—A GOOD Farm Hand, who can milk and understands the driving and care of Horses, and make himself generally useful. Wages—$30 per month.

Apply to TRAPP BROS.,
ap12 New West.

The British Columbian.

Wednesday Morning, May 3, 1882.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Victoria, day 2—Mrs Hannington, Mrs Whitfield, Messrs Orr, McCleesky, A Pinder, M English, W adner, Burr, Harris, Elwood, McNeely, Eth idge.

☞ Wanted, a few copies of the BRITISH COLUMBIAN, of the 26th ult., or which T. R. Pearson & Co. will ay double price.

A fine fructifying rain fell yesterday.

The usual Ashcroft meeting will not ake place this year.

Bishop Ridley and wife came up by he steamship Elder.

Emerson, the great American author, lied at Boston on Friday.

Customs duties collected at Victoria uring April—$66,257.82.

The time for tendering for the 232,000 railway ties will be up on the 15 nst.

The streets have been thronged during the past few days with railway men.

The oolachans are coming up the iver, attended by the usual flocks of ulls.

The steamer Wm. Irving returned rom Yale on Sunday, with a few passengers.

Eleven more notices of intention to urchase land on Alberni canal appear n the *Colonist*.

Mr. Bunster has got Mr. John Ken, of Victoria, appointed steward of he penitentiary.

Bill stamps are taken at the Custom ouse in payment of duty, subject to 5 er cent. discount.

Morrow, a Toronto capitalist, is understood to be the chief factor in the berni land "boom."

Mr. Wilmot, C. P. R. S., left last ight for Hope, which will be his headuarters for the season.

Amongst those who passed up river Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Mara, d Mr and Mrs. Vernon.

George Brew, a native of Ireland, ed 50 years, died at the Royal Columbian Hospital yesterday.

The steamer Reliance returned from le on Monday night, with a considable number of passengers.

Yesterday Major's front presented a ay appearance on account of railway vey parties preparing for a start.

The steamer Enterprise arrived from ictoria last evening shortly before 6 clock, with freight and passengers.

The *Colonist* announces that the ements syndicate have made the 0,000 deposit required by the Act.

Another scow for the railway operaon was launched on Monday. The mmoth scow was launched last even-.

The plank foot-path from the city undary to Sapperton is about comted, and will be a favorite promele.

Messrs. Trapp Bros. want a young man and a young man to learn ss-making and tailoring respecly.

he new anti-Chinese bill passed U. S. Senate by a vote of 37 to 15, it is believed the President will it.

consignment of Chester Chadsey's ly celebrated "golden-edged butwas received at Major's store the r day.

r. Brophy, C. P. R. S., left for field of operations yesterday. Port dy will be his head-quarters for season.

n additional school district has created in New Westminster Diato be called Burton's Prairie ol district.

Monday Mr. Judkins took a o picture of the teachers and ents of the High and Collegiate ol in this city.

T. Scott, having disposed of his g house business on Front street, oses opening a similar establishat Port Moody.

asons desirous of purchasing eligihomesteads or investing in real would do well to look over our tising columns.

hery Inspector Anderson notifies application for license to fish salmust be made to him. Each canhas to pay $25.

a Mormon meeting recently held gden, it was determined to send 00 missionaries for the purpose of ring in more saints.

e City Clerk has at last obtained necessary authority for holding ons simultaneously in St. Georges t. Andrew's Wards.

tice was given in Holy Trinity ch on Sunday last that the Bishop hold a Confirmation there this esday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Wintemute is fitting up his pile in first-class style. It is proith a six-horse power steam , and will have a propeller.

Monday Mr. Deane received the upper country a magnificent e horse, valued at $400. It is the B. C. Express Company's

estate in this district is beginto move. Several transactions in ands have taken place lately, and Port Moody townsite it "boom-

oms receipts, port of New Westr for month ending 30th April, — Customs duties, $9,447.26; revenues, $5,576.34. Total—3.60

S. Co. £17-shares are now buoythe London market at £34. eration has proved a good card venerable company. And yet posed it!

e sailed on the advertised day, th ult., the steamship Victoria be due here this evening; but an impression that she did not yesterday.

The earthquake on Sunday night appears to have been felt at Victoria at the same time as here. It was also felt in the district, damaging one house slightly, it is said.

The hull of the old steamer Royal City was towed over to the Pioneer wharf on Monday, laden with Australian coal which will be sold at the current price of Nanaimo coal.

Commencing to-day, the steamer Western Slope will perform a semi-weekly mail service on the Lower Fraser. This will be in addition to the present service. The days are ill chosen.

It is to be regretted that no arrangement has been made between the contractor and the City Council for utilizing, for filling up the streets in the flat, the splendid material taken from the site of the new postoffice.

MAKING UP FOR LOST TIME.—The rapidity with which fruit trees have blossomed during the past two or three days is wonderful. Should there be no frost, the fruit crop will, to all appearance, be a very abundant one.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Mr. Justice Crease had one of his legs injured by a fall at Emory City last week; in consequence the County Court at Yale was postponed for one day. He was sufficiently recovered to dispose of the business next day, although quite lame.

DRIED FRUIT.—In 1874 the United states exported one and a half million pounds of dried fruit. In 1880 it had increased to twenty-four millions. There are in the United States four and a half million acres devoted to fruit-growing, and the value of a single crop is estimated at $138,216,700.

PERSONAL.—By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that a co-partnership has been formed between Mr. C. E. Woods and Mr. Geo. Turner. A happier combination of talent could not easily be arranged. Both are well and favorably known, and we wish and predict for the new firm a successful career.

A RUSH TO ALBERNI.—No less than eight notices appeared in Saturday's *Gazette* of intention to apply for permission to purchase land on the shores of Alberni canal. Evidently the knowing ones, or those who think they know a thing or two, anticipate a railway from Nanaimo to Alberni. Our own impression is that there is nothing in it.

DENIAL.—In the British House of Commons on Friday, Labouchere complained of the existence of slavery in Hong Kong, on the Gold Coast, and in the Malay States and North Borneo. It is said the slave market of Hong Kong supplies women to California, Australia and China. The Under Foreign Secretary denied that British generals sanctioned slavery.

EARTHQUAKE. — Shortly before 11 o'clock on Sunday night a very palpable shock was felt in this city. The oscillations were in the general directions of north and south. The shock caused a very pronounced rattling of doors, windows, &c., and was accompanied by a dull rumbling noise, as of distant thunder. A person who was on the Pioneer Wharf at the time represented that structure as swaying back and forward very perceptibly.

ROYAL MARRIAGE.—Prince Leopold was married to Princess Helen, of Waldeck, at St. George's chapel, Windsor, on Thursday last. The town was very handsomely decorated, and numerous triumphal arches were erected. Business was entirely suspended, salutes were fired and the event was the occasion of a popular celebration and holiday. The men-of-war at Portsmouth and other places were profusely decorated. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Archbishop of Canterbury, assisted by many clergymen.

THE FLAT.—The lower end of the city, commonly know as "the flat" is becoming a hive of industry. The ship-yard is "booming." So is the Royal City Planing Mill. Webster's mill is shut down just now for want of logs. Quite a suburban village has sprung up on the flat, and whenever the railway comes into the city it is undoubtedly there that the work-shops and depot buildings will be located. Indeed the heavier class of commerce will tend in the same direction, owing to the steep grades in the upper part of the city.

THE VICE-REGAL VISIT.—We understand instructions have been issued to have Old Government House prepared for the reception of Her Royal Highness the Princess Louise and His Excellency the Governor-General, who are expected to arrive in British Columbia in July or August. It is understood that the distinguished visitors will make this their head-quarters for some weeks. It is also understood that their visit has something to do with the unusual vigor displayed in preparing the Government house at Victoria for occupation. It will behoove the Royal City to make fitting preparation for the reception of her royal guests.

Discouraging.

We have recently been in receipt of several communications from the interior, expressive of deep disappointment on account of the inadequacy of the appropriations for roads and bridges. The necessity for these works is keenly felt just now because the demand for all food products occasioned by railway operations calls more loudly for means of transport. Some of these letters refer in the most desponding and dolorous tone to the continued neglect of the interests of the Mainland settlements while hundreds of thousands are being hopelessly sunk upon a work at Esquimalt from which the great bulk of the tax-payers can never hope to reap the slightest benefit. We have to tell our correspondents and the settlers generally that for all this they have themselves to a great extent to blame. They sent, in too many instance, men to represent them who were only too eager to become pliant tools in the hands of political knaves; and even after discovering the mistake they had made in the choice of representatives, they allowed them to continue to back up the Government in its policy of spoliation and unconstitutional jobbery without one word of protest. Now, however, the true constitutional remedy for all this is about to be placed within the reach of the electors, and it will be their own fault if they do not apply it effectually.

Blood-Money.

There is a bill before the U. S. Congress "for the relief and improvement of seamen in the merchant service by changing the system of advance wages." This is a measure which appeals to humanity, and it should find a response beyond the territory to which it is to apply. Similar reform is no less urgently demanded in the British dominions, and it is to be hoped that the example set by our neighbors will be speedily followed in this Dominion of ours. It is a very short time since an instance illustrative of the evils of the present system of shanghaiing and blood-money occurred in the Columbia river at Astoria. An unfortunate victim of the system attempted to escape from a ship lying in midstream by jumping into the river, on seeing a fishing boat, doubtless manned by his countrymen, in the vicinity. Seeing that he was likely to be picked up, the mate of the ship took a rifle and, covering the fishing-boat, swore that he would shoot if an attempt was made to rescue the poor fellow from the water. Meanwhile one of the ship's boats was ordered to be lowered, but before it reached the spot the man had perished! Condign punishment ought to have been meted out to that brutal officer. The whole system is vicious, and leads to corruption and injustice, and operates against the maritime interests, degrading the profession and militating against the steady and deserving obtaining employment.

Debarring "Nemo."

Last week, in the Magistrate's court at Yale, the very impressive ceremony of "debarring" "Nemo" was enacted. To the important duties of "special correspondent" of the *Guardian*, Nemo added those of pettifoggery. It is one of the questionable results of our legislation that any fellow can practice in the lower courts. This Nemo had in the course of the practice of his "profession," adopted a rather summary process in connection with some Chinese clients, and the consequence was that he got himself on the wrong side of the bar(s). Imagining himself aggrieved, he took advantage of his position as "special correspondent" to get a sly hit at one of the Justices of the Peace—making a sneering reference to that gentleman's former occupation as a "teamster," &c. Last week Nemo having presented himself before the offended J. P. in the capacity of "counsel" for the defendant, the Court, before proceeding with the case, delivered a scathing lecture to him and concluded by informing him that the Magistrates of the District had unanimously decided that he (Nemo) should not be allowed to practice any more in their Court—although permitted to conduct the case in hand. In other words, he was "debarred." Now we do not wish to be understood as having any sympathy with Nemo. We have known him in various capacities since he came to the country, and we cannot say that we have been very favorably impressed with the man. But so far as our recollection serves us, his attack upon the J. P. in question did not appear to be such as called for any notice from the Bench. It was undoubtedly very uncalled for to remind the Magistrate of his former occupation; but surely to have been a "teamster" on the Cariboo road was no disgrace, and to be reminded of it was no insult—more especially to be reminded of it by one who has more than once been engaged in occupations the recollection of which most men would wish to bury. We cannot help thinking that it would have been quite as well if such an extreme course had not been adopted. Or if it was to be adopted, would it not have been better if some other J. P. than the one Nemo had criticised had applied the potential cautery!

The Queen's Birthday.

Mayor McInnes has handed us the following telegram for publication, and he announces elsewhere that a public meeting will be held at the Hyack Hall to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of considering the proposition therein contained:

Nanaimo, B. C.,
April 29, 1882.

MAYOR MCINNES,
New Westminster:

Am requested by Queen's Birthday Celebration Committee to invite yourself and good folks of New Westminster to join us on Twenty-fourth May. Am also desired to say people of Nanaimo will be pleased to return your visit on Dominion Day.

M. HAYS, Mayor.

We have only to add that the proposition seems to be a very neighbourly and nice one. Our Nanaimo friends have repeatedly come over to join us in similar celebrations. Last Dominion Day they came over in great force; and it would be the civil and pleasant thing to accept their kind invitation now. We understand it is on the cards to charter the H. B. Co.'s splendid steamer Princess Louise for the occasion. Let there be a good attendance at the meeting to-morrow night.

For all purposes of a Family Medicine, HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL is at the head of the list. It is used with unprecedented success, both internally and externally. It cures Sore Throat, Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites; relieves, and often cures, Asthma.

Sabbath Observance.

The following Resolution was unanimously adopted at the Methodist District meeting held in this city last week:

Resolved, 1st, That this District Meeting heartily approves of the efforts made during the recent session of the Local Legislature to secure such an amendment to the Provincial License Act as would close places where intoxicating liquors are sold on Sunday;

2nd, That we have been painfully surprised at the silent contempt with which the subject was treated by the Legislature;

3rd, That it is the firm conviction of this meeting that the interests of this Province would be greatly promoted by the enactment of a law for the better observance of the Sabbath, which would close up on that day not only the liquor bars but other places of business and cause the suspension of all unnecessary labor;

4th, That we do hereby request the Chairman and Secretary of the District and the Rev. E. Robson to act on behalf of the Methodist people of the Province in taking such action conjointly with other religious bodies as may be necessary to secure, at the earliest possible date, such legislation as will accomplish this result.

What Others Think.

"O, would some guid the giftie gie us,
To see oursel's as ithers see us!" &c.

(*From the San Francisco News-Letter.*)

VICTORIA, B. C.,
March 19, 1882.

This Province is a conical bit of the Empire. The people are said to be "chips of the old block;" but that is a delusion. They are chips from all sorts of blocks, and most of them are like cotton-wood chips, soft, and good for nothing. This is proved by their representatives now assembled in the local Legislature. This distinguished body met three weeks ago. British cannon roared and a guard presented arms, while twenty-five of the finest Tom Noddys under the sun took their seats and waited for the Lieut. Governor. I was as mad as a March hare when I heard the cannon, but got calm when I saw His Excellency, who is really, if I may judge by his appearance, a man fit to represent Majesty. He is every inch a gentleman, and they say he is a first rate scholar, an able debater, and a man of business. He delivered the first paragraph of the speech from the throne with a clear musical accent. It was excellent English, written by himself. But the other paragraphs, written by the Attorney-General, were slip-slop, and they seemed to amuse His Honor. He balked once or twice at the bad English, and was evidently saying to himself: "I hope no one will imagine the nonsense is mine." The Bishop, in full canonicals, opened the proceedings with prayer. He knelt at the clerk's desk, but the congregation were sitting, standing, or chatting, and seemed to think the prayer was a good joke.

I have been looking at the legislators and listening to them for three weeks, and I declare they are a curiosity. Coming over James's Bay bridge to-day I met an Irishman and introduced myself: "Well, sir," said Pat, "what do you think of the Parliament?" "Not much," I replied. "Faith, then, that's me own opinion," said Pat. "There's one of them mimbers," said he, "that can't spell cat. I saw a letther he wrote to a boy o' the Kellys, an I give you my oath he began to spell Kelly wid a C. An' did you see that fellow sittin' on the high sate? That's the Spaker. He doesn't know B from a bulls foot. Isn't it a droll thing to make a Spaker of a man that can't talk?" "O, well," I replied, "some of them are smart men." "D—l resave the one," said he. "The Attorney General himself made a pile of laws widout any raison in them. I'm tould it's a sight to see the ould Chief Justice wid his spectacles on, lookin' over thim and thryin' to find out the least little speck of rale law. Rale law is as plain as the nose on a man's face; but the law they make out here is all flummery." "I suppose," I said, "you are opposed to the Walkem Government, and in favor of the opposition?" "Arrah, man dear," said Pat, "I'm opposed to both sides. It's all wrong, stock, lock and barrel. I had the rheumatiz the last three years and spent most of the time in winther in that gallery, hopin' to hear some good talk. Walkem went on makin' the flummery, an' niver a wan of the opposition ever said a word. If he brought in a head of cabbage and said *that's law*, they'd believe him an' make law of it. Shure, if they knew anything at all they'd tell him he could not make law of cabbage. Arrah, man dear! it's as hard to make law of nonsense as to make stirabout of sawdust. Were you iver in the Town Hall? Niver! Will, then, if you want to see a good sight go up there. The Mayor sits on a high sate, just like the Spaker; an' the councillors sit round him in a bit of a circle; an' when one o' thim want's to spake he'll jump up, like a Jack-in-the-box, and say two or three words and flop down again, quick. Every one o' them has the same habit. Not one of them know how to stand up and spake like a man. The ould Mayor, Misther Turner, was a nice, honest, upright, gay little man. He used to keep himself nate an' clane an' wear a good shoot an' gloves. The cotton-wood chips thought he was puttin' on frills, and so they put him out, an' put in a fellow that served his time collectin' taxes from the Chinamen. He does not put on any frills, but before he was made a Mayor he used to say in Council to one o' the mimbers: 'You are a liar, so you are.' That's how he qualified for office."

I have attended a meeting of the Town Council, in the Town Hall, and made some inquiries with reference to the statements of my Irish friend, and I assure you they are perfectly correct. The Jack-in-the-box style is practiced in the most inimitable manner. The legislator who puts C in place of K is a local celebrity. The laws enacted are nonsense; the judges are puzzled by them, and business in the law courts halts in the most lamentable manner. REPORTER.

SEEDS!—Call and see our fine stock Agricultural Seeds and note our prices before purchasing elsewhere. Herring, Druggist, City Drug Store, N. W.

I am one of the Superintendents here and my brothers are the others," remarked ex-Postmaster-General Jewell to a visitor to his great leather belting manufactory at Hartford the other day. "We are all practical in this business; we are tanners by trade. I can put on an apron and do any work in our factory, from the currying of leather to the finishing of a belt."

Mr. Vanderbilt appears to be making money in some of his little outside speculations. It is said he owns $60,000,000 of Government fours, bought within the last two years. During that time these bonds have advanced 10 per cent. in price, and he has received 8 per cent. interest, or an increase to Mr. Vanderbilt's fortune of $11,000,000.

SEEDS! SEEDS!—A large and varied stock of fresh seeds, imported from the principal and most reliable growers, at Herring's Drug Store.

British Columbia Agency of Toronto Safe and Lock Works, J. & J. Taylor, Proprietors.

These celebrated safes are made from heavier iron, weighing 20 per cent. more, and have all the modern improvements of the best American Fire and Burglar Safes, including the Sargent Greenleaf Dial Lock. Being of Canadian manufacture, they are duty free, and consequently can be sold cheaper than either English or American Safes.

Fire and Burglar proof vault doors manufactured of all sizes and quality, at prices ranging from one hundred to three thousand dollars.

Detailed specifications for vault work furnished on application to the agents for British Columbia.

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"That reminds me," said Judith suddenly, while a deep blush spread over her face and neck. "I wasn't alone, except for about half a mile from Scar Foot."

"Not alone? Did Toby from the farm bring you with his lantern?"

"I never saw Toby. It was Mr. Danesdale——"

"*Mr. Danesdale!*"

"Yes. And the worst is, he found me sitting in a hedge, like a tramp who can walk no farther, groaning, with my face in my hands."

"Oh, Judith! How terrible!"

"He got off his horse and walked with me to Yoresett. He is probably now riding for dear life, to be as nearly in time for dinner as he can."

"Well, we must go down now," said Delphine, very quietly. "You must tell me about it by-and-by afterward. There's Rhoda calling out that tea is ready."

Arm in arm they went down stairs into the warm, lighted parlor, which, despite its shabby furniture, looked very comfortable and home-like, with the tea-table spread, and the urn singing, and the old-fashioned crystal glass full of gracefully arranged yellow-berried holly and glossy ivy leaves.

Mrs. Conisbrough did not enquire respecting the reception her eldest daughter had met with from her uncle. She cast a wavering suspicious glance toward Judith as the girls came in, which glance presently grew more reassured, but neither cheerful nor enquiring. In her own mind she was thinking, "What has he said to her? How far has he gone?" Judith met her mother's look with her usual cordiality. Mrs. Conisbrough heaved a sigh of relief, but dared not proceed to questions of any kind.

When the meal was over they all sat still in the same room, some of them working, some of them reading. Their store of books was small, but they were occasionally able to borrow a few from a certain Mrs. Malleson, their one and only intimate friend, whose husband was rector of the great parish of Stanniforth, which comprised Yorsett and many other places. The doctor of the district, who also lived some distance away, and who was a kindly natured man, would occasional remember "those poor Miss Conisbroughs," and would put a volume or two in his great-coat pocket for their benefit. Judith was making a pretense of reading one of these volumes now. Delphine sat at the old piano, and touched a chord now and then, and sang a phrase once and again. Rhoda was embroidering. Mrs. Conisbrough held a book in her hands, which she was not reading any more than Judith was reading hers.

Meantime, without, the storm had increased. Judith had heard the first threatenings of the wind, which was now one continuous roar. The rain, in spasms, lashed the panes furiously. Yorsett House could stand a good deal of that kind of thing. No tempest even shook it, though it might, as it did to-night, make wild work with the nerves of some of those that dwelt there.

Suddenly Rhoda raised her dusky head; her glowing brunette face was all listening; she, held up a warning finger to Delphine to pause in her playing.

"Don't you hear wheels?" she said, in a low voice; such as befitted the solemnity of the occasion.

They all listened; yes, wheels were distinctly audible, quickly moving, and a horse's hoofs, as it came down the street. Quick as thought Rhoda had bounded to the window, lifted the white linen blind, and pulled it over her head, in a frenzy of aroused curiosity.

Just opposite the house stood the only public illumination possessed by Yoresett—a lantern, which threw out melancholy rays, and cast a flickering light upon the objects around. It burned in a wavering, uncanny manner, in the furious gusts to-night, but Rhoda's eyes were keen; emerging presently from her retirement, she found three pairs of eyes gazing enquiringly at her.

"Would you believe it," she cried. "It's old Mr. Whaley's dog-cart, with the white mare, *and he is in it.*"

"Old Mr. Whaley" was the family lawyer of the Aglionby clan; and had been so for forty years.

"Nonsense, my dear child!" protested her sisters. "It is some belated traveler, and the flickering light has deceived you."

"I tell you, it was old Mr. Whaley. Don't I know his mare Lucy as well as I know my own name? He was sitting muffled up, and crouching together, and his man was driving. Will you tell me I don't know Peter Metcalfe and his red beard? and they were driving toward the road to Bainbeck."

"It is strange!" said Delphine.

Rhoda, going back toward her place, looked at her mother.

"Mamma's ill!" she cried, springing to her side.

"No, no! It's nothing. I have not felt very well all day. Leave me alone, children, it will pass off. Old Mr. Whaley, on the road to Bainbeck, did you say, Rhoda? Then he must be going to see your uncle."

Randulf Danesdale, after taking leave of Miss Conisbrough, sprang upon his horse again, pulled his collar up about his ears, rammed his cap well on his head, calling to his dog, and rode on in the teeth of the wind, toward his home. Soon the storm burst over him in full fury, and he was properly drenched before arriving at Danesdale Castle. During his ride thither, he constantly gave vent to the exclamation, "Inc—credible!" which might have reference to the weather, he being as yet somewhat inexperienced in the matter of storms as they rage in Yorkshire dales. More probably it was caused by some train of though. Be that as it may, the exclamation was oft reiterated. At last, after a long, rough ride over country roads uncheered by lamps, he ascended the hill going to Danesdale Castle, and rode into the courtyard where the stables and kennels were, delivered his horse to his groom, and sauntered toward the house.

"Are they dining, Thompson!" he enquired of a solemn-looking butler whom he met as he passed through the hall.

"They are dining, sir," was the respectful reply, and Randulf's visage wore an expression of woe and gravity impossible to describe; yet an impartial observer must have come to the conclusion that Thompson and his young master were enjoying an excellent joke together.

"If Sir Gabriel should ask, say I am in, and will join them in five minutes," said Randulf, going up stairs. During his dressing he gave vent to the exclamation, "Inc—credible," and this time it may reasonably be supposed to have referred to the extreme celerity with which he made his toilet.

When he had ridden into the courtyard ten minutes ago, he had looked animated, interested, and interesting, as he perfectly sat his perfect horse. There had been vigor and alertness in his movements, and a look of purpose and life in his eyes. That look had been upon his face from the moment in which he had reined up his horse by the roadside, and seen Judith Conisbrough's eyes looking up at him. When he came into the dining-room, and the assembled company turned their eyes upon him with a full stare of surprise, or inspection, or both, and his father pretended to look displeased, and his sister looked in stern reality, he looked tired, languid, indifferent—more than indifferent, bored to death.

Sir Gabriel looked as if he would have spoken to him, but Randulf's place was at the other end of the table, nearer his sister, Miss Philippa Danesdale. He dropped into the vacant chair left for him by the side of a lady who looked out of temper; a lady with considerable claims to good looks, in the confident, unabashed style of beauty; a lady, finally, whose toilet bore evidence of having cost a great deal of money. She was Miss Anna Dunlop, Miss Danesdale's dearest friend, and Randulf had had to take her in to dinner every day since his return home.

Glancing around, he uttered a kind of general apology, including Miss Dunlop in it with a slight bow, and then he looked wistfully round the table.

"You appear to be looking for something, Mr. Danesdale," observed Miss Dunlop, her corrugated brow becoming more placid.

"Only for the s—soup. I am absolutely starving," was the reply, in a tone of weariness which hardly rose above a whisper.

"If you will be so late, Randulf," said his sister in the low voice she always used, "you must expect to have to wait, a minute or two at any rate, for your dinner. The servants are not omnipotent."

"I hope not, indeed!" he said. "If they were, where would you be? Where should I be? Where should we all be?"

"You snap up people's remarks in the most unkind manner," expostulated Miss Dunlop on Philippa's behalf. "Your sister only meant to calm your impatience, and you misconstrue her remark, and call up a number of the most dreadful images to one's mind."

"Dreadful images. Isn't there a song? Oh, no, engines; that's it—not images. 'See the dreadful engines of eternal war.' Do you know it?

"I never heard it. I believe you are making it up," said Miss Dunlop reproachfully.

"Ah; its old. It used to be sung long before your time—when I was a boy, in fact," he returned, with a gravity so profound as to be almost oppressive.

Miss Dunlop paused a moment, and then decided to laugh, which she did in a somewhat falsetto tone, eliciting no responsive smile from him. A dismal idea that Randulf was a sarcastic young man began to distill its baneful poison through her mind. What did he mean by so pointedly saying, "It used to be sung when I was a boy?"

"Did the Sparthwaites keep you so late, Randulf?" asked his sister; but he did not hear her, or appeared not to do so. Miss Danesdale was plump, red-haired woman, no longer young. It was said by some of those friends of her youth whom she, like others, found somewhat inconvenient when that youth had fled, that she was forty. This, however, was supposed by those who knew her to be a slight exaggeration. She sat very upright, always held her shoulders back, and her head elevated, nor did she stoop it, even in the act of eating and drinking. She always spoke in an exceedingly low voice, which only a great emergency or extreme irritation ever caused her to raise; indeed it is useless to deny the fact, Miss Danesdale, from what cause soever, muttered, with what results, on the tempers of herself and of those who had to interpret her mutters or be asking for a repetition of them, may be more easily imagined than described. Her brother, who had seen little of her until this last final home-coming, considered the habit to be one of the most trying and exasperating weapons in the armory of a trying and exasperating woman. Miss Danesdale had every intention of behaving very well to her brother, and of making him welcome, and being very kind to him; but the manner in which she displayed her good will took a didactic, even a dictatorial form, which failed to recommend itself to the young man. If it were not sure to be taken for feminine ill-will toward the nobler and larger-minded sex, the present writer would feel obliged to hint that Randulf Danesdale felt spiteful toward his esteemed sister, and that occasionally he acted as he felt. In any case, he appeared on the present occasion not to hear her, and in exactly the same voice and words, she repeated her question, looking at him as he gazed wearily at the pattern of his now empty soup-plate.

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March 22, 1882. mh25

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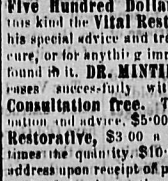

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JAMES WM. SINCLAIR,
Clerk to Municipality.
Maple Ridge, March 13, 1882. mh15