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Monday Evening, July 30, 1888.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The latest thing in the way of appliances for wholesale slaughter is a torpedo shell, to be fired from a dynamite gun. The shell is of cold drawn brass, seven feet long, and to contain two pounds of explosive gelatine. One application is guaranteed sufficient.

It now appears that the visit of the Kaiser to the Tzar meant peace, and only peace; to cement the existing friendship between themselves, and to convince everybody else that they are the very quietest people in the world. This is certainly pleasant reading. It is to be hoped they will always continue in the same mind.

Most people will be surprised to learn that there is a corner of Brazil, within 250 miles of the well known city of Rio de Janeiro, the natives of which are cannibals. They go about without clothing, have no religion except a superstitious dread of thunderstorms, and are about as nearly absolute savages as can be imagined.

A new York professor says that fruit growers should study the habits of insects and the nature of their food, in order to be able to tell friends from foes. This is excellent advice, but the professor rather dampens the ardor of possible disciples by adding that about eight thousand species of insects may be considered as fruit pests.

It is stated that an English engineer has invented a machine by which pure hot air is derived direct from the combustion of coal. That is, instead of smoke and choking fumes, the burning coal gives off hot air which can be inhaled with safety and comfort. Dealers in heating stoves should buy short until they have had a chance to look into this thing.

ing the natural color of flowers pressed for preservation, which may interest some of our readers. Dust salicylic acid upon the leaves, removing the powder with a brush when the petals are dry, or make a solution of one part of the acid in fourteen of alcohol, impregnate cotton well or blotting paper with this and lay it above and below the flowers when pressing.

Col. Ingersoll has been devoting his eloquence—and he can be eloquent when he tries—to praise of whisky, which he calls liquid joy. Of course the particular whisky in question is something extra superfine; although probably it would produce a very average sort of drunk. In this "Bob" is quite consistent—he believes that men die like beasts; why, then, should they not make beasts of themselves while they are alive?

We are becoming luxurious indeed, in these latter days. All our artificial lights, including the electric, are condemned as radically defective in two directions. They create too much heat and they are "concentrated fire of glare." The light of the future is to be an imitation of the glow-worm and the firefly. The problem for the chemists and inventors is, the artifical production of the organic matter which is the source of light in these insects, and its application. A light which would diffuse itself—sufficient everywhere, intense nowhere—and which would create no perceptible heat (and, of course, set nothing on fire), would be a "big thing" for the man who got a patent on it.

The South American earthquakes are accounted for. It appears that the Andes are gradually sinking into the bowels of the earth—literally *into*, not spreading out at the base, but going right down. The city of Iuito, the highest on the globe, has been making an average decline of over seven inches per annum for a century or more. A farm, the highest inhabited spot on the Andes, over half a mile higher, perpendicularly, than Iuito, has been coming down at the rate of almost too feet a year. The theory is that the enormous mass of mountains (greater in proportion to its base than any other in the world) is too heavy to be upborne by the earth's crust, and so is gradually settling. Try to imagine what would happen if the bottom should drop out one of those days, and the mountains go flop into the molten mass which is supposed to form the interior of the earth?

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

BY TELEGRAPH.

Eight Thousand Navvies on Strike in Paris---The Emperor William in Denmark---Murders in Sicily.

News From the Skeena---Two More Indians Killed---Fatal Result of a Row.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

ANOTHER THREATENED LITTLE WAR.

LONDON, July 28.—The news from Zululand is disquieting. The quarrel between Usipebu and Cetewayo's son, Dinizitu, which seemed at one time to be little more than an affair for the police, has assumed so serious an aspect that all the available troops in Natal have been hurried across the Tugela, where 1400 men from Capo Town are already encamped. The original explanation of the outbreak was that a feud had arisen on account of cattle stealing. There have been depredations of this character, no doubt, but it is to be feared that one must go behind these if the true origin of the disturbance is to be discovered.

The two forces which have come into collision represent interests which have been in sharp conflict ever since the dismemberment of Zululand. Usipebu is chief, and when Cetewayo, after his deposition, became embroiled in those troubles, which in the end overwhelmed him, Dinzutu cannot be ignorant of the events which precipitated the ruin of his father, and he is surrounded by men who have not forgotten the official favors which the British authorities have extended to Upsipebu in arrangements which have, from time to time, been made with a view to securing peace for the country, but the young chief has behind him a still more dangerous influence. The Boers of the new republic humored him on the death of his father by recognizing him as the king over a particular section of country, and even by bearing a part of the sham ceremonials of his coronation. Later on the chief was shocked at the rapacity of his Transvaal patrons and an estrangement took place. There seems good reason, however, to believe that a working alliance has been arranged between the Boers and the Usutus. Scouts from the British force state that there is a large body of whitemen from Dinzuta, and that one of them acts as second in command. It is the policy of the Zululand Boers to foment disturbance in the country and it will be difficult to convince Englishmen that they are innocent of complicity in the present English statesmen admit that present events in Zululand may alter the whole future of England's connection with South Africa.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

HEAVY RAINS.

NOGALES, Ariz., July 30.—Heavy and continuous rains, and railroad washouts in this section are unprecedented. All trains on the South Pacific are more or less delayed. Throughout Mexico the rains have been the heaviest and most constant ever known and the damage done is very great.

FARMER SHOT.

DUBLIN, July 30.—John Forhan, a boycotted farmer, while returning from Tralee with three laborers in a car yesterday, was shot near Listowel, Kersy, by two disguised men who jumped over the fence, fired and escaped.

SMITH KNOCKED OUT.

LONDON, July 30.—Jem Smith, the prize-fighter, while driving in Kilburn, London, last night, collided with a trap and was thrown to the ground. He was picked up insensible, injured about the ribs and face.

YOUTHFUL MURDERER.

PARIS, July 30.—Alphonse Sianzado, aged eight years, fatally cut his six-year-old brother, Lewis, in the stomach yesterday with a razor, and then cut his own throat from ear to ear, dying almost instantly. Alphonse always hated his brother and tried to kill him twice before, once by driving a nail into his head with a hammer.

AFTER TIN.

PITTSBURG, July 30.—A company whose object is to open a tin mine near Durynge, Mexico, has just been formed here with a capital stock of a million dollars. An expert who assayed the ore, says it will yield from 25 to 35 per cent. of tin, which is the largest in the world.

DESTRUCTIVE STORM.

LONDON, July 30.—A fearful storm has caused much destruction in northwestern France. Many persons have been drowned.

STEAMSHIP OPPOSITION.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.—Frank Barnard, owner of the steamer Wilmington, has decided to run her to British Columbia and Puget Sound ports in opposition to the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. She will carry both freight and passengers at reduced rates, the former at $2.50 per ton. The Wilmington leaves on Wednesday on her first trip.

FATAL FIRE.

TEHACHAPI, Cala, July 30.—The warehouse of A. Pauley was burned to the ground last night. The body of a man was found in ashes, burned beyond recognition.

C. P. R. EARNINGS.

MONTREAL, July 30.—For the half year ending June 30th the gross earnings of the C. P. R. were $5,833,300; working expenses, $4,719,520. The net profit is $1,113,870, compared with a net profit of $941,337 for the same period last year.

WILLIAM IN DENMARK.

COPENHAGEN, July 30.—The Emperor William arrived here this morning on the yacht Hohenzollern, and was received by King Christian and the crown prince and cordially greeted. When the royal party landed the band played the Prussian national anthem.

TO SEARCH FOR STANLEY.

LONDON, July 30.—Professor Jamieson, naturalist, writing from Kasongo, in the Congo Free State, says he is preparing to leave with Major Bartellot, the commander at the camp of Arnwinri, Tippoo Tib and 900 men to search for Stanley.

IN A BAD WAY.

SICILY, July 30.—An epidemic of fever prevails in Cattan, and the inhabitants of the province of Cattanicette are being terrorized by Bandits who swarm upon all sides. Murders are an every day occurence.

ON STRIKE.

PARIS, July 30.—8,000 navvies are now on strike.

ANOTHER KINGLY VISIT.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The king of Greece has arrived here.

SKEENA NOTES.

VICTORIA, July 30.—News received to-day from the north reports a full salmon pack on the Skeena river, each of the six canneries securing from ten to fifteen thousand cases. At Alert Bay the pack is poor, but at Rivers Inlet the pack is good.

An Indian at Port Essington suicided by shooting himself through the heart because he was deformed.

FATHER JONCKAN DEAD.

VICTORIA, July 30.—Rev. Father Jonckau, twenty years a resident of this city, and administrator of the estate of the late Archbishop Seghers, burst a blood-vessel yesterday and died shortly afterwards. The body is lying in state and will be buried on Wednesday.

A FATAL ROW.

CHICAGO, July 30.—John Phillips and "Skip" Larkins, with some friends, were returning from a ball game last evening, and, meeting a party of Bohemians carrying a pitcher of beer, roughly asked for some. A row ensued, when August Detlof, one one of the Bohemians, drew a revolver and shot Larkins and Phillips dead. The Bohemians then ran to their house and barricaded themselves, while the dead men's friends got reinforcements and were preparing for an assault, which would have resulted in much bloodshed but for the arrival of the police, who took all into custody.

Police Court.

Before T. C. Atkinson, P. M., and P. McTiernan, J. P.

The following cases were disposed of in the police court this morning:

Lee Sue, on remand, charged with giving false returns to Mr. Figg, provincial revenue tax collector, of the Sentence reserved until to-morrow.

Charley Ing Woo, another bland celestial, on remand for a similar "vain trick." Sentence also reserved.

Lucy, a Fort Rupert Indian, charged by Constable Pearce with having whiskey in his possession, plead "not guilty," but it wouldn't "go down" with the court (the plea we mean, not the whiskey), and the bibulous maid of the forest was fined $25 and sentenced to one month in jail with hard labor.

David McKenzie, for supplying liquor to the Indian woman, Lucy, got one month with hard labor.

Wong Won Ching, charged with stealing a sack of rice. Case dismissed with costs.

Benjamin, a Bella Bella Indian, for being drunk and disorderly, was sentenced to ten days, with hard labor, and charged $1 a day, besides, for his board.

S. Chadwick, of Arcadia, Wayne Co., writes: "I have had severe attacks of Asthma for several years. I commenced taking Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The first dose relieved me in one hour. I continued taking it in teaspoonful doses for a few days, and have not had an attack of it since, now nearly one year."

CORRESPONDENCE.

Another Opinion.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—Your correspondent in Saturday's issue of THE COLUMBIAN seems to be laboring under a misapprehension as to the duty and privileges of minorities under representative institutions; he is not satisfied because public opinion is against his worthy friends—the three self-decapitated school trustees. There never was a better test of public opinion than this affair offered. It is not very patriotic for public men to pout, and throw up the sponge because they find themselves in the minority. That is anarchy, or something worse. Suppose a minority in congress or in the Dominion parliament were to resign because they could not have their way, why, every old woman in the world would laugh them to scorn. If these would-be tyrants see fit to cut their own throats their few admirers should keep very quiet, and not expose their ignorance, or, I might add, thier conceited selfishness. It is to be hoped that this school question, which has been already discussed *ad nauseam*, will not be re-opened in the public print, as further discussion can serve no purpose but that of useless irritation. The matter has been settled for this year, and is not likely to be reconsidered. UMPIRE.

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Monday Evening, July 30, 1888.

Considerable comment has been elicited from various quarters in the matter of the liquor license granted to the Banff C.P.R. hotel by the Dominion government, and stated to be in contravention of the prohibition regulations of the Northwest. The following explanation we take from the Montreal advices of the Calgary *Tribune*, under date of July 27: "Lieutenant-Governor Royal has been interviewed here at some length relative to his policy in the territories. Among other things he promises to promote the construction of branch lines. His honor stated that he was neither a prohibitionist or believer in free trade liquor, but in regard to Banff he wished to correct a misrepresentation. A section of the press had stated that through him the hotel had obtained an unrestricted perpetual license. This was not the case. What the hotel had received was a license to sell simply beer and wine subject to the same restrictions as on the dining cars. The promoters of the hotel, which was for common benefit, had laid out thousands of dollars to establish it, and the least the government could do had been done."

The United States fish commission, at present under the general superintendence of Colonel Marshall McDonald, commissioner, seems to be in very efficient working order. In a supplement to *Harper's Weekly*, dated July 21st, there is a very interesting historical sketch of the commissioner's work in investigating the causes of the decrease of fish, and tye measures employed to stock and restock the waters of rivers, lakes, and the sea. The act of congress, February 9th, 1871, explaining the functions of the commission on fish and fisheries, stripped of official language, was simply—"Produce more fish." Twenty-five years ago, says *Harper's*, "fish culture was tentative; little was known about the habits of fish. Lessons were being sought in China. They had been wading for facts in medieval fish ponds." About 1859 practical thought had been given to trout culture. Professor Baun was the first to take hold of the subject of propagation by artificial means. Many experiments were made without much definite practical knowl edge being gained. The present commissioner, Colonel McDonald, invented a mode of hatching in jars, arranged on tables. Water is turned on to a series of jars through [illegible] work automatically. Each jar has a capacity of from 50,000 to 60,000 shad eggs. Salmon and other kinds can be worked in the same manner successfully. Through the patient industry of the commission the difficulty of transporting the young fry has been obviated. By this jar process the fructified eggs are hatched in transit. By this means rivers on the Pacific can be stocked with a variety of fish unknown to these waters. In the article referred to the scarcity of salmon in the Columbia river is attributed to over fishing. The commission proposes to restock the Columbia by artificial means. They catch their own fish and keep them in pens suitable for the purpose, and when ripe strip the the male and female of their milt and eggs, in the usual way, and mix them in proper receptacles, ready for hatching. The results of fish culture are never immediate; it has been found that it takes four years to produce a marketable crop from fish brood of the anadromous kind, such as salmon. The United States authorities appear to be determined to preserve their present valuable fishing interests and to discover the best means for remedying the mischief that has been done in the past by the cupidity of the canning corporations and the fishermen. There is urgent demand for some immediate "protecting" and "looking into things" by the Dominion fisheries department with regard to the Fraser river salmon fisheries.

While on the fish question we take the opportunity of quoting from the Livermore *Herald*, an American paper, the following interesting account of that engine of destruction known as the "salmon wheel," which is responsible to a large extent for the present condition of the Columbia river. If the inventor of this "dead thing" on the unfortunate salmon should ever take it into his head to "want the earth," we are afraid he would manage to get it, even if he had to tow it over and hitch it onto the moon: "The man who invented the Columbia river salmon wheel was a genius. The laziest fisherman who ever baited a hook could ask no easier way of landing fish. And only the fact that it can only be used at certain points on the stream prevents this machine from exterminating the salmon in one season. Imagine a common undershot wheel, with the buckets turned the wrong way about. This is set in a high, narrow flume near the bank of the river, where the current is very swift. From the down-stream end of this flume, extended outward at an angle of forty-five degrees, are two upright fences, formed by pickets driven closely together into the bottom of the river, and wired to keep them from washing away. Just above the wheel (which is some ten feet in diameter), at the upstream end, is a platform, from which a box-flume runs to the shore. This is the machine. Now let us see how it works. When the salmon are running, as everybody knows, they come up the Columbia river by millions. The stream is very deep, and a large percentage always succeed in getting to the breeding grounds in safety. When salmon are running up a river they are constantly on the lookout for small streams in which to spawn. Also, where the current is very swift, they are unable to make headway in the centre of the stream and consequently seek the more quiet water near the bank. Of these two instincts, the inventor of the fish wheel took a mean advantage. At the Cascades, for instance, where the water is very swift, he sets his wheel. Here come the fish, hugging the bank by thousands—great black fellows, from two to four feet long, heading resolutely up stream. Nothing can turn them backward. That wonderful instinct of nature which insures the preservation of species is nowhere better developed than in a salmon. But in this instance it proves his destruction. Now they are just below that widespread fence. The current which is rushing through the flume and turning the big wheel at a lively pace attracts their attention. The upper fence, which sets nearly square across the stream, makes quiet water here, and this flow seems to come from the bank. This, to the salmon's mind, is evidently the mouth to a shallow creek. Here is a spawning ground to our liking, and up this little stream we will go. So they crowd up between the two narrowing fences toward the fatal wheel. The first fish reaches it, goes in with a rush to overcome the current, is caught by a bucket, and up he goes high in the air, while every bucket brings up another and another till there is a procession of ascending fish. At the top the velocity throws the fish violently upon the platform, from which he shoots down the flume to a great tank on the shore. Here come the fish, crowding each other forward to that busy wheel. None can go under nor to one side. None will go back. And once a school starts for a wheel the owner can consider that he has a title deed to the entire lot. One wheel will run a cannery. Day and night, while the run last, they come flying up the wheel and shooting down the flume in a continuous stream. Fortunately there are but few places on the river where wheels can be worked with this result. Where the fish [illegible] few can be caught in this way. But the men who control these points are making fortunes. As it is, salmon are rapidly disappearing from the Columbia. Many canneries are idle this season and the fishermen's price per fish is rising every year. Surely this engine of destruction is largely the cause."

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ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SUBscribers to the Royal Columbian Hospital will be held in the Surgery of the Hospital at 5 p. m., TUESDAY, 7th August, 1888. Business—Reception of Reports and election of Directors for ensuing year. By order,

W. H. KEARY, Hon. Sec.

New West., 27th July, 1888. djly27td

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BY-LAW NO.--

A By-law to Provide for an Adequate Ferry Boat Service.

WHEREAS IT IS DESIRABLE TO provide for the operation of the Ferry for which a license was granted to the Corporation of the City of New Westminster and the Corporation of the District of Surrey by letters patent bearing date the Seventh day of October, 1883.

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is expedient to raise by way of loan the sum of $75,000 upon the credit of the said City.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $6,000.00 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole ratable property of the said Corporation according to the last revised Assessment Roll is $862,511.00.

AND WHEREAS for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the "Municipality Act, 1881," an annual special rate of seven mills on the dollar will be required.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster, as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $75,000.00, and to cause the same [illegible] of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of Debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be be required, not less than $500.00, and each and all such Debentures shall be sealed with the Common Seal of the said Corporation, and signed by the Mayor.

3. The said Debentures shall be made payable in 50 years from the date hereinafter mentioned, for this by-law to take effect at the office of the Clerk of the said Corporation at the City Hall, New Westminster, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Clerk.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said Debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of seven mills on the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all ratable property within the said City of New Westminster during the continuance of the said Debentures, or any of them.

6. The said moneys shall be expended in providing for the construction of an efficient Steam Ferry suitable for transferring the rolling stock of any Railway Company which now is or hereafter during the term for which the said license was granted or any extension thereof may be constructed within the Province of British Columbia, and also passengers, horses, wagons, cattle and heavy freight across the Fraser River within the boundaries mentioned in the said letters patent, and in securing the operation of the said Ferry adequately and sufficiently for the requirements of the public service in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as the Council of the said Corporation may by resolution at any time or from time to time direct.

7. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to re-purchase any of the said Debentures at such price as shall in each case be mutually agreed upon, and all Debentures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled and no re-issue of Debentures or any Debentures shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

8. This By-law shall before the final passage thereof receive the assent of the Electors of the said corporation in manner provided by the "Municipality Act, 1881," and shall take effect and come into force the Thirtieth day of August, 1888.

This By law may be cited as the "Ferry Service By-law, 1888."

By-law read the first time on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1888.

By-law read the second time on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1888.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE is a true copy of the proposed By-Law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the following places in the City of New Westminster; That is to say,—

In St. Andrew's Ward, at the Royal City Planing Mill Co's premises, being the old Dom. S. M. Co's office, Richard street, in the said city.

In St. George's Ward, at the Council Chamber, Columbia street, in the said city.

In St. Patrick's Ward, at the Pavilion, Albert Crescent, in the said city.

On the 7th day of August, 1888, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

JAMES A. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

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BY-LAW NO.--

A By-law to aid Individuals or a Company who shall establish a Foundry and other Works within the limits of the City of New Westminster or immediately adjacent thereto.

WHEREAS it is is desirable to secure the location of a Foundry and other works for the manufacturing and repairing of the rolling-stock which may be or now is used by the New Westminster Southern Railway Company or other Railway Companies within the Province of British Columbia, and for the making and repairing of such appliances and things as may be requisite for the maintenance and operation of any such Railway;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to grant for the said purpose by way of bonus, six per cent. debentures of the City of New Westminster to the amount of $75,000, and by exempting from all Municipal taxation for 25 years the said works and the property to be used therein;

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $6,000, to be raised annually by special rate for paying the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $862,511;

AND WHEREAS, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created according to the "Municipality Act, 1881," an annual special rate of seven mills on the dollar will be required;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and Council of the City of New Westminster enact as follows:

1. For the purpose aforesaid it shall be lawful for the said Mayor to issue debentures of the said City for the sum of $75,000 of lawful money of Canada in denominations of not less than $500.00 each, and the said Debentures shall be sealed with the common seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor.

2. The said Debentures shall be made payable in 50 years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this bylaw to take effect, at the office of the Clerk of the said Corporation, at the City Hall, New Westminster, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of the interest.

3. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Clerk.

4. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of seven mills on the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates, be raised, levied and collected in each year, upon all ratable property within the said City of New Westminster, during the continuance of the said Debentures or any of them.

5. The said Mayor shall not issue the said Debentures or any of them until after the Council of the said Corporation shall have passed a resolution requesting him so to do, and he shall hold the said Debentures after the issue thereof, upon trust, for the said Corporation, until the said individuals or company shall have entered into an Agreement with the said Corporation for the erection, maintenance and operation of the said works in such manner and upon such terms and conditions as the said Council may, by resolution, approve of, and upon the further trust to pay over the said Debentures to the said individuals or Company in such manner and at such time or times as the said Council may by resolution at any time or from time to time direct.

6. The said Council shall not authorize any of the said Debentures to be paid over to the said individuals or Company until they shall have given to the said Council satisfactory evidence of being possessed of the capital requisite for the erection, maintenance and operation of the said work, and, if a Company, of being in bona fide working operation; nor until after security shall have been given to the satisfaction of the said Council for the performance by the said individuals or Company of the conditions to be contained in the said agreement.

7. The said agreement shall provide for the erection of the said works either within the limits of the said city or immediately adjacent thereto and North of the Fraser River, and that the same shall cost not less than $75,000 and shall have continuously employed therein a sufficient number of men to operate the same efficiently at all times.

8. The said works and the premises whereon the same may be erected, as provided for by the said agreement and the property to be used therein shall be exempt from all taxation by the said Corporation for the term of twenty-five years from the completion of the said works.

9. It shall be lawful for the said corporation, from time to time to re-purchase any of the said Debentures at such price as shall in each case be mutually agreed upon, and all Debehtures so re-purchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no re-issue of Debentures, or any Debentures, shall be made in consequence of such re-purchase.

10. This Bylaw shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the "Municipality Act, 1881," and shall take effect and come into force on the Thirtieth day of August, 1888.

11. This Bylaw may be cited as the "Workshops Bonus Bylaw, 1888."

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JAMES A. ROBINSON, C. M. C.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we have applied to the Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the west ½ of Section 33, the northwest ¼ of Section 27, in Township 2, and Section 30, Block 5 North, Range One West, all situated in New Westminster District.

ROYAL CITY PLANING MILLS CO. (Limited),

Per W. A. DUNCAN.

New West., July 26, 1888. djly26m1

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land in New Westminster District:

Commencing at a stake set about ¾ of a mile east from the shore of Montague Channel, Howe Sound, on the south bank of a creek, in a direct east line from the north end of Anvil Island; thence south 120 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 120 chains; thence northeast 120 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence southwest 120 chains, to the point of commencement.

JOHN A. WEBSTER.

New West., June 19, 1888. dje29m1

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease for timbering purposes of the following described lands situate on Vancouver Island, east shore, described as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of the lease claim now held by us, which corner is about one mile south of the head of Stella Lake, thence as follows: East 40 chains, south 100 chains, east 40 chains, south 40 chains, east 40 chains, south 120 chains, west 80 chains, south 80 chains, west 80 chains, south 40 chains, west 200 chains, north 40 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains north 480 chains, more or less, to the southwest corner of the Hastings Sawmill Co's claim; thence east 80 chains, south 40 chains, east 100 chains, south 80 chains, east 160 chains to the west boundary of claim now held by us; thence south 40 chains, more or less, to point commencement. Said described lands containing 22,000 acres be the same more or less.

New Westminster, July 11th, 1888.

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By their Agent, CHARLES E. WOODS.

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New West., July 29, 1888. djly30m1

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a reward of $1000 will be given by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons concerned in the robbery of the British Columbia Express Company's Stage, on the Cariboo road, on Saturday the 30th day of June last.

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, 11th July, 1888. djly13m1

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All persons indebted to the above Estate must pay the amounts of their indebtedness, forthwith, to the UNDERSIGNED, and all persons having claims against the same must send them in, duly proven, on or before Saturday the 11th day of August proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon.

W. H. FALDING, Administrator.

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A spring rain was falling gently, continuously, on Mrs. True's garden. The lately transplanted geraniums and petunias lifted their heads gratefully to the warm shower, and the fuchsias and sweet alyssum brightened under its influence.

If their mistress could have seen them, she, too, would have rejoiced, for the flowers were her children, petted darlings, for whom no care could be too great, no attention too painstaking. She had housed them in winter, set them out in summer, trimmed, guarded, hung over over them year after year.

Involuntarily one looked for her mild face at the window, smiling out upon them, but she was not to be seen. For the second time only in her life Mrs. True lay in her chamber, too ill to heed the pattering rain, or to think of the plants growing so fast in the sweet, moist air, even though, through the open window of her room, both sounds and scents entered freely, the peaceful sounds and healthful scents of the country.

It was very still in the room where she lay; very still and orderly. The old furniture was polished and speckless; the linen as white as snow; against the pillows, which had been a part of her bridal outfit, rested the gray head, still neatly cared for, and the face, with its pallor, still wore a look of kindly impatience.

At her side sat her husband, good Deacon True, with bowed head and sad eyes; and in his work-hardened hand he held her feeble one.

Presently a footstep sounded on the muddy sidewalk outside. Then the gate latch clicked. Someone walked up the path and tapped softly on the house door, and was as softly admitted.

But the two, with their faces turned toward each other, took no notice.

"How is she?" said the neighbor down stairs who had "dropped in."

"Failin'," answered Fidelia Perkins, the maid of all work, temporarily engaged for the emergency.

"How's he?"

"Fairly beat out with grievin'. Seems's if he hadn't no heart for eatin' or drinkin' or nothin'. Just settin' up there along o' her, and holdin' her hand. I never did see folks set sech store by each other as they do."

"Well, they haven't nobody else to set store by, you see," said the visitor, establishing herself by the fire, and holding out two substantial feet to the blaze.

"No, that's so," assented Fidelia, taking out her knitting. "Now you just make yourself comfortable, Mis' Clapp. I'm real glad to see somebody. It's dreadful lonesome here. Jest those two still critters upstairs, and me and the cat downstairs, and nothin' on earth to do. Why, there ain't so much as a teaspoonful of dirt to clean up nowhere in the house. I never did see such housekeepin'."

"She was a master hand for cleanin'," said Mrs. Clapp, shaking her head thoughtfully, "and as I say, there warn't no children to make dirt."

"No, there warn't, but them plants is about as bad, to my thinkin', cluttering up the place half the year, and havin' to track around with a waterin' pot, and weedin' and stewin' over 'em the rest of the time. She took a sight of comfort in 'em, though."

"She was a real good woman, Mis' True was," sighed Mrs. Clapp, speaking already in the past tense.

"And he's a powerful good man."

"There ain't no better."

"Queer sech good folks hadn't a family."

"Well, they did have one child."

"Do tell? I never heard of it before. Boy or girl?"

"Boy, I believe; law, Mis' True was most tickled to death about it. She was as proud as an old hen with one chick, but it didn't last long. I was sent for to nurse her, and she was a dreadful sick woman, out of her head, just raving about that baby; goin' on about what she was meaning to do for it.

"She had it all planned out for a lifetime how she was a-goin' to rock him to sleep nights, and how, by and by, he was agoin' to set to the table in a high chair alongside of her, and, finally, how he was to take the farm and live with them always. My! she was ramblin' on so fast and a smiling away to herself, while the rest of us—me and the doctor and the deacon—was jest a-fightin' for that baby's life. And, at last, when she come to herself there warn't nothin' but a dead baby to shew her."

"Dear, dear! did she take on much?" said Fidelia, dropping her knitting in her lap.

"Take on? Well, not like some folks. She didn't screech nor cry; but she jest turned awful white, and her eyes got big and bad lookin'; it was enough to ha'nt you to see 'em, and she never said nothin' to me; jest moaned, and caught ahold of the deacon's coat sleeve as if she needed somethin' to comfort her. It did seem's if her heart was broke sure. She never had no more children."

"I guess that's why they've been so set on each other," mused Fidelia.

"Well, as to that, there ain't no tellin'. Some few folks are so—considerate and feelin'—but mighty few. Most married folk get tired of livin' together, or, at any rate, they appear so; to home. The deacon and Mis' True they's been like they was a'courtin' all these years. He's done all the chores for her that a mortal man could do, and she's been as sweet to him—well, as sweet as one of them doves a-cooin' away out there on the barn."

"Hark! What's that?" said Fidelia, holding up one hand, warningly.

It was only the sound of a weak voice, above, and a deeper voice trying to answer soothingly.

While the two women had talked the afternoon had waned. The rain seemed like fast falling tears. The flowers, some of them, were closing drowsily. The shadows were deepening. The light green foliage of a birch tree near the house looked gray in the twilight. Through the open chamber window above sounded the sleepy trill of a bird, safely snuggled in his nest under the young leaves.

Curiously enough this tender note alone had the power to rouse the dying woman. She had always been in close sympathy with all fair helpless things, flowers, young birds and infants. Now, in her extremity, this weak cry pierced to her heart and woke her.

"Where's the baby?" she whispered. "Why don't they bring the baby to me?" She was living over again her only sickness. She fancied herself young once more, young and filled with a strange great happiness.

The years between had vanished. They were happy years, too, happier than most people enjoy, for her desires had been easily gratified, her ambitions were of the simplest kind.

To live within their small means; to lay aside a little each year; to keep the house immaculate and the flowers thriving; to know peaceful nights and quiet, uneventful days; to help a neighbor in trouble; to sit in the village church regularly on Sunday, and to be sure that the grass grew green and the white violets flourished over a certain small mound in the graveyard; these were the utmost limits of her hopes.

Her one great grief had grown to be a tender memory, and all the days since had been prosperous and serene, unclouded by one harsh look or word.

Now, suddenly, she was young again, a young wife in her new home, with all her humble household treasures new about her, and this thrill of expectation in her breast.

"Where's the baby? Why don't they bring the baby to me?" she repeated, eagerly.

Her husband leaned forward, pressing her hand in both of his.

"The baby?" he said; "what baby?" For him the sad present had swallowed up the past.

"Our baby," she whispered, with a look of rapture in her faded eyes.

"Oh, Lois!"

He bent his head still lower. That shadowy child of theirs seemed hardly more than a dream to him. He had never held it, or played with it, or talked to it in imagination, as she had.

"His name is Josiah, for you," continued the dying woman, trying to tighten her clasp of the hand holding hers, and looking earnestly up at him.

"He will be little Jo. Perhaps his eyes are like yours, and he will be a good man like you, I hope. We will teach him to be good, won't we?"

"Yes, yes, Lois."

"But why don't they bring him to me? I want so much to hold him, only once, for a little while. I won't keep him long. I want to feel his little hand on my face and kiss his little cheek. Please tell them to bring him."

"Hush, hush, Lois, dear."

"Perhaps they don't know where his clothes are. I laid them all ready in the top drawer of the bureau in the spare room, his little blue socks, and his shirt, and the white slip—they said he must wear slips at first, not dresses. Everything's ready. A boy, you said. Oh, do let me hold him now."

The old man groaned aloud and tried to quiet her, but without success. Out doors a wind was rising, a soft wind, fragrant with the bitter-sweet breath of blossoming peach trees. It sighed at the open window, and swept a branch of the birch tree against the upper panes.

The deacon tried to rise to close the glass, but she moved uneasily as if to sit up in bed. He put his arms out to support her. She hardly seemed to see or feel them. Slowly her face grew radiant with surprise and delight.

"Ah, you have brought him to me at last," she cried, with hands outstretched. "Quick, give him to me here, close to my heart. Oh, how dear, how beautiful he is. I had not thought he would be half so beautiful."

She held her arms as if they encircled a little form, and bent her face over them in tenderest mother fashion.

"My baby! my baby!" she whispered, then, with a sigh of utter content, sank back upon her pillows.

The women downstairs listened for the sound of voices to begin again, expecting to be summoned, but no such summons came.

Night and darkness fell in the garden and closed about the house. Fidelia put a lamp outside the chamber door and shut the door quietly. She glanced toward the bed where Mrs. True seemed to be asleep, her husband, with his face buried in the pillow, near her. She left all the necessary articles for the night and moved away with a noiseless step.

The hours went on slowly and silently. The stars shone out in the sky at last, while the flowers slept down in the shadows, and the little bird was gently rocked in his soft cradle. All was still in the house where children's feet had never pattered up and down, nor children's voices echoed.

When morning, calm and sunny, brightened the quiet room it showed the woman's face glorified with a smile of absolute peace. She knows? Perhaps, indeed, her baby had been brought to her.

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"I guess I'll say my prayers standin' up to-night," she said, as she struck an attitude. Then before the mother could remonstrate, she asked:

"Could God make me kneel down?"

"Why, yes, dear, but——"

"Could he make you kneel down?"

"Certainly——"

"Could he make a horse kneel down?"

There was the least bit of a shake, and Midget, grown docile, properly said her prayers and was tucked in, but as her mother turned to go there came another question:

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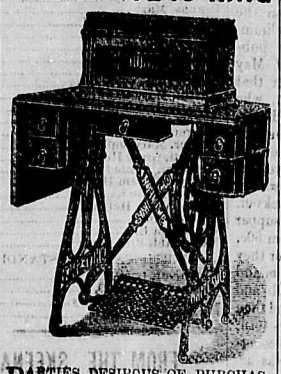

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Daily British Columbian

Monday Evening, July 30, 1888.

The str. Irving left for Chilliwhack and way ports this morning with freight and passengers.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It removed ten corns from one pair of feet without any pain. What it has done once it will do again.

The str. Rainbow will arrive at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning. The 'Frisco boat was late and the Rainbow waited for her.

The C. P. steamship Aberdeen sailed from Vancouver on Saturday for San Francisco with 427 Chinamen and 800 tons of freight.

Four were baptised (immersed) at the Baptist church last night by the new pastor, Rev. Mr. Baldwin. A large congregation witnessed the ceremony.

The city is being "billed" and "posted" to-day for the appearance here on the 17th prox. of Sells Bros.' mammoth circus and giant show. Adv. will appear in a few days.

Mr. Chas. Digby, steward of the Royal Columbian Hospital, held the lucky number in the Building Society's drawing on Saturday night. He has now $1,000 at his disposal for building purposes.

The fifteenth annual prize meeting of the B.C.R.A. will open on Wednesday next at the Clover Point range, Victoria. A good prize list is presented. Quite a number of our riflemen go down to participate.

The str. Rithet arrived from Victoria about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a large freight and a number of passengers. The Rithet left on the return trip shortly after the arrival of the Pacific express to-day.

All vessels from Hongkong will be quarantined for three days in San Francisco harbor and the crew thoroughly fumigated. Any vessel arriving with cholera will remain quarantined until released by the board of health.

The remedy which most successfully combats malarial disorders, is Ayer's Ague Cure. It is a purely vegetable compound, and contains neither quinine nor any other dangerous ingredient. Warranted to cure chills and fever.

The first cargo of iron ore from Texada island for the Irondale, Puget Sound, furnaces will arrive there shortly. Arrangements for producing steel are completed, and it is reported that 4000 tons are being contracted for the management.

The tonic and alterative properties of Ayer's Sarsaparilla are too well known to require the specious aid of any exaggerated or fictitious certificate. Witnesses of the marvellous cures effected by this preparation are to-day living in every city and hamlet of the land.

At the meeting of the Bank of British Columbia, on the 18th inst., the directors recommended a dividend for the half-year ended the 30th June, at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, with a bonus of 1 per cent., being together 8 per cent. per annum. For the first half of 1887 a similar distribution was made.—*Times.*

Victoria is being "worked" by "professionals" of the burglar persuasion. Several rooms of the Driard Hotel were visited yesterday morning and relieved of their valuables. Among others, Mr. W. B. Wilson, of Vancouver, lost a fine gold watch and chain. The "operators" are supposed to have skipped to the other side of the line.

A drunken row took place on Saturday night between Indians and half-breeds who were employed by one of the canneries on the Delta of the Fraser. Jim Ibbotson one of the party was terribly lacerated and cut about the head and neck in the fracas. Dr. Fagan who was in attendance on Ibbotson, had him brought to this city yesterday for proper treatment.

Confirmation Services.

St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church was filled last evening to its utmost seating capacity, when the interesting ceremony of confirmation took place. Seven were on this occasion admitted to all the Christian privileges of the church. The services were conducted by the Rt.-Rev. Bishop Cridge, of Victoria, and were very impressive throughout.

A Seattle Elopement.

Miss Clara C. Lowe, of Seattle, has left her home in that city with Roland M. Cantrill, a blacksmith, and the erring couple are at present believed to be in Victoria. Cantrill was employed at Washington Iron Works, at Seattle, and boarded at M. Lowe's restaurant on Jackson street. One of the waitresses was little Clara Lowe, the daughter of the proprietor. She became strongly attached to Cantrill, who finally persuaded her to elope with him to Victoria. Cantrill has a wife and child in California.

The Schooner Venture.

Mr. John C. Nixon, of Seattle, has employed a captain and three men to go north and bring his schooner Venture to Seattle. Two of the men are Gloucester fishermen, and on the way down they will fish for halibut. There are several tons of salt on board the schooner, which will be used in curing the flitches. The crew will leave Victoria in a few days for the far north, on board the Boscowitz. The schooner Venture went north on a humane sealing expedition. That is, instead of shooting the seals and losing half of them, she carried a large fishing seine, which was cast and drawn around the seals, catching all that came within its limits. One morning, while hauling the seine, two of the crew were drowned, and the captain and remaining man left the schooner in charge of an Indian agent and started for the nearest trading post for two sailors. They travelled in an open boat, and from the time they disappeared from view they have never been heard from, and the chances are they are both drowned.—*Colonist.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

A Mangled Corpse.

A mangled human body was found yesterday lying on the railway track, a little below Hastings saw mill. The remains were identified as those of Robert Melmoth, an old resident of Burrard Inlet. The deceased was a native of Liverpool, England, and came to this province about twelve years ago. It is supposed that he had been walking on the track, and, as he was a little hard of hearing, had been run over by the train. No further particulars could be ascertained.

The Skeena Scare.

On Friday last as Mr. McBroom was entering his house, above Royal avenue, he was startled by the report of a gun shot, followed by the whizzing of a bullet close by his head. Thinking, probably, that the Skeena Indians had come down on the Royal City to revenge the killing of Kit-Ma-Cool Jim, and that it would be madness for him to attempt to face the music alone, Mr. McBroom started off almost breathlessly to give the alarm. He had not gone over a few yards from his house, however, when he discovered his mistake. The cause of his fears was not any of the Northern tribes, but two city "kids"—probably equally as ill-bred—carelessly sporting within the city limits with a rifle each, shooting at birds and other objects on the garden trees.

The New C. P. N. Steamer "Islander" Launched on the Clyde

We take the following account of the launching of the new C. P. N. steamer "Islander" on the Clyde from the *Colonist*, which gets its information from the Glasgow *Mail;* On the 11th July Messrs. Napier, Shanks & Bell launched from their shipbuilding yard, at Yoker, a steel twin-screw steamer, which they have built to the order of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, limited. It is a vessel of a special type and handsome appearance, and is designed to meet the requirements of its service in the rapid and comfortable conveyance of passengers. As the vessel left the ways it was christened "Islander" by Miss Harvey, a grand-daughter of Hon. Robert Dunsmuir, President of the Executive Council of British Columbia, one of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company. The vessel having been seen safely into the river, the visitors adjourned to the offices for luncheon.

The "Islander," immediately after being launched, was towed up to the harbor for the purpose of being fitted up with her engines. In the course of a month or so the vessel will set sail under command of Captain Robertson, late of the Cunard service. The dimensions are:—length, 240 feet; breadth, 42 feet; depth to main deck, 14 feet 8 inches; gross tonnage, 1,600 tons. The general arrangement embraces ranges of cabins built on the main and the spar decks, American fashion, with a shade or hurricane deck above all, which can be used as a promenade. Not being intended for cargo, the whole of the decks and deckhouses are devoted to passenger accommodation, which is of a most superior and elaborate description. The deck fittings include steam steering gear aft, steam windlass and capstan forward and steam warping capstan aft. The vessel is also fitted with electric lights and electric bells throughout.

"Speedy Trials Act."

Before Hon. Mr. Justice McCreight.

The three cases of the Queen versus George Robinson, Michael Carr, and Chung, who appeared before Justice McCreight on the 14th inst., pleaded "not guilty," and agreed to be tried by his lordship without a jury, under the "Speedy Trials Act, came up this morning, according to appointment, at 11 o'clock.

The first case was that of Geo. Robinson, charged with breaking jail at Vancouver on the 8th of May last. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. John Clough, assistant lock-up keeper at Vancouver, was sworn, and deposed, in substance, that the prisoner, who had been convicted of larceny, was delivered into his keeping on the 3rd of last April to serve two months' sentence, and on the evening of the 8th of May he climbed over the jail fence and ran about 200 yards up Alexander st., when he was caught and brought back by the witness and two others. The prisoner made a statement to the effect that he had been working all day at the fire hall, without any guard, that he had perfect liberty, which he availed himself of, to go into the saloons and drink as much as he wanted, and that he returned to the jail from his work at the fire hall, when he might easily have escaped, as he was unattended. On being asked, the lock-up keeper admitted that the prisoner had returned to the jail alone. Prisoner stated that he was intoxicated when he tried to escape, and blamed the attempt to negligence on the part of the authorities and to whiskey on his own part. Mr. Moresby, warden of the Westminster jail, testified that the prisoner had been well-behaved with him. The prisoner had 24 days of his original sentence unexpired. Mr. McColl (Corbould & McColl) prosecuted; prisoner was undefended. Justice McCreight reserved sentence until to-morrow.

In the case of Michael Carr, charged with committing robbery with violence upon the person of George Birney, on the 9th of May last, the court was informed that Birney, the principal witness, had not answered to his subpœna. A bench warrant was accordingly issued to have him apprehended and brought in from Vancouver, where it was understood he was working.

In the case of Ah Chung, charged with wounding and cutting one Ah Foy, with intent to do grievous bodily harm, on the 24th of May last, at Maple Ridge, Dr. I. M. McLean, who attended the wounded Chinamen, deposed as to the nature and extent of the wound—a cut with a knife (like the knife produced in court) an inch and a half long and half an inch wide, four inches below the shoulder blade and a quarter of an inch to the left of the spinal column. The wound was a serious one, and if it had been half an inch to either side must have proved fatal. The injured man, Ah Foy, then gave evidence on his own behalf, Cum Yow acting as interpreter, and described the occurrence circumstantially, to the effect that the witness and the prisoner had lived in a cabin at Port Hammond; that they were getting their breakfast on the morning in question; that prisoner found fault with witness for putting too much water in a bowl of rice cooking on the stove and finally threw both water and rice on the floor; some hard words passed, and prisoner stabbed witness in the back with a knife with which he (prisoner) was cutting up meat. Mr. W. J. Horris, the magistrate before whom the complaint was laid, deposed to that effect, and stated that both Chinamen were working for him and living in a cabin on his farm at the time of the wounding; had always considered them good friends; the prisoner was supposed to be addicted to the opium habit. Mr. B. C. Webber, who arrested the prisoner, stated, among other things, that prisoner had complained that the wounded Chinaman had attacked him first with an axe and a knife, and showed a small cut on one finger in support of his story. Ah Foy, on being recalled, stated that the prisoner had cut his own finger with a knife on purpose. Mr. McColl prosecuted. His Lordship reserved judgment until to-morrow.

The case of Michael Carr, *alias* Riley, *alias* Fry, was then proceeded with, and several witnesses were called and examined, and the court was adjourned about 1 o'clock until 2:30.

When the court met at the time appointed George Birney, who had got in from Vancouver, was put upon the stand. The evidence in the preliminary examination of this case was published fully in the COLUMBIAN of May 10th. The reader will remember that George Birney, an elderly man, who claimed to be a farmer from Peterborough, Ont., and had just come into town from Vancouver, was, on the evening of the 9th of May, decoyed into a shack or cabin down in the swamp, by four men, Carr, Herondon, Dickson, and another man; that he had supper with these men, after giving them 50c. to buy eggs; and that after supper they had pushed him into a back room and forcibly robbed him of a $5 bill and two or three dollars in silver, and then fled, leaving him with his clothes torn, his hands lacerated, and his face covered with blood. The prisoner was arrested the next morning at Mrs. Hogan's saloon on Front st., in a half drowned condition, having fallen out of a canoe while trying to escape during the night. Substantially the same evidence was given as at the preliminary examination. Justice McCreight said he would reserve judgment on this case as in the two previous ones, until to-morrow at 11 o'clock. Mr. McColl prosecuted; the prisoner was undefended.

Mr. McColl called the attention of his lordship to the fact that these were the first cases that had been tried here under the "Speedy Trials Act;" that the three cases had occupied only about three hours, whereas had they been tried at the assizes they might have occupied as many days; and stated that, in consideration of the prisoners' electing to be tried in this manner, and being undefended, that it was fitting that he, as crown counsel, should urge upon his lordship to take the most lenient view of the case. The court was then declared adjourned until to-morrow at 11 o'clock.

Amos Hudgin, Toronto, writes: "I have been a sufferer from Dyspepsia for the past six years. All the remedies I tried proved useless, until Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure was brought under my notice. I have used two bottles with the best results, and can with confidence recommend it to those afflicted in a like manner.

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES.

Successful Candidates and Marks Obtained.

The following is a list of the successful candidates for teachers' certificates at the annual examination, which has just been held in Victoria—renewals and number of marks obtained in each case. There were a little over a hundred candidates, a large percentage of whom, it will be seen, qualified.

FIRST-CLASS. GRADE A.

Stamburn, George, B. A., Cantab, 1890. Renewal 1888.
Johnson, J. F., 1884. Renewal 1888.
Stramberg, Hector M., B. A., Dalhousie University, 1884. Renewal 1888.
Paul, Edward B., M. A., University of Aberdeen, Scotland, 1884. Renewal 1888.
Hunter, Walter, B. A., McGill University, Montreal, 1886. Renewal 1888.
Rossiter, Henry J., B. A., University of Toronto, 1886. Renewal 1888.
Landells, Robert, B. A., Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1886. Renewal 1888.
Gordon, Robert George, B. A., Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1887. Renewal 1888.
Muir, John N., B. A., McGill University, Montreal, 1887.
Wilson, David, B. A., University of New Brunswick, 1888.
Anderson, John, B. A., University of New Zealand. Renewal 1888.
McKinnon, Michael, M. A., University of Halifax, 1888.
McLeod, John P., B. A. Dalhousie University, Halifax, 1888.
Smith, Henry E. L., B. A., Mount Allison University, New Brunswick, 1888.
Pottmeyer, Heinrich, max. marks, 4550; marks obtained, 2080.

FIRST CLASS. GRADE B.

		Renewal.
Kaye, James	1880	1888.
Halliday, James A.	"	"
Offerhaus, R.	"	"
Lewis, S G	"	"
Murray, Paul	1882	"
Dods, Archibald	1883	"
Cameron, Miss A D.	"	"
Horton, Miss Lucretia	"	"
Forrest, Miss C W	1883-1884	"
Sluggett, George H.	"	"
Bell, Miss Emelie	"	"
Phelps, William H.	"	"
Jones, David	"	"
Wood, E S	1885	"
Fraser, Roderick L.	"	"
McLennan, John C.	"	"
Gardiner, Miss Abbie F.	"	"
Gilchrist, Alexander.	"	"
McLeod, John A.	"	"
Kenny, William T.	"	"
Bryant, Miss Maria	"	"
Coatham, William C	1886	"
Kerr, Daniel E.	"	"
Purdey, Eames A R.	"	"
Bannerman, Alex M.	"	"
Armstrong, Miss F E.	"	"
Pinxton, Robert J.	"	"
Offerhaus, Mrs. Mary A.	"	"
McDonald, Donald J	"	"
Dockrill, George M.	1887	"
Irwin, Joseph	"	"
Sylvester, Miss F E.	"	"
Pope, Miss J M H.	"	"
Leduc, Thomas	"	"
Rogers, Miss Ellen	"	"
Nicholson, Thomas	"	"
Shaw, John	"	"
Watson, Frederick	"	"
McRae, George Wallace	"	"
Campbell, Ell J.	"	"

	Max. Marks.	Mks obt'd
McKay, John L.	3750	2484
Lee, Alice Greenwood	"	2457
Sutherland, Daniel W.	"	2412
Pickard, Millie	"	2316

SECOND CLASS. GRADE A.

Jamieson, Eleanor A	3150	2302
McKay, Hugh	"	2254
Levings, William Aug.	"	2198
McQueen, Jessie	"	2081
Dougan, James	"	2067
Johnston, Alice Lenora	"	1997
Dockrille, Melrose	"	1992
Bradley, Julia M.	"	1978
Doran Edward F.	"	1945
Braitwaite, Caleb	"	1925
Barron, Lizzie A F	"	1899
Olding, Jessie Renton	"	1895

SECOND CLASS. GRADE B.

Shepherd, Samuel	2550	1093
McLeod, James R.	"	1637
Mufford, William John.	"	1634
Blair, Jennie Wallace	"	1632
Wolfenden, Nellie F F.	"	1631
Charlton, Alice S M.	"	1627
Hamilton, John S	"	1571
Creelman, Annie	"	1556
Fraser, Flora Cameron	"	1508
Smith, John F.	"	1518
Wilson, Janet	"	1501
Christie, Alice	"	1498
Morrison, Eben E.	"	1483
Giddens, Mrs. Mary E.	"	1460
McLean, John Angus	"	1455
Preston, Sarah	"	1451
Draper, Hester	"	1441
Kermode, Sara	"	1438
Jennings, Margaret	"	1435
Carmichael, Elinor M	"	1429
Pollard, Annie	"	1422
Northcote, Alice M N.	"	1418
Lettice, Edith M N.	"	1408
Robinson, Alida Mabel.	"	1351
Storey, Georgina P	"	1327
Heurd, Mary	"	1320
Mebius, Jeanette	"	1291
Sivewright, William	"	1289

THIRD CLASS. GRADE A.

Harding, Margaret M	1950	1141
Drouil, Walter M	"	1098
Sallaway, Joseph F.	"	1006
Coghlan, Ella S	"	1050
McLennan, Joseph McK	"	1019
Isaac, Harriet	"	987

THIRD CLASS. GRADE B.

Ganton, James B	1279
Workman, Elizabeth J.	1148
Galloway, James	1122
Knapp, Thomas Edward	1112
Dallas, Margaret R.	1080
McKay, Minna G.	1080
Currie, Alice Evelyn	1075
Lorimer, Christina Taylor	1061
Barron, Isabel M F	1049
Mebius, Lucy Aylmer	1041
Clunas, Mary	1033
Withrow, Gertrude H.	1019
Norris, Martha Jane	1015
Blair, William	995
Monro, Annie Jane	995
McLean, Sarah	989
Currie, Clara Clementia	989
Austin, Mary Caroline	904
Christie, Isabel Ramsay	932
Askew, Julia	858
Lawrence, Mary	951
Homer, Mary Sophia	950
Fawcett, Grace Helen	901
McCarter, Annie I	894
Henry, William H.	876
Gibson, Marie L.	866
Hicks, Annie Helen	790
Gordon, Amy	851
Ure, Clara Etta	830
McDonald, Mrs. Annie C.	797

CERTIFICATES OF STANDING.

Northcott, Orvilla	1344
Stewart, Herbert D. R.	1257
Johnson, Robert Henry	1234
Cathcart, Isabella	857

FROM THE SKEENA.

H.M.S. Caroline Arrives at Esquimalt—Nothing Startling from the Seat of War.

By Telegraph.

VICTORIA, July 29.—H. M. S. Caroline arrived at Esquimalt from the Skeena river this afternoon with the latest news concerning the Skeena Indian trouble. The Caroline arrived at the entrance of the Skeena river on the 19th inst. Information was first sought as to the condition of affairs at Hazelton, which is one hundred and sixty miles from the mouth of the river and distant ten days by canoe. A trader named Hankin, who arrived the day before from Hazelton, stated that the reports about H. B. Co.'s agent and others was totally unfounded, with the exception of the missionary at Hazelton. All white residents had entered shelter formed by barricading the H. B. Co.'s post. The Indians were very threatening in demeanor and were still greatly excited over the killing of Kit Wan Cool Jim by Constable Green, who is said to be a deserter from the American army. It was the opinion of Hankin that serious trouble would ensue unless special police immediately proceeded to Hazelton. Two more Indians had been killed, caused by some tribal feud. A letter from Constable Washburn, Hazelton, sent to the government, contains an account of the killing of these two men. An Indian named Tobas shot his father-in-law. Kit Wan Cool Jim then went raving mad, threatening to kill the head chief of another tribe. The latter claims that in self-defense he was compelled to kill Tobas. Washburn and three constables went to the village and arrested him and have him in charge at Hazelton. Green is also under arrest for killing Jim. From the statement of an Indian eye-witness it would appear that Green wantonly shot Jim. The latter was in a house with a dozen others, and twice asked the three constables to arrest him. He had a pistol in his hand and they did not move. Jim suddenly walked out the back door, the constables after him. Green went out at the front and almost collided with Jim, at whom, when he passed, he shot in the back. Jim lived an hour. He claimed he was about to give himself into custody when the shot was fired. Green's action is generally condemned, and he will be tried for manslaughter. The day after the arrival of the Caroline the steamer Boscowitz arrived with Supt. Roycraft on board, and after some difficulty in securing a crew, six Indians, Roycraft and twelve special constables started up the river for Hazelton. The trip will take nine or ten days, and as soon as the facts are ascertained a messenger will be forwarded to Commandant Holmes, "C" battery, and, if trouble occurs, the battery will at once start up the river. If everything is settled amicably they will return to Victoria. The battery are encamped at Port Essington, near the mouth of the river, are in good spirits and pleasantly situated. No accident has overtaken anyone so far. Officers and men are attired in brown duck miners' clothing. The opinion is general that the matter will be quietly settled. However, it is asserted that the fact of a war vessel being in the river and the presence of "C" battery there will have salutary effect in deterring Indians from further outrages. Many Hazelton Indians were at the canneries fishing and were annoyed beyond measure at the size of the Caroline and her guns. Electric lights were displayed one night and frightened many to shore who were fishing in the river.

Port Essington is nearly 800 miles from Victoria and there is no telegraphic communication nearer than Nanaimo, 70 miles from Victoria, hence the long delay in hearing from the expedition.

Pleasant as syrup; nothing equals it as a worm medicine; the name is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. The greatest worm destroyer of the age.

Personal.

L. Guichon, of Ladners, was in the city to-day.

A. Roman, of Victoria, is registered at the Colonial.

W. B. Wilson came up on the Rithet yesterday.

C. Sexsmith, of Richmond, spent Sunday in town.

J. C. Armstrong returned this afternoon from a short visit to Harrison Hot Springs.

Theo. Davie, Q. C., M. P. P., and wife, arrived yesterday and are staying at the Colonial.

T. S. Higginson and H. B. W. Aikman returned from Harrison Hot Springs to day.

W. Insley, of the Leland House, Vancouver, came over on Saturday and returned yesterday.

Saturday Night says that Mr. and Mrs. Goldwin Smith, leave Ontario shortly for the province.

Wm. Hamilton, of the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Co., and son, are registered at the Colonial.

Miss Freer and a number of Vancouver ladies were in the city on a shopping visit this afternoon.

J. H. Sherwood and wife, of Seattle, are staying at the Colonial. Mr. Sherwood was formerly a resident of this city.

Thos. Paine, of Lulu island, who has been in town for some time, slightly indisposed, returned home to-day, improved in health.

Mr. Thomas Ballard, Syracuse, N. Y., writes: "I have been afflicted for nearly a year with that most-to-be-dreaded disease Dyspepsia, and at times worn out with pain and want of sleep, and after trying almost everything recommended, I tried one box of Parmelee's Valuable Pills. I am now nearly well, and believe they will cure me. I would not be without them for any money."

Late Canadian News.

OTTAWA, July 21.—Sandford Fleming, before leaving for Winnipeg, made a hurried and preliminary examination into the question of sawdust in the Ottawa river. It is not thought from what he says he has seen that the deposits have been the accumulation of years as stated. If the government compel the lumbermen to burn the sawdust they will move their mills down the river where it can be utilized in running works with steam.

Forty thousand cheques have been issued by the fisheries department as bounty to fishermen, involving the expenditure of $150,000.

The board of trade of Victoria, B. C., ask the government to take restrictive measures as to salmon catching. The development of the canning trade threatens to affect the supply.

The canal statistics for 1887 show that the Canadian Pacific and Canadian Atlantic railway have become formidable competitors to the canals in the carrying of lumber from the Ottawa district. The quantity carried from Ottawa by these two railways in 1886 was 89,000,000 feet, which increased last year to 100,000,000 feet, while the canal traffic decreased 22,000,000 feet in the same period.

MONTREAL, July 23.—A cablegram to-day states that Sir Donald A. Smith had a bad attack of pleurisy in London, from which he is slowly recovering. He sails for Canada on the fourth of August.

HALIFAX, July 25.—The Joggins big cigar-shaped raft has been successfully launched.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

A. M. Hamilton, Warkworth, writes: "For weeks I was troubled with a swelled ankle, which caused me much pain and annoyance. Mr. Maybee of this place, recommended Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for it. I tried it, and before one bottle was used I was cured. It is an article of great value." Beware of Electric or Electron Oils, as they are imitations of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

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

MUSIC.

MISS FREESE, late of Seattle, W. T., is now prepared to give instructions on the Piano. Will go to the homes of the pupils if desired. Residence—W. R. Lewis, Agnes street. dly30tc

Dress Making Establishment.

MRS. KATE SMALL,
CHURCH ST., NEW WESTMINSTER,
Next to Trinity Church.
Long Experience in the business, 30jy6m

COMING.

ON THE SEVENTH OF AUGUST, Mr. E. LAURANCE, Optician, will visit New Westminster. Any wishing to be specially fitted can be accommodated by calling on him at D. S. CURTIS & CO.'S Drug Store. Mr. Laurance carries a full line and can suit any sight. dly27td

Election of School Trustees!

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In case a poll is demanded, voting will commence at 10 a. m. of the next day and close at 4 p. m.

EXTRACT FROM PUBLIC SCHOOL ACT, 1885.

"23. Any person registered as a voter, as hereinafter provided, shall be eligible to vote at any school meeting held in such District, and in the ward in which he is registered, for the election of Trustees; provided always, that it shall not be lawful for any person to vote for Trustees in more than one ward in any City School District."

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