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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

The vanilla bean grows wild in Mexico, and, fresh from the forest, sells at $10 or $12 per 1000.

The director of the Brussels Museum of Natural History reports that the Congo basin contains vast quantities of easily-reduced iron ore.

A French microscopist has made a new application of photography. Being unable otherwise to examine the structure of heated steel, he photographed the white-hot metal, and then placed the negative under the microscope.

Many stock raisers in Southern Russia have been ruined by the Siberian cattle plague, which has caused a loss of more than 3,000,000 roubles in a single province. Pasteur's system of preventive inoculation has been applied to 100 merino sheep at Odessa, with such promising results that it is hoped the evil may soon be overcome.

A RARE FLOWER.—The blossoming of a palm tree, *Brownia Ariza*, constituted quite an interesting event the other day at the Imperial Palace of Schonbrunn, the spectacle having been witnessed only once before in Europe. The tree blossoms only once in fifty years, and the bloom lasts only forty-eight hours. The other time the flowers were seen was in June, 1851, in the Duke of Norfolk's conservatory at Chiswick.

ANOTHER CIVILIZED AILMENT.—A curious affection is paradoxical deafness, Dr. Boucheron, in a note to the Paris Academy of Sciences, lately stated that the patient is deaf for speech in the silence of a retired room, yet hears the same in the midst of noise, as in a moving carriage or railway train, or in the street. The disorder, which is grave, progressive and sometimes hereditary, is caused by compression of the labyrinth of the ear.

A SUGGESTION TO BUILDERS.—A variety of materials—such as sawdust, dry ashes, cork-clippings, etc.—have been used under floors for deadening noise. A late French suggestion is the use for this purpose of wood shavings which have been dipped in thick whitewash. It is claimed that this substance has the advantages of being quite incombustible, an excellent non-conductor of sound, inexpensive, and of light weight. When desirable to disinfect the space between floor and ceiling, as in hospitals, chloride of zinc may be used to saturate the shavings or added to the whitewash.

AN ARCTIC TOWN.—The Siberian town of Werchojansk, the coldest spot ever found by man, lies in the valley of the Jana, about 9 feet above the river and 350 feet above the sea, in latitude 67° 34' N., and longitude 133° 51' E. Dr. Hann states that an average temperature of 58° below zero Fahrenheit is recorded for the month of December while minima of 76° below zero are usual for the three winter months, and have been observed in March. In January, 1885, the extraordinary temperature of 89° below zero was noted. In addition to its winter attractions, the town enjoys frequent inundations at other seasons.

ELECTRICITY AT SUEZ.—Since March, 1887, when night traffic was first permitted, some 800 vessels have passed through the Suez Canal by the aid of electric light. A little over 300 of these have carried their own lighting plant, while the others have hired the apparatus on the spot. Two companies supply everything necessary. Each has a station at either end of the canal, the machinery being put on board the vessel as it enters the canal, and left at the other end, in readiness to be taken back by the next vessel passing in the opposite direction. The cost of this service, including all attention to the lights, is $50 each passage.

USES FOR OXYGENIZED WATER.—A German authority recommends hydrogen peroxide for a variety of domestic purposes. Being inodorous and non-poisonous, it is a desirable substitute for chloride of lime and oxalic acid for bleaching and removing stains of every description. It whitens yellowed fabrics and articles of bone or ivory. It is the best application for cleansing and binding wounds and sores; and has a most beneficial effect in diphtheria, croup, whooping cough, etc. Bleeding is stopped by its use. A weak solution will remove disagreeable tastes and smells from the mouth, or purify the atmosphere of a sick-room when sprayed into it. Pots, pans and wooden vessels may be freed from foul odors by peroxide of hydrogen, and it will sweeten and preserve butter and keep fresh meat for a long time.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

BY TELEGRAPH.

Queen Natalie Prohibited from Entering Servia—The London Times Commends the Pluck of Canada.

Interesting Budget of Australian News. The Mysterious White Pasha Defeats Three Armies.—Another Steamship Collision.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

BEN BUTLER.

BOSTON, Aug. 31.—General Ben Butler addressed a large audience of business men in Tremont Temple on the tariff and the fisheries questions. He declared free trade to be impracticable, and deplored the democratic policy as being an abandonment of the system under which America has achieved marvels. As to the fisheries question Gen. Butler agreed that existing retaliation law was too tame. The president ought, however, to have acted on that ground. Having signed it he stultified himself by ignoring it. General Butler favored a policy of genuine retaliatiation. "If Canada denies our vessels their rights let us retaliate on British interests. If our own fishing vessels are kept out of Canadian ports, let us keep Canadian steamships off our ports. Let the President enforce what power he has before asking for new legislation. He will then show his statesmanship and not mere politics." The General was generously applauded.

IMPOVERISHED ABYSSINIA.

LONDON, Aug. 31.—Monsignor Antonelli, who has resided for many years as the chief of the papal mission at the court of the King of Shoa, comprising the three most southerly states of Abyssinia, has returned to Rome. In an interview with a correspondent at the Italian capital, the prelate gave an account of the condition of affairs in Abyssinia, showing that that country is impoverished and famine stricken to an extent almost incredible. He strongly urges upon the Italian government the advisability of taking advantage of the demoralization of Abyssinia by sending thither a new and formidable expedition and points out innumerable ways in which prompt action in this respect would not be only profitable to Italy but extremely humane and otherwise beneficial to civilization in its ultimate results. The Government, it is well known, is anxious to pursue the course advised by Monsignor Antonelli, but is restrained by public opinion from a too precipitate occupation of King John's dominions and it is yet unlikely that official hesitancy may yet prove more disastrous to the consummation of Italy's schemes than French opposition.

FUNDS FOR EXPERIMENTS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 31.—In the senate Mr. Cullom's resolution, calling upon the secretary of the treasury for information concerning the extent of the merchandise shipments to and from Canada since July, 1885, was discussed but again went over without action. The consideration of the fortification bill was then resumed and an amendment was adopted appropriating $500,000 for experiments and for the test of new guns, torpedoes, etc., and limiting any contracts under the bill for guns, projectiles and experimental tests to $6,000,000, not more than $2,000,000 to be spent in any one year. The bill then passed. Mr. Stewart gave notice of the consideration of the bill for the admission, as a state, of Washington Territory. The house joint resolution, authorizing the secretary of the interior to certify lands to the state of Kansas for the benefit of agricultural and mechanical arts was passed and the house adjourned until Monday.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

NATALIE'S BIRTHDAY.

BELGRADE, Sept 1.—King Milan refuses to allow Queen Natalie to enter Servia to appear at the Consistory. The offical gazette publishes a royal decree forbidding the celebration of Natalie's birthday as a national holiday, and instructing the clergy not to hold special services or offer prayers for the Queen

DILLON FAILING.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—Dillon is failing fast in the prison at Dundalk.

MAY NOT BE TRUE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 1.—Secretary of state Bayard was seen this morning regarding a despatch from London stating that the Chinese government had refused to sign with the U. S. to restrict immigration. He evinced surprise at the information but said he had not received any official announcement.

ARKANSAS ZEPHYRS.

LITTLE ROCK, Sept. 1.—Visitors arriving from the hot springs this morning report that the water spout of yesterday has caused desolation beyond description. Nine bodies have been recovered. Houses are badly undermined and rebuilding is necessary.

THE THUNDERER ON THE FISHERIES.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—The *Times* this morning commenting on the speeches of two officials of the Canadian government yesterday on the fisheries question says: "These first public utterances of members of the Dominion government may cause the president to realize how wantonly he has embittered the relations of the two great nations of North America for an indefinite period to come." After commenting specially on the text of the speeches the *Times* continues: "So far from flinching from the encounter Canada courts it. We have to thank president Cleveland for making interminable mischief between two nations which formerly continued to go together very amiably.

FAILED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The Field Biscuit and Cracker Co., Arthur Field, president, assigned this afternoon. Liabilities a hundred thousand dollars.

DAMAGED.

TOULON, Sept. 1.—During the naval evolutions yesterday, two torpedo boats were so badly damaged by coming into collision that they are useless.

WHEAT.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—Wheat 99½ for cash, 8¾ Sept., 100 Oct., 1 Nov., 1¾ Dec.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 1.—Wheat firm; holders offer sparingly. California 7s 11d.

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Wheat 93⅞ for cash, 1¼ Oct., and Nov. 2¼.

AUSTRALIAN NEWS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 1.—The s.s. Mariposa arrived from Sydney and Honolulu this morning bringing the following advices.

The Australian maritime labor council has fixed Sept. 12th as the date when all vessels employing Asiatics must replace them with European crews.

The attendance at the Melbourne Exposition has so far been much smaller than was anticipated. This is attributed to the backwardness of the general arrangements.

News from Samoa states that Tamasese, who was made king by the Germans in place of Malietoa, is being gradually recognized by the natives. Palmer Bevan, the British government labor agent, while at the islands recently was killed by a native to whom he had just handed a tomahawk.

It is reported in Honolulu that imperial orders have been received by the Chinese merchants to wind up their affairs and return home.

The American yacht Coronet, which beat the yacht Dauntless across the Atlantic two years ago, has arrived at Honolulu.

A terrific wind and rain storm swept over Hawaii on the night of Aug. 12th. Plantations were swept smooth and small houses were demolished. The storm played sad havoc among the shipping in Honolulu harbor.

The U. S. warship Omaha was badly damaged in a collision.

STEAMSHIPS COLLIDE.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—The British s.s. Cairo, from Cardiff, and the British s.s. Suaresbrook, from Odessa, collided four miles from Tariff last evening. The Snaresbrook sunk and eleven of her crew were drowned. The remaining ten were landed at Gibraltar by the Cairo. A heavy fog prevailed at the time.

AMERICAN TUG SEIZED.

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—The American tug Mediator has been seized by the custom officer in Georgian Bay for towing a raft from French river, Ont., to Midland, without clearing at either port.

THE RETALIATION BILL.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1.—McCreery, from the committee on foreign affairs, reported back to the house to-day the retaliation bill. It was made a special order for Tuesday.

BURNING OIL.

CYGNET, Ohio, Sept. 1.—A terrible accident happened this morning. A twenty five thousand barrel tank of oil collapsed and caught fire. The burning oil spread in all directions and eight persons are reported burned to death and a number of others injured.

AN ARKANSAS WATER-SPOUT.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 1.—A special from the hot springs gives additional details of the fatal storm at that place. The first building swept away was in the north end of the town. All the occupants were drowned. The body of a woman and a one-year-old child were found in the drift. An aged couple named Harrison occupied a small cottage near the Arlington stable, and the force of water caused the building to collapse and the wife was killed. There were several lost whose names have not been ascertained. The victims are principally poor people living in small cottages which could not stand against the storm.

THE WHITE PASHA VICTORIOUS.

SUAKIM, Sept. 1.—Reports from Khartoum say that the Mahdi sent three expeditions against the white men in Bahr El Gazel province, and that all three expeditions have been repulsed.

DAMAGE TO COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 1.—Reports from Mississippi, Louisiana and Arkansas indicate damage from 25 to 50 per cent. to cotton by storms and rain.

POWDERLY WILL RESIGN.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 1.—It is rumored on apparently good authority this morning, that Powderly would at once resign and withdraw from the Knights of Labor. The secretary declares that there is absolutely nothing in the report.

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

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Our Victoria cotemporaries are at present indulging in a discussion over the "school question," or that part of it relating to the amendment passed last session which requires the four cities of Victoria, Westminster, Vancouver, and Nanaimo to bear one-third of the teachers' salaries in addition to the usual school tax. In his issue of the 30th August the *Colonist* attempts "calmly and dispassionately" to examine the circumstances and principles involved in the measure. Our cotemporary states the case substantially as follows: The government found that the increasing cost of maintaining the present system of free schools was more than the present system of taxation would bear, and therefore concluded that the four above named *rich* cities should be called upon to help the government out of the difficulty. This we believe to be the essence of the *Colonist's* plea for the action of the legislature in amending the school act last session. Well, if this be true political economy, then the so-called "socialists" are not so far wrong, after all; for they hold the same plea as the foundation of their social and political system. Taxing Peter to pay Paul, in case of need, would be all very well, if Peter would pony up voluntarily, and as an act of charity; this would be real Christian-like. But the case is altered very materially when Peter is told by the sheriff to *potlatch*, or stand the consequences. Speaking as free and untrammelled, having neither love nor hatred towards the present government, we must say that such a mode of taxation, if carried to its logical sequence, would be, as Mr. McKenzie would have said, "most abominable;" it would be history repeating itself, when kings acknowledged no law other than their own necessities, and levied imposts at pleasure. Our humble opinion is that such a mode of taxation is so evidently discriminating, and so contrary to the spirit of modern jurisprudence that it would bring grief to any government attempting to enforce it. To assume that the three or four cities are better able to bear an extra tax than rural municipalities, is not correct. Time was, perhaps, when this was the case, but time has brought a change in this respect. Lands have changed in many instances from poor pioneer settlers to rich farmers, who have been able to pay from $20 to $75 and $100 per acre for their large estates. These men are as well able to pay an extra tax for school purposes as even the rich merchants in the cities aforesaid, and better able than a large majority of other classes in these cities. The tax will not work. The government will have to devise some more just means of maintaining the public schools. The policy of decentralization and county government, which has been advocated by THE COLUMBIAN, would go far toward solving in a legitimate and proper way this vexed school question.

Much has been spoken and written on the millenium. Christian students very generally entertain the idea of a coming millenium, although they may and do differ in their ideas as to the time of its beginning, as to its nature, and as to the means by which it is to be brought about. Rev. Dr. Wild, of Toronto, speaking on this subject recently, said: "Some anticipate that Christ will return, and by His own great, yet natural power, will establish His throne in Jerusalem, cut off the wicked from the earth, and so inaugurate a millenial reign. My own conviction is," says the Dr., "that the present gospel agencies will work out in their final result to what we call the millenium without any special interference of a miraculous kind from Heaven." One thing, the speaker said, was very needful to be remembered in studying this subject, and that was that the millenial period would be a progressive one. Not one out of every ten writers could see this scientific idea. The difference between the state of the world on the last day of the millenium and the first day would be perhaps as great as between the present day and the first day of the millenium. Some of the scriptures referred to one period of this age, and some to another. For instance, in the first period births and deaths would be as they now are, but in the last period the deaths would be very few and births would have ceased altogether. At the end of the millenial period there would be no children on the earth, and many then living would be hundreds of years old. A man would be able to say: "This tree is 800 years old, and I am here its cotemporary." Many of the present customs and defects would characterize the first period and not the last. The millenium would open up with thousands of soldiers, thousands of ministers and thousands of policemen, but as the ages advanced, these would gradually disappear, their work having been accomplished, and would finally cease to exist altogether. Religion would be relegated back to the individual and to the family, for then all would know the Lord. Medical science would advance in the several departments, conquering disease, and destroying the very source of the same, leaving men freer and healthier as each period passed by, until the time would come as spoken of in his text, Isaiah lxv. 20-22, and declared particularly in the last two verses. The time of the beginning of the millenium, the speaker said, was very hard to state precisely, but he believed it would begin about the year 1935, which was a very different thing altogether from the ending of the world. It would come, he believed, as noiselessly and as undefinedly as the morning dawns upon the earth. Although its first appearance might be hardly distinguishable, it would not be long before all the world would know that this was the blessed age foretold. The preacher was astonished that people could entertain the idea of Christ's coming to establish the millenium in the present state of the world. That would simply be to say that the gospel instituted 1800 years ago had proved a failure. It would be a reflection upon Providence. Then again the Jews certainly must be restored before the millenium could come, and the new temple planned and laid out in the last eight chapters of Ezekiel would be built ere the millenium could dawn upon the earth. It would be on the other side, too, of wars and rumors of wars, and the gospel will have been universally preached; not that all would be converted, but there would not be whole tribes, or whole races, or whole nations in darkness and in ignorance of the law and of the gospel, as was the case at present. Referring to the age of the earth, Dr. Wild said that a scientific friend of his had been offended because he maintained that the Adamic earth was not above 6,000 years old. "He thought I displayed great weakness in the statement," said the Dr. "I wrote, asking him to send me half a dozen statements from different authors as to how long the earth had been in existence. He wrote in reply, stating that I had set him a task that revealed his weakness, that he found the lowest estimate about 20,000 years, and the highest a little over 2,000,000. If I could not guess nearer than that I would stop calling myself a scientist or theologian, I replied, giving him this simple rule: We have had thirty-three generations from Adam till now. You take five for a family increase, and double those up for these thousands of years, and how many people would there be living in the world now, allowing the same laws to be operative in the past that are active at present? He was amazed at the calculation, so much so, he tells me, that he gave his calculations to a professor at a London university to see if he was correct, and the professor stated that he was quite correct, but he got more people than the world would hold. Now, in 6,000 years, by any common rule, there will be more people than are existing; and supposing you extend your calculation back 2,000,000 years, how many would you have? It is beyond comprehension. There is nothing more ridiculous, or so much at variance with common sense, than for man to reject the Bible estimate of man's age in the earth. We cannot have lived by common arithmetic on this earth over 4,000 years continuously, while 6,000 years makes it necessary for us to produce some catastrophe (like the deluge) to sweep away the millions off the earth." On the same system of calculation the speaker concluded that the world could not conveniently last much longer than another thousand years, and predicted that after 6,000 years of toil and labor a Sabbath of 1000 years would ensue, and after that—the end.

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The West half of Section number Four (4), Township number Three (3), Range 28 West.

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All that piece or parcel of land lying immediately south of Lot number Four hundred and forty-seven, Group Two, as shewn on the plan of Township number Three, Range 28 West, of the Sixth Meridian District of New Westminster, described as follows:—Commencing at the south-east corner of said Lot 447; thence south 40 chains, thence west to Cheam lake, thence following the east shore of said lake and the outlet thereof to the west boundary of Lot 447; thence south to the southwest corner of said Lot 447, thence east to place of commencement.—Dominion surveys.

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To find that your shadow has portlier grown,
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The Development of a Noble Industry.

W. Lewis Fraser, manager of the art department of the Century magazine, addressed the Grolier Club in New York recently on "Nearly Two Hundred Years of Book Illustrating in America."

In 1639, he said, appeared the first sheet printed in America, the "Almanac of Stephen Daye." In the seventy-five years following its publication eleven hundred books were printed on American presses, but only three of them were illustrated — "Tuley's Almanac," containing a rude cut of an eclipse; Increase Mather's "Ichabod," with a portrait of its author, and the "American Almanac," of N. W. Whittemore, bearing on its title page a portrait of Queen Anne.

Most of these books were of a religious or controversial character, and contained little matter for the inspiration of an artist.

American books were illustrated by relief plates from 1703 throughout the Provincial period and from copper plates from a very early time. These plates were presumably engraved in America. In 1775 there were in America three relief and two copper-plate engravers, who might be classed as professionals. One of these was a negro slave owned by Thomas Fleet, a Boston printer.

The work of the ante-Revolutionary engravers was not much to be commended. After the war till the end of the century, printing offices were multiplied, and immense numbers of books were produced, varying from children's books an inch square to ponderous folios. From the beginning of the present century to 1830 copper-plate engraving was very popular for everything, from a history of Cock Robin to a folio Bible.

However, wood engraving had begun to grow in favor, and in 1830 the National Academy of Design established a course of lectures on that art. Then a mushy literature with mushy illustrations sprang into existence, and the numerous annuals formed the staple of popular reading.

In 1860 the number of steel engravers had grown until there were in all the country about 90. About that time arose the prophet of the new dispensation in steel engraving, Felix O. C. Darley, whom Mr. Fraser characterized as the illustrator par excellence of America.

Wood engraving received a new impetus a few years later, and a class of enthusiastic and gifted men devoted themselves to this art until it had attained the highest rank among the various means employed to illustrate books and periodicals.

A CHINAMAN'S WILL.

This Curious Document a Model of Clear Statement.

The following is the translation of a Chinese will, made in Australia:

At this present moment I am grievously sick. Therefore I have requested and obtained both Chinese and English doctors. They have examined me, and state that I am in great danger. I fear I cannot live long.

Therefore I at once all my business and all my accounts, goods, clothing, and the whole of my estate intrust and deliver over to Kwan Eng Sioun to receive and hold for him to entirely manage, instead of me. I do this so that neither relatives nor any others can dispute.

Kwan Eng Sioun is one whom I deeply, fully know; his heart is true and upright, and unlimited faith may be placed in him. I sincerely believe that his heart is careful to grasp the right, and am happy.

After my death I desire that he receive all moneys and close the business; also that, though the proceeds be much or little, he call all my Melbourne creditors together and consult with them; also to request them to be liberal-hearted and kind, and ask them to return some money so that it may be sent to buy the necessaries of life for my wife and children. In such case my family will receive their grace and favor, and the act of my creditors will be counted a work of virtue done by my creditors.

I institute and make this will as a substitutional proof of my wishes. Eye witnesses to it—Lim Slay, Wong Che, Hien Sluey.

The writer of the will is Kwan Eng Sioun. Will made in the thirteenth year of the reign of Quong Sluey, eleventh month, twentieth day.

GOON SAM'S X mark.

The Wiggles of Wakefulness.

Lillian had an uncomfortable way of waking before light and expecting the family to rise with her at what they considered an unbearably early hour.

"Lillie, you must lie still and try to sleep," said her mother one morning, when this early bird began to chirp.

"I'll try," said the child, and so she did, but it was to no purpose. In five minutes she was sitting up in bed playing with her little pink toes. This time her mother growing impatient, as sleepy people have been known to do, summarily extinguished her under the bed clothes, saying in despair:

"Lillian, I told you to try once more to go to sleep!"

"I know it, mamma," said truthful Lillian, "and I did try, but the wake wiggles in me so I can't keep still!"

Mason and Dixon's Line.

Mason and Dixon's line derived its name from the surveyors, Charles Mason and Jeremiah Dixon.

The "line" was 300 miles long and marked the boundary between Pennsylvania and Maryland and Virginia. It was marked by stone posts at intervals of one mile.

A LIGHTNING MARRIAGE.

An Indiana Parson Unites an Anxious Couple in Less than a Jiffy.

"One of the quickest marriages I ever heard of," said a man from down on the Wabash to a Mail reporter, "was performed by Rev. Dr. Aaron Turner, now in the Minnesota Conference.

"Dr. Turner was in charge of the Vincennes circuit at the time. One evening he was hurrying his toilet in preparation for a marriage that he was to perform at 8 o'clock at the home of one of his flock. He was late and very much afraid that he couldn't reach the place of appointment in time.

"Just as he got his white tie adjusted and was settling himself into his coat a knock was heard on the parsonage door. Dr. Turner took up his hat, stepped to the door, and opened it. A young man stood outside. Dr. Turner asked his business.

"The young man was flurried, but he managed to say that he wanted to get married, and handed the parson a marriage license.

"'Well,' said Dr. Turner, 'I can't do it to-night. I am hurrying now to perform another ceremony. I'm already late.'

"'But,' pleaded the young man, 'it won't take you long.'

"'I know, but I can't wait,' and the preacher came out and closed the door, walking rapidly away.

"'But, Mr. Turner,' called the young man, desperately, and he ran after the minister; 'you surely can marry us. It won't take you but a minute.'

"'Where's the lady?'

"'Right back here,' and the young man pointed to a figure standing in the shadow of a tree.

"'Well, come on,' Dr. Turner said, and the two went back to where the girl stood.

"'Is this the woman you want to marry?'

"'Yes,' said the young man.

"'Then you are man and wife. Good night.' And away he went, leaving the pair standing speechless.

"It was a minute before the newly made husband recovered enough to run after the preacher, who was rapidly disappearing in the dark.

"'Mr. Turner! Mr. Turner!' he cried.

"'Well, what is it?' said the preacher, pausing.

"'Why, was that all? Will that do?'

"'Yes, yes, that will do. You are just as much married as if I'd gone through a yard of ceremony. Good night!' And again he hurried away, reaching his appointment just in the nick of time.

"The young man went slowly back to his bride and spent the next hour or two in satisfying her that she was really married."—Chicago Mail.

VALUE OF BEAUTY.

Natural Lives, Appetites, Desires and Passions Increase Beauty of Person.

Physical beauty has never since the days of Greece and Rome enjoyed its proper exaltation, and it was once quite the proper thing for moralists and clergymen to decry all delight in beauty of person as unbecoming to a thoughtful and Christian people, and this kind of mistaken moral (?) scourging gradually led to neglect of personal habits conducive to perfect physical development and beauty, until about a score of years ago it became almost impossible to find a perfectly well man or woman.

But of late years a healthier sentiment has been gaining ground as a natural reaction, and schools for physical culture, gymnasiums, swimming baths, fencing lessons, etc., have materially improved the physical conditions of young men and women; while this growing interest in physical development and beauty is gradually working a change for the better in the moral conditions of the people, for a perfectly healthy man or woman, full of vital strength, and blessed with natural appetites, desires and passions, is far less apt to be a sensualist or criminal than one whose physical condition is depraved, and whose appetites are therefore vicious and degraded.

I am perfectly well aware that not all persons have come to see and appreciate the divine rights of beauty, except it be moral beauty, for I receive many letters from women who offer this one criticism on my work: "You say too much about physical beauty," and they honestly believe it, because, from having reasoned on one side of the question only, they can see good in but one method of work for moral elevation, namely, suppression.

Appetites, desires, instincts and temptations alike, without regard to their legitimate relations, must be suppressed, and the presumption is that virtue will then assert itself.—Dress.

ORIGIN OF BASE BALL.

The Noble Game Had a Humble and Foreign Beginning.

Base ball is merely a development of the old English game of rounders. Except in details the two are precisely the same. Half a century ago base ball was hardly heard of, but rounders was as common as it is in the fields about London; and their identity is more clear than even that of croquet with pall mall, or cricket with the "club ball," that gave exercise to our fathers six hundred years ago.

Rounders was never an aristocratic game. It was not played by the universities. The great endowed schools like Eton, Rugby, Harrow, or Winchester, never thought of it. Even small private schools affected to be above rounders.

It was reserved for the children in parochial establishments and the large class of costermongers, errand boys, etc. in the large cities. But it was a good game nevertheless, and the people who had indulged in it on the other side brought it here and made it what it is.

MARRYING BENEATH HIM.

Fascinated by His Stenographer in the Absence of the Society Girl.

Whether at seaside or mountain the summer girls flock by themselves, while the pretty clerks, bookkeepers and typewriters are flocking with the summer girl's escaped prey on Broadway or the Coney Island steamers. Young Dick left to himself, it is not surprising that he discovers that the smile of the dimpled little stenographer in the office is a bright one, that he lingers a minute in the morning to admire the sweet peas in the dainty little jar on her desk, that he asks her if she has been to the Casino to see Nadjy, or on the Newburg boats for a Sunday sail to West Point, or to Staten Island of an evening to witness the Fall of Rome. In course of these innocent little festivities he discovers not improbably that she is quite as well educated as the society girl, much fresher in her blithe enjoyment of an outing, not so exacting in her estimates of men and things, practical from being thrown on her own resources, and just the wife for a young man with his way to make.

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JAMES GIBSON.

Chilliwhack, August 4, 1888. dwau7m3

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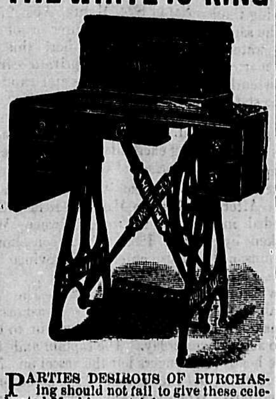

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Notice.....H. Kehoe
Notice.....G. E. Parkes
Mail Contract.....E. H. Fletcher

Daily British Columbian

Saturday Evening, Sept. 1, 1888.

Ice cream at the Club. *

The str. Western Slope arrived from Nanaimo to-day with a load of coal.

The str. Gladys cleared for up river ports this morning with freight and passengers.

Children's strong Buttoned Boots, with Sole Leather Toe Caps, at Grant & Maclure's. *

Mr. Trapp's auction sale of dry goods will be continued at Austin's wharf to-night.

Call and examine the fine samples of work at the photographic tent, next to Queen's Hotel. *

The str. Rainbow left for Victoria this morning with 20 tons of freight and 12 passengers.

The streets would stand a good drenching to-night without sustaining any serious or irreparable damage.

Messrs. Walker & Shadwell have removed to the "Colonial" block, in the store lately occupied by Mr. W. Ross. dau30tc

Several hunting parties left the city to-day. Bears are hereby cautioned to stick close to their mountain fastnesses.

The str. Irving arrived down from Chilliwhack this afternoon with a full load of farm produce and 25 passengers.

Use the safe, pleasant, and effectual worm killer, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; nothing equals it. Procure a bottle and take it home.

Tenders are asked by the P. O. inspector on a four years' contract for carrying the mail twice a week between Nanaimo and Victoria. See adv.

The snagboat Samson will be docked for repairs on Monday. After the repairs are completed she will be worked in connection with the river improvements.

Miss Hammond, of Port Townsend, who has been visiting friends in this city for the past two weeks left by the evening train for Vancouver en route for home.

Malarial poisons can be entirely removed from the system by the use of Ayer's Ague Cure. This remedy contains a specific, in the form of a vegetable product, used in no other Ague preparation. Warranted.

Cabinet photos, $3 per doz., "at the tent." First class work, $6 per doz., at J. Uren's photo gallery, over Wintemute's furniture store, Columbia street; give us a call and judge for yourselves. deelwl

Scrofula, in the blood, corrupts and contaminates every tissue and fibre in the whole body; but whether appearing in the form of swellings, erysipelas, or running sores, the malignant poisons of this disease are completely eradicated by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Thompson & Bovill intend sending a number of British Columbia views to the Toronto exhibition and have a splendid collection prepared for that purpose. The series representing Harrison Hot Springs are particularly fine and are sure to attract much attention.

Two men employed as waiters on the str. Olympian, named Underwood and DeLoucey, were arrested in Seattle on Wednesday night on a charge of smuggling. They had a valise containing forty pounds of opium, believed to have been brought from Victoria.—*Colonist.*

The Westminster woolen mills have commenced the manufacture of blankets and the first pair were turned out yesterday. Capt. Grant, the Fraser river dentist, who is noted as a collector of rare and priceless antiquities, has purchased the first pair manufactured and has added them to his large and varied collection.

A general meeting of the cricket club will be held at the court house on Monday evening when important matters concerning the club will be brought up for discussion. The expenses of the club have been somewhat greater than the income during the past season, and the meeting will take steps to make up the deficiency.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Stationery and Fancy Goods.

Miss Peebles advertises her new stationery and fancy goods store in another column. This business will be novel in most of its features, and will prove a great convenience in the way of fancy stationery, etc. It should be largely patronized, by the ladies particularly. Miss Peebles has had thorough experience in the line of business she proposes opening.

The Hamley Block.

Messrs. Ackerman Bros. have received the contract for the new Hamley block and will commence operations within a few days. The building will be two storeys high with basement, built of brick, and will have a frontage of 66 feet and a depth of 50 feet. The stores will be exceptionally fine and will be furnished with plate glass fronts. The contract will be completed in November.

The Southern.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. James Leamy, accompanied by a few other gentlemen of this city, made a tour of inspection along a portion of the line of the New Westminster Southern Railway. On visiting Bonson & McCorvie's section of the right-of-way Mr. Leamy expressed entire satisfaction with the manner in which the work is being carried on under the superintendence of Mr. McCorvie. The clearing will be sufficiently advanced for grading by the end of the coming week.

Cruelty to Animals.

Every day almost affords proof of the need in this city of a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. The other day several sheep, the four legs of each were tied together, were lying in the sun in Johnson street, and the horn of one of the poor creatures had been torn off, leaving the bleeding stump exposed. Anyone who by accident has had a finger nail wrenched off can form a partial idea of the agony an animal must suffer when an entire horn is torn out bodily. In any other city such wanton cruelty would meet with well deserved punishment.—*Colonist.*

The Athletic Park.

Some weeks ago THE COLUMBIAN referred to the necessity of an athletic park and urged the citizens to lose no time in taking action in the matter. We are glad to know our remarks on the subject were appreciated and that immediate steps will be taken to bring the project into effect. Subscriptions to the amount of $250 have already been subscribed by citizens and this amount will be increased to $1000 by the end of next week. The city council will be petitioned on Monday night to assist the scheme, and will, without doubt, vote a generous amount. If the proposed plan is carried into effect Westminster will have the finest athletic grounds, in the province.

Steamboat Whistles.

The practice of blowing whistles previous to departure of steamboats has been abandoned at Victoria, and the inhabitants now sleep in peace. The same plan might be adopted in Westminster, and would meet with the heartfelt appreciation of the entire community. The whistle at present seems to be the main part of the steamer. Every time a rope is moved the melodious whistle sends forth a blast loud enough to awaken the dead, and it would be no surprise if the residents of the various cemeteries should some day mistake the sounds for the promised blast of Gabriel's trumpet and rise *en masse* from their graves. Day and night the city is disturbed by these awful whistles and some steps should be taken to abate the nuisance.

Broke Her Arm.

A few days ago Miss Peters, the well-known pianist, had the misfortune to break her arm near the elbow, and she is thus prevented from following her profession of teaching music. As she has ever been most kind in assisting at concerts, etc., a number of the musical people of this city have decided to give a concert in the Wilson Hall on Wednesday evening next for her benefit. All the leading musicians, etc., of the city have offered their services and a splendid programme will be presented. It is hoped that the public will patronize this concert largely, as since her arrival in this city Miss Peters has given her services gratuitously on many occasions and has done much to raise the standard of musical art in this city.—*Vancouver News.*

Police Court.

Contrary to all expectations the devil returned to Chinatown last night and took the inhabitants by surprise, the visit not being looked for. Although somewhat unprepared it did not take the celestials long to get in fighting trim, and soon tom toms, drums, cymbals etc., were playing against the attacks of his royal highness. Reinforcements were telegraphed for to Vancouver and a detachment arrived on the evening train. One of the Vancouverites was detailed to beat the big drum and so earnestly did he apply himself to the task that the instrument was almost demolished before the devil was beaten off. Instead of applauding the heroic efforts of this individual, the Chinaman who owned the drum had him arrested and lays the damages at $100. The case was remanded till Monday.

Wm. Pierce was fined $5 at the police court yesterday morning and promised to reform. With this laudable intention he purchased a new suit of clothes from Mr. McDonough, for which he paid $14. Feeling that a small drop of muskeg dew would brighten him up a bit and set off the new clothes to better advantage, Pierce indulged in a few drinks and was finally taken to the police station drunk and incapable. Before being arrested he tried to sell the new clothes for 75 cents, but could not find a purchaser. Fined $6.

NAVIGATION OF THE FRASER.

Conference Between the Board of Trade and Mr. Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine.

In accordance with previous arrangements the members of the council of the Westminster board of trade had an interview with the deputy minister of marine in the board rooms yesterday afternoon. Besides members of the council and the deputy minister there were present Senator McInnes, D. Chisholm, M.P., Capt. Bole, M.P.P., Mayor Dickinson, Capt. Lewis, agent of the marine department, Capt. Robinson, A. F. Hill, C. E., F. C. Gamble, C.E., and a large number of prominent members of the board of trade, and some other prominent citizens.

The president occupied the chair, and after mentioning the chief object of the conference, the secretary was called upon to read a statement setting forth the difficulties encountered by the board in its efforts to procure authentic reports respecting the state of river navigation and the disadvantages under which the river and its industries have been placed. The reading of this statement occupied about an hour, but it was listened to with patient attention by the deputy minister. It was pointed out that for many months fruitless efforts had been made by the board, and by the managers of the Royal City Planing Mills to induce ships to come up the river for lumber. There was no reliable official chart in existence showing the course of the channel over the sand heads and the actual depth of water, and both Capt. Lewis and the marine department at Ottawa had persistently declined to furnish any reliable statement on this point. Capt. Lewis stated in his official report to the department that there was only 8 feet of water on the bar at low water springs, and he further stated to the president that the depth was only 7 feet. After much delay the board succeeded in getting accurate soundings taken by Mr. Hill, C. E., and Capt. Robinson, in conjunction with Capt. Lewis. Mr. Hill reported 11½ feet at low water springs, but Capt. Lewis still maintained that it was necessary to make allowances that would reduce the actual depth to at least 9 feet. The board expressed the opinion that Capt. Lewis was proceeding upon a wrong and misleading calculation, inasmuch as he made no allowance for the increased height of water produced at the bar by the river current, and this opinion was borne out by Mr. Hill's report. It appears also that Capt Lewis did not report precisely what he believed to be the actual depth of water, but something less, excusing himself on the plea that it was better to be under than over the mark! The board claimed that it was his duty to report exactly the depth of water, and leave it to navigators to make whatever deductions they might think fit for their own safety. In spite of the obstacles mentioned, three ships had been induced to come to this city for lumber, and had gone in and out without any inconvenience, but still no effort had been made by the department to meet what the board considered its very moderate and reasonable demands.

The three things asked for by the board were: (1) A chart showing the position and actual depth of water on the sand heads, issued under official authority, so that it would be accepted as reliable by shippers and underwriters; (2) the appointment of some person resident on the river whose duty it would be to see that the buoys were kept in proper position and that all reasonable aids should be given to river navigation; (3) that the snag-boat be plated with iron and employed to break up the ice and keep an open channel during the few days when the navigation was liable to obstruction from that cause.

The department seemed to imagine that the admiralty charts, issued many years ago, ought to be sufficient for the navigation of the sand heads; but it was pointed out that these charts were utterly useless for this purpose, as the principal channel laid down on them had long ago been abandoned. The statement presented to the deputy minister closed with the following language: "As a matter of fact the channel laid down on the admiralty map is the very channel which the Canadian government has been for the past two years filling up with mattresses and rocks, and for the absolute extinction of which an appropriation of $20,000 was made this year. But although that channel has not been used at all by ships for three years, and is being filled up and obliterated by the federal government, there is no official advice of the fact. The government refuses to make a new chart, or to certify to the actual depth of water, and throws in the face of the board an old admiralty chart which, if followed, would certainly lead the mariner to shipwreck; the agent of the marine department in this province not only reports that there is no need for an official chart, but actually persists in misrepresenting the channel by reporting less water than actually exists by nearly four feet; and the board of trade has been forced to spend months of anxious labor and hundreds of dollars in an almost hopeless effort to counteract the damaging effects of the inaction of the government and the perverseness of some of its officials. In the meantime the interests of this district are suffering, and the Board feels that the Fraser River does not receive that consideration to which it fairly entitled."

After the reading of the statement, a general conversation took place, the citizens present pointing out where the present charts were at fault and insisting upon some action on the part of government. Mr. Smith admitted the reasonableness of the position taken by the board, and promised that the matters referred to would receive attention. If this means that the requests of the board and the citizens are to be complied with, without delay, both the board and the citizens will be well satisfied for the present; but if it means nothing more than a courteous dismissal of the subject, the board and the citizens are fully determined to make themselves heard until the grievances complained of have been adjusted.

Have you tried Holloway's Corn Cure? It has no equal for removing these troublesome excrescences, as many have testified who have tried it.

Personal.

W. H. Higgins left for Ottawa this afternoon.

O. D. Sweet, of the North Arm, is in the city.

J. C. Armstrong has gone up to the Hot Springs.

O. B. Ackerman returned to-day from Victoria.

Miss Higginson and Miss Hamilton went up to Harrison Hot Springs to-day and will remain there for a week.

Peter Grant, whose health has been somewhat feeble of late, has gone to Harrison Hot Springs to sample the medicinal properties of the springs.

Wm. Owens M. P. P. for Argentieul, Quebec, has been in the province for some weeks and left for home to-day by the Atlantic express. He has made a number of investments in the province and returns highly pleased with all he has seen.

O. E. Comstock, Caledonia, Minn., writes: I was suffering the most excruciating pains from inflammatory rheumatism. One application of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil afforded almost instant relief, and two bottles effected a permanent cure.

Late Canadian News.

KINGSTON, Aug. 27.—The new steamer Algonquin, with 68,000 bushels of wheat, from West Superior, is aground in the harbor, the wind having reduced the depth of water in the channel. She is leaking.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Aug. 27.—Prof. A. R. C. Selwyn, director of the geological survey, left here this morning for Sudbury in a private car with a number of scientists and capitalists, to examine the mines in that district. Two more important discoveries of gold were made there last week, one being exceedingly rich in free gold on the surface of the vein.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 29.—Early in September the Manitoba road will reduce the running time between Winnipeg and St. Paul to fourteen hours and will also enter the province via St. Paul.

QUEBEC, Aug. 29.—The steamer Bratzbong, which went ashore at Ste Felicite on Sunday, began to break up yesterday. The captain and two lady passengers left the vessel on Monday, but the crew of 17 remained on board. When the vessel began to break up the crew tried to reach the land in two small boats, but owing to a severe storm both boats capsized and 15 out of the 17 were drowned. Twelve bodies have been recovered.

KINGSTON, Ont., Aug. 31.—Kingston was visited by an electric storm of great severity this morning. The rain came down in torrents and the lightning flashed most brilliantly. In many houses the lightning bounded off the telephone lines to the consternation of the inmates, but speedily the telephone and telegraph communications were cut and the danger was past.

MONTREAL, Aug. 31.—The court of Queen's bench which opens to-morrow will be one of the most important in late years in the number of cases, which includes the Cass, Jacobs and Kehoe trials for murder, and that of Pitcher, the defaulting teller of the Providence Bank for bringing stolen money into Canada.

The police committee this afternoon ordered Chief Hughes to arrest one of the bucket shop keepers as a test case under the Abbott Act.

TORONTO, Aug. 31.—The rain prevented the Irish-Canadian cricket match being resumed till this afternoon. The Irishmen's first innings ended with 330 for 249 of the Canadians, followed by the second innings, in which the latter were disposed of for a miserable total of 49, the visitors thus winning the match by an innings and 86 runs.

The Medicine for Liver and Kidney Complaint.—Mr. Victor Auger, Ottawa, writes: "I take great pleasure in recommending to the general public Parmelee's Pills, as a cure for Liver and Kidney Complaint. I have doctored for the last three years with leading physicians, and have taken many medicines which were recommended to me without relief, but after taking eight of Parmelee's Pills I was quite relieved, and now I feel as free from the disease as before I was troubled."

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs	$7 00 @	9 00
Pork	"	6 50 @	9 00
Mutton	"	11 00 @	12 00
Hides (gr'n)	"	4 00 @	5 00
Potatoes	"	1 25 @	1 50
Cabbage	"	2 00 @	0 00
Onions	"	2 00 @	0 00
Wheat	"	1 60 @	1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @	1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @	0 00
Hay,	per ton	18 00 @	00 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 25 @	0 35
Cheese,	"	0 18 @	0 17
Eggs,	per doz.	0 20 @	0 25
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @	4 00

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

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

W. C. T. U.—REGULAR MEETING every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. Headquarters (over Cunningham & Raith's Shop), Douglas St. Loyal Legion in the same place every Friday afternoon. dau2tfc

BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street, East of Mary Street. Lord's Day Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2:30 p. m. All seats free; strangers cordially welcomed. —Rev. Thos. Baldwin, pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH, Oddfellows' New Hall. Rev. J. H. White, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Thursdays at 7.30 p. m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

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

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

PETER GRANT,
fe23-tc Secretary.

NOTICE.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Westminster Cricket Club will be held at the COURT HOUSE on MONDAY NEXT, 3rd Sept., at 8 p. m. The attendance of every member is requested.

G. E. PARKES,
dse1t2 Hon. Secretary-Treas.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD MY RIGHT, title and interest in the New Westminster Brewery to Messrs. Jameson & Wright. The debts due for goods delivered up to the 31st of August last are due to me. I hope all my old friends will give the new firm a fair trial, for they are deserving of confidence and will give satisfaction.

H. KEHOE,
Sapperton.
Westminster, Sept. 1st, 1888. dse1m1

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Stationery & Fancy Goods STORE.

MISS PEEBLES

INTENDS TO OPEN ON THE 6TH SEPTEMBER, in the new

QUEEN'S HOTEL BUILDING,

recently erected by Mr. Duncan, a General Stationery and Fancy Goods Store. Being thoroughly experienced in the trade, and having made arrangements to get regular supplies direct from the English and foreign markets, she hopes to receive the support of the citizens of New Westminster and surrounding districts.

A large variety of CHRISTMAS CARDS and CHOICE FANCY GOODS and FINE ART PUBLICATIONS are now on the way and will be received in time for the Christmas trade.

The Goods will be marked at the lowest prices FOR CASH ONLY. dwse1m1

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on FRIDAY the 28th September next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, twice per week each way, between

NANAIMO AND VICTORIA,

from 1st November next.

The conveyance to be made in a steamer of not less than 60 tons registered tonnage, as follows: On one trip per week the steamer to call both ways at the intermediate ports on the inside or Satellite Channel, and on one trip per week at certain places on the outside or Trincomatic Channel, as more fully described in the printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract, which may be seen at this office, or at the Post offices at Nanaimo, Chemainus, Salt Spring Island, New Westminster, Vancouver and Victoria, where blank forms of tender may also be obtained.

E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1888.
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NOTICE.

ALL OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS due the Royal City Planing Mills Co. must be settled on or before Sept. 20th or they will be placed in Court for collection.

To all consumers of Building Materials:

Until further notice, we offer great inducements to all cash purchasers.

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AUCTION SALE —OF— FURNITURE —AND— HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.

I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from WILLIAM CLARKSON, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, Pelham Street, N. W., on

Tuesday, 4th September,

the whole of his

DRAWING-ROOM, DINING-ROOM, BED-ROOM AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

Together with CARPETS, STOVES, KITCHEN UTENSILS, Canned & Preserved JELLIES & JAMS, about 100 gals OLD CIDER, 50 gals VINEGAR, a large and valuable assortment of CARPENTERS TOOLS & GARDEN IMPLEMENTS, 80 APPLE BOXES, Lot of Lumber, and a great variety of useful and instructive BOOKS and other articles—the accumulation of 30 years.

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Charges Moderate,

MONTREAL, Dec., 1887.—Mr. F. Crake.—Andw. Robertson, Esq., Chairman of Montreal Harbor Commissioners, says: "I never found a Watchmaker who did as well for me as you did when in Montreal, and I am sorry you are not here to-day."

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