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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

The sounds of the heart have been recorded and reproduced by the phonograph.

A French subterranean river has been explored for a mile or more by M. Martel, who derives from his investigations a theory of the origin of canons.

Prof. Ayrton estimates that the power wasted at Niagara Falls exceeds that which could be produced by the annual consumption of 150,000,000 tons of coal.

The microscope often reveals impurities in diamonds, particles of organic matter and bubbles of gas being common. Quartz, chrolite, pyrite, hematite and topaz have also been seen.

The oldest rose-bush with an authenticated record, is probably that upon the old church at Heldersheim, Germany. It has grown to the thickness of a man's body, and the old writings state that a trellis was built for it 800 years ago.

M. Spring, the French physicist, finds that the preservation of rails in use is not the result of vibratory motion, or of an electric action produced by the passage of the trains, but is due to the formation of a coating of magnetic oxide by the compression of the rust on the metal.

Hydrogen is shown by experiments of Dr. B. W. Richardson to be neither anaesthetic nor hypnotic, but if inhaled so as to be taken up by the blood it quickly kills warm-blooded animals, but suspends life in cold-blooded animals for a long time before actually destroying it.

ELECTRIC CONDENSATION OF STEAM.—A variation of Dr. O. J. Lodge's experiments on the electric deposition of dust has been tried by M. Soret, of Geneva. Steam submitted to electric discharges was instantly precipitated; and when the pole of the electric machine was sufficiently near the surface of the water—the other pole being attached to the platinum cup used for the boiling—the steam was condensed as rapidly as formed, presenting the anomaly of steamless boiling water.

LEVELING EFFECT OF FROST.—A low ledge in western Norway marks the spot on which an extensive promontory stood until 1717. During a thaw in that year, the crevices in the rock were filled with water, which was quickly frozen by a sudden change to cold. The result was the rending of the rock, and its projection, with its cultivated fields and farmstead, from a height of 1500 feet into the neighboring fjord. The fall raised a great wave, which not only destroyed the fishing boats within two and a half miles but swept away a church fifty feet above the water a mile away from the promontory.

GEOLOGICAL ASSOCIATIONS.—The Geological Society of London was established in 1807, and now has about 1450 members. The Geological Society of Dublin came into existence in 1832; that of Edinburg, in 1834; of France, in 1830; of Germany, in 1848. The first International Geological Congress met at Paris in 1878, and decided to assemble regularly every third year in different cities of the world. The geological section of the American Association for the advancement of Science was formed in 1849, and the organization of the American Geological Society will date from the meeting at Ithaca, N. Y., on Dec. 27, 1888.

WORLD-ENGLISH.—The great advantage claimed by Dr. A. Melville Bell for English as the universal language, is the simplicity of its grammar, which makes English immeasurably superior to every form of artificial language as well as to other national tongues. The various moods and tenses, declensions and conjugations, which burden other grammars have practically no existence for us. Dr. Bell advocates further simplification, however, by removing grammatical irregularities—using "childs" instead of "children," "gooder" instead of "better," etc.,—adopting a more orderly spelling, and improving the alphabet so as to give a letter for each sound.

MOVING TOWNS.—The common method of showing the slow changes of level of the land is by recording at intervals the height of marks on sea-coasts as compared with the surface line of the ocean. A more striking exhibition of the instability of the eternal hills has been observed in the Jura mountains, where villages that were invisible to each other at the beginning of the century, or even thirty or forty years ago, have come into view through the movement of the ground. The roofs appeared first, then the upper part of the walls, as in the villages of Doucier and Marigny, near Lake Chalain. Even within ten or fifteen years important changes have been noted.

Mr. Parpetus Boileau, Ottawa: "I was radically cured of piles, from which I had been suffering for over two months, by the use of Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I used it both internally and externally, taking it in small doses before meals and on going to bed. In one week I was cured, and have had no trouble since. I believe it saved my life."

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LORD STANLEY,

Sir John A. Macdonald, and Oliver Mowat all Condemn the Annexation Movement.

Americans Offer to Repair Breach in the Yellow River for Railway Building Purposes.

Another American Vessel Released by the Haytien Government and Indemnity Paid.

SWEEPING CONDEMNATION.

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—At a banquet of the board of trade last night, Gov.-Gen. Stanley, Sir John Macdonald and Hon. Oliver Mowat, premier of Ontario, all condemned the annexation movement.

TEN THOUSAND INDEMNITY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The Boston schooner, Wm. Jones, which was seized by Haytien men-of-war, while attempting to enter the port of Gonames, and afterwards released, has arrived here. Her owners were paid $10,000 indemnity.

RAILWAY COLLISION.

CHEYENNE, Wyoming, Jan. 5.—A freight train crashed into the rear of another freight train west of here early this morning. Three cars of the standing train were ditched and a fire ensued, several cars being burned. James Hughes, telegraph operator, was killed and an engineer and brakeman slightly injured.

LOST IN THE GALE.

HAVANA, Jan. 5.—The ship Portland, which left Baltimore Dec. 6th for San Francisco, has put into St. Michael's damaged. Two of her crew were lost in the gale.

A JAPANESE FAILURE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Yukuss Niva, doing business as the Nippon Mercantile Co., importer of Japanese goods, made an assignment to-day. The concern carried a stock of $100,000, which was very hard to dispose of. Liabilities unknown.

FOR LIBEL.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—The cases of Jos. J. West & Jos. Dunlay, publishers, and city editor of the Chicago *Times*, who were arrested last night at the instance of inspector Bonfield and Capt. Schaack, on the charge of criminal libel, came up this morning before Mr. Justice White. Upon request they were postponed till Jan 10th.

FROM THE FAR EAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 5.—The str. City of Pekin arrived from Hong Kong this morning with the following advices:—Judge Denny, the American adviser of the king of Corea, who is in Shanghai, says there is absolutely no truth in the report that a Russian protectorate over Corea has been arranged.

The European residents in the interior of Java are arming themselves owing to fanatical disturbances.

The natives do not shrink from massacre and cause much uneasiness.

The Japanese papers are filled with rumors about Corea. One says the king has received an authograph letter from the Czar who is disposed to lend him assistance in throwing off the suzerainty of China, and that Corea is trying to purchase a man-of-war from Russia, the payment for which will be spread over four or five years.

The American and German ministers in Pekin are reported to have submitted a proposal to the Chinese government that the necessary repairs to the great breach in the Yellow River would be gratuiously undertaken on the condition that on completion of the repairs a concession for the construction of railways in China would be granted.

THE OLD STORY.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 5.—For the third time in its history the Second National Bank is the victim of a defaulting employee. Paying Teller C. R. Wright has absconded. The bank officials refuse to give the amount taken but it is supposed to go into thousands. Wrights crookedness has been known to the bank officials for 2 weeks but was concealed in hope of settlement by Wright's relations. Wright was in the highest social circles in the city and a general favorite. Wine, cards and women led to his downfall.

B. C. Provincial Exposition Subscription Fund.

For the purpose of raising a fund to contribute towards the patriotic and worthy object of making the next annual provincial fair, to be held in this city, a grand and unprecedented success, the undersigned agree to contribute the sums opposite their respective names (to be paid into the association or to trustees competent to receive the same, on or before 6 months from the date of the last provincial exhibition, and to be applied to preparing exhibition grounds and buildings in this city, for increasing the amount offered in prizes, and for furthering the exhibition in other ways):

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Says an exchange: Early on Christmas morning, a couple who had unsuccessfully endeavored to obtain work and had knelt in vain at the hand of charity for assistance, crept into a doorway for shelter, and while the bells of New York city pealed out a merry Christmas, their child, only a month old, died in its mother's arms. The police are now looking after the mother, whose education is superior to her unfortunate position.

John Hays, Credit P. O., says: "His shoulder was so lame for nine months that he could not raise his hand to his head, but by the use of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil the pain and lameness disappeared, and although three months has elapsed, he has not had an attack of it since."

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LATE DESPATCHES.

COLORADO MINERAL PRODUCT.

DENVER, Jan. 1.—It is estimated the output of the Colorado gold and silver mines for 1888 was $26,051,537, of which $3'105,519 is gold, $17,925,628 is silver, $5,576,552 is lead and $153,847 copper.

ALL A HOAX.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 1.—The false report, originating in Chihauhua, of a clerical imprisoning in this city, caused great excitement here. Many merchants and bankers in other places sent telegrams inquiring about it. The government is making every possible effort to discover the author of the hoax, who will be punished if caught. It is believed the hoax was the work of a clique of men expelled from the city as suspicious characters.

SEAL FISHERIES DISPUTES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Senator Hoar to-day introduced a resolution which was adopted, asking the president to transmit to congress any correspondence he had with Great Britain concerning the seal fisheries, Behring Straits especially, no the seizure of any vessel of the United States or any other country, and what resolutions governing the fisheries had been adopted by this government. Hoar says there have been and are still widespread complaints of unjust discrimination made against American vessels. That while they are not permitted to to take seals out of the sea, which is perfectly proper and right, no interference is made with the operations of vessels of other countries, particularly those of Great Britain, and he wants to know why?

LOSS OF A FINE STEAMER.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 1.—The str. Natchez, one of the finest passenger boats on the lower Mississippi, struck a reef at Lake Providence this morning and sunk. She will be a total loss. Her value is $75,000.

ONLY ONE SURVIVOR.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The department of state has received a telegram from the United States consul at St. Johns, N. B., stating that the big Atalaya, Brown, master, from Rouen to Philadelphia, is a total loss at Renews. The captain is the only survivor.

STABBED A VETERAN.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 1.—Louis Schmidt, an inmate of the soldiers' home, and 65 years of age, stabbed a fellow veteran named W. F. Ruder, this afternoon, causing instant death. The two men had quarreled in a discussion over their repective war records while drinking in a saloon.

AN EMBEZZLER CAPTURED.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 1.—A Chicago embezzler, who packed himself and $10,000 in a trunk and was sent by express to St. Louis, was captured here to-night. He is Thomas Vines, who took the pay of the mill employees, amounting to $10,000, of the Adams & Westlake Manufacturing Co., of Chicago, and disappeared Saturday.

BRUTALLY MURDERED.

DUBLIN, Jan. 2.—A farmer named Brown, who had taken a farm from tenantsand been evicted, was set upon by four men and brutally murdered on the highway near Ballinahloe. One arrest was made.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

Provencher nomination takes place on the 17th and polling a week later.

The wife of G. T. Demaine, laborer, of Deloraine, Man., dropped dead from a chair while knitting.

It is understood the position of financial controller in the postal revenues, vacant by Stewart's death, will be abolished.

Voting on the repeal of the Scott Act in Essex Centre, Ont., took place Wednesday, and law killing was carried by 10 majority.

The Methodist church has decided to expend $6,500 in purchasing property at Vancouver and Victoria for the extension of their church missions in British Columbia.

An inquest touching on the death of Lillian Charlton, of Toronto, the victim of malpractice, was concluded with a verdict that Dr. Valentine *alias* Williamson and Joe Wood, were accessories to the death of the girl.

Following are the successful tenderers for supplies for "C" Battery: R. Porter, meat; M. E. Smith, bread; Angus & Gordon, potatoes, groceries and coal oil; R. Baker & Son, forage and straw; R. Innes, coal and wood; Geo. Phillips, fixing stoves, etc.

During a mayoralty mass meeting Tuesday night at Port Arthur the Odd-Fellows, who were meeting over the hall, stamped on the floor in applause. People in the mass meeting thought the roof was falling in, and a regular panic ensued, many citizens being badly bruised.

L. A. Hamilton, the Canadian Pacific land commissioner, is at Ottawa arranging with the Hon. Edgar Dewdney, minister of the interior, for the final selection of the land subsidy that the Canadian Pacific Railroad Company is entitled to and which comprises 10,000,000 acres, chiefly in the Northwest.

The court of review rendered judgment in the Laprairie local election case at Montreal, yesterday, annulling the election of Goyette and disqualifying Hon. James McShane for personal bribery with a fine of $400. It is said that Mr. McShane will contest one of the Montreal divisions for the Dominion house.

Further particulars of the destruction of the Lincoln pulp mill at St. Catherines show that John Boyle, who was a casual visitor, dropped into the mill about midnight and fell asleep. His burned remains were found in the ruins. The mill is a total loss. It was valued, with the contents, at $30,000; insured for $9,500.

It is reported that a supporter of Sir John for thirty years called on him Thursday to obtain a session clerkship. After some parleying about the matter the premier grew angry and informed the office seeker that he would not do anything for him. "Then I'll do all I can against you," retorted the applicant for the position. "You be d—d," was the reply, to which the interviewer said, "You show yourself no gentleman and I hurl back your rude words in your face."

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ELECTRIC SUGAR

Bubble Burst and Every Share is Worthless. The Greatest Swindle in Years.

Prof. Geffcken, who Published Emperor Frederick's Diary, Released from Prison.

Gladstone, Wishing to Avoid Liberal Demonstrations, will not Visit Rome.

THE LATEST BUBBLE BURST.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Excitement continues here and in Liverpool on the great electric sugar swindle. Shares are now down to 30s. Holders have been running frantically around for the last three days trying to get rid of them. Howard, promoter of the enterprise, has been living at the Adelphi hotel in grand style. Warrants have been issued for his arrest, and also for Mrs. Friend, who sold her interest in the discovery for £15,000. There was a craze for these shares, both people being most plausible in urging their pretensions and impressing speculators with the importance of the scheme. Money was simply thrown at them. Most of the shares are held in Liverpool. The collapse of this bubble has had a depressing effect on many recently introduced American schemes, some of which are good and substantial. The weak ones are going to the wall and more failures will be heard of soon. All kinds of stories are floating to-day about the losses sustained in the electric sugar stock by well-known New Yorkers, but the only person whose name could be obtained as a positive loser was Lawson N. Fuller. The fact is nearly all the stock actually sold was disposed of in Liverpool and Birmingham. Here is a statement of the actual outstanding stock: The capital stock being 10,000 shares on Oct. 1st, 1888. Held by American stockholders, 7,207 shares; held by foreign stockholders, 2,793 shares. Of the 7,207 shares held here 5,250 shares belong to Mrs. Friend, the boss swindler, and 1,160 shares to W. H. Cotterill, president of the company. The foreign stock is divided among 526 shareholders. Every sugar refiner in Liverpool is said to have some of the stock, as have also many of the leading bankers and merchants. A telegram was read from President Cotterill, from Ann Arbor, Michigan, announcing his arrival and that he had engaged one of the leading legal firms in the state for the company's interest. He added he expected to leave to have Mrs. Freund Mr. Howard, Mrs. Howard, the former's mother and step-father, and Gus and George Halstead under arrest before night, upon charges of swindling and obtaining money under false pretenses. The company has received altogether in round figures $350,000 for shares, which has all been expended with the exception of a small sum. The liabilities are practically nil so they will meet all demands. It is the stockholders that the loss will affect. The swindler received $18,000 to put up a factory in Brooklyn, and a small portion was spent in that way, when it became necessary for the company to raise $75,000 to pay Mrs. Freund for revealing the secret process, which she was to do this week. They succeeded, however, in getting $75,000 in cash from Liverpool and intended to give Mrs. Freund securities for the additional $40,000 when she unbosomed herself. The company has $35,000 in the bank here and of course stockholders are clamoring for this, but the parties that advanced it cabled they claim the money as their individual property.

ROME WILL NOT SEE HIM.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—Gladstone will not go to Rome, because he wishes to avoid Liberal demonstrations.

THE ELECTRIC SUGAR FIZZLE.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—The price of shares in the Electric Sugar Refining Co. have fallen from £117 to 30s. The city magistrate has issued a warrant for the arrest of Howard and Mrs. Friend. Howard came to Liverpool some months ago to promote the Electric sugar scheme.

CHASED THE ARABS.

SUAKIM, Jan. 5.—A number of mounted Arabs rode close to the outer fortifications yesterday. The forts opened fire and the Arabs retreated. The British cavalryfollowed in pursuit. Several Arabs were wounded, but all of them escaped.

In another column will be found the requisition to Mr. John Hendry to stand for mayor and his acceptance of the same, Captain Scoullar's platform, embracing every necessary improvement the city stands in need of, will also be found in this issue. From beginning to end it breaths nothing but enterprise and advancement.

A TOWN BURNED.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 5.—The town of Cochin on the Malabar coast was almost wholly burned. Only one building, an oil factoiy, was saved. Loss, $1,500,000.

PROF. GEFFCKEN RELEASED.

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—Prof. Geffcken, whose trial in connection with the publication of Emperor Frederick's diary was announced to take place this month, has been released from custody and the prosecution of the case abandoned.

EDITORS DRIVEN OUT.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—The government of Algeria has ordered the expulsion from the country of two editors of a Spanish newspaper published in Oran.

Hon. J. H. Pope and Sir John Macdonald were examined before the Onderdonk arbitration. Hon. Mr. Pope said the road was built with the intention of the government operating it. Sir George Stephen complained to him that the road was not properly built at the time of construction, but he, Pope, assured him it was constructed in a durable manner. Hon. Mr. Blake handled Sir John and Hon. J. H. Pope rather lively. During the examination Sir John said it was understood the road was to be as good as the standard of the Union Pacific.

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The new fishery regulations for this province, authorized by Order-in-council at Ottawa, on the 26th of November last, and which have already been noticed several times in this paper, are arousing, as we have before intimated, the determined opposition of the canners and fishermen. It is maintained that the regulations are so vexatiously inapplicable to the fisheries of the Fraser that they will not be respected in many points, and cannot be enforced. With respect to the clause providing that the minimum size of *mesh shall be six inches, the fisher*-state that, after an experience of fifteen or sixteen years, they find that a uniform mesh of 5⅞ inches is the best adapted for the capture of the suckeye fish. When wet, the size of mesh mentioned reduces to 5¾ inches. A quarter of an inch does not seem a great affair, yet, it is maintained, that in a run of fish of so uniform a size as the suckeye, small as it is, it would mean the difference between success and a disastrous failure in the fishing industry so far as the suckeye run is concerned. Instead of the section providing that only one-third of the river should be fished, it has been suggested that the inspector of fisheries should define the length of the nets to be used—on the Fraser River, especially, as the diversity in width is so great that a conviction under this head could never be secured by the fishery officer, whereas, if the guardian had only to measure *the length of the net*, the matter would be quite simple. The most damaging provision of all, the canners assert, is that contained in clause (c) of section 3, making a close time every week of 48 hours—from 6 a.m. Saturday to 6 a.m. Monday. This, it is stated, will close the canneries from noon on Saturday till Tuesday morning, as the boats do not return to the canneries for 12 hours. Thus the fishermen can only work 5 days in the week and the cannery hands 4½ days, making it hard to keep men at all, and creating a fruitful source of trouble and expense. As we have stated before, we believe that 6 hours added to the close time of the old regulations—making 36 hours in all—would be sufficient for the purposes of protection, and would not bear too heavily upon the fishing interests, as the 48 hours close time is sure to do. The recommendations of the canners, with respect to enlarging the mesh in the latter half of August and the first half of September, and also with respect to an annual close season from the 20th of October till the 1st of February, *constitute additional* and valuable protection, which the authorities would do well to consider and adopt. It would be advisable and proper for the fishery authorities to model their regulations at all points on the recommendations of the canners, as these are the careful conclusions of men of long and varied experience in the salmon fishing, who have their capital invested in canneries and fishing gear, and who would be the greatest losers from a failure in the salmon fishing. It has been sufficiently shown that the new fishery regulations are notoriously inapplicable and vexatious to this province, and the Fraser River especially, and it is hoped that no time will be lost in modifying them to suit, before another fishing season sets in. As already stated, the present regulations will not be respected; the fishermen can well afford to break them, and pay all the fines into the bargain, which would be a trifle compared to the advantages gained by infractions of the rules. As there are on this river from 65 to 70 miles of fishing grounds, it will be seen that an army of fishery guardians *cannot prevent the fishermen from* breaking the law, if it is unjust, and they are determined to do so—especially when a great deal of the fishing is done at night.

From a late number of *Harper's Weekly* we get the following full particulars of the situation in the state-prisons of New York, referred to briefly the other day in this paper, as bearing on the subject of convict labor. These particulars are worthy of careful consideration. *Harper's Weekly says, editorially:* There are about thirty-five hundred convicts in the full vigor of manhood, supported in complete idleness at an annual expense of about four hun*dred thousand dollars to the people* of the state. The necessary work for the care of a prison itself can be done by a very few men. Thirty out of the sixteen hundred at Sing Sing would do the work of the prison. What is the result of this situation? It is an enormous cost for the state, and an immense increase of suffering, insanity, crime, and wretchedness. It is a situation without a single excuse or alleviation, and it is both a disgrace and danger to the community. It is due, of course, to the deference of the legislature to what is called "the labor vote;" that is to say, the legislature believes that the great mass of those who live by daily wages in this state prefer that the prisons shall become festering masses of disease, *idiocy*, and every form of physical and moral decay rather than that the thirty-five hundred prisoners shall be put at honest labor. This is the error of dema*gogues, not the conclusion of sensi*ble men. It is the result of assuming the most contemptuous view of the intelligence and humanity of the body of the people as the correct view. It commits a crime against the state and against humanity itself in order to catch a vote. The support by any public man or by any party of a plan which reduces the state-prisons to a condition which is now threatened ought to be a conclusive reason with every honest voter for inflexibly opposing the man or the party. The whole number of convicts, including those in the jails, is probably ten thousand in the state. The Yates bill, against whose passage the most enlightened sentiment of the state protested, but which was passed at the extra ses*sion, restricts convict labor to the* manufacture of supplies for public use, building and repairing prisons, and reclaiming swamp lands, and agriculture. The bill is founded upon no consistent principle. It abolishes the use of motive power and prohibits the manufacture of any article for sale. The question of prison policy is one of the most important of state questions. But this bill was "rushed through" in an extra session of a day or two, in the height of a presidential campaign, the politician in the executive chamber and the politicians in the legislature trying to outwit each other, and naturally the interests of the state were sacrificed. The New York state-prisons are now practically idle. There has been an enormous loss of "plant," and a very much worse loss is threatened. There are certain fundamental considerations in regard to the subject which no party exigency and no dema*goguery can possibly alter.* One is that the convicts must be employed, unless the state is to suffer in every way by making the prisons, at an enormous expense, nurseries of imbecility and crime. Another is that they cannot be properly employed without competing in some degree with labor out of prison. The present New York scheme is a desperate endeavor to disregard both of these facts. It is unworthy of a civilized community, and if the prison association would undertake the circulation of petitions upon the subject, there would be a representation of public opinion to the legislature so imposing that it could not be disregarded.

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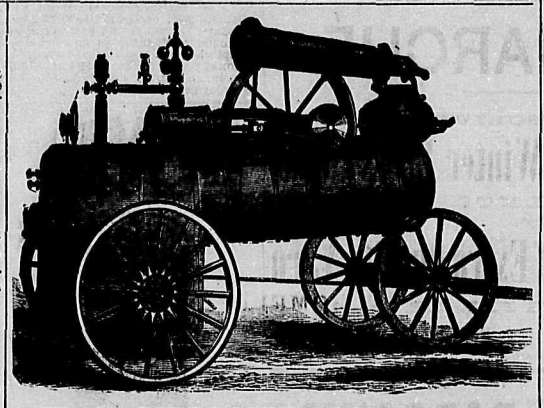

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City of New Westminster.

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By Order, D. ROBSON,
dja3td City Clerk.

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby warned against negotiating two certain promissory notes made by William Trethewey and Gustav Hauck conjointly on the 17th day of May last in favor of Mrs. M. A. Trethewey of the Mission, Fraser River, for $255.00 and $200.00 respectively. These notes have been satisfied on the 29th of June last and have so far been withheld from me by Mrs. Trethewey under the plea that they are mislaid.
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I'll freeze standing here in the lobby—
Why doesn't the organist play?
They've started at last—what a bustle!
Stop, Pa!—they're not far enough—wait!
One minute more—now!—do keep step, Pa!
There, drop my trail, Jane!—is it straight?
I hope I look timid and shrinking;
The church must be perfectly full—
Good gracious! now don't walk so fast, Pa!—
He don't seem to think that trains pull.
The chancel at last—mind the step, Pa!—
I don't feel embarrassed at all.
But, my! what's the minister saying?
Oh, I know; that part 'bout St. Paul.
I hope my position is graceful;
How awkwardly Nellie Dane stood!—
"Not lawfully be joined together—
Now speak!"—as if any one would!—
Oh, *dear! now it's my turn to answer*—
I wish that Pa would stand still.
"Serve him, love, honor and keep him"
How sweetly he says it—I will.
Where's Pa? There, I knew he'd forget it,
When the time came to give me away—
"I, Helena, take thee—love—cherish—
And"—well, I can't help it—"obey."
Here, Maud, take my bouquet—don't drop it!
I hope Charley's not lost the ring;
Just like him!—no!—goodness, how heavy,
It's really an elegant thing.
It's a shame to kneel down in whitesatin—
And the flounce, real old lace—but I must;
I hope they have got a clean cushion,
They're usually covered with dust.
All over—ah! thanks, now don't fuss, Pa—
Just throw back my veil. Charley—there—
Oh, bother! why couldn't he kiss me
Without mussing up all my hair?
Your arm, Charley, there goes the organ—
Who'd think there would be such a crowd?
Oh, I mustn't look round; I'd forgotten—
See, Charley, who was it that bowed?
Why—it's Nellie Allaire, with her husband—
She's awfully jealous, I know.
'Most of all my things were imported,
And she had a home-made trousseau;
And there's Annie Wheeler—Kate Hermon—
I didn't expect her at all—
If she's not in that same old blue satin
She wore at the charity ball!
Is that Fanny Wade?—Edith Parton—
And Emma, and Jo—all the girls;
I knew that they'd not miss my wedding—
I hope they'll notice my pearls.
Is the carriage there?—give me my cloak,
Jane—
Don't get it all over my veil—
No, you take the other seat, Charley,
I need all this for my train.

—*George A. Baker, Jr., in N. Y. Telegram.*

A DETECTIVE'S STORY.

Why He Is Not on the Force Any More.

Two men sat together in the rear seat of a smoking car on one of our railroads and chatted familiarly of the ups and downs of a miner's life, the topic being suggested by a landscape dotted with coal-breakers and furrowed with coal roads.

The freedom and interest of their conversation did not seem to be dampened by the fact that the younger of the two carried a revolver, while his companion wore a pair of those uncoveted articles of jewelry which are known in criminal circles as "bracelets."

The few persons who had observed them learned from the confidential brakeman that they were a noted detective and his prisoner on the way to trial. As far as eyes went the pair might have been taken for father and son, the fine gray head of the one contrasting strongly with the crisp brown curls of his captor.

What crime had been committed the brakeman did not know, but hazarded a conjecture that it "must have been a pretty bad one, or George Munsen wouldn't have took the trouble to put them things on his wrists."

Presently the brakeman and the conductor satisfied the joint demands of etiquette and curiosity by stopping to exchange a few words with the detective; the former then perched himself upon the coal-box directly behind the prisoner, and the latter dropped magnificently into the seat in front. The train was sweeping around a curve and past a *ruined trestle on the hillside at which* both of the passengers looked with some interest.

"I remember that place," said the older man.

"So do I," responded the younger; "I was born there. Came near being buried there, too," he resumed after a moment's pause.

"How was that?"

"It's a pretty long story," said the detective, "but I guess we'll have time for it between this and the next station. Way up there on the slope is the little settlement where I made my debut, so to speak; *from it to the bottom of the hill there used* to be a gravity road—a long, winding track reaching from the settlement down to the top of a bank wall of earth where a slide occurred the year I was born. On both sides of the track grew saplings that had sprung up since the disaster (what I am telling you occurred five years later), and they crowded the road and hung over the old rusty rails on which the coal cars used to run. You must remember that the houses were built near the mouth of the pit—that was one of the first mines worked in this country, and one of the first to be abandoned. Time I am telling about, some men were walking up track, and a lot of children playing near the top, climbing in and out of an old car which had lain there since it made its last trip with the broken spraggs still in its wheels.

"The men were miners, all but one of them, who questioned his companions about their work and the country they lived in. He was evidently a stranger.

"Presently, as they talked, a shout from the top of the slope attracted their attention, and they looked up just in time to see the car begin to move slowly down the grade.

"There was an impatient exclamation from the oldest man in the party. 'Them brats is always up to some mischief,' he said. 'They have started that old thing off at last; I've been expectin' to see it go at any time this five year. They'll be breaking their necks yet with their tom-fooling.' And another of the group added: 'We must dust out of this lively, unless we want to get our necks broke; she'll either jump the rail or go to pieces at the bottom; lucky there ain't no one aboard of her.'

"The stranger was looking anxiously up at the approaching runaway. His quick eye had caught sight of something round and golden above the car rim.

"'There's a child in that car,' he said, quietly.

"It was a second or two before his companions realized the awful meaning of that statement. A child! That was as if he had said that in a few moments some one—perhaps one of themselves—would be childless.

"With one impulse they turned to look at the broken rails at the edge of the fault. Shuddering, they fixed their eyes again on the approaching mass, then hopelessly at each other. They could not dream of stopping the progress of the car. But, quick as thought almost, the stranger took hold of a *sapling and bent it down* till it nearly touched the track. 'Hold on,' he said to one of the men, 'it will help to check her.' A rod further down another and then a third and fourth were held in the same way. So four of the party waited for a few breathless seconds, while the two remaining ones hurried further down; but one more effort and the car was upon them. The first obstacle was whipped out of the hands of the strong man who held it and the car rushed on to the second with hardly lessened force. Again the barrier was brushed aside, but this time the speed of the old wreck was perceptibly less. By the time the fifth obstruction was reached the newcomer was able to clamber aboard and throw the child into the arms of his companion, but before he had time to save himself the old truck *had regained something* of its momentum and was plunging on toward the precipice.

"Well, the man jumped just as they reached the edge, just before his vehicle shot over into the air, but he had very little time to choose his ground, and so landed, as luck would have it, on the only heap of stones in sight. The others picked him up for dead and carried him up to the settlement, where the miners held a regular *wake over him. But he came to life in the* middle of the festiv—the obsequies, I mean—and found that he was only crippled for life.

"The miners—folks not easily moved, were enthusiastic about the affair, and gave such testimonials as they could to show their gratitude and appreciation. One of these expressions took the form of a souvenir, signed by every man in the place, and stating in very grandiloquent language what the poor fellow had done. His quick wit seemed to them more wonderful than his courage and devotion, in a community where neither quality is unusual at all.

"The man who takes his own life in his hand every day, and has frequently to fight for the life of some companion values a 'brainy' action. In the box with the testimonial was a purse of fifty dollars and a curious old gold cross, that had been treasured by the brother of the lad who was saved as his one piece of finery. On it was rudely engraved these words:

"'Given by the miners at the Notch to the man who risked his life for a child.'

"That was all. The poor fellow went away and would have been forgotten, *only* that the old miners told the story sometimes to their children."

The prisoner was looking out of the window. The conductor rustled around as *though ashamed of the interest he had* shown in the story—a story which he did no doubt was pure fiction. Only the brakeman gave way to his sympathy, and asked whether the man had ever been found.

"Not that I know of," replied the detective.

"And was you the boy what he saved?"

"I was the kid."

"And you never heer'd tell what became of the man—what would you do if you shu'd come acrost him some time?" Evidently the brakeman had an imagination which was trying to assert itself.

"*Oh! I'd try to even the thing up some*now. I suppose common decency would demand that. I'd treat him as well as I know how."

"Look here," said the prisoner, turning from the window with an apparent effort to change a conversation which for some reason had not seemed to interest him—"look here, old man, I've got a little keepsake that your story just reminded me of, and if I could get at it I'd ask you to take charge of it for me till—till this thing is over. If you'll put your hand in there and pull out that bit of ribbon; so—"

The conductor almost jumped out of his seat. "Blamed if it ain't the cross that you've just been telling about," he shouted.

A month later the detective was undergoing a cross-examination by the conductor and brakeman.

"Yes, he was a bad lot. Oh, yes, he didn't have a leg to stand upon. The facts were all as clear as day. All true about the cross and the rest of it! Just as true as gospel. What had he been doing? Throwing bombs the last thing. Punished! Well, to tell you the truth, they won't be apt to punish him till they catch him again, I guess. Fact is, he got away from me somehow that same night. Who, me! Oh, no, I'm not on the force any more. I've been bounced."—*Lowell (Mass.) Courier.*

THE MOTHER-IN-LAW.

An Earnest Plea in Behalf of a Much-Abused Class of Women.

Perhaps to-day there is no relation in life in which a woman is so persistently abused and misunderstood as in that to her daughter's husband, says the New York *Press*. It has been made the theme of the jest book, the circus clown, and the topical songster ad nauseam. In the vulgar and witless warning against matrimony, sung by Nadjy, it is encouraging to note that the hit at "mother-in-law" extracts only a sickly smile from the audience. No doubt this is due to the staleness of the subject quite as much as its false sentiment, but let us hope it marks a revulsion in public taste, notwithstanding that fair bride, Amelie Rives, who makes Herod say:

Methinks that Satan was a married man,
and his wife's mother egged him to rebel, seeing Heaven would not hold them both.

People are beginning to find out that when a man vilifies his mother-in-law it is generally safe to assume that he ill-treats his wife. A young girl, when she marries, takes it for granted that her husband's love and devotion will continue to be hers as much as the sunshine and the air. The mother, from her wider observation and perhaps bitter experience, is full of vague fears and alarm. When her daughter stood at the altar she trembled. She was losing not only her child, but her power of insuring that child's happiness. Her maternal eye, keen as eagle's, seeks to pierce the future; but no, she must *fold her brooding* wings and wait with beating heart to learn if this marriage meant the highest happiness or the greatest misery that comes to woman.

In the former case the mother joyously feels she has not been robbed of a daughter, but been given a son. Her heart turns in gratitude and love to the man in whose hands her daughter's lot is secure; indeed, it is doubtful if she feels more tenderness for her own son. As to the young husband, he regards with reverence and filial affection the mother of the woman he adores, and who has made her what she is.

On the other hand, what intolerable anguish comes to that mother who, condemned to see the child she has so tenderly reared, so carefully sheltered from every rough *wind and word, now the victim, or the serv*ant, of a man whose "love" expired with possession, or whose cruelty or neglect is sapping the life of the young wife. If the mother interposes to reason, remonstrate, or save her daughter, the floodgates of abuse are opened, and in that portion of society in which the master of ceremonies is the police justice he accepts the excuse of "mother-in-law," when he should ask: "Why was she driven to interfere?"

Of course there are weak, foolish and even tyrannical women who would like to rule their sons-in-law as they do their husbands, with *hysterics or rods of iron*, but these are the exceptions, not the rule, which should permit a large class of women, mothers in the first place, to become a target for cheap wit and an excuse for marital brutality.

Two Dozen Compressed Facts.

There are 2,750 languages.
A square mile contains 640 acres.
A barrel of rice contains 600 pounds.
The average human life is 31 years.
The first steel pen was made in 1830.
A barrel of flour weighs 196 pounds.
A barrel of pork weighs 200 pounds.
A span is ten and seven-eighth inches.
A hand (horse measure) is four inches.
Watches were first constructed in 1476.
A storm moves thirty-six miles per hour.
The first lucifer match was made in 1829.
The value of a ton of silver is $67,704.84.
A hurricane moves eighty miles per hour.
The first iron steamship was built in 1830.
Modern needles first came into use in 1545.
Coaches were first built in England in 1569.
The first horse railroad was built in 1826-27.
One million dollars of gold coin weighs 3,685 pounds avoirdupois.
One million dollars of silver coin weighs 58,920.9 pounds avoirdupois.
The first complete sewing machine was patented by Elias Howe in 1846.
Glass windows were first introduced into England in the eighth century.
Albert Durer gave the world a prophecy of future wood engraving in 1527.
Measure 209 feet on each side and you will have a square acre within an inch.

An old man named John Kaufman, who died in Brazil, Ind., the other day, had a most peculiar monomania. His desire to steal women's shoes was uncontrollable, though he was never accused of stealing any thing else. A few years ago he was arrested, and forty or fifty pairs of women's shoes and slippers recovered. He had buried them on the commons. He was sent to the penitentiary for a short time for this offense. His wife got a divorce during his term in prison, and he has ever since lived alone. The day he died over sixty pairs of women's shoes and slippers were found in his hut. He was a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made to the *Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia* at its next session for an Act to amend "The Coquitlam Water Works Company's Act of Incorporation" by extending the time for completing said works and other amendments.

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Dated 3rd day of December, A. D. 1888.
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WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Donald Chisholm to the above-mentioned land has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate thereof: Notice is therefore hereby given that a fresh Certificate of Title will be issued in lieu of that so lost or destroyed, or cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from the date hereof. R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.
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And by inserting the word "may" after the word "Company" in the first line of the second clause of said Act,

And by inserting the words "divided into shares of one hundred dollars each" after the word "dollars" in the second line of the eighth clause of said Act.

And by making certain parts of the "Vancouver Island Railway Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863," apply to said Company, and other and further amendments.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a Company to build, equip, maintain and operate a line of Railway from some convenient point on the northern bank of the Fraser river within the municipal limits of the City of New Westminster to some convenient point on or near the 49th parallel of north latitude between Semiahmoo Bay and Township Sixteen (16), in the District of New Westminster, Province of British Columbia.

W. NORMAN BOLE,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Dated New Westminster, the 28th day of November, 1888.
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NOTICE.

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

1. *There shall be a vacation of the Supreme Court from Monday the 24th instant, until Saturday the 5th day of January, 1889, both dates inclusive.*

During such period no pleadings shall be delivered or actions tried.

By Command.
A. CAMPBELL REDDIE,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th December, 1888. dde21td

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2nd, Commencing at a tree squared as a post at the northeast corner of Hicks' Lake, so called, thence north 80 chains, east 100 chains, south 100 chains, west 100 chains, north 3 chains to a stake of Lake, thence northerly along the shore of the lake to point of commencement, and containing about 1600 acres, more or less.

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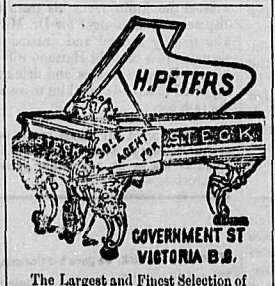
Dated 23rd November, 1888.
CORBOULD & McCOLL,
dno26w7 Solicitors for the Applicants.



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

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of February, 1889, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

ALEX. E. B. DAVIE, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS the *meeting of the* Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the Twenty-first day of February, 1889, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE, that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to hereby convoke, and by these presents enjoin you, and each of you, that on THURSDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of the month of JANUARY, 1889, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

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

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
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D. ROBSON,
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Furniture.....P. Peebles
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Church of England.....The Bishop
Requisition.....John Hendry
Election Card.....E. S. Scoullar

A blank sheet at the police court today.

Hot Coffee, Beef Tea, etc, at the "Hub." *

Fresh Finnan Haddies, first of the season, at R. J. Armstrong's. tc

A violin and pianoforte player wanted.—Apply to A. M. Herring.

Fresh Eastern and Native Oysters, served in every style, at the Club. *

The report of yesterdays session of the Teachers' Institute is invoidably crowded out of this issue.

A tuner from Goodwin & Jordan's will be in town for a few days. Orders received at Lyal's book store. dde19tc

Messrs. Gilley Bros., with commendable enterprise, add another $20 to the Exhibition Fund to-day. Next!

Go and see the great bargains in Real Estate, at Reidt's, Front street; must be sold within sixty days; terms to suit purchasers. d26tc

THE COLUMBIAN has made arrangements whereby all notable events occuring in Victoria and vicinity will be received by telegraph daily.

His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe will preach at St. Marys, Sapperton tomorrow morning, and in the afternoon goes to Vancouver where he will preach in the new church, of which Rev. Mr. Hobson will be rector.

A gang of men proceed up the Island line this morning for the purpose of cutting cordwood for the use of the locomotives. This has been rendered necessary by the closing down of the Wellington mines.—*Colonist*

The executive committee of the Teachers' Institute tender a vote of thanks to all those persons who so kindly assisted them in any way at the session of the institute or at the public meeting held in the Oddfellows hall.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. takes place tonight at the room of the association at 8 o'clock. The meeting is special important as the officers will be elected for the ensuing year. All members are requested to be present

The Toronto *Empire* a truly representative Canadian Journal, and one which has taken the front rank among the newspapers of the Dominion, celebrated its first anniversary on December 27th, by issuing a 20-page number, replete with valuable statistical and other information.

The Vancouver and Victoria papers all copy from THE COLUMBIAN an important item referring to the first exportation of Smoked Halibut from British Columbia. Although the wording of the items is identical with the paragraph in THE COLUMBIAN each paper gives it as original news.

The instruments for two more Indian bands have arrived at Lombard's. There is no doubt but that the Indians have the most completely fitted bands in the province at the present time. They are remarkably fine players, too, as a rule, evincing an extraordinary aptness for music.—*Victoria Standard.*

The Pacific coast sent Christmas greetings to Lady Stanley of Preston and to Lady McDonald in the shape of a fine assortment of Victoria-grown holly for each. This is believed to be the first holly which has come east from British Columbia. The donor was Mr. J. Davies, of Victoria, a gentleman who presented Lady McDonald with a magnificent collection of roses on her first visit to Victoria.—*Empire.*

What might have been a very serious accident occurred at Departure Bay on New Year's day. It appears a white man hunting ducks fired, and the charge struck an Indian in the chest. Had it not been that the shot were nearly all spent when striking the Indian, another fatal accident would have been added to the number which have occurred through want of care in hunting in the neighborhood. —*Nanaimo Courier.*

Our Cambie street contemporary places the value of the buildings within the city as well as the mills erected and in process at $1,992,029. The *World* has given the name of owner and where built, of the new erections for the year 1888 and their value, which totals up a sum of $1,350,000. This sum we are assured by those capable of forming a knowledge, and whose opinions can be relied upon is $150,000 below the actual cost.—*Vancouver World.* Never mind, brother, who's wrong; the odd half million is not worth quarreling about.

The government dredger at Victoria seems to have no other mission to perform than to scrape the cockles from the rocks in Victoria harbor. A few weeks ago when the Royal City Mills Co. had just about closed with the agents of the ship Nineveh, a vessel of 1200 tons and drawing 22 feet, to load at Westminster, it was found that a couple of feet of dredging would be necessary in front of their wharf, but the dredger could not be spared and the charter had to be abandoned. It would please many taxpayers to know that the dredger has performed any real benefit to Victoria harbor.

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

Board of Trade.

The regular meeting of the council of the board of trade takes place in the board room next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock instead of 3. The council meetings are open to all members of the board.

Quick Travel.

The steamer Islander on her down trip from Vancouver yesterday, was exactly four hours and thirty minutes from the terminal city wharf to the outer wharf. The outer passage was taken, off Discovery Island light, which would make the total distance travelled eighty miles, or eighteen miles per hour. The gallant vessel cut her way through the water in handsome style, and in the forward cabin and amidships the vibration was scarcely noticeable. It is expected that she will be able to make the same distance, when pushed to her utmost speed, within the four hours.—*Colonist.*

Lord Stanley's Aides-de-Camp

His Excellency Lord Stanley has been pleased to make the following appointments of extra aides-de-camp: Lieut.-Col. Landry, 61st, Montmagny, Battalion; Lieut.-Col. John Armstrong, New Brunswick Garrison Artillery; Lieut.-Col. Pennington McPherson, Ottawa; Lieut.-Col. A. E. Curren, Halifax Garrison Artillery; Lieut.-Col. Dawson, Royal Grenadiers; Lieut.-Col. Prior, M.P., British Columbia Garrison Artillery: Major J. Short, Regiment of Canadian Artillery; Major Hector Prevost, 65th Battalion. To be Honorary Aide-de-Camp, Lieut.-Col. Hewitt Bernard, C. M. G. It will be noticed that the above appointments cover a wide stretch of territory, the design being that these gentlemen shall be called in to assist his Excellency's present staff whenever the Governor-General visits the cities in which they dwell.

"Kerry Gow."

There were no vacant places at the Howard last evening. Manager Harris had put out a bill that proved to be magnetic, and every seat and available inch of standing room whence a view of the stage could be obtained was occupied. The attraction presented was the ever-popular Irish drama entitled "Kerry Gow." J. S. Murphy appeared in the character of Dan O'Hara, the Kerry Gow, and he was warmly welcomed back to the scene of many former triumphs. His wit and humor was as rich as ever, and he kept the audience in constant laughter by his funny Irish sayings. Miss Dillian De Wolf appeared as Nora Drew, the sweetheart of Dan O'Hara, and she personated the role in a manner satisfactory to her auditors and was persistenly encored. The remainder of the performers played their parts admirably. The scenery was all that could be desired by the auditors. —*Boston Globe.*

Week of Prayer.

Next week being the "Week of Prayer" services will be held as follows:

MONDAY, Jan. 7. — Reformed Episcopal Church. Topic, thanksgiving and confession. Rev. T. Scouler.

TUESDAY.—Methodist Church. Topic, the Holy Spirit. Rev. T. Hadden.

WEDNESDAY.—Baptist Church. Topic, the family and the church. Rev. J. H. White.

THURSDAY.—Regular prayer meeting in all the churches. Topic, reforms.

FRIDAY.—Presbyterian Church. Topic, missions, home and foreign. Rev. T. Baldwin.

All services begin at 7.30 p. m.

The following texts are suggested for sermons: Sunday, Jan. 6, Isiah 60:1; Romans, 13:14; John, 15:5; Phillipians, 4:13; and for Sunday, Jan 13th, I Corinthians, 3:9 and 15: 58.

Teachers' Entertainment.

The entertainment given in the Oddfellows' Hall last evening in connection with the New Westminster Teachers' Institute was a creditable success. The hall was filled to its its utmost seating cabacity with a very representative assemblage and the programme was well carried out. In the absence of Mayor Dickinson, who was to preside, Mr. M. Sinclair, one of the school trustees, took the chair. The entertainment was opened at 8 o'clock with an instrumental duet by Miss Rand and Miss DeBeck who performed the task with their usual efficiency. A recitation by by Mr. W. M. Wood, "Courtship," given in the Scottish dialect, was well received. The Rev. Mr. Baldwin gave a very able address on "The Teachers' Position." A quartette, "Come Where the Lillies Bloom" by Mrs. Flanders, Miss Williams, Mr. H. L. DeBeck and Mr. H. M. Cunningham, was rendered with considerable taste and precision and received merited applause. Mr. W. T. Kinney convulsed the audience with a recitation, "The Smack in School" and on being recalled gave "The Courtship of Laurie" in his usual happy style. An instrumental trio was then given by Messrs. Holden, Yeomans and Charters, which was much appreciated. The Rev. Mr. Hadden gave an address on "Parental Training and its Influence in the School Room," giving many valuable hints to parents and guardians respecting home discipline. The Rev. Mr. White's address on "School Life's Effects on Character" was instructive. His delineation of character as influenced by school life was true to nature. Miss Dickinson entertained the audience with a charming instrumental solo. Mr. John McKenzie then gave an address on "The Life of a Teacher." Mr. McKenzie was well conversant with his subject and spoke on it fluently and at considerable length. An instrumental duet by Miss Margaret Homer and Miss Millard was very nicely performed and was well received. The singing of the National Anthem by the whole assemblage brought the proceedings to a close.

PERSONAL.

We are pleased to learn that Mayor Dickinson has almost recovered from his late indisposition, and will be able to leave the house on Monday.

F. E. Harrison, who has been acting superintendent of Railway mail service for several months, and during which time had become a general favorite, left for Ottawa to-day, much to the regret of his many friends who had hoped his appointment would be permanent.

Riotous Knights.

In a Riot Between Coal Miners at Newcastle William Ruston is Shot.... Troops Held in Readiness.

Special to the Columbian.

SEATTLE, Jan. 4.—A riot took place at Newcastle mine to-day and William Ruston, a miner, from Gilman, was shot. The trouble arose over the employment of a miner named William Doyle, a member of the Miners' Union. The Knights of Labor quit work New Years and endeavored to force the Union men to follow suit. They refused, and early this morning they brought over several hundred Knights from Gilman to clean out the camp at Newcastle. The Knights terribly beat a lot of Union men and during the row Ruston, one of the rioters, was shot. Sheriff Cochrane took a posse from Seattle and took charge of the place. He has just telegraphed for 12 more men but it is not apprehended that any other uprising has occurred. The militia were held in readiness during the day to visit the scene in case of emergency. They started out but were recalled.

Another and later account says:

SEATTLE, Jan. 5.—Trouble which has been brewing at different mines near Newcastle between members of the Miners' Union and Knights of Labor culminated yesterday morning in a riot, resulting in the death of Wm. Ruston, of Gilman, and serious injury of a number of others. The initial attack was made on an aged miner named Robert Lowry, who was badly beaten by Knights of Labor. A boy named George Dobson was assaulted by several men and severely injured. He narrowly escaped being thrown from a high trestle by clutching to the dress of his mother, who was trying to save her boy. Telegraph lines were cut by the mob and a railroad trestle destroyed. Upon receipt of the news by train Sheriff Cochrane, with a posse of fifteen men left on a special train for the scene of the trouble. Shortly after Companies "A" and "D" of the territorial militia were sent by train. News received this morning shows everything quiet, the militia having taken charge of the mines. More trouble is anticipated when the militia are withdrawn. The trouble was caused by the refusal of the Knights of Labor to allow men of the Miners' Union to work in the mines.

New Westminster Lodge No. 3 I. O. O. F.

The following officers for the ensuing term were duly installed last Thursday evening by D. D. G. M. Bro. J. E. Phillipps, assisted by P.G.M. Bro. Wm. McColl, P.G.M. Bro. W. B. Shiles, and P.G. Bro. Geo. Turner and P.G. Bro. R. Baker: N.G., Bro. Geo. Robertson; V.G., Bro. Wm. H. Kelly; R.S., Bro. Ralph Wilson; P.S., Bro. Theo. Tylor; Treas., Bro. P. J. Foulds; Mar., Bro. M. M. Mowat; Con., Bro. W. E. Townsend; O.G., Bro. W. H. Edwards; I.G., Bro. E. P. Julien; R.S.N.G., Bro. Wm. McColl; L.S.V. G., Bro. J. E. Phillipps; R.S.V.G., Bro. R. Baker; L.S.V.G., Bro. N. McColl.

PUBLIC OPINION.

Returns to the Charge on the Convict Labor Question. Does not Quite Agree with Veritas.

Very, very funny, Mr. Veritas; but the slur underlying your first paragraph is not so funny as you think it is. The position of the mechanic is as honorable as that of any profession, but you would convey the idea that the convict might be trained to work and mix in society with the mechanic but must not touch the saintly professions. You would mix him up with the working man and let his now educated adaptability to crooked work be exercised amongst them—casting often clouds of suspicion on honest men—but you would not let him join the professions because his depredations amongst them would stain their high and saintly calling. Now, if you had taken the trouble to consider that quite a large percentage of criminals committed to our penitentiaries in the Dominion are from the professions—convicted for embezzlement, forgery, boodle-snatching, and procuring abortions—you would not hold the professions so high that these convicts should not touch them on gaining their liberty. Public Opinion joins issue upon your first paragraph, but in ours of the 31st December we discussed the principle of "convict labor," not the "manufacture of criminals," and if carefully and intelligently read, bore the impress of a decided aversion to their being put in competition with mechanic or professions. Since Veritas has touched upon the cause of our having criminals to deal with, Public Opinion says emphatically that intemperance is the main cause, but that intemperance assumes many forms other than you suggest. The intemperate desire to overreach the monetary standing of their neighbors causes many to commit crime. The intemperance in dress cause many to steal and others to sacrifice their virtue, in the end committing the greatest crime of all—murder. The intemperance of writing, as in the case of Griffin, not to say anything about the intemperance of speech, which causes many to be committed for criminal libel. Veritas, in writing, must have forgotten the quotation "be temperate in all things," or his reference to the "devil's factory" and his "state appointed agents" would have been couched in other language. The fact that our representatives in the legislature are placed there by the majority, and by their right enact laws, under and by which our government officials are governed, and act in regulating the traffic which the large majority countenance and wish carried on, in some way—to call these officials agents of his Satanic Majesty is very intemperate, Mr. Veritas; but if you wish the existing law changed, so as to meet your ideas, put them forth with a candidate to champion them at the elections, and remember that you and all alike should respect the law of the land in which we live, and by sober, temperate, constant endeavor, try to improve and elevate it to a higher standard.

PUBLIC OPINION.

[The above communication has been unavoidably laid over since Thursday.—ED.]

On Monday morning high mass was celebrated in the Roman Catholic church at Bathurst, N. B. Among the number who took part was Miss Mary Ann McKenna, sister-in law of Mr. K. F. Burns, M. P. for Gloucester. After receiving the holy communion she fell to the floor and died almost instantly.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Family Troubles and Drink Drive a Victorian Desperate—He Makes a Most Determined Attempt to Cut His Throat.

Special to Columbian.]

VICTORIA, Jan. 5.—Phillip Harmon, a carpenter, attempted suicide this morning by cutting his throat. About 2 a.m. Mr. McKerran, with whom Harmon lodged, heard a noise in the latter's room as if some one had fallen heavily on the floor. On going to the room he found Harmon lying on the floor with his throat cut and a knife in his hand with which he was endeavoring to widen the gash. McKerran wrested the knife from his grasp and dispatched a messenger for Dr. Milne, who quickly arrived and dressed the wound. It is thought Harmon will recover. Family troubles and drink are supposed to have driven him to commit the rash act.

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ELECTION CARD

To the Municipal Electors of New Westminster City:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a number of friends I have consented to place my name in nomination for the position of alderman at the coming election, fully realizing the importance and duties of the office. If elected I will endeavor to the best of my ability, to place our city in the front rank of the cities of B. C. The following important questions will have my careful attention:

1. RAILWAY.—I will use every legitimate means in my power to bring to a successful termination the building and completion of the Southern Railroad, and will treat liberally any projected railway which may wish to run into our city, always carefully guarding the best interests of the city. And it is my opinion if we are true to ourselves and bury any little differences that may exist and work shoulder to shoulder, we can make New Westminster the greatest railway center and most important city between Seattle and Alaska.

2. WATER SUPPLY.—I am in favor of the city owning its own water works, for there is a very large revenue to be derived from this source, if properly conducted, and, if elected, I will at once take up this question and deal with it on business principles. Water rate debentures when issued, bear their own value and will not be one dollar's tax on the ratepayers.

3. SEWERAGE.—This is one of the most important questions that the new council will have to grapple with, and, as there is bound to be a large emigration here this year, it behooves us to be alive and get our city well advanced so as to keep away those dread diseases which we so mercifully escaped last year. And I have no doubt if you elect the right men a scheme can be got up whereby the city can be properly sewered, and the revenue derived from the sale of water be made to pay the interest and sinking fund for both water works and sewerage.

4. STREETS.—Something must be done at once to open up all streets in the city so as to give workingmen and mechanics a chance to get to their lots and buildings, and, if elected, I will give this subject my careful attention and hearty support.

5. CITY HALL.—If any proposition is brought forward for the erection of a suitable city hall, and if the finances of the city will allow it, I will give it my warmest support.

6. STREET LIGHTING.—I will favor the extending and improving of our system of street lighting, for there is no doubt it will stand considerable improvement.

7. PARK.—In order to make the coming agricultural show a success we must put a portion of the city park in a fit condition with suitable buildings, etc. If elected I will do my best to make the grounds a credit to the royal city. I am also in favor of removing the unsightly stumps on Albert Crescent and planting a few shade trees to replace the stumps. Nature has done much for our city and it only wants touching up a little to make it perfect.

8. PUBLIC LIBRARY.—There is no doubt a new building is wanted to replace the delapidated one now occupying a valuable lot, and there is no doubt in my mind, but that a suitable one could be erected with stores underneath and library above; and the rents from said stores would more than pay for interest and sinking fund, and leave a balance for keeping the library in proper condition.

9. MANUFACTURERS.—I will encourage any manufacturers that contemplate starting business in this city, treating them in a liberal manner, and will use every effort to show them the advantage of doing business here. It is well known that manufactures are the backbone of any city.

10. COMMUNICATIONS.—I will urge upon our representative the necessity of the Dominion government subsidising a daily boat between here and Richmond and also between here and Ladners Landing. We must also get better connections with the surrounding district.

11. LETTER BOXES.—I will also endeavor to have the postal authorities supply and put in place letter boxes in the suburbs of the city.

12. I will also urge on our city member the necessity of having the local government place a sum of money in this year's estimates to put the North Arm road in a fit condition for travel.

13. STREET NAMING AND NUMBERING.—If elected I will urge upon my colleagues the necessity of having our streets properly named and buildings numbered, as is always done in well-regulated cities. In fact, any project that may be brought up for advancing the interests of the city will have my careful attention and hearty support.

I remain,
Your Obedient Servant,
E. S. SCOULLAR.

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REQUISITION.

JOHN HENDRY, Esq.

SIR,—We the undersigned having confidence in your ability, request that you will accept the nomination for Mayor for the following year and promise our support and interest.

R Dickinson,	William Wolfenden,
B Douglas,	D S Curtis,
Henry Elliott,	David Lyal,
G Wolfenden,	Geo D Brymner,
Alex Ewen,	E M Ogle,
J A Laidlaw,	H B Shadwell,
I B Fisher,	Geo Mead,
Luke Pither,	Wm Tietjen,
J G Jaques,	A Peele,
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Zed S Hall,	Frank Stirsky,
Jno S Clute,	John Stewart,
Peter Grant,	James Cash,
Charles E Woods,	L F Bonson,
George Turner,	D Drysdale,
Fredk Crake,	P J Foulds,
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REPLY.

To R. DICKINSON, B. DOUGLAS, and others:

GENTLEMEN:—In response to the above requisition I have to thank you for the proffered honor of your influence and support to elect me as mayor for the present year.

Fully realizing the importance of the office, and recognizing the necessity of good and progressive civic government, at your request I beg to accept your nomination. Should it be the pleasure of the ratepayers of New Westminster to elect me, I promise them that my best and heartiest efforts will be advanced towards promoting the general interests and welfare of the city.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
ja5tc JOHN HENDRY.

TO THE RATEPAYERS

—OF THE—

City of New Westminster.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY notify the Ratepayers of this city that we will be candidates at the coming election and take this opportunity of soliciting a hearty support.

FOR ALDERMEN:
D. S. CURTIS,
J. G. JAQUES,
ALEXANDER EWEN,
THOMAS CUNNINGHAM,
E. S. SCOULLAR,
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New Westminster, B. C., Jan. 4, 1889.
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HATS, CARPETS,

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