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SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

A spring of natural cologne—whose liquid has not been analyzed, but has the odor of patchouli—is a new wonder said to have appeared in Algiers.

At the intelligence bureau of the U.S. Navy Department a large map shows by colored tags the present location of the world's war-vessels, which include about 150 belonging to Great Britain, 100 to France, 40 to Germany, and 40 to the United States.

Large quantities of corn husks are now used in Austria for making coarse cloth and very tough and durable paper. Wood, also, is made into cloth, Mitscherlich having devised a process by which the fibre may be strengthened and prepared for spinning.

Experiments made since the late explosion of a petroleum vessel in a French harbor show that a mixture of one part of petroleum vapor to five or less of air does not explode. With six parts of air the mixture is feebly explosive, with seven to twelve parts violently so, with sixteen parts feebly explosive, and with twenty parts of air is not likely to explode.

CURIOUS PARASITISM.—The greenish color of certain sloths was found some years ago to be due to a parasitic growth of algae upon the hair. Two genera and three species of these minute plants—one genus green, and the other, with its two species, violet—have since been described by Madam Weber von Bosse. A single hair may have upon it from 150,000 to 200,000 individuals.

LIGHT-WEIGHT MOTORS.—Some electric motors made by M. Trouve for aeronautical experiments are remarkable for their lightness. One—made of aluminium, except the magnets—weighs but a little more than three ounces, and develops one fortieth of a horse-power, lifting itself seventy-two feet in one second. Constructed on the same scale, a one-horse motor would weigh less than eight pounds.

COMPRESSIBILITY OF WATER.—At a recent meeting of the Royal Society at Edinburgh, Prof. Tait showed theoretically that water could be compressed to about three-fourths of its original bulk. The compressibility of sea-water is 92 of that of fresh water. If the water of the ocean were suddenly [illegible] cent of the habitable land of the globe would be submerged, because the mean depth of water would be increased 116 feet.

A NEW SODIUM PROCESS.—A Russian chemist, Mr. N. N. Becktov, has sought to produce sodium by electrolysis from common salt, believing that such a method might prove better than either of the two now in use—the Leblanc and the ammonium processes. A current sent through fused salt, having a temperature of 900 degrees Fahrenheit, caused rapid and complete decomposition, and indicated that this method would be practicable and economical on a commercial scale.

A VALUABLE CEMENT.—A new cement has been used to renovate many stone buildings of Paris, and is likely to prove useful for various purposes. A powder is made of two parts of oxide of zinc, two of crushed hard limestone, and one of pulverized grit, with a certain proportion of ochre as a coloring agent. A liquid to use with the powder consists of six parts of zinc dissolved in commercial muriatic acid, with one part of sal amoniac, the whole diluted with two-thirds of its volume of water. A pound of powder to two and a half pints of liquid gives a very strong cement.

A GRAND INSTITUTION.—A German organization of scientific men has for its chief object the spread of astronomical, geographical and physical knowledge. The society is called "Urania," and it has begun its work by establishing a unique popular observatory, with an illustrated journal in connection. Instruction will commence in the scientific theatre, where will be represented eclipses, the motions and appearances of planets, comets, meteors, etc. In an exhibition hall the phenomena of sound, heat, light and electricity will be explained by a variety of apparatus, models of many machines will be shown, together with instruments of precision, and fifty microscopes will aid the knowledge-seeking public. A lecture-room and a reading-room are provided. The observatory proper will contain a number of smaller instruments, and in addition will have the most powerful telescope in Berlin—a refractor with a lens twelve inches in diameter.

W. W. McLellan, Lynn, N. S., writes: "I was afflicted with rheumatism, and had given up all hopes of a cure. By chance I saw Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil recommended. I immediately sent (fifty miles) and purchased four bottles, and with only two applications I was able to get around, and although I have not used one bottle, I am nearly well. The other three bottles I gave around to my neighbors, and I have had so many calls for more, that I feel bound to relieve the afflicted by writing to you for a supply."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

HARRISON'S CABINET

Formed at Last, and James G. Blaine, of Maine, Heads the List.

President Cleveland's Latest Act Creates Seattle and Tacoma Ports of Entry.

A Wholesale Outbreak of Hydrophobia in Indiana. Cattle and Dogs Affected.

HARRISON'S CABINET.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The senate passed the deficiency appropriation bill.

Harrison is besieged by callers and cabinet making advisers. Many called to pay their respects and Senator Stockbridge called to protest against the appointment of Senator Palmer as secretary of agriculture. Gen. B. F. Tracey, of Brooklyn, was at the Arlington receiving congratulations on his certain appointment to the navy. About 11 o'clock Harrison, accompanied by his son Russell and Private Secretary Halford, slipped off and visited Cleveland at the White house. Cleveland will return the call this afternoon. This has been the busiest day for Harrison since his arrival, but it is believed he has undoubtedly finally determined on the members of his cabinet which will be as follows: Secretary of state, Blaine; treasury, Windom; war, Redfield Proctor; navy, Tracy, of Brooklyn; postmaster-general, Wanamaker; interior, John W. Noble, of Missouri; attorney-general, W. H. H. Miller; agriculture, Governor Rusk or Ex-Governor Furness, of Wisconsin.

ACCEPTED THE CRUISER.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Secretary Whitney accepted this afternoon, on behalf of the government, the new cruiser Yorktown, built by Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia.

RETIRED.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Secretary Endicott to-day issued the requisite orders placing General Rosecrans on the retired list, with rank of brigadier general.

A BANK FAILS.

DES MOINES, Iowa, March 2.—The Merchants National Bank of this city closed its doors this morning. Its paper was rejected by the Clearing House yesterday. Depositors will lose about $30,000

ASPHYXIATED.

CHICAGO, March 2.—H. A. Beaumont, boiler inspector of the American Steam Boiler Company, went to Calumet to inspect a boiler yesterday and was afterwards found dead under the boiler. He had been asphyxiated by escaping gas.

THE MADRID RELEASED.

BROOKLYN, Mar. 2.—The libel suit against the steamship Madrid, charged with violating the neutrality laws by carrying arms for Haytian rebels, was [illegible]

WHOLESALE HYDROPHOBIA.

WHITE RIVER, Ind., March 2.—A wholesale outbreak of hydrophobia has taken place and there is great excitement. A few weeks ago a mad dog bit a number of animals, including several cattle belonging to Farmer Sutton. The cattle were killed and the carcasses burned in one huge pile. The smell of burning meat attracted all the dogs in the neighborhood, who feasted on the meat. Nearly all the dogs in the place are now mad and a number of cattle have been bitten. The loss by the destruction of the latter is heavy.

RIOT IN PROGRESS.

PITTSBURG, Mar. 2.—A report from Youngstown, Ohio, says a big riot is progressing at Carbon and a number of people are wounded.

PORTS OF ENTRY.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The president to-day approved of a bill creating Tacoma and Seattle, Washington, ports of entry.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, March 1.—Mr. Charlton read a despatch from Congressman R. Hill stating that the resolution introduced by him in favor of commercial reciprocity with Canada has been adopted almost unanimously by the house of representatives.

Mr. O'Brien announced his intention of introducing a resolution respecting the disallowance of the Jesuits Estate Bill. He intends, it is surmised, to propose a vote of want of confidence in the government.

Mr. McDonald (Huron) supported the resolution in a vigorous speech. Mr. Jones (Halifax) followed in the same view, speaking for three quarters of an hour. He claimed that the recent elections won by the liberals had been carried on the programme in favor of closer trade relations with the United States. Proceeding, he dwelt on the immense market that would be open to the Canadian fisheries and under reciprocity the United States, he claimed, would be Canada's best customer.

The discussion was resumed upon Mr. Laurier's resolution in favor of direct negotiations by Canada with the United States looking to the settlement of the fisheries question on the basis of extended trade relations. Hon. Peter Mitchell indulged in a great attack upon the government's fisheries policy, and the commercial policy of the government brought in a severe attack upon the present administration. He was "no commercial unionist," although he had pledged himself in favor of closer trade relations with the United States. After arraigning Lord Salisbury's government for their ignorant interference in North American affairs, Mr. Mitchell went on to show that the policy of protection is preventing Canada from enjoying prosperity. In conclusion Mr. Mitchell counselled moderation toward the United States, particularly in regard to the fishery question.

Sir John S. D. Thompson, the minister of justice, followed. After justifying the policy of the conservative government on the fishery question during the past 30 years, he showed the moderation adopted in 1885 to bring about an amicable settlement. The stories that Canada had put an unwarrantable interpretation on the treaty of 1818 were false. It was as a matter of fact the same interpretation that was put on it by the provincial government, and backed up by the guns of England for 70 years. Earl Roseberry, when Mr. Phelps complained of the harshness of the enforcement of its provisions, said it was perfectly fair. Continuing, he contrasted the endorsation of the liberal opposition of the fishery policy three years ago with their talk of the government's brag, blow and bluster.

The resolution was defeated by 43 majority, the vote standing, yeas 65; nays 108.

The liberals held a caucus to-day and decided to support the home rule resolutions introduced by Mr. Cook, M. P.

CORRESPONDENCE.

"Citizen" Maintains His Original Views.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN.—Your criticism on my views of the admission of Sapperton into the corporation of Westminster is rather far fetched. It does not follow, because I object to the present admission of an extension of the city limits, that I would also favor the division of the present townsite into ward governments, or that a man of a vacilating turn of mind should *cut himself in twain*. I maintain that, in the case of Vancouver, it would be much better for both parties in the present quarrel to sue for a divorce, on the ground that their interests are not identical, and I also maintain that Westminster, under the present circumstances, will not be benefitted by annexing Sapperton, because their interests will not be identical. With the penitentiary and asylum grounds between, you never can unite Sapperton's interests with the royal city, but, on the contrary, there must ever be an adverse pull. The location of the penitentiary was an outrage on the people who cast their lots on what they had a right to believe was to be the seat of government for B.C. for all time to come, and only that the provincial government wished to wipe out all traces of the original seat of government at New Westminster, such an institution as a penal settlement would never have been thought of in such close proximity to the chief city on the mainland. Victoria's selfish interests prompted the deed, and it has been carried out with a high hand. The giving away of the old government grounds for a penitentiary was a case of vandalism hard to equal in this 19th century. It introduced a barrier to the extension of Westminster eastward that the old citizens and early pioneers will never look upon but with abhorrence, and any attempt to build up a rival town beyond that barrier, at the expense of the old royal city, will be looked upon with suspicion by every true friend of Westminster. From foes without and foes within this city has been well nigh crushed on several occasions. The only foe that can now hurt her is that of her own household. It should not be forgotten that a majority of our citizens have pledged themselves heavily for the carrying out of the railway bargain, and woe be to the man or men who would attempt to speculate on the people's credit in this matter. Not only the letter, but the spirit of the compact must be carried out. CITIZEN.

Port Haney Notes.

Under the skillful care of Dr. Fagan, Mrs. Joseph Stephens, who has been suffering during the past five weeks from the effects of a fractured leg, is, covering.

A few days ago, while a nephew of Mr. Jas. Best was crossing a fence, his foot caught in one of the pickets, thereby causing him to lose his equilibrium and fall heavily to the ground. The services of Dr. Cooper were promptly secured and the boy is speedily recovering the use of the injured limb.

Our enterprising townsman, Mr. T. F. Sinclair, expresses his intention of returning to the upper country in the near future. His extensive contract in the Kootenay country renders his personal supervision necessary.

Mr. Gregory and his son-in-law Mr. Charles Docksteader, who arrived here a short time ago from Dakota, have leased the ranch of Mr. D Docksteader. To these gentlemen from Uncle Sam's dominions we extend a most cordial welcome, and hope they will never regret the day they decided to emigrate to the "land of the free."

Rumor says our prominent citizen, Mr. Armstrong, has discovered some fine specimens of gold quartz in the neighborhood of Lillooet lake.

Considering the almost impassable state of the roads, our public school is well-attended. This institution is under the management of Mr. McKay, who has leased the ranch of Mr. Levi.

Meteorological Observations at New Westminster for February, 1889.

Mean temperature	40.1
Above February mean	3.7
Highest max	54.0
Lowest min	25.0
Mean of max	44 8
Mean of min	35.4
Rainfall in inches	4.21
Below February mean	2.67
Days rain fell	13
Greatest day's fall	.99
Snow in inches	1.0
Days snow fell	2
Greatest day's fall	1.0
Cloudy days	11
Partially cloudy	12
Clear	5
Windiest day in miles	151
Calmest, " "	31
Total miles of wind	2301
Highest Barometer, 10th	30.32
Lowest " 14th	29.61
Fogs	4
Halos	4
Temperature of river, 28th	43.0

A. PEELE, Capt'n.

They Never Fail.—Mr. S. M. Boughner, Langton, writes: "For about two years I was troubled with Inward Piles, but by using Parmelee's Pills, I was completely cured, and although four years have elapsed since then they have not returned." Parmelee's Pills are anti bilious and a specific for the cure of Liver and Kidney Complaints, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Headache, Piles, etc., and will regulate the secretions and remove all bilious matter.

Meteorological Report for Week Ending Feb. 23rd, 1889.

	MAX.	MIN.	RAIN.
Sunday	39.0	29.0	
Monday	40.0	27.0	
Tuesday	43.0	31.0	
Wednesday	40.0	33.0	0.48
Thursday	42.0	36.0	0.16
Friday	43.0	34.0	
Saturday	39.0	33.0	0.40

Slight snow; rain; cloudy.

A. PEELE, Capt'n.

Job printing of all kinds neatly done at the COLUMBIAN office. Prices will be found as low as at any other office in the province.—*Adv.*

UNWEPT, UNHONORED.

Pigott the Forger Ends an Ignoble Life by Suiciding at Madrid.

His Body Identified. He Leaves an Address to a Number of Irish People.

A Paris Paper Announces That Queen Victoria is a Convert to Rome.

PIGOTT SUICIDES.

MADRID, March 1.—An Englishman who registered in a hotel here as Ronald Ponsonby was placed under arrest to-day and committed suicided before the police could enter his room. He is supposed to have been Richard Pigott, the absconding Irish perjurer and informer.

There seems to be no doubt that the Ronald Ponsonby who committed suicide in a hotel in Madrid to-day, was Pigott. In assuming an alias he evidently chose a name whose initials would correspond with those on his luggage. No papers were found upon his person, but his description is identified with that of a man who called at the Hotel Deux Mondes in Paris and left suddenly.

LEFT AN ADDRESS.

LONDON, March 2.—Madrid despatches say the attaches of the English embassy fully identified the body of the suicide as that of Pigott the forgerer. A note-book was found on the body containing an address to a number of Irish people.

PIGOTT'S DEATH.

LONDON, Mar. 2.—The report of Pigott's suicide at Madrid caused a profound sensation. Witnesses have been sent from here to identify the remains. The police are holding Pigott's effects pending the order of court.

INTERIM REPORT.

LONDON, Mar. 2.—The *interim* report on the Parnell commission will reach parliament next week.

SOMEWHAT BETTER.

LONDON, Mar. 2.—Gladstone's son is better and passed a good night.

AUSTRIAN FINANCES.

VIENNA, March 2.—The minister of finance stated in the lower house, on closing the debate on the budget, that the finances of the country are favorable and will continue so if peace is maintained. He refuted the charges of the government fomenting strife between Germans and Bohemians.

WELL DONE FIGARO!

PARIS, March 2.—*Figaro* alleges that Queen Victoria is a convert to the Roman faith.

WILL STOP IT.

BERLIN, March 2.—The government has decided to prevent Peter's expedition proceeding to the interior of Africa

VICTORIA NEWS

Powder for the Navy. Capt. Robertson of Moresby Island Enters a Suit Against the "Colonist" for $25,000.

Special to the Columbian.

VICTORIA, Feb. 2.—The British bark Memnook, 145 days from England, arrived in the Royal Roads this morning. She is consigned to Robert Ward & Co., and has on board fifteen hundred cases of powder for the navy.

Capt. and Mrs. Robertson, of Moresby Island, have entered a suit against the *Colonist*, fixing damages at $25,000. They claim the article that the *Colonist* published about the cruel treatment of the Chinese was malicious and an unqualified libel.

The eastern syndicate which purchased the Chemainus saw mill and lumber limits, took possession yesterday and will greatly increase the mill's capacity.

The lawyers and bankers play a game of foot-ball on Beacon Hill this afternoon against all comers.

The Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco with ninety passengers.

Weather fine and warm.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

Rev. J. W. Jeffrey of Toronto, has been acquitted on the charge of intemperance, but reprimanded for using offensive language.

A letter from Hon. Mr. Chapleau, in France, says he will not return until his health is fully restored, even if he has to abandon politics.

Sir Charles Russell, counsel in the Parnell commission, writes to Mr. Hodgins, Q. C., Toronto, saying that engagements will prevent him from visiting America this season, but that he hopes soon to be able to accept the invitation to stay in Toronto during his projected tour.

Mrs. Higgins, of Toronto one of those injured in the railway accident at the bridge near St. George, Ont., Wednesday night, died Thursday morning shortly after her husband arrived. The wounded are all progressing favorably. All the bodies have been sent to their homes. A pall has been cast over the places to which they were sent. Dr. Quesne, Cleveland, the doctors think will pull through. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Regina, a newly married couple, are doing well, and may be moved in a day or two. Conductor Revell is only slightly injured. George Forbes, the well-known horseman, of New York, late of Woodstock, is improving. Miss Andrews, of Lambeth, passed a few hours very comfortable, and is now in good condition. Mr. and Mrs. Hadden, of Dorchester, are both well. Miss McLeod, of Ingersoll, is not out of danger. Robert Hilton, of St. Catharines, is doing well. Miss. Margarett and Mrs. Jennings, of Paris, and her little daughter are doing nicely. Altogether the wounded by the accident are doing as well as can be expected, though one or two additional deaths are expected. The inquest was held yesterday. The disaster was purely accidental as far as is known.

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Saturday Evening, March 2, 1889.

According to a Washington despatch published yesterday, our *American cousins appear in a new* attitude toward "commercial union." The senatorial mouth-pieces of the republic, who have figured prominently as gazing over Canada's back fence, with their mouths watering for the "ripening" of the Canadian plum, have been credited with declaring that the United States would have nothing to do with the Dominion, in the way of closer trade relations, until the latter was prepared to surrender unconditionally. If our despatch of yesterday be true, however, the United States would appear to be only too willing to do its share toward establishing commercial union with Canada. Either the assertive senators misrepresented American sentiment on the question, or American sentiment has experienced a very sudden change. This expression from the American capital in favor of international reciprocity will play right into the hands of the Canadian commercial unionists, and give them a fresh start. Commercial union, however, carried out in its fullest sense, between Canada and the United States, would mean, practically, a severing of all the bonds that connect Canada with Great Britain, and the political assimilation of Canada by the States would almost certainly follow. Commercial union, as the Americans fully appreciate, is a short step to annexation.

Our correspondent "Citizen" returns to the Sapperton annexation question in this issue. It will not be profitable for us to re-state our views on the question, but we may be permitted to touch upon a few points in this second letter. As before "Citizen" urges as the chief drawback to the union the fact that the penitentiary and asylum grounds intervene. We admitted the other day that this was a drawback to a certain extent, but not necessarily an insuperable objection. What strikes us as peculiar, however, is the fact that Westminster has been aiming at several years, and the only opposition that we can recollect has come from the Sappertonites. The matter has been before the public recently for nearly a month, and the first public expression against the proposed union was contained in "Citizen's" letter of Thursday. If there is really any public sentiment in this city against the annexation of Sapperton, or any good and sufficient reason why that suburb should not be taken in, it is remarkable that, while proceedings looking to the annexation in question have been going forward with the utmost publicity, nothing like a public protest has been made against the movement. The apparent unanimity that prevailed in favor of the union, and the fact that Westminster has long desired it, would appear to show that, notwithstanding any drawbacks that have been mentioned, the annexation of Sapperton has been generally considered to be in the interests of the city, at least. If there are any other objections at this eleventh hour, that have not yet been mooted, as our correspondent would seem to hint, it is full time (if not almost past time) that they were brought forward and acted upon. We heartily agree with our correspondent "Citizen," that it will go hard with any man or men who would "attempt to speculate on the people's credit" and that the people of this city will insist, as they have the undoubted right to expect, that not only the letter, but the true spirit, of the Southern Railway compact shall be carried out.

The ferment and confusion which the rather startling outcome of the Parnell commission has produced, in a journalistic, political, and even social, sense, in the immediate arena of the conflict, can hardly be estimated or understood at this distance from the actual scene. The *Times*, in the first place, has been terribly demoralized and discredited by the (to many) unexpected turn of things. The great "Thunderer" finds itself in a dilemma from which it cannot possibly escape without serious damage and discredit. On one horn or the other it must inevitably be transfixed. The Parnellites and their sympathizers charge it with conspiracy and complicity in the criminal attempt to ruin, not only the character and future of innocent men, but to subvert a nation's hope by endeavoring to cast an everlasting stigma on the Home Rule movement, which would have blighted it for a generation, if not for ever. Those who take the most friendly view of the case for the *Times* are forced to admit that that journal, if it was not in the conspiracy, showed a most unaccountable and discreditable lack of journalistic acumen, not to say of ordinary business prudence, in launching upon so serious and hazardous an undertaking with no better foundation than the word of such men as it should have suspected LeCaron and Pigott to be. The responsibility thus assumed was fearful, and from the natural consideration that the *Times* could hardly have been satisfied with the grounds for its terrible charges, the conclusion is almost forced that its articles on "Parnellism and Crime" must have been a desperate venture, in collusion with others, for interested and political ends. However this may be, the dilemma stands, and, as worse than knave, or most dangerous of fools, the *Times* must be content to figure before the world, as the result of its now famous—infamous—arraignment of the Irish Home Rulers, under the boldly significant title of "Parnellism and Crime." But the ill odor of the signal defeat of wholesale calumny does not rest only upon the head of the most public and prominent offender, the *Times*, but hovers around the government camp, from which it is likely to be difficult of dislodgement, even if subsequent inquiry does not cause it to materialize into something more tangible. Should Parnell act on the hint of conspiracy thrown out by Sir Chas. Russell, which seems probable, disclosures may be made that will only stop short of shaking the queen on her throne. Sir Richard Webster, attorney-general and counsel for the *Times*, has fallen into ill odor on account of his connection with the now infamous prosecution before the commission, and his reputation and fortune are likely to suffer severely. Pigott, the forger, perjurer, and betrayer, whom we incidentally likened to Judas, the other day, would appear, according to the despatches, to have precipitated himself upon Judas' fate. Nothing but discredit and disgrace would seem to be in store for all who have in any way been connected with the attempt to blacken and ruin Parnell and his associates. The proverb has been justified: The curse causeless shall not come, but shall descend upon the heads of them that sent it forth. Those that have digged the pit have fallen into it themselves. But, if one side has gone down, the other has gone up proportionately, and the crest of the rising wave, that darkly menaces the already shattered Conservative bark, bears aloft the triumphant Liberal ship, with the Home Rule crew, the "Grand Old Man" on the quarter-deck, and the "Uncrowned King" at the helm. This may be considered too sanguine a picture. Nevertheless it may be realized, and that shortly. The Imperial parliament is now in session, opening on the 21st of last month, the debate on the address is in progress, advantages are almost sure to be gained by the Liberals and Parnellites, a trial of strength may be precipitated at any time, and sweeping revolutions may be inaugurated in the twinkling of an eye. No one can say just what will course of events with interest.

Peter Cieffer, Buffalo, says; "I was badly bitten by a horse a few days ago, and was induced by a friend, who witnessed the occurrence to try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It relieved the pain almost immediately, and in four days the wound was completely healed. Nothing can be better for fresh wounds." See that you get the genuine Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, as there are imitations on the market.

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W. C. T. U.—REGULAR MEETING every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. Headquarters, Douglas St. Loyal Legion in the same place every Friday afternoon.—MRS. JAS. CUNNINGHAM, President; MISS DEBECK, Secretary.

UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held in the Masonic Temple on the first Wednesday in each month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.—W. C. COATHAM, Sec.

BOARD OF TRADE. Board Room, Oddfellows Brick Block, upstairs. Council meets on the first and third Wednesday in each month, at 4 p.m. Quarterly meetings on the 22nd of Feb., May, Aug., and Nov., at 7:30 p. m. New members may be proposed and elected at any Quarterly meeting.—D. ROBSON, Sec.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a grant of a small island about two miles northeast from the Point Atkinson Light-house, right abreast or fronting off Nelson's claim, said island containing about 4 acres, more or less.
JOHN CANESSA,
Per his Agent, H. V. EDMONDS.
New West., Jan. 29, 1889. djn29m2

NEW WESTMINSTER
BUILDING SOCIETY.

A GENERAL MEETING WILL BE held in the COURT HOUSE on
Saturday the 16th March,
AT 8 P. M.
PURPOSE—Drawing for the Ninth Appropriation of $1,000.
Members in arrears are requested to pay all dues at the Secretary's office, Bank Buildings, Mary street, before that date so as to lessen the Secretary's work on that evening.
New members will be admitted to the Drawing on payment of entrance fee, $1, and four weeks' subscriptions, $2 per share.
By order, WALTER J. WALKER, Secretary.
March 1st, 1889. dmh11d

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In every city there are individual examples of men whose connections with its business pursuits, whose prominence in all matters of public enterprise, whose record for unflinching integrity, undaunted energy, and untiring industry, make them objects of special note, not alone in their homes, but wherever exalted commercial reputation is recognized and respected, such a man have we in the subject of this sketch. Mr. James Cunningham established his business in this city in 1862 and has, through all the vicissitudes of twenty-seven years' trade, maintained the even tenor of his way. His transactions have increased year by year, and the circle of his customers and patrons gradually widening and his firm extending until he now controls a business unexcelled by any similar establishment in British Columbia. His buildings are large and commodious and admirably arranged and appointed. All this space is filled with a complete and extensive assortment of hardware, agricultural implements, paints, oils, glassware, crockeryware, wall-paper, woodenware, stoves, tinware, hollow-ware, plumbers' goods, house furnishings, iron pipe and fittings. This house also manufactures tinware of all kinds and does every variety of sheet-iron cornice work, gas-fittings, plumbing, roofing, etc. There is no house in the trade which carries a more complete stock or whose facilities surpass those of this establishment for supplying the trade with first-class goods at lowest quotations. The length of time this gentleman has been in business and the success he has attained are better recommendations than the loudest praise we could possibly give. We may mention, however, to our readers who have not yet become acquainted with this firm, that none in the Northwest has a better reputation for fair and honorable dealing. —*Mercantile Review.*

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO the undersigned, and endorsed, "Tender for Residence for Warden of Penitentiary, New Westminster, B. C.," will be received at this office until Friday, 22nd March, 1889, for the several works required in the erection of Residence for Warden of Penitentiary, New Westminster, B. C.
Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of F. C. Gamble, Esq., C. E., Custom House flat, Postoffice Building, New Westminster, B. C., on and after Friday, 22nd February, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on form supplied and signed with actual signatures of tenderers.
An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.
The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, A. GOBEIL, Secretary.
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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, } WHEREAS the
Attorney-General. } 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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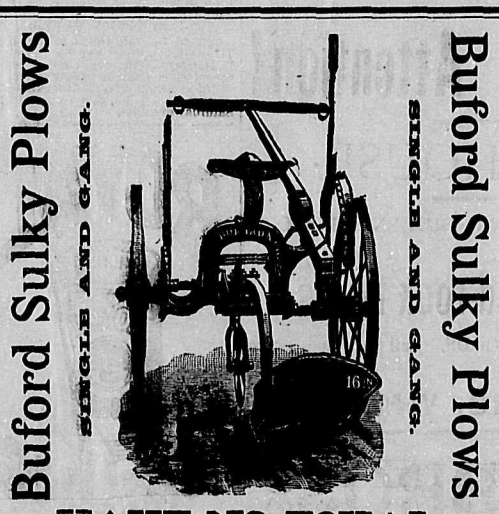

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The German and Norman Peasant Girls Furnish Most of the Supply—What They Are Paid for Their Tresses—The Cost of First-Class Wigs.

There is more poetry and romance woven into the history of an auburn wig, more tender sentiment twisted into the traditions of a blonde toupee, says the New York Sun, than the bald-headed man who wears them ever dreams of. The soft locks that shelter his poll from the draught that chills and the migratory fly that fain would choose his shiny pate for the scene of its revels and wanderings, once waved above the bright eyes of some fair German peasant maiden or saucy, sparkling Norman lassie, who bartered them for a trinket of gold or silver for her Sabbath-day adorning. Just why these peasant women possess such abundant tresses has never yet been satisfactorily explained, but the foreign women, particularly the French and German, who toil in the fields, shielded from the sun only by the small close cap which covers their hair, but does not shade their faces, invariably have beautiful, fine, soft hair, and it is from them that all the best hair in the market is obtained, in the following manner. Most of the women have too much hair to be covered entirely by the close cap without being so tightly braided or twisted as to be uncomfortable. Accordingly the itinerant hair buyer fills his pockets and pack with bright ribbons, fine caps, beads and trinkets, and wanders through the fields where the women work. When the noon-tide lunch has been eaten he spreads his tempting wares beneath some sheltering tree, and the shy, bright-eyed lassies steal up timidly and pick out the brooch or long ear-rings or pretty ribbons for their Sunday cap for which they long, then snatch off the little caps from their hair, unbraid and shake out all its shining beauty for the peddler's inspection, and when a bargain is made they sit down on the ground while he carefully snips out here and there a tress so cunningly that it is never missed. Usually a girl sells about half her hair, but if it be very heavy two-thirds of it is sometimes cut out, leaving the remainder long and smooth, to be braided up with no trouble and wound about her head. Pure white hair is most expensive because extremely rare. A woman old enough to have white hair has usually very little left, and that is short, yellow at the ends, and split and broken. After this the yellow blonde hair is most difficult to find, auburn hair, and what hair-dressers designate as drab shades.

The art of wig-making is dignified with the most ancient of histories. There is a periwig in the British Museum of Egyptian origin supposed to be 4,000 years old, and Xenophon mentions that Astyages wore an immense wig. Roman Emperors supplied the lack of natural hair with artificial substitutes, the wig of the Emperor Commodus being highly perfumed and sprinkled with gold dust; and even the South Sea Islanders understand the art of wig-making. After the decline of the popular fashion of Louis XIII.'s establishment, that no gentleman could appear without a wig, wigs were rarely worn at all, because they were so crudely fashioned as to deceive no one as to their purpose, but Mr. Rouchfuss, the oldest wig-maker in the city, asserts that there is now a revival of the custom and a continually increasing demand for wigs and toupees, though this is not noticeable, because there are so many more bald-headed men than formerly that the percentage of wig wearers is small and wigs are so cunningly made as to defy detection. Physicians frequently recommend the wearing of wigs as a preventive of or cure for catarrh and neuralgia and influenza. "All kinds of people wear them," Mr. Rouchfuss asserts, "from the fastidious man of unlimited means, who buys a new wig costing twenty-five dollars or thirty dollars as often as once a month, to the man who only can afford one once a year, and then takes a wig that some fussy man has discarded after once or twice wearing because the color didn't please him or something in the style didn't quite suit. These we sell cheaper, like the misfits in the tailors' establishments; but we never make any real misfits."

"How often does any one need a new wig?"

"Once in three or six months, according to the care they give it. People with wigs are with wigs just as they are with clothing. Some men will wear a suit and look dressed in it when you can see your face in the back of the coat and carry a valise in the knee of the trousers. It is the neat way they put it on and the care they give it. Just so with a wig."

"How do you fasten on toupees?"

"With a peculiar preparation like paste, which comes in a long stick and is hard until a small piece is broken off and worked in the fingers like putty. Three or four of these pieces will fasten a toupee on so a blizzard can't blow it off, but it loosens easily with the fingers when we wish to remove it."

"What is the most expensive wig made?"

"A pure white ventilated wig costs $40 or $50, and a plain weft wig in a color comes as low as $15. Toupees run from $10 to $15. Of course, ladies' wigs are more expensive, sometimes going as high as $100, according to the length and color of the hair. But very few ladies wear wigs, for there are so many little devices by which women conceal their lack of hair; and they are cunning enough in the arrangement of the few tresses they have to make the most of them."

"Which are hardest to please, women or men?"

"There's very little difference. They are both hard to please at first. They are accustomed to seeing little or no hair and any thing we can make looks unnatural. Old wig wearers have their particular hobbies, but they are easily satisfied. One of my customers wears a toupee that weighs four ounces, one-quarter of a pound, you see, when a whole wig only weighs an ounce and a quarter. That's because he wore it years ago when they made wigs like floor mats, because they didn't know any better. There's one advantage that wig-makers have, and that is they keep their customers. A man that puts on a wig can never take it off. He would as soon think of dressing himself without his coat as without his wig, and he would feel as strange without it as other men would feel in the street without any hat. It looks easy to make a wig, but it isn't, and not every man can make them. Wig-makers are born, not made, just like artists in other professions."

Grant's Memory for Faces.

On his return from the tour around the world at the reception tendered him in New York, General Grant invited the Bishop of Minnesota to receive with him. People by the thousands streamed by, mostly unknown to the General. One lady especially attracted his attention as she approached. "General," she said, "you do not remember me." "Yes, madame, I do; I met you at a momentous crisis in my life; wait, do not tell me when," and he paused to think; then with flashing eye, as if echoes of booming cannon stirred his soul: "It was just before the last engagement at Vicksburg, and prior to the surrender; I stopped you as you were hurrying from the city as I approached it on foot. I asked you some questions which you answered in a considerate manner, betraying your good breeding and Southern sympathies, but not your cause."

A Feathered Surgeon.

A farmer recently discovered in his barn a bird's nest containing a pair of young swallows. On taking one young bird up in his hand, he was astonished to see its leg very thoroughly bandaged with horsehair. Having carefully removed the hairs one by one, he was still more astonished to find the poor nestling's leg was broken. Returning to look at the patient again next day, the leg was found bandaged as before. The nest was not again interfered with for a fortnight, when it was found that the hairs were being cautiously removed, a few each day, and when all were off the callous was distinctly felt, and the union of the bone evidently perfect, and the bird evidently able to fly with the others.

COLONEL BOWIE'S KNIFE.

It Is as Popular as Ever, But Not for Dueling Purposes.

A reporter of the New York Evening Post was talking with one of the proprietors of a big down-town cutlery-house when a customer entered and said he wished to see some bowie-knives. A varied assortment was shown to him, and he selected one, paid for it, and went out. "What on earth is he going to do with that?" asked the reporter, as the customer disappeared through the doorway. "Fight a duel or what?" "Scarcely," laughed the proprietor, as he took up one of the keen blades and ran his thumb-nail over it. "Men don't fight duels with bowie-knives nowadays. He will probably use that knife in hunting."

"Are there many bowies sold for that purpose?"

"Lots of them. The bowie is one of the most useful articles that a sportsman who is going for big game can carry, for it serves a number of purposes. With it a hunter can kill and skin his game, as well as cut wood for his camp fire. The bowie-knife of to-day is little used as a weapon of offense or defense, as it "has no show" when pitted against the self-cocking revolver or repeating rifle. The knives we sell are well made in both blade and handle. The finest steel is used and great care is taken in finishing them. The handles most used are buckhorn, but some sportsmen prefer deer's-foot or ivory, silver mounted, and for such they pay a fancy price, often as high as fifteen or sixteen dollars."

"Where are bowie-knives manufactured?"

"Mostly in England, although they are made to some extent in Connecticut. The Yankee knives are fully the equal of their English competitors. Several firms in the city import bowie-knives, but no one house makes an exclusive business of it, as it wouldn't pay. Most of the knives that are sent out of the city go to the West and South. Since stringent laws were passed in the South, however, making the carrying of a bowie a criminal offense, the trade in that region has fallen off considerably. A great many are sent to Cuba and South America, although in those countries the machete, a larger and heavier knife, is more popular."

"Is the present bowie-knife of the same shape as the first ones made?"

"The genuine bowie has but one shape, which has never changed. The famous Colonel Bowie, you know, from whom the knife received its name, invented it by accident, his sword breaking off in a fight. He was so pleased with the shape and size of the fragment which remained in his hand that he had a knife made precisely like it. Lots of people will call any large, straight-bladed knife a bowie, but the genuine article always has a 'clip' point, which extends about one-third the length of the blade. When bowie-knives first became popular, their blades were made from twelve to fifteen inches long, two inches broad and thick in proportion. Now the blades vary in length from five to twelve inches, rarely exceeding the latter."

"What is the cost of bowie-knives?"

"The five-inch knife sells at $1.50 retail and $13 a dozen wholesale. The twelve-inch knives are about $82 a dozen wholesale, and a good one at retail will cost about $4. The intermediate sizes bring prices in proportion. The figures given include the sheaths, which are made of strong leather, tipped with steel and furnished with a loop by which they may be suspended from the waist. Bowie-knives not used for hunting are carried in various ways, the most popular, because the handiest in case of emergency, being to suspend the knife under the left arm, securing the sheath to the of the armhole of the vest by a spring."

MERIT AND "LUCK."

According to Goethe the Two Are Very Closely United.

"The chapter of accidents," it has been well and forcibly said, "is the Bible of the foo," remarks the author of the Way to Fortune. This is one of those sayings which are apt only to seem smart and striking, but are really deeper than they look. If the world and all its affairs proceed according to purpose and moral law, then it is clear that causation and not accident obtains in the smallest thing as well as in the greatest, only we are purblind and do not perceive it, any more than the senses, prisoned in this "muddy vesture of decay," can perceive the celestial music of the spheres—which, indeed, is, after all, another and more poetical name for causation. Dean Swift says: "The power of fortune is confessed only by the miserable, for the happy impute all their success to prudence or merit."

"Shallow men," says Emerson, "believe in luck, believe in circumstances; it was somebody's name, or it happened to be there at the time, or he was so then, and another day it would have been otherwise. Strong men believe in cause and effect."

And again:

"All successful men have agreed in one thing—they were causationists. They believed that things went not by luck but by law; that there was not a weak or a cracked link in the chain that joins the first and last of things."

Of all men the poet should be inclined to recognize some kind of propitious influence as controlling the destiny of individuals, and yet the greatest and most successful poets have practically taught that they believed in no such thing. And in this respect, if in no other, poetry has advanced from what the positivists would call the metaphysical to the real or positive stage. No poet nowadays deems of addressing himself for help to that abstract and perfect personage, the muse, who figured so prominently in poetry from the days of Homer down to a comparatively recent period. The poets have learned self help. They not only believe, but act on the belief that the inspiration is within, and that only energy and sincerity to self can develop their genius. So, therefore, Goethe declares that industry is nine-tenths of genius, and adds to it this axiom as the result of his own experience: "It never occurs to fools that merit and good fortune are closely united." Notwithstanding all that has been said of "lucky hits," the best kind of success in every man's life is not that which comes by accident. So says Mr. Smiles, and this is but a generalization from the wide circle of biography. To see an advantage with clear eye, to mark it out unwaveringly, and to follow it up resolutely, is not luck.

Conscience and Kreutzers.

Maria Theresa, of Austria, was greatly addicted to gambling, and played for exceedingly high stakes. The court functionaries did all in their power to overcome this passion, but to no purpose. They finally appealed to the Empress's confessor, who induced the imperial gamester not to give up cards, but to play for only a copper kreutzer a point. The cunning Empress, however, ordered her jeweler to make her 100 kreutzers in a peculiar manner so that each one could be opened in the middle and a ducat inserted. The two pieces were put together so that only the initiated knew that they were not what they seemed. Thus the Empress kept the letter of the confessor's demand and at the same time enjoyed the excitement in which she delighted.

Loaning to the Lord.

The Salt Lake *Tribune* tells the following story about Brigham Young: A good Latter-day Saint says he remembers very well how Brother Brigham used to send over to the city hall when he was short, to see how much money there was in the treasury, that the same might be loaned to the Lord. The relator told how one day the Bee-Hive House messenger came into the hall with the exclamation: "Well, boys, how much cash is there to-day in the treasury?" "About eight thousand dollars," said the treasurer. "Well, pack it up, the old man wants it," and the eight thousand dollars was "packed up" without any ado, and laid at the feet of Brother Brigham. There was no collateral of any kind put up; the loan was to the Lord our God, and the Lord our God was Brigham. Readers who doubt the above may be convinced by turning to Mrs. Stenhouse's book, and learn how Brother Brigham ordered two hundred and seventy-five dollars' worth of bonnets of her for his wives, and then wrote on the bottom of the bill: "You will be credited this amount on your tithing account."

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

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Telegraph Service	A. Gobeil
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No police court to-day.

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

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

W. D. Port & Co., have received a consignment of 38 carloads of ice from Donald.

Beautiful weather again and lilies, primroses, violets and pansies blooming in the gardens.

A general meeting of the New Westminster rifle association has been called for Thursday evening next at Hyack Hall.

The Royal City Planing Mills have commenced work again, the improvements and additions to the mills having been completed.

Macpherson & Thomson, the Druggists, make a specialty of dispensing Physician's prescriptions. Night bell answered promptly. tc

Services at St. Mary's church, Sapperton to-morrow will be at 8 and 10:30 p. m. The services will be conducted by His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe.

Wednesday's and Thursday's mails arrived about 10 o'clock last night, and Friday's at 5 o'clock this morning. It is expected there will be no further delays.

The Vancouver city council deadlock has been broken by an agreement to submit the legal points involved to Hon. A. N. Richards, barrister, of Victoria.

The wife of Mr. W. McBride, of Mud Bay, yesterday presented her husband with a bouncing boy who tipped the scales at 16 pounds. Hard to beat.

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The wife of Mr. Thos. Shannon, of Surrey, has been very ill for some time, and hardly expected to recover, but a slight improvement is reported at last accounts.

By an advertisement elsewhere it will be seen that tenders are invited up to the 22nd of March inst., for the erection of a residence for the warden of the penitentiary here.

The str. Iris took a load of lumber from the Brunette mills to the lower end of Lulu Island this morning. The lumber will be used in the construction of Windsor's new cannery.

Last evening, while returning home, a gentleman fell over a cow, which had made its bed on Queen's avenue, and sustained severe bruises from the contact. The accident might have resulted very seriously.

The barque Malay, bound for Westminster to load lumber for England at the Royal City Mills, is due to arrive next week. The ship United Kingdom will arrive about a week later. She will load lumber for Australia.

At the Baptist church to-morrow morning Rev. Thos. Baldwin will preach on the subject of "The Brotherhood of Christ," as seen from the resurrection to the advent." In the evening there will be a lecture to young men.

John Honeyman, who arrived here with his family recently from the land of prairies, beyond the Rockies, has been so pleased with the beautiful climate of the Pacific province that he has purchased a valuable farm situated in the Mud Bay portion of this district where he intends to make his future home.

Mr. Harvey, who has the contract for clearing the right-of-way on the Southern Railway, through the heavy timber from the Nicomekl to the boundary, has established a commodious camp near Cedar Hall station, and is making good progress with the work. If fine weather ensues the work will be rushed through in a short time.

We have recently received a very handsome Canadian seed catalogue; it is issued by the Steele Bros. Co. (Ltd.) Toronto, and it contains description and prices of everything in seeds, roses, climbing vines, flowering bulbs and grapes; a book of 112 pages, profusely illustrated, has also a chromo-lithograph plate, showing four varieties of their "New Art Collection of Flower Seeds." New and rare novelties in flower, vegetable and field seeds occupy a large portion of the work. This firm occupy the mammoth seed house, corner of Front and Jarvis streets, Toronto, and have an immense establishment, employing 100 hands, and doing business from the Atlantic to the Pacific. If you are desirous of buying first-class seeds and encouraging Canadian enterprise, send your address for a catalogue, they are mailed free.

PERSONAL.

D. McDonald, of Winnipeg, is in the city.

Ex-Mayor Dickinson and Ald. Ewen returned from Victoria yesterday.

Mayor Hendry and Ald. Cunningham arrived home from the capital today.

His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe and Mrs. Sillitoe arrived home from Kamloops last night on the delayed train.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Missionary Anniversary Services.

In the Methodist Church, to-morrow, anniversary sermons will be preached, morning and evening, by Rev. S. J. Thompson, of the North Arm. On Monday, March 4th, an interesting anniversary meeting will be held in the church, at 7:30 p.m., when a programme consisting of songs, anthems, addresses, &c., will be carried out. The public are cordially invited to attend these services. Programmes have been printed and extensively distributed.

The Match "Off."

The members of Westminster football club have decided not to take any part in the match, Island vs. Mainland. The majority of the members consider that Vancouver assumed too much in challenging the islanders, on behalf of the mainland, without first consulting with the Westminster club, and therefore will take no part in the proposed match. Another grievance was the choice of the team, in which Westminster may be said to have had no voice. What course the Vancouverites will now pursue is not known.

Brisk Building Operations.

Building operations are beginning to assume a lively appearance, and in all parts of the city frames are rapidly going up. A prominent architect says that fully 80 buildings are at present in course of erection or under contract to be commenced within the month. This number, he says, would be doubled but for the fact that many lot owners for want of streets cannot get building material on to the ground. Present appearances indicate that fully $500,000 worth of new buildings will be erected in Westminster this year.

Bible Society Collectors.

Following is the list of ladies appointed as Bible society collectors for the ensuing year, and who, it is expected, will canvass the city within the next two or three weeks: Mrs. G. W. Grant, Mrs. Sivewright, Miss May Grant, Miss Fraser, Miss Helen Desbrisay, Miss Alice Clute, Mrs. C. G. Major, Miss Crake, Miss Emily Grant, Miss Laura Clarke, Miss Augusta DeBeck, Mrs. King, Miss Holden, Miss Baldwin, Mrs. Burns, Miss Mathers. The work in which the collectors will be engaged is a worthy one, and they should meet with a liberal response, which undoubtedly they will.

A Correct Prediction.

Capt. Peele telegraphed to Donald that snow and mud slides might be expected in the mountain division. On the following day the slides commenced which resulted in the detention of the Pacific express for two days. Capt. Peele's observations and his knowledge of the weather in general enabled him to make this correct forecast. It is to be hoped the Dominion government will see the advantage of establishing a weather bureau at this point, where the most accurate observations can be taken for both coast and interior. It might be noted that Capt. Peele's close study and long experience in this connection eminently fit him for the position of signal officer.

The Snow-slides.

From a passenger who arrived on the delayed train this morning the cause of the detention was learned. On Tuesday a large snowslide occurred 4 miles west of Illecillewaet station which struck a passing freight train, badly wrecking two of the cars. The engine and three cars were completely hidden by the snow, but no one was injured and no further damage done than that mentioned above. A large gang of men were soon work on the "beautiful" and the track was clear again on Thursday night. A few smaller snow-slides occurred but did not cause any lengthy delay. The weather in the interior is warm and the snow is disappearing fast. The streams are rising and the prospects are that the high water due in June will be less formidable than usual.

The Sandheads Channel.

The snagboat Samson has returned from the mouth of the river where she was employed in replacing the channel buoys which had been carried out of their proper positions. Buoy No 2 was found to have drifted close to No 1, at the edge of the gulf. Buoy No 6 was nearly full of water and in a sinking condition. It had been struck by the propellor of a steamer and a hole 12x4 inches stove in the small end. The other buoys were in proper condition but require a fresh coat of paint. Captain Grant sounded the water on the bar across the sandheads and found lots of water. It is a matter of general congratulation that the department of public works has placed the channel buoys in charge of Capt. Grant, who has a thorough knowledge of all that is required for the safety of navigation, and who, by the way, discovered the new channel. He is the right man in the right place.

Victoria and Westminster Railway.

The railway committee at Ottawa, yesterday, passed the bill, with slight amendments, to incorporate the Victoria, Saanich and New Westminster Railway Co., which proposes to operate a line from Victoria to a point near Swartz Bay, near Saanich, Vancouver Island, with a branch line to the town of Esquimalt, and on the mainland of British Columbia from a point near Point Roberts, north of the international boundary line, thence by the way of Ladner's Landing on the Fraser River to Westminster, so as to connect there with the Canadian Pacific Railway. The bill also gives the company power to construct and operate from the main line branch lines to Vancouver and to a point at or near Canoe Pass, as well as to a point at or near Garry Point, Lulu Island, and to the international boundary line so as to connect with the railway system of the United States at Blaine, W.T. The company will also have power to operate a steam ferry across the Straits of Georgia from Swartz Bay to Point Roberts, as well as from either or both of the terminii of their branch lines to Garry Point and Canoe Pass.

THE PROGRESS OF MEDICAL ENLIGHTENMENT has led to the abandonment of many antiquated remedies of questionable value, and the adoption of newer and more rational ones. Prominent among the latter are Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, the justly celebrated Blood Purifier a comprehensive family remedy for liver complaint, constipation, indigestion, loss of physical energy, and female complaints.

A Serious Accident.

On Thursday afternoon about 4 p.m., while a young man named S. E Laurensen, engaged on the right-of-way of the Southern Railway, near Cedar Hall station, was sawing a log, and standing at the time in an elevated position, he slipped and fell, striking upon a surveyors' stake the point of which entered his left side, inflicting a very dangerous wound. A surveyor, Mr. Fell, did what he could by stopping the hemorrhage from the wound, and Dr. King, of Blaine, was sent for. The injured man was brought as speedily as possible to this city, the party conveying him arriving early yesterday morning. He stood the journey well, considering his injures, and is now at St. Mary's hospital, where he will remain for treatment. Mr. Laurensen is a well known resident of Kensington Prairie and bears an excellent reputation.

Good for Westminster.

The deputation appointed by the city council, consisting of Mayor Hendry, ex-Mayor Dickinson, Ald. Cunningham and Ald. Ewen, to proceed to Victoria and lay certain important matters affecting the city's interests before the government, has returned. The members of the deputation are highly pleased with the success they met with, and with the fair treatment received at the hands of the government. The objects of the mission will be fully explained after they are laid before governor in council. Ald. Cunningham, in conversation with a representative of THE COLUMBIAN, said he had met many prominent Victorians while at the capital, all of whom expressed themselves as highly pleased with the bright prospects of Westminster. Several who are large property owners in this city made known their intention of building handsome brick blocks during the coming summer. They consider Westminster property the safest investment in the province. Mr. Cunningham says he was frequently questioned as to the real estate, and he feels confident from what he heard that a large amount of Victoria capital will be invested in the Royal City this year.

LOCAL PARLIAMENT

Yesterday's Proceedings in the Provincial Legislature

VICTORIA, Mar. 1.—The house met at 2:15 p. m., and prayers were read by Rev. Donald Fraser.

In the absence of Mr. Ladner, Mr Orr presented a petition asking for a road along the Fraser river, in townships 10, 11, 12 and 13. The provincial secretary presented a petition signed by the residents of New Westminster district, objecting to any legislation to cause the water level of Burnaby lake to be reduced. Mr. Dunsmuir presented a petition asking that Texada Island be reserved for mineral purposes by the government. Colonel Baker presented the report of the select standing committee on private bills, stating bill to amend the New Westminster act with amendments was complete and the report was received.

Mr. Tolmie pesented the report of the committee to consider the trespass bill, stating that the bill with amendments was complete. The report was received. Mr. Duck withdrew his application for leave to introduce an amendment to the municipalities act, 1881.

Mr. Higgins asked leave to introduce a bill entitled an act relating to the offence of libel in civil cases. Leave was granted, the bill read a first time and the second reading fixed for the next sitting of the house.

Mr. Tolmie moved that an humble address be presented to his honor the lieutenant-governor praying his honor to represent to the Dominion government the urgent necessity of enforcing the animal contagious disease act in the province. The resolution was carried.

Mr. Beaven moved that Mr. Higgins be substituted for Mr. T. Davie upon the standing committee on pubic accounts. After some discussion the resolution was lost on a vote being taken.

Mr. Semlin moved, seconded by Mr. Grant, that the names of Mr. Ladner and Mr. Tolmie be substituted for Mr. Beaven's and Mr. Higgins' on the committee, with power to send for persons, papers and records, and to report to this house upon all matters connected with the artesian well boring experiment, together with all conclusions that may be arrived at as to the work done, the implements used, etc., and the resolution was carried.

Mr. Orr asked what are the boundaries and extent of the Indian reserve at the mouth of Capilano Creek in the New Westminster district, and the number of families residing thereon; what are the boundaries and extent of the Indian reserve lying east of lot 469, group 1, on the north shore of Burrard Inlet, and the number of families resident thereon.

The answer was the Indian reserve at Capilano Creek is bounded on the east by lot 264; on the west by lot 237; on the north by Moodyville Saw Mill Company's timber lease and by the Capilano Creek, and on the south by Burrard Inlet. It contains 518 acres. The other reserve is bounded on the east by lots 230 and 551; on the west by lot 469; on the north by lots 621 and 622, and on the south by Burrard Inlet. It contains 275 acres. The Indians for whom these reserves and two others have been established are reported to number 639 souls.

Mr. Orr asked what settlement was arrived at regarding the Sumas dyking lands with the Dominion government, and why the particulars of said settlement had not been summitted to the house, and whether both governments are not at the present time dealing with the said lands? Also how the money, if any, received by the provincial government has been disposed of? The answer was that the sums of settlement are set out in the papers laid before the house on the 5th ultimo and since printed. Neither government is dealing with lands at present as federal legislation is held to be necessary. The money is in the provincial treasury, having been brought to a suspense account.

The magistrates' bill was read a third time and passed. The report of the committee on public roads bill was received and adopted.

The house adjourned till Thursday at 2 o'clock p.m.

A HIGH VALUATION.—"If there was only one bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil in Manitoba, I would give one hundred dollars for it," writes Philip H. Brant, of Monteith, Manitoba, after having used it for a severe wound and for frozen fingers, with, as he says, "astonishing good results."

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CALEDONIA & ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.—The regular meetings of this Association are held on the last Tuesday of each month, at 8 o'clock p. m. All Scotchmen are invited to attend.—JOHN BUIE, Sec.

W. C. T. U.—REGULAR MEETING, every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. Headquarters, Douglas St. Loyal Legion in the same place every Friday afternoon.—MRS. JAS. CUNNINGHAM, President; MISS DEBECK, Secretary.

UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held in the Masonic Temple on the first Wednesday in each month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.—W. C. COATHAM, Sec.

BOARD OF TRADE. Board Room, Oddfellows Brick Block, up-stairs. Council meets on the first and third Wednesday in each month, at 4 p.m. Quarterly meetings on the 22nd of Feb., May., Aug., and Nov., at 7:30 p. m. New members may be proposed and elected at any Quarterly meeting.—D. ROBSON, Sec.

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N. W. Rifle Association!

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Government Telegraph Service

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Telegraph Construction," will be received at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, up to Monday the 1st day of April next, for the construction of about 54 miles (more or less) of Telegraph Line along the new wagon road between Nanaimo or Departure Bay and Alberni Settlement. Also of about 30 miles (more or less) between Cape Beale Lighthouse, to Carmenah Point near Bonella Point on the Island of Vancouver, British Columbia.

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By order, A. GOBEIL,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, 11th, February, 1889. dmh242

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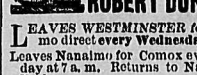

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