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Daily British Columbian
Tuesday Evening, Dec. 4, 1888.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Seattle *Past-Intelligencer* says: The fool who wants this territory admitted into the Union under some other name than Washington is beginning to write letters to the newspapers again. He ought to have died long ago.

An American exchange says: The Harrison inauguration fund is receiving liberal subscribtions in Washington, and inaguration day of 1889 will be a grand affair. It is expected that more people will congregate in the federal city on that occasion than have before attended a similar festival.

A New York alderman has found that it is a practice of the sinful contractors of that city to put into the sewers an occasional beer keg instead of two feet of brickwork, the keg being of exactly the right calibre. It is said upon pretty good authority that a connection between a main and a lateral sewer in Toronto has been made with a flour barrel.

The plain unvarnished account of the parting between the German Emperor and the Dowager Empress Victoria reveals no sign of any estrangement between mother and son. The fact that the German ambassador in England was requested by his imperial master to wait upon and pay due respect to the Dowager Empress in England is a mark of respect which disturbs some of the stories that have been set afloat.

A case of honesty over trying circumstances is recorded by the correspondent of a Montreal paper. A lady lost her purse containing a sum of money, and advertised the same, hoping it might be recovered in that way. So it was to the loser's agreeable surprise, the purse and contents being returned intact. The finder refused to accept any reward, beyond making a request that the advertiser would assist him in getting a situation, he being a stranger out of work at the beginning of a cold winter. Under these circumstances, the temptation to keep the purse must have been great. There are probably many instances of such integrity which the world neve hears of.

Says an exchange: Charles H. Sampson, a New York strong man, engaged to slay a steer with his fist. The feat was performed with a single blow in the presence of Emperor Wilhelm and Emperor Francis Joseph. He wears a handsome decoration commemorating that event. This fact of skill and strength was repeated at Ems, Germany, St. Petersburg, and Paris, Mr. Sampson striking but a single blow upon each of the occasions except the last. In this case the steer was running, and his aim was not true, bnt the first blow knocked the animal down and a second crushed its skull. During his professional experience this Hercules has suffered broken arms no less than seventeen times. He does not attribute his great strength to any freak of nature, but says it is the result of careful training and exercise.

The newest thing in dinner favors is a jewelled dagger, not a papier-mache affair nor yet a stage weapon, but a keen-bladed dagger, which, if your neighbor at dinner be not to your liking or prove tiresome in conversation, you may use upon him with speedy and fatal effect. In the meantime, no murderous tendency taking possession of you, you are expected to use this weapon to cut up your meat. The fashion is an expensive one, because it is important that the hilt be jewelled. Without the sparkle of the gem to gratify one's esthetic taste the glitter of the steel will have something lacking. True, there is the possibility of paste jewels, and, if this savage fashion grows, doubtless dealers in Rhine stones will mark an advance in trade. No doubt a dagger drill might be invented to follow the repast, when the playfully inclined might smite the steel together. Thus does civilization advance with mighty strides.

The Baltimore *Sun* says: The public mind is settling down to the conviction that our presidential contests are fast becoming mere bouts of money-spending. A victory thus obtained is, of course, without moral force, however profitable it may be for a while to its beneficiaries. The people cannot, in the long run, sanction proceedings which in effect pervert their will, and that, too, by corrupt methods which strike at the very foundations of free government. Venality must be followed by demoralization and distrust. Patriotism cannot long survive as a potent force in our politics if the longest purse is to determine the settlement of public questions. When it comes to be understood that our present economic system is so profitable to the rich, banded together in trusts and other forms of monopoly, that in order to preserve it they are able and willing to give millions to debauch the poor, to carry pivotal states, and thus obtain control of the federal government and its policy, its shrift, it is to be feared, will be short.

RUSSIAN INTRIGUES

In Persia Defeated by British Diplomacy -- Emperor of Austria Pleased with the Charities.

The Life of the Queen and Empress at Windsor. Great Devotion for Each Other.

The Standard Attacks President Cleveland's Message and Criticizes His Actions.

RECALLED HER AMBASSADOR.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—It is reported Russia has recalled her ambassador from Teheran owing to the refusal of Persia to grant an exequatur to a Russian consul at Meshed. Russia has for a long time endeavored to establish a recognized agent at Meshed, which is situated near the frontier, and is the harbor of refuge and the centre of agitation for malcontents of Aghanistan. Russia has been constantly baffled in her efforts by England who seeks to keep her formidable rival out of a port from whence the latter could conduct her intrigues in Afghanistan with dangerous effect.

MR. YATES' CABLE LETTER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Those who see them together say that nothing is more touching than the absolute unselfishness of devotion of the queen to the Empress Frederick. The queen's one thought from morning to night is to minister to her daughter's comfort and to endeavor to diminish her grief. The smallest wish of the empress is attended to and carried out with most affectionate assiduity. The empress is looking very worn and tired and sleeps badly, but the rest and quiet of Windsor which she enjoys thoroughly, and which she and her daughters never weary of expatiating on, are already beginning to have a good effect on her health and spirits. There was something very touching in the visit of the queen and empress Frederick to Stafford on Tuesday. Rain was following in torrents as they alighted from the carriage which brought them from Paddington. The empress wore a heavy cerf of crape which Prussian etiquette prescribes. Lady Churchill, also a widow, carried a cross of white flowers which the queen had prepared with her own hands. Lord Tarbat received them at the door and they at once followed him up stairs to the room where the duchess was lying and the queen placed the cross beside the body of the dead friend. The recollection of the last visit she paid to Stafford House in the company of her husband caused the empress to burst into tears. Both she and the queen remained for some time in the green library where the queen spoke many words of womanly sympathy to Lord and Lady Stafford, Lord and Lady Tarbat, Lord Ronald Gower and Lady Alexandra Leveson Gower, who were there, and expressed strong hope that the duke of Sutherland would quickly return to England.

HOUSEHOLD REFORMS.

There is no attempt to disguise the object of the economical reforms in the royal household. It has become clear that no parliament will sanction grants to the grand children of the queen, excepting only to children of the Prince of Wales, so her majesty considers it her imperative duty to save as much money as possible in order that all her descendants may be adaquetely provided for by herself. It is quite certain that the Duke of Connaught and Princess Beatrice will be the queen's principal heirs. Her majesty has three other families to look after, namely, those of the late Duke of Albany, of the Princess Christian and of the late Princess Alice.

SALISBURY IN SCOTLAND.

Lord Salisbury's visit to Edinburgh has been an unqualified triumph from beginning to end. There has not been a hitch. The meeting in the Corn Exchange was enthusiastic and as representative as the strongest tory could desire. But the most interesting and striking incident of the whole programme was the presentation of the addresses of 62 unionist associations in the same building on Friday in the presence of over 6,000 people. Those who know Scotland know that these vast meetings and enthusiastic assemblages are the sign of a change that will be as lasting as the so-called conservatism from which they are a reaction.

LADY COUTTS' PARTY.

Lady Burdette Coutts' parties are always successful and nothing could have been pleasanter than her dinner reception on Wednesday evening. Among the guests in Stratton st. Lady Galway was conspicuous in black diamonds with her famous crutch stick. Mrs. Phelps, wife of the American minister, looked charming in gray and gold. Lord Clanwilliam related Irish stories with much humor, and Mr. Edward Stanhope Ashmead Bartlett discussed the new chief commissionership. The Rev. Henry White, of Savoy Chapel, stated that out of the 1500 couples which he had assisted to join together only one pair had found marriage a failure.

ALMOST EXHAUSTED.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Bulletins from Rochdale give little hope for Mr. Bright. The chronic disease increases and the resisting power of the patient is nearly exhausted.

THE EMPEROR PLEASED.

VIENNA, Dec. 4.—The emperor has written to Count Von Taafe, president of the council, saying it has given him great pleasure that the people throughout the empire have acted in accordance with his advices on observing the anniversary of his accession to the throne by devoting money to charity rather than to pompous fetes. They have in this given another proof of their loyalty.

PAID TO COMMIT OUTRAGES.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—In the Parnell commission to-day Thos. O'Connor, son of a farmer near Castle Island, was on witness stand, called by the *Times*. He swore that Timothy Harrington, member of parliament, paid Brosnan and himself the sum of seven pounds to commit outrages in 1880.

THE "STANDARD" SPEAKS.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The morning papers indulge in long editorials reviewing the president's message. The *Standard* resents the reference to Sackville by saying, "Cleveland's farewell message to congress might have been a gracious and dignified composition if the president could only have effaced from his recollection the unsuccessful electioneering coup by which he sullied his otherwise honorable record. Englishmen can afford to smile at such puerile nonsense for even Cleveland's own countrymen will not pretend to take in good earnest. Vaporings of this kind were well enough while the presidential campaign was on, but it is past and done with now, and the attempt to exhibit one of the half-forgotten bits of stage furniture as a genuine work of art is a failure. There is no sense, no consistency, in Cleveland's prospective account of a deplorable transaction. Sackville was technically wrong no doubt, Mr. Russell Lowell and Mr. Phelps have committed themselves in the same way, though not in the same degree. It is no one's interest to perpetuate bad blood."

PRESS COMMENTS ON THE MESSAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—This morning's *Post*, commenting on President Cleveland's message to the American congress, says if the Americans are really inclined to resume negotations with a view to a settlement of the Canadian fisheries question they will find the English ministers willing to meet them.

The *Daily News* says: "We would regret President Cleveland's acrimony with reference to the Sackville incident much more if it were not for the fact that Lord Salisbury set the example. Mr. Cleveland evidentiy possesses Lord Salisbnry's bitterness of tongue, but otherwise his message is a great document."

The *Stannard* says the message could have been made more dignified if Mr. Cleveland had effaced from the records of the recent elections his unsuccessful *coup*, meaning the Sackville incident.

The *Chronicle* thinks Mr. Cleveland uses strong but nevertheless true language on the subject of protection.

SHIPPING DISASTER.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A gale of great violence prevailed to-day. A fierce south east wind in the channel drove a great number of vessels in for shelter at Ramsey, Isle of Man. Many vessels took shelter in the bay, but were only discernable at intervals owing to the dense clowd of spray. At Cardiff the French str. Louis ran into and sunk the bark Erminie, of Swansea. The sailing vessels Macedon, of St. John, and Beaconsfield, of Nova Scotia, were driven against the pier head and badly damaged. A despatch last night says the fishing smack Henry Welsley, of Lowestoft, foundered in the North Sea with all hands.

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—American stocks have been firm with influential buying. Erie, Lake Shore, Union Pacific and Norfolk preference have been in demand. Reading has been unusually dull. A favorable statement with regard to the St. Paul is expected in a few days, undoubtedly the time of president Miller's visit. Money easier from day to day at 3½ to 3⅝; three months, 3⅞.

LATE DESPATCHES.

A BUTTER [illegible].

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 23.—It is rumored that the oleomargarine manufacturers of Chicago had bought up the Elgin output of butter, the price of which has been advanced ten cents per pound. The output of butter, the price of which has been advanced from ten cents per pound to forty-five cents within a week, it is said will be put to sixty. The object is to make butter so high that poor people will be forced to buy oleomargarine.

BIG RAILROAD RUMORS.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 26.—It is rumored that the Union Pacific will shortly take possession of the Central Branch road, now being held by the Missouri Pacific on a lease, and by connecting it at Waterville with the Grand Island road, operate it as a part of the U. P. system, also leasing it to the Rock Island. If this is done, the Missouri Pacific will build west from Hiawatha.

BOAT RACE.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The boat race between Cambridge and the Yale university has been fixed approximately for April 15.

A GIGANTIC LABOR ORGANIZATION.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—John Garrett, Charles Tyheman and other prominent labor men are preparing to form a gigantic national labor organization. It is to deal with political questions, but they say it will not be in opposition to the Knights.

INVASION OF TRAMPS.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 29.—It was reported in this city to-night that at a little hamlet near Olean, on the line of the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia railway upwards of seventy tramps made their appearance at an early hour this morning and began to invade the town.

DELIBERATELY KILLED HIS FATHER.

FARGUS FALLS, Minn., Nov. 29.—Last night Robert Arona calmly took down an old double-barreled shot gun and shot his father through the heart. Arona was engaged to a girl in Finland, to whom he had sent money to come to America. Her refusal to make the trip caused him to become insane and commit parricide.

A BLOODY RIOT.

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa. Nov. 29.—Two gangs of Russian and Italian miners, between whom there has existed a bitter feud for months, met on the streets to-day, and for an hour a bloody riot followed. Several on both sides were stabbed. The injuries of Andrew Scarriki, Anthony Sook and John Carrillo may prove fatal. The authorities have arrested the rioters.

AN UNKNOWN VESSEL LOST.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Captain Chabot, of the French steamship Panama, reports that during a tremendous storm about 8 o'clock at night signals of a vessel in distress were seen shooting up from a dark hulk which was near a level with the water. Captain Chabot bore down on the craft as near as possible, but was unable to get near enough to rescue the crew. He could distinctly see men clinging to the afterhouse waving lights and begging to be taken off. He believes the vessel to have been a full rigged ship. She was deeply laden and doubtless foundered with all on board. When he left them they were waving torches, but after a few moments all the lights went out.

Miss Shadyside—How bored that poor Mr. Jonesy looks with that frivolous young thing he is with. I can always tell when a gentleman is bored. Mr. Tiredtodeath (with a guilty start)—Bless my soul, you don't say so!—*Texas Siftings*.

THE RAILWAY MATTER

Not Likely to be Settled Yet, and Other Injunctions may be Obtained by the C. P. R.

Not being a Direct Suit, the Court is not Bound to Give a Decision and Will Not Do So.

A Bold Plot to Rob a Bank in St. Thomas is Discovered and Frustrated. Details.

THE RAILWAY CASE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 4.—It has been announced that the supreme court will deliver judgement in the crossings case of the 14th, but I have direct authority for the statement that no judgement will be delivered at all. There is no suit at law only a request by the railway commission for an opinion of the court, not on the merits of the case but on the mere question of law as limited by Sir John Thompson, and the court will simply make a report to the minister of justice for the information of the privy council. The government may or may not make it public, just as they choose, and they may ignore the court's opinion, which not being a judgment on a suit, has no force of law and binds nobody. These being the facts there will be nothing to prevent the C. P. R. instituting a dozen law suits or taking out another injunction to hinder the building of the railway in the spring, even supposing the supreme court goes in favor of the province. It will settle nothing and Manitoba may yet be fooled by both the C. P. R. and the railway committee. At least two of the judges of the supreme court resent a reference to them which is open to such an important conclusion as being in derogation of the dignity of the highest judicial body, and doubtless their views are shared by other members of the court. It is an unquestionable fact, at any rate, that the conclusions of the court are merely advice to Messrs. McDonald, Thompson, Pope and Carling that there will be no "judgment" and that these conclusions have no legal force or effect, Manitoba may well ask of this reference "*Cui bono?*"

A CLEVER PLOT FRUSTRATED.

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 4.—Two of the cleverest cracksmen in the country have been stopping in the city for the past few days and have been plotting for a stupendous robbery. The plot was given away by a third party who is a fugitive from the U. S. and who was approached by the two men and asked to become an accomplice in the robbery of the Traders' Bank. The plan sketched out was to secure ingress by the cellar window and thence to the bank and force an entrance to the vault with gunpowder. The police say the attempt would undoubtedly have been made had not the plot been given away.

WINDSOR HOTEL PROFITS.

MONTREAL, December 4. [illegible] annual report of the directors of the Windsor Hotel Company was issued to-day and shows a balance of $20,000 carried forward after paying the dividend. The stock is controlled by Duncan McIntyre who holds over 600 shares; G. B. Burland 600; R. B. Angus 150; Hector McKenzie 300.

SUDDEN DEATH.

MONTREAL, Dec. 4.—Patrick O'Brien, for over fifteen years cashier of the Royal Insurance Company, died last night. He left the office apparently in his usual health, at 6 o'clock, and by 8 o'clock was a corpse. It is said his lungs were weak, and that death resulted from a poisonous quality of gas which the company had been furnishing for the last day or two, and which induced spasms followed by internal bleeding.

THE TRUSTS BROKEN.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—It is officially announced that all negotiations for the settlement of railroad troubles west and southwest of Chicago have been broken and the clearing houses plan has fallen through. The committee, headed by President Winslow, of the St. Louis and San Francisco road, is still in existence but has not yet secured any new plan.

A $500,000 BANK FAILURE.

LAKE CRYSTAL, Minn., Nov. 29.—The State Bank of Lake Crystal suspended payment yesterday. Randolph Mitchell was president, and H. Ray Howard, cashier. It had a large number of small deposits, aggregating about $500,000. Nearly everyone is bitten. The cause of suspension was speculation in December wheat. The cashier received all of the deposits offered up to the time of posting the notice of suspension.

WOMAN'S WORK IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The common council must be prepared to receive a delegation of the Woman's Club, composed of earnest and intelligent women, who interest themselves in various enterprises for the public good. They have a fine meeting room and committee rooms in the Art Institute building. The membership is upward of 3,000. The work of the club is distributed among the committees, respectively designated reform, home, education, art and literature, philanthrophy, philosophy and science. The session yesterday was under the direction of the education committee. Resolutions were passed calling on the authorities for a strict enforcement of the compulsory education law, as the only means of forcing enlightenment into the dark places of the city. A strong committee will lay this before the council.

"Mandy!" almost shrieked the elderly aunt, as she entered the parlour unexpectedly and found the young lady clasped in the arms of a young man who was kissing her with every indication that he had had considerable practice, "what on earth does this mean?" "Nothing but an election bet, auntie," replied Amanda, with a look of heroic, martyr-like resignation on her lovely face, "I lost. Go on, Mr. McPelican. How many was that?"

Mr. G. W. Macully, Pavilion Mountain, B. C., writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I ever used for rheumatism. Nearly every winter I am laid up with rheumatism, and have tried nearly every kind of medicine without getting any benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It has worked wonders for me, and I want another supply for my friends, &c.

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Tuesday Evening, Dec. 4, 1888.

Before we can think of annexing the United States they will have to reform a thing or two besides their political "mesheen," monopoly tariff, and "general cussedness." An account of a white man being chained to a wagon and publicly sold as a slave in North America in these days would naturally be received with incredulity, but this is what happened the other day, according to an exchange, in the state of Massachusetts—the cradle of the pilgrim fathers—the home of the Puritans—the land of the free. It seems that Charles T. Parsons, a notorious trafficker in immigrant labor, has been in the habit of going periodically to New York and hiring all the ignorant men he can find who are unable to speak English. After getting possession of his men he takes them to his home at Northampton, Mass., and sells them to farmers at $40 or $50 a head. The farmers use them as slaves, working, feeding, and housing them just the same as they do their cattle. On the 20th ult. Parsons drove to Holyoke with one of these immigrants, a Pole, in a wagon. He pulled up at a side street, and went to seek a purchaser, leaving his victim bound hands and feet with a chain, which was fastened to the wagon. The wretched foreigner was found in this condition by the chief of police, who, being of an inquiring turn of mind, brought about an exposure of Parsons' operations. Parsons is now being prosecuted. If this man deserves punishment, what should be said of the farmers who were parties to his transactions? It is to be hoped for the sake of the reputation of the state authorities that an effort will be made to bring them also to justice. Such an incident coming to light, in this age of the world, in the land whose symbol is the "bird of freedom," and in the near vicinity of the "hub" of culture, refinement, and baked beans, is—well, a conundrum, to all except the confirmed pessimist.

The momentous question, "Is marriage a failure?" having been, by common consent, referred back to each individual to settle, according to his or her personal explorations in the premises, and President-elect Harrison having solved the vexed question, "What shall we do with the surplus?" by answering, "Buy Canada, of course," the American conundrum fiend—ever insatiable—is now crying throughout the land: "What would be done if Harrison and Morton should both die before the electors from the several states meet to cast their votes for president?" Perhaps the question is prompted in part by a natural fear that a just retribution may overtake the comparatively innocent chosen ones as a punishment for the sins and crookedness of the party that elected them. An exchange rises to the occasion, and answers the question, substantially as follows: What would be done in the event of both of the successful candidates dying between the date of the election of electors and the date of the meeting of the electors, is subject to the unwritten law which requires electors to vote for the candidates of their own party. The constitution places in the hands of the electors the power to vote for whom they please, provided the person voted for is eligible, but the unwritten law is that the electors shall vote for the men the party which placed the electors in nomination shall designate as its choice. There is nothing in the constitution to prevent a majority of the electors chosen in November from voting for some one else besides Mr. Harrison or Mr. Morton. The popular idea is that the president and vice-president are elected on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, while in fact it is only the electors who are elected. The president and vice-president are elected on the first Wednesday in December, the day provided for by law for the electors to meet and cast their votes in their respective states. The inquirer will see, therefore, that a majority of the electors chosen in November have the power to name new candidates if both candidates named by the convention of their party should die before the electors should meet, but such a course would not be in accordance with the usages governing the selection of candidates that they should exercise that power. The proper course to pursue in such an emergency would be to recognize the national convention of the party and have the convention name the candidates.

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Owing to the lack of space, we were compelled last night to leave over several clauses of the president's message to congress yesterday. Referring to the Sackville incident, the president deeply regretted the painful but imperative duty which had devolved upon him to obtain, with as little delay as possible, a new personal channel of diplomatic intercourse with the British government. Correspondence, which in due time would be laid before congress, would, the president said, disclose the unpardonable conduct of the official referred to in the offence itself and also in his subsequent public declarations to justify his action, thus superadding impugnment of the executive and senate of the United States. The president, continuing on this subject, states, substantially, that he politely gave the British government full opportunity to withdraw the obnoxious envoy, but, failing to recognize their duty, he was compelled to "sack" the British minister himself. On several other matters of international interest the president's message reads as follows: "My endeavors to establish by international co-operation measures for the prevention of the extermination of the fur seal in Behring Sea have not been related, and I have hopes of being enabled to submit an effective and satisfactory conventional project with the maritime powers for the approval of the senate. The coastal boundary between our Alaskan possessions and British Columbia, I regret to say, has not received the attention demanded by its importance, according to the views which on several occasions heretofore I have had the honor to recommend to congress. The admitted impracticability of making accurate and precise survey and demarcation of the boundary line as it is recited in the treaty with Russia under which Alaska was ceded to us, renders it absolutely requisite, for the prevention of international jurisdiction complication, that adequate appropriation for a reconnaissance and survey, to obtain a proper knowledge of the locality and the geographical features of the boundary, should be authorized by congress with as little delay as possible. The knowledge to be only thus obtained is an essential prerequisite to foreigners for ascertaining a common boundary, or as preliminary to any other mode of settlement. It is much to be desired that some agreement should be reached with her majesty's government by which damages to life and property on the great lakes may be alleviated by removing or humanely regulating the obstacles to reciprocal assistance to wrecked or stranded vessels. The act of June 19th, 1878, which offers to Canadian vessels, free access to our inland waters in aid of wrecked or disabled vessels, has not yet become effective through the concurrent action by Canada."

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By order, WALTER J. WALKER, Secretary.

22nd November, 1888. dno22td

Assessment Act, 1888.

District of New Westminster.

THE COURT OF REVISION AND APpeal will hold its first sittings for the year at the City Hall, in the City of Vancouver, on

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My wife and I have recently joined a bowling club. The first meeting was held on Thursday, and its memory clings to me still. I am so lame that I can't eat custard pie without assistance. However, I think very well of the game, for it has made my wife so much lamer than I am that I have now a considerable advantage in those little differences of opinion which have hitherto made marriage practically a failure for me. I understand that the other members of the club are in much the same condition, but we have taken the alley for the winter, and have fixed the contract so that our heirs, administrators and assigns can finish up the series in case anything happens to us before the season is over.

The man who owns the alley may survive us individually, but he will not get any the best of our estates.

My wife and I are recent arrivals in this part of Brooklyn, so when the idea of forming the club occurred to her she saw the necessity of getting some help in its organization. She therefore went to a lady of her acquaintance, and it was agreed that each should invite a couple which in turn should invite another, and so on, until the membership of twenty-four was made up. I told my wife that this was going it rather blind, and I am not surprised to find that among the members are several who have not spoken to each other since the Browning club broke up in a row last spring. It takes some familiarity with a neighborhood to enable one to grasp these little differences of literary opinion.

As our couple we invited John Holmes and his wife, who live next door. Barring some slight difficulty about a mutual, co-operative clothes-line in the rear of our premises, they have never done us any harm, and our invitation was purely disinterested. Holmes and I were detained in the city on Thursday evening, so we telegraphed our wives and they decided to go together. We were to join the party later. The alley we have engaged is in the basement of a building on a corner, and there is a saloon over it. That is the case with a great many corners in Brooklyn.

There is a nice private entrance to the alley at the side, but my wife and Mrs. Holmes did not know it, and they attempted to get in through the saloon. The gentlemanly and efficient bar-tenders thought the women were members of the W. C. T. U. come to sing a little hymn in the interests of the Prohibition ticket, and they therefore lay down behind the bar and plugged empty beer mugs over their ears for fear of being converted. The remainder of the audience also quickly dispersed.

There was a sign at one side indicating the location of the stairs leading to the alleys, and the ladies found their way down. In the basement there is a partition which divides two alleys on the left from an equal number on the right. We had engaged those upon the right, and it was therefore only natural that my wife and Mrs. Holmes should enter the compartment on the left. Women have such queer ways of remembering things.

The left side had been engaged by a party of Germans, and two of them had already arrived. They spoke no English capable of comprehension, and the ladies spoke no German. The conversation which ensued was voluminous but hardly satisfactory.

Meanwhile our party was assembling on the other side of the partition. Holmes and I arrived.

"There appears to be a political meeting or a riot of some kind in progress on the other side," said one of the members.

I listened. My wife has an idea that in order to make a foreigner understand it is only necessary to speak loud enough. She has the same delusion in regard to me when we differ about something. Therefore, when I saw a knot drop wearily out of one of the boards of the partition, and lie down on the floor to recuperate, I knew at once what the trouble was on the other side.

I went around to explain matters. My knowledge of German consists principally of a few sentences which I learned from a profane Teuton, in order to be able to express my feelings properly to our iceman, who is of that nationality. It will be readily understood that they were not of that complimentary and conciliatory character likely to help matters on an occasion like the present. However, I did the best I could with them, but the impression was not altogether favorable. The larger of the Germans backed me up against the spout that holds the balls, and talked to me in a way which led me to believe that his command of language was even greater than that of the man from whom I had learned my few choice little bits. To cut the discussion short, I casually dropped a pony ball on the gentleman's toe, and in the confusion which ensued we escaped.

My wife had never seen a bowling alley before, and she professed a considerable contempt for its appearance.

"The idea of having all those pins stuck up together," she exclaimed. "It's too easy. They'll all fall down together. There are too many of them."

She was, therefore, very disagreeably surprised find that there were just as many of them after she had rolled the ball down, as before. She rolled the other two balls with the same result, and then declared that the alley wasn't level. It is wonderful how quickly some women can pick up a game. If my wife had been a professional she couldn't have said more about the unevenness of that alley.

I am not an expert myself, but I succeeded in knocking three pins off one corner with the first ball. Then I knocked three imaginary pins off the same place with the other two balls, but the remaining seven stood up like trees.

When my wife's turn came again she repeated her previous performance, rolling two balls in one of the "gutters," and one in the other. Then she intimated that boy hadn't set them up right. He sarcastically offered to set them in the gutter the next time if the lady thought she preferred them that way. Afterwards my wife had an eye out for that boy, and she drove the small balls down at him frantically when she thought he wasn't looking. He evaded them, however, by standing behind the pins.

I was endeavoring, meanwhile, to make an impression upon the ladies of our club by the graceful and artistic manner of my bowling. I thought this would be easier than knocking down so many pins, as some of the other fellows did. It was always my belief that a man with legs as long as mine would be very graceful if he ever learned how to manage them. I admit that my attempts on this first evening were not wholly successful. The alley was slippery, and my feet slid around in a fashion not wholly under my control. I did not knock any of the other members down with them, owing to extreme caution on their part. Most of the attention, however, was monopolized by a man named Billings.

"Oh, look at Mr. Billings," exclaimed the ladies, when he stepped up to bowl; "he's got all the curves."

I looked at Billings and agreed with them. He had more curves than I ever saw in a man before. They were in his legs, and his arms, and his back. When he got ready to launch the ball, he assumed a position expressive of the various twists he expected it to execute on the alley. When it had left his hands he stood looking after it, and imagining that he was steering it with his foot and his mouth, which he twisted simultaneously toward the part of the alley where he thought the ball could accomplish the most destruction. It didn't go there as a rule, but the expression of his countenance made the pins nervous, and they sometimes fell down of their own accord to escape his eye. The ball actually rolled off the alley.

But the ladies thought Mr. Billings was very scientific, and they all began to practice curves, and some of them succeeded in rolling almost as crooked a ball as Billings did, though they never knew where it was going.

It's a curious thing about a woman that when she begins to feel tried with physical exercise, she dips into it all the more furiously. My wife began to get tired toward the middle of the evening, and after that she took the biggest balls she could lift, and hurled them with a desperation that nearly took her arms off.

In this matter Jones set a bad example. Jones was the swift bowler of the club. He was full of a great desire to knock boards off the back of the alley. It is wonderful how graceful some men can be when they think the ladies are watching them. I have vainly endeavored to portray Jones's attitude when he bowled a particularly speedy ball, but I found myself plagiarizing Miss Rives's description of the cyclone that used to accompany the Widow Pomfret in her rambles over the Virginia mountains, so I have left Jones to the pencil of the artist.

The genial gentleman of whom we rented the alley expected to make a large share of his profits on refreshments from the bar in the front room upstairs. At regular intervals a white-robed waiter came down and wandered about the alley in the hope that somebody would order drinks. I pitied him for the wistful look in his eyes, but I had not the change. By and by the proprietor appeared accompanied by two waiters who bore trays with dishes on them.

"Id's der vree lunge," said the proprietor, "Id don't gost you nodings."

We all patronized it, and then we learned to appreciate the proprietor's generosity. It was made of a variety of substances that were salt enough to create thirst in the palate of General Fisk. We called for water, but the proprietor informed us that the pipes had frozen the previous winter and hadn't been used since. Then we ordered beer. We had to do it or dry up and blow away. The "vree lunge" had done its work.

There was one covered dish which the proprietor deposited with considerable care on a table.

"Don't open it till you vos done mit der string," said he, "id might inderfere mit der game."

This naturally stimulated the curiosity of the ladies, and as soon as his back was turned, one of them took off the cover. I looked at it, and noticed a thin blue vapor with green polka dots in it, creeping up out of the dish. It circled around the ceiling, and put out a few of the gas jets. Then it crept down the alley, and the pins began to fall down and gasp. The air grew so thick that the balls would't roll in it. Then I looked in the dish. It contained cheese sandwiches a la Bismarck. We removed them, and the bodies of such of our members as had succumbed. Then we went to the proprietor and he agreed to have the odor excavated, and some air pumped in before next Thursday evening, when we hope to meet again. Our club is not tinctured with Know-Nothingism, but we believe in encouraging the home markets in the matter of lunch.

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"I Need Thee Every Hour."

Mrs. Annie Sherwood Hawks, the author of "I Need Thee Every Hour," resides in a modest brick house on St. Mark's avenue in Brooklyn. She is a middle-aged lady, has a strong motherly face, and her dark brown eyes sparkle when engaged in animated conversation.

Mrs. Hawks wrote the hymn which has gained such popularity in June, 1872, but thought so little of its merit that she filed it away in an old portfolio, where it remained until one evening, when Rev. Robert Lowry, a writer of hymns, learned of its existence during a visit at the house of Mrs. Hawks.

"Let me read it," said the doctor.

His request was granted, and he immediately recognized its superior merit. After earnest solicitation permission was granted by the author to embody it in Dr. Lowry's volume of hymns, "The Royal Diadem," then about to be published.

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WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of Mary Howison to the above mentioned lot has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate thereof. Notice is therefore hereby given that a fresh certificate will be issued in lieu of that so lost or destroyed unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, 19th Nov., 1888.
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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

The N. E. ¼ of Section 34, Township 3, in the District of New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of Joseph Hoskin 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 shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

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Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, Nov. 30, 1888.
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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, 1883," apply to said Company, and other and further amendments.

CORBOULD & McCOLL,
Solicitors for Applicants.

Dated this 23rd day of Nov., '88 no26d6w

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sixty days after date we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands, situate in Coast District, British Columbia, on Valdes Island:

1. Commencing at the S. W. corner of Lot 34, Range 1; thence north 22 chains, west 53 chains, to east boundary of Lot 17; south 20 chains, to north boundary of Lot 10; east 50 chains, to shore line of Hoakyn Inlet; thence northerly, following shore line to point of commencement—containing 565 acres.

2. Commencing at the N. E. corner of Tract No. 1, as above; thence north along west boundary of Lot 34, 41 chains, to the N. W. corner of Lot 34; thence east 6 chains, to the shore line of Village Bay Lake; thence northerly along west shore line of Village Bay Lake, about 40 chains, to a point where our Lease L crosses said lake; thence west 60 chains and 87 links, south 80 chains, east 53 chains, to point of commencement—containing 470 acres.

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ARCHIBALD DICK.
October 20th, 1888. doc24m2

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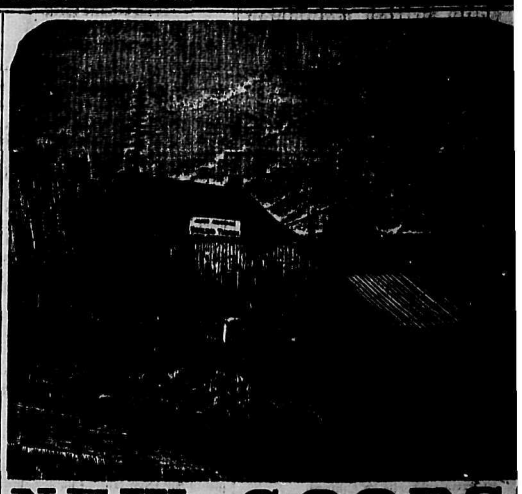

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Lost.....P. Peebles
Land Registry.....R. W. Armstrong
Notice.....Corbould & McColl

Another beautiful day after the rain.

Fresh Eastern Oysters by the can at R. J. Armstrong's. dse26tc

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

The str. Clara Young towed a boom of logs up to the Brunette Saw Mills this morning.

The Choral Union will not meet to-night as usual, owing to the bishop's indisposition.

There are no new cases of diphtheria reported and the disease may be considered as wiped out.

There was no quorum of the city council last and the meeting was adjourned till to-night at 8 o'clock.

The str. Gladys left for up-river ports this morning with a number of passengers and a full load of freight.

The new C. P. N. Co.'s steamer Islander has arrived at San Francisco and will leave for Victoria on Friday.

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

The str. Dunsmuir arrived from Nanaimo this afternoon with a load of coal. She clears on the return trip to morrow morning.

The telegraph lines to the south, last night, were prostrated by the storm in many places. The breaks were caused principally by falling trees.

Dr. Griffin's council has applied for a "writ of error" and the argument will be heard before the full bench. It is claimed an American citizen comprised one of the twelve jurymen.

Arrangements have been made with the Bank of British Columbia to accept the bills of the Imperial Bank of Canada at their several branches free of the commission, which it is customary to charge upon bills of eastern banks.

At the police court this morning Wm. Reidt, charged with making an overcharge of interest on goods pawned, was fined $10 and costs. The charge brought against Mr. S. H. Webb for using abusive language, was withdrawn by Reidt, who paid the costs.

The funeral of the late Ald. Humphries took place from Vancouver today from Mount Hermon Lodge A. F. & A. M., to the C. P. R. station. The remains were escorted to the train by, mayor and city council, the fire brigade, the members of Mount Hermon lodge in full regalia and a large concourse of citizens. The body of the deceased is being sent to Norwood, Ont., for interment.

Election of Officers.

At the regular monthly meeting of Union Lodge No. 9 A.F. & A.M. the following gentlemen were elected to office for the ensuing year: John Buie, W.M.; Alex. Charleson, S.W.; R. J. Rickman, J.W.; W. C. Coatham, secretary; B. Douglas, treasurer; W. Howay, tyler. The installation will take place on St. Johns Day, Dec. 27th, when the balance of the officers will be appointed.

Presentation and Address.

In a recent number of the *Canadian Statesman*, Bowmanville, Ont., we notice an account of a very handsome presentation and address, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Dyer, Enfield, on the occasion of their removal to another part of Ontario, from their old home, where they had resided for forty years. Much good will was expressed on all sides. Mr. and Mrs. Dyer are parents of Mrs. (Rev.) J. W. Patterson, of Alder Grove, B. C.

Dr. Griffin's Sentence.

The general topic on the streets yesterday was the sentence accorded Dr. Griffin, the opinion being that it was excessive, and that twelve or fifteen months, or at the most two years, would have served justice. There is a probability that a petition will be circulated for signature, urging that the sentence be reduced to a much smaller term. The opinion is general that the Doctor was the writer of the letters, and that his previous record was against him, but it is also conceded on all sides that the sentence should be lessened.—*Colonist.*

Shower of Angleworms.

During the tremendous rain of last night two inches of rain fell, accompanied by southerly squalls. The storm commenced shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and lasted till 6 o'clock this morning. The thermometer did not fall below 50° during the night. During the heavy rain a large number of angleworms fell, but which is not an unusual occurence in Westminister district during the rain storms at this time of the year. The thermometer stood at 56° in the shade to-day with the probability of more rain. At Vancouver the rain appeared like a shower of quills.

Thos. Sabin, of Eglington, says: "I have removed ten corns from my feet with Holloway's Corn Cure. Reader go and do likewise.

From Granite Creek.

Mr. W. C. McDougall, of Granite Creek, who has been in the city for a week, brings the latest news from that mining district. Placer mining is finished for the season and there is nothing being done at present but a little drifting, preparatory to next year's work. Some new quartz finds have been made in different parts of the district, but their richness has not yet been learned. Work will be resumed in March when it is expected a large number of new claims will be opened. The Granite Creek miners are still confident that some of the creeks will yet pan out rich.

A Big Washout.

The heavy rains last night caused the streets to run like streams and so great was the volume of water that the drains were insufficient to carry it off. The drain which runs down the hill and across Columbia street, opposite the City Hotel, having become rotten with age, caved in and the earth falling down and being washed away left a hole in the street 20 feet in diameter and 15 feet deep. Several other minor washouts occurred in the upper portion of the city. Foreman Forrest and his men were at work to-day repairing the breaks but it will be nearly a week before they are completed.

Col. Woodford's Lecture.

Mr. Woodford's course of lectures on temperance, at the Methodist church, continue to prove of great interest and the meetings every night are largely attended. Last night the church was comfortably filled and Mr. Woodford gave a very sensible and practical address on temperance and intemperance. With the latter he seems well acquainted and his knowledge of drinking habits clearly shows that he has been "through the mill" himself. A very interesting lecture is promised for to-night and all who wish to profit by it should be on hand early as the church is likely to be packed. A dozen persons signed the pledge last night.

Contempt of Court.

Some ten days ago a number of paragraphs appeared in the Victoria *Times* which reflected strongly on the honesty of Sir Mathew Baillie Begbie, insinuating, in fact, that his decision on a case could be purchased with money. The paragraphs were over the signature of "Town Major" who for some months has been in the employ of the *Times*. In obedience to a summons Mr. Templeman appeared yesterday before full bench and claimed that the remarks were written and inserted without his knowledge and that the writer had been instantly discharged. Mr. Templeman offered to apologize in any manner suggested by the court. The apology was accepted on the condition that a retraction and apology in full be published and that the defendent paid the costs. The "Town Major" never added much luster to the fame of the *Times*, and his absence from its columns is a loss no one will regret.

Vancouver Civic Nominations.

The nominations for the civic elections in Vancouver took place yesterday, when Mayor Oppenheimer was returned by acclamation to preside over civic affairs for another year. The nominations for aldermen were as follows: Ward 1, S. Brighouse, W. F. Salisbury and John Williams; Ward 2, D. L. Beckingsale, Jas. Whetham and J. W. Horne; Ward 3, F. W. Sentell, R. Clark and W. J. Brewer; Ward 4, G. S. McConnell, G. H. Lockenby and M. Castello; Ward 5, J. Oppenheimer, J. M. Lefevre and H. V. Edmonds As will be seen by the above there will be an election in every ward, and only 10 out of the 15 can be accomodated with seats at the council board. The election takes place on Saturday and is likely to be a spirited affair. His Worship Mayor Oppenheimer, in returning thanks to the electors took occasion to eulogize the memory of the late Ald. Humphries, who, he said, proved himself well worthy of the confidence of his fellow citizens.

A Veritable Bonanza.

Chas. McNicoll, of Ashcroft, who, in company with Geo. Finney, has a claim on Hat Creek, some 15 miles northwest from Ashcroft, was in town this week, and a *Sentinel* scribe learned from him that coal in paying quantities has been struck. During the past summer a 6 feet shaft has been sunk on the claim 55 feet in depth. After removing a surface covering of clay some six feet in thickness the first seam was struck, and seams of various thickness were penetrated the entire depth of the shaft. One seam was 16 feet in thickness—solid coal. It is the intention of the firm to mine during the winter with the present shaft, and next season it will be sunk another hundred feet. The coal is being used in and about Ashcroft every day, and gives entire satisfaction. Some ten tons have been delivered there already, and Mr. McNicholl says they have contracted to deliver sixty tons more during the winter, the people in that town going to give it a thorough test. The outlook is very promising for a large trade from the Ashcroft mine, and those who know Charley McNicholl will be pleased to hear of his success. Sample sacks will be forwarded to Kamloops in a few days, and we shall then be able to give a better idea of the value of the coal for cooking and heating purposes.—*Sentinel.*

PERSONAL.

Jas. Ellard returned from Victoria last evening.

Miss O'Connor has returned to-day from a ten days' visit with friends at Vancouver.

W. Dickinson returned yesterday from a holiday trip to the Harrison Hot Springs.

District Court.

Before T. C. Atkinson, P. M.

A. C. Cooper, charged with assaulting J. H. Bosustow, with intent to murder, was committed for trial.

J. H. Bosustow, charged with subornation of perjury, was committed for trial, but allowed bail on his own recognizances. He was also bound over to keep the peace for 6 months.

The charge against Bosustow and Quinton for assaulting Cooper was dismissed.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Meteorological Observations at New Westminster for November, 1888.

Mean temperature		43.9
Above November mean		3.4
Highest max		53.0
Lowest min		25.0
Mean of max		49.6
Mean of min		38.1
Rainfall in inches		7.18
Below November mean		0.72
Days rain fell		23
Greatest day's fall		1.17
Highest barometer,	14th	30.31
Lowest "	12th	29.48
Cloudy days		23
Partially cloudy		3
Clear		4
Windiest day in miles,	19th	152.0
Calmest,	8th	.27

On the 1st a beautiful prismatic halo in the zenith, reversed from the sun, 14th to 17th clear with white frosts. 13th, hail. 14th, frozen rain. 21st, snow nearly all gone from mountains. 22nd, fog images (anthelia).

A. Peele, Capt'n.

From Maple Ridge.

(Correspondence of the Columbian.)

It is a matter of gratification to all those who are interested in temperance reform to know that the Good Templars of this locality are doing their utmost to keep the ball in motion, whose momentum shall eventually overthrow the plans of those who are engaged in the liquor traffic, teaching them the truth of the old adage that: "The best laid schemes of mice and men gang aft agley."

In the spring of '84, an attempt was made to organize a lodge here, in connection with the I.O.G.T., but the promoters of the project were forced to succumb to the pressure of opposing forces; for, when the question was being agitated, public opinion, when weighed in the balance of temperance reform, was found wanting. Throughout the whole municipality of Maple Ridge only nine persons could be induced to join hand in hand and fight manfully against this great foe of modern civilization — strong drink. But the "dead past," has in very truth "buried its dead," and a new and better order of things has arisen. Although this first attempt proved a signal failure, the temperance people were not disheartened, but in September of the following year again made an urgent appeal to the people of this vicinity to aid them in carying on the work of temperance reform. Upon this occasion success crowned their efforts, and a lodge was in due time organized, which was designated by the appellation of New Era Lodge No. 14., I.O.G.T.

Since then the temperance work has gone on apace, public sentiment has become thoroughly aroused to the evils of intemperance, and the number of members of the logde has been steadily increasing in spite of the hypochondriac remarks of those who are ever ready to scoff and jeer at all who are putting forth their best efforts to drive this great evil from our midst. New Era Lodge is the happy progenitor of Maple Leaf Juvenile Temple, and here again temperance principles are being infused where it is most effectual—in the plastic mind of the young. Thus we have added to our ranks a noble corps of enthusiastic workers whose young minds have not yet been contaminated by the polluting demon that lurks in the intoxicating cup, ever ready to lure the unsuspecting victim to destruction, ever ready to gloat in fiendish glee, when the confiding innocency and purity of childhood gives place to his aggressive march.

In response to an appeal of the grand lodge an open meeting, conducted under the auspices of the Good Templars, was held in the Maple Ridge school, on Wednesday evening, 28th inst. Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the roads and the threatening aspect of the weather, a large audience assembled at an early hour to hear what the temperance people had to say. At 7.30 the meeting was called to order, the chief templar occupying the chair. The attention of the audience was captivated by an excellent programme, consisting of addresses, readings, recitations, solos and choruses. The latter were very creditably led by Miss Jennie Trembath, who had taken a leading part in the preparation of the "bill of fare" for the evening's entertainment. The members of the lodge were ably assisted by Rev. Mr. Tait, who delivered an interesting and instructive address on the evils of intemperance. Mr. Spence, whose musical talent the people of Maple Ridge are not likely to allow to remain dormant, also contributed not a little to the evening's entertainment, by singing a Scotch song. Miss Latham, of Westminster, also sang a solo, entitled "Temperance Work," the rendering of which elicited the applause of the audience. Nor must we forget to mention the maiden effort of the Juvenile Temple, who appeared en masse on the stage and sang a chorus. The blending of the childish voices, in perfect unison, was indeed an agreeable feature of the programme and called forth a storm of applause from the audience. Rev. Mr. Stephens brought forward a resolution to the effect that the municipal authorities were open to public censure for their laxity in enforcing the license act; also that a vote of thanks be tendered to the magistrates of the municipality, for their having refused to grant liquor licenses in the past. The resolution was seconded by Mr. Murray and submitted to the meeting. An opportunity was afforded for discussing the resolution, but not a word was spoken against it, and when the vote was taken the resolution was carried with great enthusiasm. Before the meeting closed the proposition book, for membership, was called into requisition, and a number consented to have their names submitted as would-be members of New Era Lodge. It was very gratifying to note the good order that prevailed throughout the evening, proving beyond a doubt, that the audience were thoroughly in sympathy with this, the second meeting of the kind held in Maple Ridge.

Shoe Dealer(to clerk)—William, why did you insist upon selling to that old gentleman who went out a pair of small, soft shoes when he called for large cowhide boots? "Well——" "I insist upon knowing." "The fact is, I call on his daughter quite frequently in the evenings."—*Philadelphia Call.*

Captain A. C. P. Haggard, a brother of the author of "She," is about to appear as a novelist also. He is a British officer, stationed at Meerut, and has already published divers dairies of military expeditions.

Miss Westend—O, Miss Tiptop, is it true that while abroad you became engaged to the Duke of Oldcastle? Miss Tiptop (reluctantly)—No, but my waiting maid got acquainted with his valet.—*Philadelphia Record.*

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

The civic municipal nominations take place at Winnipeg to day.

Judge Globensky died at Montreal last night of inflammation of the bowels.

W. W. Smith, customs officer at Killarney, has skipped over the boundary.

A well-known leather merchant of Montreal has been swindled out of $2,000 by a clever confidence man.

Chas. French, of Ottawa, butcher, took a dose of iodine and camphor in mistake for a black draught and died in terrible agony.

The reception of Lord and Lady Stanley and suite at Hamilton by thousands of citizens was most enthusiastic yesterday.

The posse of special police which went but some days ago in search of Jarvis, the murder, returned to Hamilton Sunday night haying found no trace of him.

Messrs. Osler, Q. C., and Robinson, Q. C., of Toronto, arrived at Ottawa on Friday to prepare their papers in the British Columbia arbitration case. Messrs. Cassels and Blake arrived on Monday.

It is said that Sir Charles Tupper will come to Canada to give evidence in the case of the C. P. R. vs. the queen, arising out of the transfer of the Onderdonk section of the road to the company.

It is stated on good authority that Hon. Edward Blake received a retainer of $10,000 before accepting a brief from the Canadian Pacific railway in the Manitoba railway case just concluded in the supreme court.

Deputy Sheriff Sherwood, of Ottawa, whose conduct was investigated sometime ago, has taken the matter so much to heart that it has been found necessary to remove him to an asylum at Guelph for safe keeping.

Returns from customs, inland revenue and government saviugs banks at Winnipeg for the month of Noyember are a great increase on the figures of the same month last year, showing that the trade of the country has greatly increased in volume.

In the Northwest legislature on Saturday the matter of taking a vote of the people on license vs. prohibition was settled in the negative by a vote of 13 to 7, the legal experts reporting that the legislature could not constitutionally make such a vote.

A Field, B. C., special says: The first two cars of ore from the Monarch mine were shipped west Saturday to the British Columbia Smelting Co. at Vancouver. More cars are being loaded, but it is said that the smelter at Vancouver is not yet ready for work.

Parnell, member of the firm of Sillars & Cairns, of St. Thoma's, Nfld, shot Sillars dead Sunday night, putting two bullets through his body. Sillars was wealthy and retired from business some years ago. Parnell took poison after the shooting, but is recovering.

The McLeod *Gazette* says that the Canadian Pacific entends building a road through Crow's Nest to British Columbia with a view to making it their main line. A well-known C. P. R. engineer spent considerable time this fall in the pass, and if report speaks truly, a party of C. P. R. men are even now engaged in there.

Premier Mercier, of Quebec in an interview in *L'Electeur* says that the question of taxes on churches and educational institutions will come up at the approaching session. The budget will show a considerable surplus and the revenue of the province will be greatly augmented; but no fresh taxes will be imposed. Amendments to and widening of the mining laws are under consideration. A new scheme for consolidating the provincial debt will be submitted.

Saturday morning a fire broke out in the floor of a building occupied by the McClerey Manufacturing Company, London, the largest stone and tin working establishment in the Dominion. The firemen could do nothing with it and in thirty minutes the entire main building was a roaring furnace. The loss will be in the neighborhood of $100,000. Three or four of the firemen were thrown from one of the ladders by a mass of falling debris but none were seriously injured.

Sanford Fleming received a letter from a member of the Victoria (Australia) government, which states that while local affairs generally absorb attention, the repeated breaks in the existing cables and the annoyance which follow severance from the Old World keep the cable question alive, and if the breakages continue there will soon be that union among the colonies to obtain which is the great preliminary difficulty in all Australian action. He adds that the cable issue may at any moment become vital.

Michael Vidal, formerly a member of the United States congress for the fourth Louisiana district, a well-known diplomatic agent, is now in Ottawa. Vidal has spent recent years in Italy. On being asked as to his opinion who would be elected the next Pope he said that the popular and least objectionable choice would be to elect our Canadian Cardinal Taschereau. It might not appear probable that a *French Canadian will be the immediate* successor to the present Pope, but more improbable things have happened.

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):

The Columbian	$100 00
Sharpe & Paine, Lulu Island	10 00
L P Eckstein	10 00
G D Brymner	10 00
R W Armstrong	10 00
F R Glover	10 00
Walker & Shadwell	10 00
Claud Hamber	10 00
Peter Grant	10 00
George Turner	10 00
W J Armstrong	10 00
Next!	

Daughter—Mother, I believe I'll make Charlie an angel cake. Mother—What! Before you are married? Why, child, you are crazy. How do you know but what he might eat some of it? If your poor father had eaten some of my cake before we were married you would have been compelled to seek a different parent.—*Texas Siftings.*

Mistress—I am to have company for dinner; can't you think of something nice for desert; something light and airy and high-priced? Cook—Yis, mum. How wud baker's bread do?—*Philadelphia Record.*

Tourist, to Highland seaman on board steamer passing Rothesay Bay: "I suppose there is good fishing to be got here at times?" Seaman: "Ferry coot fishing indeed at times. If you'll not get them at wan time you're sure to get them the sametime again." Tourist, who thinks he will change the conversation: "How fast does this boat travel? Seaman: "She can go half an hour in five minutes."

Dullard—Can a man get damages when he is kicked out of a house? Brightly—I guess so; I did. Dullard—How much did it amount to? Brightly—Well, I had a busted pair of pants, a battered hat, a lame spine, a doctor's bill and a few other trifles I don't recall. Oh, you can get damages enough if you are only kicked enough.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has no equal for destroying worms in children and adults. See that you get the genuine when purchasing.

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs	$ 5 50 @ 6 50
Pork	"	8 00 @ 9 00
Mutton	"	8 00 @ 9 00
Potatoes	"	50 @ 75
Cabbage	"	50 @ 1 00
Onions	"	1 00 @ 1 50
Wheat	"	1 50 @ 0 00
Oats	"	1 25 @ 1 50
Peas	"	1 50 @ 2 00
Hay,	per ton	12 00 @ 15 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb	0 28 @ 0 35
Cheese,	"	0 14 @ 0 15
Eggs,	per doz.	0 35 @ 40
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 00 @ 4 00
Apples,	per box	80 @ 1 25
Hides(gr'n)	per 100 lbs	4 00 @ 6 00
" (dry)	"	5 00 @ 9 00
Wool,	per lb	6 @ 10

Meteorological Report for Week Ending Dec. 1st, 1888.

	MAX.	MIN.	RAIN.
Sunday	47.0	40.0	0.26
Monday	43.0	33.0	0.10
Tuesday	46.0	40.0	
Wednesday	50.0	42.0	0.10
Thursday	48.0	41.0	0.16
Friday	44.0	41.0	0.24
Saturday	40.0	40.0	0.80

Cloudy, mild and damp.

A. Peele, Capt'n.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

LOST.

A SEAL-SKIN HAND SATCHEL, between St. John and Agnes Streets. The finder will be rewarded by leaving same at P. PEEBLE'S Store, Columbia Street. dde8tc

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

The 1-25th part of Lot 22, Block 3, New Westminster Suburbs.

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.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1888. dde4m1

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cl0dwlyr MASONIC BLOCK, COLUMBIA ST., NEW WESTMINSTER.

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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.

CORBOULD & McCOLL, Solicitors for Applicants.
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