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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Experience teaches: "John, dear," she said, "if I were to die, would you marry again?" "I might, my love," he replied, "but I should go a trifle less recklessly than I did before."

Says an exchange: His name was William, and he was called Bill. The old man did not like him as a suitor to his daughter and kicked him out. The next day he met the daughter and complained. The girl apologized and said that "her father was so accustomed to foot all the bills that he perhaps did it unthoughtedly."

Dr. McGlynn seems to be growing colder, not to say more reckless, says the Brooklyn *Eagle*. He was reported to have said recently, while reviewing the refusal of burial in a Catholic cemetery of one of his own and Henry George's disciples, that he would as readily have his body committed after death to the interior of a shark as to any other place.

An exchange says: Henry Scooler, a St. Louis lad, who was kidnapped three years ago, was restored to his parents this week, having been found (through the aid of a newspaper picture of him) on a farm near Cairo, Ill. After being abducted, so the boy states, he was bound out to a brickmaker in an out-of-the-way spot, reached after a fast ride of three days. He afterward ran away and engaged with a farmer, who saw the cut in a St. Louis paper, and thinking it resembled his little employe, looked into the matter.

The other day, Mr. Harrison, president-elect of the United States, went to a friend's farm to look at a pair of horses he thought of purchasing. One of the big American papers makes nearly a column of this, giving minute details of the trip—of the time the party spent at lunch, and so forth, and capping the climax of its absurdity by gravely assuring its readers that the members of the party were "dumb as oysters" when questioned as to whether Mr. Harrison, had closed the bargain or not! Brother Jonathan had better kill off a few of his own fools before he sneers any more at John Bull's worship of "big wigs."

The Greek town of Castri is to be bought out in order that enthusiastic explorers may excavate the site of the ancient temple of Apollo at Delphi. To buy out the town will cost $75,000, and this sum, together with a similar one for the American College at Athens, Professor Norton, of Harvard, is now trying to raise in the United States. At a meeting the other evening in New York the professor, on learning that two gentlemen were willing to start the subscription list with a thousand dollars each, regretted that the first donation was not to be twenty thousand. The rage for digging up ancient remains in the east has hardly reached that stage of intensity in the classic city of New York.

There has been much talk, says an exchange, of the infamies alleged to be commonly practised in "dens" in the Wisconsin woods. Girls are said to be retained against their will in these places, maintained for rough and vicious men whose employment takes them away from towns into the forest regions of the state. There have been heartrending stories of helpless girls trying to effect an escape and being traced by blood hounds and brought back. Denials and reiterations of these atrocities have followed quick upon each other during the past year, and now the Wisconsin legislature has done the best thing it could have done in the matter. It has ordered an investigation which will settle definitely the truth or falsity of the charges.

Governor Foraker, of Ohio, having undertaken to make excuses for the "White Caps," saying, *inter alia*, that "many of them are respectable citizens," the *Inter-Ocean's* bystander goes for him in this sensible style: If the "White Caps" are "respectable and responsible citizens" they know exactly what they were doing and should be held responsible all the more rigidly. It is the respectable elements of such a conspiracy that make it dangerous. It was the ministers, lawyers, doctors, and respectable planters of the south who made the Kuklux Klan a thing of unexampled terror. And it was the folly of compromising with them, promising them immunity, which enabled them to gather power sufficient to defy the governments of the various states and finally overthrow and destroy them. It is "respectable" criminals who most deserve punishment, and whose punishment is most valuable to a community. The weak, ignorant, and depraved—the habitual criminal—expects to be punished, and his fate awakens little attention. The punishment of the "respectable and responsible" violators of the law is the only assertion of power that gives dignity and respect to a state.

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PRINCE RUDOLPH

Crown Prince of Austria Committed Suicide, Shooting Himself with a Revolver.

The Parliamentary Commission Reports the British Navy Unsuitable for Modern Warfare.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" Makes a Telling Attack on Prince Bismarck.

RUDOLPH SUICIDED.

VIENNA, Feb. 1.—Conflicting rumors regarding the cause of the Crown Prince Rudolph's death are set at rest *to-day by an official statement in the Wiener Zeitung* that the prince committed suicide with a revolver. The physicians appointed to enquire into the cause of death discovered a large wound in his head which had caused instant death.

THE ROYAL SUICIDE.

VIENNA, Feb. 1.—The *Wiener Zeitung* states this morning an autopsy was performed last night on the remains of the Crown Prince Rudolph by Dr. Wiederhofer. A wound was found in the side of the head sufficient to have killed the prince. The revolver with one chamber discharged was found lying on the bed near the dead man's right hand. It is therefore concluded that *Rudolph suicided*. The bones of the skull were shattered as though by a bullet, no one, however, heard the report of the revolver, as everyone belonging to the castle were outside, preparing for a shooting excursion. It is now stated by those about the prince that recently he has been morbid and nervous and therefore the statement is made by the *Vienna Press* that the prince was undoutedly temporarily deranged. The prince had for some time previous to his death been suffering enormous headache, attributed to an injury to the head received recently in falling from a horse. The *Boudyester* correspondence says Rudolph had thrice given orders to his attache, Herr Von Szogyenyi, to arrange his private papers as if preparatory to death.

IMPORTANT CHANGES.

DUBLIN, Feb. 1.—The *Freemans' Journal* says Lord Salisbury is treating with Lord Hartington with a view to inducing him to accept the premiership, Salisbury to retain the office of secretary for foreign affairs, and that the Right Honorable Wm. Henry Smith, at present government leader in the house of commons, be raised to the peerage.

ARRESTED FOR PERJURY.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Patrick Malloy, a noted Fenian, was arrested at Liverpool to-day on a charge of perjury in connection with his recent testimony before the Parnell Commission.

THE AUSTRIAN SUCCESSION.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—There is no basis for the theories that the succession to the throne of Austria would fall to any other than the rich Duke Carl Ludwig, eldest brother of the emperor. The Salic law, which obtains in Austria, debars the daughter of the late crown prince, and Carl Ludwig becomes incontestibly his heir apparent. The emperor could not change the succession if he desired to do so.

SMALLEY'S CABLE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—G. W. Smalley cables the *Tribune*: "Prince Rudolph was well-known in London, and when here ten years ago he was admired in the Marlborough House set as the only man who could stand more, sit up later and keep going longer than the Prince of Wales. His relations to the last with the Prince of Wales continued intimate and they became more so when the English heir apparent sided with the Austrian heir apparent in his quarrel with the German emperor. If Prince Rudolph's death has any political effect it is likely to be in drawing Austria and Germany closer. The Arch Duke Louis, who succeeds, is little known outside of his own country. The prince was popular in Austria. His abilities were believed in and he was thought to possess cultured and even literary tastes. His wife, the Princess Stephanie of Belgium, would long since have divorced him but for reasons and influences of state, which made the scandal of an imperial divorce impossible. This is domestic detail, which little, if at all, diminishes the regret felt or expressed all over Europe for the death of the heir to one of the greatest and most difficult of European thrones.

UNFAVORABLE REPORT.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The special parliamentary commission appointed to enquire into the late naval manœuvres report that the ships, with few exceptions, are unsuitable for modern warfare and the existing fleet would be unable to hold the seas against the enemy.

JEM MACE ACCEPTS.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Jem Mace has accepted Mitchell's challenge to box for £500 a side with small gloves.

SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The strike of the Clyde seamen is spreading. Arriving crews are joining the movement.

RATHER SENSATIONAL.

LONDON, Feb. 1.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* learns from a private despatch from Vienna that Rudolph suicided in accordance with an agreement he made with a prince of one of the highest families in Austria. The despatch states that Rudolf seduced the prince's sister. She told her brother of her disgrace and the latter sought out the crown prince and gave him the option of killing himself or fighting a duel with him. Rudolf chose the former to avoid the open disgrace of the latter. The physicians, after viewing the body, refused to certify that the prince died of apoplexy, whereupon an exciting scene occurred. One of the physicians informed the *New Fris Pres* of the affair, hence the publication for which the paper is confiscated.

ATTACK ON BISMARCK.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Sir Robert Morier having waited in vain for permission to leave his post as ambassador at St. Petersburg in order to come home and explain the untruthfulness of the charges brought against him by Prince Bismarck, has grown restless and has evidently determined to return the German attack with the same kind of weapons that were used against him. The is no longer any doubt about the authorship of the *Cotemporary Review's* article on "The Bismarckian dynasty." Mr. Stead, the editor of the *Pall Mall Gazette*, wrote the article, but in all probability its pointed attack on Prince Bismarck was inspired by Sir Robert Morier, who thus is enabled to pay off his score in part at least. Mr. Stead is known to be a firm friend of the ambassador and has heartily defended him throughout all the recent affair.

The *Pall Mall Gazette*, in a leader to-day on the death of the Crown Prince Rudolph, says: "The sudden and mysterious death of Prince Rudolph has removed from the scene another one of those personalities whose existence was inimical to the execution of the plans of Prince Bismarck. In the middle ages such a run of fatalities would be ascribed to supernatural agencies. Prince Rudolph did not love Prince Bismarck, nor did he relish the superior airs affected by the Kaiser William. It is openly declared that if Prince Rudolph had ascended the throne of Austria, his foreign policy would have been as Russian as that of his father is German. It is asserted that the crown prince literally trembled at the mention of Prince Bismarck's name, his dread of him was so great."

DEATH OF PRINCE RUDOLPH.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The *Times*, referring to Prince Rudolph, says: "The sterner qualities which the throne required he could not show till the time of trial came, but he had intellectual and social gifts. Those who saw him in London at the Jubilee, when the Queen conferred upon him the order of the Garter, must feel a natural pang to hear that he is cut off in the flower of his age with such fearful suddenness." The *Standard* says: "All that the world knew of him was in his favor. The shock will be felt in Europe far outside the limit of his empire. The shattered hopes of his parents present a picture that might touch the stoutest heart."

THE BISMARCK DYNASTY.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The *Contemporary Review* publishes an article entitled "The Bismarck Dynasty." It comes from a high authority although it is accompanied by no signature. It begins by saying that Prince Bismarck cannot live long and quotes the remark of the American minister at Berlin, made five years ago, "that he was surprised that the chancellor was preparing no one to succeed him." Prince Bismarck, waking suddenly to this idea, the article says, began to prepare his son, Count Herbert, for this purpose. Count Herbert Bismarck's youthful, brawls and quarrels and his latter intrigues, including some disgraceful occurrences, in one of which he received a sword cut in the head, are reviewed. The Bismarckian contempt for women, accentuated by the quarrel which concerned a woman and by another intrigue afterwards, are represented by the article as the origin of all that is baneful in the character of young Bismarck. When the Emperor Frederick died, Count Herbert is credited with saying that "we shall have no more petticoats in politics now." The writer of the article dismisses as monstrous the insinuation that Prince Bismarck meditated the death of the late emperor when he insisted on the latter's removal from San Remo to Berlin, but says that Prince Bismarck feared that his ascendency would be menaced by the Empress Frederick. The chancellor also said that from the Emperor Frederick's refusal to discuss state matters with Count Herbert, it was useless to hope that the latter would ever be the Emperor Frederick's chancellor. "Who, then," continues the article, "could be surprised had Prince Bismarck wished the cancer to make haste?" Referring to the dismissal of Minister Von Puttkamer by the Emperor Frederick, the article asserts that Prince Bismarck could scarcely decide whether it was wisest to resist or to gratify the Emperor Frederick's desire. Even after advising him to sign the decree of dismissal it says that as soon as the decree was published the chancellor told the emperor that he had done it too late. The emperor's diary confirms this statement. The article asserts that Prince Bismarck had a compact with the present emperor to oppose the marriage of the Princess Victoria to Prince Alexander of Battenburg. The writer also criticises the present emperor in a severe manner. It calls him an apt pupil of a cynical master who allowed no sentiment or moral difficulty to stand in the way of his treating his mother in a manner worthy of Bismarck himself and whose treatment of the Prince of Wales was eminently discourteous. The article goes freely into the Geffcken-Morier affair but reveals nothing new.

PRINCE RUDOLPH'S DEATH.

VIENNA, Jan. 31.—The *Fremdenblatt* says that on Tuesday, when the Crown Prince Rudolph returned from shooting, he complained of his headache and returned to his room to write a letter. He awoke on Wednesday before 7 and ordered his breakfast to be brought up to him. His valet on entering the room with the breakfast found the prince dead in bed. Count Hogas and Prince Philip of Coburg, who were Prince Rudolph's guests, rushed to the prince's chamber when the valet told them the prince was dead. Count Hogas, attired in his hunting costume, immediately went with all speed to Vienna and acquainted the Emperor Francis Joseph with the sad news. The count was closeted for some time with his Majesty, who directly after the interview hastened to inform the empress, whose grief upon learning of her son's death was terrible. Both the emperor and empress then went to the apartments of Crown Princess Stephanie and told her of her husband's death. Princess Stephanie insisted upon going immediately to Mierling, where the prince lay dead, and the united efforts of the emperor and empress were hardly able to prevent her. They were finally successful, however, and the emperor then remained alone until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when he ordered the body of the prince to be brought to Vienna.

O. Bortle, of Manchester, Ontario Co., N. Y., writes: "I obtained immediate relief from the use of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I have had asthma for eleven years. Have been obliged to sit up all night for ten or twelve nights in succession. I can now sleep soundly all night on a feather bed, which I had not been able to do previously to using the Oil.

THE HAYTIEN WAR

Major Porter, an American, will be Given Command of President Legitime's Army.

Germany Backs Down and will Withdraw Her Troops from Samoa Forthwith.

The Great Street Car Strike in New York and Brooklyn is Practically Ended.

AID FOR LEGITIME.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Major David Porter, son of Legitime, is to help subdue the *northernors under Hippolyte*. He says he is to have charge of the entire forces of Legitime.

DRINK DID IT.

LAKEPORT, Cal., Feb. 1.—Andrew Makin, a young barber, who has been drinking heavily for several days, and who had lost his position on that account, killed his wife yesterday by cutting her throat and then cut his own, but he is still living and in jail

A SAD CASE.

SPOKANE FALLS, Feb. 1.—The house of Bollinger was destroyed by fire at 11 o'clock last night, and Bollinger's two children, aged one and three years fourteen months, were burned to death. Bollinger was in a neighboring saloon playing cards at time and his wife had left the house and gone to the saloon after him.

THE DYNAMITE GUN.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—The official test of Sealinkin's dynamite gun, which throws a 500 pound shell over a mile and a 200 pound shell nearly two miles, has been satisfactory to the examining board and it is said the board will recommend its acceptance by the government.

STREET CARS RUNNING.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 1.—Four cars were run on the 5th avenue line this morning. They were filled with police and six hundred police were distributed along the line. No serious trouble was experienced and arrangements have been made to keep the cars running until 5 o'clock.

PASSENGER LIST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 1.—Passengers per str. Umatilla for Victoria: A. Hansen and wife, J. Davis, J Smith, W. H. Castile, W. H. Stevens and wife, and Miss C. Douglass.

THE SITUATION.

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Early morning reports from the street car tie-up in this city to police head quarters are that quiet prevails at all the stables. Fourth, 6th and 3rd. avenue cars are running without molestation. The 23rd and 42nd streets and Broadway lines are running out cars and have had no trouble so far. The general tie-up threatened in Brooklyn this morning did not occur. The quiet with which the day began still continues. At 1 o'clock the lines running cars had not been molested and no disturbances are reported. All are quiet in Brooklyn.

KILRAIN CHALLENGED

LONDON, Feb. 1.—Jem Smith has challenged Kilrain for another battle for £500 a side.

A GREAT COMPANY.

AUGUSTA, ME., Feb. 1.—A bill has been introduced in the legislature to incorporate the Persian railroad company, *for the purpose of constructing* railways in Persia, to build steamships and operate steamboat lines between points in any country, and to build and maintain telegraph and telephone lines and electric lighting plants in Persia.

GERMANY BACKS DOWN.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The president notified congress that Count Arco Valley, the German minister, informed the state department this morning that the German troops would be withdrawn from Samoa and the neutrality of Samoa preserved.

THE SAMOAN MATTER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The senate adopted a resolution of the foreign committee to enquire into the condition of Samoa and report what measures are needed to protect American interests and discharge the obligations of the U. S. to the Samoans in the maintenance of local government free from exclusive interference of any power to secure the rights of the U. S. to the future control of the island.

SAMOAN MATTERS IN THE SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—In the senate to-day consideration of the Samoan clauses of the diplomatic and consular bill was resumed. Reagan spoke of the amendment proposed by him to the clause appropriating $500,000 to enable the president to carry out the stipulations with Samoa. His amendment provides that the money shall be used to protect the rights of American citizens in the island and to preserve the neutrality and independence of the people thereof. Reagan said congress should tell the president precisely what to do in the matter, and leave nothing more to his discretion, which, he says, he has exhausted. Reagan said he agreed with Frye that no third rate power in Europe would have stood the insults which Germany has put upon the United States.

PRISONERS ESCAPE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Patrick Fitzgerald, Patrick Guerin and Edward Farney, convicts, escaped from the state prison at San-Quinton this morning by placing a ladder against the wall of the yard and getting over and disappearing in the dense fog.

REWARD OFFERED.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 31.—Governor Eagle sent a message to the legislature to-day stating that he had offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the assassin of J. M. Clayton, who was murdered the other day, and asking the authorities to increase the reward. The senate passed a bill authorizing the governor to offer a reward of $5,000.

Mr. T. C. Wells, Chemist and Druggist, Port Colborne, Ont., writes: "Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure sells well, and gives the best of satisfaction for all diseases of the blood." It never fails to root out all diseases from the system, cures Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, etc., purifies the blood, and will make you look the picture of health and happiness.

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Daily British Columbian

Friday Evening, Feb. 1, 1889.

Yesterday we laid the proposition of the Coquitlam Water Works Co. to the city council before our readers. By comparing these proposals with those made by the same company in May, 1888, it will be seen that this last proposition is by long odds the most favorable for the city. Last year the Coquitlam Water Works Co. asked that in consideration of the city being "allowed the free use of hydrants for fire purposes, sprinkling the streets and flushing the sewers," the company should be given "the proceeds of an annual rate of one-half of one per cent. on the value of the assessment roll," which being $862,511, would mean an annual guarantee from the city of something over $4,000. Provision was also made that the city might "after thirty years purchase the works within the city limits, together with the right of independent access to the source of supply over the ground covered by the company's right of way, at a valuation to be determined by arbitration." The proposals submitted to the council on Monday last ask for an annual guarantee of $2,000 only, and provide that, after the expiration of ten years the city should have the privilege of acquiring the works "upon such reasonable terms as may be agreed upon by mutual consent." An alternative proposal allows the city to become the controlling shareholder in the company's stock. Several of the recently elected aldermen have declared themselves, before election, as in favor of the city owning its own water works from the start. This is admirable as a theory, irrespective of circumstances; but it is to be hoped that the city council as a whole will not allow itself to attach to mere theories any undue weight when considering the propositions of the Coquitlam Water Works Co. now before it. We believe that these are favorable, the first particularly, and would urge upon the council, in the interests of the city, the advisability of directing their best efforts towards bringing about some arrangement with the Coquitlam Water Works Co., on the lines already proposed. To refuse to consider, or to reject, the proposals above, without good and sufficient reasons, would be a foolish act for the city, for the following considerations: The water supply of the Coquitlam Lake is unequaled, both as regards quantity, quality, and the pressure obtainable by gravitation. The city is urgently in need, on sanitary grounds—and this is a need that is increasing every day with its growth—not only of a pure and uncontaminatable water supply, but of a thorough system of sewerage (the latter being dependent, of course, upon an ample water supply), as is evidenced by cases of sickness that exist at present, and are continually recurring, in our midst. Westminster also requires better fire protection, and by means of a gravitation system of water works this would be secured most effectually, and, at the same time, insurance rates would be lowered nearly one half. We would have the most convenient possible means for sprinkling all the streets, when this was required. To sum up, Westminster would have nearly perfect sanitary conditions, ample fire protection, low insurance rates, conveniences for street and lawn sprinkling, and the best of water *for domestic purposes, all over the* city, and as a natural result, largely enhanced values in all city property. And, lastly, by no imaginable scheme that we can conceive of, can all these desirable ends be obtained so speedily, satisfactorily, and cheaply, for the city, as by closing with one or other of, what appears to us to be, the fair and reasonable proposals of the Coquitlam Water Works Co., submitted to the council at their last meeting. We hope the council may see their way clear to entertaining favorably one or other of the propositions mentioned, or else be able to furnish satisfactory reasons for not doing so.

The following from the Tacoma *Ledger*, is so refreshingly candid as to the United States' real status as a naval *power!* (save the mark), that we republish it, more especially in view of the increasingly ticklish state of affairs in Samoa, consequent upon Germany's declaration of war against King Mataafa. These remarks of the *Ledger* emphasize very strikingly what is generally known about the big republic's disgraceful apology for a navy, and will assist the intelligent reader in determining in advance, pretty accurately, what the policy of the United States must be, even if the emboldened Germans go so far as to pluck a feather from the "eagle's" wing. "It is useless to disguise the fact," says the *Ledger*, "that the controversy between the United States and Germany, concerning the Samoan Isles, begins to assume a very threatening aspect. This arises from the large pretensions made by our government and the petty means it possesses of enforcing respect from foreign nations. For a *quarter of a century, we have transa*cted national business on the Mongolian theory that ours is the greatest nation in the world, and that the whole world is afraid of us. Ships, cannons, forts and marines we have considered entirely unnecessary. Big talk was to supply the place of all usual facilities for maintaining national dignity. Our population, our money, and certain rolls of ancient parchment called "treaties," have been our reliance. The "Monroe doctrine" has been another paper bulwark. What did the small but martial power of Greece care for the gold, the population and the magnificence of the the Persian empire? The Greeks knocked the empire into pieces, took possession of the gold, and ruled the vast population at pleasure. They cared nothing for old arrangements and ancient things, because they had the military machinery to enable them to do as they pleased. The United States cannot hold its proper position among the nations of the earth without complying with the conditions. We have kept Great Britain at bay for the reason that Canada would be defenseless against the soldiers we could muster and arm. We have no defense against other naval powers. A few years ago we talked big to the little nation of Chili, which we have always regarded with contemptuous condescension. Chili was not frightened, but defiant. It was then discovered that Chili had a war vessel that could sink the whole American navy, and destroy every city on the Atlantic or Pacific seaboard. As a natural consequence we had to pursue a pusillanimous course—in common parlance, "take water." When there was danger of a war with Spain, the only war policy it was ascertained that we could pursue was that of loading troops on a large fleet of unarmed transports and have them run the gauntlet of the Spanish iron-clads around Cuba. It will be claimed that congress is building a navy "as fast as it can." That if the navy should be built any faster much money would be stolen. If we are such a nation of thieves that we can't build a navy as soon as we need it, for fear that most of the money would be stolen, or if we care more for our money than we do our national honor, then we have lost our position among the nations of *the earth.* We cannot bully Germany or any other strong nation. If we try it our pride will be promptly humbled and our vaunted surplus will be cargoed over to fill the coffers of the German empire. If we are unwilling to promptly put ourselves in a position *not only* for defense, but vigorous offense, then let us make some country a present of the Monroe doctrine, and closely mind our own business and let the isles of the ocean take care of themselves." The *Ledger* is to be commended for its candid utterance of even the foregoing humiliating facts; for the motive is, no doubt, purely patriotic, and the surest way to obtain a remedy for a bad state of things is to point out the dire necessity that exists for a cure. It need hardly be expected that the American nation, knowing its present vulnerableness on the water so well, will allow itself to be drawn into actual hostilities with Germany over Samoan affairs, if such an eventuality can possibly be avoided.

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Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between T. J. and S. S. Manahan, as the firm of Manahan Brothers, Brickmakers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.
New Westminster, Jan. 22, 1889. 22jaim

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A. F. COTTON, Sec.
J. S. CLUTE, Treas.
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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 "New Westminster Act, 1888."
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CORBOULD & McCOLL, Solicitors for Applicants.
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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

Part of the South-East Quarter of Section 12, Township 2, in the District of New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of William Pollard to the above mentioned hereditaments 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 in the stead of that so lost or destroyed will be issued unless cause to the contrary be shewn within one month from the date hereof.
R. W. ARMSTRONG, Deputy Registrar.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, Jan. 26, 1889.
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Lot 145, Delta Municipality, 20 acre tract; $30 per acre.

Northwest ¼ Section 4, Township 7, Surrey Municipality (Hall's Prairie), 160 acres, prairie land, not subject to overflow, suitable for farm or fruit raising; price $2,500, on easy terms of payment.

Part Lot 262 and 276, Group 1, New Westminster District (Pitt Meadows), containing 140 acres, consisting of prairie and high land, with improvements; $2,100.

Southeast portion of Lot 386, New Westminster District, Group 1, containing 50 acres, suitable for fruit growing, not heavily timbered, stream of water runs through the property; price, $30 per acre.

New Westminster Suburbs.

Lots 7 and 8, Block XIV, New Westminster suburbs, containing 16 acres, well adapted for dairy or market garden, good stream of water runs through portion of property; price, $1000 each.

Lot 13, Block III, Sapperton, containing 5 acres, fine black loam, partly cleared; price, $1500.

Block IX, Lot 5, subdiv. Lot 3, containing 1½ acres; $300.

Block IX, Lot 4, acre lots in this subdiv. at $250 per acre.

Block IX, Lot 7, 10 one acre lots at $200 per acre.

Block X, Lot 9, lots 66 x 132, fronting on Douglas Road and Melbourne street, splendid situation, at $200 per lot.

Block X, Lot 14; lots in this subdivision, situated on Melbourne street in close proximity to St. Andrew's Square, at $200 per lot.

Block XIII, Lot 19; choice lots ranging from $120 to $150 per lot.

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CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS are hereby warned against negotiating two certain promissory notes made by William Trethewey and Gustav Hauck conjointly on the 17th day of May last in favor of Mrs. M. A. Trethewey of the Mission, Fraser River, for $235.00 and $200.00 respectively. These notes have been satisfied on the 29th of June last and have so far been withheld from me by Mrs. Trethewey under the plea that they are misland.
GUSTAV HAUCK.
Ladner's Landing, Jan. 1, 1889. dwja2m

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
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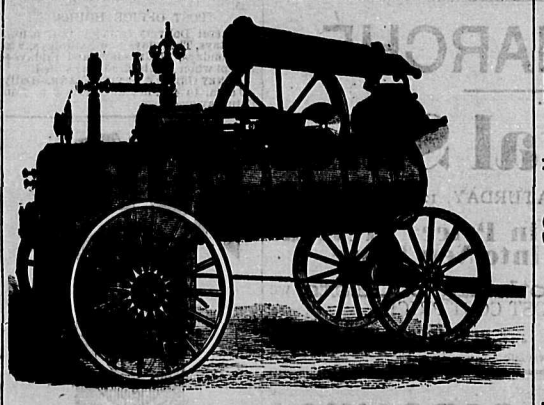

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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

The Easterly Half of Subdivision E of Lot 391, Group II, New Westminster District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Frederick B. McDonald 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, 7th Jan., 1889.
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AMATEUR FARMING.

How to Propagate Hens, Together with Some Habits of the Bird.

I intend to discourse on the delights of amateur farming—the raising of cabbages at $3.50 a head—although, to tell the truth, I never cultivated any quite so economically as that, writes Luke Sharp in the Detroit *Free Press*. His paper, excellent as it is, ought to have an amateur farming column. I have felt that for some time, and now, as the horniest-handed son of the soil on the sheet, I throw myself into the chasm like that Roman fellow, armor and all.

My experiences in farming have been somewhat different from those you read of in the many excellent agricultural papers we have. The correspondents of those journals make money on their farms. I never did. They show how $3.40 invested in chickens in the spring amount to $1,364.50, besides having all the eggs the family could use, and at the end of the year a great many surplus fowls. I have gone over these statements in detail and figured them up and they were without flaw, but I never could make the problem come out right in practice. The dog ate up several, to begin with. When I killed the dog some new kind of epidemic that was fond of chickens came along. Then some were stolen and the rest got tired of me and went away to a neighbor who could understand and sympathize with their various moods. They refused to lay in the nice comfortable boxes I provided, but preferred to go out to the back fields, accumulate a wealth of eggs and then sit on them. Finally the hen would become weary of the sedentary business when she found seclusion and inactivity telling on her health, and would basely abandon the eggs, when a little more close attention to the occupation would have resulted in complete and multitudinous success. Their conduct in the matter of laying was most ungenerous. When eggs were twenty-five cents a dozen the hens would go on strike, when eggs were down to about eight cents then they all became industrious. Fowls seem much more fond of gardening than I am. I hate to work in a garden; they don't. Nothing delights a hen so much as to undertake the entire supervision and cultivation of a newly-planted garden. If I could only peg away with half the industry they do I would be one of the richest market gardeners in America. They are at it early and late and they cultivate the ground in a beautiful way that leaves it quite ready for planting something else. The first time I planted seeds in the garden they never came up. "Too deep," a neighbor told me. But that was before I kept hens. When the hens got right down to business the seeds came right up every time. Hens always have a great crop. I never succeeded in raising any crop but weeds. Canada thistles are my specialty. My neighbor says he never knew any one who was so successful in raising Canada thistles as I am. In fact, my farming has caused a great deal of comment in the neighborhood. I am surrounded by old-time farmers who never before saw agriculture carried on by scientific methods. I go by the advice of the agricultural journals and hand-books of horticulture. They don't. They believe in planting certain things in certain stages of the moon. I have ridiculed the moon theories a good deal, but as their crops come up and mine don't, except what the hens resurrect of them, I am beginning to think that perhaps there is something in the moon besides the man.

But to return to the hens. My hens are a particularly high-toned variety. It is always best to go in for the most expensive kinds (see Handbook of Fowl Culture, page 98). There is no money in the common kinds; every body raises them. I got a dozen of very much warranted eggs. The hens that laid those eggs had taken prizes at three State fairs and I don't know how many smaller shows. When you get expensive eggs you can put a cheap hen on them and the chickens are warranted to be just as good as if a ten-dollar hen did the sitting. I bought a fifty-cent hen that was in the sitting business—so the man told me. I never found out just what objection that cheap hen had to those dear eggs, but she positively refused to sit on them. Probably she thought any thing so expensive should not be sat down on. I tried to coax and even to coerce her, but she persisted in walking around on those eggs and protesting at the top of her voice. I assured her that chickens were not accumulated in that way, but it was no use. She seemed to think it was an omelet we wanted, for she broke several of the eggs. I noticed in reading the agricultural journals that many of the best farming inventions have been constructed first by enterprising amateurs. I desire here to call the attention of those useful papers to my setting hen attachment. The eggs were in a nice nest that rested in a wooden box. In the bottom of this box I bored a couple of two-inch auger holes. Through these I put the two legs of the fluttering and indignant hen and pulled on the legs until the hen fitted nice and snug on the eggs. Then I tied the legs together underneath the box. It was a great scheme. Even if she flew away with the box and all she would still be sitting on the eggs.

Unfortunately my summer vacation came on at that time and I went away and forgot all about that hen for two weeks. She stuck to the deck like Casablanca and her fate was similar. A farmer should never take a vacation. A hen is just as contrary when she makes up her mind to sit as when she makes up her mind not to. She generally resolves to go in sitting session about the time when there isn't a sitable egg within miles of the premises. She is mad all the time and goes around with her wings scraping on the ground.

It is said that dousing a sitting hen in water will cure her of the mania. It will if you keep her under water long enough—say twenty minutes.

That's all I know about hens.

A Help for Harvard Students.

A new help for student-work is for a professor to gather out of the whole library such books (no matter how many) as he wishes his classes especially to study. These are put in an alcove under his name; his pupils have access to them all day, and take them over night, returning them next morning. This plan is new, but it grows in favor. In 1880 thirty-five teachers thus reserved 3,330 books. In 1886 fifty-six teachers reserved 5,840 books. All books lent out numbered in 1880, 41,986; in 1886, 60,195. This rate of increase greatly outruns that of the number of students. It speaks of an increasing industry and productiveness. And the best thing about the intellectual life here is that it is hopeful and not timid—it looks forward.

A Mule's Consistency.

A rich man had a piece of land upon which a poor mule was grazing. "I shall harness you," said the man to the mule, "and make you plow this land to grow melons on, of which I am very fond, while the stalks will supply you with food." To which the mule replied: "If I consent to toil on your plan you will have all the melons and I will be worse off than I am now, inasmuch as I will have to eat dry stalks instead of fresh green grass. I'll not do it, sir." "How unreasonable you are," remonstrated the land owner; "your father never had any food but thistles, and yet worked sixteen hours a day without grumbling." "Alas! that is true," retorted the mule, "but you know, my father was an ass."

Knowledge and Pleasure.

Pleasure is a shadow, but knowledge is ecstatic in enjoyment, perennial in fame, unlimited in space, and infinite in duration. In the performance of its great offices it fears no danger, spares no expense, looks into the volcano, dives into the ocean, perforates the earth, wings its flight into the skies, enriches the globe, explores sea and land, contemplates the distant, examines the minute, comprehends the great, ascends to the sublime—no place too remote for its grasp, no sphere too exalted for its reach.

—The old ill-feeling existing between England and Scotland is often shown in the Scotch anecdotes.

An Englishman was once grumbling against the land o'cakes. Said he: "No man of taste would ever think of remaining any length of time in such a country as Scotland."

"Tastes differ," replied the Scotchman. "I'll take ye to a place ca'd Bannockburn, no far frae Stirling, where thretty thousand o' your countrymen had been for 500 years, an' they've nae thocht o' leavin' yet."

SLIPS OF THE TONGUE.

Amusing and Embarrassing Blunders Caused by Accident or Stupidity.

"I never open my mouth but I put my foot in it," was the curious complaint of some unlucky wight, who might have received consolation had he reflected on the number of offenders that daily keep him company. A writer in *Chambers' Journal* tells of a number of bulls as much amusing. The guardsman's remark to the English nobleman who was in the habit of affably conversing with soldiers, "I like you, my lord; there is nothing of a gentleman about you," offers an example of the kind. "How many deaths?" asked a hospital physician. "Nine." "Why, I ordered medicine for ten." "Yes; but one would not take it," was the startling reply. "Hillo! where are you going at this time of night?" said a gentleman to his servant. "You are after no good, I'll warrant." "Please, sir, mistress sent me for you, sir," was the response. A gentleman said to the waiter of his club: "Michael, if I should die, would you attend my funeral?" "Willingly, sir," was the hasty answer. "Well, Michael, that isn't very complimentary." "No, sir, I didn't mane that, sir; I wouldn't be seen there, sir," was the waiter's consolatory reply.

A child may often be expected to put his or her heedless little foot in it, as the phrase goes. For instance, a youngster one day begged an invitation to dinner at the house of a friend with whom he had been playing. At the table his hostess anxiously inquired: "Charlie, can you cut your own meat?" "Humph!" said the youngster, who was sawing away, "can't I! I've cut up quite as tough meat as this at home!" People who are destitute of tact might take warning from such juvenile malaprops, but such does not often appear to be the case, judging by the numerous examples to the contrary.

A millionaire railway king has a brother who is hard of hearing, while he himself is remarkable as having a very prominent nose. Once the railway king dined at a friend's house when he sat between two ladies, who stalked to him very loudly, rather to his annoyance, but he said nothing. Finally one of them shouted a commonplace remark, and then said in an ordinary tone to the other: "Did you ever see such a nose in all your life?" "Pardon me, ladies," said the millionaire, "it's my brother who is deaf." You can imagine the horror of the lady who indulged in such personal remarks, yet she was no more awkwardly placed than the hero of the following: When dining at a certain castle a Mr. T——, after the ladies retired, remarked to a gentleman present that the lady who sat on his right was the ugliest woman he had ever seen. "I am sorry to hear," said the gentleman, "that you think that my wife is so ill-looking." "Oh, no, sir; I meant the lady who sat on my left; I made a mistake." "Well, sir, she is my sister."

Alluding to newspapers, it may be remarked that advertisers and unpracticed writers therein through ambiguity of words and phrases often commit absurdities that may be touched on as further illustrating our subject. A country paper once related how, "during the celebration, a child was run over wearing a short dress, which never spoke afterward." In the description of the doings of a mad dog it is said that "he bit a horse on the leg, which has since died." An account of a funeral says: "The remains were committed to that bourne from which no traveler returns attended by his friends."

It is not surprising that foreigners sometimes fail to catch all the shades of meaning to our words. A Frenchman translated Shakespeare's line, "Out, brief candle," by: "Get out, you short candle." And the expression, "With my sword I will carve my way to fortune," was rendered: "With my sword I will make my fortune cutting meat."

Advertisers often give us amusing specimens of composition, of which this is an example: "Lost by a poor lad tied up in a brown paper with a white string a German flute with an overcoat on and several other articles of wearing apparel." A miller attempted to testify to the merits of a powder for destroying vermin by saying: "A fortnight ago I was full of rats, and now I don't think I have one."

Examples more of the "bull" genus also come under the title of this paper as cases in point. For instance, a newspaper was running a serial story called "The Truth." One week, so much space being devoted to other matters, the editor was unable to continue the story, so made the following announcement, containing perhaps more truth than any other item in the paper: "The Truth' was crowded out of this issue on account of the press of more important matter."

A bashful gentleman who visited a school kept by a young lady was asked by the teacher to say a few words to the pupils. This was his speech: "Scholars, I hope you will always love your school and teacher as much as I do." A tableau of giggling pupils and a blushing teacher attested the effectiveness of his words.

The lecturer put his foot in it as thoroughly when he prefaced his discourse upon the rhinoceros with: "I must beg you to give me your undivided attention; indeed, it is absolutely impossible that you could form a true idea of the hideous animal of which we are about to speak, unless you keep your eyes fixed on me." A certain preacher, discoursing upon Bunyan and his works, caused a titter among his hearers by exclaiming: "In these days, my brethern, we want more Bunyans." Another clergyman, pleading earnestly with his parishioners for the construction of a cemetery for their parish, asked them to consider the "deplorable condition of thirty thousand Christian Englishmen living without Christian burial." Still more curious was the clerical slip with which we conclude. A gentleman said to the minister: When do you expect to see Deacon S—— again?" "Never," said the reverend gentleman, solemnly; "the deacon is in Heaven."

Pianists' Finger Cramp.

Certain functional diseases of the hand and arm have been observed in pianists by Mr. Vivian Poore. This cramp of the pianists he estimated to be eight times as common as the cramp of writers; and he finds especially liable to it those who practice with the wrist continually held rigid. The symptoms are painful stiffness of the shoulder and of the right arm, less frequently of the left side, cramps of the little finger, and of the ring finger, sometimes with trembling—this distressing condition often persisting after exercise with the keys, and being brought back by the least exertion of hand or fingers. Cold, sedentary habits, weakness and predisposition to rheumatism and gout increase the liability to it.

Belonged to No Order.

"Bob," said a stranger who lived across the street, "is your father a Mason?" "No, sir," replied the boy. "Does he belong to the Knights of Pythias?" "No, sir." "Ah! Perhaps he is an Odd-Fellow?" "No, sir." "Is it possible! Then he must be an Elk?" "No, sir." "Is he a Grand Army man?" "No, sir." "That's strange. Er—can you tell me what in thunder your father means, then, when he gets out on the sidewalk every morning and makes all kinds of signs and swings his arms and hollers?" "Oh, you mustn't mind that." "Why not?" "Pa has had St. Vitus's dance for thirteen years."

Muscle and Brains.

Cornell University recently examined the records of all men who had engaged in intercollegiate contests since the opening of the institution to determine the influence of the pursuit of athletics upon scholarship. It was concluded that athletics, kept within reasonable limits, was not in conflict with the educational purposes of the institution. Crew men averaged 70 per cent, ball players 73 and track athletes 77 in scholarship for the year; 70 per cent. was necessary for graduation.

Not the Pig's Fault.

Wife—"The 25th of next November we will celebrate our silver wedding. Don't you think we ought to kill the fat pig and have a big feast!" Husband—"Kill the pig! I don't see how the unfortunate animal is to blame for what happened twenty-five years ago."

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One-half of one per cent. on Income.
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Design No. 1 is composed of nine iron combination Pratt truss spans of 140 feet each, one similar span of 100 feet, two Howe truss swing spans of 140 feet each, and 700 feet of pile trestle approach.
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The piers in each design are formed by piles.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let, the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.
The contractor will be required to give satisfactory security, amounting to half the contract price, for the due fulfilment of the contract, and for the maintenance of the bridge for a period of six months from the date of the completion of the work.
Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
W. S. GORE,
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Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 21st January, 1889.
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The str. Adelaide left for Chilliwhack this morning.

Still the rainy and disagreeable weather continues.

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

A train containing 98 cattle and 2 horses arrived from the interior last night.

Just received at R. J. Armstrong's another lot of fresh Finnan Haddies, also 100 Boxes Apples. *

A couple of enterprising young easterners will shortly open a first class drug store in Westminster.

The str. Princess Louise cleared for Victoria this morning with 68 head of cattle, 20 tons of freight and a number of passengers.

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

No ice has passed down the river since the so-called winter season set in and to-day Feb. 1st, the cold spell is apparently as far distant as ever.

The tug Mamie, of Vancouver, is lying at the C. P. R. wharf and will remain in port for a week to let the fresh water cut the barnacles from her bottom.

The ribs of the new tug being built by the Royal City mill are looming up and the vessel begins to take form. A large number of men are at work on her.

The foot-ball match which was arranged to come off to-morrow between the Vancouver and Westminster junior teams, has been postponed for a week.

A wrestling match between Cameron and Schumacher takes place at Vancouver to-morrow night. It is to be hoped no Westminsterites will be taken in on "straight pointers".

Mr. Wm. Reidt wishes to inform his customers that he has returned from the Sound and will remain in the city for a week. Parties wishing to to buy lots should apply early. *

The Victoria papers are vainly endeavoring to make Mr. E. Gold, of this city, an oarsman. He lays no claim to any such distinction, but the Victorians seem to insinuate that if he isn't a sculler he ought to be.

The last number of the *Dominion Illustrated* is a particularly fine one as regards the quantity and the subjects of its illustrations. A most interesting one is a group portrait embracing the members of the Ontario executive and legislative.

Chue Chue, the Chinaman charged with attempting the life of a countryman at Vancouver, two weeks ago, has been committed for trial at the next assizes. He was admitted to bail today by Mr. Justice McCreight, in the sum of $5,000.

The run of spring salmon is not getting much greater and the catch does not average more than two or three to a boat. The fisheries inspector is issuing licenses daily and there will be a small fleet of boats at work as soon as the fish show signs of being at all numerous.

Arrangements have been made whereby the bills of the Bank of Toronto will be redeemed at par at the offices of the bank of North America in the provinces of British Columbia, Manitoba, and New Brunswick, and at the offices of the Union Bank of Halifax in the province of Nova Scotia.—*Monetary Times.*

We have received a copy of the *Canadian Horticulturist* published at Toronto and Grimsby, Ont., subscription price $1 per annum. The *Horticulturist* is a neat monthly magazine, beautifully printed and illustrated, with a colored frontispiece, and generally speaking, taking into account the large amount of varied and instructive special reading matter, invaluable, we should say, to the fruit grower, the gardner and the florist. The small subscription price puts it within the reach of all. The office address is, "The *Canadian Horticulturist*, Grimsby, Ont."

Another leaf from the Cow-Boy's life on the plains to-night, at the Baptist church, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Last night the house was crowded, and many couldn't get in. The interest is increasing. All are welcome The Cow-Boy excelled himself last night. It seemed that the Lord was in the meeting. Christains were aroused and are at work for the salvation of souls, and the sinners listened to the discourse attentively. One man came out brightly on the side of Christ, and one young lady confessed the Lord, and a good work is being done. Come, sinners, and drink at the fountain to-night, and live in Christ. Rev. Mr. Baldwin, the pastor of the church, will lead the after meeting to-night.—COM.

PERSONAL.

W. M. Cochrane arrived down from Kamloops by last evening's train.

Mrs. D. Morrison, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writing about Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, says: Geo. Bell used it on his son, and it cured him of rheumatism with only a few applications. The balance of the bottle was used by an old gentleman for asthma, with the best results. *It acts like a charm.*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

The Railway Works.

At the last meeting of the city council Mr. B. Douglas, president of the Southern Railway, made application to the council to select the grounds on which the Southern Railway workshops are to be built. The company is about to commence the plans for the shops, but it will be necessary before doing so to learn the exact proportions of the ground on which they are to be built. The matter has been left in the hands of the board of works to report on.

The Chinese New Year.

The Chinese New Year is drawing to a close, but there is no sign yet of a cessation of hostilities. The leading *Chinese merchants still keep open* house and everyone who enters, high or low, rich and poor, is welcomed and *treated to the best the board affords.* The past year has been a prosperous one with our Chinese citizens, and *accordingly they are happy and contented.* There is one peculiarity about the Chinese and their celebrations; *they never get drunk and parade the* city singing and shouting, but, on the contrary, their most wild and reckless *flights are confined to setting off an* occasional bunch of fire-crackers.

The B. C. Press.

They are discussing the cost of newspaper enterprise out at the Pacific coast. The conditions in the province naturally entail a good deal of expense, the costs in general being rather larger than in the east and the amount paid for telegraphic news being naturally much greater. The British Columbia papers, notwithstanding these disadvantages, of which they do not complain, but for which they desire to get due credit, present their readers daily with full summaries of the news of the world. They intend to keep it up. The Canadian pluck and energy which they exhibit deserve a word of praise and encouragement. On more than one occasion *The Empire* has alluded in terms justly complimentary to its Western contemporaries, and this is a good time to repeat assurances of appreciation by Eastern journals of ability shown by the press at the Pacific coast.—*Empire.*

Desperate Deeds.

A large audience assembled last night at the Baptist church to listen to G. W. Rasure, the cow-boy evangelist, speak of the desperate deeds committed on the frontier by renegade whites, assisted by Indians. The speaker was one of the few who joined themselves together for the purpose of driving these demons in human form from the frontier. In relating his experience while thus engaged, the sufferings of the innocent came so vividly before the speaker that for a short time he was overcome with grief. He showed plainly how wicked man becomes when completely under the influence of the evil one. He spoke at length on the danger of committing small sins, saying at one time those renegrades of the plains were innocent boys, thus showing how fast any one will travel the downward road of sin. At the close of the meeting three manifested their desire to forsake sin. "Desperate Deeds" will be concluded to-night. All are welcome.

Port Kells.

This is a new prospective townsite, situated about ten miles above this city, on the south bank of the Fraser, and *immediately at the point where* the Westminster Southern first strikes the river. The new "port" is named *after our late enterprising citizen, Mr.* Henry Kells, who owns over a hundred acres at that point. He has erected *buildings for his own use, established* a steamboat landing, made arrangements for having his land surveyed *into town lots, and, altogether, the* appearances are that "Port Kells" will soon be the nucleus at least of a *future town.* Mr. Kells says he has valuable deposits on his land, of ballasting gravel, the finest steel-gray builders' sand, and choice yellow pottery clay. All these are nearly inexhaustable. The different strata are arranged in the following order over an area of about 60 acres: First, gravel, from 6 to 10 feet deep; second, fine sand, with a depth of from 8 to 10 feet; and, lastly, a layer of beautiful pottery clay, from 4 to 6 feet in depth. We take the description and the figures from Mr. Kell's own account, who also adds that the different strata may be plainly traced in the river bank, especially during the winter when the water is low. All these valuable deposits, as we have intimated, are situated at the junction of the Southern Railway with the Fraser river, and Mr. Kells expects shortly to supply gravel, sand, and pottery for the entire country.

Provincial Parliament.

After the opening of the provincial parliament yesterday by His Honor Lieut.-Governor Nelson, the speaker, Mr. Pooley, took the chair. Prayers were read by the Venerable Archdeacon Scriven.

The speaker then announced that the vacancies which had occurred in Victoria and the Cariboo district by the resignation of Messrs. John and McLeese had been respectively filled by the election of Mr. James Tolmie and J. B. Nason.

Mr. Nason was introduced to the speaker by the attorney-general and Mr. Tolmie by the provincial secretary.

The usual formal motions respecting printing, etc., were then made.

On motion of the provincial secretary it was decided that the speech from the throne be taken into consideration on Tuesday next.

The attorney-general introduced a bill respecting the consolidation of the statutes.

Mr. Higgins will ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the Ballot Act of 1877; also a bill to amend the act to prevent the indescriminate sale or use of poisons; also a bill to amend the Municipalities Act of 1881 and the amending acts thereto; also a bill relating to the offence of libel in civil cases; also a bill to amend the act respecting public schools.

Mr. Higgins will move that an order of the house be granted for a return of all papers and correspondence between the government and all persons or bodies corporate relative to the location of smelting works at the city of Vancouver.

During the performance at the Theatre Royal Wednesday night at Montreal the orchestra played "Boulanger's March," which was encored three times, the audience loudly cheering and shouting "Vive Boulanger!"

VICTORIA NEWS.

The New Law Courts Opened By the Lieut.-Governor. Customs Returns for January. Mayor Hendry.

Special to the Columbian.

VICTORIA, Feb. 1.—The new law courts were opened this afternoon by Lieut.-Governor Nelson. A large number of ladies and gentlemen were present and witnessed the ceremony. The building will be open to the public this evening.

Total customs collection at this port for Jan. is $51,313.75.

The str. Cariboo Fly leaves for the north to-morrow.

Mayor Hendry is in the city.

Weather here mild and spring-like.

Meetings at Matsqui and the Mission.

At a public meeting held at Matsqui Prairie on Saturday, Jan 26th, to consider the steps to be taken to get the proposed railway bridge across the Fraser constructed to admit of road traffic, Mr. John Maclure was voted to chair, and the following resolutions were unanimously passed:

1. That it would be very desirable to have the proposed C.P.R. bridge across the Fraser in the neighborhood of the Mission, wherever it may be located, built to accommodate road traffic, for the following reasons: (1) There is at present no traffic bridge across the Fraser below Yale; (2) the additional expense required to make such bridge available for road traffic would not be great; (3) if available for road traffic such bridge would be of great use to a very large extent of country on both sides of the river; (4) a traffic bridge will be indispensable in the near future, which it will be practically impossible to construct from the great expense of a separate bridge, and the hindrance to navigation from having two draw bridges in close proximity to each other.

2. That the meeting request the member for the district, Mr. Chisholm, to use his influence at Ottawa to have the proposed bridge so built.

3. That this meeting request the Hon. Mr. Robson to lay the matter before the local government, and get them to do all they can to have a stipulation to this effect inserted in the plans for the said bridge, as the opportunity will not recur of constructing a a traffic bridge at so small a cost.

4. That the secretary of this meeting be instructed to forward copies of the minutes of the meeting to Mr. Chisholm, M. P., the Hon. John Robson, M. P. P., Mr. Ladner M. P. P., and Mr. Orr, M. P. P., and to the BRITISH COLUMBIAN New Westminster, and the *World*, Vancouver.

At a meeting held at the Mission, on Jan, 29th, at which Mr. Jas. Trethewey presided, substantially the same resolutions as above were passed.

Police Court.

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

Lytton Charley, charged with being drunk and assaulting Boston Bar Jimmy and Spuzzum, pleaded not guilty. The evidence went to show that Charley had committed the assault without cause and that in general he was a bad Indian. In defence Charley maintained that he was one of the best men in the world and never did a mean action or raised unnecessary trouble. In fact, according to his own showing, he was just a little too good to be without wings. Charley claimed that Spuzzum Joe had assaulted him with an axe, and, to use his own words, "Struck him on the side of the house" which made his nose bleed. Such an unwarranted proceeding as this raised Charley's ire, and he brightened an iron bar on the skulls of his friends, and that was all.

His honor thought that Charley was in need of deep and serious meditation, which would be impossible in the busy world, so he decided that Lytton's chief should take up his abode in the provincial gaol for two months, and for food and shelter while there the sum of $40 was agreed on.

Spuzzum Joe and Boston Bar Jimmy pleaded guilty to being drunk, and each was fined $10 or 20 days in gaol. Both young men carried beautiful blackeyes which they received while enjoying Charley's hospitality.

R. H. Bryce, a Winnipeg commercial travellor, was summoned for refusing to pay his license. Adjourned till to-morrow.

CORRESPONDENCE.

The Governor's Speech.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN:—In looking over the Lieut.-Gvernor's opening address at Victoria yesterday, I was particularly struck with the fact that the only positive wish that was indicated by the speech was the necessity for a "juvenile reformatory." This looks rather gloomy for a young province of the Dominion, whose second generation, since becoming a crown colony, has scarcely arrived at manhood. What is the matter? Can this suggestion by the Governor be applicable to the province generally, or is it only applicable to the Capital City? One would think that, before publishing to the world, the necessity of such an institution, the Governor would advise preventive legislation. If the youth of a youthful city, such as Victoria, or New Westminster, or Vancouver, or Nanaimo, are so fallen as to need such an institution as is indicated by the Governor's speech, then, surely, there must be institutions in these which have done their deadly work, effectually. Would it not have been better if the government had put a check on those schools of vice which have been graduating their pupils so certainly, that it has become such a serious question as would appear from this state document. When this question comes up in the legislature, it is to be hoped that there will appear amongst the members, not only a desire, but a determination, to stop the manufacture, by law, or by toleration, of unfortunate criminal juveniles. Prevention is better than cure.

It is to be deplored that in the Governor's speech he has overlooked some of the most needed measures for legislation. This province has arrived at that stage when the people ought to take a more active part in the admistration of their local affairs. There should be an extension of municipal government. Both cities and rural communities should be allowed to exercise themselves more with regard to schools and public improvements. The government of British Columbia has been, and still is, more like an absolute monarchy than a free democratic government by the people. It may suit the purpose of the would-be rulers to keep the people in short clothes, and just as long as the people send such creatures to represent them it will be so. CENSOR.

Corns cause intolerable pain. Holloway's Corn Cure removes the trouble. Try it and see what an amount of pain is saved.

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Meteorological Observations at New Westminster for January, 1889.

Mean temperature	35.9
Above January mean	1.7
Highest max	47.0
Lowest min	24.0
Mean of max	39.9
Mean of min	32.1
Rainfall in inches	5.90
Below January mean	1.58
Days rain fell	18
Greatest day's fall	1.33
Snow in inches	3.0
Days snow fell	2
Greatest day's fall	2.0
Highest barometer, 25th	30.50
Lowest "	29.41
Cloudy days	20
Partially cloudy	4
Clear	7
Windiest day in miles	149
Calmest, " "	24
Total miles of wind	2485
Fogs	5

River open: no ice; no snow.

A. PEELE, Capt'n.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

A state dinner takes place at the Ottawa government house to-night.

William Hepburn, of Guelph, Ont., prominent boot and shoe dealer, has skipped to the States.

All the British Columbia members excepting Messrs. Baker and Barnard have arrived at Ottawa.

It is rumored that Tooley, M. P. for East Middlesex, Ont., will resign before long to accept a Dominion government position.

Haldimand, Ontario, has been redeemed by the liberals. Colter has been elected by 35 majority over Montague for the Dominion house.

A deputation of medical men waited on the Dominion government yesterday and urged the reduction of the duty on surgical instruments and appliances.

C. H. Hosmer, general manager of the C. P. R. Co.'s telegraphs, arrived at Winnipeg yesterday on the east train and while there will confer with Superintendent Wilson of the Pacific division.

Mr. Gemmell, the counsel for Mrs. Middleton, says that she has filed a bill for divorce in California. The petitioner is a resident there with Hamilton, a bank clerk. The action is still pending.

Judgment was given by the court of appeal yesterday morning at Montreal granting Hon. James McShane permission to appeal from the recent judgment of the court of review disqualifying him for seven years.

At a public meeting at Shelburne, Ont., last night, it was resolved that the present political status of Canada was less conductive to its material prosperity and moral advancement than political union with the United States would be.

At the Toronto assizes Henry Wilton was convicted of indecent assault on a five year old girl, named Rhoda Gadd, and Justice Rose sentenced him to two years in the central prison and fifty lashes, to be delivered in two instalments, at his going in and coming out.

At the Winnipeg conservative meeting Wednesday night a letter was received from Frank S. Nugent, a life-long and prominent conservative, resigning his connection with the association and asserting as a reason therefor that he was disgusted with the association for not having openly condemned Mr. La Riviere's candidate in the Provencher election.

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 the 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	30 00
A J Hill	10 00
Capt A Grant	10 00
J S Macdonell	10 00
W C Love	10 00
F Bilodeau	10 00
F G Strickland	25 00
Gilley Bros	20 00
S H Webb	25 00
T Cunningham	30 00
Henderson Bros, Chilliwhack	10 00
A B Wintemute	10 00
Per Ex-Mayor Dickinson	212 85

Next!

A Dinner Pill.—Many persons suffer excruciating agony after partaking of a hearty dinner. The food partaken of is like a ball of lead upon the stomach, and instead of being a healthy nutriment it becomes a poison to the system. Dr. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are wonderful correctives of such troubles. They correct acidity, open the secretions and convert the food partaken of into healthy nutriment. They are just the medicine to take if troubled with Indigestion or Dyspepsia.

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	8 @ 10

Meteorological Report for Week Ending Jan. 26th, 1889.

	MAX.	MIN.	RAIN.
Sunday	37.0	34.0	1.20
Monday	41.0	36.0	
Tuesday	41.0	36.0	0.22
Wednesday	40.0	37.0	0.75
Thursday	46.0	35.0	1.33
Friday	43.0	32.0	
Saturday	38.0	29.0	

Rain and fog; mild.

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

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between T. J. and S. S. Manahan, as the firm of Manahan Brothers, Brickmakers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

New Westminster, Jan. 22, 1889. 22jalm

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

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

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

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—HOLY TRINITY CHURCH; Rector, The Ven. Archdeacon Woods. S. MARY'S CHURCH; Rector, The Bishop. Services in both churches *every day.* All seats free. Both churches open all day for private prayer.

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. 2, 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.

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