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GOING HOME.

Six Hundred Chinese Leave San Francisco Yesterday for their Fatherland.

The Dread of a Russian Invasion Induces China to Build Railways.

The C. P. R. Will Not Run a Line of Freight Steamers on the Atlantic.

ORIENTAL ADVICES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—The str. City of Peking arrived from Hongkong and Japan this a.m. with the following advices: All doubt as to the intention of the Chinese government to proceed with the construction of railroads has been set at rest by the publication of an imperial decree sanctioning the construction of a line from Peking to Hoihow. "The sovereign is of opinion," says the edict, "that to make a country powerful, railways are essential." The chief cause of this great revolution in the policy of the Chinese empire, is the growing dread of invasion, chiefly from Russia.

SERIOUS FIRE.

A great fire occured at Foo Choo on the first inst. About a thousand houses were burned, and damage done to the extent of $150,000.

GREAT TYPHOON.

A typhoon in the latter part of August, in northern China, flooded the country, drowning the population in great numbers. Many vessels were wrecked and their crews drowned.

RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Russia is constructing two railways, reaching from the very borders of China, one from the shores of the Caspian sea and the other from the Ural mountains.

SAFELY LAUNCHED.

The United States steamer Nipsic, undergoing repairs on the marine railway at Honolulu, was successfully launched on Sept. 28th. She made a trial trip without a hitch a few days later, developing a speed of nine and a half knots.

THE NEW MINISTER.

John L. Stevens, the new U. S. minister to Hawaii was received by the king on Sept. 23rd.

BARBAROUS TREATMENT.

A sailor on board the British bark Mauna Loa was "triced up" recently in the harbor of Hongkong. He complained of this barbarity at the harbor office, and after trial and enquiry, the second mate of the vessel was sentenced to six months' hard labor, while the first mate's certificate was withdrawn for two years.

NO FREIGHT STEAMERS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The *Herald* this morning prints a private London cable, saying the Canadian Pacific line has withdrawn its plan for a line of freight steamers on the Atlantic.

THE SUGAR TRUST.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The news agency issues the following Boston despatch which it asserts is an unquestioned authority: "The trust is running eight refineries in all, each refinery having increased its capacity over last year. The trust in all probability is turning out 75 per cent. of the whole production of refined sugar at the present time."

A BAD WRECK KEPT SECRET.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 18.—It is reported here, in spite of all denials, that there was a bad wreck on the Union Pacific Railway at or near Sterling, Colorado, on Tuesday. Claim Agent Manchester started for that point but the officers of the road have so far succeeded in suppressing the facts in the case. Manchester admitted to a friend that several persons had been badly injured and it was feared three or four will die.

MURDERED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—A middle aged Chinaman was shot through the heart last night by a countryman, who escaped. The cause of the murder is unknown. There is no clue to the murderer.

GOING HOME.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Over six hundred Chinese sailed for their native land on the steamer Belgic yesterday.

POOR DAKOTA.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 18.—Advices from Southern Minnesota and Dakota state that a water famine, with all its horrors, is feared in that locality. The drought has been very severe and the streams are all dry. A thousand of farmers are hauling water for stock, and their own use, for miles. Great destitution is reported.

TWENTY BUILDINGS BURNED.

VIRGINIA, Ills., Oct. 18.—Twenty business buildings were destroyed yesterday by the fire which threatened for a time to destroy the whole city. The loss is $40,000.

FAILED.

CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—The R. B. Stone Lumber Co. has made an assignment; assets are $36,000; liabilities $46,000.

SEEKING A DIVORCE.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 15.—Major General Sir John Ross, K. C. B., commander of the British forces in Canada, has been granted a divorce in London from his wife, Lady Mary. Sir John is nearly fifty years old and a veteran of the Indian mutiny and various Afghan and Indian campaigns. He was married in 1868 to Mary McLeod, daughter of Alexander McLeod Hay, Esq., of Stonehouse, Hayton. His foreign service took him away from home, where his wife insisted on remaining. It is alledged that her conduct during his absence compelled him to seek a divorce. Sir John will now wed the daughter of a Pictou (N. S.) magistrate.

THE NEW TREATY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Hawaiian advices, per str. City of Pekin, state that on the fourth inst., Minister of foreign affairs Austin sent a reply to a committee of Hawaiian citizens, who asked the cabinet for information concerning its action in regard to Hawaii's relation with the United States. Austin says that the Hawaiian minister at Washington has been instructed to ascertain whether the government of the United States is willing to entertain propositions looking to the extension of treaty relations, and should he find such willingness to exist, he is instructed to open negotiations for the conclusion of a treaty. The cabinet is of the opinion that the interests of the country and of every race and industry resident or located therein, will be best served by continuance of its present state, free from any protectorate or control on the part of any foreign government.

SURE REPUBLICAN.

HELENA, Mont., Oct. 18.—The official returns from every county show that the legislature will be republican on a joint ballot of 7 majority.

CASE DISMISSED.

TUCSON, Ariz., Oct. 18.—The cases of T. L. Stiles indicted for embezzlement were called this morning and dismissed by the prosecuting attorney, he saying that he could not hope for conviction with such evidence as he has.

ENTERTAINED THE TOURISTS.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Oct. 18.—Grand Rapids has certainly done itself proud in its reception to the Pan-American travellers. The tourists awoke this morning in Grand Rapids, and as soon as dressed were escorted to the Morton House. The depot, hotel and all the buildings of the principal streets were profusely decorated with American and Spanish flags. A battery of artillery fired a saluto as the party were driven from the cars to the hotel. At 10 o'clock the visitors witnessed a parade of the fire department. This was a fine exhibition and the delegates applauded the special feats of the firemen warmly. At the finish of the parade the party went to Sweet's Hotel, where lunch was served.

MINERS KILLED.

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 18.—Last evening the dead bodies of Geo. Love and Robt. Harvey were found in the tunnel of the Magnet Mine, near Bannock. The two men went into the mine yesterday morning and not returning to dinner as usual aroused the suspicion that all was not well, and a search revealed both of them dead in the tunnel. It is supposed that a premature blast killed them. Love was about 32 years of age, and owned a ranch near Bannock. Harvey recently hailed from Idaho Springs, Colorado, and was 38 years old. Both were unmarried.

STOCKS.

BOSTON, Oct. 18.—The stock list committee has voted to admit Atchison eights to the regular list of the Boston Stock Exchange, on condition that the sellers delivering assignment, which is transferrable on the books of the company, at the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, being to pay for the same in regular manner, and to take all risks of failure of the plan. The eights expire November 15th. The Oregon Improvement Company have declared a dividend of one per cent. on the common stock, payable November 1st.

THE NEW STATES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 17.—The belief was general in Washington that President Harrison was about to issue his proclamation admitting the Dakotas and Washington to statehood, omitting Montana because of the inability of the territorial officers to certify the election to the president as required by law. At the white house it was said that the proclamation, although it had been prepared at the state department, had not been laid before the president, and that the delay is due to the contention in Montana. The president made no statement as to what he intended to do, but in official circles the impression prevails that the proclamation will soon issue, without Montana, unless the result of the election is very soon determined.

SULLIVAN IN DANGER.

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—It is reported about town this morning that Alex. Sullivan was arrested for complicity with the attempted jury bribery in the Cronin trial. It is denied, however, at the police department and office of state's attorney Longnecker, although it was stated there might be new developments in the case to-day. Sullivan's residence was picketed by detectives from the central station all night. Stottenberg, Sullivan's confidential secretary, has given important information to the counsel for the state.

GETTING BETTER.

NEW PORT, Oct. 17.—Admiral Porter was able to leave for his home in Washington to-day.

MONUMENT DEDICATED.

SHEBOGGAN, Wis., Oct. 17.—A soldiers' monument, costing $10,000, was dedicated here to-day. U. S. Senator Spooner made the address. Gov. Howard and most of the state officials were present.

THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—At the session of the Episcopal convention this morning it was voted to allow a bishop to appoint deaconesses. They must be single and over 25 years of age. The first prayer book resolution taken up was the insertion of the following rubric in the general thanksgiving, "to be said by the minister alone or by the minister and people together." Ex-Mayor Seth Low eloquently championed the amendment. He asserted that the practice was common to many congregations already and submitted that it was better to sanction the custom by law than to let it sanction itself. A number of the deputies opposed the amendment as impracticable. After an hour's debate the amendment was lost. At the afternoon session the collect, epistle and gospel taken from the prayer book of 1540 to be used on Easter Day were adopted. The business on the calendar being Rev. Dr. Mann's motion for an addition to the office for the burial of the dead was taken up. It provided for a suitable commendation of the souls of baptized persons. The motion was defeated by eight votes. Dr. Huntington, of New York, proposed a short office of prayer for Sunday occasions and it was carried and an adjournment followed.

In the house of bishops the question whether any alteration should be made in that article of the constitution which requires that satisfactory provision should be made for the support of a new diocese was lost. The matter of suffrage on bishops was laid over until the next general convention. The matter of dividing the diocese of California was made the order of the day for Saturday. The prayer alleged to imply the anti-resurrectional state of the soul was defeated in both houses to-day.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

MORE SOLDIERS.

France is Increasing the Strength of her Army Corps on the Frontier.

The Berliners Propose to Build a Ship Canal to the Baltic Sea.

Jury Secured in the Father McFadden Trial that does not Give Satisfaction.

EVER STRENGTHENING.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—The government of France is discussing the project of doubling the strength of the sixth army corps, with headquarters at Nauri, and is also intending to double the railway facilities from Lille and License to the Besaucon frontier. This action is to be taken in view of the increase by Germany of her garrison in Alsace.

AUSTRALIA AGAIN.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Frank Slavin, the Australian, knocked out Jim Goode, the English pugilist, in three rounds last night.

DYING.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The death of the king of Portugal is momentarily expected. The nature of his disease is mysterious, but he is suffering from dropsy and gangrene. He is failing rapidly to-day.

ANOTHER SHIP CANAL.

BERLIN, Oct. 18.—A committee is being formed to consider the question of digging a ship canal to connect Berlin with the Baltic sea.

NOT WANTED.

ROME, Oct. 18.—The Italian government has refused to accept Washan Effendi as Turkish ambassador to Rome, and has notified the Porte to that effect.

A JURY FOUND.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—In the trial of Father McFadden, and others, for the murder of police inspector Martin, who was struck by a stone while attempting to arrest the rev. father at Gwesdore last February, a jury finally has been obtained. There is much dissatisfaction with its composition, all jurymen being Protestants and friends, and the defendants denounce it as a packed jury and declare a fair trial is impossible.

TROUBLE IN THE CAMP.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—The *Express* this morning states that Mr. Chamberlain and his followers are at loggerheads with Lord Harrington and the rest of the Liberal union party. Differences have broken out on the treatment of the Irish land question, and on the application of local government for Ireland.

FATHER MCFADDEN'S TRIAL.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The sturdy farmers of county Donegal in Ireland, are evidently in no humor to be trifled with by the crown officials, who began the prosecution of Father McFaden and several of his parishioners at Maryboro to-day, and if the crown attorney succeeds in his evident purpose of obtaining a jury of twelve Protestants it will not be without many unseemly disturbances in the court room. So violent were the protests to-day at the action of the crown in dismissing every Catholic juryman as fast as he appeared, that the proceedings had to be suspended, pending the arrival of the police, who had been sent for to preserve order. Two jurymen who had been accepted by both sides were told to stand down when the prosecution was informed that they were Catholics, and they became so enraged at this treatment that they stubbornly refused to leave their places. A platoon of constables had to evict them from the court by force. In the struggle that ensued several hot headed members of Father McFadden's flock took a hand and for a time it looked as though a riot would be precipitated under the judge's nose. Another Catholic when told to stand down, after having been accepted, got very excited and shouted to the crown attorney that Father McFadden had no share in the killing of Police Inspector Martin for whose murder he stood indicted. He declared he was present and saw the blow struck which felled Martin to the earth and that Father McFadden had already escaped from the church and was a mile away at the time. The crown at once ordered the detention of the man as a witness, and though he protested that he really knew nothing whatever of the circumstances he was locked up. It is not unlikely that serious trouble will result if the crown persists in its present course. Word has been sent to all the Catholic farmers about Maryboro that the Catholics are being rigidly excluded from the jury, and the feeling resulting is at such a pitch that many of those notified have undoubtedly come to town determined to see justice done. A large force of police are already on their way to Maryboro from Dublin, and the peaceably disposed citizens look forward with some misgivings to the morrow.

OTTAWA NOTES.

OTTAWA, Oct. 17.—There is an outbreak of small-pox at Pelee Island, Lake Erie; one hundred cases are reported.

It is reported that Mr. Thomas McKay, of Prince Albert, will succeed the late Senator Hardisty.

Negotiations are in progress for the establishment of a steamship service between Halifax and the West Indies.

Miss Evelyn M. Bowell, the youngest daughter of the minister of customs, was married yesterday, at Belleville, to Mr. J. W. McCarthy, of Cleveland, Ohio.

A boy named Dean has been arrested in Pontiac county for practising tricks savoring of the black art. He quarrelled with his employer, Dogg, and left his house. The next day the house caught fire in three or four places, and the flames were extinguished with difficulty. The furniture was transported from one room to another by some invisible power. The boy proved an *alibi* and was acquitted. Mother Barnes, known as the "Witch of Plum Hollow," was consulted, and says that the trouble was caused by a woman practicing the black art. Great excitement prevails in the locality.

Basionette, Reform, and Perrault, Conservative, were nominated to-day in Joliette, Que., for the local legislature for Joliette.

THE SILENT CITY.

The Photograph Proves to be that of an Old Part of Bristol, England.

Several months has passed since the world has been informed through the medium of the press of Prof. Willoughby's alleged mirage photograph, "The Silent City," said to have been taken at Glacier Bay in Alaska. Much has been written and printed upon the subject and all manner of conjectures have been made, both as to the genuineness of the mirage and the locality or city represented in the photograph.

The San Francisco *Chronicle*, of the 11th inst., says: "W. G. Stuart, an employe of Wells, Fargo & Co., saw a copy of the mirage photograph in a Montgomery street shop window yesterday, and in an instant recognized the locality represented in the picture. For two or three years Mr. Stuart was consul clerk under United States consul Lathrop at Bristol, England. He was perfectly familiar with that city and at once recognized the photograph of 'The Silent City' as that of Bristol, England. Mr. Stuart said the photograph represents an old portion of the city, the view being from a public park on Brandon Hill. There is a Catholic cathedral there, the main building of which was completed about two centuries ago. Just before he left Bristol, two years ago, work was being commenced on the two towers, and the scaffolding was built just as it was represented in 'The Silent City.' In the photograph alleged to be taken in Alaska, is a large building to the left of the cathedral. This is the Royal hotel. Just in front of the hotel is a square known as College Green. The Avon river runs through the city, and the shipping is to be seen there right in the heart of the city, just as it is depicted in the Alaska photograph."

BATTLE WITH A SHARK.

Thrilling Experience of Mr. Potts at Esquimalt.

In addition to the item already already published in the *Times* concerning the killing of a shark in Constance Cove, Esquimalt, Mr. Potts furnishes the following:

About 6 o'clock on Friday morning I noticed that my ducks did not take to the water as usual, and looking to find the cause I saw a large fish swimming in the cove, close to the rocks. I ran down to the water's edge, but the monster took the alarm at my approach and swam out into the bay. About 10 o'clock the fish returned, and I then saw it was a big shark. I stood on the edge of a lighter, and as the fish swam up alongside, I threw an axe at it. The weapon struck it in the back and inflicted a deep cut. The pain of the wound caused the shark to spring almost out of water. It splashed and struggled, and in its blind fury dashed onto the beach. I called to my wife to bring another axe, and ran around to where the huge fish was struggling. Before I could reach the spot, however, armed with another axe, the shark had got afloat. I waded into the water, when the monster came straight at me, turning over on its back ready to seize me. I watched my opportunity, and as the fish came near enough I drove the edge of the axe with my whole force into its head. The second blow caused the brute to retire in haste, and it swam out into the bay again; it soon returned, evidently with the intention of having another try at me. I had waded into the water waist deep, and planted firmly on a flat rock, I awaited its approach. As the shark came near I again threw the axe, and again was lucky enough to inflict a deep wound, this time in its side. Instead of retreating this time, the monster turned over, opened its jaws, and came right for me. My wife had promptly supplied me with a third axe, and as the shark swam close up, I dealt blow after blow on its head, the keen blade sinking into the bone at every stroke. I sprang ashore, caught up a long boat hook, and getting a good hold on the shark, with my wife's assistance, I got the fish upon the beach, where I put an end to its life. After it was dead we measured it, and found it to be 12 feet long and 2 feet 6 inches across the middle. The body remained on the beach for several days, and was viewed by crowds of people. On opening it yesterday morning I found several salmon, a large fish hook and several stones in the stomach.

The *Dominion Illustrated* for October is a fine number. The farming scenes in Western Manitoba are admirable and reveal more of the life and resources of the prairie provinces than volumes of description. The tennis tournament at Charlottetown P. E. I., and the tennis club at New Westminster, B. C., will be of interest to all lovers of a game which has of late been making its home in Canada. The portrait of Mayor Grenier will please many Montrealers and visitors to Montreal who have shared in the mayor's courteous hospitalities. The rest of the number comprises some fine reproductions of noted pictures—one of these, the Judgment of Paris, being double-page. The *Dominion Illustrated* is published by the Dominion Illustrated Publishing Company, Mr. G. E. Desbarats, managing-director. Subscription, $4. Address: 73 St. James street, Montreal.

THE LEADERS CAPTURED.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—The steamship Athos, from Costa Rica, reports that the leaders in the recent massacre at Navassa are imprisoned on the war ship Galena which is bringing them here for trial.

A TOWN DESTROYED.

VIRGINIA, Ills., Oct. 17.—Early this morning a disastrous fire was started in a livery stable in the centre of the town and rapidly spread, destroying several business blocks. The fire threatens to destroy all the business portion of the town. At last accounts the fire was still raging.

John Thomas Blondin, a school teacher of Allan settlement, township of Madoc, has been sent to the county jail on a charge of having criminally assaulted Lillie May Rollins, one of his pupils, 14 years of age. The accused is 21 years of age, and a son of highly respected parents. He has been three years in charge of the school.

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The Vancouver *News*, commenting on the passage of the Southern Railway bonus by-law in this city, hugs itself in a vague sort of a way over the idea that Vancouver will be the actual terminus of the Westminster Southern, if the Royal City is to be the nominal terminus. The Royal citizens are not selfish, and after they have secured all the legitimate and possible benefits out of the road, which their enterprise and far-sighted liberality have hastened, as the *News* admits, by two or three years, they will not grudge the people of their sister city all the advantages, real and imaginary, which will naturally overflow to them. The *News*, in speculating on the probability of early connection of the "salt water terminus" with the Westminster Southern, looks upon such connection as a matter of course, and thinks that Vancouver will not be called upon for any pecuniary assistance. That is a subject upon which any amount of speculation will be useless, as it will depend very much upon what terms the promoters of the Westminster Southern may be disposed to construct a branch line to Vancouver within a given time. If the branch line should be built by other parties, as the *News* suggests is possible, we rather think that the "terminal city" will have to tap its pocket to some extent. In any event, it is probable that the *News* will have to revise somewhat the following complaisant and slightly "hoggish" sentiment with which it concludes its article on the subject: "Therefore, the people of Vancouver can be assured that they will reap all the benefits that can be derived from the construction of the Westminster and Southern Railway without being called upon to contribute one cent towards the expenditure necessary for that purpose." As to the fact of an ultimate "short line" and second branch railway connection with Vancouver, no one questions it; on the contrary, its speedy accomplishment is desired by both cities, and the prospect is that we shall have besides electric tramway connection with our sister city in the not distant future. The more speedy and cheap the travel is between the two cities the better for both. In time, we believe, the two, like St. Paul and Minneapolis, for instance, will be practically one. In the meantime, however, Westminster will be the actual as well as the nominal terminus of the Westminster Southern, and until such time as the royal city reaches over the ridge and embraces its twin sister on Burrard Inlet, that ambitious city will have to be content with a branch connection with the Westminster Southern and Fairhaven Railway, and will probably have to pay for that, too, or wait until it grows of itself.

That Mexico has been making satisfactory progress under the regime of President Diaz, there can be no mistake. His policy has been to preserve peace and to introduce those reforms of which Mexico stood sadly in need. Railways have been constructed, a boon of priceless value to a country with a dearth of navigable rivers. In the postal system marvellous improvements have been effected in the transport of mails, and the number of communications sent by mail has risen from 5,169,894 in 1878 to 27,000,000 in 1888. In 1886 alone 5,000 kilometers of telegraph lines were constructed, and the system is steadily growing and attaining respectable proportions. In education very important reforms have been inaugurated. The primary schools have been reorganized, the training of teachers looked after and a female college established to provide better educational facilities for women, while the arts and sciences have not been forgotten in the encouragement of academies of painting, music and sculpture. The police force has been made more efficient, as the quieter condition of the country probably proves. In the establishment of benevolent and charitable institutions the government has not withheld its aid. To develop the resources of the country the silk industry has been started by the introduction of the silk worm, and attention has been paid to the fisheries and the cultivation of the vine. A sanitary board has been established despite opposition. What is important as providing a basis for the effecting of these internal reforms, Mexico has satisfactorily arranged matters with her European creditors, and has been able to obtain the aid of foreign capital in pushing some of the schemes referred to. This is the picture of things reported to the British government by their representative in Mexico. An impression has existed in some quarters that the rule of President Diaz was somewhat absolute, though the republic was supposed to be the free choice of the people. However that may be, the record of his rule shows signs of a progressive spirit that will rescue Mexico from her backward place among the nations.

At a recent meeting of the Ontario Dental Society, says an exchange, an interesting paper was read by Dr. A. H. Hipple, of Stratford, on the metal aluminum, in the course of which he gave some interesting particulars as to its production. This fine, light, silver-white metal is said to be the most abundant in all nature, but, unfortunately, it is never found except in the shape of a compound with other materials which are unwelcome and from which it is difficult to free it. Thus a cubic yard of compact clay contains about 400 pounds of pure aluminum, and as $12 per pound may be considered the present commercial value of the metal, the chemist who could succeed in disentangling the precious metal from its clay would be able to get the respectable little sum of $4,800 from a wagon load of material that would cost but a few cents. There is no wonder, then, that most of the chemists in the world have had a try at reducing aluminum to a metallic state. It is refreshing to know that there is something that even Mr. Edison cannot do in the way of applied science, and there is something old timish and fascinating in the notion as we look at a bank of brown clay that it contains in large quantities a bright silver-colored, useful metal that would make the fortune of the onlooker if he could only get at it. Only enough has been done at present to show that the aluminium is there. Deville's method did that some years ago. Dr. Netto, of Dresden, now thinks he is on the track, and the Krupp ironworks people at Essen have taken up his plan, and state confidently that they will be able to produce bars and ingots of the metal at a price not much more than that at which steel was sold half a century ago. There is no doubt a great future before this tantalizing metal if the scientists can only persuade it to leave the clay.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Gold-bearing quartz, assaying over $375 a ton, has been found in China, and it is rumored that an American company proposes to work the mines.

Ward McAllister says it is not proper to use the prefix "Mr." in addressing a letter to a gentleman. "Always 'esquire,'" he says; "'Mr.' to your bootblack." We had always suposed that "esquire" ought never to be used except when dunning a gentleman or endeavoring to get something out of him; but of course Mr. McAllister—or McAllister, Esq.—knows more about such things than we do.—*Ex.*

A new device for the prevention of railway collisions during fogs, consists of an attachment to the track in the form of a bar which is raised when the signals are at "danger," and strikes an attachment to the engine, which, being so struck, blows the whistle, shuts off steam and puts on the brake. Unfortunately the cost of applying the new device would be heavy, so that it will probably be some time before it is extensively adopted.

The "Temple of Heaven," which was burned in China the other day, was one of the most conspicuous of the edifices devoted to state religion in Pekin. It was five storeys high, surmounted by a dome-like roof. The interior was particularly noteworthy for a number of pillars supporting the roof, which were faced with gold and otherwise splendidly adorned. The temple was surrounded by a number of spacious buildings, most of them devoted to the service of the priests attached to the sacred edifice.

Professor Thun, a Russian statistician, states that in 2,009 cases of letting-holdings in the province of Moscow, the average rent received was only 3 roubles 56 kopeks, while the average taxation was 10 roubles 30 kopeks. Stepniak, another statistican, reports that in thirty-seven provinces of European Russia the class who were formerly state peasants pay in taxes of every description no less than 92.75 per cent. of the average net produce of their land. If the peasant tires of this, and attempts to leave his village, his liabilities follow him.

We do not think that Japan is generally associated with earthquakes in people's minds, yet that unpleasant phenomenon is so little of a phenomenon—or, in other words, so frequent—in Japan that it is extremely rare to find an old house. Those built of brick or stone are shaken to pieces gradually by the milder quakes, when they are not abruptly ruined by the more severe ones; and those of wood, when not demolished by the shock itself, are often consumed by the fire which in that country of charcoal stoves and oil lamps and paper screens, so frequently follows an earthquake.

Joseph Smith, the son of the founder of Mormonism, has recently published an elaborate article in opposition to polygamy. Answering a late work by F. D. Richards, who claims that on July 11, 1843, God revealed to the senior Joseph Smith the principle and doctrine of polygamy and commanded its observance, but says that "in consequence of the prejudice and opposition, it was not considered prudent at the time," young Smith makes the very neat point that there was singular inconsistency between the prudence of the church in concealing, and the indiscretion of the Almighty in making the revelation at a time when it was inadvisable for his saints to obey His command.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

EXPENSIVE DELICACIES.

The Delicious Food Eaten by a Backwoodsman.

Eggs at Ten Dollars Apiece—They Are Very Scarce, of Course, But Gourmands Must Have Them—A Chapter for Epicures.

"I have eaten the egg of many wild birds, from the plover to the wild goose, and have found some of them very good and many of them very bad," said an epicure to a New York Mail and Express reporter, "but the ruffed grouse's egg is simply a morsel fit for the gods. The pampered palate of no Oriental potentate ever lingeringly dallied with so rich and perfect a delicacy, and yet I never ate grouse's eggs elsewhere than on the rough, uncovered table of some backwoodsman's cabin, the last place in the world where the epicure might expect to have his taste satisfied, let alone glorified. How were they prepared? Simply boiled. Boiled until the white and yelk were thoroughly cooked. A ruffed grouse's egg is big enough to make two dainty bites. It isn't at all likely that you will ever have the opportunity of breakfasting on this delicacy, as it is more than scarce nowadays. Besides, the law places a price on ruffed grouse's eggs that put them out of the reach of the ordinary run of egg-eaters. In the estimation of the law these eggs are worth $10 apiece—$120 a dozen—and they *are* worth it. But in case the rare happiness of sitting down to a meal with a dozen of them may occur to you some time, I had better tell you how they should be disposed of. Don't cut a grouse's egg in two, nor dig the meat from the shell with a spoon. Either would be profanation. Gently tap the small end of the egg on your plate until the shell is cracked. Then peel the shell carefully off of the meat. The shell is very brittle and the richness beneath it very tender. When that is bared of its covering it lies in your hand a velvety elipse, white as ivory. Do not salt or pepper it or you spoil it. Bite off half of it. The meat, both the ivory white and the old gold yelk, will melt in your mouth like some rich, creamy paste, and its flavor is indescribably delicious.

"It has been a long time since I tickled my palate with ruffed grouse's eggs. They are only in season for a few days in May, when they are fresh laid in the nest, and of course a person has to be right on the ground to take advantage of them.

"Next to the ruffed grouse the pinnated grouse, or prairie chicken, lays the best eggs for eating. I have known as high as $60 a dozen to be paid for prairie chicken eggs in Chicago, although in the early days of that city, while the surrounding prairie still swarmed with that game bird, its eggs were more abundant in the market than hens' eggs were. I have no doubt that eggs of all the numerous grouse family are superior to hens' eggs, but I never ate any but the two mentioned.

"In this country there is no such thing as the business of gathering wild eggs, but in England the collecting of wild birds' eggs for the table is a regular calling, particularly plover eggs. The eggs of the plover is a great delicacy among epicures there. Go into any of the poultry shops in English towns and cities during April and May and you will see an enticing display of plover, partridge and other edible eggs of wild birds. They are usually shown in baskets fashioned in imitation of moss-lined birds' nests, each basket containing a dozen eggs. Plover eggs are the most abundant, but baskets made up from selections from different kinds of wild eggs are common. Plover eggs are sold for four shillings a dozen—about one dollar—and, course, do not enter very largely into the marketing of the poor. The hunting of plover eggs is a profession with a certain class of shiftless men and boys. The finding of the nest requires a great degree of skill and cunning, and the business is not over profitable to the nest hunters. Three dozen eggs a day is a big day's hunting. The dealer has a way of testing the eggs to satisfy himself as to their soundness, and it is rare, indeed, that two or three bad ones are not found in each nest. The collector is paid thirty cents a dozen for his sound eggs. Thousands of dozens of plover eggs are said to be collected every spring. There is no law against the robbing of nests, but the severe and general laws against trespassing are a constant menace to the egg-hunters.

"The eggs of some wild fowl rank high among edible wild eggs, with the accent on the rank. The eggs of all wild ducks, with the exception of the wood or summer duck, and the egg of the water hen, are strong and tough. Why they should be I don't know, as these birds, or the most of them, are clean, vegetable feeders. The wood duck egg is a passably good article of food. A boiled wild goose egg, if it were round, would make a first rate bowling ball, but a wild swan's egg is very palatable. The egg of the wild turkey is better than that of any domestic fowl. The semi-wild fowls, as the guinea hen and the peafowl, lay eggs that are more grateful than an ordinary hen's egg to the palate of the epicure. The speckled, humming-top shaped egg of the screeching guinea hen is the best poultry yard egg for the table that the farmer can sell. Speaking of the poultry yard naturally suggests the pigeon. The egg of that bird is utterly worthless for food. The wild pigeon's egg turns to milk when boiled, and smells like rancid oil. The quail's egg is a sweet, creamy, but insipid little morsel, and, like the cherry, you can't make two bites of it. I intend to try how sparrow eggs will touch the epicurean taste, and if they warrant it, will try and introduce them as a table dainty. That might be a good way toward abating these little nuisances."

JUSTIFIABLE WRATH.

A Pretty Girl Reporter's Experience with a Blundering Proof-Reader.

"I've seen lots of male editors whose yearning dream was to shed some proof-reader's rich, red gore," said a newspaper friend to a Chicago Mail reporter, "but I never saw a woman on the rampage but once. She was the society reporter on a paper I worked on out West. I must confess that the proof-reader was one of the worst of his class—dire bad isn't half strong enough. There wasn't a day but somebody's story wasn't made as silly as an end-man's joke by the proof-reader's blunders, and there was always somebody, from the city editor to the night-policeman, who was looking for his scalp. I reckon he had a cave somewhere and that he hustled himself into it and locked himself in when the paper went to press and staid there till nightfall. Anyway, nobody could ever find him. But one night he got hold of an account of a swell reception—the biggest social blow-out the town had known for seasons. Every body was there in war-paint, and the women who held family purse-strings were in their glory. Of course the paper did it up in great shape, and of course it fell to the fashion writer to describe the costumes. She threw herself, because it was a great chance, and was mighty proud of the column and a half description of the toilets she turned in. But, holy smoke! You should have seen her when she appeared at the office the next afternoon and asked where she could find the proof-reader.' She was white and red by turns, and sputtered so she could hardly talk straight. Every body gathered around her to learn what had happened, and she said:

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"One by one we silently shook hands sympathizingly with the fashion reporter, and she took a hat-skewer from her pocket and braced out into the composing-room looking for the proof-reader. She didn't find him. I don't reckon she ever squared it with the girl."

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THE GLINT O' HER EEN.

Why dost thou ie'e her sae dearly? I questioned,
She isna sae bonnie as mony I've seen;
Her hair isna curly, she's no a great beauty.
"Ah! no ,mon," said he, "it's the glint o' her een!

"Ye ken hoo the stars in the dark nicht abune us
Are shining sae brichtly? they mind us, I ween,
O' angel een watching lest harm shall come tae us,
An' it's jist the same wi' the glint o' her een.

"When sorrow shall come and the hert's nair distracted,
While trouble's could blast shall blaw sharply an' keen,
Nae doot, through the shadows that gether around us,
Ah! mon, I'll be glad for the glint o' her een.

"This life's nae sae bonnie but that ye maun treasure
Each stray bit o' sunshine, where'er it be seen;
An' she's aye a sunbeam to shine in the darkness,
Ye'd ken it, sweet lass, by the glint o' her een.

"Hoots, mon, it is weel tae be gifted wi' beauty,
But Him up abune us is keeping, I ween,
His rare, choicest blessings for ane I am lo'eing,
Who lives but tae cheer wi' the glint o' her een."

—Ruth Argyle, in Good Housekeeping.

AN INNOCENT ABROAD.

He Encountered the Ubiquitous Bunco Man, of Course.

But He Was Sharp Enough to Get Away in Time—The Ingenuity Displayed in Working a Threadbare Game.

During the spring vacation of the present year, the writer of this, in company with several other students of Cornell University, took a trip to New York City. It was my first visit to the city, and, of course, there were many new and interesting things to be seen. Two of us who were particularly interested in agricultural affairs separated ourselves from the others and visited the main points of interest which all must see who visit New York. My purpose in writing this is to tell, exactly as it happened, how I was "taken in" by a sharper, and how, if I had not read just how such scoundrels fleece innocents, I might have easily parted with what money I had with me.

My friend spent the second night of our visit with friends up town and agreed to meet me at the hotel at an early hour the following morning. At the appointed time he came, but had not yet eaten breakfast, while I had; so he went to a restaurant, agreeing to meet me again in twenty minutes. In the meantime I sauntered about the street watching the sights and studying the people who were going to their work. While thus occupied, I was asked by an honest-looking stranger if the station about a block down the street was the Bridge station? I replied that it was, and then remembering how, the day previous, my friend and I had made the mistake of climbing up on the wrong side, I walked along with him and put him right. Just after parting with him and turning to go back to the hotel, I was accosted by a man who held out his hand, and said: "Isn't this Mr. Drew from Winona?" My first impulse was either to turn on my heel or call a policeman; then, on second thought, I remembered that I had registered at the hotel as from Ithaca, and not from Winona, and this must be some one who had known me in the latter place.

I told him that I did not recognize him. Then he said his name was Cummings and that he was born and brought up in Winona, and that his father once ran a foundry there, naming the street. I remembered hearing of the family, and knew that there were several boys, none of whom I had known personally. I asked him how he recognized me, and he answered that he had known me by sight all his life—that he used to see me going to and from school in Winona. He then said that he had not visited Winona for five years, and began asking questions about many of the people of the place. He showed an intimate knowledge of the city and of events which had happened several years ago; but he knew almost nothing of what had occurred lately. He said he was traveling for a firm in Philadelphia and would have to start for that city in less than an hour. In the meantime he wanted me to go with him about a block to a ticket office where he had left his grip, as he wanted to show me a few samples of a new kind of cloth which was being manufactured by the firm he was representing. I told him of my engagement at the hotel, and he said that we would be back in time for me to meet it, so we walked on, talking all the time about Winona people. So busy were we that we must have walked at least five or six blocks when I suddenly remembered my engagement, and said we must have passed the place he had spoken of. He looked up at the building we were passing and said:

"Sure enough we have been so long talking that we have come a long ways out of our way." We then turned about and started back. Just then we met a villainous-looking fellow who spoke to my companion and they had a few words together which I did not hear distinctly. Then we went on. I was in a hurry to get back to the hotel, but my companion evidently was in no haste. He still plied me with questions about the people of Winona and particularly about an old schoolmate of his, whom we will call Charlie Brown. We had gone but a short distance from the place where we had met the villainous-looking fellow referred to, when my companion stopped at a stand on the corner, and, asking if I smoked, bought some cigars. As I answered that I did not, he ordered a glass of lemonade for me, while he lighted a cigar. When we turned from the stand I noticed that we were not going in the same direction as before, but knowing how easily a person becomes confused in regard to the points of the compass, I said nothing, but went along with my companion, still thinking and talking about the people we both had known in Winona. We soon came to the "ticket-office," and my companion, after taking a look through the partially open door, pushed it open and walked in. There was a young man there who gave Mr. Cummings his grip when he asked for it, and we sat down at a table together and began looking over the samples of cloth which the grip contained.

While we were thus engaged and while Mr. Cummings was asking me to pick out a sample piece of cloth which would, in my opinion, make a good suit of clothes for the aforesaid Charlie Brown, a man came into the room and asked the young man at the desk for a ticket to Joplin, Mo. He was a fat good-natured-looking man of about forty, and wore a good suit of clothes, a large Western hat, a pair of blue glasses or goggles and a "bickory" shirt. The young man took him to a map which hung on the wall and showed him what roads he would pass over and told him the price of ticket to Joplin. The Joplin man then asked for a ticket for a "nigger" would cost the same. After some conversation about a second-class ticket for a "nigger," the young man said he would step out and find the boss who had gone out a few minutes before. While he was gone the Westerner sat down on the opposite side of the table from us, and fell into conversation with Mr. Cummings.

"Say," said he, "I don't want to act green nor to have you laugh at me; a funny thing happened to me this mornin' and I don't see through it exactly. I went into a dime museum, and a feller in there come a little trick on me with some cards and before I got away I lost one hundred toadskins."

"Toadskins!" said Mr. Cummings, "what do you mean by that term?"

"Don't you know what toadskins is?" said the Westerner, pulling out a roll of bills. "These are toadskins;" and pulling out a gold piece, "this here is a yallerjacket. That's what we call 'em in Missoury."

"You are very careless to carry money in that way," said Mr. Cummings. "You should buy a draft, then there would be no danger of any one stealing it from you."

"Well, may be I had better," said the stranger. "I am a sort of green hand in this business. I brought a lot of cattle from Missoury, and then I went over into Connecticut to visit a sister that I hadn't seen since the war, when she run off with a Yankee soldier. There was a kind of coolness between her and the old man after she ran away, but when he died awhile ago! he left her a lot of toadskins, and I have been over to carry 'em to her. But I was goin' to tell you how the feller got my money. He had four cards with pictures of base-ball men on one side of 'em; three was blue and one was red. He handled them cards most awful slick and I thought I could see where the red was; but when I bet I lost 'most every time; but I grabbed the cards when I came away and I've got 'em here."

Hereupon he pulled out a bandana handkerchief and unwrapped the four cards he had been speaking of.

"Now," said he, addressing Mr. Cummings, "I can't handle these cards as slick as that feller did; but I'll bet you can't tell which the red one is," and he laid them down one at a time on the table, purposely allowing us, as he did so, to see which was the red one. Mr. Cummings bet the cigars with him, and of course won. Just at this juncture the fact that I was in a den of thieves flashed across my mind, and I arose from the table and started for the door. I more than half expected to find it locked, and was never before in a place where I really thought I needed a revolver, but I was happily disappointed, and as I stood in the doorway I told Mr. Cummings (!), who was of course trying to get me to come back, that if he wanted any thing more of me he could come around to the hotel at noon and I wouldn't be there.

Right at this point I made a great mistake. I should have made a note of the street and number; but I was so glad to get out into free air again, and so afraid that my friend would tire of waiting for me and be gone, that I thought only of reaching the hotel as soon as possible.

As I walked along, I tried to study out how this man who called himself Cummings and who had such an intimate knowledge of Winona and its people, had found out that I came from it. It was not till after I had retired that night that I remembered that during my walk early that morning with the man who wanted to find the Bridge station, I learned that he was from a place near Winona, and had told him that I was from Winona and had always attended school there.

Of course, this Cummings (!) had followed from the hotel where he had learned my name from the register and had been very fortunate in hearing me tell the stranger that I was from Winona. That he had once lived in Winona I have not the slightest doubt, for he knew all about the early history of the city and its people; but whether his name was Cummings or Smith is a matter of question.—James W. Drew, in Rural New-Yorker.

CANADA'S VIOLENCE.

Story of an American Circus Elephant Famous for His Mad Fits.

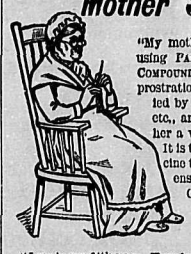
Many interesting and famous elephants have been favorites of the American public long before the late Jumbo's successful debut, says a writer in Chambers' Journal. One of these, known as Canada, was a desperate character. When in one of his tantrums "he did as much mischief as a tornado," to use the American showman's words—tossing hacks into the air and tearing down signs and lamp-posts. He was sent with the rest of the menagerie to a farm, and when there had one of his fits. Rushing into the stable-yard, in a few minutes he killed two buffalos, a sacred cow a couple of elks, several horses and a camel. He would seize an animal, toss it in the air catch it on its tusks, and then either jam or trample the life out of it. He then sallied out for town, and the popular excitement can be imagined. A trap was set with a long ponderous chain with an enormous corner-stone at its end to entangle the animal's legs and hold him. A man then ran out in sight of Canada, and the elephant instantly rushed after him. The trap was successful as far as making the chain and stone fast to him, but he kept right on, and would have caught the man, who was a fast runner, had not the latter jumped down into an unfinished cellar of a new house and ran up a narrow flight of steps on the opposite side. The elephant jumped down after him as easily as a dog would, with the big stone clattering after him. Fortunately, the stone was large enough to stick, wedged against the walls on each side of the stairway, and Canada was fast, but it was a close shave for the man. They managed to secure the savage animal with more chains, and then went to work to conquer him. As the account graphically describes it, "they wore out big clubs on him, fired loads of buckshot into his trunk and ears, and beat and tortured him for hours until he howled in token of surrender." The moment he was loose, however, he gave a yell of rage, dashed out of the cellar and started to kill. Every one flew for his life, but he was tired and took up his position under cover of three hay-stacks, hunting all who ventured near him. Buckshot fired into his head only checked his wild rushes, and whenever he thought people were on the other side of the stack from him he tried his best to topple the hay over on them. The fight went on for three days and nights, during which time he had not a bite to eat—for he was too angry even to take any of the hay around him—and not a drop of water. At length, despairing of saving him, the shotguns were exchanged for heavy rifles, and several big bullets at close range finally put an end to him.

A BAR HARBOR IDYL.

How a Young Woman's Poodle Was Libeled by a Wicked Man.

Once on a time there was at one of the Bar Harbor hotels a young woman from New York who was, to speak within bounds, a mass of affectations. She had more airs than a hand-organ, and, says the Boston Courier, they were of the same artificial character. She was the laughing-stock of the guests at the house, and there were numberless jokes at her expense which she had not apparently the wit to appreciate. Miss X. had a poodle on which she lavished the choicest treasures of her affections. The creature had its own especial maid, and was taken out to ride in state every morning with as much tenderness as if it had been a child. One day Miss X. came down to the dining-room for dinner in a state of much agitation. She announced that dear Flossy's maid was ill, and she really had no one to stay with the sweet creature while she came to dinner. She could scarcely eat, she was so fearful the blight which might be cast upon the poodle's tender sensibilities by the loneliness to which she was condemned for half an hour. There was at the table a Bostonian who from the bottom of his soul loathed Miss X., her poodle and her affectations. He rose, as she continued her plaint, and went out quickly, and his friends supposed that he could not endure her twaddle. But as a matter of fact he went intent upon wicked thoughts. He knew where in the stables was a litter of blind, rough-coated, mongrel pups, the children of the most plebeian of curs. He hurriedly robbed the dirty little mother of the whelps, bribed a chambermaid, and when Miss X. hurried up from her dinner to console Miss Flossy for her absence she found her pet surrounded by a litter of the most disreputable pups that the eye of man ever lighted upon. Miss X. was not clever enough to conceal what she supposed to be the shame of her beloved poodle, but shrieked and wept and made generally the most tremendous fuss. As the Bostonian had let a few of his friends into the secret, it soon got about, and the amount of jesting and chaffing that fell to the lot of Miss X. was immeasurable. She soon discovered the truth of the matter, and her indignation knew no bounds. She endured for a couple of days the mock earnest inquiries after the health of her dog and her dog's family, but at the end of that time she silently gathered her belongings together and took herself away. She could endure it no longer, and Flossy, the injured, passed with her mistress out of the life at Bar Harbor as completely as if the pair had never existed.

It Made Mother Strong



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K. P.—ROYAL LODGE NO. 6. Regular Meeting every Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Oddfellows' Hall, Visiting Brethren welcome.—J. E. KNIGHT, K. of R. & S.

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

A. O. F.—COURT LORD DUFFERIN, No. 6304. The regular meetings of the above Court are held at the Foresters' Hall, on the first and third Wednesday in each month, at 8 p. m.—JNO. MCMURPHY, Senr., P. C. R.

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; MRS. J. A. CUNNINGHAM, Secretary.

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

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

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE of the late Ruperta Silva, trader, Hope, B. C., must be in by 1st November, 1889, to JAMES WARDLE, Hope, Administrator. dec1m1

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have seized and will sell by Public Auction, at my office, in New Westminster, on the morning of the Sixth day of November, subject to the payment by the purchaser in addition to the purchase price all costs, charges and expenses connected with the seizure, a certain quantity of Logs now lying at the mouth, on the banks and in Scott Creek, a tributary of Pitt Lake, in the District of New Westminster.

T. S. HIGGINSON,
Crown Timber Agent.
New Westminster, 5th October, 1889. doc5m1

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN
JOSEPH BROWN, Plaintiff,
AND
T. E. MARTIN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an Order has been made in the above-mentioned action bearing date the 17th day of September, instant, whereby it was ordered that service of the Writ of Summons herein and said Order upon T. J. Trapp, Esquire, and the mailing of copies of the same by prepaid letter addressed to the above-named defendant at Regina, N. W. T., and the insertion of this notice in THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN newspaper for one month, should be good and sufficient service of the Writ of Summons herein, and that in default of appearance the plaintiff may proceed as if personal service had been effected. And it was further ordered that the said defendant should appear to the said writ within three months after such service.

Dated 18th day of September, A. D. 1889.
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dse18m1 Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

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HENRY E. HARLOCK.
Ladner's Landing, Sept. 12, 1889. d2m

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 incorporate a company to construct, operate and maintain a street railway in the City of New Westminster, and to acquire lands and do all things necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1889.
B. DOUGLAS,
HENRY V. EDMONDS,
dse30tc For selves and others.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sixty days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase the following lands, situate in the District of New Westminster, and described as follows: Lots one hundred and thirty-one [131], one hundred and thirty-five [135], one hundred and thirty-six [136], one hundred and thirty-eight [138], and one hundred and forty-one [141], in Group One of *said District, containing eight hundred* acres, more or less.

Dated 10th September, 1889.
ANDREW LEAMY,
dse10-2m J. H. GILLESPIE.

"Land Registry Act."

Lot No. 12, Block XXII, and Lot No. 21, Block XXVIII, City of New Westminster.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned hereditaments will be issued to Alexander Coutts on the 11th day of January, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest in said hereditaments or some part thereof.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 7th October, 1889.
T. O. TOWNLEY,
doc7m3 Deputy Registrar.

Canadian Pacific Railway.
PACIFIC DIVISION.
Gen'l Superintendent's Office.
CAUTION.
OWNERS AND MASTERS OF VESsels and other Craft navigating the Fraser River are cautioned to keep within the Buoys painted Red and White, respectively, at the Mission Bridge, as during the construction of the Bridge, navigation between the banks of the River and the Buoys is dangerous, owing to piles being driven there.
H. ABBOTT,
General Superintendent.
Vancouver, B. C., 7th May, 1889. dmy8tc

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The str. Gladys left for Chilliwack this morning with 25 tons of freight and 20 passengers.

Walker & Co. have Sapperton Lots near New Hospital and Ross-Maclaren Mills, at old prices. *

The str. Rainbow took a full load of farm produce and a large number of passengers to Victoria this morning.

A blank sheet at the police court to-day, and a remarkable peaceable state of affairs throughout the city generally.

The fall assizes open on Wednesday, November 13th, instead of Thursday, November 14th, as announced a few days ago.

The brick work on the Bushby block is nearly completed, and the walls of the Powell block are rising rapidly.

Bargain hunters will do well to look through W. & G. Wolfenden's stock of Dry Goods, Hats and Clothing, now clearing at cost. *tc

A practice match of the lacrosse club will be played on Queen's Park to-morrow afternoon, first twelve against all comers.

The celebration committee hold their windup meeting at the city hall tonight, at which every member is expected to be present.

It is rumored that Mr. Thos. Levi will build a fine hotel, costing $5,000, on Edinburgh street. The venture should prove a success.

E. M. Johnson, of Victoria, is calling for tenders for clearing 80 acres of land on Boundary Bay. Tenders must be in not later than Nov. 5th.

Cross & Poingdestre have just received from Montreal another consignment of the finest grades of pipes, cigars and tobacco. A call will convince. *1w

To Farmers.—Messrs. Woods, Turner & Gamble make a specialty of lending money on farming lands; any amount from $100 to $20,000, according to security. oc17m

Forman Forest's gang are replacing a number of street crossings that had fairly rotted away with old age. They were all put in about the same time and naturally enough gave out together.

A very large quantity of game is being killed in the vicinity of Chilliwack at present. Prices are moderate until the game is placed on the market, when they rapidly appreciate in value.

Wild geese and ducks are reported to be very plentiful on the North Arm at present, and some heavy bags have been obtained by local sportsmen. Some of the sloughs are said to be literally alive with these fowl.

Dr. Bentley, the medical superintendent of the provincial asylum for the insane, has now 102 lunatics under his care. Besides these Dr. Bentley is surgeon for the Royal Columbian Hospital and the provincial gaol.

The dock laborers strike at Vancouver is ended, and in future all vessels will be loaded and discharged by the 'longshoremen. The result of the strike was not favorable to the local union, which is not recognized by the employers.

The football club will hold a practice to-morrow afternoon on the athletic grounds. A full attendance is requested, as much practice will be required to get the team into proper form to meet the Vancouver team at Hastings on Nov. 9th.

Look out for bargains to-morrow (Saturday) night at Trapp's auction mart, in furniture new and second hand, cook stoves, boots and shoes, ready made clothing, chamber sets, and 500 house plants in full bloom, in pots. Sale at 7 o'clock. *

A despatch from Victoria, this morning, announces the arrival of the barque Alexander Renton, in the royal roads, bound for Westminster to load lumber at the Royal City Mills for Australia. The tug Active left for Victoria this afternoon to tow the vessel to Westminster.

The C. P. Navigation Co.'s sheds, which have been heaped with merchandise and produce for many weeks, are now being slowly emptied, and it is expected the crush of freight is over for the season. For a few weeks goods arrived so fast and in such large quantities that their storage was well nigh impossible.

It is announced that several actions are to be immediately entered against the city for damage to property arising out of the street improvements. The services of several legal gentlemen have been retained by the aggreived parties, and unless the claims are settled out of court some interesting legal battles may be expected.

The championship lacrosse match on Saturday week, Vancouver *vs.* Westminster, is going to be the most interesting event of the season, and the Vancouverites are going to be attended by a whole train load of friends. A special train, leaving Westminster at 8 o'clock on the night of the match, will convey the visitors home.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

The new sidewalk on the east side of Mary street is completed, and when the necessary crossings are laid the new walk will be a great convenience to the people. The extension of the Mary street sidewalk to Montreal st., is one of the most needed walks in the city, but its construction is not evidently fixed for this year.

Lots 4 and 29, block 7 (Clarkson property), Montreal, Melbourne, Clement and St. Patrick streets, subdivided into 33 lots, are now on the market at prices within the reach of all. Parties desiring fine residence lots will do well to call at once, before the choice ones are sold. The lots are mostly cleared. For sale by MAJOR & PEARSON. *tc

Seven full sized cows were noticed this morning breakfasting on the nutritious grass in the civic pasture surrounding the city hall. They were finally put out by the zealous caretaker, but not until the whole neighborhood fondly imagined the ancient glories of the hippodrome had been revived by the city fathers for the benefit of the people of the Royal City.

Inter-City Rifle Match.

The rifle match at the Brockton Point range to-morrow, between teams chosen from the Vancouver and Westminster rifle associations, is exciting not a little interest in the two cities. The Westminster team will be several men short of its best shots, and this will probably result in the victory going to Vancouver. The match is "Queen's ranges," 200, 500 and 600 yards, 7 shots at each range, any rifle. The royal city team will go over by stage, leaving about 8:30 o'clock to-morrow morning. The visitors will be banqueted by the home team in the evening.

Left for Blaine.

Mr. J. J. Donavan, Mr. E. M. Wilson and Mr. H. J. Thompson, of the Fairhaven and Southern Railway, left the city this morning for Blaine, where they have some important matters to transact in connection with the building of the line through that city. During the stay of these gentlemen in Westminster a number of important questions were discussed with the Southern Railway directorate. The visitors were handsomely entertained by Mr. B. Douglas, Mr. J. A. Webster and other gentlemen, and they left for home highly pleased with their stay in the royal city.

Score One, Park Committee.

Ald. Cunningham, chairman of the park committee, put men to work to day on Queen's park to prepare the recreation grounds for the great championship lacrosse match on Saturday, 26th inst. The inside fence has been taken down, which gives an additional width to the play ground of over 100 feet. A number of stones and roots, brought to light by the late rains, are being removed, a work that will be greatly appreciated by the players on both teams, who all know the danger arising from contact with them. When the ground is thoroughly gone over, Ald. Cunningham says he will have it rolled so that it will be in prime condition on the day of the match.

Judge Bole Banqueted.

The members of the legal profession banqueted Judge Bole at the Colonial last night in honor of his elevation to the bench. Among the guests were Hon. Theo. Davie, attorney-general, Mr. Justice McCreight and Mr. Sheriff Armstrong. Mr. G. E. Corbould occupied the chair. After the bill of fare had been pretty thoroughly discussed, the health of Judge Bole was most enthusiastically honored, and numerous expressions of confidence and esteem were bestowed upon him. The judge replied in one of his happiest speeches, which abounded in wit, humor and logic. Songs were sung and a very sociable and enjoyable time was spent until midnight, when the "Auld Lang Syne" and the national anthem brought the proceedings to a close.

A Chance for "Murdering Dick."

It is quite possible that "Murdering Dick" will yet meet a most deserved end on the gallows. This rascal is supposed to have killed many people, Indians and whites, but no clear case has yet been proved against him. Among the murders with which he is credited is that of an Italian, who was barbarously murdered up the river some four years ago. A certain witness to the deed was required at the time to prove the case against "Murdering Dick," but this man was not to be found, having fled to the States. Not long ago this man was forced to fly from his refuge and has returned to British Columbia. The authorities are now on his track, and if his capture is successfully accomplished "Murdering Dick" may decorate the gallows before many months.

The Naval Inquiry.

A court of inquiry was held aboard the Icarus on Wednesday at Esquimalt to investigate the circumstances of the case attending the grounding of the above named ship. The court was constituted as follows: Capt. Hammett, president of the court, Capt. St. Clair, H.M.S. Champion; Capt. E. G. Hulton, H.M.S. Amphion; Navigating Lieut. Leah, H.M.S. Swiftsure; Commander Stokes, H.M.S. Acorn. The result of the investigation has not been announced. Another court of inquiry was held aboard the Icarus Wednesday morning to investigate the circumstances of the case of Lieut. Courage and Lieut. Hay, for being absent from the ship without leave when at New Westminster. The court was constituted as above with the exception of Nav. Lieut. Leah.

The Irving Ashore.

Capt. Frank Odin arrived from Hope this afternoon, by rail, bringing the information that the steamer Irving is ashore on Sea Bird Bar near Hope. The steamer left Hope this morning about 4 o'clock for Westminster, and shortly after getting under way a fierce gale gale sprang up, which increased in fury so rapidly that in order to save her Capt. Odin determined to beach the steamer on Sea Bird Bar, which offered the safest refuge. Accordingly the vessel's head was brought around and she ran easily on to the bar, suffering no damage, but beaching high and dry. Capt. Odin left with the steamer Adelaide this afternoon to haul the Irving off the bar, and it is expected that the task will be accomplished without much difficulty. When Capt. Odin left the steamer the gale was still raging fiercely.

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

Westminster Real Estate.

The good people of Victoria have every confidence in Westminster real estate as a profitable investment, and scarcely a day goes by but a transfer of greater or lesser magnitude is concluded by capital city investors. At the auction sale of real estate held by Mr. J. P. Davies at Victoria, on Tuesday, a block of land, one and three-fifths acres in extent, situated in rear of the penitentiary reserve, was sold to Mr. E. D. Morris for $976, a very fair price indeed, but, as property stands now, a good average value. There is no denying the fact that real estate is rapidly advancing in value, and the purchaser of this property could turn over his investment to-day at a handsome advance. There are lots of chances in Westminster for profitable investments, and there is a large amount of idle capital in the province that is bound to find its way hither during the next few months.

That Knotty Case.

The case of Ah Lie, and other Chinamen, charged with shooting Ah Yen, at Ladners, on Sept. 1st, on remand, came before Capt. Pittendrigh yesterday in the district court for a hearing. The evidence of Constable Kirkland, of Ladners, was called, but this officer would not swear to the identity of the wounded man, Ah Yen, although he had brought him up from the landing on the day the shooting occurred. The evidence by this witness was so indefinite and unsatisfactory that the crown was forced to ask for another remand in order to procure better evidence. The court granted the request, and adjourned the case for 8 days. This is a most serious case and it demands the most thorough investigation, and the prosecution of the guilty parties whoever they are. Mr. Moresby has the case in hand for the crown, and it is to be hoped he will follow it to the end and see that justice gets its due.

The Mary Ellen's Cruise.

The sealing schooner Mary Ellen, Capt. Alex. McLean, arrived at San Francisco on the 9th inst., thirty-four days from Sand Point. To a reporter of the San Francisco *Chronicle*, Capt. McLean accounted for his schooner's long voyage by saying that she had head winds nearly all the way down. She put in at the Gulf of South Alaska on the way, and Capt. McLean went on a prospecting tour. He was convinced that there was good mineral ground in the region of the gulf, and there he spent several days, locating claims. Two men were left in charge of the mines and the Mary Ellen sailed for San Francisco. She brought down over 1,800 skins as a result of the season's work. Capt. McLean said that the sealing business had, on the whole, been a failure this season, not over half a dozen vessels made any money for their owners. He considered the cruise of the Mary Ellen an unsuccessful one, as this was the least paying trip she has ever made. Plenty of seals were sighted, but the weather was unfavorable for the hunt. However, the schooner will yield something over $10,000, for her owners. The trip of the Mary Ellen since she left Sand Point has been a rough one. Several gales from the southeast were encountered, the heaviest of which was the storm of Sunday, the 6th inst.

PERSONAL.

A. Ferguson, of Elgin, is registered at the Colonial.

W. F. Buchanan, of Winnipeg, was in town to-nay.

W. A. Ward, of Victoria, is registered at the Colonial.

Hon. Theo. Davie, attorney-general, was in the city to-day.

E. H. Fletcher, post office inspector, was in the city to-day.

W. J. Rattray, of Montreal, is in the city and staying at the Colonial.

B. Springer, manager of the Moodyville Saw Mill Co., came over from the Inlet this morning.

Campbell Sweeney, manager of the Bank of Montreal, at Vancouver, paid the city a short visit this afternoon.

Mr. Justice McCreight left this city to-day on a two weeks' holiday trip, the first he has taken in several years.

Seattle Branch of the Bank of British Columbia.

The *Post-Intelligencer* says: "Mr. Frederick Townsend, inspector of the Bank of British Columbia, is in the city for the purpose of estalishing a Seattle branch. Mr. Townsend hopes to secure a location in time for the institution to begin business with the presidential proclamation declaring Washington a state. The Bank of British Columbia is one of the strongest and best known financial institutions on the Pacific coast. It has branches in San Francisco, Portland, Victoria and throughout British Columbia, and is now about to occupy the Puget Sound field. The head office of the bank is in London."

Alaska Salmon Pack.

The steamer Bertha, nine and a half days from Karluk, and the steamer Jennie, ten days from the same port, arrived at San Francisco a few days ago, the former with 16,000 cases of salmon and the latter with 70 barrels of the same commodity. The packing season in Alaska is now at the close, and an estimate of the probable production of that region can, with some degree of certainty, be ventured upon. With the cargo of the Bertha the receipts in this port for the season are 136,675 cases. This is of course exclusive of the 30,000 cases of the wrecked Wildwood and 13,800 cases of the steamer Ancon, which makes 43,800 cases, regarding which there is an uncertainty of them ever reaching the market. The loss on the Alaska pack for this season is estimated by competent experts to be at least 60 per cent. They think that if the pack foots up 300,000 cases for the year their expectations will be more than realized. The pack of the Columbia river aggregates 380,000 cases, which is below the pack of 1888 by 70,000 cases, but the deficiency of the Oregon pack is more than made up by the excess of the Fraser river production, which is considerably increased over that of last year.—*S. F. Examiner.*

Elaborate preparations were made at Calgary for the governor-general's reception yesterday. He arrived at 4 o'clock p. m., coming northward over the prairie. He was met by citizens mounted and in carriages at the Mission Hill and escorted into town by bands of music. Arches and decorations were put up along the line of the procession.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

Premier Mercier, of Quebec, celebrated his 49th birthday on Wednesday last.

Another decline in prices of granulated sugar is announced, says a Montreal despatch. It is thought prices have not reached bottom yet.

Tax Collector Lobb, brother of ex-Alderman Lobb, shot himself at Toronto, at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. He died almost immediately.

Senator Hardisty, who died at the general hospital, Winnipeg, Tuesday night, will be buried Saturday. Sir Donald Smith is expected from Montreal to attend the funeral.

Evelyn M. Bowell, the youngest daughter of the Dominion minister of customs, was married yesterday afternoon at Belleville, Ont., to Geo. W. McCarthy, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Chas. Harris, of Ailsa Craig, Ont., cut her throat yesterday with a razor, dying almost instantly. She had been a great sufferer from a tumor in the stomach. She could obtain no sleep.

A comparatively newly made bride has, it is reported, eloped from Kingston, Ont., with a former lover. It is thought they have gone to Toronto. Interesting developments are expected.

It is reported that the body of a woman with the arms and legs cut off and the head disfigured, has been found in the Murray canal, at Kingston, Ont. An investigation has been ordered.

John Charlton, M. P., one of the thirteen who voted in favor of Col. O'Brien's resolution to disallow the Jesuites' Estates act, has written Premier Greenway that he will be in Winnipeg on Nov 8th.

The Toronto police commissioners have decided to request the Toronto humane secretary to adopt a bylaw requiring all newsbys to take out licenses and prohibiting girls from selling papers on the streets.

Col. Mulligan, ex-Hudson's Bay Co. superintendent, at Winnipeg, is suing Mrs. Pass, an ex-Winnipeger, to recover property of his at Whitby, Ont., which she became possessed of while they were living as man and wife in Toronto.

At Regina, N. W. T., on Wednesday afternoon, Governor Royal opened the second session of the legislative assembly with the usual ceremonies, though without much of the usual formality. The address from the throne was read in English only.

Apropos of the announcement that the C. P. R. proposes to put on a fast mail train from Vancouver to St. John, N. B., to carry the China and Japan mail from the Pacific to the Atlantic in four days, Col. Whyte, deputy postmaster-general, says that the last train for the east, contained nearly four thousand letters for Europe, independent of a large Canadian and United States mail. This is considered a pretty good indication that the Siberian mail via Vladivostok is taking the Canadian route.

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Pork "	7 00 @	7 50
Mutton "	8 00 @	9 00
Potatoes, new "	75 @	1 00
Cabbage "	50 @	1 00
Onions "	1 00 @	1 50
Wheat "	1 50 @	0 00
Oats "	1 00 @	1 25
Peas "	1 25 @	1 50
Hay, per ton	10 00 @	14 00
Butter (rolls) per lb	25 @	30
Cheese, "	14 @	15
Eggs, per doz.	35 @	40
Cordwood (retail) per cord	3 50 @	4 00
Apples, per box	80 @	1 00
Hides (gr'n) per 100 lbs	4 00 @	6 00
" (dry) "	5 00 @	9 00
Wool, per lb	6 @	11

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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

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I. O. G. T.—EXCELSIOR LODGE NO. 8 meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in the Temperance Hall, Columbia St. Visiting members are cordially invited.—W. C. LOYE, Rec. Sec.

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

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

BOARD OF TRADE. Board Room, Oddfellows Brick Block, up-stairs. Council meets on the first Wednesday in each month, at 4 p. m. Quarterly meetings on the 1st Wednesday, May, Aug., and Nov., at 7:30 p. m. New members may be proposed and elected at any Quarterly meeting.—D. ROBSON, Sec.

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Tenders Wanted,

NOT LATER THAN THE 5TH NOVEMBER, for **clearing 80 acres**, more or less, of land at Boundary Bay.
Specifications to be seen on application to Wm. McDowell, Ladner's Landing, or to the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
E. M. JOHNSTON,
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October, 1888. oc18dwtd

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between W. J. Corbett and T. Kennedy, as tinsmiths, etc., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All claims against the late firm, and all bills due to same to be paid by and to W. J. Corbett, who will continue the old firm's business.
W. J. CORBETT,
THOMAS KENNEDY.

A LARGE LOT OF STOVES just arrived per C. P. R. that must be sold at once as I have not been able to procure a suitable store to show them.
W. J. CORBETT,
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WE THE UNDERSIGNED BOOT AND Shoe Merchants of New Westminster will close our respective places of business every evening at 8 o'clock sharp, on and after MONDAY, October 14th, 1889, except Saturdays.
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