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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The free trade people are making from the customs returns some sharp shots against the policy of protection. They print tables showing the duty paid on imported articles of cheap quality, such as the poorer people use, which duty is, of course, a tax upon the people; and there they add the difference between the price of goods of home manufacture, under protection, and the real value of these goods, which is also a tax upon the (poor) consumer, and a bonus to the (rich) maker. Taking a general view of the field, it can hardly be doubted that the free traders have gained ground lately, both in the U.S. and Canada. Indeed, we might extend the observation and say that restrictive legislation of all sorts is going out of fashion—except, perhaps, in British Columbia, where some of the professions manage to fool the legislators into maintaining a hedge around them. But this, too, must go.

The Toronto *Globe's* break from "organism" is another sign of the times. It will probably be a good many years before we can find any workable substitute for government by party; but it is evident that the days of government *for* party are fast running out. The schoolmaster has not been abroad during the last thirty or forty years for nothing. It is not quite as easy as it used to be to persuade the ordinary voter that it is the natural and correct thing for the tail to wag the dog. Of course, straight out party men will shut their eyes to the new order of things as long as possible, but the newspapers are waking up, and they have an inconvenient habit of insisting upon others following their example.

Mr. Adolphe Nielson, the newly-appointed superintendent of fisheries in Newfoundland, is now about to establish a cod hatchery on the most approved lines, the necessary apparatus for which is being brought from the United States. By means of this hatchery he hopes to distribute no less than 100,000 cod eggs during the season, and the strongest hope is entertained that by a continuance of this method of replenishment the restoration of the depleted bays and coastal waters will be accomplished. Having thus put cod hatcheries in operation, Mr. Nielson will be deputed to give attention to other fisheries of Newfouudland.

In the wrong office.—Peddler—"My dear sir, do you know how much time you lose dipping a pen into the ink? Ten dips a minute means 600 dips an hour or 6,000 in ten hours. and each dip consumes ——" Business Man—"Yes, I know; I have figured it all out." Peddler—"And yet I find you still writing in the old way." Business Man—"Yes, I am using the fountain pen you sold me about a month ago—using it in the old way because it won't write any other way." Peddler—"Beg pardon; I'm in the wrong office. Good day."

Table D'Hote, Lake Como.—"Don't you, then, ever wash here?" "Oh, dear no! I only scratch and rub!" Miss Tompkins, overhearing, leaves the table abruptly, much disgusted. She afterwards hears they are members of the Royal British Water Color Society who were discussing the technique of their profession.—*Life.*

The Jekyl Island Club, of Georgia, is meeting with great success in propagating the English pheasant. A few months ago the club received 78 birds out of 100 which were sent to it from England, 22 having died on the journey. From these 78 birds 1,000 chicks were hatched out last fall by common barnyard hens.

The Kentucky court of appeals has just decided that the property which a woman has bought and paid for with money earned by herself is liable for the debts of her husband. What is needed in Kentucky is a little more common sense and considerable less common law.—*Ex.*

Please accept the enclosed," wrote a subscriber in sending a check for the amount of his subscription. "Declined with thanks," penciled the absent-minded editor across its face; "your contribution is not found available. All our humor is furnished by a syndicate."

The Right Number—In the accounts of the marriage of the emperor of China, said Mrs. McCrackle, "I see that his household comprises seven cooks and thirty physicians." "That's about the right proportion," said Mr. McCrackle.

The New Orleans *Picayune* says that a coroner of a southern town actually reported not long ago that a certain man had "died suddenly without the aid of a physician."

"The devil's dozen," is Sir John's name for the thirteen who supported Col. O'Brien's motion. "Sir John ought to know," is the comment of an irreverent Grit.

A woman announcing herself as "Mrs. Dr. Brooks, great inspirational test medium," has been exposed at Jackson, Mich., and hastily left the place.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

A COMING STRIKE.

A Great Strike of Locomotive Engineers and Fireman Probable on all Western Roads.

Three Schooners with Their Entire Crews are Lost on the North Carolina Coast.

The Arrangement Between the U. S. and Germany Regarding Warships at Samoa.

A GREAT STRIKE PROBABLE.

CHICAGO, April 11.—A strike on all the western roads, centering here, is one of the possibilities of the near future. No other subject is discussed at secret meetings of the Brotherhood of Locomotive engineers and firemen. One impression prevails among the men that the western roads have determined upon a general and sweeping reduction of wages. During last week several things have transpired which tend to strengthen that impression.

FATAL LAND DISPUTE.

BUTTE, Montana, April 11.—At Flat Head Lake, yesterday, two settlers, named Fortin and Hawkes, had a dispute about a piece of land which both claimed. Hawkes shot and fatally wounded Fortin. Hawkes was arrested.

SHIPPING.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Arrived, str. Empire, from Nanaimo, Bark Enoch Talbot from Port Hadlock. Sailed, Bark Ceylon, for Port Townsend.

CUTTING RATES.

CHICAGO, April 11.—The Union Pacific is soliciting passenger business to Puget Sound points, and is issuing coupon tickets over the western division of the Northern Pacific from Portland north. It is believed the road is cutting rates north of Portland in violation of the transcontinental agreement.

ASKING PARDON.

CHICAGO, April 11.—Louis Neebe, brother of Oscar Neebe, one of the convicted anarchists, left here last night for Sprigfield where he will lay before governor Fifer papers and documents asking for his brother's pardon, who is serving a 15 year sentence at Joliet.

MURDER OR SUICIDE.

SUSANVILLE, CAL., April 11.—Pat Bagin, a rancher, with a family living 5 miles from town, was found dead near his house last night in a pond of water with a rope around his neck, the rope being attached to a stone. It is not known yet whether it is a case of suicide or murder.

A MAIDEN VOYAGE.

NEW YORK, April 11.—The Inman line steamer City of Paris arrived from Liverpool this morning. It was her maiden trip, and was made in 6 days, 18 hours, and 58 minutes. It was expected that she would cross in close to 6 days, but new machinery and unfavorable weather hindered a quick passage.

THREE WRECKS.

ELIZABETH, N. C., April 11.—The schooner Susannah has been blown ashore, near Hatteras, and wrecked; her crew and five men were drowned. The schooner Susan has been lost near the same place, and the captain and crew are missing. The schooner Parrott has sunk and it is feared the captain and crew and drowned.

A PERFECT BRUTE.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Mrs. Mary Saunders, who was shot by her husband last Saturday night for refusing to support him by leading a disreputable life, died this morning. Saunders is charged with murder.

THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Assistant Secretary of State Wharton, was sworn in at noon to-day and has taken charge of his duties. Judge Chandler, of Kansas, the new assistant secretary of the interior, was also sworn in to-day.

MARY ANDERSON.

QUEENSTOWN, April 11.—Mary Anderson arrived this morning. Her health is much improved.

PAYMENTS.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Payments on the cruisers have been approved by Secretary Tracy as follows: Cramps, Philadelphia, $12,500; Union Iron Works, San Francisco, $125,520.

ANOTHER DEATH.

CHICAGO, April 11.—Mr. Hart, H. W. Lamb and brakeman Palmer, who were injured in the Santa Fe wreck yesterday, are reported this morning as getting along very well. Mrs. Hart died at noon to-day.

SERIOUS CHARGES.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 11.—Gen. Mahone, senator Jones of Nevada and others have brought suit in the U. S. court against W. P. Canaday, sergeant at arms of the senate, ex-congressman Russel of North Carolina and E. R. Brick, the former postmaster at Wilmington, in connection with the operations of the Wilmington Creosote & Lumber Company. All parties are stockholders, and the company was organized by Canaday. It is alleged in the bill that fraudulent issues of stock were made, and the proceeds converted to private use. A receiver is asked for, and also an injunction against the further issue of stock. It is said that Mahone and senator Jones deposited $15,000 each, and Don Cameron $13,000 in the enterprise. The bill makes a direct charge of fraud and conspiracy.

WHEAT.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Wheat quiet; buyer, '89, 141½; seller 89, 127½;

CHICAGO, April 11.—Wheat steady; April, 85⅝; June 86; July, 82¾.

NEW YORK, Apr. 11.—Wheat steady; April, 85½; June, 87¼; July, 86¾.

LIVERPOOL, Apr. 11.—Wheat dull Cal., 7 shillings.

SAMOAN AFFAIRS.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—There was no effort made at the state department this morning to deny or even to evade an answer concerning the report that an agreement had been entered into with the United States and Germany respecting the presence of the war vessels in Samoan waters. After consultation with his father and with the German minister, Count Arco, who was at the state department this morning, Mr. Walker Blaine stated that an amicable understanding between the German and American governments had been entered into. "England," said Blaine, "will undoubtedly follow the example of the other nations. The three treaty powers will each keep but one vessel at Samoa until the termination of the conference at Berlin. The Alert, the small American gunboat, now at Honolulu, will represent our Government at Apia. The Sophie, a German corvette recently ordered to Samoa, will represent Germany and it is probable that the Calliope, the British gunboat which left Apia for Sydney during the great hurricane in Apia harbor, will represent Great Britain there." Mr. Walker Blaine had a conference this morning with Secretary Tracy and Commodore Walker, the chief of navigation, concerning the Samoan agreement and as a result of it a cable despatch was sent this afternoon to the commander of the Richmond, now off the coast of Brazil, countermanding her orders to go to Samoa.

OTTAWA NOTES.

OTTAWA, April 10.—Mr. C. T. Bate, ex-Mayor of Ottawa, dropped dead in the Russell House to-night of heart disease. Mr. Bate was worth $500,000.

In the House of Commons to-day, in reply to Colonel Prior, the Government said it had not applied to the Imperial authorities for a copy of Colonel O'Brien's report on the fortifications at Esquimalt.

A deputation from Montreal and Toronto asked the Government to-day to abolish the clause in the new Customs Act proposing to add the cost of conveying British goods from the place of purchase to the point of shipment to Canada to the value of such goods for duty purposes. Hon. Mr. Bowell hinted that he would take the matter under favorable consideration at an early date.

All the members who supported Colonel O'Brien's resolutions on the Jesuit question will address the Protestant meeting at Montreal on the 23rd inst.

THE DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, April 10.—In the house of commons to-day, Sir Richard Cartwright introduced a resolution of want of confidence against the government in connection with last year's loan of $20,000,000. The loan, though negotiated for a period of fifty years, is to be repaid in annual instalments of about $2,000,000. This, he claims, will mean its entire repayment in less than 10 years. He excused the Hon. George E. Foster from any responsibility, but laid the blame upon Sir Charles Tupper, the high commissioner to England. Sir Richard laid special stress upon the possibility of the stock for the repayment of the loan being held at a high figure when required by the government to liquidate its obligations. The claim in the prospectus, providing for an annual expenditure of nearly $2,000,000 for a sinking fund, he held to be binding. "Canada," he said "has made a loan for fifty years, but in reality it is only a loan for five or six years repayable, in all likelihood, at a premium. Within two years we will own two-thirds of the stock, and before long the unpurchased remainder will be held for the purpose of speculation and it can only be purchased by the goverment at exorbitant figures." The recent loan has practically a sinking fund of ten per cent. attached to it. His resolution was to the effect that the transaction is an improvident one and evidences gross mismanagement on the part of those intrusted with the matter. Hon. George E. Foster replied and justified the loan in every particular and held himself, as minister of finance, responsible for the transaction. The arguments of Sir Richard Cartwright were only formed on a possibility which might never happen. The financial agents in England are equally guiltless of any culpability. Sir Richard, he said, had defended the same men from opposition attacks in 1876. Sir Richard's case simply depends on the obligation. He assumes that Canada is strictly bound to carry it out. In all previous loans a prospectus was issued and the obligation and stipulation is in the bond itself. Proceeding, Mr. Foster declared that the prospectus itself is not absolutely binding. The bond defends the conditions of the loan. These conditions alone are binding, and the government could not be committed to anything else by an expression of intention in the prospectus. After the recess Messrs. Weldon (St. John), Mulock, Waldie, Peter White, Sir John Thompson and Colter spoke and the latter closed the debate. Sir John Thompson said that the bond was the contract between the borrower and the lender, both parties were bound by it and not by the prospectus. There was no legal obligation on the government to buy up these bonds in case they were unduly inflated. A division resulting, the amendment was rejected by 43 majority, the vote being, yeas, 74 and nays, 117.

VICTORIA NEWS.

Three of the Crew of a Sealing Schooner are Drowned.—R. Dunsmuir Getting Better.

Special to the Columbian.

VICTORIA, April 11.—Hall & Goepel received information last night that three of the crew of the sealing schooner Juanita were drowned on March 25th on the west coast, by the upsetting of a boat. Their names are H. Tunnel, Mate Rowe, E. A. Hunter and a Swede named Joe. The boat was found bottom up. All the sealers on the west coast are reported with good catches.

Hon. R. Dunsmuir, who has been very ill for the past few days, is slightly improved to-day.

A. A. Green, the banker, is seriously ill.

S. T. Mackintosh of the C.P.R. telegraph Co., has entered into partnership with F. G. Richards, and W. C. Haywood, real estate agents, of New Westminster.

Several parties who have been engaged in the east by the Ross-McLaren Lumbering Co., of Ottawa, for their proposed extensive milling operation in British Columbia, have arrived in this city, and are awaiting orders to proceed to work. The wages agreed on for axemen, carpenters, blacksmiths etc., range from $40 to $75 per month.—*Times.*

PARNELL'S WISH.

Parnell Only Wants to Unmask the Foul Play which has been Attempted Against Him.

Mr. Smith, Conservative Leader, will Probably Retire and be Raised to the Peerage.

Parisian Detectives Keep Close Watch Over Boulanger and the Patriotic Leaguers.

UNMASKING FOUL PLAY.

LONDON, April. 11—Before the Parnell commission to-day Russell, containing his speech, said Parnell's only care now was to unmask what he believed to be foul play against him.

THE INDICTED BOULANGISTS.

PARIS, April 11.—The seventeen Boulangists who will be indicted by senate court will deny the jurisdiction. Detectives in the service of the government are closly watching Boulanger's house in Paris, where members of the party meet secretly every day to discuss the situation.

NOT CONFIRMED.

PARIS, April 11.—The report on the bourse this morning that an attempt has been made to assassinate the czar, is not confirmed.

MR. SMITH TO RETIRE.

LONDON, April 10.—A grand dinner was given to-night at the Merchant Taylors' Hall to Mr. William Henry Smith, the Government leader in the House of Commons. Both politicians and business men were present, and the latter in their speeches expressed the confidence of the City of London in Mr. Smith and his ability to direct the interests of the Conservative majority in the House of Commons. It is generally believed that this dinner coming closely upon the announcement of Mr. Smith's intention to retire from the House of Commons and take the higher though less prominent seat that will be the reward for his active party services, was designed to mark the approaching step, and that Mr. Smith's resignation of the Tory leadership and acceptance of a peerage will very shortly follow. The dinner was evidently organized with this object in view. At present all indications point towards Mr. Balfour's succession to the leadership. The coming session needs a strong, aggressive man at the head to lead the Tories and Mr. Balfour's Irish record is cited as an evidence that he is the only man able to assume the leadership. The friends of Mr. Goschen, however, think that he is entitled to that honor, but the "Balfourites" think there are other honors for the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

LONDON, April 10.—Before the Parnell commission to-day, Sir Charles Russell, arguing in behalf of the Parnellites, recounted the history of the growth of Fenianism in America, which, he said, was merging into a movement to obtain justice for Ireland by legal agitation. The history of the national league in America, said Sir Charles, shows no complicity in crime. There is no period in the history of Ireland, continued the speaker, in which the people of the Irish race in that greater Ireland beyond the seas were not willing to accept the right of self government in amity with the rest of the British empire. Sir Charles said that Mr. Parnell was not associated with any secret society. He had never met Patrick Ford, nor was he implicated in any conspiracy whatever. Mr. Michael Davitt, although a friend of Ford's, had repeatedly denounced the outrages and all the agitation that incited to them.

Columbia River Canneries.

B. Young, who arrived from Astoria last evening, states that the canneries on the Columbia river are already securing a good supply of fish. On Sunday one cannery had 1,600 large fish which would be equal to five hundred cans, and all anticipate a good pack. Out of forty canneries which were formerly in operation, only twenty-one are now being worked. The balance have removed their plant to Alaska. Those who have remained on the Columbia still have confidence in the future of that river as a field of successful operations. The number of boats fishing this season is between twelve and thirteen hundred, which is an average of about sixty to each cannery.—*Colonist.*

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Looking over the senate debates for 20th March we notice that Senator McInnes (B.C.) asked the government "what steps have been taken, or proposed to be taken, to secure the rights and protect the interests of Canadian fishermen in the North Pacific and Behring's Sea against the unwarrantable interference of United States revenue cutter?" The honorable senator explained that he moved in the matter in consequence of the somewhat extraordinary proclamation issued by the president of the United States, bearing date the 22nd March, anent the Behring's Sea fisheries. Continuing, he dwelt on the vital importance to a large number of people in this province of a thorough understanding being arrived at on the subject and of proper protection being guaranteed those engaged in the fur seal fisheries in and around the Aleutian Islands and in Behring's Sea, as he believed the president's proclamation would be the means of preventing not only Canadian and foreign, but United States, vessels from entering into that sea and pursuing their vocation there. An interesting discussion followed, in which a number of the senators took part, the ground being taken by several of the senators that the United States would never attempt to uphold such a preposterous claim as exclusive jurisdiction over Behring's Sea, a claim which would be repudiated not only by England but by every civilized nation in the world, and that would be resisted by force if necessary. Senator McInnes replied to these arguments as follows: "If the contention of the United States to the exclusive right to Behring's Sea is not a proper construction to place on the proclamation, I cannot understand why the proclamation itself is worded in such ambiguous and guarded language. I sincerely hope that the government will give assurances that they are taking active steps for the protection of our fishermen on the Atlantic coast. Last year when the fisheries treaty was under discussion I called attention to what I considered a great wrong to the fishing interests of the Pacific province, and that was that the whole question of the fisheries of Canada was not included in that treaty. Now that a year has elapsed, and in all probability a new treaty will be negotiated, I sincerely hope and trust that in the interest of the whole Dominion, they will not allow any treaty to be entered into that does not include the fisheries of British Columbia and contiguous waters." Hon. Senator Smith answered as follows: "The answer to the hon. gentlemen's inquiry is that this matter is engaging the earnest attention of her majesty's government at present." Senator McInnes' suggestion, that Pacific, as well as Atlantic, coast questions should be included in any fisheries treaty with the United States, is one that the government will do well to act upon in future fisheries negotiations.

As will be seen by the interesting report of the Richmond council in another column, that municipality finds itself in a disagreeable pickle just now about the North Arm bridges. It will be remembered that early last year the provincial government appropriated $10,000 towards the work of building a traffic bridge across the north arm of the Fraser to connect with a wagon road to Vancouver. The municipality, at whose request the government granted this sum, devoted a like amount to the same object. Negotiations have also been carried on since with the C.P.R., with a view to that company taking the government and municipal appropriations as a bonus and constructing the bridge, making it a railway as well as a traffic bridge. As it was understood that the C.P.R. intended to run a line of railway across the delta lands to the American boundary, it appeared quite probable at one time that the negotiations referred to would have been successful. Nothing has come of this expectation, however, and General Supt. Abbott, in his reply (published in the Richmond council report elsewhere) to the latest overtures of the council on the subject, states "that the company is not in a position to give an absolute assurance that they will join in the construction of traffic and railway bridges over the north arm during the next year," which is significant. (In using the word "bridges" it should be explained, parenthetically, that, while the connection is only one, there are actually two bridges—from Lulu Island to Sea Island, and from thence to the mainland.) Although negotiations have been carried on at various times looking to the C.P.R. constructing the bridges as part of their proposed delta railway line, the provincial government, at the request of the Richmond council, assumed the handling of the bridges as traffic bridges simply, within the limits of the joint government and municipal appropriation of $20,000. Plans and specifications were accordingly prepared, under the superintendence of the government, and, in due course, tenders for the work invited and received. These have only recently been opened by the chief commissioner of lands and works, at Victoria, with the result, as communicated to the Richmond council by W. S. Gore, surveyor-general, that the lowest tender exceeds the total sum, $20,000, appropriated jointly by the government and the municipality, by $7,500. The surveyor-general further, under instructions from the chief commissioner, urges the municipality to guarantee the extra $7,500 required, on which condition the government promises to proceed with the construction of the bridges. But the most striking, not to say alarming, statement in Mr. Gore's communication to the Richmond council is "that the $10,000 already voted by the government *will not be available after the 30th June next!*" and recommending that immediate action be taken by the council in order to secure the sum voted. By their resolution on the subject, published elsewhere, the Richmond council have evidently drawn the not unwarrantable inference from the surveyor-general's letter that it is the intention of the government, after the 30th of June next, to cancel absolutely its appropriation of $10,000 made towards the North Arm bridges last year. But we cannot believe that such a thing is possible. The people of Richmond would have very good grounds for charging the government with a gross breach of faith if anything of the sort was done. We have a better opinion of the government than to believe it capable of such an action. We are not certain that we can second the request of the Richmond council for an additional government appropriation for the work in question, but we would most emphatically protest, in the name of common fairness and good faith, if for no other reason, against any retraction or repudiation by the government of the fair claims of the municipality upon it.

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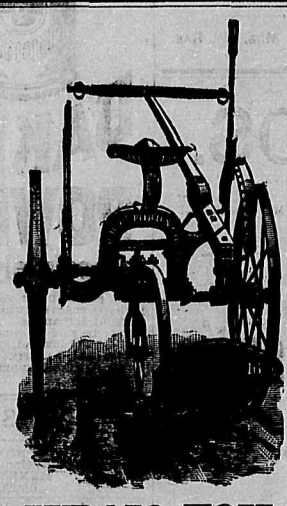

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From the sweet simple faith of your youth,
The more you peer into the yonder
And search for the root of all truth,
No matter what secrets uncover
Their veiled mystic brows in your quest,
Or close on your astral sight hover,
Still, still shall you walk with unrest.

If you seek for strange things you shall find them,
But the finding shall bring you to grief;
The dead look the portals behind them,
And he who breaks through is a thief.
The soul with such ill-gotten plunder,
With its premature knowledge oppressed,
Shall grope in unsatisfied wonder
Alway by the shores of unrest.

Though bold hands lift up the thin curtain
That hides the unknown from our sight;
Though a shadowy faith becomes certain
Of the new life that follows death's night;
Though miracles past comprehending
Shall startle the heart in your breast,
Still, still will your thirst be unending,
And your soul will be sad with unrest.

There are truths too sublime and too holy
To grasp with a mortal mind's touch.
We are happier far to be lowly;
Content means not knowing too much.
Peace dwells not with hearts that are yearning
To fathom all labyrinths unguessed,
And the soul that is bent on vast learning
Shall find with its knowledge—unrest.

—*Lippincott's Magazine.*

FROLICKING SNAKES.

They Take Sides and Engage in a Snow-Balling Match.

A Roaring River (Mo.) correspondent of the Chicago *Inter Ocean* is authority for the following winter snake story:

Half a hundred people make up the population of Roaring River, way down in Barry County, Southwest Missouri, where White river has dwindled into such a little stream that it can almost be stepped across, except when swolen by freshets. Of the fifty inhabitants of Roaring River there are but a dozen full-grown and able-bodied males. But to-day they had all gathered at Simpson's combination general merchandise store and grocery, and were listening in open-mouthed wonder to the story told by old Jim Bridger, a relic of pioneer days and an own cousin of the well-known scout and trapper. Jim had just returned from the Ozark mountains, where large game can still be found at rare intervals. The blizzard that set in just after Christmas had come howling down into a section rarely visited by such severe weather, and a genuine snow-storm, lasting through the night, had surprised the oldest inhabitant, and ceased only after the ground had been covered to a depth of several inches. Jim was exposed to the storm, and told his listeners it was the worst he had ever known in Southwest Missouri, and reminded him of some of the old-timers out on the plains, when he had seen his comrades perish one after another, victims of the fearful freezing blasts.

"But 'twan't the storm that fotched me up standin'," said Jim. "I seed suthin' that skeered me so I believe I've growed gray-headed."

Jim laughed and so did his hearers, for his head was innocent of hair except a little fringe here and there. But Jim quickly checked his own hilarity and waved his hand impatiently for the gaping villagers also to cease.

"What I seed," he began, slowly and solemnly, "I'm gwine ter tell you uns about. Mebbe none'll b'lieve it, but you'd better, fur old Jim Bridger don't 'member of so very many fellers that's knockin' 'round the yearth just at present who got the idear inter the heads that he'd been a-tamperin' with the truth and hed the cheek to say so. Well, Christmas Day and Monday, too, I'd been loafin' 'round 'thout much luck, fur game's gittin' skaser and skaser, an' bimeby thar'll not even be a rabbit lef'. I mozeyed 'round till putty near sundown, Monday. It war a-gittin' colder an' colder, and began to snow, kinder wet and lazylike, as if knowin' 'twant no place fur the 'butiful,' way down in this kentry. I knowed of a little hole in the rocks a mile or so furder on, an' tuk a beeline fur it, gittin' thar jest afore dark. I scraped some old logs together, an' built up a roarin' fire at the back of the cave, agin the rocks. I seed thar war a little crack up 'bout as high as my head, an' I noticed the smoke war kinder drawin' inter it, an' thought to myself: 'What a bully chimbly I got, made to order,' an' then I trun on a few more logs an' went ter sleep. 'Bout six o'clock I woke, feelin' pow'ful hungry. I kicked the coals together, piled on more wood an' soon had the biggest kin' of a fire agin; then I shouldered my gun and struck out just after sun-up, tryin' to fin' suthin' wuth poppin' over fur my breakfust, an' all the time thinkin' what a bully bed of coals thar'd be fur me to cook it on. Well, I kep' goin' on and on, an' 'twas nigh on to ten o'clock afore I managed to pop over even a rabbit. Seem'd 'sif all the game'd gone inter thar holes when the snow kim, 'sides 'twas gittin' so tarnal sloppy that 'most every thing but a durned fool knowed 'muff to keep inside. The sun was gittin' hotter an' hotter, an' meltin' the snow like so much wax when I tramped back to the cave, 'bout as mad at myself an' the rest of the folks as I generally git. 'Bout a hundred yards from the hole the woods cleared away, an' thar wus an open spot clean up to the spot whar I'd camped. I did what I've always done afore steppin' out inter the clearin', tuk a squint all over it, kinder quick like, jest from habit.

"May I be durn'd if I ever expect to live to see another sich a sight. It made me stop in my tracks like I'd suddenly friz stiff.

"May be what I say won't be b'lieved, but then—jest 'member my remark a few minutes ago, will ye! Not more'n twenty yards from me wuz half a dozen of the biggest rattlesnakes I ever seed, and they wuz actin' jest the queerest. A whopper that must hev bin ten feet long wuz nearest to me, an' he'd jest settled himself down in the slushy snow when I spied him. He wuz wrigglin' 'round an' 'round and then all of a suddent he seemed to be a-tryin' to tie hisself inter a big knot! Then I noticed the rest of the rattlers goin' through the same kind of motion. I looked up the side of the hill 'bout fifty yards and thar wus another gang of 'em goin' on at the same rate, an' then I got my eyes set on the cave, an' it wuz jest a-swarmin' with reptiles. To save me, I couldn't make it all out for a few minutes. Then all of a suddent the fust fellow I'd seed stiffened up like he wuz a-tryin' to stan' on his head, an' I noticed thar wuz a white knot onto the end of his tail 'bout as big as my fist. He kinder swayed back'ard and for'ard on his head for a second or two, and then the knot flew off of the tip of his tail an' went kerwhis! straight as a rifle-ball at the other gang o' snakes. Then 'nuther an' nuther jumped up an' went through jest the same action, the fellers on the hill firin' back an' a-gettin' in thar work jest as lively as the crowd neardest me, while up at the cave thar commenced sich a rattling that it seemed to me that a drum corps had let loose all of a suddint.

"Then 'twar all clearin' daylight to me. I'd been campin' in a den o' rattlesnakes, who'd crawled inter the hole I thought was sich a good chimbly, intendin' to stay thar all winter. But my fire hed kinder thawed 'em out durin' the night, an' when I'd piled on sich a big lot o' logs in the mornin' afore I sot out on my tramp I'd finished the job an' got om jest as lively as if 'twar dog-days. They'd swarmed outer the rocks, and findin' the damp snow on the ground, had organized a reg'lar snow-ballin' party, dividin' off jest like a passel o' school-boys, while the little fellers an' the females was the audience, an' stayed up to the cave.

"Well, they kep' it up fur most an hour. Every time one was hit he'd hev to cross over to 'tother side, providin' his own crowd didn't pop him agin while he was wriggilin' through the slush. Oncet in awhile the balls 'ud be flyin' so thick I could skasely see the reptiles, an' then the infernal rattlin' up at the hole 'nd be loud-er'n ever, jest like a crowd at a sukkus clappin' thar hands an' stampin when the clown sed suthin' funny.

"Fur a long time 'twas nip an' tuck 'tween the sides, an' then the gang neerdest me seemed to hev a streak of bad luck, an' one after 'nuther was hit until the big feller I'd fust set eyes on wus fightin' all by hisself. Wall, I've did some tall dodgin' in my time from Injin arrers an' even bullets, but I'll swan that rattler tuk the cake. Fur at least fifteen minutes he squirmed 'round, never gettin' hit wunst, an occasionally firin' back, an' allus hittin', too; but somehow afore his victim 'ud get down to him he'd get peppered, an' hev to make his way back.

"I'd been standin' in the wet snow so long I'd kinder got chilled through, an' I mov-d aroun' a little bit to warm up. But I kep' a-watchin' them snakes, an' dedn't notice what I was a doin' close enough. Jut then the ol' feller straightened an' began to run out his tongue, kinder as if he was pokin' fun an' darin' t'other snakes to do their wust. All of a sudden the hammer of my gun caught on a limb of a bush, an' off she went. She don't bark very loud, you know, an' when the big snake began showin' sech contempt for t'other side thar was a monstrous rattlin' up at the cave, so that the snakes didn't hear the shot. Wall, the muzzle jest happened to be pinted plumb in a line fur the ol' feller's head, an' I'm durn'd if the bullet didn't strike him far'n squar, an' arter squirmin' an' thrashin' 'roun' fur a minnit he stiffened out, deader'n a door-nail.

"T'other snakes stopped, and arter waitin' to see if he wusn't jest a playin' 'possum, they all wriggled down to where he wus lyin'. They wus about the s'priest lukin' snakes you ever seed when they found he wus dead, and couldn't figger out jest what hed killed him. Wall, they sent a snake up to the cave, whar the rattlin' hed stopped, and he kim back with six other snakes, an' they kinder nosed 'round the corpse, an' then went off to one side an' seemed to listen to what t'other snakes was tellin' them, jist 'sif they wus holdin' a coroner's 'quest. Then they seemed kinder satisfied he'd bin hit by a frozen snowball, fur one of the snakes rolled up an icy chunk fur the jury to luk at, an' then they seemed a-tryin' to fin' out who'd trun it, but arter a while gin it up. The snakes then formed into a perseshun, an' a couple of 'em fastened their tails 'round the corpse and led the way up to the cave. One snake, evidently a female, began to boller sunthin' like a bull snake when they wuz nearly thar, an' I sized it up that she was the corpse's widder, if snakes are so misfortunit as to git married. They all crawled inter the hole, totin' the dead snake, and disappeared, an' then I concluded that I didn't want to cook no breakfus' by that fire, nohow, an' sot offen a dog-trot, an' didn't stop till I wuz five miles away.

"Gentlemen, I'm kinder dry. Who said sunthin'?"

QUEEN OF TRAMPS.

Hale, Hearty and Seventy-Five, She Tells of a Checkered Life.

The queen of tramps was a recent guest at the Hoboken police station, writes a Chicago *Times* correspondent from Hoboken, N. J. This remarkable woman, now in her seventy-fifth year, is Sarah Dougherty. She was born in Londonderry in 1814, and emigrated to this country in 1840. Immediately after her arrival she began her nomadic life, and has visited every section of this country and witnessed all the important celebrations. She has seen all the Presidents from Pierce to Cleveland inaugurated.

During the war she was close to the scene of several of the big battles, and was one of the first women to reach the capital of the Southern Confederacy after the surrender of Lee. During the centennial celebration she was in Philadelphia, and when Custer fell was close to the spot where he was ambushed and killed.

She is not an educated woman, but has a retentive memory and is a rhymster. She wrote a poem touching the death of Custer, and recites it with considerable dramatic power. She delights to tell of the leading events in the history of the country during the past thirty years, and with ponderous particularity details the prominent attractions in the leading cities in the United States, and the many interesting celebrations that have taken place in the large cities at which she was present.

She has studied the Bible, and has several odd conundrums to propound to ministers of the Gospel. She is fond of children, and expends her few pennies in purchasing candy for the little ones while she goes hungry.

The queen of tramps is vigorous, and her long siege of exposure and suffering has left few marks on her despite her advanced age. She left the police station and the board that had served as a bed as refreshed and contented as if she had occupied a luxuriously appointed room in a hotel. She moved quickly down Newark street toward the ferry, remarking that she wanted to make a call in New York City before resuming her journey. Her destination is Washington, to again see Congress in session.

RISKS OF RESEARCH.

The Mishap Which Befell the Inventor o Chloride of Nitrogen.

The dangerous quests upon which enthusiastic chemists may embark are strikingly illustrated by the case of the yellow, oily substance called chloride of nitrogen, says the London *Daily News*. This terrible explosive was discovered in 1811 by Dulong, who lost one eye and three fingers in a vain attempt to ascertain its composition. So powerful is it that when Faraday and Sir H. Davy took it in hand they provided themselves with thick glass masks to protect their eyes from the flying bits of glass, and to some extent from the irritating vapors of the oil itself. Faraday was on one occasion stunned by the detonation of only a few grains of the compound, and bits of the tube in which it had been contained almost penetrated his mask. On another occasion Sir Humphry Davy was severely injured by the explosion of a few drops under the receiver of an air-pump. Since their time the precise composition of the oil has been a mystery. At last, however, Dr. Guttermann, of Gottingen, has succeeded in its analysis. He finds that the substance examined hitherto was impure, and that the extreme danger of handling it was partly due to that fact and partly to the varying action of light. Any bright light, he has found, is enough to produce detonation, a discovery made by the sudden destruction of his apparatus by a stray sunbeam. Chemical research nowadays is apt to stray among the teeming pastures of organic chemistry, to the neglect of the old problems offered by the inorganic world, though the solution of these problems belongs to the highest efforts of experimental science.

Veils of Fine Wire.

The newest thing in vails is a strip of fine wire gauze. It is as delicate as the dainty silk affaire which women persist in pulling down over their noses, and much less injurious to the eyes than the dotted or figured net so common upon the street. In appearance it does not differ at all from the ordinary vail, except perhaps it may be a thought less flexible. The wire gauze vail is not in the market, but women have brought a few from England, where they are beginning to be used, chiefly because they are better respirators than silk, which persists in choking one's breath and plastering itself down upon the face if the air is ever so little damp. A vail of silver thread is very ornamental.

EXPERIMENTS made at the Henderson steel works of Birmingham, Ala., to see if good steel could be made from Alabama iron, have been declared successful. If further tests should prove the process feasible, Birmingham would then be able to produce the cheapest steel as well as the cheapest iron. S. J. Ritchie, of Akron, O., says the discovery will change the center of production for steel in the United States, and that in importance it is only second to the discovery of Sir Henry Bessemer.

It is sometimes hard to tell whether or not a woman means exactly what she says, but husbands know that this rule does not apply when she says that Mrs. Jones has got one and Mrs. Brown has had two since last fall, and she doesn't care a pin what he says about it, she is going to have a new bonnet before another week—so there! When a woman says "so there!" with a strong italic accent on the "there," a wise man always caves

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Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, April 11, 1889.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Land Registry....R. W. Armstrong

To Builders.....W. R. King

Grant & Maclure's $3.75 Boot. *t2

The demand for agricultural implements is very great at present.

The Pacific express was reported three hours late this afternoon.

A very fine selection of straw hats can be seen at the Bon Marche. *tc

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

Four Boring Machines, in good order, for sale cheap.—G. W. Gilley & Co. *tc

Several large shipments of fresh salmon were made to eastern points to day.

Russell's Restaurant, opposite the American Hotel, open day and night. a9m3*

Mr. King, architect, has an adv. in another column which will be of interest to contractors.

North Arm road lots, and Brownsville acre lots from $100, at Walker & Co's on easy terms. *tc

There was a slight frost last night, but not sufficiently heavy to hurt the most tender plants.

The str. Irving left for Chilliwack this morning with 20 passengers and a full load of merchandise.

Fifty Visiting Cards, 25cts.; box of Illuminated Papers and Envelopes, only 25cts. At Miss Peebles'. *

All kinds of Sewing Machines and attachments repaired equal to new. Address J. THURLBOURNE, Union Hotel. 5t

The Exhibition Fund has taken another start. Grant & Maclure have added an X. Keep it going, everybody.

The str. Princess Louise left for Victoria this morning with 25 passengers, 60 tons of freight and 85 head of cattle.

The damage done to the ceiling of the Masonic and Oddfellows' building, by the water tap having been left running all night, is considerable.

A pair of valuable eyeglasses are lying in this office awaiting a claimant. The owner can recover the same by paying 50 cents for this notice.

The shakos and leggings for the rifles have arrived, and will be served out to the men at the next parade if the clothing arrives in the meantime.

D. J. Levy, of 61, Johnston street, Victoria, B. C., is the only agent H. L. Gabel has in British Columbia. Hold your orders; he will be in New Westminster on or about May 1st, 1889. *tc

Some new features appear in the *Dominion Illustrated* of April 6th. The spring fashions for 1889 are illustrated, and a diagram map is given showing Pacific Ocean electric cable routes established and proposed.

Contractor McDonald's new steam pile driver commenced work this morning and is performing its duty in good style. The great superiority of steam over brute force could not be better exemplified than in this instance.

The oolachan run is steadily improving and the catch to day was the best since the fish commenced to run. W. H. Vianen shipped 500 lbs. of these fish to Victoria and will send forward the same quantity to-morrow.

The barque Malay is detained in port for want of a crew, all the seamen having deserted since the vessel arrived in port. Sailors are very scarce and will continue to be so while better wages for less work can be had on land.

The minstrel entertainment at Hering's Opera House last night was strictly first class in every respect, and the many promises made by Goodyear, Cook & Dillon, were kept to the letter. The house was packed from front to rear.

Three dogs of very uncertain breed await anxiously and impatiently to be relieved from the city pound by their owners. The crop of unlicensed dogs is very small this year, probably owing to the rigidity with which the law was enforced last summer.

Small-pox is prevailing in Whatcom and vicinity, and the schools and churches have been temporarily closed to prevent the spread of the disease. Seattle and Tacoma are also afflicted with this dread disease, and many cases have been reported.

New houses continue to make their appearance in all portions of the city, and the rapidty with which they are erected is wonderful and surprising. A row of neat cottages will be commenced shortly on Queen's avenue, between John and Douglas streets.

Whatcom is overrun with thieves and bad characters in general, and many burglaries have latterly been perpetrated. The police organization seems to be incompetent to deal with the rascals and but few of the wrongdoers have been brought to justice.

200 lots on the Thorne road, from $65 upwards, on monthly instalments of $10, without interest. These lots are only two blocks from the park, have a good view, are mostly cleared and are only four blocks from the new store. Apply to WM. REIDT, Front street. *

Mayor Grant received a box of splendid samples of wire and native silver ores, taken from No. 1 Mine Hot Springs, Kootenay Lake. The ore is very rich, the mineral being visible in quantities in all the specimens. The mine from which they were taken is being developed.—*Times.*

Mr. S. T. McIntosh, of the telegraph office, in this city, will resign his position in a few days, for the purpose of entering into partnership with Messrs. Richards and Haywood, in the real estate business in New Westminster. Mr. McIntosh is well known all over the mainland; he is also energetic and popular and is sure to command a large share of business.—*Times.*

In the course of his sermon on Sunday evening, the Rev. Donald Fraser remarked that the peace of a Christian could not be likened unto a gushing torrent, which is supplied by temporary melting mountain snows, but like a river such as the Fraser. Its source, he said, is in the everlasting hills; in its course it gathers strength and develops into a placid stream, and so flows on into the ocean.—*Times.*

The Westminster Rifles.

Half a dozen promising recruits joined the Rifles last night and the corps is now almost up to its full strength. A fife and drum band is now being formed, and as soon as the drums come to hand the company will be able to march out to the stains of martial music. New uniforms, shakos and leggings are now en route from Ottawa, and as soon as these arrive the equipments will be second to none in the Dominion.

Wonders of the Deep.

The captain of the schooner Norma, which arrived at Astoria from San Francisco on Monday, states that nearly all day Sunday he sailed through vast numbers of fur seals, whales, porpoises and sea lions. So plentiful were they that they barely kept out of the way of the schooner. One large whale was struck by the vessel. The school was of such vast proportions that the lookout aloft could not see where it ended. Millions of seagulls hovered over them. The supposition is that they were following up an enormous school of fish.

A Slight Accident.

This morning while Mr. J. R. McNeil was bidding goodbye to a friend on the C.P.N. wharf, he made a false step and fell into one of the slips, striking his forehead against the side of the str. Princess Louise and inflicting a very severe cut just above the right eye. He would have fallen into the river but for the promptness of two bystanders who were lucky enough to save him from further accident. The wound though an ugly one is not serious, and, barring a partial disfigurement of his good looks, McNeil will be none the worse of the mishap in a few days.

The Packing Establishments.

Contrary to expectation the salmon canners did not manage to commence packing this week. The fisheries department have not issued the licenses for this season, but permits have been granted allowing a few boats to commence work. Until the usual licenses are issued very little fishing will be done by the cannerymen. The boats working at present average 12 to 20 fine fish each day, and the run is steadily improving. Several of the packing establishments will commence operations early next week and the others will all be at work in a month if the run continues good.

A Noble Vagrant.

It is not often that our police court is graced by a scion of a noble, ancient and knightly family, but it so happened to-day, if the word of James Plantagenet Neville is to be depended on. This distinguished individual appeared before the presiding magistrates on the charge of being a loose and idle person, and a vagrant. He was arrested in a store-house belonging to the Royal City Mills, overwhelmed by a drunken stupor and oblivious to his present misery and the past glories of his family. Neville claims to be a descendant of the kingly line of Plantagenet, but though sprung from such a noble strain he did not disdain to make his living by singing and dancing in public houses for the pennies bestowed upon him by the vulgar plebians. The magistrates looked only on the man as found by the law, and sentenced him to pay a fine of $25 or assist the chaingang for three months in improving and beautifying the city squares.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Last night at 8 o'clock the regular monthly meeting of the association was held in the rooms. Invitations were sent to all members for themselves and lady friends and 100 persons were present. Two new members were elected. After the usual order of business was finished, short addresses were delivered by Messrs. D. S. Curtis, W. H. Higgins, Rev. Mr. Scoullar, Dr. Brown and Dr. Kent. The addresses spoke in enthusiastic terms of the good work being done, and the possibilities for increased usefulness of the association, and were full of hope as to the future. After some instrumental music, refreshments were served by the Ladies Central Committee, whose efforts were evidently highly appreciated by all present.

Appointments were then made by the President on the Invitation, Reception, Devotional and Entertainment committees, seven new members were proposed, and an opportunity, of which a number availed themselves, was given to the ladies present to join the association as auxiliary members. A vote of thanks was enthusiastically passed to the Ladies Central Committee for their generous assistance in the programme of the evening. The meeting closed at 10.30 o'clock with hymn and prayer.

PERSONAL.

W. C. Haywood, of Vancouver, is in the city.

T. J. Armstrong and wife left for Victoria this morning.

A. O. Hastings, of the Ogilvie Milling Co., is in the city.

T. H. Ladner, the well known salmon packer, is in the city.

R. W. Armstrong, registar of provincial lands, is visiting the capital.

Jas. Wilson, supt. of C.P.R. telegraphs, left for Victoria this afternoon.

Mrs. Dr. Beckingsale, of Vancouver, who has been the guest of Mrs. C. M. Beecher for a few days, returned home this afternoon.

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*

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Richmond Council.

Council met on Saturday, April 6th, Reeve Kidd and all the members present.

Communications: From W. S. Gore, surveyor-general, under instructions from the chief commissioner of lands and works, stating that the government will be prepared to proceed with the erection of the bridges over the north arm of the Fraser as soon as this municipality can guarantee the payment of $7,500, being the necessary amount required to make up the amount of the lowest tender over and above the $20,000 already provided for the construction of the iron combination bridge; also stating that the $10,000 already voted by the government will not be available after the 30th of June next, and recommending that immediate action be taken by this council in order to secure the sum voted and take advantage of low water. Tabled.

From Williams Bros., on behalf of Mr. C. T. Crickman, respecting the removal of fence. Received and the clerk ordered to reply.

From S. Brighouse respecting right of way for road. Filed.

From L Thompson, *re* Farmers Association, enclosing objects of the same. Tabled.

From H. Abbott, general supt. of C.P.R., informing the council that the company is not in a position to give an absolute assurance that they will join in the construction of traffic and railway bridges over the north arm during the next year. Filed.

From the acting Indian supt. stating that the Indians were dyking the reserve and would have the same completed by the 1st of July next. Filed.

Reports: The board of works reported Ah Len's contract on road No. 4 completed, 347½ rods at $1.50 per rod, and recommended payment of balance, $71.25; E. Lander's contract on Sea island was advancing, and recommended payment of $50; Sam Lee's contract on road No. 4 nearly completed, and recommended payment of $200; S. H. Wescott's contract for covering flumes at south end of road No. 1 completed, expense $50, and recommending payment. Report adopted.

A petition was read from J. T. Errington and thirty-six others, asking the council, in view of the information contained in W. S. Gore's communicaton, to pass a by-law, for submission to the ratepayers at the earliest possible moment, to enable the corporation to raise by a loan the additional $7,500 necessary to insure the construction of the North Arm bridges without delay, and promising their hearty support to the by-law. The petition was laid on the table.

On the communication from W. S. Gore the following action was taken: Resolved, that in consideration of the communication of W. S. Gore, surveyor-general, on behalf of the chief commissioner of lands and works, stating that it will be necessary for this council to guarantee the payment of the further sum of $7,500 in order to secure the erection of the bridges across the north arm of the Fraser, and also that the government grant of $10,000 will only be available up to the 30th June next, making it urgently necessary that immediate action be taken by this council in the matter, it is the opinion of this council that the government, knowing all the causes of delay in the preparation of the work in question, and, not having heretofore even hinted at the probability of the vote being allowed to lapse on the 30th of June next, we look upon the attitude assumed by the government as indicated by this letter as unwarrantable, and that this council, being led to infer that the $10,000 appropriated by the government would be available until some definite proposition could be received from the C.P.R. Co., or until some other definite course could be decided on, must look upon such action as unfair, and that in case this corporation is unable to arrange to satisfy the requirements of the government as stated in this communication, we must look upon as a breach of faith on the part of the government if they allow the said sum of $10,000 to be taken from the estimates or made unavailable for the said purpose.

Be it further resolved that the government be and are hereby requested to place the $10,000 in question on the estimates for this year, and also an additional sum equal to one half of the extra sum required for the purpose of building the said bridges in accordance with the plans approved by the government, and that the clerk be and is hereby instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the chief commissioner of lands and works with the request that he lay the matter before the government without delay. Carried.

On motion the reeve was instructed to proceed to Victoria to further interview the government on the bridge question and strengthen the request contained in the above resolution of the council.

Coun. Garrat submitted a "Highway by-law," which was received and read the first time. The Highway by-law indicates the following roads as public highways: 1. From the gulf of Georgia how known as Terra Nova eastwardly, inside the dyke, on the north side of Lulu island as far as road No. 7, between sections 14 and 15, B. 5, N.R. 5. W., and one mile east of J. Quigley; 2. Between sections 26 and 27, B. 5, V.R. 7 W., Sea island, 16½ feet on each side of the survey line; 3. Beginning on road No. 13, Sea island, near the river, and running along the river bank to intersect the road in prospect between the proposed bridges leading to the mainland.

The assessor submitted his roll for 1888, which was laid on the table.

The following bills were paid: A. H. Wescott, flood gate, $10, brushing road, $10, covering flume $50; Sam Lee, on road No. 4, $200; E. Lander, $50; Ah Len, road No. 4, $71.25.

The council adjourned to meet on Saturday next, April 13th.

The Town Kicker.

The following, from the Atchinson *Globe*, applies to a certain class of persons to be found in nearly all communities:

"Once upon an evening dreary, while I brooded, blind and beery, thinking of the city's future, as I'd often thought before; while I nodded nearly napping, suddenly I heard a rapping, as of people widly scrapping, scrapping near my chamber door.

So I threw my packet, and cried, 'O cheese that racket,' but the pounding still continued, till it shook the oaken floor. To the door I walked, and twisted on the knob, which resisted, then there came a double-fisted kicker of the days of yore; not a word he said, but squatted, on a yellow sofa, spotted with green dots of red and crimson, looking like small daubs of gore.

Both his eyes were at me staring, and their steady, sullen glaring, sent a chillness to my bosom, striking coldly to its core. 'Tell me, cried I, tell me kicker, have you filled yourself with liquor, that you come out with a snicker, uninvited to my door.' Take thy cane and take thy bundle, and from without my chamber tumble, or by all the crimson demons, I shall wallow in your gore.' But the kicker, never blinking, sat upon the sofa thinking, never smiling, never winking, as he answered, 'Nevermore.'

'Kicker,' said I, 'spring is coming—don't you think booms will be humming; don't you think the town will flourish as it never did before? Think you it will be saving, when we have decent paving, and the people quit their raving at the mud and ruts galore?' But the kicker never flittting on the sofa still sitting, while his teeth were gritting, that sad answer, 'Nevermore.'

'Don't you think,' I said with sorrow, 'brighter things will come to-morrow? Don't you think we hear around us, building with din and roar? Even though the chumps are sighing, grunts protesting, kickers crying, don't you think we'll soon be flying to such heights as eagles soar?' Quoth the kicker, 'Nevermore.'

'Kicker,' cried I in fury, 'I'll be judge, court and jury, and your sentence is to wallow in your own disgruntled gore. For your answers make me weary, and you spoil a prospect cheery, by your snivelling so dreary, as you oft have done before. Take your hat from off my bracket, take your bundle and your packet, and make tracks across the river, or I'll slug you till you're sore. This old town would have been soaring where the solar stars are pouring, but for kickers and their roaring, which is all their stock and store; take away thy dismal body, with its smell of weed and toddy, for you make my system weary.' Quoth the kicker, 'Nevermore.'

And the rascal never flitting, on my sofa still is sitting, and the gaslight on him shining casts his shadows on the floor. At the carpet he is staring, with a steady vacant glaring, and answers to my swearing, with a dreary 'Nevermore.' This he wishes when I'm raving on the beauties of good paving, of the prospects of more buildings than we ever had before. I have filled him full of liquor, and then tried to bounce the kicker, but he only gave a snicker, as he answered, 'Nevermore.'"

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

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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.

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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; MISS DEBECK, Secretary.

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

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

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D. ROBSON,
City Clerk.

New West., April 8, 1889. dap9td

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Plans and specifications at my office.

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TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE execution of certain additions and alterations to a house at Sapperton, immediately in rear of St. Mary's Church, for Messrs. Woods, Turner & Gamble.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders (endorsed) are to be delivered on or before noon on FRIDAY the 19th inst.

Neither the lowest nor any tender will be necessarily accepted.

WILLIAM R. KING,
Architect, &c.

Westminster, April 11, 1889. dap11t3

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

Re Lot 5, in the Subdivision of Lot 4, in Suburban Block 9, New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF Title of Charles G. Haggman 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 new Certificate of Title will be issued in lieu of that so lost or destroyed, unless cause be shewn to the contrary within one month from date.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office,
New West., B. C., 11th April, 1889.
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THERE'S a bower of roses by Bendemeer's stream,
And the nightingale sings round it all the day long;
'Twas sweet in the time of my childhood's young dream
To sit mid the roses and hear the birds' song.

That bower and its roses I never forget;
And oft, while alone, in the bloom of the year,
I think, "Is the nightingale singing there yet?"
Are the roses still bright by the calm Bendemeer.

No; the flowers soon withered that hung o'er the wave;
But some blossoms were gathered while freshly they shone,
And a dew was exaled from their petals which gave
All the fragrance of summer when summer was gone.

The above lines from Moore's "Lallah Rookh" are naturally recalled to mind upon catching the odors of those Matchless Quadruple Red Letter Extracts of MACPHERSON & THOMSON, the Druggists. dap8t6

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