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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

There are Republican leaders who expect to use Ben Harrison's backbone for a toboggan slide, says an American paper, and another asks: Up or down?

The post-office at Mineral Point Col., 12,000 feet above the sea level, is the highest post-office in the United States. But the postmaster says his salary is about the lowest.

"Are the young ladies of the present day fit for wives?" asked a lecturer of his audience. "They are fit for husbands," responded a feminine voice; "but the difficulty is that you men are not fit for wives." The applause was great, as was the discomfiture of the lecturer.

A mummy sent by Maspero, the Egyptologist, to friends in France, was halted at Marseilles by a customs officer who opened the case, and, unable to find anything about duties on Pharos on his printed list, classified it as "dried fish," and levied the corresponding C. O. D. duty.

It was Bilkins' wedding day, and he was teasing his "kid" brother-in-law.—"Well, Johnnie," he said, solemnly, "I'm going to take your sister away off and have her all to myself, where you won't see her any more." "No! Really, are you?" said the "kid," curiously. "Yes, I am. What do you think of it?" "Nothin'; I guess I can stand it if you can."

A mortar-mixer was observed to be heating his kettle of coffee the other day in a way which was no novelty to him but seemed strange to a reporter. He dug a hole in a pile of sand, placed a lump of lime in it, sprinkled some water on the lime, placed his kettle on it, and banked sand up around it. When 12 o'clock struck he shouted, "Come to tay; your coffee's a bilin."—*Ex.*

A Connecticut merchant of Russian birth has been arrested on his return to his native country and is about to be transported to Siberia. It is said that avoidance of military service is the cause of his punishment. It is in order to know, first, whether he is an American citizen, and next what is the real nature of his offense. Avoidance of military duty seventeen years ago cannot be entertained against an American citizen. Russia has always been our good friend and the Czar may be disposed to listen to reason.—*Am. paper.*

According to the Chicago *Tribune's* figures the lowest cost for getting cattle ready for market is 2½ cents per pound. "An average bullock weighing 1,000 pounds costs the producer $25. He is sold for $30, which gives the raiser 20 per cent. profit. After passing through the slaughter-house, his hide, meat, tallow, etc., are sold for $37, a profit of 23 per cent. Then the retailer takes the 500 pounds of dressed meat for $30. He gets 18 cents a pound for choice cuts and an average of seven for the rest, making a total $48.75, an advance of more than 60 per cent."

The *London and China Telegraph* says that the young Emperor of China "has a serious hesitation in his speech, and speaks very slowly and with considerable difficulty. He is quiet in disposition, and very obstinate when once he has formed an opinion. He has a very large head and thin, pointed face. He is considered decidedly clever. There are strong indications that the Emperor intends to rule in fact as well as in name, and is determined not to allow his father to interefere in the government of the country at all. Prince Chun, the Emperor's father, has managed to maintain himself in office and power, and will probably make strong efforts to continue to do so, but it seems pretty certain that the Emperor does not intend to permit this, and consequently a struggle is almost sure to occur."

Every man has 2 parents, 4 grandparents, 8 great grandparents, 16 great-great-grandparents, 32 great-great-great-grandparents, etc. Now, if we reckon 25 years to a generation, and carry on the above calculation to the time of William the Conqueror of England, it will be found that each living person must have had 35,000,000 of ancestors. Now, supposing we make the usual allowance for crossing or intermarrying of families in a genealogical line, and for the same person being in many of the intersections of the family tree, still there will remain a number at that period even to cover the whole Norman and Anglo-Saxon races. What, therefore, might have been pious, princely, kingly, or aristocratic, stands side by side in line with the most ignoble, plebian, or democratic. Each man of the present day may be certain of having had, not only barons and squires, but even crowned heads, dukes, princes, or bishops, or renowned generals, barristers, physicians, etc., among his ancestors.—*Baltimore Sun.*

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THE HAYTIEN WAR.

President Legitime Gains a Great Victory Over the Northern Rebels. A Town Captured.

Death of Ericsson the World Famous Engineer and Inventor. Sketch of His Life.

Mr. Tupper Gives the Liberals and Commercial Unionists a Thorough Good Scorching.

AN AMERICAN PROMOTED.

NEW YORK, March 8.—A letter dated Port au Prince, February 20th, just received, gives details of the capture by Legitime of the prosperous town of Mount Rouis, on the northern coast of the island. The writer of the letter, William S. Marsh, who was formerly master of arms on the corvette Bear, of the Greely relief expedition, was in charge of Legitime's forces in the action. The fight resulted in an overwhelming victory for the attacking party. The town was wrecked and many prisoners were taken. For his bravery, Legitime promoted Marsh to the rank of general of artillery.

ERICSSON IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, Mar. 8.—Captain John Ericsson, the world's famous engineer and designer of the Ericsson monitor, died shortly before one o'clock this morning.

THE GREAT ENGINEER.

NEW YORK, March. 8.—Capt Ericksson, who died last night, was only ill about a week. A physician was summoned when he was first taken down, but owing to the advanced age of the patient medical skill failed to rally him. The deceased was one of a family of engineers, his brother and nephews having all gained renown in Europe by the originality of their engineering feats. Captain Ericksson, at the age of 10, constructed a miniture sawmill and pumping machine that attracted great attention in Sweden at the time. At the age of 17 he entered the Swedish army as ensign and rapidly received promotion for ingenuity displayed in getting up plans of fortifications and maps. During his early manhood he was to Europe what Edison is to America. He invented, within three years, four different mechanical contrivances, which were patented in 1839. Ericksson came to America in 1841, and began to build the Princeton, the first naval vessel that carried her machinery under the water line, out of reach of hostile shot. This vessel dictated reconstruction to the fleets of the world. In 1861 Ericksson built the Monitor, completing her in 100 days from the laying of the keel plate, and she arrived in Hampton Roads just in time to defeat, in March, 1862, the Confederate iron-clad Merrimac, which had destroyed the Union frigates Congress and Cumberland, and was about to sink or disperse the rest of the government wooden fleet. But for the Monitor the whole fate of the war might have been changed and European interference attempted. Ericksson was in his 86th year.

A ROOF FALLS.

CINCINNATI, March 8.—A force has been engaged for several days past tearing down the building containing the cyclorama of the Battle of Gettysburg, preparatory to removal to St. Louis. About 9 o'clock this morning the heavy roof fell with a crash, burying several persons in the ruins. Peter St. Peters, a laborer from Chicago, aged 33, fell 30 feet from the top of a derrick and was severely bruised and suffered severe internal injuries. Adam McCarthy, a laborer, was struck by the falling roof and badly injured. Sol Cohen, a peddler, who ventured into the building, was caught in the falling timbers and both arms broken.

SENTENCED TO HANG.

NEW YORK, March 8.—James Nolan has been sentenced to be hanged on April 20th for the murder of his mistress, Emma Buck, on November 20th.

TRAIN WRECKED.

CINCINNATI, Mar. 8.—A passenger train on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad has been wrecked near Milldale, Kentucky, and a number of passengers are reported killed.

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

NEW YORK, Mar. 8.—President Adams of the Union Pacific and President Starris of Northern Pacific are holding a conference to-day, the subject being the purchase of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company.

THE WEATHER.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Fair weather in Eastern Washington Territory and rain elsewhere is predicted for Oregon and Washington for the succeeding 24 hours.

GUILTY AND NOT GUILTY.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—Charles E. Nobmann, the grocery clerk who accidentally shot and killed Louis Hacket, a young collector, with a parlor rifle yesterday afternoon, was exonerated by the coroner's jury this morning. The police, however, arrested him and charged him with murder.

THE NEW MINISTER.

NEW YORK, Mar. 8.—The *Tribune's* London special says: Sir Julian Pauncefort leaves England for Washington at the end of this month. His first visit will be a brief one. He will return to London for the summer and not settle at Washington as British minister till the autumn. Lord Salisbury's political opponents give him credit for having made a wise choice. I asked one of them, perhaps better qualified to judge than any other living liberal, whether he thought Sir Julian likely to do well at Washington. "In my opinion," answered he, "there could not be a better appointment."

ADVOCATING PROTECTION.

OTTAWA, Mar. 8.—Sir Charles Tupper, in a speech in the Commons last night, advocated the policy of protection.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, March 7.—Hon. C. Tupper, minister of marine and fisheries, resumed the debate this afternoon on the budget. The galleries were crowded. Sir Charles Tupper and Lady Tupper, parents of the minister, occupied seats in the speaker's gallery. The speaker was aggressive from the start. After eulogising the minister of finance, he proceeded to direct for a few minutes the undivided attention of the house to Sir Richard Cartwright. He desired to tell Sir Richard Cartwright that the house in the first place would not tolerate the attacks made upon the members of the government. Sir Richard should equally cease from preaching his time-worn ideas at the people at all. The electors during the past ten years had pronounced in favor of Sir John Macdonald's policy. Proceeding, Mr. Tupper went on to show what outsiders thought of the destiny of Canada. He read extracts from a letter written by Prof. Schurman, Ithaca, N. Y., to show that Canada is the home of millions of immigrants and has a future equally as great as the United States. The Dominion has made great progress since confederation. The Americans, he contended, would like to secure Canada as a slaughter market, although they would be unwilling to grant Canada reciprocity. The home market is the most valuable and it would be well to build up a foreign trade after the establishment of domestic industries. Mr. Tupper went on to justify the enormous expenditure on railways, which have revolutionised the transportation of the traffic of the country. Canadians were not of the cringing kind and though willing to promote closer trade relations with the United States, on equal terms, would never make a base surrender of their interests.

After recess Mr. John Charlton took the floor for the opposition. He opened by favorably criticising Mr Foster's budget effort and his bright financial anticipations. He believed the finance minister was in earnest and meant business, but he doubted that he would be able to make much headway as he was connected with a party whose lavish expenditures were notorious.

LOCAL PARLIAMENT

Yesterday's Proceedings in the Provincial Legislature

VICTORIA, March 7.—The speaker took the chair at 2:15 p.m. In the absence of a clergyman the customary prayers were not read.

The provincial secretary presented the returns in regard to justices of the peace, the correspondence relative to the oriental steamers calling at Victoria and Esquimalt, and correspondence in regard to the incorporation of Kamloops.

Mr. Allen presented the petition of A. B. Ferguson and other residents of Lillooet relative to the liquor license held by Chinaman Ah Foo.

Mr. Bole presented the petition of James Laidlaw and others in reference to reclaiming the land at Burnby Lake.

Mr. Duck presented a petition of the corporation of Victoria asking for certain amendments to the official map act.

Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir presented the petition of Walter Harvey and other settlers on Columbia River, asking for the construction of a road.

Mr. Martin presented petition of L. Campbell and other residents of Yale in regard to the application of the "Winter Stock Range Act" to Yale district; also six other petitions, similar in import, from different polling divisions.

All these petitions were laid on the table.

Petitions asking that Texada Island be reserved for mineral purposes and that no permission be granted to lower the level of Burnaby Lake, were read and received.

The committee on standing orders and private bills reported the bill for the incorporation of Vancouver Street Railway Company complete with amendments. The report was received.

Mr. Nason asked leave to introduce an "Act to amend the Mineral Act." Leave was granted and the bill was read the first time; second reading on Monday.

The provincial secretary asked leave to introduce a bill to incorporate the Brockton Point Athletic Club.

Leave was granted and the bill read a first time and referred to the select standing committee on private bills.

Mr. Thomson asked leave to introduce a bill to amend the companies act, 51 Vic., chap. 21, (vol. 1 consolidated acts 1888.) Leave was granted and the bill read a first time. The second reading was fixed for Monday.

Mr. Tolmie asked leave to introduce an "Act to amend the Game Protection Act." Leave was granted and the bill read a first time; second reading on Monday.

Colonel Baker asked leave to introduce a bill to incorporate the Kootenay and Columbia Railway and Steam Navigation Company. Leave was granted, and the bill read a first time and referred to the select standing committee on railways.

The house went into committee on the municipalities bill, with Mr. Semlin in the chair.

The committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Mr. Theo. Davie moved the second reading of the bill to incorporate the pharmaceutical association in the province.

Mr. Humphreys opposed the bill as being in its present condition legislation of a class not to be desired. It was also out of order.

Mr. Davie contended that the bill was perfectly in order and was supported by the speaker.

After some discussion a motion to adjourn the debate was carried.

The report of the committee on public roads bill was adopted.

The adjourned debate on the report of the committee on the medicines and surgery bill was resumed.

At 6 o'clock Mr. Davie moved the adjournment of the debate, which was carried, and the house adjourned until Friday at 2 p.m.

Mr. Humphreys will ask what amount of money has the government expended in its effort to obtain $250,000 from the C.P.R. Co. Do the government intend to pursue the company any further?

Mr. Bole will introduce a bill to regulate conditional sales.

Mr. Higgins will ask for a return of the correspondence relative to the claim of E. John, Jr., to compensation for imprisonment under the conviction of the supreme court, from which imprisonment he was released by order of the governor-general.

The chief commissioner of lands and works will introduce a bill entitled an "Act Respecting Railways."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

BLOWN TO ATOMS.

The German Warship Olga and the American Man-of-War Nipsic Fight at Apia.

The American Ship is Struck by a Torpedo and Blown up with all Hands.

The Great Copper Syndicate is Rescued from Failure by the Bank of France.

HARDLY POSSIBLE.

BRESLAU, Mar. 8.—The *Schlesiche Zeitung* prints the following private telegram from Samoa:—The German corvette Olga has bombarded Maatafa's camps. The captain of the American man-of-war protested, but seeing his protest disregarded he opened fire on the Olga. The Olga then directed a torpedo at the American ship, blowing her up with all hands.

THE FIGHT DISCREDITED.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The story of an engagement between the German man-of-war Olga and the American man-of-war Nipsic, in the harbor of Apia, is generally discredited at the navy department. No information upon the subject has been received at the department of state.

FOR ZANZIBAR

NICE, Mar. 8.—The Enterprise has left here to protect American interests at Zanzibar.

AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, March. 8.—The rush of visitors to the white house continued to-day, but they were less numerous than on previous days. For the first time since he entered the white house the president was able to devote the entire forenoon to visitors having business with him.

THE COPPER SYNDICATE.

PARIS, Mar. 8.—Copper shares continued declining to-day. The Bank of France has advanced one hundred million francs to the *Comptoir De Escompte*, sufficent to cover the amount of deposits withdrawn. The failure of the syndicate is not thought likely. The Rothschilds, if not directly interested, have fostered it by proxy, and would not be unwilling to have any concern with which they are connected collapse.

ARMY AND NAVY.

LONDON, March 7.—In the house of commons this evening Lord George Francis Hamilton, first lord of the admiralty, stated that the war vessels now built would be supplied with guns by the end of 1889. It was proposed, he said, to build 8 first-class men-of-war of 14,000 tons; 4 of the Pandora class; 2 of 9,000 tons; 9 first-class cruisers; and 18 of the Sharp-Shooter type of torpedo boats. Lord George Hamilton said that the total tonnage of the proposed ships would be 318,000 tons and the total cost was £21,150,000. Lord George Hamilton asked that £10,000,000 of the amount should be granted from the consolidated fund, the remainder to be provided for in the ordinary estimate. The programme he had outlined was to be executed in 4 years and 6 months. Lord Charles Beresford complained of the empirical and illogical nature of the programme. The government could specify no real reason why just so many vessels, no more and know less, should be built. He gave notice of an amendment that the naval force of England ought to be kept equal to that of any two of the other great powers, of of which one should be France.

The army estimates for 1890 show an increase of £5,976,000. The Radicals will oppose Lord George Hamilton's scheme. Lord Randolph Churchil criticised the action of the government in making such extensive proposals, which might be upset by the succeeding government.

Wreck of the Port Gordon.

The Port Townsend *Argus* of Wednesday says: "Yesterday afternoon intelligence was received by the ship brokers that the bark Port Gordon, from Liverpool to Tacoma, with a general cargo of merchandise, consigned to Balfcur, Guthrie & Co., had been wrecked at sea. From the meagre information it was learned that during a storm on Feb. 27th, the vessel shifted her cargo, and laid in the trough of the sea until dashed on the rocks. The crew, with the exception of four, were saved. It was impossible to learn the names of any of them. From a telegram from Neah Bay, we learn that the tug Sea Lion left for the scene of the wreck, to assist in saving the balance of the crew.

Among the cargo of the Port Gordon was a number of steel rails, intended for the Bellingham Bay road, being built to connect with the Canadian Pacific Railway. Some time ago the customs officers were, in the course of their official business, notified of the departure of the ship, and asking their permission to discharge that portion of the cargo of rails at Whatcom, after they would pay the customs duty to the deputy collector there. Acting collector of customs, Mr. Cullom, telegraphed to the department at Washington for instructions, and the secretary of the treasury informed Mr. Cullom that he would collect the duty, amounting to about $28,000, and place the required number of inspectors on the ship, and have the rails unloaded under the supervision of the inspectors from this office. The loss of the vessel and cargo will be a set back to the railroad, unless the cargo can be recovered.

The new schooner built by Watson & Bennett for Capt. Jacobson, was launched yesterday morning, and christened the "Minnie" as she floated into the water. The new craft is 70 feet in length, 20 feet beam and 7½ feet deep, and is of 70 tons burden. She is a model of beauty and a credit to her builders. She will be employed in the sealing business by her owner Capt. Jacobson.—*Thursday's Colonist.*

Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writes: "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief. I got a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and found it gave instant relief, and since then have had no attack. I would recommend it to all."

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Daily British Columbian
Friday Evening, March 8, 1889.

Surely our citizens no not intend to leave the Exposition Fund in its present forlorn condition. It is two or three weeks now since a subscription has been added, and while the total amount subscribed has not reached any appreciable dimensions, the months are fleeting by, and almost before the fact is realized, it will be practically too late to render material assistance to the success of the exhibition. Not one of our citizens, no doubt, but what takes enough interest in the matter to wish to see a grand show at this city next fall, and many probably intend to contribute to its success; but one of the best and surest ways to do so is to be prompt and liberal with the "sinews of war." Westminster don't want to run any one-horse show at this time. The eyes of the world are on us (at least of a good part of the world, and it is our business to attract the remainder). The word, honor, reputation, and prestige of the city are at stake, as well as many other things involved in the brilliant success or dismal failure of such an event as the provincial exhibition to be held in this city next fall. Our business men especially are interested, including the real estate dealers, and, if they consult their own interests intelligently and shrewdly, not to refer to the higher motive of a common patriotism and loyalty to the city's welfare, will come up handsomely and "suddenly" in aid of the exhibition. But not only this city, but the district, and the province, are very much interested in the success of the provincial exhibition, and we hope to see this interest manifested throughout the entire season in the many ways that are possible.

The great Jeffery trial, in Toronto, which occupied seven weeks before a court of enquiry of the Methodist church, was terminated on the last day of February ult., and the verdict delivered on the same day by the committee having the investigation in hand. Specific charges of drunkenness, and of uttering slander and lies, were laid against the Rev. T. W. Jeffery, late pastor of the Western Methodist church, of Toronto, by prominent members of his congregation. The origin of the trouble would appear to be that Mr. Jeffery, who has the reputation of being an able and popular minister of the Methodist church, owns a rustic summer resort—a small island—in the wilds of Muskoka, where he has been in the habit of spending his well-earned vacation season during the sultry summer months, "far from the maddening crowd's ignoble strife." Last summer, when the "dog days" were on, Mr. Jeffery hied him to the afore-mentioned sylvan retreat, where he threw off his dignity with his coat and "boiled shirt," and unbent to nature's softest moods. But, as there was a serpent even in Eden, so, hovering round Mr. Jeffery's rural paradise, there were those—evil minded geniuses—who took cognizance of his goings and comings, with the result that a report reached his flock (scandal—and particularly church scandal—has swift wings, and "gets there" every time) to the effect that their dear, delightful, pious, and respected pastor was having a "high old time" out in Muskoka, lying around in the shade, and stretched at full length in the bottom of his pleasure skiff, "gloriously drunk" on more than one occasion. This was serious, and when Mr. Jeffery returned to his charge in Toronto, the elders of the church took the opportunity occasionally to sample his breath, to ascertain for themselves if those things were so. The fact that some of them were convinced that they "smelled whisky" did not make it any more pleasant for Mr. Jeffery. The result was that the scandalized pastor resigned his charge, and in due course the committee of inquiry, which has so recently finished its labors, was instituted. The charges against Mr. Jeffery for uttering slander and lies were based on certain utterances from the pulpit and expressions through the press, emanating from the reverend gentleman himself, in his own defence against the statements circulated about his alleged drunkenness, and "dressing down" some of his defamers. The formal indictment laid against Rev. Mr. Jeffery before the inquisitorial committee, consisting of Revs. Dr. Sutherland, Perritte, Matthews, Benson, and Hooker, with Rev. Mr. Stone as chairman, by his accusers, Henry Burden, Thomas A. Perkins, W. J. Gage, Matthew Guy, J. J. Craube, T. Eaton, and C. R. S. Dinnick, trustees of the Western Methodist church, in Toronto, was a very formidable and circumstantial document, comprising a preamble (in which Mr. Jeffery was charged generally with "conduct sinful and unbecoming a minister of the gospel") and seven sections, including seven sub-sections. Both accused and accuser were represented before the committee of inquiry by counsel, Mr. St. John for the former, and Mr. A. Ogden for the latter. At the trial, which was conducted in secret session throughout, Mr. Jeffery was, of course, present at all times, but his accusers were examined separately, the others being excluded for the time. The case against Mr. Jeffery as to his alleged indulgence in intoxicating liquors was shown to rest on purely circumstantial evidence, and was shattered by facts that were brought out in the inquiry, to the effect that the injured gentleman was afflicted with heart disease, and at times staggered and otherwise demeaned himself as if intoxicated, when taken with spasms. The "smell of whiskey" was very reasonably accounted for when the fact was ascertained that Mr. Jeffery did not imbibe the "ardent," but used it as a liniment on his chest. Upon closer examination, the charges of slander and lying, and "sinful and unbecoming conduct" dwindled down very small. The verdict of the committee of inquiry, after seven weeks of patient and conscientious examination into the grounds of the indictment, amounts practically to an honorable acquittal of Mr. Jeffery from the serious charges laid against him, a rider only being added to the effect that, while the committee could find nothing "sinful" or "slanderous" in any of his statements, the reverend gentleman should be admonished in regard to the "impropriety" of some of them. This prominent case, which has excited much public interest throughout eastern Canada and elsewhere, should serve as a wholesome lesson to would-be scandal mongers, everywhere and on all occasions, causing them to think twice before circulating damaging rumors about anyone, on merely circumstantial grounds. As regards Mr. Jeffery's acquittal, it is stated that popular feeling accepts the result of the trial with satisfaction. The Rev. Mr. Jeffery, the Methodist church, and the church generally, are alike to be congratulated, both upon the thorough investigation and its satisfactory results. An interesting feature about the case is the fact that the press was rigidly excluded from the inquiry room, and yet the *Mail* hugs itself over the fact that it has a complete and detailed report of the proceedings of the seven weeks' trial, which it is publishing by instalments. Speaking of its achievement, the *Mail* indulges in mystery, and says: "We have secured it (the complete report of the proceedings) in a way known to ourselves only, but which may suggest itself to those familiar with the resources of enterprising journalists and the progress of modern invention. The means used might seem marvellous to many intelligent people but would hardly surprise an Edison. It is by no means a small achievement to have carried out successfully during the long period of seven weeks a simple but ingenious plan for recording every word uttered within closed doors in a room jealously guarded by watchful sentinels, surrounded by apartments occupied by officials of the church, and to have done so without having once aroused suspicion of our purpose may be characterized as unique in Canadian journalism. The same ingenuity and enterprise are available for all the reportorial work of the *Mail*, and, when the occasion is worth the effort, no star chamber cabal can withstand their application." Verily, great is the power and the resources of the modern press.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

MISSION
SERVICES
—OF THE—
Church of England
WILL BE HELD
BY THE BISHOP
—IN THE—
Oddfellows' Hall
—ON—
SUNDAY EVE'NG NEXT
AND FOLLOWING SUNDAYS,
dmh5td at 7:30 o'clock.

EXTENSIVE SALE.

I HAVE LATELY RECEIVED DIRECT from England a large consignment of the following Goods, which I shall sell low:

2 new (Collard & Collard) Pianos (with Stools).
Elegant Parlor and Bedroom Suites.
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TERMS CASH.

Lot 6, Blk 34
(En bloc) 214½x132.

LOT 2, BLOCK 34, 82½x132, with 2-story Residence, Coach-house and Cottage. Grounds nicely laid out. Never-failing Spring of pure water. This property faces on Merrivale St. and Royal Avenue and is in the best part of the city.
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DOG TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all Dogs running at large within the city limits are subject to tax. Licenses and tags may be obtained at the city Lockup, on payment of the tax. All dogs found without the proper tags, on and after the 1st April next, will be impounded.
By order, D. ROBSON,
Dated 7th March, 1889. City Clerk.
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Time Table!
THE STEAMER
ROBERT DUNSMUIR
LEAVES WESTMINSTER for NANAIMO direct every Wednesday at 7 a.m.
Leaves Nanaimo for Comox every Thursday at 7 a. m. Returns to Nanaimo on Friday.
Leaves Nanaimo for Westminster every Saturday at 7 a. m.
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For Freight and Passenger Rates apply to T. L. BRIGGS, Agent C. P. N. Co., or to the Purser on board
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NEW DRUG STORE
IN THE HOLBROOK BLOCK,
Columbia Street, 2 doors East of Telegraph Office.
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DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
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Physicians' prescriptions carefully compounded day and night. fe27d1m

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Fully stocked with all the Necessaries of a FIRST-CLASS STORE, would respectfully solicit a Share of Patronage.
SPECIAL ATTENTION
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Having for several years occupied the position of Dispenser in the leading Store of Montreal, and having had a thorough course of instruction at the Ontario College of Pharmacy, we feel that our experience merits the confidence of the Public.
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PHARMACEUTICAL DRUGGISTS
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BEGGS & HEARD
Merchant Tailors
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Tweeds, Worsteds,
FANCY SUITINGS, FANCY PANTINGS AND
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Which have never been equalled in the City and which they are prepared to make up
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Choice Business Lots in various Parts of the City.

Lot 132, Delta Municipality, 166 acres, good bottom land, partly ditched, house and fencing, fine water frontage on Fraser River; suitable for mill or cannery site; terms easy.
Lot 184, Delta Municipality, containing 160 acres, prairie land, ready for plow, all fenced and ditched, two outlets to Gulf of Georgia, 40 minutes' walk from Ladners Landing; $50 per acre.
Lot 145, Delta Municipality, 20 acre tract; $30 per acre.
Northwest ¼ Section 4, Township 7, Surrey Municipality (Hall's Prairie), 160 acres, prairie land, not subject to overflow, suitable for farm or fruit raising; price $2,500, on easy terms of payment.
Part Lot 262 and 276, Group 1, New Westminster District (Pitt Meadows), containing 140 acres, consisting of prairie and high land, with improvements; $2,100.
Southeast portion of Lot 386, New Westminster District, Group 1, containing 50 acres, suitable for fruit growing, not heavily timbered, stream of water runs through the property; price, $30 per acre.

New Westminster Suburbs.
Lots 7 and 8, Block XIV, New Westminster suburbs, containing 16 acres, well adapted for dairy or market garden, good stream of water runs through portion of property; price, $1000 each.
Lot 13, Block III, Sapperton, containing 5 acres, fine black loam, partly cleared; price, $1500.
Block IX, Lot 5, subdiv. Lot 3, containing 1½ acres; $300.
Block IX, Lot 4, acre lots in this subdiv. at $250 per acre.
Block IX, Lot 7, 10 one acre lots at $200 per acre.
Block X, Lot 9, lots 66 x 132, fronting on Douglas Road and Melbourne street, splendid situation, at $200 per lot.
Block X, Lot 14; lots in this subdivision, situated on Melbourne street in close proximity to St. Andrew's Square, at $200 per lot.
Block XIII, Lot 19; choice lots ranging from $120 to $150 per lot.

St. Andrew's Square.
Lots fronting on Montreal and Melbourne streets, prices ranging from $250 to $300 per lot.
St. George's Square.
Lots close to public school, commanding good view of river, at $500 per lot.
St. Patrick's Square.
Cheap and desirable residential lots with frontage on good wide streets, from $200 to $250 per lot.
Louise Gardens.
Lots fronting on Royal Avenue at $600 per lot.
Merchants' Square.
Business lots with a frontage on two streets, prices ranging from $1500 to $2000 per lot.
Westminster Addition.
Blocks containing 10 to 18 lots, each 66 x 132, from $100 to $750 per block.
$12,500.—44 feet by a depth of 132 feet, situate in the midst of the business portion of the city, with a frontage on two main streets.
$10,500.—66 x 132, fronting on Columbia and Front sts., very desirable business property.
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$3,000.—Six cottages on a well located corner lot in close proximity to R. C. Planing Mills.
$2,500.—Corner lot with a good cottage, near Albert Crescent, commanding good view of the river.
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STOCK CAN BE KEPT IN THE STORE for city trade, or is good for anyone intending to start a country store. Goods first-class. Offered low to the right man. Apply at this office. dja28tc

OVERSEERS WANTED everywhere at home or to travel. We wish to employ a reliable person in your county to tack up advertisements and show cards of Electric Goods. Advertisements to be tacked up everywhere, on trees, fences and turnpikes, in conspicuous places, in town and country in all parts of the United States and Canada. Steady employment; wages $2.50 per day; expenses advanced; no talking required. Local work for all or part of the time. Address with stamp, EMORY & CO., Managers, 241, Vine St., Cincinnati, O. No attention paid to postal cards. 10t

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a grant of a small island about two miles northeast from the Point Atkinson Light-house, right abreast or fronting off Nelson's claim, said island containing about 4 acres, more or less.
JOHN CANESSA,
Per his Agent, H. V. EDMONDS.
New West., Jan. 20, 1889. dja29m2

THE WESTMINSTER
Poultry Yards
JOHN S. COX, PROP.

Light Brahmas, Partridge Cochins, Plymouth Rocks, White face Bl'k Spanish
White Crested, Black and Golden Polands.
Houdans. Silver-penciled Hamburgs.
Black, Red and Pitt Games.
Toulouse Geese. Rouen Ducks.
My Yards are open for inspection.
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Selling Off.
HAVING DECIDED TO retire from the Grocery Business in this City, we will offer our Stock and Fixtures at Cost.
And all parties indebted to the undersigned are requested to call and settle their accounts.
P. J. FOULDS & CO.
March 4th, 1889. dmh4tc

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NOTARY PUBLIC,
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INSURANCE AGENT
HAS REMOVED
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—IN—
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Opp. Postoffice and next door to the Bank of British Columbia.

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IN ALL PARTS OF THE
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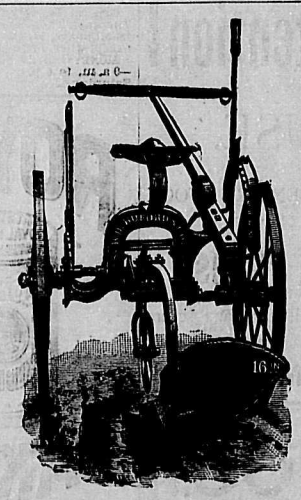
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HAVE NO EQUAL.
Get Our Prices and See the Goods. One Car of these Plows to Arrive about the 20th inst.
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Planing Mills Company, Ld.
RICHARD STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER.
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
All Kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber
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Wood Furnishing for Canneries.
Doors, Frames, Windows,
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PLAIN AND FANCY AND ALL KINDS OF TURNED WORK.
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MEAT PURVEYORS IN GENERAL. FRESH AND CORNED MEATS ALWAYS ON HAND.
Special lines quoted for the shipping trade. Family orders strictly attended to. Hotels will find it to their interest to place their orders with the above firm.
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RUBBER GOODS, &C.
Commencing February 9th, 1889.
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$6,000 worth of Boots, Shoes, Slippers, Rubber Goods, Shoe Findings, &c.
An early inspection will convince the public that we mean business. Terms—under $50, cash; over $50, secured notes at 3 months with interest.
A. B. WINTEMUTE,
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E. S. SCOULLAR & CO.
HAVE MADE SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN THIS line to meet the different arrangements now in order, and now offer the largest stock of HEATING and COOKING STOVES and RANGES ever imported into the Province,
AT PRICES THAT WILL ASTONISH THOSE THAT WISH TO BUY.
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GENERAL HARDWARE, PAINTS AND OILS.
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SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR LARGE AND VARIED ASSORTMENT OF
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We have on hand a large stock of Magnetic Oxide Fire-proof Paint, warranted 92 per ct. pure oxide. So high a grade sold by no other house in the city.
During the year that we have opened we have materially reduced the prices of every thing in our line, and hope by strict attention to business to receive a continuance of the public patronage. noldwly

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ROBERT LAW, - - MANAGER.
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MANUFACTURERS AND IMPORTERS OF
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COLONIAL BLOCK,
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SEND IN YOUR ORDERS. ALL WORK OF THE BEST MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP. PRICES LOW.
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DEALER IN
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Constantly on Hand an Extensive Stock of
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Front Street, New Westminster.
MANAHAN & REICHENBACH,
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DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF FRESH & SALT MEAT
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New Store! New Goods!
NEW PRICES
HAVING REMOVED TO MY OLD Stand in the New Block, opposite Colonial Hotel, I am now prepared to show a full line in
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At prices lower than ever before. Call and see them.
A choice lot of
FRESH VEGETABLE & FLOWER SEEDS
Arrived to-day. C. J. ROBSON.
February 28, 1889. ddel9m3

Walworth, Dewey & Co
WISH TO NOTIFY THE PEOPLE OF New Westminster and vicinity that they have on hand for spring planting,
5,000
Choice Fruit Trees
Also, a Large Stock of
Small Fruits, Plants, Shrubs, &c
All mail orders will receive prompt attention. Address,
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HUNTING THE COON.

Exhilarating Sport Which Flourished in the Days Preceding the War.

Among the animals which may be said to have become extinct is the coon dog of our fathers, says the Bangor Industrial Journal. He was of no particular strain of blood, but he united the keen scent of the deer-hound with the intelligence of the shepherd dog, and the tenacity of the bull dog with the stealth of the panther. With less accomplishments than these he might have been good on a fox or deer trail; the lowing herd would have probably been safe in his keeping; he might have been able to hold his own in a fight, or have stood a chance of succeeding as a sheep stealer, but he couldn't have been a coon dog.

For your coon is a cute and tricky customer, and crammed with patience. Moreover, he leaves behind him the coldest, most scentless trail of any animal that runs. He leads you through the tangled swamps and deep, stony hollows. He crosses and recrosses swift running streams. He frisks along the top of rough stone walls as silent and swift as a shadow. He stops within a dozen feet of some convenient wall, clears the intervening space at a bound, strikes a tree and glides up the longest limb, runs to its extremity, and leaps a dozen feet beyond it to the ground again, breaking his trail abruptly on one side and beginning it as confusingly on the other. He invents tactics for emergencies, and brings to every consideration of his welfare and that of his family a large and level head. He plays his cards well and the dog that would beat him must needs hold both bowers and ace, with strong cards to back them. These the coon dogs of our fathers always had.

There were, twenty-five years ago, the still-hunting coon dog and the coon dog who let you know at every step that he was getting there. There was mixed up with the methods of the still-hunter an element of greater certainty that you would get your coon than there was with the more melodious system of the dog that mouthed his presence in the shadowy chase; but the style of the latter put more tingle into your blood and buoyed you up with sweeter expectancy. There was something weird and uncanny in all the turnings and windings of the former through the gloomy woods at night.

It was different with the dog that gave tongue as he hunted. He made music in the night—not the silvery treble of the fox-hound, floating down from the hills on the frosty air and drawn out in sweet cadenza by every willing echo, nor yet the mellow bass of the deer hound, swelling over the ridges, clear and far-sounding as a bugle-note, but pleasant though staccato song of his own, half bark, half bay, a cheerful mingling of melody with business.

Once in the rare old days of coon hunting a new preacher was settled in the backwoods district of Pike County, Ill. He was not wise in the way of the woods. Early in his first autumn on his charge he began the usual protracted meeting season. By and by he noticed that on moonlight and starlit nights his congregation was made up of women only. Finally he asked the reason of this. A sister arose and said:

"It's 'cause the coonin's bett'n 'tis in the dark 'o the moon, Dominie. Soon ez the moon darks the mea'll jine ye."

Sure enough, when the "moon darked" the brethren were all in their places in the meeting-house, joining heartily in the proceedings. The pastor remonstrated with them publicly.

"While you have been idling after coons," said he, "there may have been those in this district who do not hunt coons, and whom you might have led here and saved their souls."

Deacon Brown rose up in the meeting and said:

"Dominie, if thes any one in this deestric' ez don't hunt coons his soul hain't wuth savin'."

Coon hunting as a pastime went out of fashion with the war, and the old race of trained coon dogs gradually became extinct. Why the coon has come to be despised by the sportsmen in these days is one of those things about which the remark has once or twice been made that no fellow can find out. He is as cunning as the fox and more difficult to trail. He is, moreover, the leanest of animals, and eats only the most wholesome food. He should not be despised, surely, because he can be hunted only at night, for in threading the woods in the darkness, following dogs that you can not see and whose baying alone breaks the stillness, there is a most singular enchantment.

Even when coons are most abundant, nine out of ten of the present generation never see one, and few people know any thing about them or their habits. Although the coon prefers the vicinity of civilization as his habitat, he plans to keep aloof from the eyes of men, and his habits render this an easy task. By day he lies close in out-of-the-way retreats, in the depths of hollow trees or isolated crevices and holes in the rocks. He wanders forth only at night, and although his foraging expeditions may bring him to the very doors of the farmers, and even within the boundary lines of villages, he never betrays his presence. If more than one coon is brought to bay in a tree they will invariably be females or a mother coon with her offspring. The female brings forth her litter only once in two years, and from the coming of the litter to the arrival of another she and her young are never separated. She keeps her little family together until they are two years old, and in protecting them will fight the attacking dog or hunter until she dies.

While the female coon is social and domestic, the male is the reverse. He is solitary, ranges entirely alone and gives no care or attention to family matters. If two males meet in the woods or fields they fight furiously and not infrequently to the death. The male makes his range for forage much wider than the female does, and having no one to look after but himself more frequently escapes the hunter. In spring and summer the margin of brooks and ponds and the soft mud in swamps and bays are thickly indented with the graceful footprints of the coon, for in these months he spends his nights in catching frogs, fish, lizards, grubs and mussels, which are then his chief subsistence. Later on he ranges among the huckleberry and blackberry patches and feasts on the fruit.

When the milk comes in the corn is the coon's gala time, for he loves the tender succulent grains, as a farmer knows to his sorrow, and great are the risks he will take to forage in the fields. It is not until the berries are gone and the corn grown tough in the ear that the coon begins to look about for his winter stores. Then he lays up plentifully from the beech-nut, chestnut and acorn crops, and on these crops depends the hunting of the coon when he is at his best. During the nutting season he is fat, solid and wide awake, providing there are plenty of nuts. One peculiarity of the coon, which, like most of his peculiarities, has escaped the attention of the naturalists who write books, is that he never touches food until he has quaffed at some spring or brook, even if he is compelled to go far to find it. Old coon hunters say that the coon dips every mouthful of his food into water before eating it, but, like all old hunters, old coon hunters say a great many things that it would bother them to prove.

Without a Compass.

Says old Allen Thompson: "When I am in the woods I never use a compass; in fact I don't need any. There are three sure ways that I have for finding the points of the compass. You will notice that three-fourths of the moss on trees grows on the north side; the heaviest boughs on spruce trees are always on the south side, and thirdly, the topmost twig of every uninjured hemlock tips to the east. You just remember those things and you'll never get lost."

A MILITARY TROUBLE.

Mrs. Rogue: What does Harry say about his school? Does the dear boy like the military discipline?

Mrs. Rogue: Oh, dear, no; they put him through all sorts of drills and manœuvres.

Mrs. Rogue: And how is his health?

Mrs. Rogue: Not very good, I imagine; he writes that he is troubled with the right shoulder shift.

THE AMERICAN INDIAN.

A Race Remarkable for Social and Political Freedom and Equality.

From Hon. E. M. Haines' new book on the Indians we extract the following instructive statements: Missionaries, captives and others who have spent much time among the Indians unite in presenting pleasant pictures of their home life. They state that they are generally happy, contented and comfortable. They are ordinarily provident. They are seldom without suitable food or clothing. There have been few famines among them. They raised considerable corn and gathered much wild rice, which they often kept over more than one winter. They also preserved meats and fish. With no cause for disputes about politics or religion there were no angry discussions. Their family and community relations were much like those among civilized whites. They had their sports and pastimes, many of which have been adopted by the race that succeeded them in the possession of the country. So, also, they had their songs and dances. Their language was pure. They have no terms of speech by which they could swear profanely, and if they ever do it it must be by means of phrases learned from white men. They punished the same crimes by death that civilized people do. The captives they took in war were not reduced to slavery. They were generally adopted by the tribe, and they became members of it. A mother who lost a boy in battle often adopted some white captive boy, and gave him the place of the dead one in her home and heart.

It is stated that the Indians did not equal the whites in mechanical skill. This is true, and for a good reason, there are divisions of labor among the whites, but not among the Indians. The former learn distinct trades, devote their lives to them, and as a consequence become very skillful and expert. The person who learns one trade, however, can not practice another. The man who can build a boat can not shoe a horse. He is always dependent on some one else to do most of his work for him. With the Indians such was not the case. Every man was a practical mechanic. He was an artisan in a general way. He could make a canoe, bow, arrow or fish-hook. He could make any implement he needed for war, sport or the chase. The Indians were not idlers. The women as well as the men worked. There were no exceptions to the rule. The division of labor between the members of the two sexes was not the same as with us, but it was more fair than most are willing to allow. There was more equality among the Indians than among the whites. They had no titles that conveyed the idea of superiority. The few that they used denoted relationship or affectionate relations. The use of tobacco by them did not constitute a vice or even a bad habit. The Indian did not smoke when he was at work or play. Smoking was associated with worship, meditation or hospitality. The pipe was the symbol of peace, devotion and friendship.

The point is made in this work that the Indians were better supplied with food than any uncivilized people in the world. Great credit is paid them for the ability they displayed in cultivating corn. There is every reason for believing that the plant is of tropical origin, but the Indians succeeded in acclimating it to high northern latitudes, and in producing varieties that succeeded on the northern shores of Lake Superior and the Gulf of St. Lawrence. They raised good crops of corn in regions where the whites have failed. The first white settlers lived chiefly on corn they obtained from the Indians and learned from them how to cook it. The Indians placed a very high estimate on wild rice, which modern scientists pronounce to be the most nutritious grain in the world. The Indians were very well supplied with wild fruit. They made molasses from the sap of the maple tree and preserved it in vessels made of birch bark and wood. They studied the habits of fish and knew the best times and places for catching them. They understood how to use vegetables in connection with meat in making soups. The table of the Indian was not furnished with fine dishes, but it was well supplied with wholesome food. He had no formal feasts, no exact time for meals, but eat when he was hungry.

There was not much sentiment about Indian marriages. The most industrious girls were the most likely to secure good husbands. There was no ceremony at a wedding. Marriage and divorce were as simple as Mrs. Mona Caird desires to make them among white people. Couples who were not prosperous and happy together separated with no show of bad feeling. They continued to live in the same village and generally associated in a friendly way as they did before they were married. The land system among the Indians was substantially that favored by Henry George. The territory belonged to the tribe that occupied it. The only claim that an individual had to any portion of it was on account of the improvement he had made. The Indian woman who with a sharpstick had prepared hills for planting corn was entitled to the use of that plat of ground forever. It seems somewhat strange that persons who style themselves social, economic and political reformers recommend institutions that were adopted by the Indians. It is possible that we shall adopt them in time just as we have the Indian games of ball, polo and lacrosse.

The habitation of the Indian was not a very ornate affair. It was, however, easily erected and was quite comfortable. The materials that were the most abundant in the place where it was to be erected entered into its construction. It was seldom repaired and it required no annual spring cleaning.

The Indians developed great skill in making many of their utensils. Many of their stone axes, knives and mortars were well-formed and tastefully ornamented. They displayed wonderful ingenuity in fastening handles to their stone hatchets. In some cases they caused the branch of a tree to grow round and fit into the groove. They were skillful basket makers. Their baskets were ornamental as well as useful. They made many small vessels of birch bark, ornamenting them with feathers and porcupine quills. They used various vegetable and mineral pigments. In the manufacture and use of the bow and arrow the Indian has had few superiors. The making of arrow heads of flint and horn was developed by them into a fine art. They had all the weapons of war the Romans used, except the long spear and javelin. Instead of this they used the war-club, a weapon which could be employed with terrible effect in a close encounter. Some Indians made pots of clay that were used for many purposes. The most ingenious implement they made use of was one for producing fire by friction. "Proud science" did nothing for the Indians, but observation and experience accomplished what science had done for others.

Another Act Required.

Candid criticism is sometimes very useful to an author.

A New York playwright who had recently brought out a very sad tragedy, asked a candid friend if he had been to see it.

"Only the first act," was the reply.

"And do you think the first act sublime?" asked the literateur.

"Well, yes," was the reply. "It is somewhat sublime, but I think you might have added an act that would have been more so; an act that would have been a benefit to the people of this great city."

"And what is that?" was the anxious inquiry.

"The act of throwing the whole thing into the fire. That would have been an act of humanity, a noble act."

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"Yes," said Smith, "it is a cheerless thing to be left alone in the world. I was left an orphan and without a single relation to whom I could look for sympathy in affliction. But the world is brighter now. I have seven sisters."

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Yale District Tax Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Act, are now due for the year 1889. All of the above-named Taxes, collectible within the Hope, Yale, Lytton and Cache Creek Divisions of the District of Yale, are payable at my office.

Assessed Taxes are collectible at the following rates, viz.:

If paid on or before June 30th, 1889—
Provincial Revenue, $3 per capita.
One-half of one per cent. on real property.
Seven and one-half cents per acre on wild land.
One-third of one per cent. on personal property.
One-half one per cent. on income.

If paid after June 30th, 1889—
Two-thirds of one per cent. on real property.
Eight and one-half cents per acre on wild land.
One-half of one per cent. on personal property.
Three-fourths of one per cent. on income.

WM. DODD,
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Daily British Columbian

Friday Evening, March 8, 1889.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

Notice................H. V. Edmonds

☞ Read Mrs. Gold's adv. *

Playing Cards, at D. Lyal & Co's. *

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

New Novels, arriving daily, at D. Lyal & Co's. *

Bibles, Prayer Books, Music, etc.—D. Lyal & Co. *

Laborers are scarce and the demand for them is great.

"Uncle Josh" at Herring's Opera House next Thursday evening. *

Two new Anglican churches are in course of erection at Vancouver.

A complete set of Japanese Armour—Price $25—at D. Lyal & Co's. *

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

The fishermen were successful in netting quite a number of salmon yesterday.

Fifteen men will commence work on the park improvements on Monday morning.

Large assortment of Ledgers, Journals, and Day Books, just arrived at D. Lyal & Co's. *

The tug Clara Port has been overhauled and repainted and now presents a very tidy appearance.

Paganinni's solos on the violin and *Arbuckle's and Levy's on the cornet, in* Earle Bros.' Musical-Comedy Co. *

The str. Adelaide left for up-river ports this morning with 15 tons of freight and a number of passengers.

Steamship Batavia is expected to arrive at Vancouver from Hong Kong and Yokohama on Saturday evening.

The str. Princess Louise left for Victoria this morning with 25 passengers, 40 tons of freight and 60 head of cattle.

Owners of dogs will be allowed until April 1st to take out a license. After that date all unlicensed animals will be impounded.

A return football match between the captain and vice-captain's teams will be played on the athletic grounds to-*morrow afternoon.*

Before painting or papering your house, get prices from Grant & Hagstrom, Clarkson street, N. W.; 30 years practical, skilled painters. *

Mrs. Emma Gold is erecting a mammoth building adjoining Mr. Corbould's residence. *When completed it* will be 214 feet long by 25 feet high.

Don't fail to attend the Earle Bros.' Comedy and Concert entertainment next Thursday evening, March 14. They are *direct from the east;* their music is late and programme pleasing. *

The continuation of Front street known as the "lower road," between this city and Sapperton, is said to be badly in need of repair. Those concerned will make a note of this.

Consignments of cattle continue to arrive almost daily from the interior, the lenten season is apparently making no difference in the meat market. The cattle all arrive in good condition.

Many Chinamen are employed in clearing lots in the upper portion of the city. The removal of the logs and stumps makes a vast improvement in the appearance of the property.

The Winnipeg *Sun* of March 2nd says: "A solid bed of alum, forty feet thick and a mile long, has been discovered in British Columbia. There's enough to pucker the mouths of the whole world."

The str. Bello ran aground yesterday at the mouth of the river. The tide was at its middling stage when the steamer grounded and it was not until high tide this morning that she was *able to get off.*

Commencing to-morrow the steamer Gladys will resume her regular tri-weekly trips between Westminster and Chilliwack. On Mondays she will make a trip *to the North Arm if sufficient freight offers.*

The streets were quite dusty to-day and a high wind would have made Columbia street almost uninhabitable. The council should take some steps towards having Columbia and Front streets regularly sprinkled this summer.

Counsel was engaged Thursday preparing the declaration in the case of the Society of Jesus against the Toronto *Mail for libel. The document will* not be served for some time, but a summons was sent to Toronto Thursday.

The special services which have been going on in the Methodist church for the last three weeks are expected to close to-night. Last evening a testimony meeting was held and a number professed to have been greatly blessed since *the meetings* began.

Eben Watson, returned from San Juan Island, has almost fully recovered from a severe attack of illness. He reports five lime kilns at Roche Harbor burning night and day. The output is about 350 barrels a day and 60 men find employment around the lime kilns are in course of construction. The price of lime at Roche Harbor is $1.50 per barrel.—*Times.*

A farmer named James Silcom, well known in the *Esquimalt district*, was killed yesterday at the lime kilns near Colwood. He fell under the wheels of a heavily loaded team and was crushed to death, being killed instantly. He was an uncle of *Messrs.* Millington of this city. Deceased was aged 62 years, and was a native of England. —*Wednesday's Standard.*

The report that the dump carts, ordered to be purchased by the board *of works for the corporation, were* being procured in the east, turns out to be unfounded. Mr. J. E. Sully has been awarded the contract and the carts are now half finished. The alarmists, who originated the report in the first place should have made enquiries before condemning the board of works.

The ratepayers of Nanaimo, on the *18th inst. will vote* on a by-law to enable the "black diamond' city to borrow $30,000 to be expended on permanent improvements. If the citizens of Nanaimo consult their own interests, they will see that this progressive measure carries. To the *Courier* a good share of credit is due for stirring up the sleepy Nanaimoites to a sense of their duties and possibilities.

At the police court this morning a number of boys appeared before the police magistrate on the charge of playing foot-ball on the street, and bad conduct generally. They were severely *lectured and fined* $2.00 each. It is to be hoped the boys will take warning from this example, as the police are going to show no more leniency, but will arrest all youths who do not *behave decently and well on the* streets.

Lost Two Fingers.

Alex. McKenzie, a freight conductor, met with a serious accident at the *Junction, about 1 o'clock this morning.* While making a coupling his right hand was caught between the buffers and the second and third fingers were completely severed. He was quickly *put aboard the engine and conveyed to* Vancouver where surgical assistance was procured and the wounded hand dressed. This morning he was reported to be doing well. Mr. McKenzie is a *general favorite with his fellow employees,* who all express great regret at the mishap.

Telephone Improvements.

The Telephone Company is about to build a completely new line from this city to Vancouver, which will greatly improve the present service. The contract for the poles has been let and as soon as they are cut the *contract for stringing the wires will be* let. When this work is completed the telephonic service between the two terminal cities will be as good as any on the continent. The new instru*ments lately put in are giving the ut*most satisfaction, and the list of subscribers has been largely added to during the past month.

Preserved Salmon.

Lieutenant Howard, U. S. navy, of New Haven, Conn., has organized a stock company for the purpose of establishing a salmon fishing and fur trading post in Alaska. The business of the company will be entirely different from that of any other of the companies now *engaged in this trade.* They intend neither to smoke nor can the catch, but instead by means of preservatives, will be able to transport the fish in a perfectly fresh condition to the market for *salted fish.* When the fish now reach San Francisco they have lost their delicate flavor and bright pink color. The probable location of the company's establishment will be on the Yukon river.

Foot Ball.

The foot ball match, Island vs. Mainland, will take place at Hastings, Mr. George Black having kindly placed his grounds at the disposal of the players. The match will begin at 3 o'clock. The following team will represent the Mainland: R P Woodward, back; Rev P Wood, F A Nicholls and A B Williams, three-fourths back; C E Woodward and E A Greame, half backs; A St G Hammersley (captain), R E Lister, J Malcom, G McL Brown, R M Fripp, W J Hutchins, F Robertson, R Dawson and J A Benwell, forwards. Reserves—R E Palmer and A J Ellwood, forwards; J C Waters and E Vary, backs. Mr J M Bowell will act as umpire and Mr J C Keith as referee. The Islanders will be treated to a grand dinner at the Brighton Hotel after the match.

Presentation.

Yesterday a deputation from the managing committee of St. Andrews Presbyterian church waited on Miss Jamieson and presented her, on behalf of the congregation, with a purse containing over one hundred dollars, as a mark of their appreciation of her services as organist of the church. Miss Jamieson, it will be remembered, recently resigned her position as organist of St. Andrew's church, held it for a period of nine years, and rendered her services gratuitously. Accompanying the presentation was an address setting forth in well-chosen terms, the great respect and esteem in which the late organist was held by the congregation. Miss Jamieson is a young lady of superior musical attainments and for the above named period served very faithfully and acceptably in the capacity as organist of St. Andrew's church.

Rifle Association Meeting.

A meeting of the New Westminster *Rifle Association was held in the* Hyack Hall last night, the president, Mr. L. F. Bonson, *in the chair.* A resolution was passed instructing the secretary to telegraph Mr. D. Chisholm, M. P., requesting him to lay before the Dominion government the *urgent necessity of appropriating* the sum of $400 for the repair of the rifle range at Brownsville. If this sum is granted the association will be able to put the range in good order in time for the first annual shooting. The secretary was also instructed to write to the British Columbia Rifle Association requesting that the annual prize meeting be held in Westminster this year, and at the same date as fixed for the provincial exhibiton. A grant of money is also asked to assist in putting the range in good condition, placing new targets, etc, the N. W. Rifle Association guaranteeing to subscribe an equal amount. It was also decided to urge the provincial association to apply to the militia department for a number of Martini rifles for the use of the different rifle associations in the province.

PROGRESS.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

A New Advertising Scheme.

Grant & Hagstrom, the enterprising painters, are out with a new advertising scheme which should prove a success. The idea is to place a board, 7x5 feet, on Columbia street near the depot and another near the post office. These boards, which will be handsomely painted, will indicate the stores and offices to be found on the right and left hand side of the street. On the bottom of the boards, *the offices on* streets leading from Columbia street will be marked. The list will read alphabetically. Mr. McKenzie, late secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is can*vassing for orders. The price for each* business card is only $1 per year.

Presbytery of Columbia.

The presbytery of Columbia met in St. Andrews church, Victoria, Wed*nesday morning at 11 o'clock,* there being present Rev. D. McRae, moderator; Revs. Scouler, McLaren, Tait, Macleod, D. Fraser, Chisholm, Jaffray, *A. Fraser and* Ross, and *Messrs.* McConnan, Flett and Henderson, elders.

In the absence of the clerk, Rev. Mr. Ross was appointed clerk *pro tem.*

Rev. Mr. Macleod, on behalf of the congregation of St. Andrew's church, invited the presbytery to be present at the laying of the foundation of the new church. On motion the invitation was accepted, and it was resolved to adjourn on Thursday afternoon to attend the ceremony of laying the foundation stone.

A petition was presented and read, from the congregation of Richmond, praying to be put upon the list of augmented congregations.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Macleod, the prayer of the petition was granted, and permission given to moderate in a call to a minister when prepared to do so. Revs. Jamieson, Thompson and McLaren, and Messrs. Fitzgerald and McLeary were *appointed a committee* to take charge of the supply for Richmond.

The question of remuneration for supply was left in the hands of the supply committee.

The presbytery then went into committee of the whole to consider home mission matters, with Rev. Mr. Scouler in the chair.

It was moved by Mr. McLaren, seconded by Mr. Chisholm, and agreed, "that the field under Mr. Jaffray be reduced so as to include solely the Spallumcheen Valley, and that a grant be *asked for $400. The committee* rose and reported progress.

The afternoon session opened with prayer by Rev. A. Fraser, and the presbytery again went into committee *of the whole to consider the matter of* supply and grants to mission fields.

On motion, it was resolved that Mr. Chisholm be re-appointed to Kamloops for the ensuing year and be granted *$350 for that field.*

Moved that the same grant ($400) be asked for Chilliwhack.

A grant of $300 was voted for Langley, and Messrs. Scouler, McLaren and Ross *were appointed a committee to* visit Langley to select a place of worship for the Langley Prairie congregation.

A grant of $400 was agreed to for the *mission field of Delta. Mount* Lehman was also granted $400.

Mr. McRae made a statement respecting his mission field, and applied for leave of absence for six months.

Resolved that Mr. McRae's request for leave of absence be granted, from April 1st, and that application be made for a grant of $175 for six months, or $7 per Sabbath, while a student is em*ployed, and for $200 for the second* six months, if an ordained missionary is employed, and that Mr. McRae be granted the usual certificate when desired.

Resolved that the sum of $400 be granted for Comox.

On motion of Mr. Ross, the application for a grant of $150 for Comox was referred to the church and manse build*ing committee.*

No action was taken with regard to Alberni.

The committee rose and reported progress, and the report was adopted by the presbytery.

Rev Mr. Macleod gave an interesting statement with regard to work among the Chinese.

Rev. Mr. McLaren reported on behalf of the committee appointed to deal with Mr. Toms' application to study under the superintendence of the presbytery. It was agreed to defer the matter until after the arrival of the clerk.

On motion, the sum of $10 was granted the convener of the presbytery's home mission committee.

The clerk, Rev. T. G. Thompson, arrived in time for the evening session, and read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were confirmed.

Rev. Mr. Tait, of Langley, read an elaborate report on the state of religion within the province, and recommended that a conference on the state of religion be held alternately in Victoria, Vancouver and Westminster.

The report and recommendation on motion of Rev. Mr. McLaren was adopted.

Rev. Mr. Thompson was instructed to complete the report on Sabbath schools and transmit to the synod.

The next meeting was appointed to be held in Westminster on Sept. 10th, at 3 p.m.

The following ministers were appointed commissioners to the general assembly at Toronto: Revs. D. McRae and J. A. Jaffray, by rotation; and T. G. Thompson and J. D. Fraser, by ballot.

The following elders were also elected commissioners: J M. Browning, Vancouver; Wm. Spence, Ethel, Ont., W. A. Fraser, Mount Forest, Ont.; and W. Wilson, Toronto.

The Rev. Principal Grant, of Kingston, Ont., was nominated moderator of the next general assembly.

The presbytery rose to meet again at *10 o'clock Thursday morning.*

C. A. Livingstone, Plattsville, says:—"I have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, from having *used it myself, and having sold it for* some time. In my own case I will say for it that it is the best preparation I have ever tried for rheumatism."

PERSONAL.

Gideon Robertson, of Vancouver, is in the city.

H. S. Mason and Chas. R. King, of Victoria, are staying at the Colonial.

Mrs. W. Norman Bole has gone over to Victoria where she will remain a week.

Mrs. Dr. Black and the Misses Black went over to Vancouver to-day, where they will remain for three months to enjoy a change of air.

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

VICTORIA NEWS.

The Latest Before the Local House.—The Nanaimo "Courier" Changes Hands and will be Enlarged Shortly.

Special to the Columbian.

VICTORIA, March 8.—The legislature to-day was petitioned to pass a law requiring all persons who shall hereafter arrive in B.C. to remain one year in *the province and pass a satisfactory* examination, before examiners appointed by the petitioners, before they be allowed to enter business as blacksmiths or carriage makers. *The petition is signed by all the blacksmiths* and carriage makers in the city.

The plant of the *Nanaimo Morning Courier* has been sold to a local company which has been organised with a capital of $20,000. The paper will hereafter be known as the *Nanaimo Courier* and will shortly appear in an enlarged form and as well issue a weekly edition.

Amos Hudgin, Toronto, writes: "I have been a sufferer from Dyspepsia for the past six years. *All the remedies I* tried proved useless, until Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure was brought under my notice. I have used two bottles with the best results, and can with confidence recommend it to those afflicted in like manner."

B. C. Provincial Exposition Subscription Fund.

For the purpose of raising a fund to *contribute towards the patriotic and* worthy object of making the next annual provincial fair, to be held in this city, a grand and *unprecedented success*, the undersigned agree to contribute the sums opposite their respective names (to be paid into the association or to trustees competent to receive the same, on or before 6 months from the date of the last provincial exhibition, and to be applied to preparing exhibition grounds and buildings in the city, for increasing the amount offered in prizes, and for furthering the exhibition in other ways):

THE COLUMBIAN	$100 00
Sharpe & Paine, Lulu Island	10 00
L P Eckstein	10 00
G D Brymner	10 00
R W Armstrong	10 00
F R Glover	10 00
Walker & Shadwell	10 00
Claud Hamber	10 00
Peter Grant	10 00
George Turner	10 00
W J Armstrong	20 00
A J Hill	10 00
Capt A Grant	10 00
J S Macdonell	10 00
W C Loye	10 00
P Bilodeau	10 00
F G Strickland	25 00
Gilley Bros	20 00
S H Webb	25 00
T Cunningham	20 00
Henderson Bros, Chilliwhack	10 00
A B Wintemute	10 00
Per Ex-Mayor Dickinson	212 85
Annie M Jaques	10 00
Stewart & Cash	25 00
Jas Cunningham	50 00
Grant & Hagstrom	20 00
J W Sexsmith	30 00
Rev J H White	10 00
Next!	

How to Cure Headache.—Some people suffer untold misery day after day with Headache. There is rest neither day or night until the nerves are all unstrung. The cause is generally a disordered stomach, and a cure can be effected by using Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, containing Mandrake and Dandelion. Mr. Finlay Wark, Lysander, P. Q., writes: "I find Parmelee's Pills a first-class article for Bilious Headache."

Meteorological Report for Week Ending March 2nd, 1889.

	MAX.	MIN.	RAIN.
Sunday	48.0	34.0	0.15
Monday	41.0	36.0	0.10
Tuesday	47.0	41.0	0.66
Wednesday	51.0	46.0	0.99
Thursday	53.0	41.0	
Friday	49.0	45.0	0.02
Saturday	51.0	40.0	0.43

Rain; cloudy and mild.

A. PEELE, Capt'n.

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

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

METHODIST CHURCH, Mary Street. Rev. J. H. White, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Class 2:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting on Thursdays at 7.30 p.m. Seats free; strangers cordially invited.

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

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

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

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

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

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

OVERSEERS WANTED everywhere at home or to travel. We wish to employ a reliable person in your county to tack up advertisements and show cards of Electric Goods. Advertisements to be tacked up everywhere, on trees, fences and turnpikes, in conspicuous places, in town and country in all parts of the United States and Canada. Steady employment; wages $2.50 per day; expenses advanced; no talking required. Local work for all or part of the time. Address with stamp, EMORY & CO., Managers, 241, Vine St., Cincinnati, O. No attention paid to postal cards. 10t

HERRING'S
Drug Store!

HAVING DECIDED TO reduce our immense stock, in order to make room for the large quantities of goods now en route, we have a Large List of Goods which will be sold at Greatly Reduced Rates on and after March 1st, 1889. Please call and get our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

A. M. HERRING.

February 27, 1889. fe27dtc

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TO BE LET.

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Land Registry Ordinance, 1870

New Westminster Suburban Lot No. 15, Block X.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the above mentioned Lot will be issued to Henry Elliott on the 10th day of June, 1889, 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 Lot or some part thereof.

R. W. ARMSTRONG, Deputy Registrar.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 7th March, 1889. mh7d8m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have applied to the Honorable Minister of the Interior for a license to cut timber on the following described Dominion lands in New Westminster District, British Columbia, according to the Provincial Government survey:

West ½ Section 23, Section 27, and East ½ Section 28, in Township 29; and South-east ¼ Section 25, North ½ Sec*tion 24, South-west ¼ Section 24 and* South-west ½ Section 23, Township 26.

HENRY V. EDMONDS.

New West., 7th March, 1889. dmh8ml

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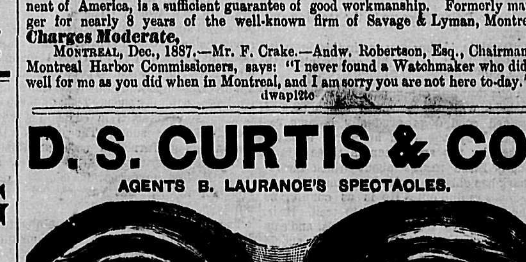

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