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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

United States senators continue to make make a fuss about the opposition of the C. P. R. to their transcontinental roads, and declare that the "injustice" must be "remedied." They will find, however, that a sufficient remedy is neither easily found nor readily applied. Canada has the best and shortest route, and it takes more than senate resolutions to get over that fact.

A committee of congress, some little time ago, reported in favor of giving an inventor $75,000 to assist him in constructing a steel vacuum balloon. The theory is that a balloon with absolutely nothing inside of it, will be light enough to carry a pretty heavy load, A member of congress who probably believed that the most noticeable vacuum in this case would be in the treasury, asked a scientific man to "figure" on the project, and the verdict is, that a steel globe strong enough to withstand the pressure of the air outside after all the air had been removed from the inside, would be unable to lift even its own weight. So another grand scheme comes to the ground—or rather, refuses to leave it.

They have got the "biggest thing out of jail" in the way of seaside fun, near Bridgeport, Conn. It is simply a summer toboggan slide, in which rollers are used to give the necessary slipperiness, just as our B. C. lumbermen substitute oiled skids for the snow over which logs are hauled in the eastern provinces. Any toboggan can be used, though a specially designed one is best. The lower end of the slide is in the sea, so that the proper rig for the sport is a bathing suit. Thus clad, you get aboard your toboggan, swoop down the sixty yards of slide with a quickly accelerating, breathless rush, souse into the water with a grand splash, and go ricocheting along, like a flat pebble, for a hundred yards or so—then you can swim ashore.

Speaking in opposition to the fisheries treaty, the other day, Senator Sherman gave expression to sentiments in strong contrast with the tail-twisting harangues of some of his fellow members. True, he talked a little "manifest destiny," but he did it quietly; and there was a distinctly statesmanlike ring about his declaration that English speaking peoples whether united or divided politically, had a common mission in the cultiuation of the arts of peace, and the advancement of liberty and enlightenment in the world, and should therefore be careful to maintain the most cordial relations with each other. He opposed the treaty because it would, in his opinion, be a source and cause of constant irritation, and not a settlement of existing disputes.

The march of modern progress is creating a new order of things in Palestine. A railway is in course of construction from Jaffa to Jerusalem, and Jaffa itself—modernised beyond recognition — is becoming again, as it was of old, "the beautiful," being to a large extent rebuilt, well cleaned and lighted, and having the whole surrounding country one vast orange grove. They have even a real estate boom there—land in the vicinity, we read, is not to be bought at any price. Other places have made great progress. The ancient Shechem is a busy manufacturing town, making specialties of soap and boots; Bethlehem is a neat little town, with substantial glass windowed houses, well paved streets, and a good system of street lighting. Jerusalem, too, is losing much of its oriental character and becoming quite a modern, and a cosmopolitan, city, while outside the walls of the old city a new one is rising fast.

The Port Angeles (W. T.) *Commonwealth* has the following really amusing paragraph:—"Several days ago a buck Indian living about 100 yards from this office committed matrimony in true Siwash style. His bride is remarkably pretty and he paid to her father $100 for her, that being prehaps the highest price ever paid for a like article here. The usual price is about $25, and $10 is considerered enough for many. The ceremony consisted in all the Indians in the neighborhood coming together and drinking from a two gallon jug, an amber liquid which superinduced fits of mental abberation and caused each buck to flog his squaw handsomely. Occasionally two squaws disagreed and went at it hammer and tongs. At the end of three or four days the jug was empty, the squaws were sufficiently tamed and the happy couple were considered married." This will not compare unfavorably with some of the orgies of the noble red man's "white brother."

BY TELEGRAPH.

Maxwell Must Swing for the Murder of Preller---A Hamilton Lady Comes in for a Large Fortune.

Mackenzie Bowell to be Married and Will Spend His Honeymoon in British Columbia.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

THE FISHERIES TREATY.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—In the senate to-day the debate on the fisheries treaty was resumed by Mr. Evarts, who took the floor in opposition to it. Mr. Evarts discussed at great length the details of the treaty and the whole history of the fisheries controversy. He declared that the system of worrying was always brought into play by Canada whenever the United States asserted its fishing rights and Canada asserted its contravention in order to bring the United States to a departure from its fishing interests to those of trading and commercial interests and that the United States had thus been worried into a reciprocity arrangement in 1854. He said that at every stage when the Dominion of Canada had undertaken to enforce the bay or headlands doctrine the British government had declined to sustain it. What Canada had always been after was reciprocity and a free market. After Mr. Evarts had spoken for two hours he postponed the remainder of his speech until to-morrow on account of the heat. After a few minutes in secret session the senate adjourned.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

A HANDSOME FORTUNE.

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 9.—A fortune of $300,000 has fallen into the lap of Mrs. Catherine Evans of this city. It is her share of an immense fortune left by Jan Heinrack Royal many years ago in Philadelphia. Royal left $9,000,000 to be divided amongst his heirs.

GOLD MINING.

LONDON, Ont., Aug. 9.—Montreal capitalists have rented a tract of land five miles from Stanley and are prospecting for gold specimens which have been sent to Montreal, but the result of the examination is not yet made public.

RUN OVER.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—William Elliott, brother of John Elliott, C.P.R. station master at Dalhousie Square, was run over by a freight train this morning and instantly killed.

MACKENZIE BOWELL TO BE MARRIED.

KINGSTON, Aug. 9.—Hon. Mackenzie Bowell is to be married on Aug. 16th to Mrs. Stevenson, widow of the late Edward Stevenson, who was a son of the late Hon. John Stevenson of Napanee. The ceremony will be performed privately, after which the happy couple leave for British Columbia. The bride is about 40 years of age.

SHERIDAN'S BODY.

NEW YORK, Aug. 9.—The train bearing Sheridan's body reached here at 5.10 this morning and was transferred to the Penn. Railway at Jersey city and left for Washington at 8.20. No incidents.

THE LATEST LATE.

FIRE ISLAND, N. Y., Aug. 9.—The S. S. City of New York is unsighted. The city of New York is the largest passenger vessel afloat and this is her first trial. She is expected to prove a marvel in speed as well as in comfort and beauty. Her tonnage is 10,200 tons and she has over 1000 passengers board.

TRAIN WRECKED.

WACO, Texas, Aug. 9.—Pieces of timber placed on the track of the Texas Central railroad, 6 miles from this city, derailed the night express early yesterday morning. Engineer Moses was killed and the fireman and five passengers badly scalded. The railroad company offers $1000 reward each for the capture of the wreckers.

DEFAULTER ARRESTED.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Thos. M. Haines, alleged defaulting cashier of the Atlantic North Carolina railroad, was arrested early this morning at 285 Michigan avenue. The arrest was made on a telegram from the president of the railroad.

YACHTING ACCIDENT.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9.—A yacht capsized in the Delaware river, off Penn's Grove, N. J., during a squall last night. Four ladies and one child were drowned, and the 3 men were saved. The party had been to a picnic at Penn's Grove and returning encountered a thunderstorm. The women went below for shelter, and when the yacht capsized, the 3 men were washed overboard, and picked up by a tug The yacht drifted into the bay and was recovered this morning and the women and child's bodies taken from the cabin.

TO CAPTURE MORRISON.

LAKE MEGANTIC, Aug. 9.—It is understood that the Quebec government have engaged two Pickerton detectives to effect the the capture of Morrison. The Quebec officers will simply remain as a blind, it being conceded that as they are known all around the country their usefulness is virtually ended.

FOR MANITOBA.

TORONTO, Aug. 9.—About 500 excursionists left here Tuesday night for Manitoba and the North West. They were largely of the farmer class many being young men who were determined to try their fortune in the Northwest.

A FATAL SPREE.

ESSEX CENTRE, Ont., Aug. 9.—Jas. Drummond, proprietor of a livery stable at Harrow, and Dan Brault, brakeman on the W. C. R., while under the influence of liquor got into a quarrel last night during which Drummond struck Brault on the head with a heavy iron wrench, knocking him senseless. He remained unconscious until 6 o'clock this morning when he died. Drummond was arrested and will be examined to-day.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The bank of England's discount advanced to 3 per cent. to-day.

MAXWELL MUST HANG.

CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—A dispatch from Jefferson City, Mo., says; "Governor Mprehouse refuses to grant Maxwell a respite."

GOT FOUR MONTHS.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 9. — Matthew Byrnes, who recently jumped from Brooklyn Bridge, to-day was sentenced to 4 months' imprisonment in Kings county penitentiary. The offence charged was violating the ordinance governing the conduct of a person on a bridge.

PROPERTY OF N. W., B. B. & S.

The Mining Property of the Company. Its Value too Great to Estimate.

Considerable interest is now being manifested by the public, both on Puget Sound and British Columbia, over the New Westminster, Bellingham Bay and Seattle railroad, to be completed within two years from this date. The line in Washington territory was conceived by Hon. Eugene Canfield, of Aurora, Illinois, about five years ago. He procured the passage through congress of an act granting the Bellingham Bay Railway & Navigation Co. the right to pass over public lands and cross navigable streams emptying into Puget sound. The New Westminster Southern railway charter, to build from Westminster city south to the American boundary, to connect with the Canfield road, was pushed through the provincial parliament of British Columbia by citizens of Westminster, who were anxious to have railroad connection with Puget sound, to compete with the Canadian Pacific railroad in passenger and freight traffic. The present line, known as the New Westminster, Bellingham Bay & Seattle railroad, is the outgrowth or consolidation of the above two lines to make the connection across the boundary, which will give a continuous line of railway from Seattle north across the Snohomish and Nooksack rivers, touching at Whatcom, on Bellingham bay, thence to Westminster.

The Canadian Pacific railroad has heretofore opposed this connection, but the repeal of what is known as the monopoly clause in the Canadian Pacific railroad charter permits the connection as now projected, and the people along the line of the proposed railroad are anxious for the construction of the line because it will open and develop rich coal and iron mines located on the Skagit river, and bring to market the millions of valuable fir lumber along the route.

On Saturday last this railroad company acquired absolute title to what is known as the Connor coal and iron mines, located on the Skagit river, 14 miles above Mount Vernon, about 1000 acres, and are now perfecting title to about 3,000 acres of land adjacent, covering the same veins. The coal and iron lie side by side along the line of the railroad, and an assay of the same, made by Maj. W. A. Jones at the Portland reduction works, may be of interest to people who deal with abstract facts and details instead of sweeping statements.

As carbon is the basis from which the value of coal is judged, the following comparative statement may show the actual worth of this Conner field, when sized up with other working veins on Puget sound; Conner mines, 81 per cent. carbon; Bennett mine (also on Skagit river), 69 per cent. carbon; Wilkeson mine, near Tacoma, 67 per cent. carbon; Wellington coal, 60 per cent.; Black Diamond, 60 per cent.; South Prairie, 62. The Conner vein is from three to five feet thick and pitches into the earth at a dip of from 25 to 40 degrees. The coal seam can be traced along the surface for a distance of twenty-four miles, and seems inexhaustible. A tunnel, driven into the base of a hill 2,400 feet below the outcropping of the vein, strikes the coal, and several other test tunnels indicate that the coal can be mined easily and economically. Black Diamond coal brings about $12 per ton in the San Francisco market and costs about $4 to mine and ship, thus leaving a profit to the operators of about $8 per ton net cash. As the Skagit or Conner coal is better in quality and as inexpensive to mine and ship, it is easy to see that there is some foundation for a railroad company to rest upon, even were these coal mines the only resources from which to draw. But the rich iron lode also purchased from the Conner company by this New Westminster, Bellingham Bay & Seattle railroad, promises equally rich returns. The iron lode is from fourteen to eighty-five feet in width, and assays, according to an estimate made by Major Jones, from 40 to 65 per cent. pure iron. The low percentage of phosphorus found in this ore increases the value of the iron, because the presence of phosphorus in metal militates against the manufacture of steel. —*Oregonian.*

The Best Pills.—Mr. Wm. Vandervoort, Sydney Crossing, Ont., writes: "We have been using Parmelee's Pills, and find them by far the best Pills we ever used." *For Delicate and Debilitated Constitutions* these Pills act like a charm. Taken in small doses, the effect is both a tonic and a stimulant, mildly exciting the secretions of the body, giving tone and vigor.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Aug. 9, 1888.

The Montreal *Witness* is deserving of credit for its well meant enterprise in employing a special correspondent to visit the scene of the Skeena Indian trouble in this province. In its weekly issue of August 1st it exhibits a map of the northwest coast of British Columbia, embracing the principal Indian settlements from Alaska to the southern end of Queen Charlotte's Island. The information given in the *Witness*, although not new to British Columbians, who have often heard of the difficulties amongst the Indians on the Northwest coast of this province, presents a brief but comprehensive view of the true state of the Indian difficulties and their probable cause or causes. The people of British Columbia generally have paid very little attention to the reports that at times appeared with regard to the troubles between the various tribes of Indians themselves and the jealousies that have existed between the missionaries who have been engaged in the work of Christian civilization among the benighted red men. Nobody has any right to blame the missionaries for the apparent dangerous discontent found to exist amongst the Indians, according to the report of the late commission sent by the joint action of the Dominion and provincial governments. While it may be true that the teaching and training by the seemingly antagonistic missionaries may have produced a conflicting state of things, and a feeling of insubordination in the minds of the partially civilized and Christianized natives, yet the missionaries are not directly chargeable with the seemingly deplorable state of things found there at present. It would appear, however, to be a deplorable fact that the missionaries have not set a good example of peace and good-will before the natives. In their native shrewdness they must have been puzzled to understand why God-sent teachers did not practice more towards one another that good-will and brotherly love which their professed mission indicated. It must be acknowledged that the example furnished by some of the manifestations of bad feeling between the various representatives of Christianity on the northwest coast of British Columbia has not been without its bad effect upon the native tribes. But the chief blame for this state of things at present must be laid at the doors of the provincial and Dominion governments, especially the provincial government, which deals more directly with the Indians as to civil jurisdiction. The Indians, no doubt, have been educated up in this matter. The fact of the matter seems to be that the spiritual teachers amongst the Indians were allowed to both teach and govern at will. The local government was only too glad to shirk the responsibility of governing, and left the field to the spiritual teacher and the worldly adventurer, who has not been slack to introduce other kinds of "spirits," which the Indians themselves have often protested against.

We have received a copy of the "Canada Statistical Record, 1887," well bound and printed. Besides the various sorts of statistics, artistically and conveniently compiled and arranged in tabular form, this work contains a great deal of varied and interesting descriptive reading matter on the various provinces composing the Dominion, their resources, natural advantages, and prominent features, physical and political. The table of contents comprises the following items: Constitution and Government, Population and Vital Statistics, Finance, Trade and Commerce, Post Office and Telegraphs, Canals and Island Revenue, Railways, Arts, Agriculture and Immigration, Mineral Statistics, Marine and Fisheries, Militia and Defence, Dominion Lands, Banks and Savings, Insurance, and a lengthy appendix devoted to the Customs Tariff, Canada, 1888. A detailed index at the back for convenient reference completes the book, which affords altogether an excellent compendium and hand-book of the Dominion. British Columbia is introduced as follows: "West of the Rocky Mountains is another great tract of forest land, the timber on which is invaluable, while the soil is very fertile, and the country, as it becomes cleared is found to possess great agricultural capabilities. The timber in British Columbia attains in many cases to an enormous size, specimens of the Douglas pine being among the largest trees in the world. The following illustrations will give some idea of their great size: Square timber has been cut from the Douglas pine, measuring eight feet by one hundred and five feet in length, and from one log no less than eight pieces of timber have been cut, each piece measuring 12 inches by 12 inches and fifty feet in length. Cedar trees also have been found 24 feet in diameter and 300 feet high." From a concise but most comprehensive table in the book, entitled "Statistical Summary of the Dominion of Canada from 1st July, 1867, to 30th June, 1887," we cull the following figures, which will be read with interest: Two censuses appear in this summary, taken respectively in 1871 and in 1881. The former shows these figures: males, 1,764,311; females, 1,721,450; total, 3,485,761. The latter, males, 2,188,778; females, 2,136,932; total, 4,324,810. It will be seen that the last figures represent the total population of the Dominion in 1881, when the last official census was compiled. The next census, in 1891, will probably show a very marked increase of population. A gratifying feature in connection with the figures quoted above, to old bachelors especially, is the admirably adjusted equality in point of numbers between the sexes. No hapless bachelor, unless insufferably ugly in disposition and feature, need despair of doubling his joys and his sorrows in "this Canada of ours" so long as such praiseworthy and equitable arrangements continue with regard to the distribution of the sexes. The years 1882, 1883, and 1884 show the largest immigration returns of any year since 1868, being credited with over 100,000 each. Last year the immigration amounted to 84,526, and for the two years previous a few thousands less. The revenue for 1868 is put at $13,687,928; expenditure, $13,486,092. For last year the revenue was $35,754,993, and the expenditure $35,657,680. The table shows a fairly steady increase in revenue and expenditure since the year first mentioned to the present time. In 1871 there were 17,335,818 acres of land under cultivation in the Dominion; in 1881, at the last census, 21,899,181. The number of postoffices in 1868 is given as 3,638; in 1887, 7,534. The shipping has increased in the last twenty years as follows: inward vessels, 8,038 to 13,203; outward, 7,978 to 12,947. Imports for the same period have increased from $73,459,644 to $112,892,236; exports, $57,567,888 to $89,515,811. The gross debt in 1868 footed up $96,896,666; assets, $21,138,531; net debt, $75,757,135. In 1887 the figures were, respectively, $273,187,626, $45,872,851, and $227,314,775.

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JOHN McCONNELL.
New West., July 31, 1888. au2d1w[illegible]

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2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings, or trial of causes triable, or proposed to be tried, elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster or Nanaimo.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any judgment where such matter has been argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

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5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1888."

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JNO. ROBSON,
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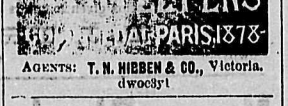

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The other day I noticed a slightly-built, hatchet-faced man in seedy clothes and a weather-worn straw hat lounging in the stately gateway of the great Mills Building on Broad street. He seemed to have nothing to do but to gaze listlessly at the bustling scene of hurrying brokers, clerks and messengers and the long line of cabs stretching from the Stock Exchange for a block or more down the street.

"Do you know who that is?" asked a prominent broker.

"No."

"His name is Baldwin. He was once Colonel of a regiment and was groomsman for Governor Sprague of Rhode Island when he was married to Kate Chase, the daughter of Chief Justice Chase. He used to be connected in business down here with his brother, Barney Baldwin, one of the swells of the Tuxedo Park Club."

It was a new illustration of the dramatic vicissitudes that come to men in Wall street. Once this man who is dependent upon the bounty of relatives or friends whom he does not hesitate to accost for petty "loans" was a handsome man and so prominent in society that he was the best man at the wedding of a governor to a beautiful and distinguished woman. But though he is now only about 45 he looks ten years older; the face is sallow and pinched and pimply, suggesting something of which the sacred writer of old said, "at the last it stingeth like an adder."

Governor Sprague himself fell from his social estate partly through undue addiction to the wine cup, quarreled with his wife, became insanely jealous of her and threatened to shoot the late Roscoe Conkling, who was the legal adviser of the daughter of his life-long friend, the Chief Justice. Sprague was a rather picturesque figure in the early days of the war, but any illusion as to his personality or delusion as to his capacity for public life was soon dispelled and with him his old cronies stepped down to their natural level. The brother of Governor Sprague's old fellow roisterer, Baldwin, was at one time a stock broker in partnership with a rather bright fellow named Draper. The late millionaire operator, Baron Woerishoffer, met Draper one night down at Long Branch before the young fellow had ever dreamed of becoming a stock broker on his own account, and said:

"Draper, why don't you go into business in Wall street?"

"Why, I haven't money enough to buy a seat in the Stock Exchange," was the answer.

"Oh, if that is the trouble," said the operator—who had accumulated ten millions in daring stock campaigns—"if that is all the trouble I will buy you a seat myself."

He did. It was not the mere effusive talk of a champagne supper to be coldly ignored the next day when the blood was less heated. Baron Woerishoffer actually bought a seat in the Stock Exchange for thirty thousand dollars and presented it to the partner of Barney Baldwin, who is well known in New York society, while his brother once a Colonel and a handsome beau in another social world seems to play the role of Lazarus at the rich man's gate.

There are queerer contrasts than this in New York business life. One of the most prosperous brokers in the city allows his old father to black boots for a living. He makes no denial of the fact but says that the old man is not fitted for any other work and is better employed than idle. The broker himself used to be a bootblack and rose by sheer force of character and native German shrewdness.

Charles Lamb's devotion to his insane sister was one of those instances of self-abnegation which are as a silver lining to the darker and more sinister traits of human nature, but it is, perhaps, more than equalled in some respects by an instance of unselfish devotion on the part of a man in one of the institutions near New York such as is rare outside of the pages of fiction. It is the case of a man and wife. They lived happily together, but by one of those strange visitations of fate, the happy wife became insane. Cases are not rare where a husband has shown devotion to an insane wife. There are others in which the husband has sought to play the role of Mr. Rochester in "Jane Eyre," and ignore a tie which he speciously argued had been sundered by a stroke of fate, though in most, if not all, of our States, at least, insanity subsequent to marriage is regarded as a disease, and no more a ground for divorce than consumption or any other ailment. But in this case the husband forsook his home in New York, where he had lived on a small income received from wealthy parents in Europe, and sought and secured a position as bookkeeper in the workhouse close by the insane asylum where his wife was confined, receiving no salary for his services, and remains there now amid forbidding surroundings simply that he may be near his stricken wife, who smiles vacantly at him or talks with pathetic volubility and earnestness of her fixed delusions across that dark mental gulf which separates the Gehenna of madness from the relative Paradise of sanity. His only thought is to soften the blow to his wife as much as possible, to ameliorate as far as may be her sufferings, a pathetic attempt to make the hand of fate seem like velvet rather than iron. For seven years he has remained faithful in his devotion to his mentally dead wife, sepulchred, so to speak, as a hopeless lunatic in the cemetery of the mind, an insane asylum, a man not, perhaps, endowed with the intellectual qualities which command the admiration of men, but illumined by unselfish devotion as with a sacred nimbus.

A man with a distinctively German caste of features moves quickly along Broadway, his brow contracted in a battle with some abtruse problem in railroad life, is well known all over this country. He is Albert Fink, the autocrat of the trunk line pool. He rides on the railroad like a whirlwind, and directs the transportation system. As commissioner of the trunk line pool he has more power than any one railroad man in this country. He has full, round features and a large nose, indicative of force of character, and wears a moustache and chin whiskers. He looks a little like "Phil" Armour. He came originally from Lautenbach, Germany, where he was born sixty-one years ago. He entered railroad service in his 22nd year as an assistant engineer on the Baltimore & Ohio road in charge of bridge and depot construction west of Cumberland, serving in this capacity four years. Subsequently he was connected as assistant engineer, chief engineer, general superintendent, vice-president or commissioner of a number of roads, including the Baltimore & Ohio, the Norfolk & Petersburg, the Louisville & Nashville, the South & North Alabama, and the Southern Railway & Steamship Association. In June, 1877, he was appointed commissioner of the trunk lines to apportion the percentages of freight to be carried by the members of the railroad pool, to maintain rates and adjust differences among the roads. The Inter-State Commerce Law has modified, but not destroyed, his power. He is very courteous to inquirers who understand the railroad business. To others he is abrupt. The late Wm. H. Vanderbilt always disliked to talk about railroad matters to novices; to others he would talk long and freely. At times reporters make Commissioner Fink's life a burden. On one occasion after an important trunk line meeting he found a small army awaiting him, and he distinguished himself by escaping and sliding down the hall banisters in a wild flight for a private office on the floor below, the first time on record that a millionaire has performed the brilliant acrobatic feat of sliding down a fifty-foot banister, ballasted by two big account books, without tumbling from his slippery perch. He carried his point, too. He got away from the astonished reporters. The trunk line meeting had been secret, and he could not divulge the proceedings at that time. He is considered a "good fellow" socially. He is worth about two millions, which he made largely from a patent railroad bridge.

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Miss Kate Hillard, enthusiastic fisherwoman, is an artist of noted ability. She was for many years the President of the Woman's Club of Brooklyn, and her charming essays and poems have graced the *Atlantic*, the *Galaxy*, and many other periodicals. She is the happy owner of a cottage at Keene Flats, which is surrounded by trout streams, and in her brilliant mountain costume, looking like a redbird, she has often sallied forth with her rod over her shoulder, and returned with a fine string of trout that graced the table of her friends. Miss Hillard is a great favorite with Old Mountain Phelps, the noted Adirondack guide, who is no respecter of persons; in his queer, cracked voice he has more than once observed, "I tell yo, when Kate makes up her mind ter git a mess o' trout, you fellows 'll hev ter shin up the brooks purty lively ter git ahead o' her!"

Some of the most enthusiastic and successful of New York ladies are Mrs. W. A. Hounslow, who fishes with her husband for black bass in the Pennsylvania waters and Lake Champlain, and Mrs. Morgan, a connection of the celebrated "peach-blow-vase" Morgan, who trools successfully for black bass among the Thousand Isles. Mrs. Cornelius Van Brunt of Fifty-seventh street, well known among fashionable society, is passionately devoted to trout fishing, and often casts her fly with her husband in the beautiful lake 2,000 feet above the sea, hidden in the wilds of Sullivan Co., which is the property of the Wilderness Club. The wife of "Norman," the well-known writer on fishing topics, is also a devoted fishwife. Mrs. W. D. Tomlin of Duluth, Minn., and Miss Josephine Hopkins of Catskill, N. Y. are also well known to lovers of the angling craft, together with Mrs. Chas. W. Stevens, the wife of the author of "Fly Fishing in the Maine Lakes," and many stirring books of adventure.

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The would-be convert was floundering on his knees and hands in a pool, the dominie looked round for his deacons, they had forgotten time and place and had plunged in likewise, the Welsh maidens on the banks awaiting their turn, tucked up their skirts and took to the water as well; the secret of the whole excitement was a big salmon which had darted under a stone in front of the congregation; catching the fever, the minister himself plunged in and chased the salmon around the pool; after the twenty-three pounder was landed, the service was resumed.

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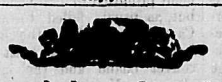

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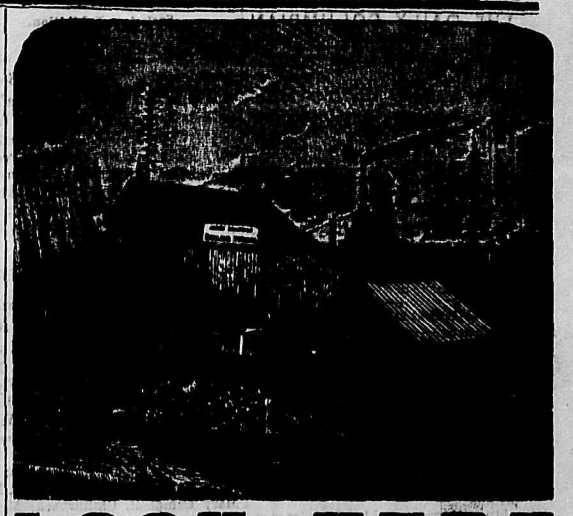

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The Business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a general Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN on Mortgage at Low Rates. Town Lots and Farming Lands for Sale on easy terms.

Victoria, B. C., May 16th, 1887. dwje7tc

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AGENTS FOR

North British and Mercantile Insurance Co. for Mainland.

H. C. BEETON & CO.,
36 Finsbury Circus,
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COME AND SEE!

W. H. HOLDEN,

HAVING TAKEN POSSESSION OF the "Temperance House," fronting on Columbia and Church Streets, opposite the Episcopal Church, and now known as the

FARMERS' HOME!

Will accommodate the traveling public at the following rates:

Board per day $1 00
" " week 5 00
Single Meals 25
Beds 25

Good accommodation for Ladies and families. my25

Flowers for sale

NOTICE.

Canada Life Assurance Co.

PARTIES INSURED IN THE ABOVE Company, whose Premiums are payable at Eastern points, can have the place of payment thereof changed to this city, free of charge, by applying to the undersigned.

Risks taken in this leading Canadian Company at most favorable rates.

HENRY V. EDMONDS,
djc28tc AGENT.

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Feed & Sale Stables

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE NOW PREPARED TO TURN OUT

DOUBLE AND SINGLE RIGS

At Special Low Rates.

Draying and All Kinds of Teaming

Done at Shortest Notice.

Dry Cordwood delivered to any part of the City.

Orders by Telephone will receive prompt attention.

Stables nearly opposite C. P. R. Depot, Columbia St., New Westminster.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed agents for the

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE CO.

And are prepared to receive applications for policies on all good risks at current rates.

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Real Estate, Fire and Life Insurance Agents, Bank of B. C. Building, opposite Post Office, Westminster. djc28m3

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BUTCHER,

Nearly Opposite the Colonial Hotel,

NEW WESTMINSTER.

THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST assortment of all descriptions of

MEATS AND VEGETABLES

Constantly on hand, and supplied to Families, Restaurants, and Steamboats at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

CHINA & JAPAN

Fancy Goods

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED a large consignment of all kinds of

CELEBRATED TEA,

Embroidered Silk Goods,
Shawls, Screens, Bed Quilts,
Dressing Gowns, Etc., Etc.

—ALSO—

Porcelain, Satsuma, Cloisonne,
Bronze, Ivory, Sandalwood and
Curios of Every Description.

IMPORTED BY EVERY STEAMER DIRECT FROM CHINA AND JAPAN.

Hoping that you will honor us with your visit, we remain very respectfully yours,

Kwong on Wo & Co.,

FRONT STREET, New Westminster, B. C.
Post Office Box No. 7. ddec7y1

THE DAILY COLUMBIAN

PUBLISHED

Every Afternoon except Sunday,

BY THE

KENNEDY BROTHERS,

At their Steam Printing Establishment, Columbia Street.

BY MAIL:

For 12 months	$6 00
For 6 months	4 25
For 3 months	2 [illegible]

DELIVERED IN THE CITY:

For 12 months	[illegible]
For 6 months	[illegible] 25
Per month	[illegible]
Per week	25

Payment in all cases (except for weekly [illegible]) to be made in advance.

ADVERTISING RATES FOR THE DAILY.

Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, [illegible] cts. per line solid nonpareil; each subsequent consecutive insertion, 5 cts. per line. Advertisements not inserted every day, [illegible] cts. per line each insertion.

Standing Advertisements.—Regular Business or Professional Advertisements will be [illegible] following rates: 1 inch, [illegible] ¼ col. $5.50; ½ col. [illegible] 1 col. [illegible]. If inserted for less than 3 mos. [illegible] per cent. will be added.

Special Notices among reading matter, [illegible] cts. per line each insertion. Specials calling attention to advertisements, 10 cts. per line.

Births, Marriages and Deaths, $1 for each insertion; Funeral Notices in connection with deaths, 50 cts. each insertion.

Auction Sales, when displayed, charged 25 per cent. less than transient advts. If solid, charged at regular transient rates.

THE WEEKLY COLUMBIAN

Issued every Wednesday Morning.

Delivered in the City, per year	$3.00
Mailed, per year	2.00
Mailed, 6 months	1.25

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Transient Advertisements.—First insertion, 10 cts. per line solid nonpareil; subsequent insertions, 5 cts. per line.

Standing Advertisements.—For 1 inch, [illegible] per month; [illegible] per m.; 6 ins. $2.50 per m.; 1 col. $12.75 per m. If inserted for less than 3 mos. 10 per cent. will be added to these rates.

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Cuts must be all metal, and for large cuts an extra rate will be charged. No advt. inserted in either issue for less than $1.

☞ Persons sending in advertisements should be careful to state whether they are to appear in the Daily Edition, or the Weekly, or both.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

N.W.S. Railway	A. J. Hill
R. C. Hospital	W. H. Keary
Citizens	P. Peebles
Private School	Miss Homer

Daily British Columbian

Thursday Evening, Aug. 9, 1888.

A carload of Minnesota Chief threshers arrived from the east to-day.

The steamer Gladys left for up river ports this morning with freight and passengers.

A train load of cattle arrived from the interior this morning, principally consigned to local dealers.

Only one Siwash, charged with being drunk, appeared before the police magistrate this morning. He suffered the usual fine.

The meeting of the directors and subscribers to the Royal Columbian Hospital has been postponed until next Tuesday.

The Blaine *Journal* man says that Westminster is a nice place but he never wants to see it again until he can ride here on the cars.

The W., B. B. & S. railroad company promises to spend $200,000 within the city of Westminster at once if the loan by-law is passed.—*Blaine Journal.*

The Bertha Dolbeer is receiving her cargo very rapidly, and the prospects are that she will be loaded in shorter time than any vessel has been heretofore in British Columbia.

The stn. Irving arrived down from Hope this afternoon with 25 tons of fruit and farm produce, and 122 head of cattle from the Semilkameen country.

For removing dandruff, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal. It restores faded and grey hair to its original color, stimulates the growth of the hair, and gives it a beautiful, glossy, and silken appearance.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is designed for those who need a medicine to purify their blood. No other preparation so well meets this want. It increases the appetite and rejuvenates the whole system. Its record, for forty years, is one of constant triumph over disease.

The dodgers distributed round the city calling for 500 men to work for the Southern Railway company was not official, and is thought to have been a ruse to embarass the company. Within a month the company will be glad to obtain the services of three times 500 men.

The Victoria *Standard* has emerged from the chrysalis form and appears as a bran new *evening paper.* By comparison with the old morning fossil it presents a most creditable appearance. The transformation transpired on the 6th. We wish our cotemporary success.

On Wednesday evening, Aug. 8th, at a *regular meeting of H. T. of Temperance,* Dr. C. E. C. Brown was presented with a very handsome Past councillor's jewel, in recognition of efficient services and gratuitous favors rendered New Westminster Council No. 1. The present was received with a graceful speech from Dr. Brown.

In our advertising columns will be found an advertisement, inserted [illegible] introducing the "Histogenetic System, the entire revolution of medicine." The name of the system signifies cell-building or tissue-producing, and the theory, as set forth in a book published by the founder, seems very plausible. Mr. M. DesBrisay is sole agent for this province, and says he will publish local testimonials when he gets them. The new medicine should be given an opportunity to prove its claims.

By our advertising columns it will be seen that Mr. P. Peebles has at last satisfied the curiosity of THE COLUMBIAN's readers as to what he would put in his blank space. He now threatens to obstruct the line of the Southern Railway with his famous *wire mattresses. We are afraid he is "in cahoots" with the C. P. R.* Mr. Peebles' spring wire mattresses will not hurt the N. W., B. B. & S. R. R. worth a cent, however, for they will be promptly turned into "sleepers," for which they can't be beat.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Saskatoon Exhibition.

The third annual exhibition of the Saskatchewan Agricultural Society, will be held at Saskatoon, in the Temperance Colony, N. W. T., on Wednesday, October 3rd. The prize list, a copy of which we have received, is quite an extensive affair, and considerable money is appropriated for premiums. The means of reaching Saskatoon is by the C. P. R. and a stage line.

At the Hot Springs.

Thos Ovens, W Boville and wife, I B Fisher, Capt Grant, Capt Reid, Westminster; Jas Sherwood and wife, W Carter, Seattle; Thos Paine, Lulu Island; H McCutcheon, Henry Flynn, Louis Golden, H Perry, Kamloops; Mrs Congle, Miss Lily Clarke, Winnipeg; W B Wilson, Mrs W Prout, E Allen, Vancouver; S H Rogers, Victoria; E T Ikard and wife, Texas; Mrs D Kennedy, Miss Sarah Campbell, Miss Mary Campbell, Chilliwhack; Mrs D Robertson, Agassiz; W M Inland, Geo F Bruce and wife, Miss H Bruce, Toronto.

Interesting Papers.

We have a few copies of THE COLUMBIAN of the 6th inst., the special morning edition of the 7th (Tuesday), and the regular evening paper of the 7th. *These contain a great deal of interesting* information about the Westminster Southern Railway and the passing of the bylaws. It was impossible to put all of this interesting matter in the WEEKLY COLUMBIAN. These papers will be forwarded by mail to any address for 5 cents apiece, and sold at the office, in rear of D. Lyal & Co.'s book and stationery store, for the same price.

A Mis-Statement.

The [illegible] of the Seattle, L. S. & E. R. R., J. W. Riley, who was in the city the other day trying to balk the passage of the bonus bylaws, was in Vancouver yesterday. While there Riley went out of his way to make dishonest statements which can harm no one but himself. He told the *News-Advertiser* that Senator Canfield said he had the only railway charter from Seattle to the boundary. The senator said nothing of the kind. What he did say was that he had the only charter giving permission to bridge navigable streams and rivers—and he told exactly what is true.

Promenade Concert.

A promenade concert in connection with the Presbyterian church, will be held to-morrow evening at Herring's opera house. The great attraction of the evening will be Miss Peters, of Vancouver, who will give a number of piano recitals. The playing of this gifted lady is too well known to require further notice here, but those who have never heard Miss Peters we would *advise to attend the concert to-*morrow evening and enjoy a rare treat. A good programme has been prepared, and, along with the ice cream and other good things, a very pleasant evening is assured to all who attend.

Calling for Tenders.

The Southern Railway Co. have an advertisement in this issue calling for tenders for the clearing of the right-of-way from Westminster to the boundary. Tenders will be received up to the 18th inst. and on that date the contract will be let. Col. Sheafe left for Seattle to-day to arrange for the work of construction from that end of the line, and will visit Whatcom in a few days on the same business. The company are making a determined start, and it is evident from the earnest manner in which they have commenced that the intentions of the agreements will be carried out to the last letter.

Serious Accident.

Last evening Mr. William Holden, of Stave River, while descending a steep hill had the misfortune to fall and severely injure the bones of the knee joint. The nearest medical assistance being at Westminster it was necessary to bring him to the city, and his brother, Mr. Harry Holden, rowed him the entire distance, 25 miles, leaving Stave River at 4 this morning and arriving in town at 9:30 o'clock—a remarkably fast trip. Mr. Holden was conveyed to St. Mary's hospital and his injuries were attended to by Dr. Fagan, the hospital surgeon. We are *glad to know the accident will* not result in any deformity of the limb or permanent lameness.

An Eminent Divine.

A renowned preacher, the Most Revd. Archbishop Gross, of Portland, who is now in this city, the guest of the Rt. Rev. Bishop D'Herbomez, is well known all over the continent as an illustrious pillar of the church. His discourses, brilliant, logical and impressive, have attracted immense crowds. He will preach in St. Peter's church here on Sunday next, at the 10.30 o'clock mass, and again in the evening of that day at 7 o'clock. Two sermons in one day from such an orator will charm the ears of all the royal citizens who love to hear the law divine explained in words of fire. Sunday next will be a great day for our Roman Catholic fellow citizens.

A Valuable Invention.

Mr. John Patterson, of Kamloops, who held the position of chief engineer on the Mara" line of boats in 1885-6, and has been for some time employed by the C.P.N.Co. as chief superintendent of engines on that line, has recently patented an instrument to be used upon steam engines to gauge or test their several parts in their operation. It places in the hands of engineers, engine builders and others a correct and speedy method of testing and adjusting the crank shafts. The application of the instrument will show the slightest variation of the shaft from the rectangular path of the piston's travel, and at the same time point out the slightest variation of the shaft from a true level.

Private vs. Government Enterprise.

Capt. C. D. Grant, of this city, has gone for a cruise among the Northern waters on the schooner Oriel. The object of his trip is to examine the reported fishing banks which the government promised to locate and report on, but, as usual, failed to accomplish. Capt. Grant will visit the Queen Charlotte Islands, the west coast of Vancouver Island and the large inlets along the Northern coast. He is a practical fisherman and is prepared, if his trip is successful, to enter into the exportation of fresh fish, on a large scale. The promises the government have failed to carry out in regard to the location of these cod and halibut banks, Capt. Grant will try to perform, and on his return parties interested in these matters will be furnished with all information obtained.

An Accommodating Service.

The latest addition to our magnificent train service between this city and Vancouver is an elegantly fitted up freight car, which supercedes the regulation baggage car that has been running so long on the route. The "latest" is highly superior in every way to the ordinary run of common baggage cars, and is supplied with the very latest improvements in the shape of doors. Instead of ordinary, every day doors, such as is used in every house on the continent, this palace on wheels is provided with elegant holes, 2x2, cut in each end of the car and through which the passenger, who is not fond of Chinaman and Siwash, has to execute a clever somersault in order to gain an entrance. The C.P.R. is about the first company on the continent to introduce these magnificent coaches, and their wonderful enterprise is sure to be well rewarded. Cattle and flat cars well be the next introduction into the passenger service of the C.P.R., in fact a tow of hand cars would surprise no one.

Ill-fitting boots and shoes cause corns. Holloway's Corn Cure is the article to use. Get a bottle at once and cure your corns.

A Terrible Shock.

A struggling "typo" who manages to eke out a very fair existence by "setting up" matter for THE COLUMBIAN, suffered a severe shock yesterday, and from which he has not yet recovered. Typos as a rule are a speculative class, their business being such that the manipulations of the largest concerns in the world come before their notice daily—hence they imbibe a taste for speculation and accustom themselves to depend greatly on chance. The typo in question has been investing his savings latterly in the great Louisiana lottery, and week after week has been anxiously looking for a telegram announcing he had won the $150,000 prize. But up till yesterday he had suffered disappointment. While setting up a short article entitled "Follies of Speculation" he was somewhat startled by a friend *dashing into the room and telling him,* in an excited manner, that his ticket had won $1,200. The news was too much for "Peck" and he fell off his stool to the floor in a dead faint. Recovering in a few minutes he borrowed $7 from the foreman, $3 from a typo, and 60 cents from the "devil," and set forth to celebrate the event. The celebration proved a complete success, the money was all spent and he managed to get credit in various establishments to the amount of $26. This morning when he awakened he drew forth his ticket to enjoy another look at the author of his good fortune, but great was his dismay when he found the ticket's number was 111,942, while the winning number was 11,942. "Peck" is at work again, a sadder if not a wiser man.

If your children are troubled with worms, give them Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator; safe, sure, and effectual. Try it, and mark the improvement in your child.

City Council.

A special meeting of the council was held last night. Present, Aldermen Elliott, Calbick, Shiles, Hoy, Ovens and Herring.

His Worship Mayor Dickinson in the chair.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Joseph Wintemute saying as he had been granted permission to build a bridge across Clarkson street he would hand it over to the city for $1000 and would complete it and keep it in repair for 5 years. Received.

From F. Bourchier asking for form of new 6 per cent. loan.

From H. O. Jones complaining that a Chinaman kept pigs and killed them on a lot within the city limits. Referred to health committee.

From Adolphus Peele, returning officer, *enclosing sworn statements of the vote on the bonus by-laws.* Received and entered on minutes.

From D. Sinclair asking permission to place gravel from his lot at any place necessary on the street. Referred to board of works with power to act.

ACCOUNTS.

A G Smith, $14.80; Reid & Currie, $8.38; Urquhart, $53.44; J Jensen, $53.44; F Forrest, $72; T J Trapp, $26.72; T J Trapp, $16.12; W Dyker, $56.25; Blair, $53.44.

The fire committee reported a hook and ladder truck, complete, would cost $2,200. Received and filed.

The city solicitor reported that the city was not liable to pay more than $25 on Mr. Ferris' bill for cost of inquest on the body of Donald McGregor, although the services of the physicians were rendered bona fide, and it might be well in this case to pay the bill in full. Referred to finance committee with power to act.

The council then adjourned, to meet again this evening.

J. H. Earl, West Shefford, P. Q., writes: "I have been troubled with liver complaint for several years, and have tried different medicines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which gave me immediate relief, and I [illegible] that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horse in cases of cuts, wounds, &c., and I think it equally as good for horse as for man."

Personal.

F. Fookes left for Illecillewaet this afternoon.

Miss Peters, of Vancouver, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Lyal.

Chas. Wilson, barrister, of Victoria, is in the city on legal business.

B. Douglas has gone over to the capital city and will be absent a few days.

Capt. Scoullar, and T. C. Atkinson have gone over to Victoria on business matters.

A. S. Black returned from Victoria last evening and will remain at home for a few weeks.

W. J. Buchanan, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, was in the city this afternoon.

Senator Canfield and Col. Sheafe left for Seattle to-day. They will return to the city next week.

Mr. W. H. Falding, supreme court registrar, has been granted leave of absence for a few weeks, and Mr. A. S. Black has been appointed to fill his place while absent. Mr. Falding has not been enjoying good health of late and we hope the rest from labor will prove beneficial.

C. R. Hall, Grayville, Ill., says: "I have sold at retail, 136 bottles of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, guaranteeing every bottle. I must say I never sold a medicine in my life that gave such universal satisfaction. In my own case, with a badly ulcerated throat, after a physician penciling it for several days to no effect, the Eclectric Oil cured it thoroughly in twenty-four hours, and in threatened croup in my children this winter, it never failed to relieve almost immediately."

Late Canadian News.

MONTREAL, Aug. 3.—Father Baile, the oldest priest in Canada, and for many years superior of the seminary of St. Sulpice, was buried this morning with great pomp, Archbishop Fabre saying the mass.

The long continued dry weather is having a most disastrous effect on the crops in this district. Potatoes are almost a complete failure and the cattle in back country are dying for want of water. Statistics show this to be the driest year in twenty years.

KINGSTON, Aug. 3.—The Clyde-built steamer Algonquin, with 68,419 bushels of wheat from Port Arthur, has reached here. She came through the Welland canal without lightering, drawing thirteen feet ten inches forward and fourteen feet aft. This cargo—a trifle over 2,052 tons—is the largest which ever arrived here in one craft.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—Gangs of Italian laborers have been dumped here recently from all quarters. They arrived penniless and many of them are almost starving. The Italian Benevolent society is feeding as many as it can. Consul Giavieli is determined to punish the dishonest contractors who are sending these Italians here under delusive promise of steady and profitable employment.

STRATFORD, Aug. 3.—A severe thunder storm passed over here this afternoon. During its progress, Thos. Ryan, butcher, this city, who resides with his brother near Little Lakes was struck by lightning and instantly killed while standing in the door of a barn.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 6.—The local government are offering prizes for the best collection of agricultural productions to be sent to eastern Canada.

The international cricket match between the Americans and the territories' team resulted in an easy victory for the latter.

OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—It is reported that Mr. James Reid, M. P. for Cariboo, will be called to the senate to succeed Lieutenant-Governor Nelson.

Mr. Owen Jones of Australia is here after having had a successful interview at Dalhousie, N. B., with Sir John Macdonald regarding the Pacific cable project. The premier said that the Dominion government would grant financial aid if the other colonial governments agreed to do likewise.

A second survey steamer will commence work in a few months on the Pacific, working west from Vancouver to meet the other surveying steamer in mid ocean. Mr. Jones says that the cable will be built from Vancouver to Melbourne within 18 months.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

Wholesale City Market.

Beef,	per 100 lbs.	$ 7 00 @	[illegible] 00
Pork	"	8 10 @	[illegible] 00
Mutton	"	11 00 @	12 00
Hides (gr'n)	"	4 00 @	5 00
Potatoes	"	1 25 @	1 50
Cabbage	"	2 00 @	0 00
Onions	"	2 00 @	0 00
Wheat	"	1 50 @	1 75
Oats	"	1 50 @	1 75
Peas	"	1 50 @	[illegible] 00
Hay,	per ton	18 00 @	[illegible] 00
Butter (rolls)	per lb.	0 25 @	[illegible] 35
Cheese,	"	0 16 @	0 17
Eggs,	per doz.	[illegible] @	[illegible] 25
Cordwood (retail)	per cord	3 50 @	4 00

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, Oddfellows' New Hall. 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.

UNION LODGE No. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular Communications of this Lodge are held on the first Monday in each month. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.
PETER GRANT, Secretary.
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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.*

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

MISS ANNIE HOMER WILL REOPEN her School at Columbia College on THURSDAY the 16th day of August.
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Royal Columbian Hospital.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SUBscribers to the Royal Columbian Hospital will be held in the Surgery of the Hospital at 5 p. m., TUESDAY, 14th August, 1888. Business—Reception of Reports and election of Directors for ensuing year. By order,
W. H. KEARY, Hon. Sec.
New West., 9th Aug., 1888. dau9td

NEW WESTMINSTER

Southern Railw'y

TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO NOON —OF— Saturday, 18th Inst., —FOR— CLEARING THE RIGHT OF WAY

From New Westminster to the American Boundary, according to specifications to be seen at this office.

The Company reserves the right of rejecting any or all tenders.

ALBERT J. HILL, Chief Engineer.
New West., Aug. 9, 1888. dau9td-w1

CITIZENS

For Every Mile of the N. W. S.

RAILWAY

I have 2 WIRE MATTRESSES, which will be sold cheap for

CASH!

☞ Ladies—Don't buy your BABY BUGGIES till my order arrives, in a short time.

P. PEEBLES, COLUMBIA ST.
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Promenade Concert

—IN—

HERRING'S OPERA HOUSE,

—ON—

Friday Evening, August 10

SUPPORTED BY

MISS PETERS of Vancouver, MISS FREEZE, late of Seattle,

MISS HILL, MISS RAND, MISS CLUTE, MISS DeBECK, MISS MAJOR, MRS. GORDON, MRS. LYAL, MR. GLOVER, MR. HAMBER and others.

Admission, 25 cents; Ice Cream and Cake, 15 cents. dau7t4

Excellent Farm Property

FOR SALE,

BEING 100 ACRES OF N. E. ¼ OF SEC. 20, Township 12, New Westminster District.

The soil is alluvial deposit on a substratum of clay and is very rich. A new Barn is on the property. Ten acres are under cultivation, 15 acres partially cleared, the balance (75 acres) is covered with vine maple and alder and is easily cleared. The Lillooet river passes along its northern boundary. Distance from Port Haney railway station, 2 miles; distance from school house, ½-mile.

This valuable property will be sold at a bargain. Apply to
JOHN FITZPATRICK, On the Premises,
Port Haney P. O. dwjly24m1½

New Westminster Southern Ry

NORTHERN TERMINUS.

MESSRS. W. J. WALKER & COMP'Y have lots for sale in the city from $50 upwards.

Also, immediately adjoining the City limits from $25 upwards; and a few remaining lots at Sapperton at $100 on very easy terms.

Also, Farming Land in Surrey Municipality, near the international boundary, and along the line of railway; and Acre Lots at Brownsville in first-class situations at profitable rates.

Intending investors are invited to call immediately, before prices are advanced. The advertisers offer their services as agents for the PURCHASERS of property, and as such will give the fullest information and advice to their best ability, to strangers and others, respecting any proposed investment in land, whether in their own hands for sale, or otherwise.
8 Bank Buildings, City. dw7au1m

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HISTOGENETIC SYSTEM

The Entire Revolution of Medicine.

DR. JORDAN'S HISTOGENETIC SYStem of Medicines cures Paralysis, Blindness, Deafness, Rheumatism, Asthma, Neuralgia, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Erysipelas, Bright's Disease, Heart Disease, Dropsy, and all chronic complaints, Fevers, Small Pox, Piles, Dyspepsia, Measles, Diptheria, Cancer, Consumption, Epilepsy, Ulceration of Bone, Whooping Cough, Cholera Infantum, Croup, Prolapsus Uteri, and all female complaints. The system *is simple. The medicine rebuilds the dis*eased cells and tissues of the body with the same proximate principles, and ferments, Organic Bodies and so on which are normally prepared in the body by the glands. For sale by
d8au1m M. DESBRISAY.

TO SAW MILL MEN.

The Wm. F. Hamilton Mfg Co. Ld

Peterborough, Ont.

Manufacturers of

SAW MILL ENGINES AND BOILERS

GANG, CIRCULAR AND HEAVY BAND SAW MILLS,

For the convenience of their British Columbia friends, have appointed

Messrs. F. G. Strickland & Co.

MILLWRIGHTS AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS,

WESTMINSTER,

Their Sole Agents for this Province.

We are now building a special line of Machinery for this country, equal to anything built on the American continent. Before making any changes you will do well to correspond with our agents.
WM. HAMILTON, Sr., President.
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CLEARANCE SALE!

James Ellard & Co.

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—ALL THEIR—

Spring & Summer Goods!

PRICES MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

LONDON HOUSE, Columbia St., N. W.
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F. CRAKE,

Practical Watchmaker, Manufacturing Jeweler & Optician.

OPPOSITE THE BANK OF MONTREAL.

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, PLATED WARE, &C.

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