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Wit and Humor.

There is an hotel in Springfield that only charges half price for lovers; and yet the proprietor says he makes more money out of this class of boardars than any other people about the house. Let a youth, he says, sit up with a yellow spencer and blue eyes on Sunday night, and he will feel so heavenly that he wont get down to pork and beans again till the latter part of

The natives of Australia formerly believed that after death they were changed into some animal; but now they think that they return to earth as white men. "Never mind," said one of them, about to be executed at Melbourne, " I jump up white fellow-plenty of money."

A divine in Kent, seldom in church, but a rigid justice of the peace, baving a vagrant brought before him, said, surlily, 'I'll teach you the law, you vagabond, I warrant you.'—"I: would be much more becoming,' said the poor fellow, " if you would teach the gospel.'

"Won't you take half of this poor apple?' said a pretty damsel to a witty swain.—"No, I thank you; I would prefer a better half!' Eliza blushed and referred him to her papa.

A contemporary down east has seen a man who, upon a small capital, has made quite a fortune by minding his own busic judge for themselves.

A New Orleans paper states, that there is in that city a hog with his ears so far back that he can't hear himself squeal.

### Special Notices.

Ma. Zinn begs to announce to the innabitants of Victoria that he has lately received a large assortment of Children's Carriages and Chairs, Fishing Baskets and Fishing and a large quantity of Market and Trave ling Baskets, China Vases, Fancy Goods and Toys, all of which have to be sold on or before February next at greatly reduced prices
Goods sold at wholesale for cost prices. \*

REMOVAL .- Messrs. Solomon Bros. have removed to the twe-story brick building on Government streat, opposite the St. Nicholas Hotel. They have received, ex ship Mohawk, from London, a fine assortment of men's clothing and underclothing, which they will sell lower than any house in town. Give them

ALEXANDRE'S GLOVES-Messrs. J. H. Turner & Co., London House, have received to-day, by Express from Paris, a full assortment of Alexandre's famous kid gloves, for which they are the sole agents in Vancouver Island and British Columbia.

MR. DIGBY PALMER requests that orders for teaching, playing and tuning Planofortes, and for instruction in Singing, may be left with Mesars. Hibben & Carswell, Stationers and Booksellers, Government street, or at his residence, near the top of Fort street.

MR. FREEMAN requests us to state that he is about to remove his Variety store from Waddington Alley and corner of Government ohnson street known as the "Queen

HOLLOWAY'S CINTMENT AND PILLS,-A Word of Promise .- All sufferers from sores, ulcers, scorbutic affec ions and skin diseases may confidently commence the treatment of their several infirmities with these healing and cleaning remedies. Under Holloway's well tried medicaments the worst cases will soon re-sume a more kindly aspect, and in the process of the cure the afflicted will neither be embarrassed by diffi-culties nor disheartened by failures. A little perseverance and moderate attention to the "directions for use" enveloping each packet of Ointment and Pilis, will enable every invalid to cure himself, and to conduct his complaint to a successful issue; and he may fee assured that by following this simple but searching treatment his skin will be made sound, severe suffering spared, and health restored.

THE PEOPLE'S FRIEND-PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER -The Greatest Family Medicine of the Age-Taken internally, it cures sudden colds, coughs, etc., weak stomach, general debility, nursery sore mouth, canker, liver complaint, dyspepsia or indigestion, cramp and pain in the stomach, bowel complaint, painters' colic, Aziatic cholera, diarrhœa, and dysen tery. APPLIED EXTERNALLY, cures felons, boils and old sores, severe burns and scalds, cuts, bruises and aprains, swelled joints, ringworm and tetter, broken breasts, frested feet and chilblains, toothache, pain in the face, negralgia and rheumatism. It is a sure remedy for Ague and Chills and Fever. \*

New Advertisements.

Instructions in Dancing.

CLASSES FOR THE WINTER SEASON will re-open for Ladies and Gentlemen on MONDAY NEXT, September 3d, by

MRS. J. H. CARMICHAEL. Hours from 8 to 10, on Monday and Thursday evenings.

View street, August 29, 1866.

Oriental Restaurant,

YATES STREET,

In connection with the Oriental Hotel.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS OPEN ALL HOURS OF THE DAY OR NIGH

THE TABLE Will be furnished with the best the market affords.

Breakfast,

Dinner,

Supper At moderate prices.

Oysters in every Style.

Private Rooms for small or large parties. Call and judge for yourselves.

ROUND THE CORNER"

IS THE NAME OF THE

NEW SALOON

JUST OPENED IN

Langley Street, round the corner from Yates street,

In the building formerly occupied by the Saloon of EBERHARDT'S HOTEL.

The Saloon has been tastefully refitted, and will be supplied with the

FIRST QUALITY OF

Wines and Liquors.

The proprietor respectfully invites the public to call "ROUND THE CORNER" and

GOVERNEENT STREET ENTRANCE - NEXT door to the Telegraph Office.

JACOB HERKIMER.

## NOTICE

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of John Joseph Mecredy, a Bankrupt. MEETING OF CREDITORS OF THE

A MEETING OF CREDITORS OF The above bankrupt will be held at the office of Mr. John Copland, Solicitor, Bastion street, Victoria, on Tuesday the 11th day of September proximo, at 4 o'clock p. m., to resolve that the offer made in Court of this date for the winding up of the estate under arrange-ment of composition shall be carried out, and also that application be made to the Court to stay proceedings in bankruptcy.

Dated this 29th day of August, A.D. 1866. JOHN COPLAND, Solicitor to Creditors' Assignees

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, Vancouver Island.

· In Bankruptcy.

Wednesday, the 1st of August, 1866.

WHEREAS, A PETITION FOR ADJUDI-cation of Bankruptey, bearing date the 31st day of July last, has been duly filed by William Parsons Sayward, Charles Kent, and Edward Wilson, against JOHN JOSEPH MECREDY of View street, Victoria, Carpen-ter, and the said John Joseph Mecredy, having been duly declared and adjudicated a Rankrunt, is hereby required to surender Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to His Honor Joseph Needham, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice aforesaid, on Wednesday the 12th day of Sep-tember current, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose Assignees and commence the examin-ation of the Bankrupt, and at the last sitting,

the Bankrupt is to finish his last examination.
All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or having any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Daniel Lindsay of Government street, the Official Assignee ap-pointed, and give notice to JOHN COPLAND,

Bastion street, Victoria, V. I., Solicitor to the Petitioning Creditors.

FOR SALE

THE RIGHT, TITLE, AND INTEREST in Land known as R VIII. S 20, Quamichan District, and R VIII, S 1, Somenos District, in all about 100 acres, situate in the Cowichan Settlement.

For particulars apply to

JOHN GLASSEY, Bastion street. Opposite Sheriff's Office. New Advertisements.

P. O'DWYER

IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE DEALER IN

Oregon and California Flour, Middlings, Bran, Grain, Butter, Lard, Provisions, etc., etc.

Families and the Trade supplied on the most reasonable terms.

No. 40 Government street, NEAR CORNER OF FORT.

FASHION HOTEL

Concert Room.

The only Place of Amusement in Town!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED these well known establishments, begs leave to announce that they will be

Re-opened on Saturday, July 23.

The former Billiard Ha'l has been converted into a Concert Room, where may always be found attentive and obliging attendants. Best qualities of Wines, Liquors, and Cigars served by the proprietor in person. CHAS. BROOKS.

ADMISSION FREE.

NEW WESTMINSTER

GAME DEPOT,

YATES ST.,

Next door to the corner of Government, opposite Zelner's Drug Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING MADE ARrangements to receive from different parties the produce of the Island and country will be prepared to furnish

Game, Fish,

Fruits, Poultry,

Eggs and Vegetables, Each and all in their season, at the lowest

JAMES ALLEN.

au 31-1m

Victoria Turn Verein.

A LL MEMBERS OF THE ABOVE IN-A stitution who wish to attend regular practice, are requested to be present on the first Monday in September, when classes will be formed commencing with the simplest ex-ercises, and going through the whole course. CHARLES DECHENT, au23 Turnwart.

The Only Sure Way to Save the Country!

IS TO PATRONIZE

CAMERON'S ISLAND PRODUCE

MARKET,

No. 18 Fort street, opposite Mrs. Heal's Boarding-house.

Families and hotel-keepers will find always on hand fresh, cheap, and

Island Vegetables and Fruit, Island Vegetables and Fult, Island Fish and Game of all sorts, Island Eggs and Butter, Island Venison cut to order, Island Poultry, &c., &c., &c.

N. B .- I hereby make known to the public that, having made arrangements with certain island farmers to sell their produce, I am from this date prepared to sell cheaper than any Chinaman peddler that ever ate rice—"So walk on, John!" August 17th, 1866.

J. NAGLE,

Shipping Master and Commission Agent.

CREWS SUPPLIED AT THE SHORTEST Notice-Goods entered and cleared at the Custom House; Manifests, Charter Parties, and Bi ls of Sale made out. Yessels bought

or sold.

Several small Vessels for sale or Office-Bastion street, near the Police Barracks.

### NOTICE

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE at San Francisco, my brother, Peter Matthiessen, holds my Power of Attorney. Dated Hotel St. Nicholas, Government street, Victoria, 14th August, 1866.
au 15

N. C. MATTHIESSEN.

New Advertisements.



His Well Known and Old Established Stand

The Government st. Boot Store,

Has just received per steamer

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF Ladies' and Children's Shoes,

Which he offers at a very low price.

Receives by each steamer from England and

San Francisco

BOOTS & SHOES

OF THE

FINEST AND BEST QUALITY,

FRENCH LEATHER,

#### SHOE FINDINGS,

At prices to correspond with the times.

RED LION HOTEL

GOVERNMENT STREET.

THE ABOVE-NAMED HOTEL HAVING been opened by

JOE EDEN,

He will be happy to meet his friends on all occasions, an will furnish them with the best of Wines, Liquors, Ale, Porter, &c.,

and Cigars. BOARD AND LODGING PER DAY, ..... \$1.

Bagatelle and Skittles. Call and see the establishment. JOE presides and keeps order. au 10

NOTICE.

# Hard Bread! Hard Bread!

STORE ST. CRACKER BAKERY.

Best Quality of Pilot Bread at 6 1-2c per lb., or \$5 per box delivered. Navy at 5c per ib., or \$4 per box do. Butter at 9c per lb.

Soda at 9c per lb.

Wm. Moncks, Proprietor.

# J. Stratman.

# EMPIRE NEWS DEPOT

San Francisco. THE ADVERTISER is prepared to supply with punctuality and celerity the annexed newspapers and periodicals upon the following

Cor. Washington & Sansome sts.

terms All orders, to receive immediate atten-tion, must be accompanied by cash remittance, and handed in previous to the 4th, 14th, and 24th of each month. 

	" Weekly Times 7 00
	" Bell's Life in London
	• Weekly Dispatch
	" Iii. News of the World 14 00
	" Public Opinion 7 50
	Index (Free Trade)14 00
	" Ill. Sporting News 8 00
	" Spectator 14 00
	" Review 14 00
	" Saturday Review 14 00
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	London Illustrated News
	Atlant's Monthl
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	Harper's Magazine 3 00
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	Continental Magazine 5 00
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	Chambers' Edinburgh ournal
	Monthly papers, Once a Week 90
	All the Year Round 5 00
	Thackeray's Cornhill Magazine 00
	London Lancet
	Lendon Society Magazine
	St. James Magazine
	Edinburgh Review
	London Review
	North BritishReview
	Westminster Review
3	London Art Journal
	Miniar & Smelling Mag 10 00

Miscellaneous.

# EX FIDELITER

# HERMAN SHULTZ, A Choice Lot of Bacon Just Arrived.

For Sale by

P. Gilligan,

STORE STREET.

LUMBER

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF ROUGH A and dressed for sale cheap,
J. ROBERTSON STEWART. Victoria, V. I., 20th August, 1866.

# EXPRESS LINE STAGES.

THE COACHES OF THIS LINE W. L. now run regularly, leaving Yale, B. C on

Mondays.

Wednesdays,

And Fridays, AT 7, A. M., FOR SAVANA'S FERRY

(Big Bend Route), until the completion of the road, when they will go to Savana's Ferry.

The Coach for Cariboo will leave Yale on

F. J. BARNARD.

THE GREAT REMEDY OF THE AGE.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

The effect of the Ointment on the System To the very core and centre of all diseases which affect the human body, this remarkable which affect the human body, this remarkable preparation penetrates. It disappears under the friction of the hands, as sait disappears when rubbed upon meat. The unguent performs its healing errand rapidly, safely, and without pair. Simple cruptions, open sores, hard tumors, scrotulous developments of all kinds abcesses, cappears, old woones, and, in hard tumors, scrollious developments of all kinds, abcesses, cancers, old wonnes, and, in fact, every species of inflammation and sup-puration, whether in the skin, the flesh, the glands, or among the muscles, can be arresteb in its destructive course, and permanently cured without danger by rubbing in this ines-timable Cintment.

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts," Sores, and In many Hospitals in Europe this celebrated remedy is now used for the cure of old wounds, sores, and ulcers; in Spain and Portugal, and in many parts of Italy, the first Physicians reregularly prescribe its use. It is a sovereign remedy for bad breasts and bad legs; and like-wise for all skin diseases. It is to be found in the chest of nearly every sailor, soldier, and

emigrant.

Imprudencies of Youth; -Sores and Ulcers. The above class of complaints is surely re-noved by nightly fomenting the parts with warm water, and then by most effectually rub bing in this Ointment. Persons suffering from these direful complaints should lose not a moment in arresting their progress. It should be understood that it is not sufficient merely to smear the Ointment on the affected parts, but it must be well rubbed in for some considerable time two or three times a day, that it may be taken into the system, whence it will remov. only hidden sore or would as effectually athough it were palpable to the eye. Bread and water poultices, after the rubbing in of the Ointment, will do great service. This is the only proper treatment for females in cases ce General News Agent cancer in the stomach, or for those who suffer from a general bearing down.

Piles, Fistulas, Strictures. Blotches, as also swellings, can with certainty be radically cured if the Ointment be used freely, and the Pills be taken night and morning as recommended in the printed instructions. When treated in any other way these complaintably dry up in one place to break out in another; whereas this Ointment will remove the humor from the system, and leave the patien a vigorous and healthy being. It will require time, aided by the use of the Pills, to ensure

Diptheria, Bronchitis, Sore Throats, Any of the above class of diseases may be used by well rubbing the Cintment three simes a day upon the skin covering the throat, chest, and neck of the patient. The unguent will soon penetrate the pores and give immedate relief. To allay the fever and lessen the influence and return sight or ten Pille should be able to the property of the penetrate the pores. inflamation, eight or ten Pills should be taken night and merning. The Ointment will produce perspiration, which is so essential for removing fevers, sore throats, and those oppressions of the chest which arise from

Asthna, Bronchitis, and other causes. Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following Cases:

Bad Legs
Bad Breasts
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Pile of Moschetoes
and Band-Files
ooo-bay
Chiego-foot
Lings
Chapped Hands
Chapped Hands

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Sold at the Establishment of Professor Hollowa 244, Strand, (near Temple Bal), London; also by a respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines through aut the civilized world, at the following prices 1s, 134d 2, 9d, 4s 6d, 11s., 22, and 33s, each Pot.

\*\* There s a considerable saving by taking the larger izes.

N.B.—Directions for the guidance of Patients in ever disorder are adixed to each Pot.

# COMMERCIAL

VALUE OF EXPORTS Frem Victoria, V. I., to American Ports, For the Month ending August 31st, 1866.

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 Bottles
 7
 Oil, Fish Lines
 250

 Iron Snaftings
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 Porter, &c
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 Iron
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 Plaster Paris
 123

 Iron Hooping
 14
 Sugar, Rice, &c
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 To San Francisco......\$49,360 70

Total ......\$54,652 99

# COAL EXPORTS

From Nanaimo, V. I., during the month of August, 1866.

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PORT OF VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND ENTERED.

Sept 8-Sch Anne, Elvin, San Juan. CLEARED. .

Sept 8—Canoe, Hassard, Decator Island. Sch Eliza, Middleton, Saanich. Sch Gazelle, Nenovich, Sitka. Sch Codfish, Brunn, Barclay Sound.

### BIRTHS.

In this city, Sept. 7th, the wife of James Evans, Esq., of a son.

On the 5th inst,, at New Westminster, the wife of F. G. Claudet, Esq., of a son. In New Westminster, on the 4th instant, the wife of D. McCalloch, Esq., of a daughter.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTIONS.—The general elections are approaching in British Columbia, and great is the excitement among the aspirants for political honors. Mr. Fisher has declined to stand for New Westminster, and Dr. Black is out against Mr. Robson. The latter gentleman, as editor of the British Columbian, thus writes :- " No sooner was it known that Mr. Robson was to be a candidate than there was a perfect buzz of excitement in certain circles. Candidate after candidate was cerrain circles. Candidate after candidate was trotted out to oppose the People's Candidate; but they "gracefully came down,' like Crockett's coon, without a single shot being fired. Robson had only to level his piece at them. They could'nt stand the smell of powder! Next came the valiant Doctor Black as candidate number four! The Doctor appears less timid, or, possibly, lest modest, than his three predecessors. At all events he is still in the field, the only man, apparently, with pluck enough to break a lance with Mr. Robson."

EXTENT OF THE LATE MONETARY CRISIS .-A China paper says: It will be gratifying to the banks at home to learn that they are not alone in their distress. Three native banks of some repute have failed in Foochow, and drowned in the Fraser. of course occasioned the greatest distress among the native population. The cause of this crisis is not clear.

WEATHER IN THE INTERIOR .- The Columbian states that the thermometer, at Yale, on Thursday last, stood at 86°; at Soda Creek. same day and hour, 50°; at Quesnelle 63°; at Clinton, 73°.

THE MAIL STEAMER .- A private telegram from San Francisco announces that the steamer Active to sail for Victoria yesterday morning, at 10 o'clock.

Towsd Our .- The schooner Fannie Hare was towed out of the harbor for Nanaimo, by the Emily Harris, yesterday morning.

LAID UP .- The steamer Alexandra went up to Langley on Friday, to be laid up in fresh

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

A meeting of the Board of Delegates with the committees from the various companies was held last night in the Deluge Engine House. Twenty-seven members were present. Communications from the different companies in regard to the present state of the finances of the Department were read.

To the letter from the Colonial Secretary to the Chief Engineer, announcing that the Covernment could not appropriate any money to the support of the Department,

Mr. Wm. Wilson, committee-man from the 106. Deluge Engine Company, moved the following

To the Hon. Cotonial Secretary he reby acknowledge the receipt of your com-To the Hon. Colonial Secretary-Sir-We our application of the 31st instant in reply to our application for aid to the Fire Department of the City of Victoria, informing us that the Governor sees no probability whatever of any sums being available this year for the support of the Fire Department out of the public

Treasury:

The Fire Department whilst it appreciates the "extreme regrets" expressed by His Excellency, cannot but deplore the action of the Legislative Council, by which the laudable efforts of the House of Assembly to reduce the expenses of Government in accordance with the condition of the colony have been frustalled and the existence of the Fire Department of the condition of the colony have been frustalled and the existence of the Fire Department. trated, and the existence of the Fire Department seriously imperilled.—Carried.

The following preamble and resolutions were thenadepted:

Whereas, The Victoria Fire Department have been informed by the hon, the Colonial Secretary that they cannot expect any assistance from the Government the present year; And whereas the several Companies of the Department have been advancing their private funds to keep up the current expenses of the Department in the faith of receiving the appropriation voted in the Estimates for this Department by the Colonial Legislature; And whereas, Unless such aid is immediately given the members composing the Fire Department will have to support their organization by an additional tax on their own funds or else disband: Be it therefore

Resolved. 1st -That the Board of Delegates and Committees when assembled appoint a Committee to wait on His Excellency and request that some guarantee be given the Department that the amount now due since January, 1866, and the amount required to meet the several Companies' actual expenses from the present time until the voing of the Estimates by the next Legislative Assembly,

will be placed in the Estimates.

Resolved. 2d—That the Board of Delegates after obtaining such guarantee be requested to appoint a Comm tree to wait on the Insur-

to appoint a Comm tree to wait on the Insurance Agents and makearrangements to obtain advances to cefray our expenses, and that they be repaid out of the first moneys voted in aid of the Fire Department.

Resolved. 3d.—That is case the Governor refuses to give the requisite guarantee of the Department, that the above mentioned Committee wait on the several Insurance Offices and the public at large and solicit subscriptions for the support of the Fire Department.

That we, as representatives assembled by order of our respective ompanies, pledge ourselves, in compliance with their wishes, to continue in service and to use all hon-

to continue in service and to use all honorable means to maintain our organization intact, to render our services on all occasions, and when duty calls to respond by our pres-

The President of the Board appointed the Chief Engineer and the President and Secre. tary of the Board of Delegates a committee to act in accordance with the resolutions, and the meeting adjourned till Wednesday evening next.

pondent of the North China News sends an interesting account of the progress of the tea market at that port, but the large transactions which he reports, at rates so high as thirty-seven and a-half taels, bode ill for the thirty-seven and a-half tacls, bode ill for the purchasers. Taking into consideration the present monetary difficulties, it can hardly be hoped that sufficiently high prices will be given for the new teas to cover the rates paid. Shanghai may here again congratulate itself that intelligence of English commercial difficulties arrived in time to prevent large investments at similarly high rates.—Letter from China.

FIRES IN NEW WESTMINSTER .- Two fires oc-'clock, in the shed on Liverpool wharf, among some hay, but was speedily extinguished by the firemen. No damage was done save to the hay and to some telegraph immediate y after first fire was put out, another broke out in the stables belonging to Mr. Moody, Merivale street, which were soon burnt to the ground, it being impossible to get the fire-engine near the spot. The firemen, however, managed to prevent the flames from spread ing. The loss was small.

to state that there will be no service in the Pre-byterian church, Pandora street, this morning. Divine service will be held in the church at half-past six o'clock in the evening, when Rev. E. White of New Westminster will preach, having sindly consented to sup-ply the place of Rev. D. Duff, the latter gen-temen bei g prevent d from being present by having to preach the funeral sermon on the child of the late Mr. McMicking, recently

AN ISOLATED CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY -Late China n ws says the British ship Fire Queen, which arrived from Adelaide, re orts having visited Raven Island, one of the Caroline (New Philipine) group. The inhabitants, who do not number more than seventy, are Christians, and can read and write English. A foreign ship had not approached the island for two yegrs, and the Fire Queen was there-fore eagerly welcomed. The only trade is in tortoise-shell and beche-le mer, and is carried on with the neighboring groups

THE RIFLE MATCH - The competition between the 20 best rifle shots of the Volunteers terminated to-day. The following members will represent the Corps at the coming match with the Fleet:—Corporal Peele, Private Allsop, Corporal Englehardt, Private Soar, Sergeant Woollacott, Private John Wilson, Private Newbury, Sergeant Neustadt, Lieut. Vinter, Lieut. Pearse.

### TELEGRAPHIC.

#### California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 5 .-- Warren Eldridge, for several years clerk in the Collection Department of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, has been arrested on a charge of embezzling \$4,000 from his employers. He had always had their confidence and been regarded as an honest, faithful clerk, until the spirit of

stock gambling took possession of hm. Gold in New York, 1461, Sterling,

Sailed, 5th-British ship Vortigern, Port Angelos; bark Carlotta, Puget Sound; bark Charles Devens, Puget Sound; brig Sheet Anchor, Puget Sound; steamer Orizaba, Portland.

The total vote polled to-day is about 20,000. The Union party will gain a decided victory with the exception of three out of seven. Supervi or Fairman, independent candidate, beat Brannan 140 votes in the Third ward. The working of the registry law gives general satisfaction to all Union men.

#### Europe.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 6.—The steamship Moravian, which sailed to-day for Que— CONVENT SCHOOL bec, took over 200 British regulars for services in Canda.

London, Aug 6 -In the Admiralty Court to day, an appeal was made by the counsel of defendants for release of the seven ex rebel blockade runner steamers seized at Liverpool some weeks ago. The Judge decided that the U. S. Minister Adams, or the U.S. Consul at Liverpool be required to file written authority for their prosecution.

London, Sept 6 .- Noon-The Bank of England to day reducea its rate of discount to 5 per cent. Consols better, the figure at noon to-day is 894, 5 20's 73.

Paris, Sept 6 .- Various diplomatic changes are expected immediately.

FLORENCE, Sept 6 .- The cholera is making sad ravages in Italy.

#### California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 6.—Sailed— Bur Cambridge, Tahiti ; Hamburg bark Bertha, Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept 7 .- Following

and bullion for next steamer promises to be moderate. Coin drafts on Atlantic cities, 21

Telegraphic transfers 51 per cent., sterling Arrived-Bark W. H. Gawley, 13 days from Port Madison.

#### Sailed-Hamburg ship A. H. Wyllie, Eastern.

Liverpool.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6-The ceremonies of THE TEA MARKET .- The Foochow corres- laying the corner stone of the Douglas monument to-day were most impressive, and were accompanied by a most enthusiastic ovation to President Johnson, After the stone had been laid by the President, General Dix delivered an oration on the life and character of Douglass, concluding with his last words, 'Tell them to obey the laws and support the Constitution of the United States.

SECURE A HOMESTEAD-We call attention to the large sale of real estate advertised by J. P. Davies & Co. this morning. Property now must have reached its lowest ebb, and parties curred in New Westminster on Thursday investing a few hundred dollars at present night last. The first broke out about twelve can har ly fail to reap a handsome reward in a very few years.

> BASE BALL-The preliminary game was played yesterday afternoon on Beacon Hill with very satisfactory results. A meeting for the election of officers will take place on Wednesday evening, at the Turn Verein Hall, when those wishing to join the club had better attend.

HONORARY FIREMEN .- Capts. Irving and Fleming were elected honorary members of PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.-We are requested the Hyack fire company, New Westminster, last week.

> SALE OF A STEAMER .- The steamer Henrietta, recently the property of Mr. Dodge, was sold at New Westminster on Wednesday last, for \$1,000, to Capt. Flem ng.

> INDIAN VOTES. - The Columbian denies the statement of the Chronicle that Indians are to be allowed to vote at the general election in British Columbia.

> BASE BALL playing and amateur dramatics are all the rage in Shanghai at present according to the latest news.

Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Co. (LIMITED.)

## Notice of Assessment.

A T A MEETING OF DIRECTORS OF THE above Company held this day the following resolution was passed :-

"That an Assessment of Sixpence sterling per hare on A shares be now made, payable to the secretary at the office of the Company, on or before the 29th in-t., between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P.M. daily." J. S. WILLIS,

Corner Broad and Trounce sts. } Secretary. September 6th, 1866.

New Advertisements.

# ALICE BROWN'S The

FANCY TWIST

#### SMOKING TOBACCO

JUST RECEIVED AT

# A. F. KEYSER'S.

### Logether with some fine

HAVANA CIGARS DIRECT.

Wine Sap. Peach, Apricot. Mary's Own, Light Pressed, Natural Leaf, Buffalo Tongue, and Atlantic Cable Tobacco.

Also on hand

JUST RECEIVED PER BARK RIVAL A Fine Assortment of

Meerschaum Pipes. Call and examine.

St. Ann's

RE-OPENS

Monday, Sept. 3. 1866.

# Alhambra BILLIARD SALOON

CORNER GOVERNMENT AND YATES SES. UP-STAIRS

Entrance on Yates Street.

# WILLIAM LYONS.

SHIPPING

- AND-

Commission Agent, On the Corner of

Wharf and Johnson Streets.

#### Everett's Exchange, STORE STREET, V. I.

HE PROPRIETOR RESPECTFULLY IN-A forms his friends and the public t at he has open d his old stand in Store street, where he will keep as before the finest quality of he will keep as before the finest WINES, LIQUORS, and CIGARS.

Come and see. se 3-1m PAT. EVERETT, Proprietor.

# HAVANA CIGARS.

# LEWIN & ANTHONY,

TOBACCONISTS.

47 Yates St., Brick Store Next to Corner of Government St.,

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND to e public in general that they will constantly receive by every steamer a good assortment of Genuine flavana figure and the Best Brands of Tobacco, imported direct for this market, so that they are able to compete with any house on this Island, either Wholesale or Retail,

N. B.—Special attention will be paid to

HEIMAN LEWIN. | LOUIS ANTHONY

# A. & W. WILSON, House and Ship Plumbers

# CASFITTERS. BELL-HANGERS & TINSMITHS

FORT STREET

All orders promptly attended to

ARRIVAT. OF ANOTHER CARGO FROM

Virginia & Cuba,

VIA 'ASPINWALL, Of the Most Celebrated Brands of

TOBACCO & SEGARS

## EVER IMPORTED

Samples can be had at the "ADELPHI,"

corner Yates and Government streets.

# Arrival of a few more Plants by the "California."

Office of C. F. Green's Victoria and Esquimalt Express. F. CAMPBELL.

ADELPHI SEGAR STORE

# NOTICE.

MR. WM. WILSON HOLDS A POWER of Attorney from and will attend to the business of J. H. Turner & Co. during my absence from Victoria. J. H. TURNER, Victoria, August 27, 1866.

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New Advertisements.

OPPOSITE THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

For a glass of choice liquor go to the

"Grotto,"
There "NONE BUT THE BEST" you will find is the motto.

Mint Juleps, Sherry Cobblers-everything cooling; Come ye that do thirst, you will find its

no fooling. .

# Jesse Cowper,

Wholesale and Retail Desier in

#### SHOE FINDINGS.

YATES STREET, OPPOSITE WELLS, FARGO & Ca

At the old stand of Webster & Co., ts prepared to supply the wants of the public in his line.

# The Latest Styles

Received by every arrival from England

In the Court of Bankruptcy of the Colony of Vancouver Island Saturday, the 1st day of Sept., A.D. 1866.

Saturday, the 1st day of Sept., A.D. 1866.

WHEREAS, A PETITION FOR ADJUDIcation of Bankrupicy, bearing date the
31st day of August inst., has been duly filed
by Paris Carter, of Fort street, in the City of
Victoria, Collector of debts, and he having
been declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required
to surrender himself to His Honor Joseph
Needham, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court
of Bankrupicy aforesaid, on Wednesday the of Bankruptcy aforesaid, on Wedne-day the 19th day of September next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, James Bav, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debte, and at the first sitting to choose asserted as a decommend the sitting to choose assigness and commence the examination of the Backrupt, and at the last sitting the Bankrupt is to finish his last ex-

amination.
All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay the same but to Mr. W. R. H. Adamson of Government street, the Official Assignee appointed, and give notice to

JOHN COPLAND,
Solicitor, Bastion street, Victoria.

# CARRIAGE PAINTING

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

Wates Street,

Between Deluge Engine House and the International Hotel.

Work solicited, and done on the most W. M. KEOHAN.

Eporborg & Rueff, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, Boots and Shoes

Wharf street, Victoria, V. 1. The Colonial Market.

> JOHNSON STREET, (OPPOSITE ORIENTAL ALLEY,) Will be re-opened on

# Saturday, August 4th,

The market will be constantly sup-lied with the best quality of articles required for the family table. Frash supplies received

# REMOVAL.

DR. POWELL HAS REMOVED HIS D Surgery and Residence to the corner of DOUGLAS AND BROUGHTON STREETS

OFFICE Hours-9 A. M. to 12 M., and 8 au 26 August 23.

### RE-OPENING

-OF THE-

# UNDER THE MANAGEMENT OF MES. QUARLES.

THIS MOST FAVORITE AND FASHIONable place of amusement having been entirely re-decerated will re-open This Evening at 9 o'clock. Mr. Ned Reed, the famous Banjo Player will be in attendance to amuse visitors with his minstrel Songs. At the Bar the best of case Liquors and Havana Cigars, will be dispussed. will be dispensed.

Open every Evening at 9 o'clock, admission free. au24

## OUR FUTURE PROSPECTS.

A little while ago it was absolutely dangerous for anyone in Victoria to say or predict anything of the country that did not tend to raise the price of real estate. The truth was not to be told, unless one was willing to risk being called a "croaker" or something even more invidious. It is needless to say that the day of sliams has passed away, and that the truth, however unpalatable. must be told. No fiction will keep men long in any country, because nature has fortunately or unfortunately ordained that men cannot live on air. If real estate is to rise, we must have population, and if we are to have population we must have employment for those who are willing and able to work. All the theories in the world cannot overturn these two positions. But what are the prospects of an increase to our population? What is the chance of employment to the immigrant? We think we are safe in saying that as things present themselves no satisfactory answer can be given to the one query more than the other. There is no hope of an immigration and no hope of employment to either the skilled or unskilled workman There is really nothing before the country, and we say it advisedly, but ruin, hopeless rain, unless the inhabitants look for relief in a very different quarter from that which has hitherto engrossed their attention. We do not wish to underrate the mineral resources of the neighboring colony, but we ask the merchant and the property owner of Victoria if a thousand actual miners, and we do not believe Cariboo can at this moment boast of more, are going to support four or five thousand people in Victoria as well as the numerous settlements on the Fraser? The thing is surely beyond all reasonable anticipation; and yet it is on this small resource the people of both colonies are principally depending.

There are in all countries two classesthe producer and the distributer of commodities. In Vancouver Island the lat ter is almost entirely dependent on the former; for the foreign exports of the Island are a mere fraction of the commerce or trade of the country. On Cariboo, as we have said, the people of both colonies are really depending, and the result is failure. Nothing can possibly prevent it. So long as a colony relies on a precarious source of wealth-on a thing that will employ five or six thousand men one season and only one thousand men the next, it is certain to meet some day with the most decided collapse Had we mines extensive enough, like California, to employ one or two hundred thousand men, we might have some sort of an excuse for resting our prosperity on a throw of the mining dice; but we have not. The productive population of British Columbia to day is not sufficient to give profitable employment to two thousand people. The bubble now is at its bursting point, and it is this fact, long foreseen, that has tended so much to destroy publie confidence in the country.

We do not wish to add to popular dejection or discontent. It is rather with a view to turn the public mind from the unprofitable channel in which it has been so long directed to one that will not only lift us out of our difficulties, but place us on the high road of prosperity that we speak thus, it may be disparagingly, of the gold mining interest. It is needless to recur to the value and dis versity of those resources which are at our very doors. Every one is aware of them. Like Tantalus, however, our very proximity to that which we desire only Deluge Engine Company makes our inability to take advantage of it the more galling. With almost everything a country could wish-with a fertile soil, a magnificent climate, coal, iron, copper, lumber and fisheries inexhaustible. we are steadily going to decay; and all because we have the misforture to be treated by our American neighbors as foreigners. Let the heavy duties, which at present meet our productions in American ports, be removed, and, providing we have a civilized Government in the colony, no place on the Pacific coast would be more prosperous than this Vancouver Island. Population would immediately flow into the country, real estate would quadruple its value in less than six months; and the clang and hum of industry would resound from every

part of the coast. The only question for the people to consider is-can these two things be obtained? Can Vanconver Island gain those privileges, commercial and political, which are so rapidly building up the Pacific portions of the American Republic. We think she can. We are indeed firmly convinced if the inhabitants go vigorously and unitedly to work, they will find but few obstacles in their pathway. The matter is all-important to every person who has an interest in the country; for as things go at present, with the most mischievous mismanagement in the Government, and a decline, which promises to continue, in the population, there is nothing before us but a total collapse. Before our condition reaches that point which destroys hope in the breasts of even the most sanguine, let the population come forward and devise means to retriev past. We have said the thing is feasible, and we are prepared to prove it-nay, more, we are prepared to show that by following out a certain line of action, we shall obtain every advantage we desire before the termination of the ensuing session of the British Parliament. On the one hand stands ertain ruin; on the other unexampled prosperity—the destiny of the country lies in the people's hands.

New Advertisements.

#### First Presbyterian Church.

There will be no Service in the First Presbyterian Church this morning.

Divine Service will be held in the Church in the evening at half-past six o'clock, when Rev. E. White, of New Westminster, will conduct the

> By order of the MANAGING COMMITTEE.

#### First Presbyterian Church

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL IN CONnection with the First Presbyterian Church will meet as usual in the Church, Pandora Street, on SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

> FOR SALE,



A GOOD MARE (IN FOAL), WITH YEAR-ling colt by her side. Will work in single or double harness. Apply at the

Office of the Evening Telegraph, LANGLEY STREET.

## NOTICE

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

In Bankruptcy. In the matter of John Joseph Mecredy, a

Bankrupt. MEETING OF CREDITORS OF THE above bankrupt will be held at the office A above bankrupt will be held at the office of Mr. John Copland, Solicitor, Bastion street, Victoria, on Tuesday the 11th day of September proximo, at 4 o'clock p. m., to resolve that the offer made in Court of this date for the winding up of the estate under arrangement of composition shall be carried out, and also that application be made to the Court to stay proceedings in bankruptcy.

Dated this 29th day of August, A.D. 1866. JOHN COPLAND, Solicitor to Creditors' Assignees, Bastion street.

Notice of Postponement.

The above meeting is unavoidably post-poned to Tuesday, the 18th instant, at the same place and hour.

JOHN COPLAND,

Solicitor to Creditors' Assignees, Bastion street.

# UNANIMOUS NUMINATION!

Assistant Engineer,

T. J. BURNES.

NOTICE.

MARTIN BROS. IMPORTERS OF

Groceries and Provisions, DOUGAL'S FIREPROOF BUILDING,

LATELY OCCUPIED BY L'HOTELIER & Co, WHARF STREET.

New Advertisements

# P. DAVIES &

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION MICE CHANTS. Salesroom, Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street, near Yates.

Cash Advances made on Consignments.

# AUCTION.

# WEDNESDAY

We are instructed by

# MR. NATHAN SOLOMON

TO SELL THE

## Balance of his Stock

AT SALESROOM

WHARF STREET,

# Wednesday, Sept. 12,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

#### COMPRISING:

Coats, Vests and Pants Undershirts and Drawers Neck Ties, Socks, Gloves Carpet Bags, Hats and Caps Children's Clothing, etc., etc Blue, White, Green, Red and Grey Blankets

> J. P. DAVIES, & CO., Auctioneers.

# MORTGAGEE SALE.

# THURSDAY.

#### Estate! Real

LOTS! CORNER

Dwelling!

# HOMESTEAD LOTS

Thursday, Sept. 13,

We are instructed by the Mortgagee to sell

# At Salesroom,

WHARF STREET,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

SIXTY

SIXTY-FOURTH PARTS

-OF THE-

SIDE-WHEEL STEAMER

# CARIBOO,

As she now lies off

## FOUNDRY.

Together with all the Machinery, Rigging, &c., on Board.

J. P. Davies & Co., -Continued.

#### DIMENSIONS:

Length 125 feet, more or less; breadth of beam 22 feet, more or less; depth of hold, from tonnage deck, 6 feet; tonnage under tonnage deck 75 tons. The steamer has recently been thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

> For further particulars apply to JOHN GLASSEY. Officer in possession, Or to ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor to Mortgagee.

> > -ALSO-

A FIRST-CLASS

# HOMESTEAD PROPERTY

Seven and a Quarter Acres. Lots 58, 59, and 60, Victoria District,

with Dwelling House, etc. TERMS AT SALE.

By Order of Mr. Geo. Mason

--ALSO---

# Corner Lot,

ALL THAT piece or parcel of Land, situate on the corner of Pandora and Quadra streets, in the town of Victoria, V.1., and known on the Official Map of the same as Lot 1 (1), being subdivision of 5-acre lot X, having a frontage of sixty-five (65) feet on Pandora street, property of J. G. Shepherd, Esq. thence one hundred and sixty (160) frontage on Quadra; thence sixty-five (65) feet on Mason street ; making three frontages on this desirable piece of first class city property.

LOT 2-Adjoining lot one, subdivision of 5 acre lot X, having a frontage on Mason and Pandora streets each of fiftyfour (54) feet, by a depth of one hundred and sixty (160) feet.

LOT 3-Adjoining lot 2, subdivision of 5 acre lot X, with frontages on Pandora and Mason streets of fifty-three (53) feet by a depth of one bundred and sixty (160) feet.

LOTS 1, 2 and 3 are under a good picket fence, and will be sold to sait pur-

### Brick Dwelling House

ALL THAT certain piece or parcel of land situate on Pandora street, and known Steamer Cariboo and the Official Map of the town as lot four (4), adjoining lot 3, in subdivision of 5 acre lot X, with frontages on Pandora and Mason streets of fifty-three (53) feet by a depth of one hundred and sixty (160) feet, together with all the improvements two story modern Brick Dwelling House, erected by Mr. Mason for a family residence, the interior being finished with due regard to durability as well as convenience and elegance; the ground floor has double Parlors, with sliding doors, handsome Parlor Grates, large Hall, large Dining Fruits, APPLE, PEAR, PLUM and and attend the sale. CHERRY TREES, RED, BLACK and WHITE CURRANTS. In the rear of the building is a never-failing well of pure spring water, also the usual outhouses.

#### Corner Lot.

That well situated piece or parcel of land on the corner of Mason and Quadra streets, having a frontage on Mason of sixty-five (65) feet, by a depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet on Quadra, being subdivision of 5 acre lot X, and known on the Town Map as Lot Twelve (12).

Lot 13, adjoining Lot 12, having a frontage on Mason street of fifty-eight (58) feet by a depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet, together with the one story building thereon, being subdivision of 5 aere lot X.

Lot 14, having a frontage of fifty-eight (58) feet on Mason street, by a depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet, being subdivision of 5 acre lot X.

Lot 15, adjoining lot 14, having a frontage of fifty-eight (58) feet on Mason street, by a depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet, together with the im- Between Fort and Broughton.

J. P. Davies & Co.,-Continued.

provements thereon, which consist of the Verandah four-roomed Cottage House, handsomely papered, containing brick chimneys and grates. The building is surrounded with flower, fruit and vegetable Gardens, and a most substantial picket

Lots 16, 17, and 18, same as lot 14, under a good picket fence.

Lot 21, same as lot 14.

#### Corner Lot.

Lot 22, having a frontage on Mason street of (58) feet by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet, facing the St. Louis College, being subdivision of 5 acre Lct

Maps of the property can be seen et our salesroom.

TERMS-25 per cent. to be paid at the fall of the hammer; 25 per cent as soon as the deeds are ready; the balance of the purchase money can remain on interest at 12 per cent per annum.

The sale of this Property should command the attention of all who wish to secure fine Homestead locations. Pandora is the widest street in the Colony, and the elevation secures perfect drainage. The easy terms of the sale should be taken advantage of by those who are inclined to make investments, which in a. few years no doubt will realize fortunes.

-ALSO-

A Block of four Lots, having a frontage on Beacon Hill Park, adjoining the

ALSO, AT THE SAME TIME

## By Order of the Mortgagee,

ALL THAT certain piece or parcel of: land in the City of Victoria, V. I., and known on the Official Map of the same, as section (20) Twenty, subdivision of the Spring Ridge property, situate on the corner of Johnson street, and containing one acre 52-1000ths parts, more or less, together with all the improvements thereon, which comprise the large sized two story dwelling House, surrounded with large Verandah and Balcony. On the ground floor are 4 good siz d Rooms, with handsome parlor Grates, large Kitchen and Hall ; the Upper Story has twolarge Bed Rooms, the whole being Lathed and Plastered throughout. Adjoining the main Building, are 2 Bed Rooms and Store Room; in the rear is a. servant's room; also, a first class and never failing Well of pure Spring Water; connected with the dwelling by Pipes and Taps is a Reservoir, which is supplied at all seasons of the year by a large Force Pump. The residence has a commanding City Property, Brick thereon, which consist of the well built view of the Town and Surrounding scenery. The whole of this valuable Property is enclosed with a first class fence, and is rented at the very low rental of twenty dollars per month to Mr. Hutchinson, Butcher, of Wharf Street, a permanent tenant.

We call the attention of searchers Room and Kitchen; up stairs are three for investments to the above sale. The good sized Bedrooms, with the usual Property is really desirable, and presents closets and handsome parlor grates in each an opportunity for persons of moderate room. The grounds are tastefully laid means to procure eligible Homestead out, with a Garden of choice Flowers and lots at a small outlay. See the property

ACTS OF SALE AT BUYERS' EXPENSE.

J. P. Davies & Co.,

Auctioneers. THE PIONEER

# CE CREAM.

# PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL,

IS AGAIN IN THE FIELD.

THE PROPRIETOR IS PREPARED TO supply, as usual, his customers, parties, balls, etc., at moderate rates.

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL, Store street.

#### WITS. Hein

TEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE K latest fashions in

## MILLINERY,

Prices to Suit the Times, GOVERNMENT STREET

CHAS. F. BARNARD, M.D.,

SURGICAL & MECHANICAL

DENTIST

Fort street, one door east of Government, Victoria, V.I.

Dr. B. hereby tenders his grateful acknow-ledgments to the citizens of Victoria for their liberal patronage thus far, and hopes by gen-tlemarly conduct and strict application to business to merit a further continuance of

CHINESE WEDDING; -The following account, given by a traveller some years since, will be especially intresting, being the first time the marriage rite was solemnised by an English clergyman in an English chapel. The groom was a graduate of an English missionary school, and in addition to conforming to the customs of his country, desired to be married in the Christian fashion. Every point had been explained and interpreted to the parties, which they seemed fully to appreciate:-The nuptial procession was beaded by a band that discoursed anything but music to my ears; then came the sedans and boxes containing the marriage feast, all of them painted red, and their bearers wearing red jackets. In this train of luxuries were a cozen eggs roasted whole, a goat also roasted, and so arranged that its head was constantly nodding. Following these wore members of the family, before whom strutted the groom. Then came an old man, bearing a huge umbrella to protect the bride when she enters and leaves her sedan; behind him came boys bearing lanterns and banners; then the trays, displaying the bridal trosseau, and lastly, an elegant red sedan chair, in which was the bride. Usually she is locked in by some relative, and the bridegroom sees his wife for the first time upon reaching his own house; but this one soon entered the church in company with the groom and attendant ladies. She was dressed in red crape, Chinese style, and a veil of the same material concealed her features. Very pretty embroidered shoes covered her little feet, and her hair was elaborately ornamented. The service, which was performed in the Chinese language, was solemn and imposing. Impediately after the knot was tied the mediately after the knot was tied, the bride was conducted to her sedan, and taken to her husband's house, who re-ceived her with the attention becoming her position; he presently took off the red veil, and in accordance with Chinese customs, they pledged each other in wine, the cups being joined by a thread, as an emblem of constancy, and this ceremonial was ended by the newly-wedded pair worshipping their ancestral tablets, and saluting the members of their family. The band struck up, and the assembled guests, the men in one apartment, the women in another, sat down to the marriage feast.

THE BEAUTIES OF VALENCIA .- The Calls de la Constitucion is one of the central streets that run from the Gran' Plaza at Valencia, as straight as a die, on and on, till the houses begin to be interpolated with gardens and orchards, and at last cease altogether, and one finds oneself in the green valley which bounds Valencia to the east. At the opposite or south-western angle of the Plaza there is another long straight street, which runs on till it merges in the road to Nagua. The houses in each of these streets near the square are large and fashionable, and they grow smaller and smaller as one approaches the outskirts of the town. It was not, however, the houses that interested us; for, indeed, nothing can be uglier or less attractive than the outside of a Venezuelan attractive than the outside of a Venezuelan house, with its low one-story-bigh facade of plain brick. But at this hour every window was open, and in every window sat the ladies of the house, some lovely, all more or less good looking, for the plain and antiquated keep in the back-on these occasions. "I always wonder,' said I to Hayward "what become of the men at this time of day at Valencia. It may be true, as I have heard said, that may be true, as I have heard said, that there are five women in the place to one man; but still, what becomes of that one? He is nowhere to be seen. Whether it is that the men are riding, or walking, or con gregating to smoke, I know not; but whatever the reason, the fact remains that the women are left all alone, and can indulge in any amount of flirtation they like.

Weak Stomach, Now mark me, the white Creoles live at this end of the street, near the Plaza; lower down we shall come to the triguenas, or 'brunettes;' and beyond these we shall find mulatoes and mestizas, and we shall fluish up with some beauties of a down-right black, who are not so much to be despised as you would imagine."— Dicken's "All the Year Round."

"In" AND "OUT" OFFICE.—It is often observed that the Princes of Wales are sure to be Whigs and to turn Tories when they succeed to the crown, and the example of George IV, is always adduced as a case in point. But in the days of Walpole and Pelham, though Whigs and Tories held, on the whole, the same principles as they do now, their relative positions were totally different. If any class could be called disaffected and revolutionary, it was that of the Tory squires and Tory members of Parliament. If any party formed the bulwark of the throne, the reigning dynasty and the cabinet, it was that of the Whigs, who voted on the hustings that they never had been, and never would be, "patriots.' Each suffered a strange metamorphosis: the Tory ranged himself in the Opposition ranks, full of factious spleen, with the language of a demagogue on his lips; while the Whigs from the Treasury benches; lectured on the royal prerogatives, and the duty of submission to the powers that be, in terms that might have suited a supporter of Strafford or a non-juring divine.—"English Premiers, in The

A hungry man is unmanageable. To be docile, he must, like a horse, have first had a bit in his mouth.

NOTICE !! NOTICE!

FROM THIS DATE THE UNDERSIGNED has concluded to reduce his price ONE-HALF; and hereafter the

# FINEST WINES AND LIQUORS.

ALE, BEER, &c., &c., Will be served at the

## "METROPOLITAN"

At TWELVE AND A HALF CENTS per sample.

The public will please call and sample, and satisfy themselves that the very best is to be had at the above price.

T. J. BURNS, Metropolitan Saloon, Store street.

#### NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

#### IN BANKRUFTCY,

Friday the 24th day of August, A.D. 1866. WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADJUDIcation of Bankruptey, bearing date the
24th day of August instant, has been duly
filed by Charles Dupond, of Cadboro Bay
Road, Victoria District, farmer, and he having
been declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required
to surrender himself to His Honor Joseph
Neeham, Chief Justice of the Supreme
Court of Civil Justice of Vancouver Island,
aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 5th day of
September next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.
precisely, at the Court House, James Bay. precisely, at the Court House, James Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and at the first sitting to choose Assignees and commence the exami-

prove their debts and at the first sitting to choose Assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt, and at the last sitting the Bankrupt is to finish his last examination. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to David Lindsay, of Government street, the Official Assignee appointed, and give notice to

ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor, au26

Bastion Street, Victoria.

#### Relief for the Afflicted.

THE INTRODUCTION OF

Perry Davis'

# Vegetable Pain Killer

be named.

IT IS AN

# Invaluable Remedy.

Our first Physicians use it, and recommend its use; the Apothecary finds it first among the medicines called for, and the wholesale Druggist considers it a leading article of his trade. All the dealers in medicine speak alike in its fa-vor; and its

reputation as a medicine of great merit and virtue is fully and perma-nently established, and it is the great

## Family Medicine of the Age.

Every Volunteer should have a bottle, in case of sudden attacks of Disease

Taken Internally, cures

Weak Stomach, General Debility, Nursing Sore Month, Canker, Liver Complaint,

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Cramp and pain in the Stomach, Bowel Complaint, Painters' Colic.

Asiatic Cholera, Diarhoea and Dysentery.

Taken externally cures Felons, Boils, and Old Sores, Severe Burns and Scalds. Cuts, Bruises and Sprains, Swelling of the Joints. Ringworm and Tetter, Broken Breasts, Frosted Feet and Chilblains,

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