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A North Pole Story.

A FACT.

Up where the world grows cold
Under the sharp north star,
The wrinkled ice is very old,
And the life of man is far;
None to see when the fog falls white,
And none to shiver and hear
How wild the bears are in the night
Which lasts for half a year.

The wind may blow as it will,
But it cannot shake a tree,
Nor stir the waves which lie so still—
It is the corpse of a sea!
The sun comes out over flowerless strands
Where only ice-tears flow,
When the pale north weeps for sweet woodlands,
Which she must never know.

Earth speaks with awful lips—
"No place for man is here!
Between my bergs I'll crush your ships
If you will come too near:
You shall be slain by bitter wind,
Or starved on barren shore,
My cruel snow shall strike you blind;
Go trouble me no more!"

But British men are fain
To venture on and through,
And when you tell them to refrain,
They set themselves to do;
Into the secrets of the snow
With steps unshamed they press,
And answer nature's coldest "No,"
With a great shout of "Yes."

It was a little band
Went on that dangerous track,
To do a message from our land
And to bring an answer back;
The frost had bound their good ship tight,
And years were come and gone,
When a few brave hearts, as best they might,
Went over the shores alone.

And as one strode so bold,
He saw a sight of fear—
Nine white wolves came over the wold,
And they were watching a deer;
By three and by two and by one
A cunning half-moon they made,
They glanced at each other and did not run,
But crept like creatures afraid.

They knew what they were about,
And the poor thing knew it too,
It turned its head like a child in doubt,
And shrank and backward drew;
But whether it looked to left or right
It met a savage eye,
And the man stood still and saw the sight,
And felt that it must die.

Backward, trembling and fast,
And onward, crafty and slow,
And over the cliff's sheer edge at last,
And crash on the ice below;
But then with a whirl and a plunge and a whoop,
The wolves are down the hill;
They break their ranks, that wise white troop,
When it is time to kill.

And days and nights went past,
And the men grew weary and pale,
Scanty food and freezing blast,
And hearts beginning to fail!
The wanderer knew his steps were slow,
And his eyes were languid and dim,
When nine white wolves came over the snow,
And they were watching—him.

He saw them gather and glance,
And he remembered the deer!
He saw them frame their cunning advance,
And he felt a little fear!
But never a hair's breadth did he swerve,
Nor lower his looks a whit.
But he faced the cruel scimetar-curve,
And then—walked up to it!

There is never a beast so strong
As to bear a brave man's eye!
They crouched; they looked as if nothing was wrong,
And then they turned to fly.
The man stood still and drew his breath,
When he saw the scattering ranks;
He had been face to face with death:
I hope he uttered thanks.

There's a fireside far away,
A little anxious now,
Where a man shall sit one joyful day,
And tell of the world of snow;
And tell of the wolves who sup so grim,
And leave no bone behind;
And how they meant to sup on him,
But looked and changed their mind!

M. B. S., in Aunt Judy's Magazine.

A BAD BUSINESS.—'What business does your husband follow?' asked a person who was engaged in noting the occupations of citizens, of a woman. 'Why, sir,' she replied, 'he follows drinking rum.' The canvasser at once entered opposite his name *gentleman*.

Municipal

By-Law to Regulate the Sanitary Condition of the City.

BY-LAW.

We, the Mayor and Councillors in Council convened, by virtue of the power and authority vested in us by An Act to Incorporate the City of Victoria, passed the second day of August, A.D. 1862, in the Twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, entituled, "The Victoria Incorporation Act, 1862," hereby enact as follows:—

I. No person or persons occupying any Messuage, Shop, Building or other Erection, or any Land or other Premises within the city, or if there shall be no occupier thereof, no owner or owners of any Messuage, Shop, Building or other Erection, or any Land or other Premises within the City, shall have or permit or suffer to be in or on his, her or their Messuage, Shop, Building or Erection, or any Land or other Premises as aforesaid, any ditch, gutter, drain, privy or ash-pit emitting noxious or offensive effluvium or smell, or constructed so as to be a nuisance to or injurious to the health of any person or persons, or any swine kept so as to be a nuisance or offensive by reason of the stench thereof, or any dung, manure, refuse, offal, ashes, filth, or other matter or thing emitting noxious or offensive effluvium or smell, or any animal, vegetable or mineral matter or thing alone or together with other matters or things in a *state of fermentation, putrefaction, decomposition* or decay, or emitting noxious or offensive effluvium or smell, or permit or suffer any Messuage, Dwelling House, Shop, Erection or Building whatsoever within the said City to be in a filthy state or infected with any kind of vermin or dirt or emitting noxious or offensive effluvium or smell; Provided, however, that no person or persons shall be liable to any penalty for the infraction of this By-law until he, she or they shall have received notice from the Mayor and Council in manner hereinafter mentioned, and until he, she or *they shall have neglected by the space or time* therein mentioned to abate or remove the offensive matter or thing noticed in such notice and therein complained of, or to do the act, matter or thing required of him, her or them by such notice within the space of time limited by such notice.

And whereas it is expedient for the good government of the City that a Sanitary Commission be appointed, and to enable such Commission to inspect, order the removal and report all nuisances within the said City of Victoria;

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Victoria, with the consent of His Excellency the Governor on Her Majesty's behalf:

II. From and after the passage of this By-law the Mayor and City Councillors may from time to time nominate three members of the City Council to act as a Sanitary Commission for the purpose of inspecting, ordering the removal and reporting all nuisances and other matters, the continuance of which may be deleterious to the public health.

III. The Commission shall perform their services gratuitously.

IV. The Commission shall have power to enter any Messuage, Dwelling House, Shop, Building or other Erection or Land or other premises within the City, and whether or not the same be occupied or the curtilage of any of the same, and inspect the condition of the same between the hours of eight in the morning and eight in the evening.

V. No person or persons shall permit, after due notice in that behalf given, any animal or vegetable matter in a decomposed or *putrifying condition to remain* on the premises occupied or owned by him or them.

VI. The Commission on behalf of the Mayor and Council may notify any person or persons on or occupying any messuage, dwelling house, shop, building, or other erection, or the curtilage of any of the same or other land or premises within the city, or if the same be unoccupied, then the owner of any such messuage, dwelling house, shop, buiding or other erection, or the curtilage of any of the same or other land or premises within the city on which any matter or thing may be done, permitted, or suffered, *contrary to the intention* of this by-law (according to the form of schedule A annexed) to remove such nuisance as before mentioned, or to close up, purify, cover, or cleanse any well, cesspool, drain, privy, ditch, or gutter, or otherwise to abate or remove the matter or thing noticed in such notice as in their judgment shall seem meet by giving notice in writing, (as per schedule aforesaid) signed by two or more of the Commission on behalf of the Mayor and Council, specifying the act to be done and the time in which the same is required to be done. *such notice may be given to the occupier or* owner of such messuage, dwelling house, shop, building, or other erection, or the curtilage of any of the same or of the land or premises in the city, or by leaving the same at his, her, or their last known place of abode, or by fixing the same or a copy thereof on some conspicuous part of the premises.

VII. In the event of any Messuage, Shop, Building or other erection, or any land or other premises within the City being unoccupied and the owner or owners thereof neglecting or refusing to abate or remove any matter, or thing done, permitted or suffered, contrary to the requirements of this Bye-Law, either absolutely or in the terms of any such notice as aforesaid, duly served as aforesaid, within the time in that behalf specified, it shall be lawful for two or more of the Commission, on behalf of the Mayor and Council, or their servants or agents in that behalf, to do the act or acts, matters or things, required to be done or performed by such notice at the costs and charges of the owner or owners of such Messuage, Shop, Building or other erection or any land or other premises, the said costs and charges to be recoverable by action as work and labor done and money paid by them for the use of such owner or owners as if done at his, her or their actual request, or in such other form as is proper in law.

SCHEDULE A.

To the Owner

NOTICE is hereby given that you are required within days from the date hereof to , and in default of so doing you will be proceeded against under the provisions of the Municipal Bye-Law to regulate the sanitary condition of the City, 1866.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
Mayor of the City of Victoria.

This tenth day of July, 1866.
WILLIAM LEIGH, Town Clerk.

New Advertisements.

The "Grotto,"

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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.*

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HAVANA CIGAR
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Wednesdays,
And Fridays,
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REMOVAL.

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At their store. jy2

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Manufacturer and Dealer in
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And Spices of all kinds,
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THE EXPEDITION, EASE, AND ECONOMY with which the "Family Wash" may be accomplished, by using

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GLYCERINE SOAP POWDER,

is truly surprising! Scarcely any rubbing required, and a little child may use it.

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Facts and Scraps.

ON BOARD THE ANGLO-SAXON.—A Canadian colonel, dignified, majestic, and speaking as with authority, discoursed political wisdom to an admiring and obsequious audience. He lorded it over our little society for a brief period, and then suddenly disappeared. Awful groans and noises, significant of sickness and suffering, were heard proceeding from his cabin. But, at last, one day when the weather had moderated a little, we discovered the colonel once more on deck, but alas! how changed. His white hat, formerly so trim, was now frightfully battered; his cravat negligently tied; his whole dress slovenly. He sat with his head between his hands, dejected, silent and forlorn.—The purser, a jolly Irishman, came up at the moment, and cried, 'Hallo, colonel! on deck? Glad to see you all right again!' 'All right, sir!' cried the colonel, fiercely; 'all right, sir? I'm not all right. I'm frightfully ill, sir! I've suffered the tortures of the—condemned; horrible beyond expression; but it's not the pain I complain of; that, sir, a soldier like myself knows how to endure. But I am thoroughly ashamed of myself, and shall never hold up my head again!—'My dear sir,' said the purser, soothingly, with a sly wink at us, 'what on earth have you been doing? There is nothing, surely, in sea sickness to be ashamed of.' 'I tell you, sir,' said the colonel, passionately, 'that it's most demoralising! Think of a man of my years, and of my standing and position, lying for hours prone on the floor, with his head over a basin making a disgusting beast of himself in the face of the whole company. I've lost my self-respect, sir; and I shall never be able to hold up my head amongst my fellow-men again!' As he finished speaking, he again dropped his head between his hands, and thus did not observe the malicious smile on the purser's face, or notice the suppressed laughter of the circle of listeners attracted round him by the violence of his language. A wild Irishman, continually roaring with laughter, a Northern American, rabid against 'rebels,' and twenty others, made up our list of cabin passengers.—*The Norwest Passage by Land.*

FORTUNE-TELLING.—Men have always been curious to look into futurity 'to learn their fate,' and this curiosity has shown the existence of a destiny—that certain events must happen to a person. Not that astrology, or any other human agency, could lift the veil that conceals the future; but the eagerness to do so blinded the reason, and men have made themselves the dupes of knaves who pretended to possess a power to which no mortal can attain. This desire to look into the future, with its accompanying belief in destiny, although directly opposed to the precepts of the Christian faith, still prevails in society to a great extent among the unenlightened. 'Fortune-telling' continues a lucrative profession to the unscrupulous knave, and the records of our police courts show that there is no lack of dupes. Were it more generally recognised that the assumption of the character of fortune-teller is but a cloak to cover that of thief, perhaps the number of dupes would soon diminish. The varied fortune that attends different individuals who start in life with similar and equal advantages, serves to encourage the idea of a fate or destiny. One man is proverbially unlucky, in spite of every effort to succeed; another, with far less effort, will be successful in everything that he undertakes. The phrase, more poetical than true, is that such a one was born under a lucky or unlucky star; and the astrologists, who thoroughly ignore the nature of the heavenly bodies and the laws that govern them, base their deceptions upon the idea of a planetary influence, which is simply impossible, and can be listened to or believed in only by the ignorant and credulous.—*Cassell's Illustrated Family Paper.*

A THOUGHT ABOUT LONDONERS.—And this work, this constant labor, stamps a certain character on the faces of the Londoners, which is to be observed on the faces of none of their countrymen. They seem to be always looking after something which is a long way in advance of them, thinking of something in which the busy streets and the passers by have no part or share. There is a most extraordinary look in the countenance of a Londoner, when he is 'himself,' when he does not know anyone is observing him, when he is not talking or acting any social part. He appears like one who sees without observing, who hears without noticing, who thinks without analysing, who, living continually in the midst of his fellows, is still mentally alone, who is only vaguely conscious of the existence of that second life which to philosophers seems the real life, and who is amazed, and grateful, and yet half afraid, when some one puts his thoughts into words for him, separates the floating mass of aspirations and regrets, and hopes and sorrows, and feelings which are common to us all, and presents each crystallised into its own proper form, clothed with its own especial beauty, whether the beauty be sad or bright, for his contemplation. The very walk of these workers is different from the walk of the semi-workers elsewhere.—*From 'The Race for Wealth.'*

A character, like a kettle, once mended always wants mending.

Mock no man for his snub nose, for you never can tell what may turn up.

FACTS vs. THEORIES.

"Give me a place to rest my lever on," says Archimedes, "and I will move the world." "Give me pure and unadulterated drugs," says Medicus, of the olden time, "and I will cure disease."

In one sense, both of these learned pundits were the veriest charlatans. They knew there was no place to rest their lever on, either to move the world or cure disease. Mechanism was in a backward state, and the medical profession was but another name for sorcery, and all the adjuncts of magic filters and charms of the "evil eye," &c.

But these latter days have borne unto us something more than even superstition and its crew ever dreamt of in their maddest philosophy. In these days of practical science, what was theory of yesterday is fact to-day, and all the old time notions become as bubbles in the sun, and burst and break with every breath we draw.

Let Archimedes shoulder his lever and we will find a resting place for it to move the world. Let mine ancient Medicus pant and toil no more for the drugs he so sorely needs, for we have them at our hand, ever ready to serve them at his beck.

Refined in the laboratory of Dr. Maggiel, the finest materials known in the medical profession are obtainable by any one. His Billious, Dyspeptic, and Diarrhœa Pills stand unrivalled, and his Salve operates with magical effect upon burns, scalds, and all sores and ulcers of the skin.

In fact, we think MAGGIEL'S Pills and Salve are the wonder of this century, and we are happy in the thought that many others of our brethren of the craft agree with us. We would earnestly counsel that all families provide themselves with Dr Maggiel's Preparations at once, and keep them ready at hand, so as to use them at the most opportune time and as occasion serves.—*Valley Sentinel*

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STRAWBERRIES AND CREAM.
All the Delicacies of the Season

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Nothing can be more productive of cure than these Pills—Their almost magic influence is felt at once; and the usual concomitants of this most distressing disease are removed. These remedies are made from the purest

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They will not harm the most delicate female, and can be given with good effect in prescribed doses to the youngest babe.

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Invariably cure the following Diseases:

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Coughs,
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Miscellaneous.

BRITISH PERIODICALS.

The London Quarterly Review (Conservative).
The Edinburgh Review (Whig)
The Westminster Review (Radical)
The North British Review (Free Church)

—AND—

Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine (Tory)

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☞ BLACKWOOD is unusually attractive at this time to Americans, not only for its sterling articles by distinguished writers of fiction, but for the account of the late civil war now being written by Colonel Von Borke, a German officer, chief of staff to Gen. J. E. B. Stuart, of the Confederate army.

TERMS FOR 1866.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 29, 1866.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

The action of the House of Assembly on Friday, in relation to a change in the constitution of the colony, is the most important one that has yet been taken by the members of that body. If it succeeds, we shall be speedily rid of our political evils, and the colony will as quickly recover from its depression. We have maintained from the commencement—and it has been maintained by the Assembly in its address recently forwarded to Her Majesty on the state of the colony—that the principal evils of the country are the result of our faulty constitution, by which the Governor, with his officials and nominees, can destroy every useful measure of the representatives of the people. Had the Homestead bill, the Lien bill, the abolition of the Imprisonment for debt bill, the Franchise bill, and other liberal measures which the Lowes House passed last session been accepted by His Excellency and his advisers, hundreds of people who were literally driven from the country would have been on the Island to-day, adding to its productive wealth. Had His Excellency been properly advised on the question of the Crown lands, the public would have had these sources of revenue in their hands long since, without being compelled to pay the exorbitant civil list demanded, and without being obliged to witness the resources of the country hermetically sealed. Through the generally obstructive policy of the Government the country has been unable to resist the depression caused by over speculation, and day by day witnesses the ruinous results. The question with every intelligent man in the community is—will this state of things continue until the days of 1857 shall have been revived? Is there no turning point? It is for the House of Assembly and the Executive to answer these important interrogatories. Already the former body has passed, by the almost unanimous vote of ten to two, resolutions condemning the administration, and requesting the removal of Gov. Kennedy and his official advisers, and the decision is as unanimously sustained by the people, showing clearly to His Excellency the hopelessness of any appeal to the country. There are no doubt a few men in the House and out of it who are opposed to the Governor solely on personal grounds,—who are disappointed at being removed from office or at not receiving some special gubernatorial favor,—but they do not form any important element in the community. The motive which actuates the people, and which actuates the House generally, is the country's welfare. There is no antagonism to Governor Kennedy as Governor Kennedy; but there is a wide-spread antipathy to his administration. Let the administration give way; let the people have what they have asked for over and over again but in vain,—responsibility in the legislation of the country—and the obstructions in the way of carrying on the Government will cease. The measures which the public interest demands will then be carried into effect. This is the substance of the prayer of the House to the Home Government; but Her Majesty's Ministers do not hurry things, and it may be a weary period to us before the change comes. To avoid, therefore, perhaps a ruinous delay, Mr. DeCosmos brings forward his motion for the establishment of a Ministerial Council, composed principally of members of the Lower House, who will be responsible to the people in the same manner as Ministries are in colonies possessing responsible Government. Instead of having officials who are in no way accountable to the public for their legislative action, controlling our affairs, we should on the passage of such a measure, have the full powers of Government in the hands of the people. There is nothing new in the proposition. It was made by the Assembly immediately prior to the arrival of Governor Kennedy, has been spoken of repeatedly since, and has been even inserted in the "Reply" which has just passed the House, as a desirable constitutional change. So far, then, the Assembly is pledged to the scheme; the only question that arises, is how is it to be carried out? and this brings us to the consideration of the action of the Assembly on Friday in staying the "want of confidence" resolutions.

These resolutions were ordered by the House to be sent to His Excellency, but as they had not left the Assembly on Friday, advantage was taken of the circumstance by the members to stay them until further orders. The account given in our morning contemporary in its yesterday's editorial of the occurrence is as untrue as it is ridiculous. The resolutions cannot be reconsidered. They cannot be altered or amended in any shape; but on a vote of the House to-morrow, or any day, can be forwarded *at once* to the Governor. As the mail is not likely to leave for a week, it is evident the proceedings of Friday cannot delay the sending of the document, if the House chooses to send it. Had the minority's views been followed, however, the last chance the people had of obtaining an immediate change in the constitution of the colony would have been lost; for it rests with Governor Kennedy and his advisers to say whether that change will be made. If the proposition be acceptable to the Executive—and the House can ascertain it by appointing a Committee to morrow—the colony will obtain by an Act of our own Legislature everything it could obtain by application to the Home Government; if it be not acceptable, then the House has its course clearly marked out. The resolutions will have to go. It is a simple business arrangement, and the twaddle written about "traps" and "Executive dodges" is simply the emanation of a befogged brain. It was remarked in the House on Friday, and we see it echoed by the *Chronicle* yesterday, that the colonial Legislature has no power in the matter,—that we cannot interfere with our constitution. It is bad enough or legislators to be ignorant of the power of their own legislative body, but for a newspaper to declare with all the solemnity of a wiseacre that our constitution is the "Governor's Instructions," is something bordering on imbecility. Every colony having representative Government can now alter by Act of Legislature its constitution—can override Governor's Instructions, or even the law of England itself. It is little over a year ago an Act was passed in the British Parliament for this especial purpose, entitled "An Act to Remove Doubts as to the Validity of Colonial Laws." The Act was published in both colonies last November, and it speaks exceedingly bad for a public journal, which is supposed on these questions to guide the public, to be ignorant on so important a matter. We append the following two clauses for the enlightenment of our obtuse contemporary:

"No colonial law, passed with the concurrence of or assented to by the Governor of any colony, or to be hereafter so passed or assented to, shall be or be deemed to have been void or inoperative *by reason only of any instructions with reference to such law or the Subject thereof which may have been given to such Governor by or on behalf of Her Majesty*, by any instrument other than the Letters Patent or instrument authorising such Governor to concur in passing or to assent to laws for the peace, order, and good government of such colony, even though such instructions may be referred to in such Letters Patent or last-mentioned instrument.

Every Colonial Legislature shall have, and be deemed at all times to have had, full power within its Jurisdiction to establish Courts of Judicature, and to abolish and reconstitute the same, and to alter the Constitution thereof, and to make provision for the administration of justice therein: and every representative Legislature shall, in respect to the colony under its jurisdiction, have, and be deemed at all times to have had, *full power to make laws respecting the Constitution, powers*, and procedure of such Legislature; provided that such laws shall have been passed in such manner and form as may from time to time be required by any act of Parliament, Letters Patent, Order in Council, or Colonial Law for the time being in force in the said colony."

It will thus be seen that our Legislature, with the Governor, has ample power to amend our Constitution in a way that will remove all the present bickerings and want of harmony between the various branches—that will, in fact, give to the people the power to carry out their legitimate demands. Will His Excellency at this eleventh hour come boldly out and accept the proposition, or will he, like some of the members of the Assembly, be guided more by personal feeling than by an honest desire to see the country prosper? There never was a time in the history of the colony when it required more judgment in the management of public affairs, and there never was a time when graver responsibilities rested on the members of the Assembly. We write calmly and seriously. We have no desire to follow in the scurrilous pathway of our contemporary and malign the motives of men who have striven through good and ill repute for the maintenance of what our contemporary could never understand and never act up to—*political principle*. It is easy enough for the corrupt and the depraved to assert or insinuate that there is a malignant motive in every act of their neighbor, but the public generally estimate such charges at their proper value. There is but one object, one motive, urging the members who passed the constitutional resolution on Friday, and that is to benefit the country. If they are not sustained by the House, the responsibility of refusing the last chance the present year of getting the colony out of its most pressing difficulties will rest on those whose hatred to Governor Kennedy is greater than their love for the colony. For our own part, we are quite ready at all times to sacrifice a stubborn Governor for the good of the country, but we are not prepared to give up even the smallest chance of restoring confidence in the affairs of the colony. We have no animosity against Governor Kennedy—if he comes forward even at this late hour in the day and does justice to the people and the colony we are ready to give him our warmest support; but if he persists in his present course we are equally determined to do all in our power to get him and his advisers removed. That removal, however, is only a means to an end; it would be a poor change to get a new Governor and new advisers as bad as their predecessors. What we want most is a system of Government that will effectually prevent Governors and officials standing in the way of the colony's progress. If we can get that system by the present proposition, and yet refuse to grasp the opportunity, we richly deserve our fate; if the House is willing, and Governor Kennedy declines, then there is no harm done, and the resolutions will not be a moment delayed. Under any circumstances it is the duty of a representative body to study above all things the country's interest, and to sink personal feeling for the general good.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 29, 1866.

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THE PRESBYTERIAN S. S. PICNIC.—The Sunday School Picnic given by the Presbyterian church on Friday last, deserves more than a passing notice, as being probably the largest and most successful affair of the kind ever held in Victoria. At least two hundred and fifty children were present during the day, and nearly one hundred ladies and gentlemen, the parents and friends of the scholars. The children formed in procession at the church, Pandora street, where Mr. Robertson took a photograph of the assemblage; they then proceeded to the beautiful grove adjoining Jay's Nursery Gardens, where ample arrangements had been made for the amusement of the young pleasure-seekers. The afternoon passed right pleasantly, and towards evening a long table was set out and plenteously spread with cakes, fruit, lemonade, milk, &c., to which the eager little revellers did ample justice. The proceedings were enlivened and rendered doubly attractive to the numerous by-standers, by the performance of hymns and chants by the scholars, under the skilful leadership of the church precentor, Mr. Geary, who certainly deserves the praise so unanimously accorded him by the visitors, as well as the cheers so heartily given by his enthusiastic pupils. After the refreshments, Mr. Gentile took photographs of the assemblage in two groups, the girls with their teachers in one view, and the boys and their teachers in another, with the visitors grouped in the back-ground. The photographs were very well taken, and every one interested in the occasion should secure a copy as a memento of so pleasant a gathering. After this the young people were addressed in a most eloquent strain by John Wright, Esq, elder of the church, briefly but happily followed by Mr. Somerville, the pastor, and then the youthful company, whose healthy happy looks and neat apparel were warmly admired by the visitors, marched once more to the church and were dismissed to their homes. We should mention that the Presbyterian Sunday School consists of 125 pupils, but with that Catholic spirit which has ever distinguished the Presbyterian congregation in this city, at least an equal number of children of other denominations were invited to take part in the festivities.

THE LAUNCH.—Captain Stamp's fine new steamer was launched from Trahey's shipyard yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock, in the presence of a great number of spectators. For an hour or two before the time fixed for the launch crowds of people, both by water and by land, took their way towards the spot; every boat in the harbor was in requisition, and the ferry boat was loaded to the gunwale every trip by passengers going to the shipyard across the Reserve. At the appointed hour several hundreds of people, including a very large proportion of ladies, were on the ground, and the workmen at once began to knock away the stays which kept the vessel in her place on the ways. The work was soon performed, and in a very much shorter time than most of the by-standers expected, she began to move, and rapidly gaining impetus smoothly and swiftly glided down the ways amid the hearty cheers of the assemblage The *Isabel*, as the new craft was christened, by Mrs. J. G. Shepherd, wife of the manager of the Bank of British North America, is a very handsome side-wheel steamer; her total length is 146 feet, width 23ft. 8in., and depth 9ft. 2in. She is 80-horse power, her engines and boilers having been imported on the Eastern Chief, recently from London, and she will be the most strongly built and powerful tug in these waters. Her hull is spoken of by practical men who have examined her, as a model of strength and beauty; it is constructed in the most substantial manner, the timbers being very massive and the knees being all natural crooks. The modeling and workmanship reflect the highest credit on the builder, Mr. J. W. Trahey, and the steamer when completed will be an honor to the port of Victoria. After the launch the hull was kedged down to the H. B. Co's. wharf, where she will take on board her boilers and machinery.

"HOME GUARDS" VOLUNTEERS.—At a meeting of this company on Monday evening, convened for the purpose of adopting rules and regulations for the guidance of the company, and the election of non-commissioned officers, the following gentlemen were elected, viz.: Quartermaster Sergeant, Robert Dickinson; Sergeant, Thos. E. Ladner; 2d Sergeant, George Black; Corporal, James S. McMillan; 2d Corporal, R. Seabrook; 3d Corporal, Harry Hyde. George Scrimmager was elected Bugler to the company. A committee consisting of Messrs. McMicking, McBean, Graham, Armstrong and Dickenson were appointed to make out a code of rules and regulations.—*Columbian.*

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT NANAIMO.—This beautiful little church was opened on Sunday last. The services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Duff, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Jamieson, and the collection taken up reached $90. Mr. Jamieson, the Pastor of the New Church, has succeeded in already building up a very good congregation in Nanaimo, and the contributions at the opening services give testimony to the esteem in which he is held, and to the general acceptance his labors have met with.

MR. D. LINDSAY, Accountant and Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, &c., &c., requests us to intimate that he will remove his Office to Captain Stamp's New Building, Government Street, on Monday, 30th July. *

TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL TO THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.

Back Despatches.

California.

San Francisco, July 27.—Eastern line out of order beyond Laramie.

The Sutter Street Railroad Company have broken ground at the junction of Sansome and Sutter, preparatory to extending their road through Battery to Vallejo street.

The arrival of the Siam ship Silas Greenman has presented some difficulties at the Custom House, which have not yet been settled. Officials think they must add 10 per cent. additional duties on the cargo, because there is no reciprocity treaty between this country and Siam. The consignees of the ship will telegraph to the Washington authorities to find out whether such a discrimination is just and equitable.

The auction sale of San Francisco and Pacific Refinery sugars was the principal feature in the general merchandise markets this morning. Circle A crushed was sold at an average decline of from ½ to ¾ of a cent on previous days. Sale of other kinds brought relatively better prices.

The market for exchange and bullion for Monday's steamer has not fairly opened yet. Leading bankers quote coin drafts on Atlantic at 2¼ per cent.; currency do, 44c premium on gold; telegraph transfers 3 per cent; 60 days bankers' exchange, 48½ premium.

Flour, some sales for export to Mexico—jobbing trade, without change; superfine, half sacks, $4 75@$5; quarter sacks, extra half-sacks, $5 25@$5 50. Wheat, good new, $1 50, prime new, $1 55 per 100; barley, some enquiry, holders not willing to sell at ruling quotations; potatoes, Mission's, 60c@65c. per 100.

No later gold despatches. Market for Legal Tenders unchanged, 71 buying, 71½ selling.

Arrived—Argentine bark Jose, 44 days from Carmen Island; British bark Speedwell, Cork; steamer Pacific, San Pedro.

The Canon Creek Diggings.

The following letter from Mr. Waldron, of the exploring party sent out to prospect Canon Creek, we extract from the *Columbian*. The account of the new diggings is exceedingly cheering:

Mr. Waldron to Mr. Spalding J.P.

QUESNEL, July 17th, 1866.

SIR,—I beg to make you the following report of the proceedings of our party of five men.

We left this place on the 21st June and reached Hixon's creek on the 26th instant. Of course we found it necessary in the first place to saw lumber for sluices and to construct a ditch to bring water on our claim. Owing to the scarcity of all kinds of tools the latter work occupied us ten days, although only one-fourth of a mile in length. The original ditch made by Mr. Hixon's party had, in his absence become completely filled up. Owing to the presence of snow and ice on the ground we found it almost impossible to keep our new ditch in order, and having left the water running during one night in a break which occurred, I found in the morning prospects of $1 to $1 25 to the pan.

We therefore commenced work in that spot and in a space of ground about 10 feet, by 2½ feet, in less than a day's work we washed out $76.

The other work which we had done had yielded well, and our whole results amounted to $270.

Estimating the actual number of days' work to realise this, we found our pay amounted to $17 per day per man. Under favorable circumstances and with hydraulic pipe, with our present prospects, I think the ground will pay fifty dollars a day to the hand. When I left, the "face" of our claim was about six feet high and paid from the surface down.

The Blue Lead Company, of seven men, under the management of Mr. Shepherd, joining us on the upper side, have not yet commenced washing. Their dirt prospects from three to five bits to the pan. They are bringing in their ditch twenty feet higher than ours, and will probably have it completed in about eight days.

The Go-a-head Co. are about half a mile above the Blue Lead Co., and have struck a prospect of four bits to the pan on slate bed rock, Up to this company the whole of the bed rock consists of a rather soft sandstone, and it is my opinion that it is not solid, but that a second layer of gravel will be found beneath it.

These are all the companies at present located.

Specimens of gold-bearing quartz are to be met with on all sides. We have a few specimens with us in which the gold is visible in every part. Several of the veins are apparently well defined, and will in my opinion eventually form the most permanent and valuable leads of gold in the country.

The next four weeks will enable all the companies now on the creek to thuroughly test their ground.

Hixon's Creek is a tributary of Canyon Creek and resembles Keithley's; it is sometimes very high, but liable to sudden changes, and I should estimate its volume of water at one thousand inches. The general course of the stream is nearly parallel with the Fraser. It has its source in the "Blue Range" of the Cariboo mountains, is about 26 miles in length, and has a very great fall. It will, if gold-bearing throughout, afford employment for several thousand men.

The mouth of the Cottonwood River is the terminus of steam communication from Soda Creek.

In conclusion I can only say that I have the utmost confidence in the prospects of the creek. The developments of the present season will, I hope, prove that I am not too sanguine.

I have, &c.

(Signed), CHAS. WALDRON.

OWING to want of space we are reluctantly compelled to leave out advertisements to-day.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Alexandra arrived down yesterday about noon, with 50 passengers and a heavy freight, comprising 200 barrels of salmon, shipped by Mr. Armstrong, of that city. We are glad to see our neighbors developing this branch of trade; its value and extent is practically unlimited

THE MAIL STEAMER.—By special telegram received last night we learn that the steamer California sailed for Victoria yesterday at noon She may therefore be expected here on Wednesday evening.

FOR PORTLAND.—The steamer Fideliter sailed for Portland yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with about 30 passengers and a small freight.

THE STEAMER LILLOET will arrive down from New Westminster to-day.

New Advertisements.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between James Grahamslaw and Thomas G. Morris, Contractors and Builders, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Morris having retired from the business, which will be carried on by Mr. Grahamslaw.

All persons indebted to the firm are requested to pay the same to James Grahamslaw, and claims against the firm must be presented within fourteen days from this date.

Victoria, V. I., July 25th, 1866. jy25

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.

jy 26

FASHION HOTEL

AND

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 28.

The former Billiard Hall 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. jy 26

WANTED

A YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork, and to wait on table.

Apply to

MRS. ZINKE,
Dressmaker,
Yates st., between Government and Broad.

jy 27

BAKED

PORK AND BEANS

EVERY SUNDAY MORNING,

25 Cents a Pot,

—AT—

A. W. PIPER'S

BAKERY,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

OPPOSITE THE THEATRE.

jy 27

PRIVATE BOARD.

Board with Comfortably Furnished Bed-room,

Six Dollars per Week.

YATES ST.,

Next Door to the Anglo-American. jy25

Chains and Anchors.

TWENTY TONS CHAIN

Short Linked and proved from ¼ to ⅞

AND

ANCHORS,

From 20 to 800 pounds.

For Sale by

PETER McQUADE,
jy 23 Wharf street, Victoria.

TO LET.

THE BRICK STORE, CORNER OF FORT and Wharf street, TO LET.

Inquire of THOMAS GOLDEN,
jy 22 Fort street.

J.P.Davies & Co.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Salesroom, Fireproof Stone Building,
Wharf St., near Yates.

Cash Advances made on Consignments.

AUCTION.

Tuesday, July 31st,

AT SALESROOMS

WHARF STREET,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

All the Well-kept nearly New

HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE

OF A FAMILY LEAVING THE COLONY,

Removed to Salesrooms for convenience of sale,

COMPRISING:

Furniture!

1 set Black Walnut Parlor Furniture (in Hair and Cloth),

Single and Double Bedsteads,

Feather Beds and Pillows,

Blankets, Sheets, Counterpanes, Mattresses,

5 Bureaus and Looking Glasses,

Extension and Centre Tables,

Cane Seat and Wood Chairs,

Carpets, Door Mats, 30 yds new Oil Cloth,

Chimney and Dressing Glasses,

Oil Paintings and Engravings,

Papier Mache Ornaments,

1 Fine Violin, Music Box, Lot Books,

Hearth Rugs, Glassware and Cut Decanters,

1 Dinner Set, 1 Breakfast and Dessert Set,

Crockery, Vases, Writing Desks, Books, Mantle Clocks, Damask Curtains and Cornices, Window Blinds,

Fine Line Plated Ware, Forks and Spoons, Oil Lamps, Candlesticks, Fancy Lustres, &c.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE

1 Horse, Brewer's Dray and Harness,

1 Lady's Side Saddle Bridle and Cloth,

1 all over Hogskin Saddle, Bridle and Spurs,

1 Chst. Cabinet Maker's Tools complete.

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK SHARP,

Peremptory Sale of

REAL ESTATE.

All those certain pieces or parcels of Land situate at the rear of the Government Buildings, James Bay, and more particularly known on the official map

—AS—

TOWN LOTS No. 1735 and 1736:

adjoining Welch's Brewery.

The Land is well cleared and under a good fence. Size of each lot is 66 feet front, by a depth of 165 feet.

Title Perfect—No Taxes to Pay.

☞ Acts of Sale at Buyer's Expense

ALSO

10 bhds and tierces English Ale,

35 bbls Lonsnale Cement,

4 bbl choice Mess Beef,

Sundry lot of Groceries, &c., &c., &c.

TERMS CASH.

J. P. DAVIES, & CO.,
jy29 Auctioneers.

Chronicle copy

New Advertisements.

THEATRE

Photographic Gallery

(UP STAIRS).

THIS GALLERY, LONG AND FAVORably known to Victorians and strangers, has facilities in the way of light, materials, &c., and the experience of the proprietor enables him to furnish Cartes de Visite, Ambrotypes, and photographic work of superior finish unequalled by any other house in town, and at AS LOW PRICES AS OTHER ESTABLISHMENTS charge for common and inferior pictures—in fact at prices to suit the times.

Cartes de Visite, - - $5 per Doz.

Out door work attended to at short notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

GEORGE ROBINSON,
jy 6 Proprietor

WANTED.

A MAN FOR HOUSE WORK.

Park Hotel,
jy 18 Beacon Hill,

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1861.

I, RICHARD WOODS, BEING THE CHIEF Registrar of the said Court, do hereby certify that on the sixteenth day of July, instant, a certain deed or Instrument bearing date the 26th day of June last (1866) and made and executed by and between George Jay, James Chestney Bales and David Browne, Copartners therein described, trading under the style or firm of JAY & COMPANY of the one part and Thomas Lowe therein described, trustee for himself and the rest of the creditors of the said George Jay, James Chestney Bales, and David Browne of the other part, being a deed or instrument purporting to convey all the copartnership estate and effects of the said George Jay, James Chestney Bales, and David Browne to be applied for the benefit of the creditors of them the said George Jay, James Chestney Bales, and David Browne as if they had been from the date thereof duly adjudged Bankrupt, was on the said sixteenth day of July and at the hour of 10:30 in the forenoon of such day brought into my office for registration, and was duly registered pursuant to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Given under my hand and Seal of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice at James Bay, Victoria, V. I., this sixteenth day of July, A. D., 1866.

RICHARD WOODS,
Chief Registrar.

ROBERT BISHOP, SOLICITOR,
Langley street, Victoria. jy16

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice Vancouver Island.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In re Jay & Co.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS ON THE above Estate are requested forthwith to send in the same to Mr. James Chestney Bales, Seedsman, at the Nursery of Jay & Co., Victoria; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are desired forthwith to pay the amount of their respective debts to the said James Chestney Bales, whom the Trustee has authorised to receive the same on account of the said Estate.

ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor,
Langley Street, Victoria.

Dated 16th July, 1866. jy16

NOTICE

Ship Mohawk, Capt. Davies, from London

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the undersigned will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew of the above ship.

jy15 HENRY NATHAN.
Agent for the vessel.

$50 REWARD.

THE ABOVE REWARD WILL BE PAID to any person recovering the money and Deposit Receipt for $900 on the Bank of British North America, stolen from the Coal Pit at Nanaimo on Wednesday, July 4th.

GEORGE WALSH,
jy9 3w* Nanaimo

NOTICE.

MARTIN BROS.,

IMPORTERS OF

Groceries and Provisions,

FIREPROOF BUILDING,

LATELY OCCUPIED BY L'HOTELIER & Co,

WHARF STREET.

jy 6

REMOVAL.

The well known

JEWELRY ESTABLISHMENT

—OF—

J. L. JUNGERMAN,

Has been removed to his NEW STORE

IN THE

Masonic Buildings,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I. jy 2

Sporborg & Rueff,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

Boots and Shoes,

Wharf street, Victoria, V. I. jy 2