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1891
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SECOND RACE—Running; half mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse $150.
THIRD RACE—Roadsters; for horses bona fide owned in the Province for one month previous to race; gentlemen drivers; heats 2 in 3. Prize, cup or set of harness, value $50.
FOURTH RACE—Five-eighth mile dash, open; gentlemen riders; minimum weight 145 pounds. Entrance $5; prize, cup.
Second Day.
SATURDAY, MAY 2, 1891.
FIFTH RACE—Trotting and pacing; free for all; heats 3 in 5. Purse $300.
SIXTH RACE—Running; mile heats, 2 in 3. Purse, $200.
SEVENTH RACE—Polo Pony Race; Half mile dash. Open to ponies not over 14.2. Entrance $5. Prize, cup or saddle.
EIGHTH RACE—Queen's Plate; 1½ mile dash. Purse, $500 and piece of plate. Second horse to save entrance fee. Open to all maidens foaled, raised and owned in the Province. Weights for age. Entrance fee 10 per cent of purse.
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THE ENABLING BILL.

Full Text of the Measure as it Was Finally Passed.

Very few citizens it is to be persumed have ever read the Enabling Bill recently passed, and for the public edification we reproduce it here in full as follows:

Whereas the Corporation of New Westminster has without due authority let contracts and expended large sums of money for the construction of Water Works; for Electric plant and machinery, as well for lighting the city and suburbs; for a Steam Ferry between New Westminster and the Municipality of Surrey, and ferry landings, pontoons, and other things for the operation of the ferry; and for the erection of a building for a Public Library and other purposes:

And whereas it is expedient to make provisions in reference thereto:

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, enacts as follows:

1. The term "Corporation," wherever used in this Act, means the Municipality of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster, and wherever the term "works," is used in this Act, such term shall include all the works, matters and things hereinbefore recited.

2. All moneys heretofore expended by or under the authority of the Council of the Corporation, for or on account of or with reference to the works, shall be and shall be held to have been valid, and it shall be lawful for the corporation to pay all the moneys owing and accruing up to the 17th of April, 1891, in respect of the works, exclusive of the steam ferry and private electric lighting.

3. The Corporation shall make compensation to all persons whose property or interests are or have been in anywise injuriously affected in consequence of anything done or suffered to or by any persons or their property, or interests, by the reason of the carrying out of the works, and the amount of such compensation shall be arrived at according to the provisions of the Municipal Act in respect to arbitration.

4. The Corporation may make bylaws for the conduct of the public library, including the renting and leasing of the stores in the library building.

5. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the Corporation shall have full power and authority to sell and dispose of the steam ferry and the electric light plant, including the power house and site thereof; and after the sale has been ratified by the ratepayers, the respective purchasers shall have full power to operate and carry on the same respectively.

6. "This Act may be cited as the "New Westminster Enabling Act, 1891."

Municipal Single Tax.

Although not in reality an accurate expression, "municipal single tax" is a phrase meaning the exemption of improvements such as buildings, etc., from municipal taxation. The amendments to the Municipal Act at the Legislative Session just closed provided for this, sub-section b. of section 121 of the Amending Act providing that a by-law may be passed "declaring that improvements situate within the municipality shall not be estimated for the purposes of assessment in excess of 50 per cent. of their actual cash value, as they would be appraised in payment of a just debt by a solvent debtor, or that improvements shall be altogether exempt from assessment or taxation." Mr. Brown, in furtherance of the single tax idea, secured the insertion of a clause in this act that the above provision would apply to the city of New Westminster. It will therefore be no longer possible for the City Council to excuse itself from considering municipal single tax on the plea that it has no power to act. However the time has gone past for the adoption of this plan this year.

The Van Horne Party.

Mr. C. W. Van Horne, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and a party of gentlemen from eastern Canada, reached this city in two special cars yesterday. They had remained the previous night at North Bend. Besides Mr. Van Horne the party included R. B. Angus, John Cassels, P. A. Peterson, Chief Engineer of the C. P. R.; J. I. Davidson, President of the Toronto Board of Trade; E. B. Osler, W. D. Matthews, ex-President of the Toronto Board of Trade, and Hon. George A. Kirkpatrick, Senator McInnes of Hamilton, Mr. Owenseysenberg of Chicago, H. J. Cambie, W. Downie, W. A. Grant, Mr. Van Horne's private secretary, and Percy C. Geddes, secretary to Mr. Abbott. Upon arrival in the city, the whole party took carriages and enjoyed a drive through the principal streets, afterwards proceeding to Vancouver in their equipages, the special train being sent round empty to the Terminal City. Mr. Van Horn was in fine spirits, and expressed himself, on the authority of Mr. Downie, as being delighted with the activity and progress manifested by Westminster since his last memorable visit. It is believed that the excursion to "the burgh" was for the purposes of pleasure only, and with no ideas of contemplated slaughter at all.

...for an opinion on the action of the American Senate in rejecting the Brussels anti-African slavery treaty, Mr. Stanley begged to be excused from criticizing the view taken by that distinguished body. He seemed to fear that such an expression might unfavorably affect further negotiations toward the end. He informed the reporter that he had heard through private sources that the Arabs have of late been slave raiding on an unusually extensive scale. Without saying in so many words that this was due to his absence from Africa, he allowed the impression to be conveyed that had he been in a position of authority the slave trade could have been reduced much below its present proportions.

JACK THE RIPPER.

Great interest is taken here in the news of the Jack the Ripper murder in New York. Scotland yard received yesterday advices of the tragedy and it was hastily forwarded to the various chiefs of departments. The police authorities are inclined to think the absence of a gash in the throat of the New York victim indicates that the work is not that of the London Ripper. Superintendent Arnold states his belief that the original Jack is still in London.

Speaking of the death of Coquilhat, late governor of the Congo State, Mr. Stanley said that Coquilhat suffered from chronic dysentery before he went to Africa. It was sheer madness for a man so afflicted to brave the climate of the Congo. Coquilhat would have been alive today if he had taken Stanley's advice.

THE LIQUOR DEALERS

held a mass meeting at the London Aquarium this afternoon to protest against the continuance of the extra tax on spirits and beer. Speeches made were to the effect that the budget showed that the tax could be removed without injury to Imperial interests, and that having been imposed for extraordinary reasons it ought not to be continued at a period of large surplus in the treasury. The liquor dealers protested against the burden of the free education experiment being thrown upon them. Meetings of a similar kind have been called in different parts of the country and resolutions passed calling upon all interested in the liquor traffic to use their influence in the elections to secure just and fair treatment for the trade.

MICHAEL DAVITT'S RESIGNATION

From the editorship of the Labor World was made necessary by the state of his health. The doctors told him he must take a long holiday or break down. He still retains his stock in the company which controls the paper, and he will contribute to its columns occasionally. Mr. and Mrs. Davitt will soon start for San Francisco and will remain on the Pacific Coast for an indefinite period.

CABLE BREVITIES.

A Berlin despatch says that the German artists are indignant at the favor shown to foreigners bringing pictures to the Berlin art exhibition. Comparatively few Berlin astists have had their pictures accepted.

A severe earthquake has done much damage in Syria, considerable destruction being done to property at Gratz and Landsberg.

REMAINS CONSERVATIVE.

The Conservatives have carried Whitehaven. Sir. James Bain, the Conservative candidate, was elected today by a vote of 1338 to 1105 for Henry Gordon Shee, Liberal. At the last election the Right Hon. Geo. Cavendish Bentinck received 1216 votes to 1110 for Shee, Liberal.

PRINCE AND KAISER.

The bitterness of the Kaiser's animosity toward Bismarck is shown by the fact that he has caused to be taken out of the hands of Professor Von Siebel the work entitled, "Founding of the German Empire," it being claimed that the professor placed Bismarck too prominently in the foreground and did not do justice to William the First and others who assisted in the work of creating the second German Empire. This greatly displeased the Kaiser, and the task of completing the work is to be intrusted to Prof. Lehmann of Marburg, between whom and Prince Bismarck there has not been good feeling for many years, and who can be trusted to eliminate the figure of Bismarck as much as possible from the drama of 1870. Dr. Lehmann's part of the work will include the years from 1867 to 1871, and will take in the Franco-German war and its immediate results. The proof-sheets are to be submitted to the Kaiser to be passed by him before publication, and in consideration of this and the elimination of Bismarck, he has graciously consented that the work shall be dedicated to him. The Kaiser has taken occasion, in commenting upon a lecture by Captain Weger of the German navy, to give his views as to the use of the navy in war. He says that the navy must not maintain the defensive only, but also act on the offensive, and that the adage, "attack is the best defence," must be realized in future by the navy as fully as by the army. Battle ships must do their utmost to annihilate the opposing enemy. The Kaiser's wish is that naval manœuvres shall no longer be simple exercises, ending in an attack on one or more ports and their defences, [illegible] ing evolutions over many hundreds of miles.

A Portuguese Falsity.

LISBON, April 24.—A semi-official communication from the Government to the press representatives says that Lord Salisbury has ordered the evacuation of Massikess. This is declared not to be in accordance with the facts, as there are only four men of the British South African Co. there to protect stores, and they had all received orders to leave when the Portuguese arrived.

Von Moltke Dead.

BERLIN, April 24.—General Von Moltke is dead, aged 91.

[Germany's "grand old man" at arms was born in the year 1800 at Mecklenburg, and during a long career saw service under several states in many lands though he won his most unfading laurels in the decisive struggle of the Franco German war of which his wonderful strategy was the determining factor. He served in early life in the Danish army. This, however, he left at the age of 22 to enter that of Prussia. In 1835 he was after attaining high rank in the Prussian service permitted to add to his experience by entering the Turkish service. He then fought through the Syrian campaign and showed himself a born leader of men. Returning to the Prussian service, he was after long years again high in command, in the struggle with the Danes. This being successfully decided for Prussia, that country and Austria quarrelled, and Von Moltke again came to the front and by his able tactics won the decisive battle of Sadowa. He then received the order of the Black Eagle, and was made General in Chief of the Staff. What he did by his wonderful strategy to compass the utter defeat of the French in the great struggle of 70-71, is known to all. After this he was ennobled and made Field Marshal. Honor after honor then showered upon him, as the greatest German military chief, and the most famous modern strategist. Dear to the German race, as one of the founders of a united Germany he was, having grown well stricken in years, known and loved by his compatriots, who styled him "Vater" (Father) Moltke. His ninetieth birthday was celebrated last year, and now at last the great chief has passed away, leaving Faust von Bismarck, the only survivor of the makers of the modern German Empire.—ED.]

CANADIAN GLEANINGS.

It is reported that Hon. Wilfred Laurier will be knighted on May 24th.

The Dominion Government is being urged to place an export duty on spruce logs.

Sir John Macdonald has been served with the writ of the election protest for Kingston.

Davies, a leading Ottawa contractor, has been black-balled in the Rideau Club, and it has caused a big sensation.

The geological survey staff, in conjunction with the census officials, are compiling a guide to mining in Canada.

Cable advices stating that the differences between Canada and Newfoundland have been adjusted have not been confirmed.

Patterson and Heggan of Nanaimo, are in Ottawa in connection with the squatters' claims against the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway.

Cricket.

The following are the sides chosen for tomorrow's cricket match on the Park, to commence at 2 p. m. sharp: A. Malin's side—H. F. Clinton, E. H. Wylde, J. W. Sinclair, F. Powers, A. Peele, A. J. Brine, J. H. Vidal, A. J. Armstrong, N. C. Schou, H. T. Read, J. E. Gaynor, J. H. Henry and W. H. Falding. J. F. Fox's side—E. Newington, F. J. Coulthard, W. B. Ransom, Geo. Raymond, E. M. N. Woods, T. O. Townley, R. M. McFarlane, R. C. Blaker, T. Gifford, H. P. Hendreigh, A. G. McFarlane, E. D. Brymore. Any others who turn up will be picked on.

CHILIAN ATROCITIES

Defenceless Women and Children Are Murdered in Cold Blood.

JACK THE RIPPER ONCE MORE

A Fearful Murder Perpetrated Yesterday in a New York Tavern.

CANADA AT WORK IN JAMAICA

The Kanucks Make a Bold Bid for a Big Business in Breadstuffs.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—The British bark Arthur Stone arrived from Pisagua, Chile, this afternoon, and Captain Adams says he never wants to see that port again. While the bark was in Pisagua, the crew say bullets came on board like a shower of hail. The Arthur Stone was ordered to leave the port, but Captain Adams decided to stay and finally got a load. He had to leave without clearance papers and will have some trouble entering at this port. In talking about the trouble Captain Adams said: During the fighting a shell struck the British bark Birdstone between wind and water and she nearly sunk. The Birdstone is still at Pisagua. The American bark, Lottie Moore, had her yards shot away and the British bark Strathern had her mizzen shrouds shot away. During the engagement the Chilian admiral's flagship dropped a shell into the coal depot and set it on fire. A fortnight later, when the Arthur Stone left, it was still on fire. All around the bay barges were at anchor, and the people of the town took refuge in them at night. One day, while walking up the street, I counted eighteen dead bodies. The day the rebels captured the town there was a frightful explosion. The rebels were on the slope of the hill, and began dropping shells into the town. Half a dozen families had taken refuge in a warehouse in which were stored seventy-five cases of dynamite. A shell dropped into the warehouse, exploding the dynamite and blew the building and all the women and children into the air. The concussion made all the vessels roll as if in a storm.

Failures in Business.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Dominion of Canada reports 33 business failures this week against 39 last week and 38 this week last year. The total number from January 1st to date is 705, against 675 last year.

Canadian Aggressiveness.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The bureau of the American Republics is in receipt [illegible] effect that the Canadian commissioners to the exposition there are making extraordinary efforts to extend the sale of Canadian breadstuffs and manufactures in the island. The Canadian millers are trying to introduce their flour by giving away daily samples of the flour and bread baked from the same at the building of the exposition.

A Frightful Death.

OREGON CITY, April 24.—An accident occurred at the Crown paper mills last night, by which Edward Fishburn, late of La Camas, Wash, lost his life. He was engaged in taking paper from the steam rollers on a reel and the paper broke. In stepping forward to catch the broken sheet a set screw on the shaft caught Fishburn by the vest and in a moment he was whirling on the shaft at the rate of 50 revolutions a minute, his head striking the floor at each revolution.

Before the machinery could be stopped all his clothing except his shoes were torn from his body, and his head was terribly bruised. Unconsciousness and death relieved his suffering this morning. The deceased was about 30 years of age and unmarried.

Intentionally Vague.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Herald's St. Petersburg special says: Secretary Blaine should make no mistake about the position of Russia in the coming arbitration of the Behring Sea question. I know the views of the Government, although it would not be fair to hold it responsible for my words. In the first place there is nothing on record to show that Russia intended to convey to the United States any special rights in the open waters of Behring sea. The Alaska purchase was the result of private negotiations between Baron Edward De Stockl and Secretary Seward. Russia purposely left the question of special jurisdiction or special privileges in the sea out of the bargain. The whole matter, as far as I can ascertain was intentionally put aside and any attempt to draw Russia out of this vague and reserved position would have been evaded or resisted.

The Ripper in New York.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Jack the Ripper is believed by the police to have come to this city. This morning, in the East River Hotel, a low resort, the body of a woman was found with the abdomen horribly cut. Her name is not known. The resort is one of the lowest in the city. The woman was known as one of the half-drunken creatures who hang about Water street. She came to the hotel last night with a man who registered as Knicloe and wife. The couple were assigned to a room on the upper floor. Nothing was seen or heard during the night. This morning the attendant rapped on the door of the room occupied by the couple, and as there was no answer, finally broke the door open. A horrible sight met his gaze. On the bed lay the woman in a pool of blood, dead for hours. The woman's head was bandaged and a cloth had been tied about the neck and face, but whether for any foul purpose or to hide traces of the murder, the attendant did not wait to see. He gave the alarm and a messenger was hastily despatched to the police station. The police responded at once and after viewing the body the captain of the precinct lost no time in notifying headquarters of the horrible tragedy. In a short while Inspector Byrnes had three of his sharpest detectives on the case. No one had seen the man since he went up stairs. He had escaped under cover of night, when the deed was done. An imperfect description was given of him to the police and they went to work with much secrecy. The little learned was that he was shabbily dressed, and about 33 years old. At noon today the detectives arrested a crony of the dead woman, too drunk to tell what she knew. She was locked up to sleep off the effects of liquor and the police hope she will give them some further clue. The coroner says the woman was strangled and afterwards the body mutilated. Her murderer is described as being a short, thick-set German sailor.

CANADIAN NEWS.

KINGSTON, Ont., April 24.—Last evening Sergeant Matthew Coye of "A" Battery; died after an illness of several months during which time he suffered great pain. The cause of his death was a cancer which developed from a splinter of a bullet which lodged in his throat during the engagement at Cut Knife Creek at the time of the Reil rebellion. Deceased was an excellent soldier and brave in active service. He spent many years in the Imperial service before coming to Canada.

ELECTION PETITIONS.

HALIFAX, April 24.—Petitions have been entered against the return of Kenny and Stairs as members for Halifax. A petition also has been filed against the return of J. A. Gillies in Inverness. All three were Conservatives.

MAILS FOR THE ORIENT.

OTTAWA, April 24.—Yesterday the first mails from Great Britain for Japan and China via Canada, left London under contract with the Canadian Pacific. It is to be a regular service once in every three weeks.

DEATH OF A MISSIONARY.

TORONTO, April 24.—A cable dispatch has been received here announcing the death of Rev. John Jameson, who for several years has been a missionary of the Canadian Presbyterian Church at Formosa, China.

GONE TO THE SENATE.

The Globe's correspondent announces that Mr. Carling has accepted a seat in the Senate.

They Will Play.

It has been finally decided to send a lacrosse team over to Vancouver on Monday to compete in the series for the celebration trophy. It will be hard scraping to get enough men together, but the boys are anxious to make the tourney a success, so far at least as entries are concerned. The team will not be representative of Westminster lacrosse strength, but they will nevertheless make an interesting game. All members are invited out to practice on the exhibition grounds this afternoon.

Daily Boat to Victoria.

Mr. Briggs, of the C. P. N. Co., yesterday informed THE LEDGER that his company had notified him that as soon as the repairs at present being made on the steamer Yosemite were completed that boat would be put on the route for a daily service between this city and Victoria. She will probably have one or two regular ports of call on the Fraser river, and freights from the other ports will be gathered by a river boat and brought here for transhipment on the Yosemite. This daily service is in fulfillment of Captain Irving's promise of last fall to that effect. It will be a great convenience to Westminster people, and time of passenger and freight traffic at this port. The new service will begin in the early part of May.

Do Not Obstruct Them.

Capt. Peele's army of census enumerators are now going their rounds in the city, and are working forward very satisfactorily. Occasionally they meet a citizen unwilling to answer the questions put to them. It is well to remember, in this connection, that the census officials are clothed with power to order the arrest of any who refuse to make replies to their questions. Some of the questions asked do sound a trifle inquisitive, but they are really not inquisitorial, for the answers, under heavy penalties, are not to be divulged, and when they are finally returned to Ottawa they will be treated with like respect. The information obtained, when treated statistically as to the general result, will serve a valuable purpose, and the labors of the enumerators, always arduous, should therefore not be made more so by stubborn resistence to answer the questions asked.

Vancouver Opera House.

The re-opening of the above theatre, after the extensive alterations now being completed, will take place on Monday evening next, on which occasion there will be given an entertainment for the benefit of the Hospital for Women and Children. Particulars of this entertainment will be found in an advertisement appearing in another column. The bill includes a comic operetta, entitled "Prizes and Blanks," and the famous comeditta "Ici on Parle Francais." The talent will be the best to be obtained in the Terminal City, and doubtless the fact that the entertainment is in aid of so meritorious a charity, will induce a very large attendance of those who will be present in Vancouver on Monday next to witness the celebration of the arrival of the steamship Empress of India.

In order to facilitate those who may attend from this city, the C. P. R. has arranged to run a special train from Vancouver to Westminster immediately after the close of the performance. The railway fare also has been reduced to $1 for the return trip, good to go on Sunday or Monday and return up to Wednesday night.

Mr. Rankin's Success.

Yesterday Mr. J. V. Rankin, of the B. C. P. M. Company, received a telegram from Halifax, Nova Scotia, saying that his son James had won the Waverly Prize at Dalhousie University. This prize is given to the student standing highest in mathematics at the end of the second year. The mathematical course at Dalhousie is not inferior to that of any other on the continent. The professors of this subject are men who have distinguished themselves in Great Britain and Germany, and, therefore, to carry off this prize at a university noted for mathematics is highly creditable to the winner. Tony Rankin's educational course has, so far, been an exceptionally brilliant one. At the time he entered the High School of this city, although he had passed with high marks, he was so young and small, the Superintendent of Education thought it a pity he could not remain longer in the common school. But the small boy was made of the right stuff. So he rapidly gained on all his fellow-pupils, till in his thirteenth year, he was the most advanced scholar attending the schools of the Royal City. He was not fourteen when he matriculated. At the commencement of his course, in a competitive examination in Halifax, he won a Monro Bursary of several hundred dollars, being the youngest student that ever took one of these scholarships. And now the Waverley Prize, taken after two years of hard work and keen competition with some of the most carefully trained and most talented young men in Canada is more than an ordinary victory. Young Rankin is expected home in a few days, and it is quite likely that he does not yet know that he has been successful, for he must have left Nova Scotia before the results of the examination were announced.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mission City.

No cases at the Police Court yesterday morning.

Work on the tramway line on Columbia street was resumed today.

Don't forget Trapp's great sale next Friday.

The Lacrosse Club will play a practice game at Queen's Park this afternoon.

The river is rising very rapidly and in consequence a heavy current is running.

Do not miss the great sale of real estate at the Opera House on Friday.

The Crescent improvements go steadily on. The locality is beginning to look like some place now.

There were no less than a dozen meetings on Wednesday night of a more or less public character.

Do not forget the great sale of Mission City lots on May 19th.

April showers being somewhat plentiful this year should bring out May flowers in abundance.

The poles which will be used for the electric tramway are being put up along Columbia street.

Money to loan on first mortgage. F. J. Coulthard & Co.

List your property with us if you want to sell it. E. H. Port & Co.

Mr. Lister and the Rev. Mr. Edwards who left here for Africa some time back have arrived at Zanzibar.

A calf was born on the C. P. R. wharf yesterday afternoon. Mother and calf go up to Kamloops today.

For Bookbinding, Ruling, etc., go to Lewis & Greig, Powell Block.

Law Books, Magazines, etc. bound in any style by Lewis & Greig.

The ship Robert S. Bernard is en route from Manilla to Vancouver, with 1,750 tons of raw sugar for the refinery.

It is expected that the passengers of the Empress of India will visit Westminster before leaving for the east.

Remember the Artillery Band concert at Fairhaven April 24.

Almost every description of property—City, Suburban and Country—has a place on the list to be disposed of at Trapp's auction on Friday, 24th inst.

The Jews of Victoria celebrated the solemn feast of the passover on Wednesday night with all the ancient ceremonies.

Yesterday afternoon a magnificent white heron was seen gracefully flying over the river above the Ross McLaren Mills.

Lots for $325 on Douglas street.—BRENCHLEY & BENNETT.

A new piledriver is in course of erection on the new English-Armstrong building on Front street and work is now going ahead.

There was any amount of floating stuff on the river yesterday. Trees that had been torn up by the roots largely predominated.

We are agents for Goldie & McCulloch's fire tested safes. E. H. Port & Co.

It is whispered that the Oddfellows grand annual excursion this year will beat everything of the kind ever attempted here.

The man, Pride, who was run over by a wagon at the Royal City Mills on Wednesday last, is reported to be progressing favorably.

The annual big gun competition of the P. C. R. G. A. is announced to take place on July 20th, 21st and 22nd, instead of August as before stated.

The new steam sealer now building for the Pacific Navigation Company at Morse's mill, Vancouver, is expected to be launched this morning.

A full stock of D. M. Ferry & Co.'s celebrated seeds in bulk and packages at McLean & Morrison's.

The stone for the foundation of the Young Armstrong block is on the ground and the work of putting it into position begins right away.

Knots of fiery orators stood on the corners yesterday and hotly discussed the Enabling Bill. Some of them were very indignant at the Legislature.

Artillery Band Concert, assisted by high class vocal talent, at Fairhaven April 24. See advertisement.

Let your courage rise to the sticking point on May 19th next, at the Mission City sale.

Messrs. H. Bloomfield & Son of this city have just placed three large semi-circular leaded glass transom lights in the new opera house at Vancouver.

A man, whose name could not be learned, walking down Columbia street last night slipped on the sidewalk near the Depot Hotel spraining his ankle slightly.

We are agents for Stalshmid & Co. office desks, call and see our samples. E. H. Port & Co., 615 Front Street.

An unusually heavy cargo of pig lead and tin, for one of the canneries was noticed on board the steamer Bon Accord as she was tied up at the Fish hatchery yesterday.

Rumor says that a snowslide blocking up the track has been the cause of the delay of the Eastern train, which in all probability will not arrive here until late today.

Read the big list of properties to be sold by auction on Friday at Herring's Opera House. See page 3.

The branch of the C. P. N. from Mission to the boundary will be open for traffic by May 15, and Canadian Pacific Railway trains will then begin running through to Seattle.

Heavy Blank Books, Ledgers, etc., ruled, printed and bound in any style by Lewis & Greig.

Rumor's never idle tongue sayeth that as a piece for reciting at pic-nic parties this summer Cromwell's address on dismissing the Long Parliament will decidedly take the biscuits.

Remember the grand entertainment by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening, April 29th.

The great sale of real estate by auction at Herring's Opera House this evening at 8 o'clock should not be forgotten. From all accounts there will be some great bargains obtainable.

G. A. Roedde, practical bookbinder, paper ruler and blank book manufacturer, Vancouver, B. C.

Lately complaints have been made of men from various logging camps borrowing boats belonging to other persons to cross the river in, after visiting the town and never returning them.

Clearing operations are being actively prosecuted on the south bank of the river, just above the Liverpool dock, and the new water tank of the Southern Railway is now about finished.

The Royal City Planing Mill's fine new steam tug Comet will soon be ready for active service when she will be in a position to hold her own and compare favorably with the other tugs on the river.

The cheapest property on the market. —THE BRENCHLEY PROPERTY.

Recently a few beautiful specimens of butterflies in the shape of red admirals, tortoise shells, and the rare and pretty swallow-tailed fritillary have been observed flitting about in the suburbs of the city.

The work of cribbing Columbia Street is making a great difference in the appearance of that thoroughfare east of Lytton Square. When finished the street will be entitled to be called an avenue.

Those who want to get bargains in farming and fruit lands should attend the great sale at Herring's Opera House on Friday. See list on page 3.

The stone crusher at present in use on the streets is not of much use. It flattens out the mud and a few of the softer pieces of stone, but for all the good it does the streets it might as well be in Hong Kong.

Last night owing to only a few members of the Gun Club being present it was decided to hold a "shoot" at Brownsville on Wednesday next, and in the evening a meeting will be held in the Hotel Douglas.

No one at all interested in Real Estate investments should fail to be present at T. J. Trapp's Great Auction sale in Herring's Opera House on Friday evening of this week.

A firing party of 20 men from No. 4 battery of the R. C. B. G. A. has been detailed for the funeral of the late Frederick W. Robson. Particulars will be arranged upon the arrival of the body from San Francisco.

The quarterly meeting of the Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers Association of British Columbia will open at Ladner's Landing on Tuesday May 5th. All members and those interested are invited to attend.

Mow, a Nanaimo Chinaman, had his skull fractured on Tuesday. He was wheeling a barrow filled with coal, fell down the mine, hung to the barrow and when he landed 30 feet below was much smashed. He may die.

"Ah, if I had only bought then!" That will be the burthen of the vain repinings of those who fail to accept the golden opportunity at Mission City next month.

H. M. S. Melpomene has received sailing orders by telegraph, and will leave Esquimalt on Monday for the South. It is generally believed that she will spend some time in Chili, watching over British interests during the rebellion.

A carload of heavy draught horses will arrive here in a few days from Portage la Prairie, Man. They will be accommodated at Gilley Bros.' stables, where intending purchasers will have an opportunity of inspecting them.

Great changes are taking place on the wharves along Front Street east of the ferry landing. If those fearful blotches on the landscape on the west side were removed Westminster would have one big mud spot off her snowy scutcheon.

The great auction sale of real estate at Mission City on Tuesday, May 19th, will offer an opportunity to get in "on the ground floor" of what is bound to be at least the third city on the Mainland of British Columbia.

The directors of the Vancouver and New Westminster Electric Tramway Company held a meeting Wednesday evening in Vancouver. It is given out that within a week a further portion of the location of the line will be made public.

President Van Horne has sent the following telegram from Banff to Mayor Grant of Victoria: "The present being a trial trip in respect to the matter of quick time for the mails, it will be impossible for ship to remain longer than business absolutely requires."

George R. Wendling, the modern American Cicero, appears in Herring's Opera House on Tuesday evening May 6th. Anyone who delights to hear a really glorious speaker, one who can move his audience to every mood, should hear this wonderfully gifted American.

Full sized lots on Tramway line, close to city, $150 and $200 each; ⅓ cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Cheapest thing on the market. Secure one at once. S. T. MACKINTOSH & Co.

Seattle is going to give President Harrison a grand reception on his arrival and preparations on a magnificent scale are now going on. A large sum of money has been appropriated, and the Seattleites have determined not to go back on their record for doing things splendidly.

A gentleman who attended the public meeting in the City Hall Wednesday night somewhat severely injured himself by immoderate laughter. He states that for downright burlesque and nonsense it laid over the finest minstrel show, menagerie or circus he ever saw by a huge majority.

Operations for the summer are being actively prosecuted at the Dominion Fish hatchery above the Bon Accord Cannery, and the various buildings now present a busy scene. A party of gentlemen connected with the establishment were taken up yesterday afternoon by the steamer Claymore.

If you have a few hundreds to spare, put it in Mission City property, and sit back and smile as you see those few hundreds growing into thousands.

As the steamer Belle was coming up the river yesterday with a large boom of logs for the Royal City Mills, she ran aground, just in sight of port on a mud bank at the head of Lulu Island. The tug Gipsy was sent to help her off, but failed in the attempt. The Belle, however was able to get off at high tide, 5.30 p. m.

Vancouver is all excitement now awaiting the arrival of the Empress of India. The committee appointed to look after the celebration feel the full weight of the responsibility and are working hard to make it a great success. Scarcely anything else is talked of in the Terminal City. A large party from the Royal City will be present at the reception.

As the warm weather comes on the art-loving portion of the community are dusting their easels, stretching canvas and otherwise preparing for the season's work in the shape of sketching and painting. Two or three of our best known artists are hard at work on pictures of local scenery, of more than usual merit, which are destined for the coming exhibition.

Lots for $325 on Douglas road; ⅓ down; balance, 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent. The cheapest property on the market.—BRENCHLEY & BENNETT.

Many persons who have occasion to visit Brownsville for business or other purposes hardly care to face the three quarters of a mile tramp through the bush or along the shore from the ferry landing. It was noticed yesterday that two or three boatmen were raking in the bossile at a great rate by ferrying parties across to that locality in opposition to the regular ferry. At one time four boat loads went across in close succession, each boat holding about four or five passengers.

A large percentage of the oolachans caught here are shipped to Vancouver, to supply the markets there, and prices rule rather higher than in Westminster. It is a fact not generally known that if this fish is dried in the sun, and a match applied to the tail, it will burn like a torch, and in the early days it was almost the only means of illumination known to the native Indians.

Queenstown.—Owing to the exceptionally rapid sale of lots in this important townsite, prices will be raised on May 1st. P. M. Watson & Co., Agents.

A detective has been placed in Westminster by a certain agency doing business in the Province, with instructions to watch for two or three individuals who are expected to drift this way from the Sound. It is needless to say that they are scarcely likely to be found in Westminster, as it has a widespread reputation of terror amongst evildoers, thanks to our vigilant police force.

Steamboat racing on the Sound is reaching a dangerous pitch and the Seattle Telegraph thus warns those who indulge in this sport: "These races call for a repetition of the warning that there will be an awful disaster some day, and the owners and captains of the boats may be held liable for homicide. There is no excuse for this racing. It is a deliberate risking of many lives."

"There is a tide in the affairs of men, which taken at the flood, leads on to fortune". Those who take Mission City at the flood tide will be fortunate mortals.

Work on the library building has been creeping steadily forward to a finish, and it is expected that the two stores will be ready for occupation by the end of the month. They are two of the finest stores in town, perhaps the finest. The main entrance to the building has elicited a good deal of admiring comment on account of its imposing appearance. The front elevation is exceedingly handsome.

The World says that Mr. Wallace Law who has been in the employ of Messrs. Davidson Bros., jewellers, for some time past, has gone to Westminster to take charge of a branch store his firm are opening in the Royal City. Mr. Law was a hard working member of the lacrosse club and put up a good game in some of the matches in which he played. The Vancouver lacrosse club members regret his departure and hope that his lines will fall in pleasant places.

Towle & Wilcox, architects and superintendents have opened an office over D. Lyal's book store, Columbia Street. Modern designs made promptly and practically.

Says the Bellingham Bay Bee: The Oddfellows of New Westminster have made arrangements for a grand excursion to Fairhaven on the Queen's birthday, May 24th. The excursionists will number between 1,000 and 1,500 people. The railroad company have arranged to furnish two excursion trains for the order at a merely nominal charge, and the profits from the sale of the excursion tickets will go towards rebuilding the Odd Fellows hall, which was burned down in the recent fire. Fairhaven will give them a cordial welcome.

To investors—There will be few lots left for sale after the excursion to Queenstown. Get in now before the advance in prices. Particulars from P. M. Watson & Co., agents.

Another Accident.

It is a very singular thing that there should be three accidents on three consecutive days at the same place. A man named Tachiner, engaged at the Royal City Planing Mills, yesterday afternoon was babbitting a box containing a small quantity of water which caused the molten metal to fly, burning his face very severely. The unfortunate man was in great pain for a considerable time, and it was at first thought that he might lose his sight, but it is learned that this is not likely to be the case, and he may congratulate himself on a very narrow escape from total blindness. It is probable that he will be able to resume work in a few days.

The Action of the Council.

In accordance with the action of the public meeting on Wednesday evening, the Mayor and Council met in private session last night to consider the municipal situation. All the members were present. It was expected that the Mayor would propound his plan to extricate the city from its present dilemma, but he did not do so. A long informal discussion took place. The plan of action proposed by THE LEDGER yesterday morning was brought up and advocated as the most feasable scheme. At length a resolution was moved by Ald. Keary, embodying the principle involved in that plan, namely, the sale of the electric works to a few trusted citizens under an agreement whereby the city might regain possession of the works at a certain stipulated rate of valuation as soon as the present legal obstacles were overcome. The resolution was carried unanimously. A discussion then took place regarding the action of the public meeting, and it was pointed out by several members that the appointment of the committee by the public meeting was a virtual expression of want of confidence in the Council. No matter what that committee might do, the question would have to be finally settled by the Council. The Council generally were not averse to considering any propositions that might come from the citizens' committee, but they were not willing to be guided by the conclusions of that committee. It was finally decided that a subcommittee of the Council should be appointed to meet the citizens committee and listen to what they had to say, and afterwards to report to the Council any plan that they (the subcommittee of the Council) thought should be adopted. The Mayor and Aldermen Curtis, Walker, Scoullar, and Keary were appointed as the subcommittee, and they will be present at the meeting of the citizens committee to be held tonight.

A Pointer to the Public.

District Lot No. 28 lies immediately adjoining the city limits. The continuation of Mary Street goes directly through it, and the Electric Tramway will in a couple of months be running its cars every hour of the day through the centre of this property. The lot (No. 28) is composed of 128 acres of land as level as a table. Contracts have been let to clear and grub the ground, and leave it in perfect condition for building purposes. Already six citizens have decided to erect handsome residences there, ranging in price from $4,000 to $7,000 each. The whole of this splendid piece of property (except some limited portions already disposed of) will be put on the market in a few weeks. One great advantage in buying a lot and erecting a residence on this property is that the owner will avoid heavy municipal taxation. Make a note of it, and wait till the property is put on the market before buying.

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Plan of Subdivision of Lot 17, Suburban Block 4

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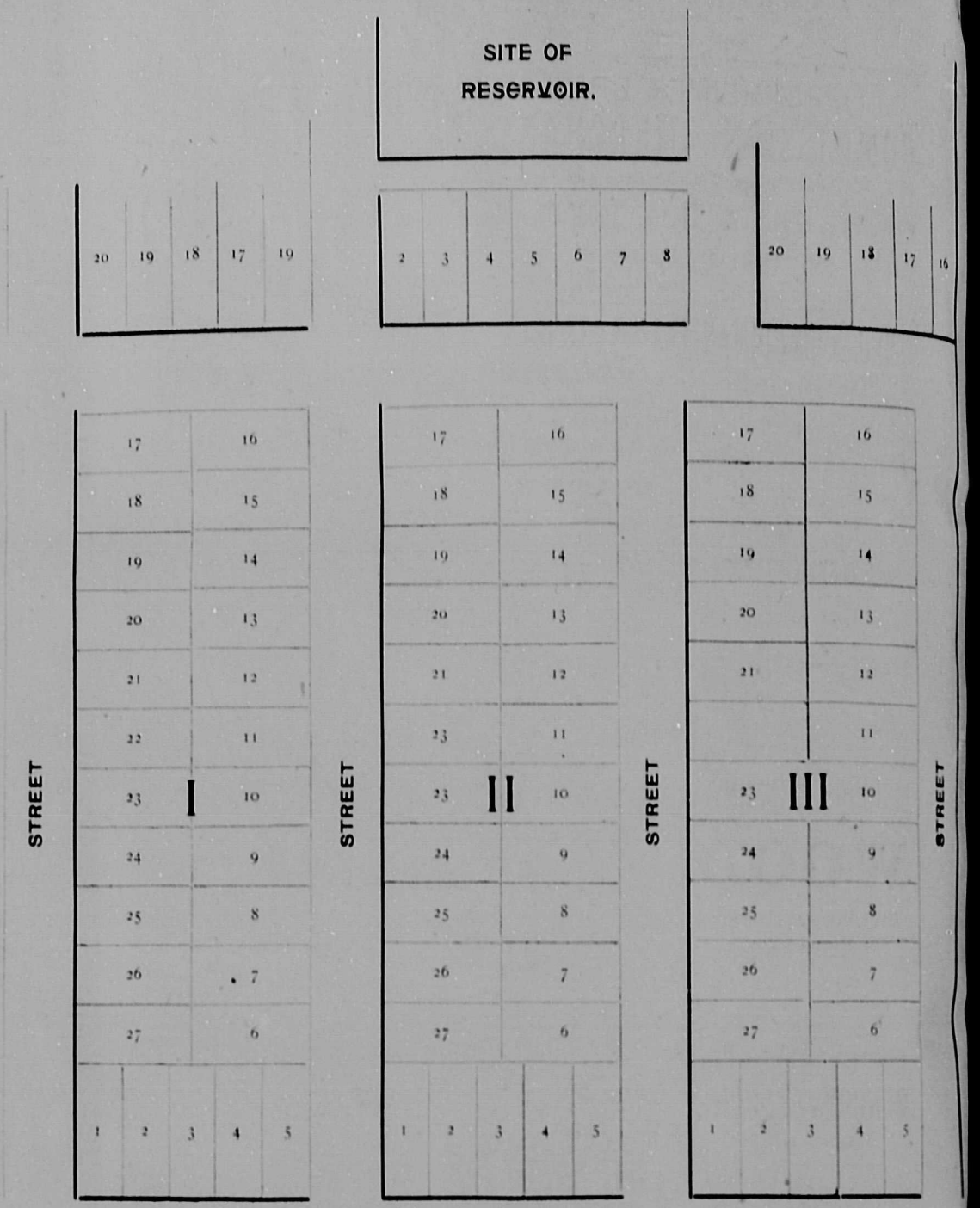

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As will be seen on the plan, every lot has a frontage on a 66 foot street. The view of the Fraser River and the surrounding country is the best that can be obtained.

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Lots 1, 5, 16, 17,	each $225.00
" 2, 3, 4,	" 200.00
" 6, 7, 8, 9, 24, 25, 26, 27	" 180.00
" 10, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23	" 170.00
" 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20	" 160.00

TERMS. One third cash, balance in 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent. interest.

SIZE OF LOTS--Blocks I, II and III.

Lots 1 and 5	50 ft. x 119 ft.
" 2, 3, and 4	51 ft. x 119 ft.
Remainder	50 ft. x 126 ft. 5 in.

N.B.—Streets are all 66 feet in width.

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In consequence of a large number of people having signified their wish to attend this Concert the management of the band have, at great expense, secured a special boat and train to Fairhaven on

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

The boat will leave the wharf at 1 p.m. The fare for the round trip has been fixed at $1.50, and tickets may be obtained from the Honorary Secretary, Mr. Fielding, at his office.

Admission to the Concert will be at the usual prices: $1.00, 75c and 50c.

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SENSATIONAL ARREST

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DEATH OF GENERAL VON MOLTKE

The London Rumsellers Up in Arms Against Chancellor Goschen.

STANLEY UP ON HIS DIGNITY

The Kaiser's Deep Seated Hatred and Distrust of the Iron Chancellor.

LONDON, April 24.—It appears, by the action taken by the Portuguese cabinet, that in connection with the representations made by Lord Salisbury to the Government of Portugal as to the recent events on the Pungwe River, in South Africa, the British Premier has forwarded an ultimatum to that Government declaring that unless immediate facilities were afforded to British subjects to open the Pungwe River in accordance with the modus vivendi now existing between Great Britain and Portugal, the former Government would have recourse to force in order to compel respect on the part of the Portuguese Government for its treaty engagements, and the results would be disastrous to Portuguese enterprises in that quarter of the world. Under the pressure of this ultimatum the Portuguese cabinet today granted free passage of the Pungwe River.

BAD FOR THE GUARDS.

The recent cases of insubordination among the Guards in London, following so close upon the outbreak at Gosport, have had the effect of causing breaches of discipline to be treated with unusual rigor. The artillery men who refused to do duty at Fort Grange and who mobbed the officers' quarters have been tried by court martial, pronounced guilty of mutiny and sentenced to two years imprisonment. The Duke of Connaught, commanding the district, has been appealed to, but refuses to remit any portion of the sentence. An investigation into the causes of insubordination and discontent in the British army is being pushed and will be made thorough. The simultaneous occurrence of these disturbances indicates the existence of deep lying and widespread defects in the service, which cause no little uneasiness as to the home guards.

FALLEN FROM GRACE.

A sensation has been caused in the Parish of Winkfield, the church of which is attended by a most distinguished congregation including many members of the court, owing to its contiguity to Windsor, by the arrest of its curate Rev. Augustus Pulling. The charge against the reverend gentleman is that he is too intimate with the female members of his flock.

Instances of his debauching young girls of the parish are also disclosed and have aroused great indignation. The farmers of the vicinity threaten to lynch him, and he was lodged in jail last night as much for his own protection as in accordance with the warrant for his arrest. Rev. Mr. Pulling is 35 years of age. He has been for many years curate at Winkfield, and has been presented at court, and was regarded as the soul of mothers' meetings and other charitable works conducted by the ladies of the congregation. The Queen, while residing at the castle, has often attended his church. The parish is one of the largest in England. One girl 15 years old has made some startling statements against the curate and it is upon the inquiries that resulted therefrom that the charges and arrest are based. On being brought before the magistrate today for examination he presented a pitiable spectacle of abasement and humiliation. He acknowledged with tears in his eyes that he could not deny the charges which had been made against him and confessed that he had been led into evil courses by temptation beyond his control. An officer of the court testified that the prisoner sought to offer him a bribe. The accused was remanded for further investigation, but was subsequently released on giving bail to the amount of £3,000.

HAUGHTY MR. STANLEY.

Henry M. Stanley, who has just returned from the United States, seems to have contracted an iciness of manner during his sojourn in that country. His cool treatment of people who formerly considered him approachable is quite widely commented upon. He remains in his apartments as much as possible, seldom being seen walking or driving. Reporters who seek to interview him are as a rule haughtily snubbed. A representative of the International Telegram Company, however, was more fortunate, his card as an American seeming to be an open sesame to the great explorer. When asked for an opinion on the action of the American Senate in rejecting the Brussels anti-African slavery treaty, Mr. Stanley begged to be excused from criticizing the view taken by that distinguished body. He seemed to fear that such an expression might unfavorably affect further negotiations toward the end. He informed the reporter that he had heard through private sources that the Arabs have of late been slave raiding on an unusually extensive scale. Without saying in so many words that this was due to his absence from Africa, he allowed the impression to be conveyed that had he been in a position of authority the slave trade could have been reduced much below its present proportions.

JACK THE RIPPER.

Great interest is taken here in the news of the Jack the Ripper murder in New York. Scotland yard received yesterday advices of the tragedy and it was hastily forwarded to the various chiefs of departments. The police authorities are inclined to think the absence of a gash in the throat of the New York victim indicates that the work is not that of the London Ripper. Superintendent Arnold states his belief that the original Jack is still in London.

Speaking of the death of Coquilhat, late governor of the Congo State, Mr. Stanley said that Coquilhat suffered from chronic dysentery before he went to Africa. It was sheer madness for a man so afflicted to brave the climate of the Congo. Coquilhat would have been alive today if he had taken Stanley's advice.

THE LIQUOR DEALERS

held a mass meeting at the London Aquarium this afternoon to protest against the continuance of the extra tax on spirits and beer. Speeches made were to the effect that the budget showed that the tax could be removed without injury to Imperial interests, and that having been imposed for extraordinary reasons it ought not to be continued at a period of large surplus in the treasury. The liquor dealers protested against the burden of the free education experiment being thrown upon them. Meetings of a similar kind have been called in different parts of the country and resolutions passed calling upon all interested in the liquor traffic to use their influence in the elections to secure just and fair treatment for the trade.

MICHAEL DAVITT'S RESIGNATION

From the editorship of the Labor World was made necessary by the state of his health. The doctors told him he must take a long holiday or break down. He still retains his stock in the company which controls the paper, and he will contribute to its columns occasionally. Mr. and Mrs. Davitt will soon start for San Francisco and will remain on the Pacific Coast for an indefinite period.

CABLE BREVITIES.

A Berlin despatch says that the German artists are indignant at the favor shown to foreigners bringing pictures to the Berlin art exhibition. Comparatively few Berlin astists have had their pictures accepted.

A severe earthquake has done much damage in Syria, considerable destruction being done to property at Gratz and Landsberg.

REMAINS CONSERVATIVE.

The Conservatives have carried Whitehaven. Sir. James Bain, the Conservative candidate, was elected today by a vote of 1338 to 1105 for Henry Gordon Shee, Liberal. At the last election the Right Hon. Geo. Cavendish Bentinck received 1216 votes to 1110 for Shee, Liberal.

PRINCE AND KAISER.

The bitterness of the Kaiser's animosity toward Bismarck is shown by the fact that he has caused to be taken out of the hands of Professor Von Siebel the work entitled, "Founding of the German Empire," it being claimed that the professor placed Bismarck too prominently in the foreground and did not do justice to William the First and others who assisted in the work of creating the second German Empire. This greatly displeased the Kaiser, and the task of completing the work is to be intrusted to Prof. Lehmann of Marburg, between whom and Prince Bismarck there has not been good feeling for many years, and who can be trusted to eliminate the figure of Bismarck as much as possible from the drama of 1870. Dr. Lehmann's part of the work will include the years from 1867 to 1871, and will take in the Franco-German war and its immediate results. The proof-sheets are to be submitted to the Kaiser to be passed by him before publication, and in consideration of this and the elimination of Bismarck, he has graciously consented that the work shall be dedicated to him. The Kaiser has taken occasion, in commenting upon a lecture by Captain Weger of the German navy, to give his views as to the use of the navy in war. He says that the navy must not maintain the defensive only, but also act on the offensive, and that the adage, "attack is the best defence," must be realized in future by the navy as fully as by the army. Battle ships must do their utmost to annihilate the opposing enemy. The Kaiser's wish is that naval manoeuvres shall no longer be simple exercises, ending in an attack on one or more ports and their defences, but [illegible] naval action at sea, [illegible] ing evolutions over many hundreds of miles.

A Portuguese Falsity.

LISBON, April 24.—A semi-official communication from the Government to the press representatives says that Lord Salisbury has ordered the evacuation of Massikess. This is declared not to be in accordance with the facts, as there are only four men of the British South African Co. there to protect stores, and they had all received orders to leave when the Portuguese arrived.

Von Moltke Dead.

BERLIN, April 24.—General Von Moltke is dead, aged 91.

[Germany's "grand old man" at arms was born in the year 1800 at Mecklenburg, and during a long career saw service under several states in many lands though he won his most unfading laurels in the decisive struggle of the Franco German war of which his wonderful strategy was the determining factor. He served in early life in the Danish army. This, however, he left at the age of 22 to enter that of Prussia. In 1835 he was after attaining high rank in the Prussian service permitted to add to his experience by entering the Turkish service. He then fought through the Syrian campaign and showed himself a born leader of men. Returning to the Prussian service, he was after long years again high in command, in the struggle with the Danes. This being successfully decided for Prussia, that country and Austria quarrelled, and Von Moltke again came to the front and by his able tactics won the decisive battle of Sadowa. He then received the order of the Black Eagle, and was made General in Chief of the Staff. What he did by his wonderful strategy to compass the utter defeat of the French in the great struggle of 70-71, is known to all. After this he was ennobled and made Field Marshal. Honor after honor then showered upon him, as the greatest German military chief, and the most famous modern strategist. Dear to the German race, as one of the founders of a united Germany he was, having grown well stricken in years, known and loved by his compatriots, who styled him "Vater" (Father) Moltke. His ninetieth birthday was celebrated last year, and now at last the great chief has passed away, leaving Faust von Bismarck, the only survivor of the makers of the modern German Empire.—ED.]

CANADIAN GLEANINGS.

It is reported that Hon. Wilfred Laurier will be knighted on May 24th.

The Dominion Government is being urged to place an export duty on spruce logs.

Sir John Macdonald has been served with the writ of the election protest for Kingston.

Davies, a leading Ottawa contractor, has been black-balled in the Rideau Club, and it has caused a big sensation.

The geological survey staff, in conjunction with the census officials, are compiling a guide to mining in Canada.

Cable advices stating that the differences between Canada and Newfoundland have been adjusted have not been confirmed.

Patterson and Heggan of Nanaimo, are in Ottawa in connection with the squatters' claims against the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway.

Cricket.

The following are the sides chosen for tomorrow's cricket match on the Park, to commence at 2 p. m. sharp: A. Malit's side—H. F. Clinton, E. H. Wylde, J. W. Sinclair, F. Powers, A. Peele, A. J. Brine, J. H. Vidal, A. J. Armstrong, N. C. Schou, H. T. Read, J. E. Gaynor, J. H. Henry and W. H. Falding. J. F. Fox's side—E. Newington, F. J. Coulthard, W. B. Ransom, Geo. Raymond, E. M. N. Woods, T. O. Townley, R. M. McFarlane, R. C. Blaker, T. Gifford, H. P. Hendreigh, A. G. McFarlane, E. D. Brymore. Any others who turn up will be picked on.

CHILIAN ATROCITIES

Defenceless Women and Children Are Murdered in Cold Blood.

JACK THE RIPPER ONCE MORE

A Fearful Murder Perpetrated Yesterday in a New York Tavern.

CANADA AT WORK IN JAMAICA

The Kanucks Make a Bold Bid for a Big Business in Breadstuffs.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—The British bark Arthur Stone arrived from Pisagua, Chile, this afternoon, and Captain Adams says he never wants to see that port again. While the bark was in Pisagua, the crew say bullets came on board like a shower of hail. The Arthur Stone was ordered to leave the port, but Captain Adams decided to stay and finally got a load. He had to leave without clearance papers and will have some trouble entering at this port. In talking about the trouble Captain Adams said: During the fighting a shell struck the British bark Birdstone between wind and water and she nearly sunk. The Birdstone is still at Pisagua. The American bark, Lottie Moore, had her yards shot away and the British bark Strathern had her mizzen shrouds shot away. During the engagement the Chilian admiral's flagship dropped a shell into the coal depot and set it on fire. A fortnight later, when the Arthur Stone left, it was still on fire. All around the bay barges were at anchor, and the people of the town took refuge in them at night. One day, while walking up the street, I counted eighteen dead bodies. The day the rebels captured the town there was a frightful explosion. The rebels were on the slope of the hill, and began dropping shells into the town. Half a dozen families had taken refuge in a warehouse in which were stored seventy-five cases of dynamite. A shell dropped into the warehouse, exploding the dynamite and blew the building and all the women and children into the air. The concussion made all the vessels roll as if in a storm.

Failures in Business.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Dominion of Canada reports 33 business failures this week against 39 last week and 38 this week last year. The total number from January 1st to date is 705, against 675 last year.

Canadian Aggressiveness.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The bureau of the American Republics is in receipt [illegible] effect that the Canadian commissioners to the exposition there are making extraordinary efforts to extend the sale of Canadian breadstuffs and manufactures in the island. The Canadian millers are trying to introduce their flour by giving away daily samples of the flour and bread baked from the same at the building of the exposition.

A Frightful Death.

OREGON CITY, April 24.—An accident occurred at the Crown paper mills last night, by which Edward Fishburn, late of La Camas, Wash, lost his life. He was engaged in taking paper from the steam rollers on a reel and the paper broke. In stepping forward to catch the broken sheet a set screw on the shaft caught Fishburn by the vest and in a moment he was whirling on the shaft at the rate of 50 revolutions a minute, his head striking the floor at each revolution.

Before the machinery could be stopped all his clothing except his shoes were torn from his body, and his head was terribly bruised. Unconsciousness and death relieved his suffering this morning. The deceased was about 30 years of age and unmarried.

Intentionally Vague.

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Herald's St. Petersburg special says: Secretary Blaine should make no mistake about the position of Russia in the coming arbitration of the Behring Sea question. I know the views of the Government, although it would not be fair to hold it responsible for my words. In the first place there is nothing on record to show that Russia intended to convey to the United States any special rights in the open waters of Behring sea. The Alaska purchase was the result of private negotiations between Baron Edward De Stockl and Secretary Seward. Russia purposely left the question of special jurisdiction or special privileges in the sea out of the bargain. The whole matter, as far as I can ascertain was intentionally put aside and any attempt to draw Russia out of this vague and reserved position would have been evaded or resisted.

The Ripper in New York.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Jack the Ripper is believed by the police to have come to this city. This morning, in the East River Hotel, a low resort, the body of a woman was found with the abdomen horribly cut. Her name is not known. The resort is one of the lowest in the city. The woman was known as one of the half-drunken creatures who hang about Water street. She came to the hotel last night with a man who registered as Knicloe and wife. The couple were assigned to a room on the upper floor. Nothing was seen or heard during the night. This morning the attendant rapped on the door of the room occupied by the couple, and as there was no answer, finally broke the door open. A horrible sight met his gaze. On the bed lay the woman in a pool of blood, dead for hours. The woman's head was bandaged and a cloth had been tied about the neck and face, but whether for any foul purpose or to hide traces of the murder, the attendant did not wait to see. He gave the alarm and a messenger was hastily despatched to the police station. The police responded at once and after viewing the body the captain of the precinct lost no time in notifying headquarters of the horrible tragedy. In a short while Inspector Byrnes had three of his sharpest detectives on the case. No one had seen the man since he went up stairs. He had escaped under cover of night, when the deed was done. An imperfect description was given of him to the police and they went to work with much secrecy. The little learned was that he was shabbily dressed, and about 32 years old. At noon today the detectives arrested a crony of the dead woman, too drunk to tell what she knew. She was locked up to sleep off the effects of liquor and the police hope she will give them some further clue. The coroner says the woman was strangled and afterwards the body mutilated. Her murderer is described as being a short, thick-set German sailor.

CANADIAN NEWS.

KINGSTON, Ont., April 24.—Last evening Sergeant Matthew Coye of "A" Battery; died after an illness of several months during which time he suffered great pain. The cause of his death was a cancer which developed from a splinter of a bullet which lodged in his throat during the engagement at Cut Knife Creek at the time of the Reil rebellion. Deceased was an excellent soldier and brave in active service. He spent many years in the Imperial service before coming to Canada.

ELECTION PETITIONS.

HALIFAX, April 24.—Petitions have been entered against the return of Kenny and Stairs as members for Halifax. A petition also has been filed against the return of J. A. Gillies in Inverness. All three were Conservatives.

MAILS FOR THE ORIENT.

OTTAWA, April 24.—Yesterday the first mails from Great Britain for Japan and China via Canada, left London under contract with the Canadian Pacific. It is to be a regular service once in every three weeks.

DEATH OF A MISSIONARY.

TORONTO, April 24.—A cable dispatch has been received here announcing the death of Rev. John Jamescn, who for several years has been a missionary of the Canadian Presbyterian Church at Formosa, China.

GONE TO THE SENATE.

The Globe's correspondent announces that Mr. Carling has accepted a seat in the Senate.

They Will Play.

It has been finally decided to send a lacrosse team over to Vancouver on Monday to compete in the series for the celebration trophy. It will be hard scraping to get enough men together, but the boys are anxious to make the tourney a success, so far at least as entries are concerned. The team will not be representative of Westminster lacrosse strength, but they will nevertheless make an interesting game. All members are invited out to practice on the exhibition grounds this afternoon.

Daily Boat to Victoria.

Mr. Briggs, of the C. P. N. Co., yesterday informed THE LEDGER that his company had notified him that as soon as the repairs at present being made on the steamer Yosemite were completed that boat would be put on the route for a daily service between this city and Victoria. She will probably have one or two regular ports of call on the Fraser river, and freights from the other ports will be gathered by a river boat and brought here for transhipment on the Yosemite. This daily service is in fulfilment of Captain Irving's promise of last fall to that effect. It will be a great convenience to Westminster people, and [illegible]ume of passenger and freight traffic at this port. The new service will begin in the early part of May.

Do Not Obstruct Them.

Capt. Peele's army of census enumerators are now going their rounds in the city, and are working forward very satisfactorily. Occasionally they meet a citizen unwilling to answer the questions put to them. It is well to remember, in this connection, that the census officials are clothed with power to order the arrest of any who refuse to make replies to their questions. Some of the questions asked do sound a trifle inquisitive, but they are really not inquisitorial, for the answers, under heavy penalties, are not to be divulged, and when they are finally returned to Ottawa they will be treated with like respect. The information obtained, when treated statistically as to the general result, will serve a valuable purpose, and the labors of the enumerators, always arduous, should therefore not be made more so by stubborn resistence to answer the questions asked.

Vancouver Opera House.

The re-opening of the above theatre, after the extensive alterations now being completed, will take place on Monday evening next, on which occasion there will be given an entertainment for the benefit of the Hospital for Women and Children. Particulars of this entertainment will be found in an advertisement appearing in another column. The bill includes a comic operetta, entitled "Prince and Blanks," and the famous comeditta "Ici on Parle Francais." The talent will be the best to be obtained in the Terminal City, and doubtless the fact that the entertainment is in aid of so meritorious a charity, will induce a very large attendance of those who will be present in Vancouver on Monday next to witness the celebration of the arrival of the steamship Empress of India.

In order to facilitate those who may attend from this city, the C. P. R. has arranged to run a special train from Vancouver to Westminster immediately after the close of the performance. The railway fare also has been reduced to $1 for the return trip, good to go on Sunday or Monday and return up to Wednesday night.

Mr. Rankin's Success.

Yesterday Mr. J. V. Rankin, of the R. C. P. M. Company, received a telegram from Halifax, Nova Scotia, saying that his son James had won the Waverly Prize at Dalhousie University. This prize is given to the student standing highest in mathematics at the end of the second year. The mathematical course at Dalhousie is not inferior to that of any other on the continent. The professors of this subject are men who have distinguished themselves in Great Britain and Germany, and, therefore, to carry off this prize at a university noted for mathematics is highly creditable to the winner. Tony Rankin's educational course has, so far, been an exceptionally brilliant one. At the time he entered the High School of this city, although he had passed with high marks, he was so young and small, the Superintendent of Education thought it a pity he could not remain longer in the common school. But the small boy was made of the right stuff. So he rapidly gained on all his fellow-pupils, till in his thirteenth year, he was the most advanced scholar attending the schools of the Royal City. He was not fourteen when he matriculated. At the commencement of his course, in a competitive examination in Halifax, he won a Monro Bursary of several hundred dollars, being the youngest student that ever took one of these scholarships. And now the Waverley Prize, taken after two years of hard work and keen competition with some of the most carefully trained and most talented young men in Canada is more than an ordinary victory. Young Rankin is expected home in a few days, and it is quite likely that he does not yet know that he has been successful, for he must have left Nova Scotia before the results of the examination were announced.

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T. J. TRAPP, Secretary.

New Westminster, April 13, 1891.

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF THE TRUSTEES of the Canadian Pacific Timber & Lumbering Company (limited liability) will be held on the 25th day of April instant, at the hour of 12, at the office No. 625 Columbia Street, New Westminster.

ANDREW McLHUGHLIN, Trustee.

Dated April 15th, 1891.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NEW WESTMINSTER, HOLDEN AT NEW WESTMINSTER.

In the Goods of Patrick A. McIver of Chilliwack, deceased.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned not later than the 9th day of May, A. D. 1891 for the purchase of the southwest quarter of Section 28, Township 26, District of New Westminster.

This land will be sold subject to a mortgage for the sum of $947.15.

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W. H. FALDING, Registrar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made at the next session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to incorporate "The Burrard Inlet and Westminster Valley Railway Company" with power to construct, equip and operate a line of railway from the international boundary at a point in Township 16, New Westminster District, thence in a northwesterly direction to a point on the north side of the Fraser River, between Pitt River and Lulu Island; and also to construct, equip and operate a branch line from such point on the north side of the Fraser River to a point on Burrard Inlet; also to construct a telegraph or telephone line in connection with the said Railway. And generally with all powers, rights and privileges usually granted to railway companies under charters of incorporation.

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NOTICE.

T. E. LADNER HOLDS POWER OF attorney to act for me in my absence.
J. A. LAIDLAW.
New Westminster, May 16, 1890.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Simeon Huff retiring from the business which will hereafter be carried on by A. E. Clarke, the remaining partner who will assume all assets and liabilities of the business.

Dated this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1891.
Witness: A. MORRISON. SIMEON HUFF, A. E. CLARKE.

The Ledger.

THE SALE OF LIQUORS ACT.

This Sale of Liquors Act to which, when first introduced as a bill, THE LEDGER referred at length some days since, is now before us as amended by the Legislature. It differs materially from the original bill, which was rather crudely drawn; and though it is in some respects less drastic, seems likely to operate as a useful measure of reform. It is therefore necessary again to refer briefly to some of the act's provisions, especially as, in common with the Provincial press generally, we were slightly misled by abbreviated reports of the *Parliamentary discussions* upon it in regard to the date of its taking effect. This we gave as the first of January next. It, however, appears from the act that only section four, which enforces a partial Sunday closing system, is deferred in operation to the beginning of next year. All other clauses of the act take immediate effect from the giving of the Royal assent to the measure by commission. We shall therefore, as we hope, see our magistrates enforcing its other beneficial provisions very shortly, and especially those which enable them to prohibit, under penalty, the sale of drink to "drunkards," by which phrase is meant "any person," summoned before a police court, who, by "excessive drinking misspends or wastes his estate, or greatly injures his health, or endangers the peace and happiness of his family."

This power of prohibition may, it seems, not only be exercised by our magistrates on hearing a police charge, but also be enforced against any hard drinker, who makes a written request to any magistrate to apply the veto to himself. This last is a new and useful clause, which will doubtless, at times, enable a weak man to save himself from himself. If, on the other hand, a person against whom a "drunkard's order" has been made holds that he or she is wrongly prohibited, he or she may apply to have the sentence set aside by the County Court judge of the district. That functionary however may not set aside the sentence even after hearing witnesses in favor of such a course, unless the drunkard's wife or husband, as the case may be, knows of the application and consents to the withdrawal of the veto on drink purchase. This proviso rightly recognizes the fact that a married drunkard's case is not merely to be considered in relation to himself or herself, but in regard also to its ill effect upon the happiness of the home. Our lady temperance advocates will no doubt rejoice much over this very practical recognition of a woman's rights as wife.

We have previously noted the fact of the limited and deferred operation of Sunday Closing under the Act as now passed and need not again refer to this in detail. We would however remind all concerned that the Act, as taking immediate effect, now for the first time punishes severely all license holders knowingly selling liquor to persons intoxicated. The strict enforcement of this clause by the police will be to the great est public benefit.

THE WAY OUT.

Our extremely dull-witted though still highly esteemed local contemporary is angry with us for three reasons: (1) That we should have submitted a plan to enable the city to avoid financial loss on account of the Enabling Bill; (2) That that plan should have been adopted by the unanimous vote of the Council in secret session; and (3) That we should have had the brazen effrontery to publish the fact that it had been so adopted. These reasons may in its own mind justify the anger of our sleepy and esteemed contemporary; but we can't help that.

The arrant nonsense about the necessity of keeping these things secret is only less superlative than the danger that lies in municipal star chamberism generally. If there had been less of that sort of thing last fall, if the people had been invited to a discussion of the proceedings then going on, the present plight of the city would never have arisen. We place implicit confidence in the good judgment of the people in deciding any question, when they are fully and freely in possession of all the facts in the case, and we regard it as irrational and unwise in the extreme to hand over the whole interests of the city in this or any other matter of importance to a committee of twelve, or of a hundred, no matter how estimable the citizens composing that twelve or that hundred may be. The people are sovereign, and no man or body of men has a right to dictate to the people what they shall or shall not do.

This thing will always be found, that where drowsy mediocrity sets itself about to do a thing, it is always peculiarly sensitive about having anybody see it at work.

This is a thing well observed by philosophers.

But in this particular case of a search for "A Way Out" of the difficulties that now hedge the municipality, that secrecy of action which our soporific and esteemed contemporary insists upon is more than usually ridiculous. If it has ever read the Enabling Bill, which seems at least questionable, it should not be ignorant of the fact that Mr. Brown added an amendment to the bill which makes it necessary that before the electric works can be disposed of by the city council a bylaw must be submitted to the ratepayers to enable them to do so. How, then, in the name of common sense, does our cotem. imagine that such a bylaw can be passed without the world knowing all about it!

We don't believe in the use of offensive language, but when the News-Advertiser says the articles of our cotem. on this subject are "silly," there is assuredly some excuse for even so harsh a term.

We are of the opinion that the Enabling Bill was not handled by its promoter at Victoria with any considerable degree of skill at all. During the debate in Committee an amendment might have been inserted whereby the city could have proceeded to operate the electric works and the ferry pending the finding of the arbitration. The members of the House could not have objected to such an amendment, because they had already committed themselves to a principle to which such an amendment would have been the natural sequence. That principle was the arbitration itself, which being satisfied, the Bill admitted and guaranteed the city's rights in all other respects.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Personal Estate and Effects of ROBERT GRAHAM, deceased, AND In the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by an order of His Honor Judge Bole, dated the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1891, it was ordered that I, Charles G. Major, should be administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Robert Graham, late of Soda Creek, deceased intestate, and notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, particulars in writing of said claims on or before the 1st day of May, A. D. 1891, after which date I shall proceed with the distribution of the said estate according to law, having regard to those claims only which shall have been received by me up to May 1st, 1891.

CHARLES G. MAJOR, Official Administrator.

Dated the 24th day of March, 1891.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of British Columbia

In the matter of the Personal Estate and Effects of JAMES FITZGERALD, deceased, AND In the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by an order of His Honor Judge Bole, dated the 9th day of March, A. D. 1891, it was ordered that I, Charles G. Major, should be administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of James Fitzgerald, late of the City of New Westminster, deceased, intestate, and notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, particulars in writing of said claims on or before the 1st day of May, A. D. 1891, after which date I shall proceed with the distribution of the said estate according to law, having regard to those claims only which shall have been received by me up to May 1st, 1891.

CHARLES G. MAJOR, Official Administrator.

Dated the 16th day of March, 1891.

TENDERS.

EXCAVATION AND STONE WORK.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to 6 p. m. on Thursday, 30th inst., for excavating Lot 25, Columbia, Lorne and Clarkson Streets, and building Stone Retaining Walls for T. J. Trapp, Esq.

Tenders may be whole or seperate.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

G. W. GRANT, Architect.

Westminster, April 24, 1891.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINAtions of the British Columbia Medical Council take place in the

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Full particulars by applying to

G. L. MILNE, Registrar and Secretary.

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To Persons Navigating the North Arm of the Fraser River.

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C. A. STOESS, Engineer.

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G. W. GRANT, Architect.

New Westminster, April 21, 1891.

NOTICE TO SHIP BUILDERS.

Tenders will be accepted till Tuesday the 28th day of April for building a Twin Screw Steamer 180 feet long.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Albion Iron Works Co., Ld., Victoria, B. C.

W. F. BULLEN, Manager.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

23rd April, 1891.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that William Sinclair Gore, Esquire, C.E., Surveyor-General, be promoted to be Deputy to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and be styled "Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works."

APPOINTMENTS.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

11th April, 1891.

Thomas Cunningham, of the City of New Westminster, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace within and for the County of Westminster.

15th April, 1891.

James Porter, of Dease Lake, Esquire, J. P., to be Gold Commissioner and Government Agent for the Stikine Polling Division of the Cassiar Electoral District; also a Stipendiary Magistrate for and within the said Polling Division.

William F. Stewart, of Richmond Municipality, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Westminster Electoral District.

Tom Kains, Esquire, D.L.S., Draughtsman, to be Surveyor-General of British Columbia, vice W. S. Gore, Esquire, promoted.

Thomas Edward Wooldridge, Esquire, to be Bookkeeper to the Lands and Works Department.

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The Ledger.

BRITAIN'S BUDGET.

Mr. GOSCHEN had, as Great Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer, what was for him a comparatively easy task on Thursday last, when he made his yearly budget speech. He was able to congratulate the country on an abundant year's revenue, showing a large surplus, on which he was able to base the adoption in the coming twelvemonths of very important new measures. Our telegram does not state the exact figures of the surplus, but as the message ascribes part of it to alcoholic liquors alone, and mentions an increase of £456,000 as arising from the tobacco duty, it seems likely, with other items of increase taken into account, that the surplus must at least have exceeded £1,500,000. Moreover as with similar revenue and approximately similar expenditure the surplus estimated would next year give a surplus of £2,040,000, it would seem that this year's surplus must be somewhere in the neighborhood of £2,000,000. It is interesting, though by no means wholly satisfactory, to note how large a part of Britain's increased revenue arises from duties on strong drink. The only reassuring point about this is that an increase in the sale of liquor always follows an increase in an English-speaking country's material prosperity, though much of such expenditure on liquor undoubtedly detracts from that prosperity. British Chancellors of the Exchequer therefore levy heavy taxes on liquor for a double reason, because they tend to check the consumption of strong drink, and because they bring in an enormous revenue. Hence like Mr. Goschen, these officers are wont on Budget days to utter stereotyped but rather grim jokes about the country drinking itself into prosperity.

What more emphatically proves the present general welfare of the United Kingdom is the enormous growth of tobacco smoking, Mr. Goschen calculating that the increased revenue from tobacco represented 560,000,000 extra pipes. Taking the population of the United Kingdom at 38,000,000, and allowing for women and children and a comparatively small number of adult male anti-tobacconists, the extra smoking of last year probably have, on an average, amounted to about 40 pipes per man. As all this proves—most British and Irish workingmen being smokers and fond of a pipe—that the toilers of the United Kingdom have lately been so steadily well employed, as to be able to spend some of their spare earnings on tobacco. These facts justified the Chancellor of the Exchequer in his belief that British prosperity is again for the time being approaching its zenith after a long period of suspension.

Mr. GOSCHEN proposes in view of the large expected surplus of next year no decrease of British taxation, save in respect of liquor; but means to use nearly £2,000,000 of such surplus in making elementary education, as here, wholly free, instead of as now free only to the very poor. He also intends to apply money in improving the housing of soldiers, now often accommodated in wretched barracks, and £400,000 further in withdrawing light gold from circulation. The proposed abolition of children's school fees will be popular with British workingmen (especially those who are comparatively ill paid agricultural laborers) and the other leading budget proposals being known to be necessary, are likely to encounter little opposition. Though the Chancellor rightly proposes no new or further taxation on strong drink. The Budget looks like an election one, and the Home Rule party being at present disorganized, it is possible that the British Government intends to appeal to the country next autumn, though it is well within their power to wait yet another year or two. What will, however, be the most generally satisfactory indication of matters in the United Kingdom is the fact that there are no signs in the budget of any fear, notwithstanding European issues, that Great Britain will during the coming fiscal year be drawn into any serious foreign entanglement.

Another point in Mr. Goschen's speech remains to be noticed. He thinks, as one of the principal means of defense which it affords to British colonies throughout the world, that they should be called on to contribute further towards the Imperial navy. Australia it may be noted, already aiding in this respect. It remains to be seen, what steps Mr. Goschen will take to effect this end. It is not however likely that he will make any embarrassing requests to any colony, and certain it is that any contribution made by a British dependency will be of a purely voluntary nature in return for a reasonable equivalent.

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CELEBRATION

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When the following clubs will participate:—Calgary, Victoria, New Westminster and Vancouver. The winning team to receive a handsome trophy, presented by the Citizen's Committee.

ON THE SECOND DAY there will be Canoe and other races on the Inlet by the Indians, and a torchlight procession on the evening of the third day on the Inlet by the Mission Indians, accompanied by their band.

The foundation stone of the Women and Children's Hospital will be laid with Masonic honors on the morning after the arrival of the Empress of India at at 12 o'clock.

On the same evening the splendid Vancouver Opera House will be opened by a first-class operatic entertainment.

Owing to the fact that so many ladies of the Art Society are interested in the Hospital, the directors have decided to postpone their reception till a future date, and will simply give their souvenir ball on the evening after the arrival of the steamship.

The Board of Trade will hold its annual dinner in the Hotel Vancouver on the evening of Wednesday, the third day of the festivities.

SINGLE FARE TICKETS for the round trip will be issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway to and from Vancouver and all stations west of, and including Kamloops. Also by the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company at half rates, from all ports of call on Puget Sound, Vancouver Island and the Mainland, and also by the Union Steamship Company of Vancouver.

A. GODFREY,
Chairman Citizen's Committee.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
15th April, 1891.

WHEREAS, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered under the "Public School Act" to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to direct that the boundaries of Victoria City School District be altered and re-defined as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Vancouver City School District, as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Vancouver.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of New Westminster City School District as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of New Westminster.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Nanaimo City School District as follows:—

All that area embraced within the corporate limits of the City of Nanaimo.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Esquimalt School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 26, Esquimalt District; thence easterly in a direct line to the southwest corner of Section 10 of the said District; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Section to the western boundary of Victoria City; thence south along the western boundary of the said City to the sea-shore; thence southerly, westerly, northerly and easterly following the shore lines of Juan de Fuca Strait and Esquimalt Harbour to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Cowichan School District as follows:—

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 13, Range IV., Quamichan District; thence due south to the southwest corner of Section 1, Range IV., of the said District; thence due east to the southeast corner of Section 1, Range VIII.; thence north to the northeast corner of Section 12, Range VIII., Cowichan District; thence in a direct line west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Quamichan School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the northern point of the boundary line separating Ranges VII and VIII., Quamichan District; thence due south four miles; thence in a direct line east to Cowichan Harbour; thence northerly following the sea-shore to the southwest corner of Lot 14, Range IV., Cowichan District; thence due north to the northern boundary line of said District; thence in a direct line west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Oyster School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the eastern extremity of the northern boundary line of Chemainus District; thence directly west to the north-west corner of the said District; thence due south to the boundary line between Sections 15 and 16, Range I., of the said District; thence west to a point due south of the south-west corner of Oyster District; thence due north to the said south-west corner of the said District; thence following the western boundary line of the said District to the north-west corner; thence east to the sea-shore; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of South Cowichan School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 15, Range IX., Shawnigan District; thence west in a direct line to the western boundary line of said District; thence due north to the north-west corner of Section 12, Range I., Cowichan District; thence true east to the sea-shore; thence southerly following the sea-shore to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Clover Valley School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 9, Township 8, New Westminster District; thence true south to the Township line; thence west along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 6, Township 8; thence in a direct line north to the Yale Waggon Road; thence south-easterly along the said road to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Mud Bay School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 23, Township 1, New Westminster District; thence due north to the north-east corner of Section 2, Township 2; thence west one mile; thence true north to the north-east corner of Section 22 of the said Township; thence due west to the north-west corner of Township 19; thence in a direct line south to Mud Bay; thence easterly and southerly along the shore line of said bay to the western extremity of the line dividing Sections 18 and 19, Township 1; thence in a direct line east to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Mount Lehman School District, as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the Fraser River, being the north-west corner of Section 27, Township 14, New Westminster District; thence due south to the south-west corner of Section 3 of said Township; thence due east to the south-east corner of Section 4, Township 17; thence due north to the Fraser River; thence north-westerly along the left bank of the said river to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honor has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Aldergrove School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 35, Township 13, New Westminster District; thence due east four miles to the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 33, Township 13; thence in a direct line south to the centre of Section 15 of the said Township; thence in a direct line west to the middle point of Section 14, Township 10; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Port Moody School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the south-east corner of Lot 274, Group One, Block 6 north, Range 1 west, New Westminster District; thence due west four miles; thence due north four miles; thence in a direct line east four miles; thence true south four miles to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Sooke School District, as follows:—

All those portions of the District of Sooke lying north and east of Sooke Harbour, and not included in the East Sooke School District.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Tolmie School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the intersection of Harriet Road with Burnside Road, Victoria District; thence westerly alongside Burnside Road to Colquitz River; thence up the said river to the western boundary of Section 77; thence northerly along the said western boundary to the north-west corner of said Section; thence due east to the central point of the eastern boundary line of Section 64; thence south along the western boundary lines of Sections 32 and 62 to the south-west corner of Section 61; thence westerly along the northern boundary of Victoria City to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Craigflower School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the intersection of Harriet Road with Burnside Road, Victoria District; thence westerly along Burnside Road to Colquitz River; thence up said river to the north-east corner of Section 1, Lake District; thence west to the north-west corner of said Section; thence in a direct line north-west to the north-east corner of Section 116; thence due west to the north-west corner of said Section; thence in a direct line south to the northern boundary line of Esquimalt District; thence west to the north-east corner of Section 99 of the said District; thence along the eastern boundary line of said Section to Parson's Bridge; thence south-easterly along the water line of Esquimalt Harbour to the south-west corner of Section 26; thence in a direct line to the south-west corner of Section 10; thence easterly along the southern boundary of said Section to the western boundary of Victoria City; thence northerly along the western boundary line of the said city to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Cedar Hill School District, as follows:—

Commencing at the western extremity of the southern boundary line of Gordon Head School District; thence westerly along the northern boundary line of Victoria District to the Saanich Road; thence southerly along the said road to its intersection with the central dividing line of Section 64; thence east to the central point of the eastern boundary line of Section 64; thence south along the western boundary lines of Sections 32 and 62 to the south-east corner of Section 63; thence easterly following the northern boundary lines of Victoria City and the southern boundary of Section 34 to its intersection with the western boundary of Cadboro School District; thence northerly along the said western boundary to the sea-shore; thence westerly along the southern boundary line of Gordon Head School District to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to cancel the boundaries of the School District known as Victoria West.

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
15th April, 1891.

WHEREAS THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR in Council is empowered, under the "Public School Act," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that His Honour has been pleased to create the tract of land included within the undermentioned boundaries a School District, under the title of "East Sooke School District."

Commencing at the southern extremity of the eastern boundary line of Sooke District, terminating in Beecher Bay; thence northerly following the said boundary line to the southeastern extremity of Section 76 of said District; thence north-westerly following the southern boundary line of the said Section to Sooke Harbour; thence westerly, southerly, easterly, and northerly following the sea-shore to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to a School District, under the title of the "Gordon Head School District:"—

All that portion of Victoria District lying north of the line separating Sections 86, 17, 84 and 85 from Sections 32 and 33, the said line being extended westerly to the northern boundary line of Victoria District and easterly to the sea-shore.

Also that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District under the title of the "Duncan School District:"—

Commencing at the northern point of the boundary line separating Ranges III. and IV., Quamichan District; thence due south four miles to the southwest corner of Lot 1, Range IV., of said District; thence due east four miles; thence in a direct line north four miles; thence true west four miles to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title "Chemainus Landing School District":

Commencing at the eastern extremity of the boundary line separating Lots 13 and 14, Range VII., Chemainus District; thence in a direct line west to the western boundary line of the said District; thence north to the northern boundary line of the said District; thence due east to the sea shore; thence southeasterly following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Hornby School District":

All that tract of land known as Hornby Island, situated in Comox District.

Also that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Abbotsford School District":

Commencing at the northwest corner of Section 32, Township 16, New Westminster District; thence due east to the northeast corner of Section 36 of the said Township; thence in a direct south to the international boundary line; thence due west along the said line to the southwest corner of Section 5; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Brownsville School District":

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 1, Block 5 north, Range 2 west, New Westminster District; thence due south to the south-east corner of Lot 36, Block 5 north, Range 2 west; thence in a direct line west to Fraser River; thence up the said river to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Dunach School District":

Commencing at the middle point of the northern boundary line of Section 25, Township 13, New Westminster District; thence due east four and a half miles to the north-east corner of Section 31, Township 16; thence in a direct line south to the international boundary line; thence west along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 4, Township 13; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Nanoose School District":

Commencing at the southern extremity of Northwest Bay, Nanoose District; thence in a direct line west to the western boundary line of said District; thence along the western and southern boundary lines of said District to the sea-shore; thence northerly following the coast line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Parksville School District":

Commencing at the southern extremity of the Northwest Bay, Nanoose District; thence due west to the western boundary line of said District; thence northerly five miles along the western boundary line of said District; thence due east to the sea-shore; thence southerly following the shore line to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District under the title of the "Junction School District:"

Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 265, Group One, Block 6 north, Range 1 west, New Westminster District; thence due east to the Pitt River; thence south-westerly following the shore line to the mouth of Coquitlam River; thence in a direct line north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Surrey Centre School District:"

Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 27, Township 2, New Westminster District; thence true south to the McLennan Road; thence east one mile to the north-west corner of Section 1, Township 2; thence south one mile to the Township line; thence east along the said line to the middle point of the southern boundary line of Section 6, Township 8; thence in a direct line north to the Yale Waggon Road; thence north-westerly along the said road to its intersection with the Section line between Sections 24 and 25, Township 2; thence true west to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "South Aldergrove School District:"

Commencing at the middle point of the eastern boundary line of Section 18, Township 10; thence due east five and a half miles to the centre of Section 15, Township 13; thence due south two and a half miles to the international boundary line; thence west along the said line to the south-west corner of Section 3, Township 10; thence due north to the point of commencement.

Also, that His Honour has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of the "Simpson School District:"—

All that tract of land, situated in Cassiar District, embraced within the circumference of a circle whose centre shall be the centre of the plot of land on which the post office building now stands, and whose radius shall be a distance of three miles from such centre.

By command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mission City.

The Empress of Japan arrived yesterday morning at Port Said.

Mr. D. L. Lockerby returned from Victoria to this city yesterday.

Do not forget the great sale of Mission City lots on May 19th.

Spratts Ark sailed for another load of stone on last Thursday evening.

A portion of the Royal City Mills were working up to midnight last night.

Money to loan on first mortgage. F. J. Coulthard & Co.

There will be a lacrosse practice game in the Park tomorrow about 5 p. m.

The Dunsmuir left for Nanaimo yesterday with passengers and freight.

List your property with us if you want to sell it. E. H. Port & Co.

The Rainbow left for Jarvis Inlet slate quarry with provisions and machinery.

Brown Bros. of Victoria, have been appointed Consular agents of Newfoundland.

For Bookbinding, Ruling, etc., go to Lewis & Greig, Powell Block.

When you want a first-class hack call up the Crown Stables; telephone No. 45.

Mr. Wilson at the boathouse is repainting his pleasure boats for the season.

A very successful rehearsal of the "Elijah" by the Choral Society was held last night.

For a good horse and buggy go to the Crown Stables. A. E. Clarke, proprietor.

University graduates should bear in mind the meeting in St. Leonard's Hall this afternoon.

The Jews at Vancouver and Victoria are now celebrating the historic Feast of the Passover.

Law Books, Magazines, etc., bound in any style by Lewis & Greig.

The men for the C Battery, numbering 60, are expected at Victoria from the east very shortly.

The Delaware went up river yesterday morning with passengers and a large quantity of freight.

Lots for $225 on Douglas street.—BRENCHLEY & BENNETT. tf*

The Gladys left yesterday for Chilliwack and way ports with a cargo of passengers and live stock.

Mr. Thomas Cunningham has been appointed a Justice of the Peace within the county of Westminster.

We are agents for Goldie & McCulloch's fire tested safes. E. H. Port & Co.

It is expected that Hon. Edward Blake, Q. C., and Mr. G. T. Blackstock will reach Vancouver this afternoon.

Read the new list of properties for sale advertised by Messrs. H. G. Ross & Co., in the second page of this issue.

A full stock of D. M. Ferry & Co.'s celebrated seeds in bulk and packages at McLean & Morrison's.

The entries for the Victoria Jockey Club spring races close on Monday. The meeting promises to be a great success.

It is expected that the remains of the late F. W. Robson will arrive at Victoria by the City of Kingston, on Monday evening.

Let your courage rise to the sticking point on May 19th next, at the Mission City sale.

The Calgary papers say their lacrosse team will "swipe the earth" with the most players at the tourney next week. Perhaps.

The bridge which is being constructed between Lulu Island and the mainland has been making rapid progress within the last few days.

We are agents for Stalshmid & Co. office desks, call and see our samples. E. H. Port & Co., 615 Front Street.

The Tetrada Gold and Silver Mining Company resolved, at a meeting held last week, to commence work again on their claims at an early date.

The delayed train from the east will probably arrive today about noon. To-day's train will be cancelled and tomorrow's is likely to be in on time.

Heavy Blank Books, Ledgers, etc., ruled, printed and bound in any style by Lewis & Greig.

The recent charity ball of the Married Ladies Club at Victoria netted $463, which sum was handed over to the R. C. Benevolent Society of that city. Pretty successful ball that.

The iron fittings of the Park gates are literally rusting away for want of an expenditure of a few cents on a little paint. We commend this fact to the attention to the Parks Committee.

Remember the grand entertainment by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening, April 29th.

Excellent progress is being made with the construction of Captain Rogers new boat at Vancouver. She is expected to be completed by August 1st. Doty of Toronto supplies the machinery.

Mr. Foster Maguire has joined the firm of H. F. Heisterman & Co., Victoria. Mr. Maguire is the B. C. superintendent of the Mutual Life of New York, of which Mr. A. B. Mackenzie is agent in this city.

The cheapest property on the market. —THE BRENCHLEY PROPERTY.

Mr. W. C. Gore, Surveyor General of British Columbia, has been promoted to the post of Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works. Mr. Tom Kains, C. E., of Victoria, succeeds Mr. Gore as Surveyor General.

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"Ah, if I had only bought then!" That will be the burthen of the vain reprinings of those who fail to accept the golden opportunity at Mission City next month.

Look out for Thursday next, April 30th, and let 90 on Douglas road, close to city and on Tramway line, no city taxes; two acre lots. T. J. Trapp, agent.

The Victoria papers now to hand confirm the appointment, announced in these columns yesterday, of Mr. F. Hussey to the position of Superintendent of Provincial Police. The appointment is a very popular one.

If you have a few hundreds to spare, put it in Mission City property, and sit back and smile as you see those few hundreds growing into thousands.

The clerks (of all kinds) of Vancouver have formed an association or union to protect their interests. They will seek affiliation with the Trades and Labor Council of that city. One of the first objects they will try to attain will be a half holiday on Wednesday afternoons.

The News-Advertiser says the Columbian's articles on the Enabling Bill are "silly." How these Opposition papers love one another.

THE LEDGER put in the other day a large and handsome safe, ordered through E. H. Port & Co. A brute who happened to be passing at the time stopped and asked: "What are you going to do with that?"

If you want a choice block of residential property, with no city taxes, secure a half acre on Tramway line and Douglas road. Call at T. J. Trapp's for all information.

A limited number of tickets can be obtained on application to the members of the Westminster Choral Union for their concert, which has been announced to take place on Tuesday next at St. Leonard's Hall, commencing at 8 o'clock p. m.

Few opportunities to secure a block of building property occur. A choice is offered now. Why not secure a piece on the Douglas road and on Tramway line. Lot 90, Group 1, at all real estate offices.

A regular train service is now established between Sedro, on the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern Railway, and Sumas City, at the International boundary. The C. P. R. service from Mission will probably begin about the middle of May.

Mr. F. Wright of Wright Bros., fruit merchants, had the misfortune to fracture his left arm above the wrist, on Thursday afternoon. The accident occurred during a friendly scuffle between the two brothers. Dr. Cooper set the broken bone.

Full sized lots on Tramway line, close to city, $150 and $200 each; ⅓ cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Cheapest thing on the market. Secure one at once. S. T. MACKINTOSH & Co.

"Saul of Tarsus" is the title of the lecture chosen by the Y. M. C. A., to be delivered here by George R. Wendling at the last of the star course of entertainments. The subject is a strong one, and will give the lecturer lots of room for a display of his splendid oratorical gifts.

The great auction sale of real estate at Mission City on Tuesday, May 19th, will offer an opportunity to get in "on the ground floor" of what is bound to be at least the third city on the Mainland of British Columbia.

The man Abra who badly injured his hand last Tuesday at the Royal City Mills is in St. Mary's Hospital with his hand sewn up, one finger having been amputated. He is doing as well under the circumstances as possible, but will not be able to resume work for several months.

Lots for $225 on Douglas road, ⅓ down; balance, 6 and 12 months at 8 per cent. The cheapest property on the market.—BRENCHLEY & BENNETT. tf*

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sheppard took place at 2.30 p. m. on Monday from the late residence, Herald Street, Victoria, and at 3 o'clock from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The members of the police force attended in a body, and many citizens followed the remains to their last resting place.

Queenstown.—Owing to the exceptionally rapid sale of lots in this important townsite, prices will be raised on May 1st. P. M. Watson & Co., Agents.

Mr. A. E. Clarke, who succeeds to the livery business of Hall & Clarke (dissolved), has determined to keep up the fine reputation that the stables have always enjoyed. He yesterday received from the makers, J. Campbell & Co., London, Ont., a splendid new hack valued at $1,000. This is one of the finest carriages ever brought to the coast and will no doubt be duly admired as it rolls along our streets.

"There is a tide in the affairs of men which taken at the flood, leads on to fortune." Those who take Mission City at the flood tide will be fortunate mortals.

Engineer Gordon Grant of Victoria, started on his last trip on the steamer Sir James Douglass, with which he has been connected for the past twelve years, yesterday, the steamer going to Cape Beale. On the trip he will initiate his successor, Mr. William Cullum, formerly of the Lorne, into the mysteries of the engine room, over which he is to preside in future. Mr. Grant leaves for Scotland in a few days, to take charge of the new government steamer and accompany her to Victoria.

Towle & Wilcox, architects and superintendents have opened an office over D. Lyal's book store, Columbia Street. Modern designs made promptly and practically.

AT FAIRHAVEN.

A Splendid Reception of the Artillery Band

Special to THE LEDGER.

FAIRHAVEN, April 24.—The train, bearing the Military Band and a considerable contingent of Westminstrian friends and admirers, arrived on time and in safety, all present having enjoyed a right good time in some of "the best of all pleasant company," on the way out. There were in all about 100 visitors to Fairhaven aboard the train. The party was, on arrival, received at the depot by many members of the Cascade Club, who as on the last occasion of a friendly Westminstrian invasion, readily extended the right hand of good fellowship, and threw their spacious clubrooms, and with them every member's privilege, open to their visitors. The band in full uniform arrayed, and looking soldiers every inch, then stepped out briskly towards "The Fairhaven," playing a sprightly quick march. They were admired on every hand, alike for their bearing and their conspicuous musical talent. An hour or two was then spent by the visitors in a round of the fair city, after which all met in the grand dining hall of "The Fairhaven" that splendid appointed hostelry of which the people of the city are so justly proud. The repast discussed and enjoyed the band mounted the hotel balcony and played a few selections, to the delight of a surging crowd outside, just to give another "taste of their quality" by way of impromptu overture to the performances in the theatre. All Fairhaven seemed on fete, and too much cannot be said for its people's hospitality.

The concert proved a brilliant success, the theatre being crowded by an enthusiastic audience, who gave the band an ovation. Mrs. Watson's singing being specially well received. So too, was Mr. Watson, as conductor, he being a great favorite in Fairhaven.

The Late Trains.

Mr. Downey, the Assistant Superintendent of the Pacific Division, upon being asked yesterday what was the cause of the delay of the Eastern train, said in consequence of the heavy rains which had lately taken place in the mountains it was probable that a mudslide might have blocked the train.

Will Rise Like the Phœnix

Mr. T. J. Trapp, with characteristic energy and enterprise, will presently begin the erection of a new three-story brick building to replace that destroyed by the late fire on the corner of Columbia and Lorne Streets. Mr. G. W. Grant's advertisement for tenders appears in another column. The building is to be 66x132 feet, having frontages of feet on Columbia and Clarkson Streets. It will likely cost in the neighborhood of $35,000 or $40,000 when completed. Mr. Grant's design will furnish a building of most attractive appearance. It may be inspected at the architect's office.

A New Steamer.

The attention of local ship-builders is called to an advertisement in this issue calling for tenders for the construction of a large steamer. The steamer is to be built at once, for a company in which it is understood the Messrs. Dunsmuir are largely interested. Mr. Colville has completed the model, which shows that the new boat will be a graceful as well as comfortable and speedy craft, containing ample provision for the comfort of passengers as well as the handling of freight. She is to be 150 feet long, and to depend for her motive power upon twin screws. The machinery will be supplied by the Albion Iron Works, and that company is now inviting the tenders, receivable until Tuesday next. The plans and specifications are on view at the office of the company at Victoria. It would be a very satisfactory thing to learn later on that this boat was to be built at New Westminster. The enterprising ship-builders of this city are well able to make a satisfactory bid for the work, and if one of them received the order the work could not fail to be satisfactory.

Hotel Arrivals.

AT THE DEPOT HOTEL.—Alex Campbell, Michigan; Donald McLean, Z. Vanner Ontario; E. Dore, Utica, N. Y.; Wm. Thompson, John Wakefield.

AT THE DOUGLAS HOTEL.—J. Dowling, C. Parris, J. Pearman, Vancouver; E. Cheal, North Bend.

AT THE QUEEN'S HOTEL.—James Cameron, Barry, Ont.; J. Pennington, Hamilton; D. McLean, Vancouver; Mrs. Lewis, New York; Mrs. Woodward, Wm. Ellis, Victoria; E. Dunn, Utica.

AT THE COLONIAL HOTEL.—J. A. Spalding, A. MacPherson, J. Burns, Vancouver; C. Whyte, C. Waller, Toronto; Grigg, London, Eng.; J. Scarlett, Victoria; D. Lockerby, Montreal; C. Nation, Fairhaven; A. Rothschild, San Francisco; F. Hartley, North Arm; S. Record, Sapus; J. Collins, Whatcom; W. Arnold, St. Paul.

A Pointer to the Public.

District Lot No. 28 lies immediately adjoining the city limits. The continuation of Mary Street goes directly through it, and the Electric Tramway will in a couple of months be running its cars every hour of the day through the centre of this property. The lot (No. 28) is composed of 128 acres of land as level as a table. Contracts have been let to clear and grub the ground, and leave it in perfect condition for building purposes. Already six citizens have decided to erect handsome residences there, ranging in price from $4,000 to $7,000 each. The whole of this splendid piece of property (except some limited portions already disposed of) will be put on the market in a few weeks. One great advantage in buying a lot and erecting a residence on this property is that the owner will avoid heavy municipal taxation. Make a note of it, and wait till the property is put on the market before buying.

NOTICE.

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J. G. JAGUES.

Dated the 20th February, 1891. tf

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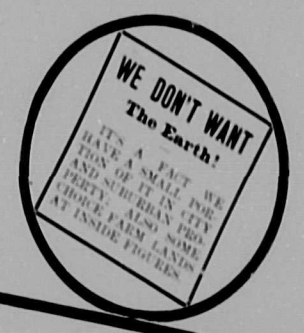

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