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MONTREAL, September 1.—The C. P. R. fast mail train which left Vancouver on Saturday last at 1 p. m., on the arrival of the C. P. R. steamship Empress of Japan, with the China and Japan mails, reached Brockville, Ont., at 9:03 this evening having made the run in 76 hours, allowing three hours lost by difference in time. A special left Morristown, N. Y. at 9:45 p. m., which will probably reach New York at 4:30 on Wednesday morning, making the time from Vancouver to New York about 83 hours, and from Yokohama to New York a trifle less than thirteen days. If the mails catch the Inman Line steamship, City of New York, which sails at 5 a. m., they should reach London on Wednesday, September 9th, making the time from Yokohama to London, via the C. P. R. and New York, just 21 days. The special train on the C. P. R. was delayed about three hours by hot boxes, otherwise connection with the City of New York would have been made with ease. If the City of New York is missed, the mails will go by the Hamburg-American steamship Columbia, sailing at 6 a. m. on Thursday.

MORE SCANDALS BREWING.

TORONTO, Ontario, September 1.—The Globe's Montreal correspondent says: One of the members of the Opposition declared this morning that the now famous Baie-des-Chaleurs scandal would sink into insignificance before scandals which they would bring to light as soon as the House opened. The supporters of Mercier, however, are prepared for tactics of that kind and intend to carry the war into Africa by exposing the wholesale boodling of Dominion and provincial subsidies by railway companies who were exploited under Tory auspices.

THE MAIL SUED FOR LIBEL.

The Empire asserts that the work at the eastern entrance to Toronto harbor is being honestly and well done and that the Mail in stating it is being bungled has been imposed upon. Murray and Cleveland, the contractors for the work, have instructed their lawyers to enter action for libel against the Mail.

IRELAND WINS.

A special cablegram from Belfast, Ireland, says that on Saturday the Linfield Athletics defeated the American International football team by three goals to two.

DOUBLE SCULLS.

Teemer has consented to row double with Hugh Wise of this city a race against Hanlan and O'Connor, Point of Islands, Mass., in October.

WON WITH EASE.

WINNIPEG, September 1.—The Winnipeg cricketers were easy winners in Chicago today, defeating the Ciceros of that city by 139 in one innings, to 111 made by the Chicago team in two innings.

THE DOMINION CAPITAL.

OTTAWA, September 1.—The privileges and elections committee met this morning and adopted the reports of the sub-committees in the McInerney case. It recommends that the Speaker withdraw the warrant for a new election and suggests that the law be amended so that the Speaker of the House of Commons be notified of all election protests. A committee consisting of Messrs. Girard, Thompson, Adams, Mills and Davies was appointed to draft a report for presentation to the main committee.

The public accounts committe further investigated the doings of Senecal this morning. Black, the Toronto agent of a Philadelphia firm, said that he had paid Senecal $2,000 for good will; J. R. Pilson of Toronto paid him $540; L. Montgomery, Toronto, $270; J. T. Johnson, Toronto, $150. The proceedings were enlivened by a row between Lister and Chapleau. Lister said that the Secretary of State had evidently dictated two letters sent by the Senecal committee, and Chapleau emphatically protested against such an insinuation. It has been decided to summon ten witnesses from Winnipeg at heavy expense relative to the charges against Lieutenant-Governor Schultz, that the pleasure steamer Lake Winnipeg was paid for at government expense.

The senate railway committee has about terminated the Baie des Chaleurs enquiry. Langelier, M. P., in furtherance of his charge against Senator Robitaille, and the original company, that $118,000 of federal subsidies had been embezzled or mis-applied, recalled Armstrong, contractor for the road. Armstrong produced a statement accounting for every dollar received and expended and promised to send a detailed statement tomorrow. The committee decided that the charges against Robitaille were not proven.

Lumber Prices Advanced.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., September 1.—The lumber manufacturers of the northwest met here today to take decided action towards advancing the price of lumber. Over 60 were present from Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin. It was decided to form a permanent organization, and a committee was appointed to draw up a constitution. A committee was also appointed to compile the written reports from the lumber makers of the northwest as to the market. It is proposed to advance prices about a dollar a thousand.

A Scoundrel Caught.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., September 1.—One of the desperadoes who robbed the Corder, Mo., bank yesterday afternoon, was captured last night about twenty miles from Corder and about half of the stolen money was found in his possession. He gave his name as Andrew Murrell. It is reported that Deputy Sheriff Jackson and City Marshal Dean, who had the robber in charge while taking him to Lexington, were met by a mob of enraged citizens, who overpowered them, took their prisoner and lynched him. The other robber is being closely pursued.

Failed to Sign.

MILWAUKEE, September 1.—The Wisconsin Central trains since midnight have been hauled into the city by the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul engines and crews, owing to the failure of the Northern Pacific officials as lessees to sign a new contract for the use of the St. Paul's tracks between Rugby Junction and the city, a distance of 25 miles. The Wisconsin Central held a twenty years' lease, conditioned that it could terminate the same by paying the residue of any five years of the four per cents into which the lease was divided, when it expected to build its own tracks. It notified the St. Paul company of its intention to cancel the contract when the time expired in July, and was extended till August. Now the Central is unable to get into the city, and finds itself at the mercy of the St. Paul company.

Swift Punishment.

SONORA, Cal., September 1.—Last night at 9 o'clock, while Frank McCann, superintendent of the Stanley mine, was sitting in front of the Yosemite Hotel conversing with James P. Nounann, he was interrupted by John Sevenoaks, superintendent of the Badger mine, in an insulting and abusive manner. This was resented by McCann. Pistols were drawn and four shots fired. Two bullets lodged in Sevenoaks' body, one entering the right breast, but passing around on the rib was afterwards cut out at the back. The other lodged in the right leg. The wounds are not considered dangerous. McCann escaped without injury.

The Celebrated Itata.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., September 1.—Today rumors are floating around this city that the sudden visits of United States Marshal Gard on Saturday from Los Angeles, was made because that official feared that Captain Mannzen might take a notion to run away with the Itata again. Gard states that his visit was made simply to congratulate his friends on the insurgent vessel upon the overthrow of Balmaceda, and express his hope of a speedy settlement of the pending litigation. In view of the account that the machinery of the Itata is dismantled, and that provisions and coal are short, show the folly of fearing that Manzen would run away again. The attorney for the Itata will be here on Tuesday from Los Angeles for the purpose of consulting Mannsen. Captain Tejeda is still in San Francisco. Nothing is to be gained by running away, even if successful. The officers express the belief that the question will be speedily settled once the matter gets before the courts. Captain Mannzen is receiving many congratulatory telegrams and letters upon the congressional success. He is celebrating the victory in royal style. The best wines and all the ship's larder contains is none too gone for the celebration of the great victory.

The Fannie Tucker Lost.

NEW YORK, September 1.—News reached the Maritime Exchange today of the loss of the ship Fannie Tucker, which sailed from here for Washington state in June with a cargo of merchandise. The ship reached Bahia leaking, where her cargo was lightered. During the operation she caught fire, and burned to the water's edge. The crew escaped. She was commanded by Captain Frost and was owned by W. P. Lennox of Maine. She was 1,527 tons burden.

A REIGN OF TERROR.

A special cable to the Herald from Valparaiso, Chili, via Galveston, Texas, September 1st, says: Exciting news is brought today from the south by the straits steamer which came up from Talcahuno. The two regiments of government troops which were taken to that port recently from Coquimbo by the transport Imperiall, revolted when they heard of the defeat of the Balmacedists at Placella last Friday. They shot to death all their officers and then disbanded. Nearly 4,000 coal miners joined them, and together they have practically taken possession of the town of Cornoell on the coast about 25 miles south of Concepcion. All sorts of excesses have been committed by them. Houses and stores have been sacked and burned. The slightest protest against their actions is met by rifle shots. Women have been abused and subjected to brutalities of the most revolting character. In fact, mob rule in its worst form prevails. Some outrages have been committed also in Concepcion and Talcahuano, but the force at the disposal of the authorities was able to quell the disturbances. The German warship Sophie and the British gunboat Daphne have gone to Cornoel to protect the foreign residents. There is a very bitter feeling against Americans on the part of the successful revolutionists, which may seriously affect American commercial interests here. The feeling is particularly severe against Minister Egan, whose recall is likely to be demanded. Coquimbo has finally concluded to follow the example of Santiago and Valparaiso, and the authorities will now be able to preserve peace in those cities.

Railway Ripples.

In view of the friendly relations existing between the Canadian Pacific and Great Northern lines, the surveys made and the examination of the Chilliwack and Sumas prairie by Great Northern right-of-way men indicates that a British Columbia route is being seriously considered. A road built over this route, though much longer, would traverse a vast grazing and agricultural country the entire distance from the Columbia river to Puget sound. The fact that a thorough investigation of the possibilities of the northern country for a route for the main line is being made, and that a Canadian Pacific connection will be established at Sumas is beyond dispute. —Blaine Journal.

The Fraud Question.

The Bellingham Bay Express says: "S. L. Butler, who has been making a trip through British Columbia, says our cousins across the line have a very poor opinion of our customs officials. He says there are two "dope" factories in New Westminster and Vancouver from which he was assured the drug is shipped into the United States. He says the citizens of New Westminster are not slow to say that the American revenue officers stand in with the smugglers, and tells of one man who saw the officers search the valise of an innocent man and allow a trunk which he knew held some of the drug pass unnoticed. It is evident that the revenue business in this country is rotten, and that if some reform is not made the government had better dispense with its officers altogether."

Comic Processionists.

The calithumpian procession committee held a meeting last night in Dr. A. J. Holmes' office. Those persent were Messrs. Walworth, Max Mowat, G. H. Grant, T. A. Muir, Dr. Hickingbottom and James Bloomfield, with Dr. Holmes in the chair. Various projects were discussed, and plans prepared for the production of comic figures more or less elaborate. Some really good and laughter-provoking ideas were contributed by the members. The meeting broke up at a late hour after several features of the procession had been definitely decided upon, but which could not be made public, as everything was to be unknown in order to produce the better effect when finally disclosed. An appeal made by the committee to the business men of the city for assistance in the shape of figures, etc. Figures with this sign $ before them will not be rejected. A number have been promised, but more are needed in order to make the calithumpian parade the success it should be.

SEEKING A REFUGE

BALMACEDA GOING TO EUROPE FOR SAFETY.

An Englishman in Paris Receives a Cable to That Effect—Labor Candidates Rather Plentiful—Arabian Way of Quelling a Rebellion—German Drunkards to be Checked—India Longs to Gain Her Independence.

PARIS, September 1.—A retired English officer in this city announces that he has a telegram from Balmaceda saying that he will come to Europe at the first chance.

TOOK IT COOLLY.

A youth named Baillet, who was convicted of committing several murders, was beheaded at Douay, near Lille, in the department Du Nord this morning. The execution of this young criminal is remarkable from the fact that he exhibited the utmost calmness in demeanor, and seemed to have an utter disregard for death. The young villain positively refused to listen to the priest's comfortings and admonitions.

Probably Drowned.

MABLE HEAD, Mass., September 1.—William O. Tucker and William Garvin, who left here on August 18th for a trip along the coast, have not been heard from since the 20th inst., when they put in at Annisquoteau, and it is feared they have been drowned.

Heavy Crop of Hands.

ADEN, September 1.—An Arab has arrived here, and tells a startling tale. According to his story, Ahmed Ritsedi Pasha, Turkish commander in Yemen, the principal division of Arabia, has utterly crushed out the revolt which broke out recently in that province. The Arab adds that the Turkish Pasha subsequently entered Sana, the capital city of Yemen, in a triumphant procession, having in his train thirteen camels laden with hands cut from the rebel chieftains of Yemen.

One More Notable.

LONDON, September 1.—Official circles in London are preparing for a distinguished reception to another princely visitor, Dam Rong, brother to the King of Siam, who is probably intrusted with important communications on the subject of the French encroachments in the Mekong valley. The Germans and French have lately been making formidable efforts to advance their respective interests in Siam, the former with some success, and it is therefore important that England should make a good impression on the Siamese.

FIVE MILLION DOLLARS TO WITHDRAW.

It is learned today that a determined effort is to be made to break the will by which Mrs. Edwin F. Searles bequeathed soley to her second husband the thirty or more millions left her by her first husband, Mark Hopkins. Twenty-one blood relatives of the dead woman have combined with her adopted son, Timothy Hopkins of San Francisco to contest her will, on the ground that undue influence was exerted upon her to make her husband her sole legatee, and it will be claimed besides that she was not in sound mental condition when she executed the will. Timothy Hopkins, it is said, has refused $5,000,000 to withdraw his opposition to the probate of his adopted mother's will, and will on September 15th file his claim.

Association Football.

There will be a meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, of all those interested in the formation of an association football club. It appears that there are many young men in the city who like football well enough, but will not play under Rugby rules, as they think it too rough a game for any but men of the most robust physique. All who like the association game should be present tonight at the gymnasium and assist in forming what is sure to be a flourishing branch of the great scientific game in Westminster.

Nanaimo's Military Company.

The Free Press says: Mr. William McGregor, manager of the New Vancouver Coal Company, has received official instructions from the Dominion Militia Department to form an Infantry Corps in Canada. The company will comprise captain, first lieutenant, second lieutenant, three sergeants, three corporals, one bugler and 48 privates. The officers commended are: Captain, William McGregor; first lieutenant, A. A. Richardson; second lieutenant, W. R. Bryant. A meeting of those interested will be held in a few days, probably on Thursday or Friday, notice of which will be given. Nanaimo is to be congratulated on Mr. McGregor taking this matter in hand, for he will make it a success if any man can.

County Court.

In the County Court yesterday, before his honor Judge Hole, after a few unimportant cases had been disposed of, the case of Mann vs. T. C. Atkinson and William Houston was heard. This was an appeal from a decision of Police Magistrate Atkinson, whereby the appellant was convicted of cruelty to a horse, and fined $50 and costs. Mr. Wilson, of Messrs. Corbould, McColl, Wilson & Campbell, appeared for the prosecution, and Messrs. Henderson and Aulay Morrison for the defence. Evidence detailing the alleged offence was given by Chief of Police Houston and others for the prosecution, and by A. E. Mann, Dr. Hickingbottom and a stableman in Mann's employ, for the defence. All the witnesses were sharply cross-examined by the counsel, and argument upon the case heard at some length. After a lengthy discussion between the counsel, his honor reserved judgment.

LATE LOCALS.

Carnarvon street is already considerably improved and the work on it will probably be finished by exhibition time.

Anyone desirous of purchasing a bedroom set hardly a month in use with bedding, a desk, carpet, etc., kindly apply at once to G. G. C., LEDGER Office.

The digging of holes for the electric light posts on Columbia street west, proved rather an onerous task, as the road is filled in with slabs for a depth of eight or ten feet and having been packed down by the travel overhead, were very hard to remove.

Some grouse were observed from the electric car along the tramway line yesterday, and as the season has set in no doubt the woods will be full of eager nimrods for the next month or two.

Messrs. Adamson and Tolmie went up the river yesterday on a gunning expedition. They reported grouse to be very plentiful, though a few birds were still almost too young. They each brought back six brace of plump, well grown birds; a very creditable showing for the opening of the season.

AT MUZZLE OF PISTOL.

The Station Agent at Nelson Held Up by a Masked Robber.

Mr. Frank Devlin, the C. P. R. detective, arrived last night from Vancouver, having just returned from a trip up the line. He gave a LEDGER reporter a very graphic account of the "holding up" of the clerk and operator at Nelson on Sunday night. The station at Nelson is some distance from the town, and between them lies a piece of heavy woods. The station is a very lonely place. The agent, Hutchins, and the operator were doing some work in the main office at the station about 11 o'clock on Sunday night when they heard stealthy footsteps outside, and a moment afterwards a large muscular hand grasping a revolver of very heavy calibre was pushed through the window, covering Hutchins, who was seated at a table facing the window. The owner of the hand and revolver then showed himself. He was completely masked, a sheet of some black material completely covering his face and neck and being tied down around the chest. Eye and breathing holes were cut in the mask. Pitching a rope through the window the robber gruffly ordered the agent to securely bind the operator, who was in the next room. While the agent was doing this the robber came inside, and when Hutchins had finished tying up the operator, the stranger ordered him to open the safe. He placed his back to the wall next the safe and held his revolver within six inches of the agent's head. The agent began work and passed the combination several times. "See here, young fellow," suddenly said the robber, "don't you try any of those games on with me, or I'll blow your brains out on the spot. It's life for me if we're caught at this, but its certain death for you, you — —, if you pass that combination again." The agent opened the safe at once and handed over all the cash the drawer contained, $1,040, which the masked man quickly pocketed. He then informed the agent that if Charlie Rykert had been present he would have tied him up, too. Mr. Rykert, fortunately for himself, did not appear, so the robber, after politely bidding his victims adieu and promising to send a box of cigars to them, departed. Hutchins immediately gave the alarm, but no sign of the robber could be found. Almost every man in Nelson now carries firearms for such emergencies.

Slocum Wash Day.

Some of the dusky maidens of the forest, resident in Sawdust flats, evidently seized a fleeting opportunity yesterday to wash out the bulk of their wearing apparel. The guard rails running along the sidewalk from Carnarvon street to the electric power house were strewn with calico skirts, linen and quilted petticoats, and other underwear, hung there possibly to dry.

Knew His Business.

A Blaine officer who was anxious to serve papers on a party who was on the British Columbia side of the line the other day went down to the iron post and engaged him in conversation about two bears which are tied there, and by adroitly keeping his attention off the line got him to carry his body voluntarily south of the magic meridian, and thus surprised him by serving the papers on him then and there.

Footballers, Attention.

The football men are summoned to a meeting in the City Hall on Friday evening next at 8 o'clock, to debate the question of a brand new team for the coming season. The election of officers and the drawing up of a list of matches to be played, will form the practical business of the meeting. Every young man in the city who takes interest in the real "roaring game" will be present, armed with suggestions and ideas. An exhibition match may be played during celebration week if the team can be drummed up before that time.

Complains of the Chain Gang.

EDITOR MORNING LEDGER: Sir.—Would you kindly call the attention of those in authority to the manner in which passersby are accosted by convicts at work upon the improvements on Columbia street east? No stranger can pass the locality without being asked in insultingly familiar terms for "tobacey" or "a chew" or money to buy some with; and if he thinks fit to refuse, he is treated to some of the latest penitentiary slang. This is a great annoyance and should not be tolerated on any account.

CONSTANT PASSERBY.

Attention! Right Dress!

There was a splendid muster of No. 1 battery, B. C. G. A. last night at the drill shed. Lieutenant E. H. Port commanding. A number of recruits were present and were duly enrolled. The battery was put through the manual and general preliminary exercises. These were smartly done, but the want of practice was perceptible. Every non-commissioned officer present was in turn placed in command and given a practical taste of the duties of issuing orders and conducting drill. This is very useful practise for the non-coms., and Lieutenant Port believes it to be very effective in giving the non-commissioned officers a thorough grasp of the details of evolutionary tactics. The battery will drill every Tuesday and Friday evening until further notice. Lieutenant Port expects to have his command in splendid condition for duties during the exhibition celebration.

Ended in a Big Fight.

The Glasgow hotel, Vancouver, opened on Monday night, a very large assemblage being present. The proceedings passed off quietly enough until about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, when two well-known saloon-keepers began quarreling about something and soon came to blows. The fight that followed would have disgraced a couple of wild beasts. The uproar was horrible, and in a few minutes a policeman rushed in and tried to separate the infuriated men, who were staggering about the room, covered with blood in a ghastly embrace, each doing his utmost to annihilate his foe. The constable got between them and in an instant the gleam of a knife was seen, and the poor policeman was badly cut about the hands and arms. Blows fell upon him like hail. Bottles, tumblers, spittoons, decanters, plates, chairs, stools, billiard cues and every other missile that could be found was hurled or wielded with savage force, and the fracas became simply devilish for a time. The wretched policeman received a dreadful beating and was ultimately flung out, a battered and bleeding wreck. The fight was described to a LEDGER reporter last night by an old-timer in the country as the worst that ever took place in Vancouver, and there have been some awful ones in several of the low dens there. The gentleman referred to said that while the fight was at its height the place was simply a hell upon earth. He had seen many wild rough-and-tumble scrimmages in the old mining days, but nothing so utterly abandoned and bloody as that of yesterday morning. Enquiry at Chief MacLaren's headquarters last night elicited the information that the policeman though badly hurt will recover.

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NOTICE.

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Vancouver, August 1st, 1891.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works for permission to purchase, for pastoral purposes, Savery Island, save and except those portions of said Island held by myself and J. M. Fagg under preemption record.
JOHN GREEN.
New Westminster, B. C., May 28th, 1891.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

MRS. ELIZA EUNICE HITCHCOCK, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE CLAIMS against the personal estate of the above deceased are hereby required to forward particulars of the same on or before the 28th August, 1891, to the undersigned, solicitor for James A. Laidlaw, one of the executors of the will, to whom Probate was granted by the Supreme Court of British Columbia on the 15th July, 1891. And notice is hereby given that on the said 28th day of August, 1891, the said James A. Laidlaw will proceed to distribute the personal estate of said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.
Dated 28th July, 1891.
J. BRISCOE CHERRY,
Solicitor for Executor.
McKenzie Street, New Westminster.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date the undersigned intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease, for lumbering purposes, the following described tracts of land:

Commencing at a stake marked L and K at the southwest corner of the B. S. M. Co.'s limit on Fredrick Arm; thence north twenty (20) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence south sixty (60) chains; thence east forty (40) chains more or less to the sea shore; thence northerly following the sea shore to point of commencement.

Commencing at a post marked L and K on the south shore of Valdese Island; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north forty (40) chains; thence west eighty (80) chains; thence north one hundred and twenty (120) chains; thence east one hundred and sixty (160) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east eighty (80) chains; thence south one hundred and twenty (120) more or less to the sea shore; thence west to point of commencement.

Commencing at a stake marked L and K at the southeast corner of the H. S. N. Company at Jackson Point, Thurlow Island; thence north eighty (80) chains; thence west fifty (50) chains; thence north fifty (50) chains; thence east forty (40) chains; thence south twenty (20) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains more or less to the sea shore; thence following the sea shore to point of commencement.

Commencing at a stake marked L and K on the south shore of Thurlow Island, bearing north from Bear creek; thence north twenty (20) chains; thence west sixty (60) chains; thence north twenty (20) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north eighty (80) chains; thence east one hundred (100) chains; thence south one hundred and twenty (120) chains more or less to the sea shore; thence west following the sea shore to point of commencement.
WILLIAM IRWIN,
GEORGE McCORMACK,
J. G. SCOTT.
Dated, August 8th, 1891.

The Ledger.

HOW TO AID HOSPITAL EFFORT.

The Royal Columbian Hospital is, as everyone knows, in much need of greater pecuniary aid, whereby to carry on with efficiency and success a beneficent work that is naturally increasing in extent and cost, proportionally to the rapid *local growth of population*, and consequently of sick and suffering humanity. One method of rendering the required aid, by means of a general public appeal for small sums, has not yet been tried here; yet it is we believe *well* worth a trial. A system has now for some years been established in many towns of the United Kingdom and elsewhere which contribute large and regular annual sums in aid of hospital work. Local committees are first formed, representing the various churches, businesses, societies and public institutions of the *town*. Dates are then fixed for an annual "Hospital Saturday" and "Hospital Sunday." On the first of these collections are made in the various local workshops, business houses, hotels and other secular institutions which often compete keenly with one another for a place high up on the aggregate subscription list which is afterwards published. In this manner thousands of working men and others, who are in many cases unable to contribute sufficiently large sums, as they think, to figure well on a hospital subscription list, give what they can, their total offering being consequently large. Then on the ensuing Hospital Sunday, collections are made in all the churches of the town when many others, who may not have given to the Saturday fund or are able to add a little to their previous contribution, put in their offerings. In this case each church generally strives hard to induce its members and adherents to give liberally and thus exemplify one much expounded but often little practised duty of Christian charity.

The result of the two efforts is a large annual contribution to hospital work from the religious bodies, and business and other secular institutions of the town. It may, however, be argued, that such a system tends to lessen the number of subscriptions to hospital work. Such, however, is not the case, for the Hospital Sunday and Saturday contributions are found as a universal experience, to be almost wholly gain to the medical charities of a district, absorbing, as they do in most instances small sums that would not otherwise be given to the work. There is every reason to believe that what has resulted elsewhere in so many parts of the English speaking world would also take place here; and the cost and trouble involved in making a trial of the scheme would in any event be small, and far more than recouped. Probably, indeed, the cost of printing and advertising, which represents the whole expense involved, would not exceed one hundred dollars, whilst likely enough the resulting returns to our hospital effort, if only the proposal were properly tried in and around our city, would amount to or perhaps even even exceed fifteen or sixteen hundred dollars, if one may judge by the statistics of similar efforts in other places of like size and importance. We therefore commend the suggestion *to those specially interested*, as worthy at least, of careful consideration.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The LANGEVIN and MERCIER scandals are attracting much public attention in England, where, however, credit is given to Canada, as we believe with justice, for a determination to investigate thoroughly and eradicate the corruption revealed, whilst the Dominion is favorably compared in this regard with the United States. The following extract from a leading English Liberal paper is *a fair instance* in point of the general tone of the British press.

"If a man like SIR HECTOR LANGEVIN, with his forty years of public life and the colleague of SIR JOHN MACDONALD in all his administrations, can touch base bribes, Canadians naturally ask whom they can believe in. The Canadians have determined to sift the scandal to the bottom. Individuals may be dishonest, but nations in the main hate *fraud and corruption*. It would be a political calamity of the first magnitude to Canada if confidence in the honesty of her public men is lost. It is a sad reflection that the most notorious corruption in these latter days has taken *place in the freest* and most democratic countries. In the United States, corruption and misuse of public funds for the enrichment of individuals may almost be said to be a part of the constitution. Public men and officials are all tarred with the same brush. But the Canadians have arrested the plague, and are determined to stamp it out."

The Conservative and Liberal Unionist party of Great Britain and Ireland is at present much exercised over the coming choice of a successor to the Rt. Hon. W. H. SMITH, as the Government leader of the House of Commons, MR. SMITH being likely in consequence of weak health and advancing years, and as a recognition of long public service, to be raised to the peerage shortly. The succession seemingly lies between MR. GOSCHEN and MR. BALFOUR, both exceptionally able representatives of their combined party and also very capable debaters. The latter is the more generally popular with his fellows, but MR. GOSCHEN commands the powerful support of the Liberal-Unionists, as well as that of many Conservatives. MR. BALFOUR is moreover rather handicapped than aided by his relationship to the prime minister, the Marquis of SALISBURY being his uncle. There is nowadays a very proper tendency of English public men to abstain from anything like nepotism, a reaction of feeling from that of days not long past when it was thought a virtue in politicans, or if not a virtue an essential characteristic, to find places for and seek the bestowal of honors upon as many relatives near and distant as possible. This feeling notwithstanding MR. BALFOUR is not unlikely to be the one chosen, he being though personally full of bonhomie, a hardhitting debater and pugnacious politician, endowed also with much tact.

A Vancouver contemporary, speaking of the rapid recent growth of our town, says: "The royal city appears to be as " stable as the bluffs which are crowned " by her pleasant homes, and her trade " flows on and increases in magnitude " with almost as much regularity as the " waters of the great river, her situa" tion on the banks of which has made " the location of Westminster one of " such commanding importance." Our contemporary then alludes in terms of satisfaction to our increase in population during the last four years, which (as shown by the recent census return which certainly does not err by over-estimation) it gives as about 232 per cent. These remarks are all very apropos but it is nevertheless true, that *our present rate of progress, great as it* is, is far less than it should and would be were the thousands of acres of splendid undeveloped farm land all around our city for the most part devoted to agricultural purposes, instead of, as is now generally the case, held back indefinitely for speculative future increases of value. This "keeping wild" of good land, acquired long ago for trifling considerations, is half strangling our city. There should now be at least three or four thousand more prosperous farm settlers than there are, within an easy radius of *our city, whose industries, population* and general prosperity the farmers' custom would then greatly advance. A slight improvement is at last noticeable in one pleasant rural out-district of the city, where after many years of idle holding, two or three owners of large tracts are beginning to clear small portions apparently for farming purposes. Still, however, not a tithe or a twentieth, we might indeed say not a hundredth of what should be done in this respect is being accomplished, and our city and its people consequently *suffer seriously*, as census and other statistics show, by want of sufficient scope for natural upgrowth.

Whilst our Province has, despite all unnatural obstacles to growth, nearly doubled its population during this decade, that of Alaska has decreased by nearly two thousand in a like period, despite a large advance in the number of white settlers. The Esquimaux and Indians are, it seems, being rapidly destroyed by the abuse of fiery intoxicants. This fact again exemplifies, were any such proof required, the absolute necessity of the continued strict enforcement of our own laws, prohibiting the supply of ardent liquor to natives.

In the libel suit against the Times of Victoria, the examination of the plaintiff, Hon. Forbes G. Vernon, commissioner of Lands and Works, has been fixed for today at 11 o'clock, before the registrar of the Supreme Court.

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September 1, 1891.

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REV. DR. POTTS

Tells the Story of His Recent Visit to the Pacific Coast.

Upon his arrival in Toronto last week Dr. Potts spoke to a Globe reporter of the trip which he had just finished to and from the Pacific coast. That his visit had been fruitful in many ways might have been learned from the happy look on his genial face. He left the city on July 16 with a threefold object in view—partly educational, partly holiday and recreation, and partly with a view to seeing the western country before going to England and Ireland next year as representative to the five Methodist conferences convening there, on behalf of the Canadian General Conference.

After passing from Owen Sound via boat he preached at Port Arthur, Banff, New Westminster, Vancouver and Victoria; and, on his way back, delivered sermons at Winnipeg and Fort William. He preached on behalf of the educational society at all of those places except Banff and Fort William, and the large congregations to which he appealed for funds with which to send forward the Gospel responded with a willingness heretofore unknown in that country, their contributions being sixfold greater than ever before. The Provincial Conference of the British Columbia W. C. T. U. was in session while Dr. Potts was west, and he had the pleasure of addressing an audience under their auspices. He found that body in a flourishing condition and doing much good work. Methodism in the western part of our Dominion, said the doctor, is founded well on the solid rock, and we have out there strong and zealous men in the pulpit. He was very effectively aided in his work there by Rev. E. Robson (New Westminster), Rev. R. R. Maitland (Vancouver), Rev. Coverdale Watson (Victoria), and Rev. James H. White (Victoria). He found Mr. Robson, who is one of the original pioneer band who went out to British Columbia in 1858, as earnest and as effective as any man could well be. Rev. Coverdale Watson, who went back to the west from Central Church, Bloor street, is honored and beloved by the ministry and laity throughout the whole province. Rev. Mr. White is a worthy son of a worthy sire, the Rev. Edward White, who was one of the original band of missionaries sent out by the Methodist Church many years ago to do missionary work in that province. Rev. J. F. Betts, president of the conference, placed himself in most cordial sympathy with the secretary's work, and the Rev. R. R. Maitland, the popular pastor of Homer street church, Vancouver was untiring in his kindly attention and devotedness to the work.

Dr. Potts feels that British Columbia is a fair field, and is glad to be able to tell that the friends of that province responded in subscriptions to the endowment fund to the amount of $18,000, with a fair prospect of receiving a considerable addition to that in the near future. British Columbia is likely to become one of the wealthiest provinces in the Dominion. "On my homeward journey," said he, "I was gladdened beyond expression at the golden wheat fields of the Northwest and Manitoba. I think it very likely that 75 per cent of the crop will be harvested during the present week."

"I believe this was your first visit to the west, doctor? What is your impression of the country in general?"

"I cordially agree with Mr. Michael Davitt, who stated to me at Banff that he had travelled over several trans-continental lines in the United States, but was prepared to say that we had in this Dominion the grandest national heritage on the face of the earth. Although I differ from Mr. Davitt on certain political questions my heart warmed to him when I found him so enthusiastic upon the extent, resources and prospects of this country. The scenery," continued Dr. Potts, "from the Northwest to the coast is simply indescribable. As I stood on the wharf at Vancouver and looked at the steamship Parthia, just arrived from China and Japan, unloading her cargo at the western door of our great Dominion, I felt proud of the position we occupy as the highway to the east. Now, talking about churches, I was greatly interested in the Pandora Street Methodist Church at Victoria, an edifice as beautiful and as modern as any church in Canada with probably one exception—St. James', Montreal. The people out there are at the present time engaged in erecting two grand sanctuaries. A good work is being done in the various important centres of British Columbia in our Chinese missions. I had, however, only the opportunity of visiting the Rescue Home for Chinese girls. The Chinese mission under the charge of Rev. Mr. Gardiner in Victoria is doing a grand work, and Miss Cartmell, so well known in Hamilton and throughout this part of the Dominion, is doing a Christ-like work in caring for Chinese girls, rescuing them from the worst form of slavery. Miss Annie Leak is also an active laborer in this noble cause. It touched my heart to hear those girls sing in Chinese and then in English, 'What a Friend We Have in Jesus,' and in the mission school to hear 40 or 50 Chinamen repeat the Lord's Prayer in English."

In conclusion, Dr. Potts said that he was delighted with his trip, more especially on account of the unbounded evidence of the fact that the people of the west are united in their interest in the welfare of our central educational institution.

PERSONALS.

W. J. Pace is over from Vancouver.

D. J. Munn has returned from Victoria.

G. B. Palmer is over from Vancouver.

W. L. Leonard of Vancouver is in the city.

J. L. Walworth of Glenwood is in the city.

A. H. Gillanders is down from Chilliwack.

J. N. McFarlane is over from Vancouver.

A. J. Bevill of Langley is in the city on business.

J. W. Young, Seattle, is registered at the Colonial.

T. F. Sinclair went to Victoria on business yesterday.

C. S. Smith of Junction City was in town yesterday.

Amos Bowman came down from Upper Sumas yesterday.

G. W. Bigger and K. K. Peiser of Victoria are in town.

R. B. Kelly of Junction City was in the city yesterday.

A. Tretheway came down from the Mission yesterday.

J. J. Southcott arrived in town from the capital yesterday.

A. H. Maybee of San Francisco is staying at the Colonial.

E. M. N. Woods returned home from Fort Moody yesterday.

Dr. R. E. Walker has gone to spend a short vacation at Banff.

J. W. Horne, M. P. P. of Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

Frank Devlin of the C. P. R. detective department is in town today.

Mrs. Hutcherson of Ladner's Landing is visiting friends in the city.

R. S. Rosborough and A. King of Halifax, N. S., are at the Queen's.

Mrs. G. W. Grant left yesterday on an extended visit to Halifax, N. S.

Mrs. F. R. Glover is spending a pleasant holiday at Pimpner's Pass.

Miss Wadhams of Ladners is spending a few days with Westminster friends.

K. K. McInnes and Mr. and Mrs. J. McInnes of Langley are registered at the Colonial.

J. McCaffrey, a student of St. Boniface college, Manitoba, who has been spending his vacation with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Steuart, returns home today.

Mrs. Corbould and family left yesterday on a visit to Banff Hot Springs, where they will be joined by Mr. Corbould, who returns home in a short time.

The Cradle of the Deep.

Yesterday morning there was a heavy gale blowing on the gulf, and when the steamer Eliza Edwards put out from Ladner's Landing bound for Vancouver, the sea was running very high. The vessel is one of the stoutest on the coast, or she would have been compelled to put back to the Landing. As it was the passengers got a rough knocking about, and were very glad indeed when the narrows were reached. The Edwards was built for service in the sealing industry in Behring sea, and is able to stand almost anything in the way of a hurricane. One of the passengers describing the trip last night said it was the roughest in his experience, and he had seen many stormy bits of water.

Hotel Arrivals.

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AT THE COLONIAL HOTEL—D J Munn, K K Peiser, Ira Wilson, G W Biggar, J J Southcott, Victoria; J A Walworth, Glenwood; W H Lawrance, W Partridge, W L Leonard, W J Pace, A Williams, A T Boggs, J E McFarlane, Frank Devlin, M Hicks, Vancouver; A Tretheway, Mission; David Hill, Haulton; A H Maybee, San Francisco; A H Gillanders, Chilliwack; J W Young, Seattle; Amos Bowman, Upper Sumas; K K McInnes, J McInnes, Mrs J McInnes, Jennet McInnes, Langley.

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

3. Notwithstanding the next but one preceding Rule, and unless otherwise ordered in any case by the Court or a Judge, any trial may proceed in vacation when notice of trial has been given before vacation, or where an order shall have been made before vacation directing the trial during vacation, and for the purposes of any such trial, as mentioned in this Rule, amended pleadings may be ordered and delivered during vacation; and where in any case application is made for further time to deliver any pleading or to take any step in the cause, the effect of which would or might be to prevent notice of trial being served before the commencement of vacation, or the making before vacation of an order for trial, the Court or a Judge, in granting such further time, may impose upon the party applying for such further time the condition of going to trial during vacation, and thereupon such trial may proceed during vacation.

4. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with applications for judgments under Rule 25 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1891, nor with the assessment of damages in cases of judgment by default.

5. Nothing in these Rules shall interfere with the pending sittings of the Full Court, nor with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These Rules may be cited as "The Supreme Court Vacation Rules, 1891."

By Command,

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Lou and Nora Mix, aged 16 and 18, respectively, in their home on Michigan avenue, at 11 o'clock Friday evening, hastily undressed without a light and went to bed. For five minutes they talked merrily. But suddenly conversation was hushed. They lay shuddering in each other's arms, their heads buried in the blankets, their hearts fluttering, their teeth chattering. Protruding from under the bed had appeared a man's foot.

By and by the girls could whisper faintly.

"See if the window is open," panted Nora.

"I am," gasped Lou.

Nora peered out just enough to see that the window was partly raised. This only confirmed their fears. The man under the bed was a burglar, waiting for them to sleep. They dared not scream, lest he murder them. Their parents, sleeping down stairs, if aroused might be killed. The girls' only hope was to let the burglar know they were awake, yet not inform him they suspected his presence.

"Revolver under your pillow?" asked Nora.

"Yes."

"So is mine."

This, said aloud, was for the burglar. They had no firearms. At sight of a pistol the girls would have fainted.

"Chloroform!" whispered Lou. Both thought they detected the odor of that drug. Was he thus to make them insensible, murder them? They had read of such deaths. The fatal influence was coming over them, a trembling, a numbness, with noises like drum beats in the air.

The clock struck 12. The man under the bed moved.

Then Lou in a husky whisper said:

"Quick! Let him know we are awake."

Uncovering her head, Nora in trembling tones hummed a song learned in childhood. The burglar became silent. The odor of chloroform seemed abating.

The girls again whispered, but the more they talked the more frightened they became. They recalled the story of the kissing burglar, who, finding a young woman alone in bed, had deliberately kissed her. They remembered Mrs. Malone, who was so frightened by a burglar that in the one hour of terror her hair turned white. Madly now rushed such thoughts as come to the dying. Worthless, odious seemed their gay life. All of a sudden Nora stealthily reached to the dresser at the head of the bed, put a book under her pillow, and tore a card into fragments. The book was the bible; the card an invitation to a fashionable ball. Then came half an hour of silence dreadful, appalling.

The clock struck 1. The man under the bed moved.

It was Lou's turn to silence him. Throwing the blankets from her head, she with great difficulty quoted a verse of scripture. She fancied her heart throbs shook the bed.

The whispering was resumed. Nora unwisely mentioned an old murder of which she had read. The crime, or rather series of crimes, had been committed in the far west. In a tavern a bed had been so constructed that in it one could lie comfortably only on one's left side. Concealed under the bed was the murderer. The unfortunate traveler asleep, there was thrust up through the bed and into his heart a long, slender needle. A groan and all was over. The small wound escaped notice. Not until many had become victims was murder suspected. The weird, blood-curdling story nearly made the girls frantic. They imagined such needles piercing their bed. Not for the world would they lie on the left side. Their arms tightened around each other's necks.

The clock struck 2. The man under the bed moved.

At this instant they were startled by a noise in a room above. It was their father descending the stairs. He would be killed. They recalled the Snell murder. If they warned him they might all be killed. Fortunately the father had no light. He approached the sitting-room stove, opened the door, put in some coal, then, looking toward the girls' room, said:

"Asleep?"

The sisters had been holding their breath, expecting every instant a bullet from under the bed would begin the butchery by killing the father. Lou's hands were pressed to her ears to deaden the report of the pistol. But Nora, her tongue parched, stammered in reply one word:

"Almost."

He slowly returned to bed, they daring to give him no hint of the danger. Then came again the oppressive silence.

All of a sudden slow, measured footsteps a block away were heard. It was a patrolman approaching. He saw the open window, came up, rapped lightly.

"What is it?" asked Nora.

"Window up. Anything wrong?"

The man under the bed moved. Even then the girls were afraid to betray the intruder lest he shoot them before he could be overpowered.

"No," replied Nora, "we want fresh air."

The officer walked away. All hope seemed gone. They again whispered. Suddenly Nora said:

"I can not sleep without luncheon."

"Nor I," said Lou.

They stood on the bed. Desperate, frenzied, they would risk it. Through the partly opened window came a ray of moonlight resting for an instant on their mother's portrait on the wall. Then all was darkness. Under the bed a revolver cocked. Dreadful was the suspense, wondering where the little piece of lead would strike, stinging, cutting, tearing through vein and nerve, tissue and bone. Too late, however, to change their plans. Holding the draperies close to their trembling forms, they bounded from bed, out of the room, closing the door. Lou fainted.

There was a noise at the open window. The clock struck 3. The man under the bed had moved.—Chicago Times.

The First Panorama.

The panorama was invented by a Scotchman named Robert Barker, who obtained a license in London in 1787 and erected a rotunda on Leicester Square. He was associated with Robert Fulton, the practical inventor of the steamboat, who introduced panoramas into Paris in 1796, but resigned in favor of Thayer, perhaps in order to give his attention to the application of steam to boats. Thayer raised a rotunda on the Boulevard Montmartre, whence comes the name of the Passage des Panoramas. Bonaparte caused plans to be drawn up for eight panoramas in which his conquests were to be shown to Parisians, whom he always tried to impress with the magnitude of his achievements in order to keep them faithful to his star. But these projects were never realised. The legend of Robert Barker is as follows: He was imprisoned for debt at Edinburgh in a cell with one opening only, and that in one corner of the roof of the dungeon. It was so dark that he could not see to read, but he found that by placing the paper near the narrow shaft of light that fell through the hole in the ceiling the letters of the writing became surprisingly distinct. This set him thinking, and after he was released he began experiments on pictures strongly lighted from above in a dark room.

WOMAN'S WILES.

He: "Charlotte, I love you; can you not return my affection?" She: "I'm afraid I'll have to, as I have no use for it."—Texas Siftings.

Miss Amy: "I don't believe in throwing kisses." Ocelin: "Neither do I. When you have any for me let me know and I'll come and get them."

The young ladies of the fresh man class at Colby university have adopted a class yell. An ordinary small mouse is enough to set it in motion, too.

"I want to give dear Harry something that will surprise him the morning of our marriage. Can you think of anything?" "Yes. Give him your certificate of baptism."

Mrs. Motherleigh: "Dora, my love, was it necessary to spend fifteen minutes in bidding Harry good night?" Dora (furtively rearranging a rumpled collar): "Yes, mother, it was a case of mussed."

Mrs. Bliffers: "Your old friend has such a sad face. Why is it?" Mr. Bliffers: "Years ago he proposed to a very beautiful girl and——" Mrs. Bliffers: "And she refused him?" Mr. Bliffers: "No. She married him."

Miss Frostique (yawning): "Do you like cream in your coffee, Mr. Staylate?" Mr. Staylate: "Yes; but why such a question?" Miss Frostique: "Oh, it's of no consequence, only we have to tell the milkman when we want it."—Harper's Bazar.

Misjudged.

He was a very swell young man and she was an old woman. It happened in a street car. He arose to get out, and as he got opposite her she dropped her purse. He gallantly stooped to pick it up, but she mistook his motives and said in an easily heard voice:

"No, yez don't. Gimme that pocketbook or yez don't git away," and she grabbed his coat-tails madly.

The poor man blushed, and after handing her the purse almost fell off the car in his embarrassment.

No Typewriter for Him.

Visitor (to old lady)—Your son writes for the newspapers, I understand.

Old Lady (with pardonable pride)—Yes, my boy is mighty smart, if I do say it myself, that shouldn't.

Visitor—Does he use a pseudonym in his writing?

Old Lady—Oh, no, he can't write with the pesky machines. He has to do it by hand.

A Man With an Income.

Any one could see at a glance he was from the country. His hair was long, his face was brown and the back of his neck was seamed and crisscrossed with deep furrows. His clothes looked as if they had reposed at one time on the shelf in the dry goods department of the corner store.

He walked into a saloon on the avenue called for a glass of "lager beer" and looked around as if he was anxious to have somebody come up and talk to him. There were a dozen men sitting at half as many little round tables in the room, but not one made a move.

After he had drunk half of his beer, he picked up the glass and went to one of the tables and made himself at home.

"Purty cold out," he began.

"Yes, sir," said one, while the old man took another gulp of his beer. As soon as the swallow had trickled down, he spoke again, waving his hand in a general way over the table.

"Drink her up, 'n have one with me."

They did.

"I just come from near Catlettsburg, Kentucky," he ventured.

"S that so?" encouragingly.

"Yes; 'n expect to do purty well here."

"That's good."

"Yes; me 'n' my wife come up last night. We expect to do purty well."

"What are you going at?"

"Ain't going at nothing. Our old brindle cow on the farm had a heifer calf with two heads four weeks ago, 'n as the darned thing eats with one mouth 'n drinks with t'other, we thought we'd put her into a museum 'n take a look at the two while we're drawing her salary. That's purty good, ain't it? Have another."

Antiquity of the Indians.

Hezekiah, of the Anthropological Society of Washington, declares that the languages of the Indians of this country, of which there were fifty-eight linguistic families and 200 languages and dialects, north of Mexico, at the time of the discovery of America, are none of them related in any way to Asiatic tongues; also as to the origin of the Indian it must have been in ages so far removed from our own time that the interval is to be reckoned, not in years of chronology, but by the epochs of geologic time.

Ocean Cables.

The longest ocean cable in the world is that of the Eastern Telegraph Company, whose system extends from England to India and measures 21,000 miles. Africa is now completely encircled by submarine cables, which make up altogether a length of 17,000 miles. There are seven cables across the North Atlantic, though not all of them are at present in use. Five companies control the lines of telegraphic communication between this country and Europe.

Nothing Very New.

Mrs. De Visite—Good afternoon, Miss Blank! Is your mother at home?

Miss Blank—No. She has gone to Mrs. De Mugg's Progressive Conversation Party. By the way, what sort of a party is that, Mrs. De Visite?

Mrs. De Visite—It is one at which the conversation begins with art, science, and literature, and progresses very rapidly to fashion, gossip, and servants.

Knew Men's Ways.

"What's the trouble between you and your husband?"

"He makes me jealous of certain ladies."

"In what way?"

"He mentions having met them when I wasn't with him."

"Pooh!—they are not the ones to be afraid of."

"Who then?"

"Those whom he doesn't mention."

HORSES WANTED.

OFFERS, ADDRESSED TO THE Chairman of the Fire and Light Committee, will be received at the City Hall until noon of Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, for two teams of horses for the use of the Fire Department. One team to be from 2800 to 3000 lbs., and the other 2500 to 2800. Teams to be delivered at once, and approved of by the Committee.

D. ROBSON, City Clerk.

City Hall, New Westminster, Aug. 27, 1891.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on Saturday, the 29th inst., for the erection of a

Presbyterian Church at Ladners.

Where plans and specifications can be seen with Rev. Mr. Glassford, or at my office, New Westminster.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.

New Westminster, August 18, 1891.

Tenders for a License to cut timber on Dominion Lands in the Province of British Columbia.

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 98, to be opened on the 30th day of September, 1891," will be received at this department until noon on Monday, the 28th day of September next, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 98, comprising the southeast quarter of Section 11, and the south half and northeast quarter of section 12, Township 15, in the District of New Westminster, containing an area of 640 acres, more or less. The license for the berth in question, with the exception of the northeast quarter of Section 12 above described, will be subject to the provisions of Sections 11 to 17, inclusive, of the regulations for the administration, disposal and management, of Dominion Lands in the Province of British Columbia.

The regulations under which a license will be issued, may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for the license.

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JOHN R. HALL, Secretary.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, 19th August, 1891.

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NEWS OF THE CITY.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The steamer Earl went down river last night.

The steamer Mascotte, Captain McCoskrie, of Victoria, is tied up at the C. P. R. wharf, and will be here for a day or two.

A meeting of the celebration committee takes place tonight in the city hall at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

The foundation stonework on the Dupont site is about completed on the south side, and the masons are now starting on the side walls.

Notice—William Johnston has removed his stock of Boots and Shoes to the Public Library building.

The steamer William Irving went up river yesterday to Hope and Chilliwack. She took many passengers and a full load of general merchandise.

The city's budding oarsmen now revel in the delights of perfectly slack water in the evenings. Who was it said the Fraser was not fit for boating?

Humpback salmon are now in the river in large numbers. All the cohoe nets have been taken out. Good fish are scarce at present and the market is a trifle quiet.

Several crews of the rowing club were out for practice last night, and did some good work. It is confidently expected that many of the prizes offered in the regatta will remain at home.

Royal avenue is a favorite practice ground for the junior lacrosseists. Every evening it is crowded with small boys armed with lacrosse sticks, all playing as if for the championship of the world.

The junior cricketers are practicing diligently and are rapidly getting very proficient in fielding, batting and bowling. It is expected that they will do themselves and their captain credit in their next match.

Business in the city police court yesterday was rather dull, only one person, charged with having been drunk and disorderly, coming before his honor, who lectured the delinquent severely, and then dismissed him.

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

The schooner Fannie Dolard, which was in collision with the China steamer Zambesi, has been repaired by diver McHardy, who planked the break in her side. The water has been pumped out and the schooner is again afloat.

Owing to its present obstructed condition, vehicular traffic on Front street is sometimes very seriously hindered. A considerable source of danger arises when trains are passing and two or three narrow escapes have been already reported.

The steamer Maude has returned to Victoria from the north coast of Vancouver Island. She brought down reports of extremely hot weather on the west coast and news of the steamer Sir James Douglas [illegible] last week.

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THE SPECIAL EDITION

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[illegible] Thespians.

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THROUGH TO VANCOUVER.

Electricity Takes the First Car From the Royal to the Terminal City.

The first trip to Vancouver over the Westminster-Vancouver tramway in an electric car was made yesterday under the direction of the Edison Electric Company. At 10:30 a. m. No. 1 car left Columbia street in front of the Colonial Hotel with Mr. E. Maxwell, superintendent of construction, and Mr. J. T. H. Wise, inspector for the Edison Company in charge, and the following passengers: Messrs. Benjamin Douglas, vice-president of the Tramway Company; S. T. Mackintosh, secretary; J. C. Armstrong, James Leamy, Alderman Ovens, R. F. Drummond, J. L. Chisholm, W. B. Wilson, E. Broadbent, D. Douglas, J. McNamara and several others. Canadian and American flags streamed from either end of the car and inside a number of hampers with suspicious looking straw covered bottles, etc., sticking out were piled up in one end. The park grounds were reached at 10:39, and a stop of a few moments was made to take on other passengers. Only a very low voltage pressure was turned on and the power taken from the trolley wires was almost entirely depended upon; notwithstanding this fact the speed maintained going up hill and down dale was extremely satisfactory. A fresh breeze redolent of the odorous green fir and cedar trees blew through the open windows of the car as it glided along and was enjoyed by the occupants. But for a slight humming noise caused by the electric current the motion of the vehicle was almost imperceptible, so far as sound went, which is as before commented on, peculiar to this newly constructed road, the only one of the kind in the province.

After a delightful run of 23 minutes the power house was reached, just before the arrival at which Mr. Mackintosh in the capacity of "honorary" conductor facetiously collected the fares. A general disembarkation took place at the power house, and a stop of some 10 minutes was made to allow the passengers to examine the improvements, etc. Mr. [illegible], the engineer, stated that the average amount of force used on the way out had only been about 50 amperes, at least twenty less than had been used on the first trip from the city. Mr. William P. [illegible], formerly district engineer of the Portland and Northwest division of the Edison Company, and now superintendent of the New Westminster-Vancouver Tramway Company, [illegible]

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"WHERE THE BEE SIPS."

Honey by the [illegible] on a Certain Well-Known Gentleman's Ranch.

A short time ago Colonel J. T. Scott, who owns a large estate near the Junction, was informed by one of his sons, who is managing the ranch, that he had discovered several honey trees in the woods on the estate. Colonel Scott is not the man to slight a bonanza like that, and personal inspection proved that honey trees there were, and of the richest description, if the number of bees issuing from and entering the narrow aperture in the trees could be taken as a proof of richness. Arrangements were at once made to take down the largest of the trees. To attempt the task in daylight would be certain death for the foolhardy axeman, as the bees would swarm out in thousands and kill the rash intruder with their united stings. When nightfall arrived young Scott and one of the hired men proceeded to the tree, and after kindling a smudge, where the wind would carry the smoke across the tree and drive off the bees, the broad axes soon made the "sounding aisles of the dim wood ring" with their "measured beat and slow." A LEDGER reporter who was present by special invitation of the colonel, will never forget the scene. A ragged bar of glowing crimson marked the spot in the western sky where the sun had sunk to rest. All things in the forest were still as death and dark as the tomb. Not a breath of wind moved the lightest leaf that hung pendant, as if dead, from its parent bough. A chill had crept down from the mountain barriers frowning near by, and sought one's throat and chest and made the hands involuntarily perform their office of fastening closer the top button of the coat. This was noted while the feeble flame was eating its way into the damp heart of the smudge and the men were preparing their axes for the task. A hole was bored near the base of the tree and some powdered saltpetre on a piece of cotton inserted. A light put to this soon caused suffocating fumes to mount inside the hollow trunk. About a minute afterwards a dull angry humming and buzzing announced the issuing forth of the bees from the orifice, about ten feet above ground. [illegible]

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A Pointer to the Public.

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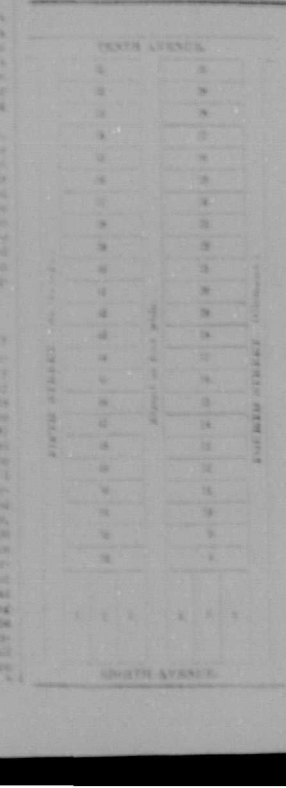

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