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ANTI-WAGNERITES

FRENCH HATRED OF GERMANY EXTENDS EVEN TO MUSIC.

Prominent Parisians Vow That Lohengrin Shall not be Performed.—Official Sanction Granted—Preparations for a Conflict—Garde de Paris Armed With Repeating Carbines—Wagner is Hated but not His Sublime Music.

PARIS, September 15.—The anti-Wagner excitement continues and increases, making it more than ever doubtful that *Lohengrin* will be heard this week or this season. Deputy Laut, who is credited with leading the crusade against Wagner, was interviewed today and said: "It is a great mistake to attribute to me a blind hatred for Wagner's music. I am a lover of modern music. I have listened with delight to Lohengrin and love the music, while I *detest the composer*. My hatred for Wagner is no reason for not going to his Lohengrin. It is not Lohengrin which is to be performed in this case, but a German manifestation which is to be made. As against this my friends and myself propose to protest. Also considering the reception of the French fleet at Cronstadt we do not believe it to be wise that Lohengrin should be presented in Paris under official sanction. *We did not say a word in 1887* against the performance at the Odeon theatre, owing to the fact that the Schnabile incident had just been settled in our favor. Now the situation is different. If the government declines to prevent Lohengrin, we are determined to prevent it." Deputy Boveau, who was present at this conversation agreed on every point with M. Laut. "Our object," he said, "is patriotic, we trust no attempt will be made to give the opera, we cannot say what may happen, but every one of our party will be present to prevent any performance." There has been an announcement of a further postponement, but according to all appearances an attempt will be made to present Lohengrin on Friday night. The Government is prepared for all contingencies and will accord the management every protection it requires. The Garde de Paris was today armed with a new small repeating carbine.

War This Winter.

ROME, September 15.—Articles in the Esercito, supposed to be inspired by the Italian minister of war, predict that war will break out this winter, and urge the Government to spare no effort in preparing the army for the ordeal. The articles are supposed to be a prelude to a call upon the Chamber for a military supply vote.

Shrieking for Food.

ST. PETERSBURG, September 15.—The distress in the Volga provinces is intense. At Pensea women and children wander about exhausted, shrieking for food in the market places. All the charitable societies are doing the best they can. Russian corn merchants on the frontier are despondent at the idea that the German trade will find fresh channels and never return to Russia.

Fatal Spanish Floods.

MADRID, September 15.—The facts concerning the terrible loss of life by the overflow of the Consuegra are beginning to be known. The official statement shows that 1,500 perished in the awful flood at Amargillo, and hundreds were injured by the buildings crumbling and falling upon them. Thousands of cattle perished and much loss of life and property is reported elsewhere. The railroads and telegraph lines are badly washed by the flood and much time will be required to repair them.

THE FRASER BED.

The New Chart Giving the Particulars of the River Channel.

A most valuable chart, showing the soundings of the Fraser river from Westminster to the mouth, has been issued by the marine department, and is compiled from the following authorities: The North Fork, from admiralty chart No. 1922, corrected in 1884. The main channel, from Westminster to the mouth, from a special survey made for the marine department by Mr. F. C. Gamble, resident engineer of the public works department. From this chart one would infer that the deepest channel runs somewhat as follows: From the eastern end of the city to a point a short distance below the C. P. R. wharf and along the northern side of the river the average depth is about 30 feet, the greatest body of water then seems to flow in a more southerly course to a point near the south shore, about a mile below *Birrill's cannery*, with a mean depth of about 25 feet. From there the main channel hugs the southern bank as far as opposite Parfect Point with an increasing depth which brings the average to about 35 feet. Here it turns and runs in a westerly direction, the course being directly from the last mentioned point in an almost straight line to Ewen's cannery from which place the great body of water flows for about four miles close to the northern bank. From here to the gulf it appears that the more northerly channels would furnish the best passage for vessels, but it is impossible in a short space to follow the vagaries of a large flow of water amongst the beautiful islands which give to the mouth of the Fraser such a charming beauty of its own. All through the chart the soundings in feet are reduced to extreme low water, spring tides. Twelve feet added to the soundings indicated will give the depth of ordinary high water; fourteen feet will give the depth at extreme high water, spring tide; whilst seven feet added will give the depth at high water, ordinary spring tide, at New Westminster. This chart should be of great interest to citizens in general and of inestimable value to those who trust their fortunes on the water.

This Evening's Treat.

The sale of tickets for the concert this evening in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium has been very good, and there is every indication that the comfortable hall will be filled to its limits by an appreciative audience. The management have issued a very tastily got up programme, in itself a thing of beauty, and containing the names of most of Westminster's "drawing cards." It would be as well for all who intend to be present at the concert to remember that an effort will be made to begin at 8 o'clock, something, by the way, which if it happens, will stand out in bold relief, unique in the annals of concert-giving in the Royal City. However, it would be pleasant to see punctuality of that kind. Readers can judge for themselves as to the quality of the entertainment by perusing the following copy of the programme:

Overture, "Ruy Blas," orchestra; song, "The Fog Bell," Mr. Gibson; recitation, "Address o' Sergeant Buzzfuzz," Mr. A. Henderson; pianoforte duet, Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Rand; song, "The Land of the Leal," Mrs. Watson; recitation, "The Quarrel," Mr. Graham; song, "Mignonette," Mr. Crichton Smith; song, "Come to my Heart," Mr. A. S. White. Part two—Piano solo, "Sonate Pathetique," Mr. T. Burnett; *song*, "*I'm a Forester*," Mr. Gibson; recitation, "Midnight charge at Kassasin," Mrs. A. Henderson; song, "Three Wives," Mrs. Watson; recitation, "The old clock on the stairs," Mr. Graham; banjo duet, Mr. and Miss Lennie; song, "Three jolly sailor boys," Mr. Crichton Smith; song, Mr. Patterson.

Comfortably Housed.

The New Westminster Rowing Club *moved into their commodious premises* yesterday morning. The crew of the four-oar took a spin in the evening and it is the general opinion that the boys will give their opponents in the coming *regatta as much as they can do to keep* even. An admiring crowd hung over the railing above the new boathouse watching the champions taking their spin and much admiration was expressed on the perfect manner in which they handled the sculls.

The Great Sarah.

Rosalie Sarah Bernhardt was born at Paris on April 21, 1844. Her mother, a musical artist, was a native of Berlin; her father was a young lawyer at Havre. Sarah was educated in a convent at Versailles. At the age of fifteen Sarah was admitted to the classes of Provost and Samson. In 1862 she was graduated with a good prize, the first honor having been given to Mlle. Lloyd, now a societaire of the Comedie Francaise and wife of Albert, the painter. Sarah Bernhardt made her debut at the Francaise. One day she boxed the ears of one of the leading women of the company and had to retire. In her acting she carries this same impetuous mercurial spirit, and that overpowering something that awes the average person into dumb wonder. Mme. Sarah will play at Vancouver next week in her two greatest pieces, "La Tosca" and "Cleopatra." Seat tickets are now on sale at Messrs. Wm. Cross & Co's, Columbia street.

Broke Up in Disorder.

A conference of the two committees *representing the two factions of miners* at Nanaimo was held on Saturday night, after the public meeting held by those in favor of discontinuing assessments. The conference lasted an hour and a half, and finally broke up in disorder. The representatives of the Union stipulated that all back assessments be paid in advance. The other side dissented, and asked for a mass meeting to take a secret vote on the question, and also that the discharged men should be reinstated. The matter will be taken into the courts, some of the discharged men threatening to bring action against Tully Boyce of conspiracy.

Whiskey the Conqueror.

The relative popularity of beef and whiskey was tested in the city yesterday, with the result that the whiskey came off victorious. An Indian deputed a friend, who was bibulously inclined, to go and buy him some beefsteak and gave him the wherewithal, amounting to $1, to fulfil his behest. Now, behold the frailty of human nature as exemplified by the bibulous gentleman. He reasoned within himself that whereas $1 (a big silver one) would, it is true, buy a certain amount of beefsteak, it would also purchase eight drinks of whiskey. Then unmindful of the sacred trust he had received, unmindful of the outraged and defrauded gastric economy of his native friend he "blew 'er in." "Sic transit gloria beefsteak." The Indian met him later on and demanded the beef or the dollar; he had neither. One glance at the size of his head explained the situation to the intelligent native and in all probability another case for his honor will be the result.

EDWARD HANLAN.

The rowing career of Edward Hanlan is by a long way the most brilliant in the annals of aquatics. For eight years he held undisputed sway with the spruces the world over. His victories, one following the other in unbroken succession, were gained with such ease that during the latter years of his championship career he was believed to be practically invincible. In conversation with him the other day, he stated that he had rowed in all about 300 races, including regatta events, and of these 300, at least 160 were of first-class importance, involving large stakes and championship honors. In these races he had won over $200,000, and had only been a loser on thirteen occasions, the first of these being his memorable defeat by Beach in Australia. Mr. Hanlan's career in the championship series is, of course, ended, and it is satisfactory to know that he has not allowed all his large winnings to slip through his fingers. He is fairly well off, being worth probably $80,000 in Toronto real estate; prides himself in his perfect physical health; is only 36; has a wife and interesting family of three, and altogether he shows that success in oarsmanship leads to no less satisfactory results than in many other of the pursuits of life.

Previous to 1876, Hanlan was noted for his successes as an amateur in the Toronto Rowing Club races on Toronto Bay and at other places throughout Ontario, being rarely if ever beaten. He was suddenly brought before the gaze of the world by his splendid victory at the Centennial regatta at Philadelphia in 1876, when he defeated many of the most notable scullers of the day, including Harry Coulter, Pat Luther, Evan Morris (champion of America), John McKell, Fred Plaisted, John Bealy, John Higgins, Thomas Green, William Spencer, Harry Thomas (the latter four English scullers) and others. Bealy (Halifax) rowed second in that race. The first prize was $1,000 and as it carried with it the championship, Hanlan woke up next morning to find himself in the enjoyment of a world-wide fame. Old Torontonians will recollect the wild enthusiasm with which the "Boy in Blue" was welcomed home.

His next important race was on June 17th at Boston against Plaisted. During the race he broke an oarlock and Plaisted finished alone, but on the same course one week later he defeated Plaisted with great ease. His next race was against Wallace Ross at Toronto on October 15th for $2,000, which he won easily.

On May 15, 1878, he again met and defeated Plaisted on Toronto Bay for stakes of $2,000; and a few weeks later, at Pittsburgh, he downed the American champion Evan Morris, winning another $2,000 in stakes. Then followed the regattas at Brockville, on July 1st, and Cape Vincent, July 4th, Hanlan winning easily in both events. The next race was one with Wallace Ross, August 31st, on the Kennebecasis river, another easy victory. He won also at the Barrie regatta in September, defeating a large field, and finished up the season's racing at Lachine on October 3rd, where he defeated Courtney winning stakes of $8,000.

Having now shown himself so greatly the superior of all other Canadian and American oarsmen he sought fresh worlds to conquer by crossing the "pond" to England. There he successfully vanquished John Howdon of Newcastle, and Elliott, on the Tyne Championship course, winning $2,000 in each case as well as the Sportsman Challenge Cup. He was now in the very zenith of his fame, and returned to Canada fairly laden with aquatic honors. After his return he rowed a race at Barrie, on August 17th, with Riley. The champion went into the race without the usual training and as a consequence was nearly beaten, rowing a dead heat. On the 16th of October following, occurred the celebrated fizzle at Chautauqua, N. Y., which set the whole continent laughing at Courtney, whose boats managed to get mysteriously sawed in two at his boathouse the night before the race was to be rowed. Hanlan went over the five-mile course alone in 33 min. 56 sec., more than a minute and a half faster than the distance had ever been traversed before, nor has it been equalled since. This was the memorable "Hop Bitters" contest, but the enormous stake and purse of $16,000 the referee refused to hand over.

This event closed the season of 1879, and early next year Hanlan and Courtney were matched to row again for the old purse. The race took place on the Potomac river at Washington, D. C., on the 19th May, when Courtney fell an easy victim to the Canadian's superior skill. Two days afterwards Hanlan encountered Riley on the same course, the stake being $2,000, and defeated him. On June 17th, on the Seconk river, Wallace Ross obtained a lead over Hanlan, who was sick at the time and entirely off form. After this the champion rested a couple of months and then journeyed over to England again, where he defeated Edward Trickett, the Australian, on the Thames course, the race being for the championship of the world, the Sportsman cup and $2,000. Hanlan made such a show of the Australian in this race that his antics gave rise to some adverse comment.

On February 14th, 1881, he was again on the Thames course, his opponent now being Laycock, another Australian, whom he defeated winning $5,000 and the Sportsman cup, which them became the winner's property, having been captured by him three times in succession. The champion returned home and rowed in a few minor regattas.

Next year to journeyed to the Old Country again to meet Robert Boyd on the Tyne course, May 5th, and Trickett again on the Thames, June 1st. Both races were for stakes of $5,000, and were both won by the peerless Canadian. Returning home, he was matched to row Ross at Winnipeg, but the champion was stricken with typhoid fever, and though he recovered rapidly did no more rowing that year.

On May 31, 1882, he defeated John A. Kennedy at Point of Pines winning in stakes and purse $10,000. At a regatta at Pullman on June 22nd he beat all the notable American scullers, and at Ogdensburg on July 18th, he defeated Wallace Ross again, doing four miles in 27 minutes 50 seconds, another fastest on record. A circuit of regattas was now followed—Fulton, Lake Minnetonka, Watkins Glen, Fall River and Cincinnati being amongst the number. His next match was with Stephenson at San Francisco on October 8th. Stephenson "funked" and Hanlan came up the coast paying his first visit to New Westminster at that time.

Unable to find a foeman worthy of him in England or America, he decided to cross the Pacific to Australia, and here he met his first real reverse. His first race in the Antipodes was with Laycock on the Nepean river, May 22, 1884. Hanlan won, and found himself £10,000 richer thereby. He was then defeated by Beach on the Paramatta river, August 16th, and again on the Nepean, November 15th, the Australian winning the latter by barely a boat-length. Hanlan attributes his defeat in Australia to two causes—the climate and too much hospitality on the part of the Antipodeans.

Since 1884 Hanlan's success has been indifferent, but he says if he don't win next Thursday, the other fellows will have to hump along pretty fast. He has not felt as fit for two years.

HIS FAIR NAME GONE

THE LIBERAL COMMITTEE REPORT CONDEMNS SIR HECTOR.

All the Charges They Say Have Been Substantiated—Sir Hector Should Go as Well as the Others—McGreevy to be Expelled—Dangerous Outbreak of Lumbermen—The Military Called Out—Disorderly Conduct of the Rioters.

OTTAWA, September 15.—The reports prepared by the Conservative majority and the Liberal minority of the sub-committee, on the Langevin-McGreevy scandal, were presented to the sub-committee today. The report of the Conservative members of the sub-committee practically acquits Sir Hector of maladministration, but the officials of his department were censured and the whole system is condemned. McGreevy, it may be assumed, will be expelled. The Liberal report goes further and contends that all the charges have been substantiated and taking the view that Sir Hector should go too. Respecting the Esquimalt dock contract, the majority report sets forth that before that contract Mr. McGreevy interested himself in it, procuring advance information from the engineers, for the benefit of the contractors, and that Thomas McGreevy was aware from the beginning that his brother Robert had been given 30 per cent interest in the contract, without being required to furnish any capital for the purpose of securing Thomas's influence. The report says that Thomas McGreevy did receive money out of this contract, and though the amounts cannot definitely be determined, they were charged to the expense account with the work.

THE MILITARY CALLED OUT.

About 1,500 striking mill hands held a meeting at the Chaudiere mill this morning, and after listening to inflammatory speeches, they moved across the bridge towards the Hull side. They swarmed into Eddy's pail factory and compelled 250 employes to quit work. Mr. Eddy, his manager, Mr. Rowley, and another official named McMillan received ugly treatment. Encouraged by their success here the strikers visited Wright's lime and cement works and compelled the workmen to stop. Mr. Wright was roughly handled. Three companies of the 43rd battalion, and two of the Governor-General's Footguards have been called out to protect property. A conflict is feared.

Emphatically Lynched.

ALBANY, Ind., September 15.—John Bennett, who criminally assaulted two 13-year-old girls at Sellersburg, Ky., Wednesday night, was captured last evening by a posse of pursuers, hanged to a tree and his body shot full of bullets.

Hopeful Signs.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 15.—The condition of detective Len Harris who was shot by train robbers last week, continues very favorable and strong hopes are entertained of his being able to get out of his house within two or three weeks.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

M. B. Steillinger, better known as Curtis the actor, accused of the murder of Policeman Grant, was arraigned in the police court this morning, but the case was continued until Wednesday as the inquest has not yet been held.

THE FAIR MILLIONS.

Mrs. Theresa Fair who died last night, left an estate valued at $6,000,000. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning. From an intimate friend of the family it was learned that Mrs. Fair divided her fortune or the bulk of it, between her daughters, expecting Senator Fair to provide for her sons. She leaves, it is said, large sums to numerous charities, several bequests to friends and faithful employes and a legacy to the Catholic church.

The Australian Oarsmen.

Mr. A. B. McKenzie, secretary of the Celebration Committee, received a telegram at a late hour last night from Victoria stating that Messrs. Charles Dutch and Charles Stephenson will arrive in Westminster this morning on the steamer Rithet.

From Portland.

The steamship Michigan arrived last night from Portland with a heavy cargo of flour, feed and grain for Mathers & Milligan and other city firms, and about 40 tons of cement for Messrs. W. Turnbull & Co. The cement was unloaded at the Turnbull dock. The Michigan clears for the south this morning.

No Extra Charge.

The ferry steamer Surrey took a rest on the mud bank off South Westminster landing yesterday, and seemed to like it first rate, she stald so long. This interesting example of an unarmed floating battery now heads off for Brownsville in her trips to the sunny south, and the passengers are charged nothing "extry" for the additional mile.

Hurdles and Holds.

The two medals for amateur hurdle racing and amateur wrestling, for which there were no competitors at the Caledonian games here last month have been handed over by the St. Andrew's Society to the sports committee of the celebration, who have accepted them and will place the two extra numbers on the programme. These events should prove of much interest, especially the wrestling which will be quite a novelty here. These events will be probably the last on Friday afternoon the 25th.

Modern Improvements.

Wonders will never cease. What was the public's astonishment yesterday morning, when on arriving at the postoffice they found the giddy old sidewalk with its ankle-twisting wiles and shin-barking allurements, buried beneath a cheap sample of lumber, freckled all over with knotholes? How long it will take the wild mob's million feet to kick this veneer off the Charybdis that lurks beneath, no man may say; but give it a week, or, to be liberal to the bounds of extravagance, a fortnight.

Suit for Heavy Damages.

The writ has been served in the suit of Mr. Arthur Rand vs. the Westminster Southern Railway Company. The plaintiff claims $225,000 damages for breach of agreement; the railway company having decided to change the location of their terminus from Liverpool. On the understanding that Liverpool was to be the terminus of the railway, Mr. Rand gave the company valuable concessions there, and has also sold a large portion of land at that place, it being understood by the purchasers that the terminus of the railway would be located there.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a meeting of the Board of Examiners for the examination of candidates for admission to practise as Provincial Land Surveyors in the Province of British Columbia will be held at the office of the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, proximo, as provided by the "Provincial Land Surveyors' Act, 1891."

TOM KAINS,
Surveyor-General.

September 7th, 1891.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. W. H. Green being responsible for all debts from Sept. 1. E. B. Little owning half interest in the store and fixtures.

Dated this 7th day of Sept., 1891.

E. B. LITTLE.
W. H. GREEN.

FOR SALE.

PHOTOGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS, the property of the late Joe Davis. For further particulars apply to W. HOUSTON, Chief of Police.

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. N. M. Co.'s limit on Frederick 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 Land 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 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 McCOFMACK.
J. G. SCOTT.

Dated, August 4th, 1891.

Professor SAUNDERS, the director of the Dominion experimental farms, who last night favored us with a call, gives some interesting practical advice to our agriculturists and fruit growers. He warns the latter with emphasis not to raise, as in the past, coarse and ordinary kinds of apples; our soil and climate will grow the best and choicest. The professor indeed states that save in the Annapolis Valley of Nova Scotia he has nowhere seen such bountiful yields of apples and pears as in our province. The professor also suggests that the growing of eastern hardwoods may well be taken up on much mountain bench land that cannot well be used to advantage otherwise. Experience at the Agassiz farm already shows that the black walnut, ash, elm and basswood can all be grown here readily and well. So too can many oriental shrubs and trees from Japan and neighboring regions. Of these trees and shrubs, the professor states, many interesting varieties may be seen thriving at Agassiz. As to grain, field roots and root crops in general, Mr. SAUNDERS can of course only confirm the results of general observation. They can here all be made to yield most bountifully. The professor however offers a suggestion that much greater use may well be made of the ensilage system for storing fodder for cattle, in this and other parts of the Province, where the weather is at times uncertain. The system has yielded the best results in "the States," where it originated, and is now doing likewise in the United Kingdom. Professor SAUNDERS states that peaches cannot be advantageously grown in the Okanagan valley; the winter temperature there falls too far below zero; here however in the Fraser valley, he is of opinion that peach growing should be as successful, as in the most favored regions of the east. Our plums are, he thinks, as a rule, grown too much for size, too little for flavor; our producers should go in more for choice flavored varieties, though the large ordinary kinds are doubtless serviceable enough for canning and preserving. On another important point he insists strongly; our growers are too generally careless in gathering and packing fruit for the market. They must not mix inferior and superior fruit, nor send in bruised samples. It is also absurd to store fruit for winter in warm places amongst roots. They are then sure to rot. If, however, our fruit were properly stored in cool cellars, it would keep well enough. The professor is astonished to find how short is the local supply of fruit and vegetables in meeting the demand of our cities. We import far too much from California. The mischief is, however, in his opinion, partly due to the absence of city markets, where growers can readily dispose of their produce. Almost every place of 2,000 people has its town market in eastern Canada, we should do well to follow this example in British Columbia. The professor is, however, able in another respect to speak very favorably of our province. He notes on every visit a marked growth in our cultivated area. There are on all sides to be seen more farm clearings, more root and grain crops, more orchards, more stock, than in the very recent past. Finally the professor advises British Columbian fruit growers to raise apples, peaches, cherries, plums and pears, rather than attempt outdoor grape culture for profit. Grapes, as he believes, California can grow to greater advantage, and it were therefore better for our fruit raisers to confine their efforts to the many fruits for which our land and climate are so specially adapted. These views, coming as they do from so competent an expert, may be safely regarded by our agriculturists as accurate and authoritative, and therefore worthy of practical adoption, whilst our city authorities cannot do better than take Professor SAUNDERS' advice as to the early provision of a general produce market.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The British Columbia Presbytery and Home Mission Committee have already emphatically repudiated the Rev. Mr. LEWIS' statements about this province in an official letter signed by the convener and Presbytery clerk, in which the public is assured that the Presbytery will "take the earliest opportunity of dealing with Mr. LEWIS and circulate the results of their deliberations widely through the country." Any unfavorable effect on Nova Scotian public opinion as regards our province that might otherwise have remained as a result of Mr. LEWIS' letter, should thus be effectually obviated.

The mayor and the Finance committee of the city council seem equally embarrassed by an unexpected demand made by the board of works upon the city fund. The board's estimate for this year's street grading, sidewalking and general improvement was one of $45,000. This the council approved and for it made provision when levying the year's taxes. Now, however, it seems, that without the council's authority more than $26,000 have already been spent by the board of works, and there are no funds on hand to meet the extra $11,000. Ald. Walker is, therefore, as chairman of the finance committee, not a little indignant, whilst the mayor declares that he will "sign no more "cheques until he knows where the "money is to come from." The money will of course be found sooner or later by means of a further levy on the taxpayers, but it is certainly most undesirable that council committees should largely outrun their appropriations, and this, too, without the sanction of the city council to which they rightly are subordinate. This whole thing is grossly irregular, and makes a precedent that might well lead to grave abuse and even malversation in the future, although in the present instance it would seem that there is good value to show for the expenditure. This, however, does not justify such irregular departmental deficit making, on the year's estimates.

The Building News is sarcastically merry over the Victoria cathedral architectural competition, which it regards as a sham, apparently because the premiums offered are very small, compete, it being explained that the total estimated cost of the building, $150,000, must be adjusted to English estimates by reckoning the cost of labor and material, as one third dearer in Victoria. Architectural experts however estimate that having regard to the local cost of labor and stone work, the erection of such a cathedral as that proposed for Victoria must cost at least twice as much as in England, where masons' and other skilled labor is but poorly paid and prepared stone work is relatively cheap. Our local architects are naturally amused by the misleading instructions given to their English brethren.

The Californians are now anxious to restrict Japanese immigration. The Chinese being already excluded, the people of that Pacific State find that thousands of Japanese are pouring in instead. Experience too fails to show that the Japanese of the lower class, who thus enter the country, are as was till lately generally believed, any better than the Chinese. The Californians indeed hold that the Chinaman is far more intelligent, reliable and conscientious than the Jap. The collector of San Francisco has accordingly announced, in anticipation of restrictive legislation against Japanese immigration, that a measure of the kind is now contemplated by the Washington authorities.

NOTICE.

ALL ACCOUNTS DUE THE ESTATE of James Ellard & Co. must be paid to the undersigned by the 1st October, 1891, by order of the trustees.

J. RATCHELOR,
Office, 317 Columbia Street.

New Westminster, 12th Sept., 1891.

ADMINSTRATOR'S SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the estate of James Fitzgerald, late of the city of New Westminster, Hotel Keeper, deceased

AND

In the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

PURSUANT TO THE ORDER OF the Honorable Mister Justice McCreight, bearing date the 5th day of September, A. D. 1891.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the purchase of the following lands belonging to the estate of the said deceased, namely:

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Tenders must be received on or before the 7th day of October, 1891. For terms and particulars apply to the undersigned or to Messrs. Corbould, McColl, Wilson & Campbell.

CHARLES GEORGE MAJOR,
Official Administrator.

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September 1, 1891.

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CAPT. LLEWELLIN.

New Westminster, Sept. 11, 1891.

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CITY POLICE COURT.

Celestial Woes Rehashed in the Summarising Ear of the Law.

The Chinamen arrested on Saturday night for gambling were remanded by Captain Pittendreigh, J. P., and P. McTiernan, J. P., till Tuesday next. There being no drunks to dispose of, the case of assault by Ah Soon upon the person of Ah Loy was called. The plaintiff was brought in to an accompaniment of groans, and collapsed into a chair. Dr. Smith was the first witness called; he testified to having been called on the 6th ult. to attend the plaintiff, whom he found lying on his bunk with a couple of gashes over his right eye. In reply to Mr. Judge (prosecuting) the doctor said the wounds, if attended to, were not dangerous, but had erysipelis or inflammation set in they might have proved so and under some circumstances might have resulted fatally. Mr. Woods (defence) objected to the critical examination of what might have been. The doctor further said that he had visited Ah Loy three times in all and had found the wounds healed up and no appearances of unusual weakness. The plaintiff had complained of a severe pain in the side, but he (the doctor) could find no evidences of external or internal injury and gave it as his opinion that the man was to a great extent shamming. Meanwhile Ah Loy was looking as bad as he possibly could and emitting heartrending sighs, whilst the spectators momentarily expected to see him hauled up by the queue to realms of celestial bliss.

The interpreter being called, Loy's testimony was as follows. He was at Tai Kee's engaged in the exhilerating occupation of washing dishes. The prisoner was there, and evinced an intense longing to wash out dishcloths. He had said times were busy and the prisoner could not satisfy his craving for laundry work, to which Ah Soon had replied by hurling a teapot at his head, on which it broke. The prisoner had further kicked him whilst he was on the floor and in consequence he (Ah Loy) had suffered much agony. He did not remember having heaved a frying pan at the prisoner, nor yet having pulverized him with a five foot club. He had been surprised at the breach of etiquette committed by Ah Soon in breaking a teapot on his head. Had had no part in the fight himself. The rest of the evidence was all of a similar nature. The court held that Ah Soon had had $15 worth of fun out of this fracas, which he promptly paid and was borne away amidst a cackling crowd of Celestials a freer but a wiser man.

An Old Pioneer's Death.

Mr. Hermann Otto Tiedemann, the well-known surveyor and architect, and one of the eldest residents of Victoria, died somewhat suddenly on Saturday afternoon. He was the designer of some of the first buildings erected here, among them being the present Government buildings, which were built during Sir James Douglas' regime. In his capacity as surveyor he was employed in the survey of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Tiedemann Glacier, in the Rockies, being named after him. He was 70 years of age and a native of Berlin.

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D. ROBSON, City Clerk.

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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.

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Fairer a dream, but pitiless as Fate.

She struggles with her rubbers on the mat,
Lays by her jacket and hangs up her hat,
Pulls off her gloves, and sweetly thoughtful stands
Beside the register, to warm her hands.

I look up, at her soft "good morning;" then I mumble "morning," and lay down my pen. And then her task begins, and, like a Turk, I keep her—how remorselessly—at work!

She's my typewriter yet, and I'm her "boss," I hear her tell the bookkeeper I'm "cross," And "hard to please." Great Scott! that is n't it.
If she could only know how hard I'm hit!

Oh, yes, I scold you, dear; I nag and yell;
Only because you please me, far to well;
Also, because I'd like to knock in two
The tall young fellow who walks home with you.

He Carried It.

Three or four of us had closed our umbrellas and gathered under a store awning at the lower end of Market street, Philadelphia, to wait for a grip car. Along came a colored man, carrying a faded and rent old umbrella, and we all noticed that he carried the shelter tipped forward at such an angle that his feet were protected at the expense of his back.

"Stop, sir!" shouted the man at my left, who had the look and bearing of a Judge.

"Yes, sah—what's wanted?" queried the colored man.

"I want to show you how to carry an umbrella. Your toes are dry, while your back is all wet. I don't believe that one person in fifty knows how to carry an umbrella so as to get the most protection out of it."

"It's an old one, sah."

"Yes, I see, but you don't grasp the handle right. Here—take mine."

"Yes, sah."

"Take the handle with your right hand, and carry it on a line with your right shoulder. There—that's better."

"Can't git along wid sich stiffness, sah."

"Yes, you can. Now walk up to the corner and back. Hold the handle on a line with your shoulder. That's it—go ahead."

The negro marched off at a steady pace, and while he was stepping off the gentleman turned to us with:

"It's a knack to shelter yourself under an umbrella, particularly if it rains hard, and the want of this knack provokes me when I see it."

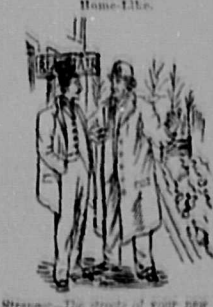
We agreed with him, and the minutes passed by and a car came down.

"Why, where did the nigger go to?" asked the owner of the umbrella.

We looked up and down, but he had disappeared. The man ran up the street two squares, but there was no African carrying a fine silk umbrella with a gold handle—not as he could see. We started to rally him a bit as we went up on the car, but he checked us by saying:

"If any of you think I can't lick you in one round all you have to do is to step off the car! I won't detain you three minutes!"

Home-Like.



Stranger—The streets of your new town are in a horrible condition.

Real Estate Broker—Yes, I know. You see most of the people who immigrate here are Torontonians, and we want to make it as home-like as possible.

Getting Even.

I had some important business to transact with a merchant in an Ohio town, but we had scarcely got seated in his private office when in came a drummer for a Chicago house. He was probably new to the road, and he wanted some of his cheek shaved off. He was politely informed that nothing whatever was wanted, but he talked and hung on, and had to be fairly turned out. In half an hour he returned to the attack with a fresh stock of gall, saying:

"I know you must want something, and I'm bound to have an order."

Again he was turned away, and again he returned to the attack. The merchant was now mad all the way through, but he concealed the fact and quietly remarked:

"Come to think of it, I do need a few things. Get out your order book."

"Ah, ha! I knew you would give me an order if I hung on long enough!" exclaimed the drummer. "Nothing like perseverance in this profession."

The merchant ordered 2,000 pounds of sugar, ten chests of tea, 1,000 pounds of coffee, and a lot of other goods, figuring up a good bill, and the drummer was on his high heels as he strolled.

"Pretty big order," I observed.

"No order at all," he replied.

"How?"

"He'll mail it to Chicago to-night, and to-morrow I'll countermand by telegraph. Did it to get even with him for hanging on, you see. All the fun in this thing is not on the road of the travelling men."

Casting His Bread Upon the Waters.

Blinks—Englehile the brewer is a very charitable man. I see him give money to every beggar he meets.

Jinks—O, Well, he gets it all back. He owns almost every saloon in town!

No Language Left Him.

Wife—"You don't tell me that Professor A. has been struck dumb!"

Husband—"Yes, last night. And he was master of seven languages."

Wife—"Is it possible! And was he struck dumb in all seven?"—Texas Siftings.

Vanity Gallantry.

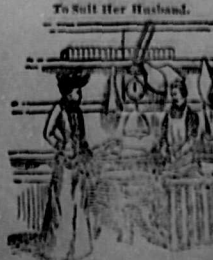
Cousin in chapel—Do you believe in "Looking Backward?"

Bumes—Yes, when there are girls in the gallery.

Her Figure.

One of the guests—"That is young Newdle's bride, is it? I don't like her figure." *Another guest*—"That's where you and Newdle differ. Her figure leaks with five ciphers after it."

To Suit Her Husband.



Young Housekeeper (to butcher)—You may send a piece of roast beef.

Butcher—Yes, ma'am.

Young Housekeeper—And have it very rare, please; my husband prefers it that way.—Harper's Bazar.

It was on a suburban train running into Jersey City. A bald-headed, fussy-looking man, with a pair of spectacles on his nose and his hat on the seat beside him, kept rubbing his pate in a nervous way and hitching about on the seat as if he was afraid of tacks. Opposite him sat a man who was closely watching his movements and chuckling and grinning until the attention of a dozen people was attracted. He was finally asked to explain, and he said:

"The old chap over there sat down on my hat, stepped on my toes and elbowed my ribs, and didn't apologize. I determined to get even with him. He always sits in that seat if it isn't occupied, and he always hunts around to find a paper instead of buying one. I'm getting even with him this morning."

"But how?"

"That paper is just three years old to-day. It cost me 50 cents to procure it, but I've had $50 worth of revenge. I left it on the seat, and he's been reading it for the last twenty miles. See!"

The old fellow struck the headlines of a railroad accident, looked puzzled, bobbed up and down, and slowly shook his head. He jumped from that to a murder—on to news from Washington—and for a minute was interested in the stock market. Then he folded the paper up, removed his glasses, and looked out of the window with a troubled expression on his face.

"He's wondering if his mind isn't giving way, and is half scared to death!" chuckled the joker. "Been flattering himself that he is good for twenty years yet, and the first thing he does when he gets to the city will be to buy some brain food and a liver pad. I'm not a bad, bad man, but the chap who sits down on my hat must at least apologize."

To Be Seen on the Streets.

On the streets you may notice if you observe:

That the heavy fabrics run to plaids.

That the light fabrics run to flowers.

That close flat trimmings are still preferred.

That summer hats will be veritable flower gardens.

That early spring cloths are still moderately rough.

That the new fabrics are nothing if not pronounced.

That it takes a long purse to buy most of these things.

That the challies and wool muslins are prettier than ever.

That bathiks of all colors, richly embroidered, are seen everywhere.

That gowns are to be slightly fuller and more draped than heretofore.

That velvet ribbons and ribbons are to be used for trimming in every possible way.

That handkerchiefs—they are pocket handkerchiefs no longer—are more ornate than ever.

That the newest gloves have one button and gauntlets of moderate depth heavily embroidered.

That black taffeas with all over silk embroidery in colors and deep rich borders are to be much worn.

Fringes.

Fringes are in great demand in dull and bright as well as in pearl effects, the latter finding the largest consumption.

Among the favorites are dull fringes in curled cord and cordonnet, also cordonnet fringes with inserted double twisted silk cord.

Fringes of double twisted fine silk cord and cordonnet are much used.

Cord fringes of knotted cord with cord knots and cord bells which end in four or five inches long, pear-shaped.

Fringes having lengthy knots above of silk cord and long mohair cord fringed below are much used.

Fine twisted curly silk cord, fringed below, the cord being fastened above to a small ball, are much used as fringes.

"Well," said Mrs. McGinty, after her visit to a notable social event, "I have heard about society people showing each other the cold shoulder, but from the way some that I saw were dressed I don't wonder at their shoulders being chilly."

"Everything is at a standstill with us," said the dear old Philadelphia matron. "So I have observed," replied the major. "Your daughter, I hear, is still 23, just as she was ten years ago."—Harper's Bazar.

Pearl fishing is still carried on in the River Tay, in Scotland.

After New Orleans, Bombay is the greatest cotton port in the world.

A burglar's drill will go through cast iron ⅞ inches thick in 15 minutes.

The constitution of Brazil has passed the second reading in the Assembly.

California proposes to construct a marble hall on the world's fair grounds.

A petroleum-motor tricycle that will run 40 miles in one hour has been invented.

Frederick Wilhelm, the German heir-apparent, is 2 years old.

A Montreal Echo.

Charlie—I tell you me boy, she's a high-stepper.

Dick—Must be from Toronto then. Always heard it was muddy there.—Toronto Saturday night.

Cheap Homes.

Between the island of Madagascar and the coast of India are over 10,000 islands, great and small, only 6,000 of which are inhabited. The climate is the best in the world, every sort of fruit can be found, and young American Henry George can find homes there simply by the taking and never have to pay a cent of taxes.

Just a Plain Sailor.

A sea captain, who was going up to Albany to see his friends, came out with us on the train, and a Chicago broker, who first discovered his presence, gave the boys the wink, and followed it up by saying:

"If we work it right we can get some awful lies out of him. Let some one ask him about sharks and sea serpents."

Four of us crowded him into a smoking compartment, and when we had become slightly acquainted the inquiry was made:

"Captain, you have doubtless seen some very large whales! How long would you say the largest was?"

"Gentlemen, I never saw a whale in my life," he replied. "I have been at sea for twenty-six years, but I never happened to see a whale."

"Well, you have seen serpents in the warm seas?"

"Never saw one there."

"But you must have seen some extra large sharks?"

"Gentlemen, I hope you will believe me when I tell you that I never saw a shark except in an aquarium."

"But you have been wrecked?"

"Never."

"Ever have a mutiny?"

"No."

"Fire at sea?"

"No."

"Meet with a pirate?"

"No."

"Tidal wave?"

"No."

"Humph! What sort of a sailor are you, say you?"

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NEWS OF THE CITY.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The steamer Irving cleared for Chilliwack yesterday from the Stanly dock.

The steamer Dunsmuir came down from Herring's Point last night having had her new propellor fixed.

Read advertisement in another column. The Occidental Hotel has been under new management since September 1st, S. Huff & Co., proprietors.

General servant wanted—Apply to Mrs. Drummond, corner Queen's avenue and Park Lane. *

Messrs. Reid & Currie have the contract of placing the two pair of compound engines in Captain Rogers' new boat the City of Nanaimo.

Already, Mr. T. R. Pearson informs THE LEDGER, more than double the number of individual entries for the exhibition have been made this year over last.

The ranchers of Comox are rejoicing over their crops, everything is in splendid condition, most of the harvesting is done. Until lately the weather has been all that could be desired.

The frame maker at S. J. Thompson's studio is kept very busy these days framing pictures for the exhibition. *

A number of young gentlemen had a meeting in Mr. Walker's place of business with the object of forming a junior football club. There was a large attendance and everything points favorably towards the successful culmination of the scheme.

Maurice B. Curtis, the famous comedian, or as he is better known, "Sam'l of Posen," is charged in San Francisco with the murder of a policeman, who had arrested him. The evidence is circumstantial, but Curtis seems to be in a bad position.

Board and room wanted in private house for gentleman and wife. References exchanged. Apply to "Enquirer," LEDGER office. *

The general meeting of the Celebration Committee takes place this evening promptly at 8 o'clock in the city hall. Every member of the committee should be present as this is the last regular meeting of the committee and matters of importance are to be settled.

Rev. Thomas Baldwin, pastor of the North Baptist Church, Seattle, has resigned his pastorate and will take up evangelistic work. Mr. Baldwin is well known here where he ministered in Olivet Baptist Church for a considerable period, and was very well liked.

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

Two men, named respectively Jerry Westner and Ed Woodward, were yesterday arrested on a warrant for having supplied whisky to a squaw and then assaulted her. The case will come up today; in the meantime Jeremiah and Edward languish in durance vile.

The steamer Delaware arrived at Mathers & Milligan's dock yesterday with a big load of freight and passengers. She carried amongst other things 200 bales of hay, 250 sacks of oats, 100 cases of apples, wheat, potatoes, butter and a large amount of miscellaneous produce.

Buggy for sale—Second hand, a fine article in capital condition. Apply M. McL., Ledger office. *

The committee having charge of the Indian torchlight procession do not seem to be doing anything. It is hoped they will be heard from this evening at the general meeting. Everybody will look for the Indian torchlight procession and if they don't find it, they will look for the committee and then woe unto them if they are caught.

Mr. Kelly, M. P. P., is bringing from Kootenay to the exhibition a complete collection of the ores of that country, the exhibit weighing over a ton. This will prove a most interesting item for the exhibition and more so when it is learned that Mr. J. Fannin, curator of the Provincial Museum, Victoria, will be up to take charge of it.

Take a glance at the cheap lots near tramway line offered by Rand Bros. See large advertisement. *

Private advices received in Victoria from North Sydney, Cape Breton, report that town "all agog" with excitement over the good catches of the sealing schooners "Annie C. Moore," "Carmolite," and "Umbrina." Two more sealing syndicates are forming and several vessels are likely to leave the Atlantic coast this fall for British Columbia.

No less than four steamers ran aground last Saturday and Sunday. The steamer Badger towing the schooner Bonanza went ashore in False narrows near Nanaimo on Saturday. The steamer Louis of Vancouver ran aground on Coal Island and has only her smokestack and cabin above water. The steamers Islander and Rainbow went ashore on the rocks at Vancouver narrows, without, however, doing much damage.

Anyone having a horse and express for sale may find a purchaser by sending price and particulars to Box 97. *

One of the young ladies in the dressmaking establishment of Misses Williams & Wells, on the corner of Columbia and Sixth streets, had her dress ignited by a coal oil lamp last evening. The flames were fortunately subdued before she had received any further damage than a severe fright. The fire bells ringing made quite an excitement on the streets for a time and the hose reel team manfully hauled out single handed by Mr. Watson of the department was trundled back as dry as it came.

One of the grand events of the celebration will be the illuminated bicycle procession on Friday evening, the final flourish of the great celebration. The procession is to be in connection with the fireworks and is sure to be a gorgeous affair. Each rider will carry a fancy Chinese lantern at the ends of the handles and also from other parts of the machine. Some of the wheelmen promise original designs, and altogether there is sure to be a parade worthy of the Bicycle club and the Celebration of 1891.

Fifty fine art reproductions of paintings exhibited at the last Paris Exposition, framed and ready to hang on the wall. To be sold on the instalment plan. P. Peebles. *

SHELLS AND SCULLS.

Hanlan and O'Connor Creating a Rowing Mania Among the Amateurs.

The undoubted centre of attraction in the city at present is the river when the two redoubtable Canadian champions are at practice. Everyone seems deeply interested in the movements of the two great oarsmen, and the crowd around the Westminster Rowing Club's house, headquarters of the oarsmen, every afternoon numbers about two or three hundred. The splendid physical development of the men, their brawny, sun-bronzed arms and muscular legs, and their great chests, indicative of inexhaustible lungs and unlimited endurance, excite the admiration of the spectators to a high pitch. O'Connor is very massively built and has the trunk of a wrestler; the loins being as magnificently developed as the chest; the line from the armpit to the top of the haunch being almost straight. Hanlan, on the other hand has the purely classic Greek type of symmetry, tapering gradually from the shoulders to the waist. His muscular development is superb. Hanlan's style in the boat has been so often described that repetition is needless. It is the style that revolutionized rowing and made the present time record possible. Nothing could be imagined more graceful and easy than the regular rhythm of his stroke. O'Connor's rowing is marked by the greatest steadiness, and the power thrown into each stroke. When he returned from his long spin on Sunday, although not in condition, it being his first row in seven days, he put on a "spurt" in passing the boathouse that rather astonished the hundred or two of aquatic critics there assembled. Yesterday MacLean had an opportunity to measure abilities with the champion, but the result was not flattering to the Fraser river champion.

On returning to the boathouse the oarsmen carefully put away their shells, rubbing them down and drying them off as carefully as if they were steeds with an Arab pedigree a thousand years long. After this they seize a bucket and douse themselves freely with the invigorating Fraser water. Generally they take a plunge off the float and kick and splash around a bit. The rubbing down process then occupies a good ten minutes until the skin is in a rosy glow, beautiful to see in those two grand specimens of manhood. Messrs. Hanlan and O'Connor are training on the most rational system, which avoids extremes and preserves a wise moderation in all things. In consequence of this method they will both come to the line on Thursday week enjoying prime health and knowing that they are in the best possible condition to undertake what is certain to be a tremendous struggle. If the many ambitious amateurs now putting or trying to put themselves into condition for athletic events at the sports would quietly watch the two great oarsmen training they would undoubtedly reap great benefit from the study. Mr. Hanlan is the author of a most interesting and valuable treatise on rowing and general training. He is the advocate of taking everything quietly and easily; not the starving, sweating and straining the old trainers used to inflict upon their victims. There should certainly be few better authorities than Mr. Hanlan, whose experience and opportunities of observation have been so great. The amateur oarsmen of the city have plucked up good courage since the advent of the champion scullers, and the river will be busy with the boys right along up to the regatta, and, it is to be hoped, after it, the pleasing feature of the rowing furore is the manner in which the membership of the Rowing club is rolling up. Every young man in the city should be a member of that institution; and, considering the very moderate fee, $10 per year and "no h'extras," it is surprising that more have not joined. This is considerably less than one can have a boat kept for anywhere else, and above all, at the Rowing club's quarters it is well kept. In this connection it might be mentioned that the general public have dropped into a rather amusing mistake, and one which THE LEDGER has been requested by the committee of the Rowing club to point out. It is that the Rowing club quarters are strictly private and not for public use at all. It is very funny to see all sorts and conditions of men trooping down the gang plank when the oarsmen are going out, just as if they had a proprietary interest in the establishment. This state of affairs will be corrected henceforth, and only members and their friends admitted to the enjoyment of their own property, which they have paid for.

It may be interesting to admirers of the famous oarsmen to know something about the wonderfully constructed crafts in which they speed along the path to glory and big stakes. Hanlan's shell was built by Waris of Toronto, over the workmanship of which the ex-champion is very enthusiastic. Hanlan says she is a regular beauty, fully equal in every respect to anything Biddock or Blaikie could build. She weighs only 29 pounds, is 31 feet 7 inches long, 19 3-4 inches wide, 4 inches deep at the bow, 6 inches at the centre and 2½ inches at the stern. She is built of Spanish cedar veneer with oak ribs and stays. Hanlan's trip in her on Sunday was only the second since she was built. He says he has a boat as near perfection as boats can be made. O'Connor's shell is by Biddock, and is constructed on almost similar lines to that of Hanlan. She, too, is a new boat and gives complete satisfaction. *

It almost makes the ordinary man's blood run cold to see the apparently careless way the two oarsmen get into their shells and pull off from the float, standing up on one foot in the frail craft until some yards out, then settling easily down upon the sliding seat and starting off at a good swinging pace until all that can be seen by the eagerly following eyes is a man seated on the water, unsupported, and apparently waving his arms to and fro. One man on the float yesterday said in emphatic tones, "I wouldn't get into that there boat if he made me a present of it," and the expression on the face of the crowd seemed to say, "them air is my sentiments tew."

A Victoria Four Coming.

Captain Sullivan of the James Bay Athletic Association, says the Times, has received an invitation from the secretary of the New Westminster regatta committee, requesting him to send the club's four-oared team to Westminster to compete in the four-cared race. The invitation has been accepted and the team has gone into training. The team is composed of D. Sullivan, (stroke), J. Watson, G. Askew, F. Widdowson (bow). They will have to compete against teams from Vancouver and New Westminster, the Burrard Inlet club and Tacoma. The boys defeated Vancouver and the Burrard Inlet club on the 24th of May, and at Vancouver, so they have a splendid chance of taking first place at Westminster. Several other members of the club will probably go over to take part in some of the other races.

Arranged for Saturday.

The Junior Cricket Club will play the Holy Trinity team on Saturday next at 2 o'clock. The game will take place on the old grounds next to ex-Mayor Townsend's residence. Mr. Walker says his team (Junior C. C.) have never been defeated in any match yet, and whilst he acknowledges the merits of the young gentlemen who compose the eleven which will compete with them on Saturday, he expresses his confident expectation of a victory for the Juniors.

Will Take Immediate Action.

Editor MORNING LEDGER: Sir,—"We have read with extreme surprise and regret the letter of Mr. Lewis to the Halifax Witness, and republished extensively in the press of this city. We desire on behalf of the Presbytery and of its Home Mission committee to repudiate most emphatically his extraordinary statements, and to assure the public that the Presbytery will take the earliest opportunity of dealing with Mr. Lewis in reference to his conduct in this matter; and that the results of their deliberations will be as widely circulated as possible throughout the country. A meeting of the Presbytery will be called for the 24th instant at Vancouver for this purpose.

THOS. SCOULER,
Moderator of Presbytery.
P. McF. MACLEOD,
Convener H. M. Com.
D. MACRAE,
Presbytery Clerk.

PERSONALS.

Joseph Shannon is at the Queen's.

James A. Fraser of Yale is in town.

C. Strouss of Victoria is in the city.

R. R. Kelly of Junction City is at the Douglas.

J. J. Southcote is in town from Victoria.

J. B. McLaren of Barnet is in on business.

D. Dewar, Vancouver, is at the Colonial.

John Elliott is in town from Lacver's Landing.

Ed T. Moran of Seattle is paying the city a visit.

S. Tingley of Ashcroft is registered at the Colonial.

William R. Thomson of Vancouver is at the Queen's.

E. E. Evans of Vancouver is registered at the Douglas.

A. W. Croft of Toronto is paying the Royal City a visit.

John B. Stevenson of Orillia is registered at the Queen's.

Logan Davis of Serpentine is staying at the Douglas House.

Professor Saunders of the department of agriculture is staying at the Colonial.

The Hon. Mr. Justice McCreight left town yesterday for a well earned vacation after his arduous duties.

Professor Saunders, director of Dominion Experimental Farms, and Mr. Sharp, manager of the Agassiz farm, are in the city.

Coming to Westminster.

The celebrated scientific optician Professor F. D. Seward of New York has decided to visit this city before taking his final departure for home, and will arrive here about the 23rd inst., remaining for a short time only. Professor Seward's success in the States has been repeated in Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver, and all indications point to as great a success in Westminster in which is the last stop he will make in the province. The following home testimonials will be of interest to those intending to consult the professor. Postmaster N. Shakespear of Victoria writes, "I have never been able to use my left eye until fitted with proper glasses by Professor Seward." Rev. W. W. Barr of Nanaimo in speaking of his glasses, says, "They focus my vision perfectly and are a grand success in every particular. Dr. McNaughton-Jones of Victoria writes, "I have never found anyone that could properly adjust glasses to my eyes until I visited Professor Seward, the glasses he made for me are a genuine comfort and I can confidently recommend him to everyone." Dr. Ernest Hall, the Victoria oculist, says, "Professor Seward is without exception the most skillful and successful optician in America, if not in the world today." Rev. J. M. McLeod of Vancouver says, "The glasses adopted by Professor Seward have restored his vision equal to what it was when he was 20 years of age." Thousands of others equally well known endorse the work of this celebrated optician. This notice will be repeated in this paper several days so that all our citizens may learn of this unusual opportunity and be ready to call upon Professor Seward as soon as he arrives. It is expected he will have parlors at the Queen's Hotel. Professor Seward does not operate upon nor treat diseased eyes and makes no charges for consultation and preliminary examination. *

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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Boat Race

which takes place on the 24th inst. Thousands of people from the American side of the line, the agricultural portions of this district, from Vancouver, Victoria and the interior of the province, will be in the city at that time, and they will be sure to crowd into Jas. W. Harvey's to snap up whatever bargains may be remaining. Therefore get in in the meantime.

On the 24th

may be too late to purchase what you are in need of "Delays are dangerous" is a trite saying. Get what goods you require before the golden opportunity passes. There are many thousands of dollars worth of the very choicest materials to select from. The bleak months of winter are approaching, and the man

Who is

wise will remember that the garments now being worn will need to be replaced with something entirely different. "A penny saved is a penny made." If you buy now and take advantage of the tremendous reduction in prices which Jas. W. Harvey has made, you will make a peck of pennies and be

Sure to win

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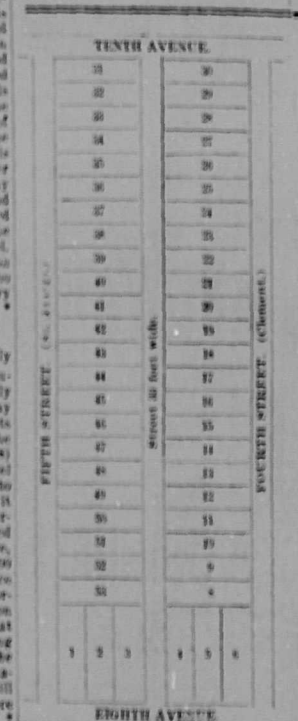

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