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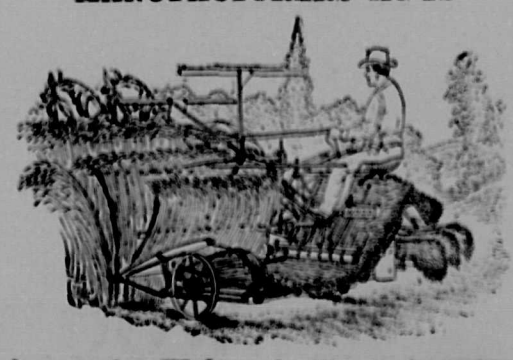

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THE UGLY M'GREEVY SCANDAL IS UNWOUND.

Another Precious Piece of Villany Exposed—Wouldn't Take Cash, but Not Above Accepting a Present—A Clerk got $100 for his Share—McIntyre's Appointment on the Grand Trunk Directorate—Burning of La Providence Convent, Quebec.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 8.—At the Privileges and Elections Committee meeting this morning, on motion of Geoffrion, it was directed that subpœnas should be issued for the attendance of Joseph Lozard and Fabien Vanasse of Le Monde (Sir Hector's paper) and also for the production of Hon. Thos. McGreevy's bank book and cheques. The cross-examination of Owen Murphy was concluded by Osler. Edgar questioned witness about the blank left in the statement Tarte had published, in which he said, "I give $10,000 to ——." He said this was money he gave to Langevin. He did not want Tarte to know of that. Edgar next asked if witness had ever made a gift to Perley or any of his family. Murphy said Michael Connolly had suggested to him that they should give something to Perley, and he was sent to Ottawa to give $2,000 to Perley if he would take it. This was in January, 1887. Perley refused the money but said he would take a little present, naming what it was. Witness then went to Montreal and bought a present consisting of jewelry worth $1,885. When in Ottawa he gave $100 to a clerk from Perley's office and the other $1,900 of the $2,000 he applied to his own expenses. To Geoffrion he said he bought the jewelry at the store of Henry Birks, Montreal, and expressed it to Mrs. Perley. He sent no name with it, as it was understood that it need not be known whence it came. He met Perley afterwards wearing one of the rings, and Perley rebuked him for sending so expensive a present. To Dickey, witness said, the present was in diamond rings and brooches. He could not tell how many there were. The brooches also were all diamonds. There were some bracelets, with a set with diamonds and a gentleman's diamond ring; he took a receipt from Birks, but did not know where it was now. To Osler he said it was Birks himself who sold him the jewelry. He bought on January 26th and shipped it by the Canadian express. When Perley refused the cash he agreed to accept a diamond ring, describing what he wanted and a breast pin, and said witness might also purchase something for Mrs. Perley. Since he gave $100 he had not met the clerk. He had no communication with the clerk before or since, but knew the young man was employed in the chief engineer's office. Murphy's examination was ended and he was given permission to leave the city subject to recall. He said he would be found at Quebec, if wanted. Sir John Thompson asked that Murphy should attend tomorrow and go through the public works department to see if he could identify the clerk to whom he gave $100. Murphy said it would be inconvenient to attend tomorrow. The committee agreed to allow him to go until Thursday.

MORE COMES TO LIGHT.

Before the Public Accounts Committee today it came out that there had been a laxity in the administration of affairs in the Department of the Interior. It was proven that permanent clerks, contrary to law, had been drawing pay for extra work other than persons named for that purpose. A. M. Burgess was charged with obtaining $100 irregularly for work done by his father-in-law. The deputy admitted that this amount was procured, but it was for work for which the department had received the full benefit. He regretted that the account had gone through irregularly, but it was due solely to delicacy on his part against his father-in-law's name appearing in the public accounts.

Hon. Mr. Laurier stated in the House today that it was clearly evident from the examination of the Kingston dry dock tenders that Bayrault's tender (the lowest) was in the handwriting of Michael Connolly. In regard to the statement that Duncan McIntyre had accepted the seat on the Grand Trunk board of directors, vacant by the resignation of Sir Robert Gillespie, it should be said four directors were defeated on a show of hands at the last annual meeting of the shareholders. They had resigned their seats to be filled by friends of Mr. McIntyre. These changes point to the organization of a local board of directors in Canada with Mr. McIntyre at the head.

A CONVENT BURNT.

ST. HILAIRE, Que., July 8.—The Convent la Providence, commonly known as that of the Sisters Gadbois, on the Richelieu river, below Belœil, was totally destroyed by fire today.

McCarthy Victorious.

DUBLIN, July 8.—The result of the polling in Carlow yesterday for a successor to the late Patrick O'Gorman Mahon was a sweeping victory for the McCarthyites, their candidate, Hammond, receiving 3,735 votes against 1,559 cast for A. J. Kinsle, the candidate of the Parnellites. At the preceding election the O'Gorman Mahon, Nationalist, was elected without opposition. The result is a surprise to both factions of the Irish National party.

Aquatics at Henley.

LONDON, July 8.—The much-talked-of Henley races were rowed today in a downpour of rain. The weather could not, however, put a damper on the ardor of the crews, who had been in preparation for weeks for the great annual test of British rowing clubs. The bottom of the river had been carefully raked for broken glass, and every precaution taken to prevent the accidents of former years. Thousands of spectators were present without regard for the rain, and they cheered their respective favorites among the dripping crews. In the first heat for the Thames challenge cup the London Rowing Club proved victorious, beating the Thames crew. The London men used a new boat, completed for them about two weeks ago. It carried them admirably, running well between the strokes and the crew were very even, improving in the latter part of the course, and showing the good coaching of R. C. Lehmann. In the second heat, the London club proved the foundation for their faith in their new boat, by a gallant victory over Kingston, notwithstanding that the latter had secured a contingent of some of the best oarsmen in Oxford. It is thought by some that this success will lead to a revolution in the style of constructing race boats, boat builders throughout England having watched the result with the greatest of interest.

WILL HE STAND IT?

The Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh, the Duke of Clarence and Avondale, and Lord and Lady Salisbury returned to London today after the garden party at Cumberland Lodge. Truth says the Queen has stipulated that Emperor William of Germany shall write out the speech which he is to make at Guildhall on Friday next, in reply to the address of welcome which will be made there by the recorder, on the part of the corporation. After having written out this speech, according to Truth, the Emperor must submit it to the Queen for approval, and read only those parts which have met with her majesty's approval.

Closed the Bank's Doors.

ASBURY PARK, N. S., July 7.—The Asbury Park National Bank was closed today by order of the comptroller of the currency at Washington, who ascertained that the bank had been making bad loans and doing an unprofitable business.

Cannot Settle in Palestine.

VIENNA, July 8.—At a conference held at Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, today, between Mr. Arnold White, representing Baron Hirsch; Herr Franzos, representing the Jews of Berlin, and Dr. Kuranda of this city, it was agreed that the best direction in which to guide the tide of Jewish emigration was towards the Argentine Republic. It was also decided that it was impossible to come to any arrangement by which the emigrating Jews could be allowed to settle in Palestine. Committees have been formed at Odessa and at other ports to carry out the plans of the conference.

Polynesian News.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—By the steamer Australia, which arrived from Honolulu this afternoon, news was brought of the arrival of the American missionary barkentine Morning Star at that place, after a cruise of nearly a year. Two calls were made at Ponape, Caroline Islands. On the first visit the Spanish soldiers and the natives were found engaged in warfare. In one battle the Spanish troops mustered 1,200 strong against 300 natives, but were defeated in spite of the great odds with heavy loss. On the second visit of the Morning Star, the natives were found at peace.

Fully Fined.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8.—The Secretary of the Treasury has authorized the acceptance of the offer of the master of the Itata to pay $500 for violation of the navigation laws, in having cleared from San Diego without the necessary permit. This is the full penalty for such an offence. This settlement has no bearing on the other charges against the officers of this vessel, to wit, kidnapping a federal officer and violating the neutrality laws. It is understood here that the actions so far tried in the case of the Robert and Minnie, and that prepared against the Itata apply to the vessels only. The attorney general relying on the published reports believes that actions may still be brought against the individual officers of the two vessels.

A Gruesome Sight.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The Evening World in its late edition today says: The body of the murderer, Harris A. Smiler, was brought to this city this afternoon by undertaker Hurlburg on the train which left Sing Sing at 1:35 o'clock. The body had been claimed by Smiler's widow, the woman he married and deserted for the woman whom he afterwards murdered. The body was taken from the train to the undertaking establishment at 263, west Twentieth street. Three or four hundred people were gathered to witness the arrival of the body. By a previous arrangement with the undertaker, a World reporter was in waiting at the rooms to see the body of the executed murderer. The coffin was taken to the basement by the undertaker's assistants and the lid was quickly taken off, exposing the dead man's face. The reporter stood close by, and was horrified at the sight that met his eyes. Smiler's face had been burned and seamed by the electric fluid until it presented the appearance of having been broiled. The hair on the front of the head, the moustache and eye brows, had been singed and burned off. The face was furrowed and scarred as though with a hot iron. These marks were not those of a dissecting knife or scalpel, they were palpable burns. Pressing closer to see the dead face plainer, the reporter attracted the attention of the undertaker's assistants and they seized him by the shoulders and compelled him to leave the place before any other portion of the body was exposed. In answer to repeated requests to be allowed to see the body, the reporter was informed that no one but the undertaker and his assistants would be permitted to see it until it had been fully prepared for burial. It was learned through one of the undertaker's assistants that Smiler's left leg was burned to the bone through the calf, and the eyes were badly burned though the eyeball was not destroyed.

EXCEEDED THE LIMIT.

An opposition to the present management of the Oregon Pacific road, has appointed a committee of bondholders to re-organize the road, and today the new committee issued a statement charging that the management had issued over $11,000,000 more bonds than was warranted by the mortgage. The mortgage provides that the bonded debt shall be limited to $25,000 per mile, and so far 140 miles have been constructed, calling for the issue of $3,500,000 in bonds. The company has issued $13,000,000 in bonds and justifies itself by asserting that

Landed in Spite of Them.

In spite of the protests of residents of Blaine, Washington, against the employment of Chinese in the new cannery there, twenty-five of the hated Celestials were brought from Portland and landed there 4 o'clock Monday morning. They were brought up on the steamer Michigan and are the only Chinamen in Whatcom county.

City Police Court.

In the police court yesterday morning, Fook Wo was charged with an infraction of the Sanitary Bylaw, by refusing to abate a nuisance on his premises when notified to do so. The guileless Mongolian pleaded not guilty, and was fined $10 and costs; in default one month's hard labor.

John Evans, charged with having been drunk in an Indian tent, pleaded guilty, and sentence was remanded for one month.

To Show Cause.

The magistrates who formed the recent Wellington Board of Licensing Magistrates, have been served with a notice to appear at the Supreme Court at New Westminster this week, to show cause why they granted licenses to Thomas Wall and John Curry, contrary to law in regard to the granting of licenses to sell liquor by retail. It is stated that the appeal is based on the ground that the petitions were not in accordance with the Act. Mr. J. Campbell of Vancouver is appearing for the applicants.—Free Press.

THEY SHOULD PASS

LAST NIGHT'S PUBLIC MEETING FAVORS THE BYLAWS.

Ald. Walker Lucidly Explains the Four Bills—The Ferry, Fire Loan No. 1, Water Works Debenture No. 2, and Electric Light Bylaws.—Mayor Brown Does Most of the Talking—Seattle and Westminster Taxes Compared—Voice of the Opposition.

The pith of the public meeting last night was: Resolved, that after hearing the explanations offered this evening, this meeting is of opinion that the bylaws referred to should be passed by the people on Friday. Carried. There was, of course, some opposition, but the carrying majority was a large one.

It was 8:45 when Mayor Brown stepped upon the platform and made a humorous comment upon the slim appearance of the audience. He said it looked as if the people had such unbounded confidence in the Council that they did not think it necessary to turn out and receive the Council's explanations. A grim and sardonic smile circulated among the anti-expenditure crowd in the body of the hall at this gentle pleasantry. His worship then explained the object for which the meeting had been called and said that if the people would not come he could not help it. There were seven bylaws to be dealt with and he admitted that the case was somewhat bewildering. It was not advisable to attempt to push all these bylaws through at once but the four principal ones would be dealt with at the present meeting.

Messrs. James Cunningham and William McColl declined the honor of the chair and Mayor Brown took it himself. Mr. David Robson took his accustomed secretarial chair. His worship then called upon Ald. Walker, chairman of the Finance Committee, to explain the bylaws, their object and all about them.

Ald. Walker said that to avoid confusion he would confine his remarks entirely to the four principal bylaws: the Ferry, Electric Lighting, Water Works debenture No. 2, and the Fire Loan No. 1. All the bylaws except the Fire Loan bylaw had been projected by last year's council. The money asked for in these bylaws had already been pledged and the matter had been talked over so much in public and private that there was very little to be said now. The most important of the four bylaws was the one relating to the water works, which had been committed by the council of 1889. The scheme involved an expenditure of $180,000. Commissioners had been appointed by the city council and for any information on the matter the commissioners were the proper persons to call up. It simply amounted to a question of money. For himself he knew very little about the water works. He was not expected to know about them as that was left entirely in the hands of the water commissioners. The steam ferry bylaw asked for $7,000. A large sum had already been expended for this purpose. The public was asked to vote on this bylaw now because it was not until lately that the city had power to operate the ferry. The city had now got a license from the government to operate the boat and with other powers including permission to build wharves and landings. Already $25,000 had been expended on the ferry and approaches and the $7,000 now asked for was wanted to put the whole work in good condition.

The Electric Loan Bylaw was for the purpose of raising the remainder of the $61,000. Most of the money had been spent on the construction of the electric light works at the West End and power had been obtained from the Provincial government authorizing this expenditure. The Council could justify that expenditure, but as he was not on the Fire and Light Committee he could not speak with authority on the subject, but the amount asked for was certainly necessary if it were the intention to operate the plant to the full advantage. The Fire Loan Bylaw was for the purpose of securing better implements for dealing with fires than the city at present possesses. The ratepayers had committed themselves to this. The present outfit was not efficient for the purpose of fighting fire in the city. The department ought to have a chemical engine. The fire pump on the ferry was a grand success, but it was not always advisable to use water in case of fire. Water often destroyed far more valuable property than the fire it was used to extinguish. Chemicals, on the other hand, did the work better, more quickly and with far less damage. The bylaws, as his hearers knew, had been fully advertised in the local newspapers and in the British Columbia Gazette.

Mayor Brown then invited gentlemen from the audience to ventilate their opinions, but the audience would not. He, therefore, sprang once more into the breach and said that by far the larger portion of the money asked to be voted was for schemes originated by former councils, not with the present one. The amount asked for the water works, $180,000, looked large. A year and a half ago he found that a certain amount of progress had been made toward carrying on the water works. Since the time when the tenders for the works had been first called, iron had gone up in price. The duty had increased from 17½ to something over 30 per cent, and freights had also gone up. About three years ago freights were unusually low, and when the estimates were made iron was cheap and the duty at about half what it is at present. Had the estimates been made for a private company a very different result could have been expected. Private companies always aim at to make money for themselves. With cities it was not so. A city goes in to supply the public with a good article at a reasonable price; it does not wish to make money off the people. A private company in this case would lay its pipes just exactly where it would pay best to do so. The city has arranged for twice as many distribution mains as the most liberal private company would think of laying. Tenders had been called for and it was found that the specifications did not cover all the ground they should. The tenders had been based at the then ruling rate and it had been thought best to postpone the matter and call for other tenders. He was well aware that $200,000 was not going to put a proper water service into Westminster. In the first system the distribution pipes reached only to Leopold Place, leaving nothing for Sapperton or Ward One, or the large extent of territory lately opened up on the hill above the city. There had been wonderful developments back there since the first estimates were made. The present system was based on the assessment of 1890, and every house in Sapperton and Ward One and to a great extent in the new territory in the upper city would be reached. The estimate was based on the scheme to supply direct from the main pipe. A distinguished expert had informed him some time ago that a 14-inch pipe main was not sufficient for fire protection in the city. The expert recommended that a reservoir be built so as to obtain proper pressure. Mr. Armstrong, one of the commissioners, had worked manfully all last winter to find a spot that would answer the purpose. Often Mr. Armstrong had to struggle through snow drifts up to his shoulders, but he succeeded in locating a spot suitable for the reservoir at the highest point near Westminster townsite and the five acres set apart for the purpose had been prepared. All these difficulties had been overcome while the people were waiting and wondering where the water works had gone to. The work was being pushed on in spite of double duties, increased freight and the higher price of iron. There was a great difference between a private company and the city in a case of this kind. The company would not have accommodated the people in this way unless it had paid them to do it. His worship felt certain that the amount asked for would cover the cost of the works. The figures had been carefully checked and rechecked and he would be very much deceived if it cost any more than that amount to turn on the water. Mr. Hill, the engineer of the water works, had made an estimate that when the water system was built and in full operation, the water would cost much less per head than in any Pacific coast city, and even than in many Ontario cities. The system would supply from the reservoir a population of 13,500 with 60 gallons a day per head and keep ten hose streams playing. And there was ground enough to double the size of the reservoir, and if necessary to build an additional level reservoir, it can be done by using gates, and an extra population of 5,000 could thus be supplied. The city's population would have to increase to 30,000 before it would be necessary to duplicate the main pipe from Coquitlam lake. He was fully satisfied with the goodness of the scheme. The strike on the Scotch railways had delayed the sailing of the vessel with the pipe from Glasgow, and that was one reason why the work had been retarded. It was trying to the patience, nevertheless the work was being pushed ahead as rapidly as could be expected in view of all those hindrances.

Regarding the electric light, $50,000 had been already expended on it and an additional amount up to $61,000 was still required, but a considerable amount of this sum would come back to the city. When the plant was bought a considerable quantity of incandescent apparatus was taken and had to be paid for. The money now asked for was for supplying new machinery. New lights were needed on the streets; there were about 50 now in use, but more were demanded and the cry was that they must have another dynamo, and they must have more lights as the town was spreading. The policy was to make the incandescent lighting pay for the street lighting, as well as pay for itself. In this way street lighting would cost very little, almost nothing. With decent management the revenue could easily be made to exceed the expenditure. But before these things could be accomplished it was necessary to spend money, and business men understood that. It was necessary to sink capital before capital could be made. He would admit that mistakes had been made; it was to be expected that some mistakes would be made. But if it were possible for him to go over the ground again he could see where they could have been avoided and where that amount of $2,000 that had been lost through miscalculation and want of experience could be saved. It was the same in every walk of life. Mistakes were bound to happen. People must have some consideration. He thought it the right thing that the city should take hold and run all these works itself. The city, of course, could have all these things built and operated for it, but the revenue would go into the pockets of the builders and not benefit the city. In his opinion this revenue should go into the city treasury. It would require gross mismanagement to prevent the water works from paying. Victoria's water works paid so well that that city had lately been offered a round million for them. The electric light also should pay with ordinary management. If the city got the streets lighted for nothing there was no reason why the electric works should not pay handsomely.

The ferry had been very badly used. He did not blame anybody for it. It must be put down to the fact that the Council did not know whether it had power to run the ferry or not and during the period of indecision the ferry had run itself, had been as he called it once before, an automaton. This had resulted so badly that the boat had to be pulled out of the water the other day and repaired at a cost of several hundred dollars. Now she was running regularly and carrying freight and passengers at lower rates and with greater safety than before. With all these advantages to the public, the ferry was just about paying, as a ferry. But she was being run as a fire boat as well, and the expense of keeping the fire pump ready for instant service night and day, made her run at a loss. If run simply as a ferry the boat was paying, and he was sure no ratepayer would object to the slight expense of keeping the fires up and a watchman on duty.

For a long time he had been opposed to getting any more fire apparatus on account of the probable early inauguration of the water system; but now he was a convert to the chemical engine theory. Although the city would soon possess a most efficient hydrant fire system, with a supply sufficient to drown out any fire likely to occur in the city, it was sometimes the case that such a deluge was not necessary to put out the fire. The chemical engine supplied the deficiency; it could be gotten to the spot quickly and check the flames with far greater rapidity and much less damage to stock than water. The chemical is always ready. It was worth a little money to have apparatus of that kind at hand. It was Ald. Scoullar's intention to work up the fire department to some extent; it was the most important organization in town, and nobody grudges expenditure in this direction. The hose at present on hand would not be allowed to waste; in less than a year from now they would want every foot of it. There would not be much use for the fire engine except in the upper part of the city where the force was not so strong, but the hose would always be wanted all over town; there would be hydrants everywhere and, of course, the hose carts would have to be somewhere handy. All this would take a little money to do, but they must make up their minds to spend a little, especially for the chemical engine. He wanted every ratepayer in town to turn out and vote for those bylaws on Friday. He believed it was necessary for them to settle the question now, whether the Council should go on with those works which were to benefit the city, or whether it should not. If the people want those things to go into the hands of private individuals, let them do so. He would not blame the private individuals a bit for jumping at the chance. He would like to have a whole lot of shares in a good water works company himself. But he would advise the people to keep control of those important things, as they and the children were to reap the benefit of them. [Applause.]

Here there was a long pause and nobody offering to speak his indefatigable worship again addressed the meeting, calling upon them to remember the

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The Ledger.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The meagre attendance at the meeting in the City Hall last night will, it is probable, be followed by a very light poll on the by-laws to be voted on to-morrow. The aggregate amount that the by-laws call for is $200,000, now, than a quarter of a million, which, with the present debt of the city and the unsold water works debentures already voted, would place the total bonded debt of the city at the very handsome figure of $734,000. It is greatly to be regretted that no member of the Board of Waterworks Commissioners nor the Waterworks Engineer was present to give a full statement of that important undertaking. The Mayor went over the matter in a sort of way, but he spoke in a merely superficial manner. He expressed unbounded faith in the general plan of the works, and was dead certain that when the $240,000 estimated for the works had been borrowed and expended, not a cent more would be needed to complete the works. We cannot say that we are impressed with any considerable degree of confidence in the Mayor's capabilities of accurately estimating the cost of public works. He does not appear to take pains or delve deeply enough into the details of such undertakings to form any good judgment of the matter. We recollect that his first estimate for the electric light works was $30,000; after a while it was $50,000, and now it has reached the splendid total of $61,000. The ferry-boat and expenses in connection therewith were primarily to cost $35,000. That sum was voted, and now $7,000 more is needed to complete a work that some competent men tell us would be dear at little more than half the price. But we are pleased to see that the *errors* of the past have toned down very considerably the decided tone in which the Mayor was wont to speak of municipal concerns generally. That is something gained, because the former style has proved on several occasions disastrously misleading.

The construction of these waterworks is a very expensive undertaking, but we think it nevertheless one that is a necessity, and we can only hope that the by-law will be passed, and that when the work is completed that it will not be necessary for the Council to come back to the people for more money. Engineer Hill, we believe to be a careful man and we have some faith that his estimates will prove correct.

As to the Electric Light By-law, it does not perhaps matter much whether it is carried or not, seeing that the Enabling Bill already legalizes the expenditures to the amount of about $50,000 or so, and the remainder, of course, is a bagatelle. This electric plant has been ordered and put in under circumstances in which it would be impossible to avoid the greatest wastefulness. To begin with, the safe and well approved plan of *submitting the contracts* for public works of this kind to public competition was departed from, and the contract was let before anybody outside of the Council of last year knew anything about it, and while a portion of the Council, even, was ignorant of the transaction. Under these circumstances we think we were justified in asking that an enquiry should be instituted to discover whether the city was getting anything like value for the money spent; but this request was denied, and the ratepayers are left in utter ignorance on that important point. If this plant should turn out as great a success as the ferry, we suppose the public will be expected to be thankful for it!

As to whether the ratepayers should cast their votes for this Electric bylaw, we do not propose to offer an opinion. But it must be recollected that the Enabling Bill has placed an obstruction in the way of the Council proceeding with any further expenditures of the sort intended by the Bylaw. What will be the result if this Bill be set at defiance? Will it mean simply more injunctions, more heated friction among the people, more waste of money in lawyers' fees and more legislative opposition? The responsibility rests with those who have been instrumental in furthering the bylaw.

The additional $7,000 wanted for the ferry boat, we presume, will have to be *granted. A sorry mess has been made* of the ferry business. The Mayor last night excused the blundering in this matter on the ground that the boat had *been injured by the injunction* that was put upon it. It's good to have an excuse, but it is a thousand pities a half dozen injunctions had not been put on before the plans were approved. "The boat had to run itself, so to speak," said the Mayor; surely it must have lost its virility very suddenly, because now it takes no end of coaxing to get it to waddle along even with a powerful lot of assistance.

The bylaw to raise $12,000 for further equipment for the fire department should be carried, as undoubtedly it will. The chemical engine will be of great value, not only in promptly extinguishing incipient fires, but in saving property from destruction by water. It is money well spent to keep down the danger from fire.

There was some discussion last night about the present rate of taxation for municipal purposes generally. But the point of importance was missed in the failure to enquire what will be the rate when $163,000 has been added to the present indebtedness of the city,—the sum mentioned being made up by the debentures involved in the new bylaws and $176,000 of debentures already voted for waterworks purposes but not yet sold. A portion of the new debt will, of course, be expended on revenue-producing works (let us hope, at least half of the whole), but until these works are got under way, and that will not be till a year or more after a great deal of the money has been expended, there will be no revenue. This circumstance is bound to make next year's rate extraordinarily heavy, unless a further sum can be borrowed to meet sinking fund and interest on those loans.

A glance into the future will discern that the need for further expenditures will shortly again become urgent. Notably, we need a sewer system. That will be a big undertaking and it will return no revenue.

MR. TURNBULL's motion, supported by the Mayor, at last night's meeting, asking those present to vote yea or nay as to how the bylaws should go to-morrow, was wrong. For one reason, that stated by Mr. TOWNSEND, the twenty-five or so ratepayers present were no index of public feeling; and for another, that some of those present might desire to vote for one or more of the bylaws and oppose the others.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of the New Westminster Southern Railway Company will be held at the Secretary's office, Columbia street, New Westminster at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday the 7th day of July next.
T. J. TRAPP, Secretary.

NOTICE.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REward will be paid to anyone who will give such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of buying or selling any salmon from or to any of the fishing boats belonging to the undersigned.
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(for Richmond and Beaver Harbor canneries)
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(H. J. KIRKLAND, Manager)

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned doing business as Brewing & Bennett, under the firm name of Brewing & Bennett, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Brewing will collect the outstanding accounts and pay the liabilities of the firm.
(Signed) W. J. KING.
HENRY LANGLEY.
Witness: W. B. King.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Brewing & Bennett has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by E. Brewing.
All accounts due by the old firm, and all owing, will be paid and received by E. Brewing.
(Signed) E. BRENCHLEY.
C. BENNETT.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of G. H. Cross & Co. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. W. Farmer retires. The business will in future be carried on by G. H. Cross. All accounts due by the old firm and all accounts owing will be paid and received by G. H. Cross.
(Signed.) G. H. CROSS.
W. FARMER.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as restaurateurs under the firm name of Baker & Whitlock, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
The business will be carried on by Mr. Whitlock at the "Bonanza" on Front Street, who assumes all responsibilities of the late firm and to whom all debts owing to the said firm must be paid.
New Westminster, 29th June, 1891.
(Signed.) ARTHUR BAKER.
ALFRED WHITLOCK.
Witness, A. C. Henderson.

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 30th, 1891.

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on Saturday, 11th July, for the erection of a Presbyterian Church at Sapperton.
G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
New Westminster, July 2d, 1891.

NOTICE.

In the County Court of New Westminster holden at Vancouver.

THE SITTING OF THIS COURT fixed for the 2nd of July, is at the special request of the bar, postponed, and the next sitting will be held on Thursday, the 6th of August, at 11 a.m.
By order,
A. E. BECK,
Registrar.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the Ship Leanor while in this port.
CAPT. HARKER.
New Westminster, June 19th, 1891.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the Barque Luisa Marta while in this port.
CAPT. MYER.
New Westminster, June 15th, 1891.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, Frank Stirsky, Jeweller and Watchmaker has this day transferred his business to his son Joseph Stirsky, who will assume entire control of the same. All debts owing to the said F. Stirsky are to be paid to Joseph Stirsky, and all accounts against F. Stirsky will also be settled by him.
(Signed.) FRANK STIRSKY.
Westminster, B.C., July 2nd, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on
Tuesday, the 14th instant,
for the erection of a
Four-Storey Brick and Stone Building,
on Columbia, McKenzie and Front streets for C. F. Dupont, Esq.
G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
New Westminster, July 1, 1891.

ADMINSTRATOR'S SALE.

In the County Court of New Westminster, holden at New Westminster.

In the matter of PETER DAYBACK late of Maple Ridge, in the district of New Westminster, Deceased, intestate.
AND
In the matter of the Intestate Estate Act.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER MADE herein by his Honor Judge Bole on the 23rd of June, 1891, I hereby give notice that I will sell by public auction, at Maple Ridge, the southeast quarter of Section 16, Township 12, New Westminster District, up to 12 o'clock noon of the 15th day of July, 1891.
The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
Tenders to be in writing and may be directed to the administrator or his solicitors Messrs. Armstrong, Erickson & Gaynor, New Westminster, who will furnish all particulars as to title, etc.
ELZIA DAYBACK,
Administrator of Peter Dayback deceased.
Dated 23rd June, 1891.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of the title to Lot 11, Block XLIV, and subdivision 22 of Lot 11, Block XII, Blaine, being part of the S.W. quarter Sec. 6, Township VII, in the District of New Westminster.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES OF title Nos. 7966 and 7968 of Thomas Robertson to the above mentioned lands have been lost or destroyed and application has been made to me for duplicates thereof.
Notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of one month from date issue such duplicate certificates of title unless in the meantime valid objection thereto be made to me in writing.
T. D. TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 2nd June, 1891.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of the title to Lots 194 and 195, Group 1, New Westminster District.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF title of Robinson Waters, No. 6304 to Lots 194 and 195, Group 1, in the District of New Westminster, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made to me for a duplicate thereof.
Notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of one month from date issue such duplicate certificate of title unless in the meantime valid objection to the contrary be made to me in writing.
T. D. TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, 11th June, 1891.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date, we intend to apply to the Hon. Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described lands:—
Commencing at the N.E. corner of Webster & Edwards' claim, thence on the right bank of a stream of the Jervis Inlet, about one mile from Beach, Jervis Inlet, about three miles from the head, thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east to shore; thence along shore to place of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less; for sawmill and mining purposes.
New Westminster, B.C., June 8th, 1891.

CITY DEBENTURES.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to noon of Saturday, Aug. 1st, 1891, for Debentures of the City of New Westminster, B.C., amounting to $15,000. Debentures are to be dated 1st July, 1891, and to bear 5 per cent. per annum, payable on the 1st day of January and July, at each year, from the date of delivery of the Debentures. Debentures will be ready for delivery at New Westminster when required. Tenders to state number of Debentures that will be taken, and the amount of premium that will be paid, and to be addressed to the Mayor, Debentures, and addressed to the undersigned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
D. ROBSON,
City Clerk.
New Westminster, B.C., June 24, 1891.

NOTICE TO DRY GOODS MEN

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to 6 p.m. July 15th, 1891, for the purchase of the Stock and Good Will of the business of James Eilard & Co., New Westminster, B.C., with a lease of the premises for nearly 3 years.
The business includes Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishings, and is one of the oldest established and best in British Columbia, and is sold at the request of the heirs of the Estate, in order to make a division of this portion of the property.
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W. A. DUNCAN,
Trustees Eilard Estate.
New Westminster, B.C., June 3d.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE MADE application to purchase Crown land under the provisions of section 29 of the "Land Act," to whom an extension of time for carrying out the terms granted, or who have failed to complete the survey of, and to make payment in full for, the land applied for, are hereby notified that their application will be cancelled, unless good and sufficient cause to the contrary is shown within 30 days from the date of this notice.
F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., May 7th, 1891.

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TWO CARLOADS OF HARDWARE for the spring trade have just been received, opened up and marked at close prices. We carry a full line of builders' supplies, making specialties of Locks, Building Paper and Nails. We also have a most magnificent stock of Cutlery

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public meeting to be held in the City Hall on Friday evening to make arrangements for the annual celebration in September. His worship said it was necessary to get a good start and have the committees formed. Last year they had done a little better than the year before, and this year they wanted to do a little better than last. He hoped everybody would come next Friday night and lend a helping hand to make the celebration of 1891 a great success. [Applause.]

Mr. S. H. Webb wanted to address the meeting but refused to go to the platform, so the crowd wouldn't let him talk at all and shouted him into his seat again.

Mr. Thomas Turnbull came forward and said that after the explanation of the bylaws they had listened to he moved that the meeting should adopt a resolution that this meeting is of opinion that the people should pass these bylaws on Friday. [Applause.]

Mr. Gowan said he had come to the meeting prepared to vote against the bylaws, but the explanations had changed his views. He then wished it explained to him how it was that he should pay $15 taxes on $800 worth of property in this city when he was taxed only $8.60 for $1,270 worth in Seattle. He was afraid this city's money was not spent economically, but he would have to vote for those bylaws anyway. [Laughter.]

Mr. T. Ackerman said he could explain that tax conundrum of Mr. Gowan's very quickly. Mr. Gowan would find that he would be taxed again about the same amount as before for county and state; making the amount of taxes Mr. Gowan had to pay just double what he had stated. He (the speaker) was a taxpayer of Seattle, too, and he could inform his hearers that street improvements and frontages were heavily assessed. He had known as much as $700 paid on a lot. [Applause.]

Ald. Walker said that when in Fairhaven lately he had enquired about the rate of taxation, and was told the rate was 2¼ per cent and that body grumbled. He told his informant that in Westminster the rate was 1¾ per cent and nearly everybody grumbled. Across the line people who own lots on both sides of the street pay for the road making; and instead of the taxes going for city improvements as here a considerable proportion goes into the general treasury at Washington.

A gentleman here came forward and lodged a complaint that he had been assessed too much. A neighbor of his had been charged less than he, and he demanded of the meeting what such conduct meant. He retired in an indignant frame of mind saying he did not want to pay any more taxes and he would not vote for those bylaws.

Mayor Brown said it was impossible to compare the taxation of two cities. The conditions are always so different. It all depended on the assessment and in the cases mentioned all the circumstances were not known, or only imperfectly. When in Victoria last winter a gentleman from Seattle assured him that for a lot assessed at $150 he had to pay $90 for taxes and frontage improvement rates. In Westminster it is different; the city pays the lot holders for improving the front of their lots. Westminster district certainly did not get fair treatment in the matter of roads; everybody in the district knew that, yet it is a fact that the people over in Washington envy us here in that respect. He was inclined to think the old British lion not such a bad beast after all the talk about the American eagle being such a good bird. The assessable property in Westminster had jumped up two million of dollars in the last year or so.

Ex-mayor Townsend said he did not think the resolution that had been offered the meeting was a fair one. He had carefully looked over the audience and he could aver that there were not 25 ratepayers among them. They had no right to pass such a resolution as the meeting was most decidedly not a representative one. "Do you call that a representative audience?" asked Mr. Townsend, pointing at the meeting. "No, it is not representative by any means; it is not a meeting of taxpayers."

Mr. Thomas Turnbull stepped forward and said he was astonished to hear Mr. Townsend talking like that. The meeting was called in the most public manner in the newspapers and the people had not come in such numbers as had been expected. This was not the meeting's fault. This meeting was not there to pass the bylaws but to approve them if they saw fit after hearing them explained. They had heard them explained and these explanations justify them being passed by the people on Friday. [Loud applause.]

The resolution was then put and carried by an overwhelming majority.

The meeting then adjourned.

Supreme Court

(Before Mr. Justice McCreight.)

William Williams v. Lee Cor. This was an action for work done under contract at South Westminster some time ago. Argument was heard at considerable length. Judgment was given for the plaintiff for $1,223 and costs. A. C. Bryden-Jack for the plaintiff, J. W. McColl, (Corbould and McColl), for the defendant.

County Court.

(Before His Honor Judge Bole.)

Beckstead v. C. P. N. Company, a claim to recover $200 for damage done to plaintiff's wharf by the steamer Irving colliding with it. Judgment was reserved. The defense claimed that plaintiff had no right to build a wharf without first having obtained permission from the Lieut.-Governor which he had not done. The case occupied the court all day.

From the Island Capital.

The steamer E. P. Ritbet arrived from Victoria last night with the following passengers: Mrs. Clyde, Miss Phillips, Miss Rudell, Mrs. Woods, F. G. Turner, W. M. Waitt, W. M. Murphy, J. R. Green, N. C. McKees, M. O. Oliver, O. W. Murrell, Rev. Thomas Haddon, R. Wintemute, N. Marsh, W. P. Switzer. Freight for city 11 tons; for the C. P. R. 11 tons. A quiet passage was reported, and smooth water in the gulf. An unusual number of fishermen were noticed coming up river.

Deserves Recognition.

Mr. F. G. Turner returned from Boundary Bay last night. On being interviewed respecting his trip, he declared that the bay was the prettiest spot he had ever seen outside of Westminster. From the Fraser river to the sea, there is one unbroken succession of fine farms, all under the highest cultivation. The hay crop is being harvested, and will be exceptionally heavy; while wheat, oats and garden crops are promising well. According to Mr. Turner, there should be a great summer resort there, as the bathing, fishing and boating facilities are unrivalled and the bay possesses the finest beach on the coast.

The Chief of Police.

Ex-chief of police, Sidney J. Pearce, yesterday gave up his office and turned in his helmet and uniform, his month's notice having expired. The police commissioners thereupon instructed Sergeant Carty to assume the duties of chief, pro tem. and the force is now under that officer's directions. The question of Mr. Pearce's successor has not yet been determined, although there are two or three names under consideration; among these are Constable Gibson, of Vancouver, and Mr. Devlin of the C. P. R. detective department. The matter it is understood will be settled in a few days, and it is expected that a number of radical improvements and changes which were said to be necessary will be made in the local police department.

Surrey Council.

Council met on Monday, July 6. All the members present. The minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion approved. Communications were received from T. M. Chaldecott, Hill and Kirk, Corbould and McColl, J. F. Boothroyd, W. A. Stone, W. I. Robinson, Dr. I. M. MacLean, Wm. McRae and others. Received and placed on file. Bills and accounts from W. Baillie and Co., $17.70; Reid and Currie, $20.50; O'Dyer and Palmer, $123.10; referred to the Finance Committee and if correct ordered to be paid. The application of J. F. Boothroyd, on behalf of the Orange Lodge, for the use of the Town Hall on July 13 was granted. The Reeve and Clerk were authorized to prepare and execute a title deed for certain lands sold for taxes to J. W. McCallum. The Clerk was instructed to notify C. H. Stender of Blaine to remove his fence off the road limit, Campbell River road, within two weeks. The Clerk and Mr. R. S. Yeomans were authorized to interview Messrs. Armstrong, Eckstein & Gaynor for the purpose of obtaining advice on dyking matters in connection with the Council. Mr. J. W. McCallum was authorized to see Messrs. Corbould & McColl in reference to Gilley v Surrey. Coun. Parr gave notice that at next meeting he would introduce an indemnity bylaw. The Council then adjourned until Monday, July 20, at 1 o'clock p. m.

An Eventful Journey.

Night operator Jimmy Field had a sweet time of it yesterday afternoon delivering a telegraphic message at Clover Valley. He hired a horse and buggy and took passage on the trans-Fraser liner Surrey for South Westminster. All went well until the horse left the plank road and got upon the Queen's highway. The animal, besides being of a contemplative disposition and apt to lapse into brown studies from which no amount of black snake, scientifically applied to the small ribs and "kittly pairts" as the Scotch say, could arouse him, was afflicted with an affection of the leg that did duty at the south-west corner of his body. Ever and anon the brute would lift this limb and trot along on the other three, just like a wanton little dog that does it for its own amusement. This kind of thing went ill with the harness and the smoothness of the journey, and Jimmy laid a few longitudinal mustard plasters along the limb with the flexible club he carried with him. This had no more effect than whipping a cedar stump. Then the animal's appetite woke up and demanded refreshment for the inner horse. Not a rap did he care for the tugs, slashes, anathemas and vociferous complaints that issued from the buggy. He trotted up to the roadside and began filling up on grass as quickly as circumstances would permit. After a battle for supremacy lasting all the way from South Westminster to the valley the telegram was delivered and the home journey commenced. This time the horse had determined to take it easy, and his gait was the most neglige thing noted on that road for years. Boiling with wrath and impatience Mr. Field at length drove his little one-horse funeral procession on to the ferry, and he was a glad man when he gave up the reins and jumped out of that buggy. Next time messages are to be delivered in the rural districts Mr. Field says he will order a horse that can go there faster than he can walk, and see that he gets it.

Legal Appointments.

At a full bench meeting of the British Columbia Law Society, held in Victoria on Monday Mr. A. P. Luxton was admitted a barrister, and the application of Mr. Henry A. Barton, acting deputy attorney-general, for enrollment as a solicitor was passed. G. H. Barnard's application for examination as a barrister was also passed, as was the application of Gordon Hunter for enrollment as an applicant for rights to practice as a barrister and solicitor, and that of W. H. Cochrane, who seeks for enrollment as a solicitor.

A Small Prairie Fire

Nearly ten acres of the northern portion of Beacon Hill Park, Victoria, was burned over early on Tuesday morning. The mischievous small boy with his little match, he caused the damage. The fire was put out with wet sacks and a small chemical engine. Referring to this fire the Victoria Times says: The usefulness of the chemical machines for quenching was shown this morning, the small stream from the machine doing more work than a dozen streams of water could do. A large chemical engine will be just the thing for fires of this kind, in fact for any fires.

The Precious Metal.

Yesterday a Leisuer reporter was shown a couple of pickle bottles filled with almost pure gold from the claim of the Lillooet Hydraulic Mining Company on the Lillooet river. The two bottles each represented a value of about $1,500, and their aggregate value was over $3,000. This is the result of only a short period of work, and the company, it was stated, can easily clear an amount of gold many times greater than this in a full season's work. The company owns about the richest claim on this side of the Cascades. A number of our principal citizens are interested in the enterprise.

The Favored City.

Capt. W. R. Smallfield of Victoria has received the plans of the long contemplated drill shed, for which the Dominion government has set aside $20,000. The particulars may prove interesting to the Westminster militia, the contrast between the new shed to be erected for Victoria and the one now doing duty for Westminster being simply appalling. The new building is to be of brick with stone foundation. The front elevation shows a solid structure, not handsome but neat. The drill hall, which is on the first floor, will be 104 feet long by 80 feet, while 24 by 104 feet on the same floor will be used for six armories, gun shed and orderly's room. The upper floor will be occupied by another drill hall, the shooting gallery, band, store, sergeants', officers', mess, reading and spare rooms.

The Californian Cricketers.

The visit of a cricket team from San Francisco has been finally decided on, says the Colonist, and the secretary of the visiting club has written, fixing the dates of the different matches to be played while in British Columbia. Two all-day matches will be played with each club. The visitors will play the Victorias on August 1st and 3rd, the Vancouvers on the 4th and 5th, and the Westminsters on the 6th and 7th. It is the intention of each of the British Columbia clubs to banquet the San Franciscans, consequently there can be no complaint of lack of hospitality on the part of the "Brittishers."

A few members of the local club on being interviewed last night regarding the matter expressed the opinion that the match with Westminster would not take place at so early a date as stated, but probably the second week in August. Those interrogated stated that an effort would be made to play the best game ever known in the history of the club and win a game from the visitors from California, who are noted all over the coast for their skill.

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Starters Divide	5,000	200 Cash Prizes of 50 each	10,000
Non-Starters Divide	5,000	400 Cash Prizes of 25 each	10,000
2 Cash Prizes of $2,500 each	5,000	1000 Cash Prizes of 10 each	10,000
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LAYING THE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

of the New Westminster Water Works in accordance with specifications and drawings to be seen at the Engineer's office, City Hall.

ARTHUR HILL, Engineer.

July 5th, 1891.

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the "Quieting Titles Act",
And in the matter of Lot 4, Block 17, New Westminster City, Province of British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 27th day of June instant an application was made to The Honorable Mr. Justice Crease for a Declaration of the Title of James McNamara as owner in fee simple in possession of said Lot 4, Block 17, New Westminster City, and that the said James McNamara was thereupon adjudged to be the owner thereof in fee simple. And it was ordered that after publication of a notice of said decision in some weekly newspaper in the City of New Westminster for the period of four weeks, a declaration of the Title of the said James McNamara as such owner in fee simple will be given, unless in the meantime notice in writing of objection thereto be given to the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Victoria.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Irving returned from Chilliwack yesterday.

Mr. Laidlaw says he expects the salmon run to be very light this year.

The planking on the hull of Gilley Bros' new steamer is about finished.

The Armstrong-English block on Front street has now reached the third storey.

Found—"The beefsteak that never came." Juicy, in any style at the Bonanza Grill Room. *

Front street west has recently been much improved by the wharf additions being made.

Rev. Mr. Forbes of Pictou, N. S., is in the city en route to California on a four months' recreation trip.

Two or three teams were badly scared by the steam roller yesterday, but no accidents were reported.

The Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company have re-elected last year's board of directors and officers.

We have run out of gutta percha, but we are well supplied with tenderloin at the Bonanza Grill Room. *

A meeting of the Gun Club will be held tomorrow night, and it is requested that all members shall attend.

It is probable that Mr. Bolton will be appointed U. S. Consul at Vancouver vice Hon. Jay Ewing, resigned.

The cherry harvest is now in full swing, and in some parts of the city, the sidewalks are thick with stones and stalks.

A young man, while trying to board the eastern mail yesterday, narrowly escaped being knocked under the cars. His agility saved his life.

Willie, won't you? What? Take me to the Bonanza for ice cream? Why certainly. *

More stone has been placed on Sixth street for the Douglas-Elliott block, but it seems still undecided as to when construction will be resumed.

Mr. C. H. Beevor-Potts of Nanaimo has a pointer dog which has just won his fourth first prize in the province. The dog is evidently full of good points.

The loading of the barques Leonor and Luisa Marta is about completed, and both vessels are expected to leave the river on Saturday or Sunday night.

It is said that the new steamer Victorian for the Sound traffic will be very speedy. She will make 20 knots an hour, and will be on the route in a month's time.

You never miss your mother till she's gone, but you'll miss a quarter of your life if you don't eat at the Bonanza Grill Room. *

Burglars appear to be getting troublesome in Vancouver. Many cases of attempted burglary are reported, and the police appear to have a little trouble in checking the evil.

Judge Bole goes to Vancouver today to hear argument in reserved cases in the county court. He will hold court here next Monday, when the Griffin case comes up for trial.

Indians, especially Kloatchmen, are now offering blackberries for sale, and yesterday afternoon a string of about 20 was seen on Carnarvon street, and all had berries for sale.

The old court house buildings are being moved, and the site will be vacant in another day. Part of the old building occupied the middle of Dallas street near Douglas last night.

Davidson Bros.—Skilful watch repairer and manufacturing jeweller. *

It is learned that the contract for further construction of the Douglas-Elliott block has not yet been let, but will be shortly, and then the building will be pushed ahead until completed.

The lacrosse club will meet tonight for practice—the last one before the match at Vancouver on Saturday. Let the boys turn out in full force tonight and give the team a good strong game.

The boiler of a pile driving engine burst near Nanaimo on Tuesday. No one was around at the time. The engineer had gone to breakfast and left the machine apparently in good condition.

An exciting steamboat race took place on the Sound from Seattle to Tacoma on Monday afternoon, the racers being the steamers Olympian and City of Seattle. The Olympian won the race by two minutes.

Look over P. M. Watson & Co.'s list of property on second page of this paper. *

The Vancouver hose reel team are trying to arrange a race with that of the Anacortes fire department for a sum of money between $50 and $500. There is not much prospect of the race taking place.

Ald. Scoullar was troubled with much too much modesty at the meeting last night. The audience was burning to hear his eloquence, but he obdurately refused to be either coaxed or cajoled to the front.

Capt. John Irving of the C. P. N. Co. has announced that he will present a silver cup as a trophy to be contended for by the amateur scullers of Victoria. The race for the cup will take place some time during August.

Lots on exceptional terms on building conditions for sale by Rand Bros. *

A bat was captured in a garden on Royal avenue last evening that measured over twelve inches from tip to tip of the wings. This is regarded as an unusually large size, as the usual spread of wing is not much over seven inches.

The quicksilver mines on Barclay Sound give every promise of being very prolific. Work is being prosecuted in a thorough manner, and a big gang of men are busily engaged in sinking a shaft and tunnelling into the side of the hill.

The steamship Batavia of the Upton line will sail from Portland on Friday for Victoria and as soon as she takes on her coal will be ready to start for China. It is the expectation of her agents to have her sail on the evening of the 12th.

Make your appointments for sittings at Thompson's studio by Telephone, No. 135.

Captain Power of Moodyville has donated $50 each to St. Ann's Orphan House, the Roman Catholic Cathedral and the Home for the Indigent in Victoria, an act which has called forth the greatest praise from the provincial press.

A man who slipped off a plank in front of one of the city docks yesterday and was immersed in the river for about two minutes, said, after climbing out, that he would not call for ice cream all this summer. He meant that the water was not warm.

An excursion will leave Nanaimo this morning for Mission City. The excursionists will go from Nanaimo to Vancouver by the steamer Dunsmuir, and thence to Mission by the C. P. R. The Nanaimo brass band will accompany the excursion.

Bargains in property, examine carefull T. J. Trapp's list of properties for sale, in condensed column. *

L. A. Lewis, that central figure on the lacrosse field, who was injured while playing a couple of weeks ago, was out for the first time since the accident yesterday. He will need to "lay low" for some time yet, and his absence from the team on Saturday will be seriously felt.

The work of tearing down the old building corner of McKenzie and Front streets, to make way for the Dupont Block, is being rapidly done. The whole building will be demolished by today. On Columbia street also the tearing down process is going merrily on.

The new Baptist church will probably be ready for occupation about exhibition time. It will be one of the finest religious edifices in the city. There is a rumor that to complete the work of improvement and enlargement, a fine pipe organ will be put in at an early date.

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

Captain Lewis' remarks in reference to the Victoria harbor are still the subject of a large amount of correspondence in the Victoria papers, and it would seem that the citizens, and especially the Times, have gone crazy over the slur said to have been cast upon the "mudhole."

Mr. Wesley Warner, for the past year and a half inspector of U. S. customs at Vancouver, goes to Port Townsend, where he will be located in future. There will be no U. S. customs inspector at Vancouver for the present as the business is thought to be insufficient to warrant it.

The services of the street sprinkler, though they do not extend over a very large area, are appreciated by the merchants, and it might be a good idea to have the machine perambulate some of the streets above the business center occasionally, that is, if the people living up there will pay for it.

For rent—A store room and upper flat on Front street, adjoining Mathers & Milligan's. Apply to F. J. Coulthard & Co. *

The steamer Mexico was beached near Seattle on Tuesday that the damage done her hull by the recent encounter with icebergs might be estimated. If seriously injured, she will return to Esquimalt and at once go into the dock, which the Warspite will not require for ten days or more.

The veteran rifleman, Capt. Poole, being interrogated by a LEDGER reporter yesterday, disclaimed any intention of going to Goldstream this year, saying that he preferred to let the younger men have a chance. Tais will be a disappointment to the genial captain's numerous friends.

Mr. R. P. Rithet of Victoria has made a princely gift to that city. It is in the form of eight acres of land adjoining the Jubilee Hospital, the sole condition being that suitable buildings for a home for the aged poor of Victoria be erected thereon. The home is at present in temporary wooden buildings.

When you want a first-class hack call up the Crown Stables; telephone No. 41. *

Capt. Frank White has turned up all right, much to the satisfaction of his numerous friends. At the time of the Seagull's loss he and a companion were seen in a small boat trying to reach the shore, but as nothing more was seen of them they were given up for lost. They were brought down by the Boscowitz.

The Boscowitz brought with her on her last trip to Victoria the first consignment of salmon shipped by the British American Canning Company, also the first shipment of oil from Queen Charlotte Islands. The salmon run on the Nass is very slack, but hopes are entertained for improvement later on in the season.

Some fine white leaf zalias have been received from the far north by a local dealer, and business is reported to be fairly good in almost all classes of furs, although, of course, it is "nothing like what it used to be in the days of long ago." Most of the furs handled in Westminster are shipped to Montreal and New York.

A Bargain.—For sale, cottage with six rooms and orchard on Clinton street; best residential part of city; terms reasonable. Apply Mrs. M. Gray, Russell House. *

On Tuesday morning the gulf was so rough that the steamer Sakingate, running between Nanaimo and Vancouver in place of the Cutch, laid up for annual inspection, had to put back to Nanaimo. The passengers were glad to get back. The steamer left again at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the sea having gone down a good deal.

Quite a number of people are mourning the absence of Edwin Pearson, a Victoria jeweler. At the time of his disappearance, about three weeks ago, it is stated that he had a number of watches and rings in his possession that the owners are now looking for. The last heard of Pearson he was in East Portland, Ore.

The assessed value of real estate in Victoria is now a fraction over $18,877,000, to which will be added $7,000,000 more when the territory embraced in the recent extension of the city is valued. The property exempt is valued at $1,750,000. In 1891 the assessed value of the city was about $2,000,000. The receipts and expenditures were about balanced. Rents were low and taxation equally so.

Geo. W. Walker, Merchant Tailor, having dissolved with Mr. W. F. Beggs, is now at his old stand, 56 McKenzie street. Clothes cleaned, repaired and dyed as usual. The store will be closed from 1 to 6 on Saturday. *

At the annual meeting of the Shuswap & Okanagan Railway Company, held on Tuesday afternoon in Victoria, the old board of directors and the old officers were unanimously re-elected. The officers are: President, Capt. P. Larkin; vice-president, M. Lumby; secretary-treasurer, George Riley; board of directors, the officers and T. J. Jones, Jos. Hunter, T. R. Hall and R. A. McQuade.

Waghorn's Guide, published in Winnipeg, for July is to hand, embodying all changes in tables of travel and general business to date. The new C. P. R. time card of the main line and branches is given in full; new postoffices and mail service, the sailing of C. P. R. Lake Beatty and ocean steamships, with usual maps of Winnipeg, Manitoba and the Dominion. It is excellent value for its small price, 10 cents.

The steam roller was at work on east Columbia street yesterday, and packed the macadam down into a hard, compact mass. To the disgust of many, however, a large quantity of soft clay was afterwards spread on top, completely covering the surface of the rock, and then rolled in. What the roadway will be like in wet weather in consequence of this can be only imagined. The fire engine was pressed into service to flood the street with water.

I have just received a nice stock of Gent's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's boots, shoes and slippers which I am prepared to furnish at prices lower than the lowest. James Rousseau, Front Street, rear Bank B. C. *

Montreal's Great Exhibition.

The Montreal Exposition Company has issued its circular for the Provincial Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition, September 17th to 25th, at Montreal. Among the many attractive things on the list are noted the following: Steam power and shafting will be supplied free in the machinery hall and agricultural implement building; a silo will be constructed on the grounds and the latest methods of preparing ensilage shown in all the stages; a working dairy, an international bench show of dogs; besides these an interesting programme of special attractions has been prepared. Reduced fares are offered on all railways and exhibitors tickets are good to Montreal and return for one fare.

They Won't Have It.

The property holders of the Burnaby Lake district, between here and Vancouver, are strongly against the proposal to name the new municipality South Vancouver. A great many residents of Westminster and Moody own land in this section, and the feeling is very strong against the innovation. It is claimed and with some justice, that the name of the district, if any at all is chosen, should be either Burnaby, Hastings, or North Westminster. Clearing is going on rapidly in the vicinity of the lake, and many new dwellings are projected. A few of the property holders intend to go into market gardening on a large scale, a purpose for which the land is well adapted.

Looking far Ahead.

A gentleman who has some experience of the matters pertaining to "the turf," said, on returning from his visit to Lulu Island over the new bridge, that he never saw anywhere a better place to locate a racing track than on the prairie just off the end of the bridge. He stated it as his opinion that if a track were established there Westminster would become renowned all over the coast for its race meetings, and it would advertise the city as nothing else could. He thought that a half-mile track, two laps to the mile, could be constructed cheaply, a big grand stand put up, the grounds enclosed by a tall board fence and other necessary things done for a moderate sum. The ring he said could be used for athletic meetings and such like.

Chief of Police.

EDITOR MORNING LEDGER: Sir,—I may be mistaken, but it is currently reported that the City Council are going to appoint a new chief of police, and one outside of our city police force. Now, I claim that if our police are not one and all fit to assume the position of chief, when there is a vacancy they are not fit to fill the position that they now hold, and the sooner the city fathers get competent men the better. How would it be in case of war, if where an officer was killed, another had to be sent for to fill the place of him who was taken away? I claim that some of our police are fit and proper men to fill the position, and what interest can a constable have in making himself efficient and taking an interest in the welfare of the city if he can not look up for promotion.

TAXPAYER.

PERSONAL.

A. McCorvie is up from Ladner's.

E. M. Wiltshire is in from Clayton.

C. W. Teetzel is in from Vancouver.

Thomas Allice of Victoria is in town.

J. J. Southcott has arrived from Victoria.

L. G. McPhillips, Vancouver, is in town.

Rev. Thomas Haddon has returned home.

L. Guichon is in town from Guichon's Landing.

Rev. E. Robson went over to Victoria yesterday.

D. McGillivray is over from Vancouver on business.

J. P. Donald, San Francisco, is staying here for awhile.

Miss Phillips was a passenger on the Rithet last night.

D. Duckesteader came down from Port Haney yesterday.

N. C. McKeen came up river on the Rithet last night.

Dr. R. I. Bentley went over to the capital yesterday.

Mr. F. G. Turner returned from Boundary Bay last night.

Miss Allice of Lolthgow, Scotland, has arrived at the Colonial.

Robert Wintemute returned from the capital on the Rithet yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell and daughter of Victoria are staying at the Colonial.

Hon. H. Y. Thompson of the Great Northern, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. J. H. Forbes of Durham, Pictou, N. S., is registered at the Hotel Douglas.

His Lordship Bishop Sillitoe is in Victoria attending the convocation of the University Senate.

Miss M. Turner went up to Harrison Hot Springs yesterday afternoon, and will remain there a few days.

Auction Sale.

I have just received instructions from the Honourable W. Norman Bole, on account of change of residence, to sell by public auction the whole of his valuable furniture and bric-a-brac. Parties requiring furniture would do well to wait until this sale comes off, full particulars of which will be given in due course. T. J. TRAPP, Auctioneer.

New Westminster, June 23, 1891. *

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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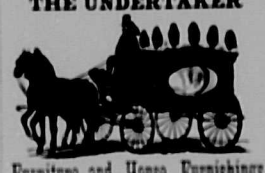

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