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Parnell Said to Have Secretly Married Mrs. O'Shea's Daughter

PARNELLITE HOPES REVIVE

Captain O'Shea Scornfully Ridicules the Whole Story.

POPE LEO'S NEXT ENCYCLICAL

An Exciting Meeting of Staffordshire Iron Workers Breaks up in Disorder.

LONDON, April 7.—The eager curiosity aroused by the report that Mr. Parnell has been secretly married to Mrs. O'Shea's daughter is sharpened by each succeeding failure on the part of Mr. Parnell's friends and opponents alike to obtain any information whatever as to the truth or falsity of the rumor. The Parnellites are filled with hope that the story is true, believing that it will explain his conduct during the trial of the divorce suit against Mrs. O'Shea, and enable them to cover him *with a neat coat of whitewash pleasing* to the eyes of the wavering Nationalists. The most trusted of Mr. Parnell's colleagues profess profound ignorance of any relation whatever between Mr. Parnell and the young lady, and the most bitter of his enemies are equally in the dark. Capt. O'Shea scornfully ridicules the story; declaring his belief that there has never been the slightest foundation for such a statement.

CHERCHEZ LA FEMME.

The relations of Mr. Parnell and Mrs. O'Shea have been rendered more mysterious than ever by recent reports. No declaration has yet been made by Mr. Parnell himself or by any person authorized to speak for either of the persons concerned, that they are to be married when the divorce is made absolute. That period is now near at hand and the friends of both are anxious that the ambiguous situation should be cleared up. The state of affairs has led to the springing up of a crop of rumors damaging to the reputation of the gentleman and lady, already so much compromised. These various stories, with more or less foundation, culminated in the report yesterday that the marriage with Mrs. O'Shea would not take place as Mr. Parnell had already been married to another lady. Astonishment was increased today that the lady in question is a daughter of Mrs. O'Shea and that the marriage took place in secret, because among other reasons the young lady was a ward in chancery. The latter story spread rapidly in the lobbies of the House of Commons today, and is eargerly and variously discussed, but finds no believers.

EVANS THEIR CHAMPION.

The government of Newfoundland has appointed *Francis H. Evans, M. P. for* Southampton, who has so warmly espoused its cause, special commissioner with unlimited powers to negotiate with Her Majesty's Government a settlement of the differences between them in regard to the French fishery claims. Mr. Evans has been advised by the Newfoundland authorities that it is necessary to secure on immediate concession of some kind to allay the public feeling in the colony.

ANOTHER ONE GONE WRONG.

The eager discussion of the Parnell stories in the lobbies of the House of Commons was turned into another channel by the circulation of the rumor that one of the leaders of the Tory party will shortly figure in the courts as a principal in a grave criminal offence, the heinous features of which eclipse any of the scandals of recent years. It is alleged that the evidence against the offending member is very strong.

THE NEXT ENCYCLICAL.

The Bishop of Newport, England, has completed the translation of Pope Leo's forthcoming encyclical on labor and socialism, which will be published concurrently in Europe and America on the day of its issue at Rome, at a date not far distant.

ALMOST A LYNCHING PARTY.

An enormous meeting of employers and male and female employees engaged in the nail, chain and rivet trades in Staffordshire was held at Stafford today. The male employees proposed resolutions approving the government bill restricting female labor. The females who were in the majority opposed those resolutions on the ground that by the passage of such a bill thousands of women would be thrown out of work to starve or lead lives of shame. The discussion of the resolutions, which was very exciting, ended in an attempt on the part of the women to lynch the men who had offered and supported the motion, and the meeting broke up amid the wildest excitement and disorder without transacting any business.

CLERICAL INTERFERENCE.

The feeling of uneasiness which is gaining ground among the English Liberals as to clerical interference in Irish politics has been powerfully voiced by Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice in an address to the Reading Liberals. Lord Fitzmaurice said that Protestant as he was, he desired to recognize that Ireland was chiefly a Roman Catholic country, but they must equally bear in mind that Ireland was not altogether Roman Catholic and that a place must be kept secure for the Protestants in the politics of the country. He added that it was most desirable that nothing should be done to increase the difficulties of the situation by striking the note of ecclesiastical bigotry. Lord Edmond's apprehensions are widely shared by English non-conformists as well as by Irish Protestants, and the slurs on the Orangemen in the Sligo contest have greatly tended to exasperate that order.

THE BRITISH FLAG.

It appears that Chancellor Caprivi's resolution to send a strong fleet to Chilian waters was prompted by news received at Hamburg of the treatment to which German vessels are being subjected. The insurgent fleet has seized a German barque loaded with coal and carried it off. The interference of the British fleet caused the barque to be released, the coal, however, being taken and well paid for. The objections of British merchant vessels were sufficient to prevent interference without appeal to the fleet.

Thirsts for Blood.

BUCHAREST, April 7.—The King of Roumania has refused to accept the resignation of Vacaresco as Minister at Vienna. Vacaresco offered his resignation in order to challenge the Prince of Reusse, German Ambassador to Austria, for an affront which the latter's wife recently offered to the son of the Roumanian Minister at the ball given at the German Embassy at the Austrian capital.

With American Fish.

PARIS, April 6.—The Seine has been restocked with 40,000 California salmon.

AVENGED HIS SISTER.

A tragical story was unfolded at the Assize Court of Charente a day or two ago. M. Arthequier was a law student at Bordeaux. One day from his window he perceived in an apartment opposite a young lady, Mdlle. Laroche, who lived there with her parents. He fell in love with her and wrote to her. The young lady returned his passion and became his mistress; one day she found herself enceinte. Mr Arthequier had, however, quitted Bordeaux, his studies finished and had gone to Confolens. She wrote to him, begging him to marry her, but had no reply. She then sent a cure, but her messenger was not more fortunate. Finally she revealed the whole matter to her brother. Edgar Laroche purchased a revolver and started for Confolens. This was on the 8th of January. The next day he had an interview with M. Arthequier. He was only with him ten minutes. No one heard the report of firearms or angry words spoken; but when Laroche left the house he went straight to the police station and said he had shot the young lawyer. The police went to the house and found that he had told the truth; the man was dying and never recovered consciousness. There having been no witnesses to the interview, what passed is only known from Laroche's own statement. According to it he had demanded of M. Arthequier to write, under his dictation, a promise of marriage, he on his part binding himself by oath that his sister should plead for a divorce if the marriage did not turn out a happy one. The other refused to give the promise, and said he would rather die than to carry out his promise to marry the young woman he had wronged. Young Laroche, the prisoner, in a fury took out his revolver and shot him dead on the spot. The accused was ably defended by his advocate before the assize court, and in spite of the speech of the public prosecutor asking that a verdict of guilty with extenuating circumstances should be brought in the jury found the prisoner "Not guilty." The verdict seemed to meet the approval of a crowded court.

CHILEAN SYMPATHIZERS.

A conclave of Chileans and supporters of the Chilean insurgents meets in secrecy at the Grand Hotel. The meetings are presided over by a Chilean banker. Frequent cable despatches are received, announcing that the cause of the insurgents is succeeding. To purchase and dispatch arms and ammunition through the most secret English channels is the chief work of the group.

GERMAN DELEGATES IN PARIS.

The German delegates to the miners' congress marched in procession today to the cemetery Pere la Chaise, and placed upon the graves of the communists wreaths inscribed, "To our brethren, who fell in 1871." Several addresses were made, in which the speakers declared that on returning home they would do their best to abolish the Chauvinist spirit in Germany, which they said did not exist among the organized workmen of that country.

ACUTE FINANCIAL CRISIS.

The failures of Corradini, of Leghorn, the Ancona Sugar Refinery Company and Averello Steamship Company, of Genoa, have not affected French houses. The deficit of Corradini and the Ancona sugar refinery represented a total of £1,000,000, a part of which consists of uncovered balances amounting to £200,000 due to London firms. Two of the Leghorn firms involved, those of Maveocordato and Rodocanehi will obtain a private settlement. L. Verellos has obtained an extension of time in which to recover. The bank of Leghorn has been shaken and its position is doubtful. A general acute financial crisis in Italy can only be averted by economy and prosperity within and without for a long period to come.

The Cork Election.

DUBLIN, April 7.—At a meeting today of the Cork leadership committee, the mayor of Cork announced that Parnell was willing to resign and contest with Maurice Healy, but that he, the mayor, had taken the responsibility of dissuading him.

Secret Manœuvres.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 7.—The government censor has ordered the Russian press not to refer to the movements of troops who are to take part in the manœuvres on the Polish and German frontiers. The manœuvres are of unusual magnitude.

Has Purchased the Thistle.

BERLIN, April 7.—Emperor William has purchased the celebrated Scotch cutter yacht Thistle, and it is expected he will enter the boat in the great race for the Queen's cup which takes place off the Isle of Wight. In the race for the American cup, the Thistle was defeated by the American yacht Volunteer.

Secretly Encouraged.

LISBON, April 7.—Complaint is made by the Portuguese authorities at Mozambique that companies of British troopers continue the conquests in Manacaland. In spite of orders issued by Lord Salisbury that the movement should cease, it is believed the action complained of is secretly encouraged by the British Government.

Bound for the South.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Two steam launches from the cruiser San Francisco were all morning engaged in carrying provisions to the vessel. She will have a full supply by tonight and will sail for Valparaiso tomorrow at noon.

CALLED TO THE CAPITAL.

Secretary of War Proctor stated today that he would start for Washington City Monday night, as he had been summoned by telegraph. He said his sudden return had nothing to do with the Italian matter, and refused to discuss that question. He intimated that General Ruger, who is now in command of the department of Dakota, would succeed General Gibbon as commander of the division of the Pacific.

Patriots or Rebels.

PANAMA, April 7.—(Via Galveston)—Passengers, who have arrived in this city by steamer from Valparaiso, declare that the cause of the revolutionists is making progress. They assert, that in Valparaiso, the sentiment in favor of the revolutionary party is becoming very strong. It was generally expected when they left there, that on the arrival of the fleet the troops now adhering to the Balmaceda government would renounce their allegiance, and go over to the opposition. It is argued that President Balmaceda realizes that his cause is waning from the fact that he is recruiting his forces from the prisons. The reports of loss of life and property, resulting from the revolutionary uprising, which have reached the outside world, these passengers declare have been much exaggerated.

TRACY IS PUZZLED

To Know How Best to Distribute America's Naval Forces

THE CHARLESTON TREBLY WANTED

P. T. Barnum the Great Showman Dies at His Home in Bridgeport

BARNUM THE SHOWMAN DEAD

A Young Bridegroom Shot Dead While Leaving for the Honeymoon.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 7.—There is still need of more naval vessels in the Pacific and Secretary Tracy is embarrassed and cannot decide to send the Charleston because she is wanted in no less than three places at once. A select committee to visit Alaska would like to have the Charleston carry them on their trip, but Secretary Tracy and Commodore Ramsay, chief of the bureau of navigation, after the consideration of the subject today decided that she could not be spared for this purpose. She is needed to increase the force in Chilian waters and it is still probable that she will go there, though the condition of affairs in the Hawaiian Islands is such that she may be sent there instead. The American residents of Honolulu and other points in the islands have written the secretary of state representing that English agents are seeking to undermine American ascendancy in Hawaiian offices, and urging that a strong naval force be sent to Honolulu as a notice to European nations that the United States does not propose to relinquish what is virtually her protectorate over the islands. Secretary Tracy has the subject under consideration and it is probable that the Charleston will remain at Baltimore. Further information is received from both Honolulu and Chili which will enable him to decide at which place she is most needed.

AGAINST RECIPROCITY.

In an interview this afternoon ex-Congressman McKinley declared against Canadian reciprocity. He says that the United States has nothing to gain from such reciprocity relations.

The Great Showman Dead.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 7.—The great showman P. T. Barnum is dead. Mr. Barnum's attending physician, Dr. C. C. Godfrey, had been in attendance upon him all night. He stated to a reporter at 10 o'clock this morning that he believed the famous showman would not live many hours. He had been declining fast since midnight. The doctor described his condition as "cyanotic." Barnum was conscious up to 10 o'clock this morning and recognized those gathered around his bedside. Shortly after 8 o'clock Dr. Godfrey aroused him from a slight slumber and told him the city had gone Republican in yesterday's election. In a very feeble voice Mr. Barnum murmured: "I am glad." Dr. Godfrey believes his death was due to loss of respiration or heart failure. His respiration and pulse were growing weaker every moment and the doctor gave it as his opinion that the veteran showman could not last the day through. Barnum's daughters are expected here this morning, having been telegraphed for.

Challenges the Statement.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Post prints prominently on the editorial page that "$100 will be paid at this office for a properly authenticated copy of any order signed either by the President, Secretary or Assistant Secretary of State, or Secretary or Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, or any other cabinet officer directing the United States revenue cutters on the Pacific Coast to seize foreign vessels engaged in seal killing in the Behring Sea, outside a marine league from the American shore, or declaring the whole of the said sea to be 'the waters of Alaska,' referred to in the statutes of the United States."

SHOT DEAD.

Anton Henry was married at East Rahway early last evening. He lies dead this morning with a bullet in his brain. The wedding ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's parents, and there was a throng of friends present, who had a merry time. In the midst of the feast the bride and groom started for their carriage to take the train for their honeymoon trip. The guests crowded to the door with rice and old shoes to bid them good speed. For an instant young Henry and his bride stood at the open carriage door shaking hands with some late comers. There was cheering and chatting and bustle all around them. Meanwhile Henry Mentz, a friend of the groom, had taken a revolver from his pocket. He thought it was loaded only with blank cartridges, and meant to fire a salute. He is believed to have been somewhat the worse for wine. A pistol shot rang out upon the night air. The man had fired too low, and Henry fell to the sidewalk. A moment later he had breathed his last. His bride fainted, and the merrymakers stood for an instant stunned. Then the doctor was sent for and the bodies of the bride and groom were borne within the house. To those who carried Anton in it was evident that he was dead. In half an hour the young wife had regained consciousness. Mentz is locked up.

Printers Grand Ball.

TACOMA, April 7.—The Tacoma Typographical Union this afternoon decided to give a grand ball about the middle of May, one of the features of which will be the printing of a newspaper in full view of the audience once every hour during the continuance of the ball. The type will be set up and the paper printed on the stage.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Montreal Cattlemen Alarmed at the Increase in Prices.

OTTAWA, April 7.—The Government has decided not to interfere with the legislation of Manitoba, abolishing the Catholic Separate School, and the official French language in the Legislature and courts of that Province. The Manitoba act contains a special provision for the protection of the minority in respect of education. The question of the constitutionality of the Education Act is now before the courts, and the future action of the Government may safely be allowed to be held in abeyance, pending the decision of the courts. the case being similar to that of the New Brunswick school act. It is understood the Government will defray the expense of court litigation regarding the dual language. The minister of justice expresses doubts as to its constitutionality, but considers the courts the proper place to adjudicate upon that point.

The Premier received a dispatch from Sir Charles Tupper, today, stating that President Harrison is leaving for a trip to California and as he is anxious to be present in Washington while the negotiations progress the Conference will be postponed for the present.

The Government has disallowed the act of the Manitoba Legislature respecting the diseases of animals, as being a usurpation of the Federal powers in regard to quarantine, as well as an infracion of its powers with respect to trade and commerce. Another Manitoba act disallowed was one requiring licenses, under fees, from the local Government for corporations and companies transacting loan or investment business in Manitoba. This act has already been decided to be ultra vires by a recent judgment of the Court of Queen's Bench, of Manitoba, in so far as the added territory is concerned. Sir John Thompson points out that the act is clearly ultra vires in regard to corporations holding powers by the Imperial or Dominion Act.

CARLING RETIRES.

It is authoritatively announced today that Hon. John Carling will shortly retire and become Lieut.-Governor of Ontario. Either White or Kirkpatrick will succeed Carling, the prospects being in favor of the latter.

THE ANNUAL JAM.

MONTREAL, April 5.—The St. Louis lake ice has come down and jammed at the Victoria bridge. This caused the water to back up and flood the south shore district, *which is under water for* miles. The village of La Prairie is deserted. There is no immediate danger of a flood in Montreal, but merchants are preparing for the worst and are moving their goods from the basements.

A LACROSSE VOTE.

The Shamrock Lacrosse Club has voted down a motion to return to the old challenge system.

ALARMS THE CATTLEMEN.

There was consternation among the cattle exporters yesterday upon learning that cattle were selling one cent per pound dearer in Chicago than Glasgow and about $15 per head being lost on each head of cattle sold in Glasgow. This is an extraordinary state of affairs and not easily accounted for. It is a long time since a similar thing happened, and one gentleman was heard to declare that he had lost every dollar he had owing to the present state of the markets on the other side.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

LISTOWELL, Ont., April 7.—The Grand Central hotel here was burned this morning. The guests had a narrow escape, losing all their clothing. Total loss, $35,000.

PROBABLY DESERVES IT.

Morrow, who burglarized Ripstein's store last week, was sentenced today to two years in the penitentiary.

DOWN THE WELL.

CAMPBELLFORD, April 7.—The five-year-old daughter of Joseph Sceney was drowned yesterday in a well.

SUDDEN DEATH.

UPTERGROVE, April 7.—Hector McLean, farmer, while sitting on the edge of a culvert near here yesterday was struck by the steps of the car of a passing train and instantly killed.

A GYMNAST'S DEATH.

ORILLIA, April 7.—Edward Bowes fell from a trapeze in the High School gymnasium yesterday and fractured his skull.

HANGED HERSELF.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 7.—The wife of Patrick Murphy, laborer, hanged herself yesterday. Her husband's habitual cruelty is the alleged cause.

TIRED OF LIFE.

MILLBROOK, April 7.—Robert Lancashire, owner of the foundry and planing mill here, committed suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a jack knife. No reason for the act is known. He was a member of the village council.

WINNIPEG'S ELECTRIC SYSTEM.

WINNIPEG, April 7.—The council last night accepted the proposals of the Street Railway Company to establish an electric system 12 miles long to be completed in 18 months, the company being given extension of the franchise for 25 years.

SHE IS GROWING.

The Assessment Commissioner places the city's assessment at twenty millions and the population at 27,000.

WITHOUT STOPPING.

Commencing tomorrow a through mail will be sent from here every Wednesday to the coast in charge of the Canadian Pacific baggagemen. It is expected the regular postal car service will soon be inaugurated on Wednesday's trains the same as on other days.

FOR WANT OF EVIDENCE.

SIMCOE, April 6.—At the *Assizes* yesterday Corydon W. Smith, charged with the murder of Maria Colville, was discharged, the Crown not having any evidence to offer in support of the charge.

QUOTH THE EMPIRE.

TORONTO, Ont., April 7.—Commenting on the outcome of the trade mission to Washington the Empire says: "It is quite evident from the action of the President that he attaches no slight importance to the matter, and his desire to attend personally the preliminary discussions is direct testimony to the interest taken by the Washington administration on the question of Canadian reciprocity and the important character of the present mission. While it might be more satisfactory to have had the questions at issue dealt with immediately, there seems to be no reason to regret the circumstances which have led to the postponement, as they are favorable to ultimate success.

THE GLOBE'S VIEW.

The Globe pronounces the mission a humiliating failure, and says that the conduct of members of the Government during and since the election justifies the indifference of the American Government in the matter.

A GIANT EFFORT.

QUEBEC, April 7.—A most remarkable lift with one finger was lately made by Aumond, a constable, 35 pounds more than the record established by the Canadian hercules, Louis Cyr. He lifted a piece of iron weighing over 450 pounds, and not being satisfied with this an extra 40 pounds were added, and he raised it, making a total lift of 490 pounds. Cyr had previously held the world's record.

WORTH CAPTURING.

REGINA, N. W. T., April 7.—Sheriff Maurice Sullivan, of Fergus County, Montana, is here and offers $600 reward for the apprehension of one Albert H. Baker alias Charles Stumpf, wanted for the murder of one Krobel, in Fergus County last February. The man wanted lived in Regina last fall under the name of Stumpf.

A DARING BURGLARY.

Philip Brown's premises were robbed of $1,000 worth of jewelry last night. The thieves have left no clue and are unknown.

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DUFFERIN STREET, ALICE GARdens—Two fine positioned lots facing Agnes Street; all clear and ready for building; price $1,000; one-third cash, balance 6 and 12 months. H. G. Ross & Co.

EIGHT LOTS FOR $100 EACH, JUST above Thorn Road and Cumberland St., in Lots 14 and 15, Block 4; lovely situation; $ cash, balance 3 and 6 months; to be sold in one block; this must be bought at once. H. G. Ross & Co.

CLARKSON ORCHARD—TWO LOTS for $ each in this favorite neighborhood; all cleared; close to Tramway line; on terms. H. G. Ross & Co.

TWO LOTS ON FOURTH STREET between Fifth and Sixth Avenue, for $; close to Major's house; one-third cash, balance 3 and 6 months. H. G. Ross & Co.

MARY STREET, ONE LOT FROM above, in south half; if only $; if you want to buy this snap call on us. H. G. Ross & Co.

IN SOUTH WESTMINSTER—ONE acre on Scott Road, one-half mile this side of the Park; streets on two sides, magnificent view; if bought at once only $; one-half cash, balance on terms. H. G. Ross & Co.

WE ARE SELLING LOTS ON THE installment principle—$ cash and balance $ to $ a month; call around and see the fine list we will give you to choose from. H. G. Ross & Co.

THIRD AVENUE—LOTS ON THIS street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, from $ to $ each, on liberal terms; within one-fourth mile of Postoffice. Apply H. G. Ross & Co.

TWO LOTS, HEAD OF FIRST ST., on Thorn Road, only $ and $ respectively; it is worth your while to take a look at these lots, or call and get particulars from H. G. Ross & Co.

ON ST. ANDREW'S STREET, BEtween Fourth and Fifth Avenues and Tenth and Eleventh Streets—Lots in this favorite neighborhood at $ and $ each; all cleared, graded and fenced; one-third cash, balance 3, 6 and 9 months. H. G. Ross & Co.

AGNES STREET—EIGHT-ROOMED house and lot on above; only 2 lots from St. Andrew's Street; price $; house cost $; to be sold less than assessed value; terms to arrange; apply at once. H. G. Ross & Co.

ONE ACRE—PART OF LOT 18, Block 10, corner Thirteenth street and Fifth Avenue, 264 lines on Thirteenth street and 200 lines on Fifth Avenue, with a good barn, suitable for a milk business; good well; price $; one-half cash, balance 6 and 12 months, at 8 percent. H. G. Ross & Co.

$1050 WILL BUY A CORNER LOT on Eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth Avenues, on St. Andrew's street; owner compelled to sell and has placed it in our hands; terms liberal. H. G. Ross & Co.

WE HAVE SEVERAL LOTS WITH well-built houses on them, ranging in price from $1,200 upwards; terms can be arranged to suit purchasers. H. G. Ross & Co.

FROM $50 UPWARDS—LOTS IN South Westminster; also acreage at equally low rates; these we can thoroughly recommend for a sharp rise; we know what we are talking about. H. G. Ross & Co.

Woods & Gamble's List.

LOT 7, BLOCK H, BLOCK V, FRONTage on Queen's Avenue, commanding splendid view up and down river; cheap. Woods & Gamble.

SAW MILL, INCLUDING TIMBER limits and 60 acres of good land, for sale. This is an opportunity that does not occur every day. Woods & Gamble.

LOT 66x132 WITH DOUBLE FRONTage on Columbia and Front sts.; $11,000. Woods & Gamble.

IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED farms in all parts of the District. Call and see our lists. Woods & Gamble.

SAPPERTON LOTS FOR SALE FOR $ each, on terms. Woods & Gamble.

SOUTH WESTMINSTER LOTS FOR sale for $ each. Lots near ferry landing at $. Woods & Gamble.

SEE OUR ADVERTISEMENT ON FIRST page.

W. J. Walker & Co.'s List.

LIVERPOOL—WHY INVEST IN SYNdicate lots in the swamp, when you can better lots, fifty per cent cheaper, just across the street, in Section 11, high and dry, almost cleared, having a splendid view, the most commanding site in Liverpool, at W. J. Walker & Co.'s.

SMALL FARMS—FORTY-ACRE LOTS of the best prairie land in the Province as an inducement to bona fide settlers, and ten-acre lots near South Westminster, on easy terms at W. J. Walker & Co.'s.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this heading inserted six times for One Dollar.

FURNISHED ROOMS—NEAT AND convenient to business; $ per month. Apply to Mrs. F. C. Stirsky, 32 Columbia St., opposite old Catholic church.

ARCHITECTS.

C. H. CLOW—ARCHITECT. OFFICE Room F, over Bank of B. C., New Westminster.

SHARP & MACLURE, ARCHITECTS—office Rooms 1 & 2 over bank of B.C. New Westminster.

C. OSBORN WICKENDEN, ARCHItect, Lefevre Block, Vancouver.

G. W. GRANT, ARCHITECT—OFFICE cor. corner Mary and Clarkson streets New Westminster.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Gordon & Co.

LADIES, REMEMBER THE FINEST stock of children's school shoes, buttoned or laced, is at Gordon & Co's.

GENTLEMEN, THE FINEST STOCK of fine shoes or working shoes is at Gordon & Co's.

G. T. Lundy.

NOTICE THESE REMARKABLY low prices—Women's pebble common sense for $1.50; late price $2.50. Lundy.

WOMEN'S NEW YORK COMMON sense for $2.00; late price $3.50. Price can't be beat. At Lundy's.

GENTS, CALL AND SEE OUR men's cork sole, special, selling fast for $5; late price $6.50. Lundy.

ALSO LADIES' FRENCH AND GERman fancy slippers in all shades; very low prices. Remember the address: G. T. Lundy, 612 Columbia St.

CUSTOM WORK AND REPAIRING promptly attended to, and rubber repairing a specialty, by A. M. Hennessey, 612 Columbia St.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this heading inserted six times for One Dollar.

A GIRL OR WOMAN TO DO GENeral housework. Apply to Mrs. Jenns, Agnes Street.

WANTED, A GOOD, GENERAL SERvant; small family; good wages. Apply to Mrs. Stoess, 311 Carnarvon St.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this heading, 20 words and under, four insertions free.

YOUNG MAN, WELL EDUCATED, desires employment of any respectable kind. An opportunity to make a beginning is more the object in view than salary. Address X. X., Ledger office.

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DR. ERNEST HALL—EYE, EAR, Nose and Throat specialist; graduate and late assistant in central London Eye, Throat and Ear Hospital; cor. Yates and Douglas Sts., Victoria. Westminster appointment, Hotel Douglas, first Wednesday each month.

MUSIC.

MISS PETERS, GRADUATE DRESden Conservatory. Tuition in singing, and piano and organ; in Westminster every Saturday. Notifications left at Lyals. P. O. address, Box 575, Vancouver.

LOST AND FOUND.

Advertisements under this heading inserted six times for One Dollar.

LOST—A SMALL ITALIAN GREYhound. Tag 140; answers to name of Tiny. Suitable reward given to the finder. Apply this office.

BUSINESS.

G. S. MABEE, WALL PAPER IN the latest patterns; painting and calsomining; best of work in short order. G. S. Mabee, 625 Clarkson St., New Westminster.

J. MASON & CO.—EMPLOYMENT, Commission and Real Estate Brokers, 318 Cordova St., Vancouver, B.C. P. O. Box 622; telephone 234.

DAN MACQUARRIE, BOOT AND shoe maker, repairing substantially and neatly done, 517 Columbia Street, next door to City Hotel.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE—THE name of this machine speaks for itself. They give the best satisfaction of any in the market. All kinds of repairing done and warranted. J. Tiffany, Agent, 517 Columbia Street.

PACIFIC AGENCY—REAL ESTATE and employment agents; also Private Inquiry Office; General Commission Agents. B. C. Bank Building, New Westminster.

B. C. MONUMENTAL WORKS, COLumbia St., New Westminster; Alexander Hamilton, Proprietor. Manufacturer and importer of Marble and Granite Monuments, Headstones, Tablets, etc. Largest business in the Province. Lowest prices and best workmanship.

W. A. CUMYOW & CO., LABOR CONtractors, Douglas St., near Columbia, New Westminster, B.C. Telephone call 117, P. O. box 98.

SOCIETIES.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEVOLENT Society. Rose of Columbia Lodge No. 118, meets first and third Monday of every month at the Temperance Hall, at 8 p.m. E. BLOOMFIELD, W. R. NOYES BOYCOTT, President. T. G. PARNELL, Secretary.

LEGAL.

GORDON E. CORBOULD. A. J. McCOLL. J. A. FORIN. A. MORRISON.

CORBOULD, McCOLL & FORIN, Barristers, Solicitors etc., Lorne St., New Westminster.

E. A. JENNS—BARRISTER, SOLicitor etc. Offices, Lorne St., opposite Court House.

TUCK & BLACK—BARRISTERS, Solicitors etc., Whetham Building, Cordova St., Vancouver. T. H. Tuck. A. S. Black.

WALKER, PEMBERTON & DUMbleton—Barristers, Solicitors, etc.; 117 Clarkson St., New Westminster. Money to loan.

W. J. WHITESIDE, BARRISTER, Solicitor, etc. Office, No. 2 McKenzie St., New Westminster, B.C. Money to loan.

A. C. BRYDONE-JACK, M. A.—BARrister at law, solicitor, notary public, etc. Office, 29 McKenzie St., New Westminster, B.C.

F. W. HOWAY, L. L. B.—BARRISTER and solicitor of the province of Nova Scotia. Office, 27 McKenzie St., New Westminster.

ARMSTRONG, ECKSTEIN & GAY Barristers, Solicitors, etc. Armstrong Block, New Westminster.

ANDREW LEAMY, BARRISTER, SOlicitor, etc. McKenzie Street, New Westminster.

G. PITTENDRIGH, NOTARY PUBlic, etc. Office, 344 Columbia St., New Westminster, B.C.

J. R. CHERRY, A.B., TRINITY COLlege, Dublin, Solicitor, Conveyancer, etc. Office, McKenzie St., New Westminster.

T. C. ATKINSON, BARRISTER, SOlicitor, etc. Office, upstairs, Bank of B. C. building, opp. P.O., New Westminster.

DENTAL.

A. J. HOLMES, D.D.S., SURGEON Dentist, Graduate of the Ohio College of Dental Surgery. Preservation of the natural teeth a specialty, also administered for painless extraction. In office day and night over Bank of B. C., Columbia St., New Westminster, B.C.

F. WELSH, DENTIST—ALL OPERAtions pertaining to the mouth performed in a skillful manner, crown and bridge work a specialty. Office in charge of E. J. Decker, 32 Columbia St., Powell block.

J. M. McLAREN, L.D.S., DENTAL Surgeon, Room 4, Ferguson Building, Hastings Street, Vancouver. Telephone No. 267. Gold work a specialty. Gas administered.

CIVIL ENGINEERS.

CAPTAIN W. S. JEMMETT, LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman, etc. Room 2, upstairs, Bank of B. C. building, Columbia St., New Westminster. P.O. box 6.

W. THIBAUDEAU, LAND SURVEYor and Draughtsman; Ramsey Block, New Westminster.

NOTICE.

To Persons Navigating the North Arm of the Fraser River.

DURING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A bridge near the Royal City Planing Mills, openings of 40 feet clear will be left (excepting the swing span) and until the swing span is completed.

C. A. STOESS,
Engineer.

Canadian Pacific Railway Company

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a duly certified plan and book of reference of land required for terminal purposes in addition to the right of way for the Mission Branch of this Railway at the International Boundary (Huntingdon), B. C., were deposited in the Land Registry Office of the District, at New Westminster, on the 9th day of March, 1891.

H. ABBOTT,
General Superintendent.
Vancouver, April 4th, 1891.

NOTICE.

Receiver Appointed for the Truth Printing Company (Limited.)

Public notice is hereby given that by an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 6th day of December, A. D. 1890, the undersigned has been appointed Receiver for THE TRUTH PRINTING COMPANY (Limited), and in accordance therewith all monies due to the said Company will be payable to the undersigned, and all accounts against said Company shall be presented to the undersigned for settlement.

WM. BAILLIE,
Receiver T. P. Co., Ld.
New Westminster, Dec. 31, 1890. tf.

The Ledger.

AN ENGLISH SOCIAL PROGRAMME.

Social legislation is now the order of the day in every free country, for men of all ranks, all classes and all parties feel, that the time has come when vigorous efforts must be made to grapple with, and if possible, solve some of the great social problems of the time. These are naturally more numerous and complex in an old and crowded manufacturing community like Great Britain, than in our own young colony but some of the issues there presenting themselves are either beginning to show here also, or will probably do so ere long. It may therefore be interesting to note briefly the policy, which SIR JOHN GORST, the present British Under Secretary of State for India, and formerly British representative at the Berlin labor congress, has sketched out for himself. This policy, he would also seem to have largely impressed upon his colleagues in the British Government, for they have mainly as a result of his influence, lately appointed a Royal commission to enquire closely into and report, with a view to legislation, if and where possible, on the general condition and hours of British labor. SIR JOHN is also in favor of a close Parliamentary enquiry by a similar commission into the enormously expensive and very demoralizing poor law relief systems of the United Kingdom, as he believes that much may be yet done by the State to encourage and aid thrift and providence, and lessen the gradually diminishing but still terribly burdensome aggregate of British pauperism. SIR JOHN GORST also advocates an act to strengthen the law of employers liability in cases of accident to workmen; and is anxious to see further legislation to prevent loss of life at sea. He believes that better means should be adopted to settle trade disputes and is in favor of the establishment, under state approval, of well constituted colleges of arbitration. He would also refuse to permit any child under 12, instead of as now under 10, years of age to be employed as a regular worker on a farm, or in a factory or workshop; and one day's rest in seven being necessary to health, he would support legislation forbidding labor contracts involving more than a six days working week. He would add to ordinary free state provided education, in the usual subjects, elementary teaching in industrial matters on agriculture and, in the case of females, housewifery, all subjects to be taught with advantage in the public schools. Sir John would also cause the state to give every facility to working men to acquire, garden or field lots in or near their homes, on easy terms of rental or purchase, and last not least, proposes the establishment of a ministry of labour. These proposals, emanating from an English Conservative statesman, are very remarkable signs of the times, and have naturally been well received by many leading British labour representatives.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Allan Steamship Co. and the Naval Construction Co. of Barrow in Furness are now busily negotiating, with a view to establish a line of fast Transatlantic vessels running between England and Canada. The distance from Liverpool to Halifax being 500 miles less than that between Liverpool and New York the new vessels should make the passage in rather more than five instead of over six days, as in the case of the "liners," running to New York. It is accordingly expected, that the proposed steamship service will attract a very large amount of Transatlantic passenger traffic. This is the more likely, as the new line is to form a link in the chain of a direct interimperial route to Australia, proceeding from Liverpool to Halifax, thence to Vancouver and from the Terminal City to Brisbane. The journey from England to Brisbane could thus, it is calculated, be made in about thirty days, instead of thirty-eight or more, as now. This saving of eight days, en route between Great Britain and Australia, would of itself attract many passengers to the Antipodes. The full scheme presupposes the establishment of a quick steamship service between Vancouver and Brisbane in connection with the C. P. R.; and this is understood to be now in contemplation.

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Nickel has been found at Nelson, but whether profitably workable or not remains to be proved. The owners of the claims seem confident, and, if their anticipations should be realized, British Columbia will be able to boast another most valuable addition to her mineral wealth.

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It does not yet seem settled that there are any leprosy cases amongst the Chinese in Victoria. Dr. MILNE, of that city, having just written a rather enigmatical letter to the Colonist from which it would seem that he is not convinced of the fact. The tone of the letter, however, implies that the doctors still hesitate to decide finally; and are, therefore, continuing their investigations.

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MICHAEL DAVITT has just been rejected as an Irish representative on the British labour commission, not because of his very advanced political views, but by reason of his former conviction for complicity in a dynamite conspiracy. Mr. JUSTIN McCARTHY is accordingly asked, as the present Parliamentary head of the Irish Home Rule party, to submit the name of another commissioner, representing the Nationalists. Mr. PARNELL, undeterred by scathing recent defeat, has meanwhile been addressing a small Dublin mob in very violent language, thus making himself more and more impossible as a constitutional leader.

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Professor KOCH's alleged cure for consumption has been for some time under trial with very doubtful results; and now experimental tests are being made in London, England, at the small Hospital of St. Saviour's into a cure, which an Italian, Count MATTEI, is said to have discovered for cancer, a hopeless disease, that is yearly increasing the number of its victims. The Count claims to have cured many bad cases by a secret remedy, which leading medical specialists are naturally inclined to discredit. Their doubts will soon however either be removed or confirmed, as the cure experiments will be conducted under able medical supervision. How ghastly are the ravages of cancer is well illustrated by the statement of Dr. LAWSON TAIT, an eminent English specialist, who says: "It is my lot to see from 8 to 12 new cases of cancer every week and to condemn that number of them to death, and out of that record having gone over now a weary series of years, the number of cases in which a mistake has occurred in the number condemned to die from cancer (the disease not having been present) can be numbered on the fingers on one hand." Hence the doctor adds: "I would hold anything that would cure cancer as almost the greatest physical blessing that could befall mankind."

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It is possible that some short time may elapse ere the city market scheme is well in hand, though it is to be hoped that no needless delay will be incurred. A suitable building plan will, it is understood, be finally selected after an architectural competition, to which some of our local designers are already eagerly looking forward. The principal farmers of the district, well pleased with the proposal, are also looking forward to its speedy accomplishment.

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The Salvation Army throughout the world has raised the large sum of £30,577 as the result of a recent "week of self denial." Towards this, the Salvationists in Great Britain contributed £14,558, those in Australia coming next with £5,000, the Swedes following with £2,333, the Canadians with £1,250 and those in the United States with £1,000. Assuming a fairly equal general average of self denial the Salvation Army is naturally strongest in Great Britain the land of its origin, but in proportion to population exceptionally active in Australia and Sweden. It is also evident that the Army has already gained a strong footing in Canada though very weak in the United States generally.

TO BUILDERS.

THE ADVERTISER, BUILDERS Foreman, desires an engagement; thorough knowledge of all kinds of Building, either Wood, Brick or Stone; good at making plans and specifications for all classes of work; low wages or a permanency. Address, Thompson, this office.

NOTICE.

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

FORIN & MORRISON,
Solicitors for Applicants.

NOTICE.

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

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE responsible for any goods delivered to any employee of the Company unless an order from the manager is produced.
WESTMINSTER STEAM NAVIGATION CO.
Pr. Thos. Gowan, Manager.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NEW WESTMINSTER,

HOLDEN AT CHILLIWACK.

A SITTING OF THIS COURT WILL be held at Centreville on Wednesday, the 13th day of May, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all parties concerned are required to take notice. By order.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1891.

Canadian Pacific Railway Company

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to noon

Wednesday the 8th Day of April,

for the piling required for false works under the Pitt River Bridge.

Plans and all other information can be obtained on application at the office of the Engineer in charge at Vancouver.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

H. ABBOTT,
General Superintendent.
Vancouver, B. C., April 1st, 1891.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE following is a correct List of Election Expenses of E. S. Scoullar, a candidate at the recent by-election of a member to represent the Electoral District of New Westminster in the House of Commons of Canada:

Travelling expenses	[illegible]
Printing	[illegible]
Rent of Halls	[illegible]
Secretaries	[illegible]
	$ [illegible]

A. W. SCOULLAR, Sr.,
Agent.
Westminster, April 6, 1891.

MATSQUI

PRAIRIE

On south side of Fraser River, directly opposite

MISSION STATION

SOME **6,000** ACRES

Of these well-known lands are now, for the first time, offered on the market in parcels of 40-ACRE SUBDIVISIONS. Prices range from

$35 PER ACRE

And upwards, on easy terms. MAPS, Folders and full information may be obtained by addressing the Head Agents.

H. E. CROASDAILE & CO.

42 Front St., Victoria.

C. H. WILSON is the Agent at Mission Station, and will show intending purchasers over the land.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife, Annie Mary Jaques.
J. G. JAQUES.
Dated the 26th February, 1891. tf

NOTICE.

HEREBY TAKE NOTICE THAT thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to Gazette a road 66 ft. in width, through Lot 366, Group 1, New Westminster District, commencing on the western boundary of Lot 366 at the end of the present road allowance between Lots 41 and 107, thence east along the survey through Lot 366 (as made by Albert J. Hill, a plan of which has been deposited in the Land Registry Office, New Westminster,) to the east side of said Lot 366.
JAMES TURNBULL.
New Westminster, March 19, 1891.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT one month after date we the undersigned intend to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council for the incorporation into a District Municipality that certain locality in the Province of British Columbia described as follows: Commencing at a point where the boundary line between Lots 54 and 55, Group one, New Westminster District, intersects with the North Road; thence due south along said North Road to the Brunette River; thence following the course of the Brunette River to a point where said Brunette River intersects the boundary line between Lots 1 and 16; thence east along south boundary line of Lot 1 to the south east corner of said Lot 1; thence north along the boundary line of said Lots 1 and 16 to the north west corner of said Lot 16; thence due east along the north boundary line of Lots 16, 48 and 61 to the northeast corner of said Lot 61; thence south to the southwest corner of Lot 47; thence east to the boundary line between Lots 61 and 62; thence line south along the eastern boundary line of Lots 61 and 18 to the Fraser River; thence following the right bank of the Fraser and Pitt Rivers to the Coast Meridian line; thence north along the Coast Meridian line to a point half a mile due north of the southwest corner of Section 6, Township 40; thence due east to the Pitt River; thence northerly along the right bank of the Pitt River to the north boundary line of Township 40; thence due west to the northwest corner of Section 34, Township 39; thence due south to the south west corner of Section 15, Township 39; thence due east to the eastern boundary line of Lot 470; thence due south along the eastern boundary line of Lot 470 to a point where said eastern boundary line of Lot 470 intersects with the north boundary line of Lot 228; thence due west along said north boundary line of Lot 228 to the northwest corner of said Lot 228; thence due south along the western boundary of said Lot 228 to the northeast corner of Lot 371; thence due west along the north boundary line of said Lot 371 to the northwest corner of said lot 371; thence south along the western boundary line of said Lot 371 to the northeast corner of Lot 370; thence west along the north boundary line of Lot 370 to the northwest corner of said Lot 370; thence south along the west boundary line of Lot 370 to the northeast corner of Lot 369; thence west along the north boundary line of Lot 369, Lot 32 and Lot 367 to the northwest corner of Lot 367; thence south to the northeast corner of Lot 196; thence west along the north boundary line of Lot 196 and Lot 54 to point of commencement.

Dated the 11th day of March, 1891.

(Signed) R. B. KELLY, JAMES FOX, WM. PROUD, JOHN M'LEAN, ALEX. M'LEAN, S. W. LEHMAN —and others.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

WHOLE AND SEPERATE TENDers will be received by the undersigned up to noon on **Saturday, the 11th inst.,** for the erection of a THREE-STORY BRICK BUILDING on Columbia Street, for Messrs. J. C. Armstrong and B. Young.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
New Westminster, April 4, 1891.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to 6 p. m. on **Thursday, the 9th inst.,** for the erection of FIVE STORES, fronting Mary Street (carpenter work only) for Jas. Cunningham, Esq.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
Westminster, April 2nd, 1891.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to 6 p. m. on **Tuesday, the 14th inst.,** for the erection of THREE TWO-STORY DWELLINGS on Eighth Street, for P. Latham, Esq.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
New Westminster, April 3, 1891.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on **April 11th**, for ALTERATIONS TO THE BAPTIST CHURCH, Agnes Street, New Westminster.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, Mary Street.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.
New Westminster, March 24, 1891.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of British Columbia

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

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

CHARLES G. MAJOR,
Official Administrator.
Dated the 24th day of March, 1891.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of British Columbia

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

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

CHARLES G. MAJOR,
Official Administrator.
Dated the 10th day of March, 1891.

MESSRS. J. & W. STUART'S SALMON NETTING AND TWINES.

CAUTION.

MESSRS. STUART'S DOUBLE Knotted Machine Netting, being protected by Letters Patent in Great Britain, Canada and the United States, fishermen and others are cautioned against spurious imitations. Any infringement on Messrs. Stuart's patent rights will be promptly dealt with according to law.

ROBERT WARD & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia.
Victoria, B. C., March 26, 1891.

IMPORTANT

—to—

Farmers, Teamsters

AND OTHERS

I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from the Assignee of the Estate of W. E. Dickinson to sell by Public Auction at the barn and stables on Canarvon Street, in the City of New Westminster, **on Wednesday Morning, the 8th day of April next,** the whole of the stock in trade, consisting of:

Eleven powerful Dray Horses, in good condition and out of hard work.
2 Goose-neck Trucks.
1 large Lowry.
Barn, Well, and 4-years' lease of Lot 30, Block 23, N. W. City.
3 Waggons.
4 Sleighs.
6 Set Double Work Harness.
1 Double Buggy and Harness.
1 Single Buggy and Harness.
1 Safe and Office Furniture.

The whole to be sold without reserve to the highest bidder.

Sale will take place at 10:30 o'clock.

Terms cash.

T. J. TRAPP,
Auctioneer.

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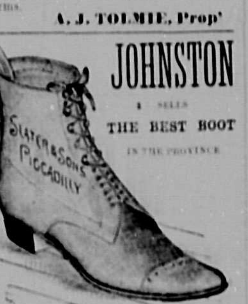

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The Ledger.

A SPLENDID BLOCK.

Justice Begbie's Fine New Three Story Structure Now Under Way.

The new block in course of erection [illegible] Matthew Baillie Begbie, on Columbia street, near the Queen's Hotel, [illegible] undoubtedly prove a valuable addition to the city's business structures. The building is to be of brick, three [illegible] high, having stone facings and [illegible] cornice. The walls on both [illegible] are to be hollow, thus affording [illegible] greater protection from external [illegible]. The frontage of the building [illegible] feet; depth 70, and [illegible] feet. There will be 3 [illegible] on the ground floor each 20 feet [illegible] and an entrance at the right hand [illegible] of the building will open into the [illegible] leading to offices overhead. [illegible] offices will be arranged in suites [illegible] inner room borrowing its [illegible] a larger front room, through [illegible] and a large transom, but [illegible] will have a separate entrance [illegible] glass in the doors will be frosted. [illegible] room can be occupied independently of the other. There will be [illegible] of these suites on the second [illegible] as well as completely furnished lavatories, and on the [illegible] floor will be nine suites arranged [illegible] manner, the extra rooms [illegible] made possible by there being only [illegible] on this flat. Of the front [illegible] it may be added that it will [illegible] very handsome and massive appearance, and the stores which will be [illegible] will have large show windows glazed with heavy plate glass. As [illegible] speedy and continuous renting of [illegible] stores there cannot be the shadow [illegible] and the block will most certainly [illegible] a boon to many business men [illegible] city.

PERSONAL.

[illegible] Webster is in town.

[illegible] of Port Haney is in [illegible].

[illegible] of Victoria is up on a business [illegible].

[illegible] of Chilliwack is down on [illegible].

[illegible] returned from Victoria [illegible].

[illegible] returned from Victoria [illegible].

[illegible] of New York is a guest at [illegible].

[illegible] of Delta was up on a [illegible].

[illegible] at the Junction was in [illegible].

[illegible] of South Arm is in [illegible].

[illegible] of Chilliwack is registered at the Hotel Douglas.

[illegible] goes over to Vancouver [illegible] o'clock train to hold [illegible].

[illegible] is expected home on to[illegible]. He left the east on the 2nd [illegible].

[illegible], M. P. P., may be expected [illegible] few days, completely recovered from his late illness.

Going to Start Here.

Philip Wade, the well known [illegible] marble cutter of Vancouver, [illegible] yesterday and was busy [illegible] a good deal of business [illegible]. Mr. Wade intends establishing a branch of his business in [illegible] as he thinks the field for his [illegible] here excellent. He will [illegible] open out in some central part [illegible] in the course of a few days.

Lacrosse Meeting.

[illegible] was a well attended meeting of [illegible] Club last night in the City [illegible] the following business [illegible]: the resignation of Mr. [illegible] was accepted, and Mr. [illegible] was appointed in his [illegible]. Jas. Gow was appointed field [illegible] T. Allen practice captain. [illegible] gentlemen were admitted [illegible] Messrs. Newington, Pear[illegible], T. Cunningham, Jr., [illegible] and P. Peebles.

By Speedy Trial.

[illegible] County Court yesterday, Judge [illegible] the bench, the case of the Queen [illegible] and Williams came up. The [illegible], who are under arrest for an [illegible] to commit rape, elected to be [illegible] before Judge Bole, and the trial [illegible] place on Tuesday, April 14th. [illegible] Mr. Crease will appear for [illegible] Messrs. A. J. Leamy and W. J. [illegible] for the prisoners. The defendants were admitted to bail in the [illegible] each and two sureties each [illegible] altogether.

Holy Trinity Church.

[illegible] vestry meeting was held [illegible] in St. Leonard's Hall, [illegible] the Bishop of New Westminster, [illegible] presiding. The following officers were then elected: [illegible] to the Diocesan Synod, [illegible] E. A. Jenns and [illegible] church wardens, Mr. [illegible] and Mr. Wm. Wolfenden, [illegible] Messrs. T. Myers [illegible] sidesmen, Messrs. [illegible] H. G. Ross; Hon. [illegible] W. J. Walker.

A Nickel Claim Bonded.

[illegible] Nelson Miner: Whether or [illegible] in the vicinity of [illegible] are workable propositions remains [illegible] open question. That the ore [illegible] is well known, and it is [illegible] well known that the ground is [illegible] situated for working. One of [illegible] of these claims is the [illegible] owned by E. R. Atherton. This [illegible] capitalist secured a working [illegible] on it, and by its conditions he [illegible] required to expend $500 in development [illegible] by the 20th of July next. [illegible] proves satisfactory, $1,000 is [illegible] on the 20th of September, [illegible] on January 1st, 1892, $2,500 on [illegible] 1892, and $2,500 on September [illegible] $7,500 being the selling price [illegible].

Let Off Lightly.

[illegible] city police court on Monday [illegible] Mr. A. Leamy rose and asked [illegible] writer of an article regarding [illegible] court matters, which appeared in [illegible] on Saturday evening, be [illegible] for contempt of court, as the [illegible] article had greatly prejudiced the [illegible] which he then appeared. His [illegible] informed Mr. Leamy that he had [illegible] in his own hands. The re[illegible] of the case, as it appeared in the [illegible], was undoubtedly prejudicial, [illegible] he would take the opportunity of [illegible] the reporters of that paper to [illegible] careful. Mr. Leamy said that [illegible] the matter was a most annoying [illegible] he did not wish to press the [illegible], and thought his honor's reprimand would have the desired effect. [illegible] charge was accordingly withdrawn, [illegible] was evident that the irresponsible [illegible] of the paper had allowed the report to appear as it did.

VANCOUVER & NEW WESTMINSTER TRAMWAY LINE.

On April 15th We Will Offer For Sale

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In blocks of 2 to 5 acres each of the property lying between the Power House of the Electric Tramway Line : : : and New Westminster City, known as : : :

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This property is traversed throughout by both the New Westminster and Vancouver Electric Tramway Line and Carriage Road, and many of the Subdivision Blocks will have frontage on both roads.

Plans of the Subdisision and Price List will be furnished on application.

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The Property of this Company

Will be placed on the market on the *1st MARCH* next, and consists of upwards of *400 Acres* of the most desirable land at the *New Town of Liverpool*, including the whole of the deep water frontage which extends one and a half miles on the Fraser River, from the N.W.S. Railway wharf east, and is the only really desirable location for Manufacturing and Shipping Industries near New Westminster.

Liverpool is the terminus of the New Westminster Southern Railway Company, who have bought 30 acres of the Company's land. Extensive buildings have been located at this point by the Railway Company. The Yale Road has been surveyed to this point and an excellent grade secured through sections 10 and 3, and profiles prepared for the work. This road will be opened up and graded as soon as permission can be secured. Streets running through the Company's property will also be cleared and graded, which work will be well under way before any of the property is offered for sale.

Sections 2, 3, 4 and 10 have been laid out and staked on the ground. The lots are all 66 feet wide and front on streets one chain wide. Every inducement will be offered to manufacturers and investors. Whoever has money to invest will do well to consider Liverpool before investing elsewhere.

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LIVERPOOL is considered by parties who are authorities on the subject to be *The Best Speculative Property* in sight today.

Liverpool is the terminus in B. C. of the American system of railways. In two years, if present arrangements are matured, three railways will terminate at Liverpool. In a few weeks all traffic for Sound points over the C. P. R. will go by way of Liverpool.

All material for the railway from Sedro to Seattle will be transferred in bulk by the Railway Company's Ferry at Liverpool.

Passengers and Freight from Seattle and Fairhaven for the East, per Great Northern, will be booked via Liverpool, and New Westminster over the C. P. R. Seattle, in a few days, will be reached by an all-rail route in seven hours from New Westminster, via Liverpool, without the inconvenience of a sea voyage.

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T. J. TRAPP,
Agent for the Company

LIVERPOOL LAND AND IMPROVEMENT CO.

The Mainland Brigade.

It is rumored that the final steps towards the formation of a second artillery company have been taken. There will be a mainland brigade consisting of two companies in Westminster and two in Vancouver. Among the names whispered as the possible officers are Mr. Tatlow of Vancouver as Colonel, Captain T. O. Townley as Major, Lieutenant Cotton as Captain of No. 1 battery, Lieutenant E. H. Port Captain of No. 2; Dr. W. A. De Wolf Smith Brigade Surgeon; Brigade Sergeant Major, Sergeant Major Davidson of No. 1 battery. The arrangements may be altered, but at present that is how matters military are shaping here. The Victoria brigade would be separate.

Bound to Be Successful.

On the 15th and 16th of this month there is to be a grand amateur dramatic entertainment in Herring's Opera House. It will certainly be the best of recommendations to say that the cream of Westminster's amateurs are to play and that the ladies and gentlemen concerned have spared neither time or trouble to make these entertainments a thorough success. Few if any of the professional dramatic companies, visiting this city, have surpassed the performances by our amateurs and it can be confidently predicted that the representation of "Box and Cox," "Down by the sea" and "Nan, or Good for Nothing," will be a rare treat to all playgoers, especially when supported by the Artillery band as orchestra on both evenings.

An Important Company.

The Fraser River Towing Co., of which Captain Terhune is perhaps the best known director and shareholder, is now building a tug at the Brunette ship yard. This vessel is 65 feet over all, 12 feet 6 inches beam and 3 feet depth of hold. She will be fitted with double compound engines, having two 6x6 and two 8x8 cylinders. Captain Terhune also has on hand the building of twelve scows and a large stern wheel steamer, both of which jobs will be started shortly. With regard to the company mentioned above, and of which very little seems to be known by the general public, it may be stated that it has a capital stock of $75,000, and in addition to towing has powers of acquiring water frontage for wharves, etc., and many other privileges that would tend to advance a company of this nature.

Deserved Good Fortune.

Faith and muscle alone have developed some of the best mines in America, and faith and muscle is doing more in the Kootenay Lake country to open up mining ground than capital. Seven miles west of Nelson is a claim called the Royal Canadian. Its owners are poor men, but they have faith in their ground and that they back their faith up with muscle is proved by the amount of work they have done this winter. Last fall the ledge was exposed for a distance of 300 feet by two tunnels. This winter the lower tunnel was extended 75 feet, and is now in a distance of over 160 feet. The pay streak varies from 18 inches to 4 feet in width, and is free-milling gold ore. Simon Roy and Aldric Dalpy are the owners of the Royal Canadian, and are deserving of all the good luck their winter's work has brought them.—Miner.

Begin On May First.

The Fairhaven and Southern road is now in good running order from Sedro to Blaine, and the New Westminster Southern is also ready for operation. Trains will not begin running through to Liverpool, B. C., until about May 1, as the stock of the New Westminster road has not yet been formally transferred to the Fairhaven and Southern, and some formalities have yet to be gone through. It will also be necessary to obtain permission from the United States and Canadian governments to run through trains, and the Great Northern will have to put up a bond of about $80,000 to insure compliance with the customs laws of the two countries. When trains begin running through to Seattle from the Canadian Pacific, they will not come over the Westminster Southern, but over the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia. The latter road is now finished from Whatcom to Sumas, and it only remains to connect it with the Canadian Pacific line at the latter place. Trains will only run to Liverpool over the New Westminster road, and passengers will be transferred across the Fraser by ferry, as it is considered that the business would warrant the construction of inclines for the transfer of equipment.—Post-Intelligencer.

The Dickinson Sale.

Mr. T. J. Trapp, auctioneer, under instructions from the assignee, will begin the sale of W. E. Dickinson's property at the stables on Carnarvon street this morning. By consulting the advertisement in another column it will be seen that, besides the stables and ground lease, there will be offered without reserve eleven splendid dray horses, together with harness, trucks, office furniture, etc. This is a capital chance for parties wishing to obtain property of the description noted. The sale will begin at half-past ten o'clock sharp.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The steamer Dunsmuir arrived yesterday from Nanaimo with a cargo of coal and farm produce.

Work on the new Front Street block foundation was pushed forward yesterday with great rapidity.

A carload of bolts came in yesterday by C. P. R. for Campbell & Anderson. *

The steamer Brunette arrived from Mud Bay last night with a boom of logs for the Brunette saw mills.

The steamer Delaware arrived from up river yesterday with 60 passengers, 50 hogs and 15 tons of freight.

Carload of best Nephi plaster just arrived. J. E. Wise. *

The battery had a fine turn out last night. Captain Townley, Lieutenants Cotton and Port in command.

Four of W. H. Vianen's fishermen were nearly drowned by the sinking of their house boat on Monday night.

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

Mr. D. McGillvray has added more hands to the work of grading and clearing the Westminster-Vancouver Tramway line.

The steamer Gladys came down from Chilliwack yesterday with 25 passengers, 30 hogs, 5 calves and 10 tons of freight.

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

In the County Court yesterday Judge Bole disposed of no less than 82 cases. Yet some people say the judges have too little to do.

The steam dredge Mudlark is expected to leave Victoria for Vancouver in a few days to deepen the water at the C. P. R. docks there.

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

A gentleman named A. M. Sutherland arrived in the city yesterday from Boston, Mass., and it is his intention to take up his residence here.

The Weber Concert Company were to go to Liverpool this morning about 4 o'clock on a specially chartered tug and take the train from there to Fairhaven and south.

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

John Buie, C. D. D. G. M., of New Westminster, paid a fraternal visit to Mount Hermon lodge, No. 7, A. F. and A. M., Vancouver, last evening, in their rooms in the Masonic block.

The Crescent presented a scene of unusual activity yesterday, the force employed by Mr. Phillips in clearing and laying out the ground being hard at work with wheelbarrow, pick and shovel.

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

H. M. S. Nymphe was expected in from Esquimalt last night, but had not made her appearance at a late hour. She may arrive today. She is one of the vessels that came up here at exhibition time last year.

Mayor Hilbert of Nanaimo is over again about those horses. The case was reserved yesterday for argument in chambers. Mayor Hilbert will know to a fraction what those horses cost him when the present litigation is all over.

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

The railway bridge across the Kootenay was completed last week. Superintendent Cloate claims its main span (200 feet) is one of the lowest Howe trusses in America. The bridge crew are now engaged on the railway wharf at Nelson.

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

Through an oversight a slight inaccuracy in the telegraph despatch received from our special correspondent at Victoria at a late hour yesterday morning was allowed to slip into our columns. The report should have read "Surrey" Enabling Bill instead of "Westminster."

If you want a choice lot on the route of the Electric Tramway, call on E. H. Port & Co. *

The Free Press says that Mr. George Pittendrigh, manager of the Nanaimo Telephone Company, has inaugurated an all night service, commencing tonight. In other respects he has placed the Nanaimo service on a better footing and it is now giving as good satisfaction as is particable in a telephone system.

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

George H. Cooper, master of the Dreadnaught, of Westminster, while coming down from Texada on Sunday, picked up a fishing boat marked "E. E. A." Part of the rigging of a sloop was attached to the boat, indicating the possibility that a sloop had been wrecked and the boat had broken away from it.

Dr. Ernest Hall, specialist, eye, ear, nose and throat, will be at Hotel Douglas from 3 to 10 p. m., on Wednesday, April 8th. *

The river has been unusually low for this season of the year, owing no doubt to the coolness of the temperature up to the present time, and although not much snow has fallen in the mountains the past winter, still a sudden change to extreme warmth may cause a very considerable freshet in the river during next month.

U. S. Consul Myers of Victoria speaks with great satisfaction of the inquiries which are being made as to the forthcoming Chicago Exposition. He is highly gratified with the reception accorded him by the Board of Trade, and expects that British Columbia will give a good account of herself on the occasion referred to.

Full sized lots on Tramway line, close to city, $150 and $200 each, ¼ cash, balance 6 and 12 months. Cheapest thing on the market. Secure one at once. S. T. Mackintosh & Co. *

In the Straits, Sunday afternoon, an Indian canoe was found floating bottom up and towed into Victoria. The occupants are supposed by the Indians on the reserve to have lost their lives in Saturday's storm. The canoe has been identified as belonging to an Indian who left in it with his klootchman and their son for the Bonilla Point reserve on Friday last.

Herring's Drug Store, which was wiped out by the great fire, is now reestablished in their new premises, 2 blocks behind the Postoffice, with a fine, new, fresh stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines, Perfumery and Toilet articles. Call and see them. *

New Salmon Canneries.

Mr. Alex Ewen is about to begin the erection of a new salmon canning establishment on Lion Island adjacent to the old cannery so long familiar to people on the Fraser. The dimensions of the new building will be almost equal to those of the old one, and Mr. Ewen's facilities for packing will thereby be nearly doubled. Gilley's pile driver will be towed down to the site of the new building today and constructing will be vigorously prosecuted so that the cannery will be in readiness to begin operations when the sockeye run commences, usually about the first of July. This makes the third new cannery to be erected on the Fraser the present year, the other two being those of the Lulu Canning Company, on the main river, and Rowan Brothers, on the North Arm.

Worthy of Oblivion.

It may interest many in Westminster to know that the famous or infamous Club Theatre, Victoria, no longer exists. The following history of the place from the Colonist tells of the change: "About nine years ago the building where the Standard Theatre now stands was built. It was first used as a beer hall and billiard room, afterwards as a theatre called the Concordia, and two years ago it was called the Club Theatre. It will hereafter be known as the Standard Theatre. The building is being entirely refitted. The proprietor, Mr. John Cort of Seattle, intends conducting it on a first-class basis. E. J. Perry will be business manager. The stage has been raised three feet and every foot has been utilized to make more room. Sixteen private and two proscenium boxes have been built and it is expected that upstairs and down, fully three hundred people can be seated.

The Weber Concert Company.

The finest and largest audience that has yet turned out to the Y. M. C. A. Star Course of entertainments filled Herring's Opera House from the stage to the doors last night, to listen to the Weber Concert Company. This organization is a very strong one musically, and their efforts met with the success they deserved. The quartette was good, taken as a whole. Master Harry Dimond, the boy violinist, was undoubtedly the piece de resistance of the concert, and his playing surprised the audience. In passages which call for sympathetic treatment and toning he showed himself especially strong. His playing of the selection from Faust gave him a capital opportunity to display his wonderful versatility. Master Truax has a voice like a lady and sings very sweetly, and with every evidence of culture. His selections were highly enjoyed. Miss Anna Baume Andrew as accompanist was perfection and made splendid music with the fine Uxbridge upright piano supplied by Messrs. Lyal & Co.

A Mark of Esteem.

Miss Bowes came over from Vancouver yesterday to hand to Rev. Ebenezer Robson, late of Vancouver, and his wife a beautiful silver tea set. The pieces were a teapot, a coffee pot, a sugar bowl, a cream jug and a slop bowl. They were made in the modern low style, with satin finish, except the tops, which were fluted and polished. Each piece is gold lined. The set was enclosed in a case made specially for it. The whole is of sterling silver, and was purchased from Davidson Bros. The teapot bore the following inscription:

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Captain Power has been acquainted with Mr. and Mrs. Robson ever since they first came to the Province, about 30 years ago. Rev. Mr. Robson and his wife were taken completely by surprise and could scarcely find words to return thanks for the handsome gift. This mark of appreciation and esteem will be prized by the recipients among their most valued household treasures.

CITY POLICE COURT.

R. Jones, charged with using abusive language to one William Holt, pleaded not guilty. As the informant did not put in any appearance his honor dismissed the case and ordered that Holt pay all costs and also made out a summons for him to appear and give his reasons for trifling in this manner with the court. His honor then adjourned court until 10:30, but up to a late hour yesterday nothing had been heard of Mr. Holt.

Hotel Arrivals.

At the Colonial Hotel—K K Peiser, T Allice, B J VanVolkenburg, T F Sinclair, Victoria; Charles Clausen and family, J B Elliott, J M Brown, B Lang, Ladners; J Wilkinson, Chilliwack; E H Heaps, G W De Beck, J A Webster, W J Brandith, Vancouver; J Barnes, Matsqui; W E McKinnon, Blaine; J E Saunders, W J Mathers, Deloraine; W F Scott, Kamloops; W E Barnes, D H Shedd, H D Andrews and wife, H Dimond, H Truax, Chas F Rogers, Chicago; H F Page, Matsqui; E McKay, P Birrill, Ladners; E Schultze, New York; J E Wilkinson, Chilliwack; Thomas Kidd and wife, Lulu Island.

At the Queen's Hotel—O E Marry, Winnipeg; W Barnich, Port Hammond; P Venables, Winnipeg; H Best, Vancouver; E N Wheeler, J H Scott, Victoria.

At the Depot Hotel—J W Wilson, Langley; Wm Beirose, Wm Campbell, Chilliwack; Alex Richardson, Langley; A Dockstender, Port Haney; K McSween, Ontario.

At the Hotel Douglas—Jas Montgomery, Langley; Jas Scott, Mission; J G Jaques, Victoria; R Parker, Ladners; W McKay, North Bend; J C Sloan and wife, Goodrich, Ont.; S F Payne, Winnipeg; H Ferguson, Port Haney; J S Henderson, Chilliwack; E B Kelly, Junction; Chas E Lesdon, South Arm; T Carter, W Daly, Vancouver.

South Westminster.

Messrs. Woods & Gamble have been appointed special agents for the sale of subdivisions of lots 2 and 3, group 2, with frontage on Yale road and the Fraser River. The subdivision map is now in course of preparation, and the entire property will be placed on the market on Monday, March 16th.

These are splendid lots, all 66x132 feet, and prices and terms will be found of the easiest.

Intending investors will do well to wait until this choice property is open for sale, as the lots are bound to treble in value within a year. Apply on Monday, March 16th, to WOODS & GAMBLE, General Agents. *

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. *

LATE DISPATCHES

An Ominous Sign.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 7.—A result of the present war talk is that manufacturers of this place who have contracts with the government for the manufacture of iron and steel to be used in the construction of naval vessels, have been ordered to hurry along the work.

Latest Thing in Suicides.

CAMDEN, N. J., April 7.—John M. H. Stow, a Philadelphia commission merchant living at 364 Mickel street, this city, suicided this morning at his home by shooting himself through the heart. He loaded an old gun, and with the aid of a poker to reach the trigger placed the muzzle at his heart and with the poker struck the trigger. Death was instantaneous. Stow was engaged in business on Dock street, Philadelphia.

Papers Versus Police.

DETROIT, April 7.—The echo of the now famous abduction of Joseph Perrien, March 20th, was heard last night, when Chief of Police Martin V. Borgman tendered his resignation, at the request, it is said, of the police commissioners. When Perrien's abduction first became known the newspapers put their best men at work, with the result that they had clues and news before the police department. Borgman laughed at the case and belittled it, and it has cost him his head. The newspapers openly accused him of inefficiency and demanded his removal for the good of the department. C. C. Starkweather was given his place.

Shot Herself Dead.

COLFAX, Wash., April 7.—A Cyprian going by the name of Dot Stanton, shot and instantly killed herself in a house of ill fame in this city at 1 a. m. today. The victim of self destruction, with a companion, both of whom had recently come to the city, were holding open-night festivities, and all were under the influence of liquor. Suddenly the woman arose from the table where all were sitting and retired to her companion's room, and the shot was immediately heard. The woman expired almost instantly. The bullet entered the left temple just above the ear and came out at the top of the head. The woman had several times threatened her life. But little is known concerning her, but she is supposed to have relatives at Alpowa, near Pomeroy. George Dick, of Spokane, is spoken of as an acquaintance. The coroner's jury adjourned until tomorrow without arriving at a verdict.

Have Resumed Business.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Pa., April 7.—Work was again commenced at Morewood this morning with an increased number of men, which will doubtless be doubled by tomorrow. The workmen feel reassured of their safety by the presence of the National Guards and are working with a will. Nothing of special interest occurred during the night or early this morning. Several of the strikers were seen lurking around the outside of the picket lines during the night, but it is supposed they were spies, as every movement of the militia is being watched and reported at the strikers' headquarters. This action of the strikers prompts the feeling that if the soldiers were withdrawn the strikers would at once seize the coke plants. Last night Captain Loar and part of his firing squad paid a visit to the 10th regiment headquarters where a friendly investigation of the recent shooting was had. It was fully established to the satisfaction of Col. Hawkins that the men were not in uniform or that no state equipments were used. The report that the tenants of the company's houses at Morewood were to be evicted is groundless. No further arrests were made up to noon today. The report that strikers were purchasing dynamite for the purpose of destroying property and frightening the soldiers is untrue so far as can be ascertained. Frick's works at Leith have started up with a small force of men.

America for Americans.

WASHINGTON CITY, D. C., April 7.—The Post today, after referring to the possibility of America for Americans being one of the rallying cries of the next campaign, will say: "It is regarded as quite within the range of probability that the national platform of next year will favor restrictive immigration laws or they may recommend that all foreigners who engage in business in the United States and enjoy the protection of this Government shall become naturalized citizens. If Italy had not been so aggressive, the issue would not have been so well defined as it is. The attention of the people has been directed from New Orleans and centred upon Rome. The very possibility of war has quickened the public pulse and the enormous influence of foreigners aggregating a million people a year has caused considerable discussion. If the sentiments that are now expressed privately by senators and representatives of both parties in Washington find an echo in the platforms, they will make interesting reading. It is the almost universal belief that the next Congress will undertake to make some radical changes in the emigration laws.

STATE OF HONDURAS.

The following information is furnished by the bureau of American republics: The government of Honduras has granted to F. W. Perry and F. M. Imboden, both citizens of the United States, concessions of land covering the centre tract known as Mosquito, payment for which is to be made in the construction of expensive public works, including an army road from Tegucigalpa to the coast of the Caribbean sea, more than 300 miles in length, and another canal twenty miles long, to connect Caratasca lagoon with Guyapa river. In addition to these works Perry and Imboden agree to erect 100 miles of telegraph line, establishing communication by wire between the Mosquito region and the interior country. Active measures will at once be taken to induce immigrants to settle upon the lands of the concession, and liberal inducements are offered.

Bad Year for Dagos.

The Tacoma Ledger states that two of three of the strike rioters recently shot in Pennsylvania were unnaturalised Italian subjects of King Humbert, and adds that some more of the slain men were Hungarians, "who came to this country not many years ago to drive honest American citizens out of their employment by living in meaner ways than any other human beings could do."

The Tacoma Ledger asks, "will the royal house of the Hapsburgs now join Italy in demanding indemnity for the lives of those misguided wretches?" Strong words like these show how bitter, and not without good cause, is becoming the native American feeling against unselect immigrants from bad "back lots" of continental Europe.

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North Half of District Lot 657—21 acres, for $2,000. Terms one-third cash, balance in 6 and 12 mos. Suitable for fruit ranch. Fine view of Fraser and straits of Georgia. Graded road past land.

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