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SAFEGUARDS OF THE WILL.

Felix Adler Points to the Means of Diverting It from Evil Purposes.

Every nook and corner of Chickering hall was occupied when Felix Adler rose to deliver his lecture on "The Struggle Against Temptation." The audience listened to Mr. Adler with rapt attention and at the conclusion of the address applauded loudly.

After the usual singing by the choir Mr. Adler said that human desire was at the bottom of nearly all the good and evil in the world; the desire for knowledge fostered the pursuit of science, the desire for the beautiful had created the arts, and virtue would be unknown if there was not within man a groping for moral harmony.

"There are also within us," he continued, "certain gross appetites and cravings, and when these occupy the field of the mind they crowd out the better thoughts and drown the soft, sweet voice of virtue. The voice of duty has been called still and small, and to hear it we must have the faculty of stilling our passions.

"Certain natural desires are best dealt with by satisfying them, particularly in children, whose appetites are only sharpened for pleasure when it is denied them. Many children, denied what is perfectly legitimate in youth, particularly the sons of clergymen, go to excesses the moment they gain their liberty.

"It is the normal rule to weaken desires by satisfying them, but there are certain desires which we cannot and others which we must not gratify. No desire is justified because it is natural, if it interferes with higher considerations; and all desire must be suppressed when it does interfere with these considerations. The object of desire has power over us in proportion as its mental image is sharply defined. Consequently, when such desires do impress themselves upon our mind, we must at once turn our thoughts in another direction.

"Human will is free, let doubters say the contrary, notwithstanding. This theory to the contrary is the outcome of obscure metaphysics. We must, nevertheless, understand the limits in which we are free. Let no man believe that he can harbor evil thoughts without being the worse for it. We are, however, free to throw off these thoughts when they enter, and in making this effort lies our redemption. This throwing off must be complete and immediate, else it only leads to renewed moral degradation. We must force our thoughts into a new channel when evil ones assail us, but by forbidding them we only make the desire more intense. Jesus illustrates this when he says 'Get thee behind me, Satan.'

"By some it is argued that this system is cowardly and that we should boldly face evil. It is true that we ought to be able to face it; but it is also true that we are unable to do so successfully. You hear of the great social sin, the moral filth of which is spread over our city. How can men who have mothers and sisters forget the sanctity of women and profit by this sin? It is desire that curses them and makes their vision narrow, and they apologize for themselves by saying that the desire is natural. Weaklings all, ever ready to appeal to nature. Let each man have a task for himself throughout life, and like Ulysses he will sail past the sirens toward the shining goal.

"The two great helps toward this end are the society of good and true men, and particularly that of cultivated and refined women, and the ideal companionship of those loved ones who have passed away.

"In the first we find those things which we have been striving for taken for granted, and in the second we can do nothing wrong in the radiant beauty of those sweet faces which have gone to the life of infinite peace." — New York Herald.

Time Is Money.

Time well employed produces money or an equivalent gain of some kind. Time idled away or wasted away upon some unnecessary or useless labors not only yields no return, but represents a loss of opportunity that cannot be replaced. One may regain any other thing that is squandered save time. Once gone, it is gone for all eternity. No more important lesson can be given to the young than that on the value of time. It may be passed by unheeded, for on this subject more than any other men seem determined to learn by experience; but warnings should nevertheless be given, that there may be as early an awakening as may be to the irreparable loss of wasted time.

Even the best of men arrived at middle age are sure to have regrets for lost opportunities, for wasted time. Looking back with the knowledge gained by experience, they can see how much better they might have ordered their lives if they had made the best possible use of their time. Such knowledge cannot be expected in younger men. The time will come when they, too, will look back with regret; but they should be given early warning from the experience of others, and be taught as well as may be that time is money, not in the vulgar sense, but in that higher one which represents money as merely a symbol of things that are good to have.—Baltimore Sun.

A Postal Card Well Filled.

When some antiquarian of the future reports that a citizen of Belfast wrote on a postal card the whole of one of the annual messages of President Cleveland the inference will be that President Cleveland was a man of few words, but the inference will be wrong. The message contained 15,000 words, yet Mr. Rila Kittredge got it all on the card with a steel pen and ink, each letter, as seen through a microscope, being beautifully formed. Moreover, a border three-eighths of an inch wide is placed around the card, representing a string of beads, fifty-two in number, each three-sixteenths of an inch in diameter, and most of them containing the Lord's prayer; 4,000 words are put into this border. Mr. Kittredge is 77 years old, and says he could get 18,000 words on a postal card. It took him forty-five days to write this one.—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

The World in General.

The Royal Grants Bill Passes the House of Commons Without Division, Amid Applause.

A Ghastly Indian Murder Perpetrated on Sun River, Montana Territory, and Just Discovered.

Lord Randolph Churchill Astonishes Both Liberals and Conservatives, in a Speech.

A General Row Kicked Up Over the French Elections—Boulanger Gets 123 Supporters.

STIRRING UP THE FOSSILS.

London, July 30.—Lord Randolph Churchill made a speech at Walsall last evening, and to-day Liberals and Conservatives alike held up their hands in holy horror at the sentiments expressed. In the first place he advocated a change in the land laws so that the owner of land would be deprived of the right to bequeath it to anyone after his death. Next he advocated the purchase by municipalities under the rights of eminent domain of large tracts of land within the limits of their cities and the erection thereon of model dwellings for workmen, these to be rented at such figures as shall return a fair interest on the cost of erecting the houses, but no return whatever for the cost of the land itself. He advocated further local option in the treatment of the liquor question, so that each town shall be permitted to decide for itself whether or not licenses for the sale of liquor should be granted. Finally he avowed his adhesion to the ultra radical doctrine of the regulation of hours of labour by the government, not alone for woman and children, but for adult males as well.

DISASTROUS EARTHQUAKE.

An earthquake in the Russian Province of Heijekevalsk has destroyed 167 houses and entirely wiped out a whole village. The sufferings of the people are reported to be very great and relief committee's are organizing to assist them.

POISONOUS ICE CREAM.

Laconia, N. H., July 30.—John Boardman, wife and child, and Mrs. Boardman's mother, Mrs. Blair and sister, Mrs. Bushman, were poisoned Friday from eating vanilla ice cream of their own manufacture. Physicians had great difficulty in saving their lives.

RATHER SMOKY.

Denver, Col., July 30.—A smoke-like atmosphere has hung over the city for two days, making the sun seem like a red ball of fire. Reports show that the same condition prevails all over Colorado and in Wyoming, Northern New Mexico and Western Kansas and Nebraska. As it is too early for "Indian summer," the supposition is that there is great forest fires in the Rocky Mountains, probably in Montana.

ITALIAN RIOTERS.

Pittsburg, July 30.—A report reached this city last night that a serious riot had occurred among a few Italian laborers engaged in laying a pipe line near Lock No. 4, on the Monongahela river, about 25 miles south of Pittsburg. The foreman in charge wished to transfer a gang of fourteen men from one part of the work to another. The men refused to go and a riot ensued. Knives, pistols, picks, shovels and other weapons were freely used. One Italian was killed, another was mortally wounded and a number of others were seriously hurt. A posse of police were sent from Monongahela City to preserve the peace. All the men engaged in the affray were Italians.

FEARFUL EARTHQUAKE.

Yokohama, July 30.—A dispatch received from Nagasaki to-day, says that a dreadful earthquake has occurred in the Western part of the Island of Kiausion and that the town of Kirmamoto was totally destroyed. A large number of people have perished, but no approximation of the number can yet be made. The amount of property destroyed is reported to be enormous.

WRECKED.

Brisbane, Queensland, July 30.—The British bark Mallgate, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for San Francisco, has been wrecked on Middleton reef. Part of her crew are missing.

BOULANGER ELECTED TWENTY-THREE CANTONS.

Paris, July 30.—*La Presse*, a Boulangist organ, brings the accusation against the government of having falsified 3,000,000 voting papers at the election for the Councils General last Sunday. Corrected returns show that Boulanger was elected in twenty-three cantons.

INDIANS MURDERED.

St. Paul, Minn., July 30.—A special from Helena, Mont., says: News has reached reached here of a ghastly discovery made last week on Sun River. From particulars at hand it seems that a few months ago a family of Flathead Indians went into the Sun River country to hunt. They were seen by one of their relatives, a half-breed living on Sun River, when they first arrived last week. This half-breed found one of their ponies in the possession of a white man, who claimed that he had purchased the animal at Sun River. The half-breed was satisfied something was wrong, and at once began a search for his relatives. After hunting two or three days he found their camp, which had been burned, and the charred remains of his relatives, a family of three or four. There is no doubt that they were robbed and murdered. The authorities have been notified and are looking for the perpetrators of the deed.

JACKSON DOWNED.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 30.—Peter Jackson, the colored Australian pugilist, gave an exhibition here last night. This afternoon in the corridor of the Tift House, Tom Leese, a member of Jackson's Company, asked the latter for the salary due him, saying he was going to leave the combination, Jackson said he had no money, and after a dispute the two engaged in a slugging match in which Jackson was downed by his opponent. Leese was afterwards ejected from the house.

INDIAN DEPREDATIONS.

Washington, July 30.—General Schofield has directed the commanding general of the division of the Pacific to take such action as may be necessary after an investigation of the facts contained in the following telegram received at the Interior Department:—"Kalispal, Stevens Co., Washington Territory, July 25, 1889. To Cole, Indian Agent, Fort Spokane, W. T. Indians have burned eight square miles of hay land and threaten the lives of settlers, Many of the settlers are guarding their hay stacks and dwellings. The settlers have signed a petition requesting a company of soldiers to be sent them to protect their property and perhaps their lives.

(Signed) R. A. N. HARVEY.

GOODWOOD RACES.

London, July 30.—At Goodwood to-day the race for the Steward's cup, valued at 300 sovereings, was won by Dog Rose, Amphion second, Noble Chieftian third.

THE ROYAL GRANTS BILL PASSED.

London, July 30.—In the House of Commons this afternoon the Royal Grants Bill passed its first reading without division amid the cheers of its supporters.

THE EGYPTIAN WAR.

Cairo, July 30.—Information has been received from Assouan that the Dervishes are slowly but steadily advancing. Egyptian patrols engaged in a skirmish with Dervish outposts yesterday during which sixty Dervishes were killed. General Grenfell, commanding the Egyptian forces, is moving southward and has reached Jobkin.

WANT HIM BADLY.

Chicago, July 30.—Supt. of Police Hubbard, accompanied by Lieut. Ross, left for Winnipeg last night to superintend the work of bringing Burke back to the United States.

A FEMALE FIEND.

Springfield, Mo., July 30.—J. H. Faunce and his wife were arrested yesterday on a charge of poisoning their two sons, Luther and William. The boy Luther died a few weeks ago, but the other lad recovered. Faunce confessed having purchased poison, but did so at the request of his wife, who said she wanted it to poison the boys because they were too much trouble. She administered the poison in their coffee and Luther died in a few hours.

FRIENDSHIP!

Chicago, July 30.—The *Times* this morning says it was Jim Maddern, of Hancock, Mich., that furnished Chief McRae, of Winnipeg, with information upon which Burke was arrested. Maddern, it is said, is a member of the Clanna-Gael and was Burke's trusted friend, and for several days after Burke's flight from Chicago Maddern accompanied him, finally leaving him at Fargo or Duluth. Maddern was once a police officer in Winnipeg and is well acquainted with McRae.

MARINE DISASTERS.

Washington, July 30.—Secretary Tracey has received the following dispatch from Lieutenant-Commander Stockton of the Thetis, dated at St. Michaels, Behring Sea, on July 8th, and sent from San Francisco by telegraph:—"Thetis arrived at St. Michaels, Behring Sea from Arctic Ocean with portion of survivors of bark Little Ohio, of New Bedford, wrecked at Point Hope, Arctic Ocean, October 3rd, 1888. Out of thirty-three men on board there were but eight survivors. The whaling bark Ohio, second of New Bedford wrecked on Moniyick Island about June 1, 1889. The vessel is a total loss, officers and men saved. The Thetis will sail in a few days to the Arctic Ocean.

ITEMS FROM FRANCE.

Paris, July 30.—Returns from Sunday's elections for Councils General have now been received from 1195 cantons. The Republicans have been successful in 764, Conservatives in 419, and Boulangists in 122 There will have to be second ballots in 149 cantons.

Ministers are relentlessly pursuing the men who are believed to have stolen the depositions in the high court of the Senate which *La Concorde* published Friday. Three more arrests were made to-day.

The Income of Actors.

The minor members of a dramatic company are paid about as well as the members of the staff of a successful metropolitan newspaper—perhaps more. The stars fare better than the editors-in-chief. But so many of the stars are spendthrifts—notoriously "Adonis" Dixey and Stuart Robson. It is impossible to give the average incomes of Mrs. Langtry, Mrs. Potter, Booth and Barrett, because, while they draw crowded houses in one place, they play to empty seats in another. Kyrle Bellew receives $350 a week for forty weeks; Charles Coghlan the same, Mary Anderson's profits this season will be unusually large, about $4,800 a week for forty weeks, or $192,000; Francis Wilson is paid $600 a week; De Wolf Hopper and Digby Bell each about $250; Fred Leslie receives $500 a week from the Gaiety company, and was offered $800 a week by Rudolph Aronson; Ellen Terry is paid $600 and George Alexander $200 a week.—Philadelphia Press.

Dakota's Domestic Signal Service.

"Mamma," said a little Dakota boy, as he came into the parlor, "where is papa?"

"He is crawling up the chimney, dear, to see what kind of a day it is."—The Epoch.

No Room for Tramps.

Though the Boniface would like to boom
His business when he gets a chance,
Yet he'll never give his choicest room
To the man with whiskers on his pants.
—Hotel Mail.

Couldn't Afford Both.

"John," asked his wife, "can I get a sealskin sacque?"

"Well, I should say not," replied John, "I had to buy a ton of coal today."—New York Sun.

Safe and Sound.

H. R. H. (fils)—Have you seen anything of my night key, mother?

H. R. H. (mere)—Yes; I have it in my pocket.—Tid Bits.

Where?

The ice was over two inches deep;
The maiden was fair to see.
There was a slip and a little shriek,
And the maiden—oh! where was she?
—New York Evening Sun.

THE INFLUENCE OF THINGS.

A Woman's Whole Life Was Changed by a Red Hat with a Dull Red Plume.

There was once a lady, sober in mind and sedate in manner, whose plain dress exactly represented her desire to be inconspicuous, to do good, to improve every day of her life in actions that should benefit her kind. She was a serious person, inclined to improving conversation, to the reading of bound books that cost at least a dollar and a half (fifteen cents of which she gladly contributed to the author), and she had a distaste for the gay society which was mainly a flutter of ribbons and talk and pretty faces; and when she meditated, as she did in her spare moments, her heart was sore over the frivolity of life and the emptiness of fashion. She longed to make the world better, and without any priggishness she set it an example of simplicity and sobriety, of cheerful acquiescence in plainness and inconspicuousness.

One day, it was in the autumn, this lady had occasion to buy a new hat. From a great number offered to her she selected a red one with a dull red plume. It did not agree with the rest of her apparel; it did not fit her apparent character. What impulse led to this selection she could not explain. She was not tired of being good, but something in the jauntiness of the hat and the color pleased her. If it were a temptation she did not intend to yield to it, but she thought she would take the hat home and try it. Perhaps her nature felt the need of a little warmth. The hat pleased her still more when she got it home and put it on and surveyed herself in the mirror. Indeed, there was a new expression in her face that corresponded to the hat. She put it off and looked at it. There was something almost humanly winning and temptatious in it. In short, she kept it, and when she wore it abroad she was not conscious of its incongruity to herself or to her dress, but of the incongruity of the rest of her apparel to the hat, which seemed to have a sort of intelligence of its own, at least a power of changing and conforming things to itself. By degrees one article after another in the lady's wardrobe was laid aside and another substituted for it answered to the demanding spirit of the hat.

In a little while this plain lady was not plain any more, but most gorgeously dressed and possessed with the desire to be in the height of the fashion. It came to this that she had a tea gown made out of a window curtain with a flamboyant pattern. Solomon in all his glory would have been ashamed of himself in her presence.

But this was not all. Her disposition, her ideas, her whole life were changed. She did not any more think of going about doing good, but of amusing herself. She read nothing but stories in paper covers. In place of being sedate and sober minded she was frivolous to excess; she spent most of her time with women who liked to "frivol." She kept Lent in the most expensive way, so as to make the impression upon everybody that she was better than the extremest kind of Lent. From liking the sedatest company she passed to liking the gayest society and the most fashionable method of getting rid of her time. Nothing whatever had happened to her, and she is now an ornament to society.—Charles Dudley Warner in Harper's.

Living in Paris.

Of living in Paris outside of a hotel I know but little, except that a gentleman who has spent a great deal of time here and seen a good deal of society said to me that in no city can one live so absolutely as he pleases as in Paris and still be respectable and fashionable. It was some time before New Yorkers took kindly to modern flats, with their possible improvement and convenience. High life of that kind was not to their taste. But here you find the best people living upon narrow street, and you climb up flight and flight of winding stairs until the fourth and fifth and sometimes the sixth stage is reached, where you stop to breathe and wonder how any American could have pitched his tent so high.

But once inside the tent your wonder ceases, or rather takes another channel, as you find yourself in the large, airy and handsomely furnished rooms where so many of our people live quite as comfortable and with far less care than they can at home. "I would not go back to America again, with all the worries of housekeeping, for the world," I heard a lady say, while her companion, fresh from the worries of American housekeeping, was ready to take them again, and would not stay here for all the world. And so opinions differ. But of the two I think the Parisian housekeeper has the best of it, with better servants, smaller wages and so many troublesome things done outside—no washing or ironing, for this is done by the lanchisseuse, and no bread-making, for the bakers furnish all that, and of an excellent kind, too.—Cor. Springfield Republican.

An Hour's Snooze.

During cold weather some of the paupers resort to some very odd tricks to get into some house where they can warm their chilled bodies by the generous heat from a fire or steam register. The other Sunday, when it was quite cold, a middle aged man of scraggy beard, unkempt hair, wearing worn out boots and seedy coat and ragged pantaloons, and presenting a most repulsive and dirty appearance, entered the door of St. John's Methodist church quietly, and took a seat near the rear part of the room. When the congregation struck up a hymn the miserable tramp joined in the singing with apparently as good time as any of the choristers. It was at first supposed that he had drifted in to hear the Gospel expounded—and may be he did—but after reclining his head on the seat during prayer, he fell asleep and slept soundly during the entire sermon. He didn't hear any Gospel expounded, at least, and some people were cynical enough to say that he had entered the church for no other reason than to get a snug, warm corner, where he could sleep for an hour.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A SHOP GIRL'S LIFE.

WHAT SWEETENS HER EXISTENCE AND WHAT DOESN'T.

Fined for Being Late — Must Stand All Day—Half an Hour for Lunch—Whom the Girls Marry—Why the Seats Were Removed.

"Well, we have to be here at 8 o'clock every morning, whether we live on the east side, the west side, in Brooklyn or Harlem, and 8 o'clock isn't an unreasonable hour at all, nor do we ever complain, but if we are ten minutes late, no matter why, we are fined. Of course, to the cash girls this fine means going without the cup of hot coffee or the little bit of fruit she would have bought to piece out her little lunch, but, so far as I am concerned, I don't care anything about the fine; it is the restriction that I object to and the being reprimanded. I don't intend to be late. I am just as much interested in being here in time and selling a lot of goods as the proprietor is himself. I like my business, and am proud of my sales and anxious to begin my work for the day, and the idea that because I happen to miss a car, or have one of the thousand little delaying accidents that every woman and man, too, for that matter is liable to, that some man who knows nothing about me has a right to reprimand me and fine me just makes me cross and hurts my pride.

"Then the hardest thing of all a shop girl has to endure is the constant standing from 8 in the morning until 6 at night, with only one half hour rest at noon A few years ago some one stirred up this subject and seats were placed behind the counter, but they have been all taken away The salesladies in suit departments can sit down, but not in the room where the customers are. Of course, if they go away in the little side room to rest they miss their customers, and the consequence is that they stand all day outside We do not mind it on busy days, the excitement keeps us up, but on dull days we almost faint away sometimes standing still with nothing to make us forget how tired we are.

"We have half an hour for lunch, which is time enough for a person to eat a cold lunch, but when a girl stands from 8 o'clock until 2, after a 7 o'clock breakfast, she wants something besides a sandwich and a cup of tea for her lunch. I used to go out and buy my lunch and have a regular hot dinner, as I would at home. I needed it, and worked all the better for it, but of course I couldn't get it in half an hour. I was usually gone forty minutes. After a while I was denied that privilege, and I have to eat my lunch in the lunch room. I don't like a cold lunch, and somehow the thought of the being compelled to do anything like that fills my heart with a kind of bitterness that takes away all my appetite. It isn't the cold lunch or the hot lunch room where they make coffee in one end and eat in the other, though; that isn't exactly what I am used to at home, but it is the restraint that I rebel against.

"At 6 o'clock sharp we are all excused in a batch, and away we pour out of the door like a mob of factory hands, and the people all say, 'See the shop girls.' Now, if some could when they had no customers, go at fifteen minutes to 6 or ten minutes to 6, don't you see we wouldn't all flock out together and attract attention, for part of us would go at one time and part at another, but now it is push and crowd and jam to get out, so that if you would go decently and in a ladylike way you have to wait until all the crowd is gone.

"There are a great many things I might do evenings to enjoy myself, but I am too tired and feel so kind of bitter and sorry and resentful in my heart that I don't want to go anywhere. I like my work, am interested in it, and do not want to give it up any more than a man wants to give up his business My employer is very kind, my salary is very generous, and all that; it is only a few little things about the system of managing the girls that makes us unhappy We are independent business women, earning as much, and in many cases more than men in the same places, and we do not like to be governed like the inmates of an orphan home or house of correction.

'And what kind of men do we marry? Well, they have to be pretty nice, or we don't bother with them. The better class of sales ladies rarely marry employes in the store Don't you see we are independent, and unless we are going to better ourselves very much, or unless we get hopelessly in love, we do not care to marry at all. I know many girls who have married very well, and have lovely homes. Do we ever marry the customers whom we meet in the store? Well," with a toss of the blonde head and a pretty flush in the timid face, "I know some who might have married some of their customers, but wouldn't.

"As far as promotion is concerned, that rests entirely with ourselves, is based on our ability, and I think is very fair and just Some girls never get promoted because they lack ability and push, and others get to the top in a short time. The promotions are from cash to parcel clerk, from that to stock clerk one who assists in keeping the goods in order, then to bill clerk, saleslady, cashiers and floor walkers, and wages increase from two dollars up to thirty or more."

'How much pay do I get?' said a little fair faced maiden behind the counter. "Five dollars a week, unless something happens"

'And what does happen to prevent it?'

'Well, if I'm late a few minutes I am fined, if I am half an hour late I lose one quarter of a day's wages if I make the least little mistake in my bills that is taken out of my pay, and if I break anything that has to be paid for. If I am sick half a day I lose that, and so you see I don't always get the $5 The floor walker doesn't always look when she hears a crash, because if she doesn't know what breaks or who breaks it, why then she can't report it. But she always does look if the superintendent is anywhere on the floor Sometimes one dish costs a whole week's pay

"No, our superintendent isn't a woman, and I'm glad of it. A woman does nothing but scold and stew and fuss all the time over little things. Yes, it's pretty hard to keep up all the lines, but I suppose it makes us more careful, so that we really do not have so very many to pay No, we have no seats now, they have all been taken away Sometimes two or three of us crowd on the edge of a drawer that pulls out near the floor, but we fly up lively if we see the floor walker coming this way."

"The girls abused the privilege," explained the floor walker, a delicate looking girl. "They were not quick to rise up when customers came in, and grew neglectful and indolent. Of course, it is tiresome to stand so long, and girls need to be strong to endure it, but they like the work aside from that, and in time they seem to grow accustomed to it, so that they do not mind it as they do at first.

"The hardest things we have to get along with are the cranks that come in here to be waited on. Of course, it is our business to show the goods, but just as much their business to be ladylike. I tell you some of the girls behind the counter are more ladylike than the rich people they wait on.' —New York Sun.

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AUTHORIZED PIRACY.

The latest news from Behring Sea is to the effect that United States revenue cutters are in hot pursuit of what they are pleased to term poachers upon the preserves of the Alaska Commercial Company. The gunboat Richard Rush had already captured the British sealer Black Diamond and confiscated the vessel and her cargo of skins. How many more have been seized since, there are no means at present available of knowing; but the inference is that, unless the United States authorities meet with a vigorous and pointed protest from Admiral HENEAGE, of the British North Pacific squadron, now in those waters, this character of authorized piracy will be continued until our sealers are either all confiscated or driven from Behring Sea. By all tenets of international maritime law, three marine miles from land toward the open sea constitutes the boundary of the jurisdiction of any nation. Outside of this limit the sea is open to the free and undisputed use of all nations. Hence we contend that the seizure of these vessels sixty or seventy miles from land, upon the open sea, is as illegal as the same act would be if perpetrated in the middle of the Pacific ocean. The silly contention put forth by the United States that because they purchased Alaska they *obtained the exclusive ownership and* control of Behring Sea, will not hold good in any international conference composed of even third-rate statesmen of the present day. As well may England say that because she owns Gibraltar she has the right to close the Mediterranean Sea to the legitimate commerce of a friendly nation and seize and confiscate its vessels and their cargoes.

If British Columbia did not occupy *such an isolated position—so far removed* from the seat of British authority—we have no doubt this whole question would have been settled long ago; in fact the United States government would never have dared to set itself up as the autocrat of the seas and turn its "navy" into a police squadron to forage upon the ligitimate industries of other nations.

Then, again, the contention is raised that British sealers had no business in *Behring Sea this season, because they* had been warned by proclamation duly issued by the President of the United States not to "trespass" upon those waters for the purpose of killing seals. The question naturally arises: what authority has the United States to forbid persons or vessels from trespassing upon property which it does not own or over which it has legally no jurisdiction? The position of our great republican neighbor in this respect is untenable, and we hope and trust the rights of our sealers to the use of the open waters of Behring Sea will be speedily enforced by the British and Canadian governments.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES.

THE Chicago *Tribune*, in reference to Mr. Bechard's threat of Quebec annexing itself to the United States, says that if so his province could not expect to carry with it the special privileges it now enjoys in the Dominion.

THE Earl of Caithness, who died suddenly at Edinburgh recently, is the last of his line. Neither brother nor sister survives him. The claimant to the title and estates—a descendant of George, 4th Earl—is an employe in a bank at Aberdeen, and he will bring his claim before the House of Lords. Failing him, the next heir is Sir John Sinclair, Bart, of Dunbeath.

PRESIDENT HARRISON is said to be already thinking of his message to Congress. When he does send it to the national legislators they will listen to it impatiently, and proceed to neglect every recommendation it makes by doing the opposite. That is one of the beauties of *our neighbors' system. When the news*papers combine to "sit upon" the message, as they do the Congressional debates, they will kill off a useless institution.

MR. MARSHALL WILDER—we don't know who Mr. Marshall Wilder is, but he has written a book and is therefore eminent—declares that Mrs. Bonanza Mackay is a charming woman, unostentatious in her hospitality and truly charitable; also that her affection for her native country is stronger and purer today than ever it was. Asked when she intended to return, her reply was: "I want to go home as soon as my sons complete their education." What a pity there are no colleges and universerties in the United States, that this devotedly patriotic daughter of the stars and stripes might come home with her boys.

THE Winnipeg *Sun* denies that the unreliable reports regarding the crops *are sent from* Manitoba. The denial is drawn forth by statements in various unreliable papers that there is a conspiracy to keep back the facts in connection with the crops. The official crop bulletin issued in June was from information received up to June 1. This report, says the *Sun*, admitted that rain was needed, but the principal injury to the crops has been inflicted since then. It is impossible as yet to say exactly how much damage has been done, and certainly it would be senseless to send out dubious reports when later fine weather would improve the prospects. Dry weather has been the trouble in Manitoba, but the same injury, and in many cases to a more marked degree, has resulted in Northern Minnesota, and particularly so in North Dakota.

AMONG the new England complaints against the policy of interfering with the Canadian railways in the United States was one from Portland. The chief city of Maine would be seriously injured by the trade of the Canadian railways going to Canadian seaports. The commercial independence of Canada is very well exhibited by the alarm felt by the American people themselves over the declared intention of their politicians to crush Canadian railways. As the Halifax *Herald* puts it: "Canada has undoubtedly gained in self-respect by declining to yield to the United States when the puerile threat of retaliation was made. The evidence given before the Senate's committee indicates that our neighbors now realize that the retaliation proposed would have injured them far more than it could have injured us, and that the inevitable effect of such a policy would have been to increase the direct import trade of Canada and to build up the Canadian Atlantic ports of Montreal, Quebec, Halifax and St. John."

LIGHT AND AIRY.

At Cheyenne.

Young Lochinvar came in from the west
With fringe on his trousers and fur on his vest;
The width of his hat brim could nowhere be beat—
His number ten brogans were chock full of feet;
His girdle was horrent with pistols and things,
And he flourished a handful of aces on kings.

The fair Mariana sat watching a star,
When who should turn up but the young Lochinvar!
Her pulchritude gave him a pectoral glow,
And he reined up his horse with stentorian "whoa."
Then turned on the maiden a rapturous grin.
And modestly asked if he mightn't step in.

With presence of mind that was marvelous quite,
The fair Mariana replied that he might;
So in through the portal strode young Lochinvar—
Pre-empted the claim and cleaned out the bar;
Though the justice allowed he wa'n't wholly to blame,
He taxed him ten dollars and costs just the same.
—Chicago News.

Wasted Politeness.

Polite Man (on suburban train, rising and calling out after two young women who are going down the aisle)—Here is a seat, ladies.

(Young women walk on and pay no heed to the invitation.)

Polite Man (louder)—Ladies, you will find a seat back here.

(Young ladies still ignoring the proffered courtesy.)

Polite Man (growing red)—Of course, ladies, you can stand up if you prefer, but (at the top of his voice) you can get a seat if you come back.

(Polite man sees young women accept a seat at farther end of car, and proceed to converse with each other in deaf and dumb alphabet, whereupon he goes into forward car to cool off.)—Chicago Tribune.

The Farmer, the Tramp and the Dog.

Tramp (to farmer, digging in the garden)—Hayseed, can't you give me a little something to eat?

Farmer—Naw. I ain't got nuthin' fur ye; there ain't a thing in the house fur ye.

Tramp—All right, so let it be. That's a fine dog you got there.

The farmer, dropping his shovel and coming over by the fence, said: "Friend, are ye a jedge o' fine dogs?"

Tramp—What I don't know about dogs wouldn't make a bark. That dog, sir, never cost less than a hundred.

Farmer (shouting to wife)—Jane, git up suthin' nice to eat an' bring it out here!—The Epoch.

A Nymph.

She stands a thing of beauty, passing fair!
Around her head the struggling sunlight skims,
And, oh, the beauty of her wet, brown hair,
The lissome languor of her perfect limbs!

I would I could describe her, standing there
Above the dimpled pool's white marble rim,
Pausing with pretty, hesitating air
Ere plunging in the pool to dive and swim.

Breathless she rises, rosy as the dawn.
The water from her hair she lightly flings.
She is a princess to the manner born;
Like cerements her linen tunic clings.

Lightly she walks into the sun kissed mist,
And, bending o'er another nymph as fair,
She gently strokes her shoulder, arm and wrist,
And twines her fingers in her soft, damp hair.

Who can she be? And what may be her name?
Who is this nymph who so much beauty hath?
Venus? Or Helen of immortal fame?
No; an attendant in a Russian bath.
—Judge.

Traveling Outfits.

Trunk Dealer—I see. Want something for a six months' tour abroad. Well, madam, in the adjoining building I have a trunk which I'm sure you will like. Can't get it in the store room; double door is too narrow. I thought of remodeling it and using it for a sea shore cottage, but if it will suit you I will let you have it cheap.

Dame—I'm not the one who is going abroad; it's my husband.

"Oh! George, show the lady one of those vest pocket hand sachels."—New York Weekly.

He Found Out.

Amateur Singer (who has envolved a scheme for getting his wife's unbiased opinion of his own voice)—Emily, what do you think of young Kiljordan's singing?

Wife—It's perfectly wretched. It sets my teeth on edge to hear him.

Amateur Singer (some weeks later)—Emily, young Kiljordan wants me to take his place in that duet at the Grindstone reception next week. Do you think I could sing it as well as he could?

Wife (hesitatingly)—Y-yes, Cyrus, I don't know but you could.—Chicago Tribune.

Chance.

The reader who's in search of fame
May think the way is dark;
Yet the man who cannot sign his name
Is the one who makes his mark.
—Harper's Bazar.

A Great Scheme.

Citizen (to Uncle Rastus)—Well, Uncle Rastus, how are you getting on in the grocery business?

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Love's Young Dream.

Little Girl (at school)—What did the teacher send you here for?

Little Boy—She said I was bad and must come over and sit with the girls.

"I like you. Can you stay long?"

"Guess not. I wasn't very bad."

"Well, you be badder next time."—New York Weekly.

Boneless Liver.

"Wife, did you order that boneless liver as I asked you to do this morning?"

"Yes, I did."

"What did the butcher say?"

"You're a mean, good for nothing old fool. Don't you speak to me again for a month.'—Chicago Herald.

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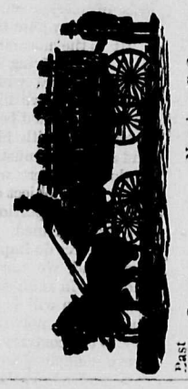

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Riding in the steam and horse cars, we are compelled to breathe not only the air from people's lungs, but the exhalations from their skins and clothing. Fancy riding in the steam cars for a long distance in winter time, with two large stoves heated almost red hot with anthracite coal, in a space say of 15 feet wide and 10 feet high. This space will contain about eighty people, and is closely shut up. Every one knows the stove uses up oxygen with great rapidity, and what is left is breathed over and over again by the people, who are giving out from their lungs constantly a gas utterly unfit to be breathed.

Is it any wonder headache and nausea steal over them? They must either sit in a draught or endure the poison, as the ventilators are not enough to carry off the foul air.

IN THE SCHOOL HOUSE.

Visit some school houses after a walk in the fresh air and the odor is something disgusting. These unpleasant sensations come from want of greater ventilation. Here again the air is vitiated by the breaths, clothing; many of the pupils scarcely know the luxury of a good bath and plenty of clean underclothing. Now, can the air be anything but bad under such circumstances? If the windows are opened long the teacher and children take cold, and some are afraid and think they cannot stand the smallest breath of fresh air.

A schoolroom 30 feet square and 8 feet high contains 7,200 feet of cubic air. This room will seat sixty pupils. Allowing ten cubic feet of air to each pupil per minute, all the air in the room will be vitiated in twelve minutes. Now, granting that every means is used regarding ventilation, and a goodly supply of soap and water to scrub the floors instead of sweeping. A recess of five minutes ought to be given every hour, so that the children could move about, have the windows and doors wide open, and let them breathe in freely the pure air of nature, to repair their mental and physical condition.

Effects are proportioned to causes, and if an atmosphere filled with 5 per cent. of carbonic acid will produce death in a few minutes, what must be the effect of breathing for ten, twenty or forty years the much smaller proportion which must be present in every inhabited room where there is not a constant incoming and outgoing of air? It must and does lower the standard of health and shorten our lives. Let a person who is in good health, with a sound nasal organ, take a brisk walk in the open air, then come at once into the inhabited room, and if there is any unpleasant odor the air of that room is hurtful.

How many dwellings, sitting rooms or bedrooms would pass such an ordeal in the early morning after being occupied all night?

A LITTLE GOOD ADVICE.

Bad air being heavy always sinks to the floor, and to be got rid of must be drawn from the floor, either by open fireplaces or some means of ventilation. A room 10 by 12 by 13 contains 1,440 cubic feet of air, the available oxygen of which is used up by one person in half an hour.

What to breathe then becomes the great question, especially for persons unacquainted with the only way of producing good health and long life. Breath is our life—more to us than food. Breathe pure fresh air day and night. You cannot get too much of it. Fresh air is the one mighty disinfectant. It certainly is its own purifier; nothing can take the place of pure ventilation.

We suffer most in winter for want of ventilation; the outside cold makes us close all the apertures in the rooms, while in summer the heat makes us open all the doors and windows. I think it preferable from my standpoint to have less heat in the rooms, to air them every two hours, to get rid of the furnace gases, and in the evenings to get away with the deadly carbon from our gas jets. Let cleanliness be the watchword in every home, from attic to cellar. Keep plenty of disinfectants around the washbowls and water closets. In damp cellars keep charcoal always. It is simple and cheap. Let in the blessed sunlight everywhere you can. Never mind the fading of furniture or carpets; better than that our lives and those of our children be the forfeit.

Sunshine not only gladdens our hearts, but it steals into the corners and makes the surroundings pure. Where sunshine enters, every room will be healthy. Get the musty odor out of your offices, stores, every place of business. Better stand cold air than breathe slow death. Live in open air all you can. Take a brisk walk countrywards every day. Go to the hill tops, but remember "God breathed into your nostrils the breath of life." So learn to keep your mouths closed. 'Tis a good thing to practice. Breathe through your nose at all times, as mouth breathing is only an acquired habit and brings thousands of evils.—Boston Globe.

Probably the oldest and most famous woman's club in America is the Sorosis of New York, founded more than twenty years ago by Jennie June, Alice Cary and Kate Field. The club holds its social meeting on the first Monday of each month in the banqueting hall of Delmonico's.

SWEET HOME OF MY YOUTH.

Sweet home of my youth, near the murmuring rills
That are nursed in the laps of the North Scottish hills,
Ere the gray streaks of morning the songster arouse
From his leaf curtained cot to his matinal vows,
My thoughts cling to thee, and lovingly press,
Sweet home of my youth, on the banks of the Ness.

When the gay king of light doffs his gladdening crown
And mantles the land with his evening frown;
When night's somber cov'ring the earth's over laid,
And nature is mourning the day that is dead,
Then loved thoughts of thee do I fondly caress,
Sweet home of my youth, on the banks of the Ness.

Though thy little flower garden twice ten times has lost
Its bright summer garb since thy threshold I've cross'd,
Though Atlantic's wide waters our fortunes divide;
Still no time nor space from my memory can hide
Or dampen the love I am proud to confess
For the home of my youth, on the banks of the Ness.

—John Patterson.

THE LATEST MECHANICAL WONDER.

A Figure That Pulls Out Its Watch and Tells One the Time.

Professor Charles Richel, the inventor of the flying machine which created so much interest a few years ago, is just completing a mechanical wonder which is an astonishing piece of mechanism. It promises to create a great furor throughout the country. He has been over a year experimenting with it, and has at last achieved results which at the outstart seemed impossible. He was given carte blanche from a watch manufacturing concern to get up the novelty, time and expense being a secondary consideration. Professor Richel has kept the matter secret, and has permitted no one to enter his study excepting one or two intimate friends. A reporter was given a private view last evening.

The entrance to the studio is by way of a dark staircase on John street. Double doors, a screen and a heavy curtain shut out the daylight. Electric lights are used to work by. There are all sorts of grotesque heads, arms and bits of plaster anatomy hanging around the room, and upon the work bench are brass molds and a variety of fine tools for the purpose of working in steel and brass.

The new wonder is a life sized youth of perhaps sixteen years of age. He is a fine looking lad, in perfect imitation of the average boy of the present day. The figure stands upon the floor, and is attired in Knickerbockers and laced shoes, vest, coat, etc.—to all appearances a living boy. Professor Richel did not approach the figure, but spoke to it, saying, "Good evening, Bobby; what time is it?" The figure turned its head and bowed slightly, and with its left hand pulled back the coat. The right hand, which had been hanging at the side, was lifted up to the vest pocket and drew out a watch. The watch was then carried up to the ear, at the same time the head turned so as to bring the ear down in a listening attitude, while the eyes closed. When the silent youth was assured that the watch was ticking the hand dropped slightly forward; the head turned so as to bring the face to look full at the watch, the eyes opened and a pleased smile spread over the features. The head was then thrown back, the hand which held the watch between the thumb and index finger returned the watch to the vest pocket and was then gracefully swung back into its resting position by the side. The mouth opened, and with a pleasant laugh the figure said: "It's just half past 8, gentlemen."

So naturally was all this performed that for an instant it seemed as if the figure was an actual living being. There was no jerky movement, nor the slightest jar or noise. The eyes opened and closed and the head moved about to all appearances like a living one. Professor Richel laughed and said, "What do you think of it?" and then proceeded to explain how it was operated. Inside the figure is an electric motor. This had been set in operation by touching a concealed button in the floor several feet away where the professor had been standing. Afterwards he opened the chest of the figure and exposed where the cams, springs, weight balances, spirals and levers which had caused the arms and head to move. The cleverest parts are those which cause the wrist, thumb and fingers to move. The articulatory mechanism is very similar to that employed in a phonograph.—New York World.

The Host and His Guests.

Social intercourse or the exchange of civilities should be solely for the betterment and refinement of mankind, and if the status of such is not based upon a high sense of delicacy and cultivation the results must be fruitless.

A knowledge of human nature is also important in the grouping of people. A wise entertainer knows the ability of his friends and acquaintances, and would not invite Cassius-like friends, with aversion to music in their souls, to a musicale, even though a Rubenstein was to play and a Patti to sing. Neither would he invite the bigot in religion to meet a rival one of another school, nor an apostle of Voltaire expecting pleasure from the discussion sure to arise. Nor would he bid political antipodes to attend a "conversation" on government affairs, with out expecting warm words and unpleasant clashing of opinions. Neither would such invite the brightest lights of the dramatic world to meet those whose religious scruples prompt them to look upon the drama as a satanic invention for the destruction of human souls. Nor would it do to invite the merry, light hearted, youthful Terpsichorean to meet the sages of the court and the senate, knowing intuitively that there could be nothing congenial between the dignity and thoughtfulness of the one and the frivolity and merriment of the other. A correct regard for the taste and weaknesses of one's guests must be considered, to bring only congenial people together as far as it is possible to do so.

In official entertaining, hosts have no discretion, and are in no wise responsible for the juxtaposition of discordant elements. The rules of official etiquette fix the position of rank and privilege in the social world, and consequently the unavoidable and incongruous grouping, and unpleasant incidents that sometimes occur.—Mrs. John A. Logan in Chicago Journal.

Emperor William's Swords.

The late Emperor William only used two swords and one saber throughout his long fighting career. The first sword was his boyish weapon, carried from 1810 to 1834, the second was a present from the Czar Nicholas, which served him from 1834 to the time of the war with Austria in 1866. On the memorable day of Sadowa the emperor adopted an infantry saber, which he wore to the last, and on which he had engraved the names of all his victories in the Austrian and Franco-Prussian campaigns. These historical weapons are to be stored in the Berlin museum, together with the saber belonging to the emperor's father, Frederick William III, which always stood by the side of his writing table in his study.—Boston Transcript.

THE "FORTY NINERS."

VAGARIES OF THE MEN WHO TOOK CALIFORNIA AT THE FLOOD.

They Were Not Ruffians, but Were Merely Rebelling Against Shams and Conventionalism—They Reveled in Freedom and Were Like Unrestrained School Boys.

When the men of '49 came to California they were suddenly cut off from many of the habits, usages and customs of the older communities in which they had been born and bred. They found themselves among a new set of neighbors from many countries who had in similar manner been so cut off. All had been turned out of ruts of thought which had existed for generations, and into which old communities always settle.

The literary men of old countries can write dullness and a rehash of other men's thoughts for generations before they are found out. Children are taught directly or indirectly to regard with reverence the emanations of some semi-fossilized brain, although in such emanations they are neither interested nor amused. But they must know certain things, or pretend to know them or admire them, and why? Because they would be call ignorant if they did not.

Now, when men are turned loose in such a great pasture as was California thirty-nine years ago and find themselves even for a short time beyond the dictation of colleges and universities and B. A.'s and LL.D.'s, there comes a tendency on their part to kick up their heels and run rampant for a time in the intellectual sense.

FREEDOM IN TALK AND DRESS.

They seem infected with the wild, unsubdued nature around them, and in their first sense of freedom they do many wild, grotesque and even improper things. That is why your ancestors, the argonauts, gave such dreadful names to these towns—such as "Hangtown," "Murderers' Bar," "Shirttail Canyon," and the like. It was a reaction from the pretentious style so long practiced in the eastern states and older countries. The tendency to call some one horse town—Rome or Athens, or Ithaca—names generally suggested by some village literary pomposity, too, shows his classical education. Reveling in their freedom the argonauts in the earlier days invented within a couple of years a new set of terms, almost a new language, bred out of the country itself and the new conditions and modes of life above them—such as "Panned out," "Give up the flume," "Broke," "Strapped," "Busted" and "Petered out."

Men liked to talk improperly and in an outlandish fashion, because in the older states the schoolmaster's rod first and the rod of popular opinion afterward had been so long held over them to make them talk properly. They have been made so to do in so far as they did not out of love, but fear, and anything learned out of fear will be rejected afterward for a time, even though it be a good thing. It is a luxury for a boy to wade through a mud puddle and soil his clothes when at home he has been from first to last licked into clean garments, and the first and last thought associated with a pair of clean pantaloons is his mother's threat that if he soils them he will be punished. California gave her first settlers liberty to dress, talk and act in many things about as they pleased. Of course when men first have liberty in anything they are apt to abuse it, or rather make a bad use of it. But liberty they've got to have some time or other before they can learn to make a proper use of it. You can't make an expert horseman unless you give him full liberty with the horse. That is a very shaky kind of goodness or virtue which always does the commendable thing because some one else says it is the thing to do. That kind of goodness is very often deep down in the depths wanting to do the forbidden thing, but not daring to do it for lack of opportunity.

Many of your solid citizens of today, pillars of church, state and society, during their earlier years in California went for things forbidden in the older states "flat footed." They went for the fandango, for faro, for monte, for the bar—for anything and everything which the New England Sunday school said was wrong. They went and saw, and tried and tasted, and drank to the dregs, and found the cup bitter, and the account, when footed up in the ledger of health, to be a losing one, and being men of judgment, balance and common sense, they put away the evil thing once and forever, having satisfied themselves out of their own experience that the evil thing did not pay, and they really wanted no more of it. They could then pass the gilded portals of danger without caring to go in, and that is probably more than ever they could have done had they remained in the older states and trod nearly the same path their fathers trod.

THE MORAL IN IT.

I believe thoroughly that it is far better for one to sin and sin in good earnest so as to know the evil that comes of it than not to sin and yet have always a covert desire to do so. Some of our very good girls and boys, both of smaller and larger growths, covet a great deal. They would dare tell no one, hardly themselves. The result is, I imagine, that they may keep on coveting and live coveting and die coveting and go to glory coveting, and if it be true that there no thing can be hid, and "even to the teeth and forehead of our faults we must give in evidence against ourselves" we may have some difficulty in getting within the golden gates and getting our checks cashed at the bank of eternal happiness.

But this is a danger that the old seasoned argonaut who has seen for himself and tried for himself need not fear.

In other words the 'forty-niners had a better chance to be natural than in the older communities. It may in some cases have been a disorderly kind of naturalness, but was it not better than no naturalness at all? Brown, of Tuolumne, used to say at times, "I do wish I could lie consistently and persistently. Alas! I cannot. The truth will fall out of my mouth at times in spite of all my efforts to prevent it, and at the very time it most hurts my business."

There was a noble honesty in this. You dread a man far less when he says to you, "I am a thief. I will steal at times. I can't help it. You must be on guard against me."

Such a man hangs out his sign and gives you a chance to guard yourself against him. Isn't he preferable to the cautious sneak trickster—the man who fortifies himself in an office and possibly behind an iron grating, and by the aid of laws perverted to wrong uses robs with scarcely any risk?—Prentice Mulford in San Francisco Chronicle.

A Stupid Discussion.

One of the most stupid discussions imaginable is that of the question: "Is marriage a failure?" It would be just as profitable and just as sensible to gravely debate the question: "Is birth a failure?" or this: "Is law a failure?" or this: "Is society a failure?"

A good many people are unhappy in the marriage relation. True. What does that prove? Why, simply that a good many people have made a bad choice of a matrimonial partner. When men and women marry under the impulse of fancy or from the whim of passion, what could be expected? —St. Louis Republic.

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	" 9.56	" 5.06		Shawnigan Lake	" 11.28		
	" 10.08	" 5.16		Cobble Hill	" 11.16		
	" 10.25	" 5.31		McPherson's	" 10.59		
	" 10.37	" 5.41		Koksilah	" 10.47		
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Nanaimo, 19th July, 1889.

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AS THE UNDERSIGNED IS RETIRING from business he begs to notify all persons indebted to him to settle their accounts on or before the 30th June proximo. Accounts remaining unpaid after that date will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. All persons to whom the undersigned is indebted are requested to hand in their claims for payment, on or before the above mentioned dates.

JAS. HARVEY.

Nanaimo, 19th April, '89.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in GENERAL MERCHANDISE

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NOTICE,

Harewood Lake, May 27th, 1889.

Strayed on to my premises one iron grey cow with a young calf. The owner is requested to come and pay charges and take away the cow.

tf LOUIS STARK.

Wm. Blackmore,

Architect, Etc.

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Corporation of the City of Nanaimo, B. C.

By-Law to appoint a time and place for hearing complaints against Real Estate Assessments. Whereas by a by-law dated the 6th day of May, 1889, the 13th day of May was appointed for the return by the Assessor to the Municipal Council of the Real Estate Assessment Roll, for the year 1889, and, whereas the said roll was returned on that day, and whereas it is necessary to appoint a time and place for hearing the complaints of such person or persons as may complain of his or their assessments, appearing on the said roll.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Nanaimo as follows:

1. That all complaints that have been duly made, or shall be duly made, by any person or persons of his or their assessments as the same may appear on the said assessment roll for the year 1889, shall be heard at the city council chamber, Nanaimo, on Tuesday, the 18th day of June, 1889, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, or as soon thereafter as the said complaints can be heard.

2. This by-law may be cited for all purposes as the appeal by-law, 1889.

Passed by the Municipal Council this 3rd day of June, 1889, affirmed by the Municipal Council this 10th day of June, 1889.

S. GOUGH, C. M. C. M. BATE, Mayor.

The Mutual Life Insurance CO. OF NEW YORK.

The Largest Company in the World.

Assets, $126,000,000.
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NANAIMO :-: COURIER

WEDNESDAY JULY 31, 1889.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

TO CITY SUBSCRIBERS.

THE COURIER subscription list within the city limits has been taken charge of by Mr. A. E. PLANTA, who will hereafter see that each and every subscriber gets his paper, and gets it regularly. We specially request that all complaints of subscribers be *at once* sent in to the business office, and they will be rectified. There may possibly be some mistakes occur during the next few days, owing to new carriers being employed.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Lansdowne Brewery.

J. L. Cawthorne of the Lansdowne Brewery will soon be connected with this city by telephone.

A Herd of Cattle.

E. Quennell, of the Cosmopolitan Meat Market, yesterday drove a herd of very fine cattle out to his ranche in Cedar District.

Nanaimo Building Society.

As will be seen by the advertisement in the COURIER, the Nanaimo Building Society will meet at the Fire Hall on Monday evening next for the purpose of electing a Treasurer and Auditor.

An Improvement on the Esquimalt Dock.

The capacity of the dry dock at Esquimalt is to be lengthened by an addition of forty-five feet. This extra space will be obtained by placing the caisson without the outer invert of the dock basin and will be a very great convenience.

The Victoria Races.

Royal, the horse that won the half-mile repeat race at the East Wellington sports, will be taken to Victoria to-day by his owner, A. Cassell, to compete for the $900 prize to be run for in that city on August 10th. William Le Lievre will accompany the horse and ride him on the eventful day.

For the Union Mines.

The steamer Isabel takes up to the Union mines to-day 260 plates of sheet iron to be used in the construction of flat cars. The total weight of this mass of iron is about 55 tons. The cars at present in use at the mines are not sheathed with iron, and the present consignment will be used for this purpose as well as for the construction of new ones.

Call and enjoy a cool drink of Lager at the Central Hotel. *

Three of a Kind.

The Salvation Army paraded on Commercial street last night just three strong —the captain and two lieutenants. They were armed with the big drum, the little drum and a tambourine, and succeeded in making just about as much noise as usual. It would be advisable for them to keep off the street during the half hour of practice of the hose team, or else some accident may occur.

The Triumph and the Whale.

Two sealers belonging to the sealing schooner Triumph had a tussle with a whale in the northern seas a few weeks ago. The whale was blowing near their boat and disappeared from sight. In a few minutes the monster of the deep reappeared again beneath the boat occupied by the sealers, tossing the whole outfit into the air. The craft turned clean over and the men took a seat on the keel until they were rescued by another boat from the schooner.—*Times.*

G. H. Blakeway & Co. received a large consignment of drugs, chemicals and perfumes yesterday. jy21-1m.

Services Postponed.

Owing to a temporary indisposition the Bishop of Columbia has been obliged to defer his visit to Nanaimo for another week. His lordship, with Archdeacon Scriven, will, according to the new arrangement, reach here on Saturday, the 10th, and on the afternoon the Bishop will hold his visitation of the church. The next day, Sunday the 11th, the Bishop will preach in the morning and the Archdeacon in the evening, when also the ancient rite of confirmation will be adminstered by the Bishop.

The Southern Railway.

The Now Westminster *Guardian* says that so far as can be ascertainrd with certainty, no arrangement has been arrived at between the city council and Mr. Nelson Bennett, respecting the Southern Railway; many meetings have taken place and much unprofitable discussion has been fruitlessly engaged in. We are informed that Mr. Bennett will be approached on a new basis. Work on the railway will most likely be pushed forward by the increase of workmen on Monday next.

For the finest and newest perfumes go to Blakeway & Co., Druggists. jy21-1m

Ice Cold Milk Shake at Pimbury's. *

Shooting Through a Window.

On the night of Monday, July 15, a ball fired from a rifle passed through the window of Major J. G. Norris' house at Kootenay, piercing the petition his bed was placed by and in which he was sleeping at the time. The ball must have passed, judging from the marks, within four inches of where his rested against the pillow. Few will believe that the shot was fired with the purpose of taking Major Norris' life, for he is a favorite with all in Kootenay, but the marks of the ball leave no doubt that he who pulled the trigger intended taking life.

Chinook.

We have to thank Messrs. Raper, Raper & Co. for their kind present of a complete Chinook dictionary which will enable us in future to keep up with the Indian news of the district. We have been informed by the "Old Man of the Mountains," who doubtless speaks from experience born of long association, that it is impossible for a tenderfoot to move in the society of the Hyas Tyees of the northern part of the Island and vicinity without a thorough knowlege of Chinook, hence we would recommend strangers to go straightway to Raper, Raper & Co., and purchase this open *sesame* to the Chinook dialect.

Cricket.

Dr. Praeger received this morning a challenge from Major Peters, commanding "C" Battery, for a friendly game of cricket between the officers and men of the battery and the Nanaimo Cricket Club. The game, it is expected, will be played on Saturday next, commencing at 2 p m. sharp. The following are the players chosen by the committee of selectors to represent Nanaimo: Hodgson, Stokes, Dixon, Armfelt, S. Thompson, Cooper, E. Potts, Cruickshank, J. Calverly, Sowden, E. A. Praeger (captain). Substitutes, in the order in which they are named: Creighton, Rudd, A. Potts, J. Harvey, jun.

TRIFLES TO TURN TO.

THE WAIL OF THE STANDING COLLAR.

Alas for humidity,
Lack of rigidity
Under the sun;
Oh, it was pitiful,
Near a whole cityful,
Not a starched one!

The great sale of dry goods at cos price still continues at Bullock's.

J. Decker, of the Occidental hotel, has announced his intention of returning to shoot the mate of the bear he killed a short time ago.

John Weiland's Extra Pale Lager Beer on draught and ice-cold at the Central Hotel.

Ex-Senator Richard Creighton, who was convicted of jury bribing in San Francisco two years ago, has been sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He lived in Victoria in the interim.

A man named Appleyard, living at Vancouver, was bitten by a spider about a week ago. Blood poisoning set in and he died.

New flannel boating and cricket shirts and coats just received at the Box store, Victoria Crescent.

The Chinese quarter in Victoria had a narrow escape. A fire started there on Monday, but a few buckets of water put it out.

The S. A. last night was represented by two lassies and one big drum. This is a new dodge to fight the devil.

Buffalo are yet to be found in the Red Desert, Wyoming Territory. Six of them were lassoed a short time back. There are said to be yet between forty and fifty left.

Vancouver has a "General Superintendent" of the pound. Dogs and cattle are honored in that city.

The steamer Sardonyx is taking on 400 tons of Welsh coal as fuel for Her Majesty's fleet.

A correspondent of the *Examiner* was drowned lately in Alaskan water. He was preparing an account of the sealing industry.

D. Morello, of the Palace hotel, while being a very good *restaurateur*, has also a reputation as a manager of wild animals. He, having noticed an item in the COURIER about the Victoria bear, says he will take the contract to change his collar. He owned a bear once.

SHIPPING NEWS.

V. C. C.

The ship Ericsson is discharging ballast preparatory to loading coal for San Francisco.

The ship J. D. Peters sailed this morning with 1,000 tons of coal for various northern points.

WELLINGTON.

The ship Commodore sailed yesterday with a cargo of coal for San Francisco.

The ship Richard III is loading coal for San Francisco.

The ship J. C. Potter is discharging ballast preparatory to loading coal for San Francisco.

EAST WELLINGTON.

The steamer Empire is loading coal for San Francisco.

FROM VICTORIA.

The steamer Isabelle arrived last night from Victoria with freight and the following passenger:—Mrs. L. G. Hill, Mrs. Pottinger, Mrs. Sheppard, J. Sheppard, W. Clarke, C. Sheppard. Consignees:—A. R. Johnson & Co., Vancouver Coal Company, Miss Jennie Wilson, R. Nightingale, Deeble, Killpatrick, B. N. Smith, E. Quennell, S. Brightman, Cavalskey, Abrams, Bevilockway, N. E. P. Society, J. B. Mercer, J. Wilson, L. Manson.

PERSONAL.

Mr. James Dunsmuir, President of the Union Colliery Co., returned to Victoria yesterday.

Mr. R. Dunsdale arrived by the noon train yesterday.

Pilot Morrison arrived yesterday and will proceed to Comox to-day to pilot down the steamer San Mateo.

Mr. Johnson, of M. W. Waitt & Co., wholesale and retail stationers, Victoria, arrived in Nanaimo yesterday on business connected with his firm.

ROYAL HOTEL.

Edward Dower, Victoria; Olney Paul and wife, Miss Annie Paul, Seattle; Ed. Wilkins, John White, D O Gorman, Vancouver.

WINDSOR HOUSE.

J Piercey, Victoria; Mr Geo Munroe, S. F., Cal.

PALACE HOTEL.

A B Lowell, W McClure, A B Graham, L Ragazzoni, Victoria.

Suicide in Vancouver.

On Saturday morning about 5 o'clock the boat-builders on the water front near the foot of Cambie street heard the report of a pistol, but did not pay much attention to it. Some little time after a man named McDonald, working on the Moodyville Company's wharf, at the foot of Cambie street, found a straw hat with blood stains upon it and a revolver lying near the edge of the wharf. On looking into the water he saw the body of a man floating on the surface. He immediately telephoned for the police.

The body was brought to shore and was discovered to be all that remained of a man named John Robertson. In his pockets were $12 in cash and a couple of bank books showing $900 to his credit and also a receipt for land in Regina.

At the inquest a verdict of suicide while temporary insane was rendered.

The Salmon Pack.

The *Columbian* of Saturday says:—The salmon catch last night was by long odds the largest since the run commenced. Some of the boats fishing opposite the city netted nearly 300 fish between five o'clock last night and five o'clock this morning, but many boats near the mouth of the river beat these figures with ease. At noon to-day the nets were hauled out, and will remain till Monday morning at six o'clock, which will give the fish every opportunity to find their way inland. Millions of fish will pass up the river during the two days, and it seems, from a shortsighted standpoint, at least, almost a pity that they should pass uncaught. The salmon pack for the past week is estimated by competent judges to be fully 80,000 cases, and the total pack so far for the season fully 100,000 cases. The canneries are as busy as they can possibly be, and there are no complaints now of a lack of material to work on.

Will Change Hands.

The Palace hotel, it is rumored, may change hands within the next few days. The future proprietor will probably be R. Hindemarsh, one of our most popular citizens. If the gentleman in question assumes control of this well-known hotel we are sure that he will be well supported by his numerous friends in Nanaimo and the travelling public.

Good Morning.

Just received (at the "Box") another large and well selected stock of youth's and men's tweed suits from $6.00 to $25 at T. L. Browne & Co. *

POLICE COURT.

[Before J. P. Planta, S. M., and Mayor Bate.]

Queen v. F. L. Bangs and G. Barnes, charged with carrying intoxicants on the Gulf of Georgia for the purpose of supplying it to Indians. Constable Stewart deposed that he had no hesitation in saying that the statements made by the defendants, to the effect that they were going prospecting, was false, as there was no room in the boat for provisions or mining tools. The statement also made to Mr. Lomas, Indian Agent, about the loss of the sloop did not contain any mention of the cargo of whiskey.

Mr. Lomas, Indian Agent, deposed: I was on Kupar Island on Tuesday. I saw Mr. Bangs and Mr. Robinson, who said their sloop had capsized out in the Gulf. Mr. Bangs said he was steering in a very strong north-east wind, the mainsail was reefed but not the jib. A squall caught them and upset the sloop. They said they had come from Seattle, and were going north prospecting. He said the sloop was named the B & R, the initials of the two owners. They said they had been treated in a most hospitable manner by the Rev. Mr. Roberts, missionary on that Island. They had been wrecked about 3 o'clock in the morning and the sloop had drifted down the Gulf. I do not know of any recent case of selling whiskey to Indians on the Island by vessels.

Franks, a Siwash, said: I and Billy Gamcset and our wives went in a canoe on Sunday night intending to go to New Westminster, but on Monday morning the wind was blowing too strong from the north for us to proceed. About a mile from shore Billy said, "what's that there?" pointing to an object in the water. It turned out to be a boat. I saw a barrel floating in the water which I tried to lift into the canoe. We towed the sloop ashore and bailed her out. Billy thought the barrels contained salt salmon from Frazer river. We arrived in Nanaimo on Tuesday night with the sloop.

Constable Stewart, sworn, testified as follows: On discharging the cargo of the sloop, which was brought to Campbell & Foreman's wharf, I found 13 kegs. I examined three of them and found them to contain whiskey.

Mr. Stewart here asked for a remand until next Friday to obtain further evidence.

Mr. Yarwood stated that his clients were here without money and wished to obtain their sloop and get to their destination.

The case was then adjourned until Friday at 2 p. m.

Death of Mr. John Parker.

Mr. John Parker, one of Victoria's earliest pioneers, and who is well known both on the Island and the mainland, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Ure, Monday morning. Deceased had just passed his 86th birthday, having been born in Farningham, Kent, in the year 1804, and left England for British Columbia in 1862, arriving here at the close of that year. For the last five years Mr. Parker has been an invalid, prostrated by the weakness of old age, of which he died. He leaves two sons—Mr. John Parker, whose butcher shop on Fort street, Victoria, is so well known, and Mr. T. Parker, of Metchosin. His daughters are Mrs. McCurdy, of Port Townsend; Mrs. Richardson, of the Douglas House; Mrs. H. Mansell and Mrs. Ure.

Call and enjoy a cool drink of Lager at the Central Hotel. *

The Vancouver Furniture Warehouse.

John Hilbert, proprietor of the Vancouver Furniture Warehouse, independent of having one of the largest and most varied assortments of furniture and general house fittings in the Province, is known as one of Nanaimo's smartest business men and as having assisted materially to push Nanaimo ahead to the present position she holds. Very few enterprises have been started in this city without having the name of John Hilbert associated with them, and such course will, we hope be adopted by most of our citizens who have the welfare of the Diamond City at heart. Anyone desiring to furnish a house, or any portion of one, can be sure of finding a large assortment of furniture of the newest and latest patterns at the Vancouver Furniture Warehouse.

Picnic.

The Mayor, with his wife, family and a few friends went for a picnic to Newcastle Island yesterday and spent a very enjoyable time. The Mayor officiated with his usual urbanity on several cases in Court during the afternoon and then "threw dull care to the dogs" for a few hours.

Fire on the Summit.

The bush fires that have been so prevalent in the vicinity of Nanaimo have at last spread as far as the hoary peak of Mount Benson. Several persons wer2 attracted last night by the flickering glare at the summit of Nanaimo's guardian angel.

Go to the "Box" for cheap suits. *

Bringing Things to a Close.

The beginning of the end. The public will bear in mind that if they want to make their purchases of dry goods at cost price, they will have to be quick, as Mr. Bullock is negotiating for the sale of his valuable business. jy13-tf

DR. A. C. WEST, DENTIST.

Of Victoria, will be in Nanaimo on the 10th of each month and remain three days. Office Private Parlor, Central Hotel. jy10-1m

A WARNING.

The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the Throat and Lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs producing Consumption and to the head, causing Catarrh. Now all is dangerous, and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose life. As soon as you feel that something wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nostrils obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup it will give you immediate relief.

Blakeway & Co. have the most complete stock of toilet requisites on the Island. jy21-1m

John Weiland's Extra PaleLager Beer on draught and ice-cold at the Central Hotel.

NOTICE

We hereby give notice that at the next sitting of the License Commissioners of the City of Nanaimo we will apply for a license to sell wines, spirits and other fermented liquors by retail, at the premises situated on lot 15, block 10, Haliburton street, in the City of Nanaimo, and to be known as the Balmoral Hotel.

J. HOUGH,
THOS. WALL.

CAPTURED IN BEHRING'S SEA.

The Sealing Schooner Black Diamond Seized by the Revenue Schooner Rush.

(From Tuesday's Colonist.)

Sunday evening considerable excitement was caused in the city, more especially in commercial circles, when it became known that the sealing schooner Triumph had arrived in the harbor bringing with her the news of the capture of the schooner Black Diamond and her own narrow escape from the same fate. The particulars of the case are as follows:—

At about six o'clock on the evening of the 11th of July a steamer was sighted from the deck of the Triumph and Capt. McLean at once concluded that the vessel was a United States cutter, either the Bear or the Rush. The exact locality of his schooner at the time, Capt. McLean did not know, but, as nearly as he could judge he was a 106 miles to the westward of St. George's Islands in Behring Sea. The steamer followed in his wake for two hours and at dusk came alongside and ordered him to heave to. He at once obeyed the order and a boats crew with the chief officer of the Rush (Mr. Tuttle) boarded her. The captain stood at the gangway and asked the officer his reasons for boarding the schooner. The answer was the production of written orders authorizing "the capture of any vessels illegally sealing in Behring Sea." He then asked to be allowed to search the ship and and on permission being accorded him he spent over half an hour with his men in overhauling the vessel. No find rewarded his search, however, the whole of the skins aboard having been dexterously hidden in time to avoid detection. When the search was concluded the officer turned to Capt. McLean, and after expressing his pleasure at not being under necessity to seize his vessel informed him that a few hours before the Rush had come up with and boarded the schooner Black Diamond. He had found aboard her 104 seal skins, and on discovering these had put the second officer in charge and dispatched the captured sealer to Sitka. He also stated that it was the intention of his commander to capture every vessel illegally sealing in Behring's Sea and send them to American ports in charge of American officers.

He then ordered his crew to return to the Rush, and as soon as they were aboard the steamer headed full speed away to the west.

At the time of boarding the Triumph had aboard her about three hundred skins.

The Black Diamond is owned by Messrs. Guttman & Frank, of this city.

[Yesterday morning when the facts of the case became generally known, Captain Cox, Mr. H. Saunders and Mr. W. Munsie formed themselves into a deputation and decided to leave for Esquimalt immediately, and interview the captain of the Champion on the subject. Commander Sinclair received the deputation very courteously, and on learning the object of their visit ordered his secretary to take down all the statements made. The facts of the case were then put before him, and the visitors protested against the menace to the sealing industry by the acts of the United States revenue cutter. It was represented that out of fifty-five sealing schooners that have entered Behring Sea this season twenty-four belong to Victoria, and that if the acts of the American Government were not speedily put a stop to, the seal-industry of Victoria would be ruined. All the members of the deputation signed the statement, and Commander Sinclair told them that although he could do nothing himself he would lay everything before the Admiral as soon as he joined the fleet. He further advised them to collect all other available information on the subject and despatch it to Admiral Heneage by the ss. Sardonyx, which sails on Thursday next for Port Simpson.

On arrival in the city the deputation was joined by Mr. Richard Hall and Captain Grant. Senator McDonald, of Toronto was then interviewed at the Driard and at once threw himself into the subject, going with the deputation to Mr. E. Crow Baker, M. P., and the Hon. Mr. Robson, Provincial Secretary. A telegram containing the whole of the facts was despatched to the Hon. the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, at Ottawa, by Senator Macdonald, and it is expected that an answer will be received in time for it to be despatched to the Admiral by the Sardonyx,

Hon. Mr. Robson also despatched a separate telegram to the Minister of Marine on the same subject.

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For further particulars apply to PATRICK DOLAN, Cedar District.

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NOTICE.

ALL persons are warned that Samuel Greer has no right or title to any portion of

LOT 526, GROUP 1,

New Westminster District, and any sales purporting to be made by him of any portion of the said lot, will be void.

DONALD A. SMITH.

For
R. B. ANGUS.
J. M. BROWNING.
Commissioner.

Vancouver, July 25, 1889. jy 30 1m

NOTICE

Nanaimo Building Society.

A general meeting of members of the above society will be held in the

FIRE HALL
—ON—
Monday Next, the 5th August,

At 8 p. m., for the purpose of electing a Treasurer and Auditor.

By Order.

JOHN RUDD,
jy 30 1w Secretary.

TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.

THE date of re-opening the Public Schools next term has been changed from August 5th, 1889, to August 12th, 1889.

S. D. POPE,
Superintendent of Education.
Education Office.
July 17th, 1889. 2w

The Steamer
R. DUNSMUIR

Leaves Vancouver for Nanaimo on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 2:15 p.m., on the arrival of the Eastern mails.

Leaves New Westminster for Nanaimo Mondays and Wednesdays at 7 a.m.

Returning,

Leaves Nanaimo for Vancouver Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.
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All quartz for assaying left with W. C Hallack, Nanaimo, will be promptly forwarded to Dr. Bredemeyer.

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Commercial St., Nanaimo, B.C.

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FINE GOLD WEDDING RINGS,
&c., on hand.

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received until Monday 29th inst., for the erection of a four story frame building. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of

A. HASLEM,
Secretary B. C. Tanning Co.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

To School Teachers.

Applications will be recieved up to August 2nd next, for the position of First-Assistant in the Nanaimo Boys' School.

By Order.
GEORGE THOMSON,
Secretary.
July 23rd, 1889. jy 24-tf

Teacher Wanted,

A teacher is wanted for the North Gabriola School—female preferred. Salary, $50 per month. Apply to JAMES MCLAY, Secretary of the Board of Trustees, P. O. address, Nanaimo, B. C.

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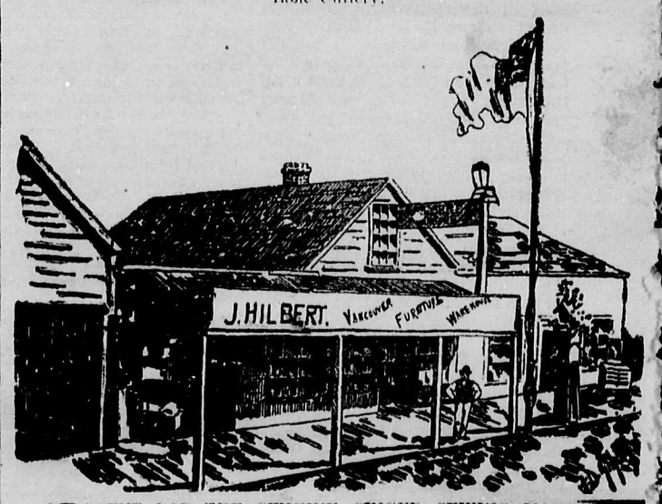

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