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OUR SPRING STOCK OF

Men's, Boys' & Youths' Clothing is now Complete

OUR DISPLAY OF FURNISHING GOODS IS UNSURPASSED.
FELT AND STRAW HATS of the latest styles direct from Europe.
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5c., "20 yds for $1," Seersuckers,

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With which the windows are flowing over, at

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GREAT SALE OF

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TO BE CLEARED OUT REGARDLESS OF COST.

Sale to Commence on Saturday, 13th April.

FAIL NOT TO NEGLECT AN OPPORTUNITY SUCH AS THIS.

ARTHUR BULLOCK'S Crescent Store

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Two Million Bricks

BY THE

PIONEER STEAM BRICK YARD.

COUGHLAN & MASON Proprietors. VICTORIA, B. C.
Post Office Box 110.

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BASTION STREET & GORDON'S WHARF,

NANAIMO.

A FULL LINE OF

Finest Groceries and Fresh Provisions

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Ships Disbursed and Supplies Furnished

FAMILIES AND SHIPPING SUPPLIED. GOODS DELIVERED TO ALL PARTS OF CITY AND VICINITY.

AGENT FOR PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY
AGENT FOR THE EAST COAST STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

OPPENHEIMER BROS.,

PIONEER

Wholesale Grocery House,

100 and 102 Powell Street, Vancouver, B. C.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 30 days after date we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease, for lumbering purposes, of the following described tracts of land in the Alberni District, Vancouver Island, British Columbia :

Commencing at a stake on south shore of Central Lake, marked (T. W. Patterson and M. H. Cowan) almost opposite first island, about five miles from lower end of lake; thence west 80 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east to the lake ; thence following the lake shore to the point of commencement.

Second claim commencing at a stake on same side of lake, northeast corner; thence east 40 chains; thence south 30 chains; thence west, 20 chains to the lake; thence following the lake to the point of commencement.

Third claim on same side of lake, commencing at a stake, thence south 20 chains; thence west 80 chains to the lake; thence north to the lake; thence following the lake to the point of commencement.

First claim on the north side of Central Lake, about three miles from head of lake, commencing at a stake; thence north 20 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south to the lake; thence following the lake to the point of commencement.

Second claim on north side of lake, on small creek, commencing at a stake; thence west 60 chains; thence south 10 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 120 chains: thence south to starting point; this claim back from the lake about a mile.

Third claim on north side of lake, commencing at a stake, east corner; thence north 10 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south to lake: thence following shore of lake to point of commencement.

Fourth claim on small lake, north side of Central Lake, commencing at a stake at foot of lake ; thence east 10 chains, thence north 240 chains, thence west 30 chains, thence south 240 chains, thence east to starting point.

Fifth claim north side Central Lake, commencing at a stake on lake, thence east 10 chains, thence north 80 chains along the mountain to meet claim on small lake, thence west 20 chains, thence south to the lake, thence following the lake to point of commencement.

Sixth claim north side of Central Lake, commencing at a stake south-east corner, thence east 60 chains, thence north 40 chains thence west 60 chains, thence south to the lake this claim is about five miles from lower end of lake.

First claim on Kieccoot Lake, commencing at a stake above what is known as the Big Island south side of Taylor river, commencing at stake northeast corner, thence south 60 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains thence north to the lake, thence following the lake to point of commencement.

Second claim Kieccoot Lake, commencing at a stake one mile from head of lake southwest corner, thence north 60 chains, thence east 240 chains thence south to the lake, thence following the lake to the point of commencement.

Claim on small lake west side of Alberni canal, commencing from stake at foot of lake. thence south 20 chains, thence west 240 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 240 chains, thence south to starting point.

T. W. Patterson,
M. H. Cowan.

Victoria, B. C., April 29th, 1889.
May 1, 1m.

LELAND HOUSE,

PROUT & INSLEY, Proprietors.

Strictly First-Class. Accommodation for 125 Guests.

Convenient to Railway Station and Steamship Dock.

CORNER OF HASTINGS & GRANVILLE STREETS, VANCOUVER, B. C.

F. W. COOK, C.E.,

CIVIL ENGINGEER AND SURVEYOR,

Surveys timber and other claims.

ADDRESS

COMOX, B. C.

Mar 30—tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, we intend making application to Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, situate on the West side of Alberni Canal, commencing at a post about three miles from the head of the canal; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains thence east to the canal; thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

T. W. PATTERSON,
M. H. COWAN.

Victoria, B. C.,
April 29th, 1889. 2m

NOTICE.

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.

JAS. G. FAIRBURN,

Boot & Shoemaker,

HAS REMOVED TO

BASTION STREET,

Next Hilbert's Furniture Warehouse.

☞ Repairing of all kinds promptly attended to.

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OUR CABLE LETTER.

It is Expected that the Final Act in the Soudan Drama will Soon

TAKE PLACE AND MAHDISM BE

A Thing of the Past—A Probability that the Unionists Will Join the Conservatives and the Third Party Cease to Exist.

London, May 4.—The Soudan drama seems to be entering on its fifth act, and it is possible that within a few days news may be received that the final catastrophe has taken place and Mahdism will be a thing of the past. The wide empire which the Mahdi built for himself out of the elements of discontent and oppression on one side and religious fanaticism with its transcendental gleams of hope on the other, has crumbled away, and his successor at present, Khalifa, sits at Omdurman with the south in insurrection behind him, the north languishing in scarcity of food, which drives its inhabitants daily over the frontier. Regiments of his, beaten armies, are returning directly from every point to which he has sent them. The circle of his enemies drawing daily closer about him and to complete the picture,a Khartoum in ruins under his eyes. The report, this week, that Senoussi's Lieutenant had captured Khartoum and that Khalifa had fled in the direction of Bahr-el-Gazel caused considerable uneasiness among the friends of Emin Pasha and Henry M. Stanley. In an interview with Seebehr Pasha he says he has positive information that Rubba Old, an agent of his, three months ago withdrew his influence to the district west and south of Bahr-El Gazelle, making Kuta his principal centre and getting the frontier on the southern limits of Darfour. Seebehr is of the opinion that he is now friendly to the Emin and certainly opposed to the Mahdi. Seebhr believes him to have now at his disposal a force of between forty and sixty thousand men. Emin he thinks is doing well, and believes that in a few days a message directly from Sanley will be received by the northern route which Seebhr declared to be, in spite of difficulties, the most practicable. Riaz Pasha declares that the Fenouss movement is in favor of order and civilization and well disposed towards the Egyptian government.

A GOVERNMENT SPLIT.

Notwithstanding all that has been said by the Tory newspapers about holding on till the end of the full legal lifetime of the parliament, there can be no doubt that many of the supporters of the Government begin to see difficulties in the way of any such heroic csurse. The split between Conservatives and Unionists in Birmingham has not by any means been mended by Chamberlain's explanations. There are strong Unionists in the House who now state that it was the beginning of a general split which is having a tendency to go on steadily widening under the present regime, and they believe that a fresh and bold departure will be necessary before long to save the cause of the Union. The nature of of this departure is beyond a doubt. It means that the "third party" would cease to exist, that the great body of Unionists would join the Conservatives, and that the newly formed party would appeal to the country with a broad and comprehensive scheme of Irish Policy conceding almost everything except Home Rule. It is unquestionably a fact that there are Unionists in the House who could not reconcile themselves to falling generally into line with the Conservative Government, who yet see as clearly as any Gladstonian, that the scheme of the three parties is repugnant to English sentiment and cannot last, and are prepared, therefore, to face the necessity of standing outside till the general election. It is perfectly safe to prophecy that whatever else may happen at the dissolution the country will have only two parties before it.

INDIAN CORN QUESTION.

On Wednesday next a conference will he held at the India Office of representatives of various commercial chambers and associations interested in the corn trade and leading shippers at the ports of London, Liverpool, Glasgow and Cork, to consider measures to be taken for diminishing the percentage of impurities in the Indian wheat exported to Great Britain. Of 700 leading millers who were communicated with on the subject by the India Office, 348 state they are partially prevented from using Indian wheats in consequence of its impurities. Large numbers would use a much larger quantity if they could obtain it in a clean state and many express their warm approval of a form of contract limiting the admixture to two per cent. Among the papers to be presented to the conference will be a selection of extracts from the more important general remarks made by millers, including firms in Liverpool, Manchester and other northern towns.

SLANDERING THE KING'S MAJESTY.

Several leading German lawyers expressed an opinion to-day that the German Government will fail to secure a conviction of the Editor of the *Volks Zeitung* on a charge of slandering the King's Majesty. The evidence on which the Editor is to be prosecuted is the article of March 9th, in which the Emperor William I. was pulled off his heroic pedestal and somewhat roughly handled. It so happens that it is quite lawful to say hard things of a dead king or emperor, abuse does not hurt him. If it injures anyone it is probably the person who has recourse to it. In any case it does not constitute libel or slander on the king. The German prosecutors, however, have discovered a means of bringing the wicked Editor to book. Evidence is to brought that William II. is the spiritual successor of William I. and that he shares his grandfather's views and approves his measures. The public prosecutor will therefore ask that the Editor be found guilty and sent to prison. It is hardly credible that such a travesty of justice should take place, but it is significant that intelligent observers in Germany expect the lawyers to proceed in the way indicated. There is, ndeed, a precedent for the argument to be found, not in law reports, but in the ancient story of the wolf and lamb. The views of the wolf bore a striking resemblance to those attributed to the Crown lawyers at Berlin.

WILL DEMAND HIGHER WAGES.

Much uneasiness prevails in Germany in consequence of the anticipated strikes on a large scale and in various industries. It is expected that demands for higher wages and reduced working hours will shortly be made, and that these will not be conceded without more or less conflict. Trade unions in the English sense have not yet gained a foothold in Germany, but combinations amongst working people are now being rapidly established there. Employes in iron and steel manufacturing works and cotton spinning mills have already formed strong combinations and it is announced these lines of business, owing to the profitable state of their trade will concede any moderate claims rather than run the risk of strikes, as it is generally admitted that the working people are poorly paid and work long hours. A compromise is hardly possible, especially as the views of employes and employers are widely divergent. Already demands for higher wages and shortening of the working day by one hour have been put forwarded in various places so widely apart that it leaves little doubt that a general strike is sooner or later invitable

SHE DID NOT DO IT.

M. Ritichs Chief of the Servian regency, denies the recent report published in the London *Standard*, that ex-King Milan had been mesmerized by Madame Christichs, and abdicated under mesmeric influence. The only part of the story that is plausible is that Milan was very much influenced by Madame Christichs. But this required no peculiar hypothesis to explain it. M. Ristichs further said: "In 1885 Milan allowed himself to be led into war against Bulgaria. It was a wicked, aimless, useless war, and it was fought by the Servians as such wars are generally fought. Milan was never at the right place and never in time. When after the failure of his first attempt to rush the frontier, it became evident that the Servian army must retire to escape disaster, Milan was the first to retire. From that moment his life has not been worth living. His wife despised him, not without reason, and was imprudent enough to let the whole world, including the King himself, know what her sentiments were. A weak character and a pleasure seeker, Milan felt himself unequal to work the kingship, and there is nothing remarkable in his having given it up.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

BELGIANS WON'T GO.

Brussels, May 4.—The Belgian ambassador, A. Paris, will not attend opening of exhibition.

THE DANMARK'S PASSENGERS.

London, May 4.—The Hamburg line steamer Wieland, Captain Barend, sailed from the Azores on April 27th for New York, with the passengers of the lost Danmark, who were left there by the steamer Missouri.

GERMANY DENIES.

Berlin, May 4.—The White Book on Samoan affairs contains a refutation by Dr. Knappe, late German consul to Samoa, of reports published in American newspapers regarding the violation of American property during the German naval prepations in that country.

HAD NO POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE.

Rome, May 4.—In reply to the inquiry in the Chamber of Deputies to-day, regarding the announcement that Count Menalrea, the Italian ambassabor to France, would not attend the opening exercises of the Paris Exposition, Signor Crispi, premier, stated that the foreign ambassador had been officially invited to participate in the opening, therefore his absence had no political significance.

TENANT AND LANDLORD.

Dublin, May 4.—Charles Russell, Arbitrator, in the diputes between the tenants and landlord on the Vandeleur estate, has decided that the tenants shall pay two years rent up to March 1887.

NATIONALISTS RELEASED.

Dublin, May 4.—Orders were issued to the prison authorities for the release from jail of William O'Brien and Timothy Harrington.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE EXPOSITION.

Paris, May 4.—Royalists, senators and deputies announced they will attend the Versailles' fetes on Sunday. As a matter of fact it may almost be said that no invitations have been issued to the ceremonies attending the opening of the Exposition. Very few distinguished notables in Paris, and only two representatives from each Foreign Legation will be asked to receive President Carnot in the main vestibule. All Charges D'Affaires except the Russian representative, will attend the inaugural ceremonies.

THE BRAZILIAN PARLIAMENT.

Rio Janiero, May 4.—The Brazilian Parliament was opened by the Emperor to-day. In his speech he congratulated the parliament on the good relations existing between Brazil and other nations, and he stated the finances of the country were in a satisfactory condition.

CANADIAN NEWS.

O'CONNOR'S BACKER PUTS UP.

Toronto, Ont., May 4.—In an interview to-day Joseph Rogers, O'Connor's backer, said:—"We have no reliable information that Searle, champion oarsman of the world, has deposited a forfeit to row O'Connor, American champion, for the championship of the world on the Thames, England; but to show our sincerity we have this day deposited $500 with H. J. P. Good, Sporting Editor of the *Empire*, Toronto, to be forwarded to the London *Sportsman* as a guarantee of our good faith."

NEW STEAMSHIP.

Owen Sound, Ont., May 4.—The new steel steamship Manitoba, being constructed here for the Canadian Pacific, was launched to-day, and will be ready to sail in six weeks. She is the finest steel steamer ever built in Canada, and is the largest steamship afloat in fresh water.

COAL KILLED HIM.

San Francisco, May 4.—Dennis Divine, a middle aged longshoreman, was instantly killed to-day by being struck on the head by a huge piece of coal.

UNITED STATES NEWS

Furious Forest Fires Rage Fiercely in the Pine Regions of Wis-

CONSIN—THE SOURCE THE MIS-

Sissippi is not in Lake Itasca—A Delegation of Forty American Workmen to Visit the Paris Exposition.

WORKMEN FOR THE EXPOSITION.

Detroit, Michigan, May 4.—The Detroit *Evening News* and associate papers of Scripps League, Cleveland press, Cincinnati *Post* and St. Louis *Chronicle*, have decided to send at their joint expense, a delegation of forty American workmen to the Paris exposition, to return the visit of the French workingmen's delegation to the Centennial exposition. The men will be nominated by the leading labor organizations and from these will be chosen at least forty representatives; men and possibly some women will be selected with regard to their perfect knowledge of their respective trades, their sobriety, reliability and their capacity for observation, and their ability to convey to their fellow-workmen in plain but clear and exact English a fair conception of what they have seen and studied in Paris and throughout Europe. The delegates selected will be assembled at some point of rendezvous to receive instructions and then will depart for New York in palace cars where they will take first-class passage for Europe. When they arrive in England they will first visit the leading industrial centres of that country, including London, Birmingham and Sheffield, and then cross the Channel to France. They will remain at least two weeks in Paris studying the exposition, each delegate making a special study of his own trade and exhibits. They will next visit the great manufacturing establishments in the neighborhood of Paris and afterwards take a flying trip to Lyons and possibly some other great industrial city. From each point of interest,and especially from Paris, each delegate will write a carefully prepared report of his observations in his own special trade.

DANGEROUS FOREST FIRES.

Wausau, Wis., May 4.—The very dry weather experienced here for a week past started the forest on fire again. Huge volumes of smoke can be seen rising in all directions. Much damage will result if rain does not come soon. The Wisconsin river is very low and hopes of getting logs to the mills is given up.

THE HEAD OF THE MISSISSIPPI.

St. Paul, Minn., May 4.—The party sent by the Minnesota Historical Society to discover the source of the Mississippi River returned yesterday. They report having discovered two lakes 110 feet above Lake Itaska and seven miles distant to which they traced the head of the river.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

ALL ABOUT A WOMAN.

Auburn,Cal., May 4.—About midnight last night an ex-convict named Brown was shot and fatally wounded by William Clarke, a hard character. The shooting took place outside of a dance hall and resulted from a quarrel over a woman.

A DOUBLE ELOPEMENT.

Oakland, Cala., May 4.—There was a double elopement from here on Wednesday. Harry J. Maxwell, a grocery clerk, and Grace Athern. Harry W. Pulcifer and Florence Nightingale left for Martinez that day and the same evening were married there. The two girls were formerly type writers in the office where Pulcificer was clerk. Both boys are barely of age and the young ladies are 18 and 20 respectively.

A LUCKY KINDERGARTEM.

San Francisco, May 4.—Mrs. C. P. Huntington, wife of the vice-President of the Southern Pacific Railway Company, to-day presented the Golden Gate Kindergarten with a thousand dollars.

THREATENED TO LYNCH THEM.

Woodland, Cala., May 4.—William Wohlfrom and Daniel Bemmerly, who are charged with the murder of Matthew Tiegle, were held to answer before the Superior Court to-day without bail. Some very damaging evidence has been introduced against the men. The German citizens throughout the country are highly excited over the affair and had made threats that if they were given bail they would save the country any further trouble by hanging them.

San Francisco, May 4.—The committee appointed by the California Canned Goods Association to present a petition to the transcontinental association, for a reduction in freight rates, have selected J. K. Armsby, of Chicago, a member of the association, to proceed to the transcontinental's meeting at St. Louis, and represent the fruit interests of this State at that meeting, asking for the desired reduction in rates on the California products.

Disposal of Stock.—The last few days have witnessed the purchasing of a large amount of dry goods, millinery and mens furnishings from the cost price sale at Arthur Bullock's. We always contend that in small towns it is impossible to humbug the public as to prices, as they are well aware when an article is offered much below its value, and hence the reason of the crowd of customers to be seen at Bullock's at all hours of the day. So don't fail to avoid yourseIs of the opportunity.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Dr. A. C. West, Dentist of Victoria, will return to Nanaimo, between the 10th and 15th instant, of which due notice will be given. There after the Doctor will make regular visits to this city. See future advertisement.

"Peg Top" Cigars Four for a Quarter at the Little Wonder Cigar Store. J. H. Hilbert. *

AROUND TOWN.

Rowing, I notice, in my walks around town is receiving fresh devotes each day. The two boathouses in Commercial Inlet are well patronized, the owners are courteous and obliging, the boats are well built, neat and convenient, and each afternoon the harbor is dotted with craft of all description from outriggers to sailing boats. How gingerly some of our would-be rowing athletes handle the oars of the outriggers, how steadily they pull, evidently not knowing what moment they may in their awkwardness and inexperience, capsize the frail craft, and receive a ducking. I noticed a stout man and a slender one each in one of these shells yesterday afternoon. The stout man handled his oars very carefully, and I mentally concluded that he would be more at home on *terra firma* than on the vasty deep. It is a pleasant and healthy exercise, however, and will develop more blisters on tender hands than any other that I know of.

From the numbers of that species of mankind known in our vocabulary as the "drummer" who have been in Nanaimo the past week. I should say that either business must be good among our merchants, or that there were a lot of disappointed "knights of the grip," wandering aimlessly about. Speaking of "drummers" I want to say that there are many kinds of that article. First there is the spruce, chipper young fellow, who uses his cuff for a collar and who wears a $2 diamond in his immaculate shirt front, and who thinks that he has only to approach the merchant, show his samples and, lo, the order is obtained. This kind sometimes gets "left," but as the years go by and he attains some worldly experience, he becomes somewhat subdued, the angular portions of his anatomy become rounded, and he takes things more coolly.

Then there is the fat drummer, with a fund of anecdotes, always on hand—a fresh one for each customer, and I have noticed that this kind sometimes can get blood out of a turnip—to wit, succeed where every other man would fail in getting an order. There is the lean cadaverous drummer who looks when he enters a business house, as though he would there and then shuffle off this mortal coil. He has a hungry look which sometimes begets sympathy and perhaps helps him in his business. Space will not allow me to dwell at length upon other kinds that are met with. Some are fresh, and some are dry, some talk too much with their mouths, and some talk only when it is necessary, some are grave and some are gay, some are witty, some are not; but taken altogether they are a jolly set of fellows, who jog along together, half the time on foot and the other half walking. The "drummer," as we know him, is a product of the last quarter of a century.

M. Dash.

SHIPPING NEWS.

V. C. C.

The steamer Southern California arrived last night from San Pedro. She will load coal for that place.

The ship Robert L. Belknap is discharging ballast preparatory to loading coal for San Francisco.

WELLINGTON.

The ship Kennebec will probably leave for San Francisco to-day.

EAST WELLINGTON.

The ship Gen. Fairchild has finished loading coal for San Francisco.

The bark Bundaleer will load coal for San Francisco.

The steamer Empire is on her way to Nanaimo. She will load East Wellington coal for San Francisco.

The bark Oregon cleared from San Francisco yesterday for Nanaimo.

PERSONAL.

F. C. Gamble, C. E., and Rev. J. Roberts were passengers to Victoria by yesterday morning's train.

A. Smith was a passenger by the same train.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Sabiston arrived by the noon train yesterday.

Alderman Abrams returned home by the same train.

Charles Yorke, of North Cedar, was in town yesterday.

George McGregor, of Cedar District, also visited the city yesterday.

H. K. Prior, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the E. and N. R., and G. R. Keeler, General Passenger Agent of the C.P.R. at Portland, were in town yesterday.

Ald. Coughlan, of Victoria, is in the city.

Chas. F. Finch, representing Calder & Co., Hamilton, is in town.

SPORTING NOTES.

A SIX DAY GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE.

New York, May 3.—Another six day go-as-you-please pedestrian contest begins to-night at Madison Square garden, under the management of Billy O'Brien, John L. Sullivan has been invited to start the pedestrians, and if the champion does not accept, Dominick McCaffrey will be on hand to do it. The veteran pedestrian Dan O'Leary is in town, and entered in the race. The other prominent competitors are Dan Herty, George Noreman, Peter Hengelman, Sam Day and Lepper Hughes.

The following speaks for itself:

Wellington, May 3, 1889.

A challenge is hereby given to the Nanaimo boys for a match game of baseball to come off on the afternoon of the 24th.

J. Farrell,
Captain Wellington B. B. Club.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Mayor Bate, J. P., and D. Smith, J. P.)

Wm. Hutchinson, charged with being drunk on the Nanaimo Indian Reserve on the 2nd instant, was remanded till Tuesday, 7th instant.

Samuel Shraw, charged with having a bottle of gin in his possession on the Indian Reserve on the 3rd instant. Fined $50, or in default one month's imprisonment, also cost $3, or 7 days additional imprisonment.

The first of the season Riverside oranges, navel oranges and new cabbages can be obtained at George Cavalsky's. *

THE :: NANAIMO :: COURIER

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 1889.

Mr. James O'Neil is authorized on behalf of the Nanaimo COURIER to canvass for subscriptions, advertising, receive payments and give receipts for the same in the city of Victoria.

MR. JOHN CURRIE is authorized on behalf of the Nanaimo COURIER to canvass for subscriptions, receive payments and give receipts for the same in Wellington.

FAITH IN ONE'S COUNTRY.

IT has often been charged against Canadians—and when we say Canadians, it will include British Columbians as well—that they do not exhibit the same push, pluck and enterprise as do their cousins across the border. Numberless are the proofs quoted to prove the truth of their assertions. The development and growth of States, the rise and progress of cities, the vast improvements in arts and manufactories, the excellence of the mechanical skill and numerous other examples are pointed to as evidencing the fact that that people are far superior to us in as many different ways. The comparison however, is scarcely a fair one. It must be borne in mind that the United States is a much older nation than Canada. It had reached full-fledged manhood, while, this country was still in its infancy. The Eastern States, were strong and vigorous at the time of the Revolution, while Eastern Canada was as yet a wilderness. They have prospered0 wonderful indeed, has been the advancement and the men and their descendants, whose efforts made the Eastern States, bring forth and bud, have been largely instrumental in opening up the republic across the wild wastes to the Rockies and on to the Pacific Coast. These same men were indomitable, persevering and knowing no such word as fail, and having a firm faith in the future of their country, they made it what it is. Why then is it, that we are taunted with being slow and sleepy. Are we not of the same race? We are told by our relatives from across the border, that we have a fine country, our cities are beautiful; our resources are grand, but then they invariably end with the same old phrase, which we have heard for years, that Canadians are not enterprising; that they are too Conservative; that there is not enough of the speculative instinct inherent in them; that they are too cautious and have not been long enough removed from John Bull to forget their native stolidity—in short, before investing one dollar we want to see two in sight. There may be some truth in these statements, and, perhaps, it would be well enough to examine them. It will be conceded by all who have visited cities of the United States—we need only go across the Sound—that there is a life, a vim, and an enterprise which *is* lacking in cities in our own province. There is no use denying the fact, and we do not have far to go to find the reason. It is obvious. There men invest their money in their own towns; they inaugurate needed improvements; they place their cities in a position where they can invite and command trade, and if they have not natural facilities sufficient to control the trade after securing it, they make them as the trade increases. It is in this way that cities and towns rise from small beginnings and eventually become marts of commerce and hives of industry. It is by action, by getting awakened, tearing away the accumulated moss and cobwebs of years, and getting a "move on," and determining to get to the front. If the citizens of a town sit down and fold their hands, content to crawl along at a snail's pace; if they say to themselves and to one another, "Oh, this town will never amount to much," it is pretty safe to say that it never will amount to much. Even if there is a portion of the people who are imbued with faith in the city any efforts they may make are necessarily handicapped by such pessimists. These are plain unvarnished facts. Then, there is another matter. When a city is non-progressive, and of course, without the enterprise it should have, the money made through business, and the capital accumulated by the operations of any business is, too often, taken from the town and invested in those places, which are growing rapidly and whose future, bids fair to make them great. It is of course every man's priviledge to invest the means at his command where and how he chooses, but it does strike us as unfortunate to say the least, that such a thing should have to be done. It is as plain as can be that investing money outside of the town where it is made is of precious little use to that burg. Neither will men, like these, try to build up a town; they have no interest in it and it affords them only a temporary anchorage ground, in which to gather together the shekels and enjoy the fruits of their labor elsewhere. They are not wholly to blame either. We believe in push in running the affairs of a town, in aggressiveness, in making ourselves heard and felt. Make the town such that people will feel disposed to stay in it; make their homes in it, and invest their money in it. Sink all selfishness, all petty jealousies and bickerings; unite to *make* the town, work with a will, support everything that is for, not only present but future benefit, and don't do it ungrudgingly, but heartily and fearlessly and the result will be assured. Nanaimo has a future and the sooner all of her citizens realize it, the sooner will begin the halcyon days of prosperity, and the winter of our discontent will vanish.

CROFTER IMMIGRATION.

Speaking on the subject of Crofter immigration to this country the Edinburgh *Scotsman* of a late date says, that in spite of the "persistent attempts which have long been made to discredit emigration among the Crofter population of the Highlands, it is being received with much greater favor, as is sufficiently proved by the scene witnessed at Stornoway recently, when 2,000 persons embarked for Canada. The emigrants who have already gone out have prospered in a marked degree, and this fact will have greater effect in influencing their friends than all the counsel of political agitators. That the Crofters are regarded as a most desirable class for settlement in the Northwest is proved by the strong efforts that are being made to make terms with them. Sir JOHN LISTER KAYE explained to some members of the House of Commons yesterday one of the most elaborate schemes yet devised for supplementing Government assistance, and securing the settlement of the Crofters on farms already cultivated and stocked. Some years ago the Canadian Pacific Railway Company established ten experimental farms at intervals along the line; these have now been acquired and developed by an independent company, which proposes on certain terms highly remunerative to itself to establish each Crofter family on a farm of 320 acres. For this farm, as a going concern, each family would have to reimburse the company £446, spread over a period of 32 years. This scheme is no doubt an attractive one, though it seems to be based on rather an ambitious scale for a class destitute of capital. One of the duties of the new Commission which it is proposed to appoint will no doubt be to inquire into the expediency of entering into any of the tempting proposals now being dangled before the crofters, and whether they do not involve obligations which will prove too onerous for fulfilment. It is in reference to the precise circumstances of the locations in the North West that inquiry is most necessary. There exists already in the reports of former Commissions more than sufficient evidence regarding the condition of the crofters and the necessity for emigration, and the appointment of another, if it is only to proceed on beaten paths, has an unpleasant look of shelving the question."

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GOING SOUTH. READ UP.

No. 1 Passenger. DAILY.	STATIONS.	No. 3 Passenger Saturday's and Sunday's	No. 5 Passenger Saturday's only.
			P. M.
2 r. 1.04	Victoria	Ar. 7.00	Ar. 8000
" 1.00	Russell's Victoria W.	" 6.56	
"12.50	Esquimalt	" 6.46	
"12.23 p.m.	Goldstream	" 6.21	
"11.28	Shawnigan Lake	" 5.26	
"11.16	Cobble Hill	" 5.16	
"10.59	McPherson's	" 5.01	
"10.47	Koksilah	" 4.51	
"10.42	Duncan's	" 4.46	
"10.32	Somenos	" 4.36	
"10.06	Chemainus	" 4.14	
De. 9.04	Nanaimo	Ar. 3.55 p.m.	De. 745
Ar. 8.55	Nanaimo	De. 3.16 p.m.	
De. 8.40 a.m.	Wellington	30.1.	

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.

No. 2 Passenger. DAILY.	STATIONS.	No. 4 Passenger Saturday's and Sunday's	No. 6 Passenger Saturday night only
			P. M.
De. 8.20 a.m.	Wellington	De. 3.32 p.m.	De. 10.30
" 8.24	Nanaimo	" 3.36	
" 8.34	Nanaimo	" 3.46	
" 9.10	Cheminus	" 4.11	
" 9.36	Somenos	" 5.06	
" 10.08	Duncan's	" 5.16	
" 10.25	Koksilah	" 5.31	
" 10.37	Cobble Hill	" 5.41	
" 10.42	Shawnigan Lake	" 5.46	
" 10.52	Esquimalt	" 5.56	
" 11.18	Victoria	" 6.18	
Ar. 12.20 p.m.	Victoria	" 7.16	Ar. 10.45
De. 12.29	Victoria	Ar. 7.31	
Ar. 12.44	Victoria		

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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1889.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria	Monday.....20th May
Nanaimo	Tuesday.....4th June

[On Mainland]

New Westminster	Wednesday.....1st May
Kamloops	Monday.....3rd June
Clinton	Monday.....10th June

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield	Monday.....9th September
Clinton	Wednesday.....25th September
Kamloops	Monday.....7th October
Lytton	Monday.....14th October
New Westminster	Wednesday.....13th November

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria	Monday.....25th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday.....3rd December

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Steamers for Hope and way ports leave New Westminster every Thursday: For Chilliwhack and way landings every Tuesday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

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The mines have now been in operation about twenty years. The salt is excavated in large masses by blasting with dynamite. It is so pure that it is prepared for the market, not by melting and refining, as in the English mines, but simply by grinding into the requisite grades of fineness. The native crystals detached by blasting are as clear and translucent as glass. Mr. Ely went down into the mine, and wandered through its far retreating corridors, whose pillars and lofty arches shone with a soft silvery radiance. When the lights of the torches struck into the darkness overhead, the domes flashed back such splendors of color that it seemed to Mr. Ely as if he had entered one of the caves underground where the Trolls have stored all the jewels of the world.

"This is all a surprise to me," said one of the visitors—a stout professor from some college in Indiana—as he stepped from the elevator into the upper air. "I actually did not know there was a mine of salt in the United States."

"And yet," said their guide, quickly, "you have no doubt used our salt on your table for years. We ship it to every large town in the north and west."

This little island of Petite Anse furnishes pepper as well as salt to our tables. Tobasco, or the distilled cayenne, dear to the hearts of gourmands and chefs, is manufactured here out of a wild pepper peculiar to Louisiana. Two or three fields produce enough of the cultivated pods to send their essence to all parts of this country and to Europe. It is one of the numberless minor industries which have sprung into life throughout the south since the war, and which hint at the strength and vitality of that long sterile soil.—Rebecca Harding Davis in Harper's Magazine.

A Mass of Ambergris.

The fact that a schooner, which had arrived at Gloucester, had picked up off Cape Sable a mass of ambergris, weighing 125 pounds, has started inquiry as to the nature and market value of the substance. Its use in Europe and the United States is entirely confined to perfumery, although it formerly occupied no inconsiderable place in medicine. In the east it is used in pharmacy and as a flavoring material in cookery. Its value is from $18 to $25 per ounce, according to quality. It is a solid, fatty, inflammable substance, of dull gray or blackish color, the shades being variegated like marble, and possessing a peculiar sweet, earthy odor.

This substance is formed in the intestines of the spermaceti whale, being morbidly secreted, and floats on the water. Vessels pick it up in the Atlantic ocean, on the coasts of Brazil and Madagascar, on the coast of Africa, East Indies, China, Japan, the Bahama Islands and sometimes on the North American coast. The largest lump ever heretofore found weighed 182 pounds. The whales in which it has been discovered were either dead or much wasted, and evidently in a sickly condition. But it is believed that ambergris, from the position in which it exists and its chemical constitution, is a biliary concretion analagous to what is found in other mammals.—Boston Transcript.

Superstition on the Stage.

"There is as much superstition among actors as there is among sailors," remarked a member of the profession to a reporter. "They are forever on the lookout for signs, and these are construed into all kinds of meanings. The placing of a chair on the stage in a peculiar position will be taken to mean something in connection with their success, while the action of a single individual in the audience will have a decided effect upon their future course.

"It is while rehearsing a new play that the greatest amount of superstition is indulged in with actors and managers.

"One of the most noticeable is the effect of the lines upon the members of the company. If a laugh or even a smile is provoked by the witticism of the author it is regarded as a bad omen for the success of the piece. If a pathetic passage causes a remark regarding its beauty, the conclusion is at once reached that the play will not be a 'go,' and when the effect is in the opposite direction their spirits rise and the belief is entertained that all will be well with the play. There are probably 100 other signs upon which actors hang the fate of themselves or the play to be produced."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Causes of Premature Death.

Most of those who die between 25 and 60, unless they die by accident, die by some indiscretion. It is the over indulgence of appetite, or the neglect of food when needed, or the overstrain of business, or exposure to changes of temperature without corresponding change of clothing. Most people of these ages are conscious of the error after it has been made, or others are conscious of it for them. Without undue captiousness we can note changed conditions, and adapt ourselves thereto. Multitudes die prematurely by reason of an indiscretion which might have been easily avoided. It is intelligent caution that saves sickness, and this caution ought to be in possession and exercise before middle life. It is so much easier to prevent serious sickness than it is to secure recovery from it. Hence it is that so many that are deficient in vigor in early life outlive the vigorous and the careless. Necessity compels them to study their changing conditions of health, and so teaches them the benefits of adaptiveness to conditions and circumstances. —Independent.

Not a Good Memory.

For some reason, I don't know why, people expect to hear sensational testimony whenever I'm put on the stand in a political case. But they don't hear it for a very good reason: I am so peculiarly constituted that in a political campaign I never remember a transaction in which I am concerned for twenty-four hours afterward. I never write letters, I always burn those I receive, and I don't make notes in a memorandum book or diary. --"Politician" in Globe-Democrat.

Advice to a Son.

"My son," said a careful and observant father, "live an honest life and you will preserve your self respect, though you may fail to win the respect of others. But if in an evil hour you should deviate from the path of rectitude, struggle to escape detection until you have salted down enough money to purchase justice. Don't make a mistake and take too little; justice comes high."—New York Tribune.

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TO LONDON BY RAIL.

AN ALL ROUND THE WORLD ROUTE WHICH IS PRACTICABLE.

Fourteen Thousand Miles of Track, One-half of Which Is Already Laid—The Russian Government Already Helping. Could Distance Jules Verne's Travelers.

It is quite probable that some of those who read this page will make an all rail journey from New York to London, or from London to New York! A recent writer has been carefully thinking out the whole scheme. How can this ever be when 3,000 miles of Atlantic ocean separate the two places? he asks.

England lies to the east of the United States, but to reach it by railway the traveler will start westward, and, riding day after day and night after night, until he reaches the opposite side of the globe, where west and east meet and separate, and then keeping on still westward, he will arrive at London, having well nigh traversed round the world.

This is no idle fancy. The scheme involves no ocean ferrying, no stupendous and impracticable bridge building. From the eastern shore of America to the western border of England there stretches continuous dry land, with the exception of the narrow and comparatively shallow straits of Behring, between America and Asia, that are a small obstacle; the narrow English channel, only twenty miles across, and the rivers which science already knows how to span.

The English end of the projected line, however, is of comparatively small importance. The real problem lies in spanning the tremendous distance that lies between the northwestern boundary of the United States and the eastern frontier of Europe.

THE PROPOSED ROUTE.

From New York to a little beyond the northwestern boundary of the United States continuous rail communication is already open by way of the Canadian Pacific railway, which will soon be supplemented by the completion of a connection between the Northern Pacific and the British American line.

Europe, from the Atlantic ocean to the Ural mountains, which separate it from Asia, is now crossed by the locomotive, its eastern border being reached by two great Russian railways, one terminating at Orenburg and the other at Ekaterinburg, which last lies nearly due east from Moscow and southeast from St. Petersburg. The vast Russian empire in Asia, stretching from the Ural mountains to the North Pacific, and far up almost to the Arctic circle at Behring straits, a distance of thousands of miles, has not as yet one solitary line of railway. It is across this prodigious stretch of country, much of it well peopled, but much, also, an unknown wilderness, locked a large part of the year in the embrace of the Arctic winter, that the trans-Asiatic line must penetrate.

But a great step in this direction has already been taken. The Russian government feels the necessity of railway communication across its Asiatic empire, and the czar has sanctioned a project for the gradual construction of a railway from the Ural mountains to the waters of the Pacific at Vladivostock, the extreme southeastern point of the Russian empire, lying about latitude 42, directly opposite the northern, most of the chief islands in Japan. When that great work is accomplished, central Asia will be brought into much nearer connection with America than now, as Vladivostock lies almost due west from Portland, Ore., and the distance between the two continents is much less than it is farther south.

But this will not do for our all rail route, which must be made by a line branching off from the great Russian Pacific railway at some point perhaps a thousand miles west of Vladivostock, and running northeasterly through Siberia to Behring straits.

The crossing of the Behring straits is declared by some experienced travelers to be entirely practicable. In the narrowest place they are said to be only ten miles wide, and while for a part of the year boats can easily cross, it is asserted that the straits are dotted with islands, by means of which, and intervening bridges, a continuous passage could be effected.

Alaska does not, it must be admitted, offer a very encouraging field for railway building, so far as either climate, topographical features or productions are concerned, but it interposes no obstacles which money and skill could not overcome.

THE DISTANCES.

The distances over which the railway would have to be built to carry out this great scheme are, in round numbers, about as follows:

	Miles.
United States boundary to Behring straits...	2,000
Behring straits to junction with Russian Pacific railway.....	2,000
Junction to European line at Ekaterinburg.	3,500
Total yet to be constructed.....	7,500

This looks like a tremendous length of line to build, and yet about an equal amount of railway mileage was probably built in the year 1888 in the United States alone, and in one recent year almost double that mileage was constructed.

Some of the distances by our great railway and its connections would be about as follows:

	Miles.
New York to Port Moody (British America).	3,500
Port Moody to Behring straits	2,000
Behring straits to Ural mountains.....	5,500
Ural mountains to London	3,000
Total New York to London, all rail.....14,000	

This would be a pretty long rail journey, but it would be short compared with many ocean voyages that are now made; in fact, it would be only about three and a half times as long as the journey from New York to San Diego, which is undertaken every day.

Allowing the moderate average of twenty-five miles an hour, the trip from New York to London would take about twenty-three days. Then the tourist might add a seven days' sail from Liverpool to New York, and thus accomplish a trip around the world in thirty days, which would beat Jules Verne's travelers out of sight.—New York Journal.

The Color Cure.

Colors have considerable influence on the the physical nature both of plants and animals. Sundry diseases grow better or worse according to the color of the apartments occupied by the patients. Violet, among others, is said to have a very beneficial effect on the health. Recent experiments made by a Swiss doctor have shown that lunatics may be treated by colors. The doctor placed one of his patients who was suffering from melancholia and refused to eat in a well lighted room papered with red; in three hours the man was quite lively and ate with avidity. Another time he locked a raving maniac in a blue chamber, who within a few hours became quite calm after all other methods had failed.—New York Telegram.

At the Museum.

Jones—See here, Smith, here is that old Egyptian mummy that I was speaking to you about. This gentleman probably hasn't opened his lips for ten thousand years. By the way, speaking of mummies, do you remember that passage in "Robert Elsmere"—

Mummy—For heaven's sake, give us a rest! --Burlington Free Press.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE GREAT RUSH.—Owing to the immense number of purchasers visiting MR. BULLOCK'S establishment on Saturday anxious to take advantage of his disposal of his stock at cost, he and his clerks were unable to attend to a great number of customers. He regrets that so many went away unserved, and if possible he would advise some of his friends to shop in the morning when they could be better waited upon. *

Smoke The News the best 5 cent Cigar in town. Only 5 cents at Geo. Cavalsky's. *

A CHINESE RESTAURANT.

THE EXPERIENCES OF A HUNGRY AND INQUISITIVE REPORTER.

No Oriental Luxuries in Sight—A Mysterious Compound Brought to the Table. Two Slices of "Pe-sick-re-aut-i."—A Pot of Delicious Tea.

In Mulberry street, near Canal, amid the noise, bustle and confusion of the busy merchants of the "Bend," there is a quiet and unpretentious dining room. It is presided over at all hours of the day and night by Wah Sing Foo, and the business is said to be a thriving one. Pictures of turtles, pigs, sharks and several kinds of hobgoblins are pasted on the windows and their virtues, as articles of diet, are set forth in choice spider scratches upon pieces of brown paper. The most attractive sign, however, reads as follows: "A good diner 8 cents."

This was sufficient to lure a reporter into the place recently. There were none of the Oriental luxuries in sight. On the walls were a few pictures of flowers, highly colored, and a certificate that Mr. Foo, or some of his friends, had attended a Sunday school. The tables were of pine and partially covered by a ragged material that looked like a cross between a dishcloth and a mop. Mr. Foo was engaged in leveling the sole of his shoe with a hatchet when the reporter entered, and, after glancing up quickly, went on with his work. The reporter dropped carelessly upon a stool and waited. How long the wait would have lasted will never be known. There was a sudden interruption. A pungent odor stole in from the back yard, where something was being cooled. It was too powerful for any nose save a highly cultivated one. The reporter tried to keep it back, but out it came —a double barreled sneeze—that set everything to jingling.

It struck Mr. Foo amidship. The hatchet fell on his foot and the shoe dropped into something which looked like a keg of molasses. There was blood in his eye and there might have been a tragedy, had not the innocent cause of all the commotion put on a hungry look and touched his sunken abdomen with his finger.

THE BEST IN THE HOUSE.

Mr. Foo smiled so that no one could tell whether he was weeping, wailing or gnashing his teeth as he said:

"Wing Foo ah alle go to kiting see bah."

"All right, Mr. Foo. I'll forgive you. Now just set up the best in the house, up to the eight cent limit, and all will be well."

Mr. Foo jumped away with the air of a man who did not understand a word that had been spoken. He kept out of sight for twenty minutes and then appeared with a large bowl of something steaming hot, which he set on the table and then took a seat close by. He began to whistle a peculiar call and the yellowish soup moved restlessly in the bowl. A spoon came with the stuff. It required some courage to take a mouthful, and it would take a team of horses and a derrick to get one up to the rack for a second trial. A mixture of lard, mustard, salt and bilge water may tempt a lagging appetite, but it is just a little surprising to the stomach of a man not thoroughly used to the customs of the Flowery Kingdom. Mr. Foo took the mysterious compound away and came back in a little while with a large platter and a couple of small dishes. There were two slices of some brown material on the platter. Mr. Foo admitted that it was "pe-sick-re-aut-i." There is no doubt that it was the genuine goods. It tasted so. One of the slices was filled with small fish bones, and the other was a dainty morsel which might have been taken, with a little imagination, to be a bit of fried mummy. There were also some beans, cabbage and rice. Mr. Foo evidently runs his place on the touch not and taste not plan. Well—it keeps one from being poisoned. A nibble here and there demonstrated that an ash can would be a safe place for Mr. Foo's "layout." It made it easy to understand why a young Chinaman wears wrinkles and appears like an old man while yet in his teens.

A SMALL POT OF TEA.

Mr. Foo removed the dishes. He wanted to bring some more of the menu, but the reporter indicated that he would prefer a drink of some kind. After a long delay Mr. Foo appeared with a tray bearing a small pot of tea and a cup that resembled a toy. The tea was a revelation. It was aromatic and the flavor delicious, and if there had not been a small family of Croton bugs found in the teapot, after the tea had been swallowed, it would have been thoroughly enjoyable. This ended the dinner.

"Well, Mr. Foo, how much do I owe you?" the reporter asked, simply as a matter of form.

The remark brought back Mr. Foo's cheerfulness, and he came near uncovering his spine with longitudinal extension of his smile. He showed for the first time that his English had not been entirely neglected. After a few marks with a brush, through the wreath of smiles came the words soft and low:

"Sixta-nine-a cen,"

"Sixty-nine cents! Go to, Mr. Foo. You are crazy! Why your sign out there says that you give a good dinner for eight cents. What do you mean by this extortion?"

"Ah! Excus-a-me. Eight cen for poor Chinaman. Melican man richee, no eatee like Chinaman. He eatee blenty soup, beef and good tings. Muchee eatee, muchee pay. Belly good. Sixty-nin-a cen cheapee. Chinaman losee money all time. Belly poor."

The bill was paid, and the visitor came away with the experience and conviction that Mr. Foo had mistaken his calling. He ought to double up with Hungry Joe and do the "hand shaking" act.—New York Tribune.

A Cure for Wakefulness.

Many a middle aged man who is in the habit of going to bed after eating a hearty meal is puzzled when he finds himself waking up in the small hours of the morning, day after day, and unable to get to sleep again. He knows that this wakefulness is unnatural, but it never occurs to him that it is due to his stomach. It took me several years, during which I lost months of sleep, to find this out, but now I know it. If the victim of insomnia whom I have described will rise from his bed when he wakes and drink a pint of water he will go to sleep again immediately, and will not wake again until his ordinary hour.—Maj. E. S. Foster in Globe-Democrat.

Apotheosis of Paper.

We knew it would come. The announcement has been made that a paper coffin has been invented and put upon the market. A man may now build his house of paper, eat his dinner from paper plates, wipe his face with a paper handkerchief, buy his wife a paper piano and go to his grave in a paper coffin. The coffin may be paid for with a piece of paper and the death published on another piece. There are few things more useful than paper.—Philadelphia Record.

The Smoked Herring Monopoly.

The island of Grand Manan is the home of cut and dried monopoly that would be hard to match. Grand Manan puts up annually more than 1,000,000 boxes of smoked herring, and controls the market.

Boston is the paradise of newspaper women.

The largest compressed air establishment in the world is at Paris. It has a plant with 5000-horse power. Begun in 1881 to distribute the power necessary for the driving of pneumatic clocks, it was not long before it was discovered that the air could profitably used for two other purposes—to distribute motive power to manufacturers by day and to produce electricity for lighting by night. The works, which are on the heights of Belleville, on the edge of the city, now occupy an area of 107,500 square feet, or two and a half acres, two fifths of which is covered with buildings.

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?

Uncle Rastus—Why, I guess, de boss am very much pleased with me. De fust time I came into de sto' I tuk down de sign "No trouble to show goods," and institooted in its place "No trouble to receipt bills," and I declar' de boss give me a plug o' tobacco.—Harper's Bazar.

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.

In His Own Coin.

Mr. Impecunious—Mary, I have brought you home a little book on "How to Cook."

Mrs. Impecunious (sarcastically)—Thanks, my dear, but what I need worse is a book on "What to Cook."—Burlington Free Press.

A Hopeless Hunt.

Benevolent Party (in Chicago)—You seem worried. Have you lost anything?

Stranger—My name is Tascott and I'm hunting for a detective.—Philadelphia Record.

An Unprecedented Occurrence.

"How's your cold this morning, Catchley?"

"Oh, my head's all filled up."

"How queerly you must feel."—Time.

Indisputable.

'Tis said love's blind and cannot see
Just where his darts to aim—
'Tis noticed, though, that spite of this
Love gets there just the same.
—Harper's Bazar.

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SUNDAY, MAY 5, 1889.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

County Court.

Before His Lordship Justice Gray.

The Court sat at 10:30 a.m. yesterday.

Jeffrey vs. Beveridge. This case was held over for judgment from Tuesday. The action was brought to recover balance of money claimed to be due for work done. Verdict for defendant without costs. E. M. Yarwood attorney-at-law for plaintiff, and R. Scoular, attorney-at-law for defendant.

Lee vs, Miles. The goods of the defendant were seized by the sheriff under an execution, and defendant now seeks to have the goods exempted from seizure according to the consolidated statutes, chap. 57, sec. 10.

A decision was rendered in favor of the defendant.

E. T. D. McElmen, barrister, for plaintiff, and E. M. Yarwood for defendant.

ON APPEAL.

Amahsil, an Indian, who was tried before J. P. Planta, S.M., on March 16th, for assault, and sentenced to 6 months' imprisonment with hard labor and a fine of $100, if fine not paid an additional 6 months' imprisonment, applied for a rehearing. The appeal will be heard some time this week.

SPEEDY TRIAL'S ACT.

(Before His Lordship Justice Gray.)

Wm. Jackson, on remand, charged with the larceny of $12 from one George Fishburn.

McIntosh Beveridge was called by the prisoner and asked to explain to the Judge, that it was customary among members of the Oddfellows Lodge to assist each other in a pecuniary way. Thought the prisoner met him on Commercial street late one Saturday night and demanded assistance in the name of the Brotherhood. Gave him what change I had in my pocket, only 50c. Know no more. I made a remark at the time of giving prisoner money that prisoner may remember. The prisoner did not remember it. Did not remember another man giving money the same night either.

T. O'Connell, called, said he had called at the various hotels in town and could find no one answering to the description of Mr. Nelson given by the prisoner. I saw the prisoner the same evening, he was discharged from jail and again on Monday. He was drunk lying under the Bastion street bridge. I got him up and put him in the wood shed at the Old Flag Inn. Did not want to lock him up.

By the Judge—What have you to say to the statement of the last witness who said you were lying around drunk at the time you said you went to Wellington to see the Oddfellows' Lodge there?

I am deeply sorry for getting the worse for drink and also for the manner I have acted.

Judge—I should think you were. I am acting now as the jury, and I must say I think you bear a very bad record. You have been treated with great kindness by the people of this town, and no doubt you would have received help and work. You received the hospitality of those young miners and how have you repaid it? You treated them with base ingratitude, and not only did them grievous wrong, but also wronged those who may be in real distress hereafter and seek assistance at the hands of those men. They may well say oh, no! Look at that rascal Jackson. We treated him well and he robbed us. You have been given a fair impartial hearing, and the sentence of the Court is that you be imprisoned for the space of 2 years. I have the right to sentence you to 7 years, but being a young man I will give you a chance to reform. You can shorten your term considerably by good conduct, and may in that case receive $20 and a suit of clothes to start the world afresh when leaving. Above all things, refrain from the use of strong liquors. The prisoner wept when being led out.

Our Jail.

Through the courtesy of Sheriff Drake a COURIER representative was allowed to visit the various departments of the jail yesterday and he was agreeably surprised to notice the extreme cleanliness that prevailed throughout that establishment. He was there just at closing up time for the night and was a witness of the care with which all the prisoners are examined even to their bedding, before being barred up till next morning. The prisoners are for the most part very cheerful, and carried on a continuous run of bandinage amongst themselves. One in double irons went so far as to dance a jig in the court yard and supplied his own music. Too great praise cannot be given to the officials for the manner in which they discharge their duties.

Coal Prospecting.

The Cumberland Coal Company of Springhill, Nova Scotia, has bonded a quanity of coal land on Queen Charlotte Island, and this morning a party of prospectors in charge of Mr. Alex. McGinnis, of Springhill, left on the steamer Maud for the North. On the property bonded there is already a 400 feet tunnel which was run by a former company. The Nova Scotia company will run the tunnel 400 feet further, and then sink a shaft. It is their intention to institute a thorough search for coal, and the party will probably be absent about a year or a year and a half. The coal found on these islands is said to be of a true anthracite quality.

The Visiting Knights.

Col. H. A. Bigelow and Sir Knights, T. R. Carpenter, H. M. Byrely, W. A. Synder, G. H. Enos, and H. F. Whiting, visiting Knights of Pythias of Seattle Lodge No. 1, Seattle, left by train this morning for Victoria. Upon aiming at the Captain, they will be taken in charge b ytheir Victoria brethren, and will be shown the beautiful sights for which Victoria is so justly famed.

Nicol Rock.

Work on Nicol Rock is progressing steadily under the superintendence of Ald. Nightingale, and large quantities of rock are being raised daily, the last blast put in having been very successful. Another blast will be fired on Wednesday or Thursday.

Weather on the Coast.

The steamer Southern California, Captain Rains, arrived last night, being eight days out from San Pedro, and reported strong northwest winds as far as San Francisco, and thence to Nanaimo calm with a slight breeze from the southwest.

Towing a Cow.

The steam launch belonging to the V. C. Company was used last night to tow a scow with two men and a cow on it to Newcastle Island. The animal seemed rather scared at her novel ride, but was, we hear, landed safely.

Marine Inspection.

The Government steamer Sir James Douglas, Capt. Glaholm, will leave tomorrow for Comox on an inspection tour. The Sir James Douglas is engaged in visiting the buoys and lighthouses along the coast.

Gabriola Island.

Boring operations for coal are still being prosecuted on this Island. A depth of 2000 feet has been reached, and it is stated the company will sink to the depth of 2500 feet.

Farming operations are in a forward state, and the different crops are looking well.

Educational matters are well looked after by Miss Cluness and Mr. Smith, both of whom are giving excellent satisfaction.

Dr. Preger's New Residence.

Seen from the water Dr. Preger's new residence presents quite an eye-catching appearance, standing as it does on a rock and so to speak isolated on the north side. This building will be very commodious and will add greatly to the general attractiveness of Front street. The Doctor will be able to construct a grotto without going far a field for the material.

Serenade Adjourned.

The Wellington band intended to take a trip to East Wellington last night to wake up that community with their music, but owing to the rain it is reported that the serenade was adjourned.

Junior Brass Band.

The Nanaimo Junior Brass Band was busy practicing last night. If practice makes perfect, and the old saw says it does, it will soon be in a great state of efficiency.

Laughable.

It is not often that a Courtroom audience is allowed the laughable sight of two legal lights rising simultaneously to plead their respective cases after the judge has rendered his decision.

Notice of Meeting.

The Nanaimo Rovers held a meeting last night, but owing to an insufficiency of attendance the meeting was adjourned till next Tuesday night, when a full attendance of members is requested.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Nanaimo Uniform Rank of the Knights of Pythias Instituted last Night.

—An Elegant Spread at the Palace Hotel.

Last evening in the Pythian Hall Col. H. A. Bigelow, of Seattle, assisted by Sir Knights H F Whitney, T R Carpenter, W A Snyder, and H M Byerly also of that city instituted, Nanaimo Uniform Rank of the Knights of Pythias. The following knights were duly invested as Sir Knights of the U R K P:—A A Richardson, Captain; Harry E James, 1st Lieutenant; D Moffat, Sir Kt Herald; Geo Cavalsky, Sir Kt Recorder; J. Hilbert, Sir Kt Treas; W Keddy, Sir Kt Guard; R Evans, Sir Kt Sentinel; J Cohen, J H Hilbert, Geo Davis, I. Emblen, E Devlin, J. Harley, J McDonald, A Anderson, J Bowden, F Prime, James Atteis, Jas Riley, C Fiddick, J Nelson, Thos. Powell, W J Bone, W Nash, J Crossan, J Gordon and J Bigney.

After the institution ceremonies, and election of officers the Sir Knights and their visiting brethren to the number of forty, repaired to the Palace Hotel, where mine host Morrell had prepared an elegant spread for the Nanaimo Knights and their visiting brethren. Sir Knight Capt Richardson occupied the chair, and Sir Knight Lieut. James the vice chair. After full justice had been done to the repast Captain Richardson in a neat speech welcomed the visiting Knights to Nanaimo, and congratulated them upon the success achieved in establishing the Uniform Rank in Nanaimo. They had started with a membership of twenty-seven, and he felt assured that the new U. R. would be a credit to Nanaimo Knights as well as to all Pythians. He proposed the prosperity of the Uniform Rank, coupled with the names of the visiting Knights. He would like to hear from them as to what they thought of this country.

Col. Bigelow responded. He was always willing and ready to speak in behalf of the Knights of Pythias, and to swear by them as well. The material in this new Division spoke for itself. He complimented Capt. Richardson, and knew that he would make an excellent commander. In conclusion, he wished them every prosperity.

Sir Kt. H. James also replied to the toast in a few words.

Sir Kt. H. F. Whitney said he had enjoyed himself too much. He felt like a Fourth of July celebration. He liked the country and wouldn't mind living here if this province could show as much money as the "other side." He extended a hearty invitation to the Knights of Nanaimo to visit Seattle on the 20th of this month and attend the Grand Lodge, which meets at Olympia, with them. He could assure them of a hearty welcome and a royal entertainment.

Sir Kt. D. Moffat, in replying to the toast, said he was glad to meet the visiting Knights, and he congratulated them all upon the successful institution of the new Uniform Rank. He was also glad to see the Press of Nanaimo represented, and he paid a glowing tribute to the work which it had accomplished. It had done more to civilize the world than the sword had ever done and its influence for good extended far and wide, and was felt on every hand. Mr. Moffat closed an eloquent speech by wishing prosperity to the Uniform Rank, and proposing the Press which was responded to by Mr. George Norris for the *Free Press*, in a neat speech, and by J. A. Strong for the COURIER.

The spread partaken of was creditable to not only the Knights but to the skilful caterer Mr. Morrell, and his efficient aides.

The National Anthem was sung and the Knights proceeded to their Castle hall, where the installation of officers took place.

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 you life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nose obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

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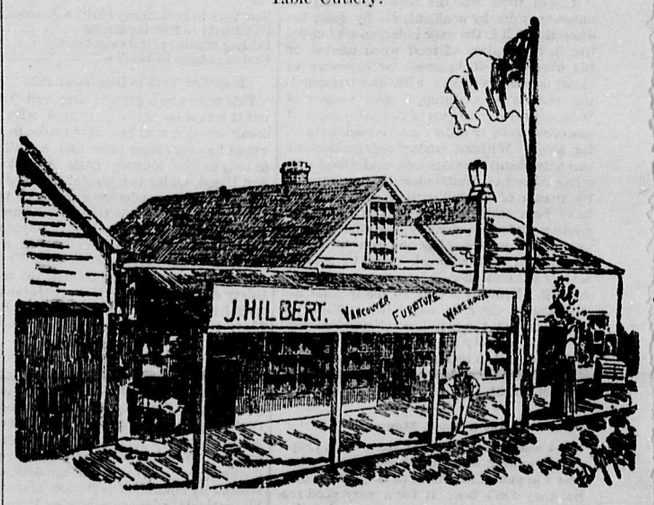

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