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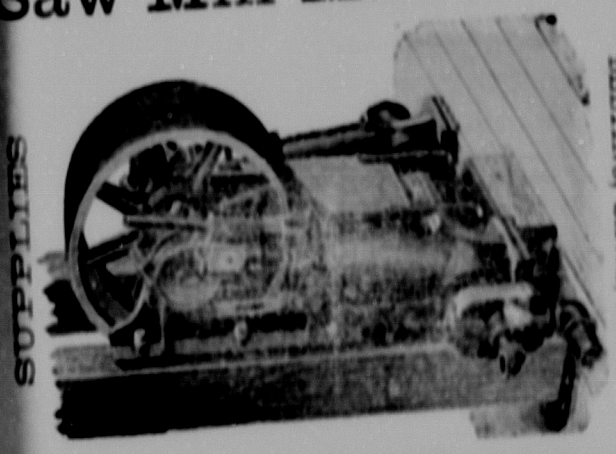

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A MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO REDUCE THE PRODUCTION.

London News—Emperor William Scheming for a Peaceful Compromise with France—An Ocean Patrol—The Railway Conference—The Killed and Injured by the Tornado.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Louis Shloss, of the Alaska Commercial Company, who returned last night from a trip east, said: "A movement is on foot among salmon canners and agents of the Alaska canneries, to come to some understanding whereby the production of the coming season will not be as large as it was last year. The most careful estimates show that there is still a stock ranging from 200,000 to 250,000 cases of 1889 salmon in the hands of producers. Prices have not the firm tendency which the agents would like to observe, nor is there any immediate prospect of the disposal of the yearly overstock. Packers are now on the threshold of a new season, and naturally some of them are debating what shall be done to prevent a recurrence of the over-production. The best authority agree that a pack from 1,250,000 to 1,300,000 cases this year will be ample for all purposes, and a few of the canners are thinking of limiting things so that no more than this quantity may be put up. As far as possible the canning of white salmon will also be prevented; they are as good as red, but consumers cannot be said to be used to them, and those that have been sold have acted to the detriment of the market for red fish."

London News.

LONDON, April 1.—It is expected that the Parliamentary election which is to be held in Windsor tomorrow will be one of the liveliest contests of late years. Both parties are working hard. The Liberals have organized an immense parade, one of the features of which will be one of Balfour's battering rams used by the Government's evictors in various parts of Ireland to beat down the walls and doors of houses whose inmates refused admission to the bailiffs and police. The Conservatives have declared that they will capture this engine of destruction, and should they adhere to their resolve an exciting scene will ensue from which may result many broken heads.

Lord Randolph Churchill has declined an invitation to address a Liberal meeting on the subject of the labor conference at Berlin, a decision which meets the approval of his friends, who depreciate his making any public speeches on any subject at this time.

It is stated that Emperor William is preparing a scheme for a peaceful compromise of the existing differences between Germany and France, and will submit terms to the French Government at an early day. The plan is said to be so entirely equitable that its tender by the more aggressive of the two powers cannot fail of a cordial acceptance by the other, though it may possibly be subjected to slight modification.

Captain Robert Walpole has, through his counsel secured, an order from the court decreeing the production of diaries kept by Miss Valery Wiedermann, the young German governess, whose case against him for breach of promise and seduction has been re-opened and is still pending. By these journals Walpole will attempt to prove grave misconduct on part of Miss Wiedermann with a German military officer at the time she claims to have been completely under his own protection in the belief that she was his wife.

Chancellor Von Caprivi has announced his intention to abandon the system of inspired journals, which he believes to be unfair to other newspapers and productive of no benefit to the inspiring authority. In the future he will decline to extend favors to one paper which are denied to another, but will, on the other hand, aim at a wider and more equitable distribution of official news among respectable journals, without reference to their political leanings, than has heretofore been the practice. The Emperor has decided that military officers on the retired list are under the jurisdiction of civil authorities and must in all cases be amenable to the civil laws.

The report of the betrothal of Archduchess Stephanie, widow of Crown Prince Rudolph, to Arch-Duke Francis, heir to the Austrian throne, is officially denied at Vienna.

The Railways Conference.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The Trunk Lines' Executive Committee decided to maintain last year's westbound rates for the coming season. No action was taken on eastbound rates. The matter of advancing rates from the seaboard to St. Paul was postponed until after the Western freight meeting at Chicago tomorrow. Corn rates were discussed without action. No successor to Commissioner Tuttle, of the Passenger Committee, was named.

The East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia Railway Company has contracted for the purchase of the Erlanger system, comprising about 1,200 miles of road, for $5,500,000. President Thomas, of the purchasing company, says the idea is to make the line leading north and south a connecting line between Cincinnatti and Jacksonville, Mobile, New Orleans and Memphis. No Richmond terminal stock will be issued on account of the purchase. It is solely an extension.

An Ocean Patrol.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Turner, of New York, today introduced in the House a joint resolution requesting the President to communicate, through the Secretary of State (or other proper channels) with foreign powers interested in trans Atlantic travel, with the view of securing their co-operation in the establishment of an efficient system of ocean patrol, which shall include the employment for such purposes of war vessels or such suitable vessels as may be suitable for this purpose. The resolution is accompanied by a long prologue, setting forth the necessity for better protection of human life on the Atlantic Ocean.

Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, April 1.—In the House of Commons this evening William Redmond asked the Government whether any Newfoundland delegates had been invited to London to discuss the fisheries question, and if not whether the Government would cable an invitation. Sir James Ferguson said the Premier had invited them and they doubtless would come as soon as their duties permitted, therefore it was unnecessary to cable to them. Dr. Tanner asked whether the consent of Newfoundland had been obtained to the arrangement between England and France before the beginning of the fishing season. Sir James Ferguson said the *modus vivendi* had not been received in Newfoundland when the Government last heard from there officially. The last question, he said, might be left for the Newfoundland Legislature to decide.

Killed and Wounded.

HENDERSON, Ky., April 1.—The total of the killed in Webster County is 40, and the wounded 80. Relief corps has gone out from Henderson. A cost found near Henderson contained papers which showed that it had been blown from Padcah, 100 miles away.

LOUISVILLE, April 1.—The total number killed here by the tornado of Thursday night is 93. It is feared that R. R. Barton, of Pittsburg, is dead in the ruins. So far about 150 badly wounded persons have been found. Several of those who were worst hurt are at the hospitals in a dying condition.

To Utilize Underground Water.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Moody from the Committee on Irrigation, reported to the Senate today a substitute for the bills providing for the ascertainment of the availability of the underground waters of North and South Dakota for irrigating purposes. The substitute authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to cause field examinations to be made, as well as surveys and experiments, to demonstrate the extent, character, and value, with reference to irrigation, of all underflow of waters within the settled region between 97th degree west, and the foothills on the eastern slope of the Rocky Mountains. The Secretary is authorized to have wells made. The sum of $250,000 is to be appropriated for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the act.

Fattening Levees.

VICKSBURG, Miss., April 1.—Reports of a new break at Austin, Miss., and of wavering levees elsewhere are inducing many families to move beyond the danger line. Greenville is surrounded and partly inundated. Mayersville has yielded to the flood. There is no loss of life reported from the recent breaks, but many head of live stock have perished and much property is ruined.

Grasping the Opportunity.

TORONTO, April 1.—A bill respecting exemptions from municipal taxation passed its second reading last night. The Opposition complained that all it did practically was to tax ministers of the gospel, churches going almost entirely free as of old. Premier Mowat said the Government had gone as far as public opinion justified it in going, and would introduce a more sweeping measure when the public were ripe for it.

The Chancellor's Birthday.

BERLIN, April 1.—The celebration of Prince Bismarck's 75th birthday at Friedrichsruh today was characterized by more enthusiasm and general festivity than have marked any similar occasion since the observance of the old Chancellor's natal day as an occurrence of national interest. Two special trains loaded with Prince Bismarck's admirers mingled their freight with that of the regular trains, which landed thousands of persons in the city during the day, and the castle was thronged with visitors until a late hour. In addition to these personal visits the ex-Chancellor received over 1,800 birthday greetings by mail. The Emperor sent his portrait.

Favor Penny Postage.

ST. JOHN, N.B., April 1.—The Board of Trade yesterday afternoon passed a resolution favoring the penny postage for the whole of the British Empire.

William Burns, inspector for the Board of Health for over 30 years, dropped dead today.

To Scrap the Bucket Shops.

CHICAGO, April 1.—By an order of the Directors of the Board of Trade, the different telegraph companies removed every wire and instrument from the Exchange Hall today. The companies will not even be permitted to "take" messages from the main floor to their offices below, and all business hereafter will have to be done through messengers. This radical step is taken by the board, it is believed, to preclude all possibility of bucket shops, both in and out of the city, securing quotations.

In Favor of American Flour.

TORONTO, April 1.—Ontario millers are in session today here. They claim that the C.P.R. is discriminating in freights in favor of American flour.

Rev. Dr. Stone will take action against the Telegram for libel in connection with the Jenning's scandal, in which the minister is alleged to have taken too great liberties with Mrs. Jennings.

Immigration to British Columbia.

MONTREAL, April 1.—General Superintendent Whyte, of the Western Division of the C.P.R., is in this city. He expects this will be an excellent year for Manitoba farmers. A large number of immigrants came by the Polynesian and yesterday morning seven carloads passed through here, most of them bound for British Columbia.

Sir George Stephen will sail from England for New York shortly. Among those invited in Sir George's fishing party are the Duke of Connaught and General Sir Donald Stewart, K.C.B.

Hotel Arrivals.

AT THE COLONIAL.—H. Scriven, San Francisco; Chas. P. Lowe, W. L. Cusack, Victoria; F. J. Brady, Windermere, A. Williams, John Campbell, H. McGregor, R. T. Devine, R. Balfour, J. R. Stewart, Vancouver; R. A. Anderson, City; Jos. Dundson, Bonie; T. W. Dibble, Toronto; R. McLean, Toronto; Wm. McDonald, Harrison River; G. A. Culbick, City.

AT HOTEL DOMINION.—Col. J. T. Scott, Port Moody; J. Bonowitz, Commodore Jos. Irving, Wm. Healey, Victoria; Campbell Sweeney, Vancouver; E. M. Shaw, City.

TO OUST GREENWAY

THE SCHEME SAID TO BE CAREFULLY WORKED

Ottawa News—The Yukon Report—Mess Pork—The Funeral of Edward Allan—No Developments in the Vancouver Murder Case—In Favor of American Flour.

WINNIPEG, April 1.—The impression is gradually gaining ground that in the political unpleasantness now in the Provincial Cabinet, the retiring Attorney-General will shortly be the coming Premier, and this notwithstanding the fact that at the present time Greenway has a clean majority of the members of the House at his back, while the rival claimant to the Premiership has only an insignificant following of seven or eight. Fortunately for the latter, though, his little band of supporters comprise all the legal talent of the House, without some of which a cabinet is impossible. It is now pretty generally admitted that the scheme to oust Mr. Greenway has been and is being very cleverly worked.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

W. G. Perley Dead—Report on the Yukon—Rykert Investigation—Middleton Fur Scandal—The Liquor Duties.

OTTAWA, April 1.—Mr. W. G. Perley, member for Ottawa City, one of the lumber kings of the Capital, died this morning from blood poisoning after a fortnight's illness. Universal regret is expressed, as he was well liked by his brother members.

Ogilvie's long expected report on the Yukon country is out. It is a most interesting account of his two years' observations and work. During that time 1,800 miles of country were instrumentally surveyed, the International Boundary was delineated, and 600 miles of country were traversed for the first time by white men. The explorer speaks highly of the Peace and Mackenzie River countries, and urges the Government to take steps to prevent the wholesale slaughter of fur bearing animals.

The pork packers are here with a view of securing a concise definition of "mess pork." All the collectors will be notified to adhere to the definition in the general inspection act.

Nicholas Flood Davin made a vicious attack upon Col. Herchmer in the House yesterday. Sir John and different members defended him as a most efficient officer and a commission of enquiry was refused.

Col. Prior leaves for home between the 16th and 20th inst.; Messrs. Barnard and Mara will probably return to British Columbia about the same time, and Mr. Earle will hold the fort until the end of the session.

It is proposed to amend the Fisheries Act, making it a misdemeanor to kill any kind of fish by explosive substances.

Collector Milne, of Victoria, who is here, had an interview, along with Earle and Prior, with Hon. Mr. Bowell today, and the proposed changes in the Custom House, Victoria, were talked over.

Cook's bill to prevent others than Canadians born from receiving positions in the civil service, unless they had resided for five years in the country, has been withdrawn on the promise that no undue preference will be shown.

The privileges and elections committee resumed the Rykert investigation this morning with an explanation by Rykert of all the letters which passed between himself and Adams. He admitted that his wife received cheques, whereupon Sir John Thompson asked him how he could reconcile that with his statement in the House that he had no interest in the matter. Rykert replied that he considered his wife's money her own, and Thompson said this was a new doctrine at any rate. The evidence here closed. Argument by counsel is postponed until after the Easter recess.

The Minister of Justice will be prosecuted in the Brennor lost furs case. The committee examined General Middleton this morning and Middleton admitted having given orders to confiscate Brennor's furs. Hayter Reed said Middleton gave him instructions to write Warden to pay packages of furs for a number of the officers of his staff, but told him to keep the matter quiet. He afterwards secured possession of the letter to Warden, which it was thought might be damaging. Reed some months later returned his package of furs to Battleford. Middleton sold some of his furs and gave others away.

The announcement of the release of the Pathfinder caused such sensation here as, unless this was done, it was felt the Behring Sea negotiations would be greatly complicated. Strong representations came to the different British Columbia members from Premier Robson, and Inspector Young telegraphed the Minister of Customs asking the Government to secure the release of the vessel. Messrs. Earle and Prior lengthily interviewed Tupper yesterday.

A deputation of importers of liquors in cases interviewed the Minister of Customs on the question of the estimated qualities in cans liable to duties, the new law placing the quantity at three gallons, while the importers contend that it should only be two. They also want an allowance for brandy imported under proof.

Funeral of Edward Allan.

VICTORIA, April 1.—The funeral of the late Edward Allan, senior member of the Provincial Legislature for Lillooet, took place this afternoon from the Reformed Episcopal Church. The members of the Legislature attended the funeral in a body, and the *cortege* to the burying ground was a very large one. The deceased was a native of Nottingham, England, where he was born 62 years ago. He emigrated to British Columbia in the early "sixties." With many others who have risen to positions of prominence in the Province, he worked for wealth for some time in the treasure fields of golden Cariboo; leaving that great mining district for Big Bend, where he instituted and maintained a ferry across the Columbia for several years. Later, he made his home upon his farm at Grave Creek, near Clinton, residing there until about two years ago when he moved to Lillooet.

From 1876 to 1878, inclusive, he filled the position of assessor and collector of taxes for Lillooet District, and in 1882 he, with the late Premier, Hon. A. E. B. Davie, formed the Government ticket for the Provincial Legislature.

Again in 1886 he was returned as a representative of Lillooet in the Provincial Legislature. He was devoted to the interests of his constituents, and was rarely missing from his seat during the deliberations of Parliament. His health was failing rapidly when the present session opened, and about three weeks ago he was obliged to seek hospital care and attention. As he gradually became worse instead of better, his wife and son were sent for. They arrived about ten days ago, and were with him when the end came.

The deceased was open-handed and generous to a fault, he was always faithful to his friends and true to his convictions, and no one in the district which he made his home possessed greater popularity. With his parliamentary associates he was always on good terms, and his death will be keenly felt by them. His desk in the House was yesterday draped in crape, and many a heartfelt expression of sorrow was uttered by honorable members as their eyes fell upon upon the vacent seat and the silent tokens of death's visit. The decease leaves a wife and one son, who fills the position of mounted constable at Lillooet.

VANCOUVER NOTES.

The Sunbury Murder—No Developments—New Strawberries—The Cricketers.

VANCOUVER, April 1.—Nothing new was developed this morning in the murder of Sunbury near the smelter. The police have several clues but nothing sufficiently positive to lead to the arrest of the perpetrators of the foul crime.

Robert Kerr, of Winnipeg, General Freight and Passenger Agent of the Western Division C. P. R., and D. E. Brown, Assistant-General Freight and Passenger Agent, returned this morning by the Islander.

The first bunch of strawberries of the season of British Columbia growth were exhibited today, having been grown in the nursery of J. Rawlinson, North Arm Road. They are of the Wilson's Albany variety.

Alex. Begg, of Crofter fame, arrived from the east last night. He entertains strong hopes that his scheme will yet be successful.

The Vancouver Cricket Club has elected the following officers: President, John Boultbee; first vice-president, C. Sweeney; second vice-president, J. C. Keith; hon. secretary, H. J. Campbell; hon. treasurer, W. E. Green; committee, R. M. Fripp, C. Nelson, J. J. Loutit, G. Coleman, R. L. Johnston.

Mr. B. Springer, the retiring manager of the Moodyville mills, was presented by the employees with a handsome silver service today.

The Vancouver Violet Guild are preparing for a grand fancy dress entertainment, to be held on Easter Tuesday in the opera house for the benefit of St. Luke's Home. Sixty children are taking part.

COUNTY COURT

Disposal of a Large Batch of Civil Suits.

Before ELI HARRISON, Judge.

Johnson vs. Corporation of Surrey: Day to be fixed.

Spring vs. Alexander et als.; Day to be fixed.

McLellan vs. Blake; Referred to arbitration.

Kwong Yee Chung vs. T. F. Sinclair; By consent held over to next court.

Wah Chung & Ching Fook vs. Chung Fook; Abandoned.

M. Ryan vs. A. B. Wintemute; Referred to arbitration.

Jas. Bossi vs. Jas. Turnbull; Judgment for defendant with costs.

Fitzgerald McCleery vs. J. Patterson; Next court.

Jas. R. Gilmore vs. Jas. Turney; Next court.

Chas. Croucher vs. H. M. Cunningham; Judgment for amount by consent.

H. Barr vs. Merryfield and Ashford; Judgment for plaintiff with costs.

Mary Jane Hogan vs. F. Mason; Judgment for plaintiff with costs.

J. Wilcox vs. Tierney & Colderleg; Judgment for plaintiff.

John L. Gache vs. Geo. H. Turner; Settled.

Jos. Rousseau vs. Kenneth Sweet; Withdrawn.

H. T. Read & Co. vs. Andrew Leamy; settled.

W. R. Townsend vs. John Strong; withdrawn.

J. E. Salley vs. F. R. Winch; judgment for plaintiff with costs.

H. B. Grant vs. W. F. Peters; judgment for plaintiff with costs.

C. H. Green & Co. vs. A. B. Wintemute; judgment confessed.

Walworth & Sexsmith vs. J. Doig; settled.

W. N. Bole vs. J. H. Clarke, settled.

Same vs. Frederick Finke; taxed.

Same vs. A. Ackerman; settled.

Same vs. A. & J. E. Murchison; settled.

Same vs. Albert Noon; taxed, liberty to dispute reserved.

Same vs. J. W. Pickard; paid.

Same vs. Charles Turner; judgment for plaintiff.

Same vs. S. R. Connors; paid.

Florence B. Bole vs. R. Gibson, C. Bartlett, and Mrs. C. Bartlett; non suit.

Walworth & Sexsmith vs. S. Parson; next court.

W. J. Whitside vs. T. C. Atkinson; judgment confessed.

H. J. Elliott vs. George Betchard; settled.

Y. M. C. A.

The annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. was held last night in the Methodist Church, Mr. D. S. Curtis, president, in the chair. Reports were received from Mr. E. Rand, secretary; Mr. Davis, general secretary; and W. A. Duncan, secretary of the building committee. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. Curtis, C. C. Fisher, and Chernock, of Vancouver. The Y.M.C.A. orchestra was in attendance and enlivened the proceedings with a few selections of music.

Easter Vacation.

The public school closed yesterday to reopen on Tuesday next. In addition to the usual two days Easter vacation, the teachers take the three days granted by the Government for visiting other schools.

Sockeye Fry.

A batch of half a million sockeye salmon fry from the hatchery was deposited in a tributary of Pitt River yesterday. There are yet 4,500,000 in the hatchery which will be turned out in a few days to battle in the world of waters.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The later intelligence from Ottawa, regarding the requests made by the deputation of canerymen that waited on the Dominion Government some months ago, shows pretty clearly the exact nature of those requests. Our correspondent of a few days ago, "Fisherman," questioned whether the canners had not asked the exact terms that have been incorporated in the new regulations. It will now be apparent to him that they requested the adoption of a principle altogether different from that which has been adopted by the fisheries department in the matter, and a principle, too, which a little reflection may lead our correspondent to the conclusion is as much in the interests of the fisherman as of the caneryman. What they asked was simply this: That the prices of licenses should be increased to $20 all round and that the number of licenses to be issued should not be limited. Their idea is that it is wholly improbable that the number of licenses, at the larger figure, would exceed the limit now fixed, for the reason that more than that number would not find profitable occupation on the Fraser. The increased price of the licenses is not, so far as we can gather, at material consideration to the canners. But it would be a measure of protection to thrifty and industrious fishermen, because the lower price induces a great many to take out licenses who would hesitate to pay the larger sum. It would be particularly efficacious to individual fishermen at the very time when they are in most need of protection from competition, namely, in years when the "run" of fish is small. In years when the fish are plentiful he need not care so much how many are at work depleting his supply, because there is then enough for all.

If licenses were issued without any limit to the number it would be necessary to have an even price for them all round, because if canners were charged a larger price than others, they would resort to the practice of allowing their employees to take out licenses in their own names at the lower price, and thus overcome the extra charge. An unlimited issue of licenses at the higher price, the canerymen hold, would effect four good ends: (1) It would protect the industrious and thrifty fisherman in his operations from year to year by preventing too many from taking out licenses; (2) It would allow canerymen to work up to the full extent of their business; (3) It would prevent, by a natural process, the probability of the river being overfished, because it would not be profitable for many to go into the business in poor years, and (4) it would supply a considerable fund for the purposes of re-stocking by artificial propagation.

As is intimated above, the canerymen do not object to pay $20, or any other reasonable sum, for a license; that is not the fault found with the new regulations. But they object strenuously, and we think very properly, to the limitation in number of licenses. The Government cannot step in and say that no more canneries shall be erected on the Fraser River, but every additional cannery erected, under the system of limitations, will reduce the number of licenses to each cannery that previously existed. The injustice is easily discovered. For instance, a canner who has been in the canning business on this river for years, a pioneer in the industry, by care, business tact, and superior capability in the art of canning, has rendered his brands of salmon a favorite article in the foreign markets in which they are offered, and he not only obtains a ready sale for what he produces, but he will also secure a better price. His brands of salmon are eagerly bought, where others, inferior in quality or perhaps only not so well known, are not sought at all. He has surely a right to profit by the business reputation which his abilities and pioneer work have secured for him. A reputation goes a long way in every business, and that is what business men are most careful about securing and most attentive in retaining. But as soon as you begin limiting or cutting down by official regulations the salmon canner's means of obtaining the raw material for his business, you practically destroy any value which may attach to a reputation procured and maintained at such great pains, because you refuse to allow him scope to supply the increasing demands which his reputation brings to him.

How does it work? A man, we will say, becomes possessed of the idea that the canners on the Fraser are doing a profitable business, and he takes it into his head that he would like to have a share in that profitable business. He discovers that the supply of canned salmon in the market is not too great, and a little cogitation convinces him that all he has to do is to erect a cannery and he will be immediately accorded, by official regulation, his proportion of the raw material which the other canneries are working on. He easily figures it out that if he can reduce the supply of canned salmon produced by the existing canneries by taking over a portion for the fixed number of fishing licenses being used by them, he will be assured of a certain sale of what he may produce, because the quantity he will be able to produce will, according to the calculation, exactly tally with the reduction of output by the other canneries. He is simply taking advantage of an unjust regulation to share in the profits of a business that has been worked up by other men.

How differently this man would look at the matter if he knew that in going into the business he would have to compete against old established canneries which were in a position to work up to all the orders they could get for their products, and that what he with his new cannery would produce might overstock the market. He would see that in such a case he would have no chance of selling against the old and well-tried brands of canners who had for years been favorably known in the trade. No, if there was free competition he would think a good deal more before he embarked his money in a cannery, and that is the protection which unlimited licenses would bestow on the cannery business. It is a natural protection which would not leave a man and his business, which had cost him years of toil to work up, at the mercy of anyone whose envy or whose foolishness urged him to attack it. It is this kind of natural protection which exists in all other businesses, and it should not, in our opinion, be interfered with in that of salmon canning.

SAM GREER'S CLAIM.

EDITOR TRUTH: SIR,—Truth is strength, an eloquence in itself, when fearlessly uttered by one who has a just cause. I have always believed that Samuel Greer had a right to the land he claims, but I was never so strongly impressed with the justice of that claim, till I read his letter, as published in TRUTH. No honest person can help admiring the vigor and apparent ease with which Greer tears Mr. Vernon's tissue of carefully woven sophistries to pieces. It would be well for Mr. Cunningham and some more of our representatives to ponder this letter. At present, however, it is not my purpose to enter into a discussion of its merits. I merely wish to call the attention of all honest electors to it, for I still believe that the people of this Province are not so lost to honor and so wanting in the perception of right, that they will not demand of those in power that an end be put to this unjust and shameful treatment of Samuel Greer. AN ELECTOR.

New Westminster, April 1.

PROVINCIAL JOTTINGS.

Rev. Dr. Wild, of Toronto, is in Victoria.

The Princess Louise ran on a rock in the Skeena on her way down and had to be beached. Part of her forefoot was broken off, but she was repaired and came on without further mishap.

Prof. Fenwick, the new musical leader of St. Andrews Church, Victoria, sang his first solo there on Sunday evening, and is pronounced a singer of the first order.

Messrs. Hall and Goepel's new sealing schooner Ocean Belle, which left Halifax on November 23rd last, arrived at Victoria and tied up in the inner harbor at nine o'clock on Sunday night, her actual sailing time being 122 days, the fastest on record.

Only a Joke.

Several of Westminster's "young bloods" got April fool summonses this morning to appear in Court in answer to the charge of playing the harmless game of draw poker. Two of them got counsel to defend them before they "tumbled" that it was a joke.

Drysdale's Cannery.

The tug Clara Port will leave early this morning with Bradshaw's piledriver in tow, bound for Drysdale's Cannery, Canoe Pass, where she will be engaged for about a week driving piles and otherwise putting the establishment in order for the season's campaign.

A Hasty Send-Off.

A Donald correspondent of the Kootenay *Star* writes the following: Mr. J. B. Johnson, our old and obliging agent has been promoted, and leaves for New Westminster on Saturday to assume the position of agent. Although his departure from this town will universally be regretted, it is pleasing to think that he has been chosen to hold such a responsible position at New Westminster. The company could not have chosen a better man, as, with Mr. Johnson's ability, energy and obliging manner, he cannot but satisfactorily perform the duties that will devolve upon him. He will be banquetted at the Selkirk house on Friday evening by his many friends, and a most enjoyable night is anticipated. Mr. Trickey, late agent at Lytton, succeeds Mr. Johnson here.

Official Investigation.

Mr. W. Moresby, governor of the Provincial Jail at this place, and Capt. G. Pittendrigh, district coroner, left yesterday for Fort Douglas to investigate the late killing of young Percival by a half-breed. They will make a thorough investigation of the case.

AN OPPORTUNITY

FIVE ACRES of Land for sale about 11 miles from New Westminster, and on or near route of proposed Electric Railway to Vancouver. Owner leaving British Columbia shortly. Would sell close for cash or on usual terms. Address "Owner," the TRUTH Office. 178 tfs

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NEW Westminster; in the estate of Edward Hall, deceased. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to forward the same, with proper proof thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of May, 1890.

JOHN S. CLUTE, Jr.
Administrator.

Dated 31st March, 1890. 177-180

NOTICE

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the N. W. Rifle Association will be held at the City Hall on Wednesday evening, April 2nd, at 8 o'clock sharp.

JAMES A. McMARTIN,
Hon. Sec.-Treas.

177-81

THE COLUMBIA & KOOTENAY RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE.

SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to noon on Monday the 14th April, 1890, for the

CLEARING, GRUBBING, GRADING & BRIDGING

Of this Company's Line, between the outlet of the Kootenay Lake and the Columbia River.

Plans, specifications and all other information can be obtained at the Engineer's Office, Vancouver.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

H. ABBOTT,
Vancouver, B. C. 20th March, 1890. 178-td.

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS ARE INVITED addressed Chairman Park Committee, to be delivered at the City Clerk's office not later than 4 p.m. on Monday, 7th April. For (1) addition to exhibition building; (2) cottage for park keeper, and (3) fencing Park Lane. Tenders may be for one or all of the above works, amount of each to be stated separately. Plans, etc., can be seen at my office. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. W. GRANT,
Architect.

New Westminster, March 25, 1890. 177-td

NOTICE.

IN RE THE ESTATE OF CHARLES Bloomfield, deceased. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to forward the same, with proper proof thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of April, 1890.

JOHN S. CLUTE, Jr.
Administrator.

Dated 13th March, 1890. 163-180

NOTICE

IN RE ESTATE OF JOHN STEWART, Deceased. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to forward the same with proper proof thereof to the undersigned on or before the 5th day of April, 1890.

W. H. FALDING,
Administrator.

Dated 4th March, 1890. 167-180

NOTICE.

IN RE THE ESTATE OF JOHN STEWart, late of Mount Lehman, logger, deceased intestate. All persons having claims against the above estate are requested to forward the same, with proper proof thereof, to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of April, 1890.

JOHN S. CLUTE, Jr.
Administrator.

Dated 13th March, 1890. 167-180

ROYAL AVENUE NURSERY

NOW IS THE TIME FOR LADIES AND gentlemen to come and inspect my stock of pot plants, in bloom and otherwise; also roses and flower seeds. Fertilizer and other plant foods. Flower pots of every kind just as cheap as they can be bought at the pottery. I buy at wholesale and can sell cheap. Plants in pots from five cents up to $1.25. Hanging baskets from 25 cents up to $1.50. Come and mark your plants early before the rush of the season. Crosses, wreaths and bouquets.

164-188 ALFRED C. WILSON.

City of New Westminster, B.C.

ASSESSMENT ROLL, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Assessment Roll of the City of New Westminster for the year 1890 has been returned to me, and now remains at my office where it may be inspected during office hours by any person or persons interested therein.

The first sitting of the Court of Revision of the said City of New Westminster for the year 1890 will be held in the City Hall, on

Tuesday, 22nd April, 1890,

At 2 o'clock p. m. Any person or persons intending to complain of his or their assessment or non-assessment, or of the assessment or non-assessment of any other person or persons, must notify me of his or their ground of complaint at least seven days previous to the first sitting of said court.

D. ROBSON,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
New West., March 22, 1890. 170 td.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, as hotel keepers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John R. King, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said John R. King, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at New Westminster, this 27th day of February, A. D., 1890.

JOHN R. KING,
ROBERT KEERY.

Witness:
ALBERT E. FRASER. 154 tm

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON and after the 15th day of March, 1890, Joseph Edw. Gaynor is and becomes a partner in the firm of Armstrong & Eckstein, barristers, solicitors, etc., and the name and title of the said firm shall be Armstrong, Eckstein & Gaynor. 163-tm

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

WHOLE AND SEPARATE TENDERS for the erection of a two-story dwelling on Royal Avenue for Dr. DeWolf Smith, will be received up to noon April 7th, 1890.

CLOW & MACLURE,
Architects.

New Westminster, March 26th, 1890. 174-180

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY DAYS after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase all that piece or parcel of land situate in Township One (1), District of New Westminster, described as follows: Commencing at the International Boundary line, running northwest along the high water line of Sections One (1) and Two (2) of said Township One (1), to the western corner of said Section Two (2), thence south to the said International Boundary line and thence along said International Boundary line to place of commencement; containing 500 acres more or less.

S. J. MACKINTOSH,
ANDREW LEAMY,
JAMES LEAMY.

New Westminster, 14th March, 1890. 167-180

HOLIDAY SUITS.

M. A. McRae is now the recognized leading Merchant Tailor of New Westminster, and those desiring New Suits in the Best Line of Goods, should give him a call. In the Armstrong Block on Columbia Street

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W. J. ARMSTRONG, Agent for New Westminster.

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New Westminster, Oct. 5th.

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Sample Rooms.

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Special accommodation for ladies.

H. G. WALKER, Proprietor.

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of the Matters Overlooked by Hurried and Forgetful Travelers.

ery hotel in New York has a store- for valuable articles left behind by s. In such hotels as the Astor, the Avenue, the Sinclair, the Hoffman hotels further up town, a set of s is kept in which are jotted down riptions of the goods forgotten by nt minded and hurried ones. Where otel does a vast amount of transient ness it is sometimes difficult to ar- e the goods for future identification. uch cases the integrity of servants t be the guarantee, and this is strict- lied upon. Immediately after the ns are vacated the chambermaid s temporary possession. She gath- up the goods left behind by the last pant and hands them over to the k. He looks on the register and tags packages and articles with the name the guest and the number of the room occupied on the day of departure. ll these notes are then transcribed o the books kept for such business. If guest is well known at the hotel and articles found after his departure are emely valuable, he is immediately ified and requested to identify the perty. Otherwise the goods are kept il his next visit.

"We've got a toothbrush and a pair of es of yours here. Send 'em up!" is greeting that some out of town patron the house receives.

"You left a pair of trousers behind time," is hurled at another.

If there is a woman in the case the ss keeper is notified from the desk en the husband registers, and pretty on the housekeeper knocks on the r of the couple's apartment, and the fe is informed that on her last visit forgot her bustle, or a bunch of hair a chemise, or a petticoat. The game a woman's lingerie is rung, for women quite as forgetful as men. The house- per usually visits the room with the ing articles, and hands them over on spot.

There is scarcely a hotel in New York at couldn't start an umbrella shop. erybody seems to forget an umbrella. to any hotel in town and tell the pro- etor that you thoughtlessly left one ind while at the hotel. He will sum- on the porter and direct him to take t the lost umbrellas. Pretty soon the rter is heading for you, staggering der a great load of umbrellas. There cotton ones, ginghams, and articles the finest silk, with gold and silver ndles. No particular or formal oath necessary to identify an umbrella. e proprietor does not and cannot de- ar. If he kept strict account of all the mbrellas left in his establishment his skkeepers wouldn't have anything else do. An old customer told Landlord hman, of the Sinclair house, the other ght in the rush time that he had for- tten his umbrella a few nights before, d had left it in the dining room. Mr. hman thereupon ordered the porter bring out the lost umbrellas. There s a handcart load of them.

It is a particularly interesting fact that ny diamond rings are left behind by sts. They are usually found on the shstands. The ladies are the chief linquents in this respect. Before wash- their hands they pull off their rings l lay them on the washstand. In the ry to get to the dining room prepara- y to leaving on the next train, the gs are frequently forgotten. Some- es they are very valuable. There ve been frequent instances where nde boxes of jewels have been forgot- n. These invariably find their way to clerk's desk, and the owners are soon ind. Watches innumerable are found der pillows, having been put there by st on retiring and overlooked in the sh of the morning. Many pocketbooks, ne of them substantially lined with ney-backs, are forgotten, often no doubt the embarrassment of the owner. It not considered by well regulated nds to be first chop comfort to find urself tearing away from town on a w York Central or a Pennsylvania er without a copper. But telegraph, the operator will trust you, and the allet will be hurried after you either express or registered mail.

Then there are gold pencils, gloves, es, hats, coats, overcoats, eyeglasses, rit lamps, shirt studs, powder boxes d hand glasses. One enterprising citi- n forgot his gripsack and everything it the other night. Another left with- t a valuable set of surgical instru- nts. There are more toothbrushes rgotten in New York hotels in a week an any shop in New York can replace the instant. Slippers, cuffs and col- rs enough to start a haberdasher's shop. ladies' stockings of silk and all other xtures, night dresses of lace and plain, ance, work baskets, trusses, shawls, bootjacks, rubber coats, bracelets, opera glasses, ladies' hats, entire suits of clothes, ladies' cloaks, fur sacks, fans, Bibles, sermons, dress waists, garters, corsets, earrings—these and hundreds of other articles make up the year's col- lection in the big hotels of New York. When the owner is not found the goods are usually kept a year. No hotel clerk in town seems to know what becomes of them after that.—New York Sun.

The Electric Candle Cure.

A subscriber at Bryan, O., recently sent The Electrical World the following dialogue, which he overheard in the street:

"Howdy do, howdy do?"

"Oh, fair to middlin'; folks all well, but I have got a touch of rheumatiz."

"Oh, you can get rid of that; I had it so bad I couldn't raise my hand to take a chaw terbacker, but it's gone now."

"What did you take for it?"

"Wal, when they put up them 'lectric lights I got one of their candles they had dropped, and carry it in my pocket. You know 'lectricity is good for medicine. Wal, there is 'nough 'lectricity left in the candle when they put them out that some will soak inter you, and that knocks it every time. Jest try it."

"I will; where can I get one?"

"I've got a couple; take one."

"I'm much obliged; I'll give it a chance."

The Scientific Uses of Such Structures Discussed by a Medical Journal.

It appears that we are really going to have a second revised and enlarged edition of Eiffel's Tower in London. Probably the first object of the majority of the promoters of such a tower would be to make it pay; but there are other uses a lofty structure of this kind might be applied to, and its interest to ourselves and many others would be that it would undoubtedly afford valuable means of scientific observation, especially of meteorological character. The proposed tower would allow of an inquiry into the atmospheric conditions up to 1,200 feet. Instruments for measuring the heat of the sun's rays, such as black bulb thermometers *in vacuo*, and actinometers, disposed at the top and bottom of the tower would also give very interesting readings, the instruments at the highest station probably showing an excess of the sun's heat over the other, because of the atmospheric humidity intervening between the earth's immediate surface and an altitude of 1,900 feet. Thermometers disposed at various heights, and properly screened from radiation, would show the temperature of the atmosphere at different levels; the air would probably be found colder on rising higher and higher, giving this curious result—that the sun would be warmer at the top than at the bottom; but, in the absence of sun, the air would be colder at the top. At night the distribution of the temperature in the atmosphere is known to be the reverse of the day time. On a fine clear night the temperature will be found higher at 1,000 feet than it is on the earth, while on a cloudy night it will be much the same at both stations; but we have much to learn on the laws of terrestrial radiation, and the proposed tower would be very useful in that respect. Of course an observer would not be expected to race day and night up and down a tower 1,900 feet high, to make observations and read thermometers; this would be too great, and, indeed, an unnecessary devotion to science. The whole thing can be done from below in a comfortable building by means of Siemens' electric thermometers. Such an instrument has been used for some time, and is now at work at the Lincoln Cathedral, giving correct thermometer readings on the earth's surface from a height of 270 feet. Besides observations for temperature at various altitudes, the state of humidity of the atmosphere, a condition greatly concerned in the formation of fogs, could be readily examined, dry and wet bulb thermometers disposed at various heights and in electrical connection with the station below would yield interesting observations, and assist materially in conjunction with the barometer in forecasting the weather. The force and direction of the winds at various altitudes are subjects for meteorological inquiry of much interest and importance; there are eddies in the atmosphere, spiral and upward currents, of which little is known, and a tower such as that now contemplated would allow of very interesting observations to be made on winds. We may also venture to suggest that the information thus obtained would have an important practical bearing in an engineering point of view, as showing the strength of the wind buildings may have to withstand at great heights. The measurement of rainfall, made simultaneously at 1,900 feet and on the ground, would add to our knowledge of the laws of rainfall; it would be found that less rain falls at the top than at the bottom. The connection of this phenomenon with atmospheric humidity and temperature would be very interesting to investigate. Finally, earth tremors, the forerunners of earthquakes, would be felt at the summit of a high tower much more readily than in contact with the earth, and earthquakes might be expected to produce greatly magnified effects at such an elevation; hence a seismometer would find a fitting place at the top of the proposed building. A great deal might be added on this subject. We have not touched on the astronomical uses of a very high tower from the greater clearness of the atmosphere at such an altitude. There are also other points of physiological interest that could have been dwelt upon, such as the influence of an altitude of 1,200 feet on respiration, or on the nervous system. It might be remarked that there would be little fear of feeling giddy when looking down from a tower of such a height, although the view over a precipice of 1,200 feet would not be unlikely to produce a most unpleasant sensation.—British Medical Journal.

PROSPECTS INDEED.

How an Eastern Man Insulted a Specimen of Western Ignorance.

Eastern Prospector—See here man, you wrote to me that there were the most flattering prospects for this to become a large city.

Kansas Real Estate Agent—Yes, I did, but what of it?

"What of it? Why, I'd like to know what you meant by it. Why, sir, there's nothing here but one sod cabin."

"Ain't, eh! Reckon you don't see this town site of six hundred and forty acres all platted and ready for the market? Guess you don't know that seventeen new additions are to be platted next week, and that the price of lots had doubled since last Monday?"

"Doubled, who buys your lots?"

"Nobody ain't yet, but we've raised the price all right. Prospects! Reckon you don't know that we've got water and gas franchises, and have charters for three cable roads and a dummy line, besides having a fighting chance for the county seat. I reckon we have got prospects, if any town has, and if you want to invest a few thousand you'd better do it now."—Drake's Magazine.

He Had Been There.

Gaggs—By George! How tired some of these jokes look one sees in these alleged humorous papers.

Baggs—Guess you'd look tired if you'd traveled around as much as they have, and been declined with thanks as often.—Detroit Free Press.

BUSINESS CHANGE

The undersigned desires to intimate that he has this day disposed of his grocery business to Messrs. McLean & Morrison. In returning thanks to my numerous customers for their liberal patronage during the last four years, I desire to bespeak a continuation of your generous favors to the new firm.

MARSHALL SINCLAIR

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Architect, Room E, over Bank of British Columbia, New Westminster.

E. M. N. WOODS,

Barrister at Law. Office—McKenzie Street, New Westminster.

T. C. ATKINSON,

Barrister, Solicitor, &c. Office—Masonic Building, New Westminster.

G. PITTENDRIGH,

Real Estate Broker and County Court Agent, Conveyancer, Notary Public, &c. Houses rented. Office—McKenzie Street, New Westminster.

G. W. GRANT,

Architect, Office—Corner Mary and Clarkson, New Westminster.

ANDREW LEAMY,

Barrister, Solicitor, &c., McKenzie Street, New Westminster.

W. THIBAUDEAU,

Land Surveyor and Draughtsman. Hamley Block, New Westminster.

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Leave Tacoma	7 00 a.m
Arrive Seattle	9 15 a.m
Leave Seattle	9 45 a.m
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Leave Port Townsend	2 00 p.m
Arrive Victoria	5 30 p.m

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Leave Victoria	6 00 a.m
Arrive Port Townsend	9 15 a.m
Leave Port Townsend	10 00 a.m
Arrive Seattle	1 30 p.m
Leave Seattle	2 00 p.m
Arrive Tacoma	4 15 p.m

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CITY NEWS

The New Mining Regulations—Report of the Committee on Mines—The Defalcations of the Absconding Superintendent of Police—Customs Statistics—Hymeneal—The New Quarters of Bank of Montreal—Local Brevities—The Way to Build the Bridge—Educational—Beef Cattle—The Fire.

New Mining Regulations.

The standing committee on mines has presented the following report to the Local Legislature:

Your standing committee on mines have the honor to report that they have received numerous suggestions for the alteration of the mining laws, and that after careful consideration they can confidently recommend that the following amendments be made:

(1.) To the mineral act (other than coal)—"That clause 130 of the mineral act be amended by adding 'In bench lands adjoining rivers or creeks, unworked or abandoned, an area for hydraulic working not exceeding 100 acres of land and for a period not exceeding twenty years.'"

(2.) That clauses be added to the mineral act to the following effect:—"That each district be divided into mining divisions and that each division shall have its mining recorder and that all mining claims which lie within any division must be recorded in such division. Also, that each recorder shall keep duplicates of all records which shall be open for inspection to any free miner, and that such free miner shall be entitled to a certificate of any record upon payment of a fee of one dollar.

(3.) That any free miner or mining company desirous of purchasing land for the purpose of erecting a mill in connection with his claim or for any purpose which would further the profitable working of his claim may have power to do so for an area of unoccupied land not exceeding five acres at a price of $10 per acre; the survey of such land to be at the cost of the purchaser."

Your committee also recommend that in the mining act the clauses relating to mineral claims be separated from those which relate to placer mining.

Kamloops Land Agency.

Mr. E. A. Nash, who has been appointed Dominion Land Agent at the Kamloops section of the railway belt, vice Mr. E. M. Bevill, resigned, entered upon his official duties at the interior capital this week.

Boycraft's Defalcations.

The Public Accounts Committee of the Local Legislature has presented the following report of the defalcations of the absconding Superintendent of Police:

That the late Superintendent of Police, H. R. Roycraft, was, in addition to holding that office, a stipendiary magistrate and collector of revenue which came into his hands, the treasury department made cash advances to him, often of considerable sums. That the security held by the Government was a bond for $1,000 of the Guarantee Company of North America, which was deposited in the Provincial Secretary's office under the Civil Office Security Act of 1872, by Mr. Roycraft, the Government paying annually the premium of $9.

That on the 16th July, 1889, Mr. Roycraft obtained a cash advance of $100 from the treasury and left the Province.

That an examination of the books and papers left by that official showed that he had collected $86 in June, 1889, which he had not paid into the treasury, and a further sum of $1,500 in July, which sum also he had not paid in.

That after his departure in July the amount of $65 was paid into the treasury for licenses issued by him, but for which the cash had not been paid, and for money found in his safe.

That the Guarantee Company of North America pay the $1000 bond into the treasury, and the public, as far as we know, are $682.65 out by Mr. Roycraft's defalcations.

That he was supposed to pay his collections of revenue once a month into the treasury, but did not always do so promptly.

That although he is known to have held $86 of the June collections in his hands, on the 29th June, 1889, the public accounts and balance sheet of the Province at that date as printed and placed before the Legislature do not show that sum or any amount as having been in his hands.

Customs Statistics.

During the month of March, 1890, the transactions at the New Westminster Customs House have totaled as follows:

Value of exports	$ 2,226 00
Value of imports	17,152 00
Duty collected	$3,392 50
Other revenue	164 26
Total revenue for March	$3,556 76

Hymeneal.

On March 24th, at Montreal, Mr. Arthur E. B. Hill, waterworks engineer, of this city, was united in matrimony to Miss Jane Harden Graham, eldest daughter of Mr. Hugh Graham, of the Montreal *Star*. Mr. Hill's many friends will take notice that congratulations are in order.

Some Handsome Work.

The new quarters of the Bank of Montreal, corner Columbia and McKenzie Streets, in the Bushby Block, are second to none in the Province. The location, as regards the business portion of the city, could not be better, and the interior workmanship, although on a small scale, cannot be surpassed, even by older institutions of the east. The woods used are native hardwoods, being British Columbia maple and alder, without any ornamentation except plain varnish, and they stand as demonstrative witnesses of the capability and beauty of these woods when manipulated by the hand of a master. All the interior woodwork and fixtures were executed by the Royal City Planing Mills Company of this city, and speaks volumes in their praise.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

County Court this morning at 11 o'clock.

Captain John Irving was in the city yesterday.

Work is resumed in all the B. C. P. Mills logging camps.

The overland mail was ten hours late yesterday.

The colachans have not yet made their appearance in the river.

The steamer Yosemite is due today at 3 p. m., from Victoria.

A. W. Lundbom left yesterday for his old home in Lund, Sweden.

Mr. C. D. Rand paid a flying visit to the Royal City yesterday.

Dr. William Kent's condition was slightly improved last night.

Several stray cows were taken to the pound yesterday.

Mr. J. F. Brahmer left on the train yesterday afternoon, bound for England.

WANTED—After Easter an engagement as morning governess. E. C. U. this office. 177-6ts.

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Mr. D. B. Grant, of Ladner's, came up to the city on Monday and returned last night.

Mayor Brown and ex-Mayor Townsend returned yesterday from the Provincial Capital.

Mr. F. G. Strickland will leave today on a business trip along the coast as far as Port Essington.

A large number of Indians returned to the city yesterday from their respective hunting grounds in the interior.

D. McGillivray, of Chilliwack, fears there will be a repetition this year of the high waters of 1882.

Commodore John Irving, of the C.P.N. fleet, was in town yesterday interviewing his many friends.

The diamond ring that was raffled at the Hotel Douglas last night, was won by Charles Bennett on 43.

A new sidewalk will soon be laid on the north side of Columbia Street, from Begbie to Douglas Street.

For sale cheap four (4) acre tracts near Brownsville, on easy terms. Woods & Polley, cor. Columbia and McKenzie Streets. 177-tf.

There were several bogus half-dollars nailed to the sidewalk yesterday, as well as other "catches" for the unwary April fool.

County Judge Eli Harrison, of Nanaimo, presided in Judge Bole's court yesterday, and got through with the business most expeditiously.

General J. A. Boscowitz, one of Victoria's "solid Millions," was in the Royal City yesterday taking a bird's-eye view of the real estate market.

WANTED—A young lady desires employment in an office or elsewhere in copying, or bookkeeping. Apply to Miss A. Baillie, American Hotel, City. 167-tf.

There were 58 new cases and five judgment summonses on the County Court calendar yesterday morning. Up to 6 o'clock 38 cases had been disposed of.

Messrs. Mathers & Milligan have been appointed local agents for the Union Pacific steamers, which will call here regularly during the present summer.

Mr. Thomas Owens arrived home last night from a visit to Victoria. He is of opinion that the electric street cars beat the world in more senses than one.

An agricultural society has been formed in Steveston with the following officers: J. W. Sexsmith, president; Mr. Mackie, sen., vice-president; Mr. Drummond, secretary.

Mr. C. Swersey, manager of the Bank of Montreal at Vancouver, was in town yesterday, viewing the new quarters of the agency here. He expressed himself as very well pleased with the change.

Mr. Geo. B. Raymond, proprietor of the Colonial Hotel, received a telegram yesterday that his child in San Francisco was very ill, and he left on the 1:10 train for that city, expecting to travel overland.

Steamer Dunsmuir arrived yesterday evening from Nanaimo with the following passengers: Mrs. Smith, J. McClellan, J. Ballister, J. Tiffany, J. Smith. She brought as cargo a full load of Wellington coal for H. Elliott.

The Royal Templars of Temperance will give a free entertainment on Wednesday evening April 2nd, in the Temperance Hall, at which Mayor Brown will give an address on the object and working of the order. All are welcome. 174-4t.

The Way to Build a Bridge.

Ye people of New Westminster put your heads together and have the City Council pass a by-law empowering it to borrow enough money to build a traffic bridge across the Fraser River. Fix a toll rate of 5 cents for each person and say 2 cents for animals crossing, and I will guarantee that before the expiration of twenty years (the period for which the loan might be raised) the interest and the greater portion of the principal would thereby be paid off. If the city keeps on improving, which no doubt it will, a toll-bridge would soon become self-sustaining. The city should keep full control of the bridge. In fact every city should have control of all works such as bridges, water works, gas works, street railways, &c., by which they derive revenue from the public. In a progressive city all the above named institutions would soon not only become self-sustaining but would be a source of revenue to the corporation, thereby reducing taxation, providing they were controlled by the cities themselves. During the play of events and the excitement that is sure to attend New Westminster when making rapid strides, do not forget to call at Campbell's corner, Bushby Block, Front Street, and buy a hat, shirt, necktie, pair of gloves, socks, or a suit of clothes, or any part of a suit and get good value for your money. 178-tf&wlt

Educational.

Mayor Brown, chairman of the New Westminster School Board, has been in Victoria during the last two days in conference with the Provincial Government regarding increased school facilities for our city, in which he was ably seconded by ex-Mayor Townsend. His object was mainly to get an additional appropriation in the supplementary estimates for this year providing for four additional teachers, as well as increased school accommodation. TRUTH is happy to say that the Mayor got the word of Premier Robson that everything possible looking toward the end sought would be done by him. As the case now stands there are not nearly enough teachers in our city schools, and the scholars are cramped and crowded very much.

Beef Cattle.

An extra freight train last night brought down seven carloads of beef cattle, mostly consigned to dealers on the Island. The Dunsmuir takes a few of them this morning to Nanaimo, but the bulk of them are for Victoria. It took until nearly 11 o'clock last night to unload them in the C. P. N. Co's. sheds.

Fire Alarm.

About 4:30 yesterday afternoon an alarm of fire was turned in by the Telephone Company, and the brigade turned out promptly. The alarm came from the Royal City Planing Mills, and proved to be of no consequence whatever, the sparks from the smoke stack being put out by the mill brigade in short order. It gave a chance, however, for the new bell on Front Street to ring vociferously for the first time.

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SOCIETIES

I. O. O. F., NEW WESTMINSTER Lodge, No. 2. The regular meetings of this lodge are held at the Odd Fellows Hall every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. T. IYLER, Rec. Sec'y.

WORKINGMEN'S LEAGUE. THE New Westminster Workingmen's League meets every Friday evening at 8 p.m. in the Foresters Hall.

A. J. MICHIE, Rec. Sec'y.

W. C. T. U. Regular meeting every Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m. o'clock, in the Orange Hall, corner of Royal Avenue and John streets. The Local Temperance Legion meets at the same place every Friday afternoon at 4 p.m. o'clock, the Young Ladies' Committee the 1st Thursday afternoon in each month, and the Literary Temperance League for grown-up boys, every Friday night from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. o'clock. M. A. CUNNINGHAM, president; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. W. GRANT. 176-tf

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