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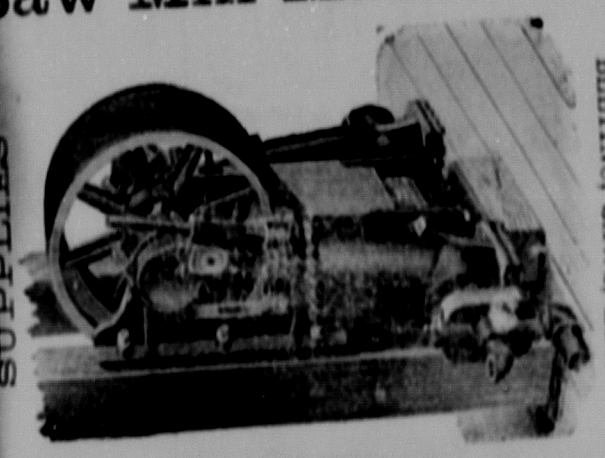

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EMIN'S INTENDED EXPEDITION CREATES SOME ALARM

For Security of British Interests in Africa—Alexander Mackay—The San Francisco Moulders—Socialist Riots In Rome—Carpenters' Differences.

LONDON, April 15.—Dispatches from Zanzibar state that the operations of the Germans there are of the most vigorous character. Every one connected in any capacity with the projects of Major Wismann is displaying a degree of activity singularly at variance with the German national trait, and everything pertaining to the preparations for the new Emin expedition is being conducted with marked thoroughness. The town has within an incredibly short time become so entirely Germanized that former residents find themselves almost strangers. Several large offices and depots have been established by the Germans, and each of these constantly displays the German flag, while German uniform are everywhere to be seen. The British have no office at Zanzibar and consequently the English flag is not to be seen, much to the disgust of Englishmen, who view with disgust and indignation the German preparations to extend the influence and power of their empire into territory hitherto tacitly admitted to belong to England, if it belonged to anybody.

The *Standard* insists that the English and German spheres of influence in Africa are marked with such precision as to preclude the remotest possibility of any misunderstanding, therefore any encroachment upon the British right must be made deliberately. The *Post* declares the German maps purporting to fix the boundaries of the two spheres are wholly inaccurate. This being the fact Germany must be at once informed of their inaccuracies and not be allowed to become unfriendly to England through aggressions and misrepresentations of the German press in describing and urging the necessity and importance of Emin's expedition.

The death of the famous Uganda missionary, Alexander Mackay, has caused the publication of a great deal of interesting and important information concerning him, of which the general public was ignorant. Mackay was a mechanical engineer and went to Africa in 1876, assuming almost immediately a leading position among those doing mission work in that country. It was he who first brought Emin prominently to the notice of the people of Europe, by a series of admirable letters, wherein he described his achievements in the African equatorial province, and it was mainly through information furnished by him that the necessity for Emin's relief became apparent.

Occasional despatches conveying assurances of the safety and successful operations of Doctor Peters, several times declared by presumably competent authority to be dead, and the extensive preparations for Emin's departure, have created a genuine alarm here for the security of British interests in Southeastern and Equatorial Africa, which the press are unanimous in calling upon the Government to protect.

The Moulder's Strike.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 15.—The striking moulders received a severe blow yesterday when eight eastern workmen entered the Risdon shops and started in to work. The founders say that the present importation of moulders will be followed by numerous others and that enough will come to fill up the shops that are now short of men. They profess to be entirely independent of the strikers and say that they are perfectly indifferent as to their movements.

The pattern makers who are out of employment by reason of the moulder's strike, received a message from the local union in a large eastern city to go there and they would be given employment. Several of the idle members will accept the invitation.

The Tax on Beer.

LONDON, April 15.—Popular murmuring against the intimation of Mr. Goschen of the Government's intention to retain the present duty on beer increases daily, and has given rise to some uneasiness in the ministerial fold. It is now coming to be generally believed that the budget, which will be presented on Tuesday, will show the extent of the Government's alarm, by not only removing the recent addition to the duty on beer, but also by taking the duty from foreign plate. It is hinted, too, that a further concession to the popular clamor for reduced taxations is possibly the lessening of the income tax and the tax on tea.

Emin Has Spoken.

BERLIN, April 15.—The *National Zeitung* today publishes a communication that comes indirectly from Emin Pasha, in which he seems to ratify the statements recently made concerning him by Stanley. It says that when Emin left the equatorial province with Stanley, he was accompanied by a few soldiers only, but this was because the period of ten days which was fixed by Stanley as the time for leaving the province, was too brief to allow the men to be re-enlisted. The communication further says that Dufile remained in the hands of Egypt when Emin left. Stanley brought Emin only twenty boxes of ammunition, when Emin at that time had in his possession 120 boxes.

Unknown Fiends.

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—A *Picayune*, Jackson, Miss., special says: Gov. Stone has been notified of a horrible murder in Lawrence County, 30 miles from this city. The stable of Jerry Bass, colored, was set on fire by unknown parties, and when Bass and his son Charles came out of their house to extinguish the flames they were fired on in the darkness. The boy was killed and Bass badly wounded. Their dwelling was then burned to the ground, no clew to the identity of the murderers has been discovered. To the statutory reward, Gov. Stone has added $200 for the capture and conviction of the fiends.

Neither Side will Move.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Neither side seems as yet to be trying to do a great deal towards a settlement of the carpenters' strike. The strikers still hold out their offer to arbitrate, while the masters sit quietly down and refuse to arbitrate. A committee of the new association of bass carpenters issued an address this afternoon calling on all bass carpenters to lay their former prejudices aside and to participate in a meeting to be held next Thursday for the purpose of adopting measures to bring the strike to a settlement.

CHICAGO, April 15.—The building trade in Chicago was almost at a standstill this morning. The striking carpenters have fulfilled their promise to tie up the town. A few attempts to work were made by the bosses, but in most instances, but one man reported for work where 50 should have been engaged. Reports from the strikers, agents at Racine and other points where the bosses have sent men to hire carpenters, were to the effect that none of the craftsmen would come here to take their striking brethren's places.

Agents of a Foreign Power.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25.—A beautiful young girl of high family connection was arrested here today for attempting to bribe a clerk of the general staff to procure for her a copy of the new scheme of military mobilization. The parents of the girl were also arrested, and all of them are charged with being agents of a foreign power.

Von Caprivi.

LONDON, April 15.—The *Times* correspondent at Berlin says if Chancellor Von Caprivi succeeds in retaining the good impression he has produced upon all parties he will be one of the most popular ministers that ever addressed a chamber. He was frequently interrupted by cheers, and when he finished there was a prolonged volley of applause.

Russian Military Activity.

LONDON, April 15.—The unusual military activity in Southern Russia has given rise to a variety of surmises as to its object, and probably Austria will be called upon to make formal enquiry. The nobility residing in the Russian Provinces of Volhynia have joined in a petition to the Czar, praying His Majesty to prohibit the Germans from acquiring estates in Central Russia.

Natural Gas Fired.

ANTWERP, April 14.—Considerable excitement was caused here this morning by the news that natural gas at Kiuppe, six miles distant, at a depth of 148 feet. While boring for water the gas shot up and displaced the water. The well has been piped and the gas is burning fiercely, and indications are that a large amount exists. Crowds are visiting the spot.

Socialist Riots.

LONDON, April 15.—A serious riot occurred in Rome today as the result of an action of the police in dispersing a Socialist meeting. The meeting was the largest one of its character ever held in Rome and, emboldened by the great increase in the numbers of their audience, the speakers who addressed the gathering indulged in revolutionary harangues of the most violent description, while their listeners evinced their approval by howls, cheers and curses, as the sentiments expressed demanded. The police were finally ordered to disperse the crowd and were attacked with stones, clubs, etc., until they were compelled to charge upon the mob with deadly weapons. The rioters were scattered, several of them severely wounded and the police made a number of arrests.

The Mad Prophet.

STOCKTON, Cal., April 15.—Erickson, the mad prophet, who predicted the destruction of Oakland, San Francisco, and Alameda, was interviewed at the insane asylum today by a Postal Press correspondent regarding the failure of his prophecy to come true. He was at a loss to account for it on any ground other than that the Almighty had changed his mind. He thinks that the prayers of himself and followers may have influenced God to delay the tidal wave for a few days, and he urges his followers to remain on the hill-tops until he can get some information from the Lord telling him what to do next.

Portuguese Negotiations Still Unsettled.

LONDON, April 14.—In the Commons this evening Sir James Ferguson stated that the negotiations with Portugal in regard to Delagoa Bay were still unsettled. He would not, however, doubt the good faith of the Portuguese Government, which had declared that it would not sanction any expedition pending negotiations. Germany, he said, had sent assurances that the Emin expedition would be confined to the German sphere.

Gilbert's Starch Factory Burned.

DES MOINES, Ia., April 14.—Gilbert's immense five-story starch factory at Chesterfield, the southeastern part of the city, was destroyed by fire at noon today. The loss will probably reach $300,000; insurance $200,000. The property was reported as turned over to the starch trust a few days ago. The factory employed 125 men and about as many more children.

Louisiana Lottery Prizes.

NEW ORLEANS, April 15.—The following are the principal prizes in today's drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery: 1st, 21,303; 2nd, 27,994; 3rd, 41,669; 4th, 71,088; 5th, 30,998; 6th, 25,147; 7th, 98,734; 8th, 60,062; 9th, 27,614; 10th, 78,477; 11th, 85,428.

Miners Consolidate.

COLUMBUS, O., April 15.—The miners of Ohio in convention today voted to consolidate into a single organization in the state, to be known as the District Six of the United Mine Workers of America. Late in the day the miners and mine owners met in a joint conference, to discuss a scale of wages, but adjourned until tomorrow without taking action.

Natural Gas in Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Natural gas was struck today while boring for water at the corner of Canal and Randolph Streets. A match applied to it caused the blaze to shoot up twenty feet high. It burned for an hour when it was quelled. The work of boring will be resumed tomorrow when experts will be present.

THE BILL AT LAST!

THE BILL FOR RE-DISTRIBUTION INTRODUCED.

Ottawa News—The Territories Bill—Further Complications in the Burchell Murder Case—A Princely Suitor—Provincial Elections—A Jane Hanging.

VICTORIA, April 15.—[Special to TRUTH.]—In the House this afternoon Cunningham presented the report of the North Arm Bridge Committee, the substance of which was wired to TRUTH six weeks ago. The Opposition claimed that it was a direct expression of censure on the Chief Commissioner, and expected his resignation. An excited debate is likely to arise on the motion to adopt the report, notice of which has already been given. The Premier, amid Opposition cries of "At last!" introduced the Redistribution Bill to increase the representation in the Legislature to 33 members, dividing Kootenay into two districts with a member for each, giving Vancouver City two members, Nanaimo City one, Alberni one, and the Islands of the Gulf one. The bills had not yet been distributed and TRUTH was fortunate in securing a copy even before the members of the House. The Premier moved for the second reading on Wednesday. The Opposition in an amendment moved that the second reading be set for the last day of the month, Cunningham alone of the treasury members voted for the amendment. The original motion carried.

EVENING—On motion for a committee of supply this evening the Finance Minister went into complete refutation of the charges made by the Opposition on the presentation of the estimates. Beaven replied, and the Premier, in a two-hour speech reviewed the policy of the Opposition in reference to the Greer claim, the Muir case, and the management of the Educational Department. Semlin replied to the Premier, devoting principal attention to educational matters. The supplementaries were passed through the committee.

NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

Alien Labor Law—Dual Languages Again—Jamaica Exhibition—Davin and Dewdney.

OTTAWA, April 15.—The committee on alien labor met this morning and decided to recommend that the attention of the authorities at Washington be called to the oppressive application of the alien labor law of the United States, and that Taylor's bill be delayed in order to give an opportunity for these representations to be made. If the representations fail to recommend themselves, some measures dealing with the grievances complained of will be adopted next session.

The Northwest Territories Bill is fixed for the committee stage in the Senate today, when Bellerose's motion to strike out the clause concerning the dual language is expected to give rise to an animated debate.

Dalton McCarthy is reported as saying that when the bill reaches the Commons he will oppose the same clause. The united action of Bellerose and McCarthy against the compromise arrived at by the Commons is only a further proof of the wisdom of that settlement.

Last night when the clerk had announced the result of the division Bergeron arose and said that French was not yet abolished in the Commons and asked, therefore, to have the figures read in French, which was done.

Canada will be officially represented at the Jamaica exhibition next year and will make a representative display.

The Government are determined not to make any alteration in the quarantine regulations with regard to the importation of American cattle for the purpose of bolstering up Bender's scheme.

McCallum's Railroad Ditch Bill was rejected by the Commons this evening.

Davin occupied the House all day on Northwest matters. There were two or three unpleasant encounters between Hon. Mr. Dewdney and Davin.

The motion of Watson for an enquiry into Col. Herchmer's administration was negatived by 24 majority.

Mrs. Barnard left for home tonight, owing to the illness of her father. Little Miss Prior accompanies her.

Will Wed a Prince.

TORONTO, April, 15.—Alexander Cameron, a wealthy Toronto lawyer, who married a rich Detroit widow named Ward, has returned from Europe, but Mrs. Cameron and his stepdaughter, Miss Ward, are still in Paris, and it is announced to the friends of the young heiress that she will in June be wed to Prince Debengon Caramas, of France. Miss Ward is but 17 years old. With her bride the prince will receive an income of nearly $150,000 a year.

Both Hands Torn Off.

CARBERRY, Man., April 14.—A. E. Cameron, head miller at the Roller Mill Company, had both hands torn off this morning, being caught in the rolls and mangled above the wrists. He lately came here from Iroquois, Ont.

The Canada Western.

WINNIPEG, April 14.—It is said that surveys for the new Canada Northwestern Road, to be built from Victoria, B.C., to Winnipeg, will be commenced this spring. The Grand Trunk and Northern Pacific are uniting to build the line. The new line will cross at Bute Inlet, and Victoria will be reached by an extension of the Island road.

Provincial General Elections.

MONTREAL, April 15.—An intimate friend of Mercier says the Government has been approached by the three premiers of Ontario, Quebec, and Nova Scotia to have the provincial general elections take place simultaneously on the 10th of June, and nominations a week earlier. It is believed the official *Gazette* of Saturday will contain the proclamation.

Further Complications.

BRANTFORD, April 15.—An interesting discovery that may still further complicate the Burchell murder case has just been made here. On the Commercial Hotel register was the name of F. C. Benwell, which was supposed to have been placed there by Burchill's victim. It is now learned that it was written by another young Englishman, who left for this country a few weeks before the Princeton tragedy, and who, curiously enough, bore exactly the same patronymic as Burchell's friend. As Burchell has all along averred that the supposed murdered Benwell is alive, likely an attempt will be made to identify the murdered man as the one registered at the hotel here.

Railway Matters.

By reference to an advertisement printed elsewhere in this paper, it will be seen that tenders are called for the furnishing of material and the construction of a wharf opposite the city of New Westminster, for the Southern Railway Company. The wharf is to be completed by the 1st of June, at which time the shipload of rails is expected to arrive, and also a locomotive.

In conversation with Mr. G. P. Janes, engineer in charge, yesterday afternoon, TRUTH learned that the line was all under contract between Blaine and Fairhaven, and that the new line along the water front from Fairhaven to Whatcom had been adopted and the construction is under contract, including a pile bridge about a mile in length in front of Whatcom City. The road is all slashed and cleared between here and Blaine, with the exception of about a mile now being cleared by Mr. Leamy. The work of laying the rails will commence at Brownsville about the first of June. The locomotives will arrive about the same time. It is the intention of the company to have the road completed through to Seattle before next January. There are now a couple of camps grading the road below the Skagit River, and the whole line will be cleared and prepared for tracklayers inside of four months. There are several parties at work on the eastern branch to Spokane Falls. Mr. Janes said that he had no knowledge of any arrangement having yet been arrived at in regard to a ferry across the Fraser, and did not know where the bridge would be located, even if the company decided to build one.

Hotel Arrivals.

AT HOTEL DOUGLAS—Thomas H. Rolston, W. H. Travis, City; M. McLennan, Yale; J. Workman, Popcum; D. W. Paisley, Vancouver.

AT THE COLONIAL—A. Robertson, John Campbell, A. Williams, E. R. Spaulding, R. D. Manning, A. Wilson, A. H. B. Macgaman, Fred Miller, A. W. Wright, Vancouver; John Kirkland, Delta; Charles F. Lowe, W. J. McKay, Victoria; Thomas Kidd and wife, Thomas Paine, Lulu Island; John Kallsen, W. Gerbrich, W. J. Smith, Blaine; E. S. Romans, S. G. Kennedy, A. B. Gregg, Port Hammond; D. McGillivray, Sumas; D. McEdwards, Okanagan; George A. List, Seattle; G. T. Corfield, Corfield, B.C.

C. O. O. F. M. U.

Loyal Waverly Lodge, No. 149, was inaugurated in Victoria on Saturday, the 12th, D. D. G. M. Wm. E. O'Haway, of this city, recently of Queen Victoria Lodge, Ingersoll, Ont., assisted by Dr. Wade, of Victoria, performed the ceremony, there being twenty-eight charter candidates. The ritual of this great home institution was very impressive. The AI, assurance and endowment fund is a great feature of this order. The policies taken up in the above lodge aggregate $20,000.

University Library Fund.

TORONTO, April 14.—The Toronto University Library resuscitation fund amounts to over $20,000, and many contributions of books, including a copy of the Queen's primal, given by Her Majesty.

Father Willoughby Dead.

BRANTFORD, April 14.—Rev. Mr. Willoughby, better known as Father Willoughby, is dead. Father Willoughby has been in active service in connection with the Methodist Church in this section for more than 50 years.

Another Skeleton Found.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., April 14.—A white and dry skeleton was found near here yesterday, at the base of a precipitious bank of the Niagara River. The clothing was in a fair state of preservation and an inquest will be held immediately. The skeleton is believed to be that of Robert Thompson, who disappeared from this place three years ago.

Of the Entire C.P.R. System.

WINNIPEG, April 14.—It is stated among C.P.R. officials here that David Preston, of Montreal, has been appointed headmaster mechanic of the entire C.P.R. system, from Halifax to Vancouver.

Hughes Nominated.

TORONTO, April 14.—James L. Hughes, public school inspector, has formally accepted the nomination of the Conservative Association of Peel for the Ontario Legislature.

Fifty Cents on the Dollar.

DETROIT, Mich., April 15.—The Detroit Steel and Spring Company, the largest concern of its kind in the United States, has suspended payment with liabilities amounting to $300,000. Their plant occupies over five acres of ground and employs over 400 men. The company proposed to its creditors to settle for 50 cents on the dollar. This offer was accepted and under the terms of compromise the works will not be closed.

A Whole Family Poisoned.

HAGERSVILLE, Ont., April 15.—The family of William Nicholson, a farmer, were poisoned on Saturday by eating wild parsnips, which they took to be carrots. One boy aged 10 has died, and a girl, aged 13, is in a critical condition. The others will recover.

Sentenced to Hang.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., April 15.—Peter Davis was today sentenced to hang on June 20th, for the murder of William Emery in Marmora Township. Mrs. Emery was acquitted. Undue intimacy of Davis with Mrs. Emery led to the murder.

To Buy off Lithographing Plants.

PHILADELPHIA, April 15.—The *Press* says that a syndicate said to represent $200,000,000 has been formed to buy up all the lithographing plants of the country.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

"At last!" That was the cry with which the Opposition greeted the Premier when he rose to introduce the redistribution bill in the Legislature yesterday. They had been patiently waiting for that measure for some weeks, and the suspense was at last broken. Some inkling had previously got abroad as to the provisions of the measure, but there was nothing very definite.

As will be seen by a perusal of our telegraphic columns the Government, so far as the whole Province is concerned, has paid little attention to the principle of "representation by population." But, indeed, it is not much to be blamed for that, because it would be impossible to carry that principle out with any degree of justice to the constituencies. We have compiled for the convenience of our readers a table of the constituencies, giving the number of representatives and voters in each. The number of voters is taken from a return made by the Government about a month ago of the voters then registered and those who had applied for registration at that time. We have added the number of applicants in each case to the number registered and have given the sum as the total number of voters. The figures are no doubt inaccurate in some cases,—the lists have been increased somewhat since—but the increase cannot have been great, and as it will have been distributed all round, the figures we give will prove as near as possible the proportionate voting strength of the various constituencies. The Province will, therefore, be represented under the new bill about as follows:

ISLAND.	No. of Rep.	No. of Voters.
Victoria City	1	2,61
Victoria District	1	47
Esquimalt	1	13
Nanaimo City and District	1	1,658
Alberni District	1	13
Comox District	1	213
Cowichan District	1	302
Gulf Island	1	190
	10	7,501
MAINLAND.		
Cariboo District	1	355
Yale District	1	1,511
Lillooet District	1	218
Kootenay District	1	448
Vancouver City	1	3,615
Delta	1	536
New Westminster District	1	1,176
New Westminster City	1	1,480
	11	9,361
Grand Total	21	16,862

A closer inspection of these figures will show that there is an average of 481 voters to each representative. The average on the Island is 469, and on the Mainland 492. Now, if the above figures can be relied on, it is apparent that while the Island has something the best of it, the difference is not really very great. Exception must be taken, however, to the distribution of seats among the cities and more populous parts of the Province. For instance, according to the figures, Victoria is given a member for each 994 voters, Nanaimo one for each 553 voters, while Vancouver has only one for each 1,700 voters, and New Westminster one for each 1,480 voters. Now, under other circumstances, this might not be any disadvantage, because one member each for the four cities might be as useful as two, three, or four. But in a contest between Island and Mainland, where certain outlying sections of the Mainland are disposed to "side in" with the Island, it is apparent that the Government may be open to a charge of gerrymandering in giving those outlying sections a larger proportion of representatives than they are entitled to, or, in other words, giving them two or three seats which should be held by the coast cities and districts. That is the point of attack on the Government's bill, and we shall expect to see a vigorous onslaught made upon it.

So far as we have been able to ascertain public sentiment in this city, it is strongly hostile to the bill. How far that hostility may be able to force the hand of the Government remains to be seen. The Mainland Association if it has any power within it at all, has its course of action plainly marked out for it. But the very difficulty which we pointed out with regard to that association at the time of its organization has arisen. It started out with no well defined work before it, and now that the time has come to act, there are such defections in its ranks that even its name must be regarded as a misnomer. The Mainland Association will hereafter be taken to mean the New Westminster District Association. Whatever power or authority it may have remaining will be regarded as sectional, not general. It is useless to attempt an organization for political purposes without a definite and specific purpose in view which is well understood. Otherwise weakness instead of strength will be developed; and although we were berated rather severely by the leading gentlemen at Vancouver for expressing that view at the time, the history of this movement clearly indicates the correctness of the principle we then enunciated. The Mainland Association has done no good; possibly some harm; and we fear it is now practically powerless.

However, something may yet be done. The situation might with advantage be discussed at a public meeting, at which resolutions could be passed setting forth the feeling of the people on the question, and means adopted to impress the Government with the necessity for an amendment of the bill. We have no hesitation at all in expressing the opinion that Cariboo, with only 355 voters and three seats in the Legislature, has just two seats too many. It was a blunder on the part of the paper that mentioned that fact some weeks ago, at the very time when a "Mainland" association was being formed, but now that the cat is out of the bag, the injustice should be removed, and there should be no hesitation in demanding it. Not only Cariboo but other districts may very properly have attention. Let some action be speedily taken.

His Brother's Errand.

Mr. John Chisholm, elder brother of the late Donald Chisholm, M. P., arrived in this city from Alpena, Michigan, on Monday last, having left home immediately on receipt of the intelligence of his brother's death. Mr. Chisholm bears a considerable resemblance in person to our late representative, but is possessed of a more robust constitution. He is a prominent citizen of Alpena, and has occupied several important state positions in his time. He will remain some weeks in this Province gathering reminiscences of his deceased brother to whom he had been much attached.

Indianapolis Carpenters Out.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 15.—Seven hundred street carpenters struck today for eight hours. One hundred non-union men and fifteen union men are still at work. The contractors will hold a meeting tonight to take action.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS, ENDORSED "PROposals for Wharf," and addressed to J. J. Donovan, Chief Engineer Fairhaven, are to reach, and will be received up to 12 o'clock p.m. Friday, April 16th, 1897, at the office of the New Westminster Southern Railway Company, Mannix Block, N. W., for furnishing all materials for and constructing complete a wharf on the Fraser River, opposite New Westminster, B.C.

Plans and specifications for the same can be examined at the office of the company.

The company reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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CLOW & MACLURE,

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[illegible] Lodge No. 3. 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. TYLER, Secretary.

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

A. J. MICHIE, Rec. Sec.

W. C. T. U.—Regular meeting every Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in the Orange Hall, corner of Royal Avenue and John streets. The Loyal Temperance Legion meets at the same place every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock; the Young Ladies' Committee the 1st Thursday afternoon in each month; and the Literary Temperance League for grown up people every Friday night from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock. M. A. CUNNINGHAM, president; Cor. Sec., Mrs. G. W. GRANT.

New Westminster District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Squawmisht River Valley, New Westminster District, have been surveyed and that plans of the same can be seen at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, and at the office of Charles Warwick, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, New Westminster.

TOWNSHIP 50.

Fractional N. E. ¼, fractional N. W. ¼ and fractional S. W. ¼ of Section 1; Section 2; Section 3; E. ½ and S. W. ¼ of Section 10; Section 11; fractional S. E. ¼, fractional S. W. ¼ and fractional N. W. ¼ of Section 12; S. ½ and E. ½ of Section 14; E. ½ and N. W. ¼ of Section 15; E. ½ and N. W. ¼ of Section 21; Section 22; W. ½ of Section 23; Section 27; Section 28; S. E. ¼ of Section 33 and Section 34.

Claimants to any portion of these lands must file a statement of the same with the Government Agent for the District within two months from the date of this notice, as provided by section 4 of the "Land Act" Consolidated Statutes.

Blank forms for declaration may be obtained at the Government Agent's Office, New Westminster, and at this Department.

F. G. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 30th March, 1897.

NOTICE

Supply of School Furniture.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 1st day of May next, for supplying the Education Department with school desks.

The desks must be of an approved pattern, with iron frames and hardwood tops, in all respects fully up to the standard of a sample to be seen at this office. Preference will be given to home manufacture, all points of quality being equal.

Tenders must give full particulars, and must state the price for each desk and for each seat delivered set up ready for use in the school houses at Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver and New Westminster, in such quantities and at such times as may be ordered.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 26th March, 1897.

NOTICE

WE THE UNDERSIGNED HARDWARE merchants of New Westminster agree to close our respective places of business at 6 o'clock sharp on Saturday afternoons in and after Saturday, May 3rd, 1897, and to remain closed until Monday morning.

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(Continued from yesterday.)

Carter Cooke was at this time called southward on business, and the major slid into his place in spite of his years and displayed an attentiveness that led people to suspect that he had pretensions. To the surprise of Mrs. Burroughs this grew into an almost confidential intimacy. Cooke seemed to have been forgotten in his absence, and Bittles chuckled. The gallant ex-officer showed himself to be under a spell, and expressed his admiration in the most positive terms.

"I assuah you, my deah madam," said he to the widow, "that Miss Alchuh is a young lady, that, besides her youth and beauty, has mo' of the cotely mannah of the fulest families of Virginiah than any gentlewoman except you'self, that I have had the good fawchune to meet yet in society."

Letty and the major got along famously, and his adulation apparently quite supplied the absence of Cooke. This was supplemented by the attentions of her guardian, who became kind and bland again.

Letty's twenty-first birthday came around, and Mrs. Burroughs' stately mansion was thrown open in honor of the event. It was an informal reception, to last during the day. The major was specially invited; so was Carter Cooke, who had just returned from his place at Highover, where he had been superintending repairs and alterations in the old family mansion. Bittles was there, of course, gorgeously arrayed in honor of the occasion.

About noon Letty was missing, and the absence of the major was noted. Cooke had not yet come. Letty was not to be found in the house, but one of the servants had noticed that she and the major had gone out together, entered a coach in waiting on the corner, and been driven away. It was most extraordinary, and Bittles grew excited over the fact. The guests present heard of it, and admitted that it was a singular thing at such a time. It was, probably, a girlish freak, to result in some surprise; and so it proved.

At 1 o'clock a number of coaches drew up before the door. From the foremost of these descended the major, who handed out Letty, who was followed by Cooke. From the other coaches there alighted a number of "the set." It was quite a little procession that filed in, the major at the head, as proud and self appreciating as a drum major at the head of a street parade.

"Well, here you are," said Bittles. "I really began to fear, major, that you and my ward had eloped."

"Nothing of that kind, sah, I assuah yuh," replied the other. "I was me'ly the best man on this joyful occasion. I have the honah to introduce you to Mr. and Mrs. Cahnah Cooke!"

"Married!" gasped Bittles, aghast.

"Yes, sah," responded Cooke. "My bishop in the shape of a surpliced clergyman has enabled me to capture your queen." And he drew Letty's arm within his own.

"Very well, sir. Miss Archer is of age and has a right. But, as she has married without my consent, she has thrown away a large fortune for a beggarly five thousand a year. I shall search for the heirs of Catherine Sinclair to-morrow. You have taken the queen; I cry check to the king, sir!"

"Excuse me, sir," retorted Cooke, "but you utterly mistake the situation on the board. Mrs. Cooke will have a larger allowance of pin money. I shall make it ten thousand, with an unlimited command of a check book, which your action has made equal to a heavy drain."

"My action! pooh! stuff!"

"Oh, no, sir. You need not hunt far to-morrow. My cousin here, Maj. Bolling, who is the genealogist to both families, can show you by the record that Catherine Sinclair, daughter of Gordon Sinclair, married with the fourth Carter Cooke, of Highover, and unfortunately died three years since, four years after her husband. She left one heir, a son, the fifth Carter Cooke, whom I have the honor to present to you as the husband of your ward and the happiest man on earth. Mr. Bittles, checkmate!"—Thomas Dunn English in New York Ledger.

Rat Plagues.

The plague which the agriculturists of England are now suffering from the ravages of rats is not without precedent in Canada. The nearest approach to this rat plague is the plague of mice which visited Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia in the early part of the century. As long ago as 1609 the undue prevalence of mice in Prince Edward Island, or the Island of St. John as it was then called, was noted by the French settlers; and in 1774, both on that island and on the adjacent main land, a complaint came that these animals were again too numerous and too familiar. In the latter year the mice visited the fields and ate up everything, including the potatoes, just saving finished this disastrous work they turned their attention to leather, and consumed the leather binding of settlers' books.—Ottawa Telegram.

Cowhide Horseshoes.

In England, and on many parts of the continent, they have been for a long time using the Yates horseshoe, one made by compressing common cowhide. It is composed of three thicknesses of the cow skin pressed into a steel mould, and then subjected to a chemical preparation. It is claimed for it that it is much lighter, that it lasts longer, and that split hoofs are never known in horses shod with it. It is perfectly smooth on the bottom, no calks being required, the shoe adhering firmly on the most polished surface. Its elasticity prevents many strains, the horses' steps being lighter and surer. Straw, treated with chemicals unknown, has been used for horseshoes for centuries in Japan. Perhaps some American genius will give us a paper horseshoe, who knows?—St. Louis Republican.

Every now and then, as we journey through this vale from the cradle to the grave, it becomes necessary for us to say good-by. Generally it is said in sadness and with a sigh. We wring the hand of the departing friend, the sorrowful tears are shed, then the bell rings and the train goes around the curve. This is the good-by that sticks in the throat like a large three cornered lump and persistently refuses to be swallowed. After this kind of a farewell we go home feeling that something has gone out of life. We are like the man who puts his foot for another step at the top of the dark stairway and finds suddenly that it isn't there.

Then there is the farewell that is said with a hilarious chuckle of joy. We say it to the bill collector, whom we have with us always, or have had for a long time. We say it to the tore, the spring poet, to the man who reads the exchanges and to the writer who invariably refers to a bear as bruin.

The sweetest good-by is that of the girl at her father's front gate, when only you or I and the girl and twinkling stars are present. To some of us it is only a memory, this kind of a farewell, but it is a memory that will remain fresh and green long after we have passed that callow age.

The saddest good-by is the one that is said by the side of an open grave.—

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between F. R. Richards and S. T. Mackintosh, carrying on a Real Estate and General Financial business in the City of New Westminster, B. C., under the firm name of Richards & Mackintosh, has been dissolved by mutual consent, such dissolution to date from the 1st day of April 1890.

All liabilities of the late firm being assumed by S. T. Mackintosh who will continue to carry on the business (under the firm name of S. T. Mackintosh & Co.) and to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.

F. G. RICHARDS, JR.
S. T. MACKINTOSH.

Witness:
A. B. MACKENZIE.

Dated 14th April, 1890. 189-4t.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DONALD CHISHOLM DECEASED. Creditors are requested to send their claims with proper proof thereof, and debtors to pay their accounts forthwith to Miss Annie Chisholm of New Westminster, executrix of the will of the deceased.

ARMSTRONG, ECKSTEIN & GAYNOR,
Solicitors for Executrix.

Dated 13th April, 1890. 189-4t.

Kootenay District.

FERRIES.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Tuesday, 20th day of May next, for the right of maintaining and operating a Ferry at each of the following places for one year from the 1st of June next, viz:

At the points where the trail between Sproat's Landing and Nelson crosses the Slocan and the Kootenay River.

The ferry right to extend five miles above and five miles below the respective points indicated.

Any party to whom a charter may be awarded shall provide all necessary appliances for the proper working of a ferry suitable for the traffic and to the satisfaction of the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. He will be allowed the use of any plant now at the ferry site, which is the property of the Government, free of charge.

He will be allowed to collect toll at the following rates, viz:

For every passenger	10 cents.
" " horse or mule	25 "
" " spring wagon and buggy	50 "
" " freight wagon	50 "
" " head of cattle	25 "
" " sheep, pig, goat	10 "
" " one hundred pounds of freight (excepting mining machinery, which shall be carried free)	5 "

Return pack animals and freight teams to pass free.

Tenders must state the amount of rental to be paid to the Government for the privilege, and with each tender must be submitted the names of two responsible parties willing to sign a bond for the sum of $1,000 for the faithful carrying out of the contract.

All officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight, to pass free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 12th April, 1890. 189-5t.

To the Electors of New Westminster District:

GENTLEMEN: I am a candidate for the honor of representing our District in the House of Commons and will lay my views before you at an early date.

WM. B. TOWNSEND.

New Westminster, April 15, '90.
4189-6t. 191-3t.

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., 29th March, 1890.

The time for receiving the above tenders is hereby extended till noon on Monday, 21st April, 1890.

188-5d. H. ABBOTT, Trustee.

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF NEW Westminster, in the estate of Edward Hall, deceased. All persons having claims against the above estate are required 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. 177-4t.

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To the Electors!

At the request of a number of prominent residents of the District of New Westminster, I have consented to become a candidate for the position of Representative of the District in the House of Commons.

I shall take the earliest opportunity to fully inform the electors of my views upon all questions affecting the District.

Gordon E. Corbould

New Westminster, April 14, '90

VOTERS!

Do not sign any requisition for a candidate for the representation of New Westminster District in the House of Commons until the writ is issued.

[Signed.] C. D. RAND.

For self and many others.

Vancouver, April 12th, 1890. 187-tf.

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Tenders for Moody Square

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Hall, New Westminster, up to 6 p.m. on Monday, April 21st, 1890, for the clearing and grading of Moody Square.

Tenders to be addressed to the "Chairman of the Park Committee," and endorsed "Tenders for Clearing and Grading Moody Square."

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a deposit equal to five per cent of amount of tender, which shall be forfeited if party tendering refuses or neglects to enter into a contract when called upon to do so. In the event of a tender not being accepted the deposit will be returned.

Plans and specifications may be seen in the City Engineer's office, City Hall.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

M. SINCLAIR,
Chairman Park Committee.

New Westminster, April 12, 1890. 187-7t

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 320 acres more or less.

S. T. MACKINTOSH.
ANDREW LEAMY.
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New Westminster, 10th March, 1890. 182-6t

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NOTICE

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. 185-1m

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-tf.

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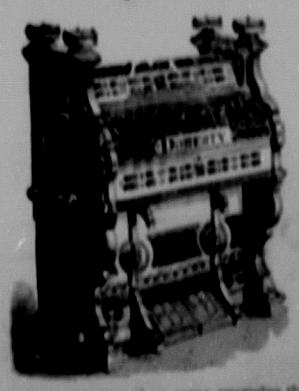

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CITY NEWS

The Mail Subsidy Question in the Local Legislature—Supplementary Estimates—Construction of Ackerman Bros.' New Mill—Local Brevities—The Lacrosse Minstrels at Opera House—Other Amusements in the Near Future—A Fine Sloop Launched by McPhee Bros.

THE MAIL SUBSIDY

For Steamers Between Victoria and New Westminster.

In the Local Legislature on Monday Mr. Cunningham introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, a resolution praying his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor to call the attention of the Dominion Government to the omission in the estimates for the current year of an appropriation for a subsidy for carrying Her Majesty's mails between the ports of New Westminster and Victoria, was unanimously adopted by this House on the 18th day of February, 1890; and whereas the said resolution was duly submitted by his Honor, and a reply thereto has been received and presented to this House; and whereas it appears from the tenor of said reply that the Dominion Government has not fully understood the nature and extent of the inconvenience and serious commercial loss that must be sustained by the settlers and those engaged in the various industrial enterprises on the Fraser River, between New Westminster and the Gulf of Georgia, by the discontinuance of said mail (subsidy) service; and whereas, it is the opinion of this House that it is the first duty of the Dominion Government to encourage and foster the development of agriculture, lumbering, fishing and mining throughout the Province by affording ample mail facilities, irrespective of an apparent temporary loss to the revenue of the post-office department; be it therefore

Resolved, that an humble address be presented to his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying his Honor to further urge upon the Dominion Government the pressing necessity of maintaining a tri-weekly mail service between the aforesaid ports.

Hon. Mr. Turner, in seconding the resolution, said that he considered the subject dealt with one of the greatest importance to all parts of the Province, as it dealt with provincial trade. The mail service, as the honorable mover had said, had been neglected by the Dominion Government, who had made the mistake of reducing instead of increasing the efficiency of the British Columbia postal facilities.

Hon. Mr. Robson remarked that there was one portion of the communication from the Dominion Government that was particularly unhappy. The Victoria-New Westminster service was therein pronounced useless and unprofitable. It might not be at present profitable to the department, but it was of the greatest importance to the communities on the Fraser. The whole difficulty in this case arose, he was afraid, from a pigeonhole policy adopted by the Dominion Government. The interests of the department were the interests of the public, and the postal authorities had no right to shut their eyes to the facts as they had in this matter. He considered it very unfortunate that the people at Ottawa should look at the question in such a narrow and unstatesmanlike manner, and he hoped that the passage of this resolution would have the effect of causing them to reconsider their decision and take the action which the resolution recommended.

Mr. Orr thought that the resolution did not go far enough. He hoped to see the Dominion Government induced to subsidize a line of steamers making weekly trips along the west coast of the Mainland. He cordially endorsed the resolution.

Mr. Ladner spoke of the amount of business that was being done in the section referred to, saying that unless the steamers were subsidized for mail purposes, no consideration would be given postal requirements. He referred to the handsome subsidies given to mail steamers going to Alberni and elsewhere, and strongly insisted on the necessity of the postal authorities meeting the requirements of the New Westminster District.

Hon. Mr. Brown blamed the Provincial Government for treating the subject so cavalierly and proceeded to quote from the correspondence on the subject which had been laid before the House. The Provincial Government had really made no suggestions; they had been absolutely silent, and had merely forwarded the bald proposition that had passed the House, without any of the admirable arguments which had been advanced in favor of retaining the mail subsidy. If this were the manner in which this Government dealt with the affairs of the Province, no wonder the Dominion authorities treated British Columbia as they were in the habit of doing. It was well enough to pass resolutions, but without arguments and reasons, how could it be expected the Dominion authorities would change their policy?

Hon. Mr. Davie said that a well worded resolution of this kind would have more effect than a long, windy and wordy correspondence or discussion. Nothing was to be gained by other than dealing with the Dominion Government in friendly terms.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said he had no idea of treating the Dominion Government in other than the most courteous terms.

Hon. Mr. Davie, continuing, said that members might rest assured that the Government had never neglected their duty in matters like this. Indeed, it never had been the practice here or elsewhere to recapitulate old debates in preference to a short, pithy and forcible resolution. Indeed, when Mr. Beaven's friends were in power they did nothing to further provincial interests, as, for instance, in connection with the Chinese question. This had been the statement of Sir John Macdonald when, in response to the representations of the present Government, action was taken, and he was not in the habit of stating officially an otherwise what was not the truth.

Mr. Grant said that mail facilities had great weight in inducing settlement or the carrying out of enterprises; and in connection with this Province in many localities the Dominion authorities had been criminally neglectful in this respect.

Mr. Cunningham urged the necessity of making a forcible representation to the Dominion authorities.

The resolution was adopted.

Supplementary Estimates.

The following supplementary estimates affecting this district have been brought down in the Local House: Registrar of Supreme and County Courts, New Westminster (additional to vote), $1,000; North Arm Road, $2,000; road from Hastings to McLaren Ross Mill, $1,000.

Ackerman Bros' Mill.

A visit to the sawmill of the Messrs. Ackerman yesterday developed the fact that they are well under way with the work of construction. The building is nearly finished, the boiler has been set and bricked in, the engine is in position with proper connections, and several of the machines are set ready for steam to start them going. The mill occupies an admirable position on the north shore of the North Arm of the Fraser, opposite the head of Poplar Island, where the depth of water at the wharf is a little over twenty feet at low tide. Pelham Street, a large thoroughfare, strikes the river just at the east side of the mill, and will prove a fine outlet for traffic by land. The principle output of the mill will be small work, such as sashes, doors, blinds, office furniture, etc., although they will be prepared to fill orders for lumber as well. They expect to be running full blast in about two weeks.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Delaware goes up river this morning.

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Mr. Justice Walkem and wife returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon.

WANTED—A girl to do general household work. Mrs. Curtis. 189-tf.

The sockeyes have not yet made their appearance in the usual large quantities.

Yesterday was a fine spring day, really the only one we have had this year.

Captain Thain left yesterday for Victoria on a short visit.

Mr. W. D. Ferris returned home to the capital yesterday.

Overalls from 25 cents up, at J. E. Phillips. 187-tf.

Judge Bole was a passenger by train last night from Vancouver.

Mr. J. Harling got home last night from a short visit to Vancouver.

Mr. McLennan, Yale, and J. Workman, Popcum, are guests at Hotel Douglas.

D. McGillivray, Sumas, and D. Edwards, Okanagan, are at the Colonist.

MONEY TO LOAN—Armstrong, Eckstein & Gaynor. 180-tf.

Several members of the Bicycle Club were out yesterday with their steeds.

Judge Bole held County Court at Vancouver yesterday.

Ald. Johnson's proposed new fire limit raised a howl in the city yesterday.

The Yosemite is due at 3 o'clock today from Victoria.

Several farmers along the lower Fraser have begun seeding.

The building formerly occupied by the Bank of Montreal is being fitted up as a store.

Now is the time to buy coal. Only think, $6.25 per ton! Pity the "cut" hadn't taken place last winter.

The Lacrosse Minstrels appear in Herring's Opera House tonight. Go and see them, and have a good time.

In a few days the Water Commissioners will take a run up to Coquitlam Lake to view the source of the new water supply.

WANTED—Boy wanted at once to drive a delivery wagon. Apply to W. & G. Wolfenden, Columbia Street. 185-2ts.

Mr. J. D. Townley, assistant superintendent of the western division of the C.P.R., came over from Vancouver last night.

As a general rule householders have cleaned up their back yards and alleys, in accordance with the order of the Council; but still there remain some very bad cases.

WANTED—Young girl (11 to 13) to assist in care of infant for part of day only. Duties very light. Address M. M., TRUTH office. 185-tf.

The steamer Delaware will give an excursion up the river some day next week, when the water is high enough to render navigation safe.

Mr. R. E. Gosnell, late city editor of the Vancouver *News-Advertiser*, has formed a partnership with Messrs. C. Whatham & Co., of Vancouver.

The Local Government have granted a subsidy of $1,500 to the widow of the late Premier, Hon. A. E. B. Davie, and $500 to the widow of the late Edward Allen.

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A meeting of the Directors of TRUTH Printing Company will be held at the Secretary's office on Wednesday, 16th inst., at 11 a.m. By order of the President. S. T. Mackintosh, Secretary. 189-1t

Mr. George Gilley's pile driver is at work piling the foundation for Messrs. Batchelor & Duncan's new cannery on Lulu Island. The outer buildings in connection with the cannery are also in course of erection.

Mr. T. H. Hatherly leaves today by train for Revelstoke where he will put the engines in the new steamer building for the C.P.N. Co. by Mr. Alexander Watson, and which will ply on the Columbia River for the Kootenay trade.

On the first of next month Mr. G. H. Grant will remove his boot and shoe store to the opposite side of Columbia Street, in the building now occupied by Messrs. Ogle, Campbell & Co., the latter firm taking Mr. Grant's present premises.

The Dunsmuir arrived last night from Nanaimo with several passengers and 40 tons of coal for H. Elliott. She also had on board six head of horses from Vancouver consigned to parties in Nanaimo. She leaves at 6 this morning.

A football match will take place on Saturday next between the Westminster Juvenile team and the Vancouver Junior Club. A number of the citizens have subscribed a certain sum of money for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the home team on the occasion.

Candidates for the vacant seat at Ottawa are becoming quite numerous. In conversation with Mr. D. S. Curtis yesterday, it was learned that he has been persistently urged to let his name be used ever since the seat became vacant, but had just as persistently declined. However, he would take the matter seriously under consideration for a day or two, when he would give a definite and decided answer.

Coming Amusements.

Tonight the Lacrosse Minstrels will occupy Herring's Opera House. They have gained a favorable reputation, and should be encouraged by our people. There will be numerous local hits and paraphrases.

On April 21st and 22nd the Fisk Jubilee Singers will perform in the Opera House. They are well spoken of by the press, and there is no doubt they will have a successful season here.

On May 1st the world-renowned Cleveland's Original Haverly Minstrels will occupy the boards. Their name alone is enough to draw a full house.

On May 3rd New Westminster will be treated to a melange of Shakespearian comedy and tragedy in the readings of the well-known actress and elocutionist, Mrs. Scott-Siddons. There will be no question about her receiving a first-class reception.

On May 14th and 15th there will be a grand magic lantern exhibition of views taken in China and Japan.

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The Messrs. McPhee Bros., boatbuilders, whose factory and ways are located just west of the terminus of the C. P. R. tracks, yesterday launched a fine-looking sloop built for two Italians, who design to employ her in the halibut fishing trade at Cape Flattery. The firm have also under contract a fine steam launch designed for pleasure upon the Fraser River.

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