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Thursday Evening, 24th July, 1890, at 7:30 o'clock at the Opera House, New Westminster,
The whole of Suburban Lots, Numbered 8, 9, 35, 36, 37, and 38, Block 6, New Westminster,
Which have been divided into 41 City Lots, all of which have a frontage on wide and important streets, viz., St. George's Street, Mary Street, St. John's, Montreal and Pelham Streets.
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ON NEXT SUNDAY Evening, July 6, at St. Paul's Church, the Rector, Rev. Thomas Haddon, will, by request, preach a sermon to the Orangemen of this city. Members of the Order will meet in the Lodge Rooms at 6:30 o'clock, and proceed in a body to the Church.

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J. A. LAIDLAW.
New Westminster, March 5th, 1890.

Celebrating the "Fourth."

BERLIN, July 4.—American riflemen visiting here gave a banquet at the Kaiserhof Hotel this evening in honor of the anniversary of American independence. President Weber occupied the chair and among the guests were Minister Phelps and his wife, John Jay Knox and several other prominent Americans and many German riflemen. Minister Phelps delivered a speech in which he glorified America and lauded President Harrison, who, he said, saw full sweep of his country's prosperity and was neither dazzled nor shaken up, but kept his poise as rugged and firm as Washington. The Berlin Independents gave a two hours' concert on the balcony of the Kaiserhof Hotel this morning, beginning at 9 o'clock. Many American ladies and gentlemen were present. Among the airs played were "Hail Columbia," "The Watch on the Rhine," and "Heil Dir Im Siegerkranz."

ACROSS THE WATER

HAPPENINGS OF THE DAY IN AND ABOUT LONDON.

American Residents of London Celebrate their National Holiday by Speech and Banquet—Another Procession to Hyde Park—The Divorce Suit of Lord Dunlo—Mr. Caine Attaches Himself to the Gladstonian Party.

LONDON, July 4.—The anniversary of American independence was celebrated by Americans in London with the usual enthusiasm. W. C. H. White, first secretary of the United States legation, entertained a number of American guests at dinner, where the customary patriotic toasts and speeches were indulged in, and in many other ways prominent Americans residing or sojourning here, especially observed today. Colonel Gouraud's "Edison House" in the west end was literally covered with American and English flags and the stars and stripes flew from many other houses in various parts of the city from sunrise until sunset. A feature of Colonel Gouraud's celebration of the day was a phonograph reception, at which there was a large number of guests, mostly Americans. The programme consisted of phonographic recitations, including the declaration of independence, a message from President Harrison, General Sherman, Postmaster-General Wanamaker, Senator Evarts and others, and musical selections comprising national airs of America. Despatches from Paris, Berlin and Vienna state that the day was observed at the respective American legations in a similar manner.

In order to test the law regulating or prohibiting public meetings in parks, thousands of East Enders will march in several processions to Hyde Park tomorrow where preparations have been made to hold a mass meeting. It is probable that the police will interfere with the parades though no special order to that end has been promulgated and in that event the prohibition will be made the subject of parliamentary discussion.

The execution of Major Panitza has raised a feeling of indignation in official circles in St. Petersburg that is constantly increasing. The Czar himself is said to have expressed himself in regard to the matter in a way that augurs ill for Prince Ferdinand's continuance on the Bulgarian throne for any great length of time, and has exerted pressure upon the Comte de Paris, who is a nephew of Prince Ferdinand's mother, which has induced the Orleans Prince to write Ferdinand a letter. In this letter the Comte de Paris denounces the execution of Major Panitza and scathingly criticises the cowardly conduct of Ferdinand in the matter. Furthermore, he says that in view of the position in which Ferdinand has placed himself he is constrained to refrain from inviting the Princess Clementine to visit him as he had intended doing.

The divorce suit of Lord Dunlo against his wife Bell Bilton, the musical singer, was brought to trial this week and the court room has been crowded daily with sensation mongers, to whom the racy details of the testimony is a rare chance.

An explosion occurred in a chemical factory at Edersleben, Germany, today, killing two men and seriously injuring several others.

W. S. Caine has written a letter to Gladstone saying that he has returned to the Gladstonian party and is prepared to accept Home Rule in principle while still reserving freedom with regard to details.

The Queen has presented to Miss Dorothy Tennant, who is to marry Mr. Stanley, with a miniature likeness of Her Majesty together with a lock of her hair.

Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, July 4.—In the Commons this evening Professor James Bryce presented a petition signed by 15,000 Newfoundlanders asking parliament to redress the grievances of the Newfoundland fishermen. Sir James Fergusson in answer to a question explained that the Government does not recognize the treaty rights of the French to catch lobsters or establish factories in Newfoundland. In answer to another inquiry Sir James said the Government could not corroborate reports that the Russians were moving towards the Armenian frontier to compel payment of the Turkish war indemnity. The Procedure Committee negatived Gladstone's amendment against the suspension of bills by a vote of 11 to 9.

In the House of Lords tonight Lord Salisbury announced that the Anglo-German African agreement was signed on Thursday and he now laid upon the table a bill affirming the cession of Heligoland to Germany. The agreement, he said, made the inhabitants of the island subject to German laws with the especial exception that those now living there were not subject to conscription. The bill was read a first time and will come up for a second reading next Thursday.

The World's Crop Condition.

TORONTO, July 4.—*Massey's Illustrated* for this month, issued today, contains four pages in small type of the latest crop reports from over 300 reliable correspondents all over the world. By cablegrams of the 2nd inst., the crops in Great Britain and Ireland are reported as having being materially injured by late rains but generally the crop is expected to be very heavy. On the continent of Europe wheat is ripening very fast and there is every prospect of good crops all over. In South Africa prospects are good, while in Australia grasshoppers had eaten up young blades of early sown wheat and grass. In the United States the crop in Dakota is reported as 50 per cent better than last year. In Michigan it is better but there is not much difference, it being even worse in New York. In the maritime provinces the harvest will be two to three weeks later. Hay crop is poor. In Ontario and Quebec there was a good deal of damage by rain on low lands but a good harvest expected. Old meadows mostly and winter wheat are killed. In Manitoba, Northwest Territory, and British Columbia a bountiful harvest is secured, hay crop is not so good. Speaking generally, tree fruit is a poor crop.

Lost in the Flames.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 4.—A special despatch from Ashland, Wisconsin, to the *Tribune* says: Three firemen met death today in the burning of the steamer Iron King and a portion of the Columbus & Hocking Coal Company's dock. Four others were injured, one probably fatally. An unknown man jumped 35 feet down into a sea of flame and was cremated in sight of 500 people who were powerless to help him. The fire started on the Iron King while discharging coal. All that boat's upper work and machinery were destroyed. A half dozen firemen were holding a stream on the burning boat from a place on top of the coal dock when the flames leaped from the boat to an immense heap of coal directly under the firemen and a terrific explosion of coal gas followed. Men blinded by the flames ran through it like sheep and jumped to the dock 40 feet below. Money loss is $150,000 and the coal dock is still burning.

Celebrating the Day.

PORTLAND, Me., July 4.—City of Portland gave a celebration today in honor of the Army of the Potomac. There was a grand military and civic parade, fireworks, salutes from naval vessels in the harbor and firemens' parade, to which various other cities contributed. Fully 10,000 strangers were in town and the streets were crowded. The parade was reviewed at Lincoln Park by General Sherman, Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, General Devens, General Porter, General Collis, Admiral Gherardi, General Butler and others. After the parade General Butler and party were driven to the residence of G. R. Thomas where they were entertained. At the banquet of the Society of Potomac this evening General Horatio King and others responded to toasts.

Called to Account.

CHICAGO, July 4.—Billy Brennan, the pugilist who was so seriously injured last night in a fight with Frank Garrard, died at 4 o'clock this morning at Battery "D." His death was the result of concussion of the brain caused by a heavy fall in the last round of the fight. Shortly after midnight the police arrested "Reddy" Gallagher, referee of the fight, and Paddy Carroll and Jack McInerny, seconds. Brennan was a native of Brooklyn, N.Y., where his father and a sister reside. He was about 21 years of age and was to have left last night for Buffalo to get ready for a finish fight with Jack Hanley.

Good Use of Their Money.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Cornelius Vanderbilt and his mother are about to build a people's palace on Forty-Second Street, near Third Avenue. It will be modelled after the institution bearing that name in London and will cost $250,000. It will contain departments for technical and industrial education, mission schools, food and shelter, gymnastics, libraries, etc. An endowment will probably be added to it by the Vanderbilts and their friends as time goes on.

He Settled the Dispute.

NEW YORK, July 4.—John Lutz, 40 years old, of 22 Clinton Street, a Hungarian, had a quarrel this morning with his wife, Mary, aged 26 years, in regard to their 8 months old daughter, Emily. Lutz drew a revolver and shot his wife three times in the left side and once in the left elbow, inflicting probably fatal wounds. He then turned the weapon on himself and put two bullets in his left breast, killing himself instantly.

Brothers Fall Out.

VIENNA, July 4.—The Vienna press assert that the Czar has had a serious quarrel with his brother, the Grand Duke Alexis, commander-in-chief of the navy, growing out of the latter's persistence in urging sweeping reforms in the naval establishment with a view to curtail the existing prodigal waste of money and materials.

Married in a Balloon.

LOWELL, July 4.—Charles G. Stowell and Miss Lottie E. Anderson were married today up in a balloon, 10,000 people at the fair grounds witnessing the event. Rev. W. W. Downes, of Boston, performed the ceremony and the balloon, which was in charge of Professor J. K. Allen, sailed away to the north after rising and up to a late hour tonight its landing had not been reported.

Shot Fatally.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Dave Dillon, a boss truckman living at 54 Henry Street, was shot and killed tonight by Edward Citteron, a driver, at 238 Elizabeth Street. Citteron claims that his revolver went off accidentally while he was defending his brother Frank, who had been attacked by Dillon in a drunken brawl. Dillon had a reputation as a fighter. Citteron gave himself up.

President's Movements.

CAPE MAY, N.J., July 4.—President Harrison will return to Washington on Friday next and about a week later the entire family will go to Cresson Springs, Pa. The President spent the morning at the cottage. Private Secretary Halford was with him and they transacted some business of a private nature. This afternoon the President and Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. McKee and children, took a drive about the island.

Anglo-French Agreement.

PARIS, July 4.—*Temps* says the British Government has accepted the principles of compensation to France for an English protectorate of Zanzibar. Nature of compensation is not yet decided.

Negroes Killed.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., July 4.—Fayette Lee and George Pines, disorderly negroes, while resisting arrest and assaulting police officer Tizer, were shot. Lee was killed and Pines mortally wounded. Tizer was badly hurt.

Women Writers in France.

A Paris correspondent says: The most discouraging obstacle the American woman has to contend with in Paris is the great number of English and French writers employed by the American press, while it is impossible for an American writer to be recognized by foreign journals. One of the most rabid anti-Americans, in his personal feelings, receives thousands of dollars a year from American magazines and journals. No woman can live by her pen who has not a regular salary. To attempt it is one of the most hazardous and vexatious undertakings. Haphazard correspondence is casting bread on the water that in nine cases out of ten brings back—the manuscript. Mrs. Hooper has a stated salary, which enables her to live in cozy apartments and enjoy Parisian life with comfort. Her daughter has studied for the stage, and last June created the role in a play which Mrs. Hooper has written, called "Helen's Inheritance."

Senator Vance says a constituent of his in a pine woods district of North Carolina, to whom he sent a copy of one of the patent office annual reports, spoke to him of the occurrence in this way: "Gineral, I got them speeches o' yourn, but I couldn't read 'em through. Thar wuz a leetle too much Whig doctrin' into 'em."

DOMINION DOINGS

ITEMS OF INTEREST GATHERED FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN.

Election Protests the Order of the Day in Ontario—The C. P. R. Will Quadruple Their Line From Winnipeg to the Coast—Constructing the Calgary & Edmonton Railway—Another Outrage on the Newfoundlanders.

TORONTO, July 4.—Orders have been issued from headquarters in Toronto that every seat won by the Conservatives in the late provincial elections must be contested. A start was made yesterday when protests were entered in Essex and North Renfrew, Algoma East, Welland, Simcoe East, North Ontario, Lincoln, Hamilton and East Elgin will be attended to later.

John Timothy, aged 60, was laughing and joking with Mrs. Patterson, when she made a pass at him with an umbrella, striking him in the eye. Timothy then gave her an angry shove. The woman's husband then smashed Timothy over the head with a lighted lamp, and struck him over the eye with a hatchet. Timothy is in the hospital and will probably die.

Police Magistrate Dennison has been refused his salary for June, because the city council thought he took too many holidays. Colonel Dennison has written an indignant letter to the mayor, wanting an explanation.

The *Globe* and *Empire* both declare the carnival a great fizzle.

Mayor Clarke is endeavoring to have Prince George of Wales open the Industrial Exhibition in September.

MONTREAL, July 4.—For some time past crimes of the grossest nature have been perpetrated here. One offender has been caught, a man named Cushon, and has been punished as his crime deserved. At one time he personated a friar the more easily to effect his purposes. He was sentenced to three years in penitentiary and is to receive 30 lashes on the first instalment two weeks from date.

Returns from Chicoutimi indicate the election of Cola, Ministerialist, to the Provincial Legislature.

NIAGARA FALLS, July 4.—John L. Soules, of Michigan, has completed arrangements for a trip this afternoon through the Whirlpool Rapids in a rowboat. He will cling to the boat as far as possible, and then trust to his swimming ability to save himself.

LATER.—John L. Soules, of Michigan, attempted to swim the rapids of Niagara River today but after going down them 400 yards was thrown ashore by an immense billow, one of his legs had been injured by striking a rock and he was forbidden to re-enter the water to complete the journey. He will try it again.

WINNIPEG, July 4. — Superintendent Jenkins, of the western division of the C.P.R. telegraphs, in an interview published here today, says: "We will shortly start the stringing of a fourth through wire to the coast, to enable us to properly care for the enormous press of transcontinental business, which is steadily increasing, coming to us from the Pacific Coast as far south as San Bernardino, California, and from eastern Canada, the middle and Atlantic states. This wire will be a heavy one, No. 6 gauge, and will be deplexed. The wire is being imported from Germany and a portion of it is now on the sea. Work will commence about August first. We are for the the present well provided with wires from Winnipeg east."

Two hundred men and three grading outfits left this morning to work on the Calgary & Edmonton railway. George Strevel has the contract for grading 100 miles and expects to finish it in September.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., July 4.—Trustworthy news has reached here of further French outrages at Port au Port on June 23rd. The facts telegraphed by Morrison, Mr. Bond's lawyer, state that two French fishing vessels were there and 40 Newfoundlander's seining. The captain of the French warship came, seized and carried away one seine, destroyed another, and drove all the Newfoundland vessels out of the harbor. French fishermen cut the lobster trawls and robbed the traps. The indignation of the Newfoundlanders is great.

Prince George is expected here on July 19th in the Thrush with the Bellerophon and the Buzzard. A grand ball has been arranged, the Government voting $1,000 and the merchants subscribing the same amount.

WINDSOR, July 4. — Charles Brown, colored, of Port Huron, got into a fight in Chauvins' saloon on Wednesday night, and was laid out by a blow on the head with a chair. The wounds will probably result fatally.

OTTAWA, July 4.—James Isbister, the well-known contractor of this city, has been appointed superintendent of construction for the Hudson Bay railway with the approval of the English capitalists who are furnishing the money wherewith to build the road. This indicates that steps looking to an early start will now be taken. The road will be built without delay to the Saskatchewan.

LETHBRIDGE, N.W.T., July 4.—Charles Raymond, foreman of the Cochrane Ranch, was drowned in the Belly River here yesterday, while driving a band of horses across the river on horseback. The body has not yet been recovered.

QUEBEC, July 4.—*La Canadien* says: We are in a position to say that a complaint will immediately be made against Monsignor LaFleche who is accused of having taken an active part in the last elections. Also proposed to contest the elections of Three Rivers, Champlain and Maskinonge for undue influence.

Beneath the Cold Waves.

PITTSBURG, July 4. — Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Eliza Thompson, aged 7 years, an infant, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, their little daughter, Priscilla, and Robert Smith, were all out rowing in a small boat on the Youghiogheny River, near McKeesport, this afternoon, when the boat upset from their weight, throwing all the occupants into the river. Thompson swam to shore with his wife and baby. He then returned to save his 2 year-old daughter, but in this last attempt both were drowned. Richard Smith saved his wife, but was drowned with his daughter while trying to reach the shore. Robert Smith, 17-year-old boy swam ashore. Four bodies were recovered.

The National Anniversary.

PUTNAM, Conn., July 4.—Annual celebration of the day at Mr. Henry C. Bowen's country seat at Woodstock today was well attended. This was the twentieth anniversary of Bowen's establishment of this method of observing the Fourth. The feature of today's exercises not introduced in previous years was the gathering together of a large number of Sunday school children from this place and a number of other towns in Connecticut and was accordingly modified to include entertainment and patriotic instruction for both young and old. There was an address of welcome by Hon. Charles A. Russell.

Killed by Gun Explosion.

WICHITA, July 4.—At a celebration ten miles south of here today a gun burst and a farmer named Isaac Rowley and Thomas Schimzer, a 10-year-old boy, were fatally hurt.

Trouble on the Track.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Sixty-eight bookmakers were arrested at Monmouth Park today on warrants issued in Jersey City on the complaint of John A. Shokill, who is supposed to be one of bookmaker Delacy's henchmen. The bookmakers were prepared, however, they having secured the presence of Justice Vandorn, who placed them under $100 bail as fast as they were brought before him. Business was but slightly interrupted. The racing association refuse to give Delacy, who does business in New York, only the results and Delacy in turn is trying to prevent bookmaking at the track unless he be allowed the facilities that he needs, hence the arrests.

Brute in Human Form.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Hester Lotty, a middle aged tailoress, was stabbed and killed today by her husband, Martin Lotty, a drunken and worthless little fellow whom she had supported from her earnings while he loafed around appartments at 220 Cherry Street, occasionally sweeping the floor and washing dishes, while his wife worked at her trade. The stabbing was done while Lotty was drunk. Lotty was arrested. He claims that his wife stabbed herself.

Ready to Lynch.

MORRIS, Ill., July 4.—Ten armed men are guarding the jail tonight ready to resist any attempt to lynch Fitzhugh and Maxwell, murderers of Charles Decker. Angry crowds are gathering about the streets and it is thought the jail will be attacked before morning.

Killed by a Cannon.

CANTON, Ohio, July 4.—By the explosion of a small cannon, with which a party were celebrating today, Daisy Brisbane, 18-year-old girl, was struck on the head with a heavy piece of iron, crushing her skull and scattering her brains over the pavement.

The Rising Waters.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 4.—Many lives have been lost and much property destroyed by floods in the province of Tomsk, in western Siberia.

"A Wonderful Case."

From the *Northern Lancet* of June we clip the following article: "Our attention has been drawn to a so called 'Wonderful Case' given in the *Daily Columbian*, published at New Westminster. The circumstance was a very ordinary one, the patient, a young lady, had at some time previous, sat on a needle which remained in the leg and subsequently set up considerable disturbance. The medical men, who were called in, and who must be greatly chagrined at their names being so prominently brought forward as having performed a wonderful operation, cut down at the seat of pain and removed the offending portion of steel. There are few parts of the human body that needles have not remained in, for long periods of time without causing any uneasiness, eventually becoming troublesome. Cutting down and extracting a bit of a needle is a proceeding which a second year's student would probably brilliantly perform. So that the medical men whom the reporter of this paper has no doubt desired to honor are probably exclaiming, 'save me from my friends.' It is a great pity that cases such as the above, find their way into the public papers, but the ubiquitous reporter must dish up tit bits for his journal, no matter where they come from, and the innocent detail of an interesting case, under the facile pen of the press man is soon repeated with extraordinary exaggerations, no doubt in many instances to the intense annoyance of professional men in connection with it."

Police Court.

(Before T. C. Atkinson, P. M.)

Peter Adair, who was read of in these columns a few days ago as having trouble with his girl, was charged with supplying liquor to Indians, found guilty and sentenced to two months imprisonment, besides paying a fine of $50 and costs.

Adolphus Marconi, chief of the culinary department at the Caledonian Hotel, was charged with having assaulted a Chinaman by striking him over the head with a bottle. The evidence went to show that the cook wanted an assistant and went to the Chinaman's house to obtain one. He made himself objectionable upon being ordered out by the Mongolian, whereupon the prisoner struck that individual who retaliated with a dipper and a regular free fight ensued. The accused was given a warning and fined $1 and costs. Mr. Jenns appeared for the Chinaman.

Teachers' Examinations.

The Provincial teachers' examinations, as will have been seen by advertisement, began in the High School, Victoria, yesterday and will continue until after the 15th inst., every day, Sundays excepted. Some 157 candidates have presented themselves, of whom sixteen or seventeen will be examined at Kamloops, where the exercises will be under charge of Mr. D. Fraser and Mr. D. Wilson, secretary of the board of examiners, the examination in Victoria being conducted by the three remaining members of the board. About two-thirds of the applicants are trying for first and second-class certificates, which augurs well for the standard of education in the Province.

The Bon Accord.

This fine new steamer, built by Munn & Co. for the canneries owned by that firm, arrived from Victoria last evening and was moored off Ewen's wharf. The Bon Accord is a fine model, looks neat and trim, with but one deck, and will be a useful addition to our river fleet.

Weather Report.

The observations taken yesterday were as follows: Max, 60 deg.; min., 37 deg.; barometer 29.90 steady; heavy clouds; indication for the next 36 hours, unsettled; water in river rose 3 inches; water in river 9 feet 5 inches above low water mark, being within 8 inches of highest this year.

Provincial Teachers' Institute.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia Teachers' Institute will be held on the 15th, 16th, and 17th inst. There will be four sessions of the institute, and among those who are down for papers or addresses are: Miss Pickard, Messrs. T. Nicholson, S. R. Netherby, J. Deacon, Dr. C. E. C. Brown, Prof. Fenwick, R. Law, and J. P. Smith.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

In connection with the forthcoming agricultural and industrial exhibition in this city, we desire to call attention to a matter that has been considered elsewhere of very great importance. We refer to the advisability of establishing a permanent exhibition of the natural products of the Province, and particularly of Westminster District, in this city. The fine pile of buildings that has been erected in Queen's Park, as it is now, remains idle throughout the whole year with the exception of a week or two in the fall. In many other places, and especially where the development of the district is new and progressive, these permanent exhibitions have been made a great success. Their principal value is their accessibility to newcomers to the country, who, arriving at any time of the year, are enabled by an inspection of the exhibit to determine quickly and accurately what are the resources of the country, their variety and location. As an aid to investigation and an advertisement to the Province and district such an exhibition would be very valuable. There is a great lack in British Columbia of facilities for obtaining information regarding the Province, and a newcomer is usually totally "at sea" as to how to proceed in his quest of knowledge. The establishment of a permanent exhibition here would also have a strong tendency towards fixing New Westminster as the location of the leading annual fair of the Province. This is a matter of great importance. We have a strong lead of any other city just now, and how best to maintain that lead should be the subject of careful consideration by the energetic set of gentlemen in charge. The only means is to make the exhibition so far superior to that made at any other place that it will stand easily first in order of pure merit.

It is pretty near time that the public was beginning to hear something about the ferry service for which $24,000 was voted by the people some four or five weeks ago. One of the strong arguments used in favor of introducing or perpetuating here that antiquated method of crossing a river was that it could be supplied without delay. But the weeks are rolling into months and there is no ferry and no sign of it. Surely it is time that tenders were called for the construction of the necessary wharves. As for the boat to be used, we hear some rumors that a second-hand article is to be brought up from Portland or somewhere. Why should not this boat be built right on the river here? And why have tenders not been called for its construction? We scarcely think the people will be satisfied with either a second-hand boat from Portland or one bought new without any competition for the supplying of it. But for goodness sake, if a ferry boat is the only thing we can have, let it be trotted out as quickly as possible. The crops will soon be harvested and the exhibition will soon be on; can't somebody hurry the thing up a bit?

In a letter printed in these columns yesterday, Mr. Nicolas C. Schou states his belief that the question of separate schools is more likely to be raised by our purely secular system of education than if the reading of scripture and the saying of simple prayers were allowed in our public schools. Mr. Schou does not go into the matter sufficiently deeply to show any reasons for the statement of belief which he makes. For our part we cannot see how the question can possibly be raised by a system that does not permit of religious instruction of any kind, except it might be that people, like Mr. Schou himself, dissatisfied by the present system, should prefer the evil of separate schools, in which religion would find an unquestioned place on the curriculum, rather than simply a system of uniform common schools taking no cognizance of religious matters at all. If Mr. Schou is an advocate of separate schools, we are prepared to take issue with him as to the advisability of introducing that system into this Province; but if he is not, then our contention is that it is in the highest sense dangerous to the harmony of our schools to introduce religious instruction in any shape or form. In Ontario it was introduced in its very mildest form, but the result there nevertheless was disastrous. As an instance of how easily the conflict of the creeds may be raised in this country: Sir Walter Scott's "Marmion" was put upon the list of subjects for critical analysis at one of the annual examinations in Ontario. This poem contains some passages which appear to be more or less offensive to Catholics, and so great a storm of indignation was raised throughout the Province on that account, that the Government of which the offending minister of education was a member came very near being overthrown because of the supposed insult to the Catholics. That same minister of education undertook to prepare a volume of Bible readings to be used in the schools, and in order to be sure that nothing would find its way into the volume that would be "repugnant" (strange, isn't it, that anything from the Bible should be "repugnant" to a Christian!) to either Catholics or Protestants, he submitted the book to the inspection of the heads of the churches, including the Roman Catholic archbishop. When this became known the minister and his government were charged with "basely truckling to Rome," and the fury of religious strife and intolerance was once more set loose. From these examples of the past British Columbia has taken timely warning, and has instituted a purely secular system of education which, in our humble opinion, is the safest and best to be adhered to. As we stated in a previous article, there might be no danger in allowing the ministers of the various denominations to use the school rooms after the regular school hours, to teach the children of their own particular sects. But this would be only in the nature of an accommodation to the ministers, and not as a recognition by the Education Department of religious training for the children.

The *Telegram*, an evening paper recently set going in Vancouver, whose distinguishing characteristic is dullness, has undertaken to condemn the articles on "Music and Musicians" in Truth. We presume that anything with the faintest streak of bright and honest criticism in it would be condemned by that paper, its own dullness being so dense and impenetrable. The Victoria *Times*, on the contrary, sees much to commend in the freedom of criticism employed in "Music and Musicians." It says: "The consideration "which the press invariably manifests for "local musicians, vocal and instrumental, "is all wrong. Taking advantage "of the understood fact that "the local press will considerately "omit to mention that so-and-so's voice is "an indifferently good one, that the execution was abominable and that the selection was execrable, they allow their love "of publicity often to get the better of their "private judgment." The *Times* is correct. But the Vancouver paper attributes the articles we published to the "personal spleen" of the writer thereof, and says the fact that the articles were published outside of Vancouver, "is sufficient to condemn the writer and the writing." To show the utter absurdity of these statements (which appear to be made by one who has probably been boring Vancouver people with music in some form or other and who, consequently, has come under "Kodac's" scope), we may mention that the idea of the articles originated with the editor of this paper and they were sought and paid for in the regular order of business. The instructions to the skilled musical critic who wrote the articles were to "nothing extenuate, nor set down aught in malice," and we are perfectly satisfied that these instructions were carried out to the letter. The best evidence is that so far as we have heard the public expressions is that the criticisms were intelligent, accurate and just. We have no manner of doubt at all that the effect of the articles will be highly beneficial to both music and musicians in Vancouver.

A Marvelous East Indian Cannon.

It is 17½ feet long, 5 feet and 6 inches around the muzzle, with a caliber 19 inches across. By the natives it is called Jaun Kushall, or the destroyer of life. History does not record the date of its casting, which the superstitious people attribute to the gods, doctas or divinities. Persian inscriptions on this great death dealer prove that it has been captured in some war with that country, but the letters and characters are so nearly obliterated that the date cannot be ascertained. The cannon has rested for ages between two mammoth trees of the peepul species, which have grown so firmly around it that it could not be removed without felling one or both of them. Tradition says that the cannon has been fired once, and that the ball was impelled twenty-four miles!—St. Louis Republic.

Didn't Want Millet to See It.

S. R. Callaway, a prominent officer of the Grand Trunk railroad, was, some years ago, connected with a western road, and necessarily spent much of his time where his western interests lay. Out there he met Millet, the artist. Mr. Callaway and the painter came together on a hunting trip and became quite intimate, which resulted in the railway man inviting the artist to make a visit at his home. The invitation was accepted and the two started homeward. Just before reaching the city where he lived Mr. Callaway went into a telegraph office and wired to his wife: "Millet, the artist, is coming home with me for a few days' visit; take that chromo out of the dining room."—Chicago Herald.

A Pretty Parlor Experiment.

A very simple apparatus for obtaining an electric spark is made by a German physicist. Round the centre of a common lamp chimney is pasted a strip of tin foil, and another strip pasted from one end of the chimney to within a quarter of an inch of this ring. Then a piece of silk is wrapped round a brush, and the interior of the chimney is rubbed briskly. In the dark a bright electric spark may be seen to pass from one piece of tin foil to the other each time the brush is withdrawn from the chimney. Many other experiments can be tried with this apparatus.—New York Telegram.

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O, Jack, this is no time for nonsense!
'Tis the season for fasting and prayer.
You're praying, to me, on your knees now!
Well, you should be ashamed to be there!

I vow that you're worse than a pagan
When you swear, as you do, that a shrine
Is built in your heart to a goddess,
And the name of that goddess is mine!

What's that? No, I am not repenting;
Not a bit; for the heartaches my eyes
Have given you! That isn't the reason
I appear in a penitent's guise.

I know that there's nothing so fetching
As a prayer book and plain ... wn of gray!
I know that I'm never so pretty
As when, eyes closed, I'm posing to pray!

O, Jack, now you're downright insulting!
I declare if I'd dreamed that gray gown
Would please you, I'd never have bought it;
I'd have gotten that new shade of brown!

But hark! There the bells ring for vespers
O, Jack, do, for goodness' sake, go!
The fact is, we've got a new rector,
And a layman like you has no show.

We flirted and danced through the gay time,
And I might, had I thought you'd a cent,
Have given you my heart; but just now, Jack,
Don't you see that I couldn't? It's Lent!
—Boston Globe.

Disappointed Lovers Form a Society.

A society of disappointed lovers has been formed at Wilmington, Del. A dozen well known young men, including a lawyer, several politicians and a merchant, met in a hotel, where the nature of the organization was explained. It is designed as a mutual consolation society, and any man to be eligible to membership must have been engaged and the engagement must have been broken by the fair one. The constitution requires every man to shun female society at all times, and a violation of the rules is punished by expulsion. The men appended their names to the constitution and related their experiences in the courting line.—Boston Journal.

Thousands of English Bridegrooms.

In England last year there were no less than 369 bridegrooms above 70 years of age, and of these one took a girl of 17, another one of 19 and four others kept under 21. Between 60 and 70 years of age 2,084 men married. Three of them took girls under 18 and twenty-seven others were content with partners who had not reached their majority. As many as 4,576 males whose ages ranged between 50 and 60 were also brought to the altar, and here again a score of the wives were in their teens. A hundred were not more than 21 and 248 were under 25.—Manchester Courier.

Death Rate Among Old Soldiers.

How rapidly the death rate among the old soldiers is increasing is shown by the reports now being received at the office of Col. Gray, adjutant of the department of Wisconsin, G. A. R. Thus far 160 out of 263 posts have reported, and the death list numbers 134, whereas the total number of deaths reported by Wisconsin posts last year was 129. This made a death rate of 11 per 1,000, but if the 100 posts yet to be heard from show the same proportionate mortality as those that have already reported the rate for 1889 will not be far from 20 per 1,000.—Chicago Ledger.

An Elephant's Venerable Age.

The journals of Ceylon have recently mentioned the death of an elephant that was well known on the island, and had been seen by several generations of Englishmen. He was called Sello, and had belonged to the last of the kings of Kandy. He was one of the hundred elephants that was taken by the English government in 1815, when the Kandyan dynasty was overthrown. At this epoch the elephant was said to be 15 years old. If this is correct, he died a natural death at the age of 89 years.—Boston Budget.

A Powder That Should Be Popular.

A London beautifier has invented a new face powder, warranted not to rub off. Powder puffs need no longer be carried about in mysterious pockets, as this powder remains just the same for quite twelve hours. The hand or arm that is burnished with it leaves no mark on a black coat sleeve. This ought to be a great relief to the minds of sentimental young couples. A face powder that tells no tales is as great a boon in its way as a gunpowder that makes no noise. —New York Commercial Advertiser.

Where Checks Are Handled.

There are clearing houses in all the principal cities of the United States, doing a yearly business amounting to over $52,000,000,000, while the total amount done by English clearing houses is about $38,000,000,000. As showing what an amount of money is represented by the New York clearing house, the amount of money handed through that institution during the past year was over $32,000,000,000, while the London clearing house did over a billion of dollars less business. —New York Letter.

Sight After Thirty Years.

A remarkable case of return of sight in one eye is reported from Waterbury, Conn. The lucky person is a John McDonald, aged 74. He had been totally blind for 30 years, having been rendered so by sand unintentionally thrown in his eyes by a friend. He is unable to account for his new good fortune, and physicians are also in a quandary to provide an explanation.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Antarctic expedition, advocated so warmly by the Australians, will start probably during the summer of 1891 under the direction of Professor Nordenskiold. The expenses will be shared by the Australian Geographical society, the Victoria Royal society and Baron Oscar Dickson, of Gothenburg, who has done so much already for polar exploration.

Dr. Know, the German physician who discovered antipyrine, is said to have made more than a million dollars from the sales of the drug to sufferers from the grip.

It is reported from St. Petersburg that the Russian physician, Dr. Dapchinski, has discovered that diphtheria is easily curable by inoculation of erysipelas.

MUSICAL ACCENT ILLUSTRATED.

A Witness Explains the Term to the Satisfaction of the Court.

At a trial in the court of king's bench as to an alleged piracy of the "Old English Gentleman," one of the first witnesses put into the box was Cooke. "Now, sir," said Sir James Scarlett in his cross-examination of Cooke, "you say that the two melodies are identical, but different. What am I to understand by that, sir?"

"What I said," replied Cooke, "was that the notes in the two arrangements are the same but with a different accent—the one being in common while the other is in triple time; consequently the position of the accented notes is different in the two copies."

"What is a musical accent?" Sir James flippantly inquired.

"My terms for teaching music are a guinea a lesson," said Cooke, much to the merriment of the court.

"I do not want to know your terms for teaching," said the counsel, "I want you to explain to his lordship and the jury what is musical accent." Sir James waxed wroth. "Can you see it?" he continued.

"No," was the answer.

"Can you feel it?"

"Well," Cooke drawled out, "a musician can." After an appeal to the judge the examining counsel again put the question. "Will you explain to his lordship and the jury—who are supposed to know nothing about music—the meaning of what you call accent?"

"Musical accent," rejoined Cooke, "is emphasis laid on a certain note just in the same manner as you would lay stress on any word when speaking in order to make yourself better understood. I will give you an illustration, Sir James. If I were to say 'you are a donkey,' the accent rests on donkey; but if instead I said 'you are a donkey,' it rests on you, Sir James, and I have no doubt that the gentlemen of the jury will corroborate me in this." The story is more personal than polite—nevertheless, it is well worth telling as an instance of forcible illustration. It is useful, too, since it may serve to impress upon the minds of that very large circle of people who plume themselves on being musical some faint notion of what accent in music really is. It is the outcome of that wonderful invention, the division of music into bars, but for which music might still be only the magical accomplishment of a few.—Gentleman's Magazine.

Draughty Places.

It is one of the oddities of human nature that people are always looking as far away as possible from the ground they stand upon, not only for their best chance for distinction, but for the dangers which they believe are most besetting.

A lion tamer ventured into the cage of the most ferocious beasts, apparently having no fear of them, although he was often quite badly bitten. But he had a dreadful fear of taking bronchitis.

One day, after he had entered, with perfect composure, a cage containing two half-starved bears and a panther, he shook his head gravely as he came out.

"Well, well, sir," he said to a gentleman who stood near, "this is going to end badly for me some day."

"You are afraid those ferocious animals will devour you, then?"

"The animals! Pshaw! You don't think I'm afraid of them, sir! Not at all; but these cages, sir, are such a dreadful place for draughts!"—Youth's Companion.

About Buying Cigars.

If, by chance, I happen to go into a strange cigar shop and the man at the case asks me if I want an imported cigar I make up my mind that he doesn't know his business or that he takes me for a fool. A man is supposed to know what sort of a cigar he wants and ought to say so at the start. An imported cigar, at the average cigar stand, at the common price, is a delusion and a snare. If I go into a place where I am not known and buy a cigar I am always particular to notice the box. If the cigar does not fit the box I know the seller has practiced some deception. He has put a different cigar in the box than the one called for by the brand. If he is mean enough to do this he is mean enough to palm off a poor cigar. I am not a cynic in anything; but I have noticed one thing in my travels—it is easier for a man to be swindled on cigars than anything that grows, runs or stands still. If the cigar man doesn't know you you get the worst of it.—Chicago Tribune.

Tinted Paper.

Mrs. East, the wife of an English paper maker, happens to drop a bluing bag which she holds in her hands into a vat of pulp. She is frightened and says nothing about the accident; her husband storms when he finds that the paper has a peculiar tinge, but the astonished workmen can throw no light upon the matter. Thereupon he sends the paper to London with instructions that it be closed out at any price. The public, however, accept it as a purposed novelty. It becomes the rage; orders pour in for more of the same sort. The wife confesses, the husband forgives her—and well he may, for his fortune is made. This is the very simple origin of tinted paper.—Illustrated American.

For Lettering on Glass.

In order to fasten glass letters, figures, etc., on glass (show windows) so that even when submerged in water for several days, they will not become detached, use an india rubber cement. The best for this purpose consists of one part india rubber, three parts mastic and fifty parts chloroform. Let stand for several days at a low temperature to dissolve the cement. It must be applied very rapidly, as it becomes thick very soon. When spread with a camel's hair brush over a crack in glass or porcelain vessels this cement effectually closes it, and the vessels may be made serviceable for holding water, though, of course, they will not bear the application of heat.—New York Telegram.

UNDERTAKERS' SHOP FUNERALS.

Many of Them Now and They Are Expected to Become Yet More Common.

Successful undertakers in New York nowadays have to be prepared to furnish a church and clergyman along with the other requirements for a funeral. Not very long ago it was an exceptional thing for funeral services to be held in an undertaker's shop. Only the bodies of the friendless or of those whose friends were too poor to afford any better accommodations were then taken from the undertaker's direct to the grave. Of late, however, the phrase: "The funeral will be held at the parlors of So-and-so, undertakers," is frequently seen attached to death notices, and even more often the place where the funeral is to be held is designated by its street number only. Nine times out of ten the place so designated is an undertaker's shop.

The way this has come about has been chiefly through the increasing reluctance of hotel and boarding house keepers to have a funeral in their house. Friends of those dying in such places are generally given to understand that an immediate removal of the body would be highly appreciated, or, if the friends appear within a few hours, the proprietor summons an undertaker and has the body removed. Unless the deceased person has near relatives in the city it is generally a matter of difficulty for the friends to find a place in which to hold the funeral, unless they wish to go to the expense of a church funeral, and have a claim upon some church of which they can make use. In this way it has naturally come about that bodies have been left to lie in the undertaker's rooms, and at the time set for the funeral the friends have gathered there and listened to a brief service pronounced by some clergyman, supplied by the undertaker, too, perhaps, and thence have borne the body directly to the grave.

With the increase of this custom the undertakers have been compelled to increase the size of their rooms and to fit them up better and differently from ordinary shops of the sort. One city undertaker has gone so far as to clear out the whole front of his store and leave a large room nearly seventy-five feet deep, with paneled, church like ceiling and walls, which can be filled with chairs if necessary, where the services are held. It is not unusual for as many as two or three hundred persons to gather at funeral services held in this shop. Some quite well known persons have been buried from there. One, a woman, who had been in life a well known advocate of cremation, went from there to the crematory only a few days ago.

Some undertakers think that this custom will continually increase in a city like New York, and that in time every undertaker will have to keep a sort of small chapel in connection with his shop for the use of his customers. At present those who have the facilities for allowing services to be held in their shops make an extra charge for the use of the rooms for that purpose, but competition is already doing away with that.—New York Sun.

Down on the Habit of Kissing.

It is said that the nursing sisterhood of St. Vincent, in France, have not suffered from influenza, owing to certain sage rules of the founder. He discouraged asceticism, enjoined warm clothes and every reasonable comfort, because the sisters should regard themselves as fighting the evil principles which cause suffering in the world, and the combat with which needs bodily strength. They slept in good beds from 9 at night to 5 in the morning, and had good, succulent diet, were free from care unless to do their duty, and were not to salute any one by the way when outside of the convent on their errands of mercy. Salutations in cold weather were, said the reverend mother, one of the most fertile sources of throat and pulmonary disease. In fine weather they were the cause of loss of time and took the mind from the object on which it should be set.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Wealth Well Spent.

A current whimsicality of wealth is the gifts of money to Jay Gould's children by the multiple-millionaire's mother-in-law, who, on dying, has left a will devising $5,000 apiece to each of her grandchildren. Of course, only an expression of love was meant, yet it seems ridiculous on the face of it. However, I learn that the recipients will devote the money to charity, probably to the endowment of beds in hospitals. That is a charming fashion with some of our fashionable and wealthy women. The income from a donation of $5,000 suffices to support one bed, and the donor may, if she chooses, designate an occupant. Thus she may, upon learning of some person poor and ill, place the sufferer comfortably in a hospital. The young Gould ladies intend to use their special inheritances in that way.—New York Letter.

Old Love Letters.

A special dispatch from Canajoharie, N. Y., says: "While at Stone Arabia a few days ago a citizen of Palatine Bridge found a begrimed and badly battered metallic box. It was opened with much difficulty, and its contents consisted of a locket, a bundle of parchment letters and a piece of faded blue ribbon. The locket is of gold and of fine workmanship. On one side in monogram are the letters 'A. H. D.,' and on the other a curiously wrought hunting scene. The letters were all written in 1778-80 by a lady of evident royalty residing in London. They were to her betrothed and couched in the most tender language."

A Russian Verdict.

An engine driver on the Central Asian railway who sustained concussion of the brain in a serious accident on Gen. Annenkoff's line some time ago has just sued the railway officials for damages in a court at Samarcand, and obtained very satisfactory and somewhat original compensation. The court decreed that he should be paid 7,000 rubles down at once, and, in addition, should receive 80 rubles, or £8, a month, with an extra 10 rubles for every child which might be born to him.—Cor. London Times.

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Vancouver, B. C., 26th May, 1890. 219-20a

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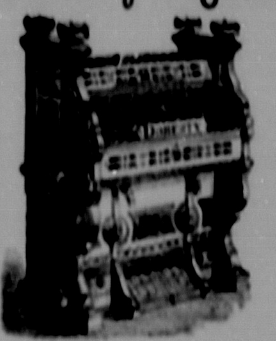

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FOR MORESBY ISLAND, Friday at 7 o'clock.
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FOR PLUMPER PASS, Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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Six more of the Japs have been sent up for trial and several have been discharged, the evidence having failed to connect them in any way with the riot.

The boatswain of H.M.S. Amphion, who was confined in the asylum, has been discharged and taken to Victoria.

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The Colonel is preparing the library building for its destruction, which will be commenced at an early date.

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

The work of renovating the Samson is nearly completed and she will likely come off the ways either today or Monday. The steamer has been caulked from stem to stern for the first time since she was built and it was found necessary to replace several of the planks in her hull which had become somewhat soft.

☞ Keep your eye on WHITE ROCK, and for further particulars apply to McElmon & McCall, Blaine. 199-tf

The Irving came down from Chilliwack and way landings yesterday, bringing freight and passengers.

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The contract for driving the piles for the extension to Mathers & Milligan's wharf has been let to Bradshaw & Co., who will commence work as soon as possible.

It has been decided to hold the annual games of the Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society on the 29th of August, in connection with which the committee will meet on Monday evening in the Foresters' Hall to arrange a programme.

Percy Jenns, of Victoria, the winner of the bicycle race at Vancouver, says he cannot accept Mason's challenge. Jenns is a member of the Island Wanderers' Amateur Bicycle Club, and as such cannot race for money. Besides, Mason's proposition to race on 52-inch wheels is absurd, as Jenn's size is 54-inch, and you might as well ask a man with big feet to wear small boots, as to ask him to race on a wheel too small for him.

Two valuable mules were run over by the local train at Port Moody on Thursday evening and killed.

Mr. James Drummond, manager for the Hudson Bay Company, at Langley, is at the Colonial.

W. H. Ladner, of Ladner's Landing, came up on the Rithet last evening and is registered at the Douglas.

Mr. Thomas McNeeley, of Ladners, is at the Colonial.

Judge Bole has been in the Island City for the last few days.

The steamer Rithet arrived from Victoria last evening bringing a heavy freight list and about 40 passengers. She goes over again this morning.

There are by far too few boxes in the postoffice, there being nearly 100 new applications over and above those already used, besides many more coming in.

There was a meeting of the lacrosse club last evening in Hotel Douglas to arrange matters in connection with the great match with Vancouver next Saturday. Let everybody go to the match with a half dollar at least to spare, for a collection in aid of the club will be taken up on the grounds.

A band of Italian musicians are doing the city at present.

Messrs. Clinton and Newington will choose sides on Queen's Park this afternoon for a cricket practice.

The Arlington Comedy Company has been arranged for by Chief Ackerman of the fire company to give a performance in Herring's Opera House on the 10th instant. The proceeds being in aid of the fire department. People should turn out in full force.

The new militia band, under the able leadership of Mr. Watson, delighted the promenaders of Columbia Street last evening by playing several choice selections from the Colonial Hotel balcony. The band has made a remarkable improvement, and all hope that this is the first of a series of concerts during the summer.

Mr. Robertson, late principal of the Public School at Vancouver was in the city yesterday.

Removed at Last.

The Sappertonians will be glad to know that at last Chief Pierce has succeeded in persuading the little Chinese vegetarian who used to keep his hogs in such a horrible condition as to cause one's olfactories to fairly stand on end while passing the place on east Columbia Street. This obnoxious piggery has been cleaned out, and a distance of three miles beyond the Sapperton limits to where the industrious John has removed his swine, is not likely to interfere with anyone's sense of smell.

Farmers' Club Formed.

A public meeting was held at Whonnock on 28th ult. for the purpose of forming a farmers' club. A large number attended and the association was formed with the following officers: President, T. Hicks; vice-President, C. Stickney; Secretary-Treasurer, M. Beattie; Room Committee, J. J. Armour, F. Phillips and H. F. Oliver. The object of the association is to bring together the farmers of the neighborhood to exchange ideas on farming and to discuss all matters pertaining thereto. The meetings are to be held fortnightly on Saturday, 7 o'clock p.m. The club extends a cordial invitation to all non-residents to join.

Stanley's New Book.

W. T. Kinney, authorized agent for Stanley's new book, "In Darkest Africa," is now soliciting orders in this city. This work which is published only by Scribner's Sons, of New York, abounds with thrilling and interesting incidents of the late expedition, and as only a limited number will be issued, parties wishing to secure a copy should subscribe at once. 254-6ts

Sale of Hospital Lands.

As will be seen by advertisement in another column, Mr. T. J. Trapp has received instructions from the Royal Columbian Hospital Board to sell by public auction, on the 24th inst., the whole of the hospital property on St. George, Mary, St. John's, Montreal and Pelham streets. This is a very valuable property and the sale will attract much attention.

Should be Enlarged.

It is becoming more and more apparent that the lobby in the postoffice is far too small for the requirements of the public demands. Every day and especially after the arrival of the eastern mail the lobby is crowded with ladies waiting anxiously for the general delivery wicket to open, while the business men are necessarily compelled to wait their turn outside on the streets, which is most undesirable on a rainy day. It is hoped that this matter will be drawn to the attention of the postoffice authorities, and that the lobby, which was of sufficient capacity ten years ago, will be enlarged and otherwise improved, according to the requirements of modern times.

The Reason Why?

The Colonist says: "The Victoria Cricket Club sustained severe defeat at both Vancouver and Westminster on Tuesday and Wednesday, at the latter place being beaten by an innings and 25 runs. This is due to two causes. The principal is that both the Vancouver and Westminster clubs have this year splendid elevens on the field, several of the old Victoria players being among them. The second is because of the failure of four or five members of the Victoria club who had been selected to go, failing to put in an appearance at the last moment, and consequently a very weak team was sent to cope with formidable opponents."

A Free Trip to Europe.

The publishers of *The Canadian Queen* will give a free trip to Europe to the person sending them the largest number of words constructed from letters contained in the name of their well known magazine, *The Canadian Queen*. Additional prizes consisting of silver tea sets, gold watches, China dinner sets, portiere curtains, silk dresses, mantel clocks, and many other useful and valuable articles will be awarded in order of merit. Webster's Unabridged Dictionary to be used as authority in deciding the contest. This is a popular plan of introducing a popular publication. Every one sending a list of not less than ten words will receive a present. Enclose thirteen 2 cent stamps for illustrated catalogue of presents and three month's trial subscription to *The Queen*. Address—*The Canadian Queen*, Toronto, Ont.

Misleading Reports.

Few people have any idea of the number of misleading reports concerning the buoys at the Sandheads of the Fraser River, which reports cannot be otherwise than detrimental to the interests of commerce on the river. As an instance we relate the circumstances of a report which was circulated about a week ago, as told a TRUTH representative by Captain James Robinson, yesterday. About the time stated a so called captain, who must have known as much about the Sandheads as a brave on the plains of the Northwest Territories, informed people about town that number 3 red buoy was high and dry out of water, and consequently of no earthly use for the channel. As a natural sequence of events, the report found its way to the columns of the press. When Captain Robinson read the item in the newspapers the following day he repaired with a force of men to replace the supposed high and dry buoy but when he arrived there number 3 was found to be in its proper place in six fathoms of water at low tide. This is an instance of how much some captains know about the Sandheads, but it must not be taken for granted that all reports are of a similar nature, for now and then the buoys require replacing. It is the unanimous verdict of all that the Sandheads could be under the supervision of no more able man than Captain James Robinson of the Government steamer Samson.

Hotel Arrivals.

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"Get a Move on."

There have been enquiries made on all sides of late as to what steps have been taken towards making the Provincial exhibition on the 24th, 25th, and 26th September this year a still greater success than it was last year. We are in a position to state that the directors of the exhibition have been fully alive and much hard work has been done at the various meetings that have been held. The lists are in the hands of the printers, and will be ready within a fortnight to be mailed to all parts, but the contract for the posters has not yet been let. In connection with the posters we will here mention, upon the suggestion of one of the directors, that it would be well for the Celebration Committee (yet to be appointed) to confer with the exhibition directors in order to obtain a large poster which will advertise the exhibition and sports jointly,—one that cannot but be noticed wherever it is posted. It would come less expensive for both sides and answer a double purpose. But the Celebration Committee has not yet been appointed and we would repeat our suggestion that the Mayor be asked to call a public meeting at an early date, at which preliminaries can be discussed, and the general committee appointed in order that the ball may be commenced rolling. Work on the exhibition building, which has been enlarged to double the size of last year, is nearly finished; but we venture to say that no work has been done to the sheds, grounds or race track, which work will certainly have to be commenced immediately, the sooner the better. Let the Mayor call a public meeting where the various committees will be appointed, for it takes a long time to get things in working order.

A Mysterious Case.

When a man arrives at the ripe old age of three-score it would be thought that his patience would last him till in the ordinary course of nature he were called to the final reckoning. But such was not the case yesterday with an old man named Hunt, in the employ of Mr. Walker. Hunt was formerly a special provincial police officer at Alberni. Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock, a Chinaman, who lives near the place where Hunt slept, on Mr. Walker's premises, heard the horses moving round in the stable and went to see what was the matter. On reaching the stable, he saw the door of an inner place open and went inside only to behold the ghastly sight of a body swinging from the ceiling. The wretched man had procured a new rope, and not trusting to the old-time noose had added a swivel. Standing on a tin pail he secured the rope round his neck and then literally "kicked the bucket" from under him. Fortunately he was not dead, and the Chinaman had presence of mind to at once cut him down. Having done this, the Celestial went to seek assistance for the man, but on returning Hunt was nowhere to be found. Provincial Sergeant Langley was notified, and he, with Officer Robb, made a diligent and careful search of the whole neighborhood, but with no result save failure. Hunt had been in a melancholy state for some time over some private affairs, with which he was dissatisfied.—*Colonist.*

"She's My Hattie, I'm Her Joe."

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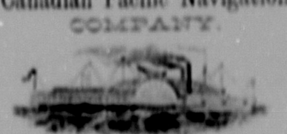

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Land Registry Office.

In the matter of the title to a portion (4 acres) of New Westminster Suburban Lot No. 1, Block IV.

WHEREAS the certificate of title of John Jane to the above mentioned hereditaments has been lost or destroyed, and whereas application has been made to me for the issuance of a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is hereby given that such duplicate certificate of title will be issued to the said John Jane in the stead of that so lost or destroyed at the expiration of one month from date, unless in the meantime valid objection thereto be made to me in writing.

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