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### JUDGMENT AGAINST V. 1. E. & D. COMPANY

Are Ordered to Pay O'Rourke's Wages at County Court Yesterday

Judge Harrison Says Company Should be Ashamed of Themselves

said they were. As soon as he ston

plaintiff about \$120 out of his own

pocket and had bought groceries for

ment Company, in which the former his presence to remain as caretaker ing you fingers in the pudding? I'm was in financial difficulty Mr. Cecil

asha od of you." "Well," responded the little girl, pel finding the money to carry on Harrison gave judgment for the plain the work the company stopped too. till In doing so His Honor express O'Rourke was certainly left in charge sed the opinion that the company had of the company's property at the acted dirgracefully towards Mr. time he witness, went to England O'Rourle, Mr. Russell Simpson ap last year on business. peared for plaintiff. According to Mr. En called, said that he was a the evidence of plaintiff he was endirector of the company and knew gaged by Mr. Cecil, the managing di- that O'Rourke was engaged at the rector of the company on Nov. 28th. mine as caretaker. He had paid 1904, at the valary of \$3.25 per day. He was foreman at the mine at the back of Ladysmith. When the com- him. pany failed to pay him his wages and Mr. Grant asked that the case be were owing him a considerable am- dismissed on the ground that Mr. Ceount, he saw the secretary of the cil, who engaged plaintiff, had no aucompany, Mr. Machin. He was in thority to do so. structed by that gentleman to send Mr. Simpson asked for payment to his pay check to Victoria, which he plaintiff on the ground that he was did, but he never received payment lengaged by the company, received or Later Mr. Erb and Mr. Chapman vis ders from various members of the ited the mine and as ed him not to company; the evidence plainly showsue the company, offering to pay him ed that he was a company employee, some money, each month until Mr. and as such Cccil returned from England. He wages.

amined the witness at length.

A LARGE MEETING

aging director of the company and on ly no effort to pay him a cent.

FRANCE MUST CONTROL FINANCES AND PULICE

London, Feb. 28.—The report from Berlin that Germany has expressed her willingness to make concessions in the Moroccan situation if France' will vield something, and the an-

hand with herself and Spain, scems

CHINESE FEELING

IS APPREHENSIVE

utation among foreigners since the recreation grounds are concerned.

THE FLETCHER CASE

As reported in The Ledger, Judge HELD IN VICTORIA Harrison at County Court yesterday afternoon refused to go on with the Fletcher appeal case on the grounds that the Justices of the Teace had exceeded their lurisdiction in sentencmeeting in the interests of Hon. . All the speakers gave Mr. Temple- ing the defendant to a term of im-Mr. Templeman. Wm. Galliger, M. man good words and asked for his prisonment, he being accused of un-P. R. G. McPhercon, M.P.; Ralph return. Mr. Templeman stated that lawfilly receiving property to the Smith, M.P.; J. A. Macdonald, M. he had accepted his present rosition value of about \$16, and Justices of P.P. and the candidate addressed a and remained in the Senate, but Sir the Peace or Stipendary magistrates large meeting. An attempted bomb Wilfrid Laurier asked him to test not being empowered to pass sentence on a prisoner accused of stealing or receiving stolen property valued at \$10 or over. The informat settlement of the controversy tion laid by the prescution against tween the soft coal operators and he owns the Bee Hive saloon. Don't tion at Darcey Island, and would, he i-letcher was for unlawfully receiv- miners in which President Roosevelt ing chairs to the value of \$5, thut the has taken a hand by his letter of E. &. N. branch of the C. P. R. sera drink in honor of Hon. Wm. Tem- vince. Ral h Smith spoke att tength evidence deduced by the prosecution yesterday, the negotions with the showed in the judgment of the court anthracite operators apparently have the man to be guilty of receiving in Leon suspended. A meeting between aggregating a value of \$16: This Le- place tomorrow as has been announing the case information should have ced, and no other date of meeting been amended on their worships be- has yet been arranged. It is blieving convinced of his guilt and defended by the operators that President and should have been sent up for Mitchell will probably allow the anave notice of appeal. The judge and that his demands may be affectyesterday afternoon ruled that the ed by the settlement secured in the case was out of his jurisdiction for soft coal field. President Mitchell, reasons stated at hee, and he could when asked for als, opinion regarding of hear the appeal. He could not the prof the effect of President Roose nent have wearner's that the left ter due consideration the society destruction be from Eletchee's counsel's request to New York last night for San Fran- vided to present to him the entire Mash the conviction. To have the would have to be made in chambers. Ygsterday afterogon Mr. Flucher and his attorney proceeded to Victoria, where an application will probably be made in chambers to have the con viction grashed. It is not unlikely, the crown will also make an appeal

An Indian who had been indulging the street this morning, with the sesalt that Constable Callandar placed thin in jail. There he will remain un- letting it go at that. But not long gressing; a steel steamer is being Lumpe, chairman of the Committee every season for the Alaskan coast palgn in the distory of articlexpio-, til he softers up when the will face the 150 one man had a new excise. He built as a querantine tender to re- of Foreign Repet. He says that and the mouth of the Mackenzie. | mark, Capt. Mikkelsen, upon discov-; til he softers up when the will face the 150 one man had a new excise. He built as a querantine tender to re- of Foreign Repet. He says that

the strength of the depositions,

RAISE FUNDS SU-SCRIPTION

nouncement from St. Petersburg that is leased to the Recreation Ground of that organization. Bir. W. A. Russia is using her influence at Bee- Association for seven instead of five made the presentation. The address, lin to prevent a rupture between years, and according to the terms which is handsomely engraved, and gave Great Britain a ray of hope the Cornwall, Thornby, Steele, phraseology the regret felt by the that the conference might still succeed insettling the questions of the Sanderson and White, the lease can burn's discontinuing his resistance. Germany and France at Algeoiras, signed yesterday by the trustees, framed, expresses in appropriate police and state bank of Morocco, be renewed at will. The conditions this city. It refers to his term of These hopes, however, are not strong of the base are simple. The rent office as mayor of the city and of At the County Court yesterday al- gaged plaintiff. At the time he went with must be remembered, said an of the ground shall be one dollar per the many excellent measures passed ternoon in the case of O'Rourke vs. to England. Mr. Machin, secretary official today, "that France made year, the grounds are to be kept in by the local government during the Victoria Development and Improve of the company, asked O'Rourke in concessions before the conference met repair and to be used for recreation time he filled the chief) may strate's Germany, which beretofore bad refus association not being empowered to would without doubt havedone much the amount of about \$800, Judge of which he was managing director. points if France yields something. It it expires so on years from the 14th, tion of the Board of Trade that Mr. is difficult to see what further France of Feb., 1900, that is, & Peb. 14th., Colum's praiseworthy efforts to can concede. To give an unfriendly 1913. The clause providing for the make the same law were appreciated power control of the state bank would expiration of the lease at the stated by a large section of the community. be to the prejudice of the French, who time rules that the leave can be re- For his good offices during the time have been financing Morocco for newed only at the willof the lessor, he was associated with the Board of years while any maxation of efforts This, it would seem, means that at Trade, and that is since its nooption to tranquilize the Sultan's empire by the expiration or the seven years the the members express their appreciahanding over the police to the pow-lessee has absolutely no claim to the tien and thanks. The address in ers would cause endies troubles in Frozerty, but if the lessor is so in- Coburn still has large business interher North African colony. Even clined the leave can be renewed. If concluding expresses pleasure that Mr the suggestion that she gave Haly a the lessee acts up to the conditions ests in Ladysmith, and wishes him a there is no doubt the company will continuance of the prosperity he now he willing to renew on the same con- enjois, trol the finances and police of Mc- ditions, or perhaps give the deeds of Mr. Cotarn responded in suitable the property of the municipality. Cth terms. While for the time being he er cities have had no cause to grum- had given un residence in Ladysmith, Light the generosity of the C. P. R. the interest he had always felt in and in many cases the public is in- the welfare lof the city was by no debted to the company for a public means diminished. On account or his owned recreation ground or park. The London, Feb. 28.—Telegraphing to Ladysmith people can rest assured but he hoped that he would at some day from Pekin the correspondent of that the company will act towards tuture time be able to resume residual from the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards to the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of that the company will act towards the correspondent of the correspon she Tribune says, "The sub-prefect this city, in which it has greatinter dence in Ladysmith. He expressed of Nanching, who has had a had repest, with its characteristic line ality. his sincere thanks for the tribute boxer trouble, invited the missionar- so far as municipal owned parks or

continued work at the mine at their His Honor, agreed and in giving ies to a ban just, after the sub-pre. At a recent meeting of the Sport request and received from Mr. Erb judgment in full for the plaintiff said feet withdrew and accompled to com- Ground Committee it was decided to some small sums of money at var- the company should be ashamed of eyes necessitated vengeance and led ground funh. Before the ground can like scace be was employed as caretaker tage of the fact that a certain mem- to massacre of the missionaries. The be got in proper shape it will be necber had given O'Rourko a few dollars feeling in Pekin is apprehensive, ow- essary to raise a very large sum of Mr. G. M. Grant, of Victoria ap- to go on with during Mr. Cecil's ab ing to the fact that a Bhinese shoe money, so liberal donations are sopeared for the company and cross-ex sence and supplied him with a few was thrown at the Dowager Empress licited from all people. The names groceries, and they had kept him em- while she was walking in the palace of those subscribing with the amount Mr. Cecil, called, said he was man- ployed at the mine, making apparent- garden. The miscreant has not been donated will be published in the Ledger from day to day. The suistription list is beaded by the following

handsome donations: John That ..... \$50.00 J. B. Dyer, .... \$50,00 J. Gogo, ..... \$50.00 Union Brewery .... \$25 0) J. Tarella, .... \$25.00

### THE COAL CONTROVERSY

New York, March 1 .- Pending neighborhood of twenty chairs, the authorite operators will take However, he was sentenced thracite question to await settletwo months, and his attorney meat of the bituminous controversy. speculation for him to say anything now. It remained for the miners' committee to make the final decision

MO RACE SUICIDE.

Because its employees were late a to have Fletcher put on his trial on London house provided a book, in cently launched from Turpel's ways, was in a great harry, and did not paired, this vessel being rigged. molice the innovation but made his! In the upper barbor, at the Victor-Mrs. W. Ferreson went up to Na-

## PRESENTATION TO J. W. COBURN

MAR 21 1906

At a special meeting of the Board of Tradel held this morning, Ex-Mayor Column was presented with an The site of the Recreation Ground illuminated address by the members Cornwall, president of the board, burn's discontinuing his residence in

business connections at Nanaimo it was necessary for him to reside there

# TO BE

Victoria, Feb. 28 .- A scaling school

er, a new forry barge, and possibly a steam schooner, are to be commenced shortly in local shippards. Capt. Victor Jacobsen has received from in land sales and land revenue, the \$200.00 W. J. Stephen, the well known ship- former being set at \$125,000 as agbuilder, the model for a new sealing 900 against \$100,000. Timber royalschooner, which those who have seen ties evidence the prosperity of the it say is an excellent design. It is lumbering industry, being estimated for a two-mastel schooner 110 feet at \$450,000 against \$325,000. The long, 22 feet team and 10.6 feet mineral tax is estimated at \$100,000 deep, of over 100 tons. It is ex- against \$85,000. All these figures go pected that the schooner will be laid to show that the government has down soon after Capt. Jacoben re- a ery conditione in the continuance of turns from the West Coast, where he the ir's crify which the leading inwent to engage an Indian crew for district of the pro-ince are now enhis schooner, Eva Marie.

the Victoria Machine'y Pepel for the vice, for the purpose of carrying railway cars between Ladysmith and Vancouver, the amount of the contract being in the neighborhood of \$50,000. This vessel will be 245 feet long, 13 feet 7 inches draught, and 42 feet beam. Work will commence on this barge very shortly. It is not known where the steam school er will be constructed. This vessel is required by the Vancouver Portland Cement Company, which has a factory on Saanich arm. The company may purchase a vessel instead if one suitable to the re-kirements of their growing business can be seble vessel, early construction will be cored. Failing to purchase a suitacommenced on a steam freighter.

Meanwhile there is considerable construction and repair work now in progress in the local shippards. The Victoria Scaling Company has been making extensive repairs to some of their vessels, notably the Lithie and Dora Siewerd. The Libbie was rewhich the tardy ones were to write after Leing practically rebuilt at a excuses. Reasons for lateness were cost of nearly \$2,000, and the Bora not much varied. At the top of the Siewerd to be similarly constructed. page one would write "Train delay- At Esquimalt the steamer Princess ed," or "Omnibus horse died," as the Royal is rapidly nearing completion. rase might be, and the rest fell into and the work of remodelling the er appeal has been made on behalf of the habit of making ditto marks and Skagway flyer, Princess May, is pro- the starving Japanese by W. E. wrote with price: "Wife had twins" place the Earle at Williams Head, when the last appeal was made it died this morning. The second slow person that morning and the lark Bermuda is being re-

### BOARD OF TRADE A FACT'S AND FIGURES IN PUBLIC ESTIMATES

The Income and Expenditure Account for 1906 Brought Down

The Report is not Yet Given in Syb. mission but Seems an Improvement.

The most prominent, features of the stimules for the fiscal year ending: 30th June, 1907, laid on the table by the minister of finance vesterday are the largely increased appropriations for public works. This is rendered possible by the timproved financial position of the province, and demonstrates that the surplus claimed by the finance minister rests on a substantial easis, and is not a mere surplus on paper as alleged.

Last year the total appropriation under this head was \$411,660; this venr \$677,810, an increase of \$236,-150. This amount corresponds fairly with the estimated surplus for the

Under the heading of civic government salaries, there is a large increase in the appropriation for timber inspectors, which is raised from \$4,860 to \$15,760. This is almost entirely to cover the cost of timber scalers provided for under the new act. It will be interesting to note that the total contribution from the provincial exchengerer to education under the new act is \$409,075.00 against \$422,833.00 last year, which hardly hears out the contention of the critics of the measure that the cost had been largely moved from the pro incial revenue to the school districts. There is a sustantial coin crease of \$5,000 in the appropriation for the printing department which is necessitated by the vastly increased amount of work done during the ses sion in the printing of reports, and orders and proceedings which are much more voluminous now than formerly. The sataries of civil servants account for a few small increases in which the deputy ministers share to the extent of \$300 each. The total expenditure is \$2,837,916.31 against \$2,566,038.31 last year.

The revenue is estimated at \$2,647-976.66 against \$2.559.376.66 against

Suistantial increases are expected ainst \$100 000 and the latter at \$150-

a for each from which largely in-The ferry barge is to be built by creased revenues will be derived. Following is a summary of the estimates of revenue and receipts: Dominion of Canada, annual payment of interest at 5 per cent., \$29,-

Cominion of Canada, annual payment of sansidy to government and legislature, \$35,000.

Dominion of Canada, annual payment of grant per capita on 178,657,

Dominion of Canada, annual, payment for lands conveyed for railway.

\$100,000. Land sales, \$125,000. Land revenue, \$150,000. Survey fees, \$1,000. Rents (exclusive of land) \$100. Timber leases, \$85,000. Timper royalties, \$450,000. Free miners' certificates, \$50,000 Mining receipts, general, \$105,000 Licenses, trade and ligtor, \$55,000 Licenses, game, \$3,000. Licenses, commercial travelers' 4\$20

Fines and fees of court, \$15.000. Probate fees, \$11,000. Succession duty, \$30,000. Law stamps, \$14,000. Sale of government property, \$1,-

Registry fces, \$110,000. Marriage licenses, \$7,500. Revenue tax, \$160,000. Real property tax, \$235,000 Personal property tax, \$125,000. Land taxes-wild land, coal and imber lands, \$100,000f Incom tax, \$75,000.

Dyking Assessment Act, 1905, \$14-Mineral tax, \$100,000. Taxon unworked crown-granted min ral claims, \$25,000. Registered taxes (all denominations), \$100.

Tax sale deeds, \$1,000 Revenue service refunds, \$1,000 Bureau of mines, \$1,000. Printing office, \$25,000. Hospital for the msanc, \$20,000: Provincial Home, \$1,000. Royalty and tax on coal, \$100,000; Traffic tolls. Newl Westminster

bridge, \$22,000. Reimbursements for keep of prison-Interest an investment of sinking tends, \$55,000. ers, \$2,500.

Intérest, miscellaneous, \$5,000. Log scalers' fees, \$10,000... Miscellameous receipts, \$30,000. Total, \$2,647,976.66: Estimates of expentiture-Service: Public debt, \$732,924.31. Civil government(splanies), \$274;

Administration of justice (salaries) \$117,212. Legiskation, \$47,415.

Public institutions (maintenance), Hospitals and charities, \$112,150. Administration of justice (other

than salaries) \$101,000. Education, \$409,075. Transport, \$27,000. Re enue services, \$26,000. Public Works: Works and buildings, \$188,100. Government House, \$5,100. Roads, streets, bridges and wharves, \$445.160.

Surveys, \$25,000. Contingencies, \$20,000. Miscellaneous, \$153,910. Total, \$2,837,916.31.

### THREE WIRELESS TE-LEGRAPHY STATIONS

Will be Erected by Marine Department o the Pacifc Coast

Ottawa, March 1 .- (Special) - The [was estimated that 680,000 of the rimine Department has decided to establish three wireless telegraph stations on the Pacific coast. Exactly where the stations are to he situated is not yet known.

A despatch from Japan says anoth

20.810,000 population of Japan were in a starving condition. Able-bodied men were stopped in their efforts to rocure food for their distressed famlies from pure exhaustion, and unless relief is given them at once hunlucds of deaths are bound to result.

San Francisco, March 1-(Special) Harry Tenny, who was knocked out; by Frank O'Neil here last evening,

The Writer.--I see you've got my latest book there. What do you

There are more railway tunnels, via zerland than in any other country in

### which to erect a new building when with the work of that boat. LOOKING FORWARD TO A NEW WORLD

At Victoria last evening there was he had money enough. He had never

was exploded. It was a circular head public opinion by resigning. He had

ed "Unfair Meeting," and read: been quite qilling to do so. He stat-

to hurt Hon. Wm. Templeton because would soon take over the leper sta.

stay; don't 1 sten. Go home' and get was satisfied, do fairly by the Pro-

Mr. Templeman stated that he, as ing. a very convincing argument in

manager for the Times printing Co., answer to criticisms that have been

bought the property in exestion on so freely made of late in connection

. This is an unfair meeting, called ed that the Dominion Government

held a thoroughly representative been in the place in question.

New York, Feb. 28.-Capt. Einar the American Geographical Society,

difficulty. The Royal Geographical American Geographical societies.

Captain Mikkelsen laid his plan before A few days after his arrival here van in the city.

Mikkels:n's preparations for his ex- with a statement of the unexpected pedition to the north of this conti- situation in which he was placed. Afcisco. His sleighs and supplies are sum required to enable him to kave arriving ,rom En gland and on the for the north on his own vessel as Pacific coast he swill purchase the soon as there is a possibility of push vessel he needs for his two years', ing through Berning, Straits into the Arctic ocean. The Mikkeisen expe-On his arrival here Capt. Mikkelsen dition is going to Banks hand under was confronted with an unexpected the joint auspices of the Royal and

reference to the Salvor contract, wall

society and a few individuals had Captain Mikkelsen is acting on the provided him with ample funds for theory that there exists in the Arctic the equipment of a small expedition. regions anomous archipelago as yet His supplies and other equipment unexplored, lying between the Party were prepared under his personal su- Islands and Wrangel land off the Si- rather too freely in the cup that pervision, and he had made arrange berian coast, and will jundertack what cheers made a small disturbance on ments to be taken north on one of is said to be an entirely novel camwhalers that Jeaves San Francisco ration. Although a subject of Den-

Unfortunately, cleven of these whal tering the new continent, intends to sets were frozen in the ice on the Are plant there the American flog, and tic coast just as they were preparing claim it as a possession of the United to return home. Only two whaters States. He has no intention of tryand neither of them would engage to dertaking which he helieves to be im- baint last evening after a visit of a of the men on that page followed er for the government service is be-

An overseer-the astronomer.

land Mikhelsen at his destination. 'probable and usoless of attainment.\* few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Pro-

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WHAT IS ELECTRICITY?

The answer to the question, What is Electricity?, seems to demand something which could be described by one who knew enough, as one would describe some new mineral or gas or thing. Some eminent scientific men are befogged by the question, say it is some ultimate unknow able thing and hopeless as an empury If it he a something it must be described by its constant properties as other things are. If it be unlike everything else then it cannot be described by terms that apply to anything else. A glowing coal is an incandescent solid, a flame is an incandescent gas, but neither glow nor same exists apart from the matter that exhibits the phenomenon. Poth are conditions of particular kinds of matter.-Scientific American,

LADY MINING ASSAYER

In a remote hamlet in a California mountain mining district lives Mrs. Jessie Frouzer, a woman who does all the ore assaying for the surround ingdistrict. She is the only assayer for a wide mining country, and frequently by stage, wagon or on horsetack are brought samples of ore for her to test chemically and pronounce as to the value thereof.

There are not many women assavers of metals in the world, and Mrs. Frouzer is busy, likewise happy, in her chosen work. She is a widow, formerly of Los Angeles. Herhealth is poor and she went to the mountains that it might be benefitted Among mines and miners she became interested in ores, so much so that she wished to know how to estimate their value. Through a correspondence school she learned to be an exnert assaver then started a laboratory and opened an office at the little mining settlement of Shepherd's Canyon. She has made as high as forty assays in one day.

MINER AND COWBOY

One of the strangest careers ever achieved by a woman in America war that of Kate Maher, who lived her life as a man because she longed for freedom and rebelled with all her

Her father was a wagoner on the western frontier in the days when freight was hauled by teams because there were no railroads. He died when she was very young. As a cher, a hotel waiter and a house ser these shapes, and she broke away from it all and out into liberty. She cut her hair short, put on a suit of For sale by Ladysmith Pharmacy. man's clothes and took a man's name As a man she was a cowboy, a

miner, and she liked even this rough prospector, a stage driver and a because it gave ber liberty. In a fight with Indians she killed her man, once saved an innocent man from lynching. Her picturesque career ended - recently with her death at Sheridan, Mont. ...

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PLACER mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee \$5, renewable yearly.

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An article on the milk supply of large, cities in the British Modical

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passage: "The man having finished avilling,

STUCK FAST.

ter gave out the hymn, "I love to ed even more than the gardens did. Steal Awhile Away," etc. The regmar precentor being absent, the duty devolved upon a good old deacon, who commenced. "I love to steal." and then broke down; Raising his voice a little higher, he then sang, "I love to Steal." At length, after a desperate cough, he made a final demonstration, and roared out, "I love to steal. The effect was too much. Everyone but the parson was laughing. He rose, and with the utmost coolness said: "Seeing our brother's propensities, let us pray.'

NOTABLE WOMEN. A childlike, meeking looking Jap girl was passing along one of New York's leading streets ( A friend was with her. The friend stepped into a shop to get something; the dark eyed, childish looking Jap girl waited outside. While she waited one of those big feitows who believes that by reason of size, bute force and brass they can be insulting to any woman living, walked up to her and seized her arm. Well, the great, hulking brute had no more than touched her when he found himself spraw ling full length upon the pavement. That brute was mad. He)jumped up and sprang at the little Jap; girl.

"Have you had enough?" she asked soltly, "No!" he roared and attacked her with his fist-he tried to, that is, but again, in the twinkling of an by the small woman, and this time eve, he was dashed to the pavement she sat uoon his chest until a police man came and took him to the istaion house. There he confessed was a prize fighter by "profession." As for the small girl, she was Miss Misako Sago, who had learned the noble art of jiu jitsu in her own land and is quite able to protect her-

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have some ground whereon she could his cow offered to take me into an start small vegetable gardens for the adjoining room where the milk was street, children to work during the summer vacation. They gave her De Witt Clinton park, on the west side of the city. During the next An amusing incident occurred in summer 400 tiny vegetable gardens one of our rural churches a short grew and theire and the litime ago, says Tit-Bits. The minis- the workers in them grew and thriv-

#### STRANGE CHECKS

A torn flinen collar, a piece of lath and half dozen other odds and ends hung above the bank clerk's desk. "My collection of queer checks,"

the young man said. "Each of these

things is a check. Each was duly honored. Each has a story. "I have been collecting queer checks for three years. That piece of lath started me. A western bank honored the lath for \$250. It was made out as a check by the owner of a sawmill, who was out at the plant with his son, thirty miles from any 1 house and totally without paper, let

alone a check book. The money was .....needed to pay off the Lands. The sawmiller wrote on the lath just what a check correctly drawn has on it, and he sent his son in to the bank to get the money and to explain. The lath check was honored after some discussion among the bank's officers.

"The coff check was drawn by an actor who had become slightly intoxicated, got into a fight and was arrested. He was treated cavilierly in his cell. They wouldn't give him any paper and he bribed aboy to take the check to the bank. The boy got the money, and with it the actor paid his line. Otherwise he'd have been jailed for tenedays Thus the cuft check may be said to have isaved a man from prison.

The check written on that linen coh woman that a check made on a colfar would be leashed, and of course he won his bet:

Wour bank, if you harry a good account, will honor the most freaky checks you can draw up. In such monkey business, . though, it won' encourage you."

FOOLS SOFTE MES WISE

"I have always noticed," remarked the man who comments on things, 70101 wise men are generally fie

"True," | replied Senator Badger, "although there are times when a fool knows enough to be silent."

SOME WITTY WOMEN John La Farge, the painter, was talking in his studio about witty wo-

"Let me relate a young was 's witticism that I hearh the other hay day, " he said.

"There was a man who level a maid, and she returned his passion; but there were reasons that made serrery hesirable, and thus, though the two were betrothed. they pretended to the world that they were good friends and nothing more ..

was pressing his sweetheart to his breast the younger sister entered the room suddenly. The lovers drew apart with great

haste, and the sister, with an "Excuse me,", turned to go. But the young man deemed)'an ex-

planation necessary. He said: "Don't go. We have been measuring to see which is the taller." The intrider, standing by the door

a helirate smile flitted oder her or the man. pretty face, and she said: "You are about, the same height but I think sister is much the red-

"Elsie!" cried mama in consternation, "what do you mean by sticking your fingers in the pudhhing? I'm

ashamed af you.' "Well," responded the little girl, tearfully, "Jack Horner did, and you said - yoursel that it made him

famous!''

A Western editor has come to the conclusion that those destring "puffs" in his paper must pay for them, and has established the following prices: For telling the public that a man is a successful citizen when everybody knows he is as lazy as a government mule, \$2.70; referring to a deceased citizen as one who is mourned by the entire community when we know he will only be missed by a poker circle, \$10.00; referring to some galavanting temate as an estimable lady whom it is a pleasure to meet, when every business man in town would rather see the devil coming, \$8.10; calling an ordinary pul- band is ill. Nothing serious, I hope" pit pounder an eminent divine, sixty 'No, indeed. The doctor didn't evcents; sending a doughty sinner

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or six hatches, to say nothing vinesever of the larger and better results attained by the use of the Chatham Incubator and Brooder.

If you allow a hen to set, you lose at least eight weeks of laying three weeks batching and five weeks taking cave of the chickenst, or say in the eight weeks she would lay at least three dozen eggs. Let the Chathach Incubator on the hatching, while the hen goes on laying eggs. Our No. 3 Incubator will hatch as many eggs as twenty setting hous, and do it hetter. Now, bers is a question in arithmetic.

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same thing over again the moment each nation is off.

Don't you think, therefore, that it mays to keep the hous laying and let the Chatland Incubator do the hatching?

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the disposal can without any previous expeciones of the without a section of cash, begin the positive instiness, and make money tight from the start in the business, even when letting it take care itself few furners are aware of how much the business and make make you for manage of many who is started with much integrating with which to prove the positive with much integrating with which to prove the management of the positive proved by the case and rapidity with which to positive considerable money in a few management of the positive with financial integration of the positive of the positive start. You must begin right to the means in life and the same conders, it with much a machine of the positive with such and conders, it which pentiary one can of cash in the positive provides the money in the positive provides and that the positive provides and the positive of the positive of

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Of course, if you have lots of room, so much the better, but many a man and weman me carrying on a successful and profitable poultry business in a small city or town lot. Anyone with a fair sized stable or shed and a small yard can raise poultry profitably.

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Christian woman should cover her

head-what these principles of the

An English vicar says:

apostics were:

woman's the glory of man. Woman's prietrity in the fall. Adam was not deceived, but the woman, being deceived, was in the transgression.

The marriage relation As the church is subject to Christ, so lit the wives be to their husbands. The headship of man and woman. The head of every man is Christ, but

the head of woman is man. And this is the twentieth century!

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The Excelsion Club's dance in Gould's Hall last evening was very well attended and an enjoyable affair

Bishop Perrin held confirmation in the English Church last evening, a large congretation being present to witness the interesting ceremony. Seven ladies and gentlemen were confirmed. The Bishop left on the morning train for Victoria.

In a case of the Northwest Improvement Company vs. Polts, in which the latter was sued for \$120, judgment was given for the plaintiff with costs. Mr. Simpson appeared old boy. for the plaintifi.

vs. Hintert-The former sued Hilbert for two and a half months 'rent. The defendant tried to ed by them, was found by neighbors show that only two months rent was Mr. Russell Simpson appeared for plaintiff.

Smoke Little B. Cigars.

Mr. B. Forcimmer, who was ill in several days, is now about Letters from Mrs. Forcimmer contain the news that that lady is now visiting friends in New York. She will visit several other American cities and Toronto before leaving for

Government Inspector Wilson, in company with Mr. C. H. Rumming, and Mr. J. Stewart, visited the school property on Wednesday. He will submit an estimate of the cost

Mrs. Harvey Shaw was the lucky winner of the Singer Sewing Machine drawn for by the makers of White Swan Soap, in Mr. James Hirst's store, Nanaimo on Friday last, No 14,865 being the ticket drawn. In place of giving away sewing ma. chines, the B.C. Soap Works, Vichave decided to redeem all minins. This should prove a more in the monthly drawings, which have been held in the past only one person could win, whereas now all purchasers of White Swan Soan can get the wrappers exchanged for useful household articles. Premium lists may be

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Winnipeg, March 1.-It is believed here that. William Foster Waddell, for, whom the police of Beverly, Mass are tooking, and for whom a reward of \$500 is offered, on a Tharge of the murder of J. Fred Hayes at Beverly in May, 1905, was once a resident of Winnipeg, and that he was tried here on March 7, 1893 for manslaughter on the charge of having contributed to the cause of death of a four-year-

On the occasion of a visit to Winnipeg about January 21, 1893, where Waldell and his wife spent several days, a child, which had been adoptdead in their house at Whitemouth, Judgment for plaintiff with Man. The late Dr. Berson, who was then coroner, went to Whitemouth. and examined into the circumstances surrounding the death of the child, with the result that; Waddell was arrested and committed for trial.

For many years prior to the trial Waddell had been a prominent figure around Winnipeg, and many old-time residents of this city still remember him as a sort of preacher, lecturer, PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO temperance advocate and organizer of one of the prominent fraternal societies. He was widely known as "Proiessor'' Waddelt.

Shortly after the trial Waddellide serted his wife and levanted with a young girl with whom he had become acquainted. When last heard of he was in the States, The wife remaindraining the property, to the govern ed in this city for some time, and eventually became a member of the city's underworld.

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## RECOMMENDATIONS OF

Victoria-Although the Commission ment of life oats on our own coast, White Swan Soap wrappers for pre-appointed by the Dominion Govern- we cannot but acknowledge that our ment to inquire into the wreck of hoat stations, being to leeward of satisfactory way of advertising, as the Valencia has not yet completed the tocalities where wrecks are most its work, your correspondent ascer- frequent, must of necessity be operattains that recommendations with re- ed at a disadvantage, owing to the gard to luture safeguards against sim difficulty of putting off to a wreck, as ilar catastrophes are now in the compared with a station at Neah hands of the Minister. Bay in Washington, which is to wind;

They woint out that owing to

nearly all the officers of the Valencia having been lost, they have been unable to accurately ascertain the weawer conditions prevailing at the time, or to learn whether the pp2sent aids to navigation on the west coast are sufficient to prevent a recurrence of other accidents under similar circumstances. They find, however, that the prevalence of strong southerly gales during the autumn and winter months causes a strong surface current to the north and west, the strength of which is augmented by the strong tides setting out of the Strait, as well as by the force and duration of these gales, and is therefore difficult to determinc. This current, with occasional logs, and thick weather encountered on approaching the coast, which render it impossible for the mariner to verify his position by astronomical observation, makes this a dangerous

lee coast, and unless the mariner has been beeping a very correct runof his vessel the soundings on his chart are liable to prove misleading, the depth of water and the nature of the ground on the Vancouver Island oast corresponding with those on the coast of Washington.

Taking these facts, together with the disasters of the Valencia, Pass of Melfort and King David, into consideration, the commissioners recommend the construction of the follow-

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The vote was strictly a party one, of her brother.

and the addendane loss of life, has day or night at all seasons."

en promptly to be of any use. It has tem. It concludes:

been shown that in stormy weather. It has been repeatedly urged by An editor telephoned me on Thurs-

All hands around—in the clock

MILES OF WORDS.

speech, thanked the electors on Whalf

The report also recommends the writer for revenue only. Mr. Gilson many anecdotes of the carser of the

with high seas washing on our rock- practical seamen that in the interest day: "Can you sail with me Saturmeans of lifeLoats may not always property, there wista a need of great meet me on the ship, for I have no be practicable. We would impress up er protection to the shipping inter- time to see you before sailing." As on the Government the urgent neces- ests of Canada as well as the Unit- the ship steamed down New York sity of having a road or trail as ed States than from aids to naviga- bay, I asked: "Why are we going to close to the shore as possible, built tion established on their respective Europe?" "I want you," was the from Owen Point at the western en- shores, and the establishment of a answer, "to get facts in Berlin, St. trance to Port San Juan, to Cape lightship fitted with all modern ap- Petersburg, Paris and London, and Reale, with telegraph operators, huts, pliances, to be moored at the entran- write a series of articles on 'The Am erican Commercial Invasion of Euro[ c.' "

That year I crossed the Atlantic six times, making three round trips; sorts of weather. The road to he kept position where such an aid to navi- for besides the trip to get the maconstantly in repair so as to permit gation would be established would be [terial for the "Commercial Invasion" articles. I made separate trips Absolute purity in Socialistic sup- noth countries. While we strongly re- through the poorest country of port yesterday received a shock when commend it, we realize it is a sub- Eria's liste, mostly in carts, to a witness swore that his landlord, ject that may be advantageously de- write "The Depopulation of Ireland" one Timbes, who was suing him be- termined by the two Governments and through the slumberland of Alfonso XIII. to write "Americans Now Welcome in Spain."

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