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gara Frontier Being Inby Canadian Com s, N. Y., Oct. 24.-Mon-

of Lavalle University Messrs. King and Cole, ers of the international n, are here making. stigation in regard to the ng the Niagara frontier. government does not activities drawn by C. W. Hall of the geological survey as

ne through the apex of of through the point of falls, which was speciaty of Ghent. He con-he original boundary line were followed Canada sition as a result of the e falls and the lowering evel to claim a part of Canadian territory. The of the controversy wil ent of a com oth countries to settle the

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FREE BROOCH

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MANY LARGE CITIES ARE NOW ISOLATED

Factory Employees in Many Parts Have Ouit Work- Great Distress Among the Poor.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 26.—Confronted time since the beginning of the political and social upheaval of Russia, and which at the time this dispatch is filed shows no signs of amelioration, the Emnt Witte, spent almost all of yester in conference in the hope of finding way out of the crisis into which the country.

The general strike on the railroads is except in a few border prov and St. Petersburg, Moscow and large cities are almost as closely beleaguered as if they were invested by besieging armies. At the same time the

the troops. The ministers, who had been in sessult of these deliberations is not yet | 15 men. The ministers were summoned to meet,

as the committee of ministers of which M. Witte is president, but as the ouncil of ministers of which Count olskoy is the chairman; and the selection of Count Witte to preside was done by direction of the Emperor, showing that the ministerial cabinet is actually. that the ministerial cabinet is accomplished though not fermally, an accomplished though not fermally, an accomplished that an edict lt is understood that an edict king oscar severs formally establishing a ministerial cab-inet which will bear the old name "sovyet," or council, will be published in the Official Messenger Saturday next, tocial Messenger Sauturay
her with an imperial prescript adssed personally to Count Witte, enhe veclines the Offer of Throne to him with the simultaneously

eated position of premier. The inland railroad to Helingsfors and he steamers constitute St. Petersburg's nly means of communication with the uter world this morning. The police uthorities are now refusing to accept e ordinary mail and commercial corres-

dence is at a standstill. ry region on the Neva and in several other industrial quarters. Forty thousand men are on strike, but they are conthemselves in a most orderly The store clerks' union to-night claimed a two weeks' sympathetic strike for political reasons.

Prudent inhabitants are laying i ocks of provisions, the prices of which

Large meetings of workmen were held night in the university and higher ous for continuing the strike on e railroads. The proceedings at seval of the meetings were strongly revoary in character, the speakers callg their auditors all "Chinovniks," and police to meet the troops with med force. These speeches were rewith enthusiastic cheers. were powerless to interfere, the ecincts of the university being forbiden ground to them under an imperial

Fight With Strikers.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 25 .- An ancoun ook place to-night between strikers and engine drivers who were preparing to take out a train. Revolver shots were exchanged and a number of persons were

In Hands of Troops.

Moscow, Oct. 25 .- The city to-day resembled a state of siege. The price of meat has trebled, and there is great discome to Moscow are camping on the street, and 2,000 persons are living in ands of the troops. The post and telegraph offices are strongly guarded by ossacks. The population is becoming panicky.

At Warsaw. Warsaw, Oct. 25 .- Traffic has been topped on the Warsaw-Vienna line.

General Strike. Poltva, Oct. 25.—A general strike has been declared here. The schools are sed and no newspapers will appear to-

In the Southwest. Odessa, Oct. 25 .- A strike on all the outhwest railways is announced for to-

tween Odessa and Kieff.

CLOSING OF BANK. Comptroller of Currency Called Upon to Send Special Examiner to

Pittsburg. Washington, Oct. 25 .- The comptroller the currency has been called upon by

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FIGHTING SMOOT,

PER YEAR, STRICTLY IN ADVANCE, TO ANY ADDRESS IN

CANADA, UNITED STATES, OR GREAT BRIT .

Women in States Want Him Removed From Congress.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 27 .- More than two million women, representing the leading women's organizations of the United States, have adopted a memorial calling for the unseating of United States Senator Smoot. This was announced by the executive committee of the Nanal Congress of Mothers, who here yesterday. This memorial will be resented when congress convenes.
United action was decided upon at a

meeting of the executive committee of the National League of Women's organizaon, which was held in New York on Thursday. The women declared that Senator Smoot, who is an apostle and in direct line for the Mormon presidency, has pledged first allegiance to the Mor-mon patriarch, which broke faith with the government. Smoot, the women dey a situation more crucial than at any clared, controls the vote of eight other nators, and fearing that this power will increase, they ask that action be taken It was decided to hold the National no signs of amelioration, the Em-ministers under the leadership of Cal., on May 7th, 1906.

SANGUINARY FIGHT.

olutionists and the socialists have Two Hundred Natives Killed in Encounter With Troops in Portuguese, West Africa.

Lisbon, Oct 27 .- An official dispatel from the governor of Portuguese, West Africa, tells of a sanguinary encounter etween troops and native on October dustrial strike has assumed large di-ensions and the turbulent elements in ed a column of Portuguese troops, who mensions and the turbulent elements in several localities are offering resistance ed a column of Portuguese troops, who fortified themselves in two kraals. The natives surrounded the kraals with earthworks, but after eight hours' fighting the sion during the day, continued their de-liberations until long after midnight. The Portuguese captured the earthworks, killing 200 natives. The Portuguese lost

CONNECTION WITH COUNTRY

Prince of the House of Ber-

Stockholm, Oct. 27.-King Oscar has definitely and formally declined the offer of the Norwegian throne to the house of Bernardotte and in a letter to the presiconnection with Norway. The letter fol-

"After having in the name of Sweden, recognized Norway as a state completely separated from Sweden, I beg to inform you of my decision to relinquish the crown of Norway which, notwithstandchools, at which the sentiment was in the course of years so many bitter the outcome of the assault. cares. Moreover, I could no longer wear it to the benefit of the country now that the legal decision of the storthing has rendered illusory even the suspensive vote of king. But I desire only the welfare of the country and the nation tohappiness of which it has always been my earnest desire to contribute so long as the means to that end could be reconciled with the duties entailed by my ion as king of both countries of the

candinavian peninsula. "In view of the turn the mutual relations between the two countries have taken, I cannot think it would be conducive to the happiness of either Sweden or Norway that a prince of my house should accept in election to be King of Norway. Assuredly there would not fail to arise in both countries a feeling of ditsrust which would operate, as tress among the poor. Many people who live in neighboring provinces and who against him as me. This distrust might only too easily become an obstacle to the of the two nations, unfortunately separ-The Kasau line stations are in the ated henceforth, whereby I hope to see pacific relations assured between them therefore accept the storthing's offer. "I then, with all my heart, thank those who during my reign of 33 years have faithfully served me, and Norway, and

> them farewell, I cherish sincere good wishes for them." WANTED IN KANSAS.

who may even now entertain affection

Hugh Estel Arrested on a Warrant at Ladysmith.

Nanaimo, Oct. 27 .- Hugh Estel, a mulatto barber, was arrested yesterday at the Western hotel, Ladysmith, on a arrant for assault and attempt to comand John Johnson, was arrested at Ladysmith with the help of Provincial Conhe department of justice to send a stable Cassidy, who recognized a photo pecial examiner to Pittsburg to make as that of Estel. No particulars of the as that of Estel. No particulars of the investigation of the affairs of the En- attempt to kill are known, but it is un- gone to England. erprise National bank, of Allegheny, rederstood it is an assault against a wo-ently closed by order of the comp-man. Estel has been in Ladysmith nearly ten menths

OF HALIFAX GARRISON ON NOVEMBER FIFTEENTH

After Many Delays the Date of the Transfer Has Been Definitely Settled.

Ottawa, Oct. 27.-The department of office that the control of Halifax garrison will be handed over to the Canadian authorities on November 15th.

There have been annoying delays in the matter has been finally settled and

Some of the Canadian infantry has been waiting since the 1st of July. Coming to Coast.

Professor Prince, chairman of the British Columbia fisheries commission, leaves next week for the coast, and will hold a few private conferences with his brother commissioners before proceeding to the international commission at Seattle on November 9th.

Will Appoint Agents.

Japan is going to appoint commercial trade agents next year. A report has been received at the trade and commerce department stating that Japan next year will appoint permanent commercial agents in all the principal countries of the world with a view of looking for

Market For Rails. Mr. Ross, Canada's commercial agent at Melhourae, Australia, reports that there ought to be a market for steel rails from the plants on the Atlantic coast in Australia. The price would be \$25 a ton

on board a steamer at New CANADIAN NEWS.

Serious Stabbing Case-Meeting of Insurance Institute at Toronto.

Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—A serious stab-bing affray took place on Saturday near Snowflake, Man. It appears two men called at James Carrie's farmhouse. Mr. dent of the storthing finally severs his ranged with him to drive them to Hanaah, N. D. They had reached a point about three miles from Snowflake, near the boundary line, when the neighb oticed something wrong with the team and going over to it found William Carrie in the buggy coverd with blood, he having been stabbed sevral tir very serious wound having been inflicted on his head. The men were arrested at ing all my good intentions, has given me Hannah and are held for trial pending

Town in Darkness Strathcona, Alta., Oct. 25 .- A big en gine in the electric light station here broke in pieces last night about 10 o'clock and simultaneously the whole town was in darkness. Night Engineer wards which I have entertained a sincere affection ever since my youth and to the until about 10 o'clock, when, without any warning, he found himself pitched info a coal bin, having his hands scalded, and not knowing how he got there. At the same time there was a loud report, folowed by total darkness. The wrecked engine was made at Brantford, Ont., and has been running about eleven months. A flaw in the crossheads is supposed to have caused the wreck.

Led the Voyageurs. Winnipeg, Oct. 25.—Capt. Kennedy, who led the Nile voyageurs from here, died to-day, aged 65.

Advice to Policyholders, Toronto, Oct. 25 .- At a meeting of the nsurance institute of Toronto last night improvement of the mutual sentiments President Laidlaw urged it as a duty of the press to warn policyholders against ping their policies in consequence of t disclosures in New York. David in a not too distant future. I cannot Burke, of Montreal, dealing with the same subject, said Canadian companies would be glad to open their books to any government investigation, B. Hall Brown, also of Montreal, complained of the action of what he described as the for their former king. In now bidding "yellow journals" in calling attention to the subject of Canadian life insurance and said that these comments would be unworthy of notice but for the effect they had upon the public mind.

Repaid Shortage. Montreal, Oct. 25 .- The sum of \$25,-000 has been paid by Mrs. David Hobbs to the legal firm of Davidson & Wainwright, the purpose being to com for the frauds perpetrated by her band, the missing customs agent of the C. P. R. whose disappearance last week mit murder at ropeka, Kansas. He was was contingent with the discovery that arrested for vagrancy in Vancouver last he had manipulated invoices so as to January and attempted to escape by jumping out of a two-story window. Yesterday Detective Waddell came from fraud has not been made known, as it John Johnson, was arrested at Lady-voices which passed through his hands to learn how much he succeeded in getting. Hobbs's whereabouts is still a mystery, though it is believed he has

> New General Manager, St. John, N. B., Oct. 25,-The directors

of the Bank of New Brunswick, at a meeting selected R. B. Kessen, for many years manager of the Bank of Ottawa branch in Montreal, to succeed W. E. Stavert as general manager. The direcors have called a meeting of the share colders for December 5th, at which a oposal to increase the capital stock Inspected Lines.

TWICE-A-WEEK BDITION VICTORIA, B. C., TUESDAY, OCTOBER, 31, 1905.

Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—James Kent, general manager of the C. P. Is. telegraphs, erintendent of western lines, and Mr. J. Camp, electrical engineer of the denartment of telegraphs, have returned from the West after inspecting the lines of the company between this city and the coast. On account of the great extent of country now covered by the system, detailed examination of all portions was impossible. "We visited the growing cities of the West," said Mr. Kent, "taking up the question of the extensions to be made in the lines of the company nilitia has been advised by the war next year. The only decision reached during our absence was that a new line was to be added at once between Calgary and Edmonton. This will be strung as soon as our employees can complete There have been annoying delays in the work. We have been constantly bringing this about, but it is understood adding to our miles ge during the past summer, and completed about 2,500 miles Canada will be in control on the date of new connections since the corresponding period of last/year. It is the purpose of the company to keep up with the year for a number of years past, and will undonbtedly continue to do so in future. Just where the new lines of next year will be has not yet been decided."

A LONG VOYAGE.

Passage From Bremerhaven to Puget Sound.

Port Townsend, Wn., Oct. 28,-After one of the longest voyages on record the British ship Dundee reached port this morning from Bremerhaven with a cargo of cement for Puget Sound ports. of cement for Puget Sound perts.

The Dundee encountered rough weather from the very commencement of her voyage, her decks bing awash most of the ception of such an illustrious association of the commencement of the commenceme

Good Hope. A portion of the crew mutinied at this the success of the meeting may be entime and eleven of the men were put in irons after refusing duty. Putting Singapore these men were left there and sailors secured in their places. Rough weather was also encountered in the China Sea and the Pacific. The vessel was 238 days on the voyage,

140 being an average voyage.

The Dundee was on the Sound two years ago, when she loaded lumber Bellingham for the West Coast. She awaiting orders now to proceed to Seattle to discharge, after which she will load wheat for the United Kingdom.

THE NORTHPORT SMELTER. Allen Owners May Not Do With Property

as They Please.

Olympia, Oct. 26 .- The litigation at Spo cane concerning the smelter at Northport recalls the fact that the last legislature was asked to approve an act providing for the submission to the voters of an amend ment to the constitution which would allow the corporation claiming title to the property to acquire actual ownership. The Post-Intelligencer announced in pecial dispatch from Spokane that Judge Miles Poindexter had issued an injunctio estraining the Le Roi Mining Company and the Northport Smelter and Refining Company from dismantling the Northport smelter and moving the plant to Trail, B.C. Statements made in behalf of these comanies before the last legislature admit facts under which the state Attorney-General, in the opinion of Olympia lawyers, would be authorized in bringing suit in name of the state to seize the entire plant. It is admitted that these two corporations are aliens, under Washington's con

stitution, as a majority of their capital stock is owned by foreigners, chiefly Engishmen. This fact came out in a suit tried more than a year ago in Stevens county, where the company sought to con-demn a right-of-way for a water flume, and the court held that as aliens the company had no right to bring condemnation

proceedings. Section 33 of the state constitution pro hibits alien ownership and declares that owned by allens shall be considered an stead of the corporation now controlling

allen for the purpose of this act. During the last session Senator Stansell and Representative Kellogg, from Stevens county, where the smelter is located, sought passage of a proposed constitutional amendment which would strike from the consti tution the alien corporation phrase. They session of the property just as it does in cases of estates where no heirs appear.

Whether the state authentities

Whether the state authorities will take formally through the papers.

M'GOVERN AND NELSON. Will Meet in a Six-Round Fight in Philadelphia in December.

come of his bank with Nelson.

BODIES RECOVERED TWO HOURS AFTER ACCIDENT

Dritish Association Will Visit Winnipeg 1909-New Railroad in Prince Edward Island.

Coaticook, Que., Oct. 27.-Jean Richard, Joseph Rickeney and Frank St. clonging to the corporation, yesterday afternoon. The accident happened at a point where the men had been repeated y told to keep away from, All the bodies vere recovered two hours later. All the ictims leave farnhes.

To Visit Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Winnipeg is to have the distinguished honor of enterdevelopment of the West and wires are put in as soon as the population of the country warrants it. We have erected many hundreds of miles of wire each presidency of Professor Darwin. Professors MacAllum and Coleman, of To-ronto, who attended the meetings in British Ship Dundee Was 238 Days on Boyce, who, as chairman of the Royal Society committee, has interested him-self in this matter, received a communication from Prof. McAllum dated from Mozanbique, East Africa, on September 12th to the foregoing effect. It will be remembered that the Dominion government made a promise of \$25,000 ment made a promise of \$25,000 for 1907, and it is hoped that this will be ception of such an illustrious association should it assemble here in 1909. Prof time. In the South Pacific off Cape
Horn, conditions were especially bad, and the Cape was signified four times without the vessel being able to get around. Finally Capt. Stephen put his vessel about and headed for the Cape of Canada in a couple of years, and, compared as it may be with any other British colonial possession, a God's country. tish colonial possession, a God's country

hanced by the postponement." Sudden Death. Winnipeg, Oct. 27 .- B. Meek, one of Virden's oldest citizens, and who this morning was feeling splepdidly, died suddenly. He was at one time mayor

of Virden. Becord Broken. Winnipeg, Oct. 27.-The Canadian She is | Pacific elevator "B" at Fort William yesterday smashed all Canadian records for unloading wheat by emptying ninety-

five cars in nine hours. License Commissioner, Winnipeg, Oct. 27.-Ald. McCharles

will be appointed city license sioner. Opening of Railway. Montreal, Oct. 27.-An express train with Lieut.-Governor McKinnon, Pre mier Peters and many other Prince Ed-

ward Island notables on board passed

over the million dollar bridge at Hillsboro to-day, and 44 miles of the new government railway. The bridge stood the test well. For Manslaughter, Pembroke, Oct. 27.-Luigi Carieri has been sentenced to twenty years' imprisonment for the murder of Guiseppe making the latter a standing medium for Belcastro in Amprior last May. Doubt as to the motive evidently saved

the man's life, as all crown witnesses swore that he was drunk when the deed was committed. Fire at Brampton. block, Queen street, perhaps the oldest building in the town and built of wood, suffered damage, with, in some cases,

small insurance. To Aid Hospital. Brampton, Ont., Oct. 27.-A by-law raise \$150,000 to aid the general hospital. It is suggested that the city should eventually take over the institution and corporations a majority of whose stock is operate it under direct civic control in-

> THE HAGUE CONFERENCE. Admittance of the Vatican Will Be Opposed By France.

Rome, Oct. 25 .- The Italian governany such action has not been determined, Russia. Pour parlers have passed bealthough the matter was brought to the tween The Hague and Rome regarding attention of the tax commission to-day in- the participation of the Vatican in the Now that the relations between the

Italian government and the Vatican ome somewhat ameliorated the cabinet of Premier Fortis has no jection to the Vatican being invited, but New York, Oct. 27.-According to a the change of view since the first Hague morning paper Terry McGovern and conference, so that what in 1899 was a Battling Nelson have been matched for a six-round fight probably before a appear to be a defeat, or to be due to a A six-round fight probably before a appear to be a defeat, or to be due to a Philadelphia club about the middle of too good understanding between church says that the Sultan of Morocco accepts already been brought out alive, but seri-December. Joe Humphrey, Terry's man-and state, which neither desire to em-ager, said yesterday that all other offers phasize. It is expected that admittance Moroccan conference, and also Algeciras, been reached. The burning structure is to fight McGovern must await the out- of the Vatican will be especially opposed Spain, as the meeting place of the con-12- Prance

ROOSEVELT IN COLLISION. on Which the President Travelled Was Damaged.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 27.-A long distance message from Nairen, La., sixty miles down the river, announces that the lighthouse tender Magnolia, with President Roosevelt on board, was in collision with the fruit steamer Espart shortly after midnight. The news came through a message from Capt. W. M. Rose of the Espart. Capt. Rose reported both vessels aground at the river bank. No one was seriously hurt. The President is safe and uninjured. Capt. Rose said the Espart would probably have to carry the President's party to the West Virginia. Two tugs left New Orleans this morning for the scene of the accident. It is probable that one

West Virginia. Passengers Transferred.

of these will carry the President to the

New Orleans, La. Oct. 27.-The revenue cutter has taken President Roosevelt through the passes into the Gulf of Mexico. Neither the President nor any rigorous measures adopted. Gen. Treof his party were injured.

COLLINS OUT ON BAIL.

San Francisco Lawyer Released Last Night-Threatens to Take Proceedings Against Judge Lawler.

Vancouver, Oct. 27 .- A special dispatch from San Francisco says Geo. D. Collins was released on bail in the Bay Capetown, urgently pressed the claims of Winnipeg for 1907, but were informed that definite promises had been made for 1906-07-08, but that 1909 would see McCurdy and Mrs. Collins. His first McCurdy and Mrs. Collins. His first McCurdy and Mrs. Collins. His first McCurdy and Mrs. Collins. client is Alex. McLean, "The Sea Wolf," who proposes bringing a series of libel

JAPANESE TROOPS DISPATCHED TO SCENE

Prince Arthur of Connaught Will Bestow the Order of the Garter on the Mikado.

London, Oct. 28.—The correspondent of the Times at Tokio says the rice crop of Japan is much below the original original even the bank and office employees have

threatened with famine. provinces southward of Seoul.

Memorial Services. Tokio, Oct. 28.-Impressive religious nemorial services for those killed in the for a constituent assembly. naval, battles during the war between surviving friends of the deceased. grand shinto service to be held to-mor- a belated set of "Temporary" regulati row at the Aeyoma cemetery.

Agreement With Bank. Tokio, Oct. 28.-4 p. m.-It is reported that negotiations between British capitalists and the Kogyo bank, in this foreign investments in Japan.

Honor For Emperor. Tokio, Oct. 27.—The announcement that King Edward had charged Prince Arthur of Connaught to proceed to Tokio early in 1906 on a special mission bestow the Order of the Garter on the Brampton, Ont., Oct. 27 .- The Stork Emperor of Japan, has caused the greatest satisfaction among all classes here. The Emperor invited 2,000 naval offiwas almost completely destroyed by fire early this morning. All the occupants and an equal number will be entertained with a programme which will meet the

This action upon the part of the Emperor is unprecedented. The commander of the Tokio division will not repeat itself. will be submitted to the ratepayers to gave a farewell garden party yesterday at Takeshiki for the Russian officers kept prisoners there. Toasts to the Emper-ors of Russia and Japan were drunk with enthusiasm.

THE PANAMA CANAL

-- Engineers Will Report Next

Month.

(Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Oct. 28.-The Post to-day makes the following statement: "The board of consulting engineers, advisory to the Isthmian canal commission. will report that both a sea level and lock canal are feasible. Some of the and the suburban railroads have struck. members of the board will favor the tide level system, but the majority will recommend the introduction of the ditch on the lock plan, because of the shorter time within which it can be completed. The report of the board probably will be the last week in November."

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

A detailed dispatch from M. St. Rene neries Company.

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WILL FIRE ON PEOPLE IN CASE OF DISORDER

Russian Minister Adopts Rigorous Measures to Preserve Peace-Doctors and Lawyers Will Strike.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 27.-12.23 p.m.-Warning to the people that in case of disorder the soldiers will fire ball cartridges, are posted on every street corner to-day. The city is outwardly calmer under the poff, in order to restore confidence, directed all shopkeepers to take down the boards from shop windows during the night, and this morning the city awoke

to find the shops reopened.

Large squads of soldiers are scattered along the streets and in the markets to preserve order. Even detachments of the crack guard regiments are doing pa

trol duty.

Nevertheless, beneath the surface there is much excitement. The revolutionists have spread the tidings that a revolution suing warrants for the arrest of Mrs. has begun and the city is filled with the wildest rumors. For example, a story is afloat that a provisional government has been established. The better classes are

Many meetings have been held during the night. Though the task of continuing the general strike more than a few days seemed utterly hopeless to the practically mindcraving for liberty that the agitators have ebperienced little difficulty in induc-ing all classes of workmen to join in the anti-government demonstrations

At a meeting of delegates from the pro dessional unions, comprising doctors druggusts and lawyers, it was decided to druggists and lawyers, it was decided to strike from October 28th until a constituent assembly is summoned.

Latest advices from Kieff and Saratoff are disquicting. With a single exception all the newspapers of Kieff have declared in favor of a strike. All the drug stores in Saratoff are closed, and the town is without artificial light nowspapers are appearing. The Saratoff town council has organized a committee The street cars in St. Petersburg have

for the protection of the citizens. hreatened with famine.

The Japanese authorities have dismovement. The printers have resolved upon an unique demonstration to voice patched a body of troops from Seoul to their demand for a free press. They have quell an insurrection in three Korean decided not to print a single regular newspaper to-morrow, and instead to publish clandestinely an uncensored paper for distribution by the workmen con taining the demands of the proletariat

Just when reports were abroad that Japan and Russia are being held daily freedom of assembly would be granted, a bad impression has been created by the Vice Admiral Togo will be present at a publication of the Official Messenger of three columns in length, dealing with the right of assembly which will require from three to seven days' notice to the police of the object of the meeting, with the names of the speakers, etc. Then if permission is granted the police are empowered to close the meetings if opinions are uttered which are supposed

threaten public order. The news from the interior is meagre, The situation has not improved. According to reliable reports the troops at Kharkoff sided with the strikers. In many places the schools are closed. The high school girls at Pskaroff walked out to-

The Russ, now the leading organ of the onstitutional party, declares that Count Witte's accession to power will not satby him to-morrow at the same place. wants of the nation. Only absolutely solid guarantees for the future can now avail to reassure the people that the past

Situation at Warsaw Warsaw, Oct. 27.-Telegraphic communication between Warsaw and St. Petersburg, Moscow and Berlin was severed to-day in consequence of a fire in a telegraph office caused by a crossing of electric wires. The strike is in full Sea Level and Lock System Are Feasible swing at the factories here and the agitators are urging the employees of the banks and insurance and uses to leave their work. The shops are still open. The workmen are holding ig meetings without interference on the part of the police.

Strike at Lodz. Lodz, Russia, Oct. 27.-The employees of all the local factories, street car lines

FIREMEN BURIED By Collapse of a Shed at San Francisco -Two Rescued Seriously Injured.

San Francisco, Oct. 27 .- A serious fire is now raging in a new cannery building recently established on the corner of Bay and Nelson streets, which threatens the destruction of the entire plant. It is reported that a large shed has collapsed,

owned and operated by the Central Can-