THE VICTOR A TIMES. TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1897

LUCAL NEWS.

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From Friday's Daily, -Herbert Stanton, Nanaimo, has been appointed deputy coroner for Nanaimo district.

-Capt. C. N. Black, of Omineca, has been appointed a justice of the peace for Cassiar and Cariboo districts.

-Thos. Fletcher Neelands, Vancou-ver, and William White, Moosomin, have been appointed notaries public,

-Alfred H. Drew, London, Eng., has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits for the courts of British Columbia.

-Mr. Frederick Bevan, of the provincrushed leg. cial police, has received word of the death of his daughter, Marion, his only child, in Dover, England.

-Mr. John Muir, of Sooke, has re-\$5 and \$10 bills. A hole in his pocket the Charmer did not wait on it. explains the cause.

-The final session of the Behring Ses follow; Duties collected, \$39,843.46; claims commission will not be held in other revenues, \$9,233.55; total, \$49,-Montreal, as a dispatch received from 077.01. Ottawa announces that it has been decided to hold the final meeting for the Exports, Canadian produce, \$20,316; ex-hearing of the argument and for making ports, other, \$9,291; total, \$29,602. the award in Charlottetown, Prince Ed ward Island, in August. ruary follow:

-Sam Clay's saloon on Johnson street was entered by burglars last night and a couple of dozen bottles of whiskey stolen. The thieves got in through a side window, having evidently used a sharp instrument to slip the catch. They were not hurried in any way, taking time to drink a bottle of brandy before leaving the premises. ' The stolen goods were valued at about \$25.

-Charles Blanford Crease, youngest the lumber firm of Mossom, Boyd & Co. brother of Sir Henry P. P. Crease, of who purchased the Cowichan Mill and Pentrelew, this city, died on Wednesday timber limits, and who is about to take at Barrie, Ont., of dropsy. He was 58 contracts for the getting out of a large years of age. The deceased was for- quantity of logs on Cowichan lake. merly an officer of the 8th King's regiment, and served during the Indian Mu--The fire department's report for the tiny. He was lately of the P.O.I. office, month just past is a very light one. There were three fires with a total loss Barrie. His eldest son, Mr. Edward A. of \$50. The three fires were one on Crease, is now residing with Sir Henry Chatham street; chimney fire, no loss;

at Pentrelew. -Mr. J. F. McDonald, of Vancouver

amounting to \$50; and one at the corner was badly shaken up in a runaway ac of Moss and Fort street, with no stated cident this afternoon. He drove down loss. Johnson street at full speed, apparently making no effort to stop the horse, and took place yesterday afternoon from his in attempting to turn on to Store street upset the buggy. Mr. McDonald was late residence, on the corner of Fernwood road and Centre street. thrown out and received a couple of rather severe cuts on the forehead. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Haslam, pastor of St. Barnabas horse continued down Johnson street unchurch. The following gentlemen acted til it came in contact with t heavy lumas pallbearers: Messrs. Harry Catterber wagon.

all, Thomas Catterall, Thomas Ashe, -A telegram just received from Kaslo Arthur Hiscock and Edward Greggs.

at the offices of the British Columbia Gold Fields Company contains the please who have lately arrived from the other ing information that the workmen employed on the company's Enterprise side contributed fines of \$5 and \$2.50 costs to the city exchequer this morning creek property, the Sunset, have just uacovered a new ledge of six feet of solid for being found drunk in Trounce quartz, and that the tunnel being driven avenue on Saturday afternoon. The exon the Careless, one of the Salmon river chequer also received a contribution of properties, has struck the ledge at a \$10 from P. Burke, who was found drunk on Saturday evening. He gave depth of eighty feet from the surface. The grade of the ore is not stated, 'but bail to that amount, which, as he did it is judged to be satisfactory to the not appear this morning, was forfeited. interested parties. Development on the Gibson and Athabasca is being pushed appropriating a lot of goods which she ahead as rapidly as possible, and both properties are looking excellent.

Lake District, was called in the pro-vincial police court this afternoon. Mr. -In connection with the contract which R. Dunsmuir & Sons have made Archer Martin, for the defence, objected to supply Kootenay smelters with one to Superintendent Hussey appearing in thousand tons of Union coke per month the case and submitted a number of rethe Napaimo Free Press states that it

the accident was some distance away Jensen. He is the man who is accused from the railroad, and it was found of htaking into the saloon. Jensen is necessary to cut a trail in order that well known to the police, he having been he might be carried to the track. The arrested several times for stealing. He Victoria & Sidney railway company, on has not been arrested yet, but the police hearing of the unfortunate occurrence, are searching for him. Only two bot-delayed their evening train in order that thes of the stolen liquor were found by erpool rariy in Feb-Simpson might be brought to town. He the police, the accused having made is now lying at the Jubilee Hospital. away with the others. It was at first The leg bone has been crushed below the thought that it had been taken up to knee. Dr. Richardson does not think the West Coast by an Indian woman who was living in Williams' cabin, and that amuptation will be necessary. who went away on the sealing schooner Steamer Queen to Make a Trip -Jucob Simpson, the victim of the ac-lent at Sannichton on Thuisday leat cident at Saanichton on Thursday last, is still at the Jubilee Hospital. He is improving slightly, and fortunately it will necessary to simputate the charge of supplying liquor to ago on the charge of supplying liquor to Indians. The police fear that Jensen will not be necessary to amputate the

Sat has left the city. -J. J. Baird, who leaves for home on -Victoria has had just two eastern the steamor Tees this evening, leaves mails for a week and they both arrived behind him a petition signed by forty of on the same day. What or where the his fellow-residents in the San Juan and trouble is, is known only to the C.P.R. ported to the police that while walking officials, and to very few of them. Yes- Gordon River valley. The petition around the city yesterday he lost \$85 in terday's train was several hours late and states that the residents of that district feel the great need of roads to make living and productive industry possible. -The customs returns for February Goods roads would enable them to develop their farming, timber, mineral and other resources. There is room in the valleys for many more than the Mr. Foster, Mr. Dubois, wife and fam-Imports, dutiable, \$112,178; imports, free, \$25,587; total, \$137,765. present population, but unless new roads ily, John Kawa, Mr. Yano. are made they cannot see how they cau induce new settlers to come. One thing more to which the attention of -The inland revenue returns for Feb-

titioners's say it is frequently twenty Baird says, is very bright; many claims mineral wealth are coming from all

larger and played an important part in the digestive operations of the human system, but, like the tonsils and wisdom is imperfectly nourished and especially same port. liable to disease. The false notion that outer wharf on Oct. 3, appendicitis is caused by a grape seed or some foreign substance finding an enone at 124 North Park street, with less -The funeral of the late Philip Swan unable to throw off disease as do the stomach, lungs, heart and other organs. It is composed of lymphoid tissue, which is lowest in scale of material in the body. The true cause of disease is inflammation and consequent gangrene in the tisof operations, but it should be done with in a few hours after the first symptoms appear. They are: 1. A sudden attack, -Two ladies of questionable character coming on when the patient is, apparently, in perfect health, and without warning. 2. A sharp pain in the centre of the abdomen. 3. A sore spot, painful to the touch, located exactly where the incision must be made. The appendix is generally, but not always, found on the right of the abdominal centre. The disease seldom attacks people except between the ages of 10 and 30 years. The proportion is 80 per cent. males and 20 per cent. females. It has recently been discovered that in the latter an extra -The case of Mrs. Jones, charged with vessel supplies blood to the appendix, had bought in the name of Mr. Foot, of which in males is only nourished from minute veins in the web that holds of in place.

The

PNEUMATIC SLEEPING-CARS.

ruary.

TWO SALMON

From San Francisco to Victoria.

The steamship Empress of Ching sails this evening for the Orient. She has a full cargo, a large number of steerage passengers and the following cabin pas sengers: Mrs. Stein and two children H. Blum, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgibbon, Ad miral Dubasdoff, Mr. Spalkhaven, S Weiss, S. Tamura, Miss Bestie, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marvin, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Croxton, Mr. Horikoshi, Mr. and Mrs S. E. Smalley, Mr. and Mrs. Orderdonk, Lieut, Volkoff, F. W. Page, Mr. and

Early this marning the steamer To peka left the outer wharf for Alaska. the government will be drawn is the importance of a road to Victoria. The distance is only 55 miles, and the peions, no mail was sent by Captain Wildays, and sometimes longer, that they are without communication by water with Victoria. The prospect there, Mr. ceived from Ottawa at the local post are being staked, and good reports of its office to forward any mail, none was sent. In all probability, however, the contract will be renewed by the postmaster-general.

The vermiform appendix is known to Holm, was the first of the British Colscience as a vestigial organ. It was once umbia 1896 salmon fleet to reach Liverpool. She left the Fraser river on Oct. 9, and reached Liverpool on Feb. 18. Two days after this the British bark teeth, has fallen into disuse, hence it Embleton, Captain Gronow, reached the The latter vessel left the

The British bark Blairlogie, Captain trance to this little organ, whose inter- McKay, has completed loading lumber ior is only large enough to admit a small at Hastings mill and will leave in a darning needle, has no foundation in fact. It is atrophied by disuse, and is Her cargo consists of 1,289,168 feet of lumber, valued at \$11,564.

The steamer Queen, which has been overhauled and repaired, will relieve the steamer City of Puebla on her next scheduled trip. The city of Puebla will sue: Becently surgeons have found that then be laid up for alterations and re-the removal of the organ is the simplest pairs.

> The sealing schooner Ocean Belle, Capt. Rupert Cox in command, sails tomorrow morning for a sealing cruise on the coast and in Behring Sea.

The steamship Eva, a Norwegian tranip, which has been at Esquimalt several weeks, cleared on Saturday for Comox, where she will get a cargo of coal for San Francisco.

The steamer Tees leaves for the West Coast at nine o'clock this evening.

The Danube is advertised to leave for the north next Friday evening.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE. usual habits excites a sense of surprise. Women have much less opportunity of stealing than men, as they could hardly THE WHEEL. take to burglary, highway robbery or the work of the footpad; women, we no-San Francisco, March 1.-In the annual tice, being rarely accused of even twenty-five mile road race over the San snatching jewels or purses from other Leandro road course there were eighty- women, although they can approach them so closely. They are besides, we dition of the road, only forty-three fin- feel sure, more honest. They feel the. Tony Delmar, of San Jose, won temptation of money less, and the sense time prize, and incidentally lowered, of its importance, and of their own the coast record for that distance, mak- trusteeship in regard to it, much more. ing it in one hour nine minutes thirty- That is the universal opinion on the confour and one-fifth seconds. Sixteen tinent, where women are implicitly men" finished under the previous record, trusted with the till; and we notice that the practice is spreading here, so that charge of the cash receipts of shops is becoming one of the most frequent of female employments. There are bold female swindlers, but they generally swindle by using their capacity for his trionics. The charges of embezzlement alleged against women are extraordinarily few, while their honesty as servants. chanics' Pavilion in this city has been se-cured by Corbett's agents for an exhibi-tempted, is really marvellous. The ordtempted, is really marvellous. The ordtion to take place there on March 18 or | inary well-to-do house-mistress takes no more precautions against her maid's In accordance with the instructions thereing propensities than against her from W. A. Brady, Alf. Ellinghouse se-daughter's, and, if she is a shrew, dilates upon every fault possible except thereby circumventing Julian, who ar- this one. Nine times out of ten when ing, the chair cushions are filled with rived here Sunday morning with the same object in view. Ellinghouse said last evening that Cor- perienced policemen say is true even of bett would probably spar a four of five the street girls who are frequently round bout with Sullivan or Maher in the event of his winning the fight. I fact, steal much less frequently than round bout with Sullyan of the the event of his winning the fight. When Harry Corbett returned to Ne-When Harry Corbett returned to Ne-"Is it possible that the animus furendi. "Is it possible that the animus furendi. the fight went with him. One of the for stealing; differs in the sexes in kind flags has the Stars and Stripes, while as well as in degree? We have an idea that this may be true, and that the also took a trunkful of gymnasium ap- woman's desire to thieve is excited by a wish to possess the visible article stolen while the man's is aroused by a craving for the pleasure or the idleness which the article stolen will purchase. He seeks money, in fact, while she seeks

States, or by interstate commerce. for Quebec, and by the Canadian Pacific whether in a newspaper or other periodiand the Soo to Minneapolis, where they cal or telegram or in any other form. will be met by waiting friends from the colony. "Sec. 2. That any person sending such matter, or knowingly receiving such matter for transmission by mail or inter-THE ROTARY ENGINE. state commerce, shall be deemed guilty

of a misdemeanor, and shall be punish-able by imprisonment for not more than Much has appeared in the daily papers about a rotary steam engine invented by five years or by a fine not exceeding \$1,000, at the discretion of the court." Grant Brambel, of Sleepy Eye, Minn. It has been asserted that it is to revolutionize manufacturing, and that it has Carson, Nev., March 1 .- Not content with legalizing the contest for the world's pugilistic championship, Asbeen bought by a British syndicate for a fabrilous sum. The Railway Review, summarizing an authoritative opinion from the American Machinist, says of semblyman Tim Dempsey proposes to introduce a bill in the legislature in the next few days asking for the approprithis engine that, according to the specifications of the patent, it is "far from the ation of \$3,000 for the purpose of havbest and not far from the worst of existing made a gorgeous belt of silver, with ing rotary engines. It is demonstrable lamond studding, to be presented to the from the patient drawing that the steam will not turn the engine over except when started from one or two special points of the revolution, and if it could not be got to run, it would do little more A female highwayman, described as than that; and whatever the volume or "of herculean proportions, and of ex-

"of herculean proportions, and of ex-tradedinary bravado," is holding the be developed." FOREIGN ECHOES.

The Mosque of St. Sophia, at Con A house car line to the Pyramids has stantinople, was built over a thousand been authorized at Cairo. years ago, and the mortar used is said

tooliave been perfumed with musk. the name of Themistocles, with which The musky odor is still perceptible. the Athenians voted for his ostracism in "There is a sign in front of a George town, Md., store that reads as fol- 471 B.C., has been discovered at Athlows: "Born with a brain within a brain, i can kure every kind of misery

in a short time, with only the best eros to be used." It is said that the Irish language is benediction. dying out. Ten years ago 64,000 people

spoke Irish only. In 1891 there were 38,000. In 1881 there were 885,000 who could speak the Irish and English and last year there were only 642,000. A member of the common council of New Orleans wants to solve one quesuseful books ever devised. tion of street car traffic by making pas-

sengers enter at the rear and leave by the front. He thinks his plan would lessen the dangers of human life. When the Duke of Monmouth was executed in the reign of James II./for treason, his duchess ordered every oak in the park to be cut on the fateful The new growth, belonging to Lord Ebury, is one of the finest forests in Britain.

TIM'S A DAISY.

ODDS AND ENDS.

roads between Brussels and Antwerp,

winner of the great battle.

and attacking solitary houses.

ARE WOMEN AS HONEST AS MEN little became so weak that all evidence

Numerous distressing cases of klepto- nourishment, became so thin and weak mania that have come to light in Lon- that his limbs refused to support his

that the shopkeeper who first tries this health and strength." remedy will lose all his customers. The Spectator moralizes as follows on the subject indicated by our title, moved thereto by the fact that in most, if not

all, the cases of kleptomania recently developed, women have been the offendera:

their inclination has always attracted attention, partly from its extreme incon-

venience to shopkeepers, whose very business compels them to expose their goods to this risk, and partly, we im-

Date. Date. Total. 13-SS. 12-SS. 20-SS.

One of the potsherds inscribed with Mlyle. Conedon, the Paris young woman who is in communication with the Angel Gabriel, has moved into Belgium, where the Bishop of Liege has given her A prophet is not without honor save in his own country. The Guildhali ki-brary in London has refused to accept a bust of the late Joseph Whitaker, whose "Almanac" is one of the most "Professor Schmiedeberg, of Strasburg, lately made a very interesting experiment," says the National Druggist, "which not only conclusively demon strates the existence of an iron hunger in animals, but also indicates the disastrous results in the event of the craving remaining unsatisfied. A strong, frolic some dog, that had suffered the loss of a small quantity of blood only, was fed for a period on pure milk, and little by of spirit vanished, and, refusing further

don recently have led English journals, body. Just as he seemed on the point scientific and other, into a discussion on of death, a gram of ferratin was added the causes and cures of shoplifting. The | to his daily allowance of milk; when, in British Medical Journal suggests the stead of refusing as heretofore, he destationing of policemen in uniform in voured it ravenously, and in the space the stores as a deterrent, but concludes of two weeks, recovered his normal

One result of the Indian plague has been to flood the London market with pearls. The native dealers in the marts of Bombay have been in such haste to quit the stricken city that they have Women of a certain kind have eagerly disposed of their wares at far

always been addicted to shoplifting, and below the customary market value.

The public library of Cleveland has been issuing an index to periodical literature, published every month. For the present year the scope of the work will agine, because men are so accustomed to trusting the honesty of women that this particular aberration from their will include from time to time, biblic be enlarged, the number of magazines indexed increased to one bundred, and graphies and other special matter.

FOREIGN COAL SHIPMENTS. Following is the list of foreig

YIELD AN King George Continues Hi tion for War-The Fal Candamo. Interesting Disclosures by cation of the Year Book. Relations Between Greece at Broken Off-Crete's (Blockaded. Canea, March 2.-The Ci book, which has just been iss ing a period between Febru and Septemper, 1896, is c esting as going to show Lord steady refusal to accept chowski's proposal to blockad the event that Greece shoul the collective note of the po ing the stoppage of the imp arms and the sending of into Crete. Count Golu pressed great regret at the Lord Salisbury and a fear massacres would result. that Lord Salisbury conte not an even-handed policy fleets of the powers against and only diplomatic r against the Sultan. As September, Lord Salisbury vocated autonomy for Cret clared he could only join measures against Greece in should make a hostile attac integrity of the Turkish En London, March 2 .- A di Times from Canea says: Candamo has caused a co between the beys and the population here, who have the Greek vice-consul to compatriots in Candamo. H to do this on condition that supply the means to enable ceed to Selino and the l ernor, Ismail Pasha, gives der to the Turks to quit Car a Greek guarantee of safety A dispatch from Athens to dated 2:30 a.m., says: vice-consul at Canea, who ized to go to Selino on boar warship, has represented that sulmans is anna haye thre proclaim the union of the Greece and murder the beys the hindrance which the upon their efforts to indu vice-consul to save the wom ren. The foreign consuls ha and demanded that a wars from Suda bay to Selino." The Times this morning

dispatch from Constantin

states: "All relations courts of St. Petersburg

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the Italian fleet, a signed

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Dispatches from Athens

Disparences from Athens a number of Cretan deputies, the bishop of Retimo, have King George a memorial, st fect that autonomy, instead

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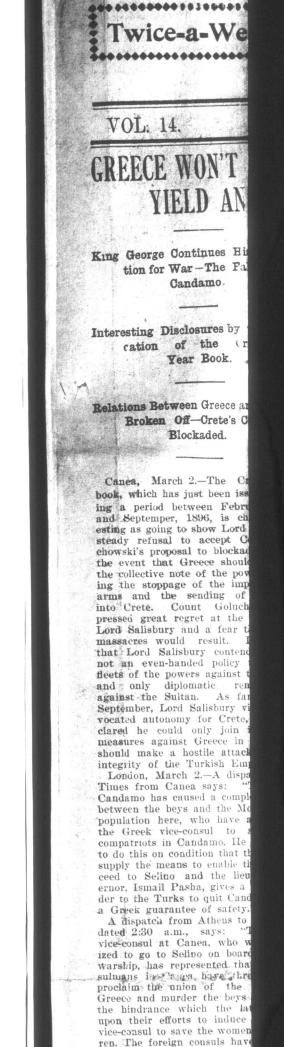
New York, March 2 .---

"All rumors concerning

of the collective note

thousand troops who wer

have been broken off.



Spirits., \$ 6,146 83
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 Tobacco.
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 Methylated Spirits.
 211
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 Total. \$13,228 68 -W. Gidley has just arrived in Victoria from the east, and in a few days parts of the valley. will go to Duncan, where he will make his residence. Mr. Gidley represents

VERMIFORM APPENDIX.

has been informed "that the coal from the recently opened Alexandra colliery of Dunsmuir & Sons makes a grade of the case was proceeded with. coke which gives the best possible results in some grades of smelting at Koo tenay, and that for the present a limited quantity of the Alexandra coal will be taken to the Union coke ovens and there converted into coke. Should the do mand justify, coke ovens will shortly be erected in the immediate vicinity of the Alexandra mines, about five miles south of this city.'

sailors of the British ship Lyderhorn minutes. The empty cases and trays use on many of the great trank lines of the who were convicted and imprisoned for which the burglars took from the store who were convicted and imprisoned for were found in the school house. refusing duty on that ship, was not put on board the ship yesterday with the

others. He was taken to the Jubilee the city police on the various charges The interior by day is that of a hand-Hospital this morning by Sergeant during the past month is as follows: In somely fitted up partic car. The custo-Langley of the provincial police, as he possession of stolen property, 2; infrac-mary chairs are seen on either side of has several fingers frozen. Dr. Davie has certified that he is unfit for sea, and stealing, 6; drunk, 24; infraction of the When one sits in them, however, a markhe will remain at the Jubilee Hospital public morals by law, 1; infraction of ed difference is noticed from the ordinfor treatment instead of going on the Lyderhorn to Australia. It was as far house of ill-fame, 1; safe keeping, 1; back as November that Woodburn had lodgings, 2; assault, 2; infraction of anihis fingers frozen, when he was pros-pecting in Rogers Pass, B. C. Until mals by-law, 1; obtaining money by recently, however, he has not been property, 2; fighting, 3; unsound mind, troubled by them. From present ap-2; a total of 69 cases. pearances it looks as if it will be neces-sary for him to have the fingers which were frozen amputated.

-From Saturday's Daily. -The infant son of W. J. Deasy was

Althoff conducted the funeral services. three years has been at the Jubilee hospi-tal, died on Thursday afternoon at that breach, the cartridge, in some unac-ready for the beds. institution. He was 37 years of age countable way, exploded. Pieces of the pospital. Rev. Canon Paddon officiated. He was brought down to Victoria on the

-From a letter received by a Victorian The medical men who attended the suffrom C. C. McKenzie, of Nanaimo, it ferer succeeded in extracting a portion is learned that people are thronging into of the exploded cartridge from the is learned that people are thronging into Texada island at such a great rate that soon a daily mail will be found necessary. The letter also recommends that steps be that is destroyed. The letter also recommends that steps be and burnt by the powder.

-Yesterday afternoon the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Philippa Watson took place at Saanichton from her residence to St. Stephen's cemetery. Rev F. G. Christmas conducted the funeral services, and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers; Mr. Joseph Walk-er, Mr. C. Kimbur, Mr. W. Le Poer nch, Mr. R. H. Breds, Capt. Richardson, and Mr. Wm. Casswell.

-Jacob Simpson on FRursday was the street known as the Harbor View cot. victim of a sad accident at Saanichton. Itages, hidden under some straw. Ar-He was sawing a big cedar tree for the thur Grice, who found some of the purpose of felling it, and had it nearly liquor, was brought to the lock-up on

Sleeping on air is the latest innovaferences in support of his contention. The objection was overruled, and the tion in railway travel. The use of cominformation having been slightly amended pressed air for this purpose will, int the

revolutionize railway travel. At present -A letter received to-day by Messrs. the only car completely fitted with com-Challoner, Mitchell & Co., from Mr. pressed air cushions and beds is the Mitchell, who is at Rossland, conveys private car of Vice-President, J.no.N. Schoonmaker of the Pittsburg and Liake the information that the extent of the loss the firm will suffer by the late rob- Erie Railroad. These have been found, bery will total up \$4000, not \$2000, as however, to be not only practicable, but has been stated. A reward of \$1000 to possess so many advantages over the has been offered for the arrest of the accommodations of ordinary sleeping thief or thieves, who, by the way, are evidently professionals, Mr. Mitchell be-having similarly fitted ones constructed, -John Woodburn, one of the eleven, ing absent from the store only thirty and before long they will be in general

inches. Colonel Schoonmaker's car in appearance does not differ externally from the

-The record of the arrests made by ordinary private car of railroad officials. the streets by-law, 4; vagrancy, 9; fre- ary car chair. This is explained by the quenting a house of ill-fame, 5; keeping fact that instead of the usual upholsterdegree to the occupant the jolting and false pretences, 1; malicious injury to jarring of the car when in motion. During the day no one would for a moment suppose that he was riding in a sleeping-car, and it is not until the day

-The fourteen-year-old son of Mr. J. | coach is transformed into a sleeper that T. Collins, of Salt Spring Island, is at the possibilities of the use of compressed St. Joseph's Hospital with his face bad- air in this direction are fully realized. ly mutilated, the result of a peculiar The transformation is effected in this buried this afternoon. The Rev. Father gun accident. The boy and his brother wise: First, the air in the chair cushwent out, hunting, and as they were approaching a fence he decided to extract folded up and slipped into an opening 'n -William Milligan, who for the past the cartridge from the gun as a matter the side of the car. Thus all the seats

The panels on either side of the winand a native of England. The fineral cartridge fiew into the boy's face and dows open outward like a door. On the took pace this afternoon from the Jubile completely forced out one of his eyes. over which is drawn a steel, spring-like arrangement which supports the hed. City of Nanaimo on Saturday afternoon. Fitting closely against the sides of the car and concealed during the day by the

> which inflates and forces itself outward from the sides of the car until it rests

-John Williams and Joseph Blair upon the steel framework, and the bed is ready to be made up. The head and foot of the bed are panels, which fit also were charged before Police Magistrate Macrae this morning with being in possession of stolen property. They were into the side of the car. When the berth remanded until Thursday morning, in or bed is not desired for use another valve is turned, and the air in the mat-tress expelled. The mattress itself asorder to give the police time to get more evidence. Some of the liquor stolen from Sam Clay's saloon on Johnson sumes the appearance of an empty rubstreet on Thursday last was found in their cabins, one of the row of Store side of the car as before. The panels their cabins, one of the row off Store are then closed and the sleeping-car is

once more ready to become the parlorcar for the day traveller. "She is always giving you a piece of purpose of felling it, and had it nearly cut through when it was blown off the stump by a gust of wind, and dropping endways it pinned Simpson's leg to the ground, badly smashing it. The scene of

MIAL BOAD BAC estimation of railway men, eventually four starters, but, owing to the poor conished. the

one hour ten minutes thirty seconds and two-fifths. Of the six scratch men, only two finished. Delmar and Wing. who made a desperate race from the start to the finish. Delmar won by four

> THE BING. San Francisco, Feb. 27 .- The Me-

cured the pavilion on Tuesday last,

the other is the emplem of Ireland. He paratus. Wm. A. Brady is expected to arrive in

San Francisco to-day.

BLOW AT PUGILISM. Washington, March 1.-The prelimi-things." nary newspaper reports of the coming Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize, fight were brought to the attention of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce by Rev. Wilbur F: Crafts, with the request for speedy and radical action by that committee. Mr. Crafts is secretary of the National Reform Learne, and has been instrumental int congressional action against prize fighting and against lotteries. He presented to the committee the draft of a bill to stop sensational reports of prize fighting, representing that most news-papers would be glad to omit the details of pugilistic events from their columns they were not driven to publish them the enterprise of their less scrupulous

rivals. The committee made some immateria changes in the bill, and then, by a prac-tically unanimous vote, instructed Repre-sentative Aldrich, of Illinois, to report it to the house. The text of the bill follows:

"Sec. 1. That no picture or description of a prize fight or encounter of pugilists, Russia to Libau, on the Baltic, where an under whatever name, or any proposal or record of betting on the same, shall y under whatever name, or any proposal agent will put them aboard a Wilson or record of betting on the same, shall vine steamer to Liverpool. There they be transmitted in the mails of the United will leave by the Royal Mail Allan line

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In April twenty-five Menonites, bound for South Dakota, will be landed in Minneapolis by a Soo train, after one of the ongest continuous journeys on record. They are now living; says the St. Paul Pioneer Press, in Tashkend, an ancient Persian town captured in 1862 by the Russians, They are a quiet German sect, and after 150 years' residence in Russia have not lost their individuality. Frugal in habits, they have amassed small fortunes, most of them, and are anxious to sell their farms in Russia and move to a freer country. The colonies now settled in Minnesota, Iowa, the Dakotas and Manitoba are but the advance guard of the 50,000 who will prohably be found in this country within the next ten years. The wenty-five from Tashkend

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