CAPITAL NOTES.

General Herbert's Case Discussed in

the House of Commons-Proro-

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The Premier Will Pay No Attention

to the Charges Against

Quebec Judges.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, July 18.—The House was occur

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liscussing the case of Col. Powell and Mr.

would treat the charges with the contempt they deserved, and would pay no attention to them.

Mr. McCarthy advised the House to take some steps to prevent a repetition of such disgraceful attacks on the bench by a mem-ber without proceeding to an impeachment. The House will probably prorogue on Sat-

urday.

T. P. Gorman, editor of the Free Press, died last night.

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SAVARY ISLAND MURDER.

Important Evidence Adduced by the Prosecution-Little Lewis Boketo's Startling Story.

He. However, Contradicts Himself When Cross Examined For the Defence.

VANCOUVER, July 17. - (Special) - The trial of Hugh Lyon, charged with the murder of Green and Taylor, ranchers on Savary island, in October last, commenced to-day. Hon. A. N. Richards and Deputy Attorney-General Smith appeared for the Crown, and E. P. Davis for the defence. The prisoner pleaded not guilty in a firm voice. Prison fare has apparently agreed with Lynn, who is stouter and looks much better than when arrested. The evidence to-day was uninteresting, being of a technical character, the first links in the chain of circumstantial evidence the prosecution claim they will be able to weld together. Hon. Mr. Rich-ards opened the case for the prosecution, briefly addressing the jury. Mr. Bledsoe the first witness called, identified numershe first witness called, identified numerous plans and photographs of various localities. Norman Smith gave evidence as to the finding of the bodies, giving details as to their position and the condition of the premises. Mr. Hansen gave corroborative testimony having been present with Smith when he made his discovery.

VANCOUVER, July 18. — (Special)—The city. second day of Lynn's trial brought out the bulk of the important evidence f prosecution. Norman Smith depose the Indians who visited the murdered man. Green, and left before Lynn had nothing in their canoes from Green's store.

The witness Thorlin deposed that Lyn and Green had been in his store Oct. 24 and bought whiskey; Lynn came back later with an order from Green for six more with an order from Green for six more bottles. Eric Jscobson gave corroborative evidence as to the finding of the bodies and the condition of the store and shack, etc. Frank McCallum deposed that he saw Green and Lynn together at Savary island Oct. 24. Jennie Boketo, the klootchman who was Lynn's companion at and after the date of the murder, repeated the story in detail already given at the preliminary hearing. She denied ever having been married to Lynn.

The next witness was little Lewis Boketo son of the last witness. The boy was not sworn. He knew the man in the dock; his name was Lynn; witness' name was Boketo; he went with Lynn in the boat with Jenny (his mother); he knew Savary island; Jack Green kept a store there; Tom lived with Green; he lived with Jenny and Lynn in a siwash hut; he remembered the siwashes coming there. They got drunk; they drank whiskey. He went up to Jack Green's house the day the Indians went away; he saw Hugh Lynn, Jack Green and Tom there; they were drinking whiskey; he heard shots fired; he went up to Green's house; he saw a money box on

the second reading of the alien immigrants bill. Lord Rosebery opposed the bill on the ground that such proposals ought not to be made to Parliament except upon the initiative of the government. It was not through neglect on the part of the present through neglect on the part of the present Ministry, he declared, that the alien question had not been touched. When Lord This can hardly be. Stocks in first hands the present the past, unless stocks in second hands throughout the country are fairly liberal. This can hardly be. Stocks in first hands the moment. Salisbury was in power the case against alien immigrants was infinitely stronger than it is now, as immigration was much greater; yet the Conservative Ministers then opposed special legislation on the ground that aliens were few, and that the right of asylum in England ought to be upheld. Lord Rosebery quoted copiously from statistics showing that immigration was now at a lower point than it had reached in many years. The Bill, he says, has not the slightest chance of becoming a law, and it was therefore a waste of time to put it through the House of Lords. On the authors y of the home office he could deny all the airguitons that any plot against a all the allegations that any plot against a foreign government or an official of a foreign government had been hatched in Eugland since the present ministry came into power. He advised Lord Salisbury, by all means, to deep the measure

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Load Salisbury expressed regret at the government's refusal to support the bill, which was necessary legislation in the direction of protecting the workingmen against the competition of low priced labor and also as a preventative of England's becoming a permanent asylum for anarchistic refugees. The question was so serious that he declined to withdraw the measure.

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Earl Cowper hoped that Lord Salisbury would not divide the house on the measure inasmuch as there was no prospect of its becoming law during this session. A division was taken and the bill passed its second reading 20 to 27 reading-89 to 37.

gang of miners, and not enough of the men's bodies is left for identification. On account of the distance of the Stockton colliery from the main breaker, it has been customary to distribute dynamite and other explosives to the workmen at the bottom of the shaft as they are near in the morning. It was Charles to the rumor that rioting had been renewed.

The mayor denied to-day that he had they appear in the morning. It was Charles O'Donneil's duty to distribute the dynamite and caps. The first men to go into the shaft were the drivers. They went into the stables to harness their mules, and while there the explosion took

tance up the slope, clinging to the rails and tice and sticking to the roof, while everywhere were bones and limbs. As the boxes containing the remains were heisted to the surface women tore their hair and shricks of agony rent the air.

## DISTRESSING ACCIDENTS.

VANCOUVER, July 18. - (Special) -- A very noon, the sixteen year old daughter and ourteen year old son of E. Spillman bein fourteen year old son of E. Spillman being drowned while bathing at Jericho. Both were well known young people. The brother and sister went out berry picking; they called at Mr. Dalglish's house and shortly after prepared to go in bathing. Mr. Dalglish warned them that the water at the point was dangerous and advised them not to go. They, however, rushed past him laughingly plunged in and almost immediately were swept away by the treacherous under-current and drowned before his eyes and before he could reach them. The bodies have not been recovered.

left for home by this (Phursday) morning a steamer.]
Soon after the news of the drowning of the Spillman children reached this city intelligence came that Robert Manning, a young man about 25 years old, had been drowned while swimming from his cabin on False creek to a boom of logs. The people on the wharf thought he was fooling when he threw up his hands, and no offort was made to save him. Manning was a popular young man in the city. Two distressing accidents in one day threw a gloom over the city.

## INCREASE THE U.S. ARMY.

Boston, July 18.-Major General Schofield, commanding the U.S. army, has arrived in Boston on his way to Bar Harbor. He said that the late strike in Chicago had caused him to modify his views expressed in a recently published article, in which he had taken the ground that a small but well disciplined army with better coast defences would be sufficient to protect the country from invasion. The question of interior disturbances had not been raised at that disturbances had not been raised at that time. The General said: "I think upon considering the events which have recently taken place that an increase of the army's force is needed. Several thousand men should be added at once. A small army well disciplined is obviously superior to a large one ill trained, but a larger army well drilled is now almost absolutely required."

In speaking of massing troops near large cities, he said: "It has been the policy of the government to mobilize troops near rail.

the government to mobilize troops near rail-road centres, as the centres have been large cities the problem has been solved to a great extent. The troops are placed near Chicago, for instance. I was in command of that division in 1884. At that time this mobilizing of soldiers was done. It is done yet because Chicago is a large city and because it is the railroad centre of the entire aorthern frontier. We can send a large force under this system to any desired point. This policy was begun as soon as the Indian outbreaks had been suppressed and outposts were abolished."

to Green's house; he saw a money box on the table; the guns were in a corner along-side Jack Green's bed; he saw Lynn get a gun out of the corner and saw him fire shots; more than one; he fired lots; Tom was aitting on a chair drinking whisky. Saw Lynn shoot into the clock and at the wall. He heard some shots after he left the house and went back again. Taylor tried to get up and witness saw Lynn shoot him. Jack Green was by the door when he was shot. He saw blood flowing from both of them.

The value of the lad's startling story was impaired in cross-examination, when Lawyer Davis succeeded in bringing out a direct denial of almost every point from the boy.

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CHICAGO, July 18 .- The strike headquarters were deserted to-day. Director Burns is now in full charge of the affairs of the union in Chicago. Director Roy Goodwin, who left for St. Paul a few days ago to tie up the Great Northern and Northern Pacific, it is said, is expected to return to

Chicago to day.

The Western roads are beginning to resume business under normal conditions, although it will be some time before business, particularly in the passenger departments, will be what it was before the strike. ments, will be what it was before the strike. The Northern Pacific has notified all its connections that it is ready to resume the sale of tickets via all gateways and to all points on its line, except that no tickets will be sold in the Courd'Alene country west of De Smet or south of Hauser Junction. This GIANT POWDER EXPLOSION.

HAZELTON, Pa, July 18.—A terrible accident occurred in Stockton colliery No. systerday morning, 200 sticks of giant powder being exploded in the midst of a gang of miners, and not enough of the men's Apassenger coach was thrown from the track in the year and the desired to the second of the men's Apassenger coach was thrown from the track in the year and to day by a green matter.

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The mayor denied to-day that he had been taking steps to secure the removal of the federal troops. He said none of the militia would be relieved from duty to-day.

# TWELVE MONTHS IN JAIL.

mules, and while there the explosion took place. Charle Shugert says he saw about a dozen miners standing about O'Donnell receiving powder a moment before the affair. They were killed. The drivers were hurled about promiscucously and fearing that the collapse of the entire mine was about to follow, they waited for death as if paralyzed. A corps of miners descended into the mine and the work of recovering the bodies was at once begun, but it was difficult. Fragments of human fisch were found some distinctional county jall.

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# MUTINEERS OF THE "RAND."

They Lost All Their Semi-Civilization Gladstone Will Refuse Election by and Acted Like Incarnate Devils.

How the Savages Were Got Be Defeat of the N. S. W. Government low Decks and Made Prisoners.

VANCOUVER, July 18. — (Special)—The sealing schooner C. D. Rand arrived to-night. She had in her hold 19 Indians and Gladstone has written a letter reiterating the captain's story: "I had been on to the House of Lords the announce

have not been recovered.

[The father of the two young people was in Victoria yesterday, when the news of the distressing casualty reached him. He left for home by this (Fhursday) morning's unless I gave them \$5 more for each cance, and at once went for the shore. I asked them to come back as I was not through with them. They said they would not come unless I gave them \$5 more for each cance, and I consented. As soon as we got well on the voyage the Indians acted ugly and I became afraid for the asfety of the white crew of five besides myself. I looked eagerly for a man-of-war without success. Suddenly, as if they had planned it, they took possession of the schooner. Two Indians, 6 George and Mose, ran the ship. They had knives and acted wild, keeping the company of eight in a state of awful terror by their threats. We were in a state of physical and mental agony during the reign of these red savages. At one instant a knife would be flourished in front of my neck with the cheerful query "will I slit your throat or drown you." O I the agony was awful.

"We were in the power of demons. Natives of our province they were, but the veneer of civilization was rubbed off as soon as they felt their power. They held wild orgies with demoniacjscances, and we hid away half starved to keep out of reach of

> fates were with us. By sheer good fortune fates were with us. By sheer good fortune our almost certain doom was averted, while they were running the vessel goodness knows where. I and my faithful band, were watching and waiting almost hopelessly for something to turn up. Suddenly when least expecting it, the 21 mutinous sealers rushed below to look for liquor, food or firearms—I do not know. Quick as a flash the six white sailors and two loyal Indians had battened down the hatches and seizing our rifles, hid away early in the eizing our rifles, hid away early in the rouble volley after volley was fired over them. The mutinous savages were aught like rats in a

raught like rate in a trap.

The yells of the baffled I shall hear till my lying day. We set all sails and never too hem down. A simoon would not have empted us to reef one inch of canvas and there we stood firing day and night over those hatches and the mutin as captives dared not lift a finger to iberate themselves. At last we made sitks worn out but alive, and thankful for being liberated by a most miraculous intervention of Providence. It was nothing else. At Sitka the Indians were formally taken in charge by the authorities, secured in the hold and brought here by me, where they were lodged in the Vancouver jail.

## STRIKE ITEMS.

LOGAN, July 18 .- The Hooking Valley trike has been declared off. HAMMOND, July 18 .- Strikers at Monon depot last evening assaulted the train men.

The militia dispersed the crowd. McKEESPORT, Pa., July 18.—The Nation-

diers from Sacramento arrived here guns cocked and bayonets fixed. Some ladies houted three cheers for the A. R. U. Everything was quiet and every one showed the atmost respect for the soldiers who quickly cleared the streets.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 18 — John How-

Los Angeles, Cal., July 18—John Howarth and Martin Kelly, tried for contempt of Judge Ross' injunction order on the A. R. U, were sentenced this morning to eight months each in the county jail. This is the heaviest sentence any of the strikers have been sentenced by Judge Ross.

Benicia, Cal., July 18—As a passenger train from San Francisco for Oakland was at Port Costa yesterday morning at 9:40 it ran into a switch engine left on the main track by a scab switchmen crew. Both engines were demolished. The engineers and firemen escaped by jumping. The track is covered with wreckage.

San Francisco, July 18.—The local branch of the A.R. U. announced to-day that orders have been received from Debs to declare the strike off on the Southern Pacific if the company would agree to take back all

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BUTTE, Mont., July 18—The Union and Northern Pacific companies say their roads will remove trains as soon as sufficient regulars arrive. Several bridges between this city and Lila were burned yesterday. One was blown up with dynamite.

BRAZIL, Ind., July 18.—Four strikers convicted of compilicity in the murder of the

Vandalia engineer, who were about to be taken to the state's prison, were banquetted last night in the jail yards here by friends and relatives with the sheriff's permission. The men have been sentenced to two years each.

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Valleyo, Cala, July 18—A supply of provisions, erough to last the naval force for thirty days, has been sent to Oakland, and the sailors and marines now at Oakland are to be kept there for an indefinite time, orders to that effect having been sent from Washinston.

## CABLE NEWS.

Any Constituency-Programme for the Session.

Kier Hardie Approved by British Radicals.

two klootchmen. They were sealers who emphatically that after the dissolution of took possession of the Rand off Sitka and the present parliament he will not return to terrorized Capt. Westerle and the crew the House of Commons from any constituby threats of instant death. This is ency. As he has already refused elevation a voyage off Sitka and returned. means the permanent retirement of the The Indian sealers were paid off Grand Old Man from political life.

Scores of Radical associations through

the government's programme for the re-mainder of the session. He said the Welsh church disestablishment and local veto bills would have to go over until next session, but orgies with demoniaciseances, and we hid away half starved to keep out of reach of their sharp knives or from being pushed off the schooner to find graves in the distant waters of the North. But the zation of London rates bill and the miners' eight hours bill could be passed this session. The Italian residents of Lyons have made claims against the government for two million frames for damage done during the anti-Italian rioting resulting from the assassination of the late President Carnot.

The French Chamber of Deputies was thrown into an uproar again to-day by the protests of secialists during the discussion of the anti-anarchist bill.

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A bomb exploded in front of the residence of the burgomaster to day at Hermalle, Sous Huy. No one was hurt. It is stated that the French cabinet will

GUTHRIE, July 18.—Guards were overpowered and another Rock Island bridge was burned south of Enid last night. Soldiers were fired on at Round Pond. The situation is growing worse.

DUNSMUIR, Cal., July 18.—A train of soldiers from Sacramento arrived here guns cocked and bayonets fixed. Some ladies shouted three cheers for the A. R. U. qui, and has given orders that they be dis-

# STATE TROOPS AT OAKLAND.

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CARLAND, Cal., July 18.—The A. R. U., through J. Watson, prominent in the organization, has succeeded in procuring from Judge Ellsworth a writ of habeas corpus commanding Lieut.-Col. Geary to produce in court to-morrow morning the person of E. J. Jost, who was arrested yesterday within the picket lines as a spy. The issurance has created a sensation in legal circles because of the fact that martial law is supposed to exist in West Oakland. Such an interference by civil authorities in military matters is not clearly understood.

The situation generally is unchanged. If there was any gain it has been in favor of the railroad. They calculate on sending out six freight trains and receiving freight. Two if freights is the most sent out any day since the beginning of the strike. The system adopted by the strikers of terrorizing men adopted by the strikers of terrorizing men away several good men, bothering the company considerably. The action taken at the citizens' meeting, it is thought, will reassure the men who want to work if they will be protected. State troops arrived this morning. All passenger trains are being run practically on schedule time.

The strike is not settled in forty-eight hours complete paralysis will follow. Potators of the Santa Fe system, read a petition for writs of attachment against the defendants asked that the defendants be punished for contempt for violating the order appointing the receivers, as well as for violating the receivers, as we

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THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

SACRAMENTO, July 18.—At no time since the arrival of troops to assist the Southern Pacific in the movements of the trains have the strikers had such a decided advantage as they hold to-day. Despite the announcement of officials that trains would run on ment of officials that trains would run on scores of persons, among them his brother, Washington.

Malifax, July 18.—Private intelligence received from Newfoundland shows that the Goodridge (majority) government intends to hold on to power by hook or by crook until November next when the question of the confederation of the anient colony with the Dominion of Canada will be submitted to the people, in the hopes that they will carry the country on that cry.

Whether Pasteur and Koch's peculiar modes of treatment will ultimately prevail or not, their theory of blood-contamination is the correct one, though not original. It was on this theory that Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass., nearly fifty years ago formulated Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

track had been tampered with at a point midway between Yolo bridge and trestle track had been tampered with at a point midway between Yolo bridge and treatle two, the scene of the wreek a week ago today. Track walkers discovered that an at tempt had been made to knock a fishplate from its position. Instead of removing the plate by removing the nuts and drawing the bolts the appearance indicates that a heavy sledge was employed and by repeated blows at the end of the plate the bolts were almost out in two. A train to San Francisco passed over in safely a few minutes before,

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Information has some to military headquarters to the effect that threats have been
made, presumably among the friends of
Worden against the life of young Sherburn,
who drove Worden, Hatch and others over
to the treatle where the train was wrecked
last Wednesday. Sherburn is at present
kept at military headquarters under a heavy
guard.

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The Portland express, which was tied up at Donsmuir on the second day of the strike, left here with an escort of soldiers and left here with an escort of soldiers and conduct and disorganizing the force. left here with an escort of soldiers and passed through to San Francisco this morning. It is reported that a captain of a Stockton military company is under arrest at Dunsmuir. The town constable arrested him and locked him up for ordering his company to charge the crowd. A loaded cannon, which had been in the possession of the strikers, was captured by the soldiers this morning, being found in a box car.

Gen. Herbert, charging him with arbitrary conduct and disorganizing the force.

Hon. Mr. Patterson declined to discuss the matter as he had not received a report from the General, but defended himself from the attacks made on the administration.

On the judges matter, Sir John Thompson would treat the charges with the contempt

## UNIONISTS TO THE RESCUE.

SACRAMENTO, July 18 .- The mediation mmittee of the strikers held a short conrence with General Superintendent Fillnore last evening. The situation was horoughly discussed, but no agreement was eached. Mr. Fillmore was willing to reinreached. Mr. Fillmore was willing to reinstate all the men who quit work, with the exception of those who are now under arrest for ditching the eastern overland train on Wednesday. When asked if the company was willing to run its trains without Pullmans, Fillmore emphatically answered in the negative. The committee then with drew, after amouncing that the strikers were determined to stand by their original proposition not to haul the Pullman sleepers. The mediation committee sent the following to Governor Markham and Barry Baldwin:

We, the mediation committee of the relations existing between Japan and Corea, "We, the mediation committee of the American Railway Union, respectfully write to you in behalf of the people of the state of California, and especially of the fruit growers, merchants and others who are suffering from the present stagnation of basiness, owing to the strike that is now pending, and for our people of the city of Sacramento, especially our women and children, who are and have been for the past ten days in constant dread of appearing upten days in constant dread of appearing upon our strees for fear of meeting the hullets of the soldiers now stationed here to protect the property of the Southern Pacific company, brought about by the desire of the belliger

a bomb exploded in front of the residence of the burgomaster to day at Hernalle, Sous Han, No one was hurt.

It is stated that the French cabinet will make the press bill a question of confidence in the government. The radical newspapers on the government. The radical newspapers on the government. The radical newspapers on the government. The radical newspapers of the sati-Semitic organ, Libre-Parole, has fed to Belgium rather than face the new law. M. Drumoni predicts that the passage of the Belgium rather than face the new law. M. Drumoni predicts that the passage of the press bill will be specifyl fellowed by revolution.

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HARTFORD, Conn., July 18.—At a meeting of the state board of charities a resolution was adopted unanimously denouncing the automatic hanging machine upon which DEBS IN JAIL. CHICAGO, July 18.—Yesterday District Attorney Gilchrist filed an information in court, charging the officials of the American Railway Union with the violation of the injunction, and asked for a writ of attachment for contempt against E. V. Debs, George Haword, T. W. Rogers and Sylvester Kelliher, their offence being the violation of the injunction issued by Judges Wood and Grosscup. It was not necessary to issue a writ for Debs, as he was in court when the Grossoup. It was not necessary to issue a writ for Debs, as he was in court when the weight will set in motion the machinery to hang him. This the board contends will nformation was filed. When the injunction virtually make him a suicide. Warden Woodbridge and the directors say that the was filed the usual chancery summons was issued, and those named in the injunction were directed to appear in court to answer. That was what brought Debs in court with culprit will be forced to take position under the gallows, an involuntary act which nulli-fies the suicide theory. the attorneys who have been retained to de fend him and his brother officers. The in WINNIPEG, July 17 .- Sir William Van

Horne and party, which includes Lord Mount Stephen, Sir Donald Stewart, Sir John MacNeil and Mr. John W. Stirling, passed through this city for Montreal to-day.

AUTOMATIC HANGING.

WINNIPEG, July 17.—Night watchman Corrigan, of the Northern Pacific bridge, was viciously assaulted while on duty at an early hour this morning by an unknown



A FRIEND Speaks through the Boothbay (Me.) Register, of the beneficial results he has received from a regular use of Ayer's Pills. He says: "I was feeling sick and tired and my stomach seemed all out of order. I tried a number of remedies, but none seemed to give me relief until I was induced to try the old reliable Ayer's Pills. I have taken only one box, but I feel like a new man. I think they are the most pleasant and easy to take of anything I ever used, being so finely sugar-coated that even a child will take them. I urge upon all who are in need of a laxative to try Ayer's Pills. They will do good."

For all diseases of the Stomach, Liver, and Bowels, take AYER'S PILLS Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Every Dose Effective