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THE INLAND ROUTE.

The Columbian, as usual, discovers a sistency that betrays a remarkable nar- the two great continents of the Old the matter now stands, the weight of rowness of mind, professes to believe World. The Turkish victories over evidence is in favor of the existence of that everything the Colonist advocates Greece may have contributed to the in- what we have called spiritual forces. is done at the bidding of a Victoria tensifying of this feeling, but that is all. If this conclusion is accepted, the pos

distance is upwards of 1,000 miles. any Giaour sovereign. His religion perstition, but as a psychic fact to be

ONIST has been instructed to say that a in Asia hangs by the slenderest kind of and we may likewise be content to accept road would cost a million. This is rub- a thread, and there is more ground to results in spiritual things. If certain bish. The Colonist did not say any- expect that she may find great difficulty effects follow in the development of thing of the kind to begin with; but now in maintaining it, than there is that she human character from the observance of that the matter has been brought up, it may be able to extend it over India. has no hesitation in stating that it does not believe that a wagon road can be lin for less than \$1000 a mile, and the distance being over 1000 miles, \$1,000,-000 would be within the amount required. It would cost more money than the Columbian thinks would pay for a ages. For example, some of the writers of spiritual things must be "spiritually road, to properly cruise out a location.

The Columbian asks us where the steamers are coming from to take the people into the Yukon next year. We are less concerned about this than we are over the transportation of the people and their supplies after they leave the steamers. We may add, however, that we do not see how the impending crush can be relieved by anything that can be done next year between Kamloops and Teslin Lake. If the Columbian knows how it can be, will it take us into its confidence? We are open to conviction. We are, indeed, anxious to be convinced that we are wrong, for if a route through the centre of the province can be made available next year for any practical relief of the Yukon rush, we are prepared to advocate any reasonable expenditure for that purpose.

PELAGIC SEALING.

as to whether the bill to stop pela- ance, for there is in the whole range of gic sealing will pass the United States congress. It is proposed by this measure to absolutely prohibit United States citizens from taking seals on the high seas. Very properly, argued the promoter of the measure, we cannot ask Great inigh universal, being in fact universal in the whole range of human literature nothing more true than that that the province. It will mean very much more. It is one of the best signs of the times, although the news despatch is evidently incomplete in important particulars.

Barely Saved Himself. "How old are much more. It is one of the best signs of the times, although the news despatch is evidently incomplete in important particulars.

The argument of the Wellington Fall will be asserted the insurance agent of the indignant. Sir!" brought him straightway to his senses. "Of course, you will understantly incomplete in important particulars.

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The argument of the Wellington Fall will be asserted to the insurance agent of the indignant. Sir!" brought him straightway of his evidently incomplete in important particulars. in Canada that the conflict was, in point declare that no citizen shall presume to very limited way. The available data take a seal on the high seas and permits are comparatively few; for nothing is the favored monopoly to kill all it wants really available for such purposes unless to on the breeding grounds our neigh it has been extelligated by incontravents.

The Slocan railway is now doing busifather. What's he going to name the boy?"

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"Jimmy, I believe."—Philadelphia North American. to on the breeding grounds, our neighbors are getting their eyes opened. They ble evidence or by an unbroken chain of son and other Kootenay points without bors are getting their eyes opened. They he evidence or by an unbroken chain of are beginning to appreciate the fact, that in this matter their government has been simply an appendage to a rich has been simply an appendage to a rich reasoning of anyone, no position to send freight through to Nelson and other Kootenay points without change of cars. This new evidence of the progress of Southeastern British satisfied with the opinion of anyone, no columbia is very gratifying.

other person in the world enjoys. Hence spiritual phenomena. of very materially altering the tone of communication of wisdom to a man from mercial enterprises. that the monopolists have gone just one communication being received is admitstep too far. They have succeeded in ted, the existence of some superhuman it says exists in that town. The reason read with interest a communication contention at Paris, it has been pre- demonstrated? It undoubtedly can by stopped, all the money, that was put acting on behalf of many of the claimvented by a false public sentiment from the argument from analogy. In his lecpaying what it ought long ago to have ture entitled, "Does Death End All?" locked up in anticipation of a trip North. Ellice bridge accident. The letter reads paid under the award. The other day it Joseph Cook gives a very beautiful This seems a very funny cause for comwas induced to call a conference of repre- illustration of this. His argument is plaint. sentatives of itself of Japan and of too long to be reproduced here, but it Russia, to which Great Britain was in- may be briefly stated that as we can invited. It was meant to be a very sharp fer that fish live in water from the con-

derstood to believe that \$30 a mile will and superior to all mankind. It teaches facts are demonstrated. But it may be Liberal p be sufficient to make a road across the him also that he must submit asked how, even if the possibility of indistrict in question. We have no argu- to what seems inevitable; but spiration has been settled, we can determent to make with a paper capable of always and everywhere he cherishes mine what is and what is not inspired. the hope of a time when he will van- We are not quite sure that it is material Our contemporary says that the Con-quish his oppressors. Russia's dominion We accept results in material things,

INSPIRATION.

as not worthy of a second thought in ferent from a mathematical demonstrathese practical days, as a rule imagine tion. that it is simply a conceit of the church fathers, a superstition associated in some especial manner with Christianity. If they would stop in their denunciations long enough to learn a few of the salient facts, they would see that so far from that humanity always and everywhere believed in. This being the case, it s senseless to try and dismiss it from consideration with a sneer, simply because no one has measured it There seems to be considerable doubt with a yardstick or weighted it in a bal-

ter of the measure, we cannot ask Great nigh universal, being in fact universal in THE argument of the Wellington En-Britain to prohibit pelagic sealing by her point of distribution, if such a phrase is terprise against taxing money invested subjects while we have no law on our allowable, it is a fit subject for philoso- on mortgage is interesting, but we fear subjects while we have no law on our statute book forbidding our own people from engaging in that pursuit. But at the application of the same logic that pursuit. But at the case. Heretofore the seeling ones ment of the investment of the investmen the case. Heretofore the sealing quest ment of the imagination. It may be came down to the correct basis, nothing tion seemed to be between two govern- misunderstood; it may be surrounded in the shape of fixed property would be ments, and naturally and rightly every by all manner of improbabilities, it is. taxed, and every man should be requir-American stood up for the contention indeed, very likely to be; but it is not ed to pay in proportion to his income. made by his government. We knew here good sense to say that it is not worth in- Henry George's single tax plan is more vestigating. And we here may mention in the nature of a remedy against land of fact, between an American monopoly that the domain of inquiry embracing monopoly than an attempt to find the and the Canadian sealers. Now that the subjects of this class has yet to be ex- true basis of taxation. Taxes are a nuis-United States government proposes to amined into scientifically, except in a ance any way.

corporation, and they are not pleased at the discovery. The average American reputation, as to the result of bringing News a speech delivered by Sir Charles THE BRIDGE ACCIDENT.

public sentiment in the United states on some superhuman source; for it is evithe sealing question. It is quite possible dent that before the possibility of such a making the government appear in a influence must be demonstrated. Can very invidious light. Defeated in its the existence of such an infinence be trick; but it proved a ridiculous flasco. struction of their gills and fins, It is very evident from the comments of and that birds live in the air It is very evident from the comments of the press that the people are getting tried of the wretched busiaess, and only a very little will be required to lead them to dismiss the whole thing in disgust.

This little requisite may be supplied by the bill lately introduced into congress.

The Donate from the Conservation of their feathers, or as Cook says, "as we argue from fin to water and from feather to air," so we may argue from the consciousness of a spiritual nature to the existence of the bill lately introduced into congress.

Triouble for Russia.

Triouble for the construction of their feathers, tate to induce a man to come in under false pretences, then get his money out of him, so that he is a prisoner, in order to get inhabitants. What Kootenay and stance that you did not admit any resonability, and that he would accept some our way. Spokane has no more sponsibility, and that he would accept service of any proceedings that I wished to take against your corporation.

You no doubt were justified at that time in not admitting any liability on behalf of the city, and possibly even the fluences can be demonstrated. On the fluences can be demonstrated. On the fluences a man to come in under false pretences, then get his money out of him, so that he is a prisoner, in order to get inhabitants. What Kootenay and your solicitor wrote me in substance that you did not admit any reservice of any proceedings that I wished to take against your corporation.

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The Triouble for the city and the are growing very uneasy, and that Russia holding it to be impossible to investigate is likely at a moment's warning to have what may be called spiritual phenoma war on her hands as intense as the ena directly by employing experimental border troubles in India and much more tests. By spiritual phenomena ghosts widespread. The success of Turkey in and things like that are not meant, but her collision with Greece is given as the what are sometimes called psychic forces. prime cause of this demonstration of It is undeniable that by a certain prodisaffection, but we think the cause cess, which the churches call conversion, must be sought more deeply. Months the whole disposition of men may be before the beginning of the troubles in changed. There appear to be a large Crete, word came that the people all number of instances demonstrating the over Islam were growing restless, and efficacy of prayer to accomplish specific believed the time to be approaching results. It is unquestionably possible nigger in the woodpile, in the Colonist's when they would throw off every foreign for individuals to make tests for themexpressions of opinion regarding the yoke and begin anew the glorious career selves. As yet absolutely no effort has which extended the sway of the crescent | been made to make scientific investiga-Kamloops. The Columbian, with a per- from the Atlantic to the Pacific, across tions along these lines, nevertheless as

clique. If it takes any satisfaction out The news that Russia's hold on Central sibility of inspiration becomes establishof this, we shall not complain. It is not Asia is not over-secure will not surprise ed, and we reach the result that men true; the Columbian knows it is not those who have kept track of events. may, by fitting themselves to be the retrue, and the readers of the Columbian Her conquest was rapid, but there is no cipients of it, enjoy the advantage of inknow it is not true. But this is by the reason to think that she has been able spired wisdom. The point which we to make more than a superficial impresseek to make in this article is that in-The Columbian professes to believe sion upon the people. By his very spiration, which must be admitted as a that \$30,000 would make a feasible route nature the Moslem is incapable of giving prerequisite to revealed religion, is not from Kamloops to Lake Teslin. The more than a temporary recognition of to be treated simply as a myth or a su-Therefore the Columbian must be un- teaches him that he stands apart from demonstrated and tested as material certain rules of action, it matters not how these rules have been prescribed any more than it matters to a sick man No claim has been more generally how physicians have arrived at the made or asserted by or on behalf of hu- conclusion that certain diseases remanity than that of inspiration. It has quire certain remedies. The adebeen advanced in all countries and in all quacy of the remedy in the case of Holy Scripture claim it; Mohammed discerned." Hence it follows that the claimed it; so did Buddha. It has been ultimate test of the divinity of anything claimed on behalf of the other biblical claimed as inspired truth must be perwriters, also for Zarathrustra, Krishna sonal, and this is as it ought to be, seeand almost countless others. In very ing that its effects are personal and, so modern times men have asserted that to speak, internal. Depend upon it, they enjoyed it, and in other cases it has when a man or womon, ripe in years and been attributed to them by their follow. experience, tells you in the words of Job: ers and supporters. Those people, who "I know that my Redeemer liveth?" brush aside the suggestion of inspiration | you hear something that is not very dif-

> The news that the Marquis of Dufferin is at the head of a great corporation which has acquired the Le Roi, the Josie and other mines in Kootenay, and the Alaska Commercial Company's property and a number of mining claims on the Yukon, will be received with great pleasure in all parts of Canada. It is the best of news that the great Kootenay gold mines are passing into the hands of British capitalists. This will certainly mean that the smelting will be Rarely Saved Himself—"How old are settle in and the substantial citizen as he rushed up to the young rhy-sicien, "I owe you my life!" "Eh?" "Yes decision court, it that you clincinnati Enquirer.
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citizen is beginning to ask why he two substances into chemical contact. Tupper, Bart., at the statutory meeting should not go out on the high seas and He would insist upon an experimental of the Klondyke Mining, Trading and kill a seal if he wants to. He does not demonstration. In the same way opinat all like the idea of handing over to a ions of people count for very little in the which he is chairman. We are sure that private corporation a right which every demonstration of what we may call it will be read with great interest. The opposition is being developed to the propeople of Victoria will be glad to know posed measure, and we shall not be sur- the discussion of the possibility of in- business are in this city, and that it is prised if its introduction has the effect spiration, by which we understand the likely to be one of our permanent com-

THE Sandon Mining Review blames

THE CANADIAN PRESS.

HOW ABOUT THE OTHER WAY? We want prospectors, miners and far-mers in Kootenay and Yale, but we nesi-

THE THING CALLED A PLATFORM.

What the new platform and policy blocked out may inspire them to do, must be left to the future to reveal, but in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the past the chief work of the opposite in the opposite in the chief work of the opposite in the opposite in the chief work of the opposite in the opposite in the opposite in the chief work of the opposite in the opposite i in the past the chief work of the opposition in the house has been opposing the government, right or wrong, under all In the suit of Patterson v. Victoria tion in the house has been opposing the government, right or wrong, under all conditions. That this was not sensible, or likely to be commended by the people of the country, is self-evident.

There is little doubt but what the platform of the local Liberals is a weak one. The majority of its best clauses given by the trial judge against your city. are simply a recommendation of the policy now followed in these matters by the present administration, while its denunciatory sections show a spirit of jeal-cust vindictiveness, unworthy of cutty.

The judgment and costs in the suit of Patterson v. Victoria, in which an exception has now been jesued and liable

THE BLUFF CALLED. The great Liberal bluff in this prov-vince has been called, and the hireling press of the party is frothing at the mouth. The disappointment of the Liberal bosses and wirepullers is quite intelligible.—Revelstoke Herald.

duce a route to the Klondyke is not level with the date. We advise all towns to get a route if they want to keep up with the champion procession of this golden age. Do not be discouraged. Take a pattern from the hustling town a of Spokane, and get a route anyway. If you cannot get a fat route take a lean one and fill it with wind the same as has been done in Spokane.—Denver Ledge.

LATEST INFORMATION FROM YUKON GOLD FIELDS.

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There is one prevision in the so-called Liberal platform to which we decidedly object, and that is the one favoring a tax on the coal out-put. It is under
Justice Davie, in the Full court, and Mr.

PRICE 5 CENTS PER COPY. tax on the coal out-put. It is under-stood when a man owns land-if he has a clear deed to it—he owns it except the precious metals. If legislation asses beyond this line, where will it top? Besides coal is a necessity and the consumer will have to pay any tax

BY WAY OF VARIETY.

Cause and Effect.-" What perfect feet

Cruel Man-The Wife-I think the baby's teeth are troubling him. The Husband—Good! I hate to think of the poor little fellow crying for nothing.—Life.

Latest from the Intelligence Office.—"Oh, Bridget! I told you to notice when the apples boiled over." "Shure I did, mum. It was a quarter past 11."—Brooklyn Life. Missing.-Hewitt-Does your wife miss

when you are away? Jewett—Sheses me when I am at home. Hewitt— What do you mean? Jewett—She can throw a cup straight.—Judge. Just Like a Bachelor.—"Oh, Clarence," exclaimed Mrs. McBride as her brothe entered the house, "baby's cut a tooth
"Why do you let her play with knives
asked the bachelor brother.—Boston To

Barely Saved Himself .- "How old are He—It really doesn't seem possible that

She-You looked like a fool when you proposed to me.

He (gloomily)—Well, why didn't you tell
me before it was too late?—Boston Journal. "This woman claims that you stole a kiss om her on the public street," said the dge.
'I'm innocent of the charge, Your Honor," replied the prisoner. "I neve stole a kiss from her; on the contrary, gave her one."—Yonkers Statesman.

"I understand Bill the Burglar is a happy

Lefter to the City From Counsel Acting for Many of the Claimants.

Desire That an Amicable Settlement Be Reached Without Further Expense.

is that they keep the people interested which was sent to the city council on in Klondyke, and as gambling has been November 24 by Mr. D. G. Macdonell,

Nov. 24, 1897.

His Worship the Mayor of the City of Victoria, Victoria, B. C. DEAR SIR,—On the 21st of August, 1896, I wrote you asking if it were possible to have your corporation make an amicable settlement with those for whom

ceedings in some 40 or 50 cases agains

The judgment and costs in the suit of ous vindictiveness unworthy of states-men.—Grand Forks Miner. to be enforced at any time, amount to about \$16,000. In the suit of Lang v. Victoria, execution can also be issued against your city amounting to \$20,000 damages. The costs in the suit of Patterson v. Victoria were taxed at \$2,765.66, which may possibly be reduced two or three hundred dollars on a retaxation, to which must be added the intelligible.—Revelstoke Herald.

ROUTES TO KLONDYKE.

The Western town that cannot produce a route to the Klondyke is not level with the date. We advise all

Justice McCreight, were equally as strong in their opinions as to the city's liability.

the fact that there are now upwards of fifty other suits pending, I again ask you if there is not some slight possibility of ifty other suits pending, I again ask you if there is not some slight possibility of your corporation making some settlement with my clients. It is true that you have still the right to go to the Privy of the Biblical account of the creation, when "God created the great sea mon-goiling to your way place the city in, in case you are not successful there. Each ifferent anits of the surface of the earth which had litigation alone for those different anits." Desperate Measures.—"How dreadful in Dr. Smith to marry his cook." "I don't know; probably she had threatened to leave."—Detroit Free Press.

relied upon, and are now in very straitened circumstances—many of these children are now not only prevented from attending school, but are living on the charity of their friends. One dollar now to these people would be of much more value than many in the future. It is for these considerations that I am

asking you if it is not possible to have these cases settled. My clients are willthese cases settled. My clients are willing to meet you with any reasonable setor brother at bother at the sums, but are willing to leave it to some arbitrator or to accept any reasonable

court, three judges out of four holding that you are liable, there is no doubt but that the legislature would remove any doubts as to your power of settlement by an act giving you that power should you

The responsibility of your refusing the Then we'll offer of a settlement is now with you. ain't agoin't he Atlantic 'Should this offer not be accepted, I might state that I will be at liberty in might state that I will be at liberty in the Atlantic 'Barren's might state that I will be at liberty in the latter but the future not only to use this letter but your answer to it, in any way that my clients may be advised.
D. G. MACDONELL.

"Why did you forsake theology for medi-cine?" asked Tenspot, meeting a former college classmate. "I found that preaching wasn't my forte, while practising was."—Detroit Free Press.

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with these facts before you and also A BATTLE FIELD OF MONSTERS. FREE TO LADIES. BY A BANKER.

been progressing for long cons since the primordial time when the "earth was with-out form and void," had now considerably damages amounting to many thousands more.

Many of my clients are poor people, many of them widows and children who have been deprived of the support they relied upon, and are now in very staticated in the support and the temperature was somewhat similar to that of tropical countries at the present time; though as this heat was in great measure evolved from the earth itself, and not from the sun, which at that time was practically in the same state that time was practically in the same state. as now, the atmosphere was, especially in the earlier days of this period, more or less the earlier days of this period, more or less in a state of mist—"there went up a mist from the earth"—though not so dense and continuous as that which prevailed during the previous carboniferous period. The scenery was different altogether to that of the present day. There were no chalk cliffs, for chalk did not yet exist; there were no (true placental) mammals, no lions, elephants, horses, cattle or sheep; the trees were mainly various forms of tropical conifers, which grew in luxuriant. tropical conifers, which grew in luxuriant vigor in the warm humid soil; and the gen-

> monsters which roamed over it in count-less numbers; giant mailed reptiles of astounding size and strength, enormous frogs as large as a great ox, monstrous beasts, somewhat like lizards (Ichthyos-aurus and others), some of them fifty feet long, with jaws six feet or more in length and of sufficient capacity to devour a and of sufficient capacity to devour a couple of men at one mouthful, and which for a substantial meal would require nearly a dozen men, their eyes being as large as a man's head, and their teeth powerfu man's head, and their teeth powerful weapons which could crush a young elephant. And there were animals like tremendous bats, one variety of which (Pterodactyl) had a skull five feet in length and great wings in proportion, and could probably have carried off a man to his lair and devoured him at his ease; a terrible monster (the Megalosaurus), whose colossal frame must have weighed at least two tons; a huge amphibian (the Plesiosaurus), with a neck ten feet long, of which Cuvier remarked that "it presented the most monstrous assemblage of characteristics that has been met with among the races of the ancient world"; and a dreadful and enormous devouring monster, the Ceteosaurus, fifty feet long and ten feet high. But prob-

mous devouring monster, the Ceteosaurus, fifty feet long and ten feet high. But probably the largest animal which ever trod the sarth was the Atlanto-saurus, the length of which, according to Geikie, is supposed to have been not much short of 100 feet, with height of 30 feet or more a height of 30 feet or more. Assuming this to have been a carnivorous animal, it is easy to imagine the number of men, women and children this appalling monster would devour in the course of a day if man had then existed on the earth.

then existed on the earth.

Lyme Regis, on the south coast of England, appears to have been a veritable battle-field of these prodigious and ferocious animals, for there a stratum of lias is exposed which has yielded a rich harvest of many kinds of fossils, numerous perfect skeletons having been exhumed; and there are abundant indications that these great animals fought against and preyed upon each other, for the fossil coprolites reveal the fact indisputably. In one instance the undigested broken bones of an ichthyosaurus were found enclosed within the ribs of a larger animal, proving that soon after defining a few days with Victoria friends.

We will give one lady in each town or village a full sized \$2 case of LUXURA, the only Tollet article in the world that will develop the bust or any part of the female form, remove wrinkles, etc. Write to-day for it. G. M. WIGGINS, 112 West 52nd Street, New York.

dime to be digested.

Happily for mankind these terrible monsters were, by the overruling power of Divine Providence, completely exterminated previous to the creation of man. But there are other existences on earth, which, though invisible, yet are far more powerful and destructive than ever these were; ever going about seeking whom they can deyour, dragging their victims down to a lurid perdition, whence no escape is possible, and with consummate craft concealing from them, and shutting out from their minds the horrors which inevitably await them. Happily, however, the power to resist and overcome these malignant intelligences is promised to all who will but seek help of Him who so loved the world that He gave His Son to die as a substitute for all those who will but believe and serve Him, and to whom will be granted an armour impregnable, and wholly unassailable.

MINERS' LICENSES.

"Why do you let her play with knives?" asked the bachelor brother.—Boston Travellor.

Grateful.—"Doctor," said the substantial citizen as he rushed up to the young thysician, "I owe you my life!" "Eh?" "Yes. I was taken suddenly ill two days ago, and my sent for you—and you were not in!"—

MINERS' LICENSES.

eral appearance of the scene must have been far less beautiful and attractive than the diversified beauty which the English settle in all those cases, even after the decision of a trial judge and the Full for the habitation of man, who would soon have been exterminated by the gigantic court, three judges out of four holding my sent for you—and you were not in!"—

MINERS' LICENSES.

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13 Bellot street, Dec. 11, 1897. Released From the Pen.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—(Special) — Dr. Francis Jones, of Denbigh, has been pardoned from the penitentiary after months' imprisonment for theft. He says he was the victim of a conspiracy and will sue his persecutors for \$20,000 Jones has written a book on prison life and says he will publish it and also lecture on prison life.

He Wrote a Hymn. New York, Dec. 8,-Rev. John Atkinson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church at Haverstraw, N.Y., died at that place to-day at 67 years of age. He was the author hymn, "Shall we meet beyond the river," and of numerous works on church affairs.

Depression in Cotton FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 8.—The Fall River cotton manufacturers to-day voted

FORTY-FIRST

The House of Lords S Boiler Makers in a Contested Appe

The Case That of Two S Whose Dismissal the Had Procured.

London, Dec. 14.-The Ho has rendered judgment in Allen vs. Flood, a case of m to trades unions, and has s appeal, Lords Herschell, Shand, Davey and James majority and Lord Habbury composing the minority.

Two shipp rights, named Taylor. were employed in 18 the British ship Sam W boiler makers' union object wrights working on an iron their delegate, Allen, obtain charge of Flood and Taylor ing a strike of the boiler ma Flood and Taylor sucd Alle fully and maliciously obt discharge and were eventus

Allen then appealed to the Lords on the ground that the evidence showing he had ciously or had induced the thaving the repairing of the in hand to dischrage Flood a Eight judges of the high of tice were summoned by the Lords to consider this imp and they delivered opinions last, on the question of law s cause for action.

MANITOBA AND NOR Civic Nominations in Winnip don—Four Buffaloes for

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.-(Sp nominations were held Aldermen Andrews and C. were nominated for mayor lowing for aldermen: Wa W. N. Kennedy and Alex. ward 2, T. G. Mathers and ward 3, J. W. Horne; w. Hioman, V.S., Wm. Small Martin; ward 5, Ald. James Heavy Fry; ward 6, Ald. Hole, J. W. Tyne for ward Horace Wilson for ward 6, elected by acclamation. The wards tarm of office lasts whose term of office lasts year are G. W. Baker, ware Bell, ward 2; J. Dyson, wa Wilson, ward 4; John Arb 5 and J. F. Mitchell, ward 6. promised for the mayo andidates are Conservativ Nominations for the city are: Mayor, Evans, by aldermen, ward 1, J. A. Fl B. Light: ward 2. T. E. K B. Light: ward 2, T. E. clamation; ward 3, Stephen Alex. McIloride; ward 4, G well, by acclamation.
Four Assinboine buffaloe
C.P.R. stock yards at pr
were secured in the Territ
McCabe, of Sioux City, w

them South.

There are ugly rumors a effect that crooked work in attempted here a few day stated that prosecution follow.

Thirteen convicts from Columbia penitentiary readay. Ten are being transfe Mountain and three to Kir

Another rich strike is re Olive gold mine at Seine riv of 120 feet. Bishop Dontonwill, of M ster, reached here to-day.

NEW ZEALAND Resolution to Subsidise an Al nightly Service Prese Premier Seddon WELLINGTON, New Zeals The house of represent passed a resolution subr

premier, Hon. Richard favor of establishing ta fo service between Welling Francisco, and between Vancouver, B. C.

It is understood that the subsidize an alternate for service between the poin not to exceed nineteen

"LA TOURAINE the Was Delayed by the Lo

passage from Wellington

HAVRE, Dec. 14,-The steamer La Touraine, fi December 4, which shot on Sunday morning last, shortly after midnight. According to statements and officers La Touraine propeller at 9:50 a.m. on proceeded with a single speed was still further 1 bad weather. No anxiet displayed by the passen

AFTER TYPHOID "After I had typhoic troubles ensued. I had my back, head and shoulded my back, head and shoulded drowsy and dragged out at urinary troubles. I have ter since I commenced us mey Pills. I have no pasteep well, feel rested, troubles have completel W. Douglas, Port Hope