Mr. Belfour Unfolds Scheme For Reforming Commons Procedure.

Members May Be Coun'ed In Division Without Marching Into Lobbies.

Authority of Chair in Dealing With Disorder Is Also Increased.

London, Jan, 30 .- The government leader, A. J. Balfour, in the House of Commons, today unfolded the government's scheme for the reform of the House precedure.

The proposals include a reduction of through the lobbies.

The discussion of bills is also curtailed, the powers of closure are extended and the authority of the chair in dealing with disorder is increased. For a first offence Memorial Of a member may be suspended for the day's session; for a second offence he may be suspended for 40 days, and for a third offence a member may be suspended for 80 days and be refused readmittance until he has apologized to the They Set Their Views on Salmon

The speaker is also empowered to sur The speader is also empowered to suspend a sitting in the interests of order.

The government further proposes two sittings daily, beginning respectively at 2 p.m. and 9 p.m. Another proposal gives all the afternoon, besides some evenings, to government business. TRAINS DELAYED

Snow Blockades in East Make Heavy Work.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—(Special)—The C. P. R. train from the East will not arrive here until an early hour today. The cause of the delay is given by the C. P. R. officials as due to snow blockades in the Eastern division. In many places the rock cuts are drifted full of snow and a expect deal of work is invalved in keeping. great deal of work is involved in keeping as follows: the track clear.

ANOTHER LIBRARY. Carnegie Makes an Offer to Smith's Falls.

Smith's Falls, Ont., Jan. 30.—Andrew Carnegie has offered Smith's Falls \$10,000 for the erection of a library. The acceptance of the offer is made possible by C. B. Frost and F. T. Frost offering another \$10,000 in 20 annual payments of \$500 each towards the thousand dollars required annually as resand dollars required annually as required by Carnegie for maintenance.

## DEPUTIES IN

FREE FIGHT

Belgian House Resorts to Blows and the Session Is Suspended.

Brussels, Jan. 30.—The chamber of deputies here was the scene of a free fight today between the Socialist and Catholic factions. The trouble grew out tions of a proposal to prosecute M. Smeets, a Socialist, for a recent revolutionary speech. The disorder began in the galspeech. The disorder began in the galleries, which were eventually cleared by force. Thereafter the uproar was continued on the floor. The Socialists advanced in a body against the benches of the Catholics, shouting taunts and epithets. The deputies finally engaged in the fight, and the sitting was suspended; but when the session was resumed, the but when the session was resumed, the case he cited where exclusive privileges had been granted, was a Victoria newspaper man, but when the session was resumed, the case he cited where exclusive privileges had been granted, was a Victoria newspaper man, which whence recommenced and prevent.

FOR DEADWOOD CAMP. Smelter Plant Will be Purchased For Sunset Mine.

Grand Forks, B. C., Jan. 30.—J. N. Greenshields, K. C., of the Montreal and Boston Copper Co., owning the Sunset mine in Deadwood camp, has arrived from the east for the purpose of negotiating for the purchase of the pyritic smelter at Boundary Falls. The smelter plant is being examined on his behalf by R. C. Bellinger, an expert of Butte, Montana. The Sunset mine is now on a basis to ship 400 tons of ore daily.

BRITISH EMPIRE LEAGUE Annual Meeting and Election of Officers of Victoria Branch.

The annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the British Empire League was held last night in the City Council chamber. The

Chairman, Mayor Hayward, re-elected: 'vice-chairmen, Hon. Senator Macdonald and Mr. J. S. Futcher; secretary, Mr. Welby-Solomon; treasurer, Mr. J. Gordon Grant: committee, Mr. Moòre, Col. Gregory, Mr. Gosnell, Mr. Irving Taylor, Mr. Seymour and Col. Prior.

ARCHBISHOP BOND. On Account of Advancing Age He Asks

Appointment of Coadjutor. Montreal, Jan. 30.—At today's session of the Synod of Montreal, Archbishop Bond stated that on account of his age and increasing physical infirmity, he felt compelled to ask for the appointment of a coadjutor bishop. Some of the delegates expressed a desire to proceed with the appointment at once, but oth-

BEET SUGAR.

Whitby, Out., Jan. 30.—Action was aken here last night towards forming a taken here last night towards forming a company with a capital of \$500,000 for the erection of a beet sugar factory. American capital is prepared to furnish most of the money required.

A NEW DEAL

Report That United States Wants to Get Rid of Philippines to Germany.

Vienna. Jan. 29.—The Nenswiener Tageblatt asserts that negotiations are in progress for the sale of the Philippine islands to Germany, and the visit of Prince Henry to the United States is preliminary to the announcement of this sale.

KING'S CORONATION of Ontario Has Accepted In vitation to Attend.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Hon. George W. Ross has accepted the invitation of the Colonial office to attend the King's coronation in June.

LATE RODERICK ROBERTSON. Grand Forks Board of Trade Passe Resolution of Regret.

Grand Forks, B. C., Jan. 30.—At a special meeting of the Board of Trade held this afternoon, a resolution of regret at the death of J. Roderick Robertson, of Nelson, B. C., was adopted. PENSE ELECTED.

Returned in Kingston Without Any Opposition.

Kingston, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Nomination to the vacancy in the legislature for Kingston took place today, and resulted in the return of Pense, Liberal, by acclamation

CASUAL/TIES.

Col. Domoulin and Eight Men of Sussex Regiment Killed.

London, Jan. 30 .- The War Office's the proposals include a reduction of the number of divisions and empowering the chair to count standing members, instead of forcing them to march through the lobbies.

Casualty list issued tonight shows that in a hitherto unreported engagement at Aoraham's Kraal, near Koffytontein, Orange River Colony, January 28, Col. L. E. Dumoulin, of the Sussex Regiment, and eight men were killed and seven men were wounded.

## The Canners

Industry Before the Commission.

Next Sitting of Enquiry Will Be in This City on Monday Morning.

2—Recommendation made for the ap-pointment of a local fisheries board ad-

exclusively for the conservation of the industry.

4—The memorial protest against granting exclusive fishing privileges (seine licenses) to anyone, the suggested remedy being that there should be available to anyone unlimited territory with a close season the same as for gill nets.

5—The mouth of the Fraser from the boundary line to Point Atkinson, and the mouth of the Skeena reserved for gill nets.

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6-Prayoring the establishment of traps provided vested interests aggregating \$3,000,000 are duly protected.

7-Urging the erection of hatcheries on the Fraser, Thompson, Skeena and Nas rivers, and Rivers Infet.

8-Urging the early settlement of the question of the government's jurisdiction over fisheries.

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9—These recommendations to be applied to whichever government is given

theory that a big run of salmon on the Fraser was not due to four year cycles, but according to the height of the annual freshet. If there was extra high water then it was unfavorable for spawning, proof of which was dearth of fish the four year thereafter. He produced records apparently proving his theory. He scathingly criticized the gross mismanagement in salmon propagation on the Pacific Coast, but incidentally airing his private grievance against the government, he was not encouraged to give further evidence.

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Wm. Cassidy, George Alexander, Alex. Ewen and Mr. Wallace. Skeens river, were the only canners who spoke this afternoon. These generally endorsed the canners' memorial. Mr. Ewen was rot a warm advocate for traps, but considered it would bring the Americans to time; also trap sites should be auctioned the same as timber limits and construction must be improved to ensure more traps and cheaper fish.

W. H. Vianen, an old-time disherman, saw no need for traps which menaced the existence of the industry. He suggested limiting the depth of gill refusand another close season day in midwesk.

week.

The commission adjourned at 5 o'clock

most in Victoria at 10 o'clock on Monday morning. BURNED TO DEATH.

Little Child of Wm. Keswick of Ex-tension Loses Its Life.

gates expressed a desire to proceed with the appointment at once, but others objected, and after a debate, which was rather heated at times, the matter went over until tomorrow. It is expected Dean Carmichael, rector of St. George's church, will be appointed. He has long been recognized as the probable successor of the Archbishop, who like the Dean, was elevated from a deanship sad also held the rectorship of St. George's.

the chind's clothes on fire. Death resulted shortly afterwards.

The pit-herd vote upon the question of working in the mines on Saturday afternoons when the presence of a collier makes it necessary, has been taken. The ballot boxes have been sealed and will not be opened until the next meeting of the Miners' union.

VANCOUVER FIRE RATES. A Move to Endeavor to Have Them Reduced.

irection will at least be partially met.

## Searching For Buried Gold

Simple Tacomans Who Hope to Get Rich In the Bermudas.

Company Formed That Fruitlessly Tries to Find the Imaginary Treasure.

Hunting for buried treasure seems a favorite pursuit of Pacific Coast people just now as witness the following story from Tacoma to the Seattle P.-I. under date of January 28: One of the most nair-brained exploits in search of hidden treasure that has ever come to light in this city or county was revealed today on the witness stand in the Superior court, in a damage suit brought by H. L. Hansen against Love, Johnson & Co., wholesale grocers, for \$4,500. The case also demonstrates the gullibility of shrewd business men, and gullibility of shrewd business men, and their readiness to put up cash and send a representative half way around the world in search of fabulous treasure, the only foundation for the existence of which was a romantic sailoryam, spun by a roving, seafaring castaway, who stopped a few weeks in Tacoma last spring to find those who were willing to listen to his tale of wee, and in addition supply him with funds and ship him to the Ba-bados islands.

The name of this individual is w. R.

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8—Urging the early settlement of the faring on a whaler to Arctic waters. Returning to New Orleans after several years, he shipped on a vessel going to Liverpool. There he found a vessel going to the Barbados group, and, deserting his ship, he sailed on the vessel bound for the treasure island.

QUESTION OF

NEW PROVINCES

Discussion Regarding the Fu-

Territories,

ture of the Northwest

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days after his arrival he was stabled to death.

The mate being eliminated, Chapman alone knew of the existence of the treasure. He took ship to the United States, and the civil war coming on, the sunsettled condition of the times and the vicissitudes laying wait in the path of a Southern cruise, he dalled years, and the resure of the vicissitudes laying wait in the path of a Southern cruise, he dalled years, and the pinch of hunger, he postponed a southward cruise until the great Northwest burst into excitement over the discovery of the rich mines of the Kibonidike. Reaching Seattle several years ago, he sailed for Alaska, penetrated the interior, lost his money, and finelly turned southward, pennless and broken in spirit.

He reached Tacoma and with a fittle persuasion interested 24 men in his enterprise, some of whom are the best and most conservative business men of the city. Chapman said he was old and in absolute want, and wanted to interest, people who would assist him in explorting his reasure. A company was hastly formed, of which S. A. Hoke was mesident, S. Collins secretary and H. L. Hansen treasurer and with it return to the United States, An agreement was drawn up on May 8 last to this effect, and a few days later Hensen and Chapman to the Barbados islands to dig up the treasure and with it return to the United States. An agreement was drawn up on May 8 last to this effect, and a few days later Hensen and Chapman to the Barbados islands to differ the multiplication of government. Such the weight of the Western and which it return to the United States, and agreement was drawn up on May 8 last to this effect, and a few days later Hensen and Chapman left Tacoma groce, but left his business here under the supervision of Love, Johnson & Co., against whom he is now in the interest of the company, and they went straight to New York. When Hansen and Chapman left Tacoma groce, but here are also the residual to the returned after an absence of the return to the United States. An agreement was drawn up on May

four months, his store was gone. This is the hasis for the damage suit he is Low bringing.

When Hansen and Chapman left Tacoma they went straight to New York, and there took ship for the Rarbadoes islands. Chapman began drinking on the way south. Hansen says, and when they arrived at the islands he was so drunk as to be incanable of even knowing where he was. Hansen took the bull by the horns and stood guard over him, refrising to permit him to drink any liquor. Chapman became furious and would not show Hansen the snot where the treasure was burled when they reached the islands. Hansen then threatend to kill Chapman and by dint of threat and imposition upon the man's fears induced him to lead the way to the place. The landscape and configuration of the surroundings were exactly as the manitoba and a new province to the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the content of the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the content of the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the content of the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the content of the manitoba and a new province to the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the content of the manitoba and a new province to the west, boundaries of Manitoba being in the created into one province.

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Of Fall Goods in the Upholstering, Drag ery and Curtain line are now on sale, and we can only say that for coloring. artistic effect and value we have sur-passed ourselves in these last purchas-Latest Novelties From

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VICTORIA B. C.

The laziest man in Scotland is said to have been the Linton joiner who, after repeated dismissals from his employment by his master, was at length forcibly laid in his coffin by his shopmates and carried off for burial by way of a joke. On the way they met a farmer, who asked if the man was dead.

"No." was the reply: "but we intend to bury him. He is that lazy that he should not be allowed to live."

At the farmer's request they took off the lid, when the farmer asked the lazy one if he thought he could eat two or three boilled potatoes.

"Are they peeled?" inquired the man.

"No." returned the farmer.

"Ah, weel, just let the funeral gang on." The Territories as they now exist have a separate school system by virtue of the Northwest Territories Act of the federal parliament, which the Territorial legislature has no power to change. When they, or any portion of them, are created into a province, will the federal parliament embody the same provision in the provincial constitution; or will it leave the new province or provinces free to deal with the educational question as all the other provinces but ontario and quebec are free to deal with it under the British North America Act? Here is a question on which there is re is a question on which there is and to be a battle royal in the federal parliament as soon as the question of provincial status for the Terriferies is practically introduced. And, as neither of the political parties seems at present particularly anxious to have another can't a particularly anxious to have another

sign, have completed their task, and the statue is now being cast in the works of the Henri-Bourand Company from a model by Albert Weinert. A site for the memorial has been provided by the village of Caldwell. There will be a monument of granite thirty feet high, which standing at the head of Lake George, will be visible for many miles. The bronzerfigures, nine feet high; will suronzerfigures, nine feet high, will sur-

mount the monument.

Kendrick is shown in the costume Kendrick is shown in the costume of the Mohawks of that period, and the statue illustrates an incident which occurred at a council of war before the victory. General Johnson appears wearing a coat of mail. History relates that in August 1754: the French were making attacks in three directions. General Johnson proposed to dride his forces into three parties to eppose them Kendrick, when consulted picked up three arrows, and, handing one to General Johnson, asked him to break it. This the General did readily. Kendrick then put three arrows together and handed them to his ally, saying: "Put them together and by our cannot break them; take them one by one and you will break them readily."

KAISER AND BARRISTER.

The Emperor William entertained as did many another—a warm liking for the witty Leipzig barrister, Herr Hagemann, who recently died. He was, with all his talents, a very simple and straightforward man, though naturally proud of his friendship with the Emperor. When His Majesty sent the good Saxon of his friendship with the Emperor. When His Majesty sent the good Saxon the twenty-mark piece (lost at cards) set in brilliants as a scarf pin. Herr Hagemann came over to the Berlin schloss to express his Banks. The emperor thereupon invited him to stay to dinner, which invitations was declined with the words: "No, majestat; that is impossible. I have got to get back to Leipzig to vote." The emperor was delighted at the original answer, and invited him for two days later. Another time His Majesty noticed that Herr Hagemann took snuff out of a shabby eld box, and asking why he did so, learned it had once been the property of a famous actor. The emperor—who is most generohis to a friend—nevertheless presented the barrister soon after with a beautiful gidiamon's, and the genial Saxon took snuff eftener than ever to display his imperial friend's gift.—Modern Society.

UMATILIA SAILS.

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Left for the Golden Gate from Outer Wharf.

The steamer Umatills sailed from the outer wharf last night for San Francisco. She had a small complement of passengers. The steamer Queen will be the next upbound steamer, due four days ago he wrote to a local marine man, stating that all he had saved from the wreck was a pair of trousers, a sweater and a smile. He wanted some more cloth from W. & J. Wilson's, in Victoria, the same as that used in his lost suits. He got a bolt of the cloth, for which the local mariner pays the bills. Territorial confederacy, and has the seatof government. Some settlers in the
eastern part of Assinibola, however, believe their destiny lies more naturally
with Manitoba than with the people to
the west, and would prefer Manitoba
to trike a slice off the eastern portion
of the Territories, leaving the balance
to be created into one province.

The latter view is also the view of
the majority of the people of Mani-

A cope and a chasuble made for and worn at the coronation of Louis XV. of France at Rheminns in 1772 have recently been presented to St. Mark's church. New York. They are of pale blue velvet, covered with embroidery of gold buillon, of extremely fine workmanship. This church is pich in costly treasures.

STORMS IN SOUTH Arkansas and Kentucky Have Suffered

Heavy Losses. Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 30.—The heaviest loss ever sustained in Little Rock from a like cause is the result of the

from a like cause is the result of the terrible storm of snow, sleet and coldrain which prevailed here for the past three days, culminating last night. The business section of the city is a scene of desolation, and business men on every hand are mourning heavy losses that cannot be recovered by insurance. The estimated damage will exceed \$400,000, including loss to business. In many instances the loss has not yet attained its height, and continued damage will occur where the accumulated snow and sleet is not removed.

sleet is not removed.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 29.—Lexington is darkness, and almost every street blockaded with fallen trees, telephon poles and tangled wires. The sleet which began at midnight continued without cessation all day, and this evening the snapping of trees and poles was like cannonading.

KILLED IN WAR BAGLE.

Rossland, B. C., Jan. 30. Peter B. Holcomb was killed this afternoon in the main shaft of the War Fagle mine, where he was employed as roneman. The body was discovered by the mine foreman. It is believed Holcomb lost his footing while working about the guide rollers. He was badly crushed about the head and shoulders. Deceased was 35 years of age, unmarried, a mattre of Lambertville, New Jersey, and a member of Lone Fine, Nebraska, Masonic lodge. An inquest will be held temorrow.

When a French vessel arrives a Portland, says the petition, certain agents of the Sailors' Home at once come agents of the Sailors' Home at once come alongside, and by alluring promises and the offer of a few dollars, acc with free drinks, the men are these homes, and the best was crew thus desert without a son. Owing to the consonor authorities, it is have the men arrested. have the men arrested. claim the men's effects. remonstrances are made

ther desertions, and to enforce the mas-ters to pay very exorbitant rates for the men they may have to sign on to fill up the vacancies caused by these deser-The masters add that, after a Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—The pul taken back. This they can only do by paying the boarding master an indemby paying the boarding master an indeminity, which varies from \$55 to \$75. The men thus practically mortgage the total amount they will receive in wages for the return veyage before it has commenced. If any resistance is made to these demands, the masters complain that they are insulted in the streets, and even in the French consulate, without being able to obtain redress. The petitioners make certain charges against the being able to obtain redress. The petitioners make certain charges against the French consular authorities, and the Phare, in its comments, adds that certain owners are determined to bring the matter before the minister of marine, and, if necessary, ask for the despatch of a war vessel to protect French citizens and to enforce respect for the marinitime regulations.

The petitioners make certain charges against the Fundred and Twenty Men Thrown Out Of Work at Sherbrooke.

Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 30%—George Gaile & Son's bed and mattress factory at Waterville, Que., was burned to the ground this morning. Loss, \$75,000, with insurance little more than half.

time regulations.

The Phare states that the campaign against these "white slaveowners" will be prosecuted vigorously, and it intimates that the British government, which also has grounds for complaint, many moves in the matter, and perhaps sug-

PAKLING ARRIVES. Chiam Mutual Steamer at Seattle-Has Freight for Victoria.

Atthough she had about 300 tons of day, out of day, out of day, out of day, out of departed to be landed at the outer whant, he steamer Pakling, evidently through the steamer Pakling, evidently through a mistake in the orders given to her masster at Yokohama, passed on up to Seattle without calling here. The local freight will probably be shipped back to Victoria on the Sound steamers. The Pakling was 78 days from Liverpool to Seattle via ports. She left Liverpool November 10 via the Snez canal and Oriental ports. She bouched at Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama, remaining six days at both Shanghai and Nagasaki. During the trip she has thandled about 12,000 tons of freight, and has 2,000 tons aboard, the bulk of which cargo will be unloaded at Seattle. It consists of 1,000 tons of salt and 200 tons of sheet tin, the latter being consigned to the caneries.

Capt. Conradi, First Officer Smart and Chief Engineer Smith unite in the assertion that the storms experienced on the present trip from Hongkong were the heaviest they have witnessed on the Pacific. With a break of one day the variance was one continuous storm and the continuous storms.

MILLINERY FIRE.

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From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Jan. 30.-An officet of pointment to the permanent corps in in future be expected to apply himself to the study of the French language and be required at the expiration of 12 months to pers a satisfactory colloquial examination in that language.

cipal one that will complicate and design the granting of provincial power to the Territories, no matter in what form it is proposed to give them that status—that is, the school question.

The Territories as they now exist have a separate school system by virtue of the Northwest Territories Act of the series as the control of the series and confirm the amounce method used to induce the crews to defect a parliament of the series.

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BY HIS OWN WISH Cremated in New York

Rossland, Jan. 30 .- The remains of the tate Roderick Robertson were cremated today in New York, in accordance with the instructions found in nig. will. The Ymir and Enterprise mines were shut day, out of respect to the mamory of the day, out of respect to the momery of the

SAME OLD STORY. Miss Stone's Release Seems as Far Away as Even

Washington, Jan. 30 -Unless Miss Stone's captors have abandoned her, despairing of being able to surrender her safely to the agents who have been trying to ransom her, she is not yet at liberty. It is quite certain that some-money has not been paid and that the agents referred to have completely lost touch with the brigands, who have been frightened off by the appearance of Purkish soldiers in their neighborhood. The efforts to secure the woman's lease will not be abandoned, but feared they must be nenewed in another direction. The present line has been broken.

· QUITE SPONTANEOUS.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The Temps today the voyage was one continuous storm, accompanied by bitterly cold weather and snow for 10 days.

Left for the Golden Gate from Outer Wharf.

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The correspondent of the Associated Press was informed in official quarters

today that, so far as is known here. Holland's action was quite spontaneous France was not consulted and is neaware of the terms of the Dutch note. CARNEGIE INSTITUTE.

Washington, Jan. 29 .- A meeting of the trustees of the Carnegie institute was held at the State Department this afternoon. Mr. Andrew Carnegie made brief address, presenting the deed of iff. After accepting the deed of gift gift. After accepting the acce of gift of \$10,000,000, the trustees proceeded to adopt by-laws and then elected the fol-lowing officers. Chairman of the board of trustees. Abraham Hewitt; vice-chairman, Dr. J. S. Billings; secretary. Charles D. Walcott. Dr. Daniel C. Gil-Toronto, Jan. 29—(Special.)—The stock of trustees. Abraham Hewitt; vice-in the wholesale millinery house of J. M. Hamilton & Son, 8 Front street, Charles D. Walcott. Dr. Daniel C. Gilloss by fire tonight. The loss runs from was elected president of the Carnegie 330.000 to \$40,000 with insurance of institution. The board then adjourned to meet tomorrow morning. Declarin

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