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CIGHBORS' NEWS.

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izen: The Society for the Cruelty to animals has decided ake vigorous steps to obtain hibiting the use of the check-It was resolved that none would hereafter employ any

Intelligencer: The corps of engaged on the Crow's Ness Canadian Pacific is making s Canadian racine is making s remainder of the season, king levels and the rest is ne down the Moyea. Unless made in the present pro-thought the road will be Moyea and across on the thence down the Kootenay e of the Goat river.

ld historic play of Rob Roy, services of one hundred peo-aced on the boards Friday, the Victoria theatre, by the Dramatic Company, of The-lasgow, Scotland, under the St. Andrew's and Caledons St. Andrew's and Caledon-this city. Special scenery, mes, a full chorus, British detachment of militia and gor's Highlanders by mem-t. Andrew's society, for the ne, will be the outstanding production.

Sir John Abbott left a s kind fatherly admonition to support and maintain the norably and respectably, to and look after their mother, t upon the character of the , as he states in his will, the sperity of his children his ke one of the old patriarchs, is successor, and urges his live together in unity and s memory will be preserved han in less enduring stone

contest is on the floor of ourts. Five years ago an Princess died in that city, devised 5,000,000 francs mortuary thapel which she uilt over her remains in the emetery. It is said that the lies in the chapel in a crystal n a wonderful state of pre-number of her relatives have racy, but none of them have he company is too uncanny. trying to break the will oney divided among them.

young women who travel or omnibuses are threatened onger. There is a man, says condent of the 'Daily Telescinating eyes going about the 'peripatetic hypnotizer,' ale who falls a victim to his e Salpetriere Hospital. The ssmaker, who was traveling the Wine Market to the When the vehicle stopped tioned place everybody had The dressmaker did not do ductor was surprised to find fast asleep, but absolutely is most energetic attempts to After innumerable and unss, shakes, and pinches, the d by his driver, carried the mstress to a chemist's shop, recalled to consciousness. sted nearly two hours. On said that a young man who on the top of the bus had irmly on her, and she fell umediately. The bus con-to the police that there had nan near the dressmaker, only give vague description appearance of the traveler isk glare, who is now being



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Negotiations Progressing to Put Them Into Effect Before Legislative Action is Taken.

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No Nation Can Lend Its Flag to Vessels Nullifying the Agreement.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Senator Morgan, who was one of the arbitrators on the part of the United States in the Behring Sematter is utilizing the Congressional recess to put in shape the findings which were promulgated last summer, together with the decision of the several arbitrators. They will be printed in Paris and distributed thence by the agents of the government of the United States and Great Britain on January 1st, next. In connection with this matter, naturally Senator Morgan has been in conference with Secretary Gresham, and yesterday was with him at the State Department from 4 o'clock to 5. The State Department fro

period is to be maintained by executive order, part of the year by the terms of the decisions of the tribunal. It was this interview which gave rise to the reports printed to day, that while the Department of State in Washington is arranging to secure the formal acceptance by the Governments of Russia, China, Japan and Korea of the findings of the tribunal, so far as the position of these countries concerned, with a view to making the regule

the tribunal.

The Senator when spoken to said that The Senator when spoken to said that nearly every maritime nation in Europe was invited to join an international agreement to protect the seals from pelagic destruction and they declined on the grounds that they were not sufficiently interested to warrant them in entering into such a compact. "Now, as an original proposition, it might be conceivable that Germany, for instance, should license her vessels to search for seals, but it is not conceivable that after declaring she had no interest in the "Now, as an original proposition, it might be conceivable that Germany, for instance, should license her vessels to search for seals, but it is not conceivable that after declaring she had no interest in the business, and after the nations which are interested had made an agreement to protect the seals, that she should lend her flag to vessels bent on nullifying that agreement. In that event, however, any nation that lends its flag to such an undertaking would find itself under such a load of condemnation that it would soon with draw from that position."

submitted, also bills relative to taxation of tobacco and wine and the levying of Imperial stamps. He said commercial treaties had been concluded with Spain, Roumania and Servia. It had been found necessary to raise the Russian import duties to an unusual degree, but it was hoped that the pending negotiations with Russia would lead to the abrogation of these measures. He said there had been no change in the relations with foreign governments, and closed with a hope that the blessings of peace would continue to abide with the nation. The speech was warmly cheered.

the whites unquestionably favor annexe

C. L. Wright, president of the Hawaiian railroad, who is also on a visit, talked freely this morning on affairs on the Islands. "It's safe to say," he said, "that 95 per cent. of the white population of

BERLIN, Nov. 16 - Emperor William for mally opened the Reichstag to-day. In his pening address the Emperor thanked the body for complying with his demand at the ssembling in July for the passage of bills for the increase of the army effective and declared that the evidence of warm tions as effective as possible, they may be enforced either by executive order or legislation. The latter method will probably be adopted. In the meantime, however, a proclamation by the President and of the British consul may carry out the proposal of the tribunal consultance. sympathy he had lately received in various parts of the empire gave evidence of the great satisfaction of the nation that the army had obtained an organization which guarantees protection of the fatherland and the preservation of peace. It would be the chief duty of the present Reichstag to provide the increased means made neces-sary by increase of the army, and to fix definitely the proportions of revenue to be contributed by the various states of the Empire. Bills to this end would be submitted, also bills relative to taxation of

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when asked for his views on the situation as the islands, said;

"Should the Queen be restored to the throne it is doubtful whether the monarchy could be maintained without the support of the government of the United States. Even with that blocking there might be disturbance. From what I may be the state of the stat

"THE COQUITLAM

Still Tied Up at Townsend-No Word From Washington-Question of Jurisdiction.

May Have to Proceed to Sitka to Secure Cancellation of Her Bonds.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 16 -(Special)-The British steamer Coquitlam, of Vancou ver, which arrived here October 30, and was tendered to the United States authorities, is still tied up at Bash's wharf. As already announced, Capt. J. J. Veal, the day after he arrived, paid off the crew and noti fied Collector Saunders that the Coquitlan fied Collector Saunders that the Coquitlam was at his disposal. The collector sent to. Washington for instructions and as yet has received no reply. The opinion prevails in some quarters that the Coquitlam will have to proceed to the district of Sitka, wherein she was seized and subsequently released on bonds, and there be turned over to the collector. The bond that was given for the Coquitlam's appearance is in the district court at Sitka, and that appears to be the proper place for her to be surrendered. It is also said that an order from Judge Truitt, of Sitka. cancelling the bond after the of Sitka, cancelling the bond after the steamer has been formally turned over to the authorities, will be necessary before the bondsmen will be released from liability.

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PORT TOWNSKND.

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picious circumstances, both in connection with the Pocock case and the finding of an unknown man hung on the same place. A search party found the remains of a set of harness that had been hidden in a pile of Stirs Up the Dormant Members straw which had been burned

GERMAN GAMBLING TRIALS.

BERLIN, Nov. 17 .- The second Hanover gambling trial ended to-day in the conviction of two of the five prigoners who were charged with making a trade and practice of usury. Hirsch and Holman, the gambling agents, were found guilty, and were each sentenced to two years and six months imprisonment and to pay a fine of 3,000 marks. Guhl, Schwielzer and Krajn were acquitted. Guhl and Schwielzer are somen.

MINING CONFERENCE.

LONDON, Nov. 11.

tween the Mine Owners' Association and delegates from the Miners' Federation was held to day at the Foreign Office under the chairmanship of Lord Rosebery. The question of ending the strike was discussed in all its bearings. It is reported the constitution of the public galleries. These have been almost deserted. The transpers' gallery, instead of being growded transpers' gallery, instead of being growded. LONDON, Nov. 17 .- The conference be-

THE COAL CONFERENCE.

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terial Life - Disagreement Among Anarchists.

LONDON. Nov. 18,-The dormant energies of the Unionists in the House of Commons have been aroused by the return of Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, the Liberal-Unionist. leader, from his American trip. Whatever the Opposition have accomplished in regard to Government measures since the House

strangers' gallery, instead of being crowded with many applicants waiting for admission, has often been nearly empty. On Thurshas often been nearly empty. On Thursday and Friday evenings, it was occupied by barely half a dozen people. The average attendance of members has just sufficed for a quorum of forty. The rest have appeared only when summoned by the division bell. It is the best testimony to Mr. Chamberlain's powerful influence that the expectation of his return has roused the members from such apathy. He PORT TOWNSEND.

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 17.—(Special.)—
The British ship Hilston, 43 days from Shanghai, arrived to-day and was ordered temporarily quarantined. During her passage two seamen died from an unknown cause and were buried at sea. On her arrival three seamen were reported as seriously ill also suffering from some malady unknown to the health officials. The vessel had no health certificate from the American Consul at Shanghai. Pending instructions from Wallapa came into collision with the barkentine Chehalis, carrying away the latter's jibboom and forward rigging.

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because of the, state of his health. He could not leave the United States while either on the active or retired list of the United States army without leave from the war department, and it is not the intention of the department to grant any leaves to officers to take up arms in the Brazilian rebellion, either for or against the present government of that country. The same intention is cherished at the navy department, so that it is highly improbable that Admiral Gillie, although a retired officer, will be permitted to volunteer his services in Peizotc's behalf, unless he surrenders his commission.

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CABLE LETTER.

Cut loose from the foreign group this week. Only Mowbery and Samuels of the Commonwealth returned with the polyglot clubs of continental refugees. The main body of English anarchists oppose the policy revealed in the outrages at Barcelona and Marseilles. The foreign element has been strongly reinforced recently by Italians, Frenchmen and Spaniards, but hitherto their excessive seal has been tempored by fear of the English moderates.

A WRECKING CRANK.

MONTREAL, Nov. 18 .- During the past months seven attempts have been made to wreck the Montreal express of the North Shore line of the Canadian Pacific railway. Joseph Chamberlain, the Liberal-Unionist, leader, from his American trip. Whatever the Opposition have accomplished in regard to Government measures since the House reassembled, has been done through sullen inertia; everything like an active, skilfully directed attack has been altogether wanting.

THE MONOTONY OF THE DEBATES has been phenomenal. The best evidence ome clever crank, with a mania for train

ISABELLA'S RAGE.

Dom Pedro's Daughter Declares That Mello Has Ignored Her Rights.

Money for the Insurgents Is Supplied by Monarchists in

steries jibboom and forward rigging.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 17.—Grand Master Workman Powderly made a spirited addies at this morning's session of the Knights of Labor General Assembly. It is believed that—it was in reply to the charge made against himself and John Devlin, of the extent has been dead against himself and John Devlin, of the extent has been to exempt the streets, and the waiting crowds by strikers has not yet completed its investigation of the charges preferred by the secretary. The Master Workman was not had been interviewed. The finance committee has not yet completed its investigation of the charges preferred by the secretary.

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CAPITAL NOTES

Hon. Mr. Bowell Starts for Home After a Most Successful Mission.

Collisions in Inland Waters - The Conspiracy Trial-Defence Begun.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA. Nov. 18. - Hon. Mackenzie Bowell sailed for Canada by the steamer

The post office at Three Forks, Yale, has been re-opened.

In the conspiracy trial to-day, after the Crown case had been concluded, counsel for the prisoners contended that no case had been made out to put before the jury. The judge ruled otherwise. The defence therefore has commenced to present its evidence. Connolly, one of the prisoners, was in the box all afternoon. The case will be concluded on Monday.