TO GLASGOW FIRM

CONTRACT AWARDED

J. H. Greer, of Victoria, Acted as Agent

for Successful Scotch Com-

Ottawa, Sept. 16.-The Dominion gov

rnment has entered into a contract with

Andrew Weir & Company, Glasgow,

Scotland, for a steamship service from

Vancouver and Victoria to the Mexican

ports of Mazatlan, San Blas, Manzan-

illo, Acapulco, Puerto Angel, Salina

The Canadian government gives \$50,-

000 and the Mexican government \$50,000

In the absence of J H Greer from the

Lloyd's as 100 A1. She was built by

Dunsmuir & Jackson in Glasgow in

1900. She is sparred decked of 3,358 tons gross and 2,153 tons net. Her di-

mensions are: 330 feet long, 45 feet beam and 16 feet depth of hold. Her nominal

horse power is 300; her free board amid-ships 12 feet. She is provided with

triple expansion engines. A. Weir & Company are the managers of the Ocean

companies, and is considered an energetic

Mexico, considering the field for busi-

READY FOR EMERGENCY.

Near 'Frisco Prepared to

Enforce Neutrality.

detach one ship from his squadron when

should other vessels of Russia or Japan

put in at Golden Gate. The Wyoming

also has been ordered to remain at Brem

The department has no official informa

The Lena's Crew.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 17.—The nego-

Russia relative to the disposition of the

crew of the Russian auxiliary cruiser Lena, at San Francisco, have not yet

been completed. The request of the United States that the crew be interned

at Mare Island until the end of the war

has been transmitted through the Rus-

sian embassy at Washington, and is be-

ing considered by the admiralty, where

it is desired that the crew be allowed to return home under an agreement that

the officers and men are not to fight again during the war. The same situa-

tion exists in regard to the crews of the Askold and Grozovoi at Shanghai.

The admiralty has no confirmation of the reports that the Lena had been en-

ITALIAN SOCIALISTS.

Have Whole of Northern Part of Country in Turmoil-Striké Spreading.

Rome, Sept. 17 .- The Socialist agita

and other municipal officers of Milan

result of what they term the slaughter

energetically keeps the Extremists in

The strike here has begun, but is no

yet general. At Naples it has been de

the police everywhere have been rein-

SHOT BY NEGRO.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—Resenting an acci-

gaged in a fight on the Pacific.

erton in readiness for the same duty.

ness a good one.

Cruz. Tonala and San Benito.

IN RAILWAY YARD AT LADYSMITH

Crushed to Death-Body ully Mangled - W. Kiddie Seriously Injured.

Sept. 19.-While walking railway yard at Ladysm rning off their way to which was to take an e New Westminster, Hen ee Press correspondent, otive No. 7, which the coal chute. and trucks, and was fri

ds was 35 years of age. He by the Van Anda Compler of ore shipped to the ith Mr. Kiddie, a brother the manager of the were going together to m the ore bunkers join the The men stopped and alne to pass them. Almost fter passing the engine re me in on the other line ad their attention taken up The tender of th oth the men. Mr. Kiddie off the track, striking the ad on the ground as he The danger in con ase is in the injury which eived at the back of his ise he is little hurt. as on the opposite side and did not notice the two dmonds had been struck by

R AND SUICIDE AT TERMINAL CITY

otblack Shot Girl Who Refused farry Him and Ended His Own Life.

ver. Sept. 19 .- Joe Nucci, an tblack, shot and killed Daisy daughter of another member an colony, this morning. Nucci ed the recolver on himself, und dead lying beside the girl e the girl's mother, hearing the across the street.

vas 40 years old and the girl everal years he has wanted to , and recently declared he away to Bellingham with her. ing Nucci made an early call o had a quarrel. He followed street and asked her efused to answer, and Nucci The girl was carrying her

UICIDE AT NIAGARA.

ded His Life by Going Over the Horseshoe Fall.

N. Y., Sept. 17.-James ut 26 years of age, committed day by going over the Horses, Niagara Falls. He had been one of the reservation vans, laid off recently. To-day he a van at the island bridge, and around the island said he g to go over the falls. The the van followed him and grabas he was about to make the Byron knocked him down, and the railing, leaped to death.

G PETER'S CORONATION.

ers of All Powers, Except Russia, Will Attend Ceremony.

rade, Servia, Sept. 19.—All the have instructed their ministers to he coronation of King Peter, exsia, whose action has caused a

ST. LOUIS FAIR. Than One Million People Attended

Exposition Last Week. Louis, Sept. 19 .- Last week, for t time in the history of the Louisurchase Exposition, the attendthe six days exceeded one mil-The exact total records of admis-

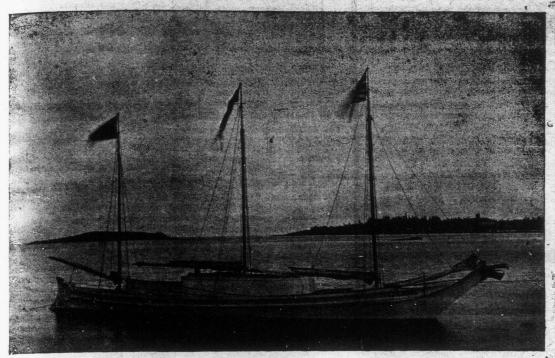
the week was 1,027,919. "FIRST APOSTLE."

cago, Sept. 19.—Wearing a rich tre, modelled after those of icient Jewish high priest, John nder Dowie has proclaimed himself Alexander," first apostle of the tian Catholic Church.

onto, Sept. 17.-The convention of KILLED BY LIGHTNING. ntreal, Sept. 19.—News comes from reques de L'Achigan, Que., that extension department, the most convative estimate being that within the strong man than himself. The report exing yesterday struck the house of reffle family, killing two brothers, few years there will be needed at presses doubt concerning the wisdom of the \$100,000, and 45 men to man difand Farnest, and destroying the cities in non-Christian lands. Even play a strong role in statesmanship.

VOSS'S VOYAGE AROUND THE WORLD.

The Captain of the Tilikum Tells of Some of His Experience During Trip Which Lasted for More Than Three Years.



venture of Capt. J. C. Voss, of Victoria, who travelled round the world in his Indian canoe, the Tilikum.

He left Victoria on May 21st, 1901, and reached England in three years, three months and twelve days. After leaving British Columbia he

steered a southerly course, crossing the equator about 122 west longitude. He established the most friendly relations with natives of Penrhyn islands, and even cannibals of this and adjacent groups in the South Pacific manifested no hostile feeling during his stay of eventeen days. From the capital of Fiji to Sydney was

a run of 1,800 miles, and it was on this part of the trip that a fatality occurred. The voyage around the Australian coast was attended with an unexpected incident at Melbourne. Here the frail craft was damaged by the negligent use ne, and Capt. Voss brought an ion for damages, which he won. From ourne he went up to Ballarat, where he took part in the regatta, conveying the for this purpose to a latitude of 1,400 feet above sea level.

The course from Melborune was to Adelaide, thence to Hobart and to the est southerly point of New Zealand. She encountered at times very rough weather, and when he put in at Christ-church the skipper was able to give beore 7,000 people a demonstration of the value of a patent sea anchor, by the use of which the boat had lived through heavy seas. He had put the anchor to cal test off the Australian coast ich had enabled him to weather four days' gale. He gave a second exhi-

where the canoe was reprovisioned.

WILL FORM PART

STATEMENT REGARDING

OF THE NEW ROAD

THE CANADA ATLANTIC

Strike of C. P. R. Boilermakers at an

End - To Extend Work of the

Y. M. C. A.

Winnipeg, Sept. 17 .- Charles M. Hays,

second vice-president and general map-

ager of the Grand Trunk railway, stated

here last night that the Canada Atlantic

railway would be part of the Grand

Winnipeg, Sept. 17.-The boilermakers'

strike on the C. P. R., which began at

e men accepting an advance of one

11 a.m. on Friday, was ended this even-

Withdraws.

Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—T. O. Davis. Libral member for Saskatchewan, has re-

signed as candidate for the next elec-

Y. M. C. A. Work.

20th to re-elect a new candidate.

Trunk Pacific. The statement is re-

Strike Over.

garded as significant.

London, Sept. 17.—The newspapers are filled with stories of the wonderful ad-May 21st, exactly three years from the date of sailing.

but I learned that the rite of burying the Arrival at Azores was delayed owing to the indisposition of Voss, who was grave has been abolished.

suffering from long confinement to so re-stricted an area as the deck of his canoe, great reception, and the King of Manaand for want of exercise.



CAPT. J. C. VOSS.

day Island in the Torres straits, hoping to obtain some form at least of medical aid. The island was, however, found to be uninhabited.

500 people, who had watched the Tilikum to obtain some form at least of medical enter the harbor, and had pressed forward to congratulate him. Voss intends to publish a story of his voyage in book to publish a story of his voyage in book eastern side of the Fiji group Capt. Voss

venture.

Lighthouse Wrecked.

Fort William, Ont., Sept. 17.-Vic-

toria Island lighthouse, which was be-

ing removed to a more exposed position,

has been wrecked by a wind storm. It

and vessels navigating the dangerous

pass in fall storms by night take great

Five Deaths.

of the Sunyside boiler explosion on Wed-

chances of going on the rocks.

nesday are dead.

hiki invited the mare and myself to a Making his course after thirty days' banquet, His Majesty and household, sickness to the English coast, Capt. sitting at a little distance, watching us eat. Although there were only two of us, enough food was supplied for three hundreds of steamers of all kinds. hundred. In the centre of a table was a roasted pig that weighed about 150 pounds. Native girls came in two by two and placed gaudily decorated straw hats various local companies will enter into and in mail distribution and the heads on our heads. No sooner had one girl thus crowned us than another one followed until there were between thirty and forty hats on the floor. The mate jok- worker. When the White Pass & Yu ingly declared he would embrace the kon Company first opened an office in next girl who thus decorated him. The this city Mr. Greer was placed in charge, King requested that the mate's words be and he is now agent here for the Puget interpreted, whereupon he laughed up- Sound Tugboat Company. He has long coarously and whispered to an attendant. Much to the mate's chagrin and general amazement a wizened old woman hoboled in with the next hat, and the King mmanded that the promise be carried out. The mate, however, declined.

"Yes, the King of Manahiki was very ospitable. He even offered two of his daughters in marriage to the mate and myself, but I respectfully explained I swore he would be true to the Australian ass he was engaged to, in spite of all the kings of Humphreys islands.

"Penrhyn is not one of the cannibal islands." Voss proceeded, "but strict autumn target practice. The vessel demoral laws prevail there. I was astonished during our stay on the island at seeing a couple walking hand-in-hand Voss spoke two British vessels, one of through the village, and all the other men, which he boarded. Good weather pre- women and children pelting them with From Auckland he went on an eigh- vailed in the North Atlantic, and twenty-, tin cans, cocoanuts, shells and stones. I teen days' trip to New Hebrides, and two days' run ended at Margate, where here his health having failed somewhat, the adventurous voyager made for Thursteen days' trip to New Hebrides, and two days' run ended at Margate, where ascertained they had been seen out to gether the previous night about 10 concourse. He shook hands with at least o'clock. The rule that every one must cruisers bound for the Pacific Coast, but

Upon a small uninhabited island on the | be ready for any emergency. eastern side of the Fiji group Capt. Voss A run of 2,000 miles across the Indian Ocean brought the Tilikum to Rodriguez cannibal islands of the Pacific would in an old gun. There were indications that which is a cable station, and themselves be a remarkable book of ad- the man had fallen a victim to the cannibals, but the captain asserts that the Subsequently Capt. Voss landed at Durban, South Africa, and went on to Ladysmith, Colenso, Pretoria and East London.

Yenture.

'At the time of my arrival at New Worst of cannibals will not inflict that the worst of cannibals will not inflict that fate upon white people. He has in his possession skull of the unfortunate castaway on the nameless island.

this would only give one man to every two and a quarter of a million men, the

is too late to erect a new house this fall, CITIZENS VOTED IN

Further Trouble Threatened. Toronto, Sept. 17 .- The employment of Italian nonunion laborers threatens to Dominion Government Has Decided on again cause a strike of building laborers. Thursday, November 17th, as Thanksgiving Day. Toronto, Sept. 17.-Two of the victims

Industrial Progress. Ottawa, Sept. 17 .- Archibald Blue, who directed the taking of the last census, is now engaged in arranging plans for the gathering of statistics to show the industrial progress that has been made in Canada since 1901.

ONLY ONE "STRONG MAN." the administration. The Czar Objects to Ministers Who Exer Thanksgiving Day. cise Authority to Exclusion of Himself.

Paris, Sept. 17 .- One of the highest diplomatic officers here has received an interesting report concerning the court intrigues going on at St. Petersburg. The report says the Emperor has definitely declared convention is called for the his opposition to having any strong man like M. de Witte exercising authority, to the practical exclusion of himself. This, it is added, is the chief cause of M. de Witte's continued retirement and of His Majesty's workers concluded yester- resentment against the late interior minis the day being taken up very large-the discussion of the needs of the Emperor, therefore, lets it be fully

FAVOR OF CHANGE

Ottawa, Sept. 16.-Commissioner Congdon has telegraphed Hon. Clifford Sifton that the plebiscite to determine whether the city charter should be revoked and the commissioner take charge of the city affairs of Dawson was carried by over three to one. The public consider this as a strong endorsation of

An order has been passed by the government appointing Thursday, November

17th a day of thanksgiving in the Dom-Will Sail on Arctic. Capt. Bernier has withdrawn his resignation, and will now go as sailing

master of the Arctic. GIRLS MASQUERADE AS BOYS.

dental collision between himself and Charles Meyers, Kelvin Linden, a negro, to-night shot Meyers twice through the Elma, Wash., Sept. 15.-Marshal C. E. Clay arrested three girls this morning Aberdeen, but they are supposed to be runaway girls from Tacoma.

TRAGEDIES IN STATES. Bride of a Day Killed by Rejected Lover—Suicide of the Murderer.

Spokane, Sept. 15.—A tragedy took place this morning near Mead. Mrs. Henry-Hoft, a bride of one day, was ed by a rejected lover named The wedding of Miss Emma Light to Henry Hoft took place yesterday. This morning the bride left her husband's farmhouse on Green Bluff Prairie to go a short distance away. Becoming wor ried by her failure to return, Hoft start ed in search. A short distance from the house he found the body of his bride, who had been shot to death. Near by was the body of Hoffman, with a revolve still in his hand.

Murder and Suicide. Hoquiam, Wash., Sept. 15 .- James Miles last night shot and killed a Swedish girl called Helen, with whom he had been living, fatally wounded Ole Sand, a logger, and then went to a lodging house and shot himself. The police found that jealousy prompted the shooting. GOT FIVE YEARS.

Penal Servitude For Man Who Obtained Money and Jewellery Under False Pretences.

sels must fly the British flag and have a carrying capacity of 3,000 tons with adequate passenger accommodation, and maintain between ports a minimum speed of fen knots per hour.

London, Sept. 15.—William Thomas, alias John Smith, who pleaded guilty at the Old Bailey yesterday to charges against him, including the admission that he was convicted in 1877 under the name f ten knots per hour.

J. H. Greer, Victoria, acted for Weir rears' imprisonment for obtaining money and jewellery from women under false pretences, was to-day sentenced to five years' penal servitude.

city details of the proposed service could not be ascertained to-day. In submitting a type of ressel such as would be used on the route, it is known, however, that the Quito was mentioned. This is a steel screw steamer, chassed in women under false pretences. It was in mistake for William Thomas that a man named Adolf Peck served two terms of imprisonment on the charge

FRENCH WORKMEN

Being Sent to St. Louis at Government's of the chase. Expense-Will Sail on Saturday.

Paris, Sept. 16 .- A delegation of French workingmen, sent at the government's expense, sail for New York tomorrow on its way to St. Louis. The industries represented are the manufac-It is expected that with the establishment of the Mexican line head offices tures of cotton, musical instruments, shoes, hats. machinery, tools and railway will be located in Victoria, and that supplies. Experts in commercial affairs the new trade. Mr. Greer has been of the national labor organizations will identified with several transportation accompany the party.

THE LENA.

Captain Will Carry Out Regulations Laid Down by United States Government.

Washington, Sept. 16.-The announcement endeavored to secure connections with that Capt. Berlinsky, commanding the Russian transport Lena, at San Francisco, acquiesced in all the details of process of disarmament prescribed by the United States government and would take advantage of the permission, reached the navy depart-United States Warships Will Remain ment last night in a telegram from Rear Admiral Gooderich, commander-in-chief of the Pacific station.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Instructions were sent to Rear-Admiral Gooderich at San Francisco to-day directing him to Will Take Months to Repair. St. Petersburg, Sept. 16.-It is accepted here that the decision to disarm the Russian cruiser Lena at San Francisco will rehe leaves for Magdelena bay to hold the sult in detaining her crew until the end of the war. Capt. Berlinsky has further retached will remain in the vicinity of San ported that the repairs to the Lena will require several months.

Francisco prepared to enforce neutrality Negotiations in Progress. Washington, Sept. 16.-Negotiations be tween the American and Japanese governments regarding the disposition of the crew of the Russian armed transport Lena, while that vessel is at San Francisco, it is there is talk to that effect around San Francisco, and it was thought best to

pleasure in cabling to my government the details of the Lena incident and the prompt action of the American government in the matter. I, doubt not that the promptness of the American officials will cause satisfac-

tion to the authorities at Tokio.' 'FRISCO ROBBERY.

Stolen Money Recovered but the Thief Managed to Escape.

and helping himself to a bag containing may lead to the arrest of the robbers, \$20,000 in gold coin made a rapid exit. He and they may find some difficulty in diswalked into a side entrance of the Brook- suspicion." closely followed C. G. McIntosh, an employee of the bank, who had witnessed the tion is on the increase, especially in the northern part of Italy. In some places

it is assuming the character of a rebelinto the hotel office, where he was over-lion. Another fight has occurred at taken by McIntosh and seized. When asked

came to Rome to-day to present to the

TWO KILLED AT FIRE.

Stillwater, Minn., Sept. 15.-The ridge across Lake Sterrix, which is a cided to strike on Monday. In other towns troops are kept in readiness and mile long, extending to the Wisconsin side, caught fire late this after noon. The fire created some commotion and the fire apparatus, in responding to the alarm, was followed by the usual crowd of persons. The fire had so weakened one of the spans of the rather ancient structure that when the fire apparatus and the crowd attempted to cross it, it fell into the water, twenty

SUSPECT TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AT DEEMING

Believed to Have Assisted in Planning the Hold-Up of Canadian Pacific Train.

Deeming, Wash., says: "An arrest in the train robbery case

occurred there last night. The man now in the hands of the police is Chas.

Davis, alias Wilson, alias Davidson,

Prince of Rome for the heir to the alias Jones, alias Smith. He is believed throne, born last night, as it would have to be one of the hold-up gang. No one mixed the Royal family in a party strugaccuses him of actually taking part in | gle and would have embittered the conthe robbery of the C. P. R. train on flict between church and state at a time Saturday, but they believe he was a wards moderation.

It is believed that the title chosen,

men were concerned in the hold-up. Prince as is the title of Prince of Wales in England. To celebrate the birth of Three men actually did the job. Davis. who has just been arrested, is alleged to be the fourth. The man whom Mr. Sheever, the Seattle traveller, saw on the road to Woolley is believed to be

the fifth "One fact has been clearly established, the three who did the job are still in hiding in this part of the country. They are still here, and unless the theories of everyone are wrong, the man now in custody and his partner are in frequent communication with them, watching the

communication with them, watching the movements of the police and keeping the robbers posted accurately on the details of the chase.

"The man arrested came three weeks ago from Seattle. Two weeks ago he went all through the district around Mission. Last week he went over the same country, and may have been down."

Chicago, Sept. 17.—The Canadian steamer Arabian has been forbidden to carry passengers from Chicago because of the refusal to pay an inspection fee of \$100.

This condition was brought about by the refusal of the Canadian government in 1898 to accept the American inspecsame country, and may have been down in Vancouver. Last Friday he was in P. Hopkins and drove to Lynden. From there he went across the boundary and through the Matsqui country.

"In that district he told many conflicting stories of his movements and the reasons of his trip. To one person he said he was a timber cruiser. To another he told the yarn that he owned a mill and had come over to buy logs. Then he wanted to sell the horse and rig, of years has resided in Dawson, but who owned by the Sumas livery man, and wanted to trade the horse and rig off ago, was interviewed by the World yesin conversation with another party for property. He returned to Sumas at 4.30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. He ernment of Dawson and the Yukon Ter-first said he wanted a heavier rig to ritory about which much has recently carry a number of persons, but the owner became suspicious and said he would have to send a driver along if Davis took a heavier rig. This did not cles which have been sent from Dawson suit Davis, and he then refused to pay come from W. F. Thompson, editor of for the rig he had already used."

"Officer Hartney, who has been out on

the utmost diligence, and not the slightest indication that would afford a clue to the whereabouts of the robbers has been neglected, and all this care has only brought the police to the conclusion that the robbers by this time are prob-

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—At the close of banking hours to-day a man in the lobby of the First National Bank of this city, observing the cage door leading behind the counter ajam pushed it aside, walked in, and the police hope it may yet prove the means of catching the robbers by tempting some of their colleagues to give them away. In the meantime every policeman and detective will be on the counter ajam pushed it aside, walked in, and the police hope it may yet prove the means of catching the robbers. mediately slowed down his pace and posing of their booty without exciting

HAS NOT FORGOTTEN Colombia Will Yet Seek to Secure

Paris, Sept. 16.-A violent interview with rule. Genoa between the strikers and police. to turn over the gold he said it was his Gen. Jorge Holguin, one of the command-The whole night was passed in darkness own. The bag was taken from him, howers of the Colombian troops who marched on that the idea of claiming 3,440 voters there owing to the strike. The mayor ever, and its contents found to have been Baranquilla when Colombia contemplated was ridiculous. Were it a statement of an attempt to invade Panama, is printed the entire population he might far more The daring robber, who is about 35 years here. In it General Holguin, answering the easily believe it. At the government an expression of the indig-nation of the population of Milan as a people in the hotel office to see if he had of Panama to the United States, published could not reach 1,000. old and welf dressed, then called on the letter of M. Bunau-Varilla, former minister number of qualified voters in Dawson not told the truth by accompanying him to here on September 12th, maintaining the of the people.

The real cause of the whole agitation is an attempt of the Extreme party to overthrow the cabinet in spite of the fact that while it is a Liberal ministry, for him. ing redress.

Will Be Asked to Compel the Sultan Preserve Order in Armenia., London, Sept. 16.-A mission appointed

the great powers and appeal to them to statement of the facts of the case head, killing him instantly. He then feet below. About twenty persons were compel the Sultan of Turkey to establish turned the weapon against the men who precipitated with the wreckage into the at the Union House dressed in boys' clothing. They gave the names of Nellie, Gertrude and Ellen Kale, from Denards in the back and Guy Jones in McGranth, aged 16, were killed, and five present to President Roosevelt a letter adding green of turned the weapon against the men who precipitated with the wreckage into the and preserve order and tranquility in Arconstructor, was the principal speaker at McGranth, aged 16, were killed, and five present to President Roosevelt a letter adding green at New York to the members the shoulder. Denards may die. Linden others were seriously injured. The finanknocked John Nolan down and escaped. cial loss is small.

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TWO BROTHERS DROWNED. Lost Their Lives by Capsizing of Boat

on North Thompson River. Kamloops, Sept. 16 .- Two Belgians, brothers, named Ghecquiere, and a Frenchman named Lenoire, attempted to cross the North Thompson river at Mosquito flats, one hundred miles north of Kamloops, in a boat. One of the brothers missed a stroke with his paddle, and the boat lurched. He moved quickly to the other side, upsetting the boat. Lenoire swam ashore, but the Ghecquieres were drowned. Efforts made by Indians to rescue the men were unsuc

HEIR TO ITALIAN THRONE

Vancouver, Sept. 16.-A special from King Victor Emmanuel Selects Title of Prince of Piedmont For His Son.

Rome, Sept. 16.-The majority of the

carried out the crime.

"Latest developments show that five fixed for all time for the Italian Crown the heir, the King has granted amnesty to all deserters, and has also shortened by six months the terms of imprisonment for certain crimes. The infant prince will be christened

REFUSAL TO PAY FEE,

Canadian Steamer Forbidden to Carry Passengers From Chicago.

Sumas. There he hired a rig from O. the United States government adopted a similar rule. The Arabian had six passengers from

Niagara Falls who were forced to travel

THE CASE OF DAWSON. Vancouver World.

Mr. Charles Milne, who for a number returned to Vancouver about two months terday concerning the matter of the govappeared in the local press.

Mr. Milne states that the recent artithe Yukon Sun, claiming to represent the Liberal party. This claim, he says, is not true. The Yukon Sun does not the hunt for the C. P. R. train robbers all the past week, returned to the city now, and has not for some time, been on Saturday," says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. "Mr. Hartney went out with the first train last Sunday morning, and has been out ever since, but on ing, and has been out ever since, but on representatives of the party. The Yu-Saturday he returned from an apparent- kon Sun was some time ago purchased under foreclosure proceedings by the "The pursuit has been kept up with Dawson Daily News, which is owned

stantly informed of each step.

Regarding the action of the United States seen in the neighborhood of Sumas within the past few days have proved only to be baseless rumors.

The man Davis armostal country was a seen in the man days are the city government was so exacting that merchants were driven that the status of affairs in the past few days have proved only to be baseless rumors. "The man Davis, arrested on suspicion town by reason of the exactions demandtwo days ago, has shed no further light on the matter, and it looks as if he will on the matter, and it looks as if he will on the matter. have to be released in a few days for want of evidence to make out any case

Multiplicative days and incomes were and incomes were and the charter.

And yet these were not sufficient to against him.

"On the whole the latest clues indicate that the robbers have crossed the Cascade mountains by way of the Mount Baker trails and the Cascade pass. The reward is very large, the Dominion government having added \$5,000, it is under and aldermen ranging from \$1.500 to and aldermen ranging from \$1,500 to

\$2,500. As a result of these conditions a petition, largely signed, and thoroughly en-dorsed by the large companies and business men of Dawson, was presented to the Yukon council asking for the withdrawal of the city charter. As a direct result of this petition the council ordered the plebiscite which was recently held. The basis of the plebiscite is not, according to Mr. Milne, therefore, the result of the council's interference in Dawson's affairs, but the end of an effort of Dawson citizens to be freed

Concerning the vote, Mr. Milne said

Concerning the territorial government beyond his duty," asserts that M. Bunau-Varilla and the United States adopted an it has made. In internal improvements, irregular course and declares that Colombia has not abandoned her intention of securiand bridges it has been most active. Attempts were made by a portion of the Liberals in the territory to overthrow the present personnel of the government during the past year, but the efforts proved futile

Concerning the action of the city clerk and the matter of certificates of elec-tion, Mr. Milne was not informed. He by the Supreme Patriarch of the Armenian believed, however, the conditions stated church to visit the chief representatives of in the recent telegram to be a gross mis-

Sir William White, the English navel

and the other allments vanished t. Had relief in half an hour after