A VICTORIAN IS SUED FOR DIVORCE

WIFE INSTITUTES AN ACTION IN 'FRISCO

Husband Threatened to Kill Her Because She Wouldn't Talk.

The San Francisco Chronicle of Satur day, last, which arrived Monday after: noon, has the following account of an action for divorce begun in the Bay City by Mrs. H. L. Salmon, wife of H. L. Salmon, of this city:

That her husband threatened to kill her and the whole family because she did not talk enough to suit him is one of the novel charges Mrs. Frederica Salmon non, in a petition for a divorce filed in the Superior court yesterday. The defendant, who is a prominent and Mrs. Parry, silver pepper pots; Mr. Blackler, R. N., silver eggstand; Mrs. and Miss Baiss, silk drape; Miss Reade, also charged with kidnapping two of the also charged with kidnapping two of the three children whom Mrs. Salmon has silk cloth, Victoria photos; Mrs. O'Farhed and schooled since she came to Sau Francisco in December, 1903.

Pauline Salmon, the three-year-old and the Misses Macrae, silver salt cal-child who is still in the possession of the lars; Mr. Alexis Martin, Wedgewood, mother at 643 Hyde street, is to be pro-John V. Powers and A. L. Hart, of the law firm of Hart & Powers, to represent in the litigation, and declares she will prosecute the case by every process known to law. The plaintiff asks for an absolute divorce, \$150 a month alimony and \$1,000 attorneys' fees. While Mrs. Salmon's counsel was before Judge Graorder preventing the defendant from leavstate, the husband was in Judge Hebbard's court securing the writ of habeas corpus which requires that Pau-line Salmon be produced in person in his wife is not a fit person to have the

The complaint filed vesterday states on November 24th, 1891, and that the charged by the wife occurred in October, 1893. On that date, according to the complaint, the husband entered the dining-room and said to his wife, "Why don't you talk?" The wife replied, "I have nothing to say." Thereupon, the plaint sets out, the husband became ous, and shouted, "You fat woman, I'll make you talk. I'll kill myself and then murder the whole family. Mrs. Salmon charges that in 1893 her

fist and reduced it to fragments.

After Mrs. Salmon left her husband in school, on Geary street, near Leavenworth street, and told the principal he desired to take the children to their mother. Mrs. Salmon declared yesterday that, in her belief, the children are

desired to take the children to mother. It is my opinion that he has them held some place against their will I charge in my petition for divorce that Salmon often threatened their lives, as well as mine, and the children feared him. I am sure that if he did not have them as prisoners some place they would return to me at the first opportunity Yesterday a man called on me and said he had been sent by the chief of police. He demanded Pauline, the only one of the three children that I still have in my possession. I barred the door in front of him, but he pushed me back and said: quest. Do you intend to give up Pauline peaceably or do you intend to fight?' I replied that I intended to fight and to the learned that the chief of police did not send the man, and undoubtedly my hus-band was back of the affair. I have Judge Hebbard to-morrow morning relamy husband has begun to secure the employed counsel and I will make a stubborn fight against the man whom I once loved, but whom I now despise. Not long ago he visited me and implored me to return to him. He told me he would him the only way he could get me to return to him would be to kill me and take body. He then left." Mrs. Salmon is about 35 years old.

Full of Pleurisy

She is apparently very bitter against her

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MARRIED AT CHRIST CHURCH. Engineer Lieut. Coles, H. M. S. Bons

Engineer Lieut. Edwin Cole, of H. M. S. Bonaventure, and Miss Lucy Muriel, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Goward, M. A., LL.B., of Rockwood, Vic toria, were united in marriage at Christ Church cathedral yesterday afternoon.
Rev. Canon Beanlands officiated, assisted by Rev. S. Anderson, R. N. Only the intimated friends of the family were ent at the ceremony.

The bride is well-known in lawn tennis Following is a list of the present re-

eived by the young couple:

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward, silver tray, tea and coffee pots; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Goward, real Duchesse lace; Mr. and Mrs. Toller, silver and oak butter dish; Commodore and Mrs. Goodrich, silver salt cellars; wardroom officers of H. M. S. Bonaventure, cases of silver and pearl fish and fruit knives and forks and fish slice and fork; engine room staff of H. makes against her husband, Henry Louis M. S. Bonaventure, case of silver salt cellars, mustard and pepper pots; Capt. rell, case of cilver teaspoons; Dr. and Mrs. Nelson, silver salt cellars; Mrs.

mother at 643 Hyde street, is to be produced in Judge Hebbard's court this silver scent bottle, Mr. and Mrs. C. morning at 10 o'clock as the result of Kent, silver topped pomade pots; Mr. Salmon securing a writ of habeas corpus Leverson, brass photo frame; Mr. and Mrs. Mess, vase; Mr. and Mrs. Burton, silver serviette rings: Mr. Colley, traveling clock; Mr. S. Pitts, gold and enamel prooch; Miss M. Pitts, burnt leather able centre; Mrs. and the Misses Lucas, silver filagree scent bottles; Miss Hardie, ut glass dish; Mr. and Mrs. McKilliran, silver salt cellars; Miss Walker, silk opera pag; Miss Brownrigg, silver photo frame; Mrs. P. T. Johnston, hand-painted bag; Mr. and Mrs. Genge, silver tea-spoons; Mrs. and the Misses Kitto, vase; Mrs. James Dunsmuir, silver bon urt this morning. Salmon charges that bon dish; Miss F. Macrae, gold and pearl

brooch; Mrs. Archer Martin, real lace handkerchief; Misses L. and A. Angus, silver bon bon dish; the Misses Carr hand-painted candlesticks; the Misses Galletly, silver calendar; Mr. and Mrs. there, being worth approximately \$30,- Lineham, cut glass and silver puff box; 000. The first act of alleged cruelty Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Devon Lineham, cut glass and silver puff box; and Mrs. Loveland, picture; Mrs. Langley, hand-painted doilies; Mrs. Flumerfelt, vase; Mrs. Watkis, handkerchief sachet; Mrs. and Miss Gowen, sugar sifter; Mrs. and Miss S. Wilson, anchor prooch; the Misses Harvey, leather hand bag; Miss A. Harvey, Russia leather card case; Mr. and Mrs. Carow-Gibson, silver-topped ink bottle; Mrs. Day, Whit-

tier's poems; Mr. A. J. C. Galletly, case of silver forks; Mrs. Henshall, silsband hit a granite kettle with his ver jam spoon; Mr. Solomon, oak and silver tray; Commander and Mrs. Thorpe-Victoria and came to San Francisco to Doubble, silver and ivory paper knife; live, the husband visited her at 691 Mrs. H. Toller, silk table centre; Miss Geary street and agreed that she should McKeand, cut glass cream jug; Mr. and have the custody of the children. On Thursday, according to Mrs. Salmon, the Mrs. Stuart Robertson, candlesticks; father went to the Clement Grammar Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Church, cut glass

being held by the father against their and Miss Lawson, silver teaspoons; Mr. will.

"Daisy Caroline Salmon, 12 years old, and Percival Joseph Salmon, 10 years old, went to school Thursday and I have seen nothing of them since," said Mrs. Salmon yesterday. "I learned from the principal that a man resembling the father called there and explained that he and Mrs. Harold Robertson, silver

DISCOMFORT INCREASED.

New York Has Charge of Weather, But It Did Not Bring Relief.

New York, Feb. 6 .- With miles of residential streets in the upper part of Manhattan Island and in Brooklyn piled which the people of New York have exerienced from bad weather recently was acreased to-day when a snowstorm, which began last evening, was changed into a heavy fall of rain and sleet which covered sidewalks and car rails with an icy coating. Streets and crossings were flooded in many sections of the city, the gutters being badly choked with the accumulation of several snow-Travel by either surface or storms. elevated lines was much impaired by slippery rails and numerous minor acciwhich traffic was moved. Huge fields of floating ice filled portions of the rivers and harbor and delayed travel by ferry. A rising temperature, however, promise

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 6.-Every port on the Connecticut shore from the south of the Connecticut river at Saybrook to the westerly end of Long Island Sound is securely ice-locked at resent, with no prospects of a break until a strong warm southerly wind blows. Marine men say that the ice conditions have never been so bad within their recollection. All water traffic out of New Haven and Bridgeport harbor is at a standstill, and oyster fishing is mpossible. It is believed that there will be a famine in shell fish from the grounds of Connecticut growers.

BURNED TO DEATH

Arrowhead Lumber Company's Boarding House Destroyed—Man Perished in Flames.

Arrowhead, B. C., Feb. 7, 2 a.m.—The McTaggart was burned to death. Mr. Beatty, manager of the mill, is seriously burned. A doctor at Revelstoke has been wired for. The lumber piles have dispatched. All members of the offices caught on fire, but there is lots of help in the yard have received their notices, to take away the other range save the rest, and the mill.

IMPROVEMENTS IN

Chairman Boggs Outlines Some of the Requirements - Plans to Relieve the Congestion.

toria's educational system are promised during the present year. The programme ontemplated by the school board em braces a number of radical changes, and, In the Matter of Opening Its Meetingrcles, having held many local cham-ionships as well as that of the Pacific if all are carried through, they should prove a stride in the right direction. Berowing of \$30,000 for a new school in Mr. Goward, silver gravy spoon and Victoria West an effort will be made by books; the Misses Goward, silver enteredishes; Mr. B. G. Goward and Miss M. Beale, silver eggstand and toast rack; of the Oaklands, Spring Ridge and North Ward schools. It is probable also that the lost time to be made up in the after-

already appeared in these columns, the question of relieving the congested condition of the schools in other reserved. the most important. Everything considered it is hardly probable that the subject can be effectively dealt with this at Esquimalt. Referred to the finance term. The trustees intend giving it serious consideration and, although there Salmon securing a writ of habeas corpus yesterday. Mrs. Salmon, who is of a wealthy family and was prominent in Victoria society, has engaged Attorneys ders, silver topped pomade pots; Mr. Leverson, brass photo frame; Mr. and will not be sufficient financial resources available to take immediate steps to wards a solution of the problem, it is possible that the preliminaries will be ders, silver photo frame; Mr. and Mrs. sible that the preliminaries will be Buntzen, silver bon bon dish; Mr. and arranged and the opinion of the electors obtained in the usual way at the next

Already Chairman Boggs has given he question considerable thought and outlines a plan which, in his opinion, will meet the requirements. He suggests that the splendid property lyang between Hillisde avenue and King's road be purchased by the city council and temporarily converted into a park and recreation grounds for the convenience of residents of the Work Estate and northern portion of this can be set aside as a done. school reserve and, when the appropria-tion required is secured, the work of stantial building in this locality, Mr. Boggs points out, will provide ample of the Mayor. accommodation for all the children likely L. H. Gordra.

Another point which Chairman Boggs emphasizes in outlining his proposition is that it provides for a large play-ground, something that is lacking in all ocal schools with the exception of South

Regarding the lengthening of the noon recess it is explained that many complaints have been received from parents. The matter will be taken up energetically, and in all probability the sugges tion will be adopted.

NAVAL STORES TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION

And the Esquimalt Yard Will be Left in Charge of a Storekeeper.

By the 21st of March the Esquimalt naval yard will be in charge of a store-Not even the office staff will remain. All the equipment of the various departments and all supplies for ships will have been either sold or shipped abroad, and the much-talked of reduction will then have been accomplished. Any warship calling thereafter will be unable to secure stores unless perchance these have been sent on in advance for her, and to all practical purposes the yard will be locked up. What a coaling station has vet to be learned. Auctioneer Hardaker has been in

structed to sell out the hospital furnishings and equipment, the contents of the civil engineer works' department and the stores of the victualling department. The latter sale will take place on Thursday, the 16th, at 11 o'clock. The stores will include 9,000 pounds of salted beef and a lot of fine new goods. Instructions repecting this sale have been given by Mr. ilpthorpe, victualling store officer. With regard to the Naval hospital, Dr. Home has given orders that all the furniture, licines, operating tables, fire apparatus, garden implements, and also the furniture of the fleet surgeon, shall be sold on Tuesday, February 21st, at 11 a.m. All good will then be on view from 1 to 5 p.m., on the day before the sale, and also on the morning of sale. Catalogues containing a list of the goods to e placed under the hammer may be had from the naval officers or from the auc-

oneer. Under instruction from Mr. Mules, of the civil engineer works, the sale at this department will be held on Friday, 24th, at the same hour of the day. This sale will include a large quantity and great variety of tools, machinery, Portland cement, lumber, steel shingles, steel rails, fish plates, bolts, lead, pipe, corrugated iron roofing, derricks, cranes, winches, roofing felt, paints, oils. varnishes, files, glass, brass fittings, taps, iron fencing, gates, posts, etc., also a ten horse-power electric motor, band saw, morticing machine, wheelbarrows

and numerous other articles.

These sales will be the largest ever A man named it is expected, the final closing out of to death. Mr. all the supplies and equipment after the thesilea, Athenian and Peleus have been to take away the other lumber piles and and will be going out about the middle of next month.

THE SCHOOL SYSTEM ALDERMAN TRY TO

WANT THE COUNCIL TO **OBSERVE ITS BY-LAW**

Contracts Awarded Monday Evening.

The four new aldermen are endeavor ing to effect a reforamtion in connection the advisability of extending the time with the regular weekly meetings. They allowed at noon to an hour and a half, take the view that a by-law is of no use unless its provisions are observed, and the proposal of Trustee Huggett provid- 8 o'clock or thereabouts on Monday. ing for three optional courses in the High school, namely, commercial, science and arts. Should the majority of the board decide that the time is ripe for such an alteration of the curriculum the suggestion will be adopted.

Apart from the proposed Victoria West school, a full description of which has already appeared in these columns, the some time ago. At any rate the other

> Hon. F. J. Fulton, provincial secre tary, formally notified the council of the

appointment of licensing and police commissioners for Victoria. Received and mates are taken up. F. H. Eaton, superintendent of city schools, submitted the school board's estimates for the year, which have already

Ald. Fullerton and Hanna wanted adreferred back to the school board with propriation for advertisement. the request that the estimates be re-

be pretty large.

The Mayor explained that a formal section of the city. There is, he says, resolution was required and advised that the communication be tabled pending the every way adapted to the purpose. A drafting of the resolution. This was

The secretary of the Tourist Association required is secured, the work of cereting a school can proceed. A substantial brilding in this leadly to the stantial brilding in this leadly to the security board of the association. This was left in the hands

L. H. Gordray & Co., of Quebec, offer to apply for admission to local schools for years, It will relieve the congestion at Oaklands, make the present Hillside school unnecessary, take a large number of pupils away from North Ward and Spring Ridge and, in short, solve the consideration before closing it. Referred difficult problem with which the school to the streets, bridges and sewers comconsideration before closing it. Referred

The Taylor Mill Company and W. Shute informed the council that the former had taken over the interest of the atter in the tender for supplying wood blocks to the corporation. This was laid m the table.. Watson Clarke complained of exces-

sive charges for water, and requested an investigation. Referred to the water, Chas W. Plumb applied for the posiion of caretaker of Carnegie library.

Laid on the table. W. W. Northcott, purchasing agent, and Chas. H. Topp, city engineer, reported the receipt of tenders for supplying lumber, nails and castings. The report was considered clause by clause.

The contract for supplying nails went to Messrs. L. McQuade & Sons, the lowest

It was moved that the centract for timated cost, \$41. castings be awarded to the lowest ten-derer, the British Columbia Foundry Douglas and Vancouver streets, be mad-Company, but an amendment was adamized and surface pipe drains laid construct a wharf at Rock Bay was fav-moved by Ald. Fullerton and Hanna that down. Estimated cost, \$1,935, of which orably considered. While discussing the the Victoria Machinery Depot receive cost \$650 is to be contributed by the Tram-the contract. The amendment was car-way Company. ried, seven voting in favor and two against.

The lumber and block contracts were awarded as follows on motion of Ald. res Fell: Lumber, W. Shute (assigned to Re Taylor Mill Company); large blocks, that the council withholds decision upon Moore & Whittington; small blocks, divided between Moore & Whittington until a plan of the works proposed to be and W. Shute.

The purchasing agent and medical health officer recommended that the conwill be done with respect to making this a coaling station has yet to be learned.

| nearth officer recommended to tract for supplying drugs be awarded to Messrs. Terry & Marett. Adopted. The communication from Superintendent Eaton was taken from the table, and stimates, and if possible to reduce them,

was carried. The purchasing agent reported the reeints of tenders for supplying bricks thousand: Humber, \$6.45 per thousand: Baker Bros., \$7 per thousand. In view of the fact that Baker Bros. were the only tenderers who complied with specifications by submitting samples the contract was awarded to them. The purchasing agent was authorized to issue a permit for the erection of a

Fisguard and Government streets. The city clerk reported that the folowing communications had been referred to the city engineer: Thos. Benon, asking for the filling in of a ditch n Michigan street; A. F. Barnett, requesting drainage and sidewalk construc-tion on Sixth street; F. Berryman and tion on Sixth street; F. Berryman and W. H. Gibson, complaining of the con-J.W. Mellor, applying for a sidewalk on Jno. G. Thompson, park superintendent, applied for an increase in salary. Laid on table pending consideration of

two-story brick building on the corner

Wm. McKay, secretary of the Victoria fact that there were a large number of laborers out of employment in the city, and on behalf of the various unions Arrowhead Lumber Company's boarding house took fire this morning and was Ald. Stewart moved that the commun cation be referred to the streets commit-

Ald. Fullerton moved; seconded by Ald. structed to proceed with the work at

the city engineer estimated that the work would cost 20 per cent. more if done now than it would later on.

Ald. Stewart advised the council to wait for a few days until they ascertained whether the city engineer had any other work in view. Otherwise he had no objection to seeing the work proceeded

Ald. Hall, while in accord with the plan to start the Spring Ridge work as soon as possible, favored laying the mat ter over until the city engineer returned in a few days-to be taken up at the ng of the streets comm Ald. Fullerton said the inhabitants of Spring Ridge desire the sewerage exten-

sion carried out at once. At least a per-tion should be done in order that the people could enjoy the benefit of it before he summer came.

Ald. Fell pointed out that the council ted the city as a whole-not any

particular section. Other districts r ired sewerage extension, and if Spring Ridge work involved several thouother wards would be short. While he sympathized with the men out of work noon, will be considered. Then there is that is why they were at their desks at he feit that the council had to proceed strictly on business principles council had often been criticised for be-ginning work in winter instead of in summer, involving large unnecessary exborrowed for the city as a whole. He suggested that Ald. Fullerton's motion be amended by adding the words "provid that the work can be carried on at this cost to the city.'

Ald. Stewart thereupon withdrew his motion, and that of Ald. Fullerton was carried unanimously. James Henley and other carpenters aployed in laying sidewalks peti for an increase in wages from \$2.25 to

An application for an electric light or Hillside avenue was referred to the committee having this matter in hand. The finance committee recommended that the contract for supplying the city with forage for the year be rewarded to ditional information on the subject, and Ald. Stewart moved, seconded by Ald. be also reported adversely on the B. C. Fullerton, that the communication be Mining Record's application for an ap-

duced. The mover pointed out that calls upon the city treasury this year would usual purpose. Adopted. The Home for the Aged and Infirm

committee reported as follows: Gentlemen:-Your Home for Aged and Infirm committee, having considered the un dermentioned subject, beg to report and recommend as follows:

of the naval dockyard, Esquimalt, submitting a proposal respecting the use of the Marine hospital at Esquimalt for the purpose of a Home for the Aged and Infirm. Your committee have given this matter their careful consideration, and find that the annual charge which the taking over of the premises would entail on the corpora ion would amount to a sum greater than the annual charge under the proposed Home under the provisions of the by-law recently endorsed by the ratepayers.

tee cannot see their way to rec ceptance of the proposal of the naval authorities; while deeply appreciating the spirit which prompted them to submit it

The report was adopted. The streets, bridges and sewers com-

Gentlemen:-Your streets, bridges and sewers committee, having considered the County court to-day. Several minor undermentioned subjects, beg to submit the cases were heard. following recommendations for adoption by Re communication from R. Porter

ed that the work be done. Es Recommended that Fort street, between

Re foreshore rights in connection with Bay side of the inner harbor, now that

lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block B, and the communication of Mr. G. A. Keefer, Dominion resident engineer, with reference thereto. rected on the foreshore in question show ing slip and the area within which it is proposed to boom logs, has been presented Recommended that Mr. J. A. Sayward be

quested to furnish the council with a lating to the Songhees reserve, as to sketch showing the manner in which he proposes, if permission be granted, to conneet his new building with the Rock Bay bridge.

Recommended that tenders be called for supplying granite curbing (1,500 feet more less) and cement (5,000 barrels more or less), also 50 rounded corner stones for ement sidewalks.

Ald. Fell's motion regarding the des

ruction of old shacks throughout the city was carried. The same course was pursued with respect to Ald. Hanna's motion requiring committee to deal with the renaming f streets. Ald. Hanna, Stewart and ouglas were appointed the committee Ald. Hanna also moved that the city ssessor be instructed to rearrange the city into three wards on a more equitable asis than at present.

ment of four wards, with two alderme Mayor Barnard, after consultation with the city solicitor, pointed out that under the act the city couldn't reduce the representation at the board. Ald. Fell deemed this an in-

Ald. Stewart favored the establish-

me to suggest the reduction of the rep resentation now that the city was enter ing on an era of prosperity and expansion. There could be nine aldermen and four wards, Victoria West being given Ultimately it was decided to refer the The council then adjourned.

LITTLE BUT SEARCHING .- Dr. Von Stan's Pineapple Tablets are not big nause ous doses that contain injurious drugs or the main reason for his journey is a failing ed a seat on the Supreme court ben narcotics—they are the pure vegetable pep-sin—the medicinal extract from this luscious fruit, and the tablets are prepared in as quet of an anti-Semitic society of German palatable form as the fruit itself. They In reply to Ald. Oddy, the Mayor said cure indigestion. 60 in a box, 85 cents.-56. him under arrest for three days."

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LEGAL NEWS

Supreme Court Is Sitting To-Day, Pre-sided Over By Chief Justice.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Chief Justice Hunter is holding court to-day. The first case on the list wa that of Cartwright vs. The King. this case the plaintiff contends that he was wrongfully deprived of land Thetis Island which he had obtain from the original pre-emption, and carried out the duties pertaining to a preemption. He is proceeding under a peti tion of right allowed him by the govern-

His Lordship suggested that this might come in as an action for breaking a contract on the part of the crown. D. M. Eberts, K. C., representing the crown, contended that this was not possible, and cited cases in support of his contention that a pre-emption under the Land Act could not pursue such a course

The plaintiff is represented by A. C. Brydone Jack. Argument is still in prog-

The other cases to come up are as fol-Siddall vs. Richards; for plaintiff, R. scheme of building and maintaining a new T. Elliott; for defendant, W. J. Taylor. Home under the provisions of the by-law Bryden et al. vs. Helmcken et al.; for plaintiffs, D. M. Rogers; for defendants, H. D. Helmcken, K. C., and A. Wil-

> Hall vs. Hall (divorce); for plaintiff, The Assize court is still occupied with the case of King vs. Wong Gow and Wong On. Rebuttal evidence by the crown and legal disputes as to the right of these witnesses being heard is occupying the court at present Judge Harrison is presiding over the

MET TUESDAY.

Business Considered By the Council of the Board of Trade.

A fully attended meeting of the council of the board of trade was held on Tuesquestion of wharves the advisability of there, was considered. It was decided to

withdraw this permission. tion, C. H. Lugrin reported as follows:

E. Elworthy, Esq., Secretary Board Trade: Dear Sir:-In accordance with the reques of the president of the board, I const with the other members of the board's com mittee, appointed to consider questions re would be a proper motion to make at the instance of the board, and with their approval I moved a resolution to the effect city council should use every means in its power to bring about a settlement of the question on the lines agreed upon between the Dominion and Provincial governments as set out in a letter from the departmen of the interior to Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, a copy of which is annexed to the comm

Yours truly, CHAS. H. LUGRIN. Alex. Herd, of Somenos, wrote enclosing the petition for an experimental farm it is proposed to forward to Hon. Sidney Fisher, minister of agriculture. The communication was laid on the table, to be dealt with at the next regu-

lar meeting.

An invitation was received from A. B. ranging a winter carnival at Rossland festivities. It was decided to leave the matter in abeyance for the present. The meeting then adjourned.

KAISER AND CROWN PRINCE. peror Placed His Son Under Arrest for

Attending Banquet of Anti-Semitic Society. New York, Feb. 7 .- Berlin dispatch to the Times says:
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Prince is going to Italy to see his fiances,

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HECATE STRAITS FISHING. Washington State Department Does Not. Question Rights of Canadians in These Waters.

Washington, Feb. 7 .- Respecting the declaration in the Canadian parliament vesterday that the Dominion government was about to protect the rights of fisher men in Hecate Straits, it is learned that it is four years since any complaint was tee's report. This resolution was carried made to the state department against the on a division. fishing rights in these waters, and there is no disposition now to question such rights. The investigation then made sat-isfied the authorities here that a line drawn through Dixon entrance marked the limit within which American fisher men might venture, and to the Canadians was reserved by treaty fisheries in Hecate Straits, between Queen Charlotte Island and the Mainland.

OUT OF OFFICE.

Ottawa, Feb. 7.—Premier Ross resigned at 1.30 to-day and the Lieut.-Governor sent for J. P. Whitney, who is now en his way to Toronto.

Mr. Killam took his seat as chairma of the railway commission to-day. R. L. Borden was introduced in the House of Commons to-day by Hon. G. E. Foster and F. L. Monk. An act respecting the Vancouver & New Westminster railway was read a

first time in the House to-day.

Chief Justice Falconbridge authorize the statement that he has not been offer and that if it were offered to him would refuse it. The story was that William Mulock had secured Chief Falbridge's selection to succeed Mr. Jus-

THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY SHOWS

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FURTHER OUTBE REPORTED

A Large Military F Sosnovice - Works Destroy P

Berlin, Feb. 10.-Pr Sosnovice describe ter of the conflict and strikers at the Ka One correspondent while another gives t 50. The military fire Another collision mine, beyond Modez rumored, 150 person A third collision of

near Milovice, but the It was feared that I would take place. parts of the strike Poland, since striker groups, gesticulating threatening manner.

Another Sosnovice, Feb. 9.tacked the workers tion. Troops fired of the plant, wound The situation here but the military for awe rioters. Eight fantry, eight squadro one regiment of Coss

Strike at Washington, D. C. States Consul-Genera state department to-d burg as follows: "L principal works stril day. Military taking Compelled

Lodz, Feb. 9.-A ments the strikers three days' wages the workmen threate plant. The military for a moment the s but the management manager refused pay point of a revolver romise payment to ployers are paying o xpediency. There v ances to-day at Pab fired on the workn

Warsaw, Feb. 10 hundred strikers wer by the military in the place at the Katl Sosnovice yesterday The strikers were out the fire in a furn department of the appeared and a controops fired three voltered the strikers.

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