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ONE CENT.

LOSE FRASER MILLS

Two Members of Firm HARBINGER OF Opposed to Rebuilding

ABERDEEN MILLS

Which Were Burned on Friday--Total Insurance Was \$35,000-John Devine Pleads Guilty of Jail Breaking and is Remanded.

FREDERICTON Aug. 14—(Special)—It is learned that Donald Fraser & Sons had \$35,000 insurance on their mill property and lumber destroyed by fire here Friday night. There was \$15,000 on the mill and machinery and \$20,000 on the dumber divided as follows: Phoenix of London, \$14,000, Home of New York \$6,000, Phoenix of London (on mill) \$5,000; North British & Mercantile, \$3,500; Atlas \$2,500; Oueen. \$2,000: British American/\$2,000.

John Devine pleaded guilty in the police court this morning to a charge of breaking from the police station here and was remanded until Thursday for sentence. He has promised to look up certificates of character in the meantime.

Commodore Thomson's cabinet, and most of the leaders of the political parties were conducted to the banqueting hall to the strains of the "Marseillaise," never before heard within its walls.

After toasts to King Tourise to his country and members of the political parties were among the hosts, and their guests were conducted to the banqueting hall to the strains of the "Marseillaise," never before heard within its walls.

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WORLD'S PEACE

Significant Speeches at Dinnner to Visitors

FROM FRENCH NAVY

Balfour and Political-Leaders at Banquet to French Officers -- Felicitous Speeches and General Good Fellow-

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TAKE PESSIMISTIC VIEW The Opinion of the Tokio Press is that Peace Conference THEY

Will End in a Rupture, for which Russia will be to Blame---Russia Must Stop Bluffing and Get Down to Business.

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mouth.

The Ji Ji says: "It is not possible to place much hope in the outcome of the negotiations. It is patent to everybody that the best course open to Russia is allow the stige. Should M. Witte conclude a peace which means the acceptance of Japanese terms he will find himself confronted by a strong opposition which will cost him the confidence of the emperor and the Russian government. If M. Witte is brave enough to subordinate his personal interest for the good of his country he is in an unique position to render a meritorious service to his country. But it is too

ALL ABOUT SMALL FIRE IN

RECIPROCITY

New York . Exporters Will Take Strong Stand

ON THE QUESTION

And Will Present an Address

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Militia Deparment Considering the Defence of

ST. JOHN HARBOR

Plan to Build a Fort Has Been Postponed for the Present--Other Points of More Pressing Consequence Than St. St. John.

to the Reciprocity Convention in Chicago This Week
Favoring Better Trade Re
OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 14 — (Special)—
After considering the advisability of putting up a fort in the harbor of St. John (N.B.), your correspondent understands the military authorities have definitely concluded to postpone that enterprise for

NEW YORK, Aug. 14—The Journal of merchants of this city are opposed to the present attitude of the government tostands over for the present.

Acting upon its determination to pro-