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Constantinople, Jan. 29.-The Sult much exercised regarding the governorship of the island of Crete, and has repeatedly telegraphed to the Czar on the subject, to which the Czar yester day replied, through the Rusisan embas sy here, adhering positively to the nomination of Prince George of Greece, which, it is said, is according to the premise his majesty made to the Dow ager Czarica. Italy has endorsed the candidature of Prince George. Palace officials are much depressed. It is expected that the Sultan will eventually

THE SPOKANE FIRE.

Spokane, Jan. 29 .- The charred and mangled remains of five victims of the Great Eastern block fire have been taken from the ruins. Two of the bodies have been identified. They are B. Gordon and Mrs. Cora Peters, and there is little doubt that the others are Mrs. Peters and her three chlidren, Charles, Alma and Ethel. Mr. Gordon had gone into the building to try and save Mrs. Peters'

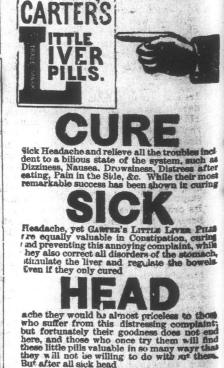
New York, Jan. 29 .- Dr. Nansen, the Arctic explorer, sailed on the Cunard liner Campania to-day for Liverpool. Be-fore leaving Dr. Nansen said: "I am going to London, where I shall deliver ten lectures. Then I leave for Christiania, where I intend to prepare a scientific report of my expedition."

BUT WILL HE RESIGN?.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28 .- A resolution, requesting the immediate resignation of United States Senator Lindsay, passed by the house yesterday, was also adopted by the senate to-day by a vote of 25 to 19. Great enthusiasm was manifested when the resolution passed by such an overwhelming vote. Strong speeches were made arraigning Lindsay's course in the most severe terms.

USED TOO MUCH POWDER.

Everett, Jan. 28.-Wednesday night the State bank, at Maresville, was visited by professional safe crackers. They blew open both doors of the safe throwing them into the street, taking the whole front of the small building in which the bank is located with them. The cash box was uninjured. The ter rible explosion aroused the whole village, but too late to get any trace of those who did the job.



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Motion to Dismiss the Secretary and Appoint Superintendent Eaton to the Position.

The Mayor and Council To Be Asked to Allow the Board to Meet in the City Hall.

At the meeting of the school board held yesterday evening Trustee Marchant moved: "That Inspector Eaton be requested to undertake the duties of secretary on and after March 1st." The motion created much discussion, during which Trustee Belyea remarked that this resolution was being introduced simply to force the board into a bad "It seems to me that the mover and seconder of this motion are skilfully working to oust Mr. Williams and also to force Inspector Entou's hand." Trustee Hall-The moment-

Trustee Belyea-I have the floor, do not interrupt me. Continuing, he said Trustees Hall and Marchant were unfair in asking the board to pass a resolution which directly told Superintendent Eaton to act as secretary. This was not business, it was not courtesy, and it was not fair to the superintendent. As the matter had

moved the adjournment of the debate to give the trustees time to look 'the Trustee Hall said he and Trustee Marchant were not leading the board into a trap. They were merely endeavoring to

Trustee Marchant did not think it right to impute improper motives to anthe next meeting.

who moved, seconded by Trustee Marchant, that the mayor and council be requested to grant the use of the council formerly occupied by the water commissioner for a secretary's office. The motion was carried on the following

Ayes-Trustees Hall, Marchant, Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Grant. Nays-Trustees McMicking and Bel-

report on several matters referred to him at previous meetings. In the matter of children living temporarily in Victoria West being permitted to attend the Central school, he recommended that this permission be continued. The redaughter removed to another school was not considered reasonable by the inspector. With reference to the request that an additional teacher be appointed for South Park school, owing to the large attendance, the inspector stated that while later on it might be necessary to increase the staff of teachers by two or three in several of the schools, at present he would not recommend an additional teacher for South Park.

endations were also made: That Mr. Winsby and Miss Nason, of the Boys' school exchange divisions, and that Miss Christie, of the Boy's Central and Mr. Stevenson, of the Victoria West school also exchange places on their respective staffs. The report was discussed in detail and

adopted. Trustee Belyea gave notice of a motion to prohibit teachers from canvassing the board of trustees on behalf of an applicant or intended applicants for positions on the teaching staff.

Trustee Mrs. Jenkins requested the board to provide the schools with copies of the year book of British Columbia, lately published by the provincial librarian to be used as books of reference. Referred to the supply committee.

The alteration and repairs committee were directed to report on the cost of fitting up a secretaory's office in the city

It was moverd by Trustee Belyea and seconded by Trustee Marchant, that the mayor be requested to instruct the city engineer to report on the best method of draining the grounds of the North Ward and Central schools.

A PIONEER GONE.

Fred. W. Hart, One of the First of the Yukoners, Dies at Dawson.

News comes from the capital of the Fred. W. Hart, one of the pioneer miners city, in 1872 set out with several other miners from Manson Creek to prospect

Ireland men, from County Antrim, named Arthur Harper and Frederick W. drew Kanselar, a German, and Sam. Creek to go on a prospecting trip down the Mackenzie river. Harper, because gold had been found on the Liard, which empties into the Mackenzie and is one of its principal branches, was under the impression that there was gold on the Mackenzie. They made their way down what is known as Half-Way river. There they met a party of men surveying for the Canadian Pacific railway, and unwittingly helped to drive a spike in our great national highway, because they gave their boat to the survey men to make their way up the Peace river. Harper and the others packed their provisions up the Half-Way river and over a twenty-five or thirty-nile portage to the waters of the Nelson river down which they went until they found it safe for the passage of cances, where they made a cache and proceeded to make two dug-out canoes, with which to asscend the Nelson.

Continuing, Mr. Ogilvie relates how these intrelid prospectors went up the Yukon to White river, and prospected there that winter, and the next spring prospected the Stewart and Forty-mile rivers. Hart then came to Victoria, but soon afterwards returned to the north, being interested with John O'Donald in

Poker Gulch. In 1896 he again returned to Victoria and made a trip to his home in Ireland. He returned last spring and again went in to the gold fields. In September he was taken ill and now mes the news of his death at Dawson.

TELEGRAPH TO KLONDIKE. Mr. Hosmer Gives Details of the Line to Be Built This Summer.

The route for the first telegraph line into the Klondike El Derado has just been decided upon, and by the middle next summer the line will be open for business. Mr. Charles R. Hosmer, superintendent of the Pacific Postal Telegraph Company, which in reality is the Canadian Pacific Railway Company under another name, is now in Montreal completing the last details of the plan.

In reality the actual work has begun, and the surveyors have already accomplished a good deal between Quesnelle and Fort Fraser-the first two points apon the route-where the first section of the new line is located. Not since 1866, when the Western Union Telegraph Company made its famous attempt to connect Asia and the United States, has a telegraph surveyor been seen in the country through which the new line will run, until the present party in the

field began its journey.

The total length of the main line from Quesnelle to Dawson City will be 1,423 miles. There will be a branch line constructed to Juneau, Alaska, 85 miles in length, and another branch to Dyea, which will be 70 miles long. The company estimates that the total cost of the line and its branches will be in the vicinbeen sprung somewhat sudendly, he

right to impute improper motives to another. On the suggestion of the chair world exists as far north as Quesnelle have risked "Klondike," but he did not, the debate was then adjourned until in British Columbia, which is some 350 asking for Mr. Scott. "You want to see miles north by northwest of Seattle. Mr. Scott?" "Yes." "Come in. Another motion, which created much This is the reason for its being chosen as reporter stepped into a low roofed lobby discussion was that of Trustee Hall, the point of beginning. From Quesnelle Beside the armed doorkeeper stood two chamber for the public meetings of the 200 miles farther on; Telegraph Creek, in which were twenty or thirty roung school board, and the use of the room 310 miles; head of Lake Atlin, 240; Tesmen; some of them reading books; otherwise the companion of the compa

Superintendent Eaton presented his company to establish stations every four | Dargai. Above the Dr. Jim picture was miles. The line will to a certain extent the Mounted Police in their communica-tions. In fact, the Canadian government has really been acting in concert with the quest of Mr. Lowndes to have his company, and the selection of the route is in great measure due to the preference

expressed by the authorities. The difficulties of construction are not imagined. Before making the selection of route the knowledge of men who have become familiar with the country was called into requisition and combined with took a prospecting trip some months be-fore there was danger of sources of knowledge being shut off by winter. This latter party, Mr. Hosmer states, discovered that a fairly direct line could be built and still a great portion of the anticipated difficulties avoided.

The route does not include the famous Chilcoot Pass, but dodges the issue by going to the east of this monument of death and despair. There is no point on the projected line, Mr. Hosmer says where there will not be maintained a passable road just so long as "the weather will permit." In fact the construction of the line really means a new route to the Klondike, and one which is likely to find great favor with those who prefer an overland journey.

It has been necessary in planning this line constantly to bear in mind the fact that the cost of maintenance is likely to be great. Along some portions of the ango, Col., where the people expect to be year. At every station in the deep snow avoid any danger of starvation of the fact, of all kinds of employment." telegraph employees even under extraordinary circumstances. This means a Atlantic passage-where is that to come heavy outlay when it is considered that frem." the uniform rule of a station every four miles will, as stated, be adopted by the disclose."

company. The officials of the company believe are physically fit?" Klondike mining district of the death of that a force of 400 telegraph operators

the days of underground wires.

Mr. Hosmer does not believe the comneglected." Hart; George W. Fitch, who came from pany will find it possible to employ the "I suppose you have men going with the vicinity of Kingston, Ontario; An- female telegraph operator to any extent, you who know the country?" female telegraph operator to any extent, and the entire field, practically, is open "Well, no; not exactly. But Wilkinson, an Englishman, left Manson only to men. A pleasant feature for the men who have travelled in many parts be what are known as "top notch."

winter will be briskly pushed forward is an ex-lieutenant of the Life Guards.' and everything made ready for further execution of the task the moment the weather permits. Indeed, the company that's all in the way of practice for the Peace river by the Finlay branch, to expects to break all records in telegraph. Wild and Woolly?"

building. O. W. O. Hardman, when sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., was at one time, almost prostrated with a cold. He used Cramberlain's Cough Remedy and was so much pleased with the quick relief and cure it afforded him, that he gave the following unsolicited testimonial: "To all who may be interested, I wish to say, that I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and find it invaluable for coughs and colds." For sale by Lang-Henderson Bros., Wholesale

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GOSPEL AND GOLD.

Extraordinary Klondike Expedition Being Got Up in Glasgow.

The Glasgow Evening News gives the following amusing account of a queer expedition that is being prepared in the east end of that city:

An extraordinary expedition is at present being prepared in the east end of Glasgow for a journey to the Klondike. | Saturdays." Rumors had reached us that a body of men, who meditated a descent on the Yu-kon, had been perambulating the Gallowand last evening a News reporter tracked the mystery to its den.

He was told by the police that Mr. Scott, in Risk street, could probably give him information, so he betook himnear Toboga street, he questioned a group of urchins as to the whereabouts of Mr. Scott's Gospel Mission. 'The urchins told and after he had gone a few yards down the street they hooted after him in knowing tones, "Klendike, Klondike," being under the impression that their questioner was a candidate for admission to the noble band of Mr. Scott. For word of the expedition has reached

even the gutter children of the east end. Arrived at the spot to which he had been directed, the reporter mounted a dark stair, lined on each side with Natives at Sinnar Protest Against Plague youths, some of whom remarked derisively, "Klondike;" these were seemingly scoffers. At the first landing was a mysterious door, at which stood three or four ity of \$100,000. Of course this total cost young men. The door opened; a young will depend largely on the difficulties man slid in; then the door was shut; met with in survey and construction for after a little pause the door reopened considerable portion of the route is un- and another young man slid in; and so on known in detail. The estimate given, until no one was left save the reporter. however, is intended to cover an increase over the figures originally computed, an sword opened the portal slightly. The ample allowance having been made for reporter made to enter, but the sword bearer held him back, politely demandthe line will run northwest, the principle other men with swords, which they held points on the route being as follows: in the approved military fashion of cav-Fort Fraser, 135 miles distant; Hazleton, a ry men. He was ushered into a hall, lin River, 178; Big Salmon River, 34; ers reading newspapers; some playing Little Salmon River, 36; Five Finger draughts; others having air-gun practice Rapids, 59; Pelly River, 59; White River, at a paper target, the scores being 96; Sixty-Mile River, 31; Dawson City, solemnly registered by a small boy with 45—a total of 1,423 miles.

a loud voice. On the walls were lurid a loud voice. On the walls were While the prices mentioned are the and warlike cartoons depicting Dr. Jame-principal points on the line, Mr. Hos-son's "last stand," the thin red line and mer states it is the intention of the the Gordons storming the heights of a portrait of Chamberlain, sadly riddled be a government affair, and it is ex- by bullets of some kind or other. On the pected it will be utilized very largely by mantlepiece were air pistols. The re-the Mounted Police in their communica-

few minutes later he was invited to come to another room. He went. It was a small compartment; in the middle was a table, round which were seated about a dozen badged and red-sashed gentlemen, the majority of them fairly well up so great with this line as might be in years. Mr. Scott introduced the reporter, and explained his mission. "Does the reporter have credentials that he represents the News?" asked one gentleman; "so many people have tried to get the information furnished by a party of ar us." - Having satisfied the mysterious men who at the instance of the company committee on this score, the reporter

> and a superintendent. "About the Klondike business," began the reporter; "when do you start?" "About the end of March," said the

brotherhood. These were the secretary

superintendent. 'How about the route?" "Oh, well, it's not quite fixed yet. We are to take the best possible route. We have friends in Canada who are to advise us. We may have information with to-morrow's mail; at all events we'll have soon. It is expected daily."

"And how many of you are there?" "About eighty of us will start. They are all men who have taken the oath.'

"What oath?" "The oath that binds us in the mission to work for the kingdom of Christ. route the snowfall is simply tremendous Everyone who has joined us for the very like that in the vicinity of Dur-Klondike expedition has taken a solemn Klondike expedition has taken a solemn cath. Hundreds have applied for admissnowed up for weeks regularly every sion; but the eighty have fulfilled all the conditions. In the ranks of the expedisection it will, therefore, be necessary to tion we have all kinds of men-engineers. store a sufficient quantity of provisions to shopkeepers, joiners-representatives, in "But money will be required for the

"That is a point I am not at liberty to

"You see, of course' that your men "Everyone of the eightly has been exwill be required the year round. Many amined by the Mission doctor, an exof the Yukon valley. Hart, who was well known to the old timers of this hardship, and much care will be exertiate we should have health. In case of cised in recruiting the operators. In ad- sickness, however, we are bound by the dition to this force of operators, it will oath to attend to each other, no matter the Mackenzie river. Referring to this be necessary to have, it is estimated, at what happens. In Klondike we will be, trip Mr. William Ogilvie says in his re- least one hundred linemen, and their duty as here, a united body, a body apart. We will be perilous-fully as much so as that will have a central hall, which we will "In 1872; September 2, two North-of- of their brethren in the big cities before build ourselves and the expedition will see to it that the building of no one's hut is

operators is that the salaries paid will of the world and who know the work. Mr. Scott, who founded this mission-What work can be accomplished this the East End Gospel Mission—in 1893,

amongst the men. The managers will see that a due proportion is remitted home to the wives and families in Glasgow of the married. The idea, you will see, is to enrich the mission here, and aid it in the carrying out of its work. 'The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof,' and we do not see why the Devil should get all the gold."

"I suppose your men are in training for the arduous life ahead?"

"Yes; we have marches out on certain

"What distance do you usually cover?" "Well for instance, here is one of our outes: Our London road, through Camgate in something akin to military order: buslang, round the Cathkins ,and home by way of Cathcart—and this on a heavy Saturday. We are all teetotalers, but not non-smokers, for we do not believe smoking to be hurtful in the same way self in that direction. Arrived at that dike two years, but it all depends. We drear and gloomy thoroughfare, which is thoroughly believe there are still vast possibilities in the Yukon gold fields. It is not a district that will be worked out

all at once." Then our representative said "Good hight," and passed out by the swordbearers, who nodded cheerfully, not looking by any means so fierce as on first acquaintance. It is a great expedition, and subsequent developments will be awaited with interest.

RIOTS IN INDIA

Measures-Outlook in Beluchistan

Bombay, Jan. 29 .- Serious riots have taken place at Sinnar, in the Nassick district, this province, against the plague measures. The rioters have killed the hospital assistant, burned the Seret meeting camp, wrecked the post office and have cut the telegraph wires. The police opened fire on the mob and wounded many persons.

Desnatches just received from Ormara Beluchistan, say Nazim is ignorant of the fact that Col. Mayne with 200 men of the Bombay infantry, who landed at Ormara on Tueday, a week ago, are marching to his relief, and his position is critical. Fighting is imminent.

M'KINLEY'S LATEST SPEECH. London, Jan. 29.—The morning papers comment upon President McKinley's speech at the banquet of the National Association of Manufacturers, on Thursday evening, characterizing it as "Impressive and sounding, but vague and non-committal," and "giving little hope

of a bold stand against the silverites." The Morning Post says: "The speech was evidently intended to mark the line of battle in the coming congressional election. Everyone interested in American property will rejoice if the Republicans frankly adopt the policy suggest-

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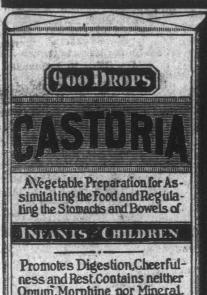
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dividual capitalist may lawfully undertake and carry out:

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you who know the country?"

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