MARAMA COMES

AORANGI TO BE REPLACED

waters from the yards of the builders, Caird & Co., of Greenock, which she left September 24. The Marama is a fine modern twin screw passenger and freight steamer 34 feet deep, moulded to the upper deck, and 53 feet beam. The Marama will leave Sydney December 23 for Victoria. The Aorangi is also to be replaced, an 18 knot twin screw passenger liner having been ordered from Stephens & Co., Glasgow, for that purpose.

Shortly before leaving Sydney on September 30 for this port the Miowera was one of a fleet of steamers sent in search of the missing steamer Mon wai, which was picked up and towed to Sydney by the steamer Mokoia of the same line. The Miowera had an uneventful voyage. She brought 166 passengers including 43 Japanese, first of regular shipments of forty to be brought by each vessel from Hawaii, and about 1,400 tons of general freight. including 900 tons of raw sugar from the Colonial Sugar plantations in Fig., and 440 carcasses of frozen mutton and 440 carcasses of frozen mutton which were landed here. A call was made at Fanning island, the cable station, which together with Washington island is to be offered for sale a month hence by the British government. After leaving Sydney September 30 the steamer experienced fresh portheses winds and here weether to ber 30 the steamer existrienced fresh northeast winds and haz; weather to said, "and about half past twelve I was roused by dogs barking. I opened the door, and Mrs. Barrett ran in cryting: "Will you go and save my children?" I replied: 'Yes, what is the matter?' and she said: 'My husband is shooting them all down'. I dressed is shooting them all down'. I dressed

mysteries of Neptune's bath. Fanning island was reached next day and a stay of a few hours made to land stores for the operators at the further end of the Banfield creek cable. There it was learned that arrangements had been made at the instance of Humphrey Barclay of Suva, who owns a share in the islands, for the sale by the government at auction of both Fanning and Washington islands. The sale will take place at Suva on November 30. take place at Suva on November 30. There were some reports that a large German syndicate had been formed to acquire the islands, but this is considered unlikely as the purchase of the islands will not interfere with the sovereign rights held in them by Great Britain

From the mid-Pacific cable station the Miowera proceeded to Honolulu, arriving early in the morning of Oc-tober 18. Leaving the same day at 5 p. m., the steamer experienced mode ate northeast trades to 28 north, then moderate to strong northwest wind and rough sea to 45 north, from where light variable winds with dense fog off the coast and in the Straits, was

Among the 49 saloon passengers who debarked here were Clarence Brune and wife, known as Minnie Tittel Brune, well known theatrical people, who have been playing in Australia, to where Mrs. Brune will return, ralla, to where Mrs. Brune will return, playing "L'Aiglon" and other similar plays, while Mr. Brune goes to New York to organize a road company to produce Richard III, Hamlet, and other Shakespearian plays. Mrs. E. L. Fawcett, whose husband is engineer of the cable steamer Restorer, came from Honolulu. A. Parfitt, several of whose brothers have formed a contracting company in which he will join, arrived from Krugersdorp, South Africa, by way of Sydney. Sydney F. Smith, commissioner of Lautoka district in the Fijis, who, during the Russian-Japanese war acted as war-correspondent of a London daily, arrived on leave, intending to spend a holiday at Banff. F. R. Baxendale, also of the colonial service arrived from Suva bound to Cypress, to which place he has been transferred. The Japanese steerage passengers, 43 in number, were all landed here.

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THREE STEAMERS BACK

Amur, Camosun and Queen City Reach Port—Brought News of Mining Development in North

(From Wednesday's Daily) Three steamers arrived from the orth yesterday, the C. P. R. steamers Shortly From Lord Strathmur and Queen City, from Prince Shortly From Lord Strathman From Rupert, Jedway, and way ports, and from Rupert, Jedway, and way ports, and from Rupers Index and way ports, and from Rupers Index and way ports, and from Rupers Index and way ports, respectively; and the steamer Camosum of the Union Steamanhip company from Probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Steamanhip company from Probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Steamanhip company from Probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Steamanhip company from Probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Steamanhip company from Probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Steamanhip company from New York while should keep and reported that she loss that the post of a hatchery on the Skeena, where trouble was recently caused by the actual of the probable that upon the return of a long list of books which all the eff of Lord Strathcons which are the post of the probable that upon the return of Hon. The control of the Lindson Hon. The control of the Hon. Hon. The word waiting in the rain outside. Very while stance to Pirmouth 1.769 miles, steered to the world the sever known, in fact it was of such a size and weight that the postage on it to the old country and the sever known in fact it was of such a size and weight that the postage on it to the old country of the passengers of Kalser Wilhelm of the properties of Queen Charting the Probable that the postage on it to the Mayor Keary that the list property, recently taken over by an thorough the property, recently taken over by an amortical several claims on Moreaby in the Strathcons with the required that the books would be forwarded to will be a valuable addition to the bridge and the several claims on Moreaby in the Strathcons with the required the property and the several claims on Moreaby in the Strathcons with the required that the bridge work of the government in Bear in the property in the property is considered the property an north yesterday, the C. P. R. steamers

River district, who arrived from Stewart, says there is a considerable satisfaction expressed there at the fine showing of silver on Glacier creek, close to Stewart at the head of Portland canal. The values are very rich. There is a great deal of mining development in the Portland Canal district

New Liner Built for This Run
Will Replace Miowera in
Australian Line

Trict.

News was also given that the American Girl group of four claims, situated on American creek, in Bear River mining district, fifteen inless from Stewart, at the head of Portland canal, has been bonded to New York parties for \$200,000. The group is owned by Frank P. Stewart, John Conway, H. W. Brightwell, and M. I. Stewart, who have held the property for five years W. Brightwell, and M. I. Stewart, who have held the property for five years. The surface showings are big, and the ore (galena and carbonates) carries values of \$40 to \$60 in silver and lead. The deal was put through by M. I. Stewart, one of the owners, and Edward Ellis of Seattle. A cash payment Under Construction for That Purpose

The R. M. S. Miowera, Capt. Hemming, reached port on Sunday from the Antipodes on her last trip, for on her return to Sydney she is to be replaced by the new liner Marama, a vessel of 6,500 tons, 420 feet long, which has just arrived in Australian waters from the yards of the buildings Caird & Co., of Greenock, which are Caird & Co., of Greenock, which steamer Camosun returned to Vanger being among her passengers. The steamer Camosun returned to Van-couver yesterday afternoon and will sail from there for the north on Fri-day. The Amur will sail from here on Friday at 1 p. m.

KILLED HIS STEPSON

Fiendish Crime of Rancher Near Prince Albert—Murder Charge Laid Against Him

Prince Albert Oct 29 -B Johnston Prince Albert, Oct. 29.—B. Johnston, the boy who was shot by his stepfather at his homestead not far from a Prince Albert, on Oct. 14, died in the hospital last night. G. R. Barrett, who fired the fatal shot, is held on the charge of murder. An inquest was opened before Coroner David. The prisoner was present in charge of the mounted police, but his wife, who witnessed the shooting, was too sick to attend.

attend.

The principal witness heard was Clem Thomson, a teamster, who was staying at a farm house three miles away from Barrett's on the night of the tragedy.

"I was sleeping in the kitchen," he was reached October 9. The steamer left the same day, after taking a heavy sugar shipment from lighters, and passed Wallis island next day. As Suva it was learned that the steamer Taviune, which connected with the Miowera from Auckland, was shaken by earthquake during the trip.

October 18 all down. I dressed and went down to Barrett's, half running and half walking, and when I got there I knocked at the door and walking on the floor by the stove, and Barrett was kneeling beside him, bathis shooting them all down.' I dressed Barrett was kneeling beside him, bath-ing his arm, from which blood was flowing from two wounds. I asked him October 13, at 9 a. m., there was a commotion for suddenly there appeared Neptune, and those who were crossing the line were initiated into the mysteries of Neptune's bath. Fanning and asked me to fetch the boy's mother I took prisoner's team and brought Mrs. Barrett back, but she refused to go into the house until I had secured the gun, saying she was afraid her husband would shoot her. After some persuasion Barrett gave me the gun, which was under the baby in the cradle, and Mrs. Barrett then went in and nursed the boy. I sent my own team to Prince Albert for the police and a doctor, and at 7 o'clock went on with Barrett's team, leaving neighbors named Graham and Yiggets at the

ROCK OYSTERS FOUND ON MORESBY ISLAND The proposal is to treat the cemetery in the manner in which old English graveyards are. The headstones will

Raised False Hopes in the Minds of New Arrivals on West Coast

re all landed here.

IREE STEAMERS BACK
FROM NORTHERN PORTS

IN number, number, number, number, number, land who has dredged the coasts of the various islands, declares that the true oyster is not found in the Queen Charlotte group and that the rock oyster so-called belonging to a different family is similar to those found along the coasts of Vancouver island and which have been found in abundant numbers on Salt Spring island. Provinical Geologist Robertson brought back a number of the shells of the mollusca from Moresby island on his return from his last trip to the

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Hon. A. Turgeon and H. Bourassa Make Appeals to Electors

St. Raphael de Bellechasse, Que, Oct. 28.—Before 1,100 people, who stood outside in the rain for three hours, Hon. Adelard Turgeon and Henri Bourassa presented their claims to the electors of Bellechasse today at the outset for what promises to be one of the most exciting and interesting fights in the political history of Canada.

Mr. Turgeon led off, and received a good bearing denvires the charges.

good hearing, denying the charges which have been made against him of wrongful doings in connection with the administration of the department of crown lands, and reiterating his approximates. announcement of yesterday that Mr. Bourassa must either retract or face Mr. Bourassa reiterated some of the

Mr. Bourassa reiterated some of the charges that he has made against the minister of lands, and received a somewhat interrupted hearing. Mr. Turgeon and Mr. Talbot, the representatives at Ottawa of the county, appealed to the people that he should get a hearing. Once he got fairly started after these interruptions, Mr. Bour-assa had no difficulty in holding his audience. Excitement is at fever heat.

Burglars in Quebec.

St. Therese, Que., Oct. 29.—Burglars last night broke into the grocery store of W. P. Brennan, and also paid a visit to the post office. They crack ed the safe at Brennan's, securing \$150, but got nothing at the post of-

Helps the Revenue. Oct. 29.-Herbert H. Asquith, in his budget speech on April 18, declared the government would require from all employers a full statement of the salary paid to every em-ployee. This statement at the time seemed comparatively unimportant, but up to the present has increased

the revenues from sources hitherto un-

ASKS GOVERNMENT TO INCREASE GRANT

touched by approximately \$50,000

Request That Province Double Amount for Quadra Street Cemetery

(From Wednesday's Daily) provincial government were waited upon yesterday by a delegation consisting of F. Davey, M. P. P., H. B. Thomson, M. P. P., and Ald. Meston, with regard to the proposed grant fo the rehabilitation of the Quadra street burial ground.

The deputation asked that the government contribution be raised from \$700 to \$1,000 on the understanding that the city and those interested add \$2,000 to that sum, and also that the cemetery be handed over to the city unprovisionally. It was pointed out that this is the oldest grave yard in the province, and

is therefore of historic interest, and should be placed in proper repair and made a beauty spot instead of an eyesore to the capital city of British Co-

be restored where possible, and the grass around the graves kept cut short.

Most Victorians will welcome the approuncement with pleasure. The cemetery is an historic spot. The first burial took place there in 1847, and the remains of many of the old pic and first citizens of Victoria were there

WAS STEERED BY HER PROPELLERS ONLY

Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse Completes Unique Trip Across Atlantic

Plymouth, Oct. 29 .- The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse from New York, Oct 22, for Bremen by way of Plymouth and Cherbourg arrived here at 9.30 this

to go to their midday meal, and Lidberg remained behind. Shortly after a shot was heard, and upon the men going back they found Lidberg lying dead with a gun beside him. It is apparently a case of suicide, as he was shot through the mouth. The coroner was at once notified and will investigate the circumstances. Erik Lidberg was about 35 years of age, and so far as known had no relatives in this country.

Russian Elections. St. Petersburg, Oct. 29.—The first set of the final election of members of the Third Russian parliament from St. Petersburg has been completed. The results of the later elections are conceded to be much more favorable to the Constitutional Democrats and other opposition parties but not enough er opposition parties, but not enough to alter fundamentally the conserva-

tive nature of the third parliament. For Indian Education Ottawa, Oct. 29.-Hon. S. H. Blake, and Rev. Dr. Sutherland, secretary of missions for the Methodist church in Canada waited upon Hon. F. Oliver to-day requesting on behalf of the religious bodies of the Dominion an inreased grant from the govern

ndian educational work in western Canada. Caught in a Shaft Ottawa, Oct. 29. Whirled a hundred

mes around the main shafting in the shop at the Caledonia foundry, New Edinburgh, crushed and squeezed in a fearful manner, was the way in which John A. McCallum, a moulder apprentice, received injuries which caused his death in the Protestant general hospital some hours afterwards.

COLOR LINE IN MONTREAL King Menelik's Aide-de-Camp Refused Admission by Two Hotels

Montreal, Oct. 29 .- "It is absolutely Montreal, Oct. 29.—"It is absolutely odious and scandalous that in a country imbued with the generous traditions of France, and which claims to be under English law, reputed to be so liberal, people can adopt principles so retrograde as those which are still prevalent among the upholders of slavery system in the southern state." prevalent among the upholders of slavery system in the southern states."
This was the indignant outburst made in one of the Montreal hotels by Commandant Benito Salvian, doctor of law of the faculty of Paris, and aidedecamp of His Majesty King Menelik of Abyssinia, on being informed at two hotels that he could not be admitted as a givest because he was mitted as a guest because he was a

Tragedy Among Indians. Maple Creek, Sask., Oct. 29.-Wm. Crayson represented the attorney-general today at the preliminary investigation held at Maple Creek before Inspector Davidson, of the R. N. W. M. P., into a fight tragedy there, in which an Indian named Sugar was charged with the murder of another Indian Shortless, On Sentember 28 charged with the murder of another Indian, Shortlegs. On September 26 there were races in Maple Creek, and a lot of Indians and half-breeds were in attendance. The day wound up with a dance in the Indian encampment, at which considerable whiskey was drunk. The deceased Indian was educated at the Qu' Appelle industrial school, and aspired to be a leader among his people, which was resented by some of them. During the fight in camp Shortlegs was struck by someone and his skull fractured, as a result of which he died some days later. After the investigation the accused was committed for trial at the next sitting of the supreme court at Maple

Grand Trunk Two Cent Case Ottawa, Oct. 29.-The supreme cour has reserved judgment in the penny a mile case of the G. T. R.

sitting of the supreme court at Maple

AMONG THE GERMANS

Editor Harden Acquitted Suit Brought by Gen. Von Moltke

Berlin, Oct. 29.—Maxmillien Harden, editor of Die Zukunft, was acquitted today in the suit brought against him today in the suit brought against him for defamation of character by Gen. Count Kuno Von Moltke, formerly military governor of Berlin. In addition, Gen. Von Moltke was condemned to bear the cost of the trial.

The greatest inferest was taken in the trial, which began Oct. 23. Counsel for Herr Harden charged that a court clique, of which Von Moltke was a member, was guilty of exercising wrong influences over Emperor William. The names of Prince Philip Zu Eulenburg, ex-German ambassador to

Eulenburg, ex-German ambassador to Vienna, and Lieut.-Gen. Wm. Von Hovienna, and Lieut.-Gen. Wm. von Ho-henau, one of the emperor's adjutants, were mentioned by Herr Harden as being members of the clique referred to as the "round table." and an army officer who had served in the guard corps at Potsdam testified to having taken part in orgies at the house of Major Count Lynar, which resulted in the dismissal from the service in disgrace of Count and Lieut.-Gen. Von

The story told by one of the work-

OVERSEAS MAIL

Many Cablegrams Between London and Tokio Regarding the Mails

THRONG OF CHINESE LEAVE

Nearly a Thousand on the Empress of China-Hon, Mr. Lemieux Sails

(From Wednesday's Daily) After many cablegrams had passed between the C.P.R. officials at Vancouver and London and between the N.Y.K. officials at Seattle and the office in Tokio, and between the post office inspectors of the imperial pos-tal offices, the Aki Maru, of the Nippon usen kaisha line, proceeded to Yokohama yesterday afternoon without the overseas mail. For three days negotiations have been going on re-garding the carriage of the mails, and, finally, yesterday morning it was de-finitely decided that the R.M.S. Em-press of China would carry them. The teamer was not delayed as a result of her sinking at her dock at Van-couver as was expected, and proceeded last night to the far east. The R.M.S. Empress of China when she sailed last night took a fair com-

plement of passengers including Hon Mr. Lemleux, postmaster general; Hon. Joseph Pope, under secretary of state, and party bound to Japan, with plenary powers secured from the imerial government to discuss the uestion of Japanese immigration to perial Canada. The Chinese passengers the Empress of China totalled 293 all, bound home to China in prepara-tion for the coming New Year holidays. In all nearly 1,500 Chinese will lear this week, including those on the Aki Maru, which sailed yesterday, and the steamer Titan, which sails tomorr The steamer Camosun, which reached port yesterday from the north, brought 100 Chinese booked to sail on the

engineer and third engineer at Vancouver, in consequence of the recent accident to the steamer. It seems that the condenser was being cleaned and a sea-cock was left open. The steamer was damaged far less than was ex-pected, and when she was raised a large force of men were placed at work staterooms, and replacing the damaged cargo. The steamer had about 2,500 tons of cargo.

The Aki Maru, which sailed yester-

day afternoon, preceding the white liner toward the Orient, carried among her saloon passengers Gen. Count Nishi Kwanjiro and the three daughters of Consul General T. B. Nosse, of Montreal, who are going to Japan for a vacation. The steamer's cargo cona vacation. The steamer's cargo con-sisted of about 5,000 tons of general reight, including machinery, flour, cotton, etc. Several locomotives were included in the cargo. On the steamer Ivo Maru, now due, which sails two weeks from yesterday, a large number of railway cars will be shipped. The steamer Iyo Maru is due from Hongkong via ports, after a long absence, having been used on the European route to replace the Awa Maru for some months. She has been replace ed by the steamer Riojun Maru. The steamer Suveric, of the Weir line, is also due.

Whitby, Ont., Oct. 29.—W. Leahy, brakeman on the G. T. R., was struck and killed by the second section of No. 4 this morning. He was switching his train at the junction when struck. He was unmarried, and about 21 years

Ottawa, Oct. 29.-Lfeut.-Col. J. the Ontario government, was invested this evening by Earl Grey with the in-signia of commander of the Victorian

Portage la Prairie, Oct. 29.—Two murder cases are the most important ones on the docket at the assizes. The first one, that of E. King, is somewhat peculiar. King is an Irishman who has been in this country a little over three years. He had been out for four days at a railway camp west of St. Lazard Man, where the alleged crime

was committed.

The story told by one of the workmen, who was working with the accused, is that a Galician named Lewale angered him by spitting on his boots. It is alleged that King then fired a shot which passed through the conclusions arrived at. He said Herr Harden was justified in what he had written, but that there was no evidence that Von Moltke had at any time acted upon abnormal inclinations or that he knew what took place at Major Count Lynar's villa, or of Lieut. Gen. Hohenhau's behavior.

Herr Harden when the verdict was announced, was cheered by the spectators present in court and by the large crowd waiting in the rain outside. Von Moltke heard the verdict with impassiveness.

The trial is already having considerable political offect. One hundred and forty Socialist newspapers are already for the considerable political offect. One hundred and forty Socialist newspapers are selected to strangling her husband wille he lay on the floor of the tepee in a drunken stupor. Whis-key was the cause of this crime, accused, is that a Galician named Lewale angered him by spitting with the accused, is that a Galician named Lewale angered him by spitting on his boots. It is alleged that King then fired a shot that Galician shead. It is also said that King fired a shot at another Galician and afterwards went to the camp, took luncheon and left for parts unknown. He was arrested, however, the next day by Constable Parker at Miniota. King received his preliminary hearing and was committed for trial at Brandon.

The other murder case is one in which considerable public sympathy has been aroused. No facts are with held by the accused, a squaw, charged with the murder of her husband. The preliminary hearing told the tale of why the crime was committed, and the prisoner confessed to strangling her husband while he lay on the floor of the tepee in a drunken stupor. Whis-

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