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THE PROSPECTS FOR TRADE

Ottawa, July 8.—The Governor-General has approved of an Order-in-Gouncil adding the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Orange River, the Transvaal and Southern Rhodesia to the list of British colenies entitled to the beneats of the British preferential tariff in Canada, dating from lat of July, instant. This is in return for the preference extended by the South Africa Customs Union Convention to Canada. On certain specified articles the South African preference amounts to 2‡ per cent.

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WARSHIPS BY REQUEST,

Britair's Action Taken at Request a Resals and Japan.

London, July S.—In the House of Commons yesterday, Fremier Balfour, replying to a question of Gibson Bowles (Conservative), said that the action of Grat Britain in sending warships to the Kommander Islands for the protection of the ssals was taken at the request of both Russia and Japan. No jurisdiction would be exercised over Japanese vessels, but the Japanese Government had requested that any raid should be reported to it, and the Government of Japan would deal therewith. There was no breach of neutrality in Great Britain's action, and no international questions could arise therefrom. Mr. Balfour, in the questioner that the Pribliof Islands did not belong te Russia. as stated in his question, but to the United States.

MILITIA AND THE STRIKE.

Question of Precedence and the Quality of the Rations at Sydney.

Sydney, N.S., July S.—The principal trouble at Sydney now is among the militia. Evidently some one blundered so seriously that the attention of the militia has been called to the scandal.

A rumor was circulated here verterday that there was trouble in the military camp. A destachment of the beat military camp. A destachment of the military camp. A destachment of the beat makes the military camp. A destachment of the beat makes. They were ordered in by the coloniel in command. Several other companies were ordered owthere of the Ralifax companies. They were given preferences over the Highlanders, which caused bad feeling. The Ralifax men are kicking at the rations. They say they are worse than the Canadians received in South Africa.

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London, July S.—(C.A.P.)—The Paris correspondent of The Daily

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To Bring "Canada" Back.

Montreal, Que. July S.—Captain Knowlton, Chief Officer Milne and ten men will leave this week for England to bring bank the Dominion Govarnment fishery protection steamer "Canada," which was recently launched at the Vickers-Maxim Shipyards at Barrow. England The steamer requires a crew of 60 men, and the sequired number will be made up in England simply to bring the vessel out. The permanent crew will be engaged on this side when the vessel returns Captain Knowlton has hitherto been in command of the Government steamer "Osprey". It is as yet unknown who will command the steamer "Canada" is set of the formal will command the steamer "Canada" is destined for to make final arrangements for the party. The "Canada" is destined for the party The "Canada" is destined for the party The "Canada" is destined for the party of the final representation of the Sakatchewan Wednesday afternoon lames Elliott, 18 years old, was carried off his feet by the awift current and drowned. These scaled to Death.

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MAN ELECTROCUTED

Percy Smith of Palmerston Put His Hand on Live Wire.

STAGGERED BACK AND DIED G.T.R. Meets Tragic Death in the Queen Street Subway, Toronto—Was Watching the Crowds on the Street When the Accident

arrived Smith was alive, but the doctor had acarcely finished a hurried examination when the unfortunate man expired.

The hody was taken to the undertaking establishment of A. M. Craig & Co., and an examination showed only one wound, on the right thumb. It was a slight burn, such as might have been caused by a match.

Smith had only been on the road as fireman for about a month, the had only been on the road as fireman for about a month of the first trip with Driver Best. the latter knew little about him He was about 24 years of age, and lived in Wiarton.

The remains will be conveyed to Wiarton as soon as the young man's relatives can be communicated with.

Faisl Railway Crossing.

Brockville, July 8.—George Miller, a G.T.R. trackman, living near Mallerytown, was struck and killed vesterday morning by the G.T.R. local passenger train from Belleville, which reaches here at 10 a m. He was driving across the years had been a first on a pile of rails, and died and their general was thrown some distance, alighting head first on a pile of rails, and died and their general properties of age, and leaves a widow and child.

There Northwest Drewnings.

Winnipeg, Man, July 8.—Bryce Urquhart, aged 7, while playing on a rait, fell off and was drowned in the Red River yesterday morning.

A. C. P. It sectionman named Thomson was enjoying a swim in the River at Plum Coulee when he was seized with cramps and was drowned. The body is being sent to St. John, N.B., the home of the decased.

Edmonton, N.W.T. July 8.—While bathing in the Saskatchwan Wed.

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FOREIGN MARKETS.

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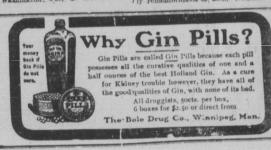
Washington, July 8.—The Japanese
Legation has received the following Mine in a Dense Fog.

Washington, July 8.—The Japanese Legation has received the following telegram from Tokio, dated yesterday: "Admiral Togo reports that on July 5 our gunboat Kalmon, while on a special mission in the waters outside of Talienwan, in a dense fog, atruck a Russian mine and sunk. Three officers, including Commander Takashi and mineteen petty officers and men are anissing. The rest worg saved."

church class, about twentyoung men and minited men are missing. The rest were saved."

At Kinchou's Gates.

Tatchekiao, July 8.—The Japaness awarmed over the mountain crests early yesterday morning and advanced on Kaichou. companies of Russian vanguard to fall hack. A whole brigade of Japaness. with masses of cavalry, followed and occupied the village of Nantay, driving out two companies of Russian infantry and two companies of Russian infantry a



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