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Arrives-New French Reidar Chartered For Coal.

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w that the Russian ships mranh Bay, while all Ja-French, and the Carlisle in a seas, risking capture se warships in those watche headed for Saigon, atter rests. The months and the Carlisle reafter month at Saigon le cargo of war munitions he was at Saigon in May when the last mail left out in China. Meanwhile murrage is piling up, but a cargo remains on board, we all the security neces-

VELT'S BIG STICK.

With Life Insurance, nsurance Commissioner rt to Governor Johnson, n Mr. O'Brien's return New York and Washing-

rom Victoria.—The Kel-its issue of Saturday last llowing: "Dr. J. W. Nel-a graduate of the North st a few days ago and permanently for the

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FORTY-FIFTH YEAR.

# Massacres

Ambassadors at Constantinople Decide That Demonstration

It is now definitely determined that

Formal Exchange of Ratification

# **Met Russians**

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No Sign That Mussulmans Contemplate Reprisals on Christians.

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"There was no excitement," said Grant in telling of the experience to a Colonist reporter. "Capt. Watanuki said, 'Boys, I guess we're done for The Japs didn't get excited. They just sat down on the rail and on the houses and watched the Bussian ships, one of which flew admiral Jessen's flag. The ships came up and circled round to our port quarter, and then we saw that the Rossia had the sealing schooner Koyo Maru, owned in Hakodate, in the Rossia had the sealers of her the day before and were towing the schooner. They had taken the sealers of her the day before and were towing the schooner. They ran out their guns when they circled to our quarter; but we weren't going to fight. Then the

Russians Lowered Three Boats

Took Place Vesterdey,

In the meantime the porte and the ambassadors continue their discussions, with some prospect that Turker will yield before the fleet acts. Turker is resisted to confidence that Turker is resisted and the officers gripping revolvers. But the part of defense. An official who passed the Dardanelles during the last few days at the Confidence that Turker is the discovered that the confidence that Turker is resisted and the officers gripping revolvers. But the part of the possibility of the possibility of an armed confidence that fleet is and Japan where were withdrawn to a renote point of the state deepart in the fleet possibility of an armed conditions that the negative response of the Porte would be reconsidered.

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carrying spare shells and all was being made ready for the expected battle. But mothing happened. The warships sneaked around to Vladivostok by the northern passage, and we were transferred.

Mytilon

To the Prison Ship Argun Were Captured While Hunting on Japanese Schooner Hokusel Maru.

Gromobol and Rossis With Strong Show of Arms Took Seal Hunters.

To the Prison Ship Argun
It was about midnight when we went on board her, and we were fatigued and famished. We found no place to sleep and nothing to eat, so, tired and hungry, we lay down on the hatch, despite the fact its tarpaulins were wet with recent rain, and went to sleep.

"In the morning an official came, and we white men were separated from the Japanese. We were 21 days on the Argun, and then were taken ashore and handed to the military authorities. None of them could speak English, but they made unpleasant signs. For instance, some went through the attitude of putting a rope about our necks, others as though they would slice our throats, cut off our ears or correctate some others such personnel.

and 500 Sallors Take the Customs House.

Instructions to Commanders
Constantinople, Nov. 27.—via Sofia.—
The instructions to the commanders of the international fleet were to land detachments and occupy Mytilene at one o'clock Sunday afternoon unless contrary orders reached them in the meantime. Presumably therefore, the capital of the island is in the hands of the allied forces. It was arranged in the interview between Tewfik Pasha, the minister of foreign affairs and the British and Austrian ambassadors on Saturday that if by eight o'clock Saturday night the ambassadors received a written notification from the foreign minister promising acceptance of the fleet at Mytilene to suspend further operations until Monday. No communication, however, was received so it is suggested that instructions staying the hands of the commanders of the international fleet have not been despatched.

Vienna, Nov. 27.—The Nene Frie Presse today published a despatch from Constantinople, saying that the Sultan through Tewfik Pasha, the foreign minister, has announced to Baron Von Colace, the ambassador of Austria-Hungary that Turkey accedes to the demands of the powers regarding the financial control of Macedonia.

SAY CLARK STOLE \$1,500,000.

Pittsburg, Nov. 27.—The defalcation of Cashier Clark of the Enterprise National bank of Allegheny, together with money that can not be accounted for, will be not less than \$1,500,000, so that the depositors of the bank can not hope to secure more than 25 per cent

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Watertown N. Y., Nov. 27.—Twentythree students of the St. Lawrence university left Canton, N. Y., having been
suspended from the faculty for participarting in disturbances. This practically wipes out the fraternity of the university nearly all the suspended students being members and the faculty
has ordered the club house closed. Many
of the students will be prevented from
graduating.

MRS. CASSIE CHADWICK. Celebrated Confidence Woman Wishes Case Re-opened.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Cassie I. Chadwick has expressed the desire to go on the witness stand again in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings against her, and today wrote a letter to Referes Remineton of the fed set a date for re-opening her case.

YOUNG FIELD DEAD. Only Son of Chicago's Merchant Prince Succumbs to Wounds.

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Chicago, Nov. 27.—Marshall Field, jr., died today at Mercy hospital. Mr. Field, who was the only son of Marshall Field, the multi-millionaire, of this city, was accidentally shot on the afternoon of Wednesday, November 22nd, while examining a new revolver which he had purchased.

MINE MEN KILLED.

Emporium, Pa., Nov. 27.—An explosion in the mixing house and in one of the packing houses at the Keystone Powder Works today destroyed the entire works, killed nine and several others were wounded.

The body of Wm. Sprung was the only one of the dead recovered. The loss of his head and one leg was blown off, Searchers are picking up the other bodies in small pieces, No damage was done in the town.

OTTAWA, Nov. 27.—Sir Wiffrid Laurier was the chief speaker at meeting tonight to protest against the atrocities perpetrated on the Mr. Dosola of Montreal said that within the past few weeks the Jewish quarters in different towns and villages in stussia had been wiped out of existence, and nearly 25,000 Jews had been massacred, over one hundred thousand had been maimed and wounded, and between two and three hundred thousand had been despoiled of all their possessions and brought to the verge of stary-ation.

Sir Vilfrid said the almost daily atrocities which had been taking place in Russia, and which had drenched with innocent blood the soil of that country and brought an indelible blot on the fair name of Russia. Such baptarities had taken place recently as to

### Thimble-Rigging Insurance Funds

Astonishing Revelation Made by Cashier of New York Life,

\$700,000 Worth of Securities Replaced by Temporary Check.

Rew York, Nov. 27.—One of the most interesting features of the life insurance investigation developed only a few minutes before adjournment of the Armstrong commission today, when Theodore F. Banta, cashier of the New York Life Insurance Company, testified about the beginning of 1901, Edmund D. Randolph, the treasurer of the company, opened the valits of the company, removed New York City stock valued at \$700,000 and put a check of the Central National Bank for \$700,000 in its place. Mr. Barta at the order of Mr. Randolph and that he supposed Mr. Randolph and that he supposed Mr. Randolph acted for the finance committee. The stock was kept turned and the check withdrawn. The transaction was not recorded on the books of the company so far as Mr. Banta

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**News Notes** 

Premier Addresses Meeting in Protest Against Russian

Barbarities, Insurance Inspector Presents Report in Order to Allay

Growing Unrest,

Hamilton's Representation at Toronto.

Make the Blood Run Cold AN ISLAND SINKING.

New York, Nov. 27.—The unusual phenomenon of an uninhabited island sinking into the sea with its buildings toppling over into the water was continued today on Barren island in Jamaica bay. The tide today carried another piece of land off the end of the Island and another building floated out toward the Atlantic ocean. Last Saturday, two buildings floated out and on Sunday about 2,000 square feet of land crumbled away before the tide. An immense new bulkhead is now being built with all possible speed to form a breakwater against the tide. Unusually high tide and the statured of the sunday are still speed to form a breakwater against the tide. Unusually high tide and the statured of the sunday and the statured a deaf ear to the appeals of his subjects for liberty and justice.

sown years ago. The Czar in former years had turned a deaf ear to the appeals of his subjects for liberty and justice. When the Czar refused reforms he invited revolution, and revolution has indeed come with all the horrors and atrocities inseparable from all revolutions. He was sure there would be a Generous Response to the Appeal for aid. All the Russi Jews could not be brought to this county, but whoever chooses to come to Canada was sure to find a hearty welcome. (Cheers.) Sir Wilfrid continued: We charfish the institutions under which we live; we appreciate perhaps more than ever those British institutions in which there are equal rights for all, and under which every man, no matter what his origin, or his creed, or his race, is sure to find an equal share of liberty, of justice, of equity, and of sunshine." (Loud cheers.)

Proceeding, he said he deserved no credit for being at the meeting. It was his duty as a citizen to be present, when as a Canadian, as a British subject, one must be proud to assert the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God. (Loud cheers.)

Several others spoke.

Halifax, Nov. 27.—Allan line mail steamer Sicilian, which reached here Saturday from Liverpool with twelve hundred tons of eargo, discharged here owing to a strike of dock laborers at St.