Englishmen—ships to San Under

Both Flags.

gram's London cable says:

THRESHING STARTS IN EARNEST NEXT WEEK

Crops in Springfield District the Largest on Record - Samples of Wheat Reach Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.-When the sun sets to-night fully 80 per cent. of the crop of Manitoba will have been cut. according to the reports received by the grain men and railway officials in Winginning of the threshing season in dead earnest. The weather continues bright and warm. Cecil Jaques, a farmer of Queen's Valley, Springfield, came to the city yesterday with his binder for repairs and extensions in certain parts. He says that he started cutting with it in a good state of repair, but the grain was so heavy and long that the ordinary build of the binder would not handle it without breaking in some part or other. He finally decided to bring it to Winnipeg so that it could have the necessary extensions made for the heavy grain, The sheaves, as a rule, he says, are over six feet in length. Mr. Jaques says that the crop in the Springfield district this is by far the largest they ever had. year is by far the largest they ever had. ceived the first sample of threshed grain yesterday. It was from Oak Lake and of excellent quality, grading No. 1 hard.

CHICAGO POLICE METHODS.

Reports of "Sweating" Have Caused Great Indignation in the City-Officials Defend Actions.

pursued in securing confessions from quently without the detailed proceedings try's alleged participation in the revolucaused a burst of indignation in this city The attention of the public was called to the barbaric practice of extorting evidence by the published reports of the "sweating" of the suspects in a recent sensational murder case here. From day to day reports of the pressure being put on the suspected criminals were publishauthorities to put a stop to methods pleti (Cases were cited where prisoners coal fields, to hight issued an order that had been treated in the most shameful the soldiers shoot any persons detected.) manner, beaten and starved, kept awake in throwing stones or other missles, and Shortly after Minister Corea's arrival in the glare of electric lights for days that if any mob resist the authority of in Nicaragua, where he went some the police clues. Opinions of prominent

paper, men who frequent the police headother sections of the coal regions are in calling Mr. Corea's attention to the the "third degree' in order to obtain confessions is the rule rather than the ception. Frightful stories are told of the excruciating agony endured by the August Returns Show Increase of \$320,police suspects who are strung up by the thumbsi kicked and clubbed until their confines of the cells in which they are beld. The central station is painted a venue of the Porninian for the month of veritable chamber of horrors, where tortune is regularly administered to miser
\$320.970 over the same time last year, sent a formal demand for an explanaable arretches who have no influence or The revenue for the two months of the

menthave passed into the "third degree" here erect and firm, only to be brought of Canada, is the name of the new computation in a complete state of colpany, pany incorporated in Canada. This is the page, trembling with terror and bleeding the company for which C. Spreckels, of New York, applied for incorporation, the beging friven insane by the atrocious

The police officials do not deny the severe methods and defend their actions mon the ground that it is necessary in dealing with hardened criminals. Con-feesings obtained in this manner are re-Much Timber Destroyed. gulgaly repudiated by the criminals on the ess stand, and they assert that they made them under torture and to escap further abuse.

ANOTHER CARDINAL. . Receive the Red Hat.

New York, Aug. 30 .- In view of the States the Pope has decided to create another American cardine. in order re-establish equilibrium in the Sacred College, says a special from Ro the World. It has been pointed out to him that whereas great Britain and Ireland with 6,000,000 Catholics have two representatives, and Australia with hardly 1,000,000 has a cardinal, 13,-000,000 of American Catholics have only one, Cardinal Gibbons. It is considered

THE COLONIAL CONFERENCE. Official Statement of What Was Accomplished.

At the conclusion of the sittings of the olonial Conference in London on August 12th, the following official statement as to its work was given out by the colonial

Imperial trade have formed the two chief subjects of deliberation at the Colonial Conference now brought to a conclusion.

The results of the conference have been satisfactory from an Imperial point of view. They include the adoption of esolutions regarding increased contributions from the colonies to the Imperial navy, in which Canada consents to take her part, and of a system of pre ferential tariffs between the colonies and the mother country. It must be understood, however, that the resolutions which have been passed are not in their present form binding upon the Imperial 29.—Advices of an official nature which nothing final has been decided by the

be contributed by each colony, A scheme was also considered for allotting a certain number of the local forces in the colonies for the purposes of Imperial defence in an emergency. While some of the colonies agreed to the proposal for Imperial reservists, others, such as Can-ada and Australia, contented themselves German steamer Polaria, which arrived with promising to keep their local forces here to-day from Venezuelan ports, last in a state of efficiency, relying on the Friday, August 22nd, reports that while

New Glasgow, N. S.; either Mr. Hackett of Mr. Lefurgy, of Prince Edward Island; and H. A. Powell, ex-M.P. for Westmoreland, N. B. Quebec will be tween each colony and the mother country. The extent of the preferential treatment will differ according to the circumstances in which an individual colony is placed, and the intention is to follow the policy adopted in the case of the Dominion of Canada. The conference adopted a resolution for a united contribution on the part of all the colonies to the memorial to Queen Victoria, and it was were in fear of another and more serithe part of all the colonies to the most and it was orial to Queen Victoria, and it was understood that in the monument to be understood that in the monument to be erected there should be some feature discretely crippled and many atrocities inctive of each contributing colony.

The results of the conference will be ubmitted by Mr. Chamberlain to the

other members of the cobinet as soon as

Gen. Gobin Determined to Put a Stop to Lawlessness Among Striking Coal Miners.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29.-Having exhausted every other means for preserv-ing the peace and in protecting the nonnion men from violence on their way which "were a disgrace to the dark ages to and from the mines, Brig. Gen. Gobin, and had no place among enlightened peo- in command of the troops now in the ister, had established an entente cordicoal fields, to-night issued an orderected, ale bet baynets and bullets.

Panther Creek has been in almost con-

From the statements of the news- toward the soldiers will now cease. The

CUSTOMS REVENUE

970 Over Same Month Last Year.

Ottawa, Aug. 30.-The customs retanding in society.

Specific instances are related where \$650.134 over the same time last year. The Federal Sugar Refining Company,

can do business all over Canada, CANNOT CHECK FLAMES.

Butte, Mont., Aug. 30 .- Reports re ceived here from Sheridan, Wyoming, say that the great forest fire in Crement county is still raging. Special Land Agent Camplin, who took a force of 150 Archbishop Ireland It Is Expected Will men out to fight the fire, has returned. He declares that the flames are of giganproportions, and his men could do towards checking their progress.

> FOUND DROWNED. Remains of a Strike Leader Taken From

Shallow Pool. Elmira N. Y., Aug. 29.—Caleb Jones, med 57 years, the leader of the recent week's strike at the plant of the Empire certain that Archbishop Ireland will get | Pridge Co., in this city was found drown the red hat. this city to-night. He disappeared from

KILLED OR WOUNDED

The questions of Imperial defence and VENEZUELAN TROOPS ROUI REVOLUTIONISTS frid has displayed such wisdom, as his

> Compelled to Retreat After Five Hours' Fighting-Trouble Brewing Between Colombia and Nicaragua.

and Colonial governments represented, have reached here from Caracas. Veneof the revolutionary army under Gen. conference. of the revolutionary army under Gen.
At the concluding sitting some increase Matos. The revolutionists were comin the Colonial subsides to the Imperial manded by Generals Zoilo and Vidal.

navy was agreed to after discussion, and

They made an attempt to occupy the navy was agreed to after discussion, and table was prepared by the admiralty town of Taguay, but after a fight of five forces are called the fours they abandoned the field to the government forces. Two hundred of the

in a state of emergency, relying on the willingness of the people to assist the Imperial government in an emergency as they did in the case of the South African they did in the case of the South African town, where they were met by a thousand the control of the south African town, where they were met by a thousand the control of the south African town, where they were met by a thousand the south African town, where they were met by a thousand the south African town, where they were met by a thousand the south African town, where they were met by a thousand the south African town. The contribution of Cape Colony to Values: resterday. It was from Oak Lake and of excellent quality, grading No. 1 hard. The samples came from the farm of Robert Muir.

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The contribution of Cabe Colony to the farm of Several at £35,000 per annum. and Natal's contribution is fixed at £35,000. A recommendation was adopted that greater facilities should be given to the colonies for the nomination of cadets to both services of the Imperial forces.

As regards the trade of the Empire, and the lives of her crew being in danger, Capt. Hoff, her commander, communicated with Gen. Velutini and asked for protection. The general replied that the Polaria must clear out, as he had no right to be there. Her captain refused in the disorderly retreat of the rebels, several of the latter being killed or wounded. Bullets repeatedly struck the steamer, and the lives of her crew being in danger, Capt. Hoff, her commander, communicated with Gen. Velutini and asked for protection. The general replied that the policy was generally agreed on, without entering into detail, of establishing in the colonies preferential tariffs on British products—that is to say, be

Explanation Wanted. Washington, Aug. 29.—Colombia will Chicago, Aug. 27.—The police methods of the country and it is proposed to publish them subserplanation in regard to the latter country. and back up her demand with the most formidable land and naval forces she can muster as soon as the present rebel activity on the Isthmus has been crushed. Information to this effect was received from authoritative source in Washing-

> The above intelligence causes considerable surprise in diplomatic circles, for that Mr. Concha, the Colombian minisale between their respective govern-

that if any mod resist the attention in Nicaragua, where the troops that they shall freely use their weeks ago on a leave of absence, the baynets and bullets.

Colombian minister here, it is stated, the troops that they are the troops that the troops that they are the troops the troops that they are the troops names the methods as outlawry and the received of savages. Several judges declared that they would not consider for clared that they would not consider for a moment a confession secured in this manner. Prominent men generally in Chicago expressed their horror at the revelation.

Stationed there have had a difficult the rebels on the Isthmus were being shipped from Corinto. The Colombian legation here had been receiving reports of this character continually, and in view velation. Nicaraguan minister before he left

> laya would immediately institute an investigation to ascertain if the reports were well founded. A short time ago, however, more reports were received in Washington to the effect that Nicaragua still continued her material support of the revolutionists on the Isthmus, and Colombia, now, it is stated, finds her sent a formal demand for an explana

Meanwhile it is understood, the en tente cordiale has only a nominal existence. It is not anticipated that the affair will lead to an actual war with Nicaragua, but nevertheless Colombia is making preparations to back up her representations with a reinforced army and navy. It develops that the purchase of the well-armed war vessel at Seattle as as several purchases of warships for the Colombian navy, have Nicaragua rather than the present troubles on th Isthmus in view.

WILL BE ARRESTED. Yale Student Whose Automobile Killed

D. T. Munroe Held Criminally New York, Aug. 30.—Harry W. Dupuy, a wealthy Yale student, whose automobile recently ran over and killed D. Thorpe Munroe, has been declared The fire has already burned over a ter-by the official report of the coroner to ritory of forty miles. As a result of the be criminally responsible, says a New ritory of forty miles. As a result of the be criminally responsible, says a New fire Camplin says the fire timber tract of Haven dispatch to the Press. Dapuy's arrest will follow, it is said, as soon as the accused man can be reached in his

Pittsburg home. The formal finding of Coroner Mix was to the effect that Dupuy was violating the speed regulations and rules of the road at the time of the fatality. driving his machine in an "Unobservant careless, reckless and unlawful manner."

MURDERED HER CHILDREN.

FRENCH-CANADIAN LINE. GARRISON SPORTS TO Proposed Syndicate of Frenchmen and

Toronto, Aug. 30.—The Evening Tele- Splendid Programme of Events Drawn Up-Band Will Be in Attendance "The Daily News says to-day: 'Laurier's tour through France is a somewhat -List of Races. hazardous enterprise from the point of view of Canadian politics, yet Sir Wil-

"It is thought here that more stringent regulations regarding the permitting of European immigrants to land in Canada able afternoon, including a large variety of Mrs. Fair, who will have in their own should be made, as many immigrants, of races, all of which should be well conmiserable and physically weak, have tested. There are many splendid athletes. In addition to this amount there is during the past month shipped to Can- at Work Point, and in the navy, and still a considerable sum represented in "Telegraphing to the Standard from Paris, its correspondent says the proposal regarding the French-Canadian line, is that a syndicate of Frenchmen line, is the line of Frenchmen line, is the line of Frenchmen line of Frenchmen line, is the line of Frenchmen line and Colonial governments represented by the but are destined to be submitted by the ministers concerned to the various legisministers concerned to the various legisfight occurred yesterday between gov
Thomas, R. G. A.; Co. Sergt.-Major Jefwould sail respectively under the British

Thomas, R. G. A.; Co. Sergt.-Major Jefnew contract with the Great would sail respectively under the British and French flags, the British steamers would sail respectively under the British and French figgs, the British steamers to get the Canadian subsidy and the Corpl. Baker, R. E.; Sergt. Wood, R. G. A.; Corpl. Jones, R. E.; Fairs as stated by Chas. J. Smith and Abraham Nelson, brother of Mrs. Chas. In any event which France accords her shipping. A prominent Liverpool firm, it is stated, Gurdon R A. Cant Black A S C. prepared to take up the British part and Capt. Bowdler, R. E.; starters, Gurdon, R. A.; Capt. Black, A. S. C., Lieut, Elliott, R. E., and Lieut, Sladen, R. G. A. Col, Grant will be referee. The Fifth Regiment band will be in

> Highwayman, Spokane, Aug. 28.-Chief, of Police Reddy was a passenger on a street car that was held up to-night by an audacious highwayman. The car, on the Astor street line, had stopped for a railroad crossing when a masked robber with a revolver in each hand, stepped aboard and compelled the conductor to give up his cash. Then, brandishing his long Areas gnn, he commanded the passengers to contribute. Chief Reddy was unarmed, and said he was powerless. Twenty car in the same neighborhood was halled by a masked robber, but the motorman threw on the full current and the car ran ed)-1st, \$5. threw on the full current and the car ran by the thigf. There were twenty-one passengers aboard, and to avoid possible bullets, all went to the floor.
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> 12. Quarter Mile Flat Bace (open to Royal Navy, Army and Militia)—1st, \$4; 2nd, \$4; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$1. Haif Mile Flat—1st, \$4; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$1. 14. Three-Legged Race (100 yards)—1st \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1

SKAGWAY-JUNEAU CABLE. Report That It Is Again in Working Order.

Seattle, Aug. 30.-News has been re ceived, via the steamer Cottage City, that the cable between Skagway and Juneau is again in working order Sergeant Bruck opened the cable for commercial dispatches on August 15th. trouble in the past, but it is said to be giving good service now, and little trou-ble is anticipated in the future. This does not have reference to the occasional lapses in service occurring on all cables

WILL TRANSFER CREW.

Decision Regarding Chinese Brought Over for the Steamer Korea, Now at San Francisco.

has been received here that Acting United States Attorney-General Harry

ing at the station and the other crashed into it, elescoping two carriages. Most escoping two carriages. Most The latter replied that President Ze of the injured sustained fractured limbs.

Bridgion, N. J., Aug. 28.—Search in the ruins of the barn of John S. Holmes which was burned last night revealed he charred body of Holmes and his housekeeper, Miss Katherine Shute. It believed they went in the structure to save the horses and perished in the attempt. The neighb cecded in saving the dwelling but did not know until to-day of the tragedy, as the occupants were belived to be away from prominent in the community, and Miss

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

The Western Union Telegraph Com pany has definitely decided that it will in Chicago, employ no more boys as messengers. The boys have struck three times within the last month. Girls wil be used to carry messages in the busi ness and residential districts.

A great disaster is reported from the

native state of Nepaul, India. The riv ers Baghmati and Vishnumati overflow ed their banks and caused serious land dides in the Khurmandu valley. The cities of Rhatagaon and Patna greatly damaged and several hundred persons were killed At a meeting of the council of the South Wales Miners' Federation yester-

day, it was decided to forward \$5.000 to aid the striking miners of the United

MINING IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Aug. 28.-The annual repo of the Ontario bureau of mines show that during 1901 the production of min Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 28.—Mrs. erals in the province reached a total TWO WYEARS ABED.—"For eight years I suffered as no one ever did with rheumatism; for two years I lay in bed; could not so much as feed myself. A friend recommended, South American Rheumatic Cure.

After three doses I could sit up. To-day I am as groung as ever I was." Mrs. John Cook. 25f Chiton street, Thiento. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—2.

This city to-night. He disappeared from Reese Wagoner, wife of a citizen of North Little Rock, and her two chillages workers' union, and North Little Rock, and her two

The annual garrison sports of the recent speeches have clearly shown, that Royal Artillery and Royal Engineers at sister-in-law to Mrs. Nelson. This money of Lille without offending Mr. Cham- Work Point will be held on Wednesday was deposited in the First National afternoon next, commencing at 1 o'clock. The list of events insures a very enjoysome records are in danger. The com-mittee in charge consists of the following:

Fair, the value of which cannot be deter-

Additional Events.

peters and Buglers Race (100 yards i blow retreat), handicap—1st, \$3;

g Bucket—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1. Tournament—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd,

POLICE CHIEF ROBBED. 712 Was on Spokane Street Car Held Up by attendance during the afternoon The programme of events follows:

1. Putting the Shot (wiffbut a follow)—st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.
2. Long Jump—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.
3. Throwing the Oricket Ball—1st, \$2; nd, \$1.5; 3rd, \$1.
4. High Jump—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.
5. One Hundred Yards Flat Race—1st, 3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1. 5. One Hundred Yards Flat Race—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

6. Bicycle Race (1 mile)—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

7. Tug-of-War (open to Royal Navy, 2nd, \$10.

8. Potato Race—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

9. Old Soldler's Race (150 yards flat), one yard start for every year over 12—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

10. Rank and File, N. C. O.'s Race (150 yards flat)—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

11. Children's Race (girls and boys dividated)—1st, \$5.

14. Three-Legged Race (100 yards)—1st \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

15. Warrant Officers, Staff Sergeants and Sergeants' Race (150 yards flat), one yard start for every year over 27 years of age—1st, \$4; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$2.

16. Officers Race.

17. One Mile Flat (open to Royal Navy, Army and Militia)—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$2.

18. Boot Race—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

19. Wheelbarrow—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1.

20. Band Race with Instruments—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2.

2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1. 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1. 21. Obstacle Race—1st, \$5; 2nd, \$3; 3rd, \$2. Consolation Race (150 yards flat for The cable has given a great deal of competitors who have not won a race—1st, \$3; 2nd, \$2; 3rd, \$1; ...

The following rules will govern the d. No competitor will be permitted to take more than three first prizes (open events not included). As a control of the contro

San Francisco, Aug. 30.-Information

BURNED TO DEATH.

sonally or in writing to Sergt. Major Thomas, R. G. A., and Sergt. Major Jefferles, R. E., Nos. 1 of sub-divisions and section sergeants. Post entries allowed. Remains of Farmer and His House keeper Found in Ruins of Barn.

"I wrote to Doctor

Pierce, who sent me a very kind letter and advised me." Thousands of weak and sick women

12. The committee may make any altera-tion in the programme that they think

lecessary.

13. All entries are to be made either per

can trace the beginning of a new life of perfect health to that letter written to Dr. Pierce.
Sick and ailing women are invited to consult Dr. Pierce, by letter, free. All correspondence held as strictly private

and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures weak and aching backs, headaches, nervousness and other womanly ailments by curing the womanly diseases which cause them.

them.

"In the spring of 1000 I became very ill," writes Mrs. Alviena Scholtz, of Lake Washington, Lesueur Co., Minn., "my back was very weak and ached so that I could do no work at all, so I was obliged to take to my bed. I felt a constant desire to urinate and the pains in abdomen were almost unbearable. I wrote to Dr. Pierce, who sent me a very kind letter, and advised me to take his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took six bottles of each and am a well woman now. I cannot say enough in favor of Dr. Pierce's medicines."

"Exercite Prescription" makes weak

"Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which works wonders for weak women. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the most desirable laxative for delicate

ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

BE HELD NEXT WEEK Heirs of the Late Mrs. Charles Fair Received This Amount Under New Agreement. San Francisco, Aug. 29.-By the terms

of the agreement made between the heirs of the late Mrs. Charles L. Fair and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs and Mrs. W. K. the 7,000-ton mark, but with the Vauderbilt, jr., the former are given more than \$1,000,000. Of this sum \$300,commencing to-day a new 000 in gold coin has been paid by Hertham this to the end of the year at man Uelrichs on behalf of his wife and weekly shipments will not be weekly shipments will not be les 8,000 tons at the lowest estimate, something altogether unforeseen Bank, where it now stands in the name pens. of Mrs. Nelson. Within a month the of Mrs. Nelson. Within a month the balance will be handed over to the heirs the Le Roi No. 2 never falls below 1 closer to 1 500 tons while the Eagle and Centre Star easily

tons daily the figures will be substa

LAND SETTLEMENT

Meeting of Special Committees of Board the camp's record safely over the 200 of Trade and Voters' League.

ton mark, and the next four mo will assuredly see this increased 150,000 tons or more. The impre-The special committees appointed by the board of trade and the Voters' ment in conditions locally is a League met at the city hall last night very marked as the result of t and discussed the best method of secur- sumption of shipments ing the settlement of the arable lands of Eagle and Centre Star and the

he province.

A. I. Belyea was voted to the chair, forces of both mines at an early A. L. Belyea was voted to the chair, and those present were C. H. Lugrin, C. In respect to the Le Roi mine, F. Todd, F. W. Best, Jos. Peirson, W. Laughton and A. J. Morley.

About two hours were occupied in the discussion of the important subject before the meeting, and the following reproductive force in large measure upon the expectation of the following reproductive force of both mines at an early forces of both mines at an early force of both mines at an early f

solution was put and carried, after which with which the railroad people put the proceedings terminated: effect their amended tariff for col

That this league respectfully requests the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to have an examination made of those districts on Vancouver Island and adjacent Islands that have arable land which can be immediately utilized for settlement—that on the receipt of the report showing any considerable tract of land fit for agriculture, that he will cause portions of such tracts to be surveyed for settlement, and that the lands so laid out shall be duly advertised in such countries as will be most likely to furnish a desirable class of settlers who will take up land for agricultural purposes. tural purposes.
Further resolved that this committee be the a delegation to present this resolution to order for the Northport smelter, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to discuss the same.

MONTH'S RETURNS.

Both Police and Firemen Have Light Records—\$10 Loss by Fires. dump; this is the material which netting the Le Roi Company a n

Both police and firemen have had a comparatively light month so far. The former have dealt with fifty-five cases, while the total loss from fires was \$10. The charges in the police record book include the ugly one of murder, but the case was never tried, Mrs. Fleming having been conveyed to the provincial asylum yesterday morning. The total returns are as follows: Drunkenness, 29: infraction of the bicycle by-law, 5; assault, 3; stealing, 3; possession of intoxicants, 3; infraction of the wash house by-law, 3; supplying intoxicants ments from the Silver King mine, the Velvet people have now closed sion of intoxicants, 3; infraction of the wash house by-law, 3; supplying intoxicants to Indians, 1; vagrancy, 1; infraction of the manuage, 1; infraction of the large prevention by-law, 1; using insultations. The higher grade ore only by-law, 1; murder, 1; breaking and the conduct of the mines being shipped, the balance of the reserved for the mines being shipped.

has been received here than United States Attorney-General Harry Hoyt has sent to the treasury department a decision holding that the Chinese crew of the steamship City of Pekin, but afterwards transferred at Kobe, Japan, to the Oriental & Occidental Steam of the Oriental & Occidental Steam of the Pacific mail steamship Korea in this porf. This will be done, and the korea will sali on her first trip to the Orient to-day.

Twenty-Three Persons Injured in a Railway Accident at talasgow.

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BATHING FATALITY.

Four Young Women Drowned in a Lake Near Pawling, New York,

Near Pawling, New York,

Newburgh, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Four young women, Anna and Susan Beach, of Danbury, Conn., and Stella and Martha Duncan, of Pawling, Duchess County, were drowned in Lake Pearce, two miles from Pawling, to-day. The Beach sisters were visiting the Duncan girls, who were daughters of Mr. George Duncan, a life-long resident of Pawling. The girls went rowing together on the lake this afternoon, and decided to go in bathing. They rowed to the shore, where they prepared for their bath. Supposing that the shore sloped down gentify they joined hands and walked out into the water. In a moment they were beyond their depth. They screamed for help, but before rescuers could get to them from the other side of the lake they were drowned. Their bodies were recovered within an hour.

ed within an hour. RAILWAYS IN STATES.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The interstate commerce commission has issued a summary of the report on statistics on railways in the United States covering the year ending June 30th, 1991. The number of railroads in the hands of receivers on that date was forty-five, a net decrease of seven as compared with the corresponding date of the year previous.

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Including tracks of all kinds the aggregate length of railway mileage, was 265,363 miles, an increase of 6,582 miles.

The number of persons in the employ of the railways of the United States on June 30th, 1901, was 1,071,169, or an average of 548 employees per hundred miles of line. As compared with June 30th, 1900, the number of employees increased 53,516.

The amount of railway capital outstanding was \$11,688,177,991. This amount on a mileage basis represents a capitalization

ROSSLAND CAMP.

The Le Roi mine has been ave

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Roi mine will then be inaugurated.

The Velvet is again on the shipping

list, and this time the operations will be continuous. Last winter when the

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the meantime the output of the

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profit of \$4 to \$5 per ton.

Miner's estimate of an output

is possible to arrive at the

Rocal+Reu Week's Ore Ship This Year Will Probably Be 350,000 Tons

The output of the Rossland camp f 9 (From Friday's Da Governor Ross is suffice to be driven out this The High school desks last. They have been me time, and their arriva stance of exceptional mon

-The four-masted scho om San Francisco for ssed up from sea last nig The members of the ian church choir, who en having holidays, will earsals this evening, and atinued every Friday he winter.

-Mrs. Fleming will be sen
Westminster asylum to-m.
ng. She will be taken ov Redgrave and will go

Beacon Hill yesterda from South Park school pla ly game of baseball. Te team defeated Walter Edu by a score of 9 runs to 8
was Mr. Coates.

_The steamer City of her regular run resume her regular run Gulf islands to-morrow, sai ion wharf at 8 a.m. H able day's outing at a non Saturday excursions cannot the pleasant sail through th ters combined with the scenery for which the route fording a delightful trip. makes numerous calls at the ands, including Crofton. the round trip is only 75 ce -Frances Graham, know

life as Mrs. William Brou Victorians will all remen charming contralto singer this city a few years ago, once more this summer in of contraits with the Tivoli pany. She has some of the in the operas to be given, an no doubt awaits her advent of the Victoria theatre. man, Annie Myers, Arthur and other first class artists company, and the reper "Toy Maker" and "The Se great Bostonian's opera) ord breaker. _____

(From Saturdav's On the recomendation tizambert, head of the Dom department, the inspection arriving here from the So liscontinued after Sunday. The infant son of I

at the family residence, I street. The funeral took Rev. H. J. Wood conduc--The funeral of the lat Hill took place yesterday aft the parlors of the B. C. Furnishing Co. at 3 o'clock.

F. Robertson, provincial n Victoria; Henry Croft, Victor

ton and Thos. A. Wood, I

Interior appounced that the News, the bright paper Deane edits, was about to st cation. The announcement

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-Annie Allan, an unfor

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-The current number of Mining Exchange is a well

and highly written review of mining. The editor devotes

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-The following abstract, se

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August: During the week

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the R. M. S. Empress of which is to arrive here on

next month bolongs to the Artillery at Hongkong.

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-Tater particulars

minster this evening.

by rushing into seve

services were conducted by S. Rowe, both at the parlor The following acted as pa Mansell, H. Hill, W. Lam -The following gentlem named as delegates to atter annual session of the Internating Congress at Butte next

loss \$10; Aug. 24, box 71, 4.20 p. m., grass fire, Burnside road; Aug. 25, telephone alarm, 6.30 p. m., grass fire, Beacon Hill; Aug. 27, belgated a m., grass fire, Beacon Hill; Aug. 27, belgated a m., grass fire, Rockland avenue; Aug. 27, telephone alarm, 3 p. m., grass fire, Wharf street; Aug. 28, box 8; 6 p. m., grass fire, Simcoe street. from the War Eagle, and Centre Star with the power now in service on the hill. Later when the conditions at the mine and smelter permit of the daily output being substantially increased the Shay engine will be placed on the Rossland-Smelter Junction run.

ENGLISH SHIPPING. Cunard Fleet May Be Bought to Form

Nucleus of Combine. London, Aug. 30.-The Daily Express says if the government increases the nail grant to the Cunard line, the Cunard fleet and its business will ought by an English syndicate headed Sir Christopher Furness, as ucleus of an English combine. Owing the decline in shipbuilding the South Durham Steel Company has decided to

close indefinitely the big ship plate works at Stockton-on-Tees. DIED.

YEOMANS-At Vancouver, on Aug. 28th, Mrs. Agnes Yeoman, aged 92 years. GONALD-At Vancouver, on Aug. 28th, Mrs. Agnes Yeomans, aged 92 years. SHORT—At Swan Lake, on Aug. 29th, Ethel May, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Short.

The funeral will take place from the resience, Swan Lake, Sunday, the 31st inst. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

M'CABE—In this city, on August 24th, Minnie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCabe. MATHISON—On the 25th inst., Ada, wife of, Robert Mathison.

The amount of railway capital outstanding was \$11,688,177,991. This amount on a mileage basis represents a capitalization of \$61,568 per mile of line.

The number of passengers carried was 607,288,182, showing an increase for the year of 30,412,891.

The number of tons of freight carried during the year was 1,089,226,440, a decrease of 12,453,798.

The gross earnings from the operation of railroads in the United States were \$1,588,526,637, being \$100,431,223 more than for the fiscal year 1900.

The operating expenses were \$1,030,397.
270, having increased in comparison with the year preceding \$68,968,759.

The total number of casualties to persons on account of railway accidents was 61,794; the number of persons killed having been \$4,455, and the number injured 535,539.

Of railway employees 2,647 were killed and 41,142 were injured.

ing, and went over to the museum, and shot himself while sitting on the versue t the rear of the building he contents of which will

eity from the Far East, test here for a short time. A resent plans, they will spend

Banff to-day.