VICTORIA TIMES, TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1910.



## RAILWAYS BLOCKED AND TRAINS DELAYED

# Relief Sent to Work Crew M.

rooned Without Food on Milwaukee Road

Seattle, Wash, Feb. 25. +Net a tra will pass over the west end of Missoula division of the Chicago, waukee & Pugot Sound: railwa lore late to-night x\* to-morrow, most the entire line iron Haugh to Avery is blocked with snow, a ance of sixty miles. Avalanche inue to thunder down the mou des to-day. Charles Nelson was struck b valanche near Adair, Mont., or Bitter Root division, and buried 300 feet of snow. A fewithours other slide at Adair killed two lamed Shoes and the wife of men;

Among the trains stalled in untains is the fast freight lo ith raw silk with which the aukee hoped to make a record ew York. Only one overland eached Seattle all day yesterday forth Coast Limited, on the rn Pacific, breaking through a blo ade after being stalled 26 hours rriving here at 10.30 p.m. The Northern Pacific line is all ar this morning, and the forthern will be before night, the rai and snow having stopped.

Work Crew Marooned. Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 25.-North acific laborers are hauling food o Pacific laborers are naming food of hand sleds to-day to a work crew of 150 men which with a big rotary sno plough is marconed on the Milwauke road, about a mile and a half west Keechelus. The crew is without pr

isicns. A large supply was sen aston this morning on the Nort acific and taken from there by sleigh. Passengers Held in Mountains. Everett, Wash., Feb. 25,-Rum eached here to-day of a slide on the reat Northern near Scenic last nigh a which a cook and a waiter lost t

ves. All the wires are down and th eport cannot be confirmed. A fresh slide, 200 feet long and 10 eet deep, west of Scenic, blockaded he tracks this morning. Last nights Oriental Limited, out of Seattle, got as far as Skikomish and returned to Ever ett during the night. This morning train also got to Skikomish, but is exected back this afternoon six trains with 500 passer

re still stalled in the mo ve plenty of provisions and fuel. VIOLATED CI. + ORDINANCE.

ndustrial Workers of World Wi Appeal to Higher Court.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 25.— "Guilty C. L. Filigno." "Not guilty as to lizabeth Gurley Flynn Jones." These were the verdicts returned la night by the jury in the Industria Workers of the World "conspiracy. 'iligno's case will be appealed imi

Filigno one of the I.W. W worker convicted of conspiracy to violate he anti-street-speaking ordinance. The nalty is one year in prison, a fine o 000 or both.

While the city and county officia ieve they have broken the back of he I. W. W. movement here by t viction of Filigno, stubborn lead the movement still outside the j ert that those of the leaders in . ave been persecuted by a prejud urt and biased juries. ; instead Filigno's conviction will not end t ee speech campaign in Spokane.

W. W. have been driven to adjac owns, and their hold upon Spok has been temporarily broken, but th clare that the fight is not lost.

## STRUGGLE BETWEEN RIVAL FEDERATIONS

### Report That Gompers Will Support Engineers Employed at Montana Mines

Butte, Mont., Feb. 25 .- The output mines is greater than at any the re the walkout of the engineers, t end. Mountain View, Pen ia and Clark properties being ac to other mines in operation engineers in charge of the hoi he situation is taking on, the nce of a gigantic struggle the American Federation of and the Western Eedera Matt Comerford." esident of the International ngineers' Union; has arrived ooklyn, where he was in confer ith Samuel Gompers, president of merican Federation of Labor, and ording to members of the engine on, following a secret, meeting nerford has come to Butte carrying ith him the support of the Fede n, and is prepared to order out ning crafts affiliated with the Fe

According to Comerford, the Am Federation of Labor, will not the miners to retain jurisdi er the engineers. Machin en, carpenters, blacksmiths, harponers and carmen are affil vith the American Federation.

AUTO REGULATIONS. Toronto, Feb. 25.-Valentine aber of the Legislature for orth, will introduce a bill use of country roads by au Saturdays, and also pr more strict regulations as to sp Mr. Stock, who is said to have king of a number of member ral constituencies, declares the nt regulations regarding, motor

cles are not stringent enough.

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**IMPROVE MAIN** A NEW CITY HALL SOON PRESENT BUILDING IS NEARLY OBSOLETE

Mayor Morley Drops Interest- Question of Street Improveing Hint at Meeting of the Streets Committee

To judge from a hint dropped by His Mayor Morley at Friday even- city should be taken in hand at once report from the building inmaking some alterations to the old fire hall on Pandora street, next to the shall have been effected will be used for the purposes of a store for the cor-poration and there the new store-keeper, shortly to be appointed, will be quartered. In suggesting that only a small sum be spent on fitting the permises up the mayor remarked the carmicbaal relative. Tate of \$2.25 per yard, and the Wars-wick Company a guarantee, on other than business streets, for ten years. Mr. Bryson was instructed to secure information from Provincial Assayer

new building."

## CANADA'S TRADE.

#### Shipments to West Continue Heavy-Railway Development Aids Trade.

New York, Feb. 25.-Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says: In the Dominion of Canada trade is sustained by favorable weather condi-tions, which facilitate the movement of atisfactorily reduced. In many parts f the Dominion the demand for commodities has been greatly aided by the extensive railroad developments, and the enormous amount of capital to be spended by three great railroad systems in the next year or so. Shipments to the West continue heavy and orders for fall delivery are coming in fairly well. Prices of staples are firm, and some manufacturers are finding difficulty in filling orders for diate shipment. Failures in Canada number 24 against 50 last week, 42 the preceding

week, and 31 last year.

### HALLEY'S COMET.

now visible through a fairly good tele-scope, even if it be not as large as that with which the term of the beer trust barons who were indicted yesterday and whom he will attempt to bring to this state for trial. ith which the Dominion observatory uipped. To the south of Mars and und. The average eyesight will be able to pick out that faint glow in the distant skies about April 5th.

#### DISTEMPER, NOT RABIES.

life study of dogs and their diseases, says the trouble at present affecting dogs in Ontario is not rabies, but disemper. All of these authorities declare that there is no need of muzzling dogs.

Winnipeg, Feb. 26 .- Customers and esterday presented A. E. Christie with handsome watch as a token of esem prior to his departure early next eek for Victoria. The watch was in-

# PLANTATION WAR

## sults in Dispatch of French Cruiser

ct foreign consulates and pastreets of the town of St where a great number of strikgathered ce at the disposal of Governor however, is inadequate to

natives have been killed and us clash is feared.

# **CITY ENGINEER TO REPORT TO COUNCIL**

TRUNK ROADS

ments Discussed at Last Evening's Meeting

That the main trunk roads of the

eting of the streets committee ity council, the ratepayers at a ity council, the ratepayers at a set far as the boundaries of the city, ry date, possibly before the ex-of the present year, may be pon triconsider the question of ction of a new city hall. Twice the proceedings the mayor let proceed with any further re-r alterations to the present taken up with the discussion of street r alterations to the present expressing the opinion that it ity near obsolete for the pur-or which it was erected, and e citizens would object to ex-any large sum on tinkering. ortunity for the mayor to convey int to the members was given fic, and also that the trouble heretoa report from the building in-or was presented. This official had asked to estimate the cost of Ald. Ross believed that other classes of pavement could be laid at half the

dice court rooms, and he submitted to figures-one calling for an expendi-will cost of wood blocks, which this year will cost about \$4 per square yard. ture of \$1,400 and another for \$600. On the advice of the mayor the expendi-ure of the latter sum was authorized. of the latter sum was authorized. pany, of Seattle, gives a five-year guarantee on asphalt pavement at a have been effected will be used rate of \$2.25 per yard, and the Wars-

I sum be spent on fitting the ises up the mayor remarked that premises up the mayor remarked that it would not do to spend much money in tinkering around the city hall, as "some of these days we will be con-sidering the question of the erection of the due of the second money in the second term of term of the second term of tion of road improvement on the sug-Again, when a report was received from G. H. Bryson, acting city en-gineer, asking for the sum of \$2,500 for alterations to the rooms used by the that consideration of this matter be boundaries, such as the outer wharf deferred, advising Mr. Bryson to put up with the present quarters, and re-marking that until a new city hall had been erected the various departments might expect to be cramped. son of the year. A further suggestion made by the

rayor, and adopted, was that the en-gineer be asked to make an estimate of the cost of putting down perma-nent crossings in all the residential districts On Ald. Humber pointing out that

the portion of Douglas street running. from Pembroke street to Hillside aveive retail trade, so that stocks of eavy winter merchandise have been tisfactorily reduced. In many need

# BEEF TRUST BARONS

### Effort to Be Made to Bring Indicted Men Before New Jersey Court

Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 26 .- Prosesteps looking toward the extradition of Ottawa, Feb. 26.—The Dominion as-ronomers say that Halley's comet is A hard fight is expected to develop over the attempt at extradition as it is north of Saturn, and a few degrees | believed that the beef trust officials the west of both, Halley's comet will will use every possible means of op-

They say, "every little county attorney in the whole country" might take it upon himself to summon them, if they accepted extradition in this case without a fight.

to fight if he found it necessary.

## COASTING ACCIDENT

## AT VANCOUVER

Run Over By a Bob

## Sleigh .

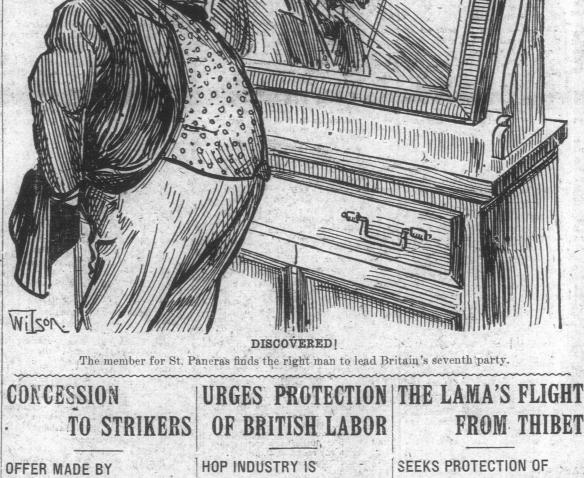
quent complaints have been made to was removed permanently. the police.

There was no special blame attaching to anyone, as the accident was practi-cally unavoidable under the circumnte-a-Pitre, Guadaloupe, Feb. 26. French cruiser Victor Hugo is stances. Bailey was dragging a sleigh way here to-day to take part in up the hill, and the others were coming a plantation war down, when the collision occurred. The from the striking\_of the sugar impact was considerable, and the young fellow was thrown off his feet, the left dy a detachment of French leg being fractured near the ankle. He from Martinique is on the was taken into the firehalf, where a and these have been distributed physician attended, and then removed him to his home on Nicola street.

#### COLD SNAP OVER.

Nelson, Feb. 24 .- The cold snap is

lake is frozen over in places and lake steamers are now running from Proctor elsewhere, no account is made of the with rafi service to and from Nelson. Indirect losses, which are incalculable.



PHILADELPHIA COMPANY

## Heavy Bail-Trouble at Steel Works

Union, was released to-day on heavy bail. The labor leader was arrested on bail. The labor leader was arrested on charge of inciting a riot following Of Sussex, urgen the protocolor incident of the flight of the Dalai British labor against negro labor emthe publication of an interview at-tributed to him in which trouble for the cific coast. Mr. Courthope said in the esting occurrence. The Lama left Authorities was threatened. Murphy, after his arrest, was quoted as declaring that a general strike of cent., the loss of capital was \$25,000,-mary 27th union men will uitimately occur. It was reported that he had stated that he had letters from 60,600 union men assuring him that a strike of all Phila-delphia's union men and women would meet with their approval. Jersey City, N. J., Feb. 26.—Prose-terminals under their approval. much he advocated a scheme whereby steps looking toward the extradition of indicted yesterday and whom he will attempt to bring to this state for frial. Letter to bring to this state for frial. Letter to bring to this state for frial. Letter to the state do for the temperature to the substitutes, which by use possible under the present govern-ment, he advocated a scheme whereby indicted yesterday and whom he will attempt to bring to this state for frial. Letter the state ment in an inter-portation of substitutes, which by use Letter the present govern-ment, he advocated a scheme whereby the same marketing restrictions as to portation of substitutes, which by use to be arge enough to ac-to be arge enough to ac-to make the time of the same marketing restrictions as to portation of substitutes, which by use to be arge enough to ac-to make the time of the set of the House yesterday afternoon and to could be connected with the Indian to could be connected with the Indian the interview, stated to-day ' that Murphy was quoted correctly.

Folice headquarters remained quiet ation of the first cars from the company's barns. The company made a slight conces-

sion to-day when it announced a willingness to re-engage the striking carmen as "new employees" should they return to work by next Tuesday. Constabulary on Duty.

Bethlehem, Pa., Feb. 26.-A detach ment of the state constabulary ar-rived here to-day for duty at the plant One Woman Seriously Injured of the Bethlehem Steel Company. onstabulary was called after the strikers had prevented workmen ntering the plant yesterday. The feeling of the strikers against th company is bitter and the arrival of the constabulary served to add fuel to neir hatred.

#### FATAL COLLISION.

#### Frain Crew Suspended as Result of Inquiry Into Accident.

Stockton, Cal., Feb. 26.-The entire an adjoining cottage, was badly cut by flying glass and a waitress in the Vancouver, Feb. 24.-A boy named train crew of train number 124, on the hotel was thrown into a fit by the Bailey had his leg broken on Nelson Southern Pacific, are out of employstreet when, as he was coming up the ment to-day as a result of the inquiry rade on the street, dragging a hand into the collision at French Camp on sleigh, he was struck by a bob-sleigh Wednesday afternoon in which Engi-full of young people, who were sliding neer Phipps was killed. the board rendered a verdict fixing the board rendered a verdict f

## EPIDEMIC OF TYPHOID.

Deaths at Swedish Naval Station. skrona, the second naval station of Sweden. Three hundred and fifty cases & MacDonald is also broken. and five deaths have been reported.

the victims.

#### LOSSES BY FLOODS.

however, is inadequate to y quell the strikers and re-pillaging in outlying districts zero, was on the East Arm. Kootenay

## SEEKS PROTECTION OF DISCUSSED IN COMMONS

Labor Leader is Released on Government Ready to Assist, Viscount Morley Says He Will But Will Not Impose Dutya

> London, Feb. 26.-In the House of London, Feb. 26.-Replying to a ques-Lloyd Courthope, Conservative and Lords yesterday, Viscount Morley, sec- reform of the Lords for future con-

preservatives, were displacing hops, Sir Edward Strachey, representative for several hours following the oper- of the board of agriculture in the Commons, said that the government, while ready to assist the hop industry, could not put a duty on imported hops.

### HOTEL WRECKED BY EXPLOSION

## at Moyie-Several Buildings Damaged

Nelson, Feb. 24.-An explosion Tues day night in the rear of the Kootenay hotel at Moyle wretked a large part of the building, damaged many neighboring structures and shook every house in the town, doing a variety damage. Mrs. Parkhill, who lives in hotel was smashed. <sup>1</sup>The explosion was probably due to an accident to the carbide gas plant used for generating light. Dr. Colf-ticeable absence of debutantes, but hotel was smashed. full of young people, who wave slope. down-hill on the snow-covered slope. Ever since the last snowfall the young beople in hundreds have been employ-which crashed into Phipps' train. The which crashed into Phipps' train. The sevent state of the prigade also rendered assistance. The damage to the hotel, which is owned by Messrs. McTavish and Cam-

eron, is considerable, particularly as extensive alterations and repairs had just been made. The cottage occupied r Three Hundred Cases and Five by Mr. and Mrs. Parkhill is much damaged and in the Moyie drug store Stockholm, Sweden, Feb. 26.-An epiemic of typhoid is raging in Karl-krona, the second naval station of Crockery in the store of MacEachern

Carpenters and other artisans con Many sailors from warships are among menced making repairs within an hour of the accident and electric lights were strung throughout the hotel in a couple of hours. The gas Paris, Feb. 26.—The official reports of a few weeks, as the improvements

former hotel proprietor and one of Nel-son's oldest and most respective citizens, died here last night after a long illness. He leaves a widow, a son and daughter. All reside here, STARTS FOR YUKON. Toronto, Feb. 26 .- Mrs. I.O. Stringer wife of Bishop Stringer, of Yukon, left last night to join her husband in the gold country. Mrs. Stringer came down

ment.

rom Yukon two years ago with the bishop. During excavations in the Piazza Fe rari, Genoa, a Greek tomb of the four entury B. C. has been discovered. Amon ects in the tomb was a magn cent vase of the time of Phidias.

Toronto dog and cat hospital, and other local authorities who have made a life study of dogs and their al ends of the Union Bank in Brandon Boy Sustains Broken Leg When

PRESENTATION TO BANKER.

scribed "Lest you forget a few of your old Brandon friends."

IN GUADALOUPE

# Killing of Several Natives Re-



MAY RESTRICT ACTION TO LIMITING VETO POWER

Premier Will Make Statement Sale Completed by Which Some on Monday Regarding Programme

London, Feb. 26 .- The supporters of the Asquith ministry to-day assume that the veto bill will be passed even pinted Liberal peers.

use of Lords.

Benn, in the bye-election in the St. Benn, in the bye-election in the St. George's division of the Tower Ham-lets, made necessary by his appoint-ment to the ministry. The league holds that until assured that the govern-ment intends to seek guarantees from ected to support any government can-

The premier will on Monday make a Henry Dalziel, one of the leaders of the evolting Radicals, will offer a hostile

ative organization and tarm trough-propaganda may be pursued through-ut the country to their ultimate ad-rantage. it will be a very easy matter to dredge to any depth. The late owners of the property, who

FROM THIBET

BRITISH GOVERNMENT

Be Invited to Visit

Calcutta

ruary 27th.

wounding several.

Morley said Lama would be invited to

ing's house until other arrangements

ould be made. He would be treated

Lord Morley concluded by saying

tween Great Britain and the Chinese

that communications were passing be

government in regard to the unexpect

FIRST COURT OF SEASON.

London, Feb. 26 .- The King and

Queen held the first court of the year

and official function, being attended

mourning and magnificent diamonds

NELSON PIONEER DEAD.

Nelson, Feb. 24-Joseph Sturger

vesterday. It was largely a dipl

lions of His Majesty's subjects.

abinet has abandoned all idea of re- ers will probably pull down the ing the veto power of the Lords. In this, the Telegraph says, the govern-It is thought that it was the pros

The Radical Chronicle partly con-

## **GOVERNMENT SYSTEM** OF TELEPHONES

Commissioners of Manitoba Report Successful Year-**Increased Revenue** 

Yathong and its effect was that he was showed that the government system proceeding to India to consult with the British government, to whom he enue increased from \$648,000 to \$788,444, would look for protection. But, said and this in face of reduced rates. The On his arrival at Darjeling, Lord have increased from 3,350 miles to 5,180 iles, so that now practically every by long distance lines. The increase in the number of farm-

with the courtesy and respect due a ers' telephones is most marked, and toruler of high spiritual authority and an object of veneration to many mil-with the system, while the commission are unable to keep pace with the demand.

> COWAN'S PARTISANSHIP WARMLY RESENTED

Municipal Delegates Hand Over Bridge Bill to Ralph Smith

Ottawa, Feb. 26.-An extraordinary MURDER AND SUICIDE incident occurred on Thursday in the railway committee. G. Cowan had charge of the bill on behalf of themunicipalities, authorizing the con-struction of a bridge and tunnel across Burrard Inlet. At the first meeting of the commit tee, a week ago, Mr. Cowan aroused the antagonism of the members by his bungling and partizanship to such an extent that the representatives of the municipalities refused to allow him to appear at the second meeting of the

Mr. Cowan did not go to the com and Ralph Smith took charge says: of the bill and put it through.

GRAND TRUNK DIRECTOR. London, Feb. 26 .- Sir W. H. White

has been appointed director of the Grand Trunk railway. FIRE AT MONTREAL.

analyze estimated at \$9,000 to the for protection and White followed her, opening fire as he stepped in the door. Shoe Supply Company, St. Paul street | He was sober at the time.

# IMPORTANT MOVE **ON WATERFRONT**

## CANADIAN NORTHERN MAY BE IN DEAL

## Valuable Lots Change Hands

That the Canadian Northern have secured a wharf in the inner harbor, at the foot of Johnson street, is the genif King Edward is compelled to swamp the House of Lords with newly ap-The cabinet's success through its al-liance with the Nationalists and Laa position to know. The wharf was sold borites depends on the immediate eon-sideration and passage of the veto bill, Simpson. The purchasers were clients Premier Asquith practically has the King's assurance that if the Lords balk at the curtailment of their prerogatives, sufficient Liberal peers shall be approved by him to carry out the programme of the ministry in the foot of the ministry in the ministr feet of wharf from Pemberton & Sons. The United Irish League has decided The price paid was in the neighborhood inte onlice risk hage unior lord of to support the new junior lord of the treasury, William Wedgewood perty, and \$30,000 for the other 50 feet.

ment intends to seek guarantees from it could be obtained from the agents the crown enabling it to pass the veto bill into law this year, and before the introduction of the budget and other legislation, the Irish cannot be ex-That the purchasers, however, intend to do important work in connection with the wharf and is a strong corporstatement of the government's plans regarding the House of Lords, and Sir hands in connection with the deal. If the Canadian Northern has made revolting Radicals, will offer a hostile motion asking the House of Commons to limit the cabinet's action to the abolition of the Lords' veto and to dis-approve all suggestions for the reform water at low water at present and when the piles were driven for the reis on their side, and that the Conser-vative organization and tariff reform forty feet into the mud, showing that

The address in reply to the King's by the way, made a handsome profit on the deal, rebuilt the wharf and over-The Daily Telegraph asserts that the hauled the buildings, and at present it is in excellent shape. The new ownforming the House of Lords and will buildings and erect a fine suite of of-flow direct its whole energies to limit-

ment will proceed by bill, not by reso-lution first and bill afterwards, as originally intended. This concession to the Beddies will not setting the Bedd the Radicals will not satisfy the Red-meighborhood are also being sought, it mondites, the paper thinks, because mondites, the paper thinks, because the part of the ministers have not yet decided to built across the harbor at the foot of put the veto question before the bud-get. The Radical Chronicle partly con-firms the foregoing by stating that the looking into the waterfront properties Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 26.—President John J. Murphy, of the Central Labor went over the outer dock with R. P Rithet, but it is understood that they onsidered the half million dollars which it is understood was asked for he property, too high. At any rate nothing has so far been done with it. A rumor has been abroad for several days that the outer dock was sold, but Mr. Lawson this morning stated that such was not the case. The dock, he said, was not on the market even, but if someone came along with the price, they would probably sell. It was Mr. Lawson's opinion that this property would just suit the Canadian Northern as the tendence to dev as the tendency to-day was to build larger vessels, and eventually the inner

> and railway connection would be secured in this way. Several other capitalists or groups would look for protection. But, said Lord Morley, the Lama gave no reason as to the cause of his flight, except that the people of Lhasa had been greatly oppressed by the Chinese who had fired on Thibetans, killing and fined on Thibetans, killing and this in face of reduced rates. The system since it two years ago, has been remarkable. To-day there are 25,400 subscribers, as had fired on Thibetans, killing and for the system since it two years ago, has been remarkable. To-day there are 25,400 subscribers, as had fired on Thibetans, killing and the Ball control. Long distance lines parently nothing but the value in cold cash will tempt Mr. Rithet. His point of view is that he has carried it for proceed to Calcutta and occupy Has- settled district in the province is served many years during which time it has not always been a paying property. Now that there is some prospect of making up for the lean years he is not going to sell unless he gets enough to pay him for all his outlay and a substantial profit besides.

Reserve property by a bascule bridge,

The above is sufficient indication that the great capitalists of the con-tinent are looking to Victoria for investments. The fact that Mackenzie & Mann, in conjunction with other capitalists, have recently paid a large sum, for an option on the Dunsmuir mines, and that they are proceeding to close the deal, is in itself sufficient evi-dence that there is a future for this Island, and Victoria its financial and commercial centre, greater than the most optimistic of their inhabitants dream.

# AT CIRCLE CITY

## F. White, Formerly of Dawson, Shoots Woman and Ends **Own Life**

Dawson, Y. T., Feb. 26 .- A special to the Dawson News from Circle City,

Frank White, formerly of Dawson shot and killed Mrs. H. A. Stade and then killed himself. Both, died instantly.

Mrs. Stade is the wife of the proprietor of the Jump Off road-house, twenty-two miles from Circle City They separated last fall and she came to town and started allaundry, No cause for the tragedy is known. Montreal, Feb. 26 .- Fire to-day did The woman ran to a neighbor's cabin