these to be 10 cents a bushel less to

Canada than in the United States. He

elieved Manifoba, Alberta and Sas-

katchewan provinces to be capable of

supplying enough wheat to feed the

cline of American prices to the Can-

adian level. The result would be, he

said, to lose all the advantages derived

Secretary Knox has supplied the sen

figures regarding imports into Canada

from the United States, with the pur

pose of strengthening the argument in

favor of adoption of the reciprocity

Home From the Friendly

Islands

orld, and predicted the immediate de-

LOCAL OPTION

ANNUAL MEETING HELD OF VICTORIA LEAGUE

Letters From Leading Clergy-

means that, while the use of strong beneficial. It was the object of the governor of the jail, and ordered that drinks is not in itself an evil, to ob- I ocal Option League in Victoria to seven political prisoners who were gave sixteen reasons why he opposed the citizens should have what they bead and body object of the seven political prisoners. drinks is not in itself an evil, to oblive in the use of stain wholly from the use of help bring about similar conditions them is much more commendable. Here, and he believed that within a were based on the contention of them is by word and example, an apostle of total obstinence from spirituous liquors. His successor, cardinal Vaughan, we are told in the local legislation in Cardinal Vaughan, we are told in the proposed of the citizens should have what they beared and body. Chilwesket was lodg-the bill. All were based on the contention the bill. All were based on the contentio life of him by Snead-Con, did not thre persisted in its refusal to grant later the plot was discovered and he at first take so strong a stand on the he people a Local Option law then was confined to jail for four months.

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ation, mocking the philanthropist and hundreds of thousands of pounds for refuges, shelters, and colonies, but if league. the religionist alike. You may spend you plant a drink-shop in the midst Rev. Dr. Spencer then addressed the of every forty families, refuges, shelt- meeting.

many generations to come.' too open and too free. It does not IV, Mr. Hardwick; Ward V, Fred conduce to sobriety, nor to the formation of a strong temperance sentiment in the rising generation, that intoxicants should be publicly exposed for sale in the windows of Question of Trade Privileges in Mongol shops and handed over the counter by the glassful in bar-rooms at almost every street corner. "The traffic in strong drink should be rigidly restricthands to effect so needful a reform.

Very sincerely yours, ALEX. MacDONALD. Bishop of Victoria.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, First Presby-

My Dear Mr. Stevenson, -- Thank you for the kind invitation to be present at the meeting in the Grand theatre on Sunday afternoop, I very much remany evils arising from the abuse of intoxicating liquors may be guided by God so that the end desired by all true Christian philanthropists may be achieved.

No doubt there is room for great

But no man who has the best in- delayed during the winter. terests of his fellow men at heart can close his eyes to the fact that the and half go on to Fairbanks and Idit- for trial, and he elected to take drink traffic as at present conducted arod. The steamer Dawson is expected speedy trial before the County Court is responsible for an amount of sin, here to-day with about the same numis responsible for an amount of the misery, wretchedness, squalor, and ber. Arrivals here say Iditarod is pracdegradation which is truly appalling. Every man, every body of men who tically out of meat, having had nothset themselves to work to remedy ex- ing but a little smoked meat, no beef, set themselves to work to remedy ex-isting conditions by striking at the cause deserve the help, assistance, and last month.

Yancouver, June 16.—The total and the carbon, or other fresh flesh during the by-laws have been carried here: \$750.— 000 for sewers, \$100,000 for Seymour J. Lockyear and F. K. McClean, sent

on your efforts. With kind regards, Yours very sincerel

The chairman said they were very ratified to hear those strong letters om gentlemen who represented pow He was pleased to say that the minis ters of every denomination in the city ure temperance reform. In addition these letters they had with then men who had taken a strong stand on that platform. Those testified by their presence that day that their hearts

ere in the work. There were Revs. E. Holling, J. B. Warnicker, W.

tilities, which would lead them to vote for temperance men who were in full

ers, and colonies will be needed for The officers of the League for the coming year are: President, Principal It seems to me these words find ap- J. M. Campbell; vice-president, W. J. plication even in our fair city of Victoria. It is true that conditions here treasurer, M. Beard, Gorge Rd. The cities of the old country, but it is also true that the sale of intoxicants is far too open and too free. It does not IV. Mr. Hardwick: Ward IV.

RUSSO-CHINESE RELATIONS.

Likely to Be Raised

St. Petersburg, June 14.—The transfer of China, to a European post, possibly a Lisbon, is contemplated. M. head of the Far Eastern department of the foreign office, may be appointed to the Peking post. A final decision will not be

ARRIVES AT DAWSON

trust that your efforts to lessen the Meat—Six Contagious Cases at the Northern City

Dawson, Y. T., June 14.—The first No doubt there is room for great through boat from White Horse this on him, and he became cult problem, and good men differ White Horse brought in 150 passengers intentionally shoot her, but the rifle

Half the passengers will stay here The magistrate committed the boy British Scientists on Their Way

INSANE BY FEAR REPORTED TO SENATE

Loses Reason While Serving Majority Report of Finance Broad Street Property Owners Nouse Information as to whether crim-Term Before Being De- Committee Which Considported to Russia

Right Reverend Bishop McDonaid who takes a deep interest in the was a noticeable reduction in local taxes.

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Revendend and Dear Sir,—The position of the Catholic church on this question has been briefly but comprehensively stated by Cardinal Manning in these words: "Temperance is better." This good, total abstinence is better." This means that, while the use of strong

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Pendleton, Ore., June 13.-Henry Pica was instantly killed and his son, Henry Picard, jr.: severely injured by a boil of lightning which struck the tent in which they were sleeping.

Committed for Trial at Vernon in the past from the protective tariff. -Prisoner Says Rifle Was ate finance committee with the latest

Vernon, June 13.—Living on what is agreement. They set forth a much larger trade in the commodities that

people should not be licensed, nor tolerated. Let the church rise in her might, and once and for all rid country of this—the mother of 90 per country of the crime and misery in our fair Canada.

Will be reached, and that small changes and a man named Galion had some dispute with their neighbors regarding a road passing through Galion's field. She claims that the boy and a ground passing through Galion's oats, when she warnanged fair Canada.

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THRA people should not be licensed, nor will be reached, and that small changes and a man named Gallon had some and seeds. Farm products show a unitraffic manager, and Darcy Tate, solisought to hold the debate long emough ed them off. The boy was carrying a previous year. Agricultural implements lighted with the progress of con-

brother off the road, to which he replied that he was in the regular gov ernment road, and there was no other way of crossing the property. She clouds OBSCURED then, according to his story, set a dog way of dealing with this most diffi- year arrived Sunday, when the steamer and excited. He did not, he claims and have differed as to methods of and 900 sacks of mail, which had been went off in some accidental way when she was a couple of steps away from

MONEY BY-LAWS

July 5.

ered It Non-Committal ing the Old Style

E. Holling, J. B. Warnicker, W. Nelson June 14.—Going completely out of his mind through the fear of deportation and the consequent import of the ministers and the churches Letters From Leading Clergy
men—Dr. Ernest Hall's Address—officers Elected
dress—Officers e

the lighting question has since been. The report dealt extensively with the surrounded would never have been prices of wheat on both sides of the in- created. ernational line. Mr. McCumber found

TRAIN SERVICE

From Prince Rupert to Kitselas Canyon

A passenger service will be inau reached before a month or six weeks. known as "Bluenose Mountain," near would be affected by reciprocity during gurated this week between Prince

stands for the opposing of evil and the helping on of the good. The Sosple cannot come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean. That which is an injury to the cannot come. That which is an injury to the cannot come. That which is an injury to the cannot come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean. That which is an injury to the cannot come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein is secured from ocean to come into fts own until protein into fts own u

woman's disposition, he fired at her at a distance of about 20 feet, the Canada's world trade also increased Hazelton before the end of the year. bullet passing through the upper during the year from \$655,081,000 to The inspection of the first 100-mile on Sunday afternoop, I very much regret that a previous engagement will prevent me from being with you. I need not say how very earnestly I ditard Practically Out of through an interpreter.

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The boy's story is to the effect, that the woman ordered him and his brother off the road to which he rethe river to the construction camps. as the steamboats will in future only run on the upper reaches of the Skeena above the canyon. Enormous quantities of freight are stored at Prince Rupert ready for shipment. They include supplies and farming ton and Bulkeley Valley districts.

fication over the successful adjust- instances the curiosity was blended ment of the tax rate difficulty at with indignation, as it was thought to Prince Rupert. His company, he said, be but one more instance of municipal would not wait for the enactment of misgovernment. egislation giving effect to the agreement, but would proceed at once with the carrying out of plans for terminal so far as it is levelled against the city. the Great Northern Railway Company improvements involving an expenditure of millions of dollars.

cause deserve the help, assistance, and sympathy of all other men desiring to achieve the same and, even if they do not see eye to eye regarding the best means of bringing this end about. I do not know the details of your proposed plan of campaign and therefore could not say to what extent I should find myself able to agree with should find myself able to agree with the straight find. Six cases of smallpox are in the you have in view. But was a series of the coast or Fairbanks, who may be a developed and the considerable output this side was not worth the same statistic than the condition of the category of "faulty construction" the was found a few days ago and therefore could not say to what extent I should find myself able to agree with the coast or Fairbanks, who was regarding methods, but what of that. I know the end you have in view.

There was so little work during the winter that many lived on straight in month at a time. However, they created in the considerable output this summer, if the pending negotiation of straight in proposed plan of campaign and therefore could not say to what extent I should find myself able to agree with the coast of the best creaks to the form the coast of the best creaks to the same station. Six cases of smallpox are in the straight in the coast of the best creaks to the form the category of "faulty construction" the was found a few days ago and there are proving the work which the summer that was found a few days ago and there are proving the work was found as fit comes under the category of "faulty construction" the work was found as fit comes under the category of "faulty construction" the work was found as fit on the coast of by the British government to the friendly island to observe the cellpse of the same station to observe the eclipse of the same of a sum of the work was found as fit of the category of "faulty construction" the work was found as the catego

DEMANDS PROSECUTION.

solution Introduced in U.S. House Calling For Action Against Officials of Tobacco Trust.

Washington, D. C., June 18.-Follow ng the refusal of Attorney-General Petition in Favor of Retain- Inal actions are being prepared against fficials of the American Tobacco Co. Representative Byrnes, of Tennesee, introduced a concurrent resolution directing Mr. Wickersham to proceed at onc As was anticipated in the Times of against these officers under the criminal

ILLEGAL REGISTRATION.

Seattle, Wash., June 13.-Alfred Co-

Worswick Company is Rem-

edying the Defect at Its

Own Expense

Many people have evinced not a lit-

was confined to jail for four months, better conditions, when we are securing the property owners interested be fur-Then his friends succeeded in smug-for farm larbor and for capital invested nished with a copy of the council's to break through its present limit of further information might be an orought face to face with the misery of a great city, he came to think of alcohol as the great evil. In a letter to the Manchester Guardian he wrote:

"The drink demon lies at the bottom in every effort at social regeneration," weeking the months and then worked for a measure, which will operate as a check of the council's force the Canada Temperance Act. He council's force the Canada Te passage around Cape Horn on a even deprive us of what we have gain-juggled with at the whim of any par-freighter. He came to Nelson from ed in the last few years in the upbuilding of property owners. As a matter of fact, had they done so in of completed numbering owners and will retuse to allow the city streets to be a return that it is a return the came to Nelson from even deprive us of what we have gain-juggled with at the whim of any particular bedy of property owners. As a matter of fact, had they done so in completed numbering owners then completed numbering owners the city streets to be a return the city streets to be a return that a return the city streets to be a return that a return the city streets to be a return that six as Senator McCumber predicted that by the first instance, when the Pandora this bill the country would again check a venue deputation caused them to relits agricultural development and senid vert from their decision in favor of the pandora. Two other members are to be a dozen.

Mayor Morley then entered the document of the custom and attempted to minimise the pandora. Two other members are to be a dozen. hundreds of thousands of the sons and continuing the present system, the bers are to be appointed later. The stating that it did not seem to be work daughters of farmers to crowd the burlesque circumstances with which tennis club was organized in the while to spend so much more

for more courts.

Passengers Will Be Carried

Rev. Dr. Campbell, First Presbyterian church, wrote as follows:

Dear Mr. Stevenson:—As I cannot
be at the meeting in the interest of
temperance on Sunday afternoon, let temperance on Sunday afternoon, let the conflicting seems to have taken of quarreling seems to have taken of Presbytery of Victoria, that the movement has the sympathy and support it is expected that China will raise the one of our people, for the Presbyterian church now, as she always did, stands for the opposing of evil and the ballies on of the opposing of evil and the ballies on either the sympathy and adopted the Bristow amendations of the opposing of evil and the ballies on either the sympathy and support it is expected that China will raise the terminus in the morning, and return direction. The train will leave the direction. The train will leave the direction. The train will leave the started on a products would be \$3.364, on American products would be \$3.364, on Ameri

lallot frauds.

It is hoped, however, that an agreement It appears that the Kowall woman creased trade is shown in cottonseed oil ager; J. E. Dalrymple, assistant freight charge of the reciprocity measure, citor. Mr. Hays expects to revisit the to report the bill but had not suc REPAIRING FAULTY

> mplements for settlers in the Hazeln and Bulkeley Valley districts.
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> being lifted up alongside the tracks of stone, and the ensuing explosion to the first the tramway company. In not a few ribly mangled the legs of his brother

that I know the end you have in view.

I believe that the accomplishment of that end would be of lasting benefit to mankind, and therefore I can most honestly assure you of my earnest sympathy and interest and pray for God's guidance and blessing to rest in God's guidance and gers from the coast or Fairbanks, who were being transferred. There will be ended."

Mrs. Upmore (making a call)—"Why, the side west of town and was partly in a beyone and mr. McClean walking a call)—"Why, this is your latest photograph, isn't it?

Dr. Lockyear and Mr. McClean walking a call)—"Why, this is your latest photograph, isn't it?

It's an excellent likeness of you, but it is the observatory there was no apparent to the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station of bility under stress of traffic and creations the observatory there. They will visit to the observatories on the way east and was drewned or whether he give the same station of the value of the fails of the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the same station that the rails did not have the sam

BURKING EXPENSE TO AVERT FIRE

> HYDRANTS WANTED FOR **EXHIBITION GROUNDS**

Water Commissioner Does Not

charged up to that department. This objection induced Aider Moresby to second the motion that waterworks provide the money

Alderman Langley attempted

value of the buildings in the ground Presbyterian church. It is essentially such a purpose. For the benefit of undenominational. Nets, etc, have been worship it was pointed out that ordered, and the Club's own courts buildings on the grounds had will be opened in about ten days. The thousands of dollars, and that it was fees are moderate and the limitation the city's duty to do something to of membership to thirty is only neces- the efficient protection of them from

sary until arrangements can be made fire. Alderman Moresby thought it w ridiculous for the council to burk th ecommendation of the fire chief this matter. What did they empl him for if it was not to diminish the possibility of fire as much as possible en, proprietor of a lodging house in the To sacrifice property valued at some first ward, was convicted yesterday of thing like \$40,000 in order to save \$2,promoting illegal registration of voters 500 did not look good business to him for the recall election last winter. Co- Alderman Langley reiterated his dehen's defence was that he was interest- sire for a delay in order to get further ed in getting out the full liberal vote. information on the subject, and as it To-day's conviction is the fourteenth was recognized that no harm could obtained in the prosecution of alleged overtake the project in the interim th

council agreed to lay the matter ove for a week. Another matter in which the These he always kept but could

find one from Mr. Pool. The council adopted the report and agreed to remit a copy of it to the Trades and Labor Council.

INJURED BY EXPLOSION.

North Vancouver, June 13.-Another accident was added to the series those which have already occurred as a result of the leaving of dangerous ex piosives in easily accessible places by the men engaged upon the sewer and street work. The other evening young Arthur Clemens of Fourth street east sustained painful injuries about the legs from the explosion of some dyna mite detonators left by the men pioyed in the work on Third street

Young Clemens and his brother we playing near the scene of the accide and spying a number of sticks of dyna mite, with the curiosity peculiar tle curiosity at finding the newly-laid children they investigated, finding al asphalt pavement on Cook street, be- so a small tin box containing dynamic tween Fairfield road and May street, caps. Not knowing the nature of the being lifted up alongside the tracks of the elder boy threw the box against

TAKES OVER RAILWAY.

Kaslo, June 13.-P. H. Walsh, late The explanation, however, is such as superintendent of the Kaslo & Slocan o remove all indignation, at least in railway, acting on instructions from The work was performed by the Wors- has handed over the Kaslo & Slocar wick company and on being operated and equipment to the local syndicate on afterwards by traffic it was found which has purchased and will operate

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BUCKINGHAM P CENTRE OF

Thousands Gath Members of Ro Will Attend C

London, June 19.-7 last night was anyth like. Enoromus crowd the streets, flocking of the city to see the buildings and street glimpse of the aftern parently almost the population of 7,000,000 eral hundred thousan another for hours abo and Westminster Square, Whitehall, Pa and Picadilly, and almost impassable fo cabs and from time entirely stopped. East ing classes formed t Everybody was in nen and girls singi Buckingham Palace ensign floats, was the tion all day. A constantly shift

lhowed one anothe Several times the cr funity to cheer who party drove in or stant arrival and royalty furnished While the majo guests will arrive enough lesser prin on view yesterday lation. The German Tann brought Crow William and the Ge cesses to Sheerness led up. The prince barked at an early

to London. Dowager Empress who will spend the with Queen Mother A ingham, arrived on The holiday-making strike the only note of day. Religious service Paul's in the mornin 100n at Westminster remarkable outdoor Batteresa park, and i special reference was eremony to take pla

Contingents rep Africa, Australia Jamaica and other c Paul's. The Canad General Cheylsmore two bands, marched Tork's school through enthusiastic spectate A heavy rain before e regarded as a cala work havoc among hangings and paper profusely everywhere. A score of King Ge guests accompanied eached London this r as many more from and states due to ar

will complete practic blage for foreign m lammond, special U bassador, and his sui ed in the latter arriv Dover by a special tr the day special after the different London als bringing in prince sadors and their suite of the globe: The streets presen

appearance with a co going of the royal car escorts conveying th ngham Palace and he private residence the entertainment o The night-long w decorators served to the streets in the cen Flags gave a gala ap the intermittent rains spoil. The decoration tions are on a scale tempted in England electric lighting the electric compan public notice that the upply the current ha and that they cannot

Prince Henry of the mong this morning's Duke of Connaught and of the royal family flitt station to meet car The public appears oronation fever. streets in such multiprogress anything shionable London

WILL INVEST Winnipeg, June 19 .orto, with a party of arrived Saturday intention is to

and. They left for th DELEGATES ENTI Fort William, Ont., J

livities of the Women's Il were transferred on Port Arthur here, wher essions will take place. by a garden party for the