Hon. A. B. Aylesworth Insists

MARINE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Lemieux to Succeed Mr.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Mr. Harry W. Cox, the Roentgen ray pioneer, paid the price of his investigations into the almost unknown science by a third operation for X-ray dermatitis this week. The dread X-ray dermatitis, which Mr. Cox, like Mr. Hall Edwards, contracted before the evil power of the ray was known, has already caused him years of intense pain. Despite the influence of high frequency currents, which he himself was instrumental in bringing into general use, and radium, the only known remedies for the disease, he had to lose first a finger of his left hand, and then, early this year, the three middle fingers of his right hand. The disease also attacked his chim.

measures, despite the Even these measures, despite the hopes of the doctors, did not finally arrest the disease, and a few days since, Dr. Pearce Gold amputated Mr. Cox's right arm above the elbow. The operation took place at Mr. Cox's house in Cricketfield road, Clapton. It was borne as well as could have been expected, but Mr. Cox's general condition.

The work which Mr. Cox is paying The work which Mr. Cox is paying so heavily for, came into especial notice during the South African war. When Mr. Cox installed the X-ray apparatus on the hospital ship Victoria, and gave a demonstration before the ship salled for the benefit of the present King and Queen. His apparatus, aided by a special invention of his own for finding the denth, as well as the location of imbedded bullets, was of wonderful to the surgeons. to the surgeons.

Mr. Cox was granted a special al-lowance of \$1,000 a year out of the lowance of \$1,000 a year out of the public funds early this year.

Opened for Settlement

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—Thirteen hundred homesteads were thrown open today for settlement by the Dominion lands office. A large number of these are adapted for mixed farming. They are situated between lakes Winnipeg and Manitoba, where a large number of settlers have already taken up land.

Weapon and bit it.

Beryl Jewell, the 7-year-old daughter of Frank Jewell, city auditor, was bitten at noon by a dog which has not been located. The father is taking her to the Pasteur institute at New York on the midnight train.

The Dennis wire and iron works here have turned out 6,000 muzzles in ten days and are busy on 3,000 more.

Mctor Post Offices

BERLIN, Feb. 13.—Twenty-five Motor-car post-offices are to be placed on the streets of Berlin in order to facilitate the distribution of letters and parcels. These cars will be electrically driven, and will convey the mails between the different post-offices of the capital. They are being built in such a way that during the passage from one post-office to another, officials can sort the letters as is done in rallway sorting vans. Three experimental cars have been used for eighteen months, and have proved a great success. The new system will begin on January 1, and more motor post-offices will be ordered later.

Record Hallbut Catch

TACOMA, Feb. 14.—The fishing steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to steamer Zapora, operated by the International Fisheries Company, came in from the fishing banks with a record training to 240,000 pounds, valued at \$24,000 at present market prices.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 16.—The Lack-awans Steel Co., of Lackawanna, to-day formally certified to the secretary of state that it has increased its capital stock from \$60,000,000 to \$70,000,000, present market prices. Meter Post Offices

UNIFORMITY IN MAPS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Delegates from he leading governments of the world ave assembled at the Foreign Office or the purpose of discussing the fea-ibility of preparing a map of the vorld on a scale of about sixteen sta-ute miles to the scale of

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The proposal dates from the International Geographical Congress, in Berne, in 1891, when a committee was appointed for the purpose of promoting it. The committee reported to succeeding congresses held in London in 1895, in Berlin in 1899, in Washington in 1904, and in Geneva in 1908; but until the last congress met, no definite step was taken to enlist the co-operation of the various governments interested. The Inconvenience of the present state of things is evident, for maps are now published in various countries.

are now published in various countries with different projections, different scales and different symbols. The pro-Mr. Lemieux to Succeed Mr. Brodeur in Case Latter Is Obliged to Retire—Portfolio for Hugh Guthrie, M. P.

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GEORGIAN BAY

Member for North Renfrew Offers Strong Argument in Favor of Proposed Waterway -Shows Possible Benefits

PLENTY OF TRAFFIC AND WATER POWER

Ministers Plead That Country Has Too Many Calls on Its

company, gave interviews to Rev. G. Fenwick, Rev. Mr. Gillis and Rev. Father Fraser at their general office at Glace Bay today.

These gentlemen had a conversation with Messus Plummer and Butler and Supt. McDougali, and the company position was fully discussed. Later President Plummer received one of the U. M. W. men now on strike, and the labor trouble was gone over at length. It is expected that good results will follow these interviews on behalf of the men. The coal company officials are prepared to receive any strikers who ask for an interview with the management.

The attitude of the company is a strike and the labor trouble was gone over at length. From the table as to the quantity of land not yet, cultivated in the west, Canada might reasonably look forward to an expert of 250.000, 900 bushels of wheat in the near future. Mr. White dwelt upon the fact that during the past four years 30 per cent. of the Canadian wheat shipped from Port Williams and Port Arthur transportation routes. Canadian transportation routes should have taken care of all this and some of the United States products also. The country tributary to the canal had great freight possibilities. It was estimated that coal from Systems and provided in the west, Canada might reasonably look forward to an expert of 250.000, 900 bushels of wheat in the near future. Mr. White dwelt upon the fact ture. Mr. White the labor trouble was gone over at length. It is expected that good results will follow these interviews on behalf of the men. The coal company officials are prepared to receive any strikers who ask for an interview with the management.

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LONDON. Ont., Feb. 14.—Five dogs with the rossing force of Canada, arrived today on the White Star liner Baltic, accompanied by Lady Alleen Roberts. This is the first visit of Lady Alleen Roberts to New York. She will be the guest of Lady Grey in Canada.

Opened for Settlement

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was far from committed to Government ownership in this instance. With a company built canal the Government would be able to exercise control of rates, and so on, in the interests of the western producers, but Mr. Pugsley warned the strong supporters of the project that there was no company prepared to undertake the work without heavy Government assistance. Two courses were open, either engage upon the work as a Government one or incur a heavy expenditure in assisting some company to build it.

Mr. Monk made a strong plea for Mr. Monk, made a strong plea for something to be done at once and for the Government to make up its mind after all these years, but all he could draw from Mr. Fielding was the polite assurance that the matter had not yet passed the stage of being considered. The House adjourned at 11:40 o'clock, Tomorrow the naval debate will be continued, E. M. Macdonald having the floor.

BROKER PUNISHED

Governors of New York Stock Ex-change Take Action Regarding Coal and Iron Pool.

and Mother-in-Law

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Dead: Mrs. Victoria Davis, aged 55; Mrs. Matilda Withers, her daughter, aged 35; William Withers, 40 years old. Wounded: Policeman Morris, After having shot to death his wife and mother-in-law, William Withers, a negro, successfully defended for three hours this afternoon a brick house at 27 Elliott street against about fifty members of the Toronto police force armed with 'revolvers and

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AROUND LONDON

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ON NAVAL BILL

fanned the smouldering embers of race feeling.

Dr. Roche, of Marquette, poked fun at the apparent unanimity of the government supporters, who, he said, were swallowing an independent Canadian navy because the pill was so coated with party patronage and public works. Late tonight, Mr. Goodeve, of Kootenay, in a strong speech supported Mr. Borden's amendment, and the debate was adjourned by Mr. Michaud, of New Brunswick.

Hon. Mr. Fisher for Senator.

Hon. Mr. Fisher for Senator. A well defined rumor is circulating in the House tonight concerning the political future of Hon. Sydney Fisher, political future of Hon. Sydney Fisher, which bears the imprint of probability. It is stated that in a short time the minister of agriculture will be translated to the senate to fill the vacancy for the Eastern Townships caused by the death of Senator Baker. He will assume the active government leadership of the upper house, still retaining the portfolio of agriculture. Not only would this solve the problem which Sir. Wilfrid Laurier has to face choosing from the host of applicants sold by the officials of the exchange, the money derived therefrom will be applied to the settlement of any obligations due to other members. The balance, if any, will be turned over to Mr. Haskins.

RESISTS POLICE

FOR THREE HOURS

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PRIVATE BILLS

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APPALLING CRIME

unatic German Shoemaker and Mother-in-Law Slay the Former's Wife

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—An appalling story, which reads like the deranged imaginings of some hideous nightmare, was told by a saddler named Ministerial Members Inclined to Invoke Strong Partisan Feel- ing in Discussion of Government's Programme

Wigorous Speech

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Russianizing the Finns Goes Forward Steadily Despite Setbacks HELSINGFORS, Feb. 13 .- The

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 13.—The latest developments of the Finnish question are not calculated to set at rest the fears of sympathizers abroad. The Viborg proposition is shelved simply because of the representations of the financial houses interested in Finnish I loans and of the totally unexpected attitude of the English and German press.

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The attitude of the English press has been a most unwelcome surprise to the Russian ministry. It was fully believed that the recently awakened commercial interest of England in Russia and the political entente comented at Cowes would have resulted in a strict neutrality on the Finnish question.

In the meanwhile, all preparations of Vibors

BEFORE HOUSE

Winnipeg. Feb. 14.—Dr. Irvine, health officer for the municipality of Brenda, has notified the provincial board of health of a peculiar case of scarlet fever which has broken out in TORONTO, Feb. 14.—Dead: Mrs.
Victoria Davis, aged 55; Mrs. Matilda
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shotguns, after which he ended the
selge by putting a bullet into his own
head.

The first intimation of the affair
was conveyed to Policeman Creichten

Mr. Manson replied that he had only
mentioned the attitude taken by the
Premier in order to express himself as
for the bill, he knew of no privileges
sought thereunder, other than an extension of charter powers already
passed upon and conferred by this
head not the bill before it
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fever in the latter town, has been
writing to her friends in Waskada, and
the infection carried by the mail has
of health has ordered that the mail be
disinfected for the next few days, and
that the authorities at Owen Sound be
notified to prohibit Mrs. Long from
sending any letters while she is in
quarantine.

this braggart, the rank of rear-admiral, would have been a foul blot on the rec-LOSE THEIR LIVES

oung Man and Boy Drowned While on Duty at North End of Island—Scarcity of Food at San Josef Ray Young Man and Boy Drowned

On board S. S. Tees, at Winter Harbor, Feb. 15., via Pachena, B. C., Feb. 15.—L. Jensen, 22 years of age, Cape Scott Muller, 12 years of age, Cape Scott Washer Sea Otter Cove, Cape Russell, on Jan. 17th, at nine a.m., in a small sloop for Winter Harbor. A man named Rasusses saw them leaving at that time, and nothing has been seen of heard of them since.

After a certain length of time when they did not return with mail or provisions, great anxiety was felt for them. M. J. Jensen, father of L. Jensen, started from Cape Scott Feb. 3th to search along the coast. He was joined at San Josef Ray by S. Karler.

sen, started from Cape Scott Feb. 3th to search along the coast. He was joined at San Josef Bay by S. Kenion. Both searched as far as Winter Harbor. Nothing was seen until reaching the east side of Topknot Point, where they found one pair of double blankets and part of the house work of the sloop in which they left Sea Otter Cove.

department, I find there is absolute protection for the individual miner. I have no further objection."

The bill was accordingly advanced. Report was also adopted on the bill and the bill extending the scope and operation of the Noxious Weeds on on onds revertion Act; while the private bills committee presented a twenty-fifth report, passing to the House the Vancouver Incorporation Act amendment bill and the False. Creek Foreshore Act amendment legislation.

Polo is all the rage in California. A dispatch announces that an English team, representing the Twelfth Huss sars, have just reached San Francisco to meet the experts of that city in a series of matches. All this limit of the control of the sabsolute work of the Cove.

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Mr .H. B. Cambie is back in Vant

. INVESTIGATION IS MUCH NEEDED

fund in 1909, 1903 and 1905. Conger struggled hard and refused to answer some of Senator Newcomb's questions until directed to reply by the presiding officer. Under such compulsion the Groton senator admitted that the bridge company in 1909 turned their legislative bribery fund over to the Groton Bridge Co., in which the witness and his brother Frank were interested. interested.

He was not pressed to tell the uses to which this fund was put, but after the merciless grilling Conger received from his Republican colleagues a grim smile flashed acrossed his harassed face as he replied: "There was a con race as he replied: "There was a contribution to the state chairman of the Republican organization in 1902." Conger was questioned no more along this line, for Senator Newcomb declared that the purpose of his interrogation

velopments made clear is that the Re publican administration has conclude that the public demand for investigation is too insistent to ignore. This morning Senator Wainwright introduced in the upper house a resolution providing for an investigation practically without limit as to time or place within the state. He asked for an appropriation of \$50,000 for the ex penses of a probing committee of thr

HOT SHOT FOR PEARY

Secretary of Arctic Club Dubs Him Selfish Egotist and Braggart— Some Varying Views. obert E. Peary, the explorer, as a se fish egotist and braggart, Captain B. S. Osborn, secretary of the Arctic Club of America, has written a letter to the sub-committee of the house naval com mittee, approving the latter's action against the proposition to make Peary a rear-admiral. The committee has re-ceived a large number of letters, some

condemning and some approving its action. Capt. Osborn says in his "The action of the sub-committee on naval affairs in the matter of the civil engineer, Robert E. Perry-not Feary for that's an assumed American citizen who values justice and respects the United States navy.

"To have given this selfish egotist.

ord of congress and an insult to the navy of the United States. It would have disgusted millions of our citizens who have no confidence in this alleged pole-hunter and Arctic fur-trader and story teller, who for nearly a quarter of story teller, who for nearly a quality story teller, who for nearly a quality a century has been living off the people a century has been living off the people a neval rank to which and sailing under a naval rank to which he had no legal right and for which he fying to all thinking citizens that there is a group of men in Washington who, while ready suitably and generously to recognize the distinguished achievement

J. Hatfield left last night via the C. P. R. and the Empress of Ireland on an extended trip to the Old Country.

sand foliars is lying in the safe of f of heirs to the estate of Mrs. Tine who died at that institution The money was in large bills, concealed in Mrs. Tindel's clothing, an was brought to light, together w

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Cincinnati, Ohio-Twenty-five th

her will, after her death. Apoplexy claims hundreds of vio tims every year. Yet apoplexy is bi an advanced stage of blood poisonin which manifests itself in headache and backaches. Very frequently the cause is constipation.

Such a case as the above shows the importance of keeping the bowels active, the kidneys regular, the ski healthy, so that the blood will be all

healthy, so that the plood will be ways pure and rich.
"Fruit-a-tives"—the famous frui liver tablets—are safe and efficien regulators for stomach, liver, bowelf and skin.

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"Truit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or tries in the story of the story of

LOWERING DUTIES ON GERMAN GOODS

Negotiations Between Canadian and German Governments Result in Throwing Surtax Off Various Products

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Hon. W. S. Fielding presented to parliament late tonight the result of recent negotiations between Germany and Canada respecting tariff relations, which shows that a big breach in the surtax wall has been made. The papers give a list of articles to be admitted into Germany at conventional (or lower) tariff rates.

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A certified copy of a report of the committee of the privy council approved by His Excellency on February 14 sets forth that a memorandum was received from Mr. Fielding on February 12 last, reporting the results of certain informal negotiations which have from time to time taken place respecting the tariff relations between Canada and Germany. After setting forth the facts of the unfortunate difference between the two countries since 1898, Mr. Fielding reports. "The moment seems to have arrived when, although a full settlement of tariff questions may not be reached, an questions may not be reached, ar understanding may become to which will to a considerable extent ren with causes of friction and pave the causes of friction and pave the way for a more comprehensive, arrangement in the future." Mr. Fielding's report then deals with the relations with Germany before the surtainable.

trouble.

From that date up to the present time the products of Germany imported into Canada have been subjected to the duties of the general tariff, and such surtax, and Canadian products imported into Germany have not re-ceived the benefits in case of the con-

ceived the benefits in case of the conventional tariff rate.

Representations have been made to the minister from time to time by the imperial German consul at Montreal as to the desirability of reaching a better understanding between the two countries. In these informal negotiations the German representatives have abandoned the contention which was the chief cause of difference between the two countries, namely that the products of Germany should receive in Canada the same treatment as the products of the United Kingdom. In the meantime the commercial relations the meantime the commercial relations of Canada with foreign countries have assumed a new phase, owing to the making of the Franco-Canadian commercial convention, which has now gone into operation.

German Potash Monopoly BERLIN, Feb. 15.—The potash bil providing for a government monopoly in the production and sale of potash, was referred to a special committee, in the Reichstag today.

P.E.I. Legislature CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., Feb. 15.

The legislature opened this afternoon; the standing of parties is: Liberals, 16; Conservatives, 13. Early legislation will deal with agriculture and controverted elections.

French Force Ambushed. PARIS, Feb. 15.—A despatch from the governor of Dakara, Senegal, says a French detachment has suffered heavy losses through an ambuscade in the Oudar region. A whole company, consisting of five French officers and 110 native soldiers, were massacred.

German Grain Firms Fail HAMBURG, Feb. 15.—The failure of seven grain firms in the provinces of Schleswig-Holstein and Hanover, was Schleswig-Holstein and Hanover, was announced in the produce exchange today. The failures were due in part to speculative entanglements in soda nitrate, and partly to short selling of

Children Burned

NEW YORK, Feb. 15 .- Three children lost their lives in a fire which destroyed a tenement house on Clay street late today. Two of the chil-dren were enveloped in flames while taking an affernoon nap. The third child to lose its life was a five year old girl.

Navy Men Coming

ST. JOHN, N. B., Feb. 15.—One hundred and forty-eight officers and men of the British navy landed from the Tunisian today, and proceeded west en route to British Columbia. ng under arms, they must proceed I. C. R. to Montreal, and not by C. R., through Maine

Telegraph Manipulation. BOSTON, Feb. 15.—At the annual meeting of the MacKay companies here today the announcement was made that the management has decided to sall the holdings of eight-two thousand shares of American Telephone stock. It is understood that when the stock was acquired several years ago it was for the purpose of obtaining control, but since the telephone company has purchased a substantial interest in Western Union the object of the Mac-