English Electors Take a Rest from Stock Themes and Give Attention to Church.

Leader of Commons Arraigned for His Support of Catholic University Scheme.

Libera's Largely Identifying Themselves with the Movement Against Ritualism.

By Associated Press.

London, Feb. 4.-British politics on the Shot a Girl and Her New Lover and eve of the re-assembling of parliament show that the old war cry of "No Popery," so long silent, has suddenly usurped first place. It is overriding party programmes and forcing leaders and Mary Anderson, of Westminster. who prefer to divorce the church from afterwards committed suicide. selves. The movement was started last selves. The movement was started last summer by a then unknown bookseller named John Kennit, whom Englishmen rated as a merchandise "Coxey." It gathered momentum through the lower churchists' agitation until it now dominates public attention. The pewspapers head dying instantly. ates public attention. The newspapers head, dying instantly.

representatives announce their views. How fiercely the people are wrough up was hardly realized until Mr. A. J. Balfour, the government leader in the House of Commons and first lord of the treasury, perhaps personally the most popular publicist, addressing his consti- Eastern Liberals Have No Symtuents at Manchester on Monday last, endeavored to ignore ritualism and rethresh the stock themes of politics. He was fairly howled down. His audience would not be silenced when, in his suave, Timber Privileges in Railway Belt diplomatic manner, he attempted to slide around the subject by remarking that no violations of church law had come to his attention. The audience insisted that he should declare himself, and the meeting broke up in a manner very like a state of anarchy.

showed that this state did have jurisdic-

Liberty Over Adjacent Roofs.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 4.—Three cases of smallpox were discovered at the Vendome hotel, in the centre of the city, this morning. The health department was notified, and the place was at once quarantined. A squad of policemen hurried to come out as usual they discovered that they were prisoners. There were many protests. Travelling men begged to be nermitted to go away, promising to landed on the jaw and again sent Ryan to be permitted to go away, promising to leave the city by the first train or on foot if necessary, but none were allowed to come out of the hotel. Several who possessed an adventurous spirit out through the skylight, scaled the adjacent roofs, and made their way through snow and ice over the house-to and managed to reach the ground, after a foot race with the officers

for indemnity.

Washington, Feb. 4.-Attorney-Gen- East. eral Griggs, in a decision rendered to-day, upholds the right of a military comder to cut a cable within the terrimander to cut a cable within the territroial waters of an enemy without making his country liable for damages. The question rose on the cutting by Admiral Dewey, at Manila, of the cable of the Johns. The cure is found in Hood's Sarrelling which postpaling the solid British Eastern Extension and Australia. Saparilla, which neutralizes the acid. Asia and China Telegraph Co., who filed a suit with the state department for 336,000 damages. Attorney-General Griggs finds that under the law of particles there is found in Hood's Sar-Saparilla. nations there is no ground for a claim

RITUALISM IN POLITICS GENERAL MILES' HERESY.
Chicago Demands International Investigation of His Embalmed Beef Story.

> Washington, Feb. 4.-The Vice-President to-day brought to the attention of the President a protest of the executive committee of the National Live Stock Exchange, of Chicago, against the agitation caused by "an unjust statement reported to be made by officials in high authority, notably those made by Major General Miles, which have created a feeling of distrust against the greatest industry of the United States." They urge that foreign governments be

> invited to make a thorough investigation of the methods employed at the principle cattle markets of the country.

JEALOUS MAN'S CRIME.

Then Suicided Lima, O., Feb. 4.-Frank Blair shot

Brovard and Miss Anderson were

are swamped with communications, mass meetings are being organized everywhere, and the voters are insisting that their representatives announce their views.

Jealousy was the cause of the shooting, Blair and Miss Anderson having been engaged previous to Brovard's appearance on the scene.

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From Dakota.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.-Mr. Joseph Martin On Wednesday an influential delegation once the pet of the Liberal dailies of called upon Mr. Balfour and arraigned Eastern Canada, is now their pet averhim for advocating the establishment of sion. The Grit Free Press says: "The

McCaffrey fought here in 1885 witnessed Hartland, also certifies that he sold four the boxing contest at the Stag Athletic cured Gracie Ella.

showed that this matter. Mrs. Botkin when asked if she had anything to say in her own defence stated that she was innocent of the horrible crime. Her attorneys gave notice that they would apply for a writ of probable cause.

The main attraction was a niteenround "go" between Australian Jimmy Ryan and Joe Walcott at catch weights for a purse of \$1,500. In the preliminary Kid Blue knocked out Lee Hill in the second round and Fred Ludwig was given the decision over Kid McGraw in the tenth round. Ryan and Walcott then the probable cause.

SMALLPOX IN HOTEL.

TO ENTERTAIN BERESFORD.

New York, Feb. 2.-At a meeting of narrow escapes. Some of them te discovered, and got away only after to trace with the officers.

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OMINOUS CONFERENCE A CHARMING GIRL

Sir Wilfrid's Assembly of Collea gues at New York Exciting Much Attention.

Seven Canadian Ministers Now in Attendance and Mr. Tarte on the Way.

Outcome of Treaty Making Evi dently Regarded as of Debatable Nature.

By Associated Press.

was held.

New York, Feb. 4-Almost a full meeting of the Canadian cabinet took place in this city to-day. The members of the and instantly killed Edward Brovard joint high commission came on from Washington, while from Ottawa there are nine miles east of here, and immediately rived Hon. Messrs. Mills, Blair, Fielding. and Sifton, members of the Laurier cabinet. Mr. Tarte is expected to arrive later. The ministers from Ottawa met Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the other high joint commissioners at the Waldorf-Astoria and a long conference

It was said that the matter under discussion was connected with the proceed-ings of the international conference and it was presumed that Sir Wilfrid Laurier before deciding upon some possible important points, desired to personally confer with his ministers and had adopted this plan of a meeting in New York as being the more convenient.

The conference will probably extend over until Monday when Sir Wilfrid

Laurier and his fellow members of the commission will return to Washington while the ministers will then return to

COLOR LINE IN JAMAICA. Black Man Defeats White Candidate

for Legislature and Trouble Follows.

Ryan and Joe Walcott at eatch weights for a purse of \$1,500. In the preliminary Kid Blue knocked out Lee Hill in the second round and Fred Ludwig was given the decision over Kid McGraw in the tenth round. Ryan and Walcott the followed. Tom O'Rourke was Walcott's chief adviser and second. John Murphy of Cincinnarii was referee. Walcott was a first the Sunday school room after the sunday school room after the second round and Fred Ludwig was given the tenth round. Ryan and Walcott the feetrs on the daughter of the rector of this parish, yesterday shot and killed should be well to New York on Friday to Proposed to Otis. The standard says: "The Filipinos have helped to handle the money?

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No one here knows the real strength city printing being done only by union printers did not succeed in their efforts to establish this rule, owing to the advance of the numbers are conflicting and none of them come from reliable sources.

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VANCOUVER'S BUDGET. LONG WAR IN PROSPECT

-Great Order for Lamber Reported.

Westminster Meeting Discusses the United States Has Overwhelming Relief Fund-The Slide at Rogers Pass.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Feb. 4.-It is reported in

The Liberal Association of Westmin-

Marriage of Hon. E. G. Prior, M P. Wastington Confident of Easy Success at Present But the End Far Off.

> Force But Hard to Operate Over Scattered Islands.

By Associated Press. Vancouver, Feb. 4.—It is reported in lumbering circles here that the Chemainus lumber mills company have a coutract to supply 160,000,000 feet of coutract to supply 160,000,0 Washington, Feb. 5.- The news mainus lumber mins company nave a contract to supply 160,000,000 feet of lumber for Chinese railways. Two bye-election on Thursday for legislative representative of St. Elizabeth, a full-blooded negro was elected over a white and that this amount of lumber will take six years to cut.

An event of interest to hosts of friends a proper of class prejudice. Already the principal white and golored magnistrates and members of the parochial board have resigned as a propess against the vote, and further complications are feared which may spread every the island. The police were called every the island. The police were called every measures to suppress of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, to Mrs. Genevieve Baushter Kennedy, formerly of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, to Mrs. Genevieve Baushter Kennedy, formerly of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, to Mrs. Genevieve Baushter Kennedy, formerly of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, to Mrs. Genevieve Baushter Kennedy, formerly of Victoria, eldest daughter of the late of Victoria, e

committee had a legal standing, and the council should have asked a second time for advice. It was a mistake to hold this meeting after the bill was introduced, as the Attorney-General was doing no doubt what he thought the city wanted in urging the bill through. But why, he asked, was the bill necessary if the council had the power already to handle the money?

I way to join General Otis in four separate expected to reach Manila for three weeks or a month. These troops, with those now in Cuba, represent the cream of the United States army, according to General Otis's soldiers are regulars of Agulnaldo, but thinking people are anxious father than the state of the graph of the consequences of the fighting, especially on account of the shault of the council had the power already to handle the money?

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The tram company have secured an eleven-years' right of way on Davie street, and will extend their line to English Bay, along this thoroughfare in the early spring.

The Fraser river at New Westminster was frozen yesterday from bank to bank, and the thermometer was down to zero. All the ponds in the district were crowded with skaters.

The plant has been installed in the Sun newspaper office.

The death of Mrs. Clarkeson of Westminster is announced—at the age of 79. The death of Mrs. Clarkeson came to the province 39 years ago.

Mr. Alexander Williams has lost his farm house and buildings at Langley by fire.

The change referred to the city charter would be amended. The tram company have secured an eleven-years' right of way on Davie the United States forces in personnel, discipline, or quality of arms, the work of the pare the house of the shown their unfitness for self-government at the very outset by a rash and the very outset by a rash and the twery outset by a rash and the twery outset by a rash and the twery outset by a rash and the very outset by a rash and the twery outset by a rash and the very outset by a rash out find the very outset by a rash out find the very outset by a rash out find the rely too much on a sword-like weapon, corresponding to the machete, a wea-

terior but undoubtedly Dewey will draw tight a cordon of blockading vessels around the Island of Luzon and make a special effort to absolutely shut off the Insurgents from the supplies and am-munition which they must have to carry on the war on the war.

Diplomats took a lively interest in the

news, realizing that the Government of the United States will call upon them Has many admirers but no belle of the ball was ever more fascinating than our large display of Up-to-Date FURNITURE, RICH CARPETS

The content states will call upon them very early to see to it that no aid of any sort is rendered to the Filipinos and that no filibustering expeditions shall leave their soil with munitions of war or supplies for the Insurgents. Special and RUGS, HANDSOME CUR-Precautions will be asked to be taken a Singapore and Hong Kong, the princ pa points of the eastern trade, to prevent the dispatch of vess₀ carrying secret cargoes in aid of the Insurgents. It is believed that the interests of other nations in a peaceful state of things in the east will consert them. east will cause them to exercise special vigilance in this respect, as a matter of much importance in view of the great number and extent of the Philippines. number and extent of the Philippines.
Without the receipt of arms or ammunition from the outside the Insurgents will be badly handicapped. The United States, by refusing to recognize Agonwill make the usual reference to the states. States, by rerusing to recognize Agon cillo in any way, is in a strong position pacific relations exitsing between Greeding diplomatically, and no doubt is expressed Britain and foreign countries and ways are constrained by the countries are constraine as to all European nations maintaining then deal with the recent operations a most correct attitude and refusing in

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> One of the first steps of the admisistration upon hearing of the outbreak at Manila was to give attention to the presence in Washington of Agoncillo, the accredited representative here of the Philippine Insurgents. They would not say whether or not any steps had been taken looking to his expulsion from the United States or his arrest, but his status, it looking to his expulsion from the United States or his arrest, but his status, it can be stated, has already been the subject of careful study. It was impossible to-day to secure any relations with the Filipino Junta which has its headquarters at the Arlington. The members absence of the measures taken to be stated to the measures taken to be stated. filipmo Junta which has its headquarters at the Arlington. The members absolutely declined to receive calls and kept steadily in their apartments.

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The Daily News says the "fact that American blood has been shed will secure, we imagine, the immediate ratification of the peace treaty. The Filipinos have shown their unfitness for each and have a shown their unfitness for each and have a shown the same and have a shown that the same and have a shown the same as a same a shown the same as a same a shown the same as a same a s

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The Liberal Association of Westminster; As and elected As. S. Vedder, of Chilliwack, president, and R. C. McDonald, Westminster; Jno. Oliver, Delta; Jno. Armstrong, Surrey; Cant. Stuart, Richmond; R. Balfour, Langley; A. Deans, Aldergrove; Jas. Fox. Coquitlam; Sidney Stride, Burnaby; Heat by taking to the interior of the country practically impassable for Hector Ferguson, Maple Ridge; Albert Dion, Dewdney; Fred Hughes, Mission; Dr. Farwell, Kent; A. Hawkins, Matsqui; W. A. Rose, Chilliwack; J. V. Means, Sumas, vice-presidents, as well as a number of honorary presidents including W. B. Shiles and Mr. Whetham and all the Liberal M.P.P.'s in the district—Forster, Kidd, Munro and Henderson.

Queen's Speech on Acceptance of Czar's Invitation to Pace Conference.

Anarchists' Assassination of Aus. trian Empress Affects Fr. e. dom on Brit sh soil.

Henry Campbell Bannerman For. mally Chesen as the Lib. eral Leader.

London, Feb. 6.—The Queen's speech

Ry Associated Press.

as most correct attitude and refusing in any manner to acknowledge that Aguinaldo and his followers may have any status warning their recognition in any status warranting their recognition in any s

Washington, Jan. 6.—Agoncillo, the representative of Aguinaldo here, left Washington at midnight. He was undoubtedly advised of the skirmish and the supposition is that he wanted to get out of Washington. His secretary says he has gone to Baltimore.

New York, Feb. 5.—A despatch to the Herald from Albany, N.Y. says that

Washington, Feb. 6.-The members of the American-Canadian joint commission were in session to-day, as was the sub joint commission on the Alaskan Ottawa, Feb. 6.—The ministers wh

conference with Sir Wilfrid, Sir Richard and Sir Louis on Saturday and Sunday

Hongkong. Feb. 6.—The following dispatch was received here from fair warning that no deviation from or suspension of the rules will be permitted

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Splendid Bravery

By Associated Press. Manila, Feb. 5 .- (9 a. ents made a general as fences of the city last hour the battle still rag was made from every at a given signal from A quarters. Though surpr denness of the attack. prepared to meet it an break of his lines. Fir

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Balik Balik and by skirmishers at Pandi owing to the darkness, to determine its effect. Artillery finally succee the native battery. The also did good work on engagement lasted United States cri and the gunboat Conc Manilbon, opened fire batteries on the Filipin kept it up vigorously. other fusilade along United States doubled

Monadnock opened fire from off Malate. With ericans advanced. The Washington regiments charge and drove the villages of Paco and Sa Nebraska regiment also self during the early one Howitzer and a tion at the reservoir ed with the waterworl and Dakota regiments enemy's right to retreat There was intermittent oints all day long. T ilipinos cannot be esti but they are known to The United States loss at twenty men killed an The Ygorates, armed wirows, made a very deter

o assassinate United Star London, Feb 6. - A patch to the Morning Posplendid police system pr eral outbreak in the cit soldiers were attacked b the streets. Lieut. Cha Sergt. Wall were shot b the former being serious the latter slightly. Lie was attacked by a nativ while riding in a carrie He killed his assailant Sharp shooters within the ines shot and killed a se was sitting at a window Reserve hospital. Col. died of apoplexy. Many gents were driven into Pa frowned. Several hundre

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In a subsequent telegraning statement "Last nig and to-day's engagements veritable slaughter for their killed being reporte to 3,000. The American scarcely have been better now known that the attack pected, and that every I been made to meet them ened at noon (Sunday), t apparently demoralized troops, however, are ful meet a possible attack t aldo's private secretary rested as a spy in Manil low reigns in the city hundred Filipinos were trenches and are being c American hospitals.

Washington, Feb. 5 .to-day cabled ment that hostilities had the United States army ar in and about Mani'a and Insurgents. The Insurge had been the aggressors