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In the purpose of nominating a reeve and countilliors of the purpose of the following opener, if required at each of the following places on Ann. 2nd 1899 at 1 to lock a m. and continue until 5 p. m.: Polling subdivision No. 1, Eibo school house following the polling subdivision No. 2, Fortune's school house, Albert Morris, D.H.O.

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Many Also Projected in British Columbia, Manitoba and the Northwest Territories—If They Are All Bulit Residents in the Western Frovinces Will Be Well Supplied.

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A rival project is put forward by the promoters of the Pacific & Yukon Railway & Navigation Company. They also propose to begin their railway from Pyramid Harbor near the head of Lynn Canal, or from the international boundary in the vicinity of Lynn Canal. They will go through the Chilcat Pass to Dalton's Post on the Alsek River, and thence by the most feasible route to a point below the Five Finger Kapids on the Lewes River. The company, in addition to railtiver. The company, in addition to rail-way privileges, will as for the power to ngage in trading, navigation, the gener-tion and supply of electric energy and the erection of saw mills and smelting

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Still another Yukon railway project Still another Yukon railway project contemplates the construction of a road from the Stikine River to Teslin Lake and on to Dawson City. The scheme also involves the construction of a line from the Stikine southerly to a point in Brittes Stikine southerly to a point set of Warsaw, is of granite, principal street of Warsaw, is of granite, surmounted by a bronze statue of the principal street of Warsaw, is of granite, surmounted by a bronze statue of the principal street of Warsaw, is of granite surmounted by a bronz

outhward to the international boundary line is granted.

Amongst the Yukon projects is one to construct a railway or transway beginning at Klondike City and traversing almost every creek in the mining region.

But the Yukon is not the only portion of the wast that claims the attention of the railway promoter. The British Colter ask and a extension of the time limit for the railway promoter. The British Colter ask and extension of the same restou until January, 1904, and it will seek an extension of its powers in the right to construct or acquire a line connecting its line in the neighborhood of Fort Steele with the Canadian Pacific Railway at Golden. This new railway is intended to have the same general direction as the valleys of the Columbia and Kootenay Rivers.

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and son behalf of Mr. D. G. Gorbin he between the bedning of May next, prior between the personal control of the proceed of the process of the proposed to build a railway from the international all as a railway from the international along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the Kettle River to Garcano, along the railby of the River to Garcano, along the River to Garcano along

John Clark Spent 48 Hours Un-The Reasons Why Major Macdonald Die

the Buried Man Was Alive-The

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 27.—John Clark, an aged Union soldier, who has been spending his last days at the Soldiers', Home in Dodge City, was literally resurrected from the dead last Friday. Clark, who was a prosperous man of business before the civil war, joined the private in a western

Clark, who was a prosperous man of business before the civil war, joined the Union army as a private in a western regiment and fought throughout the campaign. He bore many scars as proofs of his bravery in the field, and at the battle of the Wilderness he was picked up for dead. To his friends yesterday he reebly said with a wan smile that the present was really his second resurrection. But this was the first time he had ever been buried. He spent 48 hours, from Wednesday until Friday noon, six feet under ground in the Soldlers' Cemetry at Dodge City.

Clark would have remained buried and would have suffered the horrible death of sufficeation had it not been for the persistent urgings of William Hazen, and old friend, who knew Clark in his palmy days. Hazen was at the Soldiers' Home last Tuesday when Clark apparently died, after a lingering illness of typhold fover. Hazen was in the room. He heard the verdict that his old friend was dead, but somehow was not satisfied. Rigor mortis did not set in at the expiration of but somehow was not satisfied. mortis did not set in at the expira has forged a permanent camp opposite Lado, and not far from the Belgian post of Rejaf, and will thus not interfere with the area leased to the Congo Free

himself, he had even touched the face of his triend and had almost—imagined he could discover warmth there.

When all the others had left the cemetery Hazen remained there, looking at the fresh mound, and he felt tempted to get a spade and reopen the grave at once. Hazen couldn't sleep that night. His mind was busy with thoughts of his friend, and the more he pondered the more he was colutined that Private John Clark had been consigned to a horrible fate.

Being Alive, Was Disinterred.

MISERIES OF A PRESIDENT.

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a Constitution.

Warsaw, Dec. 27.—Yesterday was a memorable day for Warsaw in particular and for Poles generally 12 Russia, Austria and Prussia. At 10 o'clock in the morning, in the presence of the Romam Catholic Archbishop of Warsaw, the Most Rev. V. T. Popiel, of the municipal authorities and of an immense throng, a menument was unveiled in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the birth

watch the same general and Kootenay ralleys of the Columbia and Kootenay Rivers.

The Kettle River Valley question will again be fought out at the approaching session. The application for a charter made on behalf of Mr. D. C. Corbin is exactly the same as that which preceded the introduction of the ill-fated bill last the introduction of the ill-fated bill last session. It is proposed to build a rallway from the international boundary line at Casoade City westerly along the valley of the Kettle River to Carson, also on the

RESURRECTED BY HIS FRIEND.

Procured the Opportunity to See if Awfully Narrow Escape the Old Soldier Had From

mortis did not set in at the expiration of 24 hours, and Hazen was more than ever convinced that Clark still lived. He said so to the authorities of the Home, and urged delay, but they smiled indulgently on him and proceeded with the arrangements for the burial.

Being Dead, Was Buried.

The doctor had certified that Clark

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Being Dead, Was Burled.

The doctor had certified that Clark was dead, and that was enough for the Soldiers' Home people, and on Wednesday the soldier's body, incased in a coilin of the plainest and cheapest description, was burled in the cemetery, with a wooden cross at the head of the grave bearing his name and age—70 years.

Still William Hazen wasn't quite satisfied. He had looked at the face in the coffin just before the body was carried ont for burlal and he could see no change since the hour of his friend's alloged death on Tuesday. Unable to restrain himself, he had even touched the face of his friend's and had a timost-imaginet he

Valley outside the German e.

Being Alive, Was Disinterred.
Early on Thursday morning he again sought the authorities of the Soldiers' Home, and besought them to reopen the grave. His request was refused. Undaunted, Hazon sought the health authorities of the city, and stated his asset there. They looked up the death cortificate, and noting the signature of the physician was satisfied. Then Hazon sought the cemetery authorities, but they would not consent to open the grave without a permit from the health department. This the indefatigable Hazon could be used to the company of the common of the strip of Spanish territory on the north she lost no time in hastening to the cemetery with assistance and a physician to total heart was found that Clark had literally surned over. His heart was still beating, and stimulants soon restored him to consciousness. Clark was removed at once to a nearby house and put to bed, but he was too weak to talk until yesterday. Then he told those around him that he was semi-conscious of all that was going on when he was buried, but was unable to cry out or utter a sound.

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London.

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AGED COUPLE SEEK DIVORCE.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Churchill Who Were married in Peterboro.

anesville, Wis., Dec. 27.—Instead of brating their golden wedding and sary, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Churchill and special and in the properties of the Circuit Court of Reck County. The were married in Peterboro, Onit, ada, but have lived in Janesville y-five years, and have nine children married.

The County of the County of the county of the Circuit Court of Reck County, and were married in Peterboro, Onit, and the properties of the Circuit Court of Reck County, and we will stick.

London, Dec. 27.—The Venice correspondent of the Times says: "Don Carlos will stick.

London, Dec. 27.—The Venice correspondent of the Times says: "Don Carlos, who is in perfect health, desires me to deny absolutely the report that he contrary, he says, he is more resolved than ever to fulfill his role to the end. He authorizes me to assert that he has asked an audience of the Pope and has requested noshing else of His Holiness." Janesville, Wis., Dec. 27-Instead of divorce action that the county of the circuit Court of the Crouit Court of the ck County. They were married in Peterboro, Onta, Canada, but have lived in Jamesville forty-five years, and have nine children all married. ll married.
Mrs. Churchill alleges cruel and inhu

EXCLUSION OF CANADA

Berlin, Dec. 27.—The negotiations for an Anglo-German treaty are proceeding along the lines of the "most-favored-nation" system. There is no doubt that work will progress rapidly enough so that the draft of the convention may be submifted to the Reichstag during the present session. It is understood that while the two nations are making liberal reciprocal concessions Canada will be excluded from adhesion to the treaty. Berlin, Dec. 27 .- The nego

GERMANY IS AFTER SAMOA

Three Cruisers Ordered There With 60

Men te Indicate Supremacy.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—Germany has three cruisers, the Falke, the Bussard and the Marie, in Samoan waters, ready for an emergency. The squadron carries 44 guns and 600 men. Part of the German press vehemently urges the Government to take decisive steps to secure to Germany the political supremacy in Samoa, if nothing more, declaring that German commercial interests in the Islands overbalance those of Great Britain and the United States combined, and that the present moment, in view of the interregnum following the death of King Malietoa, is favorable to an enlargement of

toa, is favorable to an enlargement of German influence.

The semi-official press, on the contrary, says that Germany must be guided by the existing treaty of 1889, guaranteeing the neutrality of the islands, to change which would require international nego-

Gruesome Find Made by the Pelice Berlin, Dec. 27.—The police made a Berlin, Dec. 27.—The police made a gruesome discovery early yesterday morning in the suburbs between this city and Grunau. They found a man hanging dead over a crossbeam of an electric railway line pole. The mystery was cleared up an hour later when a man was found walking in a dazed condition around the premises of a station near by. He was brought to the police station, where it was learned that he and two companions and had resolved to steal some of the electric wire during the night. His partner out of off a live wire and was instantly killed. He himself was struck by the falling wire and received a severe shock, from which he had not recovered at the time of his arrest.

Gold Watch for the Leaden Pel Berlin, Dec. 27.—Kaiser Wilhelm has Berlin, Dec. 27.—Kaiser Wilhelm has sent a gold watch of magnificent work-manship, with his portrait in enamel on the maide case and the menogram. "W. R.," surmounted by the Imperial crown for presentation to Constable Whitfield of the King street division of the Londer police, as a memento and recognition of the Londer heroic services render. Valley last summer. I bered that Whitfield is promptness on June 15

Excitement in Kruger's Country Excitement in Kruger's Cenarty.
Johannesburg, Deo. 27.—There is great
sxoltement among the British residents
of this city over the shooting of an Engsishman named Edgar by a policeman.
The act was said to have been indefencible. A mass meeting has been summoned
to appeal to Great British to terminate
the oppression and injustice to which
British subjects are subjected in the