THREE SPECIAL TRAINS LEFT TORONTO TUESDAY

Man Killed by Collapse of Water Tank on Montreal Building-Fatal Railway

Accident.

Toronto, April 3.-Three special trains with 2,500 settlers for the West left Union station this afternoon. Included in this number was a party of 37 public school teachers, 26 of whom are ladies. All are en route to Sasschools at double their late salaries.

Will Labor in Yukon. Toronto, April 3.-Arthur O'Mears, B. A., barrister, of this city, has accepted the offer of Bishop Stringer, of the diocese of Selkirk, to become a standing the first session and the apmissicnary in the southern part of the parently hopeless deadlock between the Yukon, and will take part generally in the work of the diocese. Mr. O'Mears found which will enable the operators leaves for Skagway in May. He will and miners to stand on common ground be ordained by the Bishop of Selkirk and settle their differences.

on April 29th. For New Building.

Toronto, April 3 .- The Globe has purchased a site on Queen street east for a new office building and publishing house. The purchase price was \$13,-

Toronto, April 3.-Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the missions of the Methodist church of Canada, left here vesterday for Japan. He sails from Vancouver on April 9th.

Railway Wreck. Welland, Ont., April 3.—Engineer Gayhart was injured and Fireman Berry was killed in a freight wreck on the Grand Trunk at Port Robinson The engines and other early to-day. rolling stock are somewhat damaged.

Woman Killed. Montreal, April 3 .- A large water tank on the roof of the building occupied by Messrs. Bovin & Wilson, porters of liquors and spirits, St. Paul street, collapsed at noon to-day, kill ing Miss Louise Ross, en employee, and flooding the building from top to bottom, as well as St. Paul street. The tank held 10,000 gallons of water for fire protection purposes. The support of the tank had been placed on a wall which had been loosened owing to the tearing down of the buildings adjoin-

Georgian Bay Line. Montreal. April 3. Ross, Harris & Co., Limited, a new and powerful company formed recently in Montreal for railroad contracting purposes, has secured a contract from the C. P. R. for Byng Inlet of the new Toronto-Georgian Bay line, designed to give the Samuel W. Pennypacker." C. P. R. an independent and direct 50 miles, and the country to be tra- letter to the committee. versed is of the utmost difficulty, heavy

Fatal Fall.

Madoc, Ont., April 3.-Peller Jarvis, of Dellar's Bridge, was killed at the mine, near Bannockburn, yesterday afternoon. Five men were being brought up the shaft in a bucket. sideways. Jarvis and another workreceiving injuries which caused his during the last two years. death a few minutes later. Presick escaped. Jarvis leaves a widow and one child. Burned to Death

Wallaceburg, Ont., April 3.-Fire early to-day destroyed the dwelling on Wallace street, occupied by Robert Thomas Coulter, who was sleeping in one of the upper rooms, was burned to death. Coulter, who was intoxicated last night, had to be rooms below were awakened by sparks falling from the ceiling on their beds. The flames then had such headway that it was impossible to save Coulter.

En Route West.

Winnipeg, April 3.-A. J. McMillan, managing director of the Le Roi mines is here, en route West. He states that the property recently paid a dividend of 14 per cent., this being the first return to the shareholders in seven years, and the first ever had out of bona fide profits.

The Strike.

Winnipeg, April 3.-Negotiations towards a settlement of the street railway strike are still in progress, and neither side will discuss the situation while the truce is effective.

Seeding. Edmonton, April 3.-Seeding opera-

wonderfully in some parts, but in oth ers it is thought scarcely needed.

Died in England. Port Arthur, Ont., April 3.-George Woods, a deserter from the British army, disappeared from near here about a year ago, and all efforts to trace him were futile. The mystery has now been cleared up by the re-

ceipt of news of his death in Eng-Lively Debate.

on the address in the legislature began ian views.

terness on both sides of the House. even surpassing the usual party cross firing. Dr. Neely, Humboldt, moved the address in reply to the speech, and was followed by Sheppard, of Moose Jaw. Ex-Premier Haultain, as leader of the opposition, criticized very caus tically and at considerable length, dealing particularly with the school law and the Prince Albert election. Premier Scott replied in a vigorous speech, returning Mr. Haultain's personal in ferences to the amusement of the gallery. The government supporters outnumbered the opposition two to one.

'NO CHANGE.

Operators and Miners Failed to Reach Any Agreement.

New York, April 3.-The sub-committee representing the anthracite operators and the mine workers of Eastern Pennsylvania held their first joint meeting here to-day and after nearly a three hours' session adjourned until 1 p.m. Thursday, without coming to any agreement. Each side to the controversy has refused to make the katchewan, where they have obtained slightest concession and the whole question is apparently as far from solution as it was before to-day's conference began. In the meantime the tieup of the anthracite industry remains as complete as it was yesterday without indication that a resumption of mining will occur very soon. Notwithworkmen and their employers rumors are still current that a way will be

> After the conference this statement was given out by a representative of

"The conference began at noon with President E. B. Thomas, of the Lehigh npany in the chair. Mr. Mitchell made a long speech detailing why in his judgment the original demands of the miners ought to be granted. He was followed by Mr. Nicholls, president of the Lackawanna district, of the miners' union, who supported Mr. Mitchell's arguments. There were other peeches by the representatives of the iners; in fact that side did nearly all the talking. There was no disposition on either side to recede from its original position, or accept any modification of the original demands. Mr Mitchell's attitude indicated that the counter proposition made by the operators for a renewal of the working agreement drafted by the anthracite

strike commision was not acceptable to the miners. "On motion of Mr. Mitchell the conference adjourned until Thursday. The entire situation remains the same as before the meeting. The suspension of work in the anthracite mines will coninue pending the negotiations."

The Shamokin scale committee. which numbers 36 men and which was appointed last November, held a session to-night. The sub-committee which had been in conference with the operators made its report, after which President Mitchell read this letter from Governor Pennypacker, of Pennsyl-

"Dear Sir:-The commonwealth of Pennsylvania expects that every reasonable effort will be made by the parties interested to accommodate the differences between the coal operators the section between Parry Sound and and coal miners, and to avert the strike which is now threatened. (Signed)

Mr. Mitchell stated that he had noticonnection between Toronto and its fied Governor Pennypacker that he main line west. The distance is over | would communicate the contents of the

President Mitchell said that all talk workers was purely speculative. had not been suggested at the session. Mr. Mitchell, discussing the situation

American Mining Company's Mundye in the coal fields, said he had received many telegrams during the day from the soft coal fields, which satisfied him that affairs in these regions are work-When near the top the cable caught ing themselves out as he had anticion something, tipping the bucket over pated. Thousands of men, he said, returned to work to-day under the scale man named Presick, of Cordova, fell to of 1903, which gives them an increase the bottom of the shaft, the former of 5.55 cents over the wages received

HUNTING IN MOUNTAINS.

Prince Arthur Will Make Another At tempt to Secure Sheep.

Castle Mountain, B. C., April 3 .- His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught and party left Field this morning at 7.30. At the foot of Castle mountain, two miles wost of the station of that helped home. People sleeping in the name, the train stopped and the Prince and Capt. Wyndham, equerry, and Mr. Lampson started on a hunt for mountain Indians from the Stoney tribe at Morley acted as guides. The party travelled up the mountain trail about three They secured one sheep, which fell to Mr. Lampson's rifle. His Royal Highness, although not successful ir bringing down the big game of the mountains, was so pleased with the short hunt that he will make another attempt at Sawbuck mountain to-morrow morning. The weather is exceptionally fine and all the members of the party praise the of a private character. excellent arrangements made for their the grandeur of western scenery. Banff | was asked. will be visited Wednesday afternoon,

PASTOR ATTACKED.

New York, April 3.-A mysterious at tempt was made to-night in East Port tions are general all over northern Al- Kopp, pastor of the German Lutheran berta to-day, and in the Saskatchewan church there, while on his way to the valley from the boundary line of Sas- church, where his wife was playing the katchewan to the limit of settlement organ. It is believed a hatchet was used on the west. The crop is going in in the attempt to kill the clergyman, and rapidly and under favorable conditions, such an instrument, covered with plood. Some sections report that long spells was later found by the sheriff in the of dry hot weather has made the home of Albert De Paul, organist of the and occasional delirium. ground rather dry, but this is a matter church. De Paul, whose wife is choir that may be remedied safely enough leader, is missing, and the police have when rains come. A good snowstorm sent out a general alarm for his arrest.

THE TABAH DISPUTE.

Ottoman Commission Contends That Place is in Turkish Territory.

Constantinople, April 4.—The report of the Ottoman commission, appointed to inquire into the Tabah dispute contends that Tabah belongs to the Aka- of the funds he is alleged to have wast- deceased. He states that he is not here bah district, and therefore is Turkish ed, nor will any civil action be brought in a legal sense, but stands ready to asterritory. It is not anticipated that this finding will prevent a settlement Regina, Sask., April 3.—The debate in accordance with the Anglo-Egypt-

WHOLESALE CHARGES AGAINST J. A. DOWIE

Accused of Polygamous Teachings -Warned that Further Rebellion Will Precipitate Complete Exposure.

Chicago, April 2.-John Alexander Dowie, head of the "Christian Catholic church in Zion," was to-day deposed as membership in the church he founded, shorn of his temporal possessions, as far as they are located in Zion City, the home of his church, and warned to accept the situation quietly lest worse things befall him.

The formal announcement of Dowie's verthrow was made to-day by Overseer John G. Speicher, who presided church in the tabernacle at Zion City. apostle and party. the sentiment which has grown up against the self-styled prophet.

The crowd, which filled the great structure and which formerly answered "yes" or "no" when Dowle nodded shook his head, to-night applauded when he was accused.

Overseer Speicher called out the num bers of chapters and verses of scripture, and in response the various church officials and prominent members who occupied seats on the platform quoted the passages called for. The new dictator of Zion's fortunes, Wilbur Gleen Voliva, responded to the commandment. "Thou shalt not steal. This sentiment was greeted with vocierous applause.

Mrs. Jane Dowie, wife of the first apostle, followed. "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor" was her response. More applause followed. The congregation then joined with a

zest that seemed to indicate their belief

in the words. "Beter Days Are Com-The first movement looking to Dowie's overthrow was made early today by Overseer Voliva, who was a power of attorney from Dowie. In company with several officers of the church, Voliva hastened to Waukegan, the county seat of Lake county, in which Zion City is situated, and filed for record a warranty deed, transferring to Deacon Alexander Grainger all

He also executed a bill of sale to Deacon Grainger, putting him in posession of all the personal property, of Dowle including his horses and carriages, books and even his bed. Later in day, Grainger conveyed these to Voliva, and at nightfall the overseer appointed by Dowie had not only succeeded him as the head of the church, but was the holder of all his property as well.

the real estate held by Dowie in Zion

The following message was sent to Dowie, informing him of the change in the situation.

"Dowie, Ocotlan, Jalisco, Mexico: Telegram received here and Chicago. rock cutting being the chief character- of concessions on the part of the mine Practically all, including Cincinnati, reports endorse Voliva's administration, Speicher's reinstatement, Grainger's retention. emphatically protesting against your extravagance, hypocrisy, misrepresentations, exaggerations, ty-

ranny and injustice. "You are hereby suspended from office and membership for polygamous teaching and other grave charges. See letter. Quietly retire. Further interference will precipitate complete exposure, rebellion, legal proceedings.

"Your statement, in view of stupendously magnificent financial outlook, is extremely foolish in view of thousands suffering through your shameful mismanagement. Zion and creditors will be protected at all costs."

The message was signed by W. G. Voliva, general overseer; William H. Piper, overseer for Chicago; H. E. Cante, overseer for United Kingdom: H. D. Bransfield, vice-president Zion university; Overseer John Excell, general ecclesiastical secretary, and John G. Speicher, overseer for Zion City.

After sending the telegram to Dowie Overseer Voliva discussed the proceedings of the day. He said: "If further steps are taken it will depend on what is done by Dowie. The situation is up to him as it stands."

Regarding the polygamous teachings mentioned in the message to Dowie, Overseer Voliva said he would issue a statement regarding them later, when Dowie had been given an opportunity for reply. He said, however, that the teachings had not been public but were

"Will Dowie be received in Zion City tertainment and express admiration of if he cares to come back?" the overseer

"Never as leader. He must behave himself if he comes back, or he will have to look out for himself."

It is generally belived by the officers of the church that the deposed leader will make a fight to recover his lost courts.

Deacon Speicher, who first became a very sick man, suffering from a pulmonary trouble, paralysis and dropsy

Dowie's project for the establishment sisting the latter demands. of a colony in Mexico will be abandoned by the new administration of Zion at this particular season would help Mr. Kopp's condition to-night is critical. City. Dowie will be given an allowance, according to advice from Zion City tonight, sufficient to maintain a residence Mexico if he so desires, or he will be received by the new officers of the church as a common citizen, should he Emma Ledoux, charged with the murder elect to return and take up his resi- of A. N. McVicar, was given to the grand

dence in Zion City. No action under the criminal laws van, of Plattsmouth, Neb., arrived in will be taken against him on account | Stockton to-day. He is an uncle of the

If the deposed leader becomes ob- be required. J. McVicar will start for his son, Gladstone, was prepared to body of his brother.

nake revelations that would "startle the world." No reply to the telegram sent to-day from Zion City to Dowie is expected to-night, inasmuch as Dowie is an eight-hour journey from the tele

graph station. Octlan, Mexico, April 4.-The following statement was made by John Alexander Dowle to the Associated Press last night regarding the action of cer-tain of his followers in deposing of him as their leader at Zion City:

CAR FEET OF GOVERN

"John Alexander Dowie, first apostle of the Christian Catholic Apostolic church in Zion, has treated with contempt the powerless allegations of his opposition by six of his overseers, headed by Voliva. "Dowie admits having taken the fol

owing action: "First-He has officially dismissed Overseer Voliva, Piper Exell, Bradfield, Cantel and Speicher. 'Second-He has cancelled Voliva's

power of attorney. "Third-He has dismissed Granger a religious leader, suspended from from the office of general financial manager "Fourth-He has appointed Deacon cessor, and has given him power of attorney

"Fifth-He has taken the necessary the vast interests of Zion. "Sixth-Deacon James F. Peters, general manager of Zion railroad affairs, is arranging transportation for over a meeting of 7,000 members of the the immediate return of the first

"He will probably give further inforpassages from the Bible expressive of world not to be anxious regarding the affairs of Zion City."

TO BUILD BRANCHES

C. P. R. SEEKS POWER

Bill Passed the Railway Committee-Lines Must Be Finished Within Five Years.

Ottawa, April 3.-At the railway committee the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company was given an extension of time to build to Comox and also certain branches.

The company asked power to build from Comox to a point near Campbell river, from Duncans to Alberni via Cowichan valley, from Englishman's March 29th. The informations were river to Alberni canal, and from Comox laid by F. Billings, of Vernon, solicitor via Cumberland southwest to a point near Alberni canal. A clause asked power to build branches from the main line under order in council. These lines are owned by the C. P. R. Mr. Sloan, who had charge of the

bill, said that four years were agreed upon for the construction of the main line. The people had been waiting 20 years for the road. Two years were given to begin and five years to complete the branch lines. Objection was taken to an extra

clause giving power to build other branch lines up to 50 miles by order in

Hon. H. R. Emmerson said it was a clause which gave the department great trouble and power was refused Mr. Drinkwater said that 20 miles would do as well as 50.

R. G. Macpherson (Vancouver) want ed to see the C. P. R. get all reasonable facilities to build railways on Vancouver Island. There was not likely to be any other company on the Island. especially on the south part. After some remarks from Ralph Smith, Mr. Drinkwater withdrew the clause and the bill passed.

TRAIN WRECKED.

Accident Caused By an Open Switch-Three Passengers Were Slightly Injured.

Norfolk, Va., April 4.-A wreck occurred on the Norfolk & Western rail- that the wages of shovellers in the whether the government intended to road, between Norfolk and Suffolk. when the "Cannoball" train, bound for to \$2.75 a day voluntarily by all the sular or other official reports concern-Richmond to this city, ran through an mines of the camp. It was found ing the recent outrages on Jews in open switch at Juniper siding and is difficult to retain shovellers in the Russia which it may have received. reported to have been completed des- mines at \$2.50 a day, for as soon as Lord Fitzmaurice, under secretary for troyed, the wreckage afterwards catch- they became proficient in shovelling foreign affairs for the government, said ing fire and almost the entire train, and learned how to take care of that to do so might be regarded as an consisting of two passenger cars and a themselves in the mines they left for illegitimate interference in matters baggage and mail car, being consumed. It was said at the offices of the Nor- was that shovellers had to be confolk & Westren road here this after- stantly broken in. One result of this noon that no one had been killed, and was that only the poorer class of men dorsed the government's attitude. that only three passengers had been remained, and the owners were slightly injured. Nothing was reported concerning the crew of the train. The railroad officials say they have \$2.50 to \$2.75 a day. The union men Was Captain-General of Cuba During no information concerning the burning are greatly pleased with the raise and of the wrecked train.

SITUATION IN MANCHURIA

Russians Have No Confirmation of Re- Making Excellent Progress, and Will ing the Spanish-American war. port That Conflict With Chinese Is Imminent.

St. Petersburg, April 3.-No confirmation has been received of the report published in the Russkoe Slovo in a dispatch says that a message has been received Chester, N. Y., to murder the Rev. John power. If this is done, they asserted yesterday from Harbin, Manchuria, that by wireless from the drydock Dewey, to-day the matter would go to the hostilities between the Russian and Chin- which was sixty miles northwest of ese troops were imminent. At the foreign Malta, maintaining a speed of more in a bank in New York. Wainwright is Manchuria is confidently believed to office it was said that negotiations be- than one hundred and five miles a day. accused of having stolen \$100,000 worth of convert to the faith of Zion as a phy- tween Russia and China over Manchuria During the entire run from Gibraltar silverware, plate and securities. sician, declared to-day that Dowie is a affairs are not progressing satisfactorily. the weather has been fine, and all is The Chinese are asking for a diminu- going smoothly. The officials in charge tion of the railroad guards along the of the Dewey expect to arrive at Port Mayor W. W. Rose's policy of licensing ment by a fear of complications a Manchurian railroad, but Russia is re-

MURDER MYSTERY

Stockton, Cal., April 2.-The case of

Case of Emma Ledoux Submitted to th Grand Jury.

TACOMA ELECTION. jury this morning. Ex-Judge A. N. Sullisist the prosecution in any way that may strepuous, however, it was said that Wichita, Kansas, this evening with the and John P. Hartman, municipal own- other day he chatted fluently with a Ger-

ANOTHER MINER HAS BEEN FOUND ALIVE

Hostile Demonstration Against Official Who Directed Salvage Work-Women Assulted State Engineer.

Lens, France, April 4.-Another living survivor of the mine disaster at Courrieres, March 10th, was discovered this morning and brought out of the pit. The finding of another miner alive Fielding Wilhite as Granger's suc- after 25 days entombment caused intense excitement. His name is Auguste Berton, and when found was in fairly good condition. According to his first legal steps to protect his estate and statement he suffered less than the preceding rescued men.

As the news spread through the region it caused extreme exaspiration against the engineers who have been directing the salvage work. M. Leon, the state engineer, when he arrived at the pit, was surrounded by a crowd of tion by various church dignitaries of mation to-day, and meanwhile asks the people who cursed and swore at him, one woman going to far as to strike the engineer.

Berton was found in the following manner: One of a party of salvage men was working in the mine this morning when he felt the touch of a hand on his shoulder and a man, who turned out to be Berton, said: "I am saved." He was at once taken to the pit and a doctor summoned. Mrs. Berton, his wife, was also sent for and an affective scene occurred.

When the engineers came to the surface at noon they were attacked by a murderers." They were rescued by a squadron of dragoons. The people are intensely excited. They believe that there are other men alive in the mines and serious disorders are threatened. Five search parties were sent down to explore the pit where Berton was found, but up to 1.30 p.m. they had not

discovered any more survivors. Other parties are searching the mines and the chief engineer will remain below all night.

INTIMIDATION OF CHINESE.

Four Men Decline to Pay Fine and Will Spend Thirty Days in Jail.

Penticton, B. C., April 2 .- As an aftermath of the Chinese expulsion trouble, six arrests were made here on for the Southern Okanagan Land Company, against J. H. Mitchell, James W Edmonds, A. C. Judd, J. F. Gladen George F. Winkler and G. F. Mohr, the charge being that of intimidating ten

The trial was held in Penticton hotel hall on March 30th, the magistrates being Messrs. Webster, Townley, Parker and Wade. L. H. Patton, of Fairview. acted for the defendants. The witnesses were Constable Nes-

bitt, Percy Millman, A. Smith, M. Martinson and H. Huycke. The evidence against Judd was slight and he was discharged, the rest of the accused were found guilty and fined \$25 or thirty days in jail. The magistrates offered the prisoners a week in hich to raise the amount of their

fines. G. F. Mohr paid his fine, but the balance elected to go to jail. As the prisoners left the court the large crowd present gave three cheers. Money was freely offered to pay their the lawyer for the defence, and furnish pocket money for the prisoners, on. who are leaving for Kamloops on Tues-

day's boat.

INCRÉASED WAGES. Shovellers in Rossland Mines Will Receive \$2.75 a Day.

Rossland, April 3.-Members of the Rossland Miners' Union stated to-day mines have been advanced from \$2.50 lay on the table of the House any conother mining sections. The result with which Great Britain had no contermined to raise the standard by voluntarily raising the wages from

express their satisfaction. THE DRYDOCK DEWEY

Probably Reach Port Said on

New York, April 4 .- A dispatch from Malta to the Herald, dated Tuesday, Said about April 15th.

Reports All Well.

voys, bound for the Philippines, passed here at noon to-day, and report all well state administration has been made to on board.

Mayor G. V. Wright, the Democratic Canadiate, Again Returned.

Tacoma, Wash., April 4.-Mayor George V. Wright, Democrat, was reelected yesterday by about 200 majority over O. R. McCormick, Republican, ership candidate.

ORO DENORA MINE.

Report That British Columbia Copper Company Has Secured Option on Property.

A Phoenix dispatch, dated March 30th, says: "While no official statement is procurable from those interested, it is believed that the British Columbia Copper Company has secured an option from the Denoro Mines, Limited, on the Oro Denoro mine, in Summit camp, one of the best known properties in that camp. Last Saturday all the men employed at the Oro Denoro were laid off by Superintendent Graham, and a diamond drill was in- Grand Trunk Pacific Has Not Applied stalled by the B. C. Copper Company in

the lower quarry of the mine, which is expected to be kept busy for some weeks. Within the last ten days the property has been visited by a number of officials of both companies, those coming into the Boundary on this business being Presi dent F. L. Underwood, Manager J. E. McAllister and Consulting Engineers Frederic Keffer and W. H. Thomas, the latter from New York, on behalf of the the Premier if there was any truth the B. C. Copper Co., while President J. S. C. the Grand Trunk Pacific were asking Fraser and Manager Smith Curtis, of a reduction of the poll tax from \$500

"The Oro Denoro mine adjoins the Emma, which has been operated with not a shadow of truth in the run considerable profit by the B. C. Copper The Grand Trunk Pacific had mad Company for years, and it is believed that such application. the Oro Denoro contains much the same quality of excellent fluxing ore as is found in the Emma, in fact, has the same ore body. With the enlargements expeted the offer of the British gov now under way at the company's smelting works at Greenwood the B. C. Copper | Canada. British warships will get Company can doubtless utilize this ore to use of the docks in the same way good advantage, if it is decided to take the past. This is another burden to over the mine. In the last four or five away from the British taxpayers ears the Oro Denoro has sent out about 40,000 tons of ore, mostly to the Granby smelter, and of this amount 6,000 tons have been shipped this year. This ore has all been cheaply mined on the quarrying system. The property has an immense deposit of low grade ore and is equipped with an air compressor, which has been used also by the Emma mine."

AMATEUR BOXING.

crowd of women crying, "Death to the Contests For National Championships Will Begin at San Francisco To-Night.

> San Francisco, April 4.-At Mechanic's Pavillon the boxing tournament of three nights for the national amateur championships will begin to-night. The sale of seats has been so large that there is very little doubt the pavilion will be filled to its capacity. Everything points to a most successful tournament, the best of its kind ever held under the rules of the amateur athletic union. It is expected that there will be 25 three-round bouts tonight. With the large entry list it will be necessary to hold that many bouts each night of the tournament. Eddie Graney will referee.

EARL GREY. Governor-General and Lady Grey the Guests of French Ambassador at Washington.

Washington, D. C., April 4.—Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, and Lady Grey and party, who were guests of the President over night, visited the British embassy to-day and later unched with the French ambassador and Madame Jusserand. A part of the programme for the entertainment of the visitors includes a trip to Mount Vernon to-morrow aboard the United States ship Dolphin.

WILL MODIFY DEMANDS. Report That Miners Will Submit New Proposals to the Operators.

Scranton, Pa., April 4.-Word was received in this city to-day from New York that when the anthracite operators and miners committees re vene to-morrow in that city the latter fines, but was refused. A collection of | will present to the operators a new set Hamilton Built Yacht Will Take P \$75 was taken in an hour's time, to pay of demands greatly modified from the others the miners had been determined

Arbitration Board's Offer. Springfield, Ill., April 4.—The state next Lipton cup races were r board of arbitration offered its services | yesterday when E. S. Balcom, to-day to the miners and operators of

Illinois.

JEWS IN RUSSIA. London, April 3.—Replying to a question in the House of-Lords last night

The Archbishop of Canterbury en-GEN. BLANCO DEAD.

Spanish-American War. Madrid, April 4.-General Blanco died this morning. He was captain-general of Cuba immediately prior to and dur-

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

About \$50,000 worth of the securities al leged to have been stolen by Thoma Wainwright from the residence of Dr Nicholas Pinault in Minneapolis found on Tuesday in a safe deposit vault

Four of the six wards in Kansas City declared in Tuesday's election against ly on the part of the Japanese gove liquor joints. The Mayor sent his resignation to the city council Tuesday night. was going on. The resignation was unanimously ac Valentia, Malta., April 4.—The United | cepted. Mayor Rose, ever since his ele States drydock Dewey and her con- tion on the Democratic ticket a year ago. has favored licensing the saloons, and the J. E. Sullivan Leaves London to Meet convict saloonkeepers for selling. liquor Mayor Rose made his policy an issue in the election for aldermen and was defeated. An unusually large number of

> Judge Smyly, of Shoreditch, Eng., has to-day to join the American recently he has heard a case in French, about April 17th. corrected a Yiddish interpreter, and translated an Italian's evidence. man litigant.

CHINESE POLL TAX

DENIAL OF RUMOR

For Modification of Head

Ottawa, April 4.—Ralph Smith in the House of Commons yesterday asked Rossland, represented the Denoro Mines, \$50 to get Chinese to build the wes section of the line. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said there

> Transfer of Dockyard. The Dominion government has ment to transfer Halifax dockyar

Railway Bills. It should be mentioned that the & N. railway bill, which was put through the railway committee vest day by W. Sloan, had an unlimited

period to bulld its road, and he got it

down to four years.

The Vancouver & Lulu Island railway bill was adopted. It was in charge of R. G. Macpherson, who explained that it was for an extensif time. Two years to begin work a five years for completion were gran W. A. Galliher's bill respecting Kootenay & Arrowhead Railway was adopted. This is for an extensi of time. Hon. H. R. Emmerson protests from the Revelstoke boar trade and Trout Lake Board of Tr against the extension, unless work proceeded with. This referred to section from Arrowhead to Trout lake Three years to begin and five to com

plete were given. Seek Increase. About 200 rural postmasters are her from all over Ontario. They want a ncrease of the minimum allowance postmasters from \$25 a year to \$3 They also want an increase in the per cent. allowance to stamp vendors.

GOT FIVE YEARS. Sentence Passed on Former Presider of Big Bend National Bank of

Davenport. Spokane, April 2.-Charles C. Ma former president of the Big Bend tional Bank of Davenport, was tenced by Judge Edward Whitson the federal court this morning to serve five years in the United States pen tentiary at McNeil's Island. This the minimum penalty allowed by the law. May was convicted of making false reports to the comptroller of the currency as to the bank's financia condition, and also of juggling the funds of depositors to forward a mining speculation in which the bank president was interested. He will be released on \$5,000 bonds pending an appeal. May was arrested in Boston last year. A warrant was sent to that while he was in New York, Lear ing of this fact, May went to Bosto

and gave himself into custody. CANADIAN WILL COMPETE.

in the Races for the Lipton Cup Chicago, Ill., April 4.-All doub o the entry of a Canadian boat Columbia Yacht Club, returned Hamilton, Ont., with a signed of from J. H. Fearnside, of that city build a 21-footer and sail in the seri The deal is considered the most ortant in yachting for some years,

gives the Lipton races internati interest. THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Earl and Countess Grey Enterta

by President Roosevelt. Washington, April 3. - Presi Roosevelt gave a dinner at the W House to-night in honor of the Go nor-General of Canada and Coun Grey and their party. The vi arrived here from New York this ing and went direct to the House, where they are to be night guests of the President. They will remain in the city for eral days and will be enterta the British ambassador and Lad rand and other friends. At the to-night the table decorations bridal and Golden Gate roses.

"OPEN DOOR" IN MANCHURL

Announcement Will Be Made Sho By Japanese Government-Cause of Delay.

Tokio, April 4.-The long expec nnouncement of the "open door in a very near future. The delay making the announcement has unofficially stated, been prompted so ing while the transmision of tro

EN ROUTE TO NAPLES.

Team of Athletes From States.

London, April 4.-James E. Sulliv ecretary of the Amateur Athlet who is to represent Union. Inited States at the Olympic games at Athens, Greece, April 22nd, left Londo the gift of tongues. At the County court who are expected to arrive at Naples

> New York, April 4.-Sir Adolphe Caron arrived here to-day on the steamer Carmania from Liverpool.

Indications tha ual Laying

There is every indicati the year 1907 will see th of the Grand Trunk Pa begun on this coast. This previously mentioned in t be characterized by great the way of surveys. Th the company to make a the following spring in th

ing of the rails. This is borne out by a from Vancouver and whi be weil founded. It is reporter has been placed for with a company in Van was organized for the pu ing in railway supplies. of this company is D. Ha the president of the G. T been making his headqu

coast for a number of year The contract calls for t half a million ties, which to lay about 200 miles of ties, it is said, are to be coming winter at the Prince Rupert or at ot the northern coast line by the railway company It is reasonable, theref that the officials of the

in view an early start work upon the opening 1907. It is further appa building of the line wil coast and proceed eastwa a part of the way acros In order to carry thi fectively there will requ preliminary work done a or Prince Rupert as th called. E. G. Russell, tive of the G. T. P. on north a few days ago of As usual, Mr. Russell w cative with respect to view. It may be infe that his mission had Kaien Island townsite be preparatory to the la city of Prince Rupert, gone on with some time

the early spring.

Incidentally it may be

the intention of the con spect to the new city of is to make it a model it is reported be no tro the start in laying it or ple provision for all i the place. The compa the mistakes of other future was not looked and will overcome all The attempt to acqui Indian reserve which tiguous to the city measure which Victoria preciate. Digby Island Island, is separted fro bout a quarter of a r is sure in time to form suburb of the city to b

ENGINEERS BANOL AT THE

Pleasant Time Spent ing in the Nanaim The annual conver stationary engineers close at Nanaimo by banquet, tendered by

of the association. It

Queen's hotel, and w

ed. Referring to the

Press says: Chairman Brown, lodge, threw the lev works going in a nea ter the inner man h and oiled with the drinkables, the toas observed in a ringing tional Anthem. W. chasing agent of th Company, rendered a McKenzie, Manson sponded to the toa Lodge of British Col Mr. McKenzie expla ject of the associat vancement and educa the individual memb sire to live up to the Boilers Inspection started two years ago bers and had been gr until now the men to over two hundred. to work for their and also those of th latter they had appa

ed satisfactorily. Mr. Manson, of think the engineers on the rights of same time they did to trespass on their were the last thing they had too much they did not believ heads against a other and better wa differences. Mr. Sprague, of V

the engineers were per cent. for their o idea was to make ful to employers the get along without Inspection Act wo tage of labor and wished to take occa member of the legis Hawthornthwaite, he had done in the the passing of the Following a song Nanaimo, the toas pectors, was pro ed to by Inspector

nton at some lengt