

THE MINISTER LEAVES FOR EAST

THREE WEEKS CLOSE SEASON ON FRASER

Will Probably Arrange for Appointment of Patrol Officer for Vancouver Island.

Vancouver, Aug. 24.—Hon. R. Prentiss left for the East on this morning. The minister stated to the cameras in an interview yesterday that he had recommended a portion of the salmon season for August 25th to September 15th, and that an order-in-council to that effect had been passed. He said the hatchery at Morris creek was already under construction. He would arrange for the cleaning up of spawning grounds as soon as he returned to Ottawa.

RUSSIAN PRISONERS How They Are Treated By the Japanese—Receive the Best of Care.

Boston, Aug. 23.—The American board has received from Rev. Sidney L. Galt, of Matsuyama, Japan, a report of missionary work, which states that more than 1,200 Russian prisoners have been brought to the city. The prisoners are quartered in several large temples, and are treated with the utmost consideration. They are given work to do, and are allowed to receive letters from their families. The board is of the opinion that the Japanese are treating the prisoners as well as they could be expected to do.

CRIPPLE CREEK TROUBLES Two Men Expelled By Mob Seek Damages—Miners Told to Leave District.

Denver, Aug. 23.—H. N. Heindelinger and J. S. Hall, representatives of the Interstate Mercantile Company, who were expelled from Cripple Creek Saturday by a mob, today held a consultation with former Governor Charles S. Thomas and instructed him as their attorney to begin suit in the Federal court for an injunction forbidding interference with them and their party in Cripple Creek. They will also seek compensation from Teller county for their losses. Suits for damages will also be brought by the deportees against the leaders of the mob, who are all well known. An appeal will be made to Governor Peabody for protection, as heretofore troops have been used to deport men and to prevent deportees from returning to their homes.

Heart Disease MOST SUDDEN AND DANGEROUS OF ILLNESSES.

DR. AGNEW'S HEART CURE RELIEVES IN 80 MINUTES. Slightly as a thief in the night, heart disease heralds its coming only by the deadly grip it lays upon its victims. It can have a sudden onset, smothering its victims, or it can creep in slowly, until the victim is unable to resist. Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure will relieve every case in 30 minutes and will radically cure 80 per cent. of those affected. It is a perfect remedy for the stomach, Dr. Agnew's Ointment cures all skin eruptions, 35c.

OTAWA NOTES. Inspecting New Carlines—Newfoundland Has Been Infringing Canadian Rights.

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—Col. Robert Cartwright, inspector of musketry, is in Quebec inspecting one thousand carbines which the Ross Rifle Factory has turned out for the Northwest Mounted Police. The minister of militia will shortly sanction the adoption of a wind gauge improved eight for the Canadian service rifle. Several patterns are now before the department for approval.

DAMAGED BATTLESHIP. The Sebastopol Struck a Mine While Bombarding Japanese Land Positions.

London, Aug. 24.—A telegram from Tokyo to the Japanese legation says the Russian battleship Sebastopol was bombarding the Japanese land position outside the harbor at Port Arthur when she struck a mine (as previously reported from Tokyo by the Associated Press). Besides a list to starboard the battleship's bows were submerged.

ANOTHER DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT TORONTO Firm of Stationers Again Suffers Heavy Loss—Dentist Drowned by Capsizing of Boat.

Montreal, Aug. 22.—Theodore Duval, the laborer who was shot by Antonio Glacovis, a Galician on Saturday as the result of a quarrel in a saloon on Notre Dame street, is dead. Glacovis is at police headquarters with the probability of a charge of murder being laid against him.

Railway Manager Dead. Montreal, Aug. 22.—R. C. Carter, general manager of the Bay of Quinte railway, died of a heart attack on Saturday.

Winnipeg, Aug. 22.—The wife of a section man named Wheeler has committed suicide at Cowan.

Two Children of Joe Collins, of the Mission, near Port Williams, disappeared last Monday.

Swales, who was temporarily acting as night watchman, was found dead in the town hall yesterday morning.

Edmonton, N. W. T., Aug. 22.—A drowning accident occurred yesterday afternoon at Cooking Lake, a summer resort near here.

Toronto Fire. Toronto, Aug. 22.—Brown Bros. Limited, stationers, who suffered a loss of a quarter of a million with \$150,000 insurance in the big fire in April, are now being burned out of the city.

THE PAIN OF A SPRAIN. Isn't half so serious as the loss of time.

BUILDING TRADE DISPUTE. Nearly Twenty-Five Thousand Additional Men Ready to Work When Called Upon.

New York, Aug. 24.—Nearly 25,000 will be added to the 30,000 strikers and locked out workmen in the Building Trades Alliance.

IMPOSING SCENE AT CHRISTENING OF HEIR

Many Guests Attended the Ceremony—Important Meeting of Visitors at Royal Palace.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 24.—The christening of the heir to the Russian throne occurred this morning at the Church of the Peterhof palace, with imposing ceremony. A procession of gilded coaches accompanied the infant prince from the Alexandra villa to the church, after the Metropolitan of St. Petersburg had administered the sacrament to the heir the Emperor invested the latter with the insignia of the order of St. Andrew. Immediately thereafter the ringing of church bells and firing of a salute of 101 guns announced the completion of the ceremony.

CHAT WITH EASTERN JUNIORS SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED

CHAT WITH EASTERN LACROSSE AUTHORITY

J. Lally Makes Suggestions on Best Way to Build Up a Strong Team.

"To raise the standard of lacrosse in the West the game must be introduced in the different public schools, for only those who take it up early make successful players." This statement was made in a very emphatic manner by J. Lally, one of the best known authorities on the Canadian national pastime in the Dominion. Mr. Lally is making an extensive tour, having visited most of the important cities en route to the coast, and intending to spend some weeks in Washington, Oregon and California before returning.

Mr. Lally expresses a strong opinion on the system of importing players for the purpose of improving a team which has become weak for want of first class local men or the support of the general public.

When informed of Victoria's experience with its imported players in the memorable 24th of May game against Vancouver, Mr. Lally smiled.

Lacrosse, Mr. Lally affirmed, has improved wonderfully during the past few years, but he predicted that the game would not be so successful in the future.

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PREPARE TO MEET RAILWAY COMMISSION

Reports Submitted by the Secretary Dealing With the Aids to Navigation.

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George Riley, M. P., was present, and some important matters connected with the mail service were next discussed.

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