

SEEKS A HAVEN

FRISCO BARRISTER

IN THIS CITY

FLIES TO VICIORIA

Times His Story

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Vesterday afternoon there reached

this city George D. Collins and Mrs.

Collins, of San Francisco, whose arrival

here transferred for the nonce the centre

of a sensational case, which is convulsing

turally in view of the notoriety that has

been one of the most prominent members

of the San Francisco bar, his specialty

being criminal law. His indictment on

a startling sensation, which was accen-

tuated by the conspicuous attention the

case received from the press. It is charged that a marriage he contracted a short time ago with Miss Clarice Mc-

Curdy in Chicago is illegal, because

Mrs. Collins number one happens to be

left 'Frisco's balmy atmosphere and came north, travelling overland. They

lost no time en route for Mr. Collins

loes not close his eyes to the fact that

he is a fugitive from justice as admin-

he is a fuginve from justice as admir-istered in the Bay City. Chief Langley, of the Victoria police force, was apprised of the direction taken by the twain and instructed to keep a look-out for them. When they arrived yesterday afternoon the chief

had them watched, and they were seen

to enter the Driard. He learned, how-

ever, that the charge of bigamy was one

that did not admit of extradition pro-ceedings, so the San Francisco authori-

ties will simply have to whistle for their

man. Of this Mr. Collins was aware

several weeks before his flight. To-day

Times man accosted him at the Driard

live. Previous to the conclusion of the

the charge of bigamy, therefore, caused asked.

ice .quickly

I Am Entirely Innocent

cludes both bench and bar."

me of trying to manufacture a discredit-able record against him. Then the press

popular prejudice against me. Day in and day out in their news columns they gave publicity to

All Sorts of Stories

about me, and then began to attack me

tnat a man of my calibre should not be anowed to practice his profession in San

Francisco, and that any jury which sent me into disgrace would deserve the com-

mendation of the public. What chance,

then, had I in the face of this deliberate

in their editorial columns. They said

never wearied of attempting to

CZAR TO MURAVIEFF

Emperor Niclo'as to the Former Minister.

July 13.-Emperor appointment of M. the committee of to be chief plenipog the Russian gove negotiations to be onth in the United

which was signed thes M Witte with e designation of M.

ssion was forwardhis morning. yd steamship Kaiser ake passage on the e, which sails from

he chief of the Russ, may be regarded ral statesman of Rus-56 years of age, and y up from the posirailroad clerk, who as porter, to that of an of Russia. In snite enemies are numere most powerful men is what is known in, his honesty and een doubted even by One of the reasons v is the fact that tely Russian. His tch descent. and he at Tiflis, Caucasia. a Count in 1901, but en referred to as M. aghly familiar with tion in all its beartically it was M. I of Russia's Far creation of

Far East which all as minister of fin to Port Arthur in vited by the Japanese t Japan, which would

Japanese probably will. ction to conduct the in benalf of Russia. will be dealing with nan who best under on, and is more likely ent mutually advan-

m to the Emperor Manchuria and Korea for the extension of nfluence and activity, Russian occupation o bound to lead to a ally to war. When he uled Witte advised the tion of the Circum or stratgetical purpose

he situation became-Russia was not preged at least the tempor the Russian forces "He then wrote to the <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> ws: "Instead of mak-Japan, we should win strongly advise a We need to populat inces, and have vital nd in the event of war ace, in order that peasmay understand what: for." But all the te were unheeded, and consulted. SED HE CZAR'S OFFER. 3.-The St. Petersburg the Echo De Paris disinglimation of M. the Russian peace ed partly on his state rtly on the fact that his xpenses to cover the rn in America, was only ich amount is consider wing to the great cost United States, M. ed to become the sucravieff on the mission. hat he did not wish to head in the transmission olas of the pace terms apanese. His selection, but be taken to mean has yielded to his he real powers of pleninferred upon the Ruspeace mission. NG RUSSIANS. int of the Landing on alien Island. 0.-The following report ed from the Japanese ers on Sakhalien Island: (From Thursday's Daily.) Folled in their efforts to have George D. Collins, the San Francisco lawyer, ar-ested in Victoria on a charge of bigamy id against him in the Bay City, the way on not under arrest, or even thout much resistance, ovsk early on July 8th ed the town and retired miles north, where sistance. with such colors as accord with the sen-with such colors as accord with the sen-vesting 25c, in Foot Elm at your Drug D. Collins, the San Francisco lawyer, arattired in pearl crepe de chene over taf-feta. She also carried a beautiful bou-for President Roosevelt. them and are now in rested in Victoria on a charge of bigamy timents of the people of the country in Store. Treat your feet fairly. Send stamp ruse to get him back. Bigany, it was found was not an extraditable offence; something that was would have to be levelled at him. In perjury, the latest count, they think they have hit upon the proper thing, and so far they have man-aged to score. Up till 11 o'clock last night Mr. Collins was akhed of the game-hensive arm of the law embraced kim. And they may access to the same and they may access to the the same and they may access to the same and they may access to the same and they may access to the the same and they may access to the the same and they may access the same access the same and they may access the same access the same and they may access the same and they may access the same access the same and they may access the same a surveillance of some kind?" he was quet.* asked. "Apparently not." he returned. "I brother, Mr. Ernest A. Scott, of Vanlaid against him in the Bay City, the on July 8th the enemy whose ports he happens to. be. The for particulars of our \$100.00 in prizes. done in the presence of the young wom a point 22 miles north who was the innocent cause of the action of the customs official was an | V. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont. quarrel. insult to the British flag. The plea of two 12-centimetre guns. lack of tact is about the weakest and also an amount of LAUNCH RUN DOWN. FOOT ELM defence of a silly, indefensible action on no losses." New York, July 12 .- It is believed the part of an official who should have tured Guns. Prevents perspiration, chafing, blie that three and possibly four lives were lost last night when the steam launch some slight conception of his duties that 10 .- A dispatch to the tering, etc., and prevents your shoes could possibly be made. The United from Tokio announces force on the Island of Normandie was sunk in collision with from cracking. States is a great nation. Its officers a vessel supposed to have been a tramp steamship in the Hudson river. should be taught to conduct themselves, ch is pursuing the Rus captured four guns and a state when a provide the second a second allow

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and he was taken into custody by Detec-tive george Perdue. When informed by Chief of Police wanted me for slaughtering somebody. When informed by Chief of Police Langley that it was useless for him to arrest Mr. Collins here on the charge of dite me for any other offence, and then charge with the original information-for bigamy, the chief of the San Francisco bigamy."

There was something prophetic in Mr. Laid an Information Laid an Information charging the lawyer with perjury, The gravamen of the charge was that in an Collins' remarks, as subsequent develop-ments disclosed. Evidently he had good reason to believe that the San Francisco by Mr. Scott. action for alimony, instituted against authorities him by Charlotte Newman, who claims Wc Wouldn't Let Him Escape

to be his real wife, he swore that he and to be his real wife, he swore that he and the plaintiff were not married on May they might do as they had done before. 15th, 1889, knowing that statement to be untrue. These particulars were tele-boat and try to kidnap him, but he did Says He Is Victim of Cruel Conspiracy in California Metropolis – Tells lence on Belcher street, and a warrant man who tried to shanghai me. All I for Mr. Collins' arrest was issued. for Mr. Collins' arrest was issued. Previous to his arrest a Times repre-sentative called upon him at the Driard hotel and heard from him a further re-cital of the defails of what he described want here is half a show and I will try as "a base, degrading conspiracy." He spoke just as freely as he did to the Times man early in the afternoon, ex-plaining that as he had not been given After his arest Mr. Colli

fair play by the San Francisco press; he deemed it only right to give his side of the charge of perjury, like the other, was trumped up-entirely false-indicating to After his arest Mr. Collins said that of a sensational case, which is conversion the Bay City press, and is rivetting the attention of the element which finds in scandal its daily pabulum. Quite naed H. D. Helmcken, K. C., to look after his interests. Mr. Collins is a man

turally in view of the notoriety that has a failed of the charge against me. For the past two months I have been subjected to the basest treatment with no opportunity to a basest treatment with no opportunity to give out my side of the case. The conspiracy against me is the work of a minority, a powerful minority, which in cludes both bench and bas?" "How did they manage to get an in-trousers, and strikes one as a man of strong personality and force. Mrs. Coldictment against you?" the reporter lins is a rather prepossessing young wo "Ah, there you are," he replied. "The to her husband, indicating that she has

An, there you are, he replied. The judge who presided over the grand jury that indicted me was a man who would have availed himself of every opportuni-ty to ruin me, because I had him im-peached before the governor of the state for conduct unbecoming to the bench--for conduct unbecoming to the bench--immescient method this work beaution of the state on May 15th, 1880, he married one Char-lotte Newman, by whom he had several children, and that with his wife living Collins number one happens to be Previous to the conclusion of the however, Mr. Collins and his wife 'Frisco's balmy atmosphere and north, travelling overland. They

had aroused by upsetting on appeal so many of his decisions that he accused Newman, who died five years ago. of Charlotte Newman, a Miss Agnes

a Times man accosted him at the Driard just as he had finished luncheon. "Yon are Mr. Collins, of San Francisce, are you not?" he asked. The other, who treated the newspaperman with the utmost cordiality paused for a few sec-onds, and then smilingly said: "Yes, Ym Mr. Collins." He expressed his willingness to give his side of the ques-tion without reserve. to daughter and son-in-law.

SEVERAL WEDDINGS

in the Holy Bonds of

on appeal, but the damage would have however, my first wife's sister came out with a startlingly false story that I had been content to take lying down all the Matrimony. married her. abuse that my enemies would assiduously "Now, in the course of my sixteen years' practice at the California bar i had made many enemies, some of whom for all T was worth, and that were very powerful. I had also a per sonal trouble with the San Francisco. I. therefore, de-termined that at the first opportunity I posecuting course in actions for dam area arainst the other papers. They "Now, in the course of my sixteen or the conflict which he

WOMAN KILLED the steamer Princess Victoria for Seat-tle. A tour of the Sound cities and a visit at Harrison Hot Springs will b made before they return to Victoria. On their return to Victoria they will take up their residence at 257 Fort street. where a fine home is being comp MURDERER MADE HIS Turpel-May.

Last evening the marriage of Mis Margaret Jeanette May, daughter of Mr. W. May, of Chemainus, and Mr., S Turpel, of this city, was solemnized. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Carson at the residence of Mrs. Cruiser Canada Will Intercept Virginian and Land Mail for Fast Run M. J. Pearson, a sister of the bride, whose home is at the corner of Kingston and Montreal streets. The house was appropriately and tastily decorated for the

Miss Sadie Turpel, a sister of the room, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Fulton McDougal supported the groom. The bride and groom left last evening was assaulted and murdered yesterday "The government of Canada s, all right. for the Sound, and will include in the by Joe Bennett, another Indian, with It keeps things straight. Law is respect- Liberals will not play fair in the sense honeymoon trip a visit to Portland. On their return to Victoria they will eside on Superior street.

Gill-McLean. Miss Eva McLean, of this city, and Mr. William Gill, marine engineer, of Vancouver, were married last evening at

escape. The Canada Sails. the residence of the bride's mother, Saanich road, Rev. W. Leslie Clay performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret McLean, while Mn. Louis Gettle sup-Mr. and Mrs. Gill left last evening on the Princess Beatrice for Vancouver, where they will take up their residence. ORANGEMEN CELEBRATE.

BY TRIBESMAN

to Montreal.

Grand Procession I Through Principa Streets of Terminal City-Meeting at Brockton Point. The Twelfth of July was appropriate Found Unconscious. ly celebrated by the Orange lodges of Victoria, Vancouver and other British Columbia points at the Terminal City. Wednesday. As mentioned in these columns, the party which left this city to take part in the festivities was composed of over two hundred members, of the local lodges. Immediately monor the arr light miles the last that can be learned of his actions until eleven on Surder whether the set is actions and left his family at home, and went to take the rig back to the livery. That is the last that can be learned of his actions until eleven on local lodges. Immediately monor the arr light miles the set is a citizen of the minority in the legislature of the pro-ince the premier connived with the returning officer of Fernie constitu-Newman, who died five years ago. Extradition Proceedings. Extradition proceedings were insti-thated, before His Honor Judge Lamp,

GAVE LIFE FOR CHUM.

consider my obligations in this respect Linding any longer. In the meantime L cause' scored four times in successful by means of quick combination and accurate shoot ing. The other goals, came at irregular intervals, but the advantage was West-minster's from that time until the innet. If the cert under the ausplues of the Orange blodges, but owing to the departing of the Orange steamer Charmer at 8 o'clock Mictorians were unable to enjoy it as long as many were unable to enjoy it as long as many I Have Been Prejudged. was living a lonely life, and determined to marry again. After I had done this, on anneal but the domerse would be upset Last Evening Four Couples Were Joined

"TO BE LET ALONE." American theorists that a very short time ago were quite convinced that the life, in a manner creditable to the peopling of our Northwest with settlers | mighty power they represent. rom the United States would within a short time create an annexational sentiment that would eventually permeate to the uttermost parts of the Dominion. Some of the correspondents who lately ESCAPE TO WOODS passed through the Northwest gave their special attention to the discovery of that latent but growing sentiment. None of them could find any evidence of a feeling in favor of annexation., All the foreign-

they asked for nothing more than to be let alone and to make their way. The whom she was intimate. The affair ed here as much or more than it is on that the agents of the government undercaused a frenzy of excitement among the the other side of the line, where I lived of the murderer, who made a successful acteristic narrowness and prejudice) said:

doing me any hurt. It lets me alone. I tration Halifax, N. S., July 10.-Capt. Knowl- cannot feel where it cuts into me anywhich was wrecked a few days ago while ting naturalized here. It is better for

Brantford, July 11 .-- Jerry Dunn, pro- New York, is not the only one to the The structure is the structure

fincees of

even on such a day as the fourth of July, with a dignity and decorum, and with regard to the amenities of national It is not likely that Mr. Bumps, the official at Charlotte, will receive the punishment he deserves. The matter is too contemptible to be the subject of international exchanges. But people of common-sense understand what ought to happen to Mr. Bump.

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ALBERNI'S OPPORTUNITY.

The great political battle is joined in ers found the conditions so much more Alberni. Mr. McBride and his aides, congenial than in "the countries Hon. Messrs. Green and Wilson, have from which they emigrated that been on the ground for a week or more, and if there had been no attempt to Brantford, Ont., July 10.-Betsy German when asked what he thought of ly informed that the constituency would traverse their arguments we are solemn-Jacobs, an Indian woman, aged 40 years, his new and strange surroundings said, have declared for the government by stand fairness. Messrs. Macdonald and Indians of the reserve, many of whom for ten years." The old-line American Smith and Sloan and Oliver and Drury are now hunting in the woods for a trace (meaning the American with all his char-in the malignity of their hearts have gone forth to meet the mighty men of "I do not see that this government is the Hawthornthwaite-McBride adminis-

Doubtless the Liberal leader and ton, of the Dominion cruiser Canada, has engaged the crew of the steamer Salerno, where. I like the old flag; but I am get-Messrs. Smith and Sloan will take occasion to refer to various matters of great which was wrecked a few days ago while entering the harbor here, to take the business reasons to take out papers, and political interest at the present time, entering the harbor here, to take the places of his mutinous crew. The Can-ada has sailed to intercept the Allan liner Virginian with mails and land them increase of the provide the and the sail the provide th Inter yirginian with mains and hand them at Sydney for a fast run to Montreal. Outbreak of Glanders. Berlin, Ont., July 11.—Glanders have Berlin, Ont., July 11.—Glanders have broken out among the horses in this lo-broken out among the horses in this lo-cality. Ottawa, veterinary authorities the attractions of a foreign country. In changing his allegiance he cast a reflec-The government of Hon. Richard Mction upon his native land that is unfor-givable. The case of Wide Theor, of blackest character and it has been mainprietor of the Imperial hotel here, was out driving on Sunday evening with his comily He returned and left his family become in all respects a citizen of the minority in the legislature of the prov-

acking in essential features. The charge was a general one, and it was not set forth that because of specified acts he was guilty of the crime. One of the first half, at the end of on an argument made by Mr. Helmeken strangely enough was based on a judgment given on an argument made by Mr. Collins in the catter outs.
An adjournment was taken until 3 o'clock this afternoon.
Mrs. Collins' mother, Mrs. McCurdy,
Mrs. Collins' mother, M

tion without reserve. "About sixteen years ago," he said, "I married in San Francisco a Miss Newman, and to us several children were born. Living with us was my wife's sister, a Miss Charlotte Newman, to jump from one set of the mattern the minion would have specify the life of such a government. American people have at last been brought to realize and to admit the life of such a government. But the theft of the Ferrie seat did not place the McBride government on were born. wife's sister, a Miss Charlotte Newman About five years ago my wife died, and as they have done other gentients. der ordinary eiraumstances I would will-ingly face my accusers in the court, but ingly face my accusers in the court, but veloped in the neighborhood of the New Westminster flags, and when the referee, er uprising Witte preshad restored peace he found it necessary Gilbert Johnson Killed While Protecting truth that the institutions of Canada are safe ground. There was still not a suff-SOLEMNIZED IN CITY to send two Vancouverites and three of the Royal City players to the fence for sole four times in successful by means see his chum, Arnold Lawson, only son the American settler discovered this for himself and is telling all his friends was made with the Socialist party.