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g of Members of Presby-Church

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ar's work were sub-sion, board of mand, adult Bible class, P. S. C. T., and the committees, all of that the past year the most prosper-tion's history. claims there apces in the financial departments, to-ral contribution to benevolent funds

all sources for all to \$2,707 26, id, which has now butetd \$540 and h a credit balance

tee reported conto \$417.25 towards organ to replace the past twenty ted to be installed w days. the building comto proceed immection of a hall in ch for the use of

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of the congrega-

appointed mana e whose term of W. Semple, Wm. adless and John eing now consti-W. Semple, Wil-ckintosh, D. Fraon, George Mc-Peatt and John

ss had been satislously disposed ght refreshments social half hour ter, Rev. D. Mac-

NS LOST. of Georgia While

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Victoria her watchman put broke away he nd kept her unked up. The ent aboard the ch broke adrift

rd inst., at 1438 and Mrs. W. B. Irs. Wilfred Glb-n Feb. 3rd, a son oilee hospital, on and Mrs. A. E. "Esquimalt, a

1911, at St. James

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rs. Gordon dson street.

an. 30th, 75 years. Jan. 29, Henry ngland, aged 81

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PAVING CONTRACTS TO BE LET SHORTLY

City Engineer Smith to Invite Wages at Rate of 341/2 Cents Two Men Wounded by Bandits Two Other Men Sustain Seri- Continued Rain and Snow Pre- Navarro's Troops Are Moving Trade Agreement Will Receive Tenders for Half Mil lion Yards

(From Monday's Daily.) Angus Smith, city engineer, intends to lose no time in calling for tenders for the major portion of the asphalt

But unless I am mistaken," added e engineer, "we will get the work one for a figure considerably less han \$2 per yard."

It was hinted in city hall circles this orning that those members of the rmanic board opposed to the speciations as drawn, on the ground that petition is limited owing to the that a concrete base is made comory, may ask for the reconsider n of the engineer's report. It is ed by these dissenting members the interests of the property-ownwould be better safeguarded by the treasurer having in his possession per cent. of the contract price of pavement for a period of ten years a mere expression of opinion an official.

The city council has already detered upon calling for tenders for the ving work to be done on a number the trunk roads of the city-Fort from Douglas to Linden enue; Yates street, from Blanchard Cook, and Government, street from iscovery to Hillside avenue. The ard is unanimous in the opinion that concrete base should be used on runk roads where the traffic is heavy, retained out to the city.

base, it having been demonstrated in face up "just like a carpet."

WILL VISIT DUBLIN

Announcement Regarding Tour of King George and Queen Mary

London, Feb. 13.-The following offi-

orted in Glasgow that the King and against the said work in the meantime n will include that city in their sh itinerary next summer. It is ected that the King will then formopen Glasgow's new royal in-

KILLED BY TRAIN.

alt, Ont., Feb. 13.—Chas. Simonstein is train in charge of the same con- father in Porcupine. or and at the same place.

INJURED BY AUTO Francisco, Cal., Feb. 13.—The police announces that the Great Northern Hailannounces that the Great Northern Railto-day are on the hunt for a party
autofists who, having run down and
bably fatally injured Miss Bessie
and left and

WILL SAFEGUARD LABORING MEN

IMPORTANT CLAUSES IN PAVING CONTRACTS

Per Hour-No Asiatic Labor

(From Monday's Daily.) At the request of Ald. W. F. Fuller ton special precautions are to be taken during the execution of the large for the major portion of the aspiral during the execution of the large amount of paving work to be done this paving work authorized by the city council. Speaking to the Times this mediately tenders would be immediately tenders would be immediately tenders would be immediately tenders would be instructed to redraft the follow-for 500,000 yards of paving work. This, he explained, would represent an expenditure of approximately \$1,000.

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The men were working at the far end the city engineer, have been instructed to redraft the follow-for the Nippon Bank and several thousand dollars worth of a premature explosion in a small force to-day, and although the gale has subsided somewhat, a falling bar-land several thousand dollars worth of approximately that had been left with the timel on the Grand Trunk Pacific at the timel on the Grand Trunk Pacific at a day are besigning Abram Gonzales, been instructed to redraft the follow-land may septiment of the tunnel on the Grand Trunk Pacific at the torm is almost Gleason, chairman of the streets committee, and the city engineer, have been instructed to redraft the follow-land may septiment of a provisional governor of Chilinahua."

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the contractor defaulting payment: "The contractor shall employ only ompetent and skilled men for the particular work in which they are engaged. In the case of laborers, he shall nterest to the general public are as The robbers had stolen a rig belong follows:

the subject of this contract, and if the dropped from the buggy. contractor shall employ any of such

favored.

The experience of other cities has shown that an asphalt wearing service will not "bond" with a concrete base, it having been demonstrated any workmanship and the power to base, it having been demonstrated by the second to see that the floor past the heads of two Japan-ess sleeping in the basement below, just grazing but not wounding them.

A large piece of steel crashed through the floor past the heads of two Japan-ess sleeping in the basement below, just grazing but not wounding them.

The bank is owned by G. H. Kiebt. New York, for instance, that during a period of hot weather, it would be possible to roll the asphalt wearing surbe at once obeyed by the contractor. be at once obeyed by the contractor, but inspectors have not the power to give any stakes, lines, or guages, levels ders or directions other than as herein provided for, given by inspectors, shall not be binding upon the corporation. "At intervals of not less than four weeks the contractor may present to

of the said statement, which the city engineer will check in such manner as he may deem wise, and will then issue a progress certificate for not more than 75 per cent. of the value of the work done, and payment will be made to the contractor of the amount mentioned in such progress certificate. This progress certificate will be based upon an as a matter of fact, been only once reland—in 1897. The King's first was when he was Prince George, that cadet. He stayed some time the stayed some time statement are well, upon receipt of such statement. The engineer will, upon receipt of such statement, go over the work of the said contractor and accept the same, or reject the same, and if he accepts the same will issue a final certificate to the health was given by the city in the health was given by the city in the cocasion. The King's next visit to ind was in 1897, when he was Duke vork, and was accompanied by his seport. They were there during the show week—the great sporting a magnificent reception wherever y went.

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ENDS HIS LIFE.

Former British Cavalry Officer Kills Him-

Porcupine, Ont., Feb. 13.-Col. Gharles and known all over the Northern Ontario at North Cobalt on Saturday after- cer, killed himself on a street of Golden He stepped off the track to get out city on Sunday. The deceased was a colonci in the Imperial Cavalry, being in k by a passenger train. When picked his 52nd year. He leaves behind him a was dead. This is the third fatality son aged 21, who was engaged with his

WILL BUILD DEPOT.

Winnipeg, Neb. 13.-Alderman Dougla

ners of JAPANESE BANK

BLOW OPEN SAFE AND ESCAPE WITH CASH

at Sacramento-Interior of Bank Wrecked

(Times Leased Wire.) Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 13:-A gang of

Reports are conflicting as to whether there were four or five bandits. They are believed to be the same gang which man; Charles Quarnstrom, Eli Ogrezoattempted a robbery at Winters, Cal., vich, John Obazasvich and E. H. Kova. recently.

The detonation of the nitro glycerine give preference as far as possible to was terrific. It was heard all over th the employment of residents of the city southwest quarters of the city, and the of Victoria. He shall pay the men their wages at least once a fortnight. The contractor shall pay all workmen stories, three robbers were stationed at the contractor shall pay all worklines stories, three robbers were stationed at employed by him in connection with the contract a minimum wage of 34 1-2 ed a score or more persons before and cents per hour for an eight-hour day."

Other clauses in the specifications of had shot guns, the other a rifle.

ing to James Knapp. They hitched this "The contractor shall not directly or indirectly employ Chinese, Japanese or made their escape in it. Hindus or any other Asiatic upon or About five blocks from the bank the NEW GOVERNMENT HASn connection with this work forming police found a quantity of jewellery

Pullen and Allison were walking prohibited labor, the same shall consti- along the street toward the bank and tute a forfeiture of this contract and heard the explosion. They saw a man the city shall immediately be at liberty with a shot gun guarding the street to relet the said contract or the bal- crossing. He commanded them to halt. Danger of Establishment of ance thereof, and all loss occasioned to the city by reason thereof shall be borne by the contractor and may be retained out of the monies due by him. The distance was about 50 paces. stray shots hit Allison.

materials, and shall have the power to suspend any workmen for incompetency and has forty stockholders. The bandlts or disregard of orders. Orders given by

the city engineer a statement of the value of the work done up to the date Alarm Increased by Contradictory Statements Regarding His Illness

(Times Leased Wire.) Berlin, Feb. 13.—The greatest public ment proves distasteful to Portugal. approximate estimate only, and must alarm for the health and perhaps the cial announcement concerning royal not be taken or construed as an accept- life of Emperor William is felt here tosits to Ireland and Scotland has been ance of the work so estimated, or as an day. The uneasiness of the people has

to Nationalists

(Special to the Times.) London, Feb. 13.-The Earl of Dur raven asks. "Are the relations between parliaments of Dublin and Westmin ster to be the same as between the parliaments of the province of Quebec States and T. P. O'Connor in Canada.

PREACH UPRISING.

Two Chinese Women Declare in Favor of Republic in China.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 13.--Ch precedents of a thousand years are snat-tered here to-day as the result of a de-be taken off. I would gladly subscr

AKBIS

POWDER EXPLODES NEAR MOUTH OF TUNNEL

ous Injuries in Accident on the G. T. P.

lai to the Times.) b. 13.—Five men were desperadoes at an early hour to-day dead and two others were severely in- storm warnings issued Sunday against despite the eternal Mexico "manana"

out, became overheated and exploded. snow, but with little if any change in ment. Eight men working a short distance away miraculously escaped death.

NOT BROUGHT RELIEF

Military Distatorship in the Republic

York)—The createst surprise the new in danger.

Republican administration of Portugal has met with has been the delay by other republics, particularly the United States, in recognizing the new

"We were anxious for recognition." Foreign Minister Bernardino Machedo CAUSES UNEASINESS said to me, "and we took it for granted that your nation was great enough and independent enough to grant it without waiting for the great monarchies to do so first."

"To what do I attribute the delay? Well, there is the matter of the Panama canal. America may feel that she will need Great Britain's support in connection with that enterprise. Perhaps the Washington administration is wanting to know what the British would like.

"President Taft's reference to the new republic as a 'de facto' govern-"Why should the phrase 'de facto' ance of the work so estimated, or as an day. The uneasiness of the people has admission that the city is in any way been increased by a mass of contragillable to the contragion in respect to the Felician form of the government of the ordinance provides that men republic of Portugal," Machedo said, cil meeting Wednesday night.

"any more than to the government of the ordinance provides that men republic of Portugal," any more than to the government of the ordinance provides that men republic of Portugal, and the contragion of the people has republic of Portugal, and the people h

> constitution would probably be gov- shall be taxed an additional \$10. erned more by the French parlia-

"The people are accepting the dietum in a way that can only lead to trouble. If the trouble fails to im-(Concluded on page 4)

JOHN HOUSTON MEMORIAL

Nelson, Feb. 8.-M. Brydges, secret ary of the committee in charge of the and the Dominion, or as between the John Houston memorial fund, received Ottawa and Imperial parliaments?" An from Mr. Joseph Martin, K. C., a letter Salkeid, formerly of Yorkshire, England, answer would clear away the discrep- of appreciation of the Late John Houst., Feb. 13.—Chas. Simonstein, and known all over the Northern Ontario ancies appearing in the speeches last ton, after mentioning that he had alfalled of School of S the fund. Mr. Martin said:

"I admired Mr. Houston very muc as a public man and also as a private citizen, and feel that he cannot be replaced. On opposite sides with him in the House and also on the same side. L always found him a true man

SONVAING PACIFIC COAST

SEAGOING VESSELS REMAIN IN SHELTER

dicted With Little Change in Temperature

(Times Leased Wire.)

No great damage has been reported sels are in shelter. in the throes of a snowstorm, accompanied by high winds, which apparent-

of a blizzard. SITUATION IN CHINA.

Ordinance is Introduced Meeting of Ellensburg Wash, Council

Ellensburg, Wash., Feb. 10.-There is onsternation among the bachelors and the women who wear no wedding ring while crossing the American line to re in Ellensburg. The reason is that El- join his force of insurrectos. General ensburg councilmen may adopt an Manuel Cazillas to-day is being deordinance taxing unmarried men and tained here by the United States au-women \$25 a year each. The proposed thorities. Cazillas was carrying a rifle, be applied to the government of the ordinance was introduced in the coun- which fact made him amenable to the

Taken Into Custody

(Times Leased Wire.)

Rome, Feb. 31.—Three alleged anarhists who planned to throw bombs at night apparently in the best of health, be King Victor Emmanuel and King Peter of Servia, when the latter visits Rome, are in fail at Trieste. The police received information regarding the plot and arrested the men while en route to Rome. A New Yorker named Danielo was one of the suspects. DENOUNCES AUTHORITIES.

Woman Released After Serving Severa Days in Prison for Smuggling. New York, Feb. 13.-First of American

in the House and also on the same side, I always found him a true man and one of the strongest uphelders of public rights. If the limit of 31 should be taken off. I would gledly subscribe more."

The committee has now decided to remove the limit of 31 to the subscriptions and it is anticipated that many will take the opportunity of still further expressing their appreciation of the services of the late John House.

The number of lists new out is 235.

New York, Feb. 18.—First of American government's and one of the strongest uphelders of subscribe for smugglers, Mrs. E. A. Hill was released to day from the Tombs, where she was sent by U. S. Judge Martin.

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DECISIVE BATTLE

REBEL FORCE AWAITS **ADVANCE OF FEDERALS**

Cautiously in Direction of Juarez

(Times Leased Wire.) Portland, Ore., Feb. 13.—The general El Paso, Texas, Feb. 13.—Hopeful,

snow, but with little if any change in temperature.

Not a vessel left the mouth of the Columbia yesterday and last night, even the sturdy steamer Beaver, en route for San Francisco, remaining inside until the blow subsides. It was expected she would depart this forenoon.

At North Head, Wash., at the mouth of the Columbia, the wind reached 80 miles an hour, and was accompanied ment.

Orozco's force, which has largely withdrawn from the vicinity of Juarez, it is reported here to-day, is in the desert to the south awaiting Navarro, who is meving cautiously northward, repairing the bridges of the Mexican Central railway as he comes. Latest advices are that the fwo commands are approaching each other and the impression is general here that a fight.

Hill of Connecticut was the first

In the straits of Juan De Fuca, the wind started vesterday noon at a velocity of 30 miles an hour, and before nightfall had attained a speed of a mile a minute, this rate continuing until early to-day.

That the federals.

The the most decisive so far in the cambour and the downfall the uproar was deafening when he quoted statistics and Republican cambushus is likely to become merely guerilla warfare between scattered bands of rebels and the federals.

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That the federal leaders are planning No great damage has been reported in the northwest, and all seagoing ves-belief of the administration. They say Eastern Oregon and Washington are that while Navarro is holding the attention of the rebels, other government forces are gaining positions which will ly is the greatest at Baker, Ore, where hem the revolutionists in so that when it has reached almost the proportions the blow is struck all the rebels will be crushed at one stroke.

. Report of Fighting. firing south of Samalayuca was re- Taft arrived in Washington to-day. London, Feb. 13.—The foreign of ported here to-day by workmen who His special train came in at 8:45 a. m. London, Feb. 13.—The foreign of ported here to-day by working the fice to-day fears anti-foreign outh had been south of Juarez on the line breaks, which may be a repetition of of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which may be a repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which were the repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which were the repetition of the Mexican National railroad, increases, which were the repetition of the National railroad manager of the United Press.)

Lisbon, Feb. 4—(By mail to New China. Europeans are believed to be tween the forces of Arozco and Nagreement. He believes the manager of the United Press.)

Arozco's pickets, who turned the workmen back 23 miles, south of Juarez, told them that the rebels were engaging Navarro's force and the fate of Juarez was likely to be decided by nightfall. AND SPINSTERS of Juarez was likely to be decided by nightfall.

That Navarro had been surprised is

probable. Early to-day he sent a courier to Juarez to assure the citizens that his advance would be unchecked Troops Held in Readiness. Washington, D. C., Feb. 13 .- An ticipating a renewal of hostilities in the vicinity of Mexicali, Major General

Wood to-day ordered General Bliss to keep a troop of cavalry stationed at Calexico, Cal. Rebel Leader Arrested. El Paso, Texas, Feb. 12.—Capture

"The King and Queen hope to visit Dublin and Edinburgh in the month July next."

This will, of course, be the first visit The contractor in respect dictory statements as to the Kaiser's the republic of the United States? Both of them derive their powers in the same source—the will of the people."

The ordinance provides that men the city is in any way label increased by a mass of contractor in respect dictory statements as to the Kaiser's illness, and to-day no one outside court the republic of the United States? Both of them derive their powers in and complete condition, and upon the same source—the will of the people."

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Chilhuahua and had no thought other than that he would be able to live comfortably in that position for the rest of his life. But because he ventured to protest that the heavy government taxation was weighing on the people, his citizenship rights were arbitrarily removed. This, he sail, threw him into

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

(Special to the Times.) Cayuga, Ont., Feb. 13.-James Kirkland, of Mount Healy, a well known farmer in the township of Oneida, was found dead in bed this morning, the cause of death be ing heart failure. Deceased retired last

CRIPPEN'S ESTATE. Will Leaving Property to Ethel Clare Leneve Declared Invalid. London, Feb. 18.—Mr. Justice Evans to-day awarded the estate of Dr. H. R.

Crippen, hanged for the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore, to Mrs. Theresa Hunn, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a half-sister of Mrs. rippen. Crippen bequeathed his property Ethel Clare Leneve. Justice Evans de-clared the will invalid to-day on the

TEST VOTE TAKEN AT WASHINGTON

Immediate Consideration by Representatives

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D C., Feb. 13.-Immediate consideration of the Canadian

of the Columbia, the wind reached 80 are approaching each other and the impression is general here that a fight by a cold rain. The velocity of the gale varied in the northwest from 30 miles an hour at Blaine, Wash., near the Canadian line, to 26 miles in Portland.

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Gardner of Massachusetts, Norris of Nebraska and Humphrey of Washington heckled Hill during his reciprocity speech, attacking his arguments on the lumber and fish schedules.

President Taft Elated.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.-Elated with the reception his reciprocity agreement with Canada had been El Paso, Feb. 13.—(Later)—Heavy received in the middle west, President

BY TRAIN IN FOG

Sectionmen Killed While Returning to Their Homes on Hand Car

(Special to the Times.)

Regina, Sask., Feb. 13.-News reached the city last night of the death of two sectionmen on the C. N. R. at Glenavon, fifty miles east of Regina, on at the time, and the crew were not man on going out of the cab saw a man's legs across the front of the cow catcher. On stopping the train the two bodies were found side by side on the cow catcher. Jos. Pikron was alive when discovered, but died within a few minutes of being removed to Glen Avon. William was dead, the first impact in his case having apparently proved fatal. An inquest will be held to-day at Wolseley.

ONLY ONE SAVED.

Twenty-seven Men Drowned When International Wrecking Co.'s Dredge Founders.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 13.-Twenty-seven nembers of the crew of the dredge owned by the International Wrecking Company were drowned when the vessel foundered in the gulf, going from Galveston to New York, according to the statements here Saturday night of T. J. Farrell, who claims to be the sole survivor.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

Eufaula, Ala., Feb. 13 .- The authorities to-day are investigating the lynching of Iver Peterson 18, a negro, who was hanged by masked men after he