SHOT DOWN IN COLD BLOOD

TERRIBLE MURDER AT KAMLOOPS BRITISH COLUMBIA.

assin Still at Large—An Indian Poli-berately Kills a Well-Known Citizen Without Any Provocation.

A despatch from Kamloops, B.C., says -A terrible murder was committed here on Saturday evening about seven o clock, the victim being Philip Walker, a well-known and respected slain,

Walker had just reached home citizen. after his day's work, and was engaged in splitting his Sunday's wood, when an Indian, Casimire Pecheesie, came along, carrying a Winchester rifle. along. Carrying a Winchester rifle. Walker asked the Indian what he was going to shoot, and Pecheesie replied "Geese." 'Walker then stooped to plok up some wood, but as he did so. Pecheesie opened fire. The first but-let passed through Walker's left shoulder, and as he straightened up he received a second one in his body. The last bullet entered just below the right breast, and came out near the left hip. Walker fell against the verandah of the house, where he was picked up Walker asked the Indian what he was

of the house, where he was picked up by eye-witnesses of the horrible affair sawed off, that he could not reach his and carried into the Royal Inland y eye-witnesses of the horrible affair ad carried into the Royal Inland ospital, which is about 30 yards from it scene of the shooting. Medical aid as summoned, but the unfortunate an, although able to talk, was be-ond earthly aid, and died about an our after the shooting. Walker made a ante-mortem statement similar o the details given above. After ring the shots Pecheesie jumped over he fence and made for the river, hospital, which was man, fence and made for the river, crossing the long bridge to the reserve.

He was immediately pursued by a posse of police, but no trace of him could be found after he reached the reserve. The search was kept up all night, and Sun-day men ware out in oll directions cupied by Benoit and Company as a men were out in all directions, but up to -six o'clock, Pechessie had not been arrested. A brother of Pechessie's and another Indian and a Klootchman were arrested Sunday night, as they were in company with the murderer just before the shooting. Pecheesie is an adopted son of Chief Pechesia computer control and the shooting. Pechesia is an adopted son of Chief Louic. Fourteen years ago Pechesia was convicted and sentenced to seven years in penitentiary for shooting at Constable Smith. He is also suspect-ed of having murdered another Indian. ed of naving murdered another Indian. Pecheesie cannot escape, and it is only a matter of time when he will be ar-rested. Walker leaves a young widow to mourn his death. She is a daugh-ter of J. T.-Edwards, J.P., of this city. The murder was the most cold-blooded ever perpetrated in this province. There was no provocation. for it province. for it.

PONTON TRIAL FOR TORONTO.

The Hearing of This Cause Celebre Has Been Removed From Napance.

A despatch from Toronto says :- Mr. pointed the manner in which cabs that Justice Robertson handed out his judghave them are patronized in preference ment on Saturday morning changing to cabs that have not, that the owners the venue of the Ponton trial from and managers of the various cab sys-Napanee to Toronto.

tems are speedily putting them in. The In his written judgment his Lordship practically recites the remarks he made on the bench when the motion was being heard. He says that not

made on the bench when the motion was being heard. He says that not withstanding the affidavits for the de-gencember night were not there for fance, be cannot divest himself of the opinion that the people who were gathered in the street on that col any harmiess or inoffensive purpose. The judgment goes on to state that no such case has ever been adjudi-ated upon before, and that, therefore, the thought a good far on the the sont. The judgment goes on to state that no such case has ever been adjudi-ated upon before, and that, therefore, the thought a good jury could be ob-the thought a good jury could be ob-tained, but the main, thing was to son Harvey Strathdee, who was lost in that region last fall. The body is stantinople court. he thought a good jury could be ob-tained, but the main thing was to expediate the ends of justice. His Lordship consulted with eight of his brother judges and found all but or of changing the venue to even for the Crown and ing the latter's retreat, and several rebels were killed or wounded. The friendlies carried one head through Apia, which made Captain Stuart so furious that he went to the King and threatened to shoot any man found taking heads. The King then issued a proclamation forbidding the BOULDER ON THE TRACK. A NATION'S DEAD. Futtle Attempt to Wreck the Clowded Irish Express. sel for the Crown and Some of the Naval Heroes Who Rest in Westminster Abbey. the both opposed to the sial. In order-A despatch from London, says:-An n, says:-An o wreck the Paddington ilford, where n board the A large track, but obstruction were shaken lightly dam t Americans ir way to the system is the gradual absorption is the gradual absorption in ward to the horse and field artillery. The characteristic feature of ir way to the system is the gradual absorption is the gradual absorption of ammuniton, is ex-tronds per minute, the the Vickers-Maxim genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary, and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-firing genglish army has a mary and s the present quick-fin practice. attempt has been made to wreck the burial. The well-known saying, "Westminrish express bound from Paddington station here to Milford, where ars embark on board the Waterford. A large d on the track, but on the track, but the obstruction A despatch from Seattle, Wash., says: News has reached Dawson from the Hudson's Bay posts in the Mud River country that there is some prospect of the News has reached Dawson from the uivalent to doubling rce of the British Royal Hudson's Bay posts in the Mud River country that there is some prospect of the crown. recovering the body of the unfortun-AGUE SPREADING. ate Sir Arthur Curtis, who perished in NATURALLY. Renewed Virulence in the the timber while trying to reach Daw-Daw-His who Second Criminal-I didn't. the the timber while trying to reach Daw-son over the Ashcroft trail. His body was discovered by Indians, who the hold it for ransom. The Hudson's Bay Company have sent on a thousand doi-It lars to recover the remains. The body in is held by Indians from the coast. In-ere dians in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company are going to try and re-cover the body by force in order to claim the reward. The body was discovered by Indians (the the try selled "Stop thief?" Second Criminal-I didn't. A SENSIBLE PREFERENCE. Mrs. Brown-Yes, she's engaged. And she once told me that she wouldn't marry the best man living! Brown-Well, I suppose she'd rath er be happy than consisten?, 7.

FELL INTO AN AMBUSH. Frank Fisher is the Ninth Victim of R A despatch from Kansas City, Mo., ays:-Lemen Brothers' man-killing elephant Rajah, added another to his

KILLED BY AN ELEPHANT.

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

A Montreal Provision Warehouse in

A despatch from Montreal, says: -A

Ruins.

CAB TAXAMETERS.

A New Device Used in London for Regis-

cabby. A machine lately invented will

tering the Distance You Ride. London has at last risen against the

BRITISH AND U. S. SAILORS AT. TACKED BY SAMOA REBELS. list of victims on Monday mornin when he killed his keeper, Frank Fis Vere Forced to Retreat-Flerce Engage ment on a German Plantation, the Manager of Which is Held for Com-plicity. er, who is the ninth man that Rajah

has killed during the seven years he has been in captivity. He will pro-A despatch from Apia, Samoa, says: bably not kill any more men, for there is a movement on foot to have him A party of 105 British and United States sailors were forced to retreat to the beach, after having been caught Fisher was intoxicated when he in an ambush on a German plantation on April 1. The fighting was terrific the British and American tars repeat-Monday morning, boasting of his prowess as an animal tamer. To sought to overwhelm them by force of sought to overwhelm them by force of numbers. The expedition was led by Lieut. Freeman, of the British cruiser Tauranga, and he and Lieut. Landsdale and Ensign Monaghan, of the U.S., cruiser Philadelphia, were left dead on the field.

Ensign Monaghan remained to assist Lieut. Landsdale, and was shot in retiring. Two British and two United States sailors were also killed. The natives engaged were some of Mataafa's warriors, and they severed the heads of the dead officers. The natives lost 40 killed. erately jumped upon Fisher's chest, breaking every rib and crushing the life out of him.

It is estimated that about eight hundred warriors attacked the Anglo-American party from ambush.

The rebel force opened fire on the rear, left rank, and front of the Anglo-American force. The friendlies bolted. but the marines and blue jackets stood

their ground splendidly, Americans building on Commissioner street, oc- and British tars firing

provision warehouse, collasped on Mon-The Colt automatic gun with the landday evening, and one of the employes, Philippe Dulude, a storeman in charge at the mercy of the rebels. "Retreat" juries sustained. There was a large stock of flour and marines and bluejackets retired. was sounded three times before the

marines and bluejackets retired. Seaman Hunt, of the British cruiser Porpoise, had an extraordinary es-Butcher, med. to good. 3 50 Butcher, inferior. 3 25 Sheep and Lambs.

ceeded in escaping to the beach, al-though severely stabled in one foot. Lieutenants Freeman and Landsdale former was single

register every circumstance in connection with a ride in a cab, and so universal is the cry for these, and so

The manager of the German planta-tion has been arrested and detained on board the Tauranga, on affidavits declaring he was seen during the

MARKETS OF THE WORLD. WHAT UNCLE SAM in the Leading Marts.

Toronto, April 17 .- The receipts at the Western cattle market here to-day were just forty loads, including 800 hogs, 100 sheep and lambs, and a few milkers and calves.

The prices which have been ruling here lately for cattle were being asked to-day, but buyers would not pay them, and in consequence we had no trading of any consequence, both buyers and sellers preferring to hold over for the regular market to-morrow Friday.

The continued bad condition of the English markets, poor trade at Montreal, and weakness in the markets across the line, are, of course, the united causes of the dulness here.

Quotations for cattle are nominally unchanged, but to-day no one was buying. Stockers are quoted easy at from \$3.

50 to \$3.90 per cwt. Export bulls, springers, milk cows.

etc., are unchanged. Yearling lambs are a shade weaker,

at from \$5 to \$5.40 per cwt. The reason for the weakness is that at the present high prices butchers will not buy

The unsettled and warmer weather has also a depressing effect on meat trade. the

Hogs are steady and unchanged, with still too many light hogs coming to

The top price of "singers" is 43-8c. per lb.; light are bringing 4c, and heavy fat hogs sell at not more than 33-4c.

3-4c. Sows are fetching 3c per lb. Stags sell at 2c. per lb. Stores are not wanted. Following is the range of current

Cattle. Shipping, per cwt. \$ 4 50 Butcher, choice, do. 4 60 8 40 **3** 50 5 40 2 75 15 00 8 00 4 37 1-2 4 00 3 75

Lieutenants Freeman and Landsdale were capable and popular officers. The former was single, but the latter had been married last June. Captain Sturdee, of the Porpoise, was away on an expedition with his cruiser, and Gaunt's brigade was also absent on duty. The captain Structure of the sector of

was away on an expedition with his cruiser, and Gaunt's brigade was also absent on duty. The Samoans say Mataafa, on three occasions, had resolved to surrender, but the German Consul, Herr Roce, advised him not to do so, and he now says he will never give in, but will fight to the death. The manager of the German planta-tion thas been arrested and detained on board the Tauranga, on affidavits deentire absence of transactions; prices therefore nominal. Rail freights to New York-wheat, peas, rye, and bar-ley. 10 1-2c per cwt.

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT THE

BUSY YANKEE.

Neighborly Interest in His Doings-Mattere of Moment and flirth Gathered from His Daily Record.

A bill has been introduced in the Wisconsin Legislature to tax news-

Profanity is forbidden by both the army and the navy regulations of the United States.

The Indian population of the United States is 325,464, a distance in fifty years of only 62,765.

In Cumberland County, N. J., the farmers are catching crows and selling them to trap shooters. Only seven and one-half miles of

horse railroads remain in Massachusetts. The trolley is responsible.

Capital punishment is not inflicted in five States-Colorado, Maine, Michi-gan, Rhode Island and Wisconsin.

Dr. John Caspar Branner, the new, vice-president of Leland Stanford Jr. University, was graduated from Cor-neli in 1882.

Levi Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire, usually works with a cigar in his mouth. This cigar is never lighted during business hours.

Minnesota and South Dakota are the only two states in the union that have half of their population made up of foreign-born residents.

Rev. Newell D. Hills, who has suceeded Dr. Lyman Abbott in Ward Beecher's old church, was once a farm hand at a salary of \$10 a month.

George McC. Harvey, who has just purchased the North American Review, began work as a reporter at the age of 18 on the Springfield Republi-

A bronze cannon of Spanish make has been sent from the Philippines to decorate the Maine monument in San Francisco, It is the gift of Admiral Dewey. California has forty mountains, the

highest peaks of which are more than 10,00) feet above the sea. Colorado has fifty-nine peaks, which are more than 13,000 feet in attitude.

The late Judge R. M. Dorsey, of Howard County, Md., was born in a snowstorm, rode twenty miles through one to be married, and was buried in the midst of the last blizzard. On October 22, 1898, there were in

transit in the United States 93,225 boxes of lemons; on the same date in 1897 there were 18500 boxes, and in 1896 the number was 11,200.

Henry Lee Higginson, the Boston millionaire, was asked the other day what he would do if he were suddenly without a dollar. "Do?" he replied "I'd take the first job that offered! General Lee and his wife occupy only part of a house in Havana. Their breakfast consists daily of coffee and rolls, the latter brought from a litt Cuban restaurant across the street.