Rich Developments and Both Men a hundred miles further than Bo and Money Energetically Working Them.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

NELSON. Dr. E. C. Kilbourne has taken a new

ore. Arrangements have been completed by which a concentrating plant will be put on the Dandy as soon as spring opens. With 1,200 tons of ore on the dump and the facilities for working afforded by the development already done, the Dandy will become a big producer.

me a big producer. ne successful stocking of the Golden-The successful stocking of the Golden-dale and Democrat claims, on Toad Moun-tain, for \$1,000,000, shows that in spite of Slocan, Toad Mountain is not forgotten. The company will operate under the name of the Toad Mountain Mining company, and its headquarters will be in Spokane. Glover president of the First National pany. The company will put a force of men to work to drive a tunnel on the Goldento work to drive a tunnel on the Golden-dale, which has one of the largest surface showings on Toad Mountain. galena and grey copper. Fair samples yield over 200 ounces in silver to the ton.

Tuesday was a day not without significance to Nelson. It was on the 25th of October, 1888, that the first sale of lots in Nelson took place, and that the town re-ceived its name. Baker street lots were old at that sale at \$30 a lot. Corners and sold at that sale at \$30 a lot. Corners and fifty foot lots brought more. The highest price given was \$115. The sale took place amidst storm and snow which continued for several days. The only buildings on the present site of the town were a shake house and John F. Ward's tent on the corner of

still standing and inhabited.

News of the consummation of the Silver King deal has not yet been received, but cannot now be long delayed. The last authentic news reported that Mr. Ramssy, was seriously ill, and had transferred his integer in the property to a property to the consummation of the Silver King deal has not yet been sent from New York to the interior. Not only has the Bank of England advanced its rate of discount from 2 to 3 per cent, but the London open market has shown a still hardening tendency in the rate.

returned to Nelson from this district on Saturday, and the general opinion of the members of the party seems to be that the members of the party seems to be that the country, which is drained by the Duncan and Lardeaux rivers, has a great mining future before it. Duncan river, it is said, is at present a nasty piece of water to travel on, but by cutting out the log jams, could be improved so as to be fairly navigable at low water. As things are at present, there are five portages in the 50 market is usually at its maximum. The height of the water has prevented many prospectors from getting very far up the river, through loss of boats, provisions, at the moment we shall probably see the country seems to be that the some liberal amounts of securities of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported out of danger. James has a broken market is reported. Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Bro. Kirkendall; Sec., Bro. Pettinger; Treas., Bro. Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Bro. Kirkendall; Sec., Bro. Pettinger; Treas., Bro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Bro. Kirkendall; Sec., Bro. Pettinger; Treas., Bro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Fro. Kirkendall; Sec., Bro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Fro. Kirkendall; Sec., Bro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Fro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; V. T., Sister Gray; Chap., Fro. Telford; Allan Porter; C. T., Bro. Wilson; G. T., Bro. Wilson; G. The height of the water has prevented Western demand for currency may be exmany prospectors from getting very far up pected to decline from this time forward, the river, through loss of boats, provisions, and in another month we shall probably see

may be, or have been, made in this district.

There is good feed for pack animals all along this trail, and consequently freight rates ought to be moderate. At present this country is not easy of access, but the expenditure of a comparatively small sum of money could easily make it so.

NELSON'S PROSPECTS.

No Doubt the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway will be Built.

Mr. Johnstone, the genial freight agent of Mr. Johnstone, the genial region agent of the Great Northern, dropped into the office ton Wednesday, and we had a talk about Nelson's prospects. We asked Mr. Johnstone whether the Kootenay river could be kept open all winter. "It would require a boat which would cost \$25,000 to build. If the Creat Worthern poort year that

it; this time next year you will have a through line to Spokane. The Spokane & Northern is doing a nice business over their line to Northport; it is run at small cost Pills.

and pays very well. Sixty miles additional line to tap a country like this is not a very great undertaking."

"How will the Nelson & Fort Sheppard."

affect the Great Northern? "It will give us through communication all the year round with the lake country by way of Spokane from eastern centres. All we will have to do will be to carry goods Ferry and take less money for them."
"Do you not think the C.P.R. is liable to acquire centrol of the Spokane & North-

"I hardly think so. The only way in which they could do so would be to pay Mr. Corbin, who is practical owner of the road, a sum down bond on the Lucky Jim, paying \$2,000 for his property. And it will be such a down. Dr. Kilbourne has also bonded a good connection for them, apart from this claim on Jackson creek for \$60,000.

Favorable reports come down from the Lizzie C. The tunnel is now in 250 feet and is directly under the shaft. The lead is not far off. Some mineral is being taken out of the tunnel.

The face of the Dan 3. country. All you will have to do then is to keep the outlet open during the winter, and you are fixed. If the Silver King mine opens up at the same time as the Nelson & Fort Sheppard comes in, you will have a town here which will double discount any other town in West Kootenay."-The Mir

> FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. Henry Clews' Circular Declares the Gener

In their weekly letter, dated New York

October 29th, Henry Clews & Co. say: In Wall Street, the tone of business is healthy, but lacks special elements of speculation. Many factors are favorable to a higher range of prices, but counter factors have appeared which are holding speculative tendencies in check for the time being. There is, however, a very healthy demand for rail-road mortrages and prime dividend shares road mortgages and prime dividend shares. The hardening tendency of the money markets, here and in Europe, naturally holds speculative transactions in check, the more so as the drift has run farther than has been so as the drift has run farther than has been generally expected. We have been assured by Chicago banking authorities that that money centre has so far gained control of interior finances that the great grain States would no longer be dependent on New York funds for moving the crops. Some people have believed this boast, and are consequently taken by surprise at the present quently taken by surprise at the present condition of our banks; but the fact has been that, since the end of July, the surplus eral log cabins on the water-front which are still-standing and inhabited.

There were several reserves at the clearing house banks have fallen from twenty-four millions to zero,

cannot now be long delayed. The last authentic news reported that Mr. Ramsay, was seriously ill, and had transferred his interest in the property to an agent for the purpose of the sale.

J. D. Munn, of New Westminster, one of the Kaslo townsite owners, has been in the district for the past week. He ought to be pretty nearly tickled to death at the state in which he found Kaslo.

Not only has the Bank of England advanced its rate of discount from 2 to 3 per cent, but the London open market has shown a still hardening tendency in the rate for money. At the other foreign centres, a like tendency is apparent. The notable, not to say ominous, feature at all points is the disposition of the great banks to keep their gold and get more. This inclination may be attributed in part to the continuous purchases of Austro-Hungary, and to pretty nearly tickled to death at the state in which he found Kaslo.

The telephene line between Nelson and Ainsworth has been thoroughly repaired.

The steamer Nelson now goes down to the wharf at Bonner's Ferry, a new channel in the river having been discovered which enables her to do so with safety.

Every lot in Watson, which has been put

The steamer Nelson now goes down to the hoardings of the Russian Government; but it is also stimulated by the position of the silver question. Financiers have to provide against the worst possible contingencies in any given situation; and European bankers are asking—

"what if the Monetary Conference fails and all hope of restoring silver has to

Every lot in Watson, which has been put on the market, has found a buyer, besides several have been resold at an advance.

The steamer Ainsworth is gradually being put into first-class working order, and her owners expect, in the course of a week or two, to get another four miles an hour out of her.

tion; and European bankers are asking—"what if the Monetary Conference fails and all hope of restoring silver has to be abandoned?" It is not improbable that some of the nations may deem it to their advantage to go into the Conference backed by the prestige of being holders of ample stocks of gold. The whole situation arising out of the fall in silver is one calculated to

the river, through loss of boats, provisions, etc. One prospector, Sullivan by name, lost his whole outfit. There is valuable farming land on the banks, land, too, which does not seem to be subject to overflow.

Mr. Hirsch staked several claims during his trip, and brought some of the ore to Nelson to be assayed. He is extremely his trip, and brought some of the ore to Nelson to be assayed. He is extremely reticent, however, both as to the location of the discoveries and as to the result of the assay. It is, however, stated that one of the assay gives \$40 gold to the ton, and that other samples give results smaller than this, but still very satisfactory, seeing that the rock was taken right across the ledge and was not picked out as being particularly good looking stuff.

In order to make the Lardeaux trail really useful it ought to be extended for a mile and a half, to the foot of the Upper Kootenay lake, where prospectors could

Kootenay lake, where prospectors could quantity of grain coming to seaboard far take to the water for 12 miles, to the exceeds all precedent, which is evidence of head of the lake. From this point a trail could be constructed along Duzcan river to some place from which easy access could be had to any discoveries that and are preparing the way for a higher ably upon the value of railroad investments, and are preparing the way for a higher range of values when the present special conditions affecting the money market have

EXCITED CATTLE MEN.

Much Anxiety Manifested on Account of the Bad News From England.

MONTREAL, Nov. 3 .- There is consider stone whether the Kootenay river could be kept open all winter. "It would require boat which would cost \$25,000 to build. If the Great Northern sees next year that business will warrant it, it may go to this expense, but hardly if the Nelson and Fort Sheppard he built." siness will warrant it, it may go to this pense, but hardly if the Nelson and Fort penser but hardly if the Nelson and Fort penser but hardly if the Nelson & Fort Shepard be built."

"I o you think the Nelson & Fort Shepard will be built?"

American cattle may have been mixed with the Canadian herds and spread the infec-

Is your blood poor? Take BEECHAM'S

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

His Mainland Friends Bid Farewell to Bishop Hills on His Way East.

The Salmon Hatchery at Westminster -- An Unreliable Penitentiary Wall.

(Special to' the COLONISE.)

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, Nov. 3 .- The train was eld 15 minutes at Westminster Junction

Dr. Praeger wired yesterday to the acting from Vancouver on the certificate of nspector Huntly.
The Chilliwack Chinaman, Ah Fun, was

Pacific company's new cannery.

The Chilliwack Chinaman, Ah Fun, was ientenced to three years imprisonment for stealing a cow and salting it down for for Montreal, which will be carried round

largely attended to-night. A happy time was spent. The social reunions of the Ger-

mans are always happy.

Miss Wintemute, Vancouver, is lecturing in the East, on Missionary Work in Japan.

The ss. Wilmington left this afternoon The sa, Wilmington reaveled with four carloads of iron for Tacoma. The Haytian Republic arrived to-day with 20,000 sacks of flour for Hongkong She takes away 300 tons of Oriental freight

A very large audience was delighted with Kelly, as McFee, to night.

The Bank of Montreal have opened a branch at Union. Mr. G. A. Henderson, ormerly accountant here, has been placed

The tug Lorne towed the British barque Glengarry, loaded with salmon, out to Eng-lish Bay yesterday morning, and last night she towed her and the Norwegian ship Morning Light out to sea. Both vessels are

bound for Liverpool.

The following is the full list of fixtures The following is the full list of fixtures for this season arranged by the Vancouver Rugby Football club, the first two matches having already been played: October 22, Westminster, at Brockton Point; October 29, H.M.S. Warspite, Brockton Point; November 5, Juniors vs. Club, Brockton Point; November 12, Canada vs. World, Brockton Point; November 19, Westminster, New Westminster; November 26, Nanaimo, Nanaimo; December 3, New Westminster, Brockton Point; December 10, Victoria. Victoria Westminster; December 17, Westminster; Westminster; December 31, Matsqui, Brock ton Point; January 7, Veterans vs. Club, Brockton Point; January 14, Chilliwack, Brockton Point; January 21, Lacrosse vs. Club, Brockton Point; January 28, Real Estate vs. Club, Brockton Point; February 11, Chilliwack, Chilliwack; February 18, Nanaimo, Brockton Point; February 25, C. P. R. vs. Club, Brockton Point; March

Monday night, that the bonus of \$100,000 two inches in length. The scalp was offered to the promoters of the dry dock had lapsed by the effluxion of time. As soon as the truth of the chief magistrate's declaration can be proved beyond a doubt, the matter will be resurrected, and an attempt made by the Board of Trade to induce some responsible parties to take hold of the scheme.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 4 .- Bailiff Shirley ar-

10th, one with all the ratepayers and the ing a few happy hours.

people before a reaction sets in, it will be carried by a large majority.

The life insurance men of the city intend forming a Life Underwriters' Association.

They will secure a room in the Miller block, Cordova street for headquarters. A sum of the apparation of the control will be apparationally the second of the control will be apparationally the second of the control will be apparationally the second of the control will be apparationally the control will be controlled to the control of the control will be controlled to the control of t money will be subscribed by each of the agents towards a fund to be given to one of the papers to print articles taken from

nsurance papers.
Brown, a surveyor, met four sailors on Hastings street in the grey of the morning. He had a bottle of rye in his pocket, and on their asking him if he had anything to drink, went with them to the city wharf. The bottle was soon emptied, and by way of diversion, they started pummelling each other, causing much loss of blood and much profanity. They were fined \$10 each.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 3.-The re taining wall in front of the penitentiary grounds fell down last night for the second time in a few weeks. The city is out about \$2,000, and will have to build it up again. Twenty-nine foreigners took the oath of allegiance yesterday before Judge Bole.

Bishop Sillitoe headed a deputation which met Bishop Hills at the Junction this

able anxiety among stockmen over the news afternoon, and presented His Lordship with a handsome album, containing photographs of between 30 and 40 of the clergy and old-time been slaughtered in England. A herd of twenty-seven bulls, from Pincher Creek, of the Westminster, Yale, Hope, Chilliwack and Barkerville churches. The gift was suitably acknowledged, and His Lord-ship was delighted to find himself still re-membered by his Mainland friends of former

endrigh will be resumed a McGuigan, of Vancouver.

McGuigan, of Vancouver.

Another big shipment of a million salmon ova was received at the hatchery to-day.

This brings up the number secured this lung dises gas as the season to 4,600,000. Mr. McNab still hopes.

to be able to get six million eggs altogether; but says that with even the present number the hatchery will do very well.

The customs returns last month were: Imports, dutiable goods, \$35,124; free goods, \$5,253. Total imports, \$40,378. Duty collected, \$9,446.87. Other revenues, \$15,341.40. Total collections, \$24,788.27. Exports, \$20,456.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 4.-The inauguration of the new market to-day was a splendid success. The farmers brought produce from all parts of the district, and the citizens turned out in hundreds to buy. The market opened at 10:30, and at noon everything was bought up, the farmers taking home about \$1,500 in cash.

Mr. Morton, of Mission City, intends

to-day, in order that a large number of people congregated there might have an ready been ordered. Mr. Morton is allied opportunity of bidding good-bye to Bishop with some Old Country people in the enterprise.

The Royal City Mills are getting out be-

again officer in Nanaimo to admit vessels tween 200,000 and 300,000 feet of lumber to be used in the construction of the Canadian

winter use.

The St. Andrew's Choral Society is preparing the cantata "Jairus' Daughter" for production.

The Hermansohne Society ball was to be brought round, measuring about two million feet.
A. H. Towle, architect, is suing West-

A. H. Towle, architect, is suing West-minster Lodge, No. 3, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, to recover five per cent. on the cost of the Odd Fellows' new building, constructed upon the plans and drawings of plaintiff, and amounting to \$975. The defence claim that there was no contract. The case took up the whole of yesterday and today.

and to-day.

This morning, at five o'clock, a special

Const. Northern at Tain morning, at the Great Northern at South Westminster, with the private car Manitoba attached, in which were a number Manitoba attached, in which were a number of railway magnates. They were A. J. Mohler, St. Paul, General Manager of the Great Northern railway; E. B. Wakeman, general superintendent of transportation; P. P. Shelby, of Scattle, general manager of the coast lines, and J. B. Copeland, of Seattle, superintendent. The party only waited two hours at this end of the line, leaving at 7:30 o'clock this morning on the return trip. They are making a tour of inspection over the road.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Nov. 3.-Enoch Shakespeare has been appointed by the Provincial Government police officer for Northfield and East Wellington.
There is a project to start a steam laundry in town, with a capital of \$5,000, divided into one hundred fifty dollar shares.

NANAIMO, Nov. 4.—Captain Blackburn, of the Monserrat, while on his way up for a cargo of New V. C. Co.'s coal, discovered the Umatilla whistling buoy adrift. When he saw it it was bearing two miles south by

house.

W. Rath is reported to have killed an-A. Victoria, Brockton Point.

The Mayor stated in the Council, on Monday night, that the bonus of \$100,000 two inches in length. The scalp was offered to the promoters of the dry dock brought into town to secure the Government

The accident to the miner, John Freer,

captured last week by Policeman Harry and other Ohiaht Indians. The offending whites were brought up to Alberni and de livered over to the authorities. Mr. G. A. Huff, J.P., escorted them to Nanaimo, to receive the fine and costs incurred. Constable Cox brought up the sloop on Satur-day. The Indians deserve great credit for taking action in the matter, and should receive an ample reward.

Mr. H. Guillor, Indian agent, has gon

up the West Coast to vaccinate some of the tribes, members of which were down with

The fear of death is excited by any severe attack of disease, especially colds or coughs. This need not be where Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is kept on hand for family use. This unrivalled remedy cures coughs, colds, hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis and all throat and lung diseases. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by druggists

AN AMERICAN OPINION.

Judge Dewees, of Washington, Gives a Guarded Expression of Opinion.

Closed Season as Well as a Closed Sea Necessary for Seal Life.

For several weeks past Judge F. P. Dewees, of Washington, has made Victoria his headquarters while representing here and in Sitka the Government of the United States, or rather the attorney-general, in the prosecution of the sealers' supply steamer Coquitlam.

Before leaving here the Judge was interviewed by a correspondent of the Washingon Post, who asked:

"What was the real reason of the seizure ?"

"The Coquitlam was seized for violation of the customs laws, and proceedings were instituted for the condemnation of the vessel and her cargo, which included 6,192 sealskins. Whether or not the United States will succeed in justifying their position is a question for the court to decide position is a question for the court to decide upon the evidence. As a lawyer representing the Government, I naturally am hopeful for my side; there are a number of questions of law and of fact to be determined whose final decision rests solely with he court.

"There are many facts in dispute. The United States claim that cargo and seal-skins were transferred within 12 miles of the Alaskan coast, in fact a portion of such transfer was made within three miles of

shore at Tonki Bay.

"On the other hand the defendants insist and endeavor to prove that all transfers were made outside the twelve mile limit. upon what constitutes a transfer of cargo; also upon the finding of the court upon conflicting testimony, and on a number of questions of law, some of which I believe to be entirely new, and in regard to which no legal precedents are found. I do not wish however, to enter into their discussion, nor to express any opinion upon them. Their determination is with the court; I have no doubt it will be honestly and impartially rendered. The time of the trial is uncertain and depends upon the agreement of

oth parties. oth parties.
"Is this suit being instituted in pursu ance of any policy of the United States Government?" was asked.

"That I don't know, and with that I have nothing to do. I simply represent the Government in the present action, without regard to any policy it might determine."

"What is your opinion on the Behring Sea question?"
"I can't say that I have any settled opinions, but I can say that if I had, I hhould not express them. They would not ill arrive at such a conclusion as will proote the welfare of the seal fisheries."
"Do you think a closed sea would be im-

from those I believe know, and from what I also hear of the customs of the sealers, it would only be partially effective. Sealers from this port start on their fishing tour, as I understand it, about the end of January or first of February. Sailing south they fall in with the seals on the way to the rookeries off the coast of Northern California. They commence sealing at once, and follow in the track of the seals during the spring and summer months, and continue their operaof her.

The Lardanaux.

About this time a year ago the discoveries in the Slocan, which have since proved so the rush and activement that occurred this foreign exchanges everywhere.

Contrary to what has been expected as the rush and excitement that occurred this ports from all sides of riols atrikes in the spring cannot be foretold. There seems to be no doubt that ledges of gold bearing quartz of some size have been found. The spring cannot be foretold. There seems to be now heave the month of September, our imports quartz of some size have been found. The spring cannot be foretold. There seems to be now heave the month of seems to be now heave the conditions as a spring and all the spring cannot be foretold. The month of seems to be now heave the conditions as the spring cannot be foretold. The month of seems to be now heave that occurred this print cannot be now doubt that ledges of gold bearing quartz of some size have been found. The spring cannot be foretold. The month of seems to be now heave the conditions as the spring cannot be foretold. The month of seems to be nown in sow lying on some of the locations already made, so that nothing definite or conclusives as to the value or range of this cannot salve and made, so that nothing definite or conclusives as to the value or range of this cannot salve and made, so that supposed the cannot have th

> The remedy naturally suggesting itself is that the taking of seals in the North Pacific Ocean should be prevented under an agreement of nations. I believe that this would tend greatly to preserve seal life, but at the same time it would be very destructive to ALBERNI, Oct. 31.—A whiskey sloop was opinion there should not only be a closed antured last week by Policeman Harry sea, but closed season."

COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT. They Were Detected in the Very Act and

Promptly Arrested.

SEATTLE, Nov. 4.—The hearing of Kelly Ramsey, of Gilman, charged with having counterfeiting implements and dies in his possession, was concluded before U.S. Comup the poles.

Messrs. Morgan, Morrison and White missioner J. W. Spriggs on Thursday, and have returned from their quartz mine, half a canteenful of beer. He told the with the prisoner held for trial. Marshal John which is situated out towards Kettle river.

tribes, members of which were down with smallpox in Victoria. It is feared to dread disease will spread, so precautions are taken to prevent it.

Mr. Dickson has rented M. M. Serault's sawmill, and is helping to supply the demand for rough lumber.

The new court house will probably be consend any tweet the prisoner held for trial. Marshal John Much is situated out towards Kettle river. They were out nearly two months doing assessment work. They are encouraged by dinner pail in his room. In it she saw some coin dies and told her husband, who returned from their quartz mine, whoch is situated out towards Kettle river. They were out nearly two months doing assessment work. They are encouraged by dinner pail in his room. In it she saw some coin dies and told her husband, who im go re. opened next week. It reflects great credit on the builders, Messrs. King & Redford, and is an ornament to the town.

LAKE DISTRICT.

Land owners in the district who are so particular as to the observance of the game laws, should be consistent, and refrain from fishing in Presental lake at this season of the particular as to the observance of the game laws, should be consistent, and refrain from ghing in Prospect lake at this season of the year. The attention of the police is respectfully directed to the violations of the

Westminster friends, together with pictures of the Westminster, Yale, Hope, Chillibrate wack and Barkerville churches. The gift was suitably acknowledged, and His Lordship was delighted to find himself still remembered by his Mainland friends of former days.

The coroner's inquest into the death of Joe, the Jap found dead at Ruby Creek on Monday, found a verdict of "death from natural causes."

The Fear of Death.

The fear of death is excited by any severe attack of disease, especially colds or coughs. This hand, was Ramsey, while Rowley stood a little back with a large lamp in his hand. The fear of death is excited by any severe attack of disease, especially colds or coughs. This need not be where Dr. Wood's Norway Pine later of paris dies, one for half dollars, the other for nickels. The moment the the other for nickels. The moment the door was broken open, Rowley tried to blow out the lamp, and the flames came into his face. He succeeded a moment later, and turned to find McQuade, with a gun in one

hand and lantern in the other, master of the situation. The prisoners were taken to the jail close by. The dies, it is said, are not those found by Mrs. Donant in Ramsey's room, which leads the marshal to believe that coin and other dies are hidden in Gilman. The marshal said that he had received notice for Cilman that received notice from Gilman that a co siderable amount of bogus coin was in cir-culation, but that Rowley and Ramsey's Subsequent Expeditions—Ruined by friends were buying it at from three to six times its face value.

MERCIER ACQUITTED.

The Jury Decide He Is Not Guilty in Manner

QUEBEC. Nov. 4 (Special).-Judge Wur: ele, in summing up in the Mercier-Pacaud case to-day, said there was no doubt that a Crown Minister was not amenable to the courts of his country for actions performed officially. It was the duty of the House to decide, but in the case of a Minister accused decide, but in the case of a Minister accused of defrauding the Treasury by ways and means outside of his ministry it was different. It remained for the jury to decide such a question. Mr. Fitzpatrick addressed the jury with the view to get the case dismissed by them before they were called upon to render a verdict. After being out some time the jury returned a verdict of "Not onlity"

"Not guilty,"
Messrs. Mercier and Pacaud immediately
after their acquittal were surrounded by friends who were anxious to congratula them. Several hundred spectators awaited Mercier and Pacaud at the court house door, and on their exit they were cheered to the echo. Mr. Mercier was then escorted through the several streets, being carried on the shoulders of some of his sympathizers. Upon reaching the residence of Mr. Lemieux, one of his counsel, the ex-Premier addressed a large crowd, and was followed by several other well-known orators. A torchlight procession is being prepared for to-morrow evening, and Mr Mercier will leave for Montreal on Sunday

TORONTO TOPICS

All About the Scheduling of Canadian Cattle-New Evening Paper Published.

Serious Charge Against a Medical Student-Suicide-Death of an M. P. P.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

TORONTO, Nov. 4 .- A new evening paper made its appearance yesterday afternoon, the entire staff of the News office having been locked out through the action of the manager. This paper is independent in Bellevue Hospital Medical College in 1876 politics.

N. G. Bigelow, Q.C., M.P.P., died this worning after an illness of one and a half whaling expedition in Repulse bay in 1871 week's duration. Death was the result of 3, was visited by Esquimaux who described ofe of the slightest importance. The matter was now been referred to arbitration and, m course, it is to be hoped the arbitrators an attack of grip which settled on his kidneys.

"Do you think a closed sea would be an opportunt in effecting such results?"

"Of course, but from what I can learn from those L believe know, and from what I gan, Mrs. Stone has suffered from mental derangement.

I also hear of the customs of the sealers, it derangement.

Second Large, a medical student, was armond last night charged with procuring an abook. Mrs. Edward Stone, aged 30, committed

Successful-Recent Arrivals.

Mr. Mair is besieged with letters from inquirers from the East, owing to a letter of his which appeared in a Montreal paper. was an honorary member of the geographihis which appeared in a Montreal paper. One direct result from it is the removal of Mr. Blackburn with his family from Prince
Albert, N.W.T., to the Mission, where he
and the "Children of the Cold." He was will, in all probability, purchase and take also a contributor to numerous magazine and newspapers. Drink was his ruin. up his residence permanently.

Progress is being made by Messrs. Lequime in the re-erection of their sawmill, which they intend to have running again as soon as possible. The new store is also a considerable addition to the mercantile interests of the place. The firm will carry on business at both the Mission and Kelowna, and are going to make the lake trade a special feature of the Kelowna branch. Hop-picking at Guisachan is done. The dry-kiln, improvised for the occasion from one of the old McDougall cabins, works

It Beats Jack Frost.

DEAR SIRS:—We have used Hagyard's Yelow Oil in our family and know it is a sure cure for lumbago and frost bites. My wife was so bad with lumbago that she could not straighten herself, and Yellow Oil completely cured her. It has been a fortune to us.

OLIVER ALLEN, Owen Sound, Ont.

SCHWATKA'S LIFE.

By Perseverance and Enterprise He Won Distinction-The Franklin Search Party.

Drink but Sanguine of Success to Come.

PORTLAND, Nov. 3 .- Lieut. Frederick Schwatka, whose death here was reported resterday, had for some time been suffering rom a complication of troubles, and had shown symptons of apoplexy on numerous occasions. His life had been marked by such a degree of conviviality that his stomach had of recent years given him much trouble. He used laudanum for rehef, and Tuesday evening bought two ounces at a drug ssore. He then visited a o'clock until picked up on the street.

Dr. Nicklin, an intimate friend of the deceased, said: "His prospects were very en-

ceased, said: "His prospects were very encouraging, and he expected soon to perfect arrangements for going to Mexico, where he had a gigantic scheme with some Mexican land company. He was also very enthusiastic about his plans for having the Government and company of Mount land. nent make a national park of Mount Hood He seemed to feel highly encouraged, and believed all of his plans would materialize."

Dr. Wheeler held a post-mortem examination yesterday. The brain was taken out intact and weighed fifty-four and one half ounces. The tissues were in a healthy condition, with slight traces of alcoholic congestion and slight adhesions to the mem braneous lining of the skull. There was nothing to indicate apoplexy, and the only assignable cause of his death is that he took an overdose of laudanum. Inquiry has failed to reveal any evidence that Schwatka had been drinking. His most intimate friends assert that he had not taken a drop of liquor since undergoing the "gold cure" treatment at Olympia several months ago. He came from the East last May, leaving his wife and 6-year-old daughter at Rock Island, Ill., with his wife's parents. He then went to Coos Bay, and on his way met with an accident which caused some trouble. After his return he went to the Sound and made a short trip to Alaska. After his return he went to

and later made a tour of the Northwest. He returned to Portland on September 25. Frederick Schwatka was born at Galena learned the printing trade at Salem, Or., leaving there in 1867. His first service in the army was against the Indians in Arizona. Then he studied law and was admitted to practice in Nebraska. Turning Subsequently he returned to his regiment, the Third cavalry. On hearing the story of Capt. Thomas F. Barry, who, while on a region several years before, he, in 1878 oh command of a party sent to the Arctic lin. The expedition sailed from New York on June 19, 1878, and returned September 22, 1880. Many skeletons of Sir John Franklin's party were found and properly buried, and the mystery that had sur ed the fate of the expedition was, to a large extent, dispelled.

Schwatka found the grave of Lieut. John

addition to many interesting relics, a paper which was a copy of the Crozier record that was found in 1859 by Lieut. William R. Hobson, of Sir Leopold McClintock's expedition, and which contained two records, the latter, under date of April 25, 1848, stating the death of Sir John Franklin, on June 7, 1847. This expedition was also marked by the longest sledge journey on record—3,251 statute miles, during which a branch of Back's river was discovered which Lieut. Schwatka named for President Hayes. Afterward he explored the course of the Yukon river in Alaska. Schwatka rejoined his regiment in July, 1884. In August of that year he resigned the com-mission of first lieutenant, Third cavalry, to which he had been appointed in March, 1879. He commanded the New York Times' Alaskan exploring expedition of 1886. Lieut. Schwatka received the Roquette Arctic medal from the Geographical Society of Paris, and a medal from the Imcal societies of Bremen, Geneva and

TIED UP BY HIS THUMBS. The Case of Private Iams, Who Was Subjected

to Suffering and Military Indignity PITTSBURG, Nov. 4 .- At the Iams trial on Thursday nothing of importance was developed except the statement of Dr. Ullum that when Iams was cut down he told him that he had feigned sickness so that the regiment would have the impression that he was severely punished. Yesterday morning Charles Hanfield, a hospital nurse of the Tenth regiment, testified that he saw Iams strung up. Iams did not appear very straight and the cord was not taut. Iams asked for a chew of tobacco and swal-lowed it. Five minutes later he drank the doctors as to his condition, and that he had a purpose in view. On the following Monday lams told witness that his thumbs were all right. Edward Dougherty, of the Tenth regiment, testified that I ams told him on Sunday, just after being drummed out of camp, that he was all right and would get even with Streator. Brig. Gen. Wiley testi-fied this afternoon that the officer had authority to inflict summary punishment. Col. Smith, in testimony, said Iams' punishment he considered mild.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-U. S. Gov't Report.

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ROME, Nov. 7.-The day's elections for memb of Deputies, show that supporters and 71 membrion were elected. Re-b sary in 17 districts, in w ment candidates stand being elected. BUDAPESTH, Nov. 7 .-

of the Hungarian Diet to of War was questioned v report that the Ministry replied that Count Z minister, was the only m ernment who could give VIENNA, Nov. 7.—Sen Tarasicki, member of an

attempted to kill him Parliamentary buildings, in the head; but the bull will probably recover.
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GENOA, Nov. 7.-The Baravalle, for killing, Frank Reilly, stoker on Newark, took place here avalle stabbed Reilly twi was haggling about the with the landlord of the He was found guilty of premeditation, and was a twelve and a half years' be perpetually debarred by the city or state, and

MUNICH, Nov. 7.-It the Bavarian premier Pope remarked to him the only part of German enjoyed the fullest fr Rampolla, the Papal Se declared, on the same informed the Bavarian was no friend of the Trip LONDON, Nov. 7.-Sa ginning of what seems

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meeting of spinners' of telegrams were read sho pected that 53,000 works Monday. Great enthusi the meeting.

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and had completely rou army on the field, Nov. n the latter engagemen and sixty wounded. LONDON, Nov. 7. -Sa Shakespearean scholar, VIENNA, Nov. 7.—A states that Baroness H with partial paralysis o BERLIN, Nov. 7.-In

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that, since 1888, the B Russian frontier has Russian frontier has 62 battalions of infantr of cavalry. LONDON, Nov. 7.-Th conference, and for whi been in progress for ove mally opened to day at congress is composed of congress is composed of churches, except the Ca under the patronage a state, including the Pre Congregational, and the of the Methodist d gathering is one of the its kind that has been h and will be watched wit the Protestant Episo

ANARCHY'S AN Big Turn Out in Memor Bomb-Thr

CHICAGO, Nov. 7 .-

anniversary of anarchy five hundred people sto zling rain at Waldheim tribute with speech memory of "the mart wreaths and flowers the men who were condemn participation in the August Spies, George sons, Adolph Fischer Earnestness, enthusiasmorder characterized the men and women who do a monument that is to r those who, five years ag of their crime with the two features of the parade in the city and the cemetery. The lab were to participate ga market square at 11:30 ing, but it was noon b Fifteer nundred men they marched to the G

accompanied by bands seillaise" and the "De they were watched wi who stationed themselv At the station two sp