## The King Returning

His Majesty Will Reach London Today by a Special Train.

Unfavorable Rumors About His

of the Ceremony of Coronation.

London, Aug. 5-The emphatic denials of the sinister rumors of King Edward's condition are confirmed by the persons who have recently visited His Majesty. past five. His drive to Buckingham of play. Palace will be by an extended road instead of the direct way, in order that the public may have an opportunity to Not Trus ing see and congratulate the sovereign.

The King has commanded that corona tion day and the anniversary of his coronation be observed as "collar day," (a day of ceremony at the English court, when the courtiers wear the col- Britain Not Depending on the lars of their orders.)

On account of the approaching coronation, most of the volunteers are at present undergoing their annual training at Salisbury. It has been decided that they are to leave their camps August 8, instead of August 9.

The rehearsal of the coronation ceremonies in Westminston About his after-

monies in Westminster Abbey this afternoon was the most largely attended and elaborate one which has yet been held. The King and Queen and other very important personages who were not present, were represented at the proceedings by substitutes. Col. Brocklehurst, equerry to His Majesty, impersonated King Edward, and Lady Surfield, one of the ladies of the bed chamber, took the part of the Queen. Even the servants were drilled in their duties connected with the robing arrangements, and the pages carried out theoretically their functions of coronet carrying and train bearing. monies in Westminster Abbey this after

Although the religious and musical features of the ceremonies were omitted this afternoon, the instructions and repetitions by those who are not perfect in their parts caused the rehearsal to occupy about the full time planned for Saturday's ceremonies.

ALBANIAN BRIGANDS.

Turkish Troops Attack and Disperse

Constantinople, Aug. 5.—Turkish troops have attacked a large band of Albanian brigands in the neighborhood of Okhrida, European Turkey. The chief and 13 of the brigands were killed and others captured by the troops.

HAS APPENDICITIS.

Marquis De Rudini Attacked While Crossing Atlantic.

New York, Aug. 5.—While crossing to this side of the Atlantic on the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, which arrived today, the Marquis De Rudini, son of the former premier of Italy, was taken ill of appendicitis. He was attacked when the steamship was one day out. The ship's physician cafled Dr. W. The ship's physician cafled Dr. W. Thus the was attacked that the was attacked the was attac

VENEZUELA REBELLION.

Castro Making Preparations in Case of tant at Montreal. Defeat.

Willemstadt, Island of Curaco, Aug. 5.—Four million cartridges and 10,000 Mauser rifles were received by President Castro last Saturday. Half of these arms and ampunition were denosited in dent Castro last Saturday. Haif of these arms and ammunition were deposited in Caracas, and the other half was sent to Maracaibo on a schooner. This distribution of munitions of were is taken to be proof that if Castro's forces are bution of munitions of war is taken to be proof that if Castro's forces are beaten in the expected engagement with rebels, and if the President escapes he expects to prolong resistance and purposes to transport the seat of government to San Cristobel ni the extreme Western part of Venezuela, where he was born. This apparent decision on the part of the President has created a feeling of depression in the commercial feeling of depression in the commercial and financial circles. A British cruiser anchored in the Laguira roadstead to-

ENGLISHMEN WIN.

Doughertys Take Championship Dou bles at Longwood

Longwood, Mass., Aug. 2.—The two English tennis players, R. F. and H. L. Dougherty, proved too strong today for one of the best of the American para, R. D. and F. L. Wrenn, and won the Eastern champronship for doubles in three sets to one. For two sets the Wrenns, by keeping the ball high in the air, seemed to have a trifle the better of the play, but the Englishmen, resorting to the same tactics, beat them out. The score was 4-6, 7-5, 6-2, 6-2.

While this match was in progress W. A. Larned, the present tennis champion, and one of the American team who will play the English next week for the Davis trophy, was being beaten by one of the coming young players, William J. Clothier, of Philadelphia. The summary:

Longwood cup. for singles—W. J. Clothier beat W. A. Larned, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2, 7-5.

Eastern doubles championship, final round-R. F. a.d. H. L. Dougherty 7-5, 6-2, 6-2.

HON. T. M. DALY.

Statement That He Will Enter Manitoba Cabinet.

Winnipeg, Aug. 5.—(Special.)—Hon. Thos. Daly, it is stated, will enter the Manitoba cabinet. Hon. D. H. Mc-Fadden retiring. Mr. Daly has resided for years in British Columbia, but is now a resident of Winnipeg.

Mutches machine shop and three stables were destroyed by fire; loss \$4,000. Bert Squires, son of W. Squires, manager of the Gladstone, Man., mill lost his life, being smothered in a grain bin in which he was playing. He got too near the centre, and was drawn down with the wheat. The machinery was stopped, but it was too lafe.

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"He sho'ly did."
"Then, I recke-"Did the

FAST SWIMMER.

Joe Nuttall Lowers World's Record London, Aug. 5.—Joe Nuttall lowered the world's quarter of a mile open wat-er swimming record at Leicester today, going the distance in five minutes and 50 seconds. Nuttall held a record of five minutes and 51 seconds for this dis-tance, in open water

GENERAL FIRMIN.

Starts Government of His Own in Hayti.

Unfavorable Rumors About His
Condition Most Emphatically Denied.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Aug. 5.—The Firminist party has formed a provisional government at Gonavir, with Mr. Firmin as presideit, and a cabinet. It is believed that this government will ask foreign nations to recognize it as a beliligerent. Troops are being prepared to aid General Nord in his proposed attack on the Firminists at Gonavir.

A GOOD SPORTSMAN.

Mr. Keene Does Not Make Excuses For Defeat.

New York, Aug. 5.—Foxhall P. Keene, who was captain of the United States polo team in the recent international match at Hurlingham, England, return-The King will land at Portsmouth and take the train for London at half-past three o'clock tomorrow morning, and his train is due to arrive in London at half success, he said, was their combination

# In Mr. Morgan

Foreigners Pledge For Naval Auxiliaries.

away Beach.

New York, Aug. 5.—The body of a man identified as that of Jas. Allen, an expert accountant, of Manchester, England, was found today on the beach at Rockaway. There was a strong odor of carbolic acid about the body, which led to the belief that the man had committed suicide by that means. He had been in this country but a short time.

A WAR CLAIM. United States Sued for Use of a Private Vessel.

Vessel.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The question of the right of the government to seize and use private vessels in the harbor of a dependency of an enemy for war purposes during war time is involved in a case in which an appeal was docketed in the United States Supreme court today. The case is that of S. M. Ribas, Higo & Co. with offices in Vigil, Spain, and Ponce, Porto Rico, against the United States, for payment of \$10,000 for the alleged lease by the United States of the company's vessel, The Paz, since wrecked in the Porto Rican that the vessel was leased by the quartermaster's department as a collier from July \$28, 1898, to August 12, 1890.

St. Catharines, Aug. 5.—Word reached here today that a ternado which struck St Catharines on Sunday aftermon also hit the village of Fonthill, doing damage estimated at \$25,000. Nurserymen are the principal losers. The tornado was accompanied by a hall-storm, which cut fruit, vines, and trees, destroyed nursery stock and broke several thousand panes of glass in hot houses.

Was proposed to pay the surremonders for them, and the report that the China Mutual steamers are to be Great Northern liners is true, it will give the big railway company. a large and powerful fleet of freighters. That Mr. Hill has been looking to the carrying trade of the Pacific as a new field for his managerial effort is an old story, and that he intends to work up a market for the food product of the United States and Canhouses.

## **Empress in Port**

From the Orient

What you want is a new market; what you want is some new consumer who will take your stuff and eat it and destroy it, get it out of the world, make it scarce, and then it will be high, and it will never be high until you do. As long as there is a surplus in the market, it hangs over it like a cloud. Now the question of the production of this grain. If you have to pay for cultivating your land and bringing the grain to a market where you sell it, when you have sold it, it ceases to be your grain; it is somebody else's. If you carry that grain to the seaboard you have to pay the bill for carrying it; but if someone else buys it from you he has to pay the bill. White Liner Brings Many Notable Passengers-Heavy

First Salmon Carrier Reaches

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"Most of your grain in this state in the past was sold to go around Cape Horn. We are trying now to create a market for it across the Pacific. There is a great deal of your wheat manufactured into flour—I think about 15,000. No of saloon, 23 intermediate and 319 Chinese, and Japanese, the greater" percentage Chinese, a large number of whom were bound to Demerara and the West Indies, to work on the sugar plantations. Included among the saloon passengers were the usual army and navy men, diplomats, missionaries, globe trotters and commercial men of the Far East. Commander Davidson, of H. M. S. Coean, came from Hongkong, and Capt. Wintz, R. N., post captain of H. M. S. Coean, came from Hongkong, and Capt. Wintz, Was alse from the Chinese port. Lieut. Boetticher, of the German army, came from Tien Tsin. G. H. Bryani, of the Royal Engineers, from Hongkong, Lieut. E. F. Holland and Lieut. W. R. Ross, from India, where both have been serving in the Punjaub Infantry, and Lt.-Col. Mawson, also from India. Miss Atkinson returned from Japan, after acting as chaperone on a trip from San Francisco to Yokohama, to Dr. Kin, a Japanese lady doctor. Karl Bremner for the chartered bank at Foochow, was bound home on furlough. Prof. W. Simpson, a plague expert, returned from a visit to Hongkong, where he has been experimenting with the plague bacilli. Mr. and Mrs. John Bevan and Miss Bevan made the round trip on the steamer. La Camera, of Shaaghai, came to British Columbia to accept to the chartered bank at Foochow, was bound home on furlough. Prof. W. Simpson, a plague expert, returned from a visit to Hongkong, where he has been experimenting with the plague bacilli. Mr. and Mrs. John Bevan and Miss Bevan made the round trip on the steamer. La Camera, of Shaaghai, came to British Columbia to accept to the chartered bank at Foochow at the columbia to the columbia to

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load a cargo of British Columbia lumbe for Australia The Othello experienced light winds The Othello experienced light winds during the greater part of her voyage and sighted nothing since she left Chili until a four-masted and two-masted schooner were seen inbound off the Cape. Cape Walbran says the exports of nitrate from Chilian sports this year have been in excess of those of last year, and the revenue from this product of Chili has amounted to cover five millions of dollars. When the Othello left matters were quiet in Chili, but the political situation in Peru and Blolivia was very unsettled and many were looking for war between those two Southern republics.

FOR JIM HILL.

China Mutual Liners Said to Have Beer Bought by Holt for Him.

Case in which an appeal was docketed in the United States Supreme court to the United States Supreme court to the China Mutual liners, which were recently acquired by Alfred Holt from Dodwell & Co., and other shareholders in the United States, for payment of \$10,000 for the alleged lease by the United States of the company's vessel, The States of the company's vessel, The Paz, since wrecked in the Porto Rican hurricane. The appellants claim that the vessel was leased by the quartermass ter's department as a collier from July 28, 1898, to August 12, 1899, and that the war department has refused to pay any money whatever for the use of the district court to Porto Rico, which uphelp the seizure as a use of an enemy's property by a war power for war purposes, recognized by international law. The United States claimed its relinquishment of the vessel w.s. "urely an act of grace.

ST. CATHARINE'S STORM.

A Great Deal of Damage Done to Fruit District.

St. Catharines, Aug. 5.—Word reached here today that a ternado which struck St Catharines and the company, they were worth at least £30,000 or £40,000 more than it was proposed to pay the shareholders for the steamers are to be Great Northern railway, who is having state that Mr. Holt is but acting as agent in the Durchase, the real purchaser being Mr. Hill, the president of the Great Northern railway, who is having two monster steamers built at New London to operate in connection with the fleet of large freighters flying the China Mutual States when the sale was made, and he was much opposed to it. In speaking of the sale, Mr. Dodwell said that, taking the ecompany, they were worth at least £30,000 or £40,000 more than it was proposed to pay the shareholders for the company the company the shareholders for the company the shareholders for the

his speech of Monday, when, in addressing a convention of farmers at Daven-port, Washington, he said: Many Cases

> Steamer Tees Brings News of the Canners of the Northern

> U. S. Transport Arrives Here on Trial Trip-Amphion Expected Soon.

From Tuesday's Daily.)
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San Francisco—Capt. Nina
Has Cholera.

Capt. Zeal, who brought the ship Eulomene to this port after a trying a passage last fall, is dead at San Francisco quarantine station, from beri-beri, contracted on board his vessel on the contracted on board his vessel on the down of the ship Eulomene, which is at San Francisco. Capt. Zeal was well known in this city, where he had many friends. The city, where he had many friends, the largest cold storage plant on any cisco, will probably be sold. Capt. Nina, for the ship Elizabeth Nicholson, which carries lumber from Vancouver to Shanghai, where she is owned, is down with cholera at Shanghai, according to advices received by the Empress of Japan. He is at the Shanghai Mercury said that when the Empress left his condition was causing his friends much anxiety.

Of air between decks, and awnings have been stretched over the main decks.

A thorough inspection was made yesterday of the refrigerating plant on the transport was undergoing repairs at the ship party at the Arlington dock. It is the largest cold storage plant on any vessel operated by the United States. The cold storage space amounts to 22, one with cholera at Shanghai, according to advices received by the Empress of Japan. He is at the Shanghai general hospital, and the Shanghai Mercury said that when the Empress left his condition was causing his friends much anxiety.

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THE GLOBE CIRCLERS.

Schedule Arranged for the China Mutual Round-the-World Fleet.

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The lower hold is divided into eight rooms, the floors of which are ined with lead. The machinery consists of three eight-ton Vulcan marine refrigerating machines, having compound compressors and compound engines, with ammonia coudensers mounted on the one have

Round-the-World Fleet.

The steamer Ping Suey, of the China Mutual line, is due here about August 25, bringing heavy shipments of rails and general cargo from the United Kingdom and the Orient, and she will sail from this port for Liverpool via the Orient on September 11. The steamer Kintuck, which will follow the Ping Suey, is to sail from here for the United Kingdom on or about October 7. The steamer Hyson will leave Liverpool on August 23 for this port and the Sound via Suez and the Orient; the Yangtzse will follow her on September 10, and the Teenkai on October 18. The Hyson will sail from here on her return voyage to Liverpool via the Orient on November 30, the Yangtzse about December 31, and Teenkai about January 20, 1903.

A SEA MONSTER. Sound On account of the long route taken by street. Detween Gordon and the Seward on the trip to Manila, these the Seward on the trip to Manila, these the Seward on the trip to Manila, these and the Seward on the trip to Manila, these with coal in sacks, as the bunker capactory over the Island of the Island o

Berlin, Aug. 5.—Emperor William will attend the launching of the North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II., at the Vulcan ship yard at Stettin, on August 12. The daughter of Dr. H. Wiegand, the director general of the line will christen the ship, which will be the largest and is designed to be the fastest in the world. Her length is to be 707 feet, her beam 71½ feet, her depth 39 feet, and her draught 29 feet. She is to be of 39,000 horse power, 19,500 tons displacement, and will accommodate 1,-000 cabin passengers.

NAVAL NOTES.

Amphion Due at Esquimalt Next Week —Phaeton Relieves Her at Acapuico.

H. M. S. Amphion is expected to reach Esquimalt next week, and many are looking forward to her coming with the hope that she will bring some news regarding the treasure hunters, who sailed from here for Coccos island on January 6, on board the brigantine Blake ley. H. M. S. Phaeton arrived at Acapulco on July 26, and the Amphion,

which was relieved at that port, started north two days later. H. M. S. Egeria, which has been surveying in Barkley Sound, has returned to port, and will remain at Esquimalt until after Coronation Day, and then will proceed to Alert Bay, to complete the work in which she was engaged last summer. While one of the tornedo boats was cruising in the Straits a few days ago, the crew picked up part of a mast which they thought might probably be from the lost Condor. There were no marks on the timber, which was cast adrift. The freighter Selkirk, of this city, has been chartered for 50 days to lay more mines in Esquimalt harbor by the submarine mining company, for whom two steel launches are being built by the Victoria Machinery Depot. She was engaged in the same work last summer.

SIGHTED WRECKS.

French Bark Sees Wreck Off South America—Hull Reported off Cape Blanco.

Long Service.

The militia general orders for last month contain the names of 67 officers who have been awarded "The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration," and there is but one name from British Columbia—that of Lt.-Col. Wolfenden, King's printer, of this city. The announcement that Col. Wolfenden had been so honored was made in these col-

nent, and was proceeding to tell from among which documents he had got it, when objection was taken by Messrs. when objection was taken by Messrs. Peters and Duff, counsel for the defence. There was a long and acrimonious argument, during which some bright bits of repartee passed between the opposing lawyers. Mr. Taylor finally got down in the depositions the statement that the document was among the papers in the case of Rex. vs. Hayes, a previous prosecution. Messrs. Peters and Duff objected strongly to this being allowed to remain, and finally the case was remanded until Thursday morning at 11:30, the magistrate in the meantime taking under consideration the points raised.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Report of the Streets, Sewers, an Bridges Committee to the Council. The report of the Streets, Sewers and Pridges committee, adopted at Monday evening's meeting of the council, re-

evening's meeting of the council, recommended:

Resolved, that the matter of the claim of Alfred Wood, contractor, for demurrage for detention of cow, be settled upon the same basis as a similar claim made by J. Haggerty, was settled.

Resolved, that the city engineer be instructed to provide a sewer for connecting three houses on Toronto street, from Princess street west.

Resolved, that the city engineer's suggestions in regard to the change of the grade of the sidewalk on Belleville street, so as to conform to the grade of the existing curb, be adopted.

Resolved, that in the opinion of this committee it is desireble that the existing regulations respecting the use of city water for sprinking lawns and gardens be rescinded and a return be made to the regulations provided in section 22 of the waterworks regulation by-law.

Resolved, that the following work be ordered done, viz:

Box drain, north side of Ontario street, easterly from St. Lawrence street, cost not to exceed \$20.

Sidewalk and box drain, Harrison street, west side, cost not to exceed \$48.

Pipe drain on Cadboro Bay road and down Stadacona avenue, cost not to exceed \$355.

The renewal of the following sidewalks: Douglas street, between Gordon and Courtney streets, west side, cost not to exceed \$110.50

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refrigerating rooms will likely be filled with coal in sacks, as the bunker capacity of the transport is not sufficient to take her across the Pacific. In fact, she will carry nothing but coal on the trip, and will begin the services for which she is intended after arriving in Manila.

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Capilano Water Supply-Van.

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The royal warrant for this decoration was issued by Her late Majesty Queen Victoria in 1892, and its institution was for the purpose of rewarding officers of long and meritorious service and of proved capacity in the auxiliary forces, and was, first of all, confined to the volunteers of Great Britain and Ireland. In 1899 the warrant was extended to the Dominion of Canada and other colonies.

The decoration is officially known as "The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration," and consists of an oak wreath in silver, tied with gold, having in the centre the royal cipher and crown in gold. The decoration is suspended from the left breast by a green riband of one inch and a half in width from a silver oak bar brooch.

The period of service requisite to qualify for this decoration is 20 years commissioned service, but half this time may be served in the ranks, and may be reckoned as qualitying service.

Col. Wolfenden has not yet received his decoration, but it is expected any day and will be presented publicly.

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Little Progress is Made With With Hearing of the Hayes Case. The hearing of the third charge brought by Capt. John Irving against Col. G. H. Hayes in connection with the sale of shares in the Nahmint Mining company, was opened yesterday, but very little progress was made. In the morning an adjournment had to be taken, as Mr. Peters for the defendant objected to the stenographer who had been engaged. Another stenographer who had been engaged. Another stenographer was obtained, and the hearing went on in the afternoon, but did not even get beyond the first witness. Mr. Crane, of the Attorney-General's office, was called to produce a document which had been used in one of the previous prosecutions, and which Mr. Taylor, for the complainant wanted to use in this later asse. Mr. Crane produced the document, and was proceeding to tell from among which documents had got it. Vancouver, is visiting friends ish Columbia. Miss Templeton deaf and dumb children in the province that are growing up without any education whatever. In making further enquiries regarding this matter, the Colonist correspondent learned that more than half of the support of the Winnipedeaf and dumb institute came from the fees of deaf and dumb children from British Columbia and the Northwest. At least British Columbia contributes 25 per cent. of the necessary fund to run this large institution through the parents of deaf and dumb children of this province. Miss Templeton stated that if the Women's Council or other similar body were to meet her and discuss the question with her, she would be pleased to do so before going East this month.

SOUTH WELLINGTON FIRE.

Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 5.—(Special.)— The Alexandria hotel at South Wellington was completely destroyed by fire early this morning. T. Beveridge, the proprietor, was applying for a transfer of his license to Ladysmith, intending to move the hotel there shortly. The insurance is \$3,500. Constable Hodgson was hurt in attempting to save Leiser & Hamburger's store across the street.

BALDWIN'S DENIAL.

Explorer Says Troubles on the Ship Were Exaggerated.

Tromsoe, Norway, Aug. 5.—In an interview today, Evlyn B. Baldwin, the Arctic explorer, who arrived at Homingsvaag, Norway, August 1, on board to the Arctic explorer to the the alleged treet. the America, said that the alleged trou-ble between himself and Capt Johan-nenson of the America is grossly ex-aggerated. He characterized the reports of the trouble as a cheap sensation, and said there have been no deaths on

SELF DEFENCE Workman Asquitted For Killing an

Assailant. New York, Aug. 5.—Martin McLane, superintendent of the Bartlett Haywood company of Baltimore, who shot and killed Patrick Angeline, an iron worker last Saturday night was capabled. last Saturday night, was acquitt day by a coroner's jury on the gof self-defence. The company is

U. S. DIPLOMATIC SERVICE

Berlin, Aug. 5.-Mr. White's resign Berlin, Aug. 5.—Mr. White's retion may now be in the hands of justice. The date set by ambassador when his resignation winto effect is November 7. He is in Homburg, where he is taking waters, and where he will possib main until the end of the month is much gossip at Berlin concern. Mr. White's possible successor, and circumstantial story is that the ircumstantial story is that the ent intends to transfer Amb ower from St. Petersburg to Minister Storer from Spain to be all sador at Russia, and to appoint I White, secretary of embassy at Lo minister to Spain.

The Editor

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goons," and are person usually energetic. Taking a sweep over t or two, the royal houses produced a fair averag The Bourbon branch i Spain does seem to have ty low; but the German branches retain their vigo the unhappy Hapsburgs and capable representati trian Emperor.

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