

HAGGING OFF ISLAND COAST

Mr. Barnard, M. P., Points Out the Failure of the Government to Protect the British Columbia Fishing Grounds

In the House of Commons a few days ago the question of the contract awarded to the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company for the construction of the light-house tender Estevan for British Columbia... Mr. Barnard: I think my hon. friend (Mr. Barnard) is mistaken with regard to the Kestrel being used for this service...

HOUSE DEBATE ON RECIPROCIITY

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LOANS REPORT EXIGES JAPAN

Rumor at Tokio That Arrangement With China Means Combination Against Japan and Russia.

TOKYO, April 18.—Special dispatches published here quote the financiers who were responsible for the conclusion of the \$50,000,000 loan to China at Peking, as saying the finances of Manchuria and Mongolia have been pledged as security for the new loan... Mr. Cannon said the House adopted a report. It went to the senate, where there was a compromise of \$2.5 between \$6, which was the law, and \$2, the amount in the House bill...

BOLD PORTLAND BANDITS

Hold Up Proprietor of Jewelry Store at Revolver Point and Take Some Diamonds

PORTLAND, April 19.—While hundreds of people were passing in plain view, and not over fifteen feet away, two robbers entered the Crown Jewelry Company's establishment on Washington street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, and held up the proprietor, E. Cowie... The robbery occurred at 8:30 o'clock, while the street in front of the place was thronged with pedestrians...

FORCES ARRAYED AT MANY POINTS

"I have no such notice," he replied again and walked away.

Excitable El Pasosans had Juares attacked several times today, but the general Navarro spent most of the day chatting with friends on the streets of the city... The town is now fortified inside and outside with machine batteries commanding all approaches... The town is now fortified inside and outside with machine batteries commanding all approaches...

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CLAIM CAUSES SOME SENSATION

Australian Carpenter Seeks to Capture Title and Estates of Lord Dudley, Present Governor-General

MELBOURNE, April 17.—A claim to an earldom and to some of the richest estates in Great Britain has been put forward by an Australian and is the sensation of the hour here... The claimant, who was born in England in 1865, came to Australia some twenty years ago, and has since followed the occupation of a carpenter... The first of the eight-day camps organized for the training of the young men in the Commonwealth is being held...

AGENTS OF WAR

Armistice is Now Rebel Party Negotiations for Settlement of Mexican Troubles.

CITY OF MEXICO.—Proposition for an armistice for a settlement of the Mexican troubles was put forward by a representative of the rebel party from Washington, press... The armistice proposed an outgrowth of the armistice, and the loss of property in Douglas, by the Mexican side... The armistice proposed an outgrowth of the armistice, and the loss of property in Douglas, by the Mexican side...

STEEL WORKERS' HOURS

Charges of Overwork to Be Investigated by Committee Appointed by Stockholders.

NEW YORK, April 17.—An investigation into working conditions in the mills of the United States Steel Corporation was decided upon at the annual meeting of the stockholders in Hoboken, N. J., today...

GERMAN POLITICS

Parties in Fatherland Already Well Prepared for Elections to Take Place in November.

BERLIN, April 18.—It is announced that the general election for the German Reichstag will take place on November 27 next, and although it is still eight months from that date, all the political parties and groups have advanced their arrangements to an extent that nearly all of them are already completely equipped for the electoral campaign...

CHOLERA IN HONOLULU

New Outbreak of Disease Causing Anxiety Among Health Authorities.—Precautions Taken.

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SIGHTS EVIDENCE OF A DISASTER

Empty Dory Seen From Barkentine Mary Winkelman Near Cape Flattery.

PORT TOWNSEND, April 19.—Bringing news of what is proved to be a tragedy of the sea, the barkentine Mary Winkelman, Capt. Christoffersen, arrived here yesterday from Honolulu... The boat was full of fishing gear and one or two men were missing, the other being in the cockpit. This fact indicates that the men who were fishing from the dory were drowned as no fisherman would be likely to make his boat fast to his schooner or steamer with the oars not shipped...

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AUTO FATALS

Car Plunges from Road, Kills Others In Fatal Collision.

PORTLAND, April 18.—A racing along the elevated highway between the Vancouver and the Oregon side of the strait, this afternoon crashed, killing Verne E. B. and seriously injuring Augustus... The automobile plunged from the road, killing Verne E. B. and seriously injuring Augustus...

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