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# The Semi-Weekly Colonist.

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Blundering. Sir Wilfrid's Statement to the Commons Flatly Denied

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Washington, June 6-The statement in the Canadian parliament by the Premier yesterday, to the effect that the Canadian government has proposed to the Americans to establish a custom house on the Dalton Trail and regard it as the

The officials assert that this is the first they had heard of any such proposition. The last Canadian proposition, it is unrecognized mountain peak, but contained no reference to the Dalton Trail

DEWEY STARTS FOR HOME. Exchanges Parting Salutes With the British and Italian Warships.

gave a bugle salute. There was no tiring. The Powerful replied with a similar salute and her band played "Hail Columbia." As the band passed the Italian admiral's ship, the Olympia's band played the Italian anthem and band played the Italian anthem and gave an admiral's salute, which compliments were returned. Then the Olympia's band played "Auld Lang Syne," and the band of the Powerful played "Home, Sweet Home." Admiral Dewey s apparently anxious to avoid all demor

WOMEN MAY RULE LONDON. Commons Makes Them Eligible for Election to the Council-Not a

Party Division. London, June 6 .- During the report stage of the London Local Government bill in the House of Commons to-day an | J. T. Cavanagh, both young men, have amendment, moved by the Right Hon. Leonard Henry Courtney, advanced Liberal, declaring women eligible to election as aldermen and councillors, was adopted by a vote of 198 to 161. vote did not follow party lines though generally the Conservatives including the amendment, while Arthur and Ge ald Balfour (chief secretary for Ireland), and other Unionists, with a majority of

the Liberals, supported it. IMMENSE LAKE STEAMERS. Five Hundred Feet Long, Carrying

Eight Thousand Tons on Eighteen Foot Draught. Cleveland, June 6.-The American for the four largest steamers ever built on fresh water. The steamers will cost \$350,000 each and be modern in every particular. Their dimensions will be ength over all, 500 feet; keel, 478 feet; beam, 52 feet; depth, 30 feet. The carrying capacity of these huge craft will be close to 8,000 tons on a draught of 18 feet. Their building

marks as great an epoch in the develop ment of shipbuilding as did the 400 TOWED TO AUCKLAND.

Perthshire From Sydney Picked Up with Broken Shaft. Melbourne, June 6.-It is reported he that the disabled British steamer Perthshire from Sydney, N.S.W., April 26 for Bluff, N.S.W., has been towed to Auckland. She was spoken 450 miles east o Sydney with her tail-shaft broken and later reported "all well" to another

MEN BOILED IN BEER. Brewery Floor Gives Way and Two

Employees Drop Into Vat. Buffalo, June 6.—By the caving in of ney, leader of the opposition in the On a floor in Moffat's brewery to-day, two tario legislature, addressed the Conser

A MEMBER'S MISFORTUNE.

London, June 6.-While speaking dur-

FOUR FACING EXECUTION.

TRIBUTE TO SIR JOHN Mark the Anniversary of the

Toronto, June 6 .- (Special)-The an-Queen's Park took place this afternoon, of the Dominion parliament, as well as prominent Conservatives from all parts of the Dominion, were present. Speeches appropriate to the occasion were deliv-Sir Charles Tupper and other members appropriate to the occasion were deliv-

BANK OF MONTREAL. Reserve Fund Exceeds Fifty Per Cent But Will Still Be Added to-

Over Speculation. Montreal, June 6.-(Special)-A warning against over-speculation was given by Mr. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, at the annual meet-"The only unfavorable feature in sight is the excessive increase in call loans of powers, \$9,600,000, most of which, I am afraid, is occasioned largely by speculative operations, some of them of dubious value. This condition will probably correct itself some day, and may occasion individual losses to speculators, but should not affect the general prosperity."

While passing the British cruiser Powerful the band of the Olympia played the British national anthem and gave a bugle salute. There was no firing. The Powerful with a replied with a bugle specific property of the could not pledge the directors, but speaking for himself he was in favor of adding to the rest so long as a 10 per cent. dividend was secured.

#### DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

Special to the Colonist

Tarte and the Methodists. Montreal, June 6.—La tarrie, Mr. Tarte's paper, says: "The people at I'ox Bay, upheld by the Methodists, refused to obey law or order. The acts of the miserable colony at Fox Bay will be laid bare in the near future, and the conference will bitterly regret that they

ever meddled with the matter. For Forgery. Montreal, June 6.-W. G. Moore and been arrested in connection with for-geries recently committed on the City

C. P. R. Traffic. Montreal, June 6.-C. P. R. traffic re \$771,000; for the same week last year, \$710,000.

Shipload of Galicians. Halifax, June 6.-The steamer Bul garian, from Hamburg, arrived here this morning with another large load of Gali-cian immigrants, bound for the Canadian

Northwest. The number of this lot is The Shamrock's Colors. Kingston June 6 -Sir Thomas Linton has granted the request of the secretary of the Kingston Yacht Club for permis-

sion to fly the colors of Sir Thomas yacht Shamrock during the races for the America's cup next October. **Grand Trunk Troubles.** Toronto, June 6.-The Brotherhood of Engineers are considering the matter of

calling out the Grand Trunk engineer with the trackmen. Customs Frauds Toronto, June 6.-Wholesale grocery men think they have a serious grievance which requires prompt action. They claim that the customs department is being almost continually defrauded by

undervaluation and false invoices the part of foreign houses chiefly. Hot Wave. London, June 6 -A hot wave struck London yesterday, the thermometer registering 90 in the shade. The volum teers who are camping here felt the hea severely, and several were prostrated.

CORRUPTED BY GEORGE BROWN South Ontario Caught From That Like eral Light Her Corrupt

Toronto, June 6 .- (Special)-Mr. Whit

men, Gus Zube and Andrew Louden, vative Club here last night. He diswere precipitated into a huge vat of cussed at length the matter of corrup boiling beer. Before they could be gotten out they were almost boiled. They will probably both die.

Mr. Calder said that South Ontario, where Hon. John Dryden was lately unseated, and where Mr. Calder himself was unseated a few mouths earlier, has been a corrupt constituency ever since the late George Brown went up there to

ing the debate on the grant to General Lord Kitchener yesterday in the Commons, Robert Wallace was seized with cerebral paralysis. He is in a precarious condition.

that he would not be a candidate that he would not be a candidate with selected by the convention.

Mr. Whitney condemned the government for not accepting his election act, which would have been largely instrumental in remedying this evil.

SCHEME FOR MEDIATION.

Conservatives Meet in Toronto to Provisions of Draft Adopted by Com mittee-Russian Naval Suggestion Rejected.

The Hague, June 6.—The naval section nual decoration by the Conservatives of of the armaments committee have unan Sir John Macdonald's monument in mously rejected the Russian proposals. The arbitration committee have adop ed the scheme of mediation reported be the drafting committee, without mod

appropriate to the occasion were delivered by the opposition leader and other prominent members of the party.

Mrs. Taylor, of Gananoque, wife of George Taylor, the Conservative whip, laid on the grave a wreath contributed by the Conservative members of the house.

Mayor Ryan had declared a public half-holiday for the occasion.

\*\*The effect that the signatory powers, in order to prevent a recourse to force, have agreed to effect pacific solutions of differences, and will, except in exceptional circumstances, before an appeal to force, have recourse to the mediation of one or more friendly powers.

Article 3 provides that independently of a recourse to such amicable means, any friendly power may offer good offices of mediation without such offer being considered an unfriendly act.

Article 4 provides that the role of

Article 4 provides that the role of mediator shall consist in the reconciliation of conflicting claims and the allay-

Article 5 defines the limitations the functions of the mediator. They some hard knocks from Messrs. Taylor shall cease when one of the parties to and Wallace for not having notified the the dispute or the mediator says the public that parcels and papers for Dayto so appear before the new council. Article 6 says that the good office contemplated are exclusively of the character of friendly counsel. ing yesterday. After alluding to the not stop preparations for war except by general prosperity of the country and the a convention for the purpose.

Article 8 says that during 30 days the question in dispute shall be considered as referred exclusively to the mediatory

> THE CASPESIA'S TROUBLES. Officers and Crew Sue for Pay for Their

Long Drift in St. Lawrence. St. John's, Nfld., June 6.-The officers and crew of the Canadian steamer John/Crawford wanted to know what Gaspesia, whose owners were recently Hongkong, June 6.—The United States the directors intended to do now that the condemned to pay \$12,500 salvage to the cruiser Olympia with Admiral Dewey on board left here at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The weather was wretched; it was raining and blowing at the time of the rest had reached beyond the 50 per cent. The weather was wretched; it was raining and blowing at the time of the mark with the rest had reached beyond the 50 per cent. The steamer Kite for towing the Gaspesia out of the ice floes in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, have brought suit for four months' wages aggregating nearly \$12,-100 months' w anything beyond the 10 per cent. divi- 000 as they number eighty all told.

### A Great Day For Orientals.

Ottawa Disallows Prohibition of Their Employment Under Provincial Charter.

And Side-Tracks Proposal to Increase Head Tax-Dawson Telegraph.

Ottawa, June 5 .- Within four days of two acts of the British Columbia legis-lature prohibiting Japanese and Chinese from being employed on any public work

how far the interests of the corporations might be prejudicially affected by suddenly depriving them of their charters. The Dominion government, if it were cossible, would have simply disallowed the anti-Japanese clause, but there is no of the vetoing of the portion of an act.

It must be the whole or none. Accordingly these private acts have been left to their operation.

Chinese in Luck, Too. After private bills this evening, Mr. Maxwell moved the second reading of

his hill to amend the Chinese immigration act by increasing the tax from \$50 to \$500. He supported his measure by a long speech in vigorous protest against the encouragement or even toleration of Chinese immigration.

When he closed Mr. Ellis raised the point of order that the bill imposed a tax and therefore could only come in by reso-

lution and with the consent of the Gov-Sir Hibbert Tupper suggested that as this levy was not made on the people in general the rule might not apply; but the Premier thought the point was well

The Speaker was absent and the ion of the chair was reserved, when Mr. Britton moved the adjournment of the debate and the house adjourned at 11

Minor Affairs. Ool. Domville has given notice of a resolution that the preferential tariff should only apply to articles imported by sea from the country of manufacture or production direct to Canada through a

Sir Charles Tupper and Messrs, Foster and McInerney, M.P.'s, left for Torento to-night to attend the Macdonald emorial celebration. Sir Adolphe Caron, who is now in Engand, writes to an Ottawa friend that the company of which he is president, chartered to build a telegraph line to

Dawson, will claim damages vernment for infringement of charter.

FRENCH PRESIDENT INSULTED Paris, June 5 .- President Loubet at

# Mr. Mulock's **Postal Sham**

THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1899

Neglect to Provide Dawson Service Brought Up in the Commons.

Wilfrid Declines to State Reasons for Policy Regarding Japanese.

Five Doukhobors Die at Sea and Party Detained at Quarantine.

Ottawa, June 6.-In the house to-day Mr. Mulock, the postmaster-general, got son could not be taken in the mails.

Undesirable Experts. Mr. Ingram introduced a bill to amend the elections act. The chief provision will be to stop the importation into con-stituencies of foreign or non-resident

deputy returning officers Mr. McInnes Rebuked. M1. McInnes inquired as to the government's reasons for disallowing the anti-Japanese legislation of British Cohim that the government had come to the conclusion that this legislation should disallowed and had so recommended His Excellency. Having thus vindicated the dignity of the government, Sir Wilfrid softened a little and informed his followers that correspondence relating to the matter would be brought down

at an early day. Doukhobors Bring Disease. The minister of agriculture received a telegram to-night from Dr. Montizambert, superintendent of quarantine, who is at Grosse Isle, stating that it will be a superintendent of the Doublehous necessary to detain the Doukhobors there. Disease developed on shipboard, but the nature of the outbreak is out known. It is reported that five deaths occurred on board.

ALGER IN MONTREAL

United States Secretary of War a Guest of Sir William Van Horne.

Montreal, June 6 .- (Special) -- General Alger, secretary of will in President McKinley's cabinets accompanied by Copper Properties in Demand Mrs. Alger and five or six personal friends, arrived in town yesterday by the Boston express. They were met at the station by Sir William Van Horne and entertained at luncheon at his residence. The party includes Mr. and Mrs. Russell From Our Own Correspondent. A. Alger, Jr., of Grandmere, Mrs. Frank

# THE ALIEN LAW.

Americans Attempt to Get Footing in Atlin by Powers of Attorney.

From Our Own Correspondent. Vancouver, June 5 .- C. W. Sawyer,

law legally. Many prominent lawyers claim his scheme is sound. A Tug Aground.

Gray on Saturday afternoon. She ripped a hole in her hull and was leaking badly. Help come, however, and she was syphoned and got away.

Steamer Tepic ran aground at Foint to side. Not directly in with the funeral, but no doubt inspired by the memory of their departed instructor, a large number of Indians enacted scenes from the life of Christ on Hatchet Man's Crime. Chinatown was in a wild state of exitement last night. Jim Kee had been clubbed almost to death by some an know person, who was subsequently identified as a hatchet man from San

Fire at Westminster. Fire broke out at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the Oyster Bay restaurant, New Westminster, and did several thousand dollars' worth of damage. David Esplan, the chemical engine driver, received a large gash on the head from a forthwith on a long honeymoon to the John Watson, foreman, was badly burned on the hands and face. The water pressure, contrary to the case The water pressure, contrary to the case at the big fire of September 10 last, was very strong, and owing to this a whole block of buildings was saved, as the fire had a good start.

He says he would give up all his wealth and become a beggg if it would bring.

the fire had a good start. THE CHESS MASTERS.

London, June 5 .- In the fifth round of Albany, N. Y., June 6.—The court of appeals to-day affirmed the judgments in four murder cases. The murderers who will explate their crimes in the electric chair are John Kennedy (colored) of New York:

One York:

One of the steamer Garonne tended the races at Auteuil yesterday. They demand was insulted by a Royalist mob with seditious cries and threats of violence. The Royalists were led by Lieut. Oulard, who was arrested with many of the mob. There was violent scenes in the chamber of deputies this afternoon owing to the laster. Lee was of deputies this afternoon owing to the laster. Lee was of deputies this afternoon owing to the laster by Blackburn. In the evening trated by the heat and is in a critical condition. Two unknown men were overome.

Paris, June 5.—President Loubet at tended the races at Auteuil yesterday. They demanded \$40 a month and 40 cents per hour overtimes. Bird had beaten Teichman, Cohn and and Maroczy had adjourned their game in an even beat day and was insulted by a Royalist mob with seditious cries and threats of violence. The Royalists were led by Lieut. Oulard, who was arrested with many of the mob. There was violent scenes in the chamber of deputies this afternoon owing to the international chess match, Mason and Lasker adjourned their game in an even but and was insulted by a Royalist mob with seditious cries and threats of violence. The Royalists were led by Lieut. Oulard, who was arrested with many of the mob. There was violent scenes in the chesman day of the international chess match, Mason and Lasker adjourned their game in an even but and violence. Bird had beaten Teichman, Cohn and and Maroczy had adjourned their game in an even but at tended the races at Auteuil yesterday. They demanded \$40 a month and 40 cents per hour overtimes. The find the international chess match, Mason and Lasker adjourned their game in an even but at tended the international chess match, Mason and Lasker adjourned their game in an even death and solven to international chess match, Mason and Lasker

SORRY ABOUT DREYFUS. Men Responsible for His Long Exile Coaling for Cruise to Behring Sea-Pros Now Hasten to Tender Apologies.

Paris, June 5.-In the chamber to-day the Leftists moved that the verdict of the court of cassation be placarded everywhere in France, and M. Jourde. socialist, rose and admitted that he had been mistaken about the Dreyfus affair and had reparation to make. He added he was surprised that M. Cavargnac had not preceded him to the tribune, which caused the latter to say: "I have already made reparation by discovering and making known the error committed."

M. Brisson said: "The cabinet I presided over was unfortunate enough to

sided over was unfortunate enough to cause to be placarded a speech containing misstatements. I ask the chamoer to vote the placarding of the verdict of the court of cassation."

The Premier did not oppose the placarding of the verdict, which was adopted by a vote of 317 to 212.

has already received from his wife a cable message announcing the decision out about longitude 81, latitude unknown."

Andree's brother thinks the case be under charge after being officially no-tified of the court's action in his case. tified of the court's action in his case. was probably one of the letter buoys but he will be able to resume wearing with which the Andree expedition was

CHILD MURDER.

Bodies of Three Babes Found in the Woods on Long Island. New York, June 3-The bodies of three babies—two female and one male—were found to-day in Maurice's woods, near

Haspeth, Long Island. The bodies, which were wrapped in newspapers, now lie in the undertaker's, awaiting an autopsy to show the cause of death. MURDER IN MONTREAL

Widow Storekeeper Found in Her Bed Room With Skull Fractured.

Montreal, June 3 .- Mrs. Sophie Gregoire, a widow, who kept a small store a 330 St. Timothee street, was found mur dered in her bedroom yesterday after . The body was resting on a sofa downwards, and the base of the

#### A Murderer Let Suicide.

With No Death Watch Perrier Q. C. is duly recognized. Finds Way to Escape the Waiting Gallous."

Indian Converts at the Bishop's Funeral.

Vancouver, June 6.-Donald Perrie the time limit under the constitution, Russell, and Mrs. C. D. Pike, of Boston. murderer of his mistress, Jennie Ander-They travel in the private car Michigan. son, who while awaiting execution was During the morning Gen. Alger and given a month's respite to enable the his son were closeted with Van Horne, Shaughnessy and Angus, all of whom are provincial charter, have been disallowed.

Shaughnessy and Angus, all of whom are interested in the Laurentide pulp mills at Grandmere, Que. In the afternoon a place of the consequence relating to tramways, which also places a bar upon Chinese and Japanese. The action of the Ottawa government is the direct outcome of the request of the Imperial government.

Some twenty private acts of incorporation in which the anti-Japanese clause was incorporated have been left untouched, as it could not be ascertained how far the interests of the corporations.

At Grandmere, Que. In the afternoon a special train conveyed the members of the members of the party thither. Gen. Alger will be the guest of the Canadian Pacific railway's president for a day or two.

Mahoney, heard a noise in Perrier's cell, and summoned Warden Armstrong, who on visiting the cell found Perrier lying on the bed fairly weltering in his blood. With a pen-knife he had gashed his abdomen and left wrist. A tourniquet was hastily applied to the wrist, and Drs. Drew and Walker summoned. The medical men declined to express an opinion, but from appearances Perrier of Obletos, he labored for

Wants Copper Properties. Marcus Daly, the copper king, has experts in the province spying out desirable copper properties with a view of pur-This information comes from a

responsible mining engineer. Bishop Durieu's Conv Bishop Durieu, who has spent the bet-er part of a life-time in missionary barrister, Vancouver, left to-day for Atlin in with one thousand powers of attorney. Mr. Sawyer goes to Atlin in the interests of Americans to beat the alien law legally. Many prominent leaves to Christian potition and intertime in missionary work among the Indians, was much loved by his thousands of converts on the coast. A very touching incident took place at the funeral, when hundreds of Christian potition with the hundreds of become endeared to the Bishop in life sang in unison, and after the manner of their race, swayed their bodies from side Steamer Tepic ran aground at Point to side. Not directly in connection ray on Saturday afternoon. She rip with the funeral, but no doubt inspired

the day of the funeral. A Sad Experience. Another chapter is chronicled in the checkered life of Peter Deville, the famous French Pete, Klondike king and know person, who was subsequently identified as a hatchet man from San Francisco. Jim Kee had antagonized a Tong society in San Francisco, and the hatchet man was sent to British Columbia to kill him. Jim Kee's head is in had shape, but he will live.

Amous French Fete, Klondige king and discoverer of the Treadwell mines. Deville is over 60 years old, and a long-ing came over him recently to visit old Paris, where he was born. On arriving there he met and fell in love with the daughter of a friend of bygone days. The girl was but 20, very beautiful and highly cultivated. She was born about the time he left home and friends to seek his fortune in California. Deville asked her to share his millions and become his forthwith on a long honeymoon to the far-off land of gold. They arrived in Vancouver on Sunday, where Deville's

> ecome a beggar if it would bring and become a back his wife. Minor Notes. Sixteen men of the steamer Garonn

or the North Pacific remedicine, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is by all odds the best that money can buy.

NANAIMO NOTES.

pective New Fire Engine.

Nanaimo, June 6.— (Special)— John John was married to Miss Jones of Wel lington this morning.

The United States cutter Corwin is at Departure Bay loading coal. She sails for St. Michael, where she will remain until October The funeral of Aeneas McDonald took

place this morning.

The by-law for the purchase of a steam fire engine will be voted on on Saturday.

Thos. W. Glaholm, of A. R. Johnston & Co., died this morning.

ANOTHER ANDREE MESSAGE. One of Explorer's Cork Buoys Alleged to Have Been Found on Iceland Coast.

despatch from Mandal, the most southern town of Norway, two boys on May 14 last found on the north coast of Ice-Fort De France, Island Martinique, June 5—The Sfax left here at ten o'clock last night to take Dreyfus on board. He has already received from his wife a bearing the words: "All well. Thrown has already received from his wife a bearing the words: "All well. Thrown

CUBANS TAKE THE COIN. Temptation Too Strong to Resist and the Soldiers Present Arms.

Havana, June 3 .- The payment of insurgent soldiers was continued yester-day at Melana. One hundred and seventy-six men each received the \$75 and turned in his arms.

Some 300 Cubans who some time ago turned in their arms to Col. Acca, com-plained that he would not return them, and that consequently they are unable to get their money. The matter will be

POLITICAL Q. C.'s.

Ouebec Government's Futile Attempt to Slight a Leader in the Profession.

Montreal, June 6. - (Special) - The proposed that all territory now occupied omission of the name of Hon. A. R. by that country should be assigned to the States, whether conveyed by treaties or not. The British commissioners could recently issued by the provincial government caused much comment in this city-Mr. Angers appeared before Judge this subject removed from discussion by Curran, produced a Queen's Counsel commission signed by Lieutenant-Gover-nor Caron in 1874, and asked that it be entered on the register of the Superior court. The application was granted, and Mr. Angers' right to the title of

BISHOP DURIEN DEAD. A Pioneer Priest of British Columbia

With a Noble Record, rem Our Own Correspondent. Vancouver, June 1.-Right Rev. Paul Durien, O. M. I., Roman Catholic Bishop of New Westminster, passed away at 2:20 o'clock this morning at the hospital dian commissioners in a better light than of St. Louis College. His Lordship had their previous statement. Sir Charles 2:20 o'clock this morning at the hospital been ill several weeks, and yesterday af-tould not possibly United States should noon it was thought that he would not live through the night. The dying pre-late was surrounded by many old friends bitration. His own fear was that Canaamong those present. The funeral will that the settlements on the Lynn Canal Paul Durien was born at St. Pal-de-Mons, Diocese Du Puy, France, Decem-Manistroi Seminary, studied theology at priesthood in 1854. Coming to Canada in the same year as a member of the Congregation of Oblates halds and the opinion, but from appearances Perrier may not survive through the night. The pen-knife, which was evidently smuggled in to Perrier, was a new one. over the province for the noble work he did in those pioneer days. In September, 1890, he was appointed first Bishop of

Westminster, having jurisdiction of the whole of British Columbia, with the exception of Vancouver Island. St. Peter's Cathedral, St. Louis College, an academy for girls, St. Mary's hospital, and many other institutions and churches in his diocese owe their existence very largely to His Lordship's efforts.

ORANGE GRAND LODGE. Clarke Wallace Re-elected Grand Mas ter-Liquor Men Excluded From the Order. Toronto, June 1-(Special)-The Grand

Orange Lodge of B. N. A. closed last night, to meet next year at London. All business before the meeting was disp made to the Pavilion, where the delegates were banquetted by the city council of by 8 o'clock, when adjournment was Worshipful Grand Master Wallace

was re-elected without opposition, and the remaining offices were filled without any keen contests. A change in the sentiment of the Grand Lodge in regard to the temperance ques-tion was illustrated by the passing of a resolution, moved and seconded by Brothers H. H. Pitts of Fredericton, N. B., and Shultz of Baldur, Man., "That no man engaged in the sale or manufac ture of spirituous liquors shall be eligible for membership in this order."

LOST CHILD FOUND.

whose failure was announced May 26, it was shown that the liabilities were \$750,000 and the assets \$1,110,000,4252

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## The Grab For Alaska

Wilfrid Reads in House Americans' Demand for All Territory.

Opposition Leader Commends Ministers for Cutting Short the Negotiations.

Tongue.

From Our Own Correspondent

Ottawa, June 5.-The first business in the house to-day was the production by the Premier of the Alaska and Yukon boundary protocol. The statement read by him is the same as has appeared in

Sir Wilfrid referred to the documents only so far as to show the difference beposals. These differences are two. As to tribunal of arbitration, the British commissioners proposed arbitration by three men-one chosen by each party and the third by the other two. The United States proposed a commission of six men appointed by each side. Objection is made to this tribunal that as there would be no referee, it would afford no guarantee of finality. The other difference relates to the matter to be arbitrat-

ed. The British side was willing to accept 50 years' undisputed possession as a good title, and the United States not accept this preliminary, and so the

the commissioners.

Sir Charles Tupper asked whether a modus vivendi had been reached as to possession of the disputed territory in the meantime. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said provisional boundaries had been established at the summits of the White Pass and Chilkoot Pass, and preparations to establish one on the Dalton trail are under consideration.

Sir Charles pointed out that the authorized statement at the time the negotiations ceased was that the proceedings had been adjourned. More recently it had been discovered that negotiations had been entirely arreated, with the intention of not resuming unless the Alaskan boundary question was removed.

kan boundary question was removed This fact now disclosed places the Cana accept as a basis of negotiations the

dian interests would suffer by the adop-tion of the 50 years rule. Last year Mr. Sifton, in spite of warncoast had been in occupation adverse to Canada "from time immemorial," but Sir Charles could not see that the United States or Russia could have acquired a post title by occupation of territory which the Russian treaty of 1825 dis-

tinctly assigned to Canada. Washington, June 5.—While the department of state has acceded to the request of the British government for England the part of the protocols of the joint high commission which related to the proposed arbitration of the Alaskan boundary question, it has done so, it is stated, not because the protocols are regarded as conveying an accurate ander standing of the present state of the nego tesy. These protocols are of no contem poraneous interest, relating as they de to a phase that had been so modified by subsequent negotiation as to be now

THE FRASER NO HIGHER.

Quesnelle, June 6.—The river is at a standstill. The weather is still cold.

Lillooet, June 6.—There is little or no change in the river. The weather is

NOTED PAINTER'S DEATH.

London, June 1.—John Smart, the land-scape painter, is dead. He was born at Edinburgh in 1838, and was an original member of the Royal Scottish Water Color Society. In 1871 he became a member of the Royal Society of Artists. Are most likely to find your blood impure and lacking in the red corpuscles which en-able it to carry nourishment to the nerves and other organs. Therefore you feel weak, tired and listless and are troubled with spring humors. Relief is given by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood.

LOST CHILD FOUND.

New Britain, Conn., June 6.—Anna Escholtz, the six-year-old girl who has been missing since Sunday afternoon, was found about 2:30 this afternoon in a clump of trees about one mile from the place where she was last seen. The child was alone and seemed not to have fared badly. It has not yet been determined whether she was lost or whether she was taken off by some one.

NIELSON BROS. SOLVENT.

Glasgow, June 5.—At a meeting to day of the creditors of Nielson Bros., the important firm in the iron and steel trade, whose failure was announced May 26, it was shown that the liabilities were

High School Entrance.—The examination for entrance to the Victoria High School will be held at the South Park school on Monday, June 19, not next Monday, as previously announced.