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hen buried the meeting under al avalanche, finally effecting imely rescue with the light of cal pyrotechnics which alter-dazed and convulsed them. Christopher Foley followed harles and Mr. Woodworth, series of sweeping stric-pon the heads of the offending

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meeting generously subscribed funds of the league, and at the nany signed its membershi

R BATTLEFIELD FUND

tial Men in Britain Start Move ment to Raise Large Contribution

lon, April 20.—An important ent is afoot to make a national presentation to Canada at the ay presentation to Canada at the f the Quebec Tercentenary. The of Argyll and Lords Aberdeen, Lansdowne and Minto recently an invitation to a number of suished persons suggesting that contribution towards the £250public park. A meeting of the ters of the movement was held Mansion House, the Lord Mayor ng, when an executive commit-is appointed, of which Viscount s appointed, of which Viscount ton is chairman and Lord cona and Lord Mount Stephen rs. Mr. Arthur Grenfell stated he suggestion had been made to English participation should English participation e form of a memorial to Wolfe ontcalm. The response has albeen very gratifying. The Lord has acceded to the request public meeting on May 15, whe like of Argyll and Lord Lands and Lord Derby will speak.

Horse Dealer's Death. alo, N. Y., April 21.—V. illiar eported to be one of the larges dealers in the world, died her GEORGIA RETURNS

Mutineers Who Broke Barracks at Mazatlan Terrorized Southern Port

DOUBLING ISTHMUS ROAD

Growth of Business Over the

The steamer Georgia, Capt. Forbes, of the Canadian-Mexican line, reached port about 8 a. m. yesterday after a fine trip north, and proceeded to Ladysmith yesterday afternoon. She brought a small cargo, including 200 tons of salt from Carmen island for transhipment to Seattle, 81 tons of ore transhipment to Seattle, 81 tons o from the Berfadero mines near Acapulco for the Tyee smelter at Ladysmith, cedar lumber, and cases of general merchandise. Two passengers
were brought north to Victoria, J. E.
Macrae, the well known Vancouver
shipping man, and F. G. N. Frier, of
the Butters Copalo Mining Company,
a rich silver property. Mr. Macrae has
been visiting various Mexican ports,
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been visiting various Mexican ports, and is impressed with the opporting of fering for business in the southern Republic.

From Mazatlan news was brought that the troops at the Mexican barracks broke out in mutiny, and terriorized people with their rifles, two policemen being killed and one citizen, who sought to aid the officers. There were 25 mutineers, who broke out while the people were engaged in a religious fiesta. Three men were way-laid and rebbed by mutineers in the outskirts of the city. None of those on board the Canadian-Mexican liner were witnesses of the affair, which occurred when the steamer was at Guaycurred when the steamer was at Guay-mas, a port further north, on Sunday, April 2.

The Tehuantepec Isthmus route has taken rank as one of the world's great trade highways. This line now carries practically all the sugar from the Hawaiian islands to Philadelphia and New York. Both its Pacific and Atlantic terminals on the isthmus have been vastly improved, the former having been transformed from a merely open roadstead to a capacious harbor by the throwing out from the land of two massive breakwaters which form

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San Francisco	4,226	5,495
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Honolulu	9,099	6,688
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San Francisco	3,091	4.700
Victoria	3.881	5,420
Seattle	3.891	5.500
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CAMOSUN RETURNS FROM PRINCE RUPERT

Construction Work Commenced by Northern Railroads—Hazelton Ready to Start

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The mutiny was wholly unexpected. The people were at worship observing Palm Sunday in the churches, as well as at a religious flests out-of-doors, and the whole town was in gala dress. Many of the troops were on liberty in various parts of town, but these were in ignorance of the plans for the mutiny or its execution. The whole trouble came from the twenty-five soldiers who were in the cuartel, and these, it appeared, had become drunk. There was no other excuse offered for their outbreak.

It happened at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The twenty-five men, who were among the worst in the garrison, buckled on their full cartridge belts and, taking their muskets, suddenly overpowered the sergeant and burst out upon the streets. Whoopmay and there was joy among the worst in the muskets, suddenly overpowered the sergeant and burst out upon the streets, whoopmay and there was joy among the engineers of the steamer Princess May when she was sighted so far in advance for although they are not less within range of the voiley of ballets were shot dead. The people in the streets were only too cage to rush into the stores and houses to escape the mad mutineers.

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open roadstead to a capacious harbor by the throwing out from the land of two massive breakwaters which form a sheltered outer harbor of about twenty acres. The inner harbor has been excavated upon the former site of the old town of Salfna Cruz.

At Coatzacoalcos (Puerto Mexico) the river of the same name forms a natural harbor of unlimited capacity and with an average depth of 50 feet. The only obstruction having been about which has been removed and its reforming prevented by the construction of two converging jetties or training walls carried a distance of 1,300 meters from the mouth of the river into the sea. By thus confining the current its movement has been accelerated sufficiently 'to insure the scouring out of the river itself.

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Yokohama 11,478 12,500
The steamer Georgia, when bound south sighted the U.S. battleship aguadron at target practise at Magdulapa bay, passing at a distance of bout five miles from where the war-

ships were noisity hombarding the targets. At Acapulco on April 1 the U. S. torpedo boat destroyer squadron was met, and the S. S. supply steamer Arethusa and Peruvian cruiser Almirante Grau was also at the Mexican port.

Returning north the Georgia left Salina Cruz on March 30, Acapulco, April 2, Managanillo April 4, Mazatlan April 7, Guaymas April 12, and Carmen island on April 13. A number of coastwise passengers and much coastwise feright was carried by the steamer. She will sail south again on April 30.

CAMCOLINI DETINATION.

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It is learned that the recent reduction of the C.P.R. rates between Victoria and Seattle to meet the rates of the linand Navigation company, was due to the fact that it was the intention of the American company to place the steamer Chippewa on that run this month with a passenger rate of \$1.25, where the fighting declared to have roused the fighting for high declared to have roused the fighting for head of the C.P.R. is declared to have roused the righting for head of the C.P.R. is declared to have roused the righting for head of the C.P.R. is declared to have roused the righting for head of the C.P.R. is declared to have roused the crist.

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No More Credit for Trappers Edmonton, April 21.-The credit system that has been in vogue in the north since the trader and trapper in-vaded the country has been practically

dynamite at the Durkes construction camp, six miles west, resulted in the instant death of four Italians and the injury of a score of others.

LOOKS LIKE PLAGUE

Port of La Guaira, Venezuela, Closed on Account of Suspicious Disease

Washington, April 21.—A United States war vessel will be sent to Venezuelan waters, but her mission is to be an entirely peaceful one. The closing of the port of La Guaira because of the existence of what is believed to be the bubomic plague there has made it necessary for the State department to have at hand some vessel. has made it necessary for the State department to have at hand some vessel to be used as a despatch boat by Minister Russell in sending messages to Curacao or to Port of Spain, Trinidad, and for taking cablegrams to him from the State department. One of the smaller gunboats now in West Indian terment on Skagway Liner as She

CHIPPEWA RETURNS
HERE THIS AFTERNOON

Rate War on Victoria-Seattle Route
Will Be Fought to the End By
the C. P. R.

The steamer Chippewa of the Alaska
Steamship company which was withdrawn some months ago will arrive at 1.30 today resuming her service for the International steamship company on the Victoria-Seattle route. She will religious sentiment has gone abroad

Its steamers to victoria and register her here as a British boat to compete with the local company on the Victoria-Vancouver route, nothing further has been learned and the general disposition is to regard the announcement as a bluff.

The Chippewa has been replacing the steamer Iroquois on the Seattle-Vancouver route and that vessel returned yesterday. A Vancouver despatch says: The fight between the International Steamship company, a subsidiary company, and the C.P.R. over the passenger business between Victoria and Seattle is to be to a finish, according to instructions received from Montreal by the Vancouver officials of the latter company. Practically the orders from headquarters of the C.P.R. are to stay with the game even if it leads to giving bonus-

MAKES ITSELF FELT

Despite Accumulation of Funds

Henry Clews of New York in re-

viewing the financial situation this veek, says:
The financial situation continues to labor under conflicting influences. Outside of Wall Street depression is universal, and in some cases is more acute than at any time since the universal, and in some cases is more acute than at any time since the panic. Within the precincts of the financial district, however, the tendency continues towards recureration. The most favorable feature, periaps, is the increasing ease of moncy. This tendency is always noticeable after a panic, when slackened trade and lowby the return of currency from the interior as well as by the rigidity of interior as well as by the rigidity of a currency system, which does not permit of adequate contraction in times of extreme stagnation. Until the crop demands begin we are practically sure of abnormally easy money the only offset being gold exports and the withdrawal of public funds from the banks. It has been rangered that the Treasury would shortly make a call for about \$50,000,000, an operation which would have little effect upon rates at this time, because the govern-ment already has about \$190,000,000 deposited in the banks and the withdrawal would probably be made at points where congestion is greatest. It is not likely, therefore, that treasury operations will much disturb the oney market.

As for gold exports, there is a possibility that we may ship gold to Paris. Some pressure exists in the Continental money markets, particularly at Berlin, owing to the issue of new loans and a general strain upon credit. For some reason the demand ap-pears to fall chiefly upon Paris, and that centre naturally looks to New York, where gold can be obtained upon the most advantageous terms. As yet, however, there are no indications of an alarming efflux of the precious metal.

Falling Off in Trade. Because of business depression there has been a marked decline in imports has been a marked decline in imports thus permitting a continued heavy excess of exports! This of course, is discouraging to gold shipments, yet it is always best for all concerned that gold should freely go where it is most needed, and as we are in a position to give freely of our large reserve, shipments of a few millions of gold to the continent would probably prove indirectly beneficial though lessening the glut of idle funds at this centre and relieving the strain upon the other

Sown as possible, and until their finances are in better, condition. Certainly realized managers would not be justified in paying present prices for steel saking so long as the necessity remains for the steel companies to accept their share in the general readjustment. Railroad conditions are still very unsatisfactory. The earnings of 41 roads in the fourth week of March 21 roads in the fourth week of March 21 roads in the fourth week of March 22 roads showed a loss of 15 per cent. While the month of March 42 roads showed a decrease of 13 per cent. While the month of March 42 roads showed a decrease of 13 per cent. By means of stringent economy the railroads have been able somewhat to compensate for the shrinkage; but the loss of busfless, if continued much longer some of the garman of the continued much longer some of the garman of the continued much longer.

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the glut of idle funds at this central and relieving the strain upon the other side. In March our merchandise exports amounted to over \$141,000,000, compared with \$161,006,000 a year ago. This was a decrease of about \$20,000.

Our importations during the same period were \$89,000,000, compared with \$133,000,000 a year ago, a shrinkage of \$44,000,000. This left an excess of export for the month amounting to over \$52,000,000, as against \$28,500,000 in March 1907. In this connection it is interesting to note that during the nine months anding March our exports of merchandise increased \$47,000,000, while our importations declined \$135.

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alone deal in your reply of the 17th.

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General business conditions are any thing but satisfactory. Here and there is signs of recovery are visible, but, in many cases the industrial depression is an accusate of the panic. The consumption of merchandise is consequently being much operations. Purchases should only in the panic. The consumption of merchandise is consequently being much operations. Purchases should only in the panic. The consumption of merchandise is consequently being much opticated by the many hands thrown retarded by the many hands thrown to be added by the many hands thrown the big industrial centers, and notably completely the panic is to be expected until the outcome of the panic is to be expected until the outcome of the public service commission to the public

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THE LOCAL MARKETS

of stringent economy the railroads have been able somewhat to compensate for the shrinkage; but the loss of business, if continued much longer, will prove a more serious matter to some of the companies than was at one time anticipated. Bank clearings of leading cities continue to run about 30 per cent. below last vear, which is some indication of the duliness of trade, although allowance must be an added to the fall in prices and the strinkage in speculation compared with one year ago.

Within stock market circles, as already said, the situation shows some improvement. The rise which has taken place is inducing the selling of stocks by some large and shrewd involvement. The rise which has taken place is inducing the selling of stocks by some large and shrewd involvement. There is no public speculation, and commission houses as a rule are carrying comparatively small lines of securities. Just now the key to the situation is the money market.

While present low rates of streams.

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which the balloon went up and began the journey in a northerly direction.
The Associated Fress at 10:10 o'clock tonight received the following despatch: "Willimington, Del., April 22-patch: "Willimington, Del., April 22-patch: "Willimington, Del., April 22-patch: "Willimington, Del., Bacon, per lb. "In steamships will be marntained indefigured to a considerable period—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends, being for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of cheap money cannot be ignored in stock market aperiod—good stocks will look exceedingly cheap, even allowing for reduction in dividends. Meanwhile, the power of the power

Births, Deaths, Marriages

SOSTOCK—At Springfield avenue, Vic-toria West, on April 21, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boetock, a son.

MARRIED. BARCLAY-CORNWALL.—On April 20, by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, George N. Barclay, of Ashcroft Manor, Esquire, to Maud, daughter of the Honorable C. F. Cornwall and Mrs. Cornwall.

TODD-SHAW—At Seattle on Wednesday, April 22, 1908, by the Rev. W. H. Trusch, Milera Compton Shaw, to Thomas Todd of Cedar Hill, V. I.

Years.

TAYLOR—At New Westminster, on the 14th inst., the death of Mrs. Sarah Taylor, at the age of \$4 years and 11 months, a native of Swallow Hill, Yorkshire, England, for many years a resident of Victoria.

St. Thomas, Ont., papers please copy. on Friday, 17th inst., Frances, dea beloved wife of Albert T. Goward. TYRWHITT-DRAKE—On Easter Sunday, at Point Ellice, Montague William Tyrwhitt-Drake, son of the late Rev. George Tyrwhitt-Drake, rector of Malpas, Cheshire, and lately a puisne judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in his 79th year.

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