### MARKETS FOR CANADIAN GOODS

OPPORTUNITIES FOR

Opening of the Tehuantepec Railway Will Enable Settlers to Reach

Ottawa, Nov. 3 .- A. W. Donely, Canadian commercial agent in Mexico, reports to the department that with the opening of the Tehuantepec international railway on January 1st next, there is no reason why Eastern Canada should not compete for the Pacific coast trade of Mexico, especially in manufactured articles, while British Columbia will be in a position to send her lumber and fish to eastern and central ber and fish to eastern and central Mexico and the West Indies at a cheap \$1,000,000, Lord Lyeagh, heading the list the Duke of Abruzzi's expedition which

ITALIANS LOSE MONEY.

Man Who Conducted Savings Bank in

Brooklyn were called upon to-day to quiet a crowd of angry Italians who were threatening to wreck a building in Navy street where Angelo Competello had for several years conducted a savings bank in connection with a ticket agency. The depositors told the police that Competello and his family STIRRING SPEECH BY had disappeared with the result that the bank practically was wiped out. Investigation confirmed this and showed further that the banker had the safe and fixtures carried away early to-day. The depositors number sev- J. A. Macdonald Says There Is Exceleral hundred and it is estimated that the total amount of deposits was \$18,-

FIGHT AMONG SOLDIERS.

One Man Killed and Two Wounded-Trouble Over Game of Cards.

to the Times from El Paso, Texas, says:
"Negro soldiers of the 25th infantry at
"Negro soldiers of the 25th infantry at Fort Bliss, five miles from here, fought in a saloon outside the reservation last night. Private Mathews was killed and

# TO TEST VALIDITY

NEWFOUNDLAND ABOUT TO INSTITUTE ACTIONS

Will Prosecute Fishermen and Take Cases to Privy Council if Necessary.

St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 3 .- In order to avoid the possibility of any legal defect or technicality vitiating the proposed colonial fishermen employed on board adjournment for the Christmas holiof American herring vessels to deter- days to debate the tariff. It is more nine whether the modus vivendi arranged between the United States and Great Britain is valid or otherwise, the be made about December 21st until the government will send competent legal 7th of 8th of January. counsel to the west coast to arrange for these prosecutions, to draft the ne- ate to be filled before the House meets. forcement of the bail, etc. It is the purpose of the government to carry these seasons and two in New Brunswick. The election for the Brunswick in New Brunswick. The election for the Sydney and then come down in Sydney and the come down these cases to the Privy Council if necessity arises.

House of Commons will take place the on a train. It he did he would probably these cases to the Privy Council if necessity arises.

JEALOUS HUSBAND'S ACT.

Cut His Wife's Throat and Ended His Own Life.

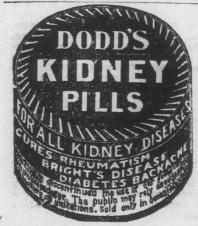
Shelton, Conn., Nov. 1 .- A tragedy was revealed here to-day when the bodies of Charles Quazee and his wife were found dead in their home with their throats cut. The husband had of the cabinet the discussion of the murdered his wife after a quarrel and programme of Premier Clemenceau was were found in their bedroom by a neighbors. Jealousy was the cause of the trouble.

SPY CAPTURED.

Jap in Disguise Caught Sketching Fortifications in the Philippines.

New York, Nov. 3 .- According to Manila dispatch to the Herald a Japanese captain of engineers, disguised, has been caught sketching fortifications in the Philippines. The Japanese government has been communicated with regarding the deportation of the offender

An inquest was held at Whitechapel, London, on an infant child of a tailor named Weiner, who was killed by swalowing a hot cinder which "popped" out of the fire into its mouth.



CHURCH AND STATE.

The Pope Will Reject Decision Council Regarding Meetings in

Paris, Nov. 2.-A prelate of high rank, whose name is not given, is quoted in the press here to-day as saying that the Pope will reject the decision of the council of state rendered on TRADE WITH MEXICO October 31st by which, under the law of 1881, meetings organized by private individuals for the purpose of worship will be recognized as legal after De cember 11th, when the church and state separation law formally goes into effect. The prelate stated that the pontiff would never recognize that the functions of religion can assume the character of public meetings.

THE DUBLIN EXPOSITION.

Vill Be Opened Next May-Guarantee Fund Amounts to One Million Dollars.

New York, Nov. 2.-A London special dispatch published here to-day says next May will see the opening of the great Irish International exhibition. with \$50,000. The buildings will resemble in scheme those of the late Paris exposition. A prominent feature will be a great dome.

## New York, Nov. 1.—Police reserves in rooklyn were called upon

PROVINCIAL LEADER

lent Chance of Winning at General Election.

Vancouver, Nov. 2.-Lower mainland Liberals met last night, and formed Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 3.-A dispatch what will be known as the Lower Mayor Neelands was elected chairman and Ald. Baxter secretary pro tem.

J. A. Macdonald, M. P. P., provin-Private Lewis and Alexander Johnson, saloon-keeper, were wounded. Other troops from the fort have been dispatched to arrest the men. Advices concerning the origin of the trouble are conflicting. for organization throughout the prout a card game is said to have prompted vince. He declared there was an excellent chance of winning the next provincial election.

R. L. Durury, M. P. P., of Victoria said Vancouver Island would return at least one more Liberal.

A council composed of five from Vancouver, and one each from lower mainmediately.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Will Meet on Nevember 22nd-Adjournment for Christmas Holidays About December 21st.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The proclamation Gazette to-day.

It is expected that the speech from the throne will be adopted after a than likely that an adjournment will

There are four vacancies in the Senessary papers and to oversee the en- Two are in Nova Scotia and two in general decided to sit for Gaspe instead of Nicolet

FRENCH CABINET'S POLICY.

Programme Discussed and Will Be Submitted to President Fallieres.

Paris, Nov. 1.-At to-night's meeting Fallieres before its submission to parliament on November 5th.

POLICY OF NEW MINISTRY.

Programme of New French Cabinet Approved by the President.

Paris, Nov. 3.-The cabinet held neeting to-day under the presidency of President Fallieres and approved the ministerial declaration of policy. The Roosevelt was damaged by ice during president then signed the bills to be the long stay in the Arctic regions while introduced on Monday at the re-assembling of parliament for the purchase of the Western Railroad and the abolition of the death penalty.

WILL VISIT WASHINGTON.

Chief of the Utes Will Submit Their Troubles to President Roosevelt.

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 3 .- A conferenresulted in an agreement on the part of the Utes to return with Colonel Rogers to Fort Meade, to be taken care of there by the government while Chief Red Cap and Black Whiskers go to Washington to anyone to induce or deter under folse talk the matter over with President Roosevelt. The Utes will go overland with troops of the Sixth Cavalry. The Indians have not been disarmed

and will not be as long as they make no threatening actions.

PRINCE RUPERT CUSTOMS PORT.

PEARY'S EXPERIENCES IN THE ARCTIC

HOLD RECORD FOR "FARTHEST NORTH" TRIP

Compelled to Eat Dogs During Return Journey-Message From the Explorer.

fidently hoped to do with his specially to rest had held the Arctic record of 86 degrees, 34 minutes.

What Commander Peary did and his experiences during the past year in the frozen north, are briefly but vividly summarized in a communication received to-night by Herbert L. Bridge-

quarters. We went north with sledges been carefully searched. and were delayed by open water beond 85 degrees for six days.

supporting bodies and we drifted due pected there to-day. east. We reached 87 degrees six minutes, north latitude, over the ice, drifting steadily eastward. Returning, we ate eight dogs. We drifted eastward, delayed by open water, reached the north coast of Greenland in straight-ened conditions. We killed musk oxen

"Two supporting parties were driver on the north coast of Greenland. One was rescued by me in a starving condition. After one week's recuperation on the Roosevelt, we sledge, west, completing the north coast of Grant-land and reached other land near the one hundredth meridian. The homeward voyage was an incessant battle with ice, storms and head winds. The Roosevelt is a magnificent ice fighter and sea boat. No deaths or illness the expedition. (Signed) Peary."

to the ship.

After furnishing these contents of Commander Peary's missive to the Associated Press, Mr. Brydgeman said that there was little doubt that Com mander Peary was coming home. This seems to be borne out by the routing of the dispatch. Hopedale or Hoffen and districts and the Skeena was that is a Moravian mission station or formed to perfect organization. An the east coast of Labrador. Twillin organizer will be put in the field im-mediately gate is a port on the east coast of New-foundland. Mr. Brydgeman said the message probably was mailed by Commander Peary from Hopedale to the

most accessible cable point. Commander Peary's Polar steamshir he Roosevelt, left New York on her long journey in search of the Pole. July 16th, 1905. The vessel, for which funds were furnished by the Peary Arctic Club, of New York, was designed particularly for Arctic exploration. She Bartlett.

Expected Home Shortly. New York, Nov. 3.-Herbert L. Bridgeman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club.

test cases which the Newfoundland government intends to bring against be about three week's discussion, so that there will was a proud man last night when he was exhibiting Commander Peary's dispatch the centre of the so-called sweat-shop are convention.

Tammany Hall went to that convention was a proud man last night when he was exhibiting Commander Peary's dispatch the centre of the so-called sweat-shop are convention. o the reporters who gathered to learn of he achievement, says the New York Sun o-day:

Wanted Mr. Hearst and we fell in line. Now that Mr. Hearst is nominated, we are supporting him loyally. He is the them. When it was remembered that to the reporters who gathered to learn of He said: "I feel that it is useless for class.

me to add anything to what the telegram says. It shows for itself. The part which tells of the eating of the dogs is enough to show the hardships that he encounter-ed. I imagine that Lieut. Peary will be home in New York in ten days, may be she belongs. That is the most natural thing for him to do. The crew are all Newfoundlanders and could return home

after that. "It is evident Peary has had the same sperience of getting on grinding ice and being carried away from his goal that other explorers have had. Probably no other man living would have got off so well as Peary has. He found himself on ce that had been broken up by storm and was taking him in a contrary direc-

"Will Peary ever make the attempt ministerial declaration of policy said by the newspapers when he sailed which will be submitted to President that if he failed this time he would never try again. He never told me that, and I was quite close to him. The commander lerful features of this expedition is the act that the Roosevelt is coming with the entire party despite the hardships they have experienced.'

The Roosevelt Damaged.

St. John, Nfld., Nov. 3.-The fact that Commander Robert E. Peary's steamer the explorer made his last dash to the Pole, was reported to-day from the Moravian mission station at Hopedale on the Labrador coast, where the Roosevelt has arrived. The extent of the damage is unnmander Peary also reported that the steamer was in need of coal.

PROTECTING EMIGRANTS

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—Mackenzie King has anyone to induce or deter under false the past few weeks. representations immigration to Canada.

THE BUCKINGHAM RIOTS.

cer will be appointed at an early date. before the criminal courts.

TREASURER DISAPPEARS. Also Funds of Danish Brotherhood of America-Wife Will Repay Shortage.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—J. Christian Eskilsen, of Chicago, the supreme treasurer of the Danish Brotherhood of America, is missing, and it is found that from forty to fifty thousand dollars of the order's the characteristics. to fifty thousand dollars of the order's funds is gone. Eskilsen has not been seen since October 20th. H. H. Vogt, of Davenport, Ia., supreme president, and Martin Larsen, of Racine, supreme vicepresident, yesterday concluded an ex-amination of Eskilsen's accounts, which amination of Eskilsen's accounts, which they say may reveal an immense shortage. They declare that practically all of the reserve fund is gone. Seven thousand dellars of it is said to have been lost in the failure of Paul O. Stensland's bank.

Mrs. Eskilsen at her home last night said that she would repay all the shortage that may be or that has been found. said that she would repay all the shortage that may be or that has been found.
According to reports from Racine, where many prominent members of the where many prominent members of the order reside, she has already turned over \$17,000 worth of Chicago property. Eskilsen, who has been a resident of Chicago for more than forty years, was a business for more than forty years, was a business partner of John J. Wheeler, doing a general roofing business.

fidently hoped to do with his specially to rest and recuperate until I get my constructed vessel, the Roosevelt, but strength back."

PROTECTING SPANISH RULERS. Suspected Anarchists Disappear From Barcelona and Malaga Police Are on the Alert.

Malaga, Spain, Nov. 3 .- Local police are advised that suspected anarchists man, secretary of the Peary Arctic have suddenly disappeared from Bar-Club. This communication follows: celona and consequently the most vig-"Hopedale, Labrador (via Twillin-gate, Newfoundland), Nov. 2. To Her-the protection of King Alfonsa and L. Brydgeman-The Roosevelt Queen Victoria during their stay here. wintered on the north coast of Grant- All the houses in the streets through land, somewhat north of Alert winter which their majesties are to pass have

in February via Heckla and Columbia | The Carlist committee throughout the | terview that the government did not peninsula will celebrate the name of regard the Catholic church as being in A squadron of British warships ar- separation of the church and state or

RAILWAY CASE.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.-Charles M. Hays is passengers at the third class rate be-

## **EXCITING SCENES AT**

MANY POOR PEOPLE DRIVEN FROM HOMES

Two Men Had Remarkable Escapes From Death Loss Estimated at Hundred Thousand Dollars.

New York, Nov. 2.-Two men had remarkable escapes from death by fire, property valued at \$100,000 was destroyed and hundreds of tenement dwellers fled from their homes in terror as a result of a fire in a seven story factory early to-day.

For two hours the flames baffled the summoning parliament to meet on Ne- cost about \$100,000. The Roosevelt had firemen, threatening to sweep beyond followed that instruction." vember 22nd appears in the Canada a crew of twenty men and Captain control and lick up the wretched dwellings adjoining and all that time the hundreds who had been driven from teaching it now."

on Whitlaw Reid, the American ambassador. In the course of his speech hundreds who had been driven from hundreds who had been driven from their beds almost naked stood shivering Mr. Hearst then?" a reporter asked. thanking the municipality, the ambassador referring to the relations between

in the chill morning air. most of them Hebrews of the poorer

When the fire was discovered by a policeman it had spread through the entire lower part of the factory building and two Jewish watchmen, whose escape had been cut off by the flames. were standing at an upper window wildly crying for help. Gradually they were driven to seek refuge on the roof. There they found temporary safety, but money loss in excess of a quarter of a in a few minutes the flames began to million dollars was caused early to-day break through the roof and close in by a fire which destroyed the piano facaround the two figures which could be tory of Jacob Bros. Co. in West 39th

begged in wails and screeches for the combustible materials were stored, and firemen to go to the aid of the men who worked steadily upward until the ball campaign, according to an announce seemed doomed to die before their flames burst through the roof of the eyes, but the firemen were helpless. seven story structure. Their longest ladder would reach scarcely two-thirds the height of the the building during an early stage of burning building, and the fire escapes the fire were forced to flee for their then gashed his own throat and the concluded. There was then drawn up again? I don't know, although it was were wrapped for half their length in lives when barrels of oil and paint in flames. At almost the last moment down until the clothing of the helpless men had begun to smoke from the intense heat, a great new fire truck with when the blazing circle had narrowed escaped, and from that time until the was quite close to min. The commander will undoubtedly bring back with him a wealth of scientific and geographical matter. I consider that one of the woncalled into service dashed through the frightened crowd in the street. Quickly the ladder was raised and almost before its topmost round had touched the coping a fireman appeared beside the two men. In another moment he had handed them, one after another, to comrades who had followed him, and from Halifax, 20 hours late, after they were carried safe but on the verge of collapse from fright to the ground.

### HON. W. S. FIELDING'S SWEEPING VICTORY

Toronto, Nov. 1.-Hon. W. S. Field arranged with Lord Elgin that an aming's majority in Shelburn and Queen's endment will be made to one of the is hovering around the thousand mark. existing Imperial acts to make it an This is the best answer that could be offence, punishable by a fine of £50 or given to the attacks that have been

The Toronto Globe to-day says "Now that his constituents have so emphatically expressed their disapproval of the means resorted to for Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The verdict in the the purpose of defeating him it should Buckingham riot case is regarded by become clear even to his enemies that many here as a proper one under all such warfare is unprofitable. Hon. the circumstances. It is better, it is Mr. Fielding is strong to-day, not Ottawa, Nov. 2.—Prince Rupert has said, to be too sweeping than narrow merely in his own constituency and his peen created a customs port. An offi- in putting all the parties concerned own province, but all over the Domin-

SECURED EXPLOSIVES

BY PRESENTING FORGED ORDER TO STOREKEEPER

Man Were Disguised as Soldiers and Had Ne Difficulty in Securing

feat was accomplished by Commander
Peary of the United States navy.

The intrepid Arctic explorer failed to reach the north pole as he had confidence to the saying: "I am sick and tired. I will go to a sanitarium for a short time of the deliverence to the north pole as he had confidence to the saying: "I am sick and tired. I will go to a sanitarium for a short time of the deliverence to the deliverence to the north pole as he had confidence to the north pole as he had confidence to the deliverence to the north pole as he had confidence to the deliverence to the deliverence to the deliverence to the north pole as he had confidence to t ery of 575 pounds of pyroxylin and 150 by the flames and the new building pounds of smokeless powder. The material was delivered, the six men loaded it on their wagon and drove away. They have not been captured. At the time this happened the powder stores, which are the largest in the country, were guarded by an entire

> CHURCH AND STATE. Worship on the Situation Minister of

regiment of infantry.

in France.

Paris, Nov. 3.-The minister of public instruction and worship, M. Bryand, MILLION AND A HALF TONS to-day announced in an authorized intween 84 and 85 degrees. We were be the Pretender, Don Carlo, to-morrow. revolt against the law providing for the "A gale disrupted the ice, destroyed rived at Malaga yesterday and King against the state. The Catholic church, Number of Roads Have Been Compelled ur caches, cut off communication with Alfonso and Queen Victoria were ex- having simply declined to take advantage of its privilege under the law as the other religions did in December would forfeit \$8,000,000 worth of property, and thereafter would live under the common law. There would be being summoned to appear in the To- neither martyrdom nor persecutions of ronto police court for refusing to carry the faithful. The church, as state and communal property, would remain open at last was neutral towards all reliall of them with especial favors to specified.

NEW YORK ELECTION.

Murphy Says Tammany Hall Is Loyally Supporting Hearst.

from Richard Croker to State Senator Patrick McCarren, leader of the Democratic party organization in Brooklyn, who is opposing Hearst, in which Mr. Croker commended the Senator's course as being manly. "It is a great question in my mind as to the genuineness of that arbles are leaves to the senator's course as the senator's course as being manly. "It is a great question in my mind as to the genuineness of that arbles are leaves to senator in the heaviest buyers of steel rails for 1907, and it is stated the demand in that section indicates the wonderful growth of the south's increased demand which is being made on the transportation companies." cablegram," said Mr. Murphy. "I do not intend to take any steps to find out whether it was sent by Mr. Croker or not, but it is entirely contrary to the teachings and attitude of Mr. Croker all building at Stanton and Mangin streets | teachings and attitude of Inc. building at Stanton and Mangin streets | his life. Mr. Croker, as leader of Tam. many Hall, taught me regularity and al-ways preached it. Tammany has always

should be supported by the party." FIANO FACTORY DESTROYED.

ployment-Loss Quarter of

Million Dollars. New York, Nov. 3 .- Hundreds of men were thrown out of employment and plainly seen kneeling in prayer.

The frantic crowd in the street where oils and varnishes and other

Fifty firemen, who had been sent into the cellar began to burst. All of them

SWEPT OVERBOARD. Carpenter of Steamer Halifax Drowned During Heavy Gale.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 3.—The Plant line steamer Halifax arrived here to-day dangerous passage in a storm during which the ship's carpenter, John Mc-Lean, was swept overboard and lost. The steamer herself was considerably damaged by the gale and heavy sea, side forward. She was hove to for 24 | 1 hours.

THE CHANNEL COLLISION.

The Peter Rickmers. Which Sank the Steamer Herman Has Arrived at Ostend.

Ostend, Belgium, Nov. 1.-The vessel, which collided with the steamer Hermann in the channel on October 28th. sinking the Hermann and drowning 23 of her crew, was the German ship for shipping vessels to be open to ves-Peter Rickmers, which arrived at sels from all parts of the world. The Flushing to-day, damaged and leaking. details of the race will be arranged for

Mr. Benjamin Gouldstone, an Epping postman, has just retired, having walked 150,000 miles during his forty years' serCANNED MEAT.

War Secretary Will Not at Present INDIANS CAPTURED Make Public Report of Lieut. Cel. Hobbs.

London, Nov. 1 .- War Secretary Haldane, replying in the House of Commons to-day to John Henniker Heaton, Progressive Conservative, said the government did not intend to make public the report of Lieut.-Col. Hobbs, who went to the United States to inspect meat supplied for the British army shortly after the packing scandal, and a statement on the subject could not be made until a final decision regarding future contracts had been arrived at. The British army still held about three-quarters of a million nounds of American canned meat, costing \$400,000, and there was no present ntention of sending an officer to in vestigate the question of supplying the army from Australian sources.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Wellington, New Zealand, Oct. 30 .-The biggest conflagration in the history of the city has just occurred. The Union Bank was completely destroyed of the Bank of New South Wales was more food has been ordered from wrecked. The Commercial and Trocadero hotels and several insurance and other business houses were also de- Deer creek. stroyed.

### FOR STEEL RAILS

REQUIRED NEXT YEAR

to Seek Supplies in Foreign Markets.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—The Record-Herald | the operations looking to a chase of to-day says: "More than 1,500,000 tons Utes are practically at a stands and returned along the Greenland coast tween Toronto and Port Hope at two for Catholic worship. The object for of steel rails have been ordered by the which the Republican party in France railroads for delivery in 1907. The plies will be sent out from Arvida a had struggled for 30 years was total capacity of the steel mills for a achieved. The concordat was at an end, the state would no longer contrithem are assured their capacity orders plies are now at Ashland, en route bute to the support of any religion, and for 1907. Never before, it is stated, the camp of the Tenth near Moorhead priests would no longer enjoy privileges. In both their duties and obligations they would be on an equality with Some of the roads have been compelled back in Wyoming on the Powder rive other citizens; in other words the state to seek foreign rails in order to have retracing the route by which they assurances that their orders will be de- tered Montana. They evidently ki gions, and would permit the exercise of livered in anything like the time they of the arrival of the troops at Ashlar

> "The demand for new rails does not come so much for new railroad confor that band to meet them in so struction as it does for renewals and other part of the country. The Utes for relaying tracks with heavier steel. Bear creek have not moved according The business of the railroads has in- to telephone advices received here. creased so enormously that the old light rails are inadequate to carry the New York, Nov. 1.—Chas. F. Murphy, of Tammany Pall, and to-day that he doubted the genuineness of a cablegram from Richard Crokers to State of the South are among the heaviest buyers of steel rails

BRITAIN AND STATES. Ambassador Reid Says Statesmen Should Strive to Preserve Present Cordial Relations.

"Are you teaching regularity now?" "I dom of the city was to-day conferred bassador. In the course of his speech "Tammany Hall went to that convention the United States and Great Britain said the statesmen of either country regular nominee of the party and as such nearly one-third of the entire trade of New York and nearly half the whole trade of the United States were with here. the British Empire, all would recognize that there were billions of reasons for Hundreds of Men Thrown Out of Em- maintaining and perpetuating the pre-

sent cordial relations.

IN BASEBALL WORLD.

American League Will Advocate a Longer World's Series. Chicago, Nov. 3.-The American League will advocate a longer world's series, a shorter championship season and a greater number of post-season games etween teams of the major leagues for next season as a part of the winter base curb the practice of independent or city eague clubs of hiring players under contract to National agreement clubs, with or without the consent of the teams to

which they belong. Player Fined. Logan-Squares, an independent team of Chicago. Lindaman will be ineligible to play with any National agreement club in the city, causing the greates until the fine is paid.

FUEL FAMINE IN RUSSIA.

Proposal to Abolish the Duties on Oils.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 3.-A conference was held at the ministry of commerce to-day to consider measures for alleviat-ing the fuel crisis. A project for the abolition of the duties on fuel oil in order damaged by the gale and heavy sea, doors and windows having been broken and a plate started on the starboard and a plate started on the starboard damaged by the gale and heavy sea, to permit the importation of American the morgue, and after a brief oils to compete with the Russian fuel sation with the man in charged by the gale and heavy sea, to permit the importation of American the morgue, and after a brief oils to compete with the Russian fuel sation with the man in charged by the gale and heavy sea, to permit the importation of American the morgue, and after a brief oils to compete with the Russian fuel sation with the man in charged by the gale and heavy sea, to permit the importation of American sation with the man in charged by the gale and a plate started on the starboard residue. prohibitive, was discussed. The abolition of the duties on fuel oil is advocated by the minister of commerce and the central suicide. Russian industrials, who claim that oil can be imported by way of Libau at rates twenty per cent. below the present prices. The representatives of the Baku oil interests oppose the proposition.

ANOTHER LIPTON PRIZE,

Boston, Mass., Nov. 1.-Sir Thomas Lipton, who is visiting Boston, announced that he would offer a prize later.

Pure hydrogen gas gives out five times

### SUPPLY TRAIN

AND STOLE FLOUR INTENDED FOR TROOPS

Operations Against the Utes Practically at Standstill Until More Rations Reach Soldiers.

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 1.-A band of one hundred Ute Indians, it is rep ed, captured a wagon load of sun bound for the Tenth and Sixt cavalry. The driver was held a point while the redskins sacked entire load and carried it away Troops camped at the mouth Buffalo creek are on short ration tle Powder river, thirty miles awa Most of the Utes are still campe Soldiers north of Sheridan have seen

no trace of the Cheyennes. Troops Admitted.

Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 2.-Further de tails of the raiding of a govern supply train bound for the camp the Tenth and Six Cavalry Arvada, characterizes it as a piece of work, evidently planned by older heads of the Lite tribe

According to driver Jas. Forgi Indians were in sight until a bunc about a hundred mounted redskins denly dashed out of a defile in the and quickly surrounded him. made little noise outside of a few sh vells in the nature of commands. thile several Indians kept For under their rifles, the balance rifled wagon train of 3,000 pounds of flo the sacks of which were strapped the cayuses of the Indians who the disappeared into the hills. As a result of the raiding of the su

oly train, the troops are in need until supplies can be had. More su once.

The Utes have completely outwitt the military, and are now repor and have either given up the atter

BY COLLAPSE OF DERRICK

ON NEW BUILDING

Man Dead as the Result of Explesion in Railway Store Room.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 2,-Two work men were killed and five others injure to-day by the collapse of a derrick

a new building in course of erec The dead men are James MacNa

and Samuel Harris. All of the injured will recove While a large block of stone ng hoisted by the derrick the pi ped. The stone crashed through a form occupied by MacNamara Harris, throwing them to the gr six stories below. The men were knocked from platforms outside of the building at va stories by the stone in its descen

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. explosion occurred in the yard room of the Cincinnati Southern road shops here at 1 o'clock this ing, killing one man and fatally ing another. At least a half others were badly hurt. The storehouse was entirely

Killed by Explosion.

ed, the coaling station badly de several cars were burned and t dows in the offices and for som around were broken by the for It is impossible to estimate perty damage at this hour. Th

of the explosion is a complete m SUICIDE IN MORGUE.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 2 .--Hurley, a policeman attached fourth precinct, shot himself head this afternoon. He walk the morgue, and after a brief Ill-health is given as the cause

Ask your grocer for

Canadian Wheat Flakes Each packet contains a very

chinaware. BRACKMAN=KER MILLING CO., LTD., NATIONAL MILLS.

The attendance, ladies, at the meeti at Labor hall to lau

Appre

Labor party in Vi large as generally augmented considera advanced. Presider Trades and Labor ( meeting to order those present elect a Williams was electe In a few words he ient Gray, who was Mr. Gray stated he time in Vancouver

LOCAL TRADES

Platform and Princ

Delegate Gray M

PLEASED '

to do his share for t party. He could not, minds of the audier papers, in black he the convention had This was untrue; a business had been outlined, methods o dates arranged, and extend the work of It was not necessa the audience of the minion Trades Congr nest discussions in the or Council. All fu

sition. As a new felt it right for him residents of British ( ing lived in a countr supreme he might Put the union label to the legislaturelabel on the parlian he representatives their duty, they show at the earliest oppor would be the proper them, and a man tha people that sent him was ten times wors "scabbed" on their un in the past was that I parliament and the leg pledged; not bound b

principles. Coming now to the cent convention in Van first paid a high cor personnel of the Canad gress, the members of ter in point of ability convention he had atte gress appointed a Brit ecutive committee to Canadian Labor party

The resolution moved the secretary, and car Whereas the organized ada have for years ti gress, been endeavoring tion to secure the ame conditions and to prom laws concerning the well ers in the mines, the tories, in fact, in all wal And whereas, it has festly plain that effect this regard and sym getic enforcement of obtained by the pre and in the local

tives elected by labor feests of labor. And whereas, this and must continue nouthpiece of organiz irrespective and indep engaged in the effort ves of the people to legislatures of this c And whereas, the ples of this congress of the best thought a

ized labor during the pence and struggles in e it resolved: 1. That this congress sending representat parliament and to the for the direct purpose interests of the working

2. That such action as to attain this object sha f this congress. 3. That the platform this congress be reco in this independent effor 4. That immediately upment of this convention executives of the congre liminary steps to summ the trade unionists of Drovinces and those organized labor, for thing the necessary asso

thereafter the work of e

5. That upon such consummoned and convened the provincial executives

shall cease.

The executive met ar call for the conventi for the purpose of form But all would be aste that Wm. Davidson, el nember to the provirose up and moved th to the convention sho study up Socialism. H approved of some form such as Rev. Chas. H. forth in his words, "An keeper," and "Robert Days." There were ma however. The Socialist convention stated they port any candidate oth that party. These mer couver determined to b ment of forming the C party. Before going to union men in Victoria each union would only But by the proportional into which the union m at the supreme moment was taken on Davidson though numerically the against and 21 for, by Peculiar system the strait were declared to be in There was no row

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cialists, however, the re had withdrawn into and completed the business onvention was called. There was no necessity for any clash with the If, as they claimed, th