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**GRANDS FRAIRIE.**  
SAINT, Oct. 24.—The weather for the last few weeks has been grand and the harvest and threshing in the district has been excellent. The crop of wheat is particularly good. The people of Grands Frairie have been visited by a visit from Rev. J. M. Klampe, accompanied by a number of his family, who are on their way to a representative in the school house, Mrs. Klampe, who had the contract for opening the school here and will reside here. The school is well patronized and the children are doing well. The school is well patronized and the children are doing well.

**KAMLOOPS.**  
In the Inland Sentinel.  
of Craven & Elwell, Ducks, path Africa to take a prominent English mining syndicate. of Morrisville, on Monday sample of lime white enough for purposes burned from rock. He states that he can find a well known character, day night last at the C. P. R. station. He was found dead of pneumonia, and Mr. Barr got sent him by freight train to Seattle. The train arrived about 10 p. m., and Chief Kelly helped him get out of the train and to a hotel where the sick man's arms and died almost immediately. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of natural decomposition, but we know that knowledge impossible, but we know that either living, or dying, she was taken up the steep stairs of the steeple of the poor body with blocks of wood, and left there to rot in nakedness in the cool western wind that swept through the lofty spire. He hid the remains where he believed they would remain undiscovered and receive no promise of Christian burial. There he left her. She was dead, and he believed himself safe from detection and exposure.

**MINERAL DISCOVERY.**  
Oct. 25.—(Special).—Seven miners have been staked on a quartz vein in the land of Col. Elliot, of they are said to contain principal copper. It is said that the discovery was made some years ago by someone, but was not staked on it on the west side of the between Someros and Hall's.

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## DURRANT DOOMED.

The Jury Absent Only Twenty Minutes—A Never to Be Forgotten Scene.

The Murderer's Mother Swears—All Else Satisfied With the Dread Verdict.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31.—District Attorney Barnes yesterday appeared as the central figure in the trial of Theodore Durrant. While the spectators in the crowded court room craned their necks to catch every word of the speaker, he delivered what is considered in many respects one of the strongest arguments ever made to a California jury. Aside from being logical and convincing in his discussion of the testimony, he made two or three dramatic plays that put to a severe test the iron nerves of the prisoner. Of these scenes the most impressive took place in the early part of his argument, when he spoke of how counsel for the defence had invoked the spirit of Blanche Lamont, and vowed her thought by saying: "Let me go free; he harmed me not." While looking intently at the frame bearing Miss Lamont's dress, which stood near the jury box, and telling through the long days of the trial he had seen the young schoolgirl clothed in all her innocence and purity, Mr. Barnes reached the climax of the scene.

Turning upon Durrant, who was seated only three feet away, the district attorney with clenched fists and in a voice of thunder exclaimed: "I see her now. There she stands behind him at this very moment, not praying for vengeance for her lawless and remorseless wrongs, not for the law's retribution upon her murderer, but with uplifted hand and streaming eyes praying that God will not put it into your hearts, by a mockery of a verdict not guilty, to set free this monster to prey upon other souls who with vile hands the untaught snow of other children and defy anew that God of justice whose ministers you are."

**BRITAIN AND ASHANTEE.**  
ACRUA, Gold Coast Colony, British West Africa, Oct. 31.—Capt. Donald Stewart, the special British commissioner sent to Coomassie, the capital of Ashantee, to present the King of Ashantee with the ultimatum of Great Britain, has returned here, bringing the first authentic news of the results of his mission. The King of Ashantee rejected the ultimatum. He says he prefers war to accepting the terms of the British, and adds that he is fully prepared for it. The terms of the British ultimatum were that the King should have a British commissioner in his country, and that he should place Ashantee under the protection of Great Britain. He had until to-day in which to reply. A strong force of Imperial and native troops will now be dispatched to Coomassie to bring the King to terms. Sir Francis Scott, resident-general of the Gold Coast forces, is now in England and will leave for West Africa as soon as possible to organize the expeditionary force, which is expected to begin its advance by the middle of December. In the meantime the troops will be sent here from Lagos and other places.

**PUGET SOUND FORTIFICATIONS.**  
PORT TOWNSEND, Oct. 31.—Senator Squire posted a representative body of citizens last night on the necessity of fortifications for Puget Sound, dwelling particularly upon the magnificent offensive and defensive fortifications situated at Equilam, where the British fleet of warships is always harbored. He said the present defenceless condition of Puget Sound was a constant temptation to the nations of Europe who were seeking to override the Monroe doctrine. A very few of the nation's lawmakers, he said, had ever visited the Sound, and are unable to comprehend the vast amount of wealth lying exposed to the mercy of an invading foe.

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## CAPITAL NOTES.

Visit of the New Governor of Queensland to Ottawa—Trade With Chili.

P. E. Island Lobster Pack—Mounted Police on the Yukon—"Quadras" Accident to Be Investigated.

OTTAWA, Oct. 31.—Lord Leamington, the new Governor of Queensland, will shortly visit Ottawa en route to his new home at the Antipodes. A proposition has been received by the government, through the Imperial authorities, from the Chilean government for the opening of negotiations with the Dominion with a view to a trade treaty. Lieut. Governor Dewdney is expected here in a few days. To-morrow being All Saints day will be a departmental holiday. The total pack of lobsters in Prince Edward Island this year amounts to 3,091,000 one-pound cans, a decrease of 70,000 as compared with last year. This total was the product of 192 factories. In addition 11,000 pounds of live lobsters were exported to Boston alone. Hon. Mr. Daly had a hearty day over the sensational reports which appeared in the U. S. papers in regard to the sending of a mounted police detachment to the Yukon country. So far from anti-pating trouble there the police had been welcomed by the residents as a guarantee for the preservation of law and order among the mining population. Among those most persistent in urging the Dominion government to send police to the Yukon district were trading firms controlled by U. S. citizens. So far as the position of Fort Cudahy is concerned the Minister remarked that there was no question about it being in Canadian territory. Six years ago Surveyor William Ogilvie determined the position of the 141st meridian—the treaty boundary—from which it appeared that the town was entirely Canadian. This year Mr. Ogilvie has surveyed the townsite, and his report is expected here soon. The Department of Trade and Commerce has received a copy of a draft bill now before the New Zealand legislature for reciprocity between that colony and the other colonies of Great Britain. In addition to a memorandum of the terms agreed upon with Canada, New Zealand is negotiating similarly for a treaty with South Africa. The Marine department has ordered an inquiry into the cause of the Quadra rammer in Foul Bay. Captain Devereux will hold an investigation.

**A FLUKE OR A FIGHT?**  
HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Oct. 31.—Corbett is here; Fitzsimmons is at Little Rock. There will be a hearing in court at the latter place to-morrow, after which a new proposition will be submitted by Brady looking toward the bringing of Corbett and Fitzsimmons together at once. O'Donnell and Maher, and Ryan and Billy Smith are all ready, but everything depends upon the Little Rock proceedings and present arrangements. Little Rock, Oct. 31.—Julian and Fitzsimmons were taken into custody at two o'clock. The State moved to postpone the hearing until to-morrow. Julian was with his lawyer and said he was perfectly willing to postpone the case. Julian and Fitzsimmons will remain in custody until to-morrow. City Youth—Where was it you said you lived? Mountain Maid—I told you I lived in the Switzerland of America. City Youth—Y-e-s, I know; but which one?—New York Weekly.

**CATHOLIC OR GREEK?**  
SOFIA, Oct. 31.—In the speech from the throne at the opening of the Bulgarian Sobranje, Prince Ferdinand did not refer to the baptism of his son Boris, in the orthodox Greek faith. Prince Boris, who is not yet two years old, was expected to be baptized a Catholic; but it has been reported that his father, in order to win the support of Russia, proposed to have him baptized in the Greek faith. The ceremony was to have taken place last Monday, although rumor had it that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria was much displeased at the proposition. Whether the protestations of the young prince's religion. Should the baptism have taken place it is doubtful whether the prince would be allowed to retain his Bulgarian name as the Holy Synod at St. Petersburg is said to have selected a half dozen names all guaranteed strictly orthodox. Had the announcement of the ceremony been made by Prince Ferdinand, it would have marked another success for Russian diplomacy, to be followed shortly by a revival of Russian predominance in the Balkans. If Prince Boris, in consequence, however, generally effected in a secret manner as proposed.



**Almost Passes Belief**  
Mr. Jas. E. Nicholson, Florenceville, N. B., Struggles for Seven Long Years with CANCER ON THE LIP, AND IS CURED BY AVER'S Sarsaparilla  
Mr. Nicholson says: "I consulted doctors who prescribed for me, but to no purpose; the cancer began to Eat into the Flesh, spread to my chin, and I suffered in agony for seven long years. Finally I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In a week or two I noticed a Decided Improvement. Encouraged by this result, I persevered, until in a month or so the sore under my chin began to heal. In three months my lip began to heal, and after using the Sarsaparilla for six months, the last trace of the cancer disappeared." **Ayer's Sarsaparilla**  
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