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Honored B The Queen

Chancellor Boyd of Ontario **Knighted on Her Majesty's** Birthday.

Explorer Stanley in the List and Knighthood for Great Artist Also.

Diplomatic and Consular Services Recognized—Men of Learning Rewarded.

By Associated Press.

London, June 2.-The Queen's Birthday honors announced to-day include one Canadian Chancellor Boyd, of the Ontario High Court, who is knighted. Sir Charles Howard Vincent, M.P.

and Mr. James Rennell Rodd, secretary of the British consul-general in Egypt, are made Knight Commanders of St. Michael and St. George. In the case of Vincent was honored for his services during the recent anarchist conference

Mr. Percy Sanderson, the British con-sul-general at New York, is made a Knight Commander of St. Michael and

St. George.
Capt. John L. Burra, of the British second-class cruiser Intrepid, for his services at Bluefields is made a Companion of St. Michael and St. George. A baronetcy is bestowed upon Prof, John School Burden Sanderson, emeritus professor of medicine of Oxford Uni-

The order of Knight Commander of the Bath is awarded Mr. W. H. Preece, president of the institution of civil engineers, and Prof. Michael Foster, professor of physiology at Cambridge University.

ONTARIO RESENTS

The order of Companion of St. Michael nd St. George goes to Capt. the Hon. Maurice Rourke, commodore of he North American fisheries station, in re-cognition of his services in protecting the fishery interests of Newfoundland. Henry M. Stanley, M.P., the explorer, is made a Knight of the Grand Cross of he Bath, and Alma Tadema, the artist is knighted.

M. Jean DeReske receives the Royal Victorian order of the fourth class.

SPAIN'S ISLAND EMPIRE.

Madrid, June 2.—The Queen Regent to-day opened the cortes with the usual ceremony, and in the speech from the rights. Particular objection is taken Majesty said:

ijesty said:
At the opening of the cortes all the "The who sorrows which have wrenched our hearts. through the disasters which have visited our country, are re-awakened. preserve sadness in order to derive excountry are of such nature that reticence and silence avail better than complaints. concluded, parliamentary troubles caused a change of cabinet, and the present cabinet was formed. Under the constitution it belonged to me to ratify the treaty by laying it before the chamber. There remained under our control Carolines, Palaos and most of the Marianne islands. But the former cabinet believed it useless for Spain to retain such minor appendages of our ancient empire, and signed wth the German Emperor a convention offering to cede these territories under the law, which will be submitted immediately to the chamber.

Pope recognition of the many times he has given us his moral support. "The most important, most urgent and most difficult task before you is to bal-ance the budget and liquidate the debts resulting from the war through ordinary and permanent sources of income. Thanks to the severely economic policy projected by the government, it will not ask fresh sacrifices of the country, except such as can be equitably divided

friendly, and we especially owe to the

nong all classes.
"With the ordinary budget will also be presented schemes to liquidate the charges created by the loss of posses-sions and colonial campaigns."

The Queen Regent then referred to the financial measures, and expressed confidence that the nation would show the same resignation during peace as it showed during the war, adding: "For the times are critical, and it is impossible during the present session to do all that is necessary. But during the next session there will be projects for the rebased on obligatory service for improving the public defence, decentralizing the provincial and municipal administrations,

MONEY IN MATCHES. Fifteen Per Cent. Expected from Monopoly Just Created.

and reforming the penal code and elec-

New York, June 2.-Edwin Gould esident of the Continental Match Co. has disposed of that corporation's interests to the Diamond Match Co. for the consideration of \$1,000,000. With the addition of several independent factories which the Diamond Match Company now has options on it will practically con-trol the entire output of matches in the trol the entire output of matches in the United States. It is expected that, with practically all competitors removed, the new capitalization will be able to earn from concussion of the brain. He will

For any case of nervousness, sleep lessness, weak stomach, indigestlion, dyspepsia, try Carter's Litle Nerve Pills. sness, weak stomach Relief is sure. The only nerve me for the price in the market.

HURT IN HAMILTON FIRE. One Man Has Eye Gouged Out-Thre

Hamilton, June 2.—(Special)-At a fire in the market square at 1 o'clock this morning, Sam Brewster's right eye was gouged out and his head badly cut. John Wood, the glover, Hilyard Walsh and Theodore Smith were slightly injured by falling from the second story of the burning building.

The fire started in the stables of Charles Swenzer and spread to the Model restaurant, Cannon's flour and feed store and adjoining places, doing considerable damage.

And Sent to Ymir Where Men Refuse Smaller Pay

Offered.

Porto Rico and Tamarac Make No Reduction—Further

[A brief despatch about this fire in yesterday's issue was wrongly dated from Toronto instead of from Hamilton.]

PEACE CONFERENCE LIMITED. Line Strictly Drawn At Projects Com

mously to discard all projects not com- tram it. ing directly within the precise aim of the conference.

discussion is concluded the commission cial police officials. Mr. Rodd the honor is bestowed as a discussion is concluded the commission cial police officials.

At the Porto Rico mine it is under-stood the stood the \$3.50 scale will be paid, and various projects submitted.

CHICAGO STREET RAILWAYS.

Chicago, June 2.-Stockholders of the north and west Chicago street railway companies to-day voted to lease the two systems to the Chicago Union Traction Company, a concern formed by a numter of New York capitalists. During the meeting President Charles T. Yerkes announced his retirement as an active official of the Chicago Street Railway Company. The company has an authorized capitalization of \$35,000,000.

A TRESPASS.

**Warns Ottawa Government That Province Will Vigorously** 

Protect Her Rights. Special to the Colonist. Toronto, June 2 .- Attorney-General Little Remnant Sold to Germany Bethe subject of the federal government's the subject of the loan companies legislation it was notified and upon a stitude on the loan companies legislation it was found that

importance, and may—indeed will if the bill is adopted and becomes law—lead to a serious conflict between the Dominion around Alberni. perience therefrom, but the woes of our and the Province. It will constitute a tions both of constitutional and financial

DREYFUS SENT FOR.

seen.

Officers Despatched from Paris to Take the Exile from Devil's Island.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 2.-Advices

was notified that he was to be taken back to France for the purpose of under-going a new trial. According to these advices a water famine prevails throughout the colony.

ANOTHER COLONEL GAOLED. No End to the Disgraceful Revelations Concerning French Army.

Paris, June 2 .- Lt.-Col. Paty de Clam seriously implicated by the recent proceedings before the court of cassation as the probable instigator of some of the fus affair, was placed under arrest at half past seven last evening and taken to the Cherche Midi military prison. eral Zurlin-L'Echo de Paris says Gen den, military governor of Paris, has consented to the provisional release of Colcharge of revealing documents concern ing the national defence, on the demand of Gen. Marquis de Gallifet. Several papers announce that proceed ings will be taken against Gen. Mercie former minister of war, and other office

FELL FROM A TROLLEY.

Buffalo, June 2 .- Robert McMurray sixty years of age, a farmer, whose home is in Bridgeburg, Ont., fell from the rear platform of a trolley car at Niagara and Austin streets shortly after

THE FRASER BULLETINS

Lillocet, June 2.-The river has risen

Miners Made Constables.

No Reduction-Further Closings.

Nelson, June 1 .- Thirty-five men quit than \$3 for the eight-hour day. The Hague, June 2.—The special commission to which the several projects have been referred has decided unani
the management's fertual to pay more than \$1 the matter having been reported to the superintendent, the latter ordered the Alpine guides to at once make a search. Armed with lanterns and Alpenstocks, the guides departed on their mission. After a night of

J. Roderick Robertson, manager of the Ymir, has had six men, whom he will send out to work for the company, sworn as special constables. The men were sworn in by local justices of the peace, and it was done, so far as could be learned, without concurrence of the provined of the provine J. Roderick Robertson, manager of The third commission has finished the send out to work for the company, sworn work treating upon good offices and me- as special constables. The men were diation. It has welded the various pro- sworn in by local justices of the peace, jects into one which will be submitted and it was done, so far as could be learnfor discussion on Monday. When the ed, without concurrence of the provin-

> the same policy will probably be followed at the Tamarac. At the Granite, near Nelson, eight men working underground quit because

the \$3 scale was insisted upon by the

management. Twenty men employed on the surface remained at work. On the Royal Canadian all the men are employed on the surface, and remained at work. No trouble is anticipated by the Silver King Company, the largest employers of labor in the district. John Phillips was acquitted to-day of the charge of murdering Edward Bawlff on the night of June 4 last. The jury was out but 5 minutes.

ALBERNI'S LATEST.

Alberni, B. C., June 1.-William Morgan, a miner, who has been working at Hayes' Camp brings the news that on May 24th, while working on a new lead From Our Own Correspondent. about 12 feet from the surface he put in a shot. None of the debris coming out

tion, in which the minister of justice is held to be encroaching on provincial rights. Particular chication is taken throne announced that the Marianne, Caroline and Palaos islands were ceded to the bill now before the Senate. The gan to venture into the cave gan to venture int Caroline and Palaos islands were ceded of Germany by the late Spanish cabinet. During the course of the speech Her the proposed legislation, and concludes the grandest sights. He beheld a large ledge of ore such as never has as follows:

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This, with other late finds, goes to new precedent adverse to the rights of show that we are on the eve of a prosthe provinces, and may lead to complicate the provinces, and may lead to complicate the provinces of perity which will develop the various claims and give to the long waiting, gray haired prospector his reward for patience character which may not now be fore and hard labor.

WRECKED IN A FOG.

Danish Steamer Off Newfoundland Drives Full Speed on the Rocks.

St. John's, Nfld., June 2.-The Danish received here from Cayenne, capital of steamer Orien, Capt. Callensen from French Guiana, say that all prepara- New York May 27 for Copenhagen with tions have been made for transferring a general cargo and a crew of 45, beformer Capt. Dreyfus, imprisoned on Devil's Island to the charge of officers passengers by her, went ashore yesterday from Paris who are said to be coming on board the French steamer La Fayette of Cape Race and became a total wreck. which it is alleged will take the prisoner direct from Devil's Island on her retain voyage to France.

The advices add that Dreyfus has been in the enjoyment of good spirits since he crew and passengers escaped with great difficulty but without serious injury, bedifficulty but without serious injury, being hoisted to the cliff by the coast fishermen. The Orien lies filled with water to her second cargo. What is above water is likely to be saved.

The crew reached here this evening. They say the ship will hold together probably for several days yet and the provincial police will take the matter probably for several days yet and the provincial police will take the matter probably for several days yet. probably for several days yet, and the sailors are engaged in taking out as much of the cargo as is possible.

SURPLUS FIGURED OUT.

Ottawa, June 2.-The finances of the Dominion for the eleven months to the \$5,533,000, but there was an increase in expenditure of \$2,347,000, which leaves net surplus of three and a quarte

SHIP GUTTED BY FIRE.

London, June 2.- The first, second and third holds of the steamer Banffshire were burned out to-day and the star board plating above the water line from the bows to the hatches abaft the engine room was badly buckled. Her saloon was endangered and the vessel was flooded from the engine room. A wash house near her was destroyed by the

STANFORD'S MANY MILLIONS.

trustees, is quoted as saying that the property deeded to that institution by Mrs. Stanford is worth \$38,000,000 and could be converted into \$15,000,000 cash immediately. If is understood that its chemical could be converted into \$15,000,000 cash immediately. If is understood that its chemical could be converted into \$15,000,000 cash immediately. If is understood that its chemical could be converted into \$15,000,000 cash immediately. immediately. It is understood that all of Mrs. Stanford's remaining property will eventually become part of the university endowment.

ADVENTURE AT BANKF.

THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST MONDAY, JUNE 5, 1899

Bishop and His Party Rescued by Alpine Guides From an Ice-Bound Tomb.

Banff, N. W. T., May 25.-Bishop Moret and five French clergymen, hound from Hong Kong to Rome, who sought to break their journey across the continent, after landing at Vancouver a few days ago, by spending a couple of days in the Canadian National park at this point, were rescued yesterday from a perilous position in a mountain crevice. On Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock they started, without guides, to make the ascent of Sulphur mountain, and lost their way. To-day they owe their lives to the corrective and avergingue of Surjective average of Surjective and avergingue of Surjective and average of Surjective average of Surjective and average of Surjective average of to the sagacity and experience of Swiss guides, recently introduced by the au-thorities to look after the welfare of

travellers and hunting parties visiting the Canadian Rockies.

The Bishop and his party were not missed from their hotel until 10 o'clock Tuesday night, and the matter having tedious tramping among the pines of the mountain sides, they were rewarded by hearing their echoing calls answered

from the perilous position was quickly made. The previous afternoon and night had been spent in the crevice, 1,900 feet from the foot of the mountain, the height of which is 7,000 feet, and clothed with a pine forest.

Bishop Moret, who has travelled much

declared that he and his party had almost abandoned all hope of rescue. **Lumber Burned** 

Dry Kiln and Two Loaded Cars Destroyed-Mill Narrowly Escapes.

At Hastings

Report of Gold-Bearing Ledge Exposed Body Found Near Agassiz with Money Missing A Pastor's Arrival.

Vancouver, June 2.-A disastrous fire took place at Hastings to-day, when he was nonplussed and upon investigat- Archie McNair's entire saw mill naring found that the inner portion of the rowly escaped destruction. The fire kept the mill property from catching fire until the city firemen arrived and the

flames were checked. Modern Sewerage. Ill., where they inspected the ceptic sys tem of sewage with the idea of establishing the system in Vancouver. They say that they are much pleased with this

adopted by the council. Statistics for May. The duty collected in Vancouver for May was \$81,860, \*some \$12,000 more than the collection for May last year.

The imports were valued at \$238,702 and the exports \$66,660.

During May 64 vessels entered in wards and 140 outwards. hundred and eleven cases were tried in the police court last month.

A New Pastor. • Rev. E. E. Scott, the newly appointed pastor of the Homer street Methodist church, arrived in the city yesterday He was met by a number of members at the train and conducted to the parsonage, where lunch was awaiting him. To-night a public reception was tendered Mr. Scott

Killed and Robbed. The body of Danl. Stewart was found Sunday in Cheam slough, near Agis-There were marks of violence upon

NANAIMO NOTES. End of Tedious Chancery Proceedings-

Fines for Boy Burglars. Nanaimo, June 2 .- (Special)-The forgeries that have figured in the Drey- end of May show a betterment over the tate of the late John Hirst, which has same period of last year of \$3.185,000.
The total receipts were \$41,206,000, as against \$36,503,000, leaving a surplus of justed by C. N. Westwood, of this city. twelve years, has been satisfactorily adjusted by C. N. Westwood, of this city. According to the Free Press the estate owns many of the most valuable Com-Two of the three boy burglars were fined \$10 n the police court this after-noon. The case against the oldest boy was adjourned until Wednesday.

AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS.

London, June 2.—In the first test cricket match between England and Australia, which began at Nottingham yesterday, the All England eleven were all out in their first inning to-day with a total of 193 runs. At the close of play to-day the Australians had scored 95 runs for one wicket.

GRANT FOR KITCHENER.

London, June 2.-In the House Egyptian army.

Esterhazy's Awful Crime.

At Last Confesses Making Evidence to Send Innocent Man

ing statement:

Hence the Bordereau.

When asked what the chiefs of the French general staff would say to this confession. Esterhazy, shrugging his shoulders, said: "They will lie as they know how to lie; but I have them tight, and I have proofs that they know the whole thing and share the responsibility with me, and I will produce the proofs."
The Rome correspondent of the Daily
Mail says: "Lt.-Col. Panizzardi, miliran says: Lt.-ton, Famizzardi, him-tary attache of the Italian embassy in Paris when Dreyfus was convicted, in-forms me that the Italian embassy al-ways knew that Esterhazy wrote the Rendersen"

RACING IN ENGLAND. Sloan on the Favorite Loses The Oakes to Outsider-He Wins Minor Event.

London, June 2.-The one hundred and twenty-first renewal of the Oaks stakes was won by Douglas Baird's DYNAMITE IN Muss. Todd Sloan finished second or Lorillard's Sibola and Lord Rosebery's Corposant was third; twelve horses ran.
Previous to the start Muss, ridden by Madden, was quoted 20 to 1 against, odds on Sibola 7 to 4, and 40 to 1 against Corposant was quoted. The Prince of Wales' Duke of York and a host of no-tabilities, including Lord Dunraven, were present. Sloan, on Sibola, for whom rowly escaped destruction. The fire started at 3 o'clock. The dry kiln wis completely destroyed with a loss of fully \$10,000. Two cars loaded with lumber were also destroyed. The total loss, it is said, will be in the neighborhood of \$20,000. The local fire brigade kept the mill property from catching kept the mill property from catching loss with the city firemen arrived and the line for home, when Muss drew to the front, off-stalling Sibola's challenge, and won by a head. Time, 2:44. A length and a half separated the second and third horses.

Mr. Hardy's Oueen of Song (3 to 1),

DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

Special to the Colonist

Déclared a Heretic. Windsor, June 1.-The charge of her esy preferred against Rev. D. Austin

occupied all day at the Methodist conference to-day. The doctor was found guilty on all four charges. The alleged heretical utterances were made in a sermon delivered at Parkdale in January Conference Presidents.

Brockville, June 1.—The Montreal conference in session here elected Rev. Hugh Cairns of Cornwall as president. Belleville, June 1.—The Bay of Quinte Methodist conference has elected Rev. W. R. Young of Port Hope as president Dead at Ninety-Two.

Toronto, June 1.—Rev. Robert J. Mc-Kay, probably the oldest Presbyterian minister in the country, is dead, aged 92. He was a nephew of Sir William Campbell, Chief Justice of Upper Can-ada in 1822 and was uncle of Rev. Dr. ada in 1822, and was uncle of Rev. Dr. Grant, of Orillia, and of Ex-Ald. Carlyle, of Toronto.

Big Fire in Toronto. Toronto, June 2.-A disastrous fire broke out in the Market Square about one o'clock this (Friday) morning. Sev eral buildings were destroyed and se eral firemen injured by falling walls. Trouble for the Minister.

Whitby, June 1.-At a meeting of the executive of the Conservative Associa-tion of South Ontario it was decided to hold a convention on Saturday, June 10, to nominate a candidate to oppose Mr. Dryden, Mr. Calder is likely to be se

Tinned Goods Dearer.

Hamilton, June 1 .- The Canadian Canners' Association yesterday decided to raise the price of tinned goods. Belleville, June 1.—James B. Geron, a well-known business man, and leading Orangeman and Mason, died suddenly to-day.

Sawmill Burned. Halifax, June 1.-The sawmill and

lumber works of Alfred Dickie, situated on the Lower Stewiacke, 42 miles from here, were destroyed by fire last night Two More Candidates.

Winnipeg, June 1.—Two candidates for the Manitoba legislature were nominated to-day, D. Wilson, Conservative, for Westbourne, and James McKenzie, Liberal, for Lakeside. The Conserva-tives of Souris and Morden hold nominating conventions on Saturday.

MRS. MAYBRICK AGAIN.

London, June 2.—The Daily Chronicle announces that Mrs. Florence Maybrick

WILLIAM AND THE DEITY. German Emperor Once More Proclaims Their Co-operation in Managing the Universe.

built to replace the ironclad Kaiser Wil helm was launched to-day in the presence of Emperor William, who named her Asserts That French General Staff Were His Partners in Conspiracy.

By Associated Press.

London, June 2.—The Daily Chronicle says that Major Esterhazy called at its office late last evening (Friday) with a confidential friend and made the follow
in Conspiracy.

Grand Duchess of Baden performed the christ-ening. There was a brilliant gathering of cabinet officers and others of high rank, including the Empress of Germany, Frederick William, and the Grand Duke of Baden. The imperial party landed at noon and were welcomed by Secretary of the Navy Tirpitz and Herr Krupp. The party ascended a platform and the Empreor made a speech, as follows:

"Wrought of iron, the rigid, lifeless form of the ship stands before us to be launched. Her lines appeal to our sanse of beauty, yet the moment she plung is the day and waves she becomes wedded to the day and the control of the ship stands before us to be launched. Her lines appeal to our sanse of beauty, yet the moment she plung is the day and the control of the ship stands before us to be launched. Her lines appeal to our sanse of beauty, yet the moment she plung is the day and the control of the ship stands before us to be launched. Her lines appeal to our sanse of beauty, yet the moment she plung is the control of the ship stands before us to be launched.

Kiel, June 1.-The German warship

confidential friend and made the follow- into the waves she becomes wedded to the deep and comes in contact with the sea, whose endless magic none can with-"The chiefs of the army have disgracefully abandoned me. My cup is full and I shall speak out. Yes (raising his voice and glaring around), it was 1 the Rordereau. I wrote it which our fatherland has such urgent his voice and glaring around), it was 1 who wrote the Bordereau. I wrote it upon orders from Sandherr."

Esterhazy, the Chronicle says, then proceeded to explain that for months before 1893 oral proofs had been obtained of leakages which were only possible through an officer belonging to the ministry of war, and it was necessary to catch the guilty party by material evidence. Hence the Bordereau.

When asked what the chiefs of the When asked what the chiefs of the William. May the name remind of him as the great organizer of the army and influence of the judiciary, and in-

as the great organizer of the army and forger of the mighty weapon. May peaceful citizens and traders see in that money. name an exhortation that the German empire protects them everywhere. May the laborer and mechanic, looking at this shin be reminded of the first German Emperor's fatherly solicitude, to which he once gave expression in a most strik-ing message. As the ironclad symboliz-ed the King, so shall this ship symbol-ize the Emperor, to whom alone we owe the empire, and who, in all humility, as the instrument of God, knew how to bring together the German princes and peoples. By the hand of the revered daughter of Emperor William, I christen thee Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse." The Grand Duchess here broke a bot

THE TRANSVAAL.

Curt Refusal of the British Demand That Monopoly Shall Cease.

into the water.

most important points that President W. B. Terrance, superintendent of Kruger of the Transvaal Republic and branches, of Halifax, and D. W. Stew-Mr. Hardy's Queen of Song (3 to 1), ridden by Tod Sloan, won the Walton haudicap of 200 sovereigns at Epsom todemands of the Uitlanders, will be the month of May than in any month of question of the dynamite monopoly, un- the winter, owing to almost continuous der which the Uitlanders are groaning, and which the British secretary of state lections, \$7,678.02; imports. \$21,750.00. for the colonies has used his utmost en-

deavors to remedy. A bluebook on the subject issued to night shows that matters in this connection have practically reached a deadlock. The bluebook opens with a letter from Mr. Chamberlain dated January Morrin College have been notified that 13, reviewing the whole question and their services will not be required after protesting that the monopoly was in-consistent with the London convention. To this the Transvaal government replied under date of March 9, controverting the arguments of Mr. Chamberlain and stating that Her Majesty's government

was not entitled to a protest. Mr. Chamberlain on April 21, how-ever, renewed the British protest, adding that Her Majesty's government reserved its rights. In answer to this May 22 with two curt sentences to the effect that it abided by the views expressed in its communication of the com pressed in its communication of March 9.

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST. Target Marker Shot Through Head-Tramway Across the Athabasca-Customs Investigation.

Winnipeg, June 1.—(Special)—Peter McDougall, of Ralphton, was shot through the back part of his head while Mackintosh of the Northwest Territormarking at a target. He was rising ies arrived in Winnipeg to-day on his out of the rifle pit when an extra shot way to Rossland. Mr. Mackintosh said for his recovery.

sults are published to-night. Convoca- clined to discuss the political situation, tion will be held to-morrow.

D. Wilson, reeve of Lansdowne munisaying he was out of politics for the cipality, was nominated to-day by West-bourne Conservatives for the legislature. M1. A. F.

tramway was of much assistance to travellers to the Yukon by the Macken-J. K. Barrett, inspector of inland revenue, has been subpoenced to appear before the public accounts committee at fore the public accounts committee at Ottawa to give evidence in the investi-gation of the Christie charges, and left for the federal capital to-day. Mr. Gos-

KILLED IN SHIPYARD

Berlin, May 31.-The director of the Germania ship-building yards at Kiel, London, June 2.—The Daily Chronicle announces that Mrs. Florence Maybrick is likely to be liberated shortly as the result of the pressure brought to bear by Mr. Choate. United States ambassor, in favor of re-opening the case.

Herr Hagan, ien to-day from the bay is sented him with a souvenir of their long association.

The report is published here that Mr. Kerr is to succeed Mr. Nicol, passenger manager at Montreal, and to be replaced was killed by the falling of an elevator. Herr Hagan, fell to-day from the bap-

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## An Insult to The Bench.

Fruitless Attempt to Fasten Baseless Charges on Judge Spinks.

Scandalous Waste of Public Money to Gratify Political Malice.

Admission That Senate Made Railway Deal.

Ottawa, June 2.-Sir Hibbert Tupper to-day reviewed the case of Judge

money.
Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick said that the investigation had vindicated Judge Spinks and restored public confidence

Messrs. Morrison and Bostock dis-claimed all responsibility for formulat-ing complaints against Judge Spinks, and said they had only done their duty in asking an investigation. They were glad the Judge had been fully vindicated.

The resolution was voted down. Drummond County Deal. The debate on the Drummond County The debate on the Drummond County railway matter to-day was marked by the admission by Mr. Blair that the present bargain is better than the former one by at least \$6,000 a year. This is the first time the government has admitted that there is any substantial difference in the two contracts. Incidentally it came out that Mr. Blair did not know whether or not the contract bound. tle of champagne against the side of the vessel, which amidst loud cheers glided know whether or not the contract bound the government to purchase the rolling stock of the Drummond county rail way. This is a matter of \$5,000 or thefe-

NANAIMO'S WET SPELL May's Record Worse Than for Any

Month of the Winter-Bank Inspectors Nanaimo, June 1 .- (Special)-W. M. Bloemfontein, June 1.—Among the Botsford, local manager, at Vancouver,

The chain gang worked less in the

MORRIN COLEGE Professors' Engagements Terminated in

View of Financial Trouble Quebec, May 31.-The professors of 1899-1900. It is not believed that there is any intention of closing the institution but it was deemed advisable to give the notice because the expenditure is at present very much greater than the rev

Principal Macrae is likely to visit varisummer in the interest of the institution and Dr. Warden of the Presbyterian church is here at present from Toronto to endeav.)r to interest Quebec business men in the college.

The college is really a purely private institution and the church college. institution and the church only interested

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST.

n a general way in its success.

C. P. R. Land Selling at Great Rate-Changes in Railway Staff.

Winnipeg, May 31. - Ex-Governor was fired. Strong hopes are entertained he was well pleased with the financial prospects of his company as their opera-Manitoba university examination retions were proving successful. He de-

bourne Conservatives for the legislature.

In view of the construction of a tramway by them, the Hudson's Bay Cohave been granted by the Dominion government a lease of the island at Grand Rapids, on the Athabasca river. This warehouse the firm will probably establish

Canadian Pacific railway land sales as 3,000 acres and on Tuesday they reached 4,000 acres, 3,000 being sold in Northern Alberta alone.

Lady Tupper and party are here en route to Victoria.

Gao. W. Smith, secretary to Robert Western division of the C. P. R., left to-day to enter on his new duties at Seattle, where he has been appointed concert research. general passenger agent. Last evening the fellow employees of Mr. Smith assembled in the traffic offices and presented him with a souvenir of their long