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plorer, named Benson, brought in from near Pine Portage Bay, samples of gold that have set the town wild with excitement. Mr. Brent says the samples will run \$25,000 to the ton.

THE ARBITRATION.

CASTIAL NOTES

THE WICHORD WITHOUT COLONISTS, PREDAY. SYNCHELL 1902

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THE WORLD BY WIRE.

to-day says that the Duke of Cumberland has agreed to a settlement of the Guelph fund, which includes a provision that Prince George William, the Duke's eldest son, be recognized as heir to the Duchy of Brunswick.

TORONTO, March 8.—The Globe's London cablegram says: "Sir Charles Tupper will receive, next month, the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Edinburg University, where he originally took his medical degree."

outbreak occurred a day of two ago, and the Indians have been completely reuted with a loss of 1,000 men.

Warships at Henclute.

Honolule, March 9.—The United States or Cruiser San Francisco arrived here on February 27th, nine days from San Diego, Cal., and anchored in the harbor. The Pensacola will not leave here until after the lith inst., on which date Queen Liliuok is alani will hold a reception, and a state ball is to be given. H.M.S. Pheasant is still in

port, and the Warspite, the flagship of Admiral Hotham, of the British navy, is expected about the end of the month.

Pritchard Willing to Meet Fitz.
New York, March 9.—A New Orleans pecial says: The news telegraphed from ondon that Ted Pritchard was willing to

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 9.—At three o'clock this morning a mob of 75 men broke into Shelby county jail and took out several negroes, three of them being shot to death. Five thousand negroes have assembled near the jail where the bodies of the moh's victims are lying. A bloody conflict is looked for.

Riot in Montevideo.

Montevideo, March 9.—A serious riot took place during the recent carnival. The police are making arrests of the ring leaders. The United States warships Chicago, Benington and Atlanta have sailed for Lis Plata. To be Wound Up.

MONTREAL, March 8.—An order in chancery has been granted to wind up the Burland Lithograph Company.

BARRIE, March 8.—The little son of J. H. Lennox, of Crossland, placed his mouth to the spout of a kettle and drew into his mouth a quantity of steam and hot water. He died after intense suffering.

GARNER HILL, Ont., March 8 .- While intoxicated, Thos. McCann, a young farmer, broge into the house of Thomas Forsyth, against whom he had a grudge, and maltreated him. McCann was shot dead by Forsyth.

Coming West,

BELLEVILLE, March S.—Twenty-six families from Stirling and the neighborhood, and a number from this vicinity, are leaving here for Manitoba and British Columbia.

Judge Wetmore Dead.
St. John, N B., March S.—Hon. W. R.
Wetmore, Judge of the Supreme Court of
New Brunswick, is dead.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The directors of the Distilling and Cattle Company have decided to reduce the quarterly dividend to one per cent., and also reduce the price of the product of the company.

WINNIPEG, March 8.—The 1712 day, that Hon Mr. Dewdney will remain in the Caroinet until the close of the present session, at the end of which time he will be replaced by a Manitoban.

Sir Charles Tupper, Honored.
TORONTO, March 8.—The Globe's Lond

Bloters Wounded in Berlin.

London, March 9.—The Chronicle's St.
Petersburg correspondent says: A doctor just arrived from Berlin asserts that during the riots, 60 rioters entered in one day, suffering from sabre wounds.

Attempted Suicide,
Montreal, March 8.—One of the leading dentists attempted suicide by injecting 25 grains morphia subcutaneously. He is still alive.

Regrets at American Attitude.

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Raid on a Village.

Paris, March 8.—Seventy students of the agricultural college at Guignon, near Versailles, armed with cudgels, yesterday made a raid upon the village.

Irish Farliamentary Fund.
London, March 8.—Writs issued by the a-french tribunal at the instance of Justin McCarthy have been served upon Timothy Harrington, Joseph Edward Kenny, and McDaraell calling upon them to with-

ST. THOMAS, March 8.—John Ca appell, of Southwold, who had carried on the threshing business for 40 years, is dead, aged 71.

Brantford, March 8.—One of the earliest settlers of Brant county, T'aomas Hall, is dead, aged 94.

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CARP, Ont., March 8.—Younghusband's store, Weatherly's house and blacksmith shop, and two houses have been burned; loss \$8,006.

The Liberal Victory in London.

London, March 7.—Final returns of the election for members of the Local Council, on Saturday last, show the return of an overwhelming majority of Progressives and Liberals. The new Council will consist of 84 Progressives and 34 Moderates or Conservatives.

In the commons to-day, Redmond, home ruler, asked whether, in view of the results of the London county council elections, the government proposed immediately to dissolve parliament. Balfour ignored the question.

Another English Scandal.

London, March 7.—Mr. Gilroy, an Eng London, March 7.—Mr. Gilroy, an Englishman, who formerly owned a ranch near San Francisco, where he married Miss Ella Francis Kellogg in 1876, and returned to England, since when he has resided at Worcester and Dundee, has filed a petition for divorce on the ground of adultery, naming as co-respondent, C. H. C. Tainer. Mrs. Gilroy has filed a cross bill, charging her husband with unfaithfulness.

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A Majority of the Members of the Late Administration Driven From Their Constituencies.

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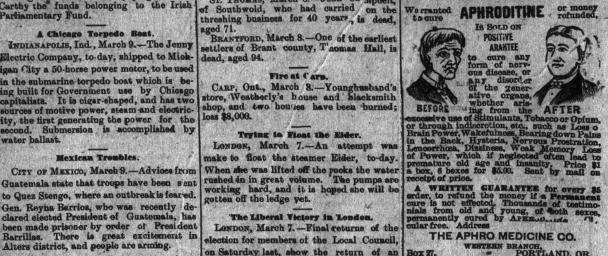
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Winnipeg, March 8.—J. M. Graver has entered an action against the editor of the Neepawa Register for \$10,000 damages for bibel.

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