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VICTORIA, B. C., FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1901.

Governor Dole Be Removed-

New Comet.

(Associated Press.)

Honolulu, May 13, via San Francisco,

consideration of appropriation bills is now in session. On the first day of the

extra session, the home rulers passed a resolution asking the governor about the

County Government Act, which was left in his bands at the end of the regular session and which fell a victim to a

pocket veto. The passage of the resolu-tion to make this enquiry was preceded

clared that the governor must be re

The comet was in the cons

is no known comet due at this time.

The Two Yachts Sailed Over a

Windward and Leeward

Course To-day.

Challenger Led by Two

Minutes,

in cup matches.

Challenger Ahead.

Positions Changed,

London, May 21.-2.29 p. m.-Sham

rock I overhauled and passed Shamrock

Shamrock I Wen.

reck I won by barely half a minute.

London, May 21.-4.12 p. m.-Sham

FATHER PHILLIPS'S DEATH.

Mysterious Woman in the Case Question

ed by the Coroner.

New York, May 21.-The mysterious

woman who was said to have been known

figured in the Father Phillips's case, was at the office of Coroner Bausch this

morning. She made a long statement

Later, Coroner Bausch said that after

OBITUARY.

2 minutes and 12 seconds.

II on the run home.

under oath.

House by a vote of 12 to 11.

Twice=a=Tueek.

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How Ayres Was Shot

Nysterious Death of Young Clerk in New York Hotel Solved.

Irs. Bonine Says Revolver Was Discharged Three Times During a Struggle.

Washington, D. C., May 20,-Mrs. J. Bonine was arrested late this evening shooting of Joseph Ayres, the partment clerk. She has conshooting of Ayres is one of the He was found lying on the s room over a week ago. The ng into the room was locked,

she telegraphed for Major ernoon she telegraphed for Major section of the state were gathered. Colony have instruct or, chief of police, saying that she ming to his office, and she appearage a few minutes afterwards. John's, the largest Catholic edifice in Avortheastern Pennsylvania, were opened, have been ambushed. she reached the office she said she 6,000 people filled all the available at ment which she wished to space to Horne, who took her confession.
aid she was alone in a room with hen the killing took place, and that oting was the result of his own ct. She said that he had drawn ol upon her for the purpose of her respond to an improper pro which he had made to her. Mrs. says that she immediately graspevolver in the struggle which enand it was discharged three differ-

s, striking him at each discharge st shot proving fatal. She says ne cries for help which Miss Minas were all from her, as were also the my which Miss Minas described. Bouine says that after the shoot he passed through the window of s room and down the fire escap and entered the parlor window of cond floor, passed through the par and back up the stairway of the She then washed her hands, un-

at or past anusual excitement. She is she was born in Mason, Mo. After she had concluded her statement woman was placed under arrest and ent to the house of detention.

EXPOSITION DEDICATED. rade Enjoyed By Enormous Crowd of Visitors-Telegrams of Congratu-

lations.

Buffalo, May 20.-The Pan-American he day began with a parade, in re were men from nearly every ry in the world, and ended with a ardment from flying bombs and a electrical illumination. two were the formal exerdedication. The city was ade that formed at the city

he exposition grounds, made spectacle and thousands road. ed the route. As the provisitors, foreign representa ers, officers and

nt Roosevelt was the gues de was started with a volbombs. The entry of the the exposition grounds at magnificent spectacle. The grounds at that time num 40,000, and the greater part massed in the Esplanade. ar kites carried flags and s began at 12.45 o'clock First Regiment band. H. Cowler led in prayer. irn read a series of con

rams from Central and and Canada, and their ed cheer upon cheer. received from Lord follows:

ess to you his hearty con ion, which His Excelsigned) Harry Graham, the Governor-General." admissions from 8 a.m. vere 101.687. This does

with the parade. ELECTION RIOTS. Killed and Several Injured

in Spain. y 21.-As a result of the Sunday for the chamber of bances occurred at Jarez illeros, province of Badajos,

one artizan and wounding

lace burned the Octrio

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Business Man Alleged to Have Shot His

Lewiston, Idaho, May 21 .- A sensation has been caused here by the arrest of John N. King, a well known business man, charged with the murder of Chas. E. Thatcher The latter, who was a Last Week Over Two Hundred partner of King's, was murdered in the firm's store at Lapwai, 12 miles from Lewiston, on the night of July 15th, 1898. King's statement, at the coroner's irquest, was to the effect that two mask ed men entered the store and shot Dewet Reported to Be in Orange Thatcher. Two bullets of different calibre were found in his body. The warrant for King's arrest was issued plaint made by Harry Thatcher, brother of the murdered man. The state will attempt to prove that King and Thatcher quarrelled, and that King took two revolvers from the bed, which both men occupied, and fired a bullet from each into Thatcher's tody.

rious cases that the police of THE LATE FATHER PHILLIPS. ever have been called upon to Remains Were Laid at Rest in Pottstor Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Pottston, Pa., May 20.-Father Edwas at first supposed that it was of suicide. Blood stains on the cape gave the first clue to the this city this morning with impressive

Withdrawn

Members of Crow's Nest Southern Railway Company Would Not Sign Agreement.

The Granting of a Bounty to Lead Refined in Canada.

Ottawa, May 21.-On the motion of Mr. Davis, Saskatchewan, the bill regarding the Crow's Nest Southern railway was formally withdrawn.

way was formally withdrawn.

Mrs. Bonne was entirely self-possessed — feveral members asked for an explanen she made her confession, and did ation, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that she made her dence of either prethy about 32 years of age, and sign the agreement which was adopted at the railway committee. The bill was dropped.

Bounty on Lead. A resolution giving a bounty of \$5 per on on refined lead in Canada was passed

Decision Reserved. The application of the Red Mountain railway to cross the C. P. R., so as to subject shall be settled there may be reach the War Eagle and Centre Star. little unfinished business to consider. reach the War Eagle and Centre Star, was heard before the railway committee of the privy council to-day, and decision was reserved. Mr. A. H. McNeill, Ross-

land, appeared for the Red Mountain Application Granted. In the Red Mountain railway case the parties concerned and approved by the

McNeill for the Red Mountain line. Appeal Cases. In the case of Houston and Ward, a British Columbia case in the S ourt, vs. Merchants Bank of Halifax, the appeal by Houston was

with costs. The appeal by Ward was allowed with trifling reservation as FORTUNE FOR VETERAN.

Many Years Ago He Saved an Englishwoman From Drowning. Dayton, Ohio, May 21.—A copy of the will of Josephine Kelata, nee Fairfax, an Englishwoman, who recently died in France, has just been received here which bequeaths to Hamlet Henry Hawthorn, a veteran of the Soldiers' Home, a fortune of \$4,500,000, this be ing his reward for saving the woman bral thousand persons from drowning. About 1854 her boat upset in the surf of the Kentish coast, ith the parade. England, and Hawthorn swam to her

> fought through the civil war. M. P.'S BANKRUPTCY.

London, May 21 .- In the Bankruptcy P., formerly a civil lord of the admiralty. the ravine gend'armes fired upon the His liabilities amount to £50,000.

STRIKE AT MINE.

More Boers Been Taken

Burghers Were Captured -71 Surrendered

> River Colony, Near Philippopelis.

London, May 20.-Lord Kitchener re ports that last week 19 Boers were killed, 14 wounded, 238 were made prisoners, and 71 surrendered, and that 212 lution of "want of confidence" in Gov-rifles and 105,000 rounds of ammunition ernor Dole. The resolution introduced rifles and 105,000 rounds of ammunition

Dewet's Whereabouts. Capetown, May 20.-Eight hundred Boers have crossed the Orange river from the northwest and have reinforced the commandoes in the eastern districts The latest reliable report locates Dewet near Phillippopolis, in the Orange A few minutes after 3 o'clock where Father Phillips had served as altar boy and priest, clergy from every the commandoes in the Orange River Colony have instructions to cross the Orange river. Several British patrols above the horizon to the west, The tail

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY. Important Matters Will Be Under Con sideration To-Day.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 20.-With today's session the actual work of the Prestyterian general session began. The report of the revision committee has been ade the special order for Thursday and thereafter until the question of ce vising the Confession of Faith should be finally settled.

To-day's order provided for the report of the standing committee on mi for freedom, the reports of the board of ministerial relief and education of th pecial committee on judicial commi sions. This last report is considered second in importance only to that of the committee on revision, as it recommend the creation of judicial commissions Presbyteries and Synods and a perman ent judicial commission from the mem bership of the general assemblies to si as a court of final appeal.

CONSIDERING REPORTS. Delegates to Presbyterian Assembly Anxious to Dispose of Routine

Business. Philadelphia, May 21 -The consideraion of church board reports was continued at to-day's session of the Presby terian general assembly. The morning session began at 9.30 o'clock, and the assembly proceeded promptly to business. The special orders of the day were the

business before the debate on the reason conditions became that if they could finish the 30 mile course knew about 6,000 men are out in San knew about 6,000 men are out in San

THE EWO INCIDENT.

Field Marshal von Waldersee Has Expressed His Regrets at Shooting of Chinese.

London, May 21.-The government was

The under foreign secretary, Cranborne, in reply, said Field Marshal of the time Shamrock 11 sailed without a A. Morrison, M. P., appeared with Mr. von Waldersee had expressed his regret jib topsail, and looked as though she had ed that castern yards having naval ships and had promised to take measures to the whole game in hand. prevent the recurrence of similar inci-

IMPERIAL COMMONS. Motion of Sir H. Fowler Disapproving the Budget Proposals Was

Rejected To-Day. London, May 21 .- The House of Com ions, by 300 to 123 votes; rejected the notion of Sir Henry Fowler, Liberal, which was supported by the Liberal leads, disapproving the budget proposals. Mr. Balfour, the government leader, nnounced that the government would regard its adoption as a vote of non-cor

The Irish members abstained from

SWEPT AWAY BY FLOOD. Victor, Col., May 21.-John M. Glover, n ex-congressman from St. Louis, Mo., istrict, is reported to have met his death aid. He refused all offers of reward in the floods near Love, Col., ten miles at that time. He came to the United from here on Sunday last. A horse, States and enlisted in the army and with a saddle, was found in that vicinity to-day and it is thought to have belonged to Glover, who is missing. Just before the big flood reached the little hamlet of Love a man, believed to be Glover,
no use in the inquest, so he withheld her
name, as her family was an eminently London, May 21.—In the Bankruptcy court to-day a receiving order was made against Sir Elis Ashmead Bartlett, M. He was in the direct path of the roaring wall of water that went tearing down

OFFICERS IMPRISONED.

Yokohama, May 21.—Three Russian 1829.

Demand Made in Legislature That Progress of The Strike

May 20.—The extra session of the legis-lature called by Governor Dole for the President O'Connell Estimates the Number of Men Idle at Fifty Thousand.

> About One Hunared Additional Firms Have Made Concessions to Machinists.

noved. In response to the resolution the governor's secretary replied that no Washington, May 21 .- The sterm cenaction had been taken with regard to the bill. The executive brought forth a reso-Pacific Coast. The number of firms that is a concurrent resolution passed the had signed agreements were augmented to-day by about a hundred, which brings Governor Dole has been compelled by llness to retire to the Waianae mounthe aggregation of the establishments making the concessions during the past tains for rest. He has turned over the ousiness of his office to Secretary Henry three or four days to one thousand in E. Cooper, who is now acting governor round numbers. Save in one or two inof the territory.
Vice-Principal Chas, E. Ellston, of the stances, as at Scranton, Pa., the allied trades have not yet been affected. It is Honolulu high school, discovered last night what is supposed to be a new tion of Orion, and when seen at about 8 ments are not effected by this afternoon or to-morrow, many of the men in the allied trades will go out in the individual was thought to be about ten degrees or more in length. It is thought that the shops where the machinists are already omet is an entirely new one, as there

The estimate of President O'Connell, her away from him, and he shot himself. of the National Association of Machinists, as to the number of strikers to-day, remain at 50,000 approximately, the same figures as vesterday. The execusame figures as yesterday. Ine executive board of the association is in session here watching the progress of the

Shamrocks Decision of Detroit Manufacturers. Detroit, Mich., May 21.-At a meet ing of the manufacturers last night, which was attended by 21 representatives of the largest manufacturing concerns of this city, it was unanim voted that those present should not sign the agreement presented by the machin-After Two Hours' Sailing the ists. It is estimated that these concerns employ 585 of the 700 machinists of Detroit, and that the men on strike will have a long test of their endurance.

Situation in New York. New York, May 21 .- At the head-Ryde, Isle of Wight, May 21 .- The two quarters of district 15. International As-Shamrocks started to-day over a course the contests for the American cup. Start-ing from No Man Fort the course was irg from No Man Fort the course was laid 15 miles to windward and return.

A moderate varying breeze of 8 to 12

hour day. The two firms are the R. Hoe Printing Press Company, in Grand street, employing 800 machinists, and

No Man Fort, and started them. Sham-lock II came around ahead of Fife's to-day to consider the situation. ton on refined lead in Canada was passed and the bill read a first time.

This resolution was changed, making the bounty to commence on July 1st, 1902, instead of January 1st, 1902.

This was at the request of those who were applying for the bounty.

The special orders of the day were the reports of the committees on home missions, aid for colleges and church erection. Addresses were made by the chairmen of the committees and boards, and immediately after the signal vas given led her out to a fine start, laving the advantage of probably half a minute. They went off beating to wind the assembly was urged to exert itself to the utmost in behalf of the various church institutions.

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nati. In Chicago nearly all the importwent ahead. Once clear of the island to terms, and the others are expected to point they had a few cross tacks in shore follow suit.

committee dechee to give permission to build a branch line as asked for, and clirected that both parties have the use of the respective portions of the lines allowed portions of the line showed nearly two minutes gain for the challenger in an hour's sailing and part coast, where a number of war vessels ashore on Azalea reef. She has eight are under construction, and it is expect- feet of water in her forehold. to build also will be affected. The war department was informed that the strike Challenger Ahead.

London, May 21.—After two hours' run

was likely to stop work on the two naval transports Egbert and Roscrans, now to-day, Shamrock II led Shamrock I by

Hackett of the navy ordered that the two army transports be taken to the navy yard at Bremmerton on Puget himself to-day in the presence of a Sound for the completion of their repairs.

At Toronto. Toronto, May 21 .- The progress of the in the same trade in this city, the majority of whom belong to the union. A number of machinists believe that if the strikers in the United States secure nine-hour day it would be obtained in Toronto and elsewhere without trouble. as "Mrs. Kirke Stanley," and to have

Railway Trouble. Buffalo, May 21 .- All the switchme ployed in this city struck to-night. Although not exactly a sympathetic strike, the going out of the switchmen is a direct result of the machinists' strike. questioning the woman closely he was of Since last Monday, according to the ma-chinists, the railroad yards have been patrolled by policemen. They objected to working under police supervision and struck.

Want Increased Wages. Dunkirk, May 21.-Because mill machinists employed at the Brooks loco motive works struck to-day for a nine London, May 21.-Admiral Sir John Ednund Comerill is dead. He was born in hour day and twelve and a half per cent. Shamokin, Pa., May 21.—Three hundred at Carmona, in Soville, and also at Loes-Madrid province. In the lace one person was killed one person was killed to the semi-monthly pay law.

I okonama, May 21.—Three Russian lace. Shamokin, Pa., May 21.—Three hundred men and boys tied up the Shamokin, Pa., May 21.—Three hundred to have been drowned in the flood which swept down the West who has been ill for several weeks at his down until further notice, Two thoushale one person was killed to the semi-monthly pay law.

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INDIANS GIVE TROUBLE

Defy the Authority of the Agent, Who Has Appealed for Troops.

Denver, Col., May 21 .- A special to the News from Lander, Wyo., reports that an Indian outbreak is imminent on the hoes have defied the authority of the agent, Captain Nickerson, who refused them permission to hold their annual Sun dance and denied them passes. Trouble has been brewing for some time from Three Thousand British Troops other causes, such as the late orders giving them rations but twice a month in-stead of weekly as heretofore, and the failure of the government to i grain for sowing. Captain Nickerson has applied to the Indian department for tres to-day of the general strike of ma- United States troops to maintain his auchinists throughout the country were in thority, and it is feared a clash may oc- the government desired to avoid an arthe vicinity of Cincinnati, O., and on the cur at any moment. The Shohones have not yet joined in the revolt.

BOY SHOT HIMSELF.

In Love With a Girl at School, But Her Parents Discouraged His Attention.

Delhi, N. Y., May 21.-Irving Marax, of Andres, a schoolboy 16 years old, said at the general headquarters of the shot himself with a revolver yesterday. machinists, however, that where agree- The bullet entered the breast and lodged in the shoulder. His condition is regar led as serious.

He was in love with a girl at school, but her parents discouraged his atten-tion. Marax and the girl had been walking together by the river. Relatives took

Will Conscription Have to Be Adopted in Order to Obtain Soldiers?

Lord Raglan Says Englishmen Must Not Be Frightened at the Idea.

nent of the question of conscription was Shamrocks started to-day over a course sociation of Machinists, it was said to-similar to the windward and leeward of day that only two firms of any import-made by Lord Ragian, the under secretary for war, last night, says the Tri-

knots was blowing, and the water was smooth.

The Erin was awaiting the boats at No. Man Fort, and started them. Sham
No. Man Fort, and started them. could press them, as paying them had

Washington, D. C., May 21.—President already been declared impracticable.

In this connection it is intersting

embly to dispose of all of the routine conditions became such as to raise doubts ing the nine-hour day.

The wind hauled around and the weather day over 120 firms had settled by grant-conditions became such as to raise doubts ing the nine-hour day. Lyn: Conn., May 22.-The steamer within the five and a half hours allowed Francisco, and about 3,000 in Cincin- Hartford, of the Hartford & New York Transportation Co., ran aground The conditions seemed admirably to ant shops have settled with the men.

The reports from the south, he said, show that all through that section settlements are being effected. Half the gradually edged out to windward and the mouth of the Concept of the island at the mouth of the Concept of the said, necticut river, this morning while slowly picking her way through the dense fog.

At present she is stuck fast, and it is impossible to tell what damage has been the concept of the said have come to the concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said, and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the said and the mouth of the Concept of the said and the mouth done. There is little danger, however, to the passengers, all of whom have re-

> German Steamer on Reef. Perim, May 22.-The German steamer ashore on Azalea reef. She has eight

TOOK HIS LIFE In Presence of Police Officer-Was

Under Surveillance. repairing on the Pacific coast.

Secretary Root asked the navy department to assist in forwarding the work pending the tie-up, and Acting Secretary with the explosion which wrecked the police officer who had called to make inquiries. Mr. Foster was 43 years old. He had a wife and three children. The man was under surveillance, the machinists' strike in the United States so being closely watched by men engaged when it became known that he had pre-\$1,100, for which he had no deposit and

no account in the bank. BODY FOUND.

Coffia Containing Remains of Murderer and Suicide Taken From Pond.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 21.-The coffin ntaining the body of Ralph J. White, the murderer and suicide, which was stolen from the cemetery at Sweetyalley last week, was taken from the bottom of Grassy pond to-day and reinterred in the cemetery. The coffin had not been opened. A guard will watch the grave to prevent the removal of the corpse

EX-CONGRESSMAN SAFE.

Victor, Colo., May 22.-Former con ressman John M. Glover, of St. Louis, who was reported to have been drowned

Question

Shoshone reserve. Six hundred Arapa- Great Britain Is Anxious to Have Demands For Indemnity Modified,

> Are to Be Withdrawn From the Country.

London, May 21.-In the House of Lords to-day Lord Lansdowne declared rangement for the payment of the indemnity by which Ohina would be compelled to contract separate obligations and could not agree to the joint guarantee of the loan. The government therefore had suggested to the powers that China should give the powers bonds representing the amount due to each of them. These bonds might be extinguished in a term of years by the payment of the principal and interest. Certain sources of revenue should be ear-marked. and the could be paid to a board which should distribute them. If China then made default, it would be to the powers collectively. The government hoped the powers would be content to base their demands on common principles and satisfy them from common sources, and instead of individual demands, take common action. The proposed board would not be concerned in the imposition or collection of taxes. If in pursuance of this suggested plan, payment was exacted from China in bonds at their face value, and, if possible, to arrange as Great Britain was prepared to do, for not enforcing the full amount of these annual payments at once, it would greatly improve the position of China and render it far easier for her to meet the claims than if driven to the expedient of a loan.

In regard to the withdrawal of troops, the foreign secretary said three thou-sand three hundred British troops would leave immediately. From the first Great Britain had indicated an objection to being drawn into expeditions remote from Pekin. He believed the feeling was shared by the other powers, who desired the arrival of the moment when it China.

Cranborne's Statement. London, May 2.-In the House of Com

mons to-day Lord Cranborne made a general statement on the China question saying the government's chief concern at resent was to moderate the demands for indemnity and see that they did not in fringe on commerical interests. The govconment, therefore, was unalterably opposed to raising the import duties to ten per cent, as security for the payment of the indemnity, and in reply to all such suggestions had signified Britain would only consent to such a raise of duties in connection with com-mercial improvements in the Chinese fin

ancial system, such as the abolition of the Likin taxes. As to moderating the total indemnity, there were more ways than one of achiev ing that object and China's burden might be perceptibly lightened by the method

of exacting payment. In regard to the proposal that the in-demnity be defrayed by a loan guaranteed by a concert of the powers, un-doubtedly China's obligation to pay the indemnity was a joint obligation, and In the Red Mountain railway case the pumultate decided to give permission to utild a branch line as asked for, and the British tug Ewo incidence that the mark off the end of the leader as they fetched off.

The times at a mark off the end of the machinists' strike on government work all the powers. The objection to a joint at Tien Tsin, when two Chinese on the strained on board. The tug has been sent the dropped into the strained on board. The tug has been sent the aspect of the British tug Ewo incidence of the guaranteed wake of the leader as they fetched off.

The times at a mark off the end of the machinists' strike on government work all the powers. The objection to a joint at the powers. though he honed it would not be neces it would have to be by the joint force of all the powers. The objection to a joint guarantee, however, was so obvious that the government would have nothing to do with it. Considering that British credits stood higher than that of any other power, while Great Britain only claimed a small portion of the indemnity.

it would be nothing short of insane to agree to guarantee the loan. After mentioning that three high placed delinquents had been executed, that three that four had been banished and that the powers had demanded the punishment of 170 provincial culprits. Lord Cranborne concluded with saying that on the whole the affairs of China were entering on a more pacific phase and that the government hoped to soon withdraw a large por tion of the British troops from that

Killed by Explosion. Berlin, May 21.—A dispatch from Field Marshal von Waldersee, dated Pekin, May 19th, says two hundred Chinese were killed or wounded as a result of the explosion at the Kalgan arsenal on May 15th, when Lieut. Kummer, of the German army, and several German

oldiers were wounded.

The Boxer movement south of Paosoldiers were wounded. ting-fu is apparently being speedily quelled by Gen. Bailloud, French commander. Beyond the southern line of demarcation, the Boxers, so the French general reports, have been dealt with successfully by the Chinese troops.

THE MURDER OF AYRES Mrs. Bonin Has Been Held For the

Grand Jury. Washington, May 21.-The coroner's jury that has been investigating the murder of James Ayres, the census office held for the grand jury.