ONSERVATION OF THE HARBOR

PORTANT SUGGESTIONS TO THE CITY COUNCIL

C Sorby Favors Bascule Bridge at Point Ellice and Important Improvements at Rock Bay

That every effort should be made to rve the harbor facilities at Victhat already too much of the been alienated and that ooking to increasing the capable of affording moorodation to shipping should views advanced at the the streets committee of ouncid Friday night by Captain e, harbor master, who was prest the invitation of T. C. Sorby, in matter of better accommodation hipping at the port of Victoria. Sorby dealt with the necessity of ving the navigation of the inner bor, particularly the upper portion, le installation of a more up-to-date of bridge in place of the Point bridge, in order that the mills ve may secure direct loading facili-

Sorby p ointed out that in makne proposed opening in Point Eleastern span would reintact, but the second span, of would have to be reoved. This would give the required ce for a Scherzer rolling lift bridge. eastern 35 feet would provide the alancing arrangements give a clear opening of about 110 r navigation, ample for all pur-This span, now the property of ty, would be floated on scows to

e second proposition is to remove resent wooden bridge across Rock from Store street to near the k Bay hotel, as a cumbersome and to throw this portion of the per harbor, deepening it to 20 feet at water, thus adding about 41/2 acres the area of the basin, From the end of Store street, adjacent to sas company's wharf to the south nd of Rock Bay avenue adjacent Lemon & Connason's mills, is a dis-ace of about 100 yards. By building crete piers at either end the spare in from Point Ellice would form a e over a clear opening of about eet. As Rock Bay avenue is a artery to Gorge road the whol this northern section of the town of Store street. Rock bay could edged to 8 or 10 feet at low water us provide all the accom needed by the gas works and the

rby suggested the reclaiming of the ng septid tank and the end of the having a frontage of ut 350 feet in deep water. This reald more than secure interest and ing fund on any expenditure the ald make in Rock bay. To this added a further suggestion that present curved embankment should amended by a straight street from tannery to Bridge street, which ld develop the land lying between et and John street on the This again put on the market further asset. These reclamations, if properly handled ld produce a revenue that could off the interest and principal of whole debt. By this means the would provide the loan in the first ce, but the whole cost would be paid by the improvements of which city would reap the benefits.

ant. Clarke strongly urged the nessity of having the harbor facilities proved. Already much of the harhad been given away and the baloint Ellice bridge could, thor above also a section to the east of the Rock Bay bridge, and a large nount of valuable land reclaimed. Both speakers were thanked by the ittee which will later consider the resentations made, and the city enwill be asked to report on the ggestion advanced by Mr. Sorby.

JMBER MANUFACTURERS MEET AT BELLINGHAM

ort That Reduction of Output Will Be Advocated is Denied

(Times Leased Wire.) ngham, Wash., Sept. 24.—The nguard of the Pacific Coast Lumber ufacturers Association arrived in dity last hight preparatory to the siness and social session which is ng held to-day. The early arrivals entertained last night at a This morning the visiting permen and their wives were taken automobile rides about the city vere shown through some of Bellam's big mills.

the business of the session is being insacted this afternoon at the champer of commerce rooms. Rumor to the ect that a general curtailment in mber production will be advised by association is denied by members

MORE COMPLICATIONS.

ata, Colombia, Sept. 24.-There heen a rupture between Colombia The Venezuelan go nent has telegraphed to members of Venezuelan legation to leave Boa and await instructions at Panama. ature of the complications is not here.

IS SOOKE TO HAVE RAILWAY?

INTERESTING RUMOR IS AFLOAT TO-DAY

Story Going the Rounds That Pro- Evils of the "Restricted District" vincial Government Will Shortly Announce Arrangements

(From Friday's Daily.) The report is current to-day that the informed quarters the story is accepted as a very probable one

Students of the situation on the tween the government and the Cana- which were passed. made with Barkley meeting. ind via the West Coast, the com-

EATEN BY BEAR. d Remains of Girl Found Manitoba Bush.

Clement's municipality, about 15 miles north of the town of Beausejuor, lias been discovered under tragic circumstances. The unfortunate girl had been missing for almost a fortnight, and it is evident now that she wandered away from her home and was attacked by a bear. When she sarch party; both arms had been riven search party; both arms had been riven from the body and the animal had left form the bear. The unfortunate girl had been in authority through all between five data and most complete from the flying metal of the barrels by the shield of the turnet the bar which is to be the greatest and most complete from the flying metal of the bar. Though they is the bar which is to be the greatest and most complete from the history of the B. C. Agricultural Association.

Replying to this, it was argued per contra that conditions in Victoria were systandpoint that has been held in the history of the B. C. Agricultural Association.

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Those who visit the fair grounds will be able to witness, besides the exhibits in the different buildings, the A. G. Barnes high class circus, with its grove demanded his surrender he threw of the bar. Though they were vertically the floor while the wind drove the floor while the wind they were rescued by their comrades on shipboard before the floor whil from the body and the animal had left her in a hor ibly mutilated condition. The girl went out of the house to attend to the cattle and it is surmized she got lost in the bush. In her attempt to find her way out she must have got find her way out she must have got form any of the city for the perconning exhausted have become the prey of the bear.

The police commissioners pointed out that a careful investigation had shown busters of the house to attend to the cattle and it is surmized she got lost in the bush. In her attempt to find her way out she must have got form the history of the city for the past ten years. This could be proved by statistics in possession of the chief of police.

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tinued downwards the body was released and fell down the shaft;

No one winessed the accident, but Deputy Coroner A. L. Hill is of the opinion that Miller was looking up in the staff. the shaft when a fellow workman started the elevator.

Miller was arranging for the Catholic fair, which is to be held in the build-

ing. He resided at 908 Fifth avenue. ACCUSED OF ROBBING

SLUICE BOXES

Trial

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Sept. 23.—Although berg and Marius Johansen, both miners recently arrived here from Nome, will paratory spin for the Vanderbilt cup race, October 1. Twenty-five entrants sustody of Special Federal Agent J. F. Warran to stand trial for the alleged were formerly employed by the Pioneer Gold Mining Company and are charged at top speed. He applied the brakes but they failed to work. The car skidded, crashed into a telegraph pole and Robertson was thrown head long.

boxes in which they were working.

Johansen was arrested yesterday, of Tyberg was taken a week before. through a fence into the field beyond. The was unconscious when picked up. Pinkerton men since they landed from Nome steamer ten days ago. The adition, leaving on the last steamer

PRIESTS REBUKED.

(Special to the Times.) Hyacinthe, Que., Sept. 22.—It is offici-stated that the difficulty existing be-en the priests of the seminaries of St.

MORAL REFORM AGAIN TO FORE

CITIZENS INTERVIEW POLICE COMMISSION

Portrayed—Authorities Urged to Take Drastic Action

(From Friday's Daily.) That moral conditions in Victoria are island arising out of the relations be- League and embodied in resolutions this organization.

Sound via the West Coast, the company choosing instead to go north and via Cowichan Lake—and they anticipate that should a given to the Sooke district it will be with the idea of appeasing the settlers there, who are disappointed with the turn of events in connection with the turn of events in connection with the plant of Meskenzie & Mann on the the plans of Mackenzie & Mann on the Allusion was made to the disclosures island.

its Jordan River transmission line ties should bestir themselves to effect carrying out the decorating of the Ellesworth Gould, Reyal Canadian those points on the west coast, and that at a comparatively small expention that it was little short of criminal great progress is being made. A splenditure the car service could be inaugfor the police commissioners to permit
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him, the numerous seats for the public In this connection it may be men-tioned that John Jardine, M. P. P. for the young people of the community and boxes which have been sold are be-

and San Juan districts. Mr. Jardine attempts had been made to stamp out farmers there desire to enter into the and San Juah districts. Mr. Jardine attempts had been made to stamp out went on to portray what this would entirely the social evil was cited, to indicate what would be the case in what would be the case in and included in their display will be ing areas on Vancouver Island.

Victoria were a similar effort made every product which is grown in this here, and a warning was issued that a

TELEGRAPH POLE

in Accident on Parkway at Minecla, L. I.

(Times Leased Wire.) Mineola, L. I., Sept. 22.-George Rob ertson, driving a Renz car on the Park-Two Men, Arrested at Seattle, way at sixty miles an hour to-day, lost control of his machine and was lost control of his machine and was probably fatally injured. He was taken to a hospital, where it was found his right arm was broken, his collar bone broken and his skull probably fractured. He was internally injured. Stephen Reynolds, mechanician, was

less seriously injured. The accident occurred during a prerace, October 1. Twenty-five entrants were on the Parkway to-day making trial runs in preparation for the comtheft of about \$15,000 in gold. The men ing event. Robertson's Benz was rounding a curve at Massapequa going

Reynolds was under the wrecked automobile. He was extricated with difback to Nome without exving on the last steamer which leaves Seattle totense internal pains. He pleaded not to be taken to a hospital, wishing not to unnecessarily alarm his wife. request was disregarded, however. Dr. Wood, who examined Robertson, pro-

nounced his injuries serious. HOME FOR FRIENDLESS.

the home for friendless as a gift,

"FOR THE HONOR OF VICTORIA"

JUBILEE EXHIBITION NEEDS ONLY PATRONAGE

Energetic Officials of Executive Committee and Advisory Board Perfecting Arrangements

(From Friday's Daily) Every local member of the executive The report is current to-day that the provincial government may shortly be far from satisfactory, that the police commissioners are displaying a deplorable effect that arrangements have the effect that arrangements have been made to give districts on the effect of the commissioners are displaying a deplorable effect that arrangements have the effect of the effect of the executive points of the executive and advisory board of the commissioners are displaying a deplorable effect that arrangements have the effect of the executive and advisory board of the executive a west coast of the island as far as Otmunity and that the matter should at
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once receive the attention of the proper once receive the attention of the proper Governor. These two bodies consist of with the object of seeing the country authorities, were allegations made at a the most energetic and hard-working for themselves. meeting in the city hall last evening the most energetic and hard-working under the auspices of the Voters' officials that have ever represented

tween the government and the Canadian Northern Railway Company agree that Premier that Premier of the determination of the company to abandon the proposal that a connection with Rarkley with Rarkley with Rarkley with Rarkley with Rarkley which were passed.

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AND GOOD CONDUCT tural Association will be held on Friday morning, commencing at 11 o'clock at the exhibition grounds, when officers for the ensuing year will be appointed to manage the affairs of this connection. organization. The secretary requests There were numerous speeches made, that all members take note of this date

who will be exhibiting at the fair are

Esquimalt district speaking at Met-chosin fair on Tuesday evening last, chosin fair on Tuesday evening last, informed his constituents present that he had the best of authority for assuring them that at a very early date a railway service would be given Colline of the colline of the cub, feel, green and gold, and flowers. All the wood work in the large edifice is being covered with bunting, flags and numerous rosettes.

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MANY ALDERMEN WILL VISIT CANADA

Result of Trip of the Queen's Own Rifles to the Old Country

(Special to the Times.) Aldershot, Sept. 23.—Sir Henry Pellatt has written to thank the court of London Common Council for the luncheon and reception tendered to the Queen's Own Rifles at the Guildhall, he says, "formed the crown of one o the most remarkable experiences any Canadian regiment ever received.' J. R. Jakeman, who moved the reso

FOR LONG SERVICE

sioned Officers of Permanent Force

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Sept. 23.-The undermentioned non-commissioned officers of the permanent force have been granted Man Commits Suicide After Being Ar- and the United States. island.

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FOURTEEN NARROWLY

TO FIX BLAME FOR COLLISION

INVESTIGATION INTO INDIANA WRECK

sponsible for Accident Must Go to Prison

(Times Leased Wire.) turned until the blame is placed."

Indiana railroad commission and sug-gested that the officials of the Wabash connection. Valley road and the employees on duty all along the line at the time of the wreck be examined.

Citizens of Bluffton, where nineteen of the persons killed resided, are preparing resolutions demanding a thorough sifting of the affair. The

HANGED HIMSELF IN CELL.

rested for Shooting Woman.

The shooting occurred at a suburban road-house. At 3 o'clock the woman left the Silver Thorn road-house and crossed the street

and taken to jail. He hanged himself with his handgerchief, the officials finding him swinging from the bars of his cell door when they went to the corridor in which he was confined Mrs. Singer, it is reported, was separated from her husband. Yates is said to have followed her from Toledo

becoming exhausted have become the pear.

CRUSHED BY ELEVATOR.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 23.—His head caught between the elevator and the fourth floor of the Marathon building, fourth floor of the Marathon building, western avenue, C. Miller, a sailor, on the resolutions and consider the many consider the many consider the pear.

On Saturday night the exhibition restaurant will be opened by James W. Robinson, who has secured the post of caterer for the British Columbia Agricultural Association. The restaurant will be in operation from that date the post of caterer for the British Columbia and a special meeting of the commissioners and will be held at an early date to take undertaken at once by the ship's officiences until the expected that by the time of police.

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SAY RAILWAYS HAVE

VIOLATED AGREE Robinson has an enviable reputation as a caterer, and in his capable hands this part of the fair arrangements will be well looked after.

There is a slow but steady increase in the use of smoked whale meat for food in plied with.

BRITAIN AND CANADIAN TRADE

AUSTIN CHAMBERLAIN SPEAKS AT BIRMINGHAM

Governor Declares Persons Re- Question of Treaties Must Be Dealt With at Next Imperial Council

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 23.—"The persons responsible for the horrible wreck Hon. Austin Chamberlain, former chan-Birmingham, Sept. 23.—The Right must go to prison: leave no stone un- cellor of the exchequer, declared in a speech here that what he had prophe-This was Governor Marshall's emphatic declaration to-day when he dispended the Kingland wreck on the Wabash valley interurban line in which 40 persons lost their lives.

Sied had happened. The Canadian government, and none could blame or criticize them, had negotiated, and were still negotiatolng, commercial treaties with foreign countries which simplon Kulm and all the simplon to the flight to Milan. 40 persons lost their lives.

Marshall is determined that the responsible persons shall stand punishment for the tragedy, and that the affine outstretched hands. It would be deployable be said to the process of the control of the c day recommended a meeting of the deplorable, he said, if the next Imperial headway.

Sir James Whitney's Views. Sir James Whitney, premier of Ontario, interviewed by the Standard of resolutions will be forwarded to the eign countries, prior to the conclusion dossol and was dashed to governor. Country on trade affairs. Sir James

strongly deprecates the idea of reciprocity arrangements between Canada Visitor Interviewed.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 23.—A man believed to be B. W. Yates of Toledo, killed himself in the county jail here yesterday, following the shooting and They were continually asking how long fatal wounding of Mrs. Fred Singer at it would be before England made up Later he regained consciousness

FARMER'S DEED

Sets Fire to Buildings and Shoots Himself After Attempting to Kill Wife,

Medicine Hat, Alta., Sept. 23.-After making an attempt to murder his wife, a German farmer named Otto Forigt, from Happy Land, about one hundred miles north of here, committed suicide by shooting himself.

Before he made an end to his life he large edifice is being covered with bunting, flags and numerous rosettes.

The Metchosin district has made a late entry with the secretary. The farmers there desire to enter into the competition for the best district exhibit, and included in their display will be every product which is grown in this suburb of Victoria.

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Before he made an end to his life he said to have followed her from Toledo and Detroit and finally to Cleveland.

SHOT BY POLICEMEN.

Angels, Cal., Sept. 23.—Constable Cosgrove is trying to establish the identity of a man he shot and instantly killed in the Altaville hotel after the fellow had confessed that he had killed a man the forward starboard growing in the air 49 minutes.

Thouse Leased Wire.)

Aboard Battleship Georgia, via wireless to Portsmouth, Va., Sept. 23.—

Fourteen men in the forward starboard growing from the papers by the Esquimalt & Na-

LAURA SECORD STATUE.

(Special to the Times.) St. Catharines, Ont., Sept. 23.—The statue in memory of Laura I. Second, the heroine of Queenstown Heights, is now montory, which stands out near the stands of the second completed and in position on the heights ready for unveiling. It bears the following inscription: "This monument has been erected by the government of Canada to Laura Ingersoll Secord, who saved her husband's life in the battle on these heights October 13th, 1812, and who risked her own life in carrying to Capt. Fitzporn the information by which he are the continue to Milan as soon as he had porn the information by which he won the victory of Beaver Dams, July 24th, 1813."

IGNORE DEMAND OF STRIKERS.

Montreal, Sept. 23.-A meeting of master imously voted to ignore the prize

VIOLATED AGREEMENT

Delegates Representing Middle Western States Are in Belligerent Mood

Topeka, Kas., Sept. 23.-Alleging that he western railroads have violated the agreement made with President Taft at the time the Hannibal injunction suit a dividend of 3 per cent. for the half gainst the increase of freight rates year, was abandoned, Illinois delegates were n a belligerent mood when the rate TROUBLE IN CABINET onference of twelve middle wester states was called to order yesterday Governor Stubbs, of Kansas, presided

at the opening session.

Five hundred delegates attended the twelve states represented were present their special representatives acted in their stead. Resolutions are being considered ask-

ing the government to prosecute th railroads. It is probable that they will be adopted. Governor Stubbs, in his opening address, said that the railroads had combined to advance rates at an unpre- Mr. Merriman can be found, General cedented scale. The railroads on their Botha retires. In that case a maown initiative have opened the quesjority of the members of the cabinet

will be criminally negligent if they do will be asked to form a government if not avail themselves of the opportunity necessary. to assist the interstate commerce commission in an exhaustive examination 'I favor the rigid enforcement of the anti-trust laws and the imprisonmen f every man guilty of building a monopolistic combine increasing the cost of

NOT SEEKING OFFICE.

Quebec, Sept. 23.-Among the passengers who arrived yesterday by the steamer Royal George was Senator Dandurand. Hon. Mr. Dandurand stated that the government had no position in its gift which would tempt him for one moment to sacrifice his independence. The Senator added TRIED TO SMUGGLE WHISKEY. that he was always disposed to serve the public, but in his own way and in his in-dividual capacity. He thought that this statement would set at rest the rumors Hector Fabre.

AVIATOR CHAVEZ FALLS TO EARTH

AIRSHIP WRECKED AFTER FLYING OVER ALPS

Birdman Sustains Serious Injuries-Italian Lands 25 Miles From Milan

(Times Leased Wire.)

Brieg, Switzerland, Sept. 23.-After three failures George Chavez, the Peruvian aviator, to-day successfully negotiated the Simplon Pass at an altior tude of 7,000 feet in his monoplane in

Chavez was last reported passing Simplon Kulm and appeared to be having trouble with adverse air currents, their outstretched hands. It would be but in spite of them was making good

Chavez and M. Weymann, the American aviator, have ascended each day since the twentieth but until to-day neither was able to get over the Simplon Pass.

Chavez Injured Milan, Sept. 23.—George Chavez lost control of his monoplane near Domo-

dossol and was dashed to the earth Chavez managed to gain temporary control of his machine when 200 feet

above the earth. He was able to check materially its wild plunge. Chavez's left leg and right thigh were broken. He was battered and bruised all over and may have been internally injured. He was uncon-scious when taken from the wreckage of his machine and taken to a hospital.

enough to briefly tell the cause of the accident. Chavez blamed the extreme cold for his fall.

"I lost control because I could not use my hands," he said. "It was freezing cold. I sat still so long that I behelplessness until I prepared to alight at Domodossola. I tried to manipulate my planes when suddenly the machine seemed to turn over and plunged earthward.'

Chanez said he almost lost his

Thousands watched the start of the Forigt's farm, and when the neighbors arrived they found Forigt's body with a bullet in his temple.

Indusands watched the start of the daring air navigator from the plateau overlooking the Rhine valley. Chavez executed a series of spirals with his monoplane until he had reached the level of Simplon pass. When he appeared a mere speck in the sky he headed toward the snow-capped peak montory, which stands out near the

continue to Milan as soon as he had rested. The remainder of the route is

Weymann, the American abandoned his attempt before reaching the pass. The aviators are trying for the \$20,000 offered for the first flight over demand of 400 union men who struck on Saturday. They declared the demand for a closed shop was neither just nor acceptable.

The rules of the contest say that the flight must be made on any day between September 20 and October 1, but must be completed on the day that the start is made.

Paileti Again Aloft. Rome, Sept. 23.-Dispatches from Milan have been received here that Paileti is again aloft en route to Milan after resting two hours at Stresa. Advices from Brieg say that Weyman ascended at 3.45 to again attempt a crossing of Simplon pass. The weather there has improved greatly since

Chavez and Paileti ascended. DECLARES DIVIDEND.

London Sept. 23.-The Western Can-

IN SOUTH AFRICA The governors of the Mr. Merriman Will Be Asked to

Form Ministry if Botha

Retires Capetown, Sept. 23.-After all it is probable Premier Botha will resign. Mr. Hall refuses to remain in office, and unless a strong substitute other than tion of the value of all the rallroads in the country. The public demands a more recalcitrant members would stay bona fide valuation. Public officials with Mr. Merriman who it is expected

MAY GRANT DEMAND.

St. John, Sept. 23.—The probability is that the sardine fishermen, who met here some days ago with reference to the decrease form \$10 to \$8 and \$6 per hogshead by the canners, will have their demands acceded to and will get the \$8 rate. A prominent local fish dealer is authority for the statement. A number of boats from the canneries are now in port and it is a matter of

Sault Ste. Marie, Sept. 23.-Because he was caught trying to smuggle whiskey across the Sault Ste. Marie which now and again appear in the press whiskey across the Sault Ste. Marie that he is an aspirant for the commis-river into Michigan from the Canasionership in France, held by the late dian Sault, John Flynn was fined \$200 and costs or sixty days in jail.



again an exhibitor this year.