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a cheaper rate than from dominion points Sir Richard Cartwright said that it wa difficult to avoid this when the ste 1874. The eastern sec- could not get enough Canadian freight. Austen Chamberlain, the new chancellor of the exchaquer, replying to a vote of congratulation at Acoeks Green, Worces-tembire, his parliamentary constituency, tonight, said that he regretted that the new Staphen. Free utention was raised when th

of the St. John Law School. H. Eliot, An Hector L. Landary, Donchester; Walter D., Pickett, St. John; G. Percy Smith, Sack-ville; W. H. Haurison, St. John. The barristers sworn in this year will be: Homer D. Forbes, St. John; R. B. Hanson, Fredericton; Fred. B. Hill, St. Stephen; Petar H. Hughes, Fredericton; Geo. A. Hutchinson, Moncton; A. C. Cal-der, St. Andrews. The York county court is today engaged in trying the case of Reed vs. McGiveny, an action arising out of the forest fires of last spring. A number of similar cases are now pending, and should the plaintiff establish his claim, other cases will be

Educational Society, in delivering the opening address of the Evangelical Alli-ance today, charged that the outrages of negroes in the south was due to the dhain gang prison system. He said in part:-

tion was to be constructed and owned by the government under commission after full survey had been made. This was to be leased to the company. Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked if there had subsidy of \$194,000 was up for the Canada-Australia line.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked if there had been any arrangemmets between the prov-inces of New Brunswick, Quebec and On-tario regarding the right of way. Hon. Mr. Scott-Not that I know of. He proceeded to deal with the terms of contract and cost of construction. There was much information in the hands of the government concerning the route and there was no intention of rushing hastily in the work to open up new territory. Mr. Miller said it would be many years hefore this new territory was wanted. Mr. Scott-It is not so much the land as the road from the east to the west that

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as the road from the east to the west that is wanted. No one would question the value of the land after Manitoba had been reached. After speaking an hour and a guarter Mr. Scott moved the adjournment

of the debate. After a short rest he walked home, along with his son, Darcy Scott, and Doctor Fisct. He will continue his speech tomonrow.

morrow. Premier Tweedie, Attorney General Pugsley and Solicitor General McKeown, along with Mr. Emmerson, waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier this afternoon, when the fisheries question was brought up. The delegation also asked for a recon-sideration of the provincial grant, so that the subsidy to the province might be in-

the subsidy to the province might be in-creased. Another matter talked over was the connecting of St. John with the Grand Trunk Pacific. The proposition to con-mect by means of a branch to Norton, on the I. C. R., was brought up. Mr. McKeown has also some matters with the Kent Northern railway to attend

Alaska Award Talk Aired in the House.

Ottawa, Oct. 12-(Special)-When the house met today, Mr. Fitzpatrick intro-duced a bill in regard to the revised statutes of Canada. Mr. Fitzpatrick said that the work was about two-thirds com-

commission. Sir Wilfrid Laurier—The government has taken no steps to ascerthin whether the alleged interview has taken place or not. We assume that this interview had

EVERYTHING POINTS

TO WAR BETWEEN

London, Oct. 13—The peculiar explana-tion of the postpomement of the caur's visit to Rome, "owing to circumstances over which he has no control," is inter-preted in some quarters to mean that the threatening outlook in far eastern affairs calls for the emperor's presence in Russia. A despatch to the Daily Mail from Kobe Oct. 12, neports that the situation is some what easier, but that the tone of the press is distinctly bellicose, while the same press is distinctly bellicose, while the same

The Cost of Taking the Census. At the afternoon sitting, Richard Blain, sues had lost the government some valu I supporters and declared himself in en At the afternoon sitting, Richard Blain, Ontario, Consetvative, offered as an amendment to the motion of Mr. Teher to go into committee of supply: That the cost of taking the census of 1901 was ex-travagant. The census taken by the Con-servatives in 1891 cost the country \$538,-076. The Liberals, then in opposition, com-demned this amount. The census they took im 1904, when the Liberals were in power one \$648,277. Mr. Blain serve sit

demned this amount. The census they took in 1901, when the Liberals were in selected counties in Ontanic: Haldimand South Perth, Peel, Cardwell, Prnce Ed ward and Bothwell, in which the popula-tion decreased 9,472 in ten years, fron 1891 too 1900. He charged the minister of agriculture with weakening before political pressure and influence, and with having assed accounts which he should not. Hon. Mr. Fisher showed that the census of 1901 cost more than that of 1891 for three reasons. The first of these was the fact that wages were higher and men scarcer n 1901. A good deal more infor-mation was gathered. It was compiled with a good deal more care. It was re-vised. The information was given to the public in a good deal less time. The rate of pay for the enumerators in 1891 was three cents for a name or death, fifteen earefully, with a view of giving a fair day's wage for a fair day's work. The rate was therefore fixed for the last ensue, and the robate of the Will. Same for each deatm, and thirty cents for ance that the increase in the cost of on umeration for the last census was chiefly due. The enumeration of the last census cost \$878,000. Had the enumerators been

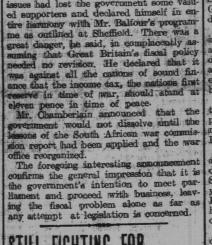
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cost \$878,000. Had the enumerators been paid, at the rate given n 1891 the cost would only have been \$682,000. The minister of agriculture said that he had frequently been charged with having departed from his schedule of rates. He admitted that he frequently had to allow bills for horse hire. This was permitted, and a larger number of enumerators ere that the work was permitted. Mr. Borden inquired if the government took any means to ascertain the truth of the press despatch from London attribut-ing certain statements to Mr. Aylesworth ing certain statements to Mr. Aylesworth

ing only one enumerator to a polling divis-ion had been followed the returns would not have been received in 1901 with the promptness which would have insure

JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

Several speakers took part in the dis not. We assume that this interview had accuracy. not the character attributed to it. Mr. Bell (Picton) read another press cubic that Lord Alverstone had stated privately that he was convinced that the voted down by a vote of 35 to 69 against-



**BICE'S MILLIONS.** 

the Old Millionaire, Objects to

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Argument was made in the court of appeals today in the matter of the "will of Rice, deceased," in which Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the which Albert T. Patrick, convicted of the murder of Wm. M. Rice, is fighting to reserve the probate of the will of Rice. The respondent is John D. Bardine, one of the executors of the probated will, who represents more particularly the "Wm. M. Rice institute for the advancement of literature, science and art." of Houston, Texas, a proposed memorial of Mr. Rice, to which he bequeathed the bulk of his estate. Mr. Bardine was represented by John C. Tomlinson, Max J. Kohler and Edgar J. Kohler. In his angunent today before the court of appeals Mr. Hornblower said:— "Whether or not Patrick added the rime of murder to that of forgery is a question not involved in this case. But that the alleged will of 1900 is a rank murder of Wm. M. Rice, is fighting to reserve the probate of the will of Rice.

jurisdiction to pass anew upon the que



A TERRIBLE STORY, IF TRUE.

Young Man Declares That His Father Killed

Chicago, Oct. 12-Earl Ellsworth, twentyfour, was arrested here today as the re-sult of an alleged confession which deatecves obtained by pretending to be his

friends. Eighteen months ago, at Woodstock (Ills:), Benjamin Ellsworth, Earl's father, finding his wife in company with Amos Anderson, shot and killed both, and then, according to Earl Ellsworth, who gave the North Amos RAILWAY Austro-Russian Scheme to Be Presented to the Porte Today.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 12-The details of police the story, the old man con micide.

the new Austro-Russian reform scheme are awaited here with the greatest interest. A despatch from Constantinople says that the Austrian and Russian ambassadors will prosent their proposals to the Porte today. The government here is taking the

"In estimating criminality among the black people we should keep in mind that since Appomatox nearly every southern state has maintained schools in crime-an organized institution for the training of orminals. This I charge against the con-vict lease system of the south. "Under this system both prison and prisoners are farmed out under the con-trol of private conportions-sold to the highest bidder. "To the leasese the body and soul of the convicts are assigned. The motive of both state and lease is not morals, but money; not reformation, but exploitation of criminals are generally scattered in branch prisons-quartered in rude stockades without proper sanitation, food or cloth-ing. The average life of these convicts is less than ten years. Old and young are disinde and herded together. Even men and women are in some camps not separ-ated. now resting at Highbury, his residence in or another fortnight. He will utilize the interval to elaborate his scheme and preare a reply to the objections raised by his opponents. Meanwhile the fiscal cam-

of last spring. A number of sumfar cases are now pending, and should the plaintiff establish his claim, other cases will be brought on. His Lordship Bishop Casey administered the sacrament of confirmation to about 100 persons at St. Dunstan's church yesterday morning. His Lordship was assisted by Rev. Fathens Carney and Hannigan. The death occurred on Sunday morning, at her home here, of Miss Edith M., oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odbur White. dition of the tin plate industry has been strongly criticised, the experts pointing out that though the trade with the United

at ner nome nere, of annes hourd ML, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odbur White. She had been an invalid for a number of years, and had been a great sufferer. Paralysis of the brain was the cause of her demise. She was twenty-seven years of are "The death occurred at Marysville yester day of Sydney L. Smith, a well known resi-dent of that place. He had been all for some time from the infirmities of old age, and his death occasioned no surprise. The deceased was seventy-five years, and leaves two sons, George B., of Marysville, with united States.

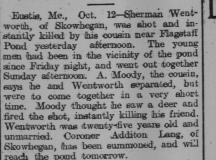
"Over against the outcome of these schools of crime is the fact that of all the Jnited States. The Gibson cotton mill at Marysville is

schools of crime is the fact that of all the thousands of • graduates from Christian schools maintained by the benevolence of the north and south, but one graduate has ever been even accused of the erime against the sacredness of womanhood." Doctor Thirkield made a strong plea for the philanthropic and Christian people of the south and north, to join hands in edu-cational and missionary efforts for the solution of this, the gravest problem of the gravest problem of

The Gibson cotton mill at Marysvalle is shut down today on account of the supply of new cotton having run out. A ship-ment of nine carloads was made from the south some days ago, but it has evidently been delayed in transit. Col. E. A. Barry, of Edinburgh (Scot.), arrived here by train on Saturday even-ing, en route to the Little Southwest Mira-michi, where he will spend the next six weeks hunting moose and caribou. the races ever given any nation to solve. MAINE MAN'S

FATAL MISTAKE, He Thought He Was Aiming at a

Deer, But it Proved to Be Mis-Cousin, Who Was Killed Instantly.



each the pond tomorrow.

RAILWAY COLLISION.

Kamsus City, Oct. 12—Three men were killed and three others were injured in a collision between Missouri Pacific and 'Frisco freight trains in the switch yards at St. Louis avenue and Santa Fe streets, "It will be lamentable if the award,

Meantime His Campaign Continues, Senator Dandurand Says That Was His Object in Securing Option. and the ex-Colonial Secretary is

## Preparing More Material. London, Oct. 12-Mr. Chamberlain is

FIFTY LAWSUITS BEGUN

cargo of coal.

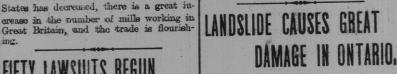
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Ottawa, Oct. 12-(Special)-Senator Dandurand tonight confirmed the report that he had secured on behalf of the English capitalists an option on the Clergue m. and is not engaged to speak works at the Soo. The option was tained late in September from the direc-tors at Philadelphia, and he hoped that the property would be saved and devel-oped for Canada. He is now endeavoring to have the sale of the securities held by nign is being vigorously pursued in the

to have the sale of the securities held by Speyer & Co. postponed and he is san-guine that the extension of thirty to sixty days will be granted. If this is obtained they are hopeful of obtaining sufficient. British capital to save the industries and develop them the their of a provide develop them to their full capacity.



AGAINST BOSTON BREWERIES Boston, Oct. 12-The first of fifteen which the damages are placed at \$2,000, which the damages are pl

Roosevelt's Old Ranch Changes Hands. Will Sue Government for Blowing Up Vessel New York, Oct. 12—Owners of the five-masted schooner Jennie R. Dubois, which steamer off Block Island five weeks ago anounced today that they intend to bring suit against the United States government for blowing up the wreck before an op-portunity was given the owners to remove her cargo of coal. Bismarck, North Dakota, Oct. 12-The

Eustis, Me., Oct. 12-Sherman Went-DEPRECATES SPECULATION ABOUT ALASKA AWARD.

> (Canadian Associated Press). London. Oct. 12.—The Standard, refer-to the Alaska boundary commission. ing to the Alaska boundary commission, "The Canadian government and people regard with national pride their splendid and as yet imperfectly developed domain "Here in London we are content to wait the publication of the judgment, in the northwest and it is easy therefore to understand and impossible not to sym-pathize in their anxiety that the award whereas in Ottawa and New York a lively game of speculation is going on as to its enor and probable consequences on both may not deprive them of access from the Pacific ocean." "We have absolute confidence in the

The Post's special correspondent in Can-The Post's special correspondent in Can-ada writes that the French-Canadians generally are convinced that Chamber-lain's scheme neludes compulsory military service. He says an Ottawa minister, probably next to the premier, told him he was ready to me to the convince

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nestion not involved in this case forgery is a demonstrated fact which this court would be compelled to find if it had

His Mother and a Companion, and Then MACEDONIAN REFORMS Suicided. EXPECTED SOON.

The talk which young Ellsworth had with the detectives, and which was over reard by witnesses secreted in an adjoin

