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The fire which broke is in ruins. Many
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MAINLAND MATTERS.

Mining and Hunting Expedition to the Far Off North-Chilli-wack Happenings.

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produced by the popular St. George's Society at their anniversary entertainment.

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

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B Kennedy, of the Brunette saw mills, was offered and accepted the nomination in Mr.

Riding convention.

Prof Sutherland, a hypnotist, tried some hypnotic experiments on patients in the asylum yesterday, but did not succeed in making any impression on them. A number of physicians attended the experiments.

The colachan run to-day was the best so far this season, but the great run is not to hand yet.

at the Imperial opera house by the B. C. B. G. A. this evening. "Colonel" Sansom lectured on "How I am going to restore Queen Lil."

Diver Liewellyn is examining the Narrows about 400 feet east of the present mains, to discover a new spot in which to lay a new main, thus giving the city three mains in all.

The South Vancouver electors opposed to the Government yesterday named Mr. Kidd as their choice in the approaching elections. The city debentures have been finally sold at the high figure of 102 56, payable in Vancouver. These debentures were tendered for once before, but there being a suggestion of unfairness in awarding the deal, tenders were again called for with the result that Mr. Farrell's final and successful tender on the previous occasion was 101.30, while Mr. Farrell's final and successful tender was 102 56, and the others were close to him. The Nationalist party met yesterday and elec ed permanent officers, W. M. Wilson being chosen president, Rev. G. R. Maxwell and R. McPherson vice-presidents, R. McPherson secretary, and C. Grant treasurer. Messrs Grant, McPherson and Maxwell addressed the meeting. The new partyw ill hold a meeting soon to choose a candidate.

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CHILLIWACK, April 19. - The Farmers' Institute held their fortnightly meeting in Mr. L. W. Paisley's office. Mr. A. C. Wells and Mr. Millar each read a paper on

SEALING SEIZURES.

The Same Instructions to Be Sent to American and British Cruisers.

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Canadian vessels by the United States did not receive the attention of the Paris tribunal of arbitration. The claims amounted to about \$15,000,000. (?) and those were formally presented by Great Britain soon after the tribunal adjourned, although they had been the subject of correspondence between the two Governments ever since the seizures took place in Behring Sea in 1886, 1887, 1889 and 1890. Secretary Gresham declined to take up the matter until after the two governments had completed all necessary legislation to carry into effect the decisions of the tribunal for the protections of the seals, and this is still the position of the State Department in the matter. It is not at all likely the matter of compensating Canadians will be settled until after it is found out whether the United States will not have counter-dealins for damages growing out of the failure to adopt its fur seal regulations earlier this season.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Montreal, April 21.—(Special)—Provincial Treasurer John S. Hall is certously ill at his residence here of scarlet fever.
Several local militia officers are much displeased at the remarks of General Herbert in his annual report. Lieut. Colonel Butler, of the Prince of Wales battalion, mad a good showing last year.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Readjustment of Rice Duties—Sir C H. Tupper's Cable Regarding Scaling Matters.

covered with water, but the flood is subsiding.

The Mayor has received a letter from the North-western Cordage Co., St. Paul, Minn., making inquiries as to the inducements Winnipeg will offer for a binding twine and rope factory. The company proposes starting a mill with \$50,000 capital, with a capacity of 12,000 pounds of binding twine per day and enough sisal and manilla rope to supply the demand.

It is understood the Patrons of Industry intend running a candidate in Beautiful Plains at the coming by-election.

The Northern Pacific has made a reduction in wheat rates from Winnipeg to Boston, from 54 cents to 48 cents per bushel.

An unknown man was found dead in Springfield district yesterday. The body is supposed to be that of a farm laborer who was lost during the winter.

Floating ice damaged the C.P.R. bridge across the St. James to-day, but the main structure is safe.

DESTROYED BY EARTHQUAKE.

LONDON, April 21.-A dispatch from Athens to the Times says that official dispatches have been received from Thebes stating that an earthquake which was felt done. The towns of Volo and Lariasa were also badly damaged Reports from all parts of the country are to the effect that everywhere the earthquake was helf and more or less damage was done. Athens escaped without damage.

tch to the Times says an envoy from esident-elect Mores has held a conference President-elect Mores has held a conference here with the insurgent General Martens for the purpose of resrranging peace in the State of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. General Martens' terms of peace were that the Governor of Rio Grande do Sul be deposed and a new election held in Brazil, that the insurgent officers be reinstated in the posts they formerly held, by the amnest y granted to all. It is stated Degamua will be landed at Buenos Ayres to-day. It is reported General Saraiva, with 5,000 of his insurgents, is on the northwestern frontier of Rio Grande do Sul.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S SCANDAL.

ST. John's, Nfid., April 21.—The execu tive council have sent petitions to the Eng-lish government to appoint a royal commisstating that an earthquake which was felt throughout Greece destroyed that town. The inhabitants are in a sad condition, being almost entirely without food and shelter, and the officials request that tents and other necessaries be sent them. No deaths are reported as having occurred in the town. The shock was very violent at Atsiants (Talanda) and Chaicis. Many houses in those towns were thrown from the widence of the misdeeds and reckless financing of the Whitewayites and kill that party politically.

CABLE LETTER.

Grant to the Duke of Edinburgh Voted-His Royal Highness Criticised.

"HARDOROF BUENOS AYRES, April 16, 1894.]

"Saenz Pena, President:—As I am unable to continue, on account of an absolute lack of resources, the naval revolt insugurated eight months ago for the purpose of changing the constitution of Brazil against the military despotism of President Peixoto, I now enter Argentine waters in order to solicit the protection of the flag of a generous sister republic in behalf of myself, my officers, my marines, my troops and my fleet, constating of the Republica. Urnano, Iris, Meteore and Esperanza. I will surrender these ships to your excellency for any disposition you may see fit to make of them."

ARCHBISHOP CORRIGAN.

New York, April 20.—The Herald says: New York, April 20.—The Herald says:
The trouble which began in this diocese of
the Roman Catholic church several years
ago, and which originated in Dr. MoGlynn's disobedience, is not yet ended. It
is to be revived in a new and startling form.
In fact, the Herald has been informed that Archbishop Corrigan is to be
arraigned in Rome on a most serious charge.
The substance of the charge is conspiring to
destroy the influence of Mgr. Satolli, the
apostolic delegate. Mgr. Satolli, the
apostolic delegate. Mgr. Satolli has for
some time past been working quietly but
steadily to obtain the evidence against the
head of the diocess. The case against the
archbishop is now complete and the papers
are ready for transmission to Rome.

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