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Canadian-Australian Line Likely To Secure the Benefits of New Zealand Trade.

CAPITAL NOTES

Mr. Bowell As Canadian Commissione to Leave by the Warrimoo for Sydney.

(From our own Correspondent.) OTTAWA, Aug. 31.-Major Muirhead, o Woolwich arsenal, has arrived to consult the authorities respecting the proposed fortifications at Esquimalt. He declines to indicate the nature of the works, but it will embrace both land and submarine defences. Major Muirhead goes to British Columbia in a few days.

Hon. Mr. Foster returned to the city to-

Michael New has been sentenced for five years to Kingston penitentiary for burglarizing the Roman Catholic cathedral two

weeks ago.

Mr. Burgess, deputy minister of the interior, has gone to Quebec to show to American officials the methods in use at Grosse Isle and the Louise embankment, Quebec.

and the Louise emoankment, Quebec, for disinfecting immigrants luggage.

It was generally expected that the cabinet would meet to-day to consider the appointments of Lieutenant-Governors for Manitoba and the Territories, but I learn to-night, on and the Territories, but I learn to-night, on the highest authority, that the question was not discussed this afternoon. Apart from routine business, one Senator was appointed —Hon. David Ferguson, Q.C., provincial secretary of Prince Edward Island—to fill the late Senator Montgomery's place, and an Order-in-Council was passed prohibiting the importation of dried fruits from Smyrna for the reason that such are not successible. for the reason that such are not susceptible to disinfection, and Asiatic cholera is fearfully prevalent in that province.

It was also decided that Labor Day, next

Monday, should be a public holiday side and outside service. OTTAWA, Sept. 2.-Mr. Huddart, before his departure for England, to-day, said that he expects to receive an annual subsidy of £10,000 from the Queensland Government on condition that the vessels call at the two ports of Brisbane and Rockhampton, in that colony. Should the Queensland people decline to deal as liberally with the new line as the New South Wales Government has done, the vessels will not call at Queensland ports. Mr. Huddart is hopeful that the New Zealand Government will join in subsidizing steamers. If they do Mr. Huddart will place two first-class vessels of the route between Littleton, N. Z, and Sydney, to connect with the direct line, provided Queensland and New Zealand both co-operdart will place two first-class vessels on the ate. Mr. Huddart will build three en new vessels for the direct service, and place the Warrimoo and Miowera on the New Zealand route, splendid vessels though they

The Government will shortly take action in regard to the erection of a reformatory for young criminals, but no decision as to the location has been are

for young criminals, but no decision as to the location has been arrived at.

With reference to the Order-in-Council prohibiting the importation of dried fruit from Smyrna, it is learned at the Depart-ment of Agriculture that the order is only applied to direct importations from that

A militia general order issued to day gives the following promotions in the militia: Captain and Brevet Lieut. Col. Turnbull, to be Major in Royal Canadian Dragoons; Capt. W. D. Gordon, Capt. B. H. Vidal, Captain and Brevet Major Buchan and Captain D D. Young to be majors in Royal regiment Canadian Infantry. Surgeons F. W. Strange, C. C. Sewell, M. J. Hanavan, A. Codd and Robert McLean to be surgeons-general in the same regiment. Addiculture

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Prof. Saunders, director of expermental farms, wires the Department of Agriculture to the transport of the experimental farm at Agassiz, and throughout that district, are good. Largest part is cut and harvested, and the weather good.

John Lowe, deputy minister of agriculture, says that the department did not withhold information from the Imperial Government respecting the cattle rejected at Montreal. Mr. Lowe is emphatic in the declaration that no case occurred of any declaration that no case occurred of any animal being rejected on account of its possessing any disease in the slightest de-Northwest to-day, says there is no disease

Northwest to-day, says there is no disease among the eattle.

It was decided at a Cabinet meeting to-day to commission Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Minister of Trade and Commerce, to visit Australia for the purpose of conferring with the several colonial governments on trade matters between Canada and Australian colonies. and other subjects of interest to the two countries. The commission is the outcome of the establishment of a direct line of of the establishment of a direct line of steamers between Sydney and British Columbia. In choosing Mr. Bowell for this important duty the Government is acting in conformity with resolutions passed by the various boards of trade, which urged the necessity of extending trade between different colonies to its fullest extent. It is understood Mr. Bowell will not conformative the conformative for the description of the conformative formative formatical several and several several and several se only look into trade matters, but confer with the several Governments with a view to establishing mutual tariff arrangements.

Mr. Bowell leaves Ottawa for British Columbia on Wedneyd and the British Columbia on the British Columbia o umbia on Wednesday or Thursday next, to catch the steamer Warrimoo, which sails from Vancouver on the 16th inst. His intention is to reach British Columbia a day or two in advance of the sailing of the vessel, in order to confer with the Boards of Trade at Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster, before his departure.

CALIFORNIA'S CHINESE PROBLEM Chinamen to Be Forced to Register-A Clean

wash houses in the suburbs of the town took the inms es out and started for Fow-lers, six miles distant, riding in waggons and driving the Chinamen on foot. When overtaken by officers the men had sent back the teams as each had a Chinaman in charge on foot. The officers in charge on foot. The officers arrested eleven and brought them back and locked them up. To-day they were arraigned in court and charged with riot, but cannot get a hearing before the middle of the coming week. Some have been admitted to bail, while others will be sent to Fresno for asie keeping. It is sent to Fresno for safe keeping. It is rumored they will be charged with robbery in the premises. Such rough treatment of the Chinese is not endorsed by the better

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Sir Charles Tupper in Manitoba-Reduced Wheat Rates From Northwest Points.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 2. — (Special) — Sir Charles Tupper, Canada's High Commissioner to England, arrived here this morning and is a guest of his son, J. Stewart Tupper. He does not expect to continue his journey west of Manitoba. Next week he will in-

COUNTING THE DEAD.

Fully Six Hundred Victims Perish By the Cyclone in the South.

The Coast Strewn With the Wrecks of Vessels-Destitute Negroes.

BEAUFORT, S.C., Aug. 31.—Reliable com putation places the deaths at 600. There are now 7,000 negroes, who have been driven to Port Royal by the storm, starving. They are so destitute and so badly in need of something to eat, that they have resorted to fighting among themselves for food, and several were killed in a fight for provisions. The negroes are getting more and more daring in their struggles to keep their wives and children from starving, and t is difficult to keep the sufferers in subection.
COLUMBUS, S. C., Aug. 31. — Accounts

Columbus, S. C., Aug. 31. — Accounts continue to come in of general havoo by Sunday's atorm. Mr. Robinson, of Kerrison, says that from Busooff's place on the Edisto river to Jacksonboro it is reported that all the negroes on the lowlands were drowned, in all about 100 men, women and children. The survivors relate terrible experiences, and furthermore state that all the dwellings were totally destroyed and the place is in abject desolation. At Walterboro many houses were complately washed from their foundations out into the streets and all the rice fields overflowed. Crops to the value of 50 per cent. were de-Streets and all the rice fields overflowed. Crops to the value of 50 per cent. were destroyed. The reports of less and destruction of property in Port Royal, Beaufort and Sea Islands are fearful. The death roll now aggregates thirty-odd persons.

The missing ship Seminole, of the Clyde line, steamed into the harbor yesterday, having escaped the storm. Inquiry at the Clyde line office elicited little information regarding other missing vessels.

steamship Alvo, which sailed from here August 16 for West Indian ports, having on board a crew of sixty officers and men, and a dozen passengers, is unheard from.

CABLE NEWS.

e resembling pleure-pneumonia. Dr. Mc-chran, who returned from a trip to the in an article headed "Depletion of Canada, London, Sept. 2.—The Pall Mail Gazette advises the entire stoppage of assisted emi

HOME RULE.

in Spite of Strong Opposition the Bill Passes Its Third Reading.

It Is Immediately Sent to the Lords and Read a First Time.

London, Sept. 1.—The House of Com mons agreed this afternoon to suspend the 12 o'clock rule to-night in order that the west of Manitoba. Next week he will inspect the Crofter colonies at Killarney and Saltooats.

Irishmen so accepted the measure as a final adjustment of the leading grievance against Great Buffelin.

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Hon. T. M. Daly, Minister of the Interior, returned here last night from the West. He says: "My trip has been a revelation to me. One can form no idea of the gigantic expanse of our country until one has travelled through and about it, as I have been privileged to do during the last couple of months."

The reduced grain tariff of the Canadian Pacific is published to-day. There is a reduction from Manitoba and Northwest points of three to five cents.

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more and putting pressure on ministry after ministry, until at last some ministry will be found weak enough to buy the Irish vote by granting final separation. (Hear, hear.) The mischief that the Converse hear. separation. (Hear, hear.) The mischief that the Government has done by introducting this policy is irreparable. It has made enormously more difficult the government of Ireland, it has postponed indefinitely the hope of the completion of a better settlement. The bill is now about to go to another place. We probably never shall see it again (cheers), but whether we see it or not, I am convinced that the British people will give the policy embodied in it a death blow at the first opportunity offered them. This bill will vanish, but the weakness of the Liberal party, its lack of independence and its treatment of vital interests of the country as mere incidents of the Newcastle

country as mere incidents of the Newcastle programme will not be forgotten nor for-given by the British democracy." Pro-longed Unionist cheers followed this per-oration.

Mr. Balfour, Conservative leader, said that the House had not discussed three-fourths of the Home Rule bill, either in

172. Of silver there was a decrease of \$2,-363,536 Of the surplus there was in National bank deposits \$17,685,476, against \$17,044,003 at the end of the previous month. The silver purchases for the month of August were 3,988,022 fine ounces, costing \$2,880,532. The total purchases under the Sherman Act were 163,047,664 fine ounces, costing \$151,804,170.

SAMOA NEWS The War Over and the Rebel Leaders Sen-

APIA, Samoa, Aug. 11.—Practically speakbe concluded before adjournment. Justin the mere deportation of the rebel chiefs is

A trial was held in Apia, at which the punishment of those convicted of rebellion was considered and the following sentences were inflicted: Twenty-four of those whose conduct was considered particularly heinous were sentenced to three years at hard labor, and should any of them attempt to escape his land was to be confiscated by the Government.

Eighty-seven of lesser offenders were sen-

Ringdove, will arrive shortly. Two more German ships are also expected. When all these vessels arrive there will be a naval

OLD WORLD GOSSIP.

stain on the fame and honor of the country, they would presently know that this House had taken the final steps towards the true corporation of Ireland into a united people. At the close of his speech, enthusiastic cheers were given for Mr. Morley.

Col. John P. Nolan, Parnellite member for North Galway, then arose and, amid laughter and ories of "time to divide," uttered a brief protest against the financial clauses of the bill.

The time having arrived for the third reading of the bill, the Speaker formally put the motion and ordered a division of the House. Mr. Gladstone was the first to

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 1.—The steamer Mon.

THE CHOLERA.

Several Deaths in Grimsby, England and the Port Declared Closed.

Vienna's Population Panic Stricken and Rotterdam's Condition Reported Very Rad.

Rome, Sept. 2.—To-day's cholera returns include the following: Cassino, two deaths, ing, the war in Samoa is over, but it is im- two new cases; Salorno, one death, no new third reading of the Home Rule bill might possible to tell when it may be resumed, as cases; Palermo, six deaths, no new cases; Boston & Albany railroad, one and a half Naples, three deaths, no new cases. Many

were four fresh cases and two deaths from cholera at Grimsby to-day.

PARIS, Sept. 1.—The cholera in Nantes appears to be declining. Two fresh cases were reported to-day, but no deaths.

VIENNA, Sept. 1.—In the last 24 hours 138 fresh cases of cholera and 87 deaths have been reported in Hungary, the cases occurring chiefly in Szaboles, Kunszolrok and, Szatmar.

LONDON, Sept. 1.—It is reported from Tangier that cholera has broken out among

Eighty-seven of lesser offenders were sentenced to pay a fine of \$200, these fines to be utilized to road-making alone.

The present war vessels that are lying at anchor at Apia harbor are the English vessel Catoomby and two German vessels, the Bussard and Sperber.

The United States vessel Philadelphia is expected from the United States and two more English vessels, the Rapid and the Ringdove, will arrive shortly. Two more lying in front of the city of Magadur.

VIENNA, Sept. 1.—Twenty-eight deaths
from cholera occurred at Delatyn, Austrian
Galicia. The disease is rapidly spreading in
that vicinity. The custom house at Delatyn is closed. All intercourse with the
building is forbidden, as several officers who
have quarters in it have been stricken with
the malady. The law courts are also closed
and business in town is at a standstill. The
inhabitants are in a state of panic. All who

inhabitants are in a state of panic. All who are able are hurrying from the place. Advices from Smyrna report a similar state of

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visional Government of Hawaii. The selec-tion of Mr. Ida was made by the United States with the consent of Germany and Great Britain, the other parties to the pro-

highest order of statesmanship. We earnestly hope that God, who has bestowed up-on you such wonderful mental and physical powers, will prolong your life, and enable you to complete the great work of ending internecine strife, bringing peace and strength to the Empire and peace and pros-perity to Ireland."

RAILWAY HORROR. A Passenger Train Dashes Through a Bridge

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 31.—The Chicago limited express train from Boston broke through a frail iron bridge on the be concluded before adjournment. Justing the mean tempt again of the rebel chiefs is the mere deportation of the rebel chiefs is not certain to have a decisive effect. There sate the state of the anti-Parnellites, was the first speaker. He said that although the bill did not have the pedantic character of finality, which its opponents contended any Home Rule measure must have, it contained finality in principle. When I reland should get her national Parliament it would get her national Parliament it would finality in the true sense of the term. Irishmen so accepted the measures as a final adjustment of the leading grievance against Great Britain.

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MANITOBA'S WHEAT CROP.

There Will be Twenty Million Bushels And a Large Percentage of No. 1 Hard.

Gradual Eradication of Smut — No Damage From Frost Up To

the Present Time. The Winnipeg Free Press contains an inserview with Manager Thompson, of the

Ogilvie Milling Co., in which that gentleman says : "Manitoba and the Territories will harvest this year 19,000,000 to 20,000,000 bush-

els of wheat."

"The percentage of No. 1 and No. 2 hard will largely exceed any former crop.

TARG & Recess By the September of the Constitution. It is reported to the september of the Constitution of seengers for the Canadian Pacific, and the steamer to leave on the 7th promises to be as well loaded.

The Northern Pacific Minddle.

New York, Sept. 2.—The receivers of the Northern Pacific Railroad Co. will make it a better marketable sample. There has been some damage to wheat reported from extreme heat, in causing too rapid ripening, but this is largely local in character, mind in spots, and not by any means general, forming a limited percentage of the Northern Facific Railroad Co. will make to taking action to cancel the lease of their road to the N.P. Co., should the receivers be sustained in their refusal to pay the rental of the road. One of the N.P. officials said to-day that the whole matter was now before the courts and that they would pay not attention to President Abbott's letter.

Mowat in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Sept. 2.—Sir Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, and Hon. John Dryden were visitors at the Canadian pavillion to day. Premier Mowat came from an extended tour of the Northwest part of the Dominion recently in dispute between Ontario and Manitoba. A reception will probably be tendered the visitors next week at the Canadian pavillion.

Aiding Storm Sufferers.

CHARLESTON,S.C., Sept. 2.—Mayor Ficken has issued a proclamation calling a public meeting to help the Beaufort sufferers. In the state of Canadian pavillion.

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PORT TOWNSEND TOPICS. Seized for Violating Revenue Laws—News From Behring Sea—Hattle Hastings Gains.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 2.—(Special) The British sloop Ethel was seized a few days ago near Point Roberts by the customs officers for violating the revenue laws.

States fish commission steamer Albarross, one of the Behring Sea squadron, saying that seals were more plentiful this season than usual on St. Paul and St. George

Islands.

The young woman who was recently arrested on the City of Kingston, and gave her name as Hattie Stratton, is the daughter of an eld pioneer at Port Angeles. Her right name is Hattie Hastings, and her father, lately decessed, for many years conducted the Olympic hotel in that city. The constoms officers estimate her earnings in the constoms officers estimate her earnings in the companied by several of his colleagues.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Snap Shots at Henry Irving—Siwashes On a Spree-Mining at Williams Creek.

Indians Returning from the Canneries -New Wharf at Nanaimo-An Offending Alderman.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, Sept. 2.-W. B. Wilkinson returned on Thursday from a trip to

Hop picking will commence next week at Agassiz.

Messrs. Edward's Bros. are developing Messrs. Edward's Bros. are developing several hundred photographs from negatives taken by Mr. Lane and Mr. Sech, of the Irving-Terry party. One snap-shot caught the party on the croquet lawn, with Mr. Lane reciting a scene from Romeo and Juliet, Miss Craig acting Juliet to Mr. Lane's Romeo. Another shot is taken on board the steamer on Harrison lake, the feature of the picture being Miss Terry's head and face, in bold relief, poked through the port hole of the boat.

Mr. H. Pim, of Toronto, has arrived to take the management of the Edison General

take the management of the Edison General Electric Co. here. Mr. E. Maxwell returns to Portland. Mr. A. E. Webster returned from the

East to-day bringing his bride, formerly Miss Lizzie Cunningham, of Cookstown, Oat. The Siwashes are still holding high car-nival at the rancheries. There seems to be no trouble for Indians to get liquor if they

no trouble for Indians to get liquor if they the money.

Mr. A. D. Whittier has returned from England, where he has organized a company to wash out the benches along Williams' creek. In the old Cariboo days 250 onnces of gold are said to have been taken out of Williams' creek in one day.

A number of Cingalese have opened a jewelry store on Cordova street.

Mr. Edward Holmes passed through Vancouver on his way to Agassiz yesterday. He had written to the local papers emphatically denying the charges made that he rode on trains.

trains.

Hon. M. P. Morris, Chilian consul, sends-by the Chilian bark Eliso to the port of Antofogasts, numerous samples of British Columbia and Canadian products, consisting of slate, cedar shingles, spruce, cedar and artridges, etc.

Messrs. Haydin & Co.'s new box factory

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the Colonist.

Hotel Burned.

MIDLAND, Sept. 2.—The Hewis House, leading hotel here, was burned. Loss \$20,000, insurance \$4,000. The guests were rescued from the windows in their night clothes, and several had narrow escapes.

The Major-General and Minister. Judge J. G. Swan has just received a letter from Commander Tanner, of the United States fish commission steamer Albatross, one of the Behring Sea squadron, saying that seals were more plentiful this season than usual on St. Paul and St. George Islands.