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by given that application will be the registrative assembly of the s of British Columbia, at its next for an act to incorporate a com-with power to construct, equip, by any kind or kinds of motive and maintain either a standard, v gauge or light line railway, for the se of conveying passengers and hereby given that application will be of conveying passengers including all kinds of merchan at or near Victoria, Esquimait vancouver Island, via Sooke, , Vancouver Island, via Sooke, Sa i, in the said district, and Alberni, by most direct and feasible route along west coast of Vancouver Island, to a t on the extreme north end of said ouver Island, in the vicinity of Hardy labelti bays, or thereabouts, with r to construct, equip. construct, equip, operate and branch lines and all necessary dges, ways, ferries, wharves coal bunkers. cks, bridges, ways, territs, that we cks and coal bunkers; and with power cks and coal bunkers; and maintain ccss and coal bunkers; and with power build, own, equip, operate and maintain eam ferries and steam or other vessels id boats; and with power to build, equip, berate and maintain telegraph and tele-hone lines in connection with said rail-ay and branches, and to carry on a gen-ral express business, and to build and perate all kinds of plant for the purpose supplying light, heat, electricity or any nd of motive power; and with power to 1 of motive power; and with ropriate lands for the purpose pany, and to acquire lands. roprinte rands for the purposes of the pany, and to acquire lands, bonuses, vileges or other aids from any govern-at, municipality or other persons or lies corporate; and to make traffic or sdies corporate; and to make traffic or her arrangements with rallway, steam-bat or other companies; and with power build wagon roads to be used in the matruction of such railway, and in ad-ance of the same, and to levy and collect bils from all parties using and on all right passing over any of such roads will by the company, whether built be-pre or after the construction of the rail-ay; and with all other usual, necessary incidental rights, powers or privileges may be necessary or incidental or conesary or inc ive to the attainment of the above bjects, or any of them. Dated at the city of Victoria the 30th day f July A.D. 1898.



we devote, no doubt, increased space to coal and reserve ammunition, but as Lord Berestord says: "It's no use having tons of ammuni-tion on board if yon have not the guns to shoot quickly at your enemy when he appears." ing 'on Tonquin." London, Aug. 12.-The House of Commons met at 10.30 this merning. A host of questions on the subject of China elicited little information except that the government leader, Mr. Balfonr, declined pledge the government to prevent the FIGHT AT A LIGHTHOUSE. blessing of Almighty God may attend ratification of the France-Belgian Pekin-Hankow concession. But Mr. Balfour promised that in the event of British VOII. Spaniards Battle Violently for an Impor-tant Point. **CLOSING SCENES** capitalists purchasing the railroad con-cessions obtained by French or Belgian syndicates or the Yang Tse Kiang syn-dicate the government would support and assist them at both London and Pekin in this and all other heritmete commercial IHE New York, Aug. 11 .- The Herald has the following from Cape San Juan, Porto Rico, August 10. There was a two hours' fight before daybreak yesterday. Eight hundred Spaniards attempted to retake the lightthis and all other legitimate commercial Last Sputterings in the Fast Dying enterprises. War Between Spain and forces. house, which was guarded by forty GRAVE RESPONSIBILITY. our sailors, commanded by Lieut. At-water, Assistant Engineer Jenkins, En-gineer Brownson and Gunner Campbell. United States. What the Outcome of the War Brings to the United States. The Spaniards were driven back by shells from the Amphitrite, Cincinnati Signing of the Procotol Securing Burlington, Vt., Aug. 11.—Justice David J. Brewer, of the supreme court, who has come from Washington, will spend the remainder of the summer at his cottage at Thompson's Point. He said in regard to peace negotificitions. and Leyden. Refugees report 100 Spaniards killed. William H. Boartman, of the Amphit-Peace Likely to Occur To-Day. rite, of Lawrence, Mass., a second class said in regard to peace negotiations: "Peace is now certain. I don't know what the terms will be, and I can only guess at what may be agreed upon by man in the navel academy, was seriously wounded. London, Aug. 12.-The Hongkong corres-pondent of the Daily Mail says: Senor Da-The Spanish advance began from the Rio Grande, whither the Spaniards had retreated after the first laning of troops varre, the Spanish consul here, has engaged a steamer to take him to Manila immedithe two nations. They will compel the surrender of Porto Rico to the United States and the evacuation of Cuba. The evacuation of Cuba brings to us as at Cape San Juan last week. They marched through Laquillo and pulled ately upon the conclusion of peace in the hope of saving the city from bombarddown the American flag at Fajaro and a nation grave responsibility and the aftermath of the contest may prove much more troublesome than the war itreplaced the Spanish flag. ment. Terrified refugees warned the light-house force that the Spanish were com-The Madrid Press. Madrid, Aug. 12 .- The press now considers peace a foregone conclusion, and echoes ing. Sixty women and children were in an the general impatience to see the termina-outbuiling of the lighthouse during the tion of hostilities and know the programme We proclaimed, when the resolutions cusa and that we did not want it for fight. of the peace commission, at which it is ourselves. Now, if we drive the Spanish from Cuba and leave her without any forcible interference, it will be greater ruin than to have left the Spanish there. The Spaniards opened fire with a mabelieved either Senor Moret or Duke Almo-The Leyden, Ensign Crosley command-ing, rushed within 100 yards of shore and dovar de Rio will preside. It is believed that the negotiations will extend into the The there is the second half of September. poured one pounders into the Spjaniars. An Armistice Immediately, Captain Barclay, of the Amphitrite, five-inch guns. London, Aug. 12 .- The Madrid correspon-The ships landed 250 men during the dent of the Daily Mail says: The cabinet fight and reinforced the lighthouse goard. A machine gun, rifles and ammunition rived on Thursday morning. President were left by the retreating Spaniards. Ensign Crosley took the refugees off align accepts the Spanish reply, with slight formal modifications. The first con-Our obligation to Cuba is not fulfilled until the complete establishment of selfat daybreak and has gone to Ponce. Our flag is still on the lighthouse, but the dition of the protocol is an armistice. This will be declared immediately. The condivernment . forces have been withdrawn. The Amphitrite's guns cover the lightaking possession of Porto Rico tions are the same as those proposed by house, ready to annihilate the Spaniards President McKinley. Senor Sagasta cabled if our flag is hauled down. It is one of M. Cambon an authorization to sign the vise precaution, I suppose every civilian should abide by their judgment. We have, however, to manage the island, which is a matter of the gravest diffithe important lights on the island. The Cincinnati has gone to the protocol, to which step the Queen regent Cincinnati has gone to the San had already given her consent. The cabinet, council also discussed the instructions Juan blockade. culty. The inhabitants are not for self-gov to be given the Spanish commissioners for negotiations of peace. The question of the Philippines will be the chief point for con-THE POPE'S CONDITION. rnment. The colonial administration such as European nations have estat Rome, Aug. 12.-Dr. Liponie visited the pope last night and found him much ished seem to us a violation of our ideas sideration, and on this the precise intenve to try, though. tions of the American government are not better, and, it is hoped, he will be able to resume his audiences to-day, (Friday). Lown. possession of Hawaii seems justi-by arguments of military and navel The impression prevails here, however, understood that the intestinal that the powers will not regard the protrouble causes great weakness and faintnen, that the people are easy of governelem of the Philippines with the same pasing fits, and despite the reassuring tone of official reports, it is felt that the sivity as they showed towards Cuba and Porto Rico. The American and Spanish think Senator Hoar's speech on this otter is the best resume of the subject, o and con, which I have seen. whole truth is being concelaed. delegates will meet immediately in Paris. territory acquired from Spain as the as the cabinet at Washington is urging ex- result of the war are now under con-CABLE NEWS. So far as the Philippines are concern Yokohama, Aug. 12.—The elections to the House of Representatives of the Im-perial Diet promise a sweeping majority for Count Okuma's government. The estimates for the next fiscal year show a deficit of 50,000,000 yen. Athens, Aug. 12.—The Greek govern-ment has declined an offer from the govern-ment has declined an offer from the govern-ernment of Nicaragua to purchase three of the largest iron clads of the Greek fleet. pedition. d, some men high in authority have told that me must have at least a coaling station there. Beyond that, while we do To Sign the Protocol. Madrid, Aug. 12-The spannsn governatter. I think we should be relieved ment this morning notified the French the functions of government under diminister of foreign affairs, M. Del Casse. responsibility as soon as we can of its acceptance of the protocol, and im greatly epposed to the introduc asked the French government to transthe colonial system in that por mit to M. Cambon, the French ambason of the world. It is not a mere matsador at Washington, such power as in conformity with President McKinley's express desire and to authorize him as ambassador of France at Washington territory or distance. took Alaska, but its nopulation fleet. was small and their coming is as part of us did not affect its, but to bring in from one country 6,000,000 to 10,000,000 "'Tis love that makes the world go round." "Oh, no; it's too much liquor." to sign the protocol.

"By the President of the United States of America-A proclamation: "Whereas, by a protocol, concluded and signed August 12th, 1898, by Wil-liam R. Day, secretary of state of the United States, and His Excellency Julies Combon, ambassador extraordinary and president at Washington, respectively re-presenting for the purpose the govern-ment of Spain, the governments of the United States and Spain, have formally acreed upon therms upon which negotiathe order named on the left hand side of the table. The rest of the party were standing in other parts of the room. President McKinley called for the procla-netics ware the standard of the

TO SUCCEED DAY.

S. Secretary of State.



Hostilities Have Been Suspended Between the United States

Victor Has Secured Enough Territory To Pay All

Washington Aug. 13 .- With peace near, all the energies of every establishment were to-day directed in pacific channels. At the war and navy departments there were no new developments. on the theory that the protocol yesterday is but the first step towards peace, so as to the navy department, which has acted on the principle, that the present armistice might end in a resumption of

When Uncle Sam begins to count up This will be true should the United States retain nothing beyond what is assured by the protocol signed yesterday. Theer is no doubt that the value of Porto Rico and the island in the Ladromes, which possessions are positively assured to the juited strikes by the pro-tocol. Is far in encies if the actual ex-

Fighting at Manzanillo. New York Aug. 13 .- A special to the Herald from Washington says: Acting Secretary Allen, of the navy department, received a message this morning notifying him that the naval force sent by Addeclined to comply with the demand, and an engagement at Manzanillo begun at 4 o'clock, twenty-three minutes before the protocol was signed, by a bombardment from the fleet. In view of the signing of the protocol to-day and the suspension of hostilities every effort will be made by the authorities to stop the

S. PERRY MILLS, Solicitor for the Applicants.

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s hereby given that application will be adde to the parliament of Canada, at its ext session, for an act to incorporate a ompany with power to construct and oper-te a railway from a point at or near yramid Harbor, near the head of Lynn anal or from the international boundary from the international boy Allal, or from the international boundary lue, northerly to Dalton's Post, on the Dal-on Trail, and following the Dalton Trail o Fort Selkirk; thence continuing by the needed and the set of the set of the set of needed and the set of the set of the set of traph and telephone lines: to mine and deal or mines; to crush, smelt and work ores and minerals of all descriptions; erect smel-ers and other works and carry on a genand other works and carry on a gen-mining business; to construct roads, noways, wharves, mills and all necessary rks: to own and operate steam and othe rks; to own and operate steam and other sels in the Yukon river and all its tribu-ies, and upon all inland waters of the kon district; to erect and operate all otrical works for the use and transmis-a of electrical power and to acquire and water power for that pur-be; also to erect and maintain ding posts and carry on a gen-l trading hostopes in all marchanading carry on a gen-s in all merchanand trading business in all merchan-ise in the territory, and to acquire all other ecessary rights and privileges, and to do il necessary things in connection with the

business of the company. GEO. W. KYTE, St. Peters, N. S., Solicitor for the Applicants. Dated, Ottawa, 19 June, 1898.

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s hereby given that 60 days after date ntend to make application to the Honorab end to make application to the Honor Chief Commissioner of Lands he Chief the Chief Commissioner of Linux 160 Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of unsurveyed, unoccupied and unre-served crown lands, situate in Cassiar dis-trict, described as follows: Commencing at J. F. Fell's northwest stake; thence 40 chains west: thence 40 chains south to J. chains west; thence 40 chains south to J. Leauy's corner post; thence east 40 chains to T. Tugwell's northwest post; thence north 40 chains to place of commencemen Dated this 29th day of July, 1898. THORNTON FELL.

HENRY (OTHERWISE SAMUEL) CLAPHAM

Late of GalianoIsland, Br itish (olumbia, and formerly of Eynesbury, in the County of Huntingdon, England, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that at the exp-ration of three months from the first pub-lication of this notice, I shall register the title of Amelia Franklin, of Eynesbury, St. Neots, in the county of Hunfingdon. Eng-land, the wife of Stephen Franklin, and Mary Ann King of the town and county of Leicester, England, widow, the two sisters of the said deceased, the sole co-heiresses and next of kin of the said deceased unless proof shall be furnished me that other persons are entitled to claim heirship to the said deceased with the said Amelia Franklin and Mary Ann King. Dated the 14th day of May, 1898. S. Y. WOOTTON, congrist. Dated the 14th day of May. 189 S. Y. WOOTTON. Registrar-General.

WANTED-Principal for Nelson public school; experienced male, holding first-class certificate, grade A; daties to begin October 1st, 1898; references required; application and a school an Uctober 1st, 1898; references required; applications received till August 22nd. B. C. Arthur, secretary Arthur, secretary.

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agreed upon terms upon which negotia-tions for the establishbment of peace be-tween the two countries shall be underthe presence of M. Cambon. Without detaken.

"And whereas it is in said protocol lay Acting Secretary Allen hastened to the agreed that upon its conclusion and telephone and directed that cable messages ing him that the naval force sent by Ad-signature hostilities between the two immediately be sent to all naval command-countries shall be suspended and that ers-Dewcy, in the Philippines; Sampson, at bor of Manzanillo and demanded surnotice to that effect will be given as Guantanamo; and the various commanders render. The commandant of the city to at the navy yards and stations to cease soon as possibe by each government the commanders of its naval and military hostilities immediately.

There is a dispatch boat at Hongkong, "Now, therefore, I, William McKinand it is believed that it can reach General ley, president of the United States, in Merritt in 48 hours at top speed. On the accordance with the stipulations of the part of the army, while Secretary Alger availed himself of the telegraph, General protocol, do declare and proclaim on the part of the United States, a suspension Corbin braved the storm and rushed of hostilities, and do hereby command that orders be immediately given across to the war department, where he through the proper channels to the com-manders of all military and naval forces of the United States to abstain mmediately issued the orders, which had been prepared to advance, to all of the military commanders to rease their operafrom all acts inconsistent with this protions. The state department fulfilled its duty by notifying all diplomatic and consu-lar agents of the action taken. "In witness whereof I have hereunto

"The wintess whereof I have heredicore set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. "Done at the city of Washington, this 12th day of August, in the year of our Lord 1898, and of the independence of the United States the 123rd." CERVERA INTERVIEWED. Has No Fear of the Spanish Reception When He Returns.

Washington, Aug. 12.-Admiral Cervera and a number of his officers, who are now A copy of the proclomation has been cabled to all United States army and naval commanders. Spain will cable her prisoners at the naval academy, Annapolis, were interviewed at the railway station for commanders is spin which cable her commanders like instructions. Washington, August 12.—The orders sent to General Merritt to suspend hos-tilities were as follows: the first time since their arrival. Admiral

Cervera was reserved in his comment, but his officers were more outspoken. All were "The president directs that all mili-tary and naval operations against the enemy be suspended. Peace negotiations are nearing completion, a protocol hav-ing inst here signed by approach in the very grateful for the treatment they have neceived. Admiral Cervera heard for the first time apparently of the alleged telegrams which

ing just been signed by representatives of the two countries. You will inform the commanders of the Spanish forces in the Philippines of these instructions. Further orders will follow. Acknowledge Captain-General Blanco is said to have sent to Madrid before and after the defeat of ! the fleet, asking for Cervera's removal and pronouncing him incapable. "I have known nothing of it," he declared. "If Blanco occupies his time in traducing me, I will pay no attention to receipt. The orders sent to General Miles and

deneral Shafter were identical with the him. I will have nothing to do with that above. General Merritt will be directed to

General Merritt will be directed to confer with the Spanish commander at Manila to carry out the terms of the protocol and to occupy Manila impedi-ately. General Miles will put himself in communication with the chief authori-ties in Porto Rico for the purpose of having the Spanish forces turn over San Juan and other points to him prepara-tory to exacutation. Owing to the con-ditions in Cuba, the orders to General Shafter to be sent hereafter will be much different from those to be sent to other generals. The navy department is also preparing orders to all command-ers on lines similar to the war depart-ment orders. "I have no fears as to my reception in this is over there will be a council, which will clear up everything. I did my duty up to the last moment and have no fears as to what the verdict of the people will

Ambassador Hay to Be Appointed U.

Washington, Aug. 12.-Plans for the temporary government of Cuba and territory be placed in charge of a military gover-nor who will exercise supervision of all ion of the president until congress shall determine upon a permanent form of government for the island. The pre-scident, under the constitution and laws,

accepted within a week. It is under-stood that the president contemplates the appointment of Secretary Day to a circuit judgeship after the work of the peace commission has been finished. has no authority to go beyond this pre-

control, and although it is altogether probable that in his message to congress on the subject he will exercise his con-in the subject he will exercise his con-

fight at Manzanillo. The Feeling in Madrid.

Madrid, Aug. 13,-The protocol will be published simultaneously in the official Gazette here and in Washington. The papers discuss the situation quietly. Great relief is felt in government and court circles that President McKinley has not demanded the convocation of the cortes to approve the peace preliminaries. The cortes will not be summoned until autumn, at which tume it is expected that the agitation of the extremists will have cooled down and the country become more inclined to recept an accomplished fact. Senor Sagasta has again assured the Queen Regent that he does not fear Car-list troubles, and the Carlists them-selves have appeared to recognize that the country is not in a temper to support a Carlist rising.

British Press Opinions.

London, Aug. 13 .- The morning papers are unanimous in expressing gratification that the war is at an end, and comment mainly turns on the fact that the pro-tocol leaves untouched the hardest pro-

kind of a man." "Why do you not justify yourself now before the people of this country and Spain?" was asked. "It might affect your reception on your return." "I have no fears as to my reception in at America's success. We venture the prediction that Cubs, twenty years hence, will be a prosperous, tranquil islreplied the admiral. "After all and.

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Criticism of the Eastern Press on the Political Crisis.

Ottawa, Aug. 13 .- Eastern papers of both parties are almost unanimous in their criticism of Lieut. Governor Mc-Innes's action. They have been await-Washington, Aug. 13 .- It seems to be ing details before pronouncing finally, and as these come to hand they express the view that the Lieut.-Governor's step

settled that Ambassador Hay will suc-ceed Secretary Day when the latter be-comes chairman of the peace commis-sion. The authority for this statement is unofficial, but from a source which shows such is the determination of the president at present. The indications The annual statement of the post office savings bank shows that deposits increased \$360,630, withdrawals increase ed \$1,197,000, and interest allowed de-positors decreased \$41,786. The amount president at present. The indications are that Secretary Day's resignation from the state department will be in and at credit of depositors increased \$2,100.-118.

The department of agriculture is conducting interesting experiments in a modern cold storage building here with butter, beef leggs and cheese, especially as regards the use of formaline, the new antiseptic. The experiments so far have been very successful