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Mr. Natanael Mortonson, a well-known izen of Ishpeming, Mich., and editor uperior Posten, who, for a long time, suffered from the most excruciating pains of rheumatism, was cured, eight years ago, by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, having never felt a twinge of it since.

The Semi-Weekly Colonist leads.

A Duel Over Criticism Written for the Press of New York and Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 16.-The Count of Turin and Prince Henri of Orleans fought a the mounted police passed through the morning in the Bois de Marechaux. The fighting was most determined and lasted twenty-six minutes. There were five engagements, of which two were at close quarters. Prince Henri received two serious wounds in the right shoulder and the right side of the abdomen. The Count of Turin was wounded in the right hand. Prince Henri was taken to the residence of the Duc de Chatres and received medical attention.

The official account as furnished by the seconds recites fully the circum-stances leading up to the encounter.

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which was most often dissed was the war (between the Italians d Negue), and the captivity of Italians or was the war (between the Italians and Negra), and the captivity of Italians. If am bound to say I am no longer indignant, but simply disgasted at what I hear each day about them. Out of respect for a nation with whom we are friendly, I should have been silent if the Italians had not shown offers retrieve and most repressible conduct. Have they not confessed that had they entered Adids Ababa victoriously they would have given no quarter to any Frenchman, not even to any Frenchman, not even to any Frenchman, not even to small tradesmen? They added, however, with an ironical air, that they would not have infinited the death penalty on Frenchmen not general supremacy of Great Britain to free trade. The Frenier, him to accomplish their wishes. Alternative for the condition of the distinct of the contemplate rest they did not seen to realize it. Some of their officers were not ashamed to take part in the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If a might be entered. Adia of the club structs for presentation to the Canadian states—the more presentation of the delegation of the commercial supremacy of Great Britain to free trade. Sir Wilfrid said later to the world and to take part in the celebration of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have a suprementation of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have a suprementation of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have a suprementation of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have a suprementation of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have been supremnused of the contemplate reduction of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have been supremnused of the contemplate reduction of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If any glad to emphasise how I have been supremnused of the contemplate reduction of the anniversary of the battle of Adowa. If the contemp

house of Savoy-Aosta, and was born in Turin in 1870. He is a son of the late Turin in 1870. He is a son of the late Duke of Aosta, and a nephew of King Humbert. He holds the rank of Major in the Italian cavalry. His challenge created rather an anomalous situation; for the Count, being a brother of the present Duke of Aosta, is a brother-inlaw of Prince Henri's cousin, Princess Helene, whom the Duke of Aosta married in 1895.

Prince Henri of Orleans was born on October 16, 1867, and is the eldest son of Prince Robert Phillippe d'Orleans, Duc

ENGLISHMEN WARNED AWAY.

Canadian minister of marine and fisheries, addressed the London Chamber of Commerce to-day. He said every vestige of feeling in Canada in favor of union with the United States had long ago disappeared. Canada, he added, had suppeared. Canada, he added, had suppeared to canada in the suppeared to canada in the suppeared to canada in the suppeared to canada, he added, had suppeared to canada, he added, had suppeared to canada in the suppeared to canada, he added, had suppeared to canada in the suppeared to canadians to adopt a line of action when the authorities at Washington have in the propease to canadians to adopt a line of action when the authorities at Washington have in the authorities at Washington have in the propease of the canadians to adopt a line of action when the authorities at Washington have in the propease of the canadians to adopt a line of action when the authorities at Washington have in the propease operators, had requested me to order astrike, but did say, and it is the general opinion among all operators. The decision of affairs in the canada does not propose to submit meekly to whatever Americans for the order to canadians to adopt a line of action when the authorities at Washington have in the authorities at London, Aug. 16 .- Sir Louis H. Davies,

appeared. Canada, he added, had nothing to gain thereby.

Sir Louis warned intending immigrants against the tremendous difficul-ties of the Klondyke, saying they would go there at their own risk and that the Canadian government had not advised them. Hundreds and thousands, he insisted, were going there ill-provisioned and they would die in the passes before reaching Klondyke. Mr. Davies said that a reaction was certain to follow and that Canada would be blamed for it. Referring to the new United States ariff, Mr. Davies said the Dingley bill had built up a prohibitive wall against Canadian trade, which the government of the Dominion therefore had resolved

shortly to transfer to Great Britain. A TIRED MINER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16. - Daniel Gable, an old and experienced miner,

of the gold strike reached this country Gable left the mines in Arizona and started for the Klondyke, via Juneau and Chilcoot Pass. Now he is back, having sold his outfit, which cost \$235. He learned from many experienced mining men in Juneau and further up that it would be suicide to go before spring. He says: "Alaska mining men are positive that nearly all who are trying to positive that nearly all who are trying to get to Dawson City will be frozen up en route until spring, and their fate is un-certain. I will not answer for the lives of the tenderfeet who are now going."

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United Stotes, said: "I have nothing
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We expect that in the next few days the
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Count Turin is a prince of the Italian blood royal, and therefore of Prince House of Savoy-Aoeta, and was born in finister of railways, has returned to the House of Savoy-Aoeta, and was born in affairs. I was charmed with his exquired to savoy-Aoeta, and was born in finited States shall adopt free trade. Sir Wilfrid esid later duting of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing or abolishing some of the dilled. He contemplates reducing the miled States shall adopt free trade. Sir Wilfram, he would sall for Canada and the new lines and the miled store and about fity members of the British Association were in Ottawa species. The Bound

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NEWS OF THE CAPITAL NO HOPE FOR SILVER.

tised in Northwestern States-The Visiting Scientists.

Movements of His Excellency and English Comment on the Cheek of Lady Aberdeen-Mr. Blair Going to England.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

stances leading up to the encounter. The Count of Turin, it says, considering the letters of Prince Henri of Orleans to Le Figaro offensive to the Italian army, wrote him on July 8 demanding a retraction. This letter could not be answered until August 11, the day of the Prince replied to the Count's demand by a telegram maintaining the right of a traveller to record his experiences. Prince Henri of Orleans passed a quiet night. His condition is now considered by his physicians to be satisfactory. General Albertin, the Italian of ficer, has withdrawn his challenge.

London, Aug. 16.—A dipatch from United Stotes, said: "I have nothing the city yesterday on his way back to Yukon. Mrs. Strick-land, who has been at Fort Cudahy for two years, will spend the coming winter two two two rotations in the Northwestern States with a fair two to promoting immigrat

The duel grew out of certain criticisms made by Prince Henri of Orleans upon the conduct of the Italian officers and soldiers while prisoners of Emperor Menelek of Abyssinia. These criticisms were published early in July last in the New York Herald and Paris Figaro, newspapers for which Prince Henri had been writing about his travels in Abyssinia, which began last February.

The particular statements to which the Italian officers, took exception were published on July 4 last. The words used by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the Prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the prince were as follows: "Naturally, the subject which was most often discovered by the prince were as follows: "Naturally the first the proposed new bridge over the

weeks. Being interviewed as to what he London, Aug 12.—The Austro-Bulgarian trouble is a suspension rather than a
rupture of diplomatic relations, Baron
Call von Kulmbach-Rosenbury, the
Austrian charge d'affaires at Sofia, having entrusted the business of the legation
to his secretary, Baron Hoennling, during his absence. It is not likely that
Austria will do anything further as Bul-Austria will do anything further as Bulgaria is one of the chief customers for Austrian goods. Matters are likely to remain as they are for the present, and as Bulgaria survived a breach with Russia added: "It will be time enough for misunderstood yesterday when giving his testimony at the injunction hearing. "I did not intend to say or convey the impression," said he, "that oparators Shields, Blythe and Slytler, and other operators, had remain as they are for the present, and as Bulgaria survived a breach with Russia added: "It will be time enough for

ABOUT THE PASSES.

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London, Aug. 12.—At a meeting of the Cycle Manufacturers Protection Associated Press from that point to the effect that the ignorance displayed by the crowds who are flocking to the Klondye fields is lamentable. The two starting points, Dyea and Skagway are separated by four miles of Skagway and one of the first to join the rush to the Klondyke, has returned, and he tells a story calculated to deter others from going north in search of gold. There is hardly a trail in California, Arizona, Nevada or Montana with which Gable is not familiar. When the news

Canadian Agriculture to Be Adver- "No One Means to Go Back on the of the great railroads here, says that the Gold Standard and Why Not Say So?"

> United States Diplomacy in This Cause.

London, Aug. 17 .- The Times pub-OTTAWA, Aug. 16.-Lord and Lady lishes to-day a two column special duel with swords at 5 o'clock yesterday city to-day on his way to Nepigon, Miss- Aberdeen returned to Ottawa to-day. article reviewing the effects of the closanable and White River, where dogs are They go to Toronto to-morrow to attend ing of the Indian mints in connection with the visit of the American bimetallic

The Interior department is arranging for a baries of exhibits of Canadian agricultural products at the leading fairs in the Northwestern States with a view to promoting immigration.

"saved the Indian government from losses incident to heavy fall of exchange, and consequently from a disastrous increase of burden in its gold obligations. It is undoubtedly true, also, that it belied to keep down the gold value of

of British interests. It is not certain that Mr. Bryan will be elected; it is not even certain that if he were elected we would suffer more than we should from the new McKinley with another McKinley act. British investors in American securities will have time before the next presidential election, and before

England re-open the Indian mints, it would only bolster up silver for a brief space, to fall again to its proper market price. So the Indian finances would be

tion proceedings. "According to the court," said President Dolan, "the injunction only restrains us from doing

entered against Superintendent Samuel Dearmit to-day by strikers and their wives, the charges being disorderly contreaty. M. Stoiloff's antipathy to Austria is notorious; while the relations between the Austrian court and Prince Ferdinand had already ceased entirely, the Emperor Francis Joseph having obstinately refused to receive the Prince.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Mr. Thomas Magee, well known as a conservative business man and a careful observer, who accompanied his son to Dyea, writes while on the Ohio side of the river the strikers are to first the strikers who are to first the strikers are to first the strikers and the strikers are to first the strikers and the strikers are to strikers.

WAS THIS THE REASON?

Washington, Aug. 16.-The Klondyke fever has levied its tribute on Washington. Mr. Studds, the Washington agent demand for through tickets to the Pacific by gold-seekers is unexpectedly the army, which is sweeping in search of fortune in that far away land.

"State considerations," said Representative James H. Lewis, of Washing in the hospital. sentative James H. Lewis, of Washington ton to-day, "had, I doubt not, quite a little to do with the President's reconsideration to send troops to Alaska. He doubtless feared that there might be a clash over the boundary question between the troops and the Northwest Mounted Police, of Canada, and that.

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any serious hardships will be imposed by Canada upon American miners in the Klondyke gold regions. It is pointed out that it would be difficult to enforce tram company to put fenders on their out that it would be difficult to enforce any serious impositions upon the miners. Such a course might result in retaliation by the United States so as to make it impossible for the Canadians to go to or return from the Klondyke country. If this country should prevent Canadian officials from entering Klondyke through American territory, they would be obliged to reach the gold country over thousands of milesof unexplored country. In years gone by the nitrate trade of Chili was enormous, it has now trade of Chili was enormous.

GOLD EXPORT DUTY. Nicaragua Government More Modest Than

MADRID, Aug. 16.-Michael Agiallili, the assassin of Premier Canovas del next presidential election, and before the crash to get rid of them.

"One thing is certain, we should be very foolish to do anything for silver. Even should the United States and France agree to adopt bi-metallism and England re-open the Indian mints it

Weyler Endorsed at Madrid.

MADRID, Aug. 16.—The attempt of Senor Romo Beldo, the Spanish minister leadership, has failed. Following his public declaration in favor of the retention of Captain-General Weyler in Cuba, drowning returned.

THE BONDING PRIVILEGE.

Ottawa, Aug. 17.—Hon. Mr. Blair, minister of railways, has returned to the city from the maritime provinces, where he has been partly on business and partly on pleasure for the past two or three weeks. Being interviewed as to what he

average, though not seriously so. The Swats Fled. SIMLA, Aug. 17.—A reconnaissance in the Swat valley discovered the enemy to 100 feet on the Great Divide claim adbe enternched in the hills between Jal-le and Landski confirming the reports head of China creek, the work is to be ala and Landaki, confirming the reports of the gathering in force of the Upper Swatis, Bonervails and Hindustini lan-atics. General Blood brought the field guns into action against the stone enrenchments of the enemy, demolishing the works, whereupon the insurgent tribesmen fled.

London Klondyke Companies, London, Aug. 17.—The Klondyke Co. eral gentlemen intend seeing the Regina is asking prospectors, who are desirous group on Mount Douglas with a view to is asking prospectors, who are desirous of accompanying the Pioneer Expedition, to deposit £1,000 before starting for the purpose of meeting ordinary expenses of the journey. Numbers of unreliable exploration and development companies are being started in London and at different parts of Great Britain as an outcome of reports about the fabulous wealth of the Klondyke country.

group on Mount Douglas with a view to purchasing that property.

It is expected that the road from the new townsite to China Creek will be open for teaming within ten days.

Steamer Willaps arrived here on Saturday morning, and in returning from Alberni down the river at midnight last night stuck in the river and had to wait till high tide to-day before being able to continue her journey.

Gone to Ireland. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 17.-The Duke and Duchess of York and their suites started this morning from Holyhead, on the

CURED AT THE SHRINE.

ost Hopeless Cases of Kidney Trouble Daily Being Cured by That Most Won derful Remedy, The Great South Ameri-

D. J. Locke, of Sherbrooke, P. Q., spen D. J. Locke, of Sherbrooke, P. Q., spent \$100 in treatments for a complicated case of kidney disease and received no permanent benefit. He says: "I begun the use of South American Kidney Cure, and when four bottles were used I was completely cured." This is but one testimony of thousands more who have gone almost discouraged to this great cure shrine, and have returned with joyful hearts and lasting cure. For Sale by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 17 .- The steamer Capilano does not leave till to-morrow. Barker to-day beat the provincial cenheavy. Quite a number of civil service tury record, covering 100 miles in 8 clerks resigned to join the Klondyke pil-grims. Business men suffering from hard times have enrolled themselves in Yesterday Jos. Bradshaw was assaulted time was 7 hours and 49 minutes. Yesterday Jos. Bradshaw was assaulted

in a vicious manner by F. W. Fessler. Bradshaw's leg was broken by a kick and he was otherwise maltreated. He is

Jerry Cassel, a fisherman, dropped dead while in front of the Richmond hotel, Steveston, yesterday. Heart disease was the cause of death.

Dr. D. H. Harrison is visiting Dr.

Wilson. Both gentlemen were members of the Norquay cabinet in the same year. There is considerable development going on at Shoal Bay just now and a number of mining camps are being supplied from Vancouver.

The German ship Kehreweider has arrived in the Fraser river to load

The British ship Ravenscraig, from Salverry Bay, Peru, is unloading sugar at the refinery.

The city council have requested the

industry. In years gone by the nitrate trade of Chili was enormous, it has now allen off to such an extent as to almost

hreaten its abandonment.

Hops in the Squamish valley are re-

party and Japan's adoption of the gold standard. Events have proved that the causes are too potent to be withstood."

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 12.—The stood."

"It is clearly impossible," says the writer, "to treat seriously a commission which argues that unless we do something for silver, the next election in the United States will return Mr. Bryan to the White House, to the lasting injury of British interests. It is not certain that Mr. Bryan will be elected; it is not even early in that if he were elected we have a certain that if the ware elected we have a certain that if he were elected we have a certain that if the ware elected we have a certain that if he were elected we have a certain that if he were elected we have a certain that if the condition and free from pests.

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1 to consumers. E. B. Deane has won a century bar by

E. St. Arnaud has been sentenced by Judge Bole at Westminster to 18 months with hard labor for obtaining horses from L. Guichon by false pretences and obtaining goods from J. Rousseau by false pretence.

Ernest Miller, son of Postmaster Miller, has been married in Rossland to Miss Minnie Dell Morrison, late of

The body of Fisherman Thompson, who was drowned in an attempt to cross the Rithet's bow, has been thrown up at

ALBERNI.

ALBERNI, Aug. 14.—During the last week here things have become decidedly more lively, as a number of new comers have arrived, several of whom represent considerable capital. Mr. Bainbridge. Antwerp, Aug. 16.—The steamer Belgic, with the Gerlache Antarctic expedition on board, sailed at 10 o'clock this morning. She has on board provisions course of construction, and the flume is to be rebuilt. It is understood that the work after a little while will be opened

though excellent judges say not so much.

Germany's yield is expected to be 1,000,000 bushels below 1896. Austra-Hungary will be almost self-supporting, with
nothing to spare for export. Russia reports that her wheat is far below the

Lead Trust Co. at Chesunknit on the
canal, and from there to Anderson lake
and Effingham Inlet, where the same
company have considerable property.

A contract has been let to Messrs. Stitt,
Beech and Gibbs to continue driving the tunnel on the St. George mineral claim in Green Cove, Uchuckleset. The contractors and men start immediately. Tenders are being called for a tunnel of put through as quickly as possible three shifts are expected to be employed to complete the contract in the time re-

quired and to get the work done with the greatest rapidity. Work is being pushed ahead on the Champion and Missing Link claims on Mineral Hill, and men are working steadily on the Thistle claim behind Mount Douglas. It is rumored that sev-

continue her journey.

Sproat lake, near here, has attracted considerable attention from the prospectors lately and several gold finds have been located and recorded there. The latest finds have been those by W. Lindsteet say, who has some excellent copper ore claims in that district, the ore assays

high in copper even for here.

Mr. D. M. Paterson, manager of E. J.
Saunders & Co.'s store at Alberni, will
be leaving here about the 20th of the
month for Toronto. It is believed that when he returns he will not be alone.

Wise Men Know

It is folly to build upon a poor foundation either in architecture or in health. A foundation of sand is insecure, and to deaden symp

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the

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