TORONTO TOPICS.

-Phillips Thompson Again

to the Fore.

posed Provincial Board of

[Special to the COLONIST.]

publication, early next year, of a-new news-

paper devoted to the Irish Catholic element.

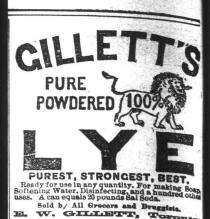
for the late Mr. Bigelow's seat.

The City Council discussed at great length and finally voted down a proposal

that only such processions as carry the Union Jack shall be entitled to preceden

Arbitration.

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Diseases. REFERENCES- Governor E. P. Ferry, Olympia; John P. Hoyt. Associate Justice of Supreme Court, 602 Fourth St., Seattle; Wm McKeon, Oriental Hotel, Victoria; Ben. E. Snipes, Banker, Seattle.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

What the Toronto Papers Say On Mr. Harrison's Latest Official Deliverance.

Going to Work the Wrong Way". Glad His Party Will Not Control Affairs."

TORONTO, Dec. 7.—Commenting on President Harrison's message to congress, the Empire (Government) says : "The message bristles with unfriendliness towards the lominion and proves the falsity of the charge made by some emasculated Canadians that the long-suffering and the injury are all on the American side, while the aggression and the bluster are on ours. anada desires to and ought to be on friend-terms with the United States, but if a d understanding is to be built upon Candian concessions all along the line, preju-liced by a display of bluff and bluster, like

the present message, our neighbors are going to work the wrong way."

The Globe, Liberal, says: "The spirit displayed by the chief magistrate of the United States towards this Dominion, if expressed by the ruler of a foreign country with respect to an adjoining country against which a hereditary grudge existed, would create uneasiness wherever the would create uneasiness wherever the relations of the two powers extended. If President Harrison truly represents the spirit of the Republican party, we may be glad that that party is not to be in control of affairs in the United

States for the next four years, and this feeling of satisfaction should be shared by some erests over which he is the guardian The Mail (Independent) says: "The feature of the message is where the President represents Canada as an unmitigatable internal offender. Probably the most serious conduct of which the Canadians are guilty, is summarized in the statement that the American negotiations
Great Britain have continuously hwarted and retarded by unreasonable and unfriendly objections from Canada. It is not at all improbable the Canadian Govern-ment has expressed its views on the subject of international imposts. This, of course, it has a perfect right to do. If its views do t does not necessarily follow that it is

either unreasonable or unfriendly. The World says: President Harrison's nessage betrays evidence of a mind soured defeat. His references to Canadian at statesman. On the contrary, he has allowed himself to trail more or less through the mire of ward politics, no doubt with the sole idea of keeping a grip on the tail twister vote until the next presidential campaign.

FROM SEATTLE.

Wharf Improvements - Movements of Sealing Schooners—Some Early Departures.

SEATTLE, Dec. 7 (Special).—Document & Co., David Gilmore and C. E. Kilburn have pooled water front property aggregating 540 feet frontage to build a big ocean steamer dock, with hydraulic machinery for hoisting freight, railway tracks and a wharf enabling cargo to be transferred from the boat direct to the cars. This work begins before the end of the week.

The Oregon Short line company, to which were considered 2 000 cares and a state of the cars.

which were consigned 3,000 cases of salmon which dropped in the bay at Sunday's wharf wreck, have replevined the goods held by the fishermen for salvage.

On the 15th inst. Nixon's sealer, the

Allie I. Alger, goes out, bound for the Jap-nese coast. Mr. Wester is to be her capnese coast. Mr. Wester is to be ner cap ain. He will be here on Saturday with rew from San Francisco. The Henry Den-is goes out January 15 or February 10. The owner says she will go north immediately, but will give no explanation for this strange proceeding. The schooner White has been hauled out for repairs and will go out in January, if she can get a

TROUBLES OF THE GRANTS. The Owners of the Patent for Raising Sunken Vessels Again in

Difficulty. TACOMA, Dec. 7. - The International Wrecking company, which owns the colpsible cylinder and secret device for rais ing sunken vessels, is again in trouble. A away \$70,000 of stock while intoxicated. He and his brother still maintain that he was drugged and robbed. To-day Addie was trugged and roboed. To-day Addie
Henneman, who is credited by her attorney
with furnishing most of the money to put
the company on its feet, together with A.
W. Tweeden, instituted suit in the Superior
court to recover \$100,000. The stock which Joseph Grant signed over to other parties was transferred by the company's cretary in violation of the by-laws, and he transaction, it is claimed, cannot be galized without the approval of the board

trustees, and, of course, the board will

ot legalize the transfer.

To day's suit recites that the plaintiffs That disregarding the agreement, articles of incorporation and various contracts entered ormed a like corporation incorporated for he same purpose and using the same for he same purpose, with a capital stock of 500,000, known as the International Necking company. The suit is brought o compel the Grant brothers, as nembers of the new corporation, o turn over to the United States Vrecking company the plant, devices, machinery and fixtures, and to prohibit them om proceeding with said corporation to detriment of the former corporation, and to account to the United States Wreckdetriment and to account to the United States Wrecking company, and to compel the International Wrecking company to account to the United States Wrecking company, and asking for an injunction restraining the International Wrecking company from using, disposing of the plant or devices or of any of the properties in their possession or under their control, and should it be found by the court, that an accounting could not be

the court that an accounting could not be

had, that the plaintiffs recover of the United States Wrecking company in the sum of \$100,000, and asking that the temporary injunction granted be made permanent.

Col. M. K. Snell, one of the plaintiffs' at toneys, says: The Grant Bros. appear to be fully thwarted in their "skin game of force out" and trying to shut out Mrs. Henneman, who is the one who furnished all the money for the various devices. It was with a great deal of reluctance that we were compelled to take this step, but the were compelled to take this step, but the interest of clients representing a one fourth interest in the capital stock compelled us to take the necessary steps to protect it.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the Colonist.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.-Negotiations have been United States capitalists, represented by Judge E. R. Collins, of New Jersey, for the sale to the latter of the McLaren mills and other property at Buckingham, and the timber limits in the Lievre district. The price is in the neighborhood of \$150,000.

REGINA, Dec. 6.-Dan Cameron, agen for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., has been placed under arrest at the instance of the company, charged with embezzlement. PETERBORO, Dec. 6.-A number of mysterious fires have taken place here re-

cently. Yesterday four prominent mem-bers of the town fire department were placed under arrest charged with causing the fires. The arrests caused a sensation. OTTAWA, Dec. 6 .- It is understood that

Mr. A. M. Burgess will shortly be reinstated as Deputy Minister of the Interior. KINGSTON, Dec. 5.-C. A. Jerome, Cape Vincent, will make the trip to Chicago and the World's Fair in an ordinary skiff, leaving the Cape at as early in the sprin as navigation will permit.

KINGSTON, Dec. 6.—Rev. M. M. Harding has accepted a call to the Branden Anglican

church.

Drummondville, Dec. 6 — Mrs. Samuel
Lundy is dead, aged 76. She has resided
on the historical Lundy's Lane battleground since babyhood. COTEAU LANDING, Dec. 6.—Dr. A. Bour-connais, Liberal, and J. W. Bain, Conserva-

tive, were nominated to-day. STRATFORD, Dec. 5.-It is rumored here that the resignations of General Manager Seargent and General Superintendent Wiiby the board of management, and General Manager W. J. Spicer and General Super-intendent H. Roberts, of the Chicago and Grand Trunk, are named as their successors.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 5.-Harold Hagen, champion speed skater of the world, with the exception of Hugh J. McCormack, left last night for Minneapolis, where he will give exhibition races. Just before the train left, Fred. J. Breen, of this city, was matched for a series of three races against Hagen, for \$1,000 a side, to take place in Minneapolis on January 14, 16 and 18. SIMCOE. Dec. 5.-Perry's block was

were signed to-day by which H. W. Baker burned last night, with the following losses: J. R. Perry, art gallery and building, \$12.000; insurance, \$10,000. J. S. Collins, gents' furnishings, \$1,000. O. Hendry, dry goods, \$2,500; insured. The contents of W. Smith's dental parlors and the Board of Trade years. of Trade rooms are a total loss.

portion of the Roman Catholic Presbytery was demolished, and large timbers were carried away. Several dwelling houses and barns were also demolished.

made any proposition for the acquisition of the Intercolonial railway. The Eastern press oppose any relinquishment of the Government ownership, but think that the difficulty can be solved by a further reduction in the factors of management. tion in the expense of management, a method which has already been inaugurated by the Minister of Railways.

OTTAWA, Dec. 5 .- Before the session, the new ministry will go into the tariff fully, and consider the question of a revision with due regard to the altered circumstances of to-day. While no radical deadopted, it may be assumed that any unjust or excessive inequalities in the tariff will be dealt with. For instance, the measure of protection granted to oil refiners will l and a reduction of the iro duties, with a corresponding increase in the bounties to Canadian manufacturers of the few days ago, one of the Grant boys signed article, will be adopted. Any industry away \$70,000 of stock while intoxicated. Which the experience now gained indicates cannot thrive with moderate pro-tection, need expect no further encourage-

> A LITERARY FORGER. Arrest of a Scotch Lawyer's Clerk Who

Forged Scott, Burns and Other Notables. LONDON, Dec. 6.-Alexander Smith. lawyer's clerk, was arrested yesterday in Edinburgh, on the charge of forgery. Smith has for some time been doing a lucrative business forging documents alleged to be in the writing of Burns, Sir Walter Scott and those discourse of them at his prices. To-day's suit recites that the plaintiffs sue the company on behalf of its interests and their own. They allege that on September 13, 1891, James William Grant, Joh Rodney Grant, Joseph Grant, A. W. Tweeden, Charles T. Manning, Jacob Ralph and Addie Henneman, all of the city of Tacoma, entered into an agreement to incorporate the United States Wrecking company, with a capital stock of \$100,000, for the purpose of carrying on the business of raising funds; but he did not confine himpany, with a capital stock of \$100,000, for the purpose of carrying on the business of raising sunken vessels, ships, etc., and thereby assigned all their respective interests to and for the benefit of the corporation. That disregarding the agreement, articles of their way to America, and especially to one exclusive library in New into, which are recited in the complaint, the Grant brothers discarded the members of the United States Wrecking company and with the same capital stock and devices shelves is expected. Smith was held for shelves is expected. Smith was held fo

WILL BE REMOVED.

The Imperial Government will Abolish the Restrictions on the Importation of Canadian Cattle.

Mentreal, Dec. 6 .- A London cable he Star says that Mr. Gardner, chairman of the British Board of Agriculture, has given a pledge on behalf of the Imperial given a pleage on behalf of the imperial Government that the restriction recently imposed on Canadian cattle imported into England will be removed, as Canada has proved beyond doubt that the Dominion is tree from pleuro-pneumonia.

Word comes from all quarters that the neaest and most satisfactory dye for coloring the beard a brown or black is Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers. CAPITAL NOTES

The New Government Will Be Sworn In To-day by the Governor-General.

Ex-Premier Abbott Not to Be In the Cabinet-Points of Precedence.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The official list of the new ministry has been issued this afternoon. It differs in one respect only from that telegraphed last represented a total sum of 3.381,975 francs, were exchanged with Baron Reinach by Thierre for a single check drawn appearing. There were strong hopes that the ex-Premier would accept a position in the new Government without portfolio, but as he has not expressed any wish in the matter and there is great difficulty in committee spent a day in examining them.

26 checks that Thierre had handed Baron Reinach, and which the latter deposited in the name of the should show that Lord Reselvery is in earnest about keeping the foothold England already has in that part of the world. He is British agent in Zanzibar and is three weeks nearer Uganda shows that Lord Reselvery is in earnest change of the police seized these checks this morning, in accordance with a suggestion of the public prosecutor. The checks were found in Thierre's office. The committee spent a day in examining them. (From our own Correspondent.) about completed between the executors of the new Government without portfolio, but the late James McLaren and a syndicate of as he has not expressed any wish in the matter and there is great difficulty in com unicating with him the cabinet is completed as it now stands. Taking the administra-

as it now stands. Taking the administration throughout, it will be recognized as
exceptionally strong and able.

A point has arisen as to the precedence
accorded to the Solicitor-General and
Controller. It is thought it will be necessary to communicate with the Imperial
authorities for the purpose of fixing it, and
the opportunity will be embraced to seoure a ruling in reference to the cases of
the Lieut-Governors in the smaller provinces.

vinces.

The ministers will be formally sworn in by His Excellency to morrow afternoon.

Messrs. Ives and Wood have already arrived. Messrs. Angers, Curran and Wallace are expected in the morning. Hon. Mr. Haggart proposes to make a great reduction in the staff of the Railway

Department.

Hon. J. A. Chapleau was appointed
Lieut. Governor of Quebec to day.

Prof. Saunders has resigned the World's Public Processions Discussed - Pro-

Fair commissionership.

Mr. McInerny (Conservative) has been elected in Kent, N. B., to-day, by 400 majority over LeBlanche and 600 over Johnson.

OTTAWA, Dec. 7 .- The ceremony of in talling the new ministers took place this afternoon. The new members of the cabinet, Hon. Messrs. Angers and Ives, were present and took the oaths of allegiance and office. Messrs. Curran, Wood and Wallace took the gaths of allegiance and office, not being called to the Privy Council. The nembers of the Abbott ministry, being privy councillors, merely took the oath of office. Hon. Mr. Chapleau was sworn in as Governor of Quebec.

At a meeting of the cabinet it was de cided to issue writs for the vacancies in Montreal Centre, Sherbrooke, West Yor and Brockville. The nominations will b on Dec. 21st, polling on the 28th.

A great banquet will be given to the mir sters at Toronto two weeks hence.

sters at Toronto two weeks hence.

Slavin, the Cornwall murderer, is to hang.

"Jim," the Dorchester convict, has confessed that he lied when he said he fired the shot which killed Constable A. Stead-

The present vacancy in the Supremo Court of Canada will be filled from Nove

Scotia.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau, in his farewell ad W. Smith's dental parlors and the Board of Trade rooms are a total loss.

Quebec, Dec. 4.—Laval Parish, in Montmorency, has been visited by a tornado. A portion of the Roman Catholic Presbytery was demolished, and large timbers were carwas demolished, and large timbers were carried away. Several dwelling houses and barns were also demolished.

Ortawa, Dec. 5.—It is stated that the Canadian Pacific railway company never of the minorities will be recognized. He says that his farewell is not final, and hopes if he regains his health, once more to enter the political arena.
One of Mr. Chapleau's last official acts in

the Customs Department was to transmit a recommendation to Council for the refund of the duty on cigars, wines, malt liquors, glass and chinaware when imported by officers' messes at the various permanent military schools in Canada.

THE FRENCH EXPOSES.

and Otherwise-Great Discrepancies.

their heads over the Panama canal affair.

nts and Counter Statements, Officia

revenue steamer Bear the following facts PARIS, Dec. 4.—Charles de Lesseps writes of the Government vessels and Behring sea the anarchist hotbed near Fitzroy square.

There about the manne of the generally: The letter was dated at They refuse to divulge the name of the statements made by M. Cantagrel at yesterday's examination. M. Cantagrel testified
that an employe of the Panama Canal Co.
offered first 100,000 france, then 200,000,
offered first 100,000 france, and finally 500,000 france if he would vote cisco, when she received orders to return to for the Panama canal lottery bill. The names of the payees of these checks leaked south, and if possible ascertain where they out through M. Cornelius Herse, a well known Parisian, now in London, who reknown Parisian, now in London, who received two checks, each for 2,000,000 francs.

He telegraphed to the committee of inquiry that his checks were received from Baron Reinach in payment of a debt. M. Chabert contained nothing more than has already been published about her.

The little steamer Challenge received checks for 3,350,000 francs. Sen-Unalaska when the Bear was there. She was seized last fall for raiding the seal rookeries, taken to Sitka, condemned and sold. She was bought for the Catholic mission on the Yukon river, and will be ator Renault received 40,000 francs, and Albert Grevy, son of the ex-president, received 20,000 francs. The other payees are practically unknown, the names given, like that of Bank Porter Davoust, who is credittaken there next spring. The mail steamer Elsie was also at Unalaska. She had a ed with receiving 800 francs, being, it is supposed, merely cloaks to cover the idenrough time getting across from Sitka on her last trip. She broke her shaft, but made a tity of the actual recipients. Senator Renault, in testifying before the committee this afternoon, explained that the checks bearing harbor under sail. She sent to Sitka and had a band made to splice the shaft. She started again and the shaft broke the second his name were received in payment of a time. She reached her destination all right, nowever, but was about a month late. The The present crisis is not merely political, but one in which great constitutional questions are at stake. The Panama Investi-Bear brought down seven children from St. Paul island and five from St. George, ranging from 6 to 12 years old, to be placed in the mission school at Unalaska. She was to have started for San Francisco about gating committee shows a disposition to overstep constitutional rights, and the re-fusal of Public Prosecutor Beauropaire to give up documents to be used in the investi-gation is approved by all who have not lost

GONE TO THE GRAVE. The Last Scene in the Eventful Life of the

their heads over the Panama canal attair. Had M. Brisson, head of the committee of investigation, been successful in forming a cabinet, his success would have been interpreted as an acceptance by the deputies of the committee's illicit policy, the result of which it would have been impossible to NEW YORK, Dec. 6 .- The body of Jay Gould was removed at 10 o'clock this morning from his late residence to Woodlawn cemetery, followed by nine carriages containing members of the family and intimate friends. Chancellor McCracken read the The general apprehension is that the event has been magnified and that the pretension of the committee is to aim at establishing itself into a sort of committee on publi ommittal service. The mourners then re safety, with despotic powers. The news of Casimir Perier's failure to form a cabinet entered their carriages and returned to the Casimir Perier's failure to form a caoline has been received with general regret. President Carnot to-night sent for M. Bourgeois and asked him to make an effort to form a ministry. M. Bourgeois' decision has not yet been announced. If he refuses or fails in the attempt M. De Freycinet and M. Tirard are the part favorites. residence. There was no demonstration of grief at the tomb, although George Gould coked worn and haggard.

Lieut,-Governors-What Are They? QUEBEC, Dec. 7 .- The Canadien says CABLE NEWS

Canal company offered him first 100,000 francs, then 200,000, and finally 500,000 if he would vote for the lottery bill. The committee charged its chairman, Brisson, to forward to the minister of the interior the public prosecutor's letter concerning the Thierre checks and a request that the checks be seized by the prefect of police. The municipal council of Paris has adopted a resolution demanding that severe penalties be imposed upon all deputies who accepted bribes.

M. Clement, commissary of police, to-day delivered to the Panama Canal committee 26 checks that Thierre had handed Baron Reinach, and which the latter deposited in Bimetallic Union Proposed-Booth's Darkest England Scheme Not a Financial Success.

Lord Rosebery Takes Prompt Steps to Preserve England's Footbold In Uganda.

committee spent a day in examining them.

The committee has decided not to divulge the names of the payees, but the members of the committee were authorized to declare that no member of the Chamber of Deputies that no member of the Chamber of pany begins to evacuate that region, and the news of his coming will get there long before he does, and that of itself will be one signature and indorsement. The comone signature and indorsement. The comthe news of his coming will get there long
mittee will keep these names secret until
the payees are heard in explanation. Domiciliary visits will be made at the residence
of each of the payees in order to verify their

of the British forces would have been the

support for his "Darkest England" scheme Irish Catholic Newspaper to be Started

General Booth, of the Salvation Army, submits a statement to-day, showing that the

-Phillips Thompson Again

scheme has so far cost him \$925,000, and of this amount he has received only \$600,000, so that he is in debt to a total of \$325,000. The bulk of this deficiency was tided over by temporary loans, which, however, have now to be repaid. The magnitude of these figures has created something of a sensation. BERLIN, Dec. 6.-Rector Ahlwerde ex-

perienced a reverse to-day in the Moabite priminal conrt, where he is being tried for TORONTO, Dec. 6.—It is said a company is libelling the Ludwig Loewe Co., gunmakers, and Lieut. Col. Kuehner. Yesterday, Ahlwerde demanded that Count Hohenthal in process of formation to commence the Frei, Herr Von Wacherbart and Dr. Pasci be summoned to testify. These agents, he said, had overheard a conversation between The scheme is to absorb the Irish Canadian and Catholic Review. The necessary capital has already been subscribed.

The city council here have decided by a vote of 14 to 2 to submit a by-law for the conversation.

closing of all the city bars at seven o'clock BERLIN, Dec. 6.—M. Lobeck, station master at Brugge, a village in Rhenish Prussia, committed suicide by throwing himself in front of a moving train. He is believed to have been insane. every evening, to the citizens at the coming municipal elections.

Phillips Thompson ("Jimuel Briggs"), who represented the Progressive Party in the last by election contest in Toronto, will again be a candidate on behalf of that party for the late Mr. Ricalow's sear

BERLIN, Dec. 6.-Wilhelm Lewin, wealthy Hebrew, who recently died here, left seven hundred and fifty thousand marks to Berlin charities. The announcement of the fact has had a softening effect upon the public animosity against the Jews, now at a greater height than at any time before in the present reign.

Union Jack shall be entitled to precedence over general traffic.

Ex-Mayor Manning will oppose Mayor Fleming at the coming civic election.

At the Young Liberals meeting, last night, a resolution was passed favoring the establishment of a Provincial Board of Arbitration to which all labor disputes should be referred. A committee from the club will wait on the Government to urge the appointment of such a Board.

The World onotes a prominent official as a properly for aid to the unionist atrikers. food for their families. They will make an appeal for aid to the unionist strikers. The World quotes a prominent official as saying that the resignation of Hon. G. W. Ross as a member of the Ontario cabinet is

BERLIN, Dec. 6 .- The reballot in the Ross as a member of the Ontario cabinet is now practically in the hands of the Attorney General, but is not to take effect until the return of Mr. Ross from Germany.

The Countess of Derby telegraphs that the Earl of Derby is making good progress towards recovery. His condition, she adds, is not serious.

Arnswalde Fredborge district for a member of the Reichstag took place to-day, and resulted in the return of Pastor Ahlwerde, the anti-semite who is now on trial for slandering Herr Loewe, the Jewish small arms manufacturer for the war office. The poll is not serious. Arnswalde Fredborge district for a member dering Herr Loewe, the Jewish small arms manufacturer for the war office. The poll stood: Ahlwerde, 10,300; Drawe (Fresh-Charles Stevenson, champion sculler of eninge), 3,075. New Zealand, is now in Toronto. He announces himself as ready to meet Bubear, MADRID, Dec. 6.-To-day's debates in

the Chamber showed such bitter opposition to the Government that it is thought the cabinet crisis must come to a head within the English champion. He says he is willing to make a deposit for a race on the two days. The present cabinet will retire in a body and probably will be succeeded Thames for £500 a side, to take place in

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The police are reported They refuse to divulge the name of the anarchist taken. The anarchist meeting planned to be held in Trafalgar square will be permitted to take place, but it must be without bands, banners or processions. QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 6.—The ss. Spree was

ocked to-day and the working of repair will be begun at once. BERLIN, Dec. 5 .- Dr. Werner Siemens, Germany's most famous electrician, and sen is hopelessly ill. On Saturday he was taken down with the influenza. Yesterday he

BERLIN, Dec. 5 .- A dispatch from St. Petersburg states that the Nebe-Rothschild corner in Baku naphta has collapsed. LONDON, Dec. 5 .- A writ of detention was served on the North German Lloyd steamer Spree to-day, for a claim for salvage to the amount of £20,000 on behalf of the Canada Shipping Co.'s (Beaver line) steamship Lake Huron, and officers have been placed in charge. At a late hour the embargo was removed, the steamship com-

pany giving bonds to secure the claim. arrived here this morning.

with M. Ribot, this evening, and it is beized in time to be gazetted on Wednesday in morning. The list regarded this evening as probable, if not reasonably certain, is as follows; M. M. Ribot, President of Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs; Bourgeois, Justice; Loubet, Interior; Sarrien, Commerce and Industry; Charles Dupuy, Instruction; Freycinet, War; Hurdeau Naval Affairs; Develle, Agriculture; Rou-vier, Finance; Viette, Public Works. All except Dupuy and Sarrien were members of the late Loubet cabinet.

LONDON, Dec. 5 .- The report that Mr. Justice Matthew, president of the Evicted Tenants' commission, has been recalled, is unfounded.

They were shot within a short time after the failure of their attempt, and quiet now prevails in the black republic.

LONDON, Dec. 5.—Holmes, whose neglect

of duty, consequent upon over-work and grief for the loss of his child, caused the terrible railway disaster to the Scotch ex-press near Thirsk early on the morning of Nov. 2 and the loss of several lives, to day pleaded guilty to the charge of manslaughter at the York assizes and was bound over in the sum of £50 to appear for judgment if called upon. Deep sympathy has been ex-pressed for Holmes and the case has caused widespread attention to the evil of overwork on railways.

NORTHWEST ASSEMBLY. he Governor Directs Attention to Report of the Minister of Justice on the

WINNIPEG, Dec. 7 (Special).—The Northwest Assembly was opened to-day at Regina. Lieut. Governor Royal, in the speech from the Throne, among other things, said : "It will be my duty to communicate to you forthwith certain orders of the Privy Council of Canada and other documents which have been received from the Department of State in reference to the ordinances of 1891-92, amongst which will be found a report made by the Minister of Justice Governor-General in council upon Ordinance No. 1 of 1891-92, intituled 'An ordin-LONDON, Dec. 6.—In reply to numerous ance respecting the Executive Government of the Territories.' Your attention is invited to the early consideration of this re-port of the Minister and to the necessity for such legislation as you see fit to adopt in reference to its important subject matter, being kept strictly within the letter and spirit of the Dominion statutes."

MONTREAL MATTERS.

The Dominion Premier Cannot for the Present Accept the Hospitalities Tendered Him.

Laval University.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

MONTREAL, Dec. 6 .- A letter has been received from Sir John Thompson, the Premier, saying that he could not at present accept the joint invitation of the Young Conservative and Sir John A. Macdonald an erect earniage. She always had a smile clubs to a dinner, or public meeting, which and a pleasant word for acquaintances, and her beauty of form and features was enit is proposed to have in Montreal at an early date. He regrets that his business engagements prevent his acceptance of the invitation.

M. Haven to Co., produce markets.

invitation.

M. Hanan & Co., produce merchants, and recitals.

Assets \$10,620, and liabilities \$98,518.

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ties \$98,518.

It is reported that the Seminary of St.
Sulpice have decided to give \$150,000 and a lot of valuable land to Leval University.

MONTREAL, Dec. 7 .- At the nominations for Soulanges county, Hon. J. A. Ouimet to Seattle, and took up her residence in the spoke representing the Dominion Government. Hon. Mr. Laurier, the Liberal for a decree of divorce from her husband, leader, also made a speech. Mr. Ouimet leader, also made a speech. Mr. Ouimet through her attorney, James Hamilton declared that the Government would render Lewis. It was granted in the fall of that justice to the minority in the Manitoba year and the custody of the three children was awarded to her. Mrs. Story was 34 school question. Mr. Laurier did not make school question, which he declared would at the inquest yesterday, it was deany declaration in respect to the Manitoba He denounced the Government's general

policy.

The Board of Trade intends to take action

Her Cruise in Behring Sea—The Challenge
Bought for the Catholic Missionaries.

PARTS, Dec. 6.—Deputy Leon Borie
writes to L'Eclair to say that in 1886 a lobbyist offered him 35,000 francs for a vote favorable to the Panama Canal Co. Similar offers, he says, were made to most of his received from one of the port watch on the revenue stagmer Republic Colleagues.

The DeBoucherville Government has dismissed M. de Lamirande, who for the past mine years has held the position of Inspector of Anatomy, and has appointed Dr. Hudson, a young graduate of one of the medical celleges, who is also house surgeon in the Hotel Dieu, to succeed him. The matter is creating a good deal of talk in of her whereabouts, armed himself with a colleagues. ders.
The DeBoucherville Government has disde Lamirande no reason for his abrupt dis-

There is still a great deal of uncertainty tions, but the opinion in political circles here is that he will press the acceptance of his resignation, and that Mr. Taillon will be called upon by Mr. Chapleau to form a new ministry.

new ministry.

Mayor McShane refuses to sign the documents renewing the contract for the city lighting without calling for tenders. John Lang, employed by J. C. Watson Germany's most famous electrician, and sen ior partner in the firm of Siemens & Halske, is hopelessly ill. On Saturday he was taken been very serious. He fell down a threestory elevator shaft, and when picked up was much worse, and to day he has suffered from inflammation of the lungs.

was apparently uninjured. The Montreal general ambulance was called and took him to the hospital, where a thorough examina-tion took place, but no mark was found upon him. He is a cripple and it seems ex-traordinary that he was not killed falling

> ALLEGED ALASKAN ATROCITIES. No Doubt Two Smugglers Were Killed by

such a distance.

SEATTLE, Dec. 6.-Inquiries were made of the officers of the steamer City of To-HONGKONG, Dec. 5.—The Canadian peka with reference to the alleged murders Pacific Railway steamship Empress of Japan and atrocities committed in Alaska on four white men by Kake Indians, and of which band, her great beauty and fascinating man PARIS, Dec. 5.—Politicians are conferring some of the San Francisco papers contained startling accounts about two months ago. lieved the new Government will be organized in time to be gazetted on Wednesday morning. The list regarded this evening as probable, if not reasonably certain, is as their heads had been cut off and stuck on poles on the shore in sight of passing steamers. There is no doubt that the men were of the Duff Opera Company's performance, murdered, but the affair is shrouded in she was in the audience mystery.

The facts and surmises gleaned and near-

est the truth are: In the latter part of September Customs Inspector Gage left Douglas island for Rocky passage in search of two white smugglers. It is supposed ton's, terrible fit of jet that these two smugglers were overtaken by to the double tragedy." Kake Indians in the north end of Recky passage, who murdered them either for reunfounded.

Kingston, Jamaica, Dec. 3.—A desperate attempt was made to assassinate President Hippolyte, of Hayti, yesterday morning.

The president was taking an early morning walk in the palace grounds when the cate of the president was taking an early morning. or fails in the attempt M. De Freydinet and M. Tirard are the next favorites.

The investigating committee heard M. Cautagrel, another member of the committee on the canal lottery scheme. He mittee on the canal lottery scheme. He desired that an amplove of the Panama

Quebec, Dec. 7.—The Canadien asym.

The president was taking an early morning walk in the palace grounds when the attack was made on him. Before the assassin nor have any traces of him, his companions or the smugglers yet been found.

A LOVER'S BULLET.

Charles Moulton Terminates the Life of Mrs. Story, Then Kills Himself.

Seattle's Latest Sensation, In Discussing Which the Boyd Tragedy Is Forgetten.

Following the sensational shooting of Thomas Henderson Boyd, another tragedy, one involving both murder and suicide, was nacted Tuesday night in the very heart of Seattle, No. 416 Marion street, not three blocks removed from the scene where Boyd gave up his life as the price of domestic

Mrs. Marie S. Story, an accomplished oman, for five years past a leader in many of Seattle's most select musical affairs, and remembered by Victorians as taking part in the production of "Pinafore," in this city a few years ago, was shot and instantly killed in her room by Shot and instantly killed in her room by Charles Rogers Moulton, a rejected suitor, who thereupon turned a revolver, the weapon used, upon his own head and sent a bullet crashing through his disordered brain.

Like a midnight assassin Moulton stole

Like a midnight assassin mountainto Mrs. Story's room, and, upon her return from the Seattle theatre, where she turn from the Seattle theatre, where such ad witnessed the production of "Cavalleria Rusticana," shot her twice through the head, as she scornfully rejected, presumably, his proposal of marriage, with sumably, his proposal of marriage, with the words: "I won't do it! I won't

It would appear that Moulton made two trips to the room during Mrs. Story's absence, from a sealed letter evidently written by him to her. This was found on the dresser by a Telegraph reporter. Coroner Horton opened it, containing a note which read as follows:

"DIE: Do not be surprised to see me tonight for a moment."
At all events, Moulton stole into the room

Denial of Rumors Regarding the Grand
Trunk—The Seminary and
Trunk—The Seminary and In musical and society circles the an-

nouncement of the tragic ending of Mrs. Story will fall like the darkness of night over recollection picturing a beautiful

and recitals.

The deceased woman was joined in the bonds of wedlock when she was about 19 years of age to George J. M. Story. The issue of their marriage is three children, Sulpice have decided to give \$150,000 and a lot of valuable land to Laval University. General Manager Seargent of the Grand Trunk denies the report that several leading officials of the road have been asked to paston.

separation followed.

About five years ago Mrs. Story removed years of age and was a daughter of Rev. J.

veloped that the fatal shot was fired while the woman was prone on the floor. The first shot missed and shattered the mirror. against the City Council for granting a contract for lighting the city to the Royal Electric Light Co., without calling for ten-

went to the house, stole up the back entrance which terminates on the landing between her bedroom and the boys', and secreted himself behind the door.

Mrs. Story entered at 10:45, humming an air, having just passed through the boys' room, kissing them good night. She lighted the gas and threw off her wrap. Moulton then locked the door and stepped forward, a conversation ensuing. A passing policeman heard her voice excitedly ex-claim "I won't do it, I won't do it." Two minutes after that the shots were

The bullet that killed Moulton passed through his head and embedded itself in the Story was murdered by Moulton, and that he suicided. The jury returned the verlict that Mrs Great crowds of men, women and children

Great crowds of men, women and children thronged the morgue all day to see the bodies. A. S. Dawson, a friend of the family, assumed charge of the remains and the boys, and Mrs. Story's brotter in Little Rock, Ark., wired to have the body em-balmed and await further instructions.

The Colonist's Vancouver correspondent,

in commenting upon the case, telegraphed the following yesterday:—
"The murder of Mrs. Story in Seattle, and the suicide of the murderer, has created a great sensation here. Mrs. Storey formerly lived in Vancouver with her husners gaining her a local reputation and naturally winning her many admirers. Her husband became estranged after years of a she was in the audience in company with several Vancouver people. It is said that one of the gentlemen of her Vancouver ac-f quaintance again attended opera with Mrs. Storey in Seattle, and this may have been indirectly the cause of her suitor, Moul-ton's, terrible fit of jealousy, which led up

Christmas numbers of English and American Illustrated Papers, Magazines and Christmas Annuals have arrived, and early orders are solicited to prevent disappoint-ments. Also on hand a most abundant stock of Juvenile Poets, Christmas Cards and Gift-books, as well as Lett's and Can-adian Office and Pocket Diaries, Illustrated