rogative of the crown in legislating h orders-in-council has been materially curtailed, and it is an admitted principle that the crown has no right by a mere order-in-council either to sanction a departure from the requirements of an existing law or to interfere with the established rights or privileges of any class of persons within the realm, * * it is not within the power of the crown either to add to, alter, or dispense with any law of the land."

If the ministers can so far forget their duty to the people, what is to be said of those representatives of the people who in their support of them in the legislature condone the arrogant indifferthe arrogant indiffer ence shown to their wishes as expressed in the phraseology of the statute. Noth. ing.-Wellington Enterprise.

MINERS' STRIKE SETTLED

Convention Accepts Operators' Proposi-tion After a Day's Wrangling. Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 11.—The great niners' strike, which was declared on July 4, was brought to an end this even ing, so far at least as Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia are concerned, by the action of the interstate convention of miners, which has been in session here since Wednesday. After a day of voting and wrangling, the convention adopted a resolution accepting the proposition of the Pittsburg perators. The vote was 495 for and 317 against accepting the terms of settlement, and eleven votes were not cast. The delegates from Illinos who had 250 votes, were unanimously against settlement. Indiana and West Virginia voted solidly to accept the operators' proposition, but there were scattering otes among Ohio and Pennsylvania

against it. The resolution is: "Resolved, that we, the miners Pennsylvania. West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, in convention assembled, do hereby agree to accept the pro position recommended by our national executive committee, viz., 65 cents in Pittsburg district, all places in abovenamed states where a relative price can be obtained to resume work and con-tribute liberally to the miners who will not receive the advance, over which the fight must be continued to a bitter fin-

"Esolved. That the national officers of the executive board and district president act as an advisaory board for the purpose of providing ways and means for the carrying on of the strike where necessary; provided, however, that no district resume work for ten days, for the purpose of giving miners in other districts time to confer with their operators, and get the price, if possible.

While ten days is provided for the niners to resume work, it is probable that many of the Ohio and Pittsburg mines wil be reopened Monday. The Illinois miners will be called in convention at Springfield on September 19 to determine what shall be done in that A resolution was adopted denouncing

the action of the deputies in firing into the crowd of striking miners at Hazle

JAPANESE ADVICES.

Newspaper Comment on the Proposed Arnexation of Hawali.

San Francisco, Sept. 11.-The fullowing Japanese advices were received to day per steamer Gaelic: The Mainichi states that the United

States government has advised the Hawaiian government to withdraw the proposal made by the latter to the Japanese to decide the immigration affair by arbiit of tration, and that the Hawaiian government has been inclined to comply with kum. this advice. The reason stated is that ess the advocates of annexation consider done that, should the dispute be left to arlit- bitration, more than a year would be he consumed before it would be settled, his thereby causing a great inconvenience ete in carrying out the proposed annexation. ie of It is therefore desired that the dispute e settled before annexation is discussed in the senate session.

The Mainichi furnishes the following interview with Ezyoe Renzo, the well known tobacco merchant of Tokio, who recently returned from the United States; "America has been absorbing eight-tenths of our total exports. spite of this, Japan is importing all her machinery, tools and implements, etc., not from America, but from Europe. In fact Japan has not reciprocated for commercial friendship with the United States. Americans often complaint this, and their complaint is not unr sonable. The reason that her trade has continued in this unbalanced state for thirty years, appears to me, first that the policy pursued by Americans has

been such that they were so much occupied in developing and fostering their abroad and get orders; second, that they have almost paid no attention to the markets of the Orient; and third, the navigating power between America and the East has been in the hands of Europeans, and also freight rates have al so been dearer as compared with those between Europe and the Orient, From this it will be seen that the unequilibrium of American-Japan trade is sin ply natural. However, this is not the way to expand trade between the two countries, nor is it desirable for the promotion of friendship betwen them. state of effairs should be removed a

once by the opening of navigation ice and New York. Should a line of steamers New York open and freight rates be reduced, there are plenty of American productions which could profitably be imported into our country. accord-. This greater Japanese government has given es than say, but

an order to Thomson & Co., the firmous Clyde shipbuilders, for another first-class battleship of 17,000 tous, sister ship to the Skikishima.
The Mainichi stated that the Chine government is negotiating with a for-eign syndicate for a loan of 100,000,000 taels for the purpose of paying off the balance of the indemnity to Japan.

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H. M. S. Daphne, while on a voyage to Nagasaki recently, collided with a Japanese steamer and was so badly damaged that she was compelled to dock to Shanghai for repairs. Nothing is known of the steamer with which she known of the steamer with which sh

Tabanese papers report the reappear ance of so-called Russian military spies in different parts of the country novements are being watched by the authorities.

TWENTY-ONE WERE KILLED

Hazelton Is a Smoldering Volcano of age - The Fusilade Called Official Murder.

Mob Was Unarmed and Many Wer Shot in the Back as They Turned to Flee.

Hazelton, Pa., Sept. 11.-Twenty-one corpses lie to-night in the frame shanties scattered along this hilltop town. Forty maimed, wounded and broken figures lie on the narrow cots of the Hazleton Hospital. Of these it is almost a certainty that five will be added to the death list pefore another day dawns. Such was the execution done yesterday by the leputy sheriffs, armed to the teeth, upon bout 150 ignorant foreigners, whose to armament consisted of two little mives. These facts are undisputed. re is the ghastly roll as it stands: ndrew Nicowski, John Cobenski,

steve Urch, Andrew Yerhiaan, J.hn John Zernawick, Frank Kodet, Zaslack, John Sheka, Antone all of Harwood; Andrew Zimenski. Adam Zimenski, John Burski, Stanley Sebastian Bozostoski, John uta, Adelbert Czata, all of Crystal wiz, of Cranberry. The injured who are Dulass, John Bonke, Andrew Stab-Jacob Tomashontas. Forty others are badly hurt, including John Treible, a deputy sheriff.

All these men ranged in age from 18 45 years, all foreigners, Hungarians, oles, Lithuanians and Slavs.

The situation to-night is intense, he day was full of event and incident. First and foremost, the purpose these men had in view when their march reeived its tragic end was consummated. The 1,500 workers at the Latimer mines, to whom they were bound in an effort to induce them to join the strikers' ranks, have laid down their picks the demands of all the men at all the mines in the district have been conceded,

est of Sheriff Martin and deputies. These were issued at the instance of the shot down at Latimer." United Hungarian societies. They were made out in the name of Joseph Mehalte. president of the St. George Society, of which nearly all the dead miners were

Sheriff Martin, who spent last night at with the Ninth Regiment of the Third incus than turbulence would have been as to the Stillers.

Brigade. His presence in town was not known until late in the day. Then it was found that he was still under the served to cowe the strikers and their Fit of Remorse. could not be reached. This afternoon Constables Airy and Gallagher made an effort to arrest A. Hess, who led one company of deputies last night, but he of the shooting. sought shelter within the military ines kept by the Ninth Regiment, and they refused to permit the constables to pass the guard. The warrants charge murder, assault and battery, and threat-

A third event of no less importance vas the offer made by Superintendent Lawall, of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre colleries, to grant an increase of 10 per cent. over the Lehigh basis to the men of the company, about 2,000 in number. big meeting was held at McAdoo in the afternoon to consider this offer, and after much discussion and speechmaking was decided to accept the proposition, But little confidence follows this decision, as it is taken for granted that as soon as the men return to work, pressure from the men still out will be

here will be no resistance. The meeting at Latimer to-day was conflict. They decided to take no ac- guns. tion until Monday, when a committee, consisting of four Poles, four Italians and four Hungarians will visit the operators and notify them of their intention. o remain out with the other strikers unil every demand is granted.

The hospital was a heartrending place to-day. Here all day long groups of sunken-eyed, sallow-cheeked women, many bearing children in their arms. hung about the steps and eagerly watched the doors. Some sat in stony silence, as if unaware as yet of what had happened, while others were bowed and bent beneath an uncontrollable storm of

Harrisburg, Pal, Sept. 11 .- On account the horrible slaughter yesterday afrnoon at Latimer, in the coal region, he governor to-night issued the followng proclamation:

Whereas, it has been represented to me by the proper authorities of Luzerne county that riotous demonstrations ex-

Whereas, the constitution and byand preserve the peace.

"Now, therefore, I, Daniel H. Hastthat the laws will be enforced; that the numblest citizen will be protected in his right to earn a livelihood and in the enjoyment of his home and family, and the safety of life and property, will be guaranteed on all occasions, at whatever menument.

cost; and I do hereby command all persons engaged in riotous demonstrations and unitary the light conduct threatening the peace and dignity of the comonwealth of Pennsylvania to disperse forthwith to

their respective places of abode, warning them that persistence in yiolence and unlawful assemolage will compel such ise of the military arm of the commonwealth as may be necessary to enforce obedience to the laws and maintenance of good order."

Maj. Gen. Snowden, comamnding the First Brigade, reached this city this norning and was placed in charge of the ings. The governor has postponed his visit to the Blue mountains and will remain at the executive mansion until the trouble is ended. Word was received at noon from Hazelton that Gen. Gobin was on the scene and that several regiments bad arrived. Orders were given branch of Dominion creek, a tributary to that Gen. Schall was to have the First Brigade ready to be moved at an hour's otice. An entire brigade is practically obilized at Hazelton this afternoon. until it is absolutely necessary.

Labor, after bitterly denouncing the kill- a day when simply prospecting for ing of men near Hazelton as a brutal claims, A stampede followed the report murder, said:

"The men were marching on the public highway. They had as much right to march to Latimer or any other place on the highway as the sheriff or governor of Pennsylvania, or the president of the United States.

Zaslack, John Sheka, Antone of their supposed power and in their were twelve men who started for the cekio, John Turnasvich, Andrew Yur- of their supposed power and in their cloudyke, but failed to cross the pass. effort to enslave labor, have used judges and courts to give the color of law to A. C. Warner, of Seattle, an artist, who the most flagrant violation of the constitutional rights of the people. Sheriffs Ridge; Andrew Collick, Raefael Becke- and depaties, taking their cue from their superiors, have carried out this death's door. Clemens Plotack, Caspolicy and killed men exercising their rights under the constitution and law. "In his published explanation Sheriff Martin makes an effort to secure the favor of our native Americans by repeatedly emphasizing his statement that the be true that these are not native Americans, but they are the men brought here by the greed and cunning of the mine Portland got away for St. Michaels at operators, and so long as they submitted to be starved, no word as to their foreign birth was heard; but now this cry of foreigner is like a cloud of dust raised

to obscure the crime. "The miners will win their humane and heroic struggle; they deserve to win; and sworn to do no more work until all their conduct has challenged the admiration of their friends and sympathizers." This was only one of three mass meet-Next in importance was the issuarce ings held to-day. Another at Harwood warrants this afternoon for the arfor "our murdered brothers, who were

The third meeting was the most largely attended. It began at Hazel Park, about 7 o'clock this evening, and adjourned to an open place at one end of the city, which nearly all the dead infiness wife where it was in progress to-night. The Gruz railway, were instantly killed on the Anthracite Detective Agency, took charge of the documents, but up to a tend sympathy and to decide upon a ple rushed forward to see its effects, charge of the documents, but up to a course of action in consequence of last when a terrible explosion occurred, with night's catastrophe.

his Wilkesbarre home under a strong given up to excitement, which, by its many people wounded. guard, came to Hazelton this morning suppressed character, has been more onnot guardianship of the soldiers and he sympathizers, and no further demonst stration was made than the gathering at

To-night there are fully 2,500 soldiers early in the morning and established headquarters in the office of the division superintendent of the Lehigh Coal Company, from which point he assigned the commands to points on the outskirts of the city. The Thirty-ninth was sent to Hazel Park, comanding the road from Drifton, and another from Latimer, the Twelfth was sent to Donegal hill, on the opposite side of the town, holding Janesville road. The Second battalion of the Eighth Regiment was placed at Audenried, and was later joined by the Fourth. The Thirteenth went to Latimer and took up a position overlooking the mines, Progress of Some of the Victorians Who toward which the strikers were marching when the shooting occurred. The govought to bear to restore them to the ernor's troops remained at brigade headtrikers' ranks, and it is admitted that quarters, and Battery B was distributed

The town itself looks as if it were in This almost unanimously condemns in the most severe terms the action of the deputies last night. "Official murder" is the phrase on almost every tongue, and for substantiation of the charge attention of the charge attentio marching strikers were defenceless, having unanimously surrendered any weapons they may have had before the weather for a few days, and I may tell march was begun. Moreover, the fact you that Skagway weather is hard to march was begun. Moreover, the fact you that Skagway weather is hard to

In spite of this, however, the uneasy ings, governor of the commonwealth, do hereby admonish all good citizens and all persons within the eye and under the jurisdiction of the commonwealth against aiding or abetting any such unlawful proceedings, and I do hereby notify them that the lives and property of all citizens of the commonwealth will be protected; that the laws will be enforced; that the high mass will be celebrated. Then the compact will be interred in the Polish cemetery. They will be laid in a circular

Stampede from Dawson City to Tributary Where There Is Gold Galore.

ent of the troops by Gov. Hast- City of Seattle Back From Skagway-Steamer Portland Sails for St. Michaels.

Seattle, Sept. 13-The Sulphur creek Indian river is now the scene of the gold excitement in the Clondyke, for by accounts of the new district brought down by the schooner South Coast it The First Brigade will no be called out seems that the new diggings rival even the famous Bonanza and Eldorado. Gold Washington, Sept. 11.—President is found below the surface running \$34 Gompers, of the American Federation of to the pan. Two men took out \$300 in is found below the surface running \$34 of the new finds, which reached Dawson City on August 15th. In a week 500 men had crossed the mountains between Eldorado creek and Dominion creek.
They travelled day and night, and in two weeks the whole stream was staked off.

A Big Meeting at Shena doah, Pa.—
Sheriff Martin To Be Port Townsend, Sept. 13.—The steamer City of Seattle arrived to-day, five days "The mine operators, in the madness from Skagway. Among the passengers Skagway passes for the past week, was among the returning passengers. says that Skagway pass is closed for the season, but many are still hanging around in the mud in a vain attempt to get through. The first fourteen miles of the trail from Skagway beach is strewn with the carcasses of 600 horses. Eleven saloons and three dance halls are doing business there, but Warner says that miners he killed were foreigners. It may there has been no trouble, nor any fighting or thieving.

Seattle, Sept. 13.-The treasure ship noon on Sunday with a big cargo, consisting principally of machinery for four steamers, which are to be constructed by Moran Bros., at St. Michaels this winter On the Portland's deck was a maxim rapid-firing gun, and inside the captain's cabin are a dozen new rifles, which will used effectively if need be to protect the treasure which the Portland will bring down from the Yukon.

A TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Great Loss of Life in an Accident on Mexican Railway.

City of Mexico, Sept. 13.-Twenty-four persons, mainly spectators of a great blast at Panquetas quarry, on the Vera awful results. Two cavalrymen on Throughout the day the city has been guard were killed with their horses, and

street corners of knots of men and wo patch from Moscow to the Daily Mail. men in muttered but intense discussions Lieut.-Gen. Baron Von Schack coma revolver at Odessain, in a fit of re-To-night there are tany, Gen. Gobin, com-camping in town, Gen. Gobin, com-mander of the Third Brigade, arrived Lutheran body. His religious connec-mander of the Third Brigade, established tions excited the suspicions of his superiors, and they ordered him to resign or join the Russian church. He chose the latter course, and then killed himself through remorse.

FORTY PERSONS KILLED.

Madras, Sept. 13 .- A most serious accident has occurred. At the Champion Reefs mine forty persons are known to be killed.

SKAGWAY AND DYEA Are on the Trails.

The steamer City of Seattle arrived at quarters, and Battery B was distributed an early hour yesterday morning from among the different commands. Besides Skagway and Dyea, bringing back anits usual equipment, the battery has two other small contingent of men who gave eld not far from the spot of last night's breech-loading pieces and two Gatling, ap the fight. Men are now having no difficulty in getting through the Chile Pass, there being lots of Indians to do a state of siege to-night, as the booted the packing at from 38 to 40 cents a and spurred warriors are to be seen at pound. The Nowell Gold Mining Comevery turn. The presence of the troops has sufficed to maintain order thus far, but it is not repressing public opinion.

This almost unanimously condemns in derman at 15 cents a pound. There is

tion is directed to the fact that the depu-ties carried Winchesters, each man hav-ing 12 rounds of ammunition, each a re-volver and a box of cartridges, while the

ren ains that many of the victims were shot through the back.

Shot through the back.

Bennett, starting to morrow over the The first volley from the deputies, un-Dyea route and coming back by White expected as it was, created such inde-Pass. I shall not stay here long after I county that riotous demonstrations exists in various sections thereof, whereby stribule construction that the men return. The life here is not to my taste, the lives and property and the peace and safety of the people are threatened, and which, the civil authorities are unable to suppress; and "Whereas, the constitution and by the crowd. Many prominent citizens of the constitution and by the constitution and the constitution are constitution and the laws of the commonwealth authorize and town have drawn up a formal protest, parties had also got away, but Dr. Richrequire the governor, whenever it may not only against the action of the sheriff ardson was still at Bennett. Clarke, the Casey-Carmody party is well beyond the summit. The Porter, Layritz and Petrie outfits are well down towards ployment, for they are both shipwrights Petrie outfits are well down towards ployment, for they are both shipwrights on the new steamer, and will be given yet got all their outfit across the sum-mit: The Hulbert party is all broken up, Hulbert, Barff and Gray being left. They are trying to move on with new horses."

compaes. will be interred in the rotation of sincoe street, were laid to rest to-day of sincoe street, were laid to rest to-day by the side of those of her late husband, by the side of the husband,

when Rev. Reid officiated, as well as at the family residence. Messrs. D. Cam-eron, M. McLeod, T. Lambeth, W. Clarke, A. merburger and L. Hafer act-DOMINION CREEK | Clarke, A. Herburger and L. Hater and ed as pallbearers. The casket was covered with beautiful flowers.

> A FINAL ADVANCE. Afridis-Tribesmen Timid.

Simla, Sept. 13.—At daybreak yester day, following the repulse of the insurgents by Gen. Yeatman-Biggs, who attacked the rear while moving along. Samana ridge to prevent the attack from Shahukkhel, the British commander dispatched a small column to receive some stores. This body of troops found the enemy in force with thirteen standards. but the tribesmen did not venture to attack the column. The Afridis are reported to be attacking all the Samana posts. Gou. Ellis is concentrating his forces at Shabikir to-day, preliminary to making a final advance into the Mohmand country.

MINERS DISCUSS THAT SHOOTING

Prosecuted.

London Papers Comment on the Crisis -Still Trying to Settle the Strike.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 13.—A mass ceting of 4,000 Luthuanians, Poles, Hungarians and Slavonians was held on the grounds of the Luthuanian church here last night, to take action on the Latimer shooting, Rev. Peter Abro-mailis, of the Luthunian church, presided, and M. M. Burke was present as counsel to operate on behalf of the looraganizations in the prosecution of Sheriff Martin and deputies. A resoluof Sheriff Martin and deputies, and sympathizing with the families of the victims, also pledging moral and financial support in the prosecution of the sheriff and his deputies. They also decided to have a special high mass requiem to be celebrated to day for the repose of the souls of the victims.

London, Sept. 13.—The Times has special article this morning on the Hatory is going to repeat itself in a duplication of the Pittsburg riots of 1877, reounts the horrible Molly Magnire scenes witnesed in that year, and gives general history of the strikes which have taken place in that region, testifying to the ignorance of the miners. The Times says: "Had the sheriff shown a moment of weakness, the miners would have probably hammered him and the posse to death in ten minutes and then begin murdering and pillaging right

The Daily Mail says editorially this morning: "There is no necessity for America to fight Spain after all. An outlethfor her fighting energy may be provided by the indiscreet vigor of a Penn-

Columbus, O., Sept. 13.—The executive of the United Mine Workers will issue mitted suicide by shooting himself with to-day a circular of appeal to the miners to accept the terms offered by the operators on the basis of Saturday's resolutions. President Ratchford leaves for Illinois to-day to request the miners in that district to come into the arrangement as decided upon by the convenon Saturday.

TELLOW FEVER SPREADING. New Cases at New Orleans, Which Now Quarartined.

New Orleans, Sept. 13 .- The existence of seven cases of yellow fever at New Orleans is officially announced. This morning every town of importance quarantined against New Orleans. Managua, Nicaragua, Sept. 13.-Yel low fever has appeared at Leon, Western Nicaragua. Several natives died of the disease recently, and it is spreading.

The Steamer Tacoma; of the Northern Pacific Steamship Company, arrived at the outer wharf this afternoon from Yokohama. She left the Japanese port on August 29, and had a most uneventful voyage. The weather was fine throughout the whole trip, with occasional fogs and light winds. She is full up to the batches with freight, consisting for the most part of tea, silk, and general Chinese merchandise. About 160 tons will be landed here. Her passenger list is as follow s From China-L. Rosenthal just as soon as the government road, and wife, G. Kearton and wife, F. B. Berry, Miss F. Parsons, Miss H. En and 63 Chinese, three of whom will debark here. From Japan-W. H. H. Green, Henry Arden, Dr. Schwartz, a German newspaper correspon has been travelling in Siberia; K. Stahlgren and wife, Miss H. L. Richardson, and Miss Tsao Fung Yum, for Taco and Leon N. Ford and E. T. White for Victoria, also 16 Japanese,

The steamer Danube left yesterda evening for St. Michaels with the hu ber for the new river steamer which the C.P.N. will build this winter at tha pont for use on the Yukon river. The new vessel will be. 178 feet lens and 86 feet on the beam. She will be able to carry 850 tons of freight, and will not draw more than 30 inches when loaded Captain Irving intends to command her. laws of the commonwealth authorize and require the governor, whenever it may not only against the action of the sherin ardson was shift at Denniet. On the Danube, and among and his deputies, but against the calling assistant commissioner, is with him, and his deputies, but against the calling out of the militia, which they declare was out of the militian to the Lake Bennett. The Conner part of the "first meadow," which is yet a good way from the lake. Shotbolt and Piaggio have not superintend the joinery work, and Alex. Watson that on the hull. The machinery was all their outil across the sumfor the new steamer has not yet bee secured, but as it will not be neede until the spring, there is lots of time to think of that.

DEAD TO REST

Progress of the Campaign Against the A Number of Funerals Yesterday and To-Day of the Victims of the Deputies' Guns.

> Miners Have So Far Preserved Good Order-Martial Law at at Hazelton.

stood out on the calendar with a conspicuous meaning when those who man aged to steal away awoke this morning as all indications last night pointed to danger. That the authorities realized this aspect became apparent at an early hour this morning.
The troops were so assigned as to cover

where there was a prospect of action, however remote. During the en-tire night the streets in front and rear of brigade headquarters and all the valley hotels were guarded by sentries, and no person permitted to enter the lines under any pretext.

inder any pretext.

The first official action of the day was the closing of all liquor saloons until 4 Engineer Jennings and his survey party o'clock. This was done after a conference between Mayor Altmiller and Gen. Gobin. This was done because the funerals of ten victoms were fixed for bottomed bateau, on which they intend-

camps of all the regiments. Gen. Gobin they had given her up, but soon after the was very much displeased at some uni- Quadra had landed her party she made formed men during yesterday's funerals because some of the men carried heavy sabres. This will not be allowed again. All along the line of the funeral procession and in front of the church where the services were held and of the undertaker establishments miners and their wives began to gather early. They came charged not by measurement but down from the mining suburbs and pack- weight. ed the capacity of the trolley cars, while

NANATMO NEWS.

Terrible Shooting Accident - Latest From Clondyke Pilgrims.

Nanaimo, Sept. 13. Another deplorable accident, caused by the accidental ment party could not secure causes or discharge of a gun, happened to a young Indians save at a very exerbitant rate, man by the name of Andrew McKinnell, as the Indians at Wrangel seem very of Cedar District, whose father is a well- dependent, so they finished the reputs zelton catastrophe. It thinks that his to-do farmer. How the gun went off on the bateau and went up on that, the or what he was doing at the time the for about 12 miles. At Wrangel some young man cannot tell. The charge blew miners were found who had come out by away about three inches of the wrist, bones, muscles, and flesh. The hand was intact, but attached to the arm this route. It was, they said, an open by only two pieces of skin. After destroying the wrist the charge struck the ribs on the lowest third of the chest and river and more navigable than the Stickthen glanced upwards, skinning the ribs; een. "If people, instead of going to and buried itself under the larger mus." Skagway a month ago," said one, "had

> some time past been idle the major those g portion of the month, will at once re- at Metlakahtla they could get all the sume operations, and continue steady canoes and Indians they want, and at work for four months at least. The a reasonable rate. While off Round Iscoke is larger than the present capacity feet of water on it at low tide. It of 100 ovens can supply, and a large on a line drawn from the north end of force of quarrymen, stonemasons, and Found Island to Charlie Island and bricklayers is at present engaged in about two cables from the north end of

erecting fifty additional ovens.

The Coquitlam called at Johnston's wharf and took on horses and freight for Walter Thompson, livery keeper, who, with Thomas Craig, of this city, proposes going into the packing business

at Skagway. No answer has been received from the United States authorities in Colorado in regard to Kallo.

A gentleman just arrived from Alberni states that he was at the Alberni-Consolicated just before leaving and that the vein had stillafurther widened to three feet. A shot fired while he was there displaced about 500 pounds of rock. Gold was to be seen glittering in every piece of rock and the miners are jubilant. There can be no shadow of doubt but that this is a very valuable mine. It is reported that all those who have

staked off claims within the E. & N. railway belt have been notified by the npany to pay their first instalment of \$125 The Van Anda mine, Texada, will ship 40 tons of rock, and the Surprise and Silver Tip will also make a shipment

which is at present in a most deplorable condition, is made passable. Sam Price, brother of Mr. Price, of Parson's Bridge, and Charlie Martin, arrived at Dawson City on the 8th of July.
Actices from the Clondyke are to the effect that Peter Black, Wm. Biggs, W. Van Hauten, Gus Stiffen, John Merritt, W. Grieve and Charlie Allen are at work on day wages of \$15. The cost of packon day wages of \$ on day wages of \$15. The cost of packing flour from Dawson City to the mines, had not received them. The question now is will the loss of the steamer Weare af- from the council to the fair. feet the carrying out of the agreement? W. Wand Hauten writes that they had been busy preparing for the winter and that they had about 40 cords of word

ready. All are well and in good spirits. C.P.R. IN THE FIELD. Contemplate Building at Railway from the Stickeen to Teslin Lake.

The steamer Princess Louise, which leaves this evening for the north, will call at Vancouver for Engineer Duchesnay and the party of C.P.R. surveyors, who go north to make a survey from Telegraph creek to Teslin lake for a line of railway which the company proposes to build. The party will make the trip from Wrangel to Telegraph creek in cances. In an interview at twenty of the company, said there were numerous projects in contemplation for the accommodation of traffic worth about \$300. nay and the party of C.P.R. surveyors,

that would be going in the direction of the Clondyke gold fields in the spring. Manager White, who left at noon for the east, intimated that while in the west with Vice-President Shaughnessy, ar-rangements were made for sending Mr. Duchnesnay, of the engineering staff on the Pacific division, to examine the route of a projected railway from the Stickeen Teslin lake. A line of a little over 100 miles is necessary to connect with navigable waters, and if the work is decided upon construction will be commenced as soon as possible, so as to have the route opened for as much as possible of the traffic next season."

THE STICKEEN ROUTE

Hazelton, Sept. 13.—This ominous date Frank Yorke and the Government Engineers Start on Their Trip Up the River.

> Miners Who Came Out by Teslin Lake and the Stickeen Now at Wrangel.

The Dominion government steamer Quadra is back from her trip to Fort Wrangel, which port she arrived at with on Friday, Sept. 3rd. F. M. Yorke's this morning, and for fear of what might ed to take their machinery and supplies follow if the strikers had access to liquot up. The Alaskan was reported ashore The strictest discipline prevailed at the about eighty miles up the river, and her appearance. Upon the arrival of

were abandoned, and everything was taken on the river steamer, being carefully weighed before being taken on board, for the Alaskan's freight is

The Alaskan left the next day with the of space.

Yorke party and a large number of passengers who intend going into the mining lands. She was very deeply laden, and Captain Tackaberry, her master, said he would have to make at least three portages before reaching his des-tination. This will be her last trip this season, for on her return she will be launch of the Quadra towing them up cles of the breast. It is not known gone in by this route, they would have whether any of the shot found its way between the ribs into the chest. The surgeon attending has good hopes of Victoria. While on his way down Capute Williams and the strength of the way down Capute Williams of the strength of McKinnell's recovery.

It is reported that both the Vancouver and Wellington collieries, which have dians at Wrangel, and he says that if Union colleries, Comox, will also re-open land, Fort Rupert, Captain Walbran diswith double shifts. The demand for covered a very dangerous rock with 5

> the island. It was covered with kelp. HAS HELD TWO SESSIONS Greenwood Council Acts Conservatively in Starting the New City

Greenwood, Sept. 8.-The first meeting of the newly-elected council of the city of Greenwood was held on Saturday last. After the wayor and aldermen had made the customary declaration, Duncan Ross was appointed clerk, assessor, collector and treasurer, at a salary of \$150 for the period between now and January, when the first council will go out of office. A temporary loan by-law to empower the council to bor-row \$500 for current expenses was introduced, and an offer of Mayor Woods to rights and powers in the charter granted him under the Greenwood Waterworks Act by the provincial legislature at its last session was considered. The c

At its second meeting the committee appointed to look into the matter of Mr. Woods' offer reported that the cost of obexisting dam across Twin creek had been \$1,890.90. The proposal was discussed at length, with the result that it was eventhaving funds at its disposal, is not in a position financially to secure the recognized advantages and benefits offered. The temporary town by law was further advanced. The health committee was instructed to confer with the sanitary inspector and Dr. Jakes respecting the strict enforcement of such sanitary regulations as are necessary

was \$37.50 per 100 punds. Five hundred district at the Spokane fruit fair, each indicated her paid for supplies to be delivered, but at the time of writing they delivered them. The question now man Galloway being apportioned a delegate min Galloway being apportioned a delegate Communications respecting the provision of telephonic communication, and a daily, instead of a tri-weekly mail, between Greenwood and Grand Forks were favor

> A SERIOUS DISTEMPER. It Affects, Grand Forks Horses so That

Falls Down. Grand Forks, Sept. 9.—Yesterday morning the bay pacer belonging to Frank Ymax walked into the North Fork, just opposite Manly & Averill's store, and while in the act of diluting, suddenly dropped in a convulsion in the water, which was about