Lieutenant Beck, Of U. S. Signal Service, Makes Successful Trials At San Francisco Ichan river about nine miles west of Aviation Grounds

the officer was flashing communications to the wireless station, and the receiving operator stated that no difficulty would have been had in reading the messages had the distance "CHICAGO" CALLS been twenty miles.

Lientenant Beck was delighted with the success of the experiment and plans to arrange tests for sending as well as receiving by wireless while speeding in a heavier-than-air machine. Numerous exhibition flights were made by the other aviators today, but Fishing Steamer Sends Out S. no special "stunts" or record performances were achieved.

INSISTS UPON

FORTIFICATION

(Continued from Page 1.) off the navies of any nations that might

possibly attack us. "And again under our treaty with England and other countries, it is we who guarantee the neutrality of the canal. It is not the other countries bound, if we conform to the treaty with England, to put ourselves in such a con-

do this if possible, but even if we do this can we feel entirely safe by rea- with the Chicago. son of that agreement from a possible injury to the canal by some irresponsible belligerent?

Cheap Insurance

That, I submit, constitutes hardly more could be learned. than 2 per cent cost of the canal-a first premium for insuring its safety that is not excessive.

"It also is said that "it will cost \$5,000,000 a year to maintain it. This also is in error. I have consulted the War Department, and they advise that the additional government cost of maintaining fortifications and military tenth of one per cent.

"I yield to no one in my love of peace, in my hatred of war, and in my we have made great strides towards that I know of goes futher in favor of settling international controversies by arbitration than I do, and if I have my way and am able to secure the asany that now exist between nations.

In laying down my office, I can leave no greater claim to gratitude from my the enthusiastic desire to secure universal peace to blind myself to the possibilities of war. We have not reached the time when we can count on the settlement of all international controversies by the arbitration of a tribunal."

Banquet Notable.

The Pennsylvania Club dinner was the largest ever given by a New York gress to reject the Prince-Jordan fish- vided as a measure of safety. at the tables and a hundred more filled favor of state control of natural reboxes to look on. Each guest was sources as opposed to federal control ing of submarine areas. This is a new given a photograph of the president. At One of the resolutions introduced in section and is based on an exhaustive the hotel Martinque the president spoke the senate memorializes congress to report on mining submarine areas by mented upon by all who remembered his country when the new treaty is made to the government of Nova Scotia. It appearance at the Press Club not long with the Oriental countries and the

dinner tonight," he said, "in an atmosphere breathed into by Andrew Carnegie and Joseph Choate, advocates of disthe governor of New York and the governor of Pennsylvania. "There came into me a soul-feeling

of sympathy for both.

"That's all right, my friends," laughed the president, "you said the same things to my friends Harmon and Champ Clark. Nevertheless for the

time being I am glad to have your sup-The president left the Martinque at 11:10 for his private car, the May-flower. At 12:20, his train pulled out under the river for Washington.

LET CONTRACT FOR FORTY MILES

(Continued from Page 1.)

Duncan and adheres to Cowichan river until it reaches the lake near the mouth of Mead Creek. Cowichan lake is followed on its nor-

thern shore, the entire length, the line SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 21.-Lieu- at the western end of the lake swingtenant Paul W. Beck, of the United ing southerly and then abruptly nor-

The first message was to the Victoria, expressed satisfaction with portant suggestions from operators Associated Press. It had been pre- the manner in which the company was pared in advance by an Associated proceeding with the work. It was sup-Press representative, and its text was posed that the first contract would be known only to the writer. Lientenant but for twenty-six miles but such had ployes, and in these instances the de-Beck tucked it away, folded, in his been the progress upon the preliminary partment has endeavored to steer a line as overman, or shift-boss, or all examination relating to the safety of the late John B. Moissant, today action prevent a manager a pocket and did not open the paper un-work that the greater distance could til he had reached an altitude of 500 be let. It was highly necessary that the island division should enjoy every cure the safety of life and property. The airship was at times about two advantage which engineering skill and a half miles from the field while could give it.

Trouble

distress signal, "S. O. S." sent out by teen years of age instead of twelve, overman or a shift-boss, fire-boss or thinks fit. His action in this regard the halibut fishing steamer Chicago, the Also a person in charge of any mach- shot-lighter shall be at least 23 years wireless operator at Cape Lazo station inery used in conveying persons in of age. A candidate for overman must tried from that minute, 10:25 until any mines must be possessed of a have had at least five years' experience midnight to obtain particulars as to the medical certificate that he is mental- in and about the practical working of a steamer's position, but in vain. The ly and physically fitted to perform coal mine; a candidate for shift-boss, distress calls were repeated growing his duties, and must obtain a renewal fire-boss or shot-lighter must have had

11 p. m. was scarcely audible.

Communication was not again gained ister of mines "by the parties inter-

and it is feared that if the Chicago agent or manager, and if it is any

Wireless in Alaska

establishments in time of peace, due to received at Mare Island from the Secthe fortification of the canal, would not retary of the Navy today that the exceed half a million dollars, an annual naval auxiliary Buffalo, Captain Clarinsurance rate after first cost of a ence Stone commanding, is to leave April 1, for the coast of Alaska, to establish a wireless station for the navy According to the despatch, wireless apearnest desire to avoid war. I believe paratus is to be assembled at this quired, no mine or any portion thereyard, and an expert in wireless telepeace within the last decade. No one graphy is to be sent north on the Buf- intake and return air way within the falo.

At German Court.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.-Lieutenant-Comsent of other powers, I shall submit to mander F. A. Traut, naval attache of the senate arbitration treaties broader in the American Embassy; Mrs. Traut, their terms than any that body has Perry Belden, third secretary of the heretofore ratified, and broader than embassy, and Miss Perry of Boston sister-in-law of Joseph C. Grew, secretary of the embassy at Vienna, were present at the imperial court last night country that to have secured such Many American women had desired to treaties, but I cannot permit myself in be presented, but the number was limited. Others in attendance at the drawing-room included Mrs. James B. Montgomery and her daughter, Margaret Phelps-Montgomery, of Portland, Ore.

Object to Fisheries Treaty.

see that coolies are kept out of this Mr. T. E. Forster of Newcastle-on-Tyne "I talked at a Pennsylvania society all undesirable foreigners be barred fied deposit shall be wrought under a house passed a resolution asking that

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 20.-"Japan the chairs of two handsome governors— the Bremerton government navy yard, five great trans-continental railways, cover than one hundred and eighty feet. "The Lord tempers the wind to the the Pacific ocean," declared Representation and thickens the hide and the hide shorn lamb and thickens the hides of tative W. E. Humphrey, of Washing- way warrants the minister of mines perthose charged with responsibility. If ton, in an address at the annual ban- feet of solid measures; and further proyou can live to establish a status quet of the Lake Carriers' Association vided that nothing herein contained first intimation of the lamentable discontaining explosives or any case or through the first two years of an ad- tonight. He added: "The nations of shall prevent any owner, agent or lessee aster was telephoned to the Inspector box containing detonators within fifty ministration, I believe you can survive the earth know our condition and they from winning water-covered coal areas, by an outsider some hours after it oc-"Four years more," shouted several for war. They know that our army is not available, by caisson, shaft, or conhelpless because we have no merchant

> Mr. Wigston, from Saanich, is spending the week end in town.

Bill To Consolidate And Amend

In the bill to consolidate and amend the Coal Mines Regulations and employes. In some cases it was verged widely from those of em-In the interpretation clauses of the

bill one or two changes have been made. The definition of the term "shaft" has been limited to perpendicular excavations through the strata. And definitions have been added for "slope or incline," "tunnel or for "slope or incline," "tunnel or ing a certificate under the act may, with some British Columbia manager as a level" and "openings." The definition the consent of the chief inspector be special inspector. This point came up of the term "fireman or fire boss" is altered to limit the duties of such of-

Employment of Boys.

mine.

O. S. Call, But Cannot Give made so as to provide that persons Permission is not new granted under Position Or Report Her having charge of any engine or machinery used for conveying passengers visable to retain it in the bill to meet of the reports to the manager. must not be less than twenty-two possible contingencies which may arise while the person in charge of the en- transportation facilities would prevent gine or machinery used for moving a strict compliance with the spirit of His attention riveted by the wireless material must not be less than eightheast a shift has freeboxs or mine to be closed immediately if he

that guarantee it to us, and we are distress cans were repeated growing in studies, and must obtain a renewal interest of since the conform to the treaty with fainter and fainter until the last call at of such certificate every six months. three years' experience. Candidates for protection of life and property. Power is given to postpone in any any of these positions or for certificate The message was relayed to Victoria mine or class of mine the beginning as competency as manager must produce dition that we can perform our guar- and immediately the coast was apprised of payment by weight, and to revoke a certificate from a duly qualified medical practicioner or St. Johns or other But, it is said that we could induce the lookout, and at 10:33 the or alter from time to time the order recognized ambuffice society, showing a delay of 21 days is allowed, but it is all the powers to come in and consent from Victoria to Prince Rupert had however, that this may be done, its the has taken a course in ambulance to the neutrality of the canal as a been notified and the operators stood by necessity or expediency must be treaty obligation. I should be glad to their instruments.

Tom Victoria to Frince Rupert had nowever, that this may be done, its work fitting him to give first aid to men the danger. A penalty is provided for proven to the satisfaction of the min-

ested." Then it is said that the fortifica- ing steamer Bertha is in the same vi- longer period than eight hours from tions are going to cost \$50,000,000. This cinity and if the distress call was bank to bank in any one calender day is an error. The entire cost of the for- caught would immediately proceed to of twenty-four hours. Any person tifications for the canal is \$12,000,000. the distressed vessel. Nothing further who pays or receives payment for work performed in excess of eight The wireless operator on the Chicago hours in twenty-four shall be liable was a new man, this being his first trip to a fine of \$100 if he is an owner, still floats he is too unfamiliar with other person, \$10 for each offence. The that under the existing act, a person familiarity with the dangerous mining might be underground for more than conditions existing in this province. eight hours, and if he was not em-VALIEJO, Calif., Jan. 21.—Word was Dioyed he was not violating concession being granted.

This ruling made it extremely difficoncession being granted. cult for inspectors to secure convic-

in cases of accident. Ventilation When two or more shafts are re-

of, shall be ventilated by a separate of the boards of examination. area of any one shaft or permanent erated by any person if he is accomopening, or maintained by any mid- panied by and under the control of a wall, airpipe, or any other separate coal miner under this act. The words division within such shaft, but sep- "coal miner under this act" have been arate shafts separated by not less inserted in place of "persons capable of than seventy-five feet of natural taking charge of the working force." strata shall be used for the intake and return airways respectively. This allow coal miners to hold meetings and is a new section and is to prevent a elect examiners "provided such meetrepetition in any new mine of the ings do not interfere with the worksystem now obtaining at No. 5 and ing of the mine." The words quoted non-inflammable substance used for signs of abating. Nearly six inches of No. 6 mines at Cumberland. These have been inserted in the clause dealing tamping or stemming shall be provided rain has fallen here since the storm mines are widely separated and there with this subject. is an underground connection as provided for in the existing act, but this connection is not used for ventilating power arbitrarily to refuse the publidoor or doors, and the two mines are up of a return being asked for by the worked separately and ventilated by division in each shaft. This system OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 20. - The is highly dangerous in case of fire. state house of representatives has Power is given to the minister of mines to order that a borehole be pro Submarine Areas

reads as follows:

less cover than one hundred and eighty feet of solid measures: Provided that tilled peace. At my otehr hand were could seize Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, area may drive passage ways to win the mineral to be wrought under a less mountain passes and have an but not less than one hundred feet of fact that information of the recent Exempire upon which to live before the solid measures unless the condition of tension explosion was not communi-United States could get 75,000 troops to strata overlying such proposed passagetoe small, that our navy is practically crete revetment, or by any safe method whereby any shaft or opening may be

INIMUM OF RISK

Before commencing to mine any coal or stratified deposit in submarine coal areas, the owner, agent or lessed shall submit to the chief inspector of mines a plan of the system whereby such submarine coal area is proposed to be worked, and such system must receive the written approval of the said chief inspector of mines shall be commenced and no Change shall be made in such approved Act Introduced in Provincial House

South Wellington, whereby Alexander instead of within two months.

Authority is given for the use of information contained in the deposited normalism operation of the said of within two months.

Authority is given for the use of information contained in the deposited box of detonators under a naked light. The use of guides is made compulsance of their duties. The reason for this is that the safety of the workers demands that the safety of the workers demands that the safety of the workers demands chief inspector of mines abandoned workings be made available to the officials who are immediately responsible for the safety of such workers.

Authority is given for the use of information contained in the deposited normation contained in the deposited normation contained in the deposited box of detonators under a naked light. The use of guides is made compulsance of their duties. The reason for this is that the safety of the workers demands that the safety of the safety of the so won shall be mined and operated subject to the provisions of this section.

"Before commencing to mine any coal or stratified deposit in submarine"

also must be given forthwith in future, instead of within two months.

Authority is given for the use of information contained in the deposited

The use of guides is made compul-

cover at specified distances along the lines of all main roads and around the working faces, and soundings shall also be taken at reasonable distances and tenant Paul W. Beck, of the United ing southerly and then abruptly norstates Signal Service Corps, demontherly to the Nitinat river which is
status by the Premier vesterday

The minister of mines may at any as a member of a court of summary tion which may mean the withdrawal
time appoint any mining engineer or jurisdiction. The owner, agent or manof the United Mine Workers of Am-States Signal Service Corps, demontherly to the Nitinat river which is
strated to the army's satisfaction tofollowed down on the western bank to
strated to the army's satisfaction tofollowed down on the western bank to
several changes have been made as
chief inspector of mines or to the intalnments or experience to make a specof any special facts relating to the
Labor, because of its refusal to grant compared with the draft measure, spector of mines for the district, when was afterward distributed required and if recognition and report upon any safety of the mine.

Overmen

and an overman. There is nothing in the anies or mines just opening.

ficial to the working parts of the son has an opportunity of obtaining a admit bearer if you are willing." certificate by examination. This is a case of an accusation against the In provision already found in the law and spection Department it might be de- Bonilla's Forces in Honduras In the clause with reference to the afforded relief at a time when certificatemployment of boys, the change is ed managers in the province were scarce. either support or refute charges.

It has been proposed to allow a re Messages received from Tatoosh bore the news that the Chicago was reported at 6 p. m. on Friday by the steamer derground for the purpose of employed at 6 p. m. on Friday by the steamer derground for the purpose of employvisable to adopt the suggestion for the following reasons: 1. It would be an unjust discrimin

ation against every other applicant, many of whom may be as well educated technically. Opportunities for obtaining a technical education are too manifold to warrant the introduction of any special privileges to college graduates. his apparatus to make it bear full er- attorney-general's department ruled not deemed sufficient to insure mature

> 3. The employees whose lives are concerned are unanimously opposed to the Examinations for certificates are to be tions, and hence the change. This held on the first Monday of each month, travel clear of places set apart for sanprovision, of course, does not apply except in cases where the minister of itary purposes.

mines may fix some other date. The object of this exception is to enable such dates to be fixed as will allow the in-Coal-cutting machinery may be

Owners, agents or managers must Official Returns.

Legislature; the Department of Mines the law. The facts are always available to newspapers, etc., but at presin 1908. It is felt that such facts should be given out when required.

provision is made that the place of acthree days or until the Inspector has may be re-entered. inspected the same, providing that a compliance with this provision shall not seriously interfere with the operation of the mine.

This amendment is suggested by the

Notice of the commencement, aban- in any other direction, or to prepare any donment, discontinuance or re-com- charge with a naked light on his head mencement of the operation of a mine This is a new sub-section and was sugsafely and securely sunk or driven and must be given in future to the Chief gested by a fatal accident which ocmaintained through such water-covered inspector instead of, as formerly, to the curred on November 23, 1909, in the Pa-

Special Investigations.

plane to field headquarters. Flying with Phillip Parmalee in a Wright biplane equipped with a wire aning instrument, and with a wire aning instrument as during the recess made every effort to ascertain the views of those of the Alberni.

How the depth of any marine or alluvial deposited in the views of those of interested in the important subject. The department has during the recess made every effort to ascertain the views of those of interested in the important subject. The department of the depth of any marine or alluvial deposited in the views of those of interested in the important subject. The department has during the recess made every effort to ascertain the views of the safety of life and property in any mine, and such person so appoin such report to be made public at such Mines employing over fifty persons time and in such manner as he thinks White, the English aviator, on behalf Mine Workers.

> necessary imposition upon small com- tion between inspectors and owners, owners would take their expert wit-It is made unlawful to employ an un- nesses into the mines, but would recertificated person as a manager or fuse to admit witnesses to support the government contentions. At present the government contentions. At present the lighter in a mine, Any person not hold- government has only power to appoint appointed to act as manager for such at Fernie and Extension where the

years of age instead of eighteen; in remote sections of the province where for the Inspector to close a mine when It is made clear that it is competent serious danger exists from any cause whatever. The Inspector may order the may afterwards be subjected to arbitration proceedings, but such proceedings shall not interfere with or stall any action on the part of the In-

Arbitrary Removal.

An inspector is given power to forthconsidered that this simply intensifies a dangerous person in this employ in or

All roads used as egress must be case of inquests, officials of a miners' of the town, and rifle shots were ex- United States at Trepassy. Then usly marked in the mine In

vent their injury by explosion.

A supply of 300 cubic feet of air per mule instead of 100 cubic feet as heretofore. The requirement of 100 cubic feet of air for each person is unchanged. The intake for air shall

All brattice cloth or canvas ventilating curtains shall be made fireproof. The daily inspection of roadways will in future be necessary only if they are roadways through which persons have to pass. Other air courses, stoppings, sealings, overcasts, wastes and abandoned workings where accessible must be examined by a competent person at least once a week. The key or contrivance for opening a locked safety lamp shall only be used at a regularly appointed station.

Inflammable substances shall not be

by the owner, agent or manager of the started, and the precipitation is greater mine. The precautions established for at almost every point south of here as safety in case of blasting will apply in far as Albany. future to all mines instead of in the All streams are overflowed, the lowpast "if inflammable gas shall have lands flooded and the railroads inundatcation of official returns. A case came been found within the mine within any ed in many places and there are two period of three months." The Inspectors have come to the conclusion that cific has abandoned its main line as far dismissed the action on the ground had the facts but could not give them it is not necessary for inflammable gas as Albany and is routing its trains by that there had been no case made out preceding three months to render it dangerous from badly planted shots. at Turner, a few miles south of Salem the verdict of the jury in the plaintiff's ent they cannot be given officially. Only The inspectors think there is no coal all day by washouts, and will not get mine in the province which should be through before morning. exempt from the blasting precautions. The ordinary shotlighter's lamp also is Accidents must in future be reported to be eliminated and shot-firing limited Suspend its Salem line. All traffic beby telephone, telegraph or messenger to the use of an igniter approved by where such means of communication the chief inspector. Places in which a standstill since early tonight by reason are reasonably available. In addition missed shots have occurred are to be fenced off, and a suitable time must be cident shall remain undisturbed for allowed to elapse before such places track tonight.

Regarding Explosives. Detonators are to be kept under the

control of the manager or some person purpose. The object of this provision to compel the observance of the Jeffries and Frank Chance. blasting precautions by depriving the miner of the means to fire his own It is rendered unlawful for any per-

son to expose any open case or canister of the air current, or within four feet areas; but any coal or stratified deposit Inspector of the District. Such notice cific Coast Coal Company's mine at directors for all the family.

coal areas shall show the depth of solid not be in pencil, because notices written ments must be provided in every mine where egress to the surface cannot be conveniently obtained.

A miners' union official cannot act The Minister of Mines may at any as a member of a court of summary tion which may mean the withdrawa

LONDON, Jan. 20 .- Claude Grahameexpedient. of whom the Royal Aero club of Great

This is to enable the government to Britain contested on a technicality the existing act to prevent a manager act- send experts into the mine to make an award of the Statue of Liberty prize to appear before the executive board of partment has endeavored to steer a the as obtained, of shift as a standard of the and property and report to the quitted the Aero club of America of unto procure the charter for the Western intention nor spirit of the act. The government. In the past it has been sportsmanlike intentions, but said the Federation of Miners. After discussing amended section will not only prevent done by the courtesy of owners, and it officials suffered from inexperience the question for two hours, the conthis but it also provides against an un- is possible if it came to an arbitra- when it came to conducting an international meet.

GAIN ADVANTAGE FROM TREPASSY

Making Headway Against Government-Attack Made On City Of Ceiba

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 19.—The island project, once so visionary, achieve s own of Port Sal, 50 miles off the eral decisive steps towards a very en coast of Honduras, has been taken by couraging working basis. For some revolutionary forces under Manuel Bon- correspondence has just been published illa, according to information brought which passel between Martin Sulliva today by the steamer Harold, and an at- one of the initiators of the enterpris tack upon Ceiba is expected at any time. and Premier Morris of Newfoundlan It is reported that a force of 2,000 in which the latter gives his un government troops, sent to reinforce served and enthusiastic support to the Ceiba, deserted to the revolutionists. A plans now on foot. Mr. Morris sugges force of 200 men sent to Puerto Corthat the Canadian port should be with order the removal of a dangerous tez was lost in the jungle, the four passy, on the south coast of the Neperson from a mine. In the present act

advices from Ceiba, Honduras, received location which would save almost an owner, agent or manager who retains here tonight, state that the revolutionary forces under General Manuel course, while not deviating from it mission to all graduates of lecognize about a mine after receipt of an order mining schools or colleges, of two years for the removal of such person by the description of the removal of th shots were fired, but no fatalities re- foundland prime minister continues. The attack was made from the rear

union shall not be qualified to serve changed between the revolutionists and they would proceed over the eight on the coroner's jury. The owner, agent, the government troops. An hour later miles to St. John's by the railroad no or manager on the request of the In- a semblance of order had been restored. under construction, cross to Sydne spector must furnish the coroner's jury A few minutes later the attack was Cape Breton, a six hours' trip by set. with a plan showing the locality of renewed with great vigor, but ended skirt the Nova Scotia peninsula and suddenly. It was learned at this time pass Halifax on a swift train for Bos-Mechanical ventilating contrivances that the government troops had deton and New York long before the must be so placed as will tend to pre- serted to the revolutionists, and this had caused the battle to cease. Great Scotia port. excitement was caused by the playing minute is required for each horse and of a ship's searchlight over the town in the evening, and the residents hurriedly retired indoors. Persons who This is quite intelligible when one con Later advices say the United States gunboat Marietta arrived on January 15 and stayed a few hours, returning to Puerto Cortez.

Ceiba had not fallen up to January

OREGON FLOODS

Heavy Rain Causes Much Damage To Property In Williamette Valley -Precipitation Continues

PORTLAND, Jan. 19 .- Serious damage is being done by a storm which has been in progress here for the past used for tamping. The clay or other two days and which tonight shows no

The Oregon Electric is reported to have suffered a washout and forced to tween here and Puget Sound has been at of a mud slide 100 feet long about 16 Ltd.: Action to recover \$500 moneys

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21.—Barney Oldfield is to race here over the Perespecially appointed by him for that field has organized a party to accomalvile track February 28 and 29. Oldpany him here, including James J.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Resolution of praise of the life of Paul Morton and sorrow over his death were unanimously adopted today by the directors of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, the Equitable Trust Company and the Mercantile Company, and by the executive committee of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. All the resolu-

MAY LEAVE A. F. L

Refusal To Grant Charter To Western Federation Of Miners Is Taken Up In U. M. W. Convention

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 19 .- A resolu-

Miners, a move much desired by many niembers and officers of the United

President Lewis today suggested that a committee be sent to Washington to vention deferred action until tomorry "If we can't get what we want be fore the end of our convention, I suggest that we withdraw from the Am erican Federation of Labor," was the advice President Lewis gave the dele

Suggested Transatlantic Line From South Of Newfoundland To Irish Port

TO GALWAY

DUBLIN, Jan. 20 .- The recent record trip of the Mauretania has reminde Irishmen of the "some day" when hugsteamers shall cross the Atlantic via Galway and Newfoundland and smass the Cunard records into "smithereens. The past few weeks have seen thi Bearer Of Banner In

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 19.—Mail the outpost situation of Trepassy, passengers and mails bound for the steamer would have made the Nov

Premier Morris figures out the max

imum time to New York by this rout to be about three and one-half day siders that beside the 3,000 miles routfrom New York to Liverpool, the Galway Trepassy voyage is somethin less than 1,700 nautical miles. Allow ing fifteen hours for railroad connecting 15, but an attack by both land and sea Mauretania could get passengers and mails from the English to the American metropolis in three and one-half days over the Galway-Trepassy course wtihout pushing herself in the least. And as the Mauretania is not by any means the last word in ocean grey hounds, it is not inconceivable that some day people may count on getting from Pall Mall to Broadway in three days! That means London to New York and back again in the same week with Sunday to rest up in.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

(Before Hunter, C. J. and a jury Kellett v. B. C. Marine Railw company: In this case, at the con-A northbound train has been stalled fendant company, thus setting aside favor for \$3,700. Aikman for plaintiff; H. E. B. Robertson for defendant com-

(Before Young, Co.J.) Rattenbury v. Case, Cross & Co.,

miles north of Vancouver, Washington, had and received by the defendants No hope was expressed of clearing the for the plaintiff, arising out of the following transaction: Plaintiff had purchased a certain property for \$30,-000, and on the same day defendants obtained an option from him for, as they say, \$37,000, but as plaintiff says, \$37,500. The deal was completed, but plaintiff alleged that he agreed to reduce the price down to \$37,000, but that the defendants were to pay \$500 out of their commission, which was to be at the rate of 21/2 per cent. The action was dismissed, with costs to the defendants.

Prior for plaintiff; Moresby for defendants.

The death occurred at the family esidence, Albana road, Friday afternoon, of the eight-year-old son, Edtions were ordered engrossed for ward Murphey, of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. presentation to the widow, together Murphey. The funeral will take place with the personal condolence of the Monday at 10 a.m. from the house. The Rev. Canon Cooper will officiate.

n Influence (eral "Machin Against Nee stoms Depa

IR, Jan. e the royal ty of reform By this ren cutive. further ind ons which-u n government no owledge of them rtment of a time was a veyor of cust name of Mr. Bowell the evidence, and M ery much in the Mr. Bowser, as he sa aspicions, since 1907, a ss of some of the en ntry, but those susp out, did not enal passport discrepance shown to him yes ion ended there v probe going on as ser received two di one diamond ring

late interpreter. With the opening of Mr. McCrossan, c inion government, ph Martin, K. C., M. e city was thought throw some light on th the commission, and he nan should be subp Joe" may attend tomorro R. E. McInnes, of present for a few mome was informed by Judge they would hear his evi Apparently on the same

held some musical tena plays selections on the p y one of the selection Anyone Here Seen Kelly? SUFFRAGETTES

ling which the commi

Tries To Knock Mr. Hat From Hea LONDON, Jan. 20.__The ts first meeting today for of drafting the speech from and a programme of legisla romises to be a historic s liament.

The militant suffragettes t Downing street, determin he ministers that the as urgent as any others. The banner suggested th etary Winston Churchill prisoned. The active bearer aged to elude the police, the home secretary when h the street, used the banne and attempted to know Churchill's hat. The police steps to stop the demon

Record Fligh LONDON, Jan. 21.-A the Times, from Lima, P M. Bielcvucci, the French Thursday made a rec twenty-five miles over minutes.

Heavy Damage CALGARY, Alta., Jan. city council lost its case tractor W. Davies, w wrongful dismissal from and was awarded \$116,000 ment given today.

Wealthy Lumberman's GRAND RAPIDS, Mich Harrison P. Grover, a w man, committed suicide of his home here today throat with a razor. A lapse, resulting from bu said to have been the Old Actor Die

SEATTLE, Jan. 20.rench, veteran actor, 10:30 tonight at the Pro pital, where he has been several weeks. The death was Bright's dis New Mexico's Star

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