RUSSIAN GENERAL SLAIN AT PETERHOF

Murdered in Presence of Thousands of People Who Were Listening to Music--Chouknin's Murderer Confesses.

Manager Killed.

St. Petersburg, July 16.-Sunday

The most serious affair occurred on

street car which ran over a drunken

soldier. The crowd stopped the car

dissuaded by the pacific counsels of a

For Military Protection.

der the leadership of Count Ignatiff,

former governor of Kieff, Prince Ros-

tovsky, and M. Golovin, president of

organization for the mutual protection

St. Petersburg, July 16.-The different

cally campaigning in the country in

favor of the prestige of parliament

From the beginning, by tacit under

standing, no roll calls have been taken

in the sessions of the lower house in

the upper hand the government will

have no record of the votes with which

Representatives in parliament of the

various regions of the Empire are unit-

for the advancement of the local in-

terests. The Armenians, Tartars, Cos-

This movement shows plainly a drift

RUSSIAN CABINET CRISIS.

Another Election Will Be

Held.

a chance of pacifying the country

of those who will probably compose the

cabinet headed by Mouromtseff, presi-

Although everything indicates that a

is listening to a faction at court which

advises the desperate expedient of an

night that the Premier, who on Wed-

nesday ordered the dismantling of his

official summer residence on Yelagin

island, to-day countermanded these in-

FIGHT WITH NATIVES.

gether with much ammunition, were cap-

tured. The provincial treasurer was ar-

awaiting orders from the insular authori-

drone leader captured some time ago.

BATTLESHIPS FOR BRAZIL

000, Will Be Built by Armstrong

authorities.

structions

were previously organized.

The nobles having large estates un-

of 3,000 persons attacked a steam 14 men.

was murdered to-day.

workman.

the peasants.

London, July 15 .- A St. Petersburg dis- | participate in a requiem for the adpatch says that Gen. Kozlov, of the miral. headquarters staff, was murdered to-

The murderer, a well-dressed man, The manager of the works at Bibiebat was arrested.

Details of Murder.

St. Petersburg, July 16.-Additional details of the assassination of General tween workmen and police and gen-Kozlov, of the headquarters seaff, in darmes in the industrial quarters of the park at Peterhof on Saturday, the capital. prove beyond question that the murderer believed he was killing General the Splusselburg road, where a crowd

The tragedy occurred at 9.20 in the evening in the presence of several with obstacles placed across the track thousand people who were listening to with the intention of lynching the enthe music in the English park adjoin- gineer and conductor, but were finally ing the park of Alexander palace, where the Imperial family and General

A young man, dressed in the clothes of a workman, was seen to gaze long and earnestly at General Kozlov, who resembles General Trepoff, then take a the Moscow Zemstvo, have formed an photograph from his pocket to compare it with Kozlov's feature, as if to of their properties, both against exmake sure of his identity. The man propriation by law and despoilation by drew a pistol and fired four shots point blank at Kozlov, who fell mortally wounded and expired on the spot. The assassin started to flee, but

Prince Andromeroff seized him, and turned him over to the police. When he was searched Trepoff's photograph was found in his possession, leaving no doubt regarding the identity of the person he intended to kill.

The assassin refused to give his he was a member of the social revolutionary organization, and the police ing, irrespective of party affiliation, have not yet been able to find out his

politics. The Murder of Chouknin.

St. Petersburg, July 15.-A former sailor named Shetanko has confessed to being the murderer of Vice-Admiral towards the disentegration of the vast At Kronstadt the sailors declined to thority is broken,

GUATEMALAN ARMY LOST TWO THOUSAND MEN

San Salvador, July 15 .- On Saturday night the Salvadorian army again at- St. Petersburg, July 15.-The week tacked the Guatemalan forces at Plat- has come to an end, leaving the tension anar and obtained a victory over them, and prisoners.

ed by way of Santa Fe was repulsed a coalition cabinet on the ground that by the Hondurian army. Honduras is making common cause Constitutional Democrats would have with Salvador.

CHOLERA IN PHILIPPINES.

Situation Is Improving-Free Vacation to Prevent Spread of Disease.

Manila, July 16.-The cholera situa- dent of the lower house, or by Prof. tion has greatly improved. Twelve Milukoff. cases and nine deaths were reported during the past 24 hours. The health triumph for the Constitutional Demobureau offers free vaccination to pre- crats is at hand, the delay is raising vent the spread of the disease. A test serious misgivings lest there be made of the vaccine since the outbreak change of heart at Peterhof on account of the disease shows that it acts as an of the inflexible insistence of the Conabsolute preventive. Of the many na- stitutional Democrats on three points tives in the infected districts who had namely, recognition of the principle of been treated with the virus, none de- expropriation, general amnesty for poveloped the disease. All the health litical offenders and no summer recess officials were vaccinated, and none for the lower house. have developed the disease. The vac- A genuine scare was created this cine has been prepared at the govern- evening by a report that the Emperor Band Resumes Operations Along the ment laboratory in this city.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN.

Remarkable Series of Demonstrations in Honor of Former Colonial Secretary.

London, July 16 .- Mr. Chamberlain who is decidedly better, came well through the most remarkable series of demonstrations ever given a public man in this country. It is regretted that an attack of gout prevented that fulfilment of the desire of colonial delegates to the Congress of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire to give a final colonial touch to the week spirit through which Mr. Chamberlain made imperial reciprocity the great

A joint Canadian, Australian and New Zealand and South African comluncheon on Saturday in Mr. Chamberlain's honor, and it was only postooned at the last moment. Now the delegates are dispersed through Europe, but it is hoped that Mr. Chamberlain will find an early opportunity to deliver his intended speech on the colonial aspects of the movement.

MAJOR DREYFUS.

Has Been Assigned to the Twelfth Regi-

ment of Artillery.

Three Vessels, Each to Cost Over \$5,000,-Paris, July 16 .- At a meeting of the council of ministers to-day War Minister Major Drevfus to the Twelfth Regiment of Artillery, stationed at Vincennes. This & Co. have contracted to build three battieships for Brazil, each to cost over is a crack regiment which participated in state functions at the capital. \$5,000,000.

Brigadier-General Picquart has been designed to serve on the staff of the mililary governor of Paris. tending college in Japan. Week.

More Than Twenty-One Thousand Tons Shipped to Smetlers During

BOUNDARY MINES.

Phoenix, July 14.—Boundary's ore output for the last week was as fol-lows: To Granby smelter, from Granby mines, 15,640 tons; from Emma, 99 tons; to B. C. Copper smelter, from Mother Lode, 1,024 tons; to Dominion Copper smelter, from Brooklyn-Stemwinder, 3.551 tons: from Rawhide, 330 tons; from Sunset, 825 tons; from Mountain Rose, 40 tons; to Nelson smelter, from Emma, 77 tons. Total shipments for the week, 21,566 tons. Total for the year to-date, 661,889 tons. Boundary smelters treated this week: Copper smelter, 4,726 tons; total for the week, 21,076 tons. Total for the year to date, 667,249 tons."

BASEBALL AT NANAIMO:

St. Petersburg, July 15.-The strike Coal City Nine Went to Pieces When in the naptha industry is spreading. Holness Quit Pitching.

he had to quit to catch the Victoria train, night witnessed the usual collision be-Boyce, who took the box, were freely batted, and Nanaimo's big lead was pulled down, the game finally ending: Anacor-

tes, 14; Nanaimo, 8. Kinnear, pitching for

Anacortes, is a whirlwind. He struck out

COMPANY ACCEPTS

FULL RESPONSIBILITY

Board of Trade Representative Says Train Was Running Over Sixty Miles an Hour.

Salisburg, Eng., July 16 .- At the resumption here to-day of the coroner's inquest into the cause of the wreck, causing the loss of 27 lives, counsel for the London & Southwestern railroad announced that the railway accepted the full responsibility for the accident and all the legal consequences resulting from it, adding that he hoped this statement would reduce the time ocupled by the inquest.

sacks of the Caucasus, have formed a The guard of the express, Harrison, separate group, and the little Russians estified that the ill-fated train was have also united. The Poles and the unning at the rate of at least 50 miles members from the Baltic provinces an hour through Salisbury, whereas he proper speed is 30 to 40 miles an hour. The company issued instructions in February regarding the speed an mpire once the grip of the central auhis particular point, but the instrucions were subsequently cancelled. Major Pringle, representing the

oard of trade, said his investigation showed that the speed of the train between Wilton and Salisbury was over Tension Still Unbroken- Rumor that 60 miles an hour. There is an improvement of condition of Robert S. Critchell, of Chicago,

who was seriously injured in the The body of Edward W. Sentell, of Brooklyn N V, who succumbed to the Guatemalans suffering a loss of over the cabinet crisis unbroken. The his injuries on July 14th, has been emtwo thousand men in killed, wounded failure of the efforts to induce Dmitri balmed, and will be taken to South-Shipoff or some other member of the ampton and shipped to New York with Conservative party to attempt to form | the bodies of his wife and their dren who were killed at the time of

only a ministry organized from the the accident. Sympathy For Relatives. London, July 16 .- Through Lord seems to leave the emperor without re- Strathcona, London & Southwestern course, except to summon the Consti- railway officials have conveyed their tutional Democrats to office upon their sympathy with relatives of the Canown terms, and the slate makers to- adian victims of the Salisbury disday are busy with selecting the names aster

RAILWAY RATES.

Commissioners Will Investigate Complaints From the West and North.

Ottawa, July 16 .- The board of railway ommissioners is going West next month and will visit the Yukon. There are complaints from points, from Calgary, from the Crow's Nest branch and from the Dawson Board of Trade. The latter alleges that the rates of the White Pass & Yukon railway are unreasonably high.

HORSE THIEVES BUSY.

Border of Manitoba.

appeal to the country through new Manitou, Man., July 14 .- It is eviden elections. This plan is to dissolve the that the gang of horse thieves that paradlower house and at the same time to ed along the border several years ago and announce new elections on the basis of who were thought to have been effectuuniversal suffrage. It is said that a cir- ally broken up, have resumed operations. cular asking for a report on what the result of such new elections would be on Wednesday night while attempting to has already been sent to the local raid H. Brown's stable near here shots were exchanged between one of them and As evidence, however, that Premier Brown. Brown received a bullet through Goremykin is to remain temporarily in his coat and the bandit was badly woundoffice, it is reported about the clubs to-

STEAMER SANK.

Nineteen Persons Went Down With

Small Portuguese Vessel. Lisbon, July 14.—The small Portuguese steamer Silva Americano sank recently Manila, July 16.-Lieut. Costello, of the at the entrance of the Kwanza river constabulary, reports that on July 15th he had a fight with Ladrones under Pan (Portuguese West Africa), while on her mittee had been formed to arrange a Leton Villefuerte at Casoguran, the province of Abay, Luzon. Villefuerte was of the Kwanza. Nineteen persons were killed during the fight, and four rifles, to- drowned.

DOUBLE MURDER.

St. Louis, Mo., July 14.-Following a fruitless attempt at reconciliation, George Villefuerte was a brother of the Laearly this evening. The killing was the result of a quarrel lasting several nonths. Kern has not been caught.

You are Requested to Test This We are so positive that our remedy for sweaty, tender, tired, aching, Newcastle-on-Tyne, July 15.-Armstrong smarting feet will give you satisfaction that we will cheefully return your money if you are not satisfied after

PASSING OF FAMOUS AFRICAN FINANCIER

Never Fully Recovered His Health After Apoplectic Stroke Three Years

London, July 16 .- Alfred Beit, the well-known South African financier, died to-day. He had been in bad health for some time.

Mr. Beit, who was born in 1853 at Hamburg, was a life governor of the Nanaimo, July 16.-Jimmy Holness had De Beers Consolidated Mines, a parthe game well in hand yesterday when ner in the firm of Wercher, Beit & Co., and a director of the Rands mines, and after Holness left Graham and Rhodesia railways, Bechunanaland Railway Trust Consolidated Co., Blomfontein mine and British Chartered South Africa Co.

He was reported to have been implicated in the Jameson raid, testified be-fore the Jameson commission and rethe British Chartered South Africa Co. but his resignation was not accepted against Mr. Beit on the ground of complicity in the raid, and his prosecution was demanded by Dr. Leyd, the representative of the Transvaal in Europe and in 1896 his resignation from the board of directors of the British Chartered South Africa Co. was accepted.

When Cecil Rhodes died in 1902 it was found that Mr. Beit was appointed one of his executors, and the latter thereupon returned to the board of directors of the British Chartered South African Company. Early in 1903. Mr. Beit had an apople

ic stroke while at Johannesburg, and it appears that he never fully regained his health. Since that time he had lived in London.

Mr. Beit, who is said to have been the richest man in London, and who controlled the output of gold in South Africa, was at one time alleged to be forming a "Gold Trust," in which the names of prominent American financlers were mentioned. Mr. Beit gave donated \$500,000 to a university at

Y. M. C. A. EXCURSION.

Saturday Afternoon trip by the City of Nanaimo Enjoyed by Large

ursion on Saturday afternoon by the City of Nanaimo. The Y. M. C. A. is to congratulated on the success obtained and it is understood the scheme proved a financial success. The steamer left the C. P. R. wharf

at 2.30, and after cruising among the islands arrived at Fulford Harbor about 6 p. m. A short stop was made at that point and the excursionists returned to Victoria about 8 o'clock. The Cecilian Orchestra was on board and under the direction of Jesse Longfield, played a number of selections which were much enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the Ladies' Auxiliary and over \$150. was taken in from this

NOT COMING WEST.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson Will Not Go to Site of Prince Rupert.

Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk railway, who is Sam is of good character in general, coming to Canada on official business, and that his long years of association will not visit the Pacific coast. It was reported that he would come West with of lawlessness may have existed in his President Chas. M. Hays and Vice- make up. Certainly his long continu-President Frank W. Morse, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, within a few goes a long way towards disproving weeks, and proceed to the site of the these assertions. new terminal city of Prince Rupert. cials who are not coming to the Pacific at this time.

trip to the Pacific terminus. It is pre- retaliation to be attempted on both sumed, however, that this will not be sides. The presence of Sergt. Murray done until the work now in progress by will cause a feeling of added security, the company in connection with sur- but well-informed people say that the facilities are well advanced. In that event the visit will not be made until the fall of the year.

BACK FROM EAST.

E. G. Russell, of Grand Trunk Pacific Says Satisfactory Progress is Being Made.

E. G. Russell, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, has returned to the city after an absence of several months in the East. Mr. Russell has nothing to say for some days. relative to his mission to Montreal, but says that all is activity in pushing forward construction and surveys. No time is being lost, but on the contrary business in the West. Satisfactory progress is being made all along the line, not omitting the British Columbia section of the road where the surveys are being carried on with vigor.

WELSH TENNIS CONTESTS. Miss Sutton Defeats Miss Garfitt and Ra

tains Title of Champion.

Newport, July 14.-In the Welsh ladies' championship contest to-day Miss May Kern shot and killed both his wife and Sutton, of California, and F. H. Dauncey nother-in-law at their home in this city beat Mr. and Mrs. Raikes in the mixed doubles. 6-1, 6-3. the title.

NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR.

convention last night.

Reported Discovery Unconfirmed by Fil-Early Workings.

The reported gold strike on Leech river rmed by any filing of location notices at the mining recorder's office. In fact, it may be stated that at the present time there is no mineral claim the location of which was given as on the river mentioned. Several claims were taken up a number of years ago, including the Five Aces, Golden Queen, Hornet, Hoboe and others, but all have been abandoned So far the best results were obtained on the west and south forks of Leech river, the discoveries on the north fork being of little value. The country rock at the mouth of the latter is slate, that gradually verges into trap as the stream is ascended. Gold has been found on other rivers taking their rise in the same group of mountains as the Leech, notably the Jordan and San Juan. According to the provincial assayer, the placer gold found has been coarse, and any ledges discovered will probably be free milling Leech river contributed quite a large amount of gold to the provincial output in the late sixties, but nothing of import ance has been done since 1873. C. H. Dickie attempted to dam the mouth of the river a few years ago, and remove the gold believed to exist in the "pot hole" there, but the nump obtained was of too low a capacity, and the project was abandoned. Since that time mining of all kinds has been at a standstill.

TIMES PICTURE SPREAD BROADCAST BY POLICE

Bad Record in California Claimed For Accused by Countrymen-Preliminary Hearing.

(From Monday's Daily.)

Sam Lock, the Chinese murderer. vhose picture was printed in Saturday's Times, was captured yesterday, large sums of money to the Red Cross and is now in jail at Quesnel Forks. and other institutions, and recently Government Agent W. Stephenson wired Superintendent of Polic Hussey to this effect this morning. His preliminary hearing will he held to-morrow. Sergt. Murray. of the provincial police, who left on Saturday morning for the scene of the murder, will be in

The fellow countrymen of Sam did not cease their persecution with his in a comparatively short period. The sayer. The Times Printing and Publish-flight. At once after the murder became known they held a meeting and placed against the expenditure that subscribed the sum of \$150 as a reward | would be involved in adopting the re- but that is more or less distinct and will for his arrest. This was on condition that the government gave a similar amount. After consultation with Supt. Hussey, the acting attorney-general announced that a sum of \$300 would be given by the authorities, making the total reward offered \$450. It is not yet known who will obtain this sum, as lieva the telegram received here gives no particulars beyond the bare statement

of capture. Some of Sam's compatriots at Quesnel allege that he has a bad record in California. Inquiries in this direction good progress, and have found, gener- that no sum was mentioned in the case formation furnished by the Times and more favorable than the most san- Clark remembered what was common his previous career looked into. It is guine at first were led to suppose. At knowledge, namely, that the civic treaonly fair to the accused man, however, the present time they are engaged in sury was exceedingly low, and, out of his to say that from present indications these allegations appear to be the result of malice. All information at to construct a reservoir. According to prosperous, enterprising newspaper than present available tends to show that with white men removed what strains ance in the service of J. B. Hobson

There is some apprehension that the This visit will not be made by the offi- murder may cause further trouble among the Chinese in Cariboo. the murdered man and Sam Lock have It is expected that later in the year many friends, and the secrecy with Mr. Hays and Mr. Morse may make a which Highbinders work may cause veys and preparations for terminal rival tongs may precipitate a hatchet war. There is a considerable number of Chinese in the vicinity of the murder working in the various hydraulic mines, washing in different creeks and engaged in other pursuits. Most of them are associated, in one way or another, with the different clans engaged in the dispute, and there is certainly cause for increased police activity to prevent further crimes. The district is such an isolated one and means of transportation so small that trouble on outlying creeks would not be known

Full advantage was taken by the provincial police of the enterprise of the Times in printing the only known portrait of the murderer. Immediately the company is doing its best to com- after publication of Saturday's edition, plete the line as early as possible and Supt. Hussey procured 50 copies of this enter actively into the transportation paper and sent them broadcast over the province as the best description obtainable of the murderer.

MISSISSIPPI WATER.

Will Be Used to Christen Son of Duke and Duchess of Manchester.

New York, July 14 .- A special to the World from Vicksburg, Miss., says: 'A jug of Mississippi river water, sealed and attested by a justice of the peace to prove that it is the genuine article, is on the ocean bound for the London home of the Duke and Duchess In the final of the women's lawn tennis of Manchester, where it will be used tournament for the championship of in christening the baby boy left there Albuminoid ammonia .0238 parts per million Wales to-day Miss Sutton beat Miss Gar- by the stork a few days ago. Why Hardness 3 degrees fitt, 6-1, 6-0. The American thus retains Mississippi river water should be specially required for the ceremony is not definitely known, but it is believed to be due to the wish of the dowager duchess, who was a Miss Yznaga. Her Nashiville, Tenn., July 13.—Henry family home was at Ravenswood, La., at 200 yards, Co. Sergt. Major Caven. Clay Evans, former commissioner of and it is presumed that a sentimental 5th, Regiment, Victoria, made 33, and trying "Foot Elm." All druggists keep pensions and recently American conit or we will mail you is nowders for the great Father of Capt. Forrest, 6th. Regiment, Vancour sul-general in London, was nominated Waters' led to a desire that her newest ver. 31. Over 8.000 Chinese students are now at- 25 cents. We pay postage. Stott & for governor by the republican state grandson be christened with a few drops from the mighty river itself."

VICTORIA ABLE TO ACT INDEPENDENTLY

OF ESOUIMALT WATER WORKS CORPORATION

Mayor Morley Asserts Ample and Cheaper Supply Available From Other Sources.

(From Monday's Daily.)

At the risk of boring a long-suffering public by too frequent references to the water problem a Times representative this morning inquired of His Worship Mayor Morley as to the progress being made towards its solution. Replying, the latter stated that the in- Capt. Forrest, 6th Regiment, Vanformation upon the different projects much slower than was expected, but 31 and Forrest 32. it wouldn't be long before the council would be called upon to deal with the matter. The reports were being compiled most carefully, and would be found to include every detail required to guide the aldermen in their choice. He wanted to say, however, that the corporation was in a position to act independently of the Esquimalt Water Works Co. This was a point he wished emphasized. The information to hand, the Mayor said, permitted him to state that Victoria was not dependent upon the Goldstream supply, and had not yet reached such desperate circumstances as to make the purchase of that water at the exorbitant price asked imperative at the present time.

"Yes," His Worship went on in reply to a query, "the survey work in the Highlands is progressing favorably." He could not say when it would be finished, but was sure the party would omplete their labors within a few days. The investigations at Elk lake had proven very satisfactory, and he hoped, as doubtless did every citizen now suffering from the exceedingly poor supply, that the steps now being taken would enable the city council to decide upon some policy which would prevent a recurrence of the trouble during another summer.

Referring again to Victoria's independence of the Esquimalt Water result of an allegation in the report of a Works, the Mayor remarked that he ooked for the additional necessary Highlands. The further the latter pro- ment was that of Dr. Richards, the actosition was probed the more promising it became in the eyes of all con- by himself and D. E. Whitaker, assistant satisfy the residents of all districts of the city council, as well as the inurchase of the plant at Goldstream. evening. The problem, therefore, was on a better footing than many supposed, and taken by the Mayor and aldermen bethe city was not "up against it" to the | youd referring the matter to the city barextent that some writers of ananymous

private source endorses what the speaking of Mr. Clark's law suit. Draw-Mayor relates with reference to the ing attention to the fact that \$10,000 damwork in the Highlands. It seems the survey party are making exceedingly ally speaking, that the conditions are of the city. Probably, he went on, Mr. the neighborhood of Lost lake and kindness of heart, decided that it would Lavender swamp, where it is proposed be better to lift a few dollars from a reports their researches have confirm- interfere with the consummation of cered what was originally only a conjecture, namely, that the site is admirable from all standpoints. The lake and the swamp, it seems, are separated by an insignificant ridge along which the introduced in laying the walk on Elford The two cover a large area, and could either be used as one large reservoir or be converted into two, each of which would be more than large enough to the inside. This the residents intend to hold all the water required. As the swamp is a little higher in its levels than the lake, it would be made to flow into the lake, thus creating a splendid system.

Some seven or eight men, in charge of A. Devereaux, comprise the party. The fine weather experienced during the past few weeks has enabled them to proceed with their labors uninter ruptedly. They have arranged for board | Catches Brought to the City on Saturday at a country house, and are lodging in tents pitched at picturesque spots in the neighborhood of the scene of operations. Their meals, it is stated, have not been altogether satisfactory. In salmon traps arrived on Saturday with fact, the daily bill-of-fare for morning, the largest catches that have been taken mid-day, and evening meals, was con- so far this year. The Ranger brought in sidered so unsatisfactory as to make about 14 tons from the Sheringham the men somewhat desperate. As a re- Point and Otter Point traps, belonging sult two of the party decided to take to the Capital City Packing and Canning drastic measures to appease their ap- Company. Another arrival had 20 tons petites, and stealing from their tents one mid-night invaded the hen-coop. They captured two spring chickens, Otter Point, and like catches are reported and next morning enjoyed a grand repast. Soon the loss was discovered, all taken in twenty-four hours, they had however, and every member of the been entering the traps during two or party received a severe dressing down three days previously. The quantity of from the tongue of an irate hostess. When the survey of the proposed reservoir is completed Mr. Devereaux intends returning to the city immediately, and will lose no time in making out his report and submitting it to the proper authorities. Victorians, therefore, may look forward to have the vexed question brought to an issue in the very near future. For the benefit of those interested the appended analysis of Victoria

water, taken some years ago (officially), is appended:

Solid matter (per gallon) 2 grains Chlorine (per gallon) 1.2 grains Free ammonia00346 parts per million

SHOOTING AT BISLEY.

Bisley, July 14.-In the competition for the Daily Graphic prizes, 7 shots

Caven scored 24 and Forrest 32 in the Graphic contest, 7 shots at 500 yards.

FIRE IN COUNTRY.

Conflagration on C. A. Mercer's Property Causes Loss of Valuable Cord Wood.

(From Monday's Daily.) Since Saturday a huge fire has been burning in the neighborhood of Cedar Hill. Its ravages have been confined principally to the property of C. A. Mer cer, which was formerly a part of the Glendenning estate. About six hundred cords of cut wood have been destroyed, and according to the latest reports the flames are spreading to some extent. They are causing some consternation among residents of that district. They fear tha the fire may get among the brush, becoming a menace to all the farmers of that section. However, it is expected that precautions will be taken to prevent the fire causing any further serious loss of

SHOOTING AT BISLEY.

Bisley, July 16.-In the first stage of the Alexandra competition, seven shots at 200 yards, Co. Sergt.-Major Caven,

At the 600 yards range Caven scored In the shooting for the Prince of Wales's prize, first stage 10 shots at 200 yards, Caven scored 45 and Forrest 47.

A WRIT SERVED

ACTION EXPECTED ON LIBEL SUIT TO-NIGHT

Watson Clark Presses Action Against Those Concerned in Alleging Milk Adulteration.

(From Monday's Daily.) A matter of more than ordinary interest will come up at to-night's meeting of the city council. It is the libel suit enter ed by Watson Clark, the milkman, as a civic official to the effect that cream sold

by him to customers contained an adulsupply from Elk lake and from the teration known as gelatine. The stateing milk inspector, made after an analysis cerned. In short, he felt safe in as- provincial assayer. The writ is served suring the general public of an im- against the corporation, which means its proved supply, a service that would representatives, the Mayor and members whether in the high or low levels, with- spector and the assistant provincial asommendation of those in favor of the not be considered at the gathering this

It is not likely that any action will be rister. But there may be some discussion letters to the press appeared to be- and any comments made are sure to be interesting. A remark worth repeating News received by the Times from a was made by an official this morning in ages were demanded of the Times, he

tain important public improvements. Among other questions on the tapis is that of the sidewalk work. It is reported that somewhat of an innovation has been street. It has been the custom in the past to leave room for a plot of grass on the outside of the walk. In this case. however, the space has been left upon convert into plots of well-kept grass. As it will be out of the way of the hoofs of horses or the wheels of carriages, it is expected that Elford street will soon befares in the city.

TRAPPED SALMON.

Were the Largest Yet Received.

(From Monday's Daily.) Several steamers in attendance on the of spring salmon and 2,500 sockeyes from by other trapmen. These fish were no sockeve taken is regarded as evidence

CANADIAN'S VICTORY.

Englewood, July 12.-G. S. Lyon, of Toronto, Canada, beat the national amateur golf champion, H. Chandler Egan, of Exmoor, Chicago in the second round of match play to-day by one up, twenty-eight holes.

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