Clinking

French President and Duke of Genoa Exchange Toasts and Shake Hands.

Monsieur Loubet Will Now Go Home to Rest After the Feasting.

Parisian Press Hopes to See Good Results From Italian

to-day lunched aboard the Italian flagship Lepanto. The Duke of Genoa in toasting the Chief Executive of France, said: "Permit me, Mr. President, to express to you my acknowledgement of the very cordial and sympathetic welcome They Will Interview Dominion Government on Monday. accorded by France to myself and the squadron under my command. I shall of the magnificent reception. I drink to France and to her armies on land and sea, and I also desire to express my high regard for yourself are also desired to express my high regard for yourself ar regard for yourself personally.'

and the two warmly clasped hands. President Loubet replied. "Monseign eur: I am profoundly moved by the friendship you have just expressed for the French republic and its President, and by the sympathy which you show for its army and navy. It is unnecessary to repeat to you what are the feelings of the French national towards its ally. You already know them, and I have described them to you. But I wish once more to assure you that we are profoundly touched by the evidence of friendship which His Majesty, the King of Italy has given to France by sending your squadron here." once more to assure you that we are pro

"I drink to the health of the King Victor Emmanuel, to the Royal family, to their prosperity and to the Italian fleet. I drink also to your personal health, Monseigneur. Just now I notice in your cabinet pictures of those dear to you. Permit me to associate them

Union Bay, April 11.—(Special)—The body of a white man was found floating in the water at the coal wharf, Union Bay, this afternoon. The body is in an advanced stage of decomposition, and is supposed to be that of E. Rogers, the watchman of the ship Eclipse, which sailed from here on February 15. That vessel reported her watchman missing on February 12. He was supposed to have deserted, and was described on the ship's articles as a native of Victoria, B.C., age 36; brown complexion. Coroner Abrahams has taken charge of the remains.

GAMBLING AFLOAT.

INTERNATIONAL SPORTS. Track Events Between English United States Universities.

London, April 11.—The reply of Oxford and Cambridge to the challenge of Harvard and Yale for a series of track games this summer, agrees that New York should be the place of meeting, and that the programme should be the same in 1000 event that the three miles York should be the place of meeting, and that the programme should be the same as in 1899, except that the three miles run be changed into a two mile run. Only those eligible to enter the intercollegiate course of 1901 are to be eligible to take part in this contest. But the English athletes have rejected the proposition to increase the programme from nine to eleven events, on the ground that the pole vault and 220 yards high hurdles are not in vogue in the Oxford and Cambridge sports, and the putting of the weight, for which event Harvard and Yale suggested that two be chosen to revise the programme, has been reluctantly included in the Oxford and Cambridge sports. It is also pointed out that an insports. It is also pointed out that an in-creased programme would mean a more numerous team and heavier expenses,

KOOTENAY DELEGATION.

Ottawa, April 11.—(Special.)— The Kootenay delegation has made an ap-

Before he resumed his seat, the Duke touched glasses with President Loubet. Crow's Nest Southern Bill

Causes an Interesting Discussion in the Railway Committee at Ottawa.

to you. Permit me to associate them with yourself in the good wishes I am now expressing, and to drink to the health of your entire family."

of the Urow's Nest Southern bill drew a packed committee room this morning. The feature of the meeting was the strong stand taken by Mr. Tarte. who

Ottawa, Ont., April 11.—(Special.)—
Lieut.-Col John Tilton, chairman of the
executive of the D. R. A., will command this year's Bisley team. Col. Tilton commanded the Canadian Wimbledon team some 20 years ago. Major
Orchard, 48th Highlanders, Toronto, and
Capt. Munro, 90th Winnipeg, are spoken
of for the adjutancy. The special committee of the Senate on the Cook charges meet next Tuesday week. Further testimony will be forthcoming. M. G. Cameron, son of the late S. M. C. Cameron, is here, and is likely to take the stand.

Admiralty

Court Case

Damage Suit of Abby Palmer Versus C. P. R. Steamship Co.

Evidence of Captain Pybus of **Empress of Japan Contra**dicts Another Witness.

Mr. Justice Martin, sitting in the Adniralty court yesterday began the hearing of the suit of Smith vs. Empress of Japan for damages claimed by reason of the collision of the Empress with the Toulon, April 11.—President Loubet to-day lunched aboard the Italian flagship Lepanto. The Duke of Genoa in touse the construction of the officers of His Majesty's fleet at Esquimalt, Lieut. Montagu S. Hulton and Navigating Lieutenant James D. D. Stewart, sat with him as natural assessment of the Chief Executive of France. sors. The plaintiff. Smith, master of sors. The plaintiff. Smith, master of the bark, was represented by Mr. J. W. Taylor, and Messrs. E. P. Davis, A. P. Luxton and H. Dallas Helmcken appeared for the defendants, the C. P. R. Co. The conduct of the case was in the hands of Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken. The interest felt in the case among marine men was evidenced by the number of spectators who were pre-

among marine men was evidenced by the number of spectators who were present all day.

Counsel for the plaintiff opened the case by briefly reciting the circumstances of the collision, which have been published before, both at the time of the accident and after the preliminary hearing of the case, some time ago.

The first witness called was Wm. Williams, second officer of the Abbey Palmer. The gist of his evidence was the same as he gave at the preliminary hearing, and was to the effect that he was on watch when the accident occurred. The accident happened at about 2:40 o'clock in the morning, and the vessel was making 6 or 7 miles per hour on the starboard tack. The lookout had reported a light to starboard and he had asked if the bark's lights were right, receiving an affirmative answer. He had courted earlied himself hy personally. But Goes Over for Another

Day.

Solution Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, April 11.—The consideration of the Crow's Nest Southern bill drew a packed committee room this morning.

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idea of the manner of the collision. The cross-examination of Capt. Pybus by Mr. Taylor will be taken up this morning at 10:30 o'clock. INSTALLING MACHINERY.

showing where she was struck was are other aid made use of to give a definit

GAMBLING AFILOAT.

Swindlers Detected Aboard the Line Toutonic, the adjutancy, are spoken of for the adjutancy, the color of the steamer Toutonic, the first class passengers week. Further testimony will be forebyted to first class passengers secured considerably over \$200, but week for the stand.

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Morgan Was Not Pleased to See the Reporters in London.

London, April 11.—When Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan arrived in London to-day he was much at the railway station by Mr. J. P. Morgan, jr., his two children and a number of reporters. To the late for the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and an unmer of reporters. To the late points and the principal serges and the serges and to the giving absolute satisfaction in every point with a grandchild on each side.

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cemented.

The principal informed me that walks are very much needed by which the children can approach the school; in wet weather they cannot do so without get-ting their feet wet. He also requests that the grounds may be improved slightly.

school would cost about \$2,400. This being so, in my estimate I have only provided for increasing the present ar-

The principal requested me to call the ittention of your board to the fact that the school yard is very undesirable for

Stile of door in children's lunch room

ial training room.

slightly.

Hillside School.

Picket fence is broken down on Kings road; this might be replaced with posts and rails instead of pickets.

Gutters must be cleaned out.

There are several leaks in roof and plaster from ceiling at one point has fallen from this cause.

Floors must be patched in several places. places.
Walls and ceiling are in bad condition and ought to be kalsomined.
The internal wood work should be painted throughout; the wainscoat of the cloak rooms especially is in a very bad Buildings.

At the monthly meeting of the board The black boards also require painting.
Cupboards for teachers are asked for, and a window shelf in one class room.
Chimney in principal's room does not draw well; it apparently needs sweeping.
With a view of ascertaining the pos-With a view of ascertaining the possibility of having closets connected with the sewer, I called on the city engineer, who informed me that to continue the Kings road sewer as far as the

High School.

The gutters need seeing to, and the deck of the roof leaks in many places; this should be retinned. There is also a bad leak in the cloak room.

The principal reports that the ventilation though improved, is not satisfactory. This seems to be owing to lack of air space under the floors, particularly in Miss Watson's room. Nothing can be done to completely remedy this without very radical changes in the building, though more ventilation gratings might be of some advantage.

Boys' School. Boys' School.

Up-to-Date Styles at

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Our first consignment of Fall Goods in the Upholstering, Drapery and Curtain line

Latest Novelties From

Paris, Berlin, London.

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KOOTENAY AT OTTAWA.

Silver-Lead Delegation Reaches Capital Thirty Strong. Ottawa, April 10.—(Special.)—The ouse spent the entire sitting in supply

Pupils Refused Admission to

Of the Schools

Report of Architect as to Repairs Required to Various

of school trustees an application from Superintendent Eaton for a leave of ab-

repaired.

There are some leaks from roof.
The woodshed should be reshingled.
Fence of east of lot needs repair.
There is no mould in one of the class rooms over the black board.
New bolt required for side entrance.
There are no cupboards for the use of teachers.
Platform from front great and the side of teachers.

Rev. Ms. Parron of Toronto writes: "I med two bottles of Sutton and take pleasure is recommending it. There is nothing like it for cough, throat and lung trouble, Shiles a Consumption Cure is sold by all aruggists in Canada and United States at 15.0, 100. 21.00 a bottle. In Great Britain at 1s. 2d., 2s. 3d., and 3s. 6d. A printed gravantee gree with every bottle. If you are not entisted go to your druggist and Shanghai correspondent of the Standard, the Chinese assert that the court has de-

WRECKING THE MAINE. Chicago Man Gets Contract for

Havana, April 10.—Mr. F. N. Chamberlain, of Chicago, to-day signed the contract to remove the wreck of the U.S. battleship Maine, agreeing to give the government three per cent. of the sale of material. The time for carrying out the contract will be extended to March 1, 1902, if sufficient reason is shown for the extension. The government insists upon a bond of \$25,000 before the work of removal is begun. This question has not been settled.

DELAYED CENSUS.

Rat Portage Men Want Their Expenses Guaranteed.

Winnipeg, April 10.—(Special)—A Rat Portage despatch says the census enunerators will not work in the outlying districts until money for travelling and other expenses is guaranteed.

SIFTON MURDER. Trial Likely to Be Adjourned Till Next

London, Ont., April 10.—(Special.)—It seems likely as the result of the hitch over the absence of Mrs. Richardson, a material witness in the Sifton murder government has excluded all beef except hereal witness.

The class rooms with eastern aspect are dark in the afternoon and should be first Always avoid harsh purgative pills. They first make you sick and then leave you constinated. Carter's Little Liver Pills regulate the bowels and make you well. Dose, one pill.

There are several leaks from radiators and from the main in girls' basement. Four radiators are not in use owing to new loop being required for each. Three sills on south side should be Stoops to Intimidation

Folled in Attempt to Secure Agreement Russia Now Tries Bullying.

And Tells China She Will Support Policy of Greatest Severity.

London, April 11.- "M. de Giers demands the return of all communications to the Chinese authorities from the Russian legation regarding the Manchurian negotiations," says Dr. Morrison, writing to-day to the Times from Pekin, "and he has warned Li Hung Chang that, instead of being, as heretofore, an J. C. McLagan. that, instead of being, as heretofore, an advocate of the Chinese cause in the conference of the ministers of the powers, he will henceforth support the pol-

icy of the utmost severity. "Russia has still ample means dulge this spirit. "The report is surrent, but I believ it is premature, that Russia has already

the school yard is very undesirable for drill.

South Park School.

Gutters must be cleaned out.
There is a leak from roof of lean-to over the south door.

Plaster in several places needs patching.

Pekin, April 10—A meeting of the ministers of the powers will be held to morrow to consider the reports of general base against lath and plaster partition in lavatory is required.

Bolts on doors must be seen to and stop put on south door.

The principal states that the ventilation is not satisfactory. Some improvement in this respect could be effected by dividing the large air shafts; this would reduce the body of cold air which has to be leated in order to cause an up draught.

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The play basement and lavatories require white washing.

The and G. boarding should be put on landing to replace plaster, which is loose, and base against lath and plaster partition in lavatory is required.

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Madrid, April 11.—The Prince and Princess of the Asturias, who have been such that the power pekin and the sea. The Belgiaus, who have been such the destruction of forts which might obstitute t

government of effective authority, adding:
"Russia cannot justly be condemned There is no mould in one of the class rooms over the black board.

New bolt required for side entrance.

There are no cupboards for the use of teachers.

Platform from front gate to entrance is a withdrawal. It would not conduce it a language in the language in the present conditions the duty of preserving order in Manchuria would devolve upon those responsible for Russia's withdrawal. It would not conduce it a language interests to except which

with danger—and remember discontinued whether the pews were remembered or not.

In Catholic churches where it is still the common, prevailing custom to rent the pews, and where there still might be some need for a pew door, its place is now to some extent taken by a modern attachment called a pew guard. This is a simple but slightly strip, of stitched leather attached at one end-to the liner side of the upper part of the end plece of the new next the aisle, the other end, when the guard is not in use, hanging down over the pew arm.

will cure your cough or cold at once. It will heal and strengthen your lungs. It is a safeguard for you always. Take it at the first indication of a cough or cold.

Rev. Mr. Patron of Toronto writes: "I seed two bottles of Sunton and take pleasure to the first indication is seed two bottles of Sunton and take pleasure to the first indication and the seed two bottles of Sunton and take pleasure to the first indication and the seed two bottles of Sunton and take pleasure to the first indication and the seed two bottles of Sunton and take pleasure to the seed two the seed t

CHINESE COURT.

London, April 11.—According to the standard, the Chinese assert that the court has described foot on Consumption. Sent without cost to you. S. C. Wells & Co., Teronto.

Excludes U. S. Beef

Comes Like a Bolt From the Blue and Causes a Panic.

pect of Losing Its

Washington, April 11.-The department of agriculture has received a despatch from a prominent packing co case, that the trial will be put over to cept home-bred from the British army contracts. This, it is stated, is to be ef.

fective June 1 next. The Chicago concern asked the agricultural department for any assistance it can render. It has pointed out that the action of the British government is a severe blow to United States beef and a severe blow to United States beef and cattle exporters and producers, and means not alone the loss in the government trade; it is feared it will serve very materially towards inciting a prejudice on the part of the people of Great Britain against the beef and cattle of this country.

of this country.
No official information of this repo contemplated move has reached the department, according to statements of officials, this afternoon.

To demonstrate the importance of the move now said to be contemplated, it is pointed out that the value of our exports of live animals to Great Britain amounts to \$40,000,000, while the total of animal products exported from the United States to Great Britain is stated to be States to Great Britain is stated to be in round numbers, \$200,000,000.

It is pointed out here that this proposed embargo may really be a sequel in greater or less degree to the proceedings instituted at New Orleans against shipments of horses and mules from that port for use in the South African campaign.

MESSAGES OF REGRET.

Vancouver, April 11.—(Special)—Telegrams of regret were received by Mrs, J. C. McLagan to-day from Premier Laurier, Sir L. H. Davies, Hon. W. S. Fielding, George R. Maxwell, Ralph Smith, Aulay Morrison and Senator Templemen

Templeman.

A special meeting of the council was adjourned to-day out of respect to Mr. McLagan. The funeral will take place

Decision in Patrick Preliminary Hearing Reserved—Bound Over for Forgery.

There are no cupboards for the use of teachers.

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With regard to drainage, I find that it is impossible to have connection with the sewer as the school is in the "pumping area;" nothing can be done till the whole system of sewerage is complete with pamming stritor.

Gutters must be cleaned out. The principal requests that a window board be put in her room.

It was pointed out to me that they are about to and repaired.

A gate for teams should be put in a room.

Platforms at entrance need repairing senerally.

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THEY LIKE HIM Inspector Barrett Dined at Winnipeg by Inland Revenue Officers.

Winnipeg, April 11.—(Special.)— A complimentary dinner was tendered last night to Dr. J. K. Barrett, inspector of inland revenue for the division of Winnipeg, Port Arthur and Calgary, by the officers of his department. After the dinner Dr. Barrett was presented with a magnificent lifesize oil protesti of

BOLD ROBBERY. Five Men Plunder a Place After Tying Up Family.

Oil City, Pa., April 10.-Early to-day off City, Pa., April 10.—Early to-day five masked men drove up to the residence of J. D. Harris, near Sugar Run, a hamlet in Warren county. The men forced an entrance and bound the inmates of the house, consisting of Harris, who is a well-to-do business man, his wife and an Indian servant, who were soon overpowered, bound and

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