delegations from the surrounding towns and it is doubtful if Fernie ever before was called upon to entertain so many

The citizens vied with each other in beautifying their residences, and the display of bunting on the streets and the strings of electric lights everywhere in evidence added a most artistic effect the naturally picturesque surround ings of the town.

The sports of the day opened with the

horse races on Victoria avenue, after which a procession was formed and marched to the recreation grounds to the music of the Italian band, where the long program of sports was su fully carried out. One of the most interesting features

of the morning was the football etween teams from Fernie and Coal Creek, for the prize of \$100, and which resulted in a victory for the former by the score of 6 to 0. It was a well contested game and added much to the enjoyment of the morning program.

At 4 o'clock in the afternoon speeches were delivered by W. R. Ross, M.P.P., L. P. Eckstein, and J. H. Hawthornthwaite M. P. P., to a very large audience and the remarks were listened to with close attention.

The principal event of the evening was the display of fireworks and garden party at the residence of G. G. S. Lindsay, K.C., which was thoroughly enjoyed by a large party of invited guests. The grounds were beautifully decorated and artistically lighted by numerous Chinese lanterns and altogether presented a very picturesque appea while the proverbial hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey made the guests feel perfectly at home.

WHAT APPLES TO PLANT

MAXWELL SMITH'S ADVICE TO FRUIT

TWELVE VARIETIES THAT HE BE-

In a circular letter just issued Maxwell Smith, dominion fruit inspector, says; I am so frequently asked what varieties of apples I should advice planting in the Okanagan valley and other districts in British Columbia having similar climatic and soil conditions, that I have prepared and soil conditions, that I have prepared the following list, and while there are, of course, a number of other good varieties, I can with a reasonable degree of confi-dence, recommend the following as money makers:

tosh Red, Gravenstein, Cox's Orange Pippin, Fameuse, Northern Spy, Esopus Spitzenburgh, Jonathan, Delicious, Stayman zenburgh, Jonathan, Delicious, Stayman Winesap, Yellow Newton Pippin.

Winesap, Yellow Newton Pippin.
Of these twelve, eight are highly colored varieties of rare beauty, viz., Duchess of Oldenburgh, Wealthy, McIntosh Red, Fameuse, Esopus Spitzenburgh, Jonathan, Delicious and Stayman Winesap, but the other four, viz., Gravenstein, Cox's Orange Pippin, Northern Spy, and Yellow Newton Pippin, possess such excellent qualities Pippin, possess such excellent qualities and are so well known in the markets of the world, that I hardly think we can af-ford to leave them out of the list. I keeping qualities of these 12 yarfeties, are fairly well indicated by the order in which they are named; beginning with the Duchess of Oldenburgh, which does not successfully longer than the end of ber and ending with the Yelle Newton Pippin, which, under proper conditions may be kept over until May.

There are four of these varieties, viz., Cox's Orange Pippin, Esopus Spitzenburgh, Stayman Winesap, and Yellow Newton Pippin, concerning which particular care should be exercised to give the proper name when ordering, as there are other in-ferior varieties bearing similar names; that is to say, there are Orange Pippins, uitzenburghs, Winesaps and Newton Pippins, which are of very inferior quality to the Cox Orange Pippin, the Esopus Spit-zenburgh, Etayman Winesap and Tellow Newton Pippin.

While I submit the names of 12 varieties

I should not advise any one grower to plant more than four of these and for con-wemence I should recommend dividing them into three groups, about as follows: Group 1—Stayman Winesap, Jonathan, Wealthy and Duchess of Oldenburgh. Group 2—Delicious, Esopus Spitzenburgh,

Fameuse, McIntosh Red, Group 3—Yellow Newton Pippin, Northern Spy, Gravenstein, Cox's Orange Pippin.
In planting an orchard I should strongly advise against planting a large block of any one variety. The reason for this is the advisability of getting different varie-ties in close proximity so as to render effectual the operation of interpollination by the action of wind and honey gathering

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon-the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the Cootenay district: Commencing at a post marked "F.G.F.'s W. corner post," and placed on the east shore of lower Arrow lake at the S.W. corner of J. W. Bates. pre-emption, running thence 80 chains east; thence 40 chains south; thence 80 chains more or less to the lake shore; thence folowing the laks shore to the point of comncement, containing 320 acres more or

Dated 25th day of June, 1906. F. G. FAUQUIER.

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NELSON, B. C., SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1906

SIX MONTHS' ORE OUTPUT

VOL. 5

Splendid Showing Made in First Half of Year by Mines of Boundary

Tonnage Nearly Fifty Per Cent Greater Than for Sam: Period of 1905--Estimated Value of Output Over \$3,000,000

(Special to The Daily News) Phoenix, July 13:—Figures showing the approximate ore tonnage of the mines of the Boundary for the first six nonuns of 1906 have been made up showing that the big mines of Boundary have sent out 653,526 tons of ore in the half year ending June 30. During the first haif of the year 1905, the record for the same properties was 458,193 tons. Therefore the increase over the corresponding period of last year has

been nearly 50 per cent.

The value of ore shipped is not easy to ascertain, as the mine and smelter officials will not make this public as yet. However, with the good price of metals, and figuring at a low average of \$5 a ton, the value of Boundary's out ut thus far this year has been over \$3,000,000 which is also about 50 per cent more than for the first six months of 1905. The present rate of ore shipping is at the rate of 1,250,000 tons per annum, with the certainty of this rate being increased inside of two or three months, when enlargements at the three district smelters are completed.

Herewith is given a table, showing the tonnage output of Boundary mines for 1905 and for 1906, by months, for the

poses of comparison.	1905	-1906
January		104,378
February	72,671	105,428
March	90,047	112,638
April	80,102	107,798
	80,044	100,694
	67,255	102,56
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The ore record for June is slightly larger than for May, notwithstanding the fact that the British Columbia Cop-per Co.'s smelter is out of commission, owing to extensive enlargements in progress at the reduction works. Granb shipped nearly 12,000 tons more in June than in May, and Dominion Copper sent out about 2000 tons more than in the previous month. Following are the figures from each property:

Emma 1,291 3.819 233

Providence

NORTON VS. FULTON

Attorney-General of Province Defendant in Novel Suit.

Vancouver, July 13.—The case of W. ton, attorney-general, is now before the civil assizes. Mr. Fulton is present at the trial and is represented by Messrs. C. B. McNeill, K. C., and E. V. Bodwell, K.C. Mr. Norton is represented by the Messrs. Deacon of Wade, Deacon & Deacon. The case is a most interesting one and is probably the first of the kind ever tried in British Columbia.

Norton had a timber license last year which expired on January 1 of this year, and he applied for another license, which was refused. He then presente to Mr. Fulton a petition to be presented the lieutenant-governor in council, asking for leave to sue for the license or a flat. Mr. Fulton refused to present the petition to the lieutenant-governor in council and Norton immediately started a suit for damages against the attorney-general. The case will probably last several days.

STRIKE ON NOBLE FIVE.

Good Leads of Galena and Dry Ore-

Work to Be Pushed. A discovery has been made on the Noble Five group, at the head of Brown creek, which will be a factor in the production of the Trout Lake Mining division, says the Lardeau Mining Review property had been staked a numof years ago on the strength finding some big boulders of galena lying at the base of an almost perpen-dicular cliff. It was not, however, untilast year that the ore in ; lace was found by Sid Graham and Jim Snell who prospected the face of the cliff with the assistance of rope ladders held in place by steel driven into the rock. The wners Ed Vipond, Alex McLean, Sid Graham, and Bert Fowler extracted and shipped nearly a car of ore during the latter part of the season, which gave

more importance than the first.

The find shows from 5 .0 6 inches of galena and from 16 to 20 inches of dry ore. Work will be pushed on both leads, and as much ore as can be con-

leads, and as much ore as can be con-sistently got out by legitimate mining methods shipped.

The group has in all five claims, and is situated about six miles from the Ten Mile terminal of the wagon road; or it can be easily reached by the Eight

THAW IS SHORT OF CASH

THE ELABORATE DEFENCE PLANS COME TO A STANDSTILL

LAWYERS AWAIT ARRIVAL OF HIS MOTHER FROM EUROPE

New York, July 13. Harry K. Thaw, in the Tombs for the murder of Signatord White, is reported to be without funds and, it is stated, that the elabor ate plans which have been made for his defence cannot be put into execution until the prisoner's mother arrives from Europe and approves the necessary expenditures.

Harry Thaw's income under his father's will is but \$2500 a year and all that he has spent above that amount has come from his mother's purse. It is said Mrs. Thaw has allowed her son as high as \$80,000 a year, none of which he has available now in the hou of his need. What money the young man has had since he has been in jail

has been supplied by his counsel pend ing the arrival of Mrs. William Thaw It was reported today that Thaw' counsel have decided to abandon th

SALVADOR AND GUATEMALA

Confirmation of Deal of Insurgen

Leader-Revolutionists Hopeful. Mexico, July 13.-Today advices from Salvador confirm the news of the battle of Elcarigo and the killing of a number of Salvadorean troops under general Ragalado, but announces a victory gained by general Toledo and the insurgen ther north where the Guatemalan arm; was routed with heavy low. In an in emalan insurgent, laments the loss of general Ragalado, but says there will be

General Toledo is now at the head of the revolutionists who claim they wil be in Guatemala city within a fortnight General Toledo now has artillery which he lacked when he was defeated in June. The revolutionists now claim Nicaragua will take part in the war and allow her gunboats to aid the revolutionits which they insist will result in the speedy downfall of president Cabrera, of Guat-

ceived at the state department from Mr. Brown, secretary of the American lega-tion at Guatemala City, reporting continued fighting near where Regalade was killed.

Minister Merry, at San Salvador sabled today that Salvador was willing to cease hostilities but complaned against the aggressive attitude of Guatemala.

ATLANTIC LINER DAMAGED Deutschland Collides With Pier a

Dover and Must Be Docked. Dover, Eng., July. 13 .- The Hamburg American line steamer Deutschland, which left Hamburg yesterday for New York, while leaving Dover this morning collided with the Prince of Wales pier and twisted her stem. The steamer immediately anchored off the admiralty pier to investigate the extent of the damage she had sustained and it was found to be so great that she was able to proceed and must be docked for

repairs.

The Deutschland was split from he bow rails to her keel but the watertight compartments prevented her taking

CANADA CAPTURES KOLAPORE CUP

England Wins Elcho Challenge Shield-

Bisley, Eng., July 13.-Canada won the Kolapore cup today by a score of 729.

England won the Elcho challenge shield with a score of 1658, defeating ahield with a score of 1995, deleating lireland whose score was 1602 and Scotland which scored 1685. These were the only entries. Last year Scotland wou the shield with a score of 1924. Engither than the shield with a score of 1924. land's score this year is the lower since 1896, when Scotland won the shield with exactly the same score. At the final range in the Elcho co test today Maurice Blood of the Irish team, scored a full complement of bulls' eyes, an achievement unique in Eloho matches at 1000 yards.

WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL Detroit, July 13.—The International Association of Photo Engravers today rescinded the open shop resolution, de-claring that they will remain neutral in disputes between capital and labor. George A. Howell, of Toronto, elected president.

WHITEWATER MILL RUNNING The Whitewater mill is running ful blast again after having been shu for many years, says the Kaslo Koote-naian. S. S. Fowler and associates are operating the Whitewater and the Whitewater Deep under a lease and have been stacking up milling ore of a good grade all winter with the intention of Some three weeks ago w rk was re-sumed at the old workings, and one man mer. Logan McPhee, formerly of the out prospecting, with the result of the Payne mill is in charge of the concen-

discovery of another body of ore of even trator, while J. W. Watson is in charge trator, while J. W. Watson is in charge of the operations at the mine. J. W. Power has a four horse team busy hauling ore from the mill to Whitewater. This makes two mills in active operation in the vicinity of Kaslo and speaks well for the steady increase in mining operations generally around here

FOUR THOUSAND KILLED

INSURRECTION IN BRAZIL ASSUM ING HUGE PROPORTIONS

ARMY OF 40,000 MEN SENT TO QUELL INSURGENTS.

London, July 13 .- The Leader's cor-London, July 13.—The Leader's correspondent at Lisbon says that according to intelligence received there the insurrection in Matto Grosso, Brazil, is swelling to huge proportions. The insurgents, it is reported, have organized a large array and are marching on Rio de Inneiro and already have continued. several cities, General Riberie, with 40,000 federa

troops, has been sent against the revolu-tionists. Fearful carnage is reported and the killed are said to be already more

VISIT TO BE POSTPONED

CHANNEL FLEET WILL NOT GO TO CRONSTADT YET AWHILE

INITIATIVE IN DECISION TAKEN

BY RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, July 13.—The visit of the Channel fleet to Russian waters has been postponed until a more pro-The initiative in this decision came

The initiative in this decision cannot from Russia which pointed out that the proposed visit had been welcomed with live satisfaction by the Russian government which saw in it an expression of sympathy for Russia on the part of Great Britain. Unfortunately, it added certain political parties in Great Brit-ain and Russia fomented a sharp agitaain and Russia fomented a sharp agita-tion with a view to connecting the visit with questions of Russian international policy. The firm stand of sir Edward Grey, minister of foreign affairs, brought the question back to its pro-per ground and was appreciated here at its proper value. Cordial telegrams have been exchang-at her was king Edward and emperor

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WILL JOIN BOAT CLUB

A well attended meeting of the executive and racing committees of the launch club was held at the office of George Hunter last evening, with commodore Busk in the chair. It was decided to join in with the Nelson boat club at the latter's request, and take part in the N.P.A.A.O. regatta on July 27 and 28, in place of holding a separate launch regatta on Aug. 11 as at

Among those present were Messrs. Busk Weekes and Traves.

Norman Fraser, who was present in the interests of the Nelson boat club, presented a strong request from that organization that the launch club participate in the N.P.A.A.O. regatta in place of hold ing their races on Aug. 11 as announced Mr. Fraser said that the first the boat club bers knew of the arrangement to hold a separate regatta was the announce-ment of the fact in The Daily News. The boat club hoped the launch owners would join in with them in making a display on

one or both days of the regatta.

After Mr. Fraser had withdrawn it was moved by E. C. Traves and seconded by Jas. McPhee and unanimously carried that Jas. McPhee and unanimously carried that the launch club accept the invitation of the boat club to join in their regatta.

McPhee, Hunter and Wells was appoin to meet the boat club committee and arrange a joint program, the details of which will be announced later.

It was decided to hold at least four race

one each for the 26 foot, the 21 foot and the 6 foot classes and a grand free for all 6 foot classes and a grand free for all. The meeting then adjourned.

TRAIL LEAD RETURNS

Figures for Months of May and June Consolidated Smelter The following are the ore receipts with ead contents from silver-lead mines at the Consolidated Mining & Smelting company's

June in detail: MAY Mine Ore 593 877 222 090 Providence Rambler 27,4984,263,177 2,479,623 ...4,990,400 2,707,597 Total JUNE Ore Mine North Star4,736,229 2,631,698

Total 6,047,936 2,967,819 FOR SELLING PUTRID MEAT Fargo, N. D., July 13.-Manager Sirrs of the Fargo branch of Armour & Co. packers, charged with selling unwhole-some and putrid meat, was today fined \$50 by judge Ryan. An appeal will be

48,248

6,417

BOURKE COCHRANE TO MARRY Manila, July 13.—The announcement of the engagement of Miss Annie Ide, daughter of lieutenant governor Ide, and an Bourke Cochrane was made

Bills Pass Chamber of Deputies After Scene of Strife

Albert Dreyfus Has Now Been Fully Vindicated--Real Blood-letting Duel Arises Out of Controversy

Paris. June 13 .-- The scene of tumult which marked the enactment today of the law restoring Arfred Dreyfus to the army was followed by a bloody duel tonight in which under secretary of state assumed the aspect of a veritable com-bat between the government and the opposition, as M. Sarraut's seconds were ministers Clemenceau and Thomson, while M. Puglisi-Contr's seconds were M. Millevove and general Jacquet, who were drawn from the elements which bitterly resisted Dreyfus' rehabilitation. The meeting followed a fight on the floor of the chamber of deputies, in which M. Sarraut sprang from beside minister of the interior Clemenceau, sitting on the ministerial benches, at M. Puglisi-Conti, who had been heap-

m. Pugnisi-Cont. who had been neaping denuaciation on the members of the government as scoundrels. Sarraut struck Puglisi-Conti a stunning blow in the face. A secene of uproar ensued, compelling the suspension of the session. It was after the close of the session that the duel occurred. sion that the duel occurred. Later reports show that M. Sarraut is suffering from a deep wound in the right breast penetrating the lung. While the wound is considered to be serious it is not necessarily dangerous.

Laws finally were enacted today by the chamber of deputies reinstating Dreyfus, who obtains the rank of a chief of squadron of artillery, and Picquart,
who is made a brigadier general. Both
houses were overwhelmingly favorable
to the bills.

The chamber of deputies met this

morning for the purpose of hastening the parliamentary procedure, and war minister Etienne immediately presented two government bills, one raising captain Dreyfus to the rank of major of artillery and another promoting colonel. Picquart to that of brigadier general. M. Etienne asked for speedy action, adding that it was the government's intention to inscribe Dreyfus' name on the list of candidates for the cross of the legion of honor. This announcement brought out a storm of applause.

The debate on the bills and the voting control ground departs.

"It is with pride that I register this vote, consecrating the triumph of virtue," said M. Pressense, socialist.

A fight occurred in the centre of the chamber as M. Pressense went on to de-

'The restoration of Alfred Dreyfus and colonel Picquart was passed by 477 to

27 votes.

Later in the afternoon M. Puglisi Conti sent a challenge to M. Sarraut.

Barly in the day M. Etinne presented the government bills restoring Dreyfus and Picquart to the army. M. Etinne's explanatory preamble to the Dreyfus bill said:

"A decision had judicially and defi-"A decision had judicially and definitely established the innocence of the accused, involving ipso facto, his retnstatement, in the army and expunging his condemnation. The government, which is powerless to repair the immense material and moral injury sustained by the victim of a deplorable judicial error, restores to Dreyfus his place which he would have occupied if his military career had not been interrunted."

rupted."
The preamble to the Picquart bill, said: "The preamble of the restoration of Dreyfus demonstrates the ligitimacy of Picquart's loyal and courageous efforts for the triumph of truth at the risk of definitely breaking his career. We demand that parliament expunge the effects of his action by the conferment of the rank of brigadier.

The army committee quickly and unanimously reported the bill and the decision in the chamber of deputies was decisive, Dreyfus securing 473 votes against 42, and Picquart 467 votes against 27. After the scene which compelled the suspension of the session, the deliberations were resumed, the mem-bers having become more calm.

After the premier had announced that the government would take the necessary measures to deal with the ofnecessary measures to dear with the differs who had been witnesses against Dreyfus a motion was passed expressing confidence in the government.

The chamber also voted to transfer the body of Emile Zola to the Pantheon. President Fallieries tonight signed the enactments for the featbilitation of

Dreyfus and Picquart and the details of promulgation will appear in the official journal tomorrow and also the nomination of Dreyfus to be a commander of squadron, the time elapsed since the dismissal from the army to count as full service.

Rev. E. L. Dakin, B.A., Victoria; president of women's board.

Secretary, treasurer — Rev. F. W. Auvache, Grand Forks.

Mission board—C. S. Stevens, Kamloops; Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNell, R. Rev. R. Lennie, H. Rev. R.

The municipal council of Paris adopted a resolution to name a principal street "Emile Zola" in recognition of the late novelist's defence of Dreyfus.

TO BE BOWER OF ROSES NELSON FLOWERS FOR WINNIPE

SUSTAINED INTEREST TAKEN IN THE KOOTENAY BOOTH

fruit men of this district, the special Koot enay booth at the Winnipeg fair on July 23-28, inclusive, under Mr. Annable's per sonal supervision, will be a triumphant success and cannot fail to direct great attention to the resources of this section

of the province.

"In order to make a good showing for Nelson and district," said Mr. Annable yesterday, "I am anxious to dress up the booth more than handsomely and I know of no better way than by having heaps of the contract of the said tresh and I fresh. I want them in the bud and by the branch and singly. When they are sent to my office here they will be carefully packed in damp moss and sent on every day or every other day. It is impossible for me to personally apply to everyone who has roses and I sincerely hope all rose owners will join in and assist in making our booth literally a bower of roses.

"I received today from F. M. Black a branch of Royal Ann cherries from Mr. Black's ranch and have sent it on to Winnipeg, where it will be kept in cold storage until the exhibition opens. It will be the finest cherry exhibit at the fair or I am mistaken.

"All Dominion Express agents have been notified by circular to express fruit to

notified by circular to express fruit to Wwindpeg at half rates and that the government will guarantee payment. I am ordering a lot of printed tags to affix to

ordering a lot of printed tags to affix to shipments giving proper address, etc. and these can be obtained from me or from my office after I go to Winnipeg.

"I wash you would say again that in order to make our display attract universal attention we want the fruit men to send quantities of fruit, on branches, in jars and by the crate. We can sell the latter at good figures and I will see that the shippers get their money.

"The time is short now for making preparations and I will be glad to furnish all particulars to anyone applying for same. The fruit and exhibits sent in will be carefully packed and the greatest care takes of them. Our Keotenay beath will be lifetet square and will adjoin the B. C. booth. By making a separate display and by giving my personal supervision at the fair, I hope to accomplish much for this district. Everything promises very well district. Everything promises very well-now and I hope the general interest in the exhibit will be maintained to the end."

Syndicate of Greenwood and Phoenix Mer

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Mining and bevelopment syluntate with to located in Phoenix.

The Meadow Lark claim immediately adjoins the now well known Skylark mine, which has been steadily operated for the last year and a half or two years, with such excellent results, by a Phoenix syndicate, doing business as the Skylark Development Syndicate, Ltd. The ore body has been traced to within a few hundred feet of the Meadow Lark line, and there seems to be every chance of the latter property turning out to be valuable when sufficient development has been done to prove it up. located in Phoenix.

VATICAN UNSAFE

His Holiness Pope Pius X Has been Com-pelled to Change His Quarters Rome, June 13-It has long been known

that some parts of the vatican are unsafe but it has just been discovered that the palace is bractically falling to pieces Even the corner where the pope's apart ments are situated needs strengthening ments are situated needs strengthening and the pontiff is moving out. The walls which are cracked, bulging and leaning outward, will be strengthened immediately. To make the whole building safe will re-To make the whole building sa quire an expenditure of \$100,000

BAPTIST CONVENTION New Westminster, July 13-The report of the birth of four new churches in the home field, a splendid report of the good work being done, and a very satisfactory report from the foreign mission treasurer, were features of the provincial Baptist convention.

yache, Grand Forks.

Mission board—C. S. Stevens, Kamloops;
Rev. R. Lennie, H. Grant, A. B. McNelli,
A. J. Passage, Br. L. Weber, P. LefleuvreJ. Menzies, Rev. T. Ritchie, Rev. H. W. Piercy, James Haynes, Rev. J. T. Tap-scott, E. B. Morgan, Rev. Dr. Rugg, W. Russell, Rev. P. H. McEwen, W. Mar-chant, Dr. McKechnie.

chant, Dr. McKechnie.

Educational board—A. J. Pineo. James
Ritchie, Jas. Reekle, Rev. A. J. Saunders,
J. M. Robinson, J. H. King, Mrs. Templar,
Miss B. Spencer, Rev. T. N. Ritchie, Thos.
Dale, A. Perry, A. B. McNeill, Dr. Hacking, Rev. J. A. Banton, Rev. H. S. Estabrook.

Publication board—Rev. F. Betts, Rev.
C. M. Hackley, Rev. P. Coodfield, Rev.

SESSION NOW AT AN END

PARLIAMENT WAS PROROGUED YES TERDAY AFTERNOON

SPECIAL ATTENTION DIRECTED TO REFORESTATION

The speech from the throne was read as follows:

Honorable gentiemen of the senate and gentlemen of the house of commons—in releiving you from further attendance in parliament, I desire to thank you for the care and assiduity exhibited in the discharge of your laborious and exacting duties. Your invitation to his majesty to visit this part of his dominions was duly forwarded to Buckingham palace. That it would be a source of great rejoicing in Canada if his majesty would favorably entertain the invitation is confirmed by many similar addresses adopted in the several provinces, cities and towns, all expressing the hope that his majesty may honor us with another visit.

It is very gratifying to note that Canada continues to enjoy a prosperity rarely equalled in the history of a nation. The volume of exports and imports during the year just closed exceeds that of any previous record. The revenue also shows a remarkable increase, the reselpts on account of the consolidated fund have more than doubled in the past ten years. The large number of private bills that have received your approval, having for their object the incorporation of rallways and other industrial enterprises, afford additional evidence of the general prosperity prevailing over the dominion. The stream of immigrants seeking homes in the western provinces continues to flow in increasing volume, and, owing to the favorable conditions now existing in Alberta and Saskatchewan, their vacant lands are being rapidly taken up.

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is gold and saver when othered for sale should be properly marked; an act relat-ing to immigrants and immigration, which, among other provisions, will enable the authorities to deport undesirable persons. It is earnestly to be hoped that your example in passing an act setting aside large areas for forest reserves will be for-warded by those provincial legislatures

thank you in his majesty's name for the supplies you have so liberally voted. Honorable gentlemen of the senate, gen-tlemen of the house of commons: A copy of the convention regarding commercial relations between Japan and Canada has

trade with Japan.

I now express the hope that on your return to your several homes you will find evidence that the coming harvest will be a bountiful one, thus assuring a numer of years of prosperity through

FINAL COURT OF SEASON

King Edward Will Leave England Early Next Month for Mari London, July 13-King Edward and quee London, July 13—King Edward and queer Alexandra tonight held at Buckingham palace the fourth and final court, marking the close of the London season. There were 800 guests and the function lacked nothing in brilliance of effect. In addition to the members of the royal family resi-dent in the palace, the prince of Wales and the duke of Connaught who have been dent in the palace, the prince of Wales and the duke of Connaught, who have been absent from recent courts, were present. The reception rooms were decked with white and mauve flowers and the scheme of coloring of the dining hall was mauve King Edward has a few engagements in England and expects to go to Marienbad early next month.

BODY OF GRACE BROWN FOUND Utica, July 13-The body of Grace Brow Utica, July 13—The body of Grace Brown of Otselic, who was drowned in Big Moose lake yesterday, was taken to Frankfort by coroner Coffin today, and this evening was identified by Frank Brown of south Otselic as that of his daughter. Mr. Brown stated that the young man last seen with his daughter was Chester Gillette of Cortland, and that they had been intimate acquaintances for six months. No trace of The election of officers and boards resulted as follows:

President—Rev. J. W. Litch, B.A., Vanare rumors that he has been seen ous places.

Would Not Accept Czar's Offer of Premiership at This Juncture

Not a Member of Majority Party in Duma and New Cabinet Must be Formed by

St. Petersburg, July 13.—The Associatived Press learns from a reliable source that emperor Nicholas has offered the premiership to Demitri Shipoff, but that the latter has refused the post on the grounds that he is not a member of the majority party in parliament and that the only possible cabluet in the present crisis is one composed of constitutional democrats.

Warsaw, July 13.—An attempt was made today to assassinate general Schoweisky, a member of the military tribunal. The general escaped without being hurt but his wife was wounded by two bullets.

EMERSON SCORES AGAIN

Vancouver, July 13.—The provincial government has lost its case against J. S. Emerson. Word has been received that the full court had sustained the finding of chief justice Hunter, who held that as Mr. Emerson's logs had been seized before the new act came into force the government could not hold them.

"SWIFTWATER BILL" WANTED
Seattle, July 13-Private detectives are searching Seattle high and low in an effort to locate "Swiftwater Bill" Gates and hall him into court on contempt proceedings. So far their efforts have been unsuccessful, for the elusive Klondiker, if he is in Seattle, has kept himself out of sight. This is not the first time Gates has eluded the officers. Last year when he came to Seattle he managed to escape but was located later with the result that several attorneys found themselves in danger of disbarment because of an 'attempt to make him the victim of a hurry up game with a financial object.

The present desire for "Swiftwater" is the purpose of compelling him to comply with the order of the court made when Bera Beatrice Gates was given a decree of divorce, to pay her alimony amounting to about \$10,000. "SWIFTWATER BILL" WANTED

Seattle, July 13.—Joe Gans of Ban more, champion lightweight pugilist the world, has, arrived here to get rea-for his match with Dave Holly, whi will take place at Pleasant Beach t latter part of this month. Gans at Holly will fight July 23 and weigh in Holly will fight July 23 and weigh in at 135 pounds at 8 o'clock at Pleasant Beach. Holly is already hard at work at Madison Park, for he has long wanted a go with Gans at 20 rounds, which he thinks will give him a chance to show his real ability. Joe does not say much about Dave except that he is a tough nut to crack, but of his ability to crack him he has no doubt. The men have until 24 hours before the fight in which to pick a referee.

WAGE SCALE AGREED UPON

Work Will be Resumed in Central Pennsylvania Bitu Harrisburg, Pa.; July 13.—The operators and miners of the Central Pennsylvania bituminous coal fields have reached an agreement with but slight change in the scale. The agreement provides for open shop, arbitration, and an advance 5.55 per cent on the

TO PROMOTE TEMPERANCE London, July 13.—The will of John Crowle, a well known merchant of London, gives 11,550,000 for the promotion of temperance in England, under the direction of the Wesley Methodist conference, conditioned on the church raising a like amount within five years.

five years. CONNEAUT LAKE ON FIRE Cleveland, July 13—A bulletin from Con-neaut Lake, Pa., says that a great fire is raging there and the town is in danger of

SCHOOL SHIP ASHORE. Gibraltar, July 13.—It is rumored that