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THE DESIRE FOR connection with the Pacific railway is manifesting itself all along the Lake Ontario ports. Kingston is moving to complete security punctually at the hour, the contract its northern line to Pembroke, from which point it has running powers over the Canada Central and given to Frazer, Grant & Co. One-half of

in the economy crusade, and it hopes to see it would be in the public interest to wait, and such an agitation that by next election the candidates offering will be forced to pledge a price \$214,765 higher. Under such circumtheir influence in the house in favor of a reduction of the cost of government.

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL yesterday gave Mr. John Waters, M. P. P. for North Middleson to

Federal cabinet, but it cannot give the names ruption up to the present time. at present. When completed, however, 'the cabinet will at once proceed energetically 'with the preparation of the business of th

An AGREEMENT has been settled by the Grand Trunk Company for the leasing and working of the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce on a per centage division of the receipts. The sult will be to secure to the present bondholders about three per cent per annum, with decre

The people of Beeton think that they have struck oil in that vicinity. There is considerable excitement. The Transfer of the headquarters of the Grand Trunk to Toronto is one of the probabilities of the near future. The interests of this company are increasing greatly in the west; it has a road of its own from the Detroit river to Chicago; the competition is more at the west than at the seaboard, and the nearer the management is to that point the better the than at the seaboard, and the nearer the management is to that point the better the administration; and now it has taken over the Toronto, Grey and Bruce. All these facts point to a move westward and Toronto is the point to a move westward and Toronto is the toronto is the point to a move measurement of the probably be absent for one or two years.

A man named Roland was arrested on suspicion of having burglarized the post office at Douglas, but managed to escape from the constable who was taking him from Renfrew to Douglas. spot likely to be selected. The Grand Trunk expects to get a large share of the Pacific railway traffic, and if it can make any arrangement with the Northern or Midland roads for running-powers over their lines, its managers running-powers over their lines, its managers

assertion that nothing can be disclosed till parliament meets, remind one of the Irishman who approached a colored man very mysteriously, said, whight implications of the parliament meets, remind one of the Irishman who approached a colored man very mysteriously, said, whight implications in the process of the parliament meets, remind one of the Irishman who approached a colored man very mysteriously, said, whight implications are remarkable to the colored man very mysteriously. ously, said, 'whisht' imploringly, lead him round the corner on tip-toe, and then asked him if he knew that it was a wet rain. The Mail has such a double-leaded article on the Melikoff is to be removed from his office in Pacific Railway this morning, and after reading it, we are no wiser than if some one told us that the rain to-day was not dry. There is not one definite statement made. We are told that the contract has been completed, most of the signatures attached, though some details have yet to be added. 'Meantime the country 'can rest satisfied that the government has 'made a bargain that will be received 'with satisfaction, and accepted with confidence by parliament.' When the legislature will be assembled to ratify the 'The British Consul at the island of Samon.'

St. Petersburgh.

A new chapel is to be built by American capitalists for Pere Hyacinthe.

It is affirmed that France will rejoin the European concert and assist in enforcing the treaty of Berlin.

Oxford is to be disfranchised for the shame-less bribery which was prevalent in that constituency during the last election.

The Prussia Government seriously contemplistes who were deprived of their benefices under the falk laws. Pacific Railway this morning, and after reading | St. Petersburgh. confidence by parliament. When the legislature will be assembled to ratify the bargain is not announced, but it is hinted that it will be some weeks earlier than usual. The old plea of the dignity of parliament comes up again in the Mail's article:

under the falk laws.

The British Consul at the island of Samos, on the coast of Asia Minor, where the disturbances recently occurred, has requested the presence there of a British man-of-war.

The bishop and clergy of Cork diocese have conferred together and promulgated a scheme

THE STORY OF CHAPLEAU'S BRIBE. The story of the \$4,000 bribe to Mr. Chap-

leau, of the public works department, was re-told, with an addition, at the last sitting of the Pacific railway commission in Winnipeg. J. J. Macdonald says his first conversation with Chapleau was at the Russell House Ottawa, after the work had been awarded to Andrews, Jones & Co. Chapleau advised Macdonald to see them and get a share of the contract, as they were men of means and he could get a good position. Macdonald declined, saying that their figures were too low. The next time he met Chapleau was in the presence of Frazer, of Frazer, Grant & Co. After talking for some time Macdonald turn d to Chapleau and made him an offer of \$4,000 if he prevented Smith, of New York-who was his intimate personal friend—coming to the assistance of Andrews, Jones & Co., by furnishing part of the additional security required to close the contract with the government Chapleau accepted the offer, and Macdonald says Frazer agreed to the transaction. The result of this arrangement was that the per-suasive Chapleau influenced Smith, and that failing to deposit the whole of the \$200,000 the amount was paid in, and a request was made for a week's time to make up the rest THE ORANGEVILLE GAZETTE has also joined but Sir Charles Tupper said he did not consider of suspicion must hang over Sir Charles Tup

John Waters, M. P. P. for North Middlesx, to understand that he could not at present see his way clear to admitting the Biddulph prisoners to bail. Mr. Mowat approved of their being tried by a special commission.

The Mail, with the old indefiniteness, says there is to be more than one change in the Federal cabinet, but it cannot give the names

THIS MORNING'S NEWS.

Epizootic in London The Halifax exhibition did not pay. The Labrador fishing has been good

The population of Belleville is 9,392, decrease of 595 from last year. contingent advances. The arrangement has been approved of by the Committee of the

THE CONTRACT CLOSED.

The Mail is allogether too mysterious in its position of a leading government organ. Its double-leaded articles, its big words and its assertion that nothing can be disclosed 411 Sitting Bull to the contract of the c

The leaguers will be tried for conspiracy

presence there of a British man-of-war.

The bishop and clergy of Cark diocese have conferred together and promulated a scheme for land is effort and it will be reserved for presentation to parliament when it is summoned. This was the course we suggested and expected, and it will no doubt meet with the approval of the representatives of the people on both siles of politics.

Perhaps it may satisfy the representatives of the people but these people themselves think otherwise. They think that parliament would be none the less able to vote intelligently on the contract if the terms had been fully ventilated in the public press and in conversation than it will be, however well they may be aired on the floor of the house.

For our own part we would be glad to learn that the road had been turned over to a company, and we are further prepared to give the government credit for making a fair bargain, but mp to the present time the vaporings of the Mail has given us neither ray nor inkling, and we are asked to remain in Egyptian darkness till the meeting of parliament. But there are other sourges of information besides the columns of the Mail.

Practical Hatter and Furrier.

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