BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial New in a Connensed Form.

From Friday's Daily, -H. St. T. Cayley, of Vernon, and H. R. Hopkins have applied for admission to the bar of the supreme court.

-Ex-Constable John Smith was as saulted by an old enemy on Government street last night and severely punish-

-At a meeting of the finance commit tee of the Queen's birthday celebration committee a collection of \$2,500 to date was reported.

The enterprising proprietor of the Cliff house has arranged to give a se- Reds. ries of open air minstrel performances at that resort in the very near future

-During the month of April there number of marriages-the exact numwere registered.

-The case of George J. Cook, charged with assaulting Mrs. Salloway, wis concluded in the police court this morn Cook was discharged upon pay ment of \$2 costs.

-The Delta Horsebreeders' association has been incorporated, with a capital stock of \$2,500, by Frank Kirkland Wm. Goudy, W. H. Ladner and Joseph Jordan. The association has purchased the well known stallion Karbout from Mr. E. B. Hill.

-At a meeting of the board of the British Columbia stock exchange yesterday afternoon amendments to their bylaws providing for the admission of ed. To-day details will be arranged for of Hilo. the opening call day, Wednesday next.

-Mr. W. T. Collinson, of Mayne island, has, through Mr. William Burns, inspector of schools, presented to the provincial museum an excellent specimen of the American eagle. The bird measures a little over seven feet from tip to tip.

-The following are the inland recenue returns for April:
 Spirits
 \$ 7,905 46

 Malt
 2,106 35

 Tobacco
 4,224 62

 Gigars
 680 40

 Inspection petroleum
 3 00

Total \$14,910 83 -Captain John Irving, Mr. William Wilson and Mr. L. Goodnere have incorporated a company with a captal stock of \$500,000 for the purpose of ac quiring and systematically developing the Freeburn claims in the Trail creek district. The company is entitled the Freeburn Gold Mining company. Shares

ure \$1 each. -At the Dominion hotel last evening the Rev. Solomon Cleaver united in marriage George W. Parsons, of Black Diamord, Wash., to Miss Miranda Ken dall, of Kent, Wash. Mr. Frank Smith supported the groom, and Miss Emma sumptuous repast. Mr. and Mrs. Parsors leave for home to-day.

-The United States Coast and Geo-Survey has issued a new earry of Charts Nos. 8500, "The Northwest Coast of America from Icy Bay to the Bay, Cook Inlet." On chart 8500 a number of important charges have been made in the hydrography of the upper part of Cook Inlet. The chart of Kach emak Bay has also been consideraoly changed.

-His Honor the Lieut.-Governor in Council, by an order in council passed on the 24th of April, orders that section 13 of the land act amendment act of last session apply only to lands the right to which is acquired after the passage of the act. The section all ided to now reads as follows: "All crown grants hereafter issued shall contain a provision that in the events of any lan ls so conveyed being divided into town lots, every fourth lot shall be re-co.1- ternoon the first of a series of pupil veyed to the crown.'

A case of some interest to the building trade was heard this morning at the police court. The revenue collector, Mr. Smith, laid an information against Henry Burns, a painter, for an alleged infraction of the city license by-law, in taking a painting sub-contract without first having obtained a license. The evidence of the prosecution failed to show that the contract had been made within three months, and Mr. Archer Martin, for the defendant, applied for his dismissal without calling any withis dismissal without caring any the RecitationG. Berridge resses. The magistrate dismissed the RecitationG.

corded in yesterday's issue of the Ga- mer season. zette: William L. Fagan, of Vancouver, assistant assessor and collector under for the county of Cariboo.

ation. It will be remembered that the "go-to-meeting" trousers. He the Hawaiian authorities, and a large son had, in the meantime, followed him quantity of opium was found in her up and finally succeeded in locating him Captain Anderson and C. E. in the woods. When captured a loaded Gale, who is better known to Victorians as George Wade, got eighteen months' his possession. He was taken back to hard labor, and the members of the erew lighter sentences. Recently they were put to work in a rock quarry. A "had gang" has been established, and von place your order. Shore's Hardware they are in it. They work in a section Store. of the quarry that has no avenues of escape. with rifles watch them closely. The Krienke of the Knights of the Macca-

Henrietta crowd, Mr. Gale, or Wade, organizing a subordinate tent of the The takes to work like a little man. Henrietta and all her belongings will be sold by the marshal on May 12.

-Garden tools at cut prices at Shore's Hardware store, 57 Johnson street. *

-Yesterday evening a lady called at the Y. M. C. A. and handed Secretary Carter a cheque for \$25. The dono: of the much appreciated gift expressed regret at not being able to contribute

Hay carried off the championship, securing thirteen new members. The result was 21 for the Blues and 14 for the

-Wm. Steven and Miss Bella Ann Anderson, both of Victoria, were united in marriage at the residence of Mr. were 19 births, 13 deaths and a la ge Richmond, Rendall street, this afternoon, by the Rev. Dr. Campbell. Miss ber not being obtainable, as only five C. Forbes acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. P. Sweeney supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Steven will make their home in Victoria West.

> -A very enjoyable concert and dance was given by the Daughters of England in their hall, View street, last evening. The programme was as follows: Song, Mr. Sherburne; song, Mr. J. G. Brown; recitation, Miss Furnival; song, Miss Webster; club swinging, Mr. Wilby; song, Miss King; song, Mr. Cave.

-Advices received on the steamer Miowera from Honolulu state that the long inactive crater on the summit of Manna Loa, 13,000 feet above the level of the sea, has become suddenly active. This is the first disturbance at this point! since 1886, when the tremendous overbrokers other than members were pass- flow of lava nearly destroyed the city

> From Saturday's Daily. -Fishing tackle at Shore's Hardware.

Mongolian pheasants have been introduced from Oregon into Maine.

-Rev. R. E. Knowles, at one time a resident of Victoria, was recently married at New Berne, North Carolina, to Miss Emma Katharine Jones, of that place.

-An old offender, Sewell Simms, was arrested by the police this morning charged with having stolen a pair of blankets. He will get a hearing on Monday.

-A Chinaman, charged with an infraction of the streets by-law, was convicted and fined \$5 in the police court this morning. His offence consisted of cutting wood in the street.

-Last evening, instead of holding their usual practice, the cheir of the Metropolitan Methodist church accepted the kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Cleaver and spent a most enjoyable evening at the parsonage.

-At a meeting of the committee of the new Stock Exchange of British Columbia held yesterday afternoon to con-Host Jones, of the Dominion, served a tion on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock in Pioneer hall.

-Mr. W. J. Bowser has declared his intention of contesting the district of Burrard in the interest of the Conservative party at the approaching elections. Mr. Bowser's card appears in the News-Semidi Islands," and 8851, "Kachemak Advertiser. Mr. Bowser is not, by any means, the choice of the Conservatives of that district, but that does not seem to trouble him in the slightest. He will run anyhow.

> -An excellent programme had been arranged for last evening's regular weekly meeting of the Sir William Wallace Society, and a most enjoyable evening was experienced by all who were fortunate enough to be present. Mr. Cally, secretary of the St. Andrew's Society of Vancouver, delivered a short address on the work of this organization. Before the meeting adjourned the question of the erection of a Burns memorial was discussed.

-At the Central school yesterday afconcerts were given. Miss May Gowen occupied the chair and the programme was as follows:

Vacal duet....V. Hickey and V. Schofield Recitation L Saunders
Voical solo M. Lyons
Recitation W. Alexander
Vocal Duet I. Packard and J. Taylor Recitation G. Furnival
Clubs M. Wolfe
Recitation A. Cohen

One of these concerts will be given on -The following appointments are re- the first of each month during the sum-

-By the steamer Joan, arriving this the assessment act, and collector of ev- afternoon, it is learned that Provincial enue under the revenue tax act for the Constable Hutchison, stationed at county of Vancouver; Charles Cunliff Union, succeeded in capturing a suspi-Fisher, of Westminster, assistant col- cious looking character who is charged lector and assessor under the assess- with several robberies in the vicinity of ment act, and collector under the reve- Qualicum and Baynes Sound. He opennue tax act for the county of Westmin- ed his career of theft by breaking into ster, except Hope and Yale polling sub- Mr. Eccles' house at Qualicum, where She has come to consult with her attorndivisions; Edwin Albert Bird, of Alert he stole five sacks of flour, a boat and Bay, justice of the peace for the county some other effects. Thence he pro-of Nanaimo, and Thomas J. Darby, of ceeded to Fanny Bay and called on Mr. Crittenden & Crow's Bar, to be a justice of the peace Cowie with a tale of woe. Mr. Cowie -From Honolulu papers received by his absence the thief entered the house, the Miowera it appears that the author rifled the drawers and secured a valuities are showing Captain Anderson, C. able gold watch, but happily for the E. Gale and the crew of the opinin owner, overlooked the sum of \$80 which smuggler Henrietta but little consider- lay in one of the pockets of Cowie's Henrietta cleared from here for Mexicalled on Mr. Greaves, the telegraph co in November last. About a month operator, stole another boat and rowed afterwards the schooner was seized by to Denman Island. Constable Hutchi

> Union, where he now lies awaiting trial. From Monday's Daily. -See the "Perfect" bicycle before

double-barrelled shot gun was found in

Two mounted guards armed -Deputy Supreme Commander E. M. papers report that the gentleman of the bees, is in the city for the purpose of

-The British Columbia Southern Railway Company elected the old board of directors, at the annual meeting held Saturday afternoon.

-Sheriff Macmillan, returning officer at the forthcoming Dominion elections from Ottawa thi received the writ norning. The date for receiving nom inations is fixed for Tuesday, June 16, and that for polling a week later.

The membership contest between the plar, I. O. G. T., organized a Good Tem-plar, I. O. G. T., organized a Good Templars' lodge at Sidney on Saturday even-plars' lodge at Sidney lodge ing. Officers will be elected by the new lodge at its next meeting.

> -At the Caledonia park races Saturday Eagle bicycles were winners of ive firsts, eight seconds and both final heats, fered by the association. Truly a record to be proud of.

-Ensign Cowan and Captain Zerbrath, of the local Salvation Army, having been transferred to Vancouver, furewell services were held in the barracks last evening. Next Thursday evening a welcome meeting of the new officers, Adjutant Macdonald and Captern Sheard, will be held. The district headquarters, which were some time ago removed to Vancouver, will in the future be located at Victoria.

-The annual meeting of the British Columbia Medical Council was head this morning, officers for the ensuing year being elected as follows: Preside t. Dr. John A. Duncan, Victoria; vicepresident, Dr. R. E. McKechnie, Nanaimo; treasurer, Dr. W. J. McGuigan, Vancouver; secretary and registrar, Dr. G. L. Milne, Victoria. Routine business having been disposed of, the council adjourned until to-morrow, when the examinations commence.

-Early yesterday morning it was found that the Government street door of the Prince of Wales saloon had been broken open. It was thought that a burglary had been committed, but an examination showed that nothing was missing.

-D. W. Davis, ex-member for Alberta, who has been appointed collector of customs and government agent for the Yukon district, will leave for Fort Cudahy immediately. The salary attached to the post is \$3,000 per year. A liberal allowance is to be made for expenses.

-Police Magistrate Macrae had several offenders to deal with this morning, the list including three drunks, only one of whom was fined, it being the first offence for the other two. Riley Robbins got one month with hard labor for stealing some lead pipe from the Hickman-Tye Company, to which charge he pleaded guilty. Patrick Riley, arrested for breaking a window in the Omineca saloon, was discharged, the proprietor refusing to lay a charge against him.

-The many British Columbians who know and respect Prof. James V. Robertson, Dominion dairy commissioner. Belway assisted the bride. After the sider the proposed constitution it was will be interested in the announcement ceremony had been performed Mine decide to give the matter further atten- that he is about to take unto himself a wedding, wife. Cards are out for the which, which is to take place en Wednesday, the 6th inst. The prespective ing the voyage. She comes consigned as soon as the board can receive the bride is Miss Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mather, of Ottawa. A host of British Columbians will wish the merchandise for Victoria merchan's. commissioner and his bride long life, prosperity and happiness.

> -Dr. William McNaughton Jones. superintendent for British Columbia of the Dominion quarantine service, died vesterday afternoon at his residence. William Head, of hemorrhage of the brain. Death came very unexpectedly, the doctor having been ill for a very short time. Dr. Jones, who was a native of England, landed in Victoria just 34 years ago to-day, coming via Panama. He was 64 years of age. After practising in Victoria for a few years he was appointed colliery doctor at Wellington, where he remained for some time. Shortly after his return here he was appointed quarantine inspector, and the completion of the William Head station was made superintendent of the service. A widow and several sons and a daughter survive him. The remains will be brought to Victoria for interment, but the date of the funeral has not yet been announced.

Pure blood is the safeguard of health. Keep the blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla if you would be well.

IN FAVOR OF ARBITRATION.

Resolution In That Regard by the Meth. odist Episcopal Conference.

Cleveland, O., May 4.-At the general Methodist Episcopal conference ams morning, Dr. Mueller, Cleveland, offered a resolution favoring arbitration for all English speaking countries, which was adopted and a copy directed to be sent to the president of the United States.

BALDWIN BROKE HIS PROMISE. And Relies on His Bad Reputation to Save Him.

San Francisco, May 4.-Miss Lillian A. Ashley of Pasadena, a young woman who is suing Millionaire E. J. Baldwin for \$75,000 for basely deceiving her, is in this city. eys, preparatory to the beginning of the

some other effects. Thence he proceeded to Fanny Bay and called on Mr. Cowie with a tale of woe. Mr. Cowie gave him some food and shortly afterwards went to the woods to work. In his absence the thief entered the house, rifled the drawers and secured a valuable gold watch, but happily for the owner. overlooked the sum of \$80 which lay in one of the pockets of Cowie's "go-to-meeting" trousers. He then called on Mr. Greaves, the telegraph operator, stole another boat and rowed to Denman Island. Constable Hutchi son had, in the meantime, followed him up and finally succeeded in locating him in the woods. When captured a loaded double-barrelled shot gun was found in his possession. He was taken back to

Most of the testimony will be by deposi-tion. There have been several taken, ag-gregating several hundred pages. The de-position of Miss Ashley herself is spread over 450 pages.



Strong Head Winds and Heavy Seas Encountered Throughout the Voyage.

Ship Ilala, From Liverpool, Loses Her Mate While Off Cape

The R. M. S. Miowera arrived at the uter wharf from Honolulu and Australia at 3:30 this morning, having sailed from Sydney, N. S. W., on April Sth. She touched at Suva, Fiji, on April 14, carrying off the two valuable prizes of- leaving the same day. The Warrimoo, bound south, was passed on the 15th. The equator was crossed on the 17th, and on the 22nd Honolulu was reached. The Miowera left Honolulu for Victoria on the morning of the 23rd. On the 29th, a four-masted schooner, supposed to be the White Star, bound for San Francisco, was sighted. On the 30th, the steamer sighted a four-masted bark and a full rigged ship fifty miles southwest of Cape Flattery. Throughout the voyage strong head winds were encountered. The passage throughout was of a very pleasant nature socially, several very successful concerts having been held. 'The Miowera this voyage is under the command of Captain Chas. W. Hay, who made himself so popular with the passengers that they handed him a very flattering testimonial at the termination of the voyage. The niowera's passenger list follows:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Purvis and family (2), Mrs. R. Rutter, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Fleming, Miss Fleming, Mrs. J. P. Mr. J. W. Noble, W. A Winch, Mr. G. H. Moore Browne, Mr. G. Farmer, Mrs. Weil, Captain Hanock. R.N., Mrs. Hanock, Mr. E. L. W. Bellhouse, Mr. J. McLaren, Mr. W. A. Shaw, Dr. Pringle-Hughes, Mr. B. A. Fox, Mr. W. B. Scott, Mr. W. Bell, Mr. J. R Farewell, Rev. V. H. Kitcat, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLagan, Sister M. Ludovici, Sister M. De Sales, Mr. J. McCallum, Mr. A. C. Aubray, Mr. S. Clapham, Mrs. Spence. Mr. A. Ballan-Mr. T. G. Goodwin, Mr. A. Rhodes, Mr. B. F. Broddus, Mr. A. A. Carroll, Mrs. A. De Vis, Master De Vis. Miss J. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bullock and family (3), Mr. W. E. Gibson, Mr. E. Cantwell, Mr. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hill, Mr. J. P. Hemen, Mr. W. Maxwell, Mr. T. M. Datte, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly.

After a fast voyage of 121 days, the British ship Ilala, 1329 tons register, Captain Davies, arrived at Esquimalt from Liverpool this morning. An oththe drowning of Second Mate Graham while off Cape Flattery at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. A strong southeast running at the time. The ship gave a The principal consignees are the Bank of British North America, Baker, Crawford & Co., R. P. Rithet & Co., Turner, Beeton & Co., J. W. Mellor, Pilkington Bros., Pither & Leiser, Mahrer & Co., J. Johnston. Canada Paint Co., Langley & Co., Jno. L. Cassidy & Co., Hudson's Bay Co., and George Percival & Co. Messrs. Cates & McDermott have secured the contract for discharging the vessel. They will at once begin removing the naval stores, and when this is completed she will be brought to the outer wharf, where the remainder of the cargo will be unloaded.

The Vancouver Marine Railway company gives notice of incorporation in favorable winds will make the Golden the current issue of the B. C. Gazette. pliances and appurtenances that are necessary for effectually docking, repairing, clothes. refitting, rebuilding and equipping steamers, ships or vessels.

A dispatch from Port Townsend states that the vessel reported off Cape Flattery as the Cambusdoon was the British ship Desdamona, now in Esquimalt. The Cambusdoon is now thirty days overdue and grave fears for her safety are entertained. She is sugar laden for the Vancouver refinery.

The steamer Mexico arrived from Althe outer wharf for a short time, left for the Sound. She is advertised to leave Seattle on her return trip north to-morrow afternoon, and will be due at the outer wharf on Sunday.

The Dominion government steamer Quadra, Capt. Walbran, returned this afternoon from Mud Bay, where piles were driven to mark the channels leading to the Big Slough, Serpentine and Nicomkl rivers.

From Saturday's Dally. All the schooners engaged in sealing on the west coast are expected in within the next few days. The last of these to get away is the first to arrive home. The Walter L. Rich, Captain Parsons, which did not leave until February 19th, sailed into port last evening after a rather unsatisfactory season, her catch being only 93 skins. The Rich went as far north as Sitka. small catch is accounted for by the rough weather and the scarcity of seals.

skins and San Jose with 231. The C P. N. Co.'s steamer Danube, Captain Meyer, returned from Port to Cook's Inlet. mpson and way ports last night with the following passengers on board: Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Hetherington, Miss K. Shelvey, Mrs. Christenson, A. H. Pol- steamer Aurora from the ice fields lard, J. Carnell, W. H. Tribes, Bishop

son and Mrs. Hall.

terday for transshipment on the Miowera to Honolulu. The Miowera will busy in 1896. also carry a large shipment of Tacoma hops to Australia.

shippard, and it is said by experts to profit. be a very fine piece of work. The model is also pronounced to be a very getting their steamers and schooners gone to pick up the disabled vessel. built on the Sound would have their vessels built here, thus employing our own workmen and citizens, it would keep the money in the city, improve business and leave a better impression."

Liverpol, May 2.-The Cunard steamship Etruria, Captain Ferguson, while ageable. She capsized and both men leaving port to-day for New York, collided in the Mersey with the Italian bark Geronima Branchia. The bark was so badly damaegd that she had to be beached to save her from sinking. The Etruria sustained no damage worth mentioning, and will be able to proceed to New York this afternoon.

San Francisco, May 2.—The schooner Viking, which left port on November 14th for the south seas, is a month over due and fears are expressed for her adian government has adopted an order safety. The Viking carried a crew of in council exempting American vessels

San Francisco, May 1.-The tugs Fearless and Vigilant got back from a four days' cruise after the British saip Republic last night. The vessel was burned at sea when 250 miles off 'he coast, and the tugs were sent out 10 look for her after Captain Hughes had abandoned her. When the tigs went out Captain Haskell, in the Fearless, She Is Pronounced Out of Danger and Captain Randall, in the Vigilant, took the south and east direction. Neither tug spoke the other until yesterday Tucker has been pronounced out of morning, when, after scouring one handred miles of ocean each, they gave up lieved that when Commander Booth the search and headed for San Francisco. When a few miles off the Farallones they ran across each other, and sist him in his work. She has planned came back into port almost neck and to do the Pacific coast. neck.

Washington, May 2.-Instructions have been sent forward from the navy Dear Editor: department to San Francisco for the :rral of the battleship Oregon. The conditons of the trial trip will be precisely the same as those in the case of her erwise pleasant voyage was marred by sister ships, the Indiana and the Massachusetts. The trial will take place over a thirty-one knot course in the Santa Barbara channel, just outside of the old gale was blowing and very heavy seas Olympia course. As there has been sudden lurch and Graham was washed between the shipbuilders of the Atiana strong spirit of emulation manifested overboard and drowned. It was imposs the and Pacific, much interest is felt in sible to lower a boat, so that nothing the outcome of the Oregon's trial. I'he could be done to save the unfortunate California builders are expressing conman. Graham was only twenty-three fidence that they will be able to match years of age. His parents live in L'r- the 16.2079 knots of the Massachusetts erpool. The Ilala spoke no vessels dur- when the trial is run off, which will be London, Ont.

> San Francisco, May 2.-Reinsurance Fanning Stuck By His Train To the on the British ship Craigmore, over due from Newcastle, N. S. W., was increased to 30 per cent. The report brought by the Robert Ferine and the Celtic Monarch, that arrived last night, some- Pacific railroad met the eastbound at what strengthened the belief that the tle train near here on Saturday, wreck-Craigmore is all right. The Ferine ing both trains. Engineer Fanning of was out 70 days and the Celtic Mon- the cattle train was killed. Fireman arch 77 days. Ten per cent. was paid P. McClelland, Engineer DeRoot, Fireon both ships for reinsurance.

From Monday's Daily. On Saturday the ship Elwell, coal laden from Nanaimo for San Francisco, was towed out to sea by the Holyoke. The Elwell was out only nine days from San Francisco on Saturday, and with

Gate in time to beat the record. The The principal promoters are Robert record for the round trip from San Hamilton, Griffith Griffith and W. H. Francisco to Nanaimo is now held by Armstrong. The capital stock is \$500. the bark Wilna, her time being sixteen 000, divided into 100,000 shares of \$5 days and six hours. Previous to that each. The principal object of the com- the Elwell held the record for a long pany is to construct, equip and operate time. Should she succeed in securing one or more marine railways, slips, her old place by this trip her captain docks, drydocks, dockyards and all ap- will be presented with a purse containing \$100 and will also get a new suit of

Washington, D.C., May 4.-The business of the great Manchester ship canal is looking up, according to the report to the state department by United States Consul Grinnell, at Manchester. On the basis of his figures he feels that the prospect for a more generally increased business from the United States direct to Manchester by the canal seems assured. During the first three months of this year, 67,389 bales of cotaska last night, and after remaining at greater quantity than has arrived during the entire two years since the canal opened on January 1st, 1896. It is also expected that a part of the American cattle and provision trade will be diverted to Manchester by the aid of the canal.

> The spread of the black plague in Hong Kong and elsewhere has influenced the United States government in taking every precaution to prevent its introduction through vessels arriving from the infected districts. On Saturday Old Dr. Gordon's Remedy for Men an order came to Port Townsend from Washington instructing the authorities that all baggage from China must be fumigated at Diamond Point quarantine station before being allowed to enter Puget Sound.

Any fears for the safety of the steam schooner Lakme, which left Seattle with a large number of passengers for Alaska, were set at rest, by the arrival of the vessel at Seattle yesterday. She was obliged to leave all her passengers at Coal Bay, on account of the ice that The Rich spoke the Venture with 232 blocks the entrance to Cook's Inlet. The steamer/Utopia is also at Coal Bay and as soon as the ice permits she takes her own and the Lakme's passengers

St. John's, Nfld., May 4.—This year's sel fishery closed with the return of the scoured the whole of the North Atlantic Perrin, Miss Perrin, D. Brown, Miss She encountered frightful weather and

Jacobsen, C. Billbrough, C. Christen- for a fortnight trying to force through London, May 4.—The position of the Clyde shipbuilding business is the best The steamer George E. Starr took it has attained in years. All trade dif-1200 sacks of flour to Vancouver yes- ferences have been settled, and there is enough work ahead to keep the yards

the ice and reach home. The total catch of seals is 207,000, which is The frames of Mr. C. Spratt's new considered very good, although damages tug boat are all in positon at the Star to the fleet will absorb much of the

Wilwaukee, Wis., May 4.—The steam fine one. Mr. Munsie's new schooner chest on the steamer Argonaut, bound in the same yard is also well advanced. The building of these vessels is giving with ore, exploded when the steamer a good deal of work to the mechanics was twenty miles off Sheboygan last of the city. Regarding the shippuild- hight. Nobody was hurt. A hole was ing industry a citizen writes: "If some blown through the steamer's hull above of our leading business men who are the water line. The Tug Welcome has

Sam Harris and another fisherman who went by the name of Steamboat Harry, started in a small sloop for one of the northern canneries from Fort Simpson about a month ago. When Smith's Inlet was reached the little sloop struck a gale and became unmanwere thrown into the sea. Harris reached shore safely, but his companion was drowned. For five days Harris exposed to the inclement weather. He was found by some Indians in a halffrozen condition and taken by them to River's Inlet. When the Danube left there, Harris' condition was serious and it was feared that the poor fellow's feet would have to be amputated.

Washington, May 4.-Word has been received here unofficially that the Canfrom entry and clearance charges at Canadian ports.

ROYAL Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength .- U. S. Government Report.

MRS. BOOTH-TUCKER.

Will Soon Resume Work.

San Francisco, May 2.-Mrs. Boothdanger by her physicians, and it is be-Tucker arrives in this city from New York, Mrs. Tucker will be able to as-

HE WANTS OTHERS TO KNOW.

Please state in your valuable journal, that if any sufferer from Nervous Debility, Seminal Weakness, Lack of Energy and Ambition, Lost Manhood, Night Losses, etc., will write me in confidence, I will inform him by sealed letter, free of charge how to obtain a perfect cure. I ask for no money, having nothing to sell. I know how to sympathize with these sufferers and am only too glad to be able to assist them. I promise everyone absolute secrecy and as I do not, of course, wish to expose myself either, I do not give my name. If you desire to get well, send stamp and address simply: P. O. Box 388,

ENGINEER WAS PLUCKY. Very Last.

Livingston, Mont., May 4.-The fast westbound mail train on the Northern man McClairville, a sleeping car poster and several others were severely hurt. the first probably fatally. Many passengers jumped. The air brake on Fanning's engine was not under control, and, though he hal ample time to jump, he stuck to his engine until too late.

RYAN ROBBED THE LODGE And His Employers—He Then Deserted His Wife and Eloped.

San Francisco, May 4.-Harry Ryan, treasurer of Acme court of the American Order of Foresters, and solicitor for Brown, Craig & Co., insurance agents, has misappropriated the funds of his brethren, embezzled the money of his employers, and in the company of a woman not his wife has fled from the city. Acme lodge has investigated his accounts, has found that he is something over \$600 short and has called upon the Pacific Security company, which went his bond, to make good the defalcation. Ryan's peculations from Brown, Craig & Co. amounted to over \$1200.

SOCIALISTS SUCCESSFUL.

In Many Municipal Elections Held at Marseilles and Elsewhere.

Paris, May 4.—The socialists were successful Saturday in the municipal elections held at Marseilles, Laciotat, Narbonne, Cette and Calais. Roubaix and Carmaux were defeated in Caen. Lavel, Lemans and Aloi. The Conservative and moderate newspapers clain that the elections show that the country is opposed to the Radical-Socialist programme.



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