In Campaign Waged by Revolution-

aries-Princess Alleged to Be Im-

plicated in Conspiracy.

of terrorism on a large scale has great-

ly intensified the hostility of the ruling

have been regarded as the brains of

the revolution, and it is believed has

correspondingly diminished the chances

of the Jews obtaining more than a

nominal enlargement of their rights.

Russian Popular party at Moscow, the

It is remarkable that amid all the

which the country is filled the music

halls and cafes are thronged nightly by

nese revolutionary acts have been

threatened with death if they testify

In the vendetta between the govern-

ment and the revolutionaries, women

and especially girls, who have always

played a prominent part in the liber-

leading role. Many of them are high

born. Princess Obolenski was arrested

at Rybnsk to-day near Yaroslay for

All eyes are now directed toward the

ountry where within the next few

weeks, the peasants will have finished

the harvest. In the cities the govern-

ment has demonstrated its ability to

hold down the proletariat, and, unless

the peasants rise. little beyond indi-

vidual acts of terrorism are expected

this fall. Renewals of agrarian dis-

orders have already been reported, but

Prince Shakoffski, who was convers

ing with Premier Stolypin when the bomb exploded in the latter's apart-

ment on August 25th, died at midnight

The officers of the Seminovsky regi-

ment, whose commander, General Min,

was assassinated August 26th, to-day

presented the Czarevitch, the honorary

colonel of the regiment with a sword

at the Alexander palace at Peterhof.

Emperor Nicholas made a speech h

TWO TROOPERS KILLED

n Fight With Foreigners-Further Loss of Life Feared.

Punxsutawney, Pa., Sept. 2.-In a

ploody battle this evening between for-

eigners and the twenty members of

Troop D. state constabulary in which

five hundred shots were fired, tw

troopers were killed and one fatally

The trouble began when Sergt, Logan

went to the Florence mine to search

with shooting his brother-in-law. Sal-

vatore Waltzoch started a street fight

him under arrest. An Italian made an

ineffectual lunge at Logan with a stil-

etto, when another Italian opened fire

on him with a magazine shotgun.

Logan received one buckshot wound in

the foot, and one Italian was perhaps

Logan, beliveing that he had a

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When the second detachment of fif-

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the stairs from the side door, but wer

confronted by three of the desperadoes,

who opened fire. Zehringer fell at the

first volley, but the other men escaped.

The gang immediately closed the door

and the house was riddled with bul

lets. Realizing that lives were being

sacrificed uselessly, the troopers sent

for carbines and prepared to keep the

house surrounded until morning. Fif-

teen troopers and several policemen.

together with many citizens heavily

VILLAGES WIPED OUT.

Lahore, India, Sept. 4.-Floods have

district. Whole villages have been ob-

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owlands have sought refuge in the

on raids made on the rice fields on high

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Gross and Cummings-dashed up

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Black Hand man to deal with, tele

and a detachment of five privates ar-

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WOMEN ARE ACTIVE.

FOUR BOYS KILLED

MATCH IGNITED GAS IN DISUSED MINE

Two |Fatal Automobile Accidents in East-Humane Society Medal for-Life Saving.

ween 14 and 16 years of age, named Patterson, Frew and Gunn brothers, were killed by an explosion in an bandoned mine yesterday. They, with what persuasion they could to draw inanother lad named Kormett, were play- dividuals from the column, and were ing ball near the slope at the lower end successful with a number, who manto the slope is partly covered, and from the guards. their ball rolled in. All five entered the ing the gas in the mine, which had not were hurled in all directions. One of ter in Haight street car barn. Patterson were alive when found, but cars. vere so badly injured that they died of the working mines.

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Automobile Accident. .

Toronto, Sept. 4.-Miss Jean Porter was killed by an automobile belonging A. J. Small, theatrical manager, at the corner of College street and Palmerton avenue last night. George Seagar was chauffeur. He made a satisfactory explanation to the authorities and was not arrested in conse-

Another Fatality.

front of the Imperial limited westbound which was just pulling into Carleton Place station. Mrs. Wm. Edwards, sister of Torrences was instantly killed. Torrence and his wife were seriously steamers. injured while two young children escaped with slight injuries.

More Locomotives.

Montreal, Sept. 4.-The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has placed with the Locomotive & Machine Company of Montreal an order for 50 loco motives which are required in addition to the usual weekly output of one locomotive from the Angus shops, for handling the constantly increasing traffic of the company. Thirty of these locomotives are for freight and twenty passenger traffic. The order repents an expenditure of \$1,000,000. The locomotives are to be delivered in

Blaze at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Sept. 4.-The Ottawa fire department had a nasty job at 6 o'clock this evening. Smoke was noticed emerging from the roof of the Langevin block, and on examination it was discovered that the woodwork beneath the copper sheeting of the roof was on fire There was little material for fire to the fire. on but it was hard to get at However, the brigade succeeded in getting at it and wrenching off some of the sheeting. About \$500 will cover the loss, which is practically from water. For Bravery.

Ottawa, Sept. 4.-The Royal Canadian Humane Society has awarded a medal to Master Charles Flemming, grandson of Sir Sanford Flemming and H Mackintosh for bravery in sayg the lives of Rev. Hugh and Mrs. Pedley in the St. Lawrence.

Insurance Commissioner.

Toronto. Sept. 4.-The insurance commission resumed its sittings here his morning. T. M. Ostrom, manager and director of the Monarch Life Com oany, was the first witness. Mr. Tille; stant government counsel, asked hy agents in Ontario received \$6 a are and agents in other provinces \$5. Mr. Ostrom said the reason this was that it was harder to sell surance stock in Ontario than in the ther provinces.

TWO HUNDRED ARRESTS Made By Soldiers in Warsaw-Terror ists Moving to Country Districts.

Warsaw, Sept. 4 .- Soliders this afrnoon occupied the Salsian gardens, which were crowded with nurses and hildren, and arrested 200 persons who ere without passports. This caused remendous excitement.

There are general indications that orists in large numbers have left arsaw for the purpose of terrorizing country districts. Governor-Gen al Skallon accordingly has ordered e return to the country of the police ho had been brought into the town, aving the country districts comparavely unprotected.

The wholesale searches which have en made here have resulted in complete failure.

Will Publish Platform.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 4.-Three huned revolutionists were expelled from here to-day, among them being many persons connected with the local press. The government expects to publish a few days its full programme ne country at the coming election.

ARBITRATORS WILL DECIDE.

Frisco Street Car Men Will Submi Questions to Board.

San Francisco, Sept. 5 .- The street back to work and submit the question wages and hours to arbitration.

The total clearings at the Victoria September 4th were \$817,751

'FRISCO RAILWAY STRIKE.

Mayor Schmitz Preparing Plan of Ar-'FRISCO RAILWAY STRIKE. bitration-Strike Breakers Arrive.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 4 .- A thouand strong the second contingent of Farley strike breakers were landed in this city this morning between midnight and dawn. Unlike the first train load, the majority of the new arrivals RUSSIAN COMMANDERS are experienced motormen and conductors and a few deserters from the ranks say that they have come west with a full realization of the conditions and a determination to break the strike at all hazards.

The strike breakers reached San Francisco on a river steamer from Vallejo. The two sections of the train conveying the strike breakers, one composed of men recruited in New York and the other of those gathered in Philadelphia, arrived in the navy Halifax, Sept. 4.-Four boys, all be- yard town at 10 o'clock last night. Union pickets met the men when they landed and marched beside them as they hurried south. The strikers used

Three hundred of the strike breakers slope in search of it, and, failing to find were taken to Turk and Fillmore it, one of them lit a match, thus ignit-street car barns, four hundred more were marched out to the Stockade at been worked for several years. A ter-prific explosion resulted and the boys and the last three hundred found shel-

he Gunn boys and Frew were killed No attempt was made by the United

Mayor Schmitz is busy on a plan of an hour. Kermett, who began to arbitration which he believes will bring retreat up the slope when his com- the strike to an end and result in a panions suggested lighting matches, satisfactory adjustment to both sides. scaped with his life but sustained a He intends to gather a board of arbi broken arm and severe bruises. The tration, the members of which will be force of the explosion was felt through- acceptable to both the united railroads but the town, and at first it was feared and to the striking car men. His that the explosion had occured in one method will be to suggest two names of known integrity and ask these two board.

MEXICAN STEAMER SERVICE NOW ASSURED

Ottawa, Sept. 5.-The trade and comfied to-day by the Mexican government by swimming. Ottawa, Sept. 3.-An automobile that arrangements had been entered driven by S. A. Torrence, agent of into with a syndicate, representing Bri-Frost and Wood at Carleton Place, at- tish capitalists, for steamer service betempted to cross the C. P. R. tracks in tween these countries on the Pacific The arrangements are for two years and conditional on congress and the Canadian parliament approving of the

MAN KILLED.

Fatal Explosion at Fresno, Cal .-\$300,000 Worth of Property Destroyed.

Fresno, Cal., Sept. 4.—As a result of ter the revolt of last winter. While response praising the loyalty of the terrific explosion, the shock of which parliament was in session attention regiment. was felt for a radius of ten miles, one was repeatedly called to Gen. Bauer's man was killed and another dangerous-ly wounded, and \$300,000 worth of pro-Caucasus. perty was destroyed this forenoon at

The explosion took place shortly after 9 o'clock in the sherry oven, where wine was being subjected to a pasteurand a member of the "Flying Group" izing process, and may have resulted from one of several causes, one of the most likely being spontaneous combustion of gases from the overheating of

the wine.

THE CUBAN REVOLT.

Suzman Advised to Delay Operations Against Government Forces Until September 15th.

Havana, Sept. 5.-Brigadier-General Juzman, commanding the rebel forces n the province of Santa Clara, is reported to have received a commission er sent to him by Pino Guerra, the rebel commander in Pinar Del Rio province, ordering Guzman to avoid any engagement with the government forces until after September 15th, when, unless advised to the contrary. he must begin an energetic campaign.

WILL INVESTIGATE.

Topeka, Kas., Sept. 4.—Investigations of the International Harvester Company have been instituted by C. C. Coleman, attorney-general of Kansas, to determine whether the concern is operating in violation of the state antitrust laws. All of the implement dealers in Topeka and Hutchinson will be subpoenaed to-day to tell what they know about the operations of the company. The applications for subpoenaes prepared by the attorney-general allege that secret arrangements and agree-

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

Lord and Lady Grey and Party Pay

Visit to Nelson. Nelson, B. C., Sept. 5 .- Their Excelencies, Lord and Lady Grey, and turning out to greet them.

Boundary to-morrow, and returning trict with them. will spend Saturday and Sunday here, taking a much needed rest.

KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

Chicago, Ills., Sept. 5.-Harry Jacobs 23 years old, known in prize fighting circles as "Kid Murphy," was run down by an automobile last night and reforms, on which it will go before suffered injuries which caused his ports everything in good condition. The

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Thumb nails grow the slowest, and middle finger nails the fastest. The nails aring house for the week ending of any two fingers do not grow with the light of any two fingers do not grow with the speech and hearing, convulsions, lockjaw, and eventually death. same rapidity.

FEAR FURTHER TROUBLE

Colonel of Rifle Regiment at Sebastopo Sentenced to Death by Terrorists.

Sebastopol, Russia, Sept. 5.-In answer to the publication of a notice from the terrorists that a sentence of death as in the cases of Tartars and Finns, had been imposed on Colonel Dumbadze, commander of a rifle regiment here, the officers of that corps in an the Zionist movement and urging the of the town of Stearton. The entrance aged to escape without interference open letter have announced that in government to assist it. case of an attack being made on the colonel they will exact vengeance on the leaders of the progressive parties.

Admiral Skrydloff, commander of the Black Sea fleet, and the military commander here are very apprehensive of the wife and children of a peasant who fate by the timely arrival of medical the attitude of the sailors of the fleet was considered to be a reactionary aid. nstantly. The other Gunn boy and Railway Company this morning to run and the garrison of the forts. The annual cruise of the training squadron as well as that of the regular fleet have been abandoned.

Trial at Kronstadt.

Kronstadt, Sept. 5.-The trial of two hundred participants in the recent mutiny outbreak, including M. Onipke, one of the peasant leaders in the outlawed parliament, and fifty other civilians, began here to-day behind closed doors. There are over a thousand wit- ation movement, continue to enact a nesses and therefore the proceedings are expected to be protracted.

Four Citizens Shot. Warsaw, Sept. 5.—Soldiers last night killed four citizens and made wholesale arrests in different parts of the town. A boy who was being pursued by soldiers jumped into the river Vistula merce department officially was noti- and was killed while trying to escape

> Situation in Caucasus St. Petersburg, Sept. 4.-News was received to-day that the Armenians recently burned eight Tartar villages and a large Tartar factory in this region. The situation in the Shusha, Jevenshir and other districts of southeastern Caucasus, where Tartar-Armenian hostilities are in full sway, have grown so serious that the viceroy has superseded Gen. Golochtkapoff, governor-general of Elisabethpol province, by General Bauer, whose name was coupled with that of General Alikhanoff in connection with the strong methods by which order was restored in the Caucasus af-

harshness by the members from the The murderess of General Min, who the big winery of the California Wine will be tried soon by court-martial, has Association. kova, daughter of a non-commiss

of the terrorists of Pensa province. The present activity of the revolutionists, aside from terroristic crimes, is directed principally to fomenting rouble in the country districts in hope | wounded, while three other persons re-The man killed was Henry Shelly, 45 of drawing troops there so as to give ceived bullet wounds. The murderers years of age, of San Francisco, a crip- the revolutionary "Druzzhinas" (fight- are to-night surrounded in a house at ple, who came here as a refugee after ing legions) a better chance of coping the Florence mine, seven miles from with the garrisons of the large towns here, and at daylight the attempt to n case of outbreaks.

CUBAN INSURRECTION.

While Many Natives Join Rebels They Are Unable to Defeat Government Forces.

Havana, Sept. 2.—"Neither side can whip the other" is the concise statenent now heard everywhere in Havana, and it may also be fairly construed o be the growing conviction of thoughtful persons throughout the isl-

At Havana at least this conviction has led, among all unprejudiced persons, to expressions of ardent hope that the prerogative of the Platt mendment will soon be utilized by the United States for the purpose of effectually putting an end to a condition that everybody believes is otherwise ound to grow more and more intoler

That the insurrection is growing con stantly is undeniably evidenced every day, and the decree of pardon recently extended by the government has brought ne appreciable change in the situation. One of the few Americans who joined the insurgent ranks came into Havana to-night. He says that ments exist between dealers in various the 15,000 insurgents now south of Artemisa, in scattered parties, shortly will concentrate with others from the vicinity of Guanajay, with the intention of capturing both Artemisa and Guanajay and holding the entire width of eastern Pinar del Rio province. They will thus control the situation far better than did the Spanish troops in the days of the famous Trocha, and at precisely the same points. The insurgents party reched this city at noon and have already taken Cabanas and Bahia were accorded a most hearty and en- Honda, on the north coast in Pinar husiastic welcome, the whole city del Rio province, and according to conservative statements they have easily The governor-general will go to the 75 per cent. of the people of this dis-

ISLAND CREAMERIES.

F. M. Logan Has Returned From Inspection Trip to Nanaimo and Comox.

F. M. Logan, inspector of creameries has returned from a trip to Nanaimo and Comox, where the creameries were in-spected at these points. The inspector re

found the darry arrangements very up-to-date, and the herds of cows are equal to any found elsewhere in the province.

Mr. Gunn, of Montreal, who accompanied Mr. Logan on the trip, is well pleased to find conditions as he did, and was somewhat surprised to see the spleneys of dairy cows kent on the Island of the most wonderful feathered creature known to the student of ornithology, the "bird of death." A wound from the beak of this creature causes exeruciating pains in every part of the body, loss of sight,

SURPLUS IN POST OFFICE DEPARTMEN St. Petersburg, Sept. 1.-The renewal

> WILL BE MORE THAN ONE MILLION DOLLARS

Five Year Old Boy Burned to Death-Every official report of assassination or other crime emphasizes the role played in it by Jews; and the last week Winnipeg Bank Clearings Continue saw the launching of two parties, the to Grow. National at St. Petersburg, and the

principal planks in whose platforms are for the exculsion of Jews from all Montreal, Sept. 2.-At a political picpolitical activity and from service in nic held at Chambley Basin to-day infancy, is about 1,000 tons per season, the army, the latter to be commuted, Hon. R. Lemieux, postmaster-general, announced that his department would show a surplus of receipts over expenditures for the past year of over a mil-The Moscow organization proposes to rid the country of Jews by endorsing lion dollars.

> Lawrencetown, N. S., Sept. 2 .- Two children, aged four and six years, daughters of John Carter, who resides

near here, are dead from eating canned

boiled blueberries, and two other chil-

In the Baltic provinces near Venden were first shot and then allowed to perish in the flames which destroyed their residence. A teacher who Chatham, Ont., Sept. 2.-One of the took the place of a "striker" was amneaviest flowing oil wells in Tilbury east has been shot. In twenty-four bushed at night and his body riddled hours 250 barrels of oil flowed. It with bullets. All the witnesses of

prove one of the best in the field.

Seeking Free Delivery. Peterboro, Ont., Sept. 2.-The city council has decided to have a petition prepared for signature asking the Do

is thought that this well will eventually

minion government for a free postal FORESTRY CONVENTION delivery within the city limits. Killed in Collision.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1-At 1.30 o'clock this morning a collision took place between Medicine Hat toward Dunmore Junction. The trains were travelling at about twenty miles an hour, and met head on. Eleven cars were reduced to scrap iron and the engines telescoped clean through the cars. Engineer Glover was carried thirty feet in his engine cab, and it is believed his back is broken. An unknown man travelling on the train was killed, being practically decapitated. Five others of the two trains are in the hospital with scalds and other severe injuries. A bulletin from the hospital says all the injured men are in a serious condition, and Engineer Glover is not expected to live. This is the worst collision ever known on the Western division of the

Bank Clearings.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.—Bank clearings ontinue to show good gains over the corresponding periods in previous years, and the month of August has kept up the growth shown in the previous months of this year. The total clearings for the past month were \$38,778,304, a gain of \$8,474,462 over the same month last year, and being \$15,149,863 in excess of the August figures of 1904. For the eight months of the present year the aggregate gains over the same periods in 1905 and 1904 were \$76,470,076 and \$111,571,712 respectively. The fall onths, when the crop-moving period on in earnest, will mean a heavy denand for currency, and with the big crop to be moved this year clearings

will show heavy gains.

Fattening Stations. Sent. 1 .-- A. Foley, of the oss of life is feared, for the beseiged Italians are well supplied with arms last night from a trip along the C. & ablishment of the government coperative fattening stations which have een established at Wetaskiwin, Laomle, Red Deer and Innisfail, where oultry will be fattened for farmers with a countryman, and Logan placed system similar to the creamery arrargement.

Fatal Fall.

Winnipeg, Aug. 31.—A Hungarian borer ramed Jos. Hostein fell five stories from a warehouse to-day and was instantly killed.

New Wheat Brandon, Man., Sept. 1.-Considerable w wheat is arriving at the mills and levators here and is all being graded No. 1 Northern. The price paid is 60 cents a bushel, which the farmers think had taken place, but when about too low, and the majority of the farmers are deciding to hold their grain, be-Chambers and Mullen, in attempting lieving prices will advance.

Favor Dominion Convention

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 31.—The Baptists convention at Liverpool, N. C., have passed a resolution in favor of holding Dominion Baptist convention Eurned to Death.

Winnipeg, Sept. 1.-A five year-old on of Malcom McEachern was burned to death at Carmen, Man., to-day.

MURDERED IN BED.

A heartless crime has been committed at Lecco, on Lake Como, in the name of the "Camorra," the notorious Italian secret society.

A young man named Navazzo, who at that port on Lake Superior. Italian girl of 19.

levastated a large section of Behar have been destroyed and the indigo old associates, and sent in his resigna- but has now been incorporated in it. crop is ruined. The inhabitants of the tion to the Camorra. He received a re- The water power before being used ply to the effect that he knew too much. for shipping facilities will require to hills and are depending for subsistence and was too useful a member for his be dredged. That done there will be resignation to be accepted. excellent accommodation for the ship-He prayed and begged vainly for his ping interests of the company.

release. Lately, according to the Lau-

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they refused to take any action.

STORAGE FOR BAIT.

Project on Hand to Establish Plant in

among the business men of Nanaimo and who has taken a very deep interest in the fishing industry of that place, is organizing a company to raise \$50,000 with which to equip a cold storage plant in Nanaimo. This will be used for the storing of herring. There are now in Vancouver six steam vessels engaged in the fishing business, two of which use trawl. There are two from other building, making a fleet of ten that all require bait. Of sailing craft there are more than fifty from Puget Sound alone that nearly all use bait. Under such conditions a cold storage plant can easily supply, practically all bait used on the coast. The amoun required, with the fisheries still in their each steamer requiring in the neighborhood of 1,000 barrels per season. Mr. storage proposition for some time, and

expected that the scheme will be under way in a short time.

Canadian Association Towards End of Month.

The Canadian Forestry convention to held in Vancouver September 25th, as May, 1904, when the Dominion au-26th and 27th, promises to be well attended. The convention is held on the service, on behalf of Andrew Weir & nvitation of His Honor Lieut.-Gover- | Co., the Scotch shipowners, he put in a nor Dunsmuir and under the auspices tender for \$100,000 per annum, which of the British Columbia Lumbermen's would have practically divided the am-Association and the Canadian Forestry ount between Canada and Mexico as Association.

Summer tourist rates have been is- offer practically on the same basis as sued by the different railway companies | the contract just concluded, Weir & from all parts east of British Columbia. Company sent out a representative who Tickets may be purchased up to any investigated the mater and, at the last time before September 15th, good remoment, declined to complete the conturning till October 31st, with the priv- tract. This did not discourage Mr. ileges of stop-over tickets at any inter- Greer, however. Early this spring he mediate points. Tickets to other coast took the matter up with Col. Worsnop points in British Columbia are sold at who promised to proceed provided the the same rate and it is likely many who | Canadian subsidy could be revived. attend will visit Victoria.

The presence of His Excellency Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, will pleman and after the cabinet has disend additional interest to the event. The programme outlined is as folows:

Tuesday, Sept. 25th.-Arrival and recep ion of visiting members of the Canadian Forestry Association; inspection of lumber and shingle mills; 8.30 p, m., public reception to His Excellency the Governor-Wednesday, Sept. 26.-10 a. m., opening

of the convention, preliminary business, addresses, papers, etc.; 2 p. m., addresses Thursday, Sept. 27.—10 a. m., addresses, papers, etc.; 2 p. m., addresses, papers,

legariment of agriculture, returned legariment of agriculture, returned R. H. Alexander, secretary of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacture in the colum Papers and addresses will be given by railway in connection with the es- turers' Association; F. W. Jones, president of the British Columbia Mountain president of the Canadian Forestry Association and Dominion superintendent of forestry; Clifford Pinchot, chief of the forest service of the United States; Dr. and handled by the government on a Judson F. Clark, forester for the province of Ontario; Roland D. Craig, inspector of

Dominion forest reserves. The convention is under the patronage of His Excellency, with Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier as honorary president; E. Stewart, president; H. N. Price, vice-president; R. H. Campbell secretary-treasurer, and Roland D.

Craig, assistant secretary. G. T. P. TERMINALS.

Harbor Engineer of Company Tells of Work at Fort William and Prince Rupert.

J. H. Bacon, harbor engineer of the Grand Trunk Pacific, left Victoria last evening on his way east after inspecting the harbor work at Prince Rupert. He will proceed to Fort William, where the company have already acquired the wharfage facilities for their business

on the Great Lakes. The statement of Frank W. Morse that his company would be actively engaged in the carrying trade by the time next year's wheat crop was harvested indicates that work must be proceeded with at once at the Fort William terminus.

Mr. Bacon says that the borings are now being made preparatory to laying the foundations for the grain elevators ormerly lived at Naples, joined the so- company has a splendid site for the iety when in his teens, and remained terminals there, covering 1,600 acres, a faithful member until a few months and with a water frontage of about ago, when he married a beautiful seven miles. The area acquired was formerly Indian reserve, but has now Navazzo, who was a steady, hard- passed into the hands of the railway vorking young man and a clever cab- company. It was as an Indian reserve net maker, wished to rid himself of his just outside the town of Fort William,

Speaking of the Pacific terminus at name correspondent of the London Prince Rupert, Mr. Bacon confirms the project, visited the east at the same Daily Express, he was ordered "on a other reports concerning that harbor time. Mr. Cain was in Victoria yesterprivate mission," and rather than obey to the effect that it is equal in all re- day. the command he left Naples secretly spects to the requirements. The har-The young wife woke up one morn- sufficient depth to accommodate any the resumption of work on the railway. ing at the boarding house where they shipping. The townsite is a pretty one, Financial arrangements have been enwere staying and found her husband and there is every opportunity for es- tered into which will make it possible

> Mr. Bacon will return to the coast in north to the terminal point.

MEXICO SEEKING CANADIAN TRADE A. P. Johnston, who is prominent

NEW LINE OF STEAMERS

Tacoma and one from Seattle and an- British Columbia and Republic to Have Monthly Service Within Next Six Months.

Of every thousand dollars' worth of Canadian goods exported only six finds its way to Mexico. Though the republic with which the name of Perfidio Diaz is indissolubly associated is going ahead by leaps and bounds Canada is interested in the formation of such has, up to the present, shared very lita company. The Dominion government | the in the increased trade. In 1884 the is anxious to promote the building of Dominion sold Mexico goods to the such plants in order to develop the fish- value of \$11,571; in 1894, \$57,781; in 1904, ing industry and have on the east coast \$124,058, and, in 1905, \$113,455. It will be given a bonus of one-half of the cost seen that there was a decrease last of building similar plants, and pay a year. The same was true of goods imdren of the family escaped the same bonus of about \$5 per ton for all fish ported into Canada from the country supplied for bait. Ralph Smith, M. P., mentioned. For 1904 the total was met a number of Nanaimo men inter- \$85,078; in 1905 it was only \$60,911. The ested in the project: He is now in year 1903 was the banner one so far telegraphic communication with the de- with a combined total of \$262,600. This partment at Ottawa and is able to as- dropped in 1904 to \$209,486, and in 1905 sure the parties interested in this pro- to \$176,786.

This is all brought about by the want ject that the government will, as has been done on the Atlantic coast, bonus of a regular line of steamers between the company both for the plant and its British Columbia ports and those of output. Seattle men are taking an in- Mexico. Within six months, however, terest in the business, and it is fully inis will all be altered and a regular line of steamers established with a monthly sailing from either end of the route. A contract was signed within the past fortnight by Col. T. H. Worrepresenting a prominent firm IN VANCOUVER CITY of English shipbuilders, and the Mexican government whereby, in consideration of an annual subsidy of \$100,000 Mexican (\$50,000 in gold) it is agreed two freight trains three miles out of Programme Issued fr Meeting of the the line of steamers be established forthwith. The man practically responsible for the new commercial departure is J. H. Greer, of this city, who will probably act as representative of the line in British Columbia.

Mr. Greer has been working on the project for several years. As long ago horities advertised for tenders for this even at that time Mexico had made an investigated the mater and, at the last While in the east recently Mr. Greer laid the matter before Hon, Mr. Temcussed the matter it was decided to give a subsidy of \$50,000 per annum for five years if the Mexican government still stood by its offer. There is hardly a possible hitch that can occur to preent the inception of the new service. Two steamers of A1 class, under the British flag, will inaugurate the new

ine. They will each carry not less than 4,500 tons of cargo and have accommodation for both first and second class passengers. Their speed will be twelve knots between ports; or two knots better than the original proposiat Mazathan, San Blas, Manzanilla, Acapulco, Puerto Angel, Salina Cruz, Tonala and San Benito. This embraces the whole of the Mexican coast, below the Gulf of California, Mazatlan being opposite Cape San Lucas and San Benito almost on the Guatemalan border. Salina Cruz will, of course, be one of the principal ports of call. Situated at the western terminus of the Tehuantanec railway that spans the isthmus it will, within a very few years, at all events until the completion of the Nicaraguan canal, be one of the principal

ports of the southern Pacific. Mexico at present is one of the great ommercial openings for the Dominion Within the past decade her trade with Europe has doubled and with the Unnit ed States increased 200 per cent. The small showing made by Canada so far has been caused by want of communication. This cause will be removed by the end of March, 1907, unless some un foreseen obstacle arises. The Mexicans are beginning to be suspicious of the United States. It is openly alleged that recent troubles in the mining districts have been caused by United States capitalists with a view to fomenting trouble between the two republics, and the hope of consequent acquisition territory by the stronger. President Diaz recognizes this fully and the completion of the contract mentioned above marks the first step towards extremely friendly advances to the Dominic There is a great opportunity for trade. Mexico requires almost everything produced in Canada, and particularly British Columbia, and will be more than willing to purchase when proper channels of communication are pro-

MIDWAY AND VERNON.

D. H. Macdowall Has Returned From East-Says Road Will Be Built

D. H. Macdowall, of this city, has anrived home from the east after a trip extending from June. In addition to private business Mr. Macdowall also made the trip east in connection with the Midway and Vernon railway af-

fairs. John Cain, of Port Angeles, who is also prominently identified with that

Mr. Macdowall says the results of bor itself is spacious, and the water of their negotiations in the east will be lying dead by her side with a stiletto tablishing a beautiful city at Prince to begin work again on the Midway

and Vernon at an early date. A meeting of the board of managehad been engraved. This fact left no time to meet President Hayes, Vice- ment of the railway was held in Vicdoubt as to who had committed the President Morse, Chief Engineer Kelli- toria since the return of Mr. Macdowall crime, and when the police heard of it her and other officials, and proceed and an adjournment taken until a later