WON THE CUP.

Otto Weiler Has Become the Owner of the Four Crowns' Challenge

Trophy.

The trap shooting contest held at the

exhibition this morning was attended by

a large crowd, although the number wh

a large crowd, although the number who entered was only five. Otto Weiler was successful in winning the trophy offered, the Four Crowns' challenge cup, by a score of 41 out of a possible 50, and having won the cup three times takes possession of it. The conditions were that the cup had to be won three times, not necessarily in succession. The scores made were as follows:

Otto Weiler, 41; R. Patton, 38; W. N. Lenfesty, 36; R. Peden, 34; W. H. Adams, 34.

Montreal Woman Sues Hospital For

Fifty Thousand Dollars--Con-

vention of Manufacturers

Tobermoray, Ont., Sept. 22.—Capt.

Fitzgerald, mate of the steamer Alas-

ka, was drowned at Driftwood Cove

swim ashore. Fitzgerald's body has

Montreal Sept. 24.-A party of fifty

Mormons, mostly women, reached port yesterday on the steamship Dominion.

Manufacturers Meet.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Several hundred manufacturers have arrived in Toronto

to attend the thirty-sixth annual convention of the Manufacturers Associa-

tion, which opens at the King Ed-

G. D. Grant's Illness.

hospital, decided not to operate for a

Laid at Rest.

Seeks Damages.

Montreal, Sept. 23.-Mrs. James

her orders. Cairns died in the hos-

New Gas Plant.

contracts for the laying of mains and

Canadian Ticket Agents.

Winnipeg, Sept. 24.—The convention of the Canadian ticket agents will take

delegates will be present from all over

while in the city.

Canada and will stop at the big hotel

Denied by Police.

CONFIDENCE IN PASTOR.

Official Board of Methodist Church at

Rossland Has Faith in Rev.

A meeting of the quarterly official

Toronto, Sept. 24.-A consultation of

ward hotel to-day.

Mormons for IItah.

MANUFACTURERS'

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS AT ANNUAL CONVENTION

Is in Favor of Export Duty on Canadian Pulp Wood--Financial Stringency.

Toronto, Sept. 24.-A strong plea fo an export duty on Canadian pulp wood was one of the features of President Harry Cockshutt's address to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at its annual meeting at the King

"By allowing this material to leave our country in its unmanufactured state we are simply contributing to the upbuilding of our greatest industrial rival," he said. "The imposition of country in its unmanufactured state we are simply contributing to the upbuilding of our greatest industrial rival," he said. "The imposition of country in its unmanufactured to the state we are simply contributing to the upbuilding of our greatest industrial rival," he said. "The imposition of the state was represented by the state of the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the state of the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse on Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr. Winkler originally intended to build a warehouse of Coffin island for the fact that Mr of an export duty would unquestionably compel the investment of United States capital in Canada pulp mills, would provide employment for of Canadian workmen and would

nadian pulp across the border." i be high enough to reserve the

market for Canadian manufaccould not produce in Canada, and him, the case being adjourned until toit became necessary for them to broad they believed in a prefer-

to foreigners. Dealing with the present financial Mr. Cockshutt indicated what he believed to be some of the causes. None of them pointed to any inherent weakness in their financial are behind them, in fact it is stated on are behind them. institutions. On the contrary, they rather led to the belief that the strinminimum was due somewhat to over-deminion during the last few years on gency was due somewhat to over-denent and an unfortunate combination of untoward circumstances. He felt that the criticisms to which the banks had been subjected were uncalled for by reason of their having increased the amount of call loans in New York.

ther obstacle to mutual expan of manufacturing enterprises was scarcity of skilled labor, and to the matter they must either immore artizans from other coun-or provide educational facilities orthy young men, so that they qualify as artizans.

ABLING CASE IN

Two Chinamen Charged With In- Afganistan and Persia. fraction of the Law Plead Not Guilty.

Charged with conducting a gaming-Cormorant street, Sum Jumg and Tai
Bow, two Chinamen who were committed for trial in the early part of Auguse, elected for speedy trial in the county court to-day and pleaded "not guilty." The preliminary hearing of the case took place in the city police court following a raid by Chief of Police Langley and members of the present of the present position and advantages in these fields which might be to the disagraph of the powers, including and the armaments, which were really matter throughout, and as the city has not acted in good faith in the matter throughout, and as the city has not acted in good faith with me, it would be far more reasonable, in view of the way the by-law was recently juggled, for me to ask that the city should furnish me with bonds that they will abide by the by-laws in the court following a raid by Chief of Police Langley and members of the force of the powers, including derivation of the city and also from Strathcona for the supply of artificial gas and is borne of the city and also from Strathcona for the city and al court following a raid by Chief of the force lice Langley and members of the force advantage of the other.

Russia, it was announced, from Sept. were brought over to Victoria to setwo had frequented the premises upon sulted in the commitment of the two chinamen. down the state of anarchy existing in the tribes adjoining Russian territory.

H. Dallas Helmcken, K.C., appeared for the Crown and W. S. Moresby for the defence. All the exhibits, numbering over two hundred, including gambling paraphernalia commonly for lottery games and "chuck-a-luck" was in evidence.

morant street, on August 3rd in con pany with a squad of detectives. He found that the small room at the back of the store was equipped with all the Pittsburg. The news has caused deep regret among railroad men who knew usual paraphernalia used for playing lotteries and "chuck-a-luck" games. On a long counter were books of blank tickets and other lottery equipthe counter, was found a quantity of tickets, a "chuck-a-luck" sheet and a bowl full of small change.

These were produced as exhibits and examined by His Honor with evident interest.

Continuing his evidence, the chief of police stated that he found a large number of tickets posted up on the wall of the room, showing the va-

to-day. "At some stores I believe you can buy them, if the agents know you," replied

Mr. Moreshy disclosed one of the main points of the defence when he asked the chief why he called the tickets that had been exhibited "lottery tickets.'

The chief explained, to the best of his knowledge, the manner in which a lottery game was placed, and when asked for a definition of "lottery" said that it was similar to a raffle where some of the players had chances of winning and the others had none.
Mr. Moresby contended that up this definition a lottery was the same

as a sweepstake.

The chief of police said that the chances, as far as he could figure them out, were considerably less in a lottery game than in a sweepstake.
"Now, Mr. Langley, "said Mr. Mores by, "can you of your own persona

wledge tell us what this exhibit

The Chief of Police-"No. I cannot read the Chinese characters on it." auto if you saw one in the street." tion at its annual meeting at the King Edward hotel this afternoon. Mr. Cockshutt stated that 2,500,000 cords of pulp wood went to the United States every year.

The council did not, however, consider Mr. Winkler's letter beyond receiving and filing it. experience of gambling in Chinatown and told of the various ways in which and told of the various ways in which the material to leave the gamblers safeguarded their resorts. and rings a warning bell in the gaming-house upon the approach of the police. He also stated that he had played lottery tickets several times in fulfilled the conditions of the by-law, being cover two houses of the storage of the s

chances were against the player. sident Cockshutt advocated a it had only been his experience. E. Fox, constable in the Vancouver E. Fox, constable in the validated police force, gave evidence of playing "chuck-a-luck" in company with Neil and a petition was then sent in from several residents of Victoria West asks. They realized, however, that McDonald at the defendant's premises. Mr. Moresby did not cross-examine

order to gain experience of the game. His experience had been that the

which would-give the mother try and the sister colonies the in securing convictions upon charges Owing to the difficulties that have alof gambling the outcome of the case is being watched with interest. The peculiar nature of the lotteries which are run in Chinatown render it difficult Mr. Winkler's objections w to drive home the guilt of those who lottery prosecutions.

TREATY RATIFIED

Respective Interests of the Two Countries in the East Are Designated.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 23.—Ratification of the 'Anglo-Russian convention took HE COUNTY COURT place at the foreign office here this afternoon. The Anglo-Russian convention regulates the respective interests available locations where it would be

The other governments interested in Persia have been assured that the convention does not threaten the integrity of that country and does not interfere with the vested interests of any one. house and selling lottery tickets at 49 For this reason the question of the

veyed a direct plan to the national as- will grant this building permit. the convictions and, after these sembly at Teheran of the Russian occupation of North Persia, if the Perrities were unable to put

> F. W. SALISBURY DEAD. Pittsburgh Agent of C. P. R. Succumbed to Apoplexy.

of the death of Mr. F. W. Salisbury, for the past ten years division freight and passenger agent of the C. P. R. at by the other aldermen, but no other regret among railroad men who knew the motion to receive and file the com-

Mr. Salisbury was in usual health marked tickets giving the drawings, when he was stricken with apoplexy, until about 4 o'clock one day last week and died very soon after. The decease was about forty years of age, and had been connected with railroad interests almost all his business life.

> FARMERS WENT INSANE. Two Norweigan Settle's Became Demented and Had to Be Taken

Into Custody. Battleford, Sept. 10.-Two insane men

VIEWS IN A LETTER

He Objected to Rule With Respect to Project of Coffin Island

The action of the city council in asking F. C. Winkler, who is desirous of building a warehouse on Coffin island, His Honor—"But you would tell a lottery ticket like you would tell an bond that he will observe the city by-The chief admitted that he was not laws evoked a strong reply from that personally acquainted with the methods of conducting lottery games. The council did not, however, con-

Ald. Gleason protested against this action which, he said, was not cour-

being over two hundred feet from any building. While he was making his plans the council amended the building In reply to Mr. Moresby the chief said that he could not swear to this, fuse or grant permits anywhere withfuse or grant permits anywhere within the city limits, in the hands of the four others were going ashore capbuilding inspector. When Mr. Wink- sized. Fitzgerald sank in seventy feet ing that the council abide by this decision and refuse the permit. Mr. and family. Winkler then asked for a permit upor the understanding that he would no store explosives or gasoline in the building, but the council decided that no permit should be granted, unless Mr. Winkler gave a bond that he destination last night.

Mr. Winkler's objections were plainset forth in his letter, which read as follows:

430 Dallas Road, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 23rd, 1907. To His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Victoria: Gentlemen,-Re my application for Gentlemen,—Re my application for physicians was held yesterday regarding the case of Geo. D. Grant, M. P.

island, and replying to the city clerk's for North Ontario, who has been ser-letter of the 17th, requesting that I letter of the 17th, requesting that I give a bond that I will comply with all the city by-laws, I beg to say that I week. would not be willing to give such a bond, as the request is not a reasonable one and is part of an obstruction policy. I am subject to the law as all others, other dealers in gasoline in the city are not required to give bonds that they will observe the laws. If the city has no confidence in its cown by able one and is part of an obstruction policy. I am subject to the law as all city has no confidence in its own by-laws or in its ability to enforce them, the placing of citizens under bond to recognize them is not the proper method of securing their observance. It was my misplaced confidence in these by-laws that led me to secure enforcement, could probably be invali-

dated. As I have acted in good faith in the

The application under consideration plans are now ready for the work in the name Sun, Loon & Co. According to the evidence given at the first hearing, E. Fox and Neil McDonald, two police constables from Vancouver, were brought over to Victoria to se
The application under consideration is not for storage of infammable oils, and I would particularly request an early reply as to whether or not you will grant this building permit.

The application under consideration is not for storage of infammable oils, and I would particularly request an early reply as to whether or not you will grant this building permit.

Respectfully yours,
F. C. WINKLER. Ald. Hanna moved, seconded by Mr. Ross, that the letter be received and place at the Royal Alexander hotel filed.

'Ald. Gleason expressed the opinion that the council should be courteous o Mr. Winkle and accord him a reply. Ald. Hanna-When a man criticis the council as Mr. Winkler has done the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council should show A wire was received by Mr. W. B. Bulling, assistant freight traffic manager of the C. P. R. at Toronto, telling assistant freight traffic manager of the C. P. R. at Toronto, telling should be a solution of the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council should show by Doukhobors in Winnipeg that they had been subjected to cruel treatment during their incarceration had been for twenty was the son of Hugh Mackay and Caterial and things about here it is our business. The remedy is to wait until at the following the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council should show the fight for the musket to fight for the into the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council as Mr. Winkler has done in his letter the council should show the cently made by Doukhobors in Winnipeg that they had been subjected to cruel treatment during their incarceration of Mrs. Greenhaugh had been for twenty was the son of Hugh Mackay and Caterial and things about here it is our business. The condition of Mrs. Greenhaugh convinced the son and daughter and the three persons and daughter and the persons and daughter and the three persons and daughter and the persons and daughter and the persons and take up the musket to fight for the in his letter the council should show the musket to fight for the persons and take up the musket to fight for the persons and take up the musket to fight for the persons and take up the musket to fight for the persons John Langley, chief of police, deposed to raiding the premises, 49 Corposed to raiding the premises and the premises and the premises and the premises and the premises are premised to the premise and the p

This sally was greeted with laughter course of action was suggested and munication carried.

B. C. FOR BRITISH EMIGRANTS.

About two months ago W. Beecher Smith, secretary of the Lancashire and | board of the Methodist church was held | District Young Men's Emigration Ad- on Sunday in Rossland, at which a the British. was so impressed with the place and the prospects that he then stated that he would have to thoroughly revise his lectures on this part of Canada.

He now writes from England saying

number of tickets posted up on the wall of the room, showing the various sums which had been won by fortunate players. These tickets were covered over with newspapers, the latter than the had previously sent and the room upstairs he found further gambling paraphernalia and the general appearance of the short time. In a room upstairs he found further gambling paraphernalia and the general appearance of the premises denoted that they were used for gambling.

Cross-examined by Mr. Moresby the chief stated that, previous to a raid made by him and his men on August

RAILROAD CONTROL.

New Orleans, Sept. 20.—The beginning of the sale of lottery tickets had been of the the forbearance under strong provocation to discuss the matter in the press, ish subjects.

MOROCCAN PEACE **NEGOTIATIONS**

SEVERAL TRIBES ACCEPT FRENCH TERMS

The Four Crowns' challenge cup is valued at \$200, and was presented by Robert Brown, 'Ltd., whiskey distillers, through the local agents, Turner, Beeton & Co. It was won in 1902 by Otto Weiler, the following year by E. E. Ellis, of Seattle, in 1904 by Wm. N. Lenfesty, and last year by Otto Weiler. It was open to any member of a gun club in British Columbia or the states of Washington and Oregon. **Number of Natives Will Retain Arms** to Preserve Order in Their Territory.

Paris, Sept. 23.—Peace has been the other colonies together ever did. French overtures inaugurated to-day, and will see that the terms of the agreement are carried out. Hostilities are now at an end. MATE DROWNED

Drude's Instructions.

Paris, Sept. 24.—The Matin to-day says it understands that Gen. Drude not to return to the main camp at the close of each day's operation, as the tribes who have not accepted the French terms of peace have retired to such a distance that it would be imssible to reach them otherwise. The correspondent of the Matin at

of water, but the others managed to judicious concessions.

The empty cases were left behind. The governor will be held responsible for the disappearance of the weapons.

CANADA'S DEEDS FOR THE EMPIRE

Toronto, Sept. 24.—The funeral of the How She Has Contributed Men and Money to Fight Battles of Imperialism.

Cairns, of Notre Dame de Grace, has entered suit against the Montreal hospital for \$5,000 damages for having althe Imperial treasury £58,900 annually Lord Tweedmouth recently announced that Canada had only saved lowed an autopsy to be performed on the body of her husband contrary to by taking over the docks and forts at Esquimalt. Lieutenant-General Laurie, of Great Britain and Russia in Thibet,
Afganistan and Persia.

Afganistan and Persia.

Russia maintains her position in the north of Persia and Great Britain to the south.

The other governments interested in

available locations where it would be possible to comply with these by-laws literally. I would also object to significantly interests and Mrs. Cairns died in the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promises to that she would not allow his body to undergo an autopsy, and she claims that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise of that the shew and her resident and M. P. of Novar before his death he made her promise to that the shew would not allow his body to undergo an autopsy, and she claims that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise show that this statement of the case is unfair. "Lord Tweedmouth," writes the same promise which was not kept. As the result she her her orders. Cairns died in the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise to that the hospital people made her the same promise which was not kept. As the result she her orders. Cairns died in the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise show that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise show that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise show that the hospital people made her the same promise which was not kept. As the result she she would not allow his body to undergo an autopsy, and she claims that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before his death he made her promise show that the hospital people made her the same promise which was not kept. As the result she would not allow his body to undergo an autopsy, and she claims that the hospital in June. Mrs. Cairns states that before her orders. an amendment to the by-laws to prevent the utilisation of this site, and which, under the circumstances of its

same promise which was not kept. As the result she had been ill and seeks the damages asked.

New Gas Plant. mates, whereas the charges of main- migration. He will endeavor to make tenance of the Imperial establishments arrangements with the Mikado's gov Edmonton, Sept. 24.—Cyrus Eaton, at these places involved the garrisons western manager of the International and the armaments, which were really made by Australia. Maintenance of naval bases is as important to the navy as ships or men, and Canada at present thus furnishes her contribu-

From their earliest history, says the Montreal Star, the colonies now composing the Dominion of Canada have ntributed men and money to mainstruggling for their own existence, litstruggling for their own existence, its really hewing out of the virgin forest the beginning of a home for future the beginning of a home for future and a Mrs. Smith. All are charged K. C., was born on March 7th, 1860, Sydenbam Gray County Ontario. Britons, they had to lay down the axe and take up the musket to fight for the and take up the musket to fight for the are and take up the musket to fight for the axe. Mrs. Greenhaugh had been for twenty was the son of Hugh Mackay and Canial of the officials of the R. N. not in consequence of any quarrel with that she must be possessed of the he took out the degrees of B. A. and Canadians, but only because they remained loyal to the British Crown. the evil spirit. The five knelt by the

M.A. His career in the law profession
has been a record of success. In 1894 There are those who even think that it might have been to the permanent interest of Canadians if they had yielded to the seductions, threats and force of their neighbors and become devil might be driven out. The cries eral election in 1902. He is a member preserved this magnificent domain for with shouts.

vice Society, visited Victoria for the purpose of finding out at first hand the con
on Sunday in Rossiand, at which a preamble and resolution of confidence in the pastor of the church, which was to us most flattering offers from our capable of making any motion. Then

After this violent treatment and the con
on Sunday in Rossiand, at which a preamble and resolution of confidence in the pastor of the church, which was to us most flattering offers from our capable of making any motion. Then dition of the district from the point of moved by Fred Demuth, and seconded view of the immigrant. While here he by A. D. Christie, was passed by a against us, but were availing themby A. D. Christie, was passed by a unanimous standing vote. They read as follows:

Whereas, we the members of the quarterly official board of the Methodiet church Possession of the against us, but were availing themasily time this treatment was kept up.

Greenhaugh broke down and cried as the told the terrible story. He declared that for some time his mother bore dethat for some time his mother bore against us, but were availing themasily time this treatment was kept up.

Greenhaugh broke down and cried as the told the terrible story. He declared that for some time his mother bore all the formulations. Christian spirit manifected by him and mestic affairs in the British Isles, yet to life. The case is to be further in-

Figured and Government streets have plain view?" asked Mr. Moresby. The culter said that as far as he had heard this was so, Mr. Moresby asked in the orders of the commission immediate the commission immediated the

ialism in a practical way by instantly raising a regiment, recruited to full fighting strength, and placing it at the disposal of the Mother Country, i whose army it afterwards remained for ears as the 100th Royal Canadian Regiment. When the expedition up the Nile, in the too-long-delayed attempt to relieve Gordon was on, Can ada contributed a corps of specially trained voyageurs. When the South African war came, we followed precedent. Again the integrity of the Empire was threatened and again Canada was ready. This time, with greater means and greater population, we were able to do a little more, that was all In the building of the Intercolonial and the Canadian Pacific, considerably i advance of the commercial needs of the country, Canada made a splendid contribution to the Imperial cause. In now guarding that Imperial highway with her own forces and mantaining the fortified naval bases at both ends Canada is doing more to uphold the cause of the British Empire than al

MOUND BUILDERS

has received instructions which permit him to "sleep out." This means he is Discoveries Along the Banks of the Souris River.

gates at the conference yesterday re-fused for a long time to surrender their fused for a long time to surrender their arms. They urged that they would be at the mercy of other tribes, but finally unearthed by Prof. Montgomery, of the susceptible to the influence of reports the objections were overcome by a few University of Toronto, in the course of that come in from the places of proexcavations in which he has been en- duction every day. A favorable lease M. Malperthuy, French consul at gaged for a few weeks past at Souris, of weather for harvesting in Canada M. Malperthuy, French consul at Castblanca, is of the opinion that three tribes may be allowed to retain their arms provisionally to preserve order in their territory and force other tribes to gubmit gaged for a few weeks past at Souris, Man. The object was to ascertain how far north the prehistoric people, known to have occupied the valleys of the great rivers, had extended, and with this end in view he opened and subjectsubmit.

After the conference, which lasted three hours, M. Malperthuy gave a banquet to the delegates and lodged them in the city.

The correspondent of the Matin at Tangier telegraphs that the famous south and it was the exception, which Tangier telegraphs that the famous consignment of rifles at Magzan has been carried off, and that the weapons are now on there way to Morocco city.

The correspondent of the Matin at those discovered in Dakota and farther south, and it was the exception which yielded the complete skeletons of six buffalos. From the position and appearance of the bones, Prof. Montbuffalos. From the position and appearance of the bones, Prof. Montgomery is of the opinion that the animals had served some sacrificial purpose. The mounds he believes were enstructed 700 years ago. Eight large oxes and five crates of specimens obtained by the professor as results of his excavations sent to the university for econstruction and study, and they should prove a valuable addition to the

TO CHECK THE

Mackenzie King Will Probably Be Sent to the Orient to Make Report.

(Special to the Times). Ottawa, Sept. 25.—It is altogether probable that Mackenzie King, deputy minister of labor, will be sent to the Orient to make a report on Asiatic im-

DRIVING OUT DEVIL Violent Means Adopted by Religious Sect at Zion City.

Chicago, Sept. 20.-Five persons mbers of the sect of Parhamite are under arrest in Zion City accused of torturing to death Mrs. Letia torturing to death Mrs. Letia Green-haugh, 64 years old, in the belief in the having accepted the portfolio of railtain the Emprie as no other colony did.
Years ago, when our forefathers were rest are Walter and Johnnie Greenment.

part of the United States. Yet they of the aged woman were considered remained loyal, suffered for it, and those of the evil spirit and greeted

After this violent treatment Mrs.

FLOUR PRICES

CONSEQUENT UPON THE WHEAT SHORTAGE

Oats and Hay Have Also Gone Up -- Causes Which Have Brought It About.

The prices of wheat and cereals have made another advance. Wheat has gone up about five cents per bushel and flour has accordingly advanced 20 cents a barrel, and the oat market is igher than has ever before been known at this time of the year.

In speaking of the situation this advance, which had taken place on flour to-day, had not come as any surprise; as the price of flour was generally in keeping with the wheat ma

The strengthening of the wheat may ket was based on the visible supply, and crops all over the world, except Toronto, Sept. 24.—Ten complete hu- in France, were showing a shortage Casablanca telegraphs that the dele- man skeletons, the bones of six buf- at the present time. The permanency upon the market. The wheat marconditions continued unfavorable the

The advance in the oat market amounts to about 30 cents or five cents per sack on the retail price. Mr. Ke says they were never paying so high for this article as they are to-day. And practically the same conditions existed with respect to the hay market,

The causes of these advances in the prices of oats and hay admitted some variety of speculation. Broadly speaking, however, conditions were due to a shortage of crops and a growing consumption, which was heavily contributed to by the many large railway undertakings now in progress on the continent. For instance, there are the Canada Northern, the Chicago, Mil-waukee & St. Paul, and the Grand Trunk Pacific, projects which enlisted large numbers of horses, and created an abnormal demand for oats and hay. This hay shortage has been common

to all parts of the Dominion. In the naritime provinces, a few months ago, INFLUX OF JAPANESE the situation became very acute in the situation became very acute in the situation became very acute in the situation and large quantities of the situation became very acute in the situation of the situation in the situatio before there was any grass for grazing straw were utilized to keep the horses and cattle going.

A NEW LEADER IS SELECTED

IN ONTARIO HOUSE

A. G. MacKay Will Lead the Party in Succession to Hon. G. P. Graham

Ottawa, Sept. 20 .- A. G. Mackay was appointed leader of the Ontario Liberals at a meeting of the Liberal members in Toronto this morning. He will succeed Hon, G. P. Graham as leader of the Liberal opposition in the Ontario legislature, Hon. Mr. Graham ways and canals in the federal govern-

Alexander Grant Mackay, M. A. Sydenham, Grey County, Ontario. He of the Presbyterian church.

EATEN BY DOGS.

While going to meet his father, whom

fierceness of the brutes, who tore the little fellow to pieces, and after killing him ate the flesh from his bones.

The boy made a fierce struggle when first attacked. He opened a large pocket

Hon. W. Temp

Member

RALPH

(From Tuesday' The meeting held in street school house last the auspices of the Es Liberal Association, the full capacity of t monstrated beyond qu enthusiasm which is supporters of the Lau With an election in vi somewhat remote pro an apparent readiness the audience to qui demonstrative recognit government and splen able achievement in of public duty, are su hearts of the electorat M. P., and Hon. Wm. made the recipients of of appreciation for which they have car vouchsafed to them as public confidence. The chair was oc dine, M. P. P., who in meeting commented up circumstance which per

ple of Esquimalt to local representatives removed as they were t capital, a dispassionate public affairs, by those ed them there was spe Their representatives h work. Both of them sto of character and genu none stood higher in th the people of the contheir honored represent Templeman, whose err err, were, he felt sure. head and not of the hea who had known Hon. for the last 25 years idea of the efforts he h behalf of the country of the principles for whi had sufficient confidence that he believed him t iost honest and uprig Dominion. There we ties in front of Canada vince, and it required all that was best in the ize their accomplishm The secretary of the tion, J. C. McIntosh,

Esquimalt, B. C., Se "Ralph Smith, Esq., Me Commons, Nanain trict.

"Dear Mr. Smith,—Or Esquimalt District Libe we beg to welcome you turn from your sess Ottawa.

"We of Esquimalt Dis velcome you in our mid we form but one of the electoral districts which constituency, we feel particularly represen which is to-day one District, and we feel is the most important, ow natural resources, ma and industrial, and it

"We doubt if there is a in our great province of bia which had been so ric ly endowed, and the grea is even now opening the feel that much of the to your wise conserva terests as member in House of Commons.

"Take for instance ping interests of Esquir "In Esquimalt harbor of the largest and best r on the Pacific Coast an omparably superior tish Columbia, having of 45 feet at low water: or scores of vessels: number of fine days neighboring ports; a skilled workmen; the immense asset to a ma "Such being the case decided by the Imper from motives of Imp abandon Esquimalt hark eing, our association have the naval rese

hampered shipping in harbor, lifted by the De ities, and it was not man after, when your wish were access to. This the effect of increasing using the harbor to th per cent. within the pas "The increased faciliti pair and building of ship through your interest. creased the prosperity and we are pleased ind it was through the dire Ionorable, the Minister

enue and yourself, the government decided to h graphic steamer here to t of the district genera "The fisheries of Esc through the establishme on the West Coast, in ested yourself for the ben trict, have this year, alth an 'off year,' produced other one district in B and from all available

duce still greater wealt the benefit of all.
"The modern, progress creasing the means of o between the people and s also received your w post offices have h in the surrounding dist

and we are pleased to si the extension of rural being carried out an been made by the Don