than 1,000, and the hosot by any means repreof sickness in the Kara Many convicts of the ill in their own little the prison kameras there whose cases are not re enough to necessitate hospital that is perhaps wded Already.

the famous, or infamous, ook to get for the Czar mines 106 puds (about old, more than 1,000 condied in the Kara prison s and overwork. in the women's prison of any kind except the rms, which, of course itute of bedding. I did

oom a single pillow or two cells were imprisons and women, six or carrying in their arms bables.

beings put straw even of their dogs, but the t forces men to work urs a day in the East pels them after this lie down on a bare console them in their on the grimy wall over ise of Christ-e all ye that labor and and I will give you

er of Criminals

ually at the time Mr. country was over 10,be added a still larger wives and children husbands and parents

First, hard labor con lsory colonists; third, rsons banished on ac rally bad character by ch they lived); fourth the official figures for labor convicts, 1,551; 841; communal exiles 19: political and religi-

al. 10.230. nvicts and the vagrants sons in Siberia. The political exiles and re assigned to places of wed to find a living as

this system Siberia is dreds of thousands of ving criminals. They

ing. Robbing, sorts of outrages. As e, Kennan mentions the nist in the little town hoked a helpless woman out the brains of her

and finally cut off the the only living thing In the town of Ralalation of 5.000, in the k, there were sixty-one a year. This state of less prevalent through

nore than 10,000 crimienders are turned loo

RS ACCUSED noted to Blow Up the

evated Railway. 20.-William Askley, emtigator by the Brooklyn pany, made an affidavit he said he had attended strikers late Monday

statement was made levated people joined the nid purchase dynamite elevated structure. Askexteen men arrested this

the meeting. ter has offered \$1,000 re-est and conviction of one amiters.

Workman Parsons to-day of \$500 for any legal ate strikers had engaged human life, such as the other proceedings. He most emphatically the L structure in Brooklyn. the guilty ones will bed organization. This savof the old tactics em nies in former strikes to

\$1.50 Annum. \$1.50

Mictoria Times.

War Not

End of Host lities is Not

in Sight.

He Complains of Otis's Censorship

-- Sick Soldiers Return From

the Philippines.

(Associated Press.)

London, July 25,-A private letter re-

ceived to-day from a war correspondent

sight. The censorship is becoming more

tablished the rule that any matter relat-

ing to the navy must be taken to the

afterwards submitted to the military

Sick Soldiers.

San Francisco, July 25 .- The United

been converted into an hospital ship,

arrived yesterday from Manila, having

THE BOUNDARY QUESTION.

Why the United States Government Has

Refused to Accept Arbitration.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, July 24.-A high official

to-day pointed out the reason why the

United States government has refused

to accept fair arbitration of the pending

questions. In the first place the United

States government is absolutely certain

of the soundness of its claims in the

matter of the boundary. That would

seem to be good reason for submitting

the matter to arbitration on the ground that a good cause had nothing to fear from fair arbitrators, but this govern-

ment hold that arbitrators' treatment is

always subject to the fatal weakness of

compromising. In our case any com-

A SATISFACTORY OUTLOOK

Question Will Be Settled by Direct

Negotiations.

(Associated Press.)

inet meeting the main topic was the Al-

Secretary Hay explained the status of

negotiations now in progress between

Great Britain was now willing to con

In London.

London, July 25.-Despite disquieting re-

to Washington an important detailed dis-

patch embodying the position with refer-

ence to the Lynn Canal strip. Sir Jul-

ian Pauncefote's return, it is expected,

will advance matters, owing to his know-

LOUBET'S HOLIDAY.

(Associated Press.)

Montelimar, July 26 .- President Lou

bet arrived to-day to spend his vaca-

tion. He was welcomed by the mayor

and corporation officials, after which he

repaired to Marsanne to visit his mo-

askan boundary line dispute.

eignty over the Lynn Canal.

censor, thus adding to our difficulties."

troublesome. General Otis recently

"There seems no end of the war in

at Manila, dated June 17, says:

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The Pacific

The Postmaster-General Explains How the Cost Will Be Divided.

Sir Charles Tupper Congratulates the Government on There Success.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, July 25.-In the Commons today Hon, W. Mulock moved the House committee on a resolution regarding the Pacific cable. He said that Canada proposed to pay 5-18, Britain 5-8 and the Australian colonies 8-18. Canada would have two representatives on the board, Britain three and the Australian colonies three. He spoke of the work being of national interest.

Sir Charles Tupper congratulated Hon. Mr. Mulock on the lucid and clear way he put his resolution. He also congratulated the government for being able to induce Britain to aid in the enterprise. Mr. Charlton thought there were other enterprises, such as the Hudson Bay railway, the Yukon railway and the Ottawa and Georgian Bay canal that were more deserving of attention. He, however, would not oppose the scheme. Mesrs, Craig and Osler also supported

Mr. Bostock pointed out the great benefit the project would be to British Columbia. That province was deeply interested in the scheme, and he congratulated the government and the Postmaster-General for their efforts in connection with the

Colonel Prior also congratulated the government.

The Facinc cable resolution was adopted and the bill founded on it, read a first time.

Statement in the British House. London, July 25.-In the House of city this morning presents a peaceful as-Commons to-day Rt. Hon. Wm. St. John pect. roderick, replying on behalf of the Sec-

The government has been informed, the day. Mr. Broderick said, by the Eastern Telegraph Company, that they were prepard to lay a cable from South Africa to Australia without pecuniary assistance f any kind, and that on the receipt of

Ottawa, July 26.—At to-day's meeting of the House the Pacific cable bill passed its third reading.

On the immigration estimates Hon. Clifford Sifton said that he had given some consideration to the question of getting Old Country farmers interested in the unoccupied land of the older provinces. It was not a matter that could be done by the present system of immi-

Conservative Caucus.

Senator Sanford and Hon. W. B. Ives. Sir Charles Tupper stated he intended to leave for England on August 3rd. Prorogation is expected before then.

West Huron Election Case. At the privileges and elections commitpad as supplied. J. Lawson, a scrutineer, Indians gave similar evidence.

NOTES. Vancouver, is here.

Sunday. There was another meeting of the pri- Torres was also killed during the fight. vileges and elections committee to-day,

but nothing new was elicited. POISONED BY CANNED FRUIT.

(Associated Press.) London, July 26.-Excitement has been aused here by the mysterious poisoning otel, which, it is alleged, was due to American canned fruit. A second victim, Mr. T. W. Bartlett, of Philadelphia, died during the night. The fruit was eaten week ago and all who partook of it were made ill, one of the number dying

on July 22. An inquest will be held in the case or Mr. Bartlett.

APPEAL DISMISSED. (Associated Press.)

London, July 26.—The Privy Council has ismissed the appeal from the judgment f the court of the Queen's Bench of ower Canada in the case of Demers gainst the Bank of Montreal.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

(Associated Press.) Montreal, July 26 .- Stock market, morng board: War Eagle, 368, 365; Payne, 135; Montreal & London, 45, 40; Reublic, 120, 119. Sales: Payne, 560 at 129, 125 at 140; Montreal & London, 1,500 at 45.

RACE TROUBLES IN GEORGIA. Coure of Two Negroes Who Will be Executed This Afternoon.

(Associated Press.)

Macon, Ga., July 25 .- A special from Leesburg, Ga., says a negro, supposed to be one of the Saffold ravishers, was killed by a citizen last night while resist-

Bainbridge, Ga., July 25 .- There will be a double lynching in the west to-day unless something unforeseen occurs. Two more members of the band of negroes implicated in Sarmin's confessions are in the hands of a posse of whites. One of the captives is Charles Mack, companion in the crime of Louis Sammin, who was lynched yesterday for assaulting Mrs. Ogletree.

Muck was captured at Iron City by a white man named Cardell. He tried to get the prisoner through to the jail and hide him. A mob of several hundred men got hold of Cardell and asked the whereabouts of his prisoner. clined to tell. A rope was quickly put about his neck and he was allowed ten minutes to give up the assailant or his He then told where the negro was. In a short while the crowd was back. While arrangements for lynching were

progress, a telegram came from Iron

City that another member of the gang had been captured. As it would require several hours to get the new prisoner to the scene, it was determined to postpone the execution of Mack until today, at which time it is proposed to have States transport Morgan City, which has a double hanging. Mack is said to have confessed, corroborating Sammin's statement.

murder, robbery and assault. Five of command and almost every regiment is the negroes, including Sammirs, are represented among the returning soldiers. Hattlesburg, Miss., July 25 .- Henry Novels, a negro, who attempted to assault Miss Rosaline Davis on Saturday, evening, was captured yesterday, and was identified by Miss Davis. Novels was immediately tied to a tree and shot to death by an angry

SOLDIERS FOR GLEVELAND

Maintaining Order During the Tramway Strike.

(Associated Press.)

Cleveland, O., July 25.-After a night marked with disorder and rioting, the

On all the lines of the Consolidated, retary of State for the Colonies, said the cars started on schedule time. Beyond een reached between the Imperial and outlying districts, there was no interrup reason that Secretary Hay rejected the retrial of Dreyfus. tion of traffic during the early part of Canadian proposal to arbitrate, attend- The Paris correspondent of the London

Body Will be Cremated at Fresh Pond This Afternoon.

New York, July 25 .- Mrs. Ingersoil, who was taken ill yesterday, may not be able to go with the body of her husband, Colonel Ingersoll, to the Fresh Pond cre matory this afternoon. Her condition however, improved to-day. The funeral exercise will be begun at four o'clock at Walston, Dobb's Ferry. The body of Colonel Ingersoll, having been placed in a plain, black cloth covered casket, was removed from the chamber in which he There was a Conservative caucus this died to the reception hall down stairs toafternoon. Resolutions of condolence day. The coffin was placed in the centre were passed with the families of the late of a bower of floral offerings from

REVOLT IN MEXICO. Indians Defeated and Driven to the

Los Angeles, Cal., July 25.-General tee meeting to-day M. Tobin, boll clerk, Juan Ybarri, of Mexico, who is in the was examined and swore that everything city, has received a telegram from Cuyconnection with the voting at Col- mas, Mexico, stating that Carlos Hale, borne poll, West Huron, was regular and son of the late American consul at that the only ballots used were from the same point, has been murdered by the Yaqui

Further information is given that the warlike Yaquis are again in a state of revolt. The Mexican forces, commanded Major Perry, of the Mounted Police, by General Lorenzo Torres, yesterday engaged the Indians in battle, defeating Senator Templeman left for home on the savages, and forcing them to retreat to the mountains. A cousin of General

KILLED BY A CYCLONE.

Laporte, Ind., July 25 .- A cyclone which struck the eastern portion of this city last night wrecked the boot and shoe store of Butterworth & Co., and levelled other buildings to the east of the f a score of guests of the Inns of Court city. It is feared Jacob Morton and William Steele, who live on the Kankakee marsh, have been killed. Their houses have been wrecked, but it is not known whether they were inside the buildings when the storm wrecked them.

> THE FRASER. (Associated Press.)

Lillooet, July 25.-There has been little or no change in the river since the ledge of both American and Canadian polast report. The weather is clear and Quesnelle, B. C., July 25.-The river is

about at a standstill. The weather is Lillooet, July 26 .- The river is about at a standstill. The weather is warm and clear.

"Necessity knows no law." It is a law of Nature that the blood must be kept pure, and Hood's Sarsaparilla does it, Palpitation of the heart, nervousness, tremblings, nervous headache, cold hands and feet, pain in the back and other forms of weakness are relieved by Carter's Iron Pills, made specially for the blood, nerves and complexion.

SAD INDEED. ced sad to think of the number from cancers and tumors. Ad

Has Kruger Nearly Over Resigned?

VICTORIA, B. C. FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1899.

A Manila Correspondent Says the There Are Conflicting Reports Regarding the President of the Transvaal.

> Late Telegrams Says Oom Paul Is no Longer Head of the Republic.

> > (Associated Press.)

Capetown, July 25.-Advices have bene received here confirming the report that President Kruger, of the South African Republic, has resigned.

The Dynamite Question, the resignation of President Kruger are commander of the fleet for approval, and conflicting, but according to the best information he has actually resigned office, conditionally. The Volksraad, while for the deplorable occurrences. maintaining it's opposition to President Kruger's views on the dynamite concession, has given it's assurance that it The on board 473 sick and convalescent sol- still had the utmost confidence in him, men, he said, were banded together for diers. Three died on the voyage. Every and it is believed he has withdrawn his

As to the difference of opinion on the question of dynamite concession, General P. J. Joubert, vice-president of the Republic, and a majority of the Volks raad favor the cancellation of the monopoly, while Kruger supports it. The ority of the Volksraad desire to buy out the company.

Before the Dreyfus Court Martial at Rennes -Why Pellieux Was Romoved From Paris.

(Associated Press.) Paris, July 25.-General Pellieux, recently military governor of Paris, has

ed of the only weapon which we new of Finisterre. Major Count Esterhazy will receive a safe conduct to enable him to testify bepossess for the protection of our miners going into the Klondike from extertion, and perhaps expulsion. It was for this fore the court martial at Bonnes for the

ed by the contention that in any case Daily News, on July 17, predicted the Mayor Farley has been notified by Ad- Pyramid Harbor should be bestowed up- dismissal of General Pellieux from the jutant-General Akline that troops to the on Canada. Then, too, it was realized military governorship of Paris. It was number of nearly 1,000 men will arrive that an agreement to arbitrate may be asserted that General Pellieux had pledgin Cleveland this afternoon to assist the extremely unpopular in the West. This ed his word to General Gallifet, minister local authorities in maintaining order. has caused a revival of the project to of war, that he never told a certain story landing rights for the new cable they will forthwith reduce the Australian rate to four shillings per word.

| Consider the new cable they will reduce the Australian rate to forthwith reduce the Australian rate to four shillings per word. while allowing sovereignty over them to found a letter in the handwriting of Gen-scouting in the mountains, was fired upremain in the United States, and this is eral Pellieux, and reached the conclusion on from a strongly fortified position. One ficulty in getting clear of the burning vesone of the propositions now engaging than General Pellieux had perjured himself. The correspondent added that this other casualties. probably explained why General Pellieux was not permitted to command the review of troops at Longcoamps in July, Paris, July 25 .- At a meeting of the cabinet this morning the Minister of War, General the Marquis de Gallifet Is Expected That the Alaskan Boundary announced that General Dalstein had been appointed to the military command of Paris vice General Pellieux. Minister of War also stated that Captain Villaneuve, who recently wrote a letter sympathizing with the anti-Drefusite, Washington, July 25.-At to-day's cab-Provessor Syveton, had been placed un-

> trial of Dreyfus. EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

der rigorous arrest for sixty days. It

was also announced that a summons will

himself and Mr. Tower, the British charge d'affaires, and said he was not without hope that the vexed problem Peace Convention Will Not Bind the would be solved by direct negotiations. United States to Interfere. sider the proposal of the United States (Associated Press.)

to give Canada the privileges of a port The Hague, July 25.-An arrangement of entry, while retaining absolute soverhas been agreed to with regard to the It is around this sort of a proposition objection raised by American delegates to the use of the word "duty" in article that the hope of a settlement now hov-27 of the general act in a way that would The speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and imply an obligation on the part of the United States to interfere in a dispute Sir Charles Tupper were up incidentally, between European governments and vice but no serious attention was given them.

The settlement by direct negotiations versa. The word "duty" is retained, but on would be the easiest, as well as the most motion of the American delegation a satisfactory method of disposing of this troublesome question, and such a settle- definite declaration is inserted that nothment, from the facts developed at to- ing in the arbitration convention shall day's cabinet meeting, is regarded as by impose an obligation upon the United States to interfere in European affairs, no means out of the realm of probabil-

or vice versa. This arrangement will be presented to the plenary conference this afternoon. It has been decided that the various ports, it is believed at the British foreign conventions shall remain open for signaoffice that the Alaskan boundary dispute ture by several powers until December is trending towards settlement. The United States ambassador to-day forwarded

> SOLDIERS PRESERVE ORDER. A Quiet Morning at Cleveland—The Mayor's Proclamation.

(Associated Press.) Cleveland, Ohio, July 26.-That presence of the strong force of militia now doing service here has already had a most salutary effect upon the lawless efe ment was evidenced this morning by the fact that obstructions on the car lines during the night were fewer than at any time since the present strike was inau gurated.

Mayor Warley late last night issued proclamation as follows:
"All persons are hereby warned not to assemble or collect for the using who suffer from cancers and tumors. Addresses of those cured without knife or plaster will be sent to those interested. BTOTT & JURY, hox 9, Bowmanville, Ont

candle, or other combustible firework or substance, nor to fire any firearms of any war was any officer or any person authorized to bear arms, or to such firing in the lawful defence of person or the property of anyone. Parents are warned to keep children from the streets, and to restrain them from participating in any noisy or riotious demonstration. In view of the riotious condition of certain persons causing active measures to stop and anarchy to be taken by the lawful authorities of the city, all persons are cautioned and warned to heed the warnings herein given on the pain of suffer ing the inevitable consec ng the inevitable consequences of the neasures taken and which are necessary to suppress disorder and lawlessness.'

THE LYNCHING OF ITALIANS. President McKinley Expresses Regre For the Occurrence.

(Associated Press.)

Rome, July 26.-An official commun State Hay has instructed the American embassy to assure the government of Italy that the United States will adopt every legal measure warranted by the Indian government to dispatch ten London, July 25.—Reports regarding facts to insure justice in the Tallulah thousand troops to South Africa, on brief affair. The communication adds that potice. Secretary of State Hay has expressed to the Italian charge d'affaires at Washington, the regret of President McKinley

NOTHING NEW ABOUT THE BOUNDARY.

(Associated Press.) Washington, July 26 .- Mr. Tower, the British charge d'affaires, had an interview this morning with Secretary Hay, presumably with reference to the Alaskan boundary. Nothing has been heard from Mr. Choate on the subject for several days.

Mr. Tower called to say good-bye to the officials, as he is leaving for Newport, which will be the seat of the British embassy during the summer It is pointed out here that there appears to be a misunderstanding in some quarters as to the history of the pending roposition relative to a free port on the Lynn canal under United States sovereignty. The Canadian government never

accepted that proposition as a basis for even a temporary arrangement. They a port, while the United States offered to lease Canada a port for a nominal consideration, so as to retain sovereignty; an arrangement that would be temporary in character and well adapted to serve as promise would amount to the loss of our contention, for once Canada secured a port on Lynn Canal we would be depriv- Brigade, located at Quipber, department ed by the Joint High Commission last latter has now again been brought for-ward, but with what success cannot yet

BRIGANDS KILL A SOLDIER.

from General Otis was received at the war department to-day as follows: "Bandits in Zebu mountains are robbing and imprisoning people in coast towns. "On Monday Lieut. Moore, with a detachment of the 23rd infantry, while escape, having barely time to regain their

"The enemy lost five bandits killed and

even captured." GOLD FROM CAPE NOME.

Jouis Lane Reported To Have Taken \$10,000 From His Claim on Anvil Creek-A S42 Pan.

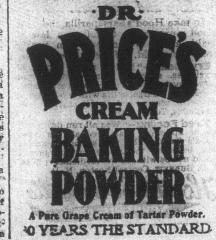
(Associated Press.) San Francisco, July 26 .- A correspon-

he issued to compel the attendance of dent of the Bulletin, writing from Nome Major Esterhazy at the court martial City, Alaska, says: 'I have talked with Louis Lane, son of Charles D. Lane, of the Utica mine, in California,. Young Lane came here about four months ago and has a good location. He showed me a bag of gold, and said that in 14 days he had taken out 55 pounds of gold (\$10,000) from claim No. 9 on Anvil creek, and that, too, without being down to bedrock. The claim-adjoining his own is down to the red dirt below the ice, and as high as \$42 has been taken from a single pan.

"Claims are 1320 feet by 160 feet, four claims to the mile. Anvil creek is 8 miles long, so that 32 locations control the entire creek. Up to the present time probably 6,000 claims have been recorded n this district."

FORTY HOUSES DESTROYED (Associated Press.) Berlin, July 26 .- A great fire is raging at

Marienburg, West Prussia. At noon forty houses had been razed. Awarded Highest Honors-World's Fair. Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.



Imminent

NO. 55.

An Outbreak of Hostilities in South Africa Narrowly Averted.

The Imperial Government Had Arrange i For Ten Thousand Men From India.

(Associated Press) Simla. July 26.-It has transpired that the imperial government had regarded war with the Transvaal as being imminent and that just prior to recent amelioration of the situation it arranged with

PAYING FULL WAGES. Men at the Ymir Mine Are Receiving \$3.50 a Day.

(Special to the Times.) Nelson, July 26.-The Ymir mine, whose manager, J. Roderick Robertson, is a leading spirit in the Mine Owner's Protective Association, and an uncom romising opponent of the Semlin government, is paying \$3.50 a day for miners, and has been for some time. It is expected the company's mill will produce not less than \$30,000 in free gold and concentrates during the month of August, or \$500 for each man employed

Exciting Scenes During the Fire-- Hundreds of Lads and Officers Saved by Ferry

(Associated Press.) Liverpool, July 26 .- The Roman Catholic reformatory ship Clarence was de-

stroyed by fire this morning. It was but a few moments after the fire was discovered until the great three decker was in flames. Intense excitement prevailed until it became known that the hundreds of lads and officers on board the Clarence had been saved by the ferry boats Mersey and Firefly, which quickly made fast to the burning vessel and began pumping water on the flames. The boys on board the Clarence worked with the utmost discipline, until forced to leave with the officers. The captain's family, and Bishop Whiteside, who spent the night on board the Clar-

ence, lost their personal effects. The crew of the Mersey had a narrow own craft, which had the utmost difning to take fire. Three hours after the fire was discovered the Clarence's back broke, and she settled slowly. This was the second Catholic reformatory of the same name burned on the

river Mersey. Her predecessor was fired by boys on board of her.

RHEUMATISM CAN'T EXIST When the kidneys are kept healthy and vigorous by the use of Dr. A. W Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. It is uric acid left in the blood by defective kidneys that causes rheumatism. Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills make the kidneys strong and active in their work of filtering the blocd, and thus remove the cause of rheamatism.

One pill a dose: 25 cents a box.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET. Montreal, July 25. - Stock market, morning board: War Eagle, 364, 363; Payne, 140, 138; Montreal and London, 48, 45; Republic, 120, 1191. Sales: War Eagle, 500 at 365, 1,000 at 364; Payne, 625 at 139, 500 at 138; Republic, 5,500

KLONDIKER ROBBED.

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, July 25 .- Count Carboneau, rich Klondiker, was robbed of \$3,300 early this morning. John Blackstone and James Devlin are under arrest for the crime. A woman named "May," supposed to be implicated, has escaped to Seattle.

MAN LOSES AN ARM.

(Special to the Times.) Nanaimo, July 25.-Albert Carter, a hand at Haslam's saw mill, had his left arm cut off by a trimming saw this morning. Carter was walking backwards when the accident happened, and backed right into the moving saw.

STRIKE OF TAILORS SPREADING.

(Associated Press.) New York, July 25 .- The strike of tailors is hourly spreading and men in less than one hundred shops in the borough of Manhattan are at work to-day.

DREYFUS ILL WITH FEVER. (Associated Press.)

Paris, July 25 .- The Petit Journal

says Dreyfus is ill with fever. His con-

TO THE DEAF .- A rich lady, cured of her Deafness and Nolses 'n the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, has sent £1,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Apply to Department N. N., The Institute, uersbury. London, W., England.