"Properly managed," said the lady, to herself, "Lady Lynne will make a perfect furor."

(To be continued.)

FLEET IN PACIFIC.

BRITISH ADMIRALTY TO ESTABLISH

NORTH AMERICAN SQUADRON.

Standard Says Decision Has Been

London, Dec. 21.—The Standard prints

conspicuously a statement that Great Britain has decided to establish a new

1908.

It will perhaps be recalled that an explanatory statement of the navy estimates for 1907-08 contained the announcement that the naval yards at Halifax and Esquimault would be transferred to the Dominion Government, subject to the condition that they be available for repairing his Majesty's ships, and that the Admiralty would be free to resume possession whenever naval in-

to resume possession whenever naval in-terests required it. The Standard says

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The fourth squadron, which consists of the Cressy, Euralyus, Hogue, Indefatigable and Brilliant, cruises periodically in North American and West Indian waters. The Indefatigable is stationed permanently there. The Brilliant is employed in Newfoundland waters during the fishing season. Of the county class of vessels three are now in Chinese waters, two in the Mediterranean, three in home waters, and two are used as training ships for cadets.

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DREAM WORTH £4,000. It Brought a Fortune for Skeptical Paris

Husband.

Husband.

Paris, Dec. 20.—A remarkable case of a dream being worth £4,000 has just come to light at 6 Rue Truguet, Toulon, in which town lives a commercial traveller named Edouard Cholet.

Twelve months ago M. Cholet was advised by the office of the local treasurergeneral that the city of Paris debenture bond which he held had come out at the drawing at par (£100). Thereupon M. Cholet surrendered his bond for its face value. On Tuesday night his wife dreamt that the bond which her husband had

that the bond which her husband had held, No. 348,764, had really drawn

She urged her husband to make imme

diate inquiries, and M. Cholet, though very skeptical, went yesterday morning

to the treasurer-general's office, wher

on search being made, it was discovered that a mistake had been made, and that

the bond supposed to have been drawn at par had in reality been drawn for £4,000.

ARRESTED AT KAMLOOPS.

With Misusing Cheque.

Kamloops, B. C., Dec. 20.—Capt. D. L. Keller, alias D. L. Smith, a United States army officer of Reno, Nev., was arrested on Wednesday charged with having stolen a bank cheque from the United States quartermaster's office at Fort Sheridan, Ill., and afterwards having filled it in for \$92,500. The prisoner intends to fight extradition.

BORN IN A PULLMAN CAR.

Unexpected Arrival in Family of Mr.

Charles Fullerton. Toronto, Dec. 21.—A son was born to Mrs. Charles Fullerton, of Cobalt, yes-terday morning, while the mother, with her husband and four-year-old daughter,

WOMAN FIRST WITH TEAM.

Plucky Wife of Thorold Teamster Beat

Men to Fire Hall.

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St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 20.—In Thorold the municipality does not own a team of horses for drawing the fire engine. When the fire bell rings, the owner of the first team on the spot gets 85. There is a good deal of rivalry among teamsters, and Harry Carter is usually there with his team at the head of the race. The other night he was away from home when the fire bell rang.

His wife did not know exactly where to find him, and there would have been no time to look, anyway. So the plucky woman harnessed the horses and set off with them at a gallop for the fire hall, managing to beat out the next best team by a couple of necks.

necks.

The men around gave her a hearty cheer, which the defeated teamsters joined in with vigor. She will receive the \$5 at the next meeting of the Town

Walter Fitzgerald, who pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery and embezzle-ment while employed by a Walkerville firm, has been sentenced to one year in the Central on each charge, sentences to

£4,000.

extradition.

Reached Canada's Part Not Yet

uimalt to be the Base-

The whole country-side was ringing with the coming marriage. No one could be more popular than the young Lord of Lynnewolde, no one admired more than his beautiful young bride. The country papers were in ectasies; they discussed the magnificent preparations at the Hall, the number of bridesmaids, the superb wedding presents, the arrangements for the marriage, and the ball to be given in the evening. They likewise informed the public that immediately after the ceremony the happy pair would leave for Ross-y-Glynn, a small estate in North Wales, belonging to Lord Lynne. After the honeymoon they were to proceed to London, where Lady Lynne was to be presented at the drawing-room announced for the 24th of June.

The morning of the wineteauth arrived.

of June.

The morning of the mineteenth arrived bright and beautiful, no cloud in the sky; Nature seemed to have donned her fairest robes; the soft spring air bore the perfume of flowers and the music of

birds.
"If to-morrow is as bright as to-day," said Mrs. Lynne to Inez, "you will have a glorious wedding-day."
The magnificent bridal costume, order-

The magnificent bridal costume, ordered expressly from Paris, had arrived, perfece even to the last detail. The bridesmaids' costumes were all ready; the wedding cake, which was really a work of art, had arrived, the wedding breakfast was laid out in the long dining-room, and a more magnificent display had never been seen in Lynnewolde. The four young ladies who were to join Agatha and Evelyn were staying at the Halll, and everyone seemed devoted to Halll, and everyone seemed devoted to the queen of the festival, the beautiful

uce-elect.
"What time do you think Philip will ally arrive!" asked Inez of Mrs.

really arrive?" asked Inez of Man.
Lynne.
"About six, I think. I have ordered the really and

really arrives? asked ince of sixely and the longest easerly for time to the control of the lark smiles for seven. Was the reply, and the lark smiles for seven. Was at the reply, and the lark smiles for seven when the lark smiles of the lark

it.

A more beautiful bride or fairer bridesmaids were never seen. Sorrow and
sadness seemed far as death from that
noble and brilliant throng.

The last face Lady Lynne saw as she
drove away from home, the last smile
that greated her, were the face and
smiles of the gentle sister she had betraved.

that greeted her, were the lace and smiles of the gentle sister she had betrayed.

CHAPTER XIII.

It is something worth living for to be perfectly happy even for one day, Lady Lynne was even more fortunate; she was perfectly and entirely happy during the "golden" months she passed with her husband at Ross-y-Glynn. She had said to herself that she would make him happy, and she did so. She studied his every wish and every thought; and yet, wonderful to relate, never wearied him, but left him always longing for her to speak again.

Nor were those quiet weeks all given to love-making; Inez imparted to her husband some of those ambitious hopes and daring wishes she had formed for him. He listened, lost in wonder at the talents and beauty of the young girl he had made his wife. At first her views and plans dazzled his; but after a time he took great delight in them, and then longed eagerly for their completion.

"I should never have dreamed of be-

Mayor McClellan, of New York, has signed the Doull ordinance permitting sacred and educational entertainments on Sunday.

STEAMSHIPS

On the day following Agatha arrived.

Mrs. Lynne had found an escort for her.

At three, Lady Eversleigh called, and both sisters were charmed with her. She was not beautiful, not even pretty, but she possessed that incomparable and irresistible gift of fascination given to so few—high-bred and amiable, piquant and pleasant in conversation, with manners at once gentle and dignified. Lady Eversleigh had been for some few years one of the leaders of ton. Her delight was unbounded at making the acquaintance of her beautiful cousin, and her eyes were at once riveted on that lovely southern face.

"Properly managed," and the lady, to besself "Lage La eventual course." CPR STEAMSHIPS LIVERPOOL.

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Englishman. Dec. 19 Manxman... Jan. 3
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17 St. Sacrament street. Montreal. Isritain has decided to establish a new naval squadron in the Pacific. The paper says it will be composed of the present fourth cruiser squadron and six cruisers of the county class, so-called because the ships are named after the counties of Great Britain.

The squadron, which will be called the Pacific and North American, will, it is expected, have its base at Equimault. The scheme will become effective in May, 1908.

NO NEWS FOR HIM.

SPECIAL REPORTER EJECTED FROM HARDEN TRIAL.

Judges Decided to Hear Evidence Strictly in Camera and Refused to Allow Even the Emperor's Representative to be Present.

Berlin, Dec. 20.-Emperor William, who is following the evidence taken in the Harden-Von Moltke libel suit with the utmost attention, to-day sent to the Court Houst Lieut. Proetner Vonderhoelle of the Fusiliers as a special representative in order to secure a full and impartial report of the proceedings. The Judges acclined to permut the lieutenant to remain in court when the remainder of the public was excluded, and he thus was unable to obtain the details of the trying ordeal which Prince Philip Zu Eulenburg underwent during the secret session this afternoon, whom he remained for three hours on the witness stand. Owing to the utter exclusion of the press and the public from the session and the close secrecy observed by all persons connected with the case, no statements on which reliance can be placed are obtainable regarding the testimony adduced.

Fraw Yon Elbe, her mother, Fraw Yon Heyden, and Count Kuno Yon Moltke were examined in camera.

The reports in circulation that all furhoelle of the Fusiliers as a special repre-

were examined in camera.

The reports in circulation that all further proceedings in the suit will be held in camera have caused general disappointment, for the opinion prevails that Count Kuno Yon Moltke should be giv count Numer von Montes should be giv-en an opportunity to rehabilitate him-self before the public, which heard the terrible charges brought against him at the previous trial. It is possible that the judges in whom lies the discretion to have public or secret hearings may decide at a later period to reopen t court to the public. The case is e pected to continue until December 24.

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Sydenham Township Boy Fires His

Sister's Clothes. United States Army Officer Charged Owen Sound, Dec. 20 .- Mr. and Mrs

Owen Sound, Dec. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. James Cathrea, in Sydenham township, near Walter's Falls, on Wednesday evening lost their infant daugiter under very distressing circumstances. In the morning a number of fowl had been killed and cleaned for market, and their son, a little fellow two and a half years of age, had witnessed the operation of singeing after the birds had been plucked. In the evening when Mrs. Cathrea went out to milk the cows she left the two children playing together, and during her absence the boy got hold of a roll, of paper, which he ignited at the fire and apparently undertook to initate his mother's treatment of the poultry by holding the burning paper to the clothing of his sister, who was only eighteen months old. Her clothing was quickly on fire, and when the mother returned she was horrified to find the little one suffering from terrible burns.

her husband and four-year-old daughter, was on board the Pullman car Arran, en route from Cobalt to Toronto. The party occupied the drawing room in the sleeper, and as there was a physician on the train, the mother received every attention. On arrival at Toronto, Mrs. Fullerton was removed with the child to the General Hospital, where both are now doing well.

WAITRESSES' SUICIDE

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Drank Carbolic Acid Where Employed

and Was Found Dead.

Toronto Junction, Dec. 20 .- A sad fat Toronto Junction, Dec. 20.—A sad fatality occurred at the Occidental Hotel this morning, when Mamie Fetter, of Milton, took her own life by drinking carbolic acid. The unfortunate girl had been employed as waitress at the Occidental Hotel for upwards of two years. Early this morning she complained of ill-health, and asked another did apployed in the dining-room to perfor miner duties. About 9 o'clock this girl returned upstairs and found the Fetter girl lying on the bed apparently asleep.

asleep.

A couple of hours later Mrs. Mayhew, wife of the proprietor, went upstairs and found the girl's bedroom door locked. There was no response to her call, so she summoned help and the door was broken open. Mamie Fetter was discovered lying unconscious on the bed, and, although medical aid was called, the girl died within a few minutes.

Neil Taylor, employed on the sewers at St. Thomas, fell into a trench and broke his neck. He has no chance of re-covery.

covery.

The woman who on December 4th made an unsuccessful attempt to kill Lieut. Gen. Guerschelmann, Governor-General of Moscow, by means of a bomb, was excuted at Moscow. On the scaffold she said to her executioners: "We will soon stop your hangings."

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Half-Price Sale of Women's Coats



Noteworthy sale, involving Evening, Street and Travelling Garments. The collection is far too widely varied for complete details.

50 Tweed and Tourist Coats, regular \$5.5.00, reduced to \$7.50

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25 Black Cloth Coats, regular \$5.00, reduced to \$7.50

10 Fine Velvet Coats, regular \$60.00, reduced to \$7.50

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regular \$60.00, reduced to \$30.00

Wonderful Reductions in Furs for Monday's Selling

Three-hour bargain \$125.00 Coats reduced to\$75.00 On Sale from 9 until 12 o'clock

27 and 30 inches Persian Lamb Coats. All selected Persian skins, double breasted, storm collar, and revers, lined with best quality satin. This is the best bargain of the season, and would make a lovely Christmas gift.

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Chilistinus Dute of Luney Comos Boxed
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Back Combs, with gilt mountings and cold settings, regular \$1.00, for 49c
Back Combs, with sides to match, with brilliant settings, regular \$1.50, for 98c
Heavy Cut Steel Mounted Combs, regular \$1.50, for \$1.19
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Christmas Sale of Leather Goods

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Fancy Beaded Bags, assorted colors, regular 75c, for
Beaded Bags, mounted on gilt frames, regular \$1.00, for
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Velvet Crocodile Bags, with leather handles, regular \$1.75, for
Velvet Crocodile Bags, with leather handles, regular \$1.75, for
Seal Leather Strap Purses, with fancy fastener, regular \$1.00, for
Seal Leather Strap Purses, card case combined, regular \$1.25, for
American Strap Bags, with outside pocket, regular \$2.50, for
English Carriage Bags, leather lined, regular \$2.75, for
English Carriage Bags, leather lined, regular \$3.50, for
English Velvet Crocodile Bags, regular \$0.50, for
Paris Opera Fitted Bags, regular \$3.75, for
Paris Novelty Bags; fitted with opera glasses, regular \$11.00, for

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Christmas Sale of Ladies' Kid Gloves All Nicely Boxed with Christmas Card

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Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, regularly 20c each, 3 in picture box for 35c

Embroidered Handkerchiefs, initialed, regularly 35c, 2 in box for 50c

Embroidered Handkerchiefs, esolloped or hemmed, regular 25c, 3 ii box for 50c

Embroidered Handkerchiefs, with net inserted, regularly 65c, for 50c

Cross Bar Linen Handkerchiefs, lace trimmed, regularly 35c, 3 in box for 55c

Dainty Handkerchiefs, with colored embroidery designs, regularly 35c, 4 in box for 50c for inen Handkerchiefs, with Irish lace edge, regularly \$1.35, for keal Hand Made Lace Handkechiefs, regularly \$3.25, for

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