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The Complainant's Indebtedness to

The Harper vs. Cameron litigation was continued, yesterday, with Mr. Cuyler Holland, of the B. C. Land and Investment Co., on the stand. The action involves a sum of \$50,000, which, it is alleged, was borrowed from plaintiff while insane. Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., and E. V. Bodwell, instructed by Mr. Lindley Crease, appeared for plaintiff; Messrs. Chas. Wilson and L.

G. McPhillips for defendant. Mr. Holland deposed that Harper's medications to the company was about \$125,000, about \$80,070 of which had been borrowed since 1886. In 1885, and sand street.

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In cross-examination by Mr. Richards,
witness said be did not know if any of
Harper's cattle had died from starvation,

the management of the property, which dissolution of partnership plaintiff drev property was now in the hands of the com- \$80,000 or \$90,000. The Stewart ranch pany. He seemed to be under the impression that he would, yet realize from his about \$10,000. He was generally of a speculative turn of mind.

up the mortgages in 1881 for Harper, at 10 per cent. The firm had security for most of the money advanced, but there was some of it unsecured, as Harper was still in 1884, Harper could furnish security for any some of it unsecured, as Harper was still indebted to them in a sum of \$12,000. The
mortgage to Mason, in February 1884, was
about the 5th, and was charged at 18 per
cent. The other mortgages were not
"firsts," and the rate of interest was higher than it would have been. The property was sold for \$200,000, and Harper owed Witness—I believe he would have become

was sold for \$200,000, and Harper owed the company about \$150,000, so that the company made about \$50,000.

John Cameron, the defendant, was put in the box. Examined by Mr. Wilson, he said that he lives in Victoria, and has been in British Columbia since 1862. He engaged in mining in early days in Cariboo from 1862 to 1865; was a short time away, and returned to Cariboo. In 1875 he went to Lightning Creek, having been employed by A. S. Bates to look after his victualling store. He invested \$6.400 in the Van Winstore. He invested \$6,400 in the Van Winkle, out of which some \$600,000 or \$700,000 He saked witness to sell the number requisite to make up his total. At that time ey, Lightning Creek, for a couple of years, and was convinced that there was a good deal of the ground there not worked out. He had had a conversation with Harper respecting a lease of Lightning Creek, and it was decided that they should go into partnership. Harper gave instructions to have the lease applied for, and in locating it their object was to obtain possession of the whole creek, as claims which would not then pay wages would show a good dividend with cheap labor. Witness knew Harper long before the accident. After the accident he met Harper in Victoria, and was recognized by him. It was in 1886 that they made arrangements to take the lease. Harper was to manage the mine under salary, and as soon as all the claims were paid they were to get share and share alike. After the arrangement that he could not get the money. They were to run a bed rock drain into the mine. When the lease was taken, Harper was to that he preferred to stay with the sold that he preferred to stay with the kle, out of which some \$600,000 or \$700,000 He asked witness to sell the numb

claim. He had reason to believe that he could have sold the claim for \$250,000, and this was communicated to Harper, who said he would not part with it, as he would soon The Complainant's Indebtedness to the B. C. Land & Investment Company.

A Mining Speculation Which not Pay the Plaintiff.

At this stege of the proceedings, the Court adjourned until this morning.

> The case of Harper vs. Cameron was cor tinued yesterday, when some very material

vidence was adduced. Messrs. Richards Q. C., and Bodwell, instructed by Mr. L. Crease, appeared for plaintiff; Wilson and McPhillips for defend-

The defendant, Cameron, was again put in the witness box.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bodwell he said that when he had theoffer of \$250,000 for the Mr. Holland deposed that Harper's indebtedness to the company was about The sale was to have been conducted by Mr.

Mr. Richards—Good for him or good for Harper? (Laughter.)
Mr. Wilson—Answer the question.
Witness—It was good for anybody going into it in my mind. I think Lightning Creek better than Horsefly.
Arthur Richard Wolfenden, a former emiliative for the control of th Letters were produced to show that Harper had asked to have bank bills put off, stating that the Horsefly mine would pay it. Harper reduced the interest on the mortgage several times on one occasion.

Letters were produced to show that Harper had asked to have bank bills put off, stating that the Horsefly mine would pay it. Harper reduced the interest on the mortgage several times, on one occasion by \$10,000. This money, witness believed, was raised from the sale of horses. Another letter, in which Harper spoke of sending men to the Horsefly mine, purchasing the Chinese claim, and stating that everything was looking lovely, was read, in which a further loan of \$1,000 was asked. This advance was not made. A further letter was read which inferred that Harper was iring to borrow money elsewhere.

Mr. Richards—Why should he have to apologize to you for borrowing money elsewhere.

Witness explained that Harper was in their hands, and had he paid them of the was at liberty to borrow where he liked. The letter was dated March, 1888, and read, "Yours to hand, and in reply will say that I have not been trying to borrow nore money than a few hundred dollars. Nothingsaninduce me to do anything to jeopardize my fine geosperty." Still another letter etated that all the money would be paid off in a comply of months. Witness believed there were prospects of Inwing on the debt, as the mizing speculations might have been angotiating for a loan somewhere else to pay off the Investment Co.

A letter was read from Harper, dated "Allifornis, Feb. 21st, 88," in which he said that he had negotiated for the sale of the Italian Gardens for \$50,000. This money was not forwarded to witness firm as promised by Harper. From San Francisco Harper wrote asking an extrasion of six months on his notes, on the ground that the property, which was worth \$75,000, could not be sold just then, (Feb. 14th '89). In a letter of 10th March, Harper again spoke of the illimitable wealth of the Horsefly and of which he expected \$50,000 in a month or two, and asked, when about to appoint a manager, which is worst—an old man in which the animal is crasy?" In the letter the sentence twice occurred, "weather fine" all looks well, money plentiful, everything Harper, witness said, he had frequently called into the office and given advice as to for the reilways during construction. At the

alifornia property, and be able to buy lative turn of mind.

Cross-examined by Mr. Richards, witness Re-examined, witness said that he took said that prior to the accident Harper was

store. He invested \$6.400 in the Van Win- order, which he had taken from Oregon.

e Court, when Ezekiel Harper plaintiff respondent in a case on appeal, was read, as showing the sanity and intelligence of present plaintiff. The Court adjourned of present plaintiff. The Cour until ten o'clock, this morning.

NOTE.—In our issue of Nov. 6, Mr Note:—In our issue of Nov. 6, Mr. Holland was reported as having stated in his evidence, in the case of Harper v. (Jameron, that his company (the B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Lt.d.) made \$50,000, being the difference between the amount of mortgages and the purchase price. Mr. Holland should have been reported as having said that the \$50,000 was the company's margin of security; not profit. On the contrary, in the evidence it was shown that the company sustained, through Harper's assignment. a loss of \$12,000 company sustained, throusignment, a loss of \$12,000.

SEARCHING FOR WATER BY THE ROD:

(To the Editor of the Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News.)

SIR,—Among your illustrations in last Saturday's Illustrated Sporting and Dramatic News is one which describes the process of "searching for water by the rod." It may interest some of your readers to learn that

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## \$ 4,324 00 CANADIAN NEWS.

Toronto's Mayoralty mayoralty next year. Other candidates will be Ald. McDougall, ex-Mayor Beatty and ex-Ald. Fleming.

Poisoned By Mistake. AMHERST, N.S., Nov. 6.-The daughte of Geo. H. McKay put srsenic in some the new Australian pancakes in mistake for baking powder, utilized to put it pancakes in mistake for baking powder. All of the family partook of the cakes. The daughter is dead, and the rest of the family are slowly recovering.

WINNIPEG. Nov. 6 .- Lord and Lady Aberdeen left for Chicago, this morning.

A Suicide. CALGARY, Nov. 6.— Constable Herris' leath was self-inflicted, a jury returning a verdict of suicide.

CABLEGRAMS CONDENSED.

Guns for the Dardanelles-Marquis Dufferin Appointed Warden of the Cinque Ports.

Attitude of the Czar Towards the Kaiser-The Pope's Will-Christians in China.

The Sultan of Turkey has ordered hundreds of heavy guns from Krupp, for the defense of the Dardanelles. The Marquis of Dufferin has been appointed Lord Warden of the Cinque ports, in place of the late Hon. W. H. Smith.

The Government organ at Madrid declares that the Government will not consent to give an exequatur to Mr. Rand, American Consul to the Caroline Islands, on account of his supposed connection with the Methodist missionaries, whose influence over the natives is a cause of worry to the Spanish authorities and Catholic monks there.

A military train has been wrecked at Ivangaroda, three soldiers were killed and

where the rod moved in the hands of the wizard," it moved also in mine, though less forcefully. On my own place, as already noticed, it would not work in any hands. From these experiences I am inclined to think, at least as regards peach and willow, that a twig of either will miss quite as much water as it will ever find. Yet even with this limitation its utility is beyond question.

I am, sir, your obedient servant, MATHAND STENHOUSE.

Edinburgh, N.B., Sept. 30.

HOW THE MONEY WENT

At the Firemen's Teurnament—The Receipts and Expenditures.

Mr. H. A. Munn, treasurer Firemen's Tournament Committee, has handed in his statement, which is as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Total amount of collections paid in by not to pass through Berlin.

The Neue Frei Press of Vienna, states that on arriving in Vienna, the Duke of Orleans was served with a citation for damages of £20,000 in the Melba divorce case in which the Duke is co-respondent.

The Deutcher Werensblatt says that early in 1890 Lord Salisbury, with the consent of Herbert Bismarck, ordered Capt. Bateman to attack Dr. Peters, who was then at the Mumboni mountains of Africa. Bateman, with a force of 409 blacks, shelled the position supposed to be occupied by Dr. Peters, when as a matter of fact Peters had retreated and the two forces

A French committee is being organized in Paris to agitate for the mainten violate of the papal guarantees and also to convene a World's Catholic Congress to consider the relations of the Pope to Italy

and four natives were injured.

At a meeting in London of the shareholders of the Idaho Mining company, Mr. Marden, holder of 1,500 shares, accused certain directors of being dummies appointed through the company's solicitor, lace's court, this morning, Elwood Bruner, and said those directors' fees should be the Sacramento assemblyman, under indictreduced. One speaker questioned whether either gold or silver had ever been got out self. He stated that his strong was sick. Toronto's Mayoralty.

Toronto, Nov. 6.—It is understood Mr.
E. B. Osler will be a candidate for the mayoralty next year.

Other candidates

of the mine. As the meeting was dispersing, and was granted a postponement until toa melee arose between Mr. Granton and morrow to plead. He then filed a demurrer
Mr. Marden, who fought each other all to the indictment and motion to set it
around, knocking about the directors, shareholders, reporters and others, and overthrowing the furniture.

An unknown British steamer loaded with petroleum has been burned on the east coast of Eubœa. Six persons were saved and the bodies of six men and one woman were washed ashore.

Severe snowstorms continue in Bulgaria. At some points the snow is 10 feet deep. Many persons have died from the effects of cold, and thousands of cattle and sheep have been lost. Numerous wrecks are reported in the Black Sea. Rain has fallen in torrents in the province of Malaga. The lower quarters of Golila and Perchel are submerced.

A secret association has been formed among the Poles of Galicia, to keep alive the memories of the Polish struggle of about 30 years ago. The members have resolved to destroy the memorial to General Mouravieff should Russia erect it at Wilna.

was committed, and the place where the nurderers hid the head is not as yet dis-overed. A dock laborer named Vawcord has been arrested on suspicion of being the murderer. He was seen to enter the house with a companion on Sunday evening and depart alone on Monday with a linen parcel.

Reports are increasing in number of thefts of grain in Stratoff, Russia, owing to destitution. In some districts the people eat the food refused by animals. A rumor is reported that mothers kill their children in the state of order to prevent their starving to death.

Famine has revealed the existence of considerable maladministration among government officials. Some of the ministers are likely to be dismissed.

All the employes of the late Charles Stuart Parnell on his Avondale estate have Stuart Farnel on his Avondate estate have been dismissed, and the sawmill and Ark-low quarries, which belong to the Parnell estate, are to be sold.

An English gentleman in Paris, who recently saw Dom Pedro, states that the ex-emperor exhibits the deepest interest in Brazilian affairs, but declines to animadvert Brazilian affairs, but declines to animadvert upon the government. He has not yet given up all hope of being permitted to go back to die in Brazil, and would give any pledge to remain aloof from politics. Since the recent refusal of this concession, the ex-emperor has been waiting patiently for a change in the views of the government. His deep attachment to Brazil and Brazilians, and his devotion to that country seem to be a passion, and indeed his only remaining passion. Polities are quiet in Paris; but it is feared there that the Czar may have some lurking idea about diplomacy. The saying of the Grand Duke, when passing through Berlin one month ago, is remembered. "My brother," said he, "will not come. He does

to Copenhagen every year just like a city merchant, to dine on a Sunday with his

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

News of the Whalers.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5 .- The whaling bark, Northern Light, arrived from the Arctic, this morning, brings eleven whales caught in Behring's Sea. Capt. Simmor eports that, when signalled, the Hunter and one whale and the Tamerlane four right whales and one bowhead. He also report the wreck of the steam whaler Wm. Lewis She went ashore in a snow storm at Point Barrow. The whaling bark, J. P. West, also got in, this afternoon. Her catch was six whales, all of which were taken in the Kodak fishing grounds. Both the Northern Light and the West went into the Arctic but notifies of them, caught anything. but neither of them caught anything. A boat steerer, boat header, and two sailors of the Lewis came down on the John P. West. They state that the Lewis went ashore at 10 p.m., Oct. 3rd. It was enowing hard and the ship was under sail. The Belve-dere was lying at suchor at Point Barrow and, next morning, took off the men and 40 pounds of bone. The Stevedore encountered the remainder of the fleet two miles west of Point Barrow, and distributed the men. The Belvedere and the Narwhal were fast got five whales.

Governor Morrill's Bouse Burned. SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Nov. 5 .- Last

evening the residence of Governor Samue Morrill, at Rialto, with all its contents, was The Bremen Senate has issued a decree permitting the importation of British and American cattle for breeding purposes, on presentation of a satisfactory report from the state veterinarian.

The Decret was caused burned to the ground. The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove, and Miss Belle McGill was badly burned. The loss to the building is \$8000 and its contents \$4000.

Shot Dead in a Quarrel.

San Francisco, Nov. 5 .- Paulo Girli, well-known Italian fruit dealer, was shot well-known Italian fruit dealer, was snot and instantly killed at 2 o'clock this afternoon by Daniel Vernaglia, another Italian. The shooting was a most cold-blooded affair. The men disputed about some money, when Vernaglia suddenly drew a revolver and shot Girii twice near the heart. He then and have severally after an exciting class. fled, but was caught after an exciting chase. The murdered man leaves a wife and eight

That Stage Robbery

consider the relations of the Pope to Italy and the expedience or necessity of some reform in those relations. The main object of the congress would, it is understood, be to advance and promote the restoration of the Pope's temporal power.

The tire of the driving wheels of a locomotive attached to a mail train proceeding from Bombay to Nagapore, on Wednesday, broke, and the carriages telescoped. Five railway officials and five British soldiers were killed, and thirty-one British soldiers and four natives were injured.

\*\*Redding Cala., Nov. 5.—It is reported resulted from the boy's interference, the father was whipped. He swore vengeance. The son, Erin Warde, knowing his father's revengeful temperament, left the house after the quarrel and spent the night at a neighbor's. This morning he started for his pasture, leaving the colt. It is surmised that Jones has taken this mare. She belonged to old man Howard. If this is the father was concealed, winchester rife. Detective Thacker has were killed, and thirty-one British soldiers and four natives were injured. REDDING, Cala., Nov. 5 .- It is reported

An Indicted Assemblyman. SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5 .- In Judge Wallace's court, this morning, Elwood Bruner, prostrated over the attempt to murder he

shareholders, reporters and overthrowing the furniture.

The slave trade between Queensland and several of the Polynesian groups has increased during the year, and it is said that the new Australian squadron will be partly utilized to put it down. The planters of Queensland claim that Polynesian labor is a necessity in that region white labor being scarce and the native blacks utterly worthless.

The London Chronicle's Berlin correspondens says: The burgomaster of Crefeld has ordered a strict examination of American pork imports in consequence of the discovery of diseased sides certified as healthy

Chinese Deportation.

DETROIT, Nov. 6.—Judge Swan, yester-

day, delivered an opinion on the subject of Chinese deportation, perhaps the first complete ruling upon that question. The case was that of Chong Sam, arrested at Port Huron on July 9th, for having been unlaw-fully broughtinto the country. The Chinaman was examined by a commissioner and found in possession of a certificate is-sued by the customs officers of Vancouver, sued by the customs officers of vancourses sued by the customs officers of vancourses. B.C., dated May 21st, 1891, permitting to Canada. It was als him to return to Canada. It was also shown that he had been arrested at Detroit June 23rd, and returned to Canada by order of Commissioner Graves. Upon the second appearance of the Chinaman he was ordered to be sent back to China wades. Mouravieff should Russia erect it at Wilna.

A sensational murder mystery is connected with the headless body of a man found in a cellar on the Rue Charonne in Paris. The authorities have discovered that the man was strangled before being beheaded. The murderers carried the chartment of China is reversed and the United States below the state of the deportation of the law. bleeding trunk to the place where it was found from the spot where the crime moved to Canada.

AMERICAN NEWS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4 .- In his cable letter

to the Tribune, Edmund Yates says: "Michael Davitt announced on Thursday at Kilkenny that he will not run for Parliament until the general election. Mr. Davitt and his friends have conceived a most erroneous view of his position. He is disqualified from sitting in Parliament as he was sentenced to penal servitude, and on heing released before completion of his term heing released before completion of his term did not receive a free pardon from the

for the House of Commons until a special Act of Parliament has been passed to remove his disabilities. If Mr. Davitt stood sugar, so as to leave Hawaii on the footing for any constituency, the votes given him would be wasted, and his opponent would be returned as a matter of course.

"Mr. Balfour is, at the present time, without doubt the most popular man in Scot-land, and this has been well shown by the council of the university of Edinburgh council of the university of Edinburgh having unanimously elected him chancellor of the university, as successor to the late

of the university, as successor to the late Lord President.
"It had been expected that either Lord Roseberry or Mr. Kinnear would have been run against Mr. Balfour, but their supporters deemed it the most prudent course to let Mr. Balfour be elected without opposition.

tion.
"The present year has proved fatal to all three of the Waterloo officers, who lived to celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the battle in June, 1890. Lord Albermarle died in February, but he was much younger than either Gen. Whichol, who died in September, or Col. Hewitt, who passed away last week. The Waterloo list at the war office has been closed.

A Dictatorship for Brazil. RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 4. - The Brazilian congress has resolved that martial law be proclaimed and the dictatorship be re-established.

The Alturas Stage Robbery. REDDING, Cal., Nov. 4.-Ever since the

of the Redding and Alturas stage, about constipation permanently. of the Redding and Alturas stage, about two weeks ago, officers have been on the alert for the parties interested with them, and who helped them out. These two men were arrested near Alturas a few days ago, and, in bringing them down, they both got away from the officers by slipping their sheckles and jumping out of the stage on either side and breaking through the woods. Since that time they have never been seen Since that time they have never been seen until yesterday. An officer was on their track when his horse was shot from under him. Detective Thacker, who has had charge of the whole matter, at once ordered Cornelius Howard, the father of the boy arrested, and his daughter, who lives with him on the ranch, brought here for safe keeping, and placed two men in Howard's house to await developments, for he knew young Howard would return home in the night for something to eat. He was correct n his theory, for, last night, about 12 o'clock, while the officers were awaiting his arrival who should appear and knock at the door but young Howard? The officers in the house heard him coming, and they None better in Victoria can be throw up his hands. He answered "Go to hell!" when one of the officers fired, hitting him just above the heart, killing him instantly. The coroner held an inquest this morning. Thacker is close on the track of Jones, and he will be taken either alive or find dead to-day. The man who was driving the team at the time of the arrest of Howard and Jones is now confined in jail here.

Later—The coroner's jury in the case of the killing of Howard exonerated the offi-cers. The driver of the team has made a full confession, and reported that they have been in six different robberies recently.

All orders he delivers free; Visit Rowbotham for economy.

MATTEWAN, N. J. Nov. 3-Ben Warde man of 20, interfered. In a quarrel that resulted from the boy's interference, the just started officers from here on horseback to try and corral Jones.

the latter took careful aim with an old shot gun and put a load of shot into the boy's body and arm. The doctor say he will die. The father made no effort to escape, and was placed under arrest. Mrs. Warde i

> Brazil and Foreign Countries. WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.-The Bureau of American Republics is informed that th Brazilian government has reorganized its diplomatic and consular service, reducing expenditures very considerably by abolish ing the legations at St. Petersburg, Vienna and the Vatican. The government has also consolidated the Venezuelan legation with that of Mexico, the Bolivian with Peru, and the legation of Portugal with that of Spain.

> Railroad Freight Rates. NEW YORK, Nov. 5 .- A meeting of the Trunk Lines' Association was held, to-day, for the purpose of considering the East bound rate situation. The Association, to day, resolved to continue the committee the recalcitrant members agreeing to return to the fold on the promise of the Associa tion to enforce co-operation. The Wes bound rate situation was discussed inc dentally. The executive Committee had recently resolved to restore the rates on November 1, and this was confirmed.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Comptroller Lacy left Washington, this afternoon, for Boston, Mass., to look into the affairs of the Mave rick National Bank. He will exercise a general supervision over the work of investigation, now being conducted by the Government experts. More Train Robbers,

The Maverick National Bank.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 5.-None of the train obbers who held up the Missouri Pacific train this morning have yet been captured. The amount stolen is placed at \$1,000. The men are believed to be the same who robbed he street car office a short time ago.

Jeff Davis' Monument. BACHMOND, Va., Nov. 5.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her daughter, Winnie, arrived here, on Sunday night, from New York. The object of the visit is officers of the Jefferson Davis Monument

Association with reference to the designand location of the monument to be erected over the remains of her husband, which will have their final resting-place in the capital of the Confederacy. The sentiment seems to be in favor of a mansoleum in the yard of the Davis mansion, which was the White House of the Confederacy, and is soon to be converted into a Confederate mission

The U. S. and Sandwich Islands. Washington, Nov. 5.-Dr. Smith was sent to Washington by the Queen of the Sandwich Islands, to represent that Gov. ernment during Minister Carter's illness, and it is believed that he will succeed to d not receive a free pardon from the cown.

"Mr. Davitt is not an eligible candidate or the House of Commons until a special with a special mission to have this country to duty.



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A special meeting w s held on Monday, fo sidering certain charg

Chairman Hayward, of Board. The following w The Mayor, Ald. Co. can ; Trustees Havward lin, McConnan, Mr. B. pro tem., and Mr. Er The MAYOR asked if

be private or open?

ALD. RENOUS - Open
Mr. HAYWARD - As 'b sure on me has been and I have to say will, I hop

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Victoria, B. C., Nov. 4. ALD. RENOUF suggests tioners be called upon to Mr. HAYWARD said th mothing of the meeting u
the papers. He was
secretary pro tem, Mr.
Netherby should be press
Mr. McLaughlan and
said that they had receiv

messenger to the City Co it was that a notice of the been sent to him. It see he was the only member had not been notified. I City Clerk on the point, made was that he had no And. RICHARDS, who o course. He pointed out meetings of the Board it some of the members ooks and report as t The result of this inspe schools were foun to be the subject. That rep there were 1,004 names en tral School, with an ave 900. Certain alterations were recommended, and nent of additional t The committee's report cipal of the boys' school carry out the auggestions, report was also sent to the Instruction. The recorbraced in the report wer Principal, Mr. Netherby.

Principal, Mr. Netherby. report a letter was receive intendent of Education, Board of Trustees had no internal arrangements of pointing out what the decade to be an undesirable the grades from 8 to 10, w sitate a longer term for a p the course. The fact was intention to increase the grades. At the next meet he was not present, and twappointed. These appoin accord with the suggestions Education. The report, as committee, should have hand at the following meetit the minutes were adopted. and at the following meets the minutes were adopted, rect. He was confined to fillness at the time, and cou meetings, but when he was again, he found that one tea appointed to the 4th division the 8th division. Finding the back here made on the minute minutes and the minutes of the minutes had been made on the min structions had been given to the school to have the a ried out, the whole matter and the monitors arranged

A communication from t

of Education elaimed that control over the internal the schools, and that the B Trustees had no right to i out consulting the Trustee instructed the accretary principal of the school carry out the instructions Public Instruction and Trustees Why did he m meeting of the Board at matter? Instead of that, he thing into his own hands, at made an arrangement which calated to work satisfactorily one of the divisions a classification of the divisions a classification. with one teacher in charge, declared that to deal with possible. Their suggestion class should be divided, teschers should be shifted rotation, but instead of this divided, and a monitor, at called upon to teach sub then teacher was getting month for — in fact, placed under gr