PROROGATION IS DRAWING NEAR

LEAD BOUNTY BILL PASSES COMMITTEE STAGE

Opposition Withdraws Request Enormous Mass Circles Over for Further Investigation Into Hodgins' Charges.

Ottawa, June 24.—The government bill providing an extension of the lead bounty for five years passed the com-

Indications point to prorogation in three or four weeks' time. The leaders bill and numbers on both sides are anxious to get away. The ministers after the strain of a seven months' session are badly in need of rest and their health is suffering from the continued stress of working from twelve to sixteen hours per day.

The Hodgins committee will make an unanimous report to parliament, the opposition members withdrawing the request for any further investigation of the charges of over-classification and of the flasco is the best. The evidence will be reported to the House in regular course.

MONTREAL HIGHWAYMEN.

Supposed to Be Responsible For Outrage.

Montreal, June 24.-With a bullet in his head, and claiming to have been attacked by a couple of highwaymen thought to be Italians on the lower Lachine road, Euclid Gratton, a traveier in the employ of Gratton & Co., tobacconists, called at police head-quarters to report the circumstances Gratton was taken to the hospital, where the bullet was extracted. The wound is not a very serious one. After the shots were fired the highwayme made their escape. They had evidently been frightened by an approaching auto. The police have so far been unable to trace the highwaymen.

KING IN ATTENDANCE AT WARD-REID NUPTIALS

U. S. Ambassador's Daughter is Honored by England's Royalty.

London, June 24.-With King Edward and Queen Alexandra smiling approval from their private gallery, Miss Jean Reid, daughter of Whitelaw Reid, the Britain, was married yesterday afternoon in the Chapel Royal at St. James' palace to Hon. John Hubert Ward, brother of the Earl of Dudley, and equerry-in-waiting to the King. The ancient chapel, one of the few remains of the olds palace of the Tudors, in which Queen Victoria and several of her daughters were married, was prettily decorated with flowers for this the most fashionable of recent weddings in

sen and other members of the roys mily, who by their attendance at the chapel and at the subsequent recei dence of Ambassador Reid, paid dor and his daughter.

The invitations, which were limited to less than one hundred, on account time of arrival at 2.45 p. m., and by that hour all the guests had found

A few minutes before 3 o'clock King TAFT PARTY TO Edward and Queen Alexandra, accor panied by their suites, drove up from Buckingham Palace and proceeded at once to the royal gallery, where the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Prin-

As is customary in the Church of England service, the officiating clergy-man, accompanied by a surpliced choir, met the bridal procession at the door singing "Lead Us, Heavenly Father,

services when in residence in Windsor question as to how the anti-injunction Castle, officiated. He was assisted by plank as finally adopted came to be Rev. William Gresvener, rector of the church of the Incarnation, New York, the church of which Mr. and Mrs. Reid | made this statement last night: have been members for many years, and Rev. Hiers Claughton, rector of adopted was written by the friends of

satin, trimmed with old rose point the secretary and president before it lace, given her by her grandmother. was proposed as a substitute for the The fronts of the skirt and waist were original plank on this subject. In fact, ich was caught up with white rosebuds and orange blossoms. The bride ence in the republican platform as fin-wore but three pieces of jewelry, and ally adopted was approved by the sec-

in quaint costumes of blue and white. waiting to the King, supported Mr. ted to the committee.

ARCHBISHOP MATHESON, D. D.

AIRSHIP TRIAL PROVES SUCCESS

EVOLUTIONS ARE HIGHLY SATISFACTORY

Prussian Soil Under Perfect Control.

Freiderichshaven, June 24,-A second a view to testing an improved side Zeppelin declared that he was satis- in the strange disappearance. miners, and said he hoped to see Mr. fled with everything excepting the side steering arrangement which had not

times. It then departed at full speed towards Tangenargen, where it crossed to the Swiss side of Lake Constance against a light breeze. Proceeding back across the lake to Lindau, the count undertook at a height of from 300 to 600 feet above the surface of cluding sinking and rising, turning and right and went to live with the grandstopping, thoroughly testing the new arrangement of both the escension and the side steering apparatus. the side steering apparatus, which seemingly worked in a most satisfactory manner. The facility with which a change of direction of the enormous mass in the air was accomplished deeply impressed the spectators.

LIGHT DAY IN POLICE COURT.

Only Three Cases on Docket and All . Remanded For Various Reasons.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) There were only three cases on the docket at the police court this morning, all of which were remanded. The first case called was that of Estelle Carroll, charged with selling liquor without a license. Through her lawyer, J. A. Alkman, she pleaded not lawyer, J. A. Alkman, she pleaded not guilty, but in entering this plea Mr. Alkman made a statement to the court to the effect that on instructions from his client he had yesterday informed Chief Langley that he intended to plead guilty, and that he need not bring down the detectives from Vancouver, who would be the witnesses for the presecution in the case. This for the prosecution in the case. This morning, however, his client instructed nim otherwise, and he presumed the chief would want a ramand in order t

produce his witnesses, and he would offer no objection to it. The case was remanded until Saturday morping.

The charge against another woman of being an inmate of a disorderly house kept by Estelle Carroll was also remanded until the search remanded until the same time, when it will be further stood over matil such time as the court has passed upon the certiorari proceedings which Mr. Alkman is taking in connection with the conviction registered against Estelle Carroll for being the keeper of such a

The last case on the list was that of A great crowd assembled in St.

James' square to watch the arrival of the bridal party and the King and case was remanded until to-merrow.

\$3,000,000 LOSS AT THREE RIVERS

Purposes. Three Rivers, June 24.—The less by Menday's fire is new estimated at nearly \$3,000,000. The insurance companies will lose over a million. The provincial government will guarantee a loan of two millions for rebuilding purposes.

ANTI-INJUNCTION PLANK

Roosevelt Policy, as Asserted by Bryan.

Rev. Edgar Sheppard, canon of St. George's chapel, Windsor, where King Edward and Queen Alexandra attend al platform has suggested a further greater at the how the anti-injunction Columbus, O., June 24.—The reply of written. Upon this point Mr. Ellis

Hutton-Brentwood, a cousin of the Secretary Taft on the sub-committee The bride's dress was of soft white on resolutions and was approved by covered with this lace, every plank and practically every sentence in the republican platform as fin-

"This statement is made in order to thus provided may amount to \$5,000,000. his condition, it was thought by the physicians, and the former president make clear the fact that the republic platform contains no suggestion for a retreat from the Roosevelt policies; Winnipeg, June 24.—A cable states stands squarely by the progressive that Cambridge has conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on Archbishop Matheson, of Rupertsland.

MYSTERY OF MISSING CHILD. No Trace of Olive Dupray, Who Dis appeared From Train Near Fort William.

Fort William, Ont., June 24.-A Dupray, father of little Olive Dupray, has returned from Pins, where he was engaged for the past three days in the search for his daughter, who disappeared from the train on Wednesday last. Some two hundred men took part in the search for miles on both sides of the track.

William Higgins, brother-in-law of the lost girl, is of the opinion that foul play occurred. He does not think that the little girl wandered off alone. He also admits that there is a possibility of the girl being stolen by her mother, who is not dead, as claimed by Mr.

In Hands of Negroes. Winnipeg, June 23 .- Hotel runners at

stranded recently at Hawkesbury, were two little children, one of them a girl three years old, who were sent in charge of the ship's officers by their father from Boston, addressed to their grandmother, Mrs. John Hughes, St.

CLAIMANTS TO CHUNK FROM HEART OF LONDON

Montreal Professor Sails to Old Land on Romantic Quest.

Montreal, June 24.—Professor W. T. Moon, principal of a business college of this city, along with his father, W. C. Moon, of Sydenham, Ont., sailed a few days ago for London, England, to engage lawyers and lay their claims before the proper authorities in the here the proper authorities in the hope that they may secure a share of the millions which it is said another the millions which it is said another branch of the family has already proved to belong to the Moons, Queen Victoria street, London, from the Mansion House westward some little distance, is the locality in which millions of dollars' worth of property referred to is situated.

ervative Association of South Lanark as heir candidate in the coming parliament-

SOUTH LANARK NOMINEE.

INVESTIGATION OF JAPANESE QUESTION

Baron Tahahasi, Special Commissioner, Gives Interview on His Findings.

St. Paul, June 24.—The Pioneer Baron Kagura Tahahashi who has with great surprise that the announce-been investigating the Japanese situa-

the position of America on the Japanhave been the causes of disturbances thunderbolt to those who had been government, on this side which have shaken the watching his illness. Last night there According to the reports of the

"My report will state to the Japanese nese immigrants in the cities of the and is actually in some cases an in-trusion, so far as concerns the Americans who labor on the liberties and that Mr. Cleveland was getting along rights of the people who already inhabit this country. My report will ad-vise that immigrants reaching the death. coasts of America be compelled to have in reserve, sufficient money to take them across the Rocky mountains and into the agricultural regions of the worth, N. H., in charge of Mrs. Perrin, widower.

PAN ANGLICAN CONGRESS COMES TO CLOSE

Thanksgiving Offerings of 250 Bishops Likely to Reach \$5,000,000.

London, June 24.—The Pan-Anglican ant and Lockwood, who came here

DEATH OF U. S. MAJOR.

Death was due to heart trouble.

NOTED DEMOCRAT IS NO MORE

GROVER CLEVELAND WAS TWICE PRESIDENT OF U. S.

Lost Power in Second Term Through Financial Panic of 1893.

Freiderichshaven, June 24.—A second who is not dead, as claimed by Mr. Second ascent was made last evening by Count Zeppelin in his new airship with her home here about two years ago. United States, died suddenly at his was again nominated for the here about two years ago. United States, died suddenly at his again nominated for the here about two years ago. The was again nominated for the hird time was again nominated for the hird time was again nominated for the hird time was again nominated for the hird time. a view to testing an improved side and is thought to be in Chicago. The missing girl was a great favorite of the mother, and there is a great prostalled. On the first ascent Count bability of the mother being mixed up come up to expectations. This had the Canadian Northern depot here state ment had been prepared by the physicians who had been attending him in

now been altered, and the change has given excellent results.

The test last night lasted a little over two hours during which time the most difficult manoeuvres were carried out without a hitch.

The great airship first circled around the town of Friederichshaven several times. It then departed at full speed by positively that a girl answering the description of little Olive Dupray came in on the delayed Duluth train accompanied by two strange, well-dressed negroes.

The following statement signed by Drs. Joseph F. Bryant, D. L.; Geo. Lockwood, a lung specialist, and J. M. Garnochan was given out: "Mr. Cleveland for many years had suffered from repeated attacks of gastro of intestinal origin. He had a long standing origin. Heart failure, complicated with pulonary thrombosis and Oedema were he immediate cause of his death."

His Long Illness. New York, June 24.-Mr. Cleveland was 71 years old in March last. During the past winter Mr. Cleveland kept close to his home in Princeton until the ch of his birthday, when he went was burned to death in a fire which to Lakewood with his family. He was destroyed her grandmother's house. ance Society of this city, and up to the time of his going to Lakewood had attended to correspondence in conv with his duties for that society. After he went to Lakewood, however, he dis-continued that work, and it soon deloped that Mr. Cleveland was suffer ng from an attack of digestive trouble which he had experienced many times before. Mr. Cleveland was attended by Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, of this city, and Dr. C. Howe, Lakewood, a specialist in stomach disorders, was called in to

Dr. Bryant made frequent visits to the distinguished patient at Lakewood.
Mr. Cleveland occupied a suite of rooms on the second floor of the Lakewood hotel at Lakewood and was constantly attended by Dr. Gaudenier, the physician attached to the house, in adthe hotel after it had long been clos to guests and that for many weeks no attempt was made to take the former president to his home in Princeton. only a short distance away, early made it evident that Mr. Cleveland's condition was regarded as very serious. On was said to have come from one of the officers of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, that Mr. Cleveland was suffering from cancer of the stomach. This was promptly denied by Mr. Parker, the secretary of the trustees of the Equitable Society, who afterwards acted for Mrs. Cleveland in issuing state-ments of the condition of the former resident. Mr. Parker said that Mr. leveland was suffering from his attacks of stomach trouble and that was

Mr. Cleveland remained at Lakewood several weeks thereafter, and constant reports of improvement in his condition were issued from the hotel. About a month ago he was sufficiently overed to be taken to his home Princeton. It was reported that Dr. Bryant had been called to Mr. Clevsland's home in Princeton. Inquiries made as to the reason for this tion in the United States and Canada, for the Mikado's government. In the interview the baron says:

"It is the desire of the Japanese situation of the Japanese of the Japane "It is the desire of the Japanese childs, secretary of the interior, and evernment to thoroughly understand attorney-general, Judge Harmon. ese question. The government well ously ill from time to time, the announcement of his death came like a even tenor of localities and disturbed was the slightest flurry among the chartered banks of the Dominion our government too.

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visit of Dr. Bryant, of New York, Mr. Cleveland's physician for many years.

Mrs. Cleveland's mother. The Cleve-lands came here from Lakewood, where BLAZING CHICAGO EXACTS the former president lay sick for many weeks on June 1st, and intended to go to their summer home as soon as Mr. strength to travel. End Was Sudden.

Princeton, June 24.-The former

resident died in bed in the second Wave. when the end came being Mrs. Cleve-land and three physicians. The only other persons in the house at the time were a number of servants, Drs. Brywore but three pieces of jeweiry, and ally adopted was approved by the sections of the bride's parents of Allockwood, who came here home of the bride's parents of Allockwood was again to the will have been not constraint to the will have been home of the bride's parents of Allockwood was again to the provided in Chicago yesterday. The there were result in the provided in Chicago yesterday. The there were result in the provided in Chicago yesterday. The there were result in the provided in Chicago the h all deep, two boys and three girls, all qualit costumes of blue and white.

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> When Doctors Bryant and Lockwood penitentiary yesterday for amusing Stamford, Conn., June 24.—Major Josha A. Fessenden, U. S. A. (retired), died suddenly at his home here to-day.
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> When Doctors Bryant and Leckwood penitentiary yesterday for amusing the content of the Conne, stand Josha A. Fessenden, U. S. A. (retired), found him "indisposed," as one of them passing street cars. His defence was difficulty in obtaining a long lease of the premaises.

eemed to faint. The physicians recog-ized immediately the symptoms. Imnediate arrangements were made to ombat the attack. With every resource at hand the physicians worked. Finally he lapsed into uncons and the end came at 8:30 a. m.
After a career full of activity, during

president of the United States on the win was largely due to his personality which was in reality the great issue of the campaign. A feature of his term of office was his advocacy of a thorough reform of the civil service. His state "unjust taxation" was taken up as his party's cry at the next election for president when Cleveland, who had was again nominated for the third time being heavy among the Nationalists. and on this occasion was elected. The Several deputies were killed. The forand on this occasion was elected.

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LIFE AT BELLA COOLA.

Bella Coola, June 16 .- Mr. Padget, two months after big game, has just the

The cannery has put up a number of A public meeting was held in the in the hands of the Cossacks.

use at the townsite to consider Bella Bella, about 70 miles away.

GALT HAS SHOCKING CATTLE MAIMING CASE

Valuable Horses Fatally Injured in Revolting Fashion -Man Arrested.

Galt, Ont., June 24.-A dastardly outrage was perpetrated early on Sunday norning at the Central hotel stables. when two valuable horses were killed in a most revolting manner. The horses were the property of Thomas Riddle, of Beverley, and J. J. Thompson, of Blen-Beverley, and J. J. Thompson, of Blenheim. The horses had been left at the hotel stables and were heard raising a disturbance about 12 o'clock, Investigation of the Atlantic battleship fleet. tion revealed the fact that both were fatally wounded. The weapon, a broom handle with the end sharpened to a fine point, was found outside the

A post mortem by a veterinary showed most horrible cruelty. Chief German arrested James Burn, of Roseville, who

EASTERN BANK

GOES TO THE WALL

Total Assets of Defunct St. Hyacinthe Institution Are \$1,576,443.

St. Hyacinthe, Que., June 24.-At a ight reassuring reports, and it was | meeting of the directors of the Banque

perfectly good and worth the face up. Louis Coste, one of the Canadian members, said that the maps were far value, being guaranteed by the \$4,000,-000 note redemption fund deposited by the Canadian banks with the Dominion

Hyacinthe the bank has branches at St. Cesaire, Drummondville, Farnham, Iberville and Lassomption. DEATH OF OLD PRINTER. Toronto, June 24 .- John T. Johnston

ELEVEN MORE DEATHS

Change in Wind Brings Relief From Awful Torrid

Chicago, June 24.—Eleven deaths due to heat prostration or alled causes, were recorded in Chicago yesterday. The thermometer again climbed to above 90, but the afternoon train for Seattle, Portow and the Salvor returned to Esquinger of the Salvor

Hamilton, June 24.-Mike Arom,

the house; this was before 9 o'clock. Shortly after that hour Mr. Cleveland Seemed to faint. The physicians recog-SHELLED BY ARTILLERY

which he filled many public offices, the late Grover Cleveland was elected Seventy Casualties During Outbreak in Shah's Capital--Fighting all Day--Brutal Behaviour of Cossacks

> London, June 24.-A special dispatch | more later, and before the troops had from Teheran to the Times says that taken any action, a bomb was thrown sion General Liakhoff.
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> Gen. Liakhoff, according to this dislively exchange which continued for

patch, directed the operations of the three hours. Later artillery was sent tribal cavalry, the Silahkar regiment into action and kept up shelling the going into the fray later. The rifle assembly buildings for several hours.

When all was over it was found that of 1894 and 1895 placed the legislative fire lasted for two hours, after which branch of the government under reparation of the government under governmen cent buildings were bombarded at close range, the 200 defenders of the former fired at the beginning, as the damage

ing was indescribable and continued throughout the day. The Times correspondent says that the behavior of the troops, including the Cossacks, was disgraceful. The mosque, the the troops until the ammunition falled, and the rifles were too hot to hold any more. Eventually a shell crashed through the deep the continued on the roof of the parliament buildings says that he and the others fired stead-illy into the troops until the ammunition falled, and the rifles were too hot to hold any more. Eventually a shell crashed through the deep through the unsuccessful for he has seen very little of any sort of game.

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Bomb Starts Bloodshed. Paris. June 24.—Special dispatches

received here from Teheran say that the fighting began about 8 a. m. and was provoked by a bomb thrown from the roof of one of the buildings among the Cossacks. The fighting centinued until late in the afternoon many being killed on both sides. The Shah sent the Cossacks and ar

had ordered. An officer, accompanied by fifty soldiers, requested the assembly to surrender five men who had been leaders in the agitation against termination of the two powers to keep been leaders in the agitation against the Shah. This being refused the officer left men to guard the doors, while he proceeded to military headquarters for further instructions. An hour or

U. S. SQUADRON AT HAWAII.

around the world, sailed from here at 10:25 yesterday morning for Mantls. They will touch at Guam on July 7th and are scheduled to arrive at Manile July 21st. The squadron is under the command of Capt. Harber, of the Maine, and arrived here on June 16th, one day shead of its schedule. The two battleships will to some extent act two battleships will to some extent act as a "pathfinder" squadron for the has broken out at Padans, on the Atlantic fleet, which sails from San west coast of Sumatra, which has Francisco on July 7th.

MAJORITY OF THREE.

Montreal, June 24.—The opposition in the legislature at Quebec was strength-ened by one vote yesterday afternoon, as the result of the recount in St. Anne's division of the city. D. Tansey, Conservative, was declared elected by a majority of eight votes. The opposi-tion new consists of seventeen mem-

WATERWAYS COMMISSION.

Toronto June 24.—Members of the deep waterways commission of Canthe bank should suspend payment, ada and the United States met at the from accurate, and both countries

> JOINED IN WEDLOCK AT NANAIMO CITY

In addition to the head offices at St. Mr. J. W. Heaps and Miss Gertrude Horne Principals in Interesting Ceremony,

Nanaimo, June 24.-A very fashion- get up his feet. who retired as manager of the Toronto
Type Foundry recently, because of ili
health, was found dead in his home at 42
Sussex avenue. Mr. Johnston was an old
printer. He was 60 years old and a

Miss Gertrude Mabel, daughter of morning at St. Paul's church, when Postmaster Horne, of this city, was Salvage Steamship Returned to Esquiunited in marriage to Mr. James Wilson Heaps, son of Ald. E. H. Heaps, of Vancouver. The Rev. Silva White performed the marriage service.

The bridesmaids were Miss Gladys

Horne and Miss Esme Horne, sist of the bride, and Misses Gladys Mil-ler and Connie Heaps, of Vancouver. Miss Katie Heaps, sister of the groom, was maid of henor, and Miss Elsie Heaps and Olive and Francis Miller, Misses and Olive and Francis Miller, of Vancouver, were flower girls.

A large number of guests were pres-

ent from Nanalmo, Vancouver, Victoria and other points. After the cer-

RACING AT CONEY ISLAND.

ard in the Suprece court to-day ad-journed until Menday the hearing on Driard however denies that any sale

building eventually being scattered. to the buildings was very slight for a considerable time. A man who fought The soldiers had no sooner entered next turning their attention to the neighboring shops and the palace of Prince Zilles-Sultan. Hundreds of people, it was stated, who a few days ago assembled before the parliament and demonstrated against the Shah, now proceeded to the work of demolishing the building, with cries of "Long live the Shah." "We don't want a constitu-

Russo-British Action. tillery to surround the parliament buildings as a result of parliament's ultimatum, refusing to hand over certain persons whose arrest the Shah at Theorem have been instructed to remaind prince Ellies Sultan and British representatives at Theorem have been instructed to remaind prince Ellies Sultan and his promised Pairs Ellies Sultan at the remainder the surround the parliament.

> REBELLION BREAKS OUT IN DUTCH SUMATRA

Tax Regulations Cause Rising of Entire Native Populace -Europeans in Danger.

reached alarming proportions. According to telegrams from Batavia, Java, almost the whole native population is reported to have risen under the leadership of fanatical priests. Thirty European settlements are spread over a wide area, and there

are only 2,400 Dutch soldiers available to defend them.

Three battles have been fought, resulting in considerable loss on both sides. Preparations are being made to embark all the Dutch women and atra to places of safety. The dissatisfaction arose over the

tax regulations.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT. Ethel Irvine, the five - year - old daughter of Mrs. Donald K. Irving, waitress at the Dominion hotel, met with painful injuries shortly after one o'cleck this afternoon through being fallen upon and trampled on by a horse. She was removed to St. Joseph's hospital in the patrol wagon and her injuries were attended to by Dr. Frank Hall. The little girl, with her brothe was standing on the sidewalk outside her mother's home, 809 Yates street, when a horse which had escaped from the stable in the rear of the Victoria garage came galloping down the street, turning onto the sidewalk close to the little ones. On reaching the cemen sidewalk the animal slipped and fell on top of the girl, and in his efforts to up inflicted further injury with

SALVOR BACK TO PORT.

malt Last Night After Raising Dauntless.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) After accomplishing an exceptionally smart piece of work salving the steamer Dauntless, which stranded last Friday on Walker rock, Trincomali channel, the B. C. Salvage Company's steamship Salvor returned to Esqui-

A wireless report was yesterday repected that the salvage vessel would tow the Dauntless to Vancouver, where

-Harry Hemming of Vancouver has been in the city in connection with negotiations towards the purchase the lease and good-will of the Driard hotel. A report from Vancouver says that the negotiations have been completed and that the purchaser has obtained a long lease of the premises

THREE RIVERS PREY TO FL

HEART OF EASTERN CITY MASS 0

Banks and Hotels Dis \$2,000,000 Blazeficient Fire Prote

Three Rivers, June 23 .- F high wind, the fire which here yesterday afternoon of a carter named Duval di in its work of destruction greater part of the lower taining the business section had been consumed. With ance of firemen summone trains from Montreal, Que brooke and Grand Mere, last night before the config brought under control.

300 Buildings Bur Almost every building of quence in the burned sec city was destroyed including office, the city hall, every h
of the name, with one exfine building of the Hoch
and almost all of the lea More than three hundred were burned.

The narrow streets of the inflammable nature of a buildings in the path of the dered the task of the fire nost impossible one. Military to the Res

Outside the town is loca of the military district, and the fire started a thousand sent in to help fight the ocal brigade was entirely when it came to coping v confiagration and the soldie the best assistance they bucket brigade was r the task and it was not if four hours after the fire h threatening dimensions that ized effort, the means for drawn from other cities wa

\$2,000,000 Loss. Among the buildings buildings to those mentioned the Roman Catholic Paris Drolet Lamonde & Co.'s ental store, at Dufres; t telegraph offices and the Be

company's exchange.
The loss will be considera llion dollars, and it is the insurance companies v hit, though none of them v considerable amount, as o character of the buildings efficiency of the fire prote So far no loss of life ported, but a woman and

COSTLY FIRE Forty Families Homeless

in Port Chester Port Chester, N. Y., June efforts of fire several nearby towns, a fire controlled for two hours la before it was checked, block of buildings, rendered lies homeless and entailed

The fire broke out in the ing of the Burns livery st ed in part by the Borden Milk Company. Sparks spito adjoining buildings, ar asked from the Harrison, Chester and Greenwich

The entire block, bound chester avenue, Broad stre tory place, was burned to and buildings on both side avenue were destroyed. church, a half block from set ablaze by sparks and

THREE SCALDING FAT

cally destroyed.

Imlay City, Mich., June Thomas Gibbs was killed a Wm. Brown and Braker vere fatally scalded when of a Grand Trunk railway gine exploded yesterday west of here. The engin trucks was blown to pled first three cars of the train Port Huron at 3 o'clock morning for Chicago, were

ELECTRICAL STORM RAGE IN

Heavy Damage in Province-Party S by Lightning.

London, June 23.—Severa storms raged over Western night and probably heavy one. In this city telegraphs and electric lights were

Near Pottersburg a party Maurius Jenion, Antony Christianson and Geo. Co struck by lightning while shed. The first two named ourned and rendered uncons will recover.

FIREBUG AT CUMBE J. N. McLeod Loses Stabl uable Mare.

night, supposedly of incend at Cumberland destroyed to J. M. McLeod and also mare. This is the fourth has been destroyed in Cum side of a year. All the were of incendiary origin.