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British Cattle Embargo-The 'Times' on Venezuelan Situation-Affairs in Egypt.

President To Royal Academy-German Tailors' Strike Ended-Explosions in Madrid.

London, Feb. 19.—A Washington despatch to the Times with reference to which was cabled to the United States by the Associated Press is as follows: " It is agreed here that the governments time from the ruins is forty. would only be bound by a majority of zuelan commission."

The Times editorial referred to exlend strength to the movement in Engand and Lord Salisbury will find himsolfiface to face with an organized offort well led and formidably supported with means of securing such attention and support as will enable President Cleveland to renew and press his proposal. All this might die peaceably away if Lord Salisbury consented to a complete arbitration of the Venezuelan dispute. Otherwise he is likely to find himself confronted with the necessity of saying "yea" or "nay" to some such scheme as that now pigeon-holed in Downing street. He knows well that the American executive will welcome any good occasion to revive this plan. He will to revive this plan. He will see that that plan, backed by the execu-

tive alone, is one thing, but backed by both houses of congress and a strong public sentiment it is another, and is arder to put aside. It rests with Lord Salisbury to choose between that guarded, guaranteed arbitration con-Venezuela or an unlimited arbitration, opening the doors to infinite mischief in the future." In an editorial commenting on the

foregoing the Times contends that the method of procedure now suggested does not favor a rapid disposal of the disputed question, but would rather deal with a detailed investigation of different districts, which would be a work of time. As to an acceptance of the general principles," the editorial continues, "the regular course would probably be that the United States should formulate them for the consideration of the Queen's government, which cannot be blamed waiting for some more authoritative presentation than has yet been made. Nothing is more harmful than to assume a more exact and defined agreement than really exists. What is wanted now is an exact understanding an arbitration ought to proceed. On the other hand it is not necessary to wait until we can formally ratify an agreement on the whole question. It is highly probable that if the proposal for commission were officially submitted England would accept it forthwith with little or no modification. This would save time and would draw the two governments closer. At is quite a mistake to imagine as they seem to do in Washington that general arbitration has any terrors for the British government. Mr. A. J. Balfour's mecent remarks in parliament ought to dispose of that idea. But general arbitration could never do any more than partially induce either England or the United States to

fine by negotiation the case to be sub-mitted to the arbitrators." London, Feb. 20.-A despatch from Madrid says that several explosions of bombs took place between 9 and 10 o'clock in the gardens of the palace last losses were fifty killed, including two night. No personal injury resulted.

forego the right of sovereign states to de-

A despatch to the Standard from Madrid says that General Castillo, the premier, has determined to ask Senor Convas to write full apology for his re-ferences to the United States in his

official visit to the frontier, in the Urnan district, beginning in February, an important despatch has been sent to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain. The British residents, it is further said, are co-operating with Consul Patterson in customs at Halitax, conweys the information of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys after a shore of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys after a shore of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys after a shore of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys after a shore of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys a shore of the color of customs at Halitax, conweys the information of the color collecting data for his government on tion that a schooner was driven ashore

the boundary question. Baron Oscar Dickson, who has been a munificent patron of Arctic exploration "Caldera, Lunenburg." discredits the Nansen report. that Dr. Namsen's theory of a current the non-arrival of the steamer Strath Which would carry his ship across the carron, now ten days overdue from the cil suggesting that they raise \$25,000 for pole is not generally accepted by geo-graphers. But if Dr. Nansen is right on current should have carried him back to the New Siberian islands.

The dynamite which caused the caused an immense hole thirty feet deep. Every house within half a mile of the explosion was razed to Forty dead, nearly all ground. terribly mutilated, have already been taken from the ruins, but the work of searching the debris has scarcely begun. Two hundred of the most severely injured were admitted to the hospital

with the request of the Sultan. The pardon of John L. Waller, convicted by a court martial in the island up. Mrs. McDonnelle died about two of Madagascar of illegally communicating with the Hovas and sentenced to covered from the blow.

Mrs. McDonnell never rein the western part of the city at all.

At the annual meeting of the West-

twenty years' imprisonment, has been sent to President Faure for signature. Mr. Waller was formerly United States consuled Tamatave in that island, and the present action is due to the representations made by the United States government in the prisoner's behalf.
A' a explosion of dynamite has occurred at Viedendorf, in the Transvaal,

and the poor quarter of the town en blown to pieces. Hundreds of bouses are in ruins and the havoc wrought is frightful. A number of persons have been killed and the populace has turned out en masse and is working to rescue those who may be buried in the rains. The windows of every house in Johannesburg were broken by the force of the explosion.

King Carlos and the Queen of Portuthe editorial in that paper yesterday gal will go to Sant Arem to-morrow to assist the families of the wictims of the ers, of St. Paul's Episcopal church, was number of bodies recovered up to this presented with a handsome testimonial

the original members of the joint Vene- Commons to-day Right Hon. W. H. church. Long, president of the board of agricul- with a barmaid imported from Seattle. ture, introduced a bill to amend the dispresses the conviction that a proviso to eases of animals act of 1894, with the market hall last night. Mr. A. Q. St. this effect would have to go with the plan object of abolishing the discretion now for the appointment of a joint enjoyed by the minister of agriculture, and Major General Twigge and Colonel to admit foreign cattle, and to make the Warren opposed it. The school and favor of a board of international arbitra- present restrictions permanent. The land policies were also spoken of, and tion, the Washington dispatch to the bill was read a farst time. One of its features is that it renders the slaughter compulsory.

An editorial in the Times this morn-

press has been called upon to play a delicate part on both sides of the Atlantic. It has now done its work; it is now for the diplomats to complete the good work the journals have begun by diplomatic usage. The mextenove rests with Secretary Olney. It is for him to resume the correspondence and to submit the gral anthorities make, it a condition of the Conservative association met last night and passed a resolution to be forget warded to the Dominion government, the purport of which was that the Federal anthorities make, it a condition of the Canton and Pheasant.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21.—The executive ness connected therewith. The two bores are now down 300 and 500 feet respectively. The promoters, it is understood, are prepared to double the gral anthorities make, it a condition of the Canton and Pheasant. cate part on both sides of the Atlantic. Arthur and Pheasant. retary Olney. It is for him to resume the correspondence and to submit the eral authorities make it a condition of Salisbury. When negotiations are resumed, it is only fair that they should be conducted in Washington in prefer-

zuelan envoy here. A dispatch to the Times from Constantinople says the Sultan has instructed Costaki Pasha, Turkish ambassuzerain power, on the basis of guarantees being given for the security of communication between India and Eng-

Sir John E. Millais, Bart., was elected n succession to the late Lord Leighton. He was born at Southampton, England, in 1829. The greattailors' strike which has been

in force for several weeks in many cities of Germany has been ended by the employers granting a twelve and a half per cent. increase of wages. The seam-stresses strike, a movement allied to the tailors' strike, is also on the eve of a set-

street lamp was damaged.

latter's impending retirement.

It is stated that £7,000,000 sterling vear's budget. The Leeds Mercury to-day says that the engagement of Mr. William Waldorf Astor to Lady Randolph Churchill, formerly Miss Jennie Jerome, of New

Randolph Churchill died January 24. General Baratieri, commander of the Italian forces in Africa, has telegraphed from Adubicho that in the recent skirmishes with the Shoans, the Italian officers, and fifty wounded.

# RESCUED MARINGRS.

crew of the schooner Clifford, wrecked by sec. 243 of the provincial act of 1892. off Halifax and who were rescued by the aid Westminster in petitioning the gov-Aletter to the Times from George- steamer Blackmore, reached this city ernment to construct a budge across the town, British Guiana, says that it is to-night. The Clifford was owned by A. Fraser at Westminster. understood that as an outcome of an C. Jones & Co., of Halifax, agents of the sent to sured in New York.

at St. Pierre, bottom up, and some wreckage washed ashore bears the words,

Great anxiety is expressed here over East Indies, with a cargo of sugar for graphers. But if Dr. Nansen is right on the Acadia Sugar Refinery Company. this point, it is impossible that the same She left Probolingo in November and Samarang, December 7. She passed catastrophe at Johannesburg filled eight on January 29. By this time, if not dissubmitted to the city council. abled, she must be out of coal. The steel steamer of 3,250 tons and was built acres of land on the Luiu island water at Port Glasgow in 1894.

# REV. D. J. M'DONNELL.

TORONTO, Feb. 19.—Much regret is felt where several died. It is believed that in Toronto at the death of Rev. D. J. such an industry would be worth \$100,only a few white persons were killed.

All the powers, it was announced today, have recognized Prince Ferdinand

McDonnell, which was announced today at Fergus. He was the leading

Westminster, Feb. 21. — A very property of Toronto for many years, and took a prominent part in the affairs of the city until his health broke

Illegal Expenditures by Westminster City-Mining at Gabriola Tram Line to Steventon.

Proposed Twine Factory-Creamery for Chilliwack-Fraser River Bridge.

(Special to the CoLONIST.)

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, Feb. 20.-Rev. Dr. Bowby the Elizabeth guild last night on his London, Feb. 20.-In the House of retiring from the pastorate of the

An inn has been started in the city.

The Nationalists held a meeting in the George spoke in favor of a government guarantee of the British Pacific bonds, the same subjects will be discussed at a meeting of citizens on Saturday night. J. P. Nightingale, of Messrs. Welsh & of foreign cattle at the port of entry Nightingale, and Miss Ida F. Burritt, compulsory.

Nightingale, and Miss Ida F. Burritt, daughter of Dr. Burritt, were married yesterday at Mount Pleasant.

ing says: "The turning point has been reached in the Venezuelan dispute. The on Saturday kick against a strong Rugby team picked from H. M. ships Royal

present views of his government to Lord the appointment of the next Supreme court judge in British Columbia that he must reside in Vancouver.

The board of trade held a special meetence to London, since we are unfortuning to-night and discussed the new ately deprived of the presence of a Venetaxation bill and the matter of having a esident judge for this city. L. Bigger has started business as

wholesale and retail tea merchant. The St. Geroge's society have substansador in London, to invite England to tial new quarters on Hastings street. regulate the situation in Egypt with the They were formally opened by an "at home" last night.

A benefit concert to Ambrey Rounsfell takes place to-morrow night. Mr. Rounsfell has been a strong drawing card among the amateur theatrical and operacident of the Royal Academy to-day opera companies for some years, and has decided to move to San Francisco and adopt the stage as his calling. The oncert will no doubt be well patronised.

Michael Tapley, brother of J. Tapley

jr., who recently committed suicide, made the following statement to a reporter of the Winnipeg Nor Wester of the 15th inst. "My brother is 32 years of age, and not by any means a weak-minded man. Domestic unhappiness drove him to desperation. A number of The Spanish police have arrested seweral persons on suspicion of exploding a petard last night in the square in front of the palace at Madrid. The explosion alarmed the royal family, but only a of \$5,000. It told him I thought it was a humbug, and advised him to abridge his The Chronicle announces that Sir policy, pay up all demands, and call for Philip Carrie, the present British ambis benefit. This he could not do withbassador at Constantinople, will succeed out getting married. He met this the Marquis of Dufferin, the present woman (who the paper states left him British ambassador at Paris, upon the and is now in San Francisco), and she assented to a meck marriage. It was M. Jewett has left Constantinople on legal enough, but was a mockery, as she

his return to Sivas at which place he promised to set him free as soon as he occupies the position of U. S. consul. \$1,250. He never intended to live with will be devoted to naval work in this her, but finally did settle down, and you know the result now."

# WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Feb. 20.-Am attempt is being made by an unsuccessful alder-York, will shortly be announced. Mrs. manic candidate to unseat Ald. Holmes. Astor died December 22, 1894, and Lord Douglas and Woods on the grounds that

they cannot qualify.
The residence of J.E. Murphy, South Westminster, was destroyed by fire yesterday. It was insured for about \$250. As Ald. Hill has resigned in anticipation of being appointed city clenk, there are only six aldermen left to transact dity business.

Police Magistrate Atkinson in referring officially (to the council) to his cut in salary stated that the amount was HALIFAK, Feb. 19.—(Special)—The fixed by the Lieut.-Governor in council The Sumas council have declined to

The geological survey department is to present the Westminster library with a collection of British Columbia minerals. The city auditor has notified the coun-

cil that in 1895 the following illegal expenditures were made: Citizens' ceiebration account, \$425.20; city band, \$320; B.C.R.G.A., towards expenses to Ottawa. \$100; Christmas donation to hospital, \$60; sundries, \$12.50. Total, \$916.70.

the construction of a tram dine to Steveston and he will undertake to equip and lease the road for a term of Samarang, December 7. She passed years, paying four cent. of the \$85,-Gibraktar January 19, and the last report 000 thus advanced. The matter of from her was her sailing for St. Michaels freight and passenger charges is to be A company propose to start a twine steamer was commanded by Capt. S. factory at New Westminster. Their Platt and a crew of 24 men. She is a agent, Mr. Jenns, asks for a grant of five

front, to be exempt from taxes for five years, and the guarantee of interest of the company's bonds to the extent of \$10,000 for ten years. It is thought hemp will grow well in the province. The will probably send off a trial shipment trate charged with investigating hemp will grow well in the province. The

WESTMINSTER, Feb. 21. - A violent

secretary was instructed to communicate with the other boards in the province in regard to sending a delegate to the Chamber of Commerce convention in London in June. A letter with regard to making Westminster a seaport for ocean vessels connecting with the Great Northern provoked much discussion. The promised Dominion dredger for the river was spoken of and a letter read that had been forwarded to the Federal government complaining of the inade-quate appropriation for Westminster. The board was urged to encourage in every legitimate way the fruiterers of the Fraser valley to bring their goods to

minster Board of Trade yesterday the

Three stores belonging to the city having been reduced in rent below current prices, the board of trade reported unfavorably upon the unbusiness-like action of the council. Mr. Major has agitated the starting of

the Westminster market, and a resolu-

tion was passed dealing with the matter.

the sugar beet in the world. The Westminster board of trade is in a good financial conditional. The reannual report showed that the board had been done by them directly and in-

NANAIMO, Feb. 20 .- The Miners' union has passed a resolution in opposition to on all newspapers. the bill providing for the sale of public

Westminster, members of the Gabriola dered from Chicago and is expected to arrive shortly.

of a Lloyds surveyor at this port is ex-NANAIMO, Feb. 21.—The appointment pected to take place at an early date and claim is good. t is hoped that a resident will secure it. At a special meeting of the council last night it was decided to grant the request of the fire department, viz., to remunerate them for their services. This means that the council will have to pay about \$1,500 a year more than they

lo at present. was horribly mutilated on Wednesday. He fell while riding from the shaft on one of the engines and the wheels passing over him severed one of his arms rom the body and broke one of his legs.

# ROSSLAND

(From the Rossland Miner.) sink the shaft on the Morning Star 50 withdrew from the provincial contest, is feet. This will make the shaft about 70 spoken of as a candidate for the Comfeet deep when the contract is completed. | mons. For the thrst time during the winter, continuous week of favorable weather.

the Kaslo & Slocan railway has had a izens held this evening, it was decided mittee of the Canadian Wood Pulp and as a result regular trains have been run on time, and an extra train has been run each day, says the Nelson Tribune. 60,000

sacres-stop.

## Robert E. Lee mine... 30,000 Last Chance mine Whitewater mine. Ruth mine. 60,060 Deadman mine 146,500

wharf, have been sent forward to the

# (From the News.)

The machinery is being rapidly placed in the Armstrong flour mill, and a few weeks will see it fully equipped for vork.

Cattle have come through the winter n remarkably good condition, and The weather for the past few days has been spring-like in its mildness, and sleighing throughout the district is al-

most at an end.

Work has been steadily carried an now for several weeks on the mineral claim near Larkin owned by Messrs. Brown, McLennan and McArthur, and the proprietors have been rewarded by uncovering a large and well defined ing andeed. The claim is situated close to the wagon road and shipping facili-ties from Larkin station are of the best, will continue work until they have

of ore within a few weeks. Fur-bearing animals have been more than usually plentiful this winter and to 234. several good catches of marten, lynx, day, have recognized Prince Ferdinand as ruler over Bulgaria, in accordance with the request of the Sultan.

Was at Fergus. He was the leading wind storm took place in the eastern wolvering, etc., have been made by local trappers. Del. have been made by local trappers. Del. have been made by local trappers. Del. Thomas, who for several years, and took a prominent part in the portion of the city yesterday. It was of years, and took a prominent part in the portion of the city yesterday. It was of years have been made by local trappers. Del. have been made by local trappers. the nature of a cyclone and was not felt the head waters of Kettle river, has 104

Bourgeois sheltered himself behind a vote of confidence in the general policy of At the annual meeting of the West- large in size and of an excellent color. ance of being afraid.

Second Reading of the Remedial Bill Postponed Because of the Budget Debate.

Vote for Purposes of Defence-Claims Against the Government -Railway Mail Clerks.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The debate on the budget was continued by Messrs. Legris, ed that the debate will close before Tuesday, hence the second reading of

a sugar beet factory, claiming that the Delta land is the best land for growing A deputation of railway mail cle A deputation of railway mail clerks interviewed Sir Adolph Caron and Hon. Mr. Foster to-night and asked for an all ceipts for the year were \$869, and the disbursements \$510.95. The secretary's gaged in this branch of the postal mail service. The question was thoroughly had been very active and much good discussed but Sir Adolph Caron held out but small hopes of the request being granted this year. In the course of the discussion it was pointed out that the government could greatly augment its

Mr. Foster gives notice to-night of a motion to authorize the government to tomed to arbitrate their disagreements lands for school purposes.

Messrs. A. E. Rand, G. Brine, T.
Williams and Thomas Binnie, of New

motion to authorize the government to tomed to arbitrate their disagreements and have emphatically declared thempose of the defence of Canada, the interpose in favor of such arbitration of both houses. est to be paid not to exceed four per

Sir Hector Langevin will probably be made a senator at the end of the session. Mr. Charlton arrived for the session

Hon. Mr. Foster has introduced a bill new and much more powerful drill, with to prevent fraud in the marking of a capacity of 2,600 feet, has been or cheese and provide for the registration of cheese factories.

George Goodwin, contractor for the Soulanges canal, has filed a claim

## WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 20.—(Special)—A large convention of Manitoba stock-breeders was held to-day, at which papers were read, officers elected and many impor-A Chinaman employed at No. 5 shaft tant matters with a view to the improvement of Western stock discussed. elected grand master of the Manitoba Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows. The other officers elected are: Deputy grand to the proposed conference.

The resolution was adopted to the proposed conference. officers elected are: Deputy grand master, It is hardly likely that he will recover.

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John Murrow,

Baker; grand secretary, R. H. Shanks,

acclamation; grand treasurer, D. E. Mc
Kinnon, acclamation; grand representative, W. J. May, retiring grand master,

The Liberals of Macdonald will select George Plunder has let a contract to Mr. Ennis, the Neepawa miller who

At a mass meeting of Winnipeg citto at once solicit subscriptions to send to the relief of the suffering Armenians. Great Britain and the United States band together in the name of humanity 95,000 and religion and demand that the mas-

# FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION.

JOHANNESBURG, Feb. 20.-It is con-Slocan Boy 37,500 From Hand mine (iron ore) 92,000 sidered that the dynamite disaster here is the most serious ever recorded. The week (10f this quantity 232 tons went to the Great Falls smelter and 147 tons to the Great Falls smelter and 147 ton Everett. It will be noticed that there twenty tons. It is now learned that the Canadian government impose the \$2 ex-Hand maine to the Hall Mines smelter at number of deaths resulting from the dis-Nelson. This ore is iron and was shipped in bulk. A feature of the week's shipments outwards has been that several cars of lead ores which were rendered homeless. The distress which business as attentions attentions will abolish the 10 per cent. duty on manufactured pulp. They pointed out that in this event Canada would have several cars of lead ores which were rendered homeless. The distress which stored in the warehouse at the railway has resulted from the accident is both wharf, have been sent forward to the smelters because of the rise in the price of lead.

| Dusiness, as the cost of water power and the rate of wages are less than the price of firms, both here and in London, are subscribing to afford relief.

depot, so awful in intensity and force treasury more than a million dollars a that the ground for miles around was year. convulsed as if by an earthquake. The windows in every house in Johannes-burg were broken; and in fifteen minutes after the explosion the bodies stockmen say that the animals are in of forty persons, all horribly mutilated, splendid order this spring. the scene. Over 200 severely injured persons were carried away, and a hundred other wounded persons were taken to places where they could be cared for.

# FRENCH GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED

Paris, Feb. 20.-The Chamber of Deputies to-day, by a vote of 309 to 185, body of ore which looks very promis- affirmed the vote of confidence which they passed in the government on have to sell for next to nothing. February 13. The vote on Februso that the owners feel confident that ary 13, however, stood 226 to 43. they have got hold of a good thing. They The moderates moved, that the chamber regretted the interference with M. thoroughly satisfied themselves as to the Ricard, the minister of justice and the Mining Exchange was formally opened extent and character of the ledge, and legal proceedings confided to the magis- for business this morning at No. 35 Southern railway scandal. This motion. however, was defeated by a vote of 279

During the debate Mr. Raymond Ponfine marten skins, most of which were the government would have the appear-

## INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.-A meeting of prominent citizens of this city and Brooklyn was held last evening at the residence of Mr. William E. Dodge. It was called by Mayor Strong, General Bristow, Bishop Potter, ex-Chief Justice Daly, Hon Seth Low, Mr. Dodge and others, for the purpose of forming a committee of representative citizens of New York and Brooklyn to co-operate with similar committees which have already been established in Philadelphia, Chicago, Washington, and other prominent cities in the United States, whose object is the calling of a national conference in the interest of International arbitration between Great Britain Bennett, and Martin. It is not expect-Hewitt, at the request of Mr. Dodge, presided over the meeting, and Rev. Josiah Strong acted as secretary. Mr. Wm. E. Dodge said that during the last four or five weeks there had been a strong sentiment throughout the country favoring some wise method of arbitration between Great Britain and the United States. Hon. Chauncev M. Depew then proposed a preamble and resolution as ollows:

Whereas, the true grandeur of nations secured by statute and magnanimity inspired by good-will, which fundamental conditions are always marred by the wasteful, bitter violence of war; and Whereas, the United States and Great Britain, akin in language, jurisprudence and legal methods, are already accus-Congress by the action of both houses in 1892, and the House of Commons by

its vote in 1893: therefore Resolved. That we earnestly desire such action by our national legislature and executive as shall make permanent provision for some wise method of arbitration between the two countries, it being our hope that such a step will ultimately lead to international arbitration throughout the civilized world.

Resolved, accordingly, That measures be taken in the interests of such arbitration and in concert with a like committee from other cities for the convening in the city of Washington at the earliest practicable date, of a conference of citizens representing every portion of the country without distinction of party

Resolved. That we gratefully recognize the action already taken in this direction by representative citizens of Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities.

Hon. Seth Low proposed that an executive committee of six be appointed by the chair, the committee to have power to fill vacancies or to add to its numbers. The following gentlemen were appointed by the chair: Ex-Judge Daly, Horace White, Hon. Oscar S. Strauss, Hon. D. B. Eaton, G. L. Rives and Rev. L. T. Chamberlain.

# CANADIAN PULP INDUSTRY.

OTTAWA, Feb. 20.—The executive com-Manufacturers' Association interviewed Rev. Principal King was one of the Premier Bowell, Hon. W. B. Ives, Minchief speakers, and said he was sure a ister of Trade and Commerce, Hon. E. great deal of the destruction of life and G. Prior, Controller of Inland Revenue, property in Armenia was instigated from the headquarters of Turkey. The massacre appealed more to the people of advocating the placing of an export duty toms, this afternoon, with the object of advocating the placing of an export duty than any other nations, and they should the pointed out that the United States than any other nations, and they should They pointed out that the United States impose a duty of ten per cent. on wood pulp, while they admit logs This, the deputation as-has the effect of giving serted, United States pulp manufacturers the lion's share of the profit on the pulp industry. They ask that an export duty business, quantity of pulp wood exported from Among the freight cars standing at Canada annually is between 500,000 and Viedendorp, a suburb of this city, were 600,000 cords. The \$2 export duty, if eight containing dynamite. Suddenly adopted and present export figures be there was an explosion near the freight maintained, would yield the Canadian

George T. Marks, mayor of Port Arthur. Ontario, and one of the largest pulp timber limit owners in Canada said this evening: "The Canadian government will make a serious error if they adopt the \$2 export duty. We owners of standing spruce find difficulty now in competing with the Maine and Virginia owners. They can almost supply the United States markets, because our firm could not sell so cheaply as the Maine owners. Last autumn we had 3,000 cords of pulp wood left on our hands. It is rottling now at Port Ar-If the government of Canada grants the request of the Canadian pulp

# MINING EXCHANGE

New York, Feb. 20.—The New York the Broadway, and during the thirty minntes immediately following the opening at 11 o'clock 25,000 shares of stocks were

> The World's Fa.r Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.