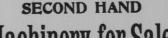
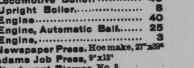
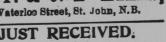
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During the discussion of an amend-ment to, the exchequer court act, Hon. Mr. Mills said that an amendment was necessary for expropriation pur-poses to allow the work to go on at St. John, N. B. The bill was reported. In the discussion of an amend-ment today that the resolution which the latter had prepared in reference to Can-ada's desire to obtain a preference in British markets was not satisfactory to

was necessary for expropriation pur-poses to allow the work to go on at St. John, N.B. The bill was reported.

Ortawa, July 25—This morning Mr. Mulock moved the house into committee on his resolution regarding the Pacific cable. The resolution asks that Canada

the petitioner. The bill read a third time. The bill to amend the expropriation act was further considered and progress

reported.

OTTAWA, July 27.-The house of com-mons adjourned at 3 o'clock this morn-

Dr. McLellan, of Inverness, complain-of that the service between the main-land and the Magdalen Is lands was not satisfactory. There were comlpaints from Cape Breton, and the ownor of the vessel was too much interested in the service to his own lobster factories. Mr. Robert Leslie had the contract. Mr. Lemieux defended the service. On the item of \$4,000 for a service be-tween the mainland and Grand Manau, Mr. Foster spoke of the necessity of keeping up this service.

it is asserted the envoys recently sent to Tokio were appointed simply to seek to promote friendly relations between the powers.



