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British Ministers Dodged This Question Until This Week--Sir Charles Tupper Warmly Endorses Laurier's Stand Regarding Naval Defense and the Proposed Permanent Imperial Conference.

LONDON, April 29—The colonial premiers had an off day today, Sir Wilfrid Laurier lunching with the Duke and Duchess of Connaught at Clarence in touch with one another through the high commissioner.

Duchess of Connaught at Clarence House. The Duchess invited the other ministers and their ladies to tea afterwards. The Duke of Sutherland gave an evening party at Stafford House tonight.

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behalf of the British ministry.

It is understood Sir Wilfrid and his
Canadian colleagues supported them,
so the preference was put in the background.

It seems certain, however, that some of the premiers will not refrain at this week's conference from frankly stating their fears of the results of Britain's negative attitude. Cape Colony has tabled a recountion threatening to with

astute industrial rights Canada may be tabled a recoultion threatening to with draw the preference. Added zest is given to this colonial attitude by the Canadian ministers. Negotiations over the head of the foreign office with foreign powers, which is also expected to come before the conference by reason of the fact that the operation of the Canadian intermediate tariff may lessen the preference to other colonies, as well as to Britsin, and also tie up the whole question of mutual preference within the Empire towards which the British electorate is undoubtedly moving.

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Sir Charles Tupper contributes a fourthen page article to The Nineteenth Century for May on imperial conference. Speaking generally and especially after thirteen years of experience as the battleship Dominion has been applied to the command of the spécial signature of the preference and in defeating the scheme for unperial content. He exposes what he calls the failactes of Sir Frederick Poliock's and the meetings. He quotes many instances to show how efficiently this has been done through the secret diplomatic agency of the high commissioner.

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FIVE YEAR OLD OXFORD LAD MET DEATH BY DROWNING

Was Fishing From Bank of River When the Earth Slipped Into Swift Flowing Stream.

ference. He warns the conference of the dangers of the intermediate tariff as now being used by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to negotiate treaties with foreign powers without recourse to the agency of the Imperial government, even without reference to the Canadian parliament. These treaties whittle away the preference. Moreover, it is conceivable that in negotiations with Great Britain's astute industrial rights Canada may be so led to fix and limit the margin of the British preference as to bar any further arrangement of mutual preference within the Empire towards which the British electorate is undoubtedly moving. TELEPHONE INQUIRY IS ADJOURNED FOR TWO WEEKS

MONTREAL, Q., April 29.—The rail-way commission, which is holding the telephone inquiry, met and adjourned for two weeks. This was done at the request of the Bell Telephone Company, who were not prepared to go ahead with the investigation. Some of the papers which are required by the commission are not ready, the company thinking that they would not be needed, not having them prepared, and as President Sise is ill, adjournment was taken for that time.

TORONTO, April 29.—Senator Cox's second son, Frederick G., vice president of the Central Canada Loan Company, died tonight at 12.30 o'clock at his home in this city, from pneumonia. He leaves a widow, but no family.

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MONCTON, April 29.—Tenders were received by the fire committee today

vancouver.

S. L. Shannon, I. C. R. comptroller and treasurer, is attending the annual convention of railway accountants, which is being held in New York.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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NEW YORK, N. Y., April 29.—An important discovery, and one that will be greatly welcomed by the patrons of the swift Atlantic steamers, has been made by Captain Kaempff and Chief Engineer Leutmann of the Hamburg-American line's steamer Deutschland. This discovery consists of a slight alteration of the blades of a steamship's propellers, resulting in a remarkable reduction of the vibration which always is so disagreeable aboard the fast steamers.

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"You do not find any one wearing overcoats in Alaska, even in the winter," said a man from that territory. "The principal thing to be careful about is keeping the head, hands and feet warm. In that part of Alaska where I have been the only land transportation is by dog sleds, and to follow them one has to drop into a dogtrot beside the sled. An ordinary suit is plenty thick enough to keep you warm, and an overcoat is dangerous in that temperature. Trotting alongside a sled wearing an overcoat would make you perspire, and the bitter cold would freeze the perspiration. The men there wear a fur cap that covers every part of the head and face except the eyes, and there is only a little peephole for them. Wool lined mitts are worn on the hands and moccasins with woolen stockings on the feet."

TRAGEDY OF A WOODEN LEG.

A man who travels on a wooden leg says: "About the worst accident we ever heard of befalling a wooden legged man is the time one such unfortunate was going home after being to a late supper, along about 3 o'clock in the morning, when his peg leg went through an auger hole in the grub plank sidewalk, and he kept circling about that hole all night thinking he was going home. The editor of this paper wants it distinctly understood that we cannot vouch for the truthfulness of this story."

FAST STEAMSHIP LINE

An Important Announcement is Expected Soon-A 24-Knot Service Across Atlantic and a Fast Service on Pacific-Will Have Endorsement of Conference--

STAR FASHIONS.

How to Obtain Patterns.

A SCHOOL DRESS OF CHECKED WORSTED.

OXFORD, N. S., April 29.—A sad accident occurred here on Saturday about four o'clock in the afternoon, when Ceell, the only son of Walter Teed, a bright young lad of five years of age, living with his sunt, Mrs. Albert Wood, lost his life by drowning near the mouth of Little River, which flows into River Phillip. The young lad in company, which has been a portion of the bank on which he was standing broke away, throwins him into the river, which was then higher than usual and flowing very swiftly.

It is to save him, and finally threw him a piece of board, which he unsuccessfully attempted to grasp. Shortly after he went under the water and was seen now more. An alarm was made and many rushed to the river in search of the word was 154.047 and that of the contract. The same him many rushed to the river in search of the word was 154.047 and that of the contract of the word was 154.047 and that of the contract of the committee favored giving the preference to a local firm, the difference higher than usual and flowing very swiftly.

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LONDON, April 29 .- A recent Can- endorsement of the conference. It will adian Associated Press cable stated no doubt involve a heavy subsidy from

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Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside "Tender for Double-Tracking" will be received up to and including FRIDAY, MAY 10th, 1907, for the work in connection with the double-tracking of the existing main line between Moncton and Painsec Junction, N. R.

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Railway Office, Moncton, N. B., 18th April, 1907.

TWO BIG BUILDINGS ON MARKET SOUARE

REVOLT IN MONTENEGRO

CTTAWA, April 29.—During the nine months ending March 31 emigration to Canada amounted to 136,374 persons, of whom 101,715 came from England and the continent and 34,659 from the United States. From Europe the immigration

COLLIER'S WEEKLY WILL

START CANADIAN BRANCH

TORONTO, April 29.—Collier's Weekly has decided to start a Canadian branch, on account of the working of the new postal law. A member of the firm was in Toronto recently negotiating for land on which to erect a building to cost one hundred thousand dollars.

VIENNA, April 29.—Despatches received here conight report the outbreak of a revolt and a grave political crisis in Montenegro. A military government has been proclaimed and Premier Tomanovies has tendered the resignation of the cabinet, which Prince Nicholas has refused to accept.

Armed bands are reported to be marching on Cettinje. Serious street fights have occurred at Podgoritza, 38 miles north of Scutari and having a population of about 7,000. Several persons are reported to have been killed or wounded. The military has been called out there and further conflict is feared.

States. From Europe the immigration showed an increase of 32,171, an increase of 56 per cent. From the United States the increase amounted to 3,688, an in-

crease for the period of 12 per cent.

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