VICTORIA TIMES, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1900.

Not Yet The Fog Powers Continue to Discuss the

Question of Evacuating

Chinese Capital

Germany Will Insist on the Severe

Punishment of Guilty

Officials.

Lendon, Sept. 15 .- Sir Chih Chen Lo

Ferd Lu, the Chinese minister, had a

day with Lord Salisbury, who has re-

turned to London. The United States,

German, French and Russian repre-

sent dives were also there, yet not one of

uppermost in the minds of the world's

diplomats. It is a striking exemplifica-

tion of how completely befogged is the

public of every European nation with

regard to the purpose of their representa-

A definite exposition of the diplomatic

situation and the aims of the powers

may be expected early next week, to-

tent is wholly different from the mean-

ing deduced from the text of the original

attached to the semi-official statement.

that Russia recognizes the impossibility

of the Russian proposal, and prepares

observers for a change of plans after the

Germany's Attitude.

and it is believed the United States will

not be in a hurry. Information has

reached this city that Russia, in any

event, will keep large bodies of troops in

out a government.

the original note.

apromise. Considerable importance is

erence at the foreign office yester-

ath Portland Ran Sidney Spit Night.

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sults of the dense f the Straits for th the Puget Soun nd on her way North sengers and freight y a half mile off th thick weather, and ning, it is presumed Spit. There she wa steamer Amur passed way to Victoria. The er assistance, but her ot accepted she can ing here about noon inate South Portland. at danger, and the of her own winches, clear of the sand appear to be injured. s time is well on he

assengers: Mrs. Wm. Miss G. Meyer, A. J Fred. Loveless, WDL tings and child, Miss s, F. M. Richardson, F. Montizambert, S Montizambert, Jas. enzie, S. Murchison, B. Hardy, E. Mead. rieger, Mrs. C. H er, Jas. Waldie, C. J. eney, Jas. Downing, Brow, W. Loveless, T. C. Healey, A. E. Image, R. Denniston Jones, D. W. Camp-

agway on Wednesday alled at the Northern 9,644 cases of salmon harge at the outer news that the Atlin it well this season. to had just returned district had this to

the creek claim own reams are having the the hydraulic com age plan. It will not idual owners to work laims allowed in that they are either groupams and such other rtnership, or having on the lay scheme by Ground that will by the single claim method can be torn company and washed er and the company. mpany, on Wright White Pass & Yukon is getting along well clean-up. It would I refused an offer to

reported on Dornix of McQuestin river, Yukon. A man wh Dawson states that s made the discovery, was sunk to bedrock aken out. OMPANIES.

thorized. Few houses are guarded ex-cept those occupied by foreigners, the palaces and those in the Sacred City. Almost every house is destitute of fur-Settled niture. General Chaffee says he could not have believed that any city would ever be given over to looters and he earnestly desired the co-operation of any flation to prevent this. On the other hand the missionaries complain because Says Kruger's Flight Shows It Is the Sacred City had not been looted. They urge the royal family and other

highly placed Chinese personages, who were behind all the trouble, should be made to suffer more than those who blindly followed them. Gen. Fukushima, the Japanese com-

mander, informed Gen. Chaffee that brutal outrages were being committed in Tungchow. He told the American commander that he had positive information that many women had thrown themselves

into wells or committed suicide, and other authentic cases of coolies being killed under peculiarly atrocious conditions. He requested Gen. Chaffee to investigate and then co-operate with him to check these barbarities as far as possible. Gen. Chaffee ordered Major Muir the great London dailies has a word of to proceed immediately to Tungchow and editorial comment on the subject that is report.

Russian Reverses.

Pekin, Sept. 8, via Shanghai, Sept. 15. -It is announced that owing to the impossibility of getting the railroad through before winter sets in, all the Russian forces will be withdrawn and will make Tien Tsin their headquarters. This is Europe at an early date. Kruger has causing speculation as to Russia's policy. formally resigned the position he held The occupation of Pekin during the winter is practically impossible for a large body of troops, unless railroad connecgether with some inkling as to how it is tion can be established. Some favor tion with the Transvaal. Kruger's acproposed to attain the object in view; levelling Pekin to the ground before rebut at present the main point of discus- tiring to Tien Tsin.

A squadron of the Sixth Cavalry will sion continues to be the question whether leave here to-morrow to relieve a native hall or shall not evacuate Christian village which was attacked by This, it is re-asserted, was pro-Boxers 46 miles east of Pekin. Several settled negatively by Great parties have been attacked between Tu Britain and Germany, who are hopeful Ye Cow and Hos Kia Wan, where Britf gaming the united adhesion of the ish and American troops are stationed. wers to a temporary postponement of Matson killed many Boxers yesterday the scheme. The way has been some-Civilians going to Tien Tsin are warned what cleared for the accomplishment of not to travel without a military escort. this by recent notes from St. Peters-The Russians have received word of burg explaining that Russia's real in-

reverses in Manchuria, where 200 miles of railway have been destroyed and a number of stations have been burned. proposal, as intimating that Russia may 'There has been much fighting and many Russians have been killed. Three regiments have left Pekin on their long lives, and carry to a conclusion the war overland march to Manchuria.

of the allies leaving Pekin unless the Chinese government immediately enters, forces in Pekin has begun. Five regiso that there shall be no interval withments have already been withdrawn. The be only one ending.' total of the allied forces is about 70,000. Additional confirmation of the view is of which number 22,000 are Japanese. found in the fact that Russia has re- Baron Nshii, the Japanese minister, fasumed sending forces to China. This is vors the withdrawal of 15,000 troops, to | fending, the war has degenerated into entirely contrary to the supposed spirit

be held in reserve in Japan. Control the Railway. St. Petersburg, Sept., 15 .- Dispatches

apparent failure of the policy favored received here announce the capture of Fuljarda on September 8th, giving the Russians command of the Manchuria Berlin, Sept. 15-The Chinese situation railway. Gen. Orloff and Gen. Renenis here deemed highly unsatisfactory and kemp, commanding separate columns, most complicated. It is not expected in | left Tsi Tsikar on September 6th, and Berlin that Russia or France will withoccupied Zanguandi on the 9th. draw their troops hurriedly from Pekin,

CANDIDATES NOMINATED.

Mr. A. H. McNeill Will Contest Yale-Cariboo in Conservative Interest.

China, not only on the fratier provinces Revelstoke, Sept. 15 .- A. H. McNelll was i Mongolia and Manchunia, but also in, unanimously nominated at the likeral so Conservative convention for Yale Carlboo he interior and coast districts of Pe Chi The military commanders of the to-day. The following resolutions, were llied forces have agreed that under any nanimously adopted: circumstances it is necessary to strength-"We, the delegates of the Liberal-Conen the tactical and strategic position of servative party of Yale Cariboo constituthe international troops in Pe Chi Li. ency, in convention assembled, reaffirm the Russia, too, will furnish the railway from principles of the party, and more particularly the cardinal principle, namely, pro-Yang Tsu to Pekin. Regarding Germany's attitude, she will tection to home industries, and that that in any case insist on severe punishment principle be carried out so that all sections being inflicted on the treacherous Chi- of the country shall equally share its nese authorities, to which purpose the benefits. confession of Baron von Ketteler's as- "The one industry on which the prosperassination came opportunely. Germany ity of this constituency is almost wholly will not accept Gen. Yung Lu as a peace dependent is mining, and we believe that negotiator if the charges made against our mining interests are as fairly entitled to protection as the manufacturing interhim are proved, but Germany, through ests of Eastern Canada. her foreign office, insists upon the prin-"Therefore we advocate that the duties ciple of severe punishment, does not opon lead and lead products be increased so e peace with China, as shown yesterthat they shall be as high as those now day by Dr. Mumm von Schwarzenstein, imposed by the United States on the same the German minister to China, accepting articles. Li Hung Chang's visit at Shanghai. "That the output of the precious metal mines of Canada is largely increasing; Working in Harmony. therefore we favor the establishment of a Paris, Sept. 15 .-- Some of the details mint, so that the specie in circulation shall which will be urged in connection with be that of our own, instead of that of a the peace terms are discussed in diplo-1 2785 foreign country. matic circles here. One point strongly "We advocate the restriction of the imurged on the part of France is the permigration of Chinese and Japanese, and all manent continuance of the international classes of people who cannot become good agreement now in force prohibiting the citizens of the Dominion of Canada, and exportation of arms to China. It is be- suggest the adoption of the principles of lieved to be a strong measure of pre- the Natal Act. there. caution against a recurrence of the de-"British Columbia has not now the rewith the first returning regulars, and presentation in the federal parliament that termined assault on the foreigners. A demand is also made for a reduction she is entitled to, therefore we advocate of the Chinese forces holding Taku and that, when the redistribution of seats is Woo Sung, which are the main coast made, this constituency shall be given redefences respectively of Pekin and presentation according to population. Shanghai, in order to keep open a more "That it augurs well for the success of secure route to these cities. the party that Hugh John Macdonald has The question of indemnity and how it decided to leave the field of provincial will be paid is a serious problem. The politics to take part in the larger that indemnities are divided into three affects the people of the whole of Canclasses-those payable to the states, to ada." the societies, and to individuals. 'The Alliston, Sept. 15,-The Liberals of South Simcoe have nominated Joseph Whitqside, amount which the various states will demand will reach, an enormous sum, of Emgrove, to contest the riding in their and the ability of China to meet them interest at the forthcoming general elecsolely with cash payments causes contions. Ottawa, Sept. 15 .- The friends of Mr. cern. Great Britain's indemnity, it is Taylor McVeity are determined to place believed, will not be less than 60,000,000 him in nomination as Conservative candifrancs, while Russia will not be far bedate in opposition to Wm. Hutchison, Liblow this. France's indemnity will be in eral member, whether the executive of the the neighborhood of 30,000,000 francs; that of the United States, it is thought, unfavorable to his candidature. Conservative Association are favorable or will not be so large, on account of most Windsor, Sept. 15 .- If the Conservatives of the American troops going from the of North Essex can get Sol. White out of Philippine Islands. In order to meet the way, who at present is persistent in these great claims, it is possible that his intention to contest that riding, Hon. some reforms in the internal administra- J. C. Patterson, retiring Lieutenant-Gov. tion of China may be necessary, though ernor of Manitoba, will be tendered the

Proclamation We commit curselves to God, trusting that our prayers will be heard." EXODUS FROM GALVESTON.

> Galveston, Texas, Sept. 15.-The exodus from Galveston grows in numbers as the facilities for getting away from the stricken city are increased. Dr. W. H. Blount, state health officer, to-day printed a statejustified that sickness will result from the overflow just experienced, Several thousand men are at work clear-

ing away the debris on the beach. One hundred and fifty bodies were discovered in the wreckage and burned yesterday. In some quarters of the city to-day the waterworks company was serving customers on the second stories.

The British steamer Norma and the American steamer Alamo have been floated. The British steamer Roma is in a bad way on Deer Island. The British steamer Kendall Castle is hard aground in shallow water at Texas City, and the British steamer Hilareus is still alshore to the castward of Bolivar. The British steamer Taunton is hard ashore at Cedar Point, but it is believed both vessels can be floated without difficulty.

The street railway company suffered a loss of a quarter of a million, and its entire system is torn to pieces. Efforts are being made to operate cars with mules.

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Upinion What a Montreal Mining Man Thinks of Mines in Brit-

Mr. Clarence J. McCuaig Talks of His Tour of the Rich

Mr. Clarence J. McCuaig, the noted mining man, has returned to Montreal, after visiting almost every mining camp in British Columbia and Republic Camp in Washington.

In the the course of an interview regarding his extended trip he said to a representative of the Montreal Gazette: My party consisted of Senator Warner irregular operations which must be Miller of New York; Mr. F. H. Minard, brought to an early conclusion, and con-4 a mining engineer of ability, representing Eastern capitalists, and my chief clerk,

prescribe as applicable to such cases. We visited first the mines of the They are ruinous to the country, entails) Grow's Nest Coal Company, near Fer- No doubt many Canadian investors have endless suffering to the burghers and nie, in East Kootenay, and were sur- had their confidence shaken in mining intheir families, and the longer this guer- prised to see how much had been ac- vestments during the past year, and they illa warfare continues the more vigor- complished there during the year. Mr. have had sufficient reason undoubtedly, Wilson, the general manager, is system-A special dispatch from Naples says atically preparing for the enormous out- dends of the large mining companies, and

an agent of the Transvaal states that put which will be necessary for the comthe object of Mr. Kruger's visit to pany's coal and coke. Although there shares caused by the loss of confidence, Europe is to negotiate a settlement with gare not more than 200 ovens in full aggravated by financial conditions which Great Britain and that he has full pow- plast, five times that number will not have prevailed. I look, however, for re- thought that all the help needed can be

from Lieut.-Col. Evans, commanding the The smelters at Great Falls, Montana,

oncludes as follows: "In the name of years ago he told me that ore existed justice and humanity we appeal to all in the mine outside of what were compeoples to come to our aid in this su- monly supposed to be the walls, and his preme moment and save our country. work has not only proved that he was correct, but has also demonstrated beyond question that the Le Roi is one of the greatest mines in the world. The main shaft is now down 900 feet, and

the mine is thoroughly opened up to a depth of 800 feet. On some of the levels the ore is being stoped for a width of 107 feet, and faces 60 and 70 feet wide are common. Outside of this enormous ment, showing that no apprehensions are vein other parallel veins have been prov ed to exist, and it is estimated that the mine will pay about \$10,000,000 in profits when the ore is taken out as far down as the 800-foot level. There is no reason to doubt that these conditions

> is reached, 1.200 feet lower, and it is probable that the same conditions will prevail to a depth of 5,000 feet. You must remember that these estimates are not haphazard, but are carefully compiled from what has been actually demonstrated by the development. The mine is now raising 800 tons a day, and the net profits must be in the neighborhood of \$120,000 per month. This output will be increased when the new shaft is completed. The other properties mentioned above are all in an

> > Advanced State of Development, with large quantities of ore blocked out ready for shipment and will join the shipping mines as soon as the Le city is now being increased from 800 to 1,600 tons per day.

will continue the same until water level

Rossland, who should be in a position to know, the Centre Star is likely to prove to be equal to the Le Roi, and the War Eagle is not far behind. I notice that Mr. Blackstock has been interviewed regarding an amalgamation of these two properties. Although I have no interest in either, I regret to say, I think that it is in the interest of the shareholders of both that such a plan should be carried but. The saving effected in the management and operation of the mines would be large, and if an English company should be formed with El shares for issue in Great Britain, and four shilling shares (practically one dollar) for issue in Canada, there is no doubt the English investors would absorb large blocks of shares, now that the Le Roi has proved so successful, at much

higher prices than now prevail. We also visited the Republic camp. Good reports are coming in from the

Lardeau, Boundary, Ymir, and other districts of British Columbia, and there can be no doubt that the province will soon Attract the Attention

of capitalists in all parts of the world. owing to the temporary stoppage of divithe great shrinkage in the value of their be able to supply the demand at the end, turned confidence, as the Payne has al- obtained at the wages mentioned. of the present year, when the Trail, Hall | ready resumed the payment of regular Mines, Northport, Grand Forks and quarterly dividends, and the Republic are excellent, and all that is needed is Ottawa, Sept. 15.—Mails from South Africa received to-day brought reports Greenwood smelters are in full blast. mill, before the end of September, will capital to properly develop the mines. Second Battalion, C. M. I., Lieut-Col. are using this coke in preference to all Star and War Eagle will soon be ship- claims in the Yukon, and while he is Second Battanon, C. M. L. Lieut. Col. are using this cone in presence to an ping to the smelter. The North Star is in England he will endeavor to form a talion, C. M. I., and Lieut.-Col. Otter, fire output. The coal is of a superior paying regular dividends and earning a syndicate so that he may be enabled to commanding the first contingent, R. C. muality for steam purposes, and is used fat surplus, and the New Year should work them to better advantage. He R. I. Evans and Lessard write from rby the Canadian Pacific railway for their see all these companies in great favor says that there is no money in engaging ------Rlong the Waterfront. give them colors. The reports are dated the demand will increase almost as raplidly as the output can be increased the -----The thought of writing newspapers for ocean travellers has now practically old-timers. A better medicine at less than From Fernie we went to Kimberley, been solved by several of the great Ger- half the price is all the argument needed to North Star Mines. Mr. Frank Robbins, the consulting engineer of Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, board. The first start in this direction is in charge of the property and conwas made some time ago by the well ducted us through the various workings. known Woermann Steamship Company No one who has not visited these mines of Hamburg, with a paper called the can form an idea of the quantity of ore Africa Post. As soon as the Woermann steamers touch, homeward bound, the fit of jealousy, and then two men whom blocked out for shipment, and to walk through tunnel after tunnel driven first European port, this paper is sent he believed to have had improper relathrough the solid bodies of galena; or silver-lead, glistening and sparkling on the passengers of all classes. A similar triple crime, he ran amuck, killing five every side, would convince the most paper has now been gotten out by the others and wounding two fatally. He sceptical that British Columbia is second administration of the great Hamburg- then went to the local cemetery and to no state in the Union in the richness American line. It is called'Wilkommen of its mines. The mine is now shipping in Europa (Welcome in Europe). It about 1,800 tons per month, which, after appears in the German and in the Engdeducting freight and treatment, yields lish language, and gives a concise aclish language, and gives a concise ac-count of all the important news which occurred during the long ocean journey between America and England their The St. Eugene Consolidated at Moyie between America and England. It is regularly delivered on board every steamer of the line as soon as she touches Plymouth. in the United States, with one exception. The ore is rich in quality, and the mine The customs house records at Dawson, promises to be ranked among the great according to the Nugget, of that town, mines of the world. It is owned by the show that since the first of July, steam-Gooderham-Blackstock Syndicate, and ers to the number of ninety-five have the Canadian Gold Fields Company. arrived at Dawson from up and down the From Cranbrook we went to Slocan river, not more than ten or twelve of the City, and visited a number of properties latter. As many of the up-river steamin that district, which have already ers are of light tonnage, and many have commenced shipments, or will do as soon arrived practically empty, it is estimated Spruit, near Standerton, on July 5th, as roads now being constructed are com- that 150 tons is a fair average for each. pleted. Chief among these are the Ar- This would place the amount of freight lington, Mollie Gibson, Smuggler and brought to Dawson this year by steam-Enterprise. The Mollie Gibson and ers at 14,250 tons. Reckoning also that Smuggler are situated at an altitude of 300 scows have arrived with twelve tons 7,000 feet, in close proximity to a gla- each, a high average, this would amount cier, and as snow was falling when 1 to 3,600 tons and a total of only 17,850 visited the latter, about ten days ago, received. the difficulties to be overcome in working



Reported Combine of Yukon Mining Companies For Lower Rates This Summer.

The Placer Fields Good For Four Years, But Good Quartz Indications.

Robert Clulow McDonald and wire are among the guests staying at the Dominion. The couple have just returned from Dawson, where they spent the past two years.

Mr. McDonald is an experienced miner, having followed the profession of assaying in South Africa and New Zealand. He was born in Scotland, but most of his early life was spent in England, and it was in London that he gained his first knowledge of assaying. In 1884 he went to Johannesburg, South Africa, and for fourteen years he was connected with mines in that country. While employed in Africa he visited England and married the lady who has since accompanied him on his travels. Roi smelter can be enlarged. Its capa- Shortly after the Jamieson raid, the couple went to New Zealand, and remained there until 1898, when they I flid not have an opportunity of vis- started for Dawson. They went in over iting the Centre Star and War Eagle, the Stickine trail, and their progress but judging from the development of the was slow, as Mr. McDonald prospected Le Roi, which is on the same vein, and the country through which they passed. from what I could learn from people in He says that it wil be a good thing for Canada if a railway is constructed through this country. On Hootalinga creek he found good prospects, but provisions were getting short and he did not remain there long. Flour in that section of the country was then selling at \$30 per sack, and even at that price it was hard to obtain. At Cassiar bar fair indications of gold were also found, but the fine gold was all being lost. If properly handled there is money to be made in that section of the country. Excellent prospects were also, found on Stewart river, and Mr. McDonald is inclined to believe the report that good money is being made there at present. On the way in Mrs. McDonald had the honor of christening the Anglian, the first boat built to ply on Lake Teslin

Speaking of the prospects of the Yukon country, Mr. McDonald says that there will be at least four years' of good life for the placer diggings, but undoubtedly rich quartz mines will be discovered. On his trip back to England he carries with him a number of rich specimens of quartz. The original discoverers of quartz on Indian river have a large body of conglomerate ore in sight. If mining was carried on in the old way the placer claims already discovered in the Yukon would last for many years, but improved facilities makes a vast difference. There will be a hig drop in the wages paid men this season, and it is understood that an agreement has been made between the big companies to pay \$3.50 per day. There is no scarcity of men there now, and it is

The copper-prospects at White Horse Mr, McDonald is interested in several

ed to End Guerilla Warfare. London, Sept. 15 .- Lord Roberts has telegraphed to the war office as follows: "Machadodorp, Sept. 13 .- Kruger has fled to Lorenzo Marquez, and Botha has been obliged to give over the command of the Boer army, temporarily, to Vil-

Roberts's

joen, on account of ill-health. In consequence of this I have circulated a proclamation as follows:

Useless For Boers to Con-

tinue War.

Vigorous Measures Will Be Adopt-

"'The late President Kruger, with Reitz and the archives of the South African Repablic, has crossed the Portuguese frontier and arrived at Lorenzo Marquez, with a view of sailing for as president of the South African Republic, thus severing his official connecon for nearly a year, and his desertion of the Boer cause should make clear to

his fellow-burghers that it is useless to continue the struggle any longer. "'It is probably unknown to the in habitants of the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony that nearly 15,000 of their fellow-subjects are now prison ers of war, not one of whom will be released until those now under arms

against us surrender unconditionally. "The burghers must be cognizant o the fact that no intervention, in their behalf can come from any of the great powers, and, further, that the British Empire is determined to complete the work which has already cost so many declared against her by the late govern A gradual reduction of the Russian ments of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State-a war to which there can

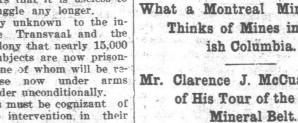
Lord Roberts's proclamation then points out that with the exception of the small area which Gen. Botha is de-

cludes: "The means I am compelled to adopt are those which the customs of war Mr. Binmore.

ously must they be enforced."

er to act to that end. The Canadian Contingents,

Ottawa, Sept. 15 .- Mails from South



is not often that I s done by cur city ow congratuiste them n the right direction the tram, telephone es to pay a business a their property. This ould have been done it has been delayed is a mystery which ubt can explain. At per move, and I hope until the companies rs' list. While on the shall touch lightly on ness license, which ed from \$100 to \$10 ertainly a great misof the council. In the concerned hould be divided into \$50 for the lowest, for the largest busiarrangement, I have e considered a fair

retailers, who should same manner as the west license \$5, next st \$50. By levying way all the parties ontribute their fair he city for the bene-As the license is at usiness pays just as e, which any person to the small dealer irly by all parties, ill reconsider th in doing so fix the anner that it will be all parties doing busi-CITIZEN.

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ng the party leave the irround the kranz, or uspecting baboons are st break of dawn the the move, to see that He no sooner makes he is greeted with a an instant the whole ar. They rush hither with rage and pain, escape. But few of ectly the hunters have who have been follow ake a rush for the tails netimes they are in so ecure these that they t the baboon is not te or tear is the result. to the magistrate's rd of 2s. 6d. each is

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Deace.

Looting in Pekin.

their nature is not yet considered. It is nomination. William McGregor is the said that Russia has not yet heard from present Liberal member of this riding and M. De Giers, her minister at Pekin. for will probably run again. some days: and the messages of M. Pichon, the French minister at the Chi-

A WORD TO MOTHERS

nese capital, are also delayed, thus not Mothers of children affected with croup permitting the government to gain any new knowledge in regard to the evacuaor a sever cold need not hesitate to adtion terms, which are left to these offiminister Chamberlain's Cough Remedy It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any It is asserted here that France form and may be given as confidently and Russia are acting in perfect harto the babe as to an adult. The great mony, and that they will certainly resuccess that has attended its use in the main in accord in their negotiations for treatment of colds and croup has won for it the approval and praise it has receiv ed throughout the United States and in

Pekin, Sept. 3, via Taku: Sept. 7. via many foreign lands. For sale by Hen-Shanghai, Sept. 13 .- Looting in Pekin derson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria continues, both authorized and unau- and Vancouver.

Differ to all the many that the state

Rietvlei and Bankfontein and give the -engines. As the quantity of coal is again respective strength of their commands as inexhaustible, and the facilities for hand-373 and 371. Lessard includes a tele- ling it will be as perfect as in any other gram from Lord Roberts asking for the | coal mine on this continent, when Mr. number of Canadians who want to go to Wilson completes his scheme of develop-England, intimating that Her Majesty Pment and mining the coal and coke can would no doubt wish to inspect them and the produced at a very low price, and as respectfully July 29th and 30th, Lieut.-Col. Otter gives the strength company will undoubtedly become one of I the first contingent to August 3rd as the great industries of the Dominion. 875, 700 of whom are available for ser-Out of Otter's, total force of vice. and visited the 1,156, 202 have been invalided to England, some of whom have already reached their home in the Dominion, 39 were killed or died of wounds, 26 died of disease and 14 were transferred. Invited to England.

London, Sept. 15 .- The war office has decided to invite details of officers and men from each of the colony corps in South Africa to visit England as the guests of the nation as soon as it becomes possible to reduce the forces

the Queen will present them with colors.

The colonial troops will come

Apother Canadian Dead. Toronto, Sept. 15 .- A cable was received by Mrs. Hunt yesterday an-nouncing the death of her husband, about \$40,000 per month. Quartermasters Sergeant Hunt, of the in the same district as the North Star, Canadian Mounted Infantry, on service has established a great record, having in South Africa. Deceased was former- bhipped a greater quantity of lead durly identified with Stanley barracks here ing the month of July than any mine

s instructor.

V. C. for Canadian. Montreal, Sept. 15 .- A London 'special cable to the Star says there is jubilation in Canadian circles over the award of ficially gazetted of the Victoria Cross to Sergt. A. H. L. Richardson, of Strathcona's Horse. Richardson gained the cross at Wolve when a small party of Strathcona's Horse engaged a double number of Boers. After the order to retire had been given, Richardson, who was on a wounded horse, rode back under a heavy cross fire to within 300 yards of the enemy, rescuing a wounded trooper, whose horse had been shot. A. H. L. Richardson joined Strath-

these mines can be imagined. It is evicona's Horse in the Northwest as a private in a squadron. His home before dent also that the mine must be rich to stand the expense of packing supplies in coming to Canada was at Sefton Park, on horseback and rawhiding ore out. Liverpool, Eng. We then

Visited Rossland,

INTER PRANT PLANE INTERPRETENT

Boer Delegates' Appeal.

The Hague, Sept. 15 .- The Boer dele-The Hague, Sept. 15.—The Boer defe-gates, Messrs. Fischer, Wolmarans and Wessels, have addressed an appeal to all pation for intervention in South Africa. nation for intervention in South Africa. After expressing the conviction that the owns the Le Roi, Number One, Josie. to recognized as belligerents, the appeal Mr. MacDonald's management. Two from Wreck Bay.

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D. G. S. Quadra returned at noon to day from Carmanah, where she has been delivering supplies. The accident mentioned in a telegraph message from Carmanah as occurring to Jack Williams, quartermaster, was not so serious as reported, and consisted only in the officer getting the points of his fingers badly bruised.

Among the passengers leaving for the After expressing the conviction that the annexation of the Transvaal was only proclaimed with the object of enabling Great Britain to prosecute the war in an inhuman manner, contrary to international law, and to mercilessly pursue as our amazement at the remarkable de- son. The Willapa on her return is exrebels the exhausted combatants/ hither- velopment of that great mine under pected to have a consignment of gold

men to work on lays, for the men who are put to work are not always honest, and the owner of the claims gets the worst of the deal in the long run,

Mrs. McDonald kept a diary of their experiences and some day she proposes to publish a Klondike story that will attract attention.

PILL SENSE .- It stands to reason that Dr. Agnew's Little Liver Pills will crowd man steamship companies. It has been keep the demand what it has been-phedecided upon publishing special papers, neep the demand what it has been put-riomenal-40 doses 10 cents. They cure containing all the important events Sick Headache, Billousness, and allay all which occurred during the time spent on stomach irritations. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.-5.

A Cazerta, Italy, dispatch says Gaetaon board and liberally distributed among tions with her. Having committed the committed suicide





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