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The Foreign Office, it is also asserted, has had under special consideration the question of seising the Taku forts on the Gulf of Pechin, at the mouth of the Pekin River, and the city of Tien Tein. the port of Pekin, in the event of China refusing to comply with this demand, holding all until compliance is assured.

Scraps of Truth Which Escaped the Press Censor.

London, Aug. 16.—The semi-officurnal de St. Petersburg, in yesterd

FRENCH SHORE QUESTION.

Chamberlain Will Appoint a Con

St. John's, Nfd., Aug. 16.-The

CANADA WINS.

minion Sails Home First, Beating t

Steamship Men in Trouble.

London, Aug. 16.—The semi-omicial Journal de St. Petersburg, in yesterday's issue, deprecates the tone of the British press and says: "Russia does not contemplate fresh acquisition in the far East. Her only object is to preserve the advantage recently gained. The Russian Government does not desire to injure the economic interests of Great Britain any more than those of any other power." Chicago, Aug. 16.—A Record special from Madrid says:
A perfect reign of terror prevails here. The citiors of several Republican newspapers have been thrown into prison and others have sought safety in flight. The press consor examines whole newspapers before publication. Some of the journals appear many columns blank and some have suspended publication altogether. The foreign correspondents dare not tell the truth, 18 they would be ex-

Revolution Is Inevita

The impending revolution is slow in coming, but when it does come all the authorities now occupying the scene will full without resistance. They are utterly fall without resistance. They are utterly incapable of defending their position. One thing that makes me think the Carlists mean to make an early move is that the private secretary of Don Carlos and the Marquis of Cerralbo, one of his leaders, both affirm that the patriotism of the pretender induces him for the moment to disapprove of an uprising in

Steamship Men in Trouble.
Queenstown, Aug. 16.—J. W. Jago,
hlef officer of the White Sar Line steamre Britannic, was discharged yesterday
in the charge of robbing the mails and
inuggling, but was immediately reurested upon a warrant issued at the rejuest of the United States Embassy,
harging him with embezzlement and
arrenv. As Don Carlos has a reputation for alsehood, and as one of his notorious habits has always been to keep the pub-lic alort and stimulate the fanaticism of quest of the United States Embassy.
charging him with embezzlement and
larceny.
London, Aug. 16.—At Bow Street
Police Court yesterday Daniel Wood,
steward of the Cunard Line steamship
Lacania, who was arrested for alleged
complicity with Jago, was released on
his own recognizance to attend when
called for.

Madrid, Aug. 16.—The Government of the Control of t

Madrid, Aug. 10.—11a dovenings has received from Captain-General Blanco a despatch tendering his resignation. The reason given by General Blanco for resigning is that he does not wish to superintend the evacuation of Cuba. The Government is also informed that General Augusti, Governor-General of-the-Philippines, will leave Manila for Spain by the first mail steamer, giving his command to the second rank.

The next Cablinet Council will consider the question of summoning the Cortes, Senor Sagasta, the Premier, is hopeful that the Ministers. will be agreed upon this point.

MANILA HAS FALLEN.

London Business House's News Con-firmed From Madrid. London, Aug. 16.—The Westminster Gazette says it has received from a Lon-don business house a report that Manila has fallon. The report comes from the firm's Hong Kong agent.

Confirmed From Madrid. Madrid, Aug. 16.—According to La Correspondencia de Espania, the surrend-er of Manila occurred after the last attacks made upon the city.

One Class of Cubans Who Will Not Recognize the Armistice, Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—Trouble tude is one of sullen hossility towards
America. The better class in Cuba favor
the annexation of the island to the United
States, and a majority of the masses are
ready to work and accept the shelter and
protection afforded by an American protectorate; but they are influenced by a
certain class of rabid orators and breeders
of sedition and rebellion against anything
smacking of law and order. This inflagmatory class demands and urges the
recognition of Cuba for Cubans and
spurns all offers or suggestions tending
to prosperity under an American protecrecognition of Cuba for Cubans and spurns all offers or suggestions tending to prosperity under an American protectorate and excites popular discontent.

Their advice to the Cubans is to repuditate all offers of peace or a cessation of hostilities, and to look upon the armistice as an agreement between the United States and Spain on their own account and not binding upon the free and independent state of Cuba, whose liberatiarmy not only repudiates pacification, but will ignore the armistice to the point of continuing to wage war and shooting every Spaniard in the field.

Uncle Sam Will Have to Pay Them. Uncle Sam Will Have to Pay Them.
Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—A secret meeting was held last night at the Palace between the commanding officers of the American army and the Cuban leaders. The strictest secrecy was maintained, but it can be said with good authority that General Garcia was present. The meeting lasted one hour and a half. The information obtained is to the effect that the Cuban situation was thoroughly reviewed, and that it was resolved to disband the Cuban army, and that the United States should pay the men off. This involves the expenditure of \$15,000,000, but it is most important to the prosperity of the island, whose wealth is entirely agricultural, nobody, planter or farmer, daring to cultivate his lands while insurgents are in the field, raiding and burning.

Santpment of Spanish Soldiers.

Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 16.—The
Spanish steamer Isla de Luzon sailed
yesterday morning for Spania, having on
board 2,136 Spanish soldiers. The Isla de
Panay will profably sail to-day. Rough Riders Returned.

York, Aug. 16.—The Rough are home. With Col. Theodore t and Fighting Joe Wheeler they ched Montauk Point. They came port Miami.

Lithis Springs, Ga., Aug. 16.—During a terrific thunderstorm here lightning struck Camp Hobson. Soven saldiers are in the hospital seriously hurt. BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

John Bull Will, It Is Said, Demand The Li Hung Chang Be Dismissed From Office.

On Short Notice

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From Office.

London, Aug. 16,—The Forsign Office, it was reported here yesterday, though the report as yet lacks confirmation, intends to demand that the Chinese Government dismiss Prince Id Hung Chang from power on the ground that he is responsible for the recent anti-British attitude of the Tsung Li Yamen.

Fisheries Bill Not Opp

Privy Council's Decision There Would

Toronto, Aug. 16.—The Attorney-General's Fisheries bill met with no opposition at its second reading in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

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Mr. Hardy Explains His Bill.

In moving the second reading of his bill, Mr. Hardy explained that since the decision of the Supreme Court, upon which the bill of 1897 had been based, had been greatly altered by the Privy Council, his new bill had become urgent as well as essential. One of the features not upheld by this court of last resort had reference to the rights to take fish with certain implements, and also to the close season. The Privy Council had adjudged the provinces to have control of the bottoms of rivers and lakes, and therefore the right to take out fish rested with his Government. So did the right to impose license fees. The revenue from these licenses was of considerable importance, the Dominion Government having realized from \$30,000 to \$38,000 per annum therefore during the last few years. To the Dominion Government, on the other hand, had been declared the right to make regulations as to the use of the foreshore still rested with the Provincial Government. The fact that the Dominion Government had the right to fix the amount of license to be charged, made a deadlock, he admitted, technically possible, but in the usual course of events actually improbable. No modus vivendi had been arrived at between the Minister of Marine and the Provincial Government the had simply come to a partial arrangement whereby the Federal Government conceded that they had no right to issue licenses, but were allowed to collect such of this year's licenses as were issued before the decision of the Privy Council had been given.

Two sets of officials St. Jonn's, NEd., Aug. 16.—The Colonial Government yesterday received a despatch from Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, British Secretary of State for the Colonies, stating that Her Majesty's Government had decided to appoint a Royal Commission to enquire into the state of affairs on the Newfoundland French treaty shore, and as to legislative or other measures required to carry out the treaty. Montreal, Aug. 16.—The Dominion, he Canadian boat, won the second of the nternational yacht races yesterday, lefeating the American boat by 3 ninutes 47 seconds on a 19-mile trianguar course, in a light breeze.

Hit Hard by American Competitudes, London, Aug. 16.—Owing to the dis-quioting growth of American competi-tion in the tin-plate trade, the Weish manufacturers are being put to serious shifts in order to maintain their position as the controllers of the tin-plate indus-

licenses as were issued before the decision of the Privy Council had been given.

Two Sets of Officials.

Two sets of Officials.

Two sets of officials the administer the altered law would now be necessary. The Dominion Government would have to appoint officers to see that the regulations were observed, while the Provincial Government would appoint others to protect the fisheries. Upon the high seas and the international lakes and rivers the Dominion Government would still retain controlling power, because in the event of international questions arising they would be held responsible. They would still retain patrol vessels to prevent illegal fishing in such waters, while the Provincial Government would appoint controllers of inland fisheries. The question of official salaries had not yet been decided, though the salaries in the Dominion Department ranged from \$3,300 to \$500. In the meantime the House was asked to sanction the appointment of a deputy commissioner to organize a new Fisheries Department.

Vast Importance of the Industry.

Concluding, the Premier explained in detail the sections of the bill, and added as the controllers of the tin-plate indus-try. They are now endeavoring to force their workmen to take lower wages, employing for that purpose the threat to fired one into their establishments a new patented tinning machine, which has just been invented, and which does away with most of the work of tinmen, requir-ing only one attendant. This machine is said to be in successful operation at the Monmouthshire tin-plate works.

It's very Hot in London.

London, Aug. 16.—Yesterday was the hottest day London has known for a long time. The St. John's ambulance staff was out in full force, and treated scores of cases of heat prostration. Upward of 150 cases had been treated at the various hospitals before 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A number of policemen were overnoone. The surgeons found that their prostration was due to swelling of the legs and foot, produced by the heat from the asphalt and wood paving on which they stood. tive a new Fisheries Department.

Vast Importance of the Industry.
Concluding, the Premier explained in detail the sections of the bill, and added an amendment to the effect that is should go into force immediately upon passing the Legislature. He spoke of the vast importance of protecting the fisheries, an importance which could not be overestimated or too graphically described. He spoke of it as a convenient and healthful means of sustainance to those settling in and opening up a new country, as a means of relaxation to those engaged in every other calling in life. igaged in every other calling in life.

Dewey Was Struck by an Express.
Niagara Falls, Ont., Aug. 16.—Frederick Dowey, locomotive foreman of the
Michigan Central Railroad at Montrose,
was walking on the track, from the yards
to the junction, when he was struck
behind the head and killed instantly,
although the engineer tried to attract his engaged in every other calling in life.

Mr. Whitney Acquiescent.

The Opposition leader agreed with the Government's idea of the immense importance of the fisheries. He still believed that the matters could have been arranged so that the necessity of a special session would have been precluded. He urged, howeve, since the present session was a fact, that the bill be considered without haste, and reserved any further remarks till it reached the committee stage.

Bara and Senson's Crop Burned.

nspector, or that his constituency wou e opened for Hon. John Dryden.

Serry That Col. Hay Is Leaving.
London, Aug. 16.—The afternoon
papers, without exception, express regret
at the probable return of Ambassador
Hay to the United States to succeed

An Explanation

Milled in the Klendike.

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—A letter received in the city announces that Francois Marleau, son of Napoleon Marleau of Hull, has been suffocased to death while digging a claim in the Klondike. He was overcome by the gas. He left for the gold fields about two years ago, and is supposed to have accumulated considerable wealth. Mr. Hoyle, as representing North Ontario, a constituency largely interested, congratulated the Government upon getting the decision from the Privy Council, and made a few suggestions. Learning from the Attorney-General that the matter of obstructions came within the power of the Local Government, he urged some restrictions in this matter, especially as the obstructions along the Beaver and Severn Rivers were found an inconvenience to anglers in his riding. People, he thought, should have the opportunity to fish without being compelled to go 15 miles to do so. He also suggested that the game wardenn, as not being overburdened with work, might take upon themselves the duties of fisheries inspectors, and avoid the expense of salaries of new appointees.

Mr. Foy wanted the bill consolidated with the Fisheries bill, to which it was an amendment.

Mr. Hardy thought this might involve Governor of New Gaines.
London, Aug. 16.—The Queen has approved the appointment of Mr. George Ruthven le Hunte, C.M.G., Colonial Scoretary of Mauritius, to be Lieutenant-Governor of British New Guines, in succession to Sir William, MacGregor, M.D., K.C.M.G., C.B., who is retiring from that office.

A Dive of 118 Feet.

St. Louis, Me., Aug. 16.—On a wager, Miles McDonald, a teamster, dived from the top rail of Eads' Bridge into the Mississippi River and came out uninjured. The distance from the rail to the water is 115 feet, and the water is about 25 feet deep.

rights now in dispute.

The Battle Begins Afresh To-Day.
The bill will come un in commistee of the whole on Thursday. To-day the Constable bill will be introduced.
In response to Mr. Whitney's protest, Mr. Hardy decided practically not to ask the House to sit mornings. Prorogation this week is a possibility.
Mr. John Richardson, M.P.P., (East York), denied that he had been approached with the offer of the job of Fisheries Inspector, or that his constituency would Barrie Votes for Municipal Ligating.
Barrie, Aug. 16.—By a majority of 170
votes in a total of 586 fresholders of this
town carried a bylaw yesterday to raise
\$35,000 for the installation of a municipal
electric lighting plant.

Portuguese Government Resigns Lisbon, Aug. 16.—The Ministry has resigned and Senor Lucanio has been charged with the task of forming a new Cabinet. Hail Destroys 20,000 Acres of Grain

Hall Destreys 20,000 Acres of Grain.
Carrington, N.D., Aug. 16.—A hallstorm, destroying 20,000 acres of grain,
has swept over the western part of Foster
and Eddy Counties.
Oddfellow Officers Elected. donald, who accompanied the expedition which was sent out in the hope of rescu-ing General Gerdon from Khartoum, as correspondent, is dead. The deceased was by birth a Canadian. Oddfellew Officers Elected.

Gait, Ont., Aug. 12.—The second day's session of the Grand Lodge of the L.O. O.F. convened at 9 e'clock yesterday. All the grand officers were elected by scolamation, with the exception of the grand warden. The ether officers elected were: J. E. Farewall, Whitby, Grand Master; James McClurg, Woodstook, Grand Master; J. B. King, Toronto, Grand Scoretary 7; W. J. McCormack, Toronto, Grand Trassurer; Harry White, P. G. M., three-year director for the Odd-fellows' Home; Charles Packert, auditor. P. G. Lewes of Chatham, after three ballots, was chosen Grand Warden.

Martia Declines It.

Victoria, B.C., Aug 16.—Mr. Semlin has accepted the task of ferming an administration and expresses confidence that he will have no difficulty. He has put himself in dommunication with the leading members of the Opposition.

Mr. Joseph Martin has been offered the Attorney Generalship in Semila's Cabinet and Survey.

BAD GANG BROKEN UP.

on Canadian SellDetroit, Aug. 16.—David Henry Johnson, the youngest of the four Johnson brothers, netorious countygesters, was arrested early yesterday merning at the house of Joseph J. Wetherseld, names, llving two miles from Blenheim, Essex County, Canada. Johnson was locked up at police headquarters at Windsor.

He was the third of the family to be arrested in this city within the last week. Two of the other brothers, Charles and Edmund, were arrested here Friday. The fourth brother, John, alias "Shang,"

The fourth brother, John, aline "Samage," Johnson, is in Kingston Peniteeniary, Canada.

Young Johnson is known to the police and secret service as the most dangerous man in this country, and the whole family were artists in their line. The man arrested yesterday cluded even suspicion for the last 10 years. The official secret service says there is positive proof that David Johnson, theugh only 35 years old, was the author) of counterfeitbills in 1888, and the authorises have been looking for the man who did this job ever since the bills first came into circulation. The bills in questien are \$2\$ notes, with heads of Hanecok note circulation. The bills in questien are \$2\$ notes, with heads of Hanecok note came out 10 years ago. The difference between its and the original is in the signature and in the vignette. The discrepancy is so small that many experte have been fooled. The Windom \$8 note was issued Aug. 4, 1891, and the limitation was dissevered in 1892.

Detectives Were Locking for Thesm.

The detective force of this city has been looking up evidence against the Johnsons for a long time. More than three months ago they went to work, and the first point scored was the arrest of Charles and Edmund. Salunday less the house in which David had been living was searched, and a hollow place belying the base board beforem panel was removed, touching a spring, and showing a small cabinet. Detectives found in here plates and other apparatus ter making counterfeit money; also between \$7,000 and \$10,000 in counterfeit notes. A letter was found in the house giving information of the death of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the cash of the cash of Westerdal of Blenting of the ca

small cabinet. Detectives found in here plates and other apparatus for making counterfeit money; also between \$7,000 and \$10,000 in counterfeit notes. A letter was found in the house giving information of the death of Wetherald of Blenheim, who is a relative of the Johnsons. Detroit officers, with Officer Mahoney, visited Blenheim, and Mahoney made the arrest. Johnson was very obstinate, but was finally taken to Windsor, and says he will fight extradition to the last. In searching the house of the other Johnsons with the issue of a number of other bills, including \$100 silver certificates, which are among the best counterfetts ever turned out. Treating notes with glycerine gives them the appearance of having been used, Johnson is married and has two children. He lived in Detroit more than a year under the guise of a traveling agent.

Waives Extradition.

David Henry Johnson, youngest of the four Johnson brothers, was arraigned before Commissioner Bartlett of Windsor, yesterday and doddd to come across without extradition papers.

Dublin, Aug. 16.—The whole city in fete in connection with the laying of the foundation stone of the monument en fate in connection with the the foundation stone of the m in memory of Wolfe Tone. Dele in attendance from the Unite Australia, South Africa, France Australia, South Africa, France and usary
There was an immense procession to
the site of the monument. A memoria
car, containing the foundation stone
which was decorated with flags presented
by the Daughters of Erin '98 Association
of New York City, preceded the process

Bara and Season's Crop Burned.
Highfield, Aug. 16.—A spark from a passing train set fire to the stubble in a field belonging to Peter Wardlaw, concession A, Etoblooke, and before it was observed had spread to the barn. The last load of grain off 90 acres was standing on the threshold, and when it was run out it was in flames. The whole of this season's crop was consumed, together with some pigs, live stock and implements. Much difficulty was experienced in saving the house.

in saving the house. A Burglar Attacks a W A Burglar Attacks a Woman.

Berlin, Ont., Aug. 16.—Mrs. M. F.
Anthes had occasion to go down stairs
for something for the baby, when she
was accessed by a midnight marauder,
who endeavored to choke her. Her
screams were heard by her brother, who
slept in the house. He quickly got his
revolver and chased the burglars away,
firing three shets after them. There is no
clue to the thieves, who got little or
nothing. n amendment.

Mr. Hardy thought this might involve
ne elimination of certain clauses, and

Orange and Green.

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—As the Orange Young Britons of Ottawa, several hundred strong, were marching to church Sunday in celebration of the opening of the Derry gates, they encountered a funeral of a prominent Catholic. While the cortege passed the bands ceased playing and the procession stood with heads bared, winning for themselves the thanks of a host of Catholics.

Cataract Pewer From Hamilton.

Hamilton, Aug. 16.—In a very few days the Cataract Power Company will be supplying power to Hamilton concerns from the turbines near St. Catharines. The wiring is completed and the machinery is now being tested. It is said that 5,000 horse-power is available. London, Aug. 16.-Mr. A. F. Mac

Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America's Cup with his yaoht Shamrock has been accepted by the New York Yaoht Club.

Commodore Amelius Jarvis of Teronto will sail Henrich Duggan's (Montreal) Catemaran half-rater in the Seawanhaka-Gorinthian cup races at Lake St. Louis Saturday. The race is an international The reasons for the great popularity of Hood's Sarsaparilla lies in the fact THE FIRE RECORD. that this medicine positively oures. It is America's Greatest Medicine, and

is America's Greatest Medicine, and the American people have an abiding confidence in its merits. They buy and take it for simple as well as serious ailments, confident that it will do them hour \$500,000 worth of property went up in smalls.

Mailed for 25c. by C. I. Hood & Co. the 3rd concession of Tyendinage, died.

Lowell, Mass.

James Brennan, a prominent farmer of the 3rd concession of Tyendinage, died.

Aged 69. His wife and ten children survive him.