

CABLE NEWS.

A New and Popular Arm of the British Service-Marine Volunteers.

Germany and Austria Adopt an Anti-French Tariff-The Maybrick Case.

Papal Guarantees-Italy's Attitude.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—M. Crispin reappeared in the Italian chamber of deputies yesterday and made a great speech. The former premier made a peculiar admission that the law of guarantees regulating the relations between Austria and Italy may be altered.

Portugal's Finances.

LEBON, Dec. 7.—The government agreement for the reorganization of the Bank of Portugal, signed on Friday, is expected to strengthen the credit of the country.

A Carnival of Blood.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Li Hung Chang, viceroy, telegraphs to the Chronicle's Shanghai correspondent confirming the news of the crushing defeat of the rebels.

Colliery Disasters.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 7.—A terrible catastrophe has occurred in the colliery at Nifka, Russian-Poland, in which it is reported that 180 men and 40 horses were killed.

Rio Janeiro's Ministers Denounced.

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 7.—President Peixoto to-day issued a manifesto declaring the members of the Fonseca government traitors to the constitution.

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Judgment Against Mutual Reserve Fund.

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The Breslau R.R. Accident.

BERLIN, Dec. 8.—A serious railway accident occurred near Breslau, a train being derailed and a number of passengers injured.

A Self-Styled Mail Robber.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—R. G. Palmer, the self-styled American, who gave himself up to the police recently, charging himself with stealing some mail bags at Clark, Nebraska, and who was remanded at Bow street police court, December 1st, to await the action of the United States legation, was to-day released from custody.

Spain's Dynamic Guns in France.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Advice from Paris states that the French Government is seriously contemplating the expulsion from France of all agents of the dynamite guns and other war materials invented or controlled by Lieut. Graydon, which are being "boomed" by a syndicate of capitalists.

Chinese Rebels in Full Flight.

SHANGHAI, Dec. 8.—Advice from Peking states that the rebels are in full flight, and that Manchuria is fully controlled by the Imperial troops.

Salvation Army Troubles.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Salvation Army were the cause of another disturbance at Eastbourne, yesterday. The leaders of the local division there were convicted, a few days ago, of an unlawful assembly, as a result of the frequent collisions with the mob, and their defiance of police regulations.

Church and State.

Papal Warning to French Clergy Who Are Recalcitrant—Serious Consequences May Result.

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Newfoundland to be Reciprocatd Against—Shooting Fish Prohibited.

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The Canadian Pacific Special, with the marines for Halifax, passed Port Arthur at noon to-day, having made splendid time.

A conference was held in Montreal, to-day, between representatives of the steamship lines and the Minister of Agriculture with reference to the immigration work of next season.

Frank Board has been appointed private secretary to the Premier. Tache, Mr. Chabert's secretary, has resigned to enter journalism.

The difficulty with reference to the disposition of the Springhill colliery relief fund still exists with the local committee.

The use of fire-arms for killing fish is prohibited.

Another Liberal Ousted.

COBURN, Ont., Dec. 8.—The West Northumberland contested election trial was concluded to-day, resulting in Harcourt, Liberal, being unseated, corrupt practices having been proved.

The Kingston Elections.

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 8.—The Executive Committee of the Conservative Association has nominated J. H. Metcalfe, M.P.P., to be the Dominion House of Parliament against Gair.

Departmental Dismissals.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 9.—Messrs. Chamberlain, Derogies and Bain, clerks in the railway and canal department, dismissed yesterday, were employed on the Cape Breton railway, where the appropriation is exhausted, hence their dismissal.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Presbytery of British Columbia in Session—The Mainland vs. Island Controversy.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—President Harrison's third annual message gives a summary of the work of the State Department during the past year. It states that reciprocal trade arrangements have been concluded with Brazil, with Spain for its West India possessions, and with San Domingo.

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