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# PROSECUTION GOES INTO ANCIENT HISTORY J. S. PRITCHETT TELLS AN OLD STORY

It Has Already Been Pronounced Incredible by a Royal Commission—Counsel for Defense ing after a full steam trial lasting eight charge of concealment of the birth of Objects, But Police Magistrate Allows Prosecution to Have Its Own Way-Magistrate Accused of Usurping the Functions of a Royal Commission.

[By Our Own Reporter.]

Toronto, Oct. 11. - When the investigation into the London election case was resumed this morning, Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, was on hand as a witness. Hon. Frank Oliver, minister of the interior, had also been subpoenaed, but did not put in an appearance. Neither did Mr. Hunter, private secretary to Hon. Mr. Hyman, who is now away on his wedding tour in British Columbia. The crown claims that the gentlemen named were in London for some weeks previous to the was paid various sums ranging from would miscall from 5 to 8 ballots in a night, a resolution was passed to acare material witnesses.

the crown in chancery, who had been he had met him in the rungs. The had a party to it," Mr. Robinette ham, 5 cents, if an exclusive franchise ordered to produce the ballots of the ing of ballots to the others. He also retorted. London election, was on hand, but as arranged with the deputies for the the ballots had been destroyed some switching. He had always fo und O'Gor- to the magistrate, "that your royal million feet of gas to new factories em- and a foreman named Joseph Perce. months ago in accordance with the man in the constituency afte arrange- commission should also inquire into the ploying 40 men during the first five usual custom, they could not be pro- O'Gorman had brought the deputies to "I have no objection," the magistrate ed to draw up the agreement, to be Island Railroad station in a lock at on the federal exchequer than his Libduced. One year after the declaration him to be trained in the switching, replied. of the returning officer is made, bal-

The crown is still looking for Mr. E. FIREMEN OUT TO

Mr. E. B. Johnston has been retained by the defense, but as he had business out of the city today, he was unable to be present. Mr. George Wilkie appeared for Mr. George M. Reid, and Mr Robintte looked after the interests of Burning Candle in Cellar Starts other defendants. .

The chief witness for the prosecution today was J. G. Pritchett, the South London plasterer, who told a story some years ago of corrupt doings in West Elgin, which was pronounced by a royal commission to be false. Prichatt burning candle in the cellar of Ash-

J. G. Pritchett, a London contractor. was first placed in the box. Witness spread to a number of boxes. The fire-

Mr. Robinette protested against any questions being asked which did not re-late to elections held in 1904 and 1905. The firemen were called earlier in the the reasons given by Justice Davies. but the magistrate said that as he was day to a barn in the rear of the central merely holding an investigation, the fire hall. A number of boys had started scope of the inquiry could be widened, a blaze in a box in the loft, and were "I will show there has been a con-doing their best to keep warm when tinuing conspiracy," Mr. DuVernet the firemen appeared on the scene. The Great Concourse of Notables Follow

box was thrown out, and the barn es-Magistrate Denison further declared caped damage. that if there was any wrong doing even as far back at 1903, in a continuing conspiracy, it was fair to inquire into the election of that year.

"But you must understand that ou Business Ceases as a Protest Against are under the law the same as the . of us," Mr. Robinette said. "You are investigating specific charges, and you have no right to go back for years and years and connect names of defendants ing the night the bodies of five terrorhave no connection. I submit that if and buried, were exhumed by sym- Capranica family in the Church of you are to go on as you are, it is the duty of the Ontario Government to grant you a royal commission."

Mr. DuVernet said that when these re-exhumed by unknown persons. The men-meaning the witness as one- authorities buried them this morning were up before on trial for participation in election corruption, the whole. machinery of the law was stopped to sentinels at the graves. Other terror-

Robinette said. "We must have the law adminis 47 ed properly."

the magistrate replied. they were doing right even as you ber of arrests.

think you are doing right," Mr. Robinette retorted. The examination of the witness was then continued. Pritchett said he had met in Toronto in past elections, O'Gor-

man, Alex. Smith, Liberal organizer,

"Who held the money?" The witness objected to the question New York, for which Jacob and Simon crease in the tariff on rails. as it did not relate to the Hyman-Gray Getbrinski are now serving terms in election, but the magistrate overruled Kingston, the jury, after being out fully

the objection. Witness then said that O'Gorman guilty. Another charge against Fulerat

## was dismissed by the judge. SUMMERSIDE, P. E. I., IN FLAMES; ENTIRE TOWN MAY BE DESTROYED norses were killed last night by running into a live wire. The heavy wind

Summerside, P. E. I., Oct. 11.—Fire, which broke out here at an early hour this morning, threatens to destroy the greater part of the town. A high wind prevails, and at 4 a.m. many buildings, all of wood construction, had been burned. Assistance was requested of Charlottetown, and an engine company has been sent by special train.

Summerside is the second largest place in Prince Edward Island, and has

a population of about 4,000 persons.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 11 .- The fire which started early today in the railway station at Summerside, and which spread so rapidly that aid was summoned from this city, destroyed 42 buildings, including the English and Baptist Churches, and four hotels. A gale was blowing, and the flames swept through the town with terrific speed. The loss is not estimated.

bribe voters?"

"A man named MacDonald." "Yet met to tribe voters?" "I had nothing to do with it." "Your business was to switch bal, lots?"

"Yes." "I thought so." "Did you discuss ballot-switching with

"What did O'Gorman pay you for?" "Work I did in the riding."

election of June 13, 1905, and that they \$100 downwards for work he performed subdivision. The scheme was to have cept the tender of Symmes & Co., of in arranging for the switching of bal- the deputy call out the name of the Niagara Falls, Ont., to pipe natural gas

peared in court were present, as were witness said O'Gorman, Smith, Lewis counted. also Jerry Collins, the man who made and himself would meet in Toronto and "How would you do in case of a pro- day farm, Tilbury East Township. The the charges of corruption in West Lon- outline a scheme to have the ballots in test?" the magistrate asked. H. G. Lamothe, of Ottawa, clerk of Mulloy at any time in Teronto, though kept the case out of court" he had met him in the ildings. Wit-

SMALL AFFAIRS

Trouble and Boys a

Bonfire.

A clerk, who thoughtlessly left

NEW STRIKE AT LODZ

Drumhead Courtmartials.

of the Cossack officers. Later they were

ists condemned to death by drumhead

FULERAT NOT GUILTY.

two hours, returned a verdict of not

"Who did you get money from to Witness admitted he had at times preparations for a seagoing trip, which ing sentence upon the young woman tion Mr. Reid telephoned for him, and was again recorded. witness said he would go down and "fix" the ballot box. By fixing it meant "It was cheaper than buying votes?" that he would put in properly marked ballots for those he had miscalled when they were being counted, thus counting in his own candidate. Mr. Reid said it would not be necessary for him to touch the box as a Mr. Grant would attend

to it. The deputies got \$5 for each ballot To the magistra e witness said he switched, and sometimes a deputy Liberal candidate instead of the Con-All the defendants who last week ap- Explaining the p an of campaign, servative when the ballots were being

different ridings switch d. Witness did "A royal commission would whitedon, Tom Lewis, the crown's star wit- not discuss to any great extent wash it," Mr. DuVernet said, "or perness, and a number of other Londoners with the others the buying of haps there would be a saw-off, and an the voters. He had not met admission of some minor crime which

> "If an agreement was made your own "It seems to me," he

ments had been made in Toronto. corruption of the Conservative party." years. The city solicitor was authoriz- known. It took place under the Long as an advocate of a larger draft up-

# DISQUALIFIED FOR SEVEN YEARS

Election Judgment Lost in Supreme Court.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 11. - The supreme counsel for the defense pronounced it a \$100 blaze at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Dan Gallery against the judgment jury

### RISTORI BURIED

Body to the Tomb.

offerings, was followed through the principal streets of Rome to the Church of Ginerva by the government and city authorities and thousands of other Lodz, Russian Poland, Oct. 11. - Durnotabilities and friends of the great actress. The funeral services were with possible scandals with which they ists, who were hanged here yesterday, held in the chapel belonging to the

#### pathizers and reinterred by command Ginerva. PROMISES A DIVIDEND

for the third time, and have now placed Rivers-Wilson Has Good News for Third Preference Stockholders.

"Well, I desire to say we will have no court-martial were executed this morn- London, Oct. 11. - The semi-annual there is no traffic in the streets, no pa- Grand Trunk Railroad of Canada was "I am doing what I believe is right," pers were published today, and strong held here today. Sir Charles Rivers- I want her back," he concluded, detachments of troops are guarding the Wilson, while not pledging himself, said "They hanged men in England for main thoroughfares. The police he would be greatly disappointed if he small offenses years ago, and thought searches have resulted in a large num- is unable to announce at the annual meeting an increased dividend for the third preference stockholders. This anyesterday, in the case against Abraham with the intention of attacking the pol-Fulerat, of Montreal, charged with icy of the directors. President Wilson receiving stolen goods in conection with creased taxation imposed by the Canathe fur thefts from Selfter & Co., of dian Government, particularly the in-

RUN OVER BY CAR. Ottawa, Oct. 11 .- A small boy named was the "paymaster" when the meet- of bringing stolen goods into Canada Brule was run over by a street car in

> KILLED BY LIVE WIRE. Brantford, Oct. 9.—Two of the fire perature. horses were killed last night by run-

one of the factory fire alarm signals, Port Arthur...
Parry Sound. The first team to come out of the fire hall ran squarely into the wire. They fell instantly and the firemen Quebe were precipitated from their seats by Father Point. the shock. The team was a valuable

NOT FOR YALF.

New York, Oct. 11.-Says a New Haven dispatch to a morning paper: Yale will not adopt simplified spelling, according to statement made by President Hadley. of Vale: "I do not intend to make use of the new system, and I am not an advocate of it. I see as yet no reason to adopt it," said he.

#### DREADNAUGHT IS FAST

New Battleship Makes 22 Knots or Her Trial Trip.

Spithead, Oct. 11.-The battleship Dreadnought anchored here last even-000, went as high as 28,000.

These results were achieved in the face of increased load resulting from switched as many as 25 and 27 ballots added two feet to her draught. The in one place. Witness said a brother engines ran smoothly and with good had been previously of good character of Mr. George M. Reid's asked him to reserve power, no forced draught being and that there were many circumgo into West Elgin. After the elec-used. Complete absence of vibration

## GAS FOR CHATHAM

Council Favors Company Who Would Pipe It from the Halliday Farm.

Chatham, Oct. 11. - At a special meeting of the city council, held last into the city from their 6,226,157 cubic feet per day well, situated on the Halli- Explosion Causes Death of Workmen following are the prices per 10,000 cubic feet: Heating and cooking, 20 cents first five years, 25 cents, second five years, 30 cents for third five years; manufac turers, 10 cents first five years, 121/2 cents second five years, 15 cents third is given for five years, as is likely. The ready for the next council meeting.

# VANCOUVER BRAVE TURNS BUTCHER

of Stepdaughter and Lover and Uses Knife.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 11.-The Mormon afterwards fled the country. Pritchett plant's store, corner of Dundas street court today gave judgment in the St. desires of Sampson Allen, an Indian of the street above could carry not more ward situation. told the same old story today, and the and the Market Lane, was the cause of Anne's case in dismissing the appeal of Rivers Inlet, have led him to jail. The than six men and there was a desperan outrage that this ancient history The clerk had gone to the cellar for should be admitted in the present case, some goods, and left the lighted candle but the magistrate, as usual, let the on a wooden box. The candle was disqualification of Gallery for seven do grievous harm, and thus a story of pri very short, and in a very short time it years from sitting in the Dominion Par- mal passion in the far north ends in the had burned itself out, and the fire had liament, or voting, or holding any of-penitentiary. Deputy Attorney-General spread to a number of boxes. The fireed together in elections in this Province. He had conferred with O'Gorman
on election matters in both Toronto
and London.

Mr. Robinette protested against any
spread to a number of boxes. The firemen were called, and in a few minutes
they extinguished the flames. The loss
will be in the neighborhood of \$100.
Fortunately there was no draught in
the cellar, otherwise the fire would have the cellar, otherwise the fire would have judgment of the court was that the ap- in four places that 24 stitches were required. The deputy said the prisoner was married to the mother of Cecilia Ryan, but appeared to want his stepdaughter also. Cecilia, however, had another lover named Johnny Boulton, and while the two Hudson's Bay route to England for navilatter were together the prisoner broke gation. Prince Albert is the most northinto the house and stabbed the man. The Rome, Oct. 11.—The funeral of Ade- girl said she did not want to marry Allen. Company post is probably more in touch laide Ristori took place here today. The because she always regarded him as her with the north than any other city. Vet- Feared That S. S. Monkshaven Will Be hearse, which was covered with floral father. She confessed to an affection for eran Hudson's Bay captains frequently Boulton, and since the stabbing she had declare the bay is navigable from midbeen married to him with Christian rites. summer until December, and sometimes She told how Allen had carved her with a to the end of January. The dangerous big knife. The prisoner, who was unde- month is July, when floating ice from the fended, said he wanted Cecilia to marry him. Boulton scouted him and put shame Boulton. When he rushed into the room is that eastern members of Parliament he tried to stab Boulton, but cut the girl been married after Indian fashion. Boulangered him to see Boulton with the woman, and he determined to make an end of it. He thought he had stabbed the man, but when he found out his mistake one-man power in this country," Mr. ing. The general strike is in full swing, meeting og the stockholders of the

# "Johnny Boulton has my woman, and

THE WEATHER TOMORROW-FINE AND COOL. Toronto, Oct. 10-8 p.m. Chatham, Oct. 11. — At the assizes ers of stocks who attended the meeting light now covers the Maritime Provinces accompanied by gales and rain. In the live of the directors. President Wilson light now covers the Maritime Provinces accompanied by gales and rain. In the live of the directors. President Wilson with leave the lake region the weather has been cold, with light local falls of snow or sleet, and the lake region the weather has been cold, with light local falls of snow or sleet, and the lake region the weather has been cold, with light local falls of snow or sleet, and the lake region the weather has been cold, with light local falls of snow or sleet, and the lake region the weather has been cold, with light local falls of snow or sleet, and the lake region the l with light local falls of snow or sleet. Elsewhere in Canada fine, and in the Western Provinces much warmer.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 88-50; Port Simpson, 46-54; Victoria, 84-60; Vancouver 52-57; Edmonton, 49-78; Calgary, 38-76; Qu'Appelle, 26-64; Winnipeg, 22-46; Port Arthur, 18-36; Parry Sound, 24-42; Toronto, 34-44; Ottawa, 34-46; Montreal, 40-50; Quebec, 42-60; St. John, 50-64; Halifax, 46-62.

FORECASTS. Thursday, Oct. 11-8 a.m. Today-Fresh to strong northerly to westerly winds; clearing and cold. Friday-Fine; not much change in tem-

TEMPERATURES. Stations. 8 a.m. blew down an electric wire and crossed Calgary ... Ottawa WEATHER NOTES.

Since yesterday morning the disturbance has hovered in the lower St. Lawrence valley and the Maritime Provinces, attended by heavy rains and gales. In with summer temperature conditions

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest registration at the London weather bureau yesterday was 42°; lowest, 32°.

### REBECCA DALE'S CASE

The Extenuating Circumstances Prompt Very Lenient Treatment.

Rebecca Dale appeared at the police hours, in which she reached a speed of her child, the body of which was re-2214 knots, the mean average being 211/2. cently found in a garbage barrel at the Her horsepower, which is nominally 23.- rear of the City Hotel. She elected trial by the magistrate and pleaded guilty to the charge. She was allowed TWO REQUESTS OF SIR WILFRID A MESSAGE FROM FOWLER, M. P. to go on suspended sentence. In passthe magistrate pointed out that she stances in connection with the case which justified the exercise of mercy toward the unfortunate prisoner.

Joseph Marinett, the Italian who has appeared several times on charges of selling liquor without a license and of keeping liquor for sale without having a license, appeared again. The case was adjourned for a week.

John Gilmour was remanded for one week on a charge of being drunk. One first-time drulk was allowed to

### TRAPPED IN TUNNEL

Beneath East River.

New York, Oct. 11 .- Three men were killed and a dozen others rendered under Long Island City today.

caught fire instantly and great clouds

### NAVIGATE HUDSON BAY

The Western Provinces May Unite to Further the Project.

Prince Albert, Sask., Oct. 11.-The Prince of Canada, in urging on their provincial promised in the morning. governments and the government in Ottawa to immediate action to prepare the erly railway point in Canada, and it is pointed out that this old Hudson's Bay

## WHITNEY WANTS SPECIAL GRANTS

to Federal Ministry.

Asks Head of the Provinces to Consider Fisheries Control and Travelers' Tax.

Ottawa, Oct. 10.-The provincial representatives tonight are hopeful that gram purporting to be from Geo. tomorrow the federal ministers will W. Fowler," announced Mr. Shepconcede the greater part, if not all, of eley, when the insurance commistheir demands for increased subsidies. sion began its sessions this morn-The demands are three, viz.: Specific ing. "It is dated at Winnipeg. It conamounts for the support of the govern- tains the statement: 'I will be in Toments and legislatures, a per capita ronto Friday morning.' Now, that is rate of 80 cents per head of the popu- as it may be. I don't at all take it for lation, as ascertained by the late cen-granted that his tardy attendance in sus, until such population exceeds 2, answer to the subpoena will be con-500,000, and the rate of 60 cents for the doned by his appearance here on Fripopulation in excess of that number, day. That will be dealt with. In the and 20 cents per capita towards expenimeantime we are considering the proditure for the administration.

Is Whitney Bluffing?

The resolution reserving to the provinces the right to ask for greater amounts than the Quebec resolutions call for is the result of the efforts of conscious by an explosion and fire in the premiers of Ontario and British other investments of the Union Trust the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel un-Columbia. It was a concession made to secure unanimity. Mr. Whitney's mentioned. Mr. Foster nodded as Mr. The dead men were said to be a attitude was in substance: "I opposed Shepley read the following list: superintendent named George Chap- the resolutions in the Ontario Legisla- Campbell Lumber Company .. \$315,000 company in addition will give free one man, a lockturner named Mike Daly, ture in 1903 as not being sufficiently Alexandra Palace Company favorable. How can I support these re-The cause of the explosion is un-solutions now?" So Mr. Whitney stands Alexandra Palace Company the end of one of the four tubes, which eral colleagues in the conference. So ferred stock ... ... 67,009 are being dug to connect with tubes insistent was the Ontario premier upon Union Bank ....... 168.000 running under the East River to Man- the point that, according to the report, Northern Bank ...... 50,000 hattan Island to connect with subways one of the other premiers charged him Nanaimo shares ....... 26.000 leading to the Pennsylvania Railroad with putting up a political game of Crow's Nest Pass Coal .... station. There were 20 men at work bluff. The course of Mr. McBride, of This, together with the \$449,000 in-

in the lock, and three of them were ed. That province in 1902 insisted that the total holdings in 1905 to \$1,360,000. cussion or the smoke of a fire which it stood in a different position from the Mr. Foster was then questioned refollowed it. Elsewhere in the tunnel other provinces, having exceptional garding some more yielding up of there were more than 30 men at work. calls upon its financial resources and lands by the Montague syndicate to Gallery's Appeal from St. Anne's Has Mormonish Desires, Jealous there were more than 30 men at work. Contributing larger amounts proporting the tunnel tionately to the customs revenues. But "I suppose the tionately to the customs revenues. But "I suppose the syndicate surrendered of choking smoke poured into all parts reconverten to any of the provinces to very simple device for letting exorbithe explosion. The busket by which tant claimants down easily, and enthe men were taken from the shaft to abling them to evade a rather awk-

The Premier's Request.

adopted and presented a copy to the Union Trust bought this for them-Prime Minister. Sir Wilfrid, it is under- selves, the witness said.

After lunch on the provincial dele- Trust Company, and any interest of the gates were photographed, and then sat Montague syndicate in them was exdown to talk ever the matter of juris- tinct.

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## BADLY BATTERED

a Total Loss.

Fort William, Oct. 11. - The Canadian steam r Monkshaven, which was recently released from Angus Island. after lying on the rocks at that point Arctic regions comes swirling through the straits, but after this has disappeared since the big storm of last November nothing prevents ocean steamers running was washed from its moorings by the on him, and he determined to die with on him, and he determined to the room to Christmas. The feeling of the board to compare the rocks that it is now tered against the rocks that it is now cate?" he tried to stab Boulton, but cut the girl instead. He had looked after Cecilia, and had spent \$2,000 on her. He said they had had spent \$2,000 on her. He said they had therefore a vigorous campaign to secure recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the transaction which belonged to the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the transaction which belonged to the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of saving the boat of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of the recognition of the west in this matter is be made. The work of the recognition of the west in the recognition of the recognition of the recognition of the west in the recognition of the recognition of the recognition of become one of the had been under way all summer, and ton had frightened the girl by telling her the prisoner was going to sell her. It the prisoner w

has 90 miles of line graded to pass north of Prince Albert, and next year will complete 200 miles more toward Fort Churchill.

# Snow, Sleet and Frost

# Leave Wide Path of Ruin The important disturbance which was Great Damage Done the Fruit Districts of Niagara—

# Cold Grips Continent—Wires Down.

since, with light west wind. Fully five tions of the Carolinas, including Teninches of snow has already fallen. Great nessee and the Ohio Valley. destruction has been done in the surrounding country to outstanding fruit and other crops, while the telephone and telegraph wires are flat on the ground with the weight of snow. The fruitgrowers of Stamford and fallen here so early in the season. Niagara townships estimate their losses

up in the thousands. Hits Lake Region.

giving the details of the snowstorm in north. Probably two or more inches and around Buffalo. The official report given out today states that the barometer continues to fall in the lower lake region, and as a result there has the north Pacific coast, the weather restored, various railroads report all has been fair and cold. Abnormally trains from the west on time.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Oct. 11 .- A heavy cold weather prevails in the south with snowstorm set in last evening, and the light to killing frosts in the central and beautiful has been falling constantly northern portions of Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and the western por-First in Years.

Hazelton, Pa., Oct. 11.-Snow fell for Snow at Kingston.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 11. - A snowstorm prevailed in the city today. It it rapidly melted.

Wires Down at Rochester.

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 11.-This city he asks that he be allowed the dambeen considerable rain or snow over and vicinity was visited by a severe ages named. New York and Northern New England. sleetstorm early this morning, carrying If the city does not settle a suit will the lake region the weather has been cold, Unsettled weather with rain or snow, down limbs of trees and telegraph with snow or sleet in most localities. In the Western Provinces it has been very it is expected, will continue in the wires. Telegraphic communication the Western Provinces it has been very it is expected, will continue in the wires. Unsettled weather with rain or snow, down limbs of trees and telegraph be entered. lower lake region and Northern New with Buffalo was cut off, as were both York tonight and Friday. In all other telephone systems connecting with that parts of the country it is stated, except city. Communication has not yet been Ottawa.

# FOSTER REFUSES TO BE SCAPEGOAT

the Responsibility.

Sends Word That He Will Appear

Toronto, Oct. 10 .- "We have a telepriety of securing a bench warrant and

sending for him.' Union Trust Investments.

Again Hon. George E. Foster was called. He first showed a statement of Company in addition to these he had

shares ... ... ...

of the tunnel. A wild rush for the make special subside claims means year. shaft, a thousand feet away and which make special subsidy claims means very ter. "I don't know whether the sugwas the only means of exit, followed much. In reality it appears to be a gestion originated with Dr. Oronhyatekha, but the doctor and Mr. McGillivray spoke to me about it, and I cheerfully acquiesced. They thought they had too much on their hands and turned it over at cost price. Pay-According to arrangement, Sir Wil-ments had been made upon the land." frid Laurier and Messrs. Fielding, Mr. Foster went over with Mr. Shep-Avlesworth and Lemieux met the pro- ley the transfer to the Union Trust vincial ministers this morning, when from John Aird of 46,800 acres, in two Hon. Lomer Gouin read the resolutions blocks of 9,600 and 36,840 acres. The

stood, before withdrawing with his col- | Certain land was originally to go to leagues, asked the conference to con- Dr. Montague for the syndicate, but Albert board of trade has started a move- sider the question of the fisheries, and at this time it was decided to give up ment which promises to be vigorously in- also the advisability of repealing the their holdings to the Union Trust, and dorsed all through Western Canada to tax upon commercial travelers imposed Dr. Montague's name was stricken out secure the co-operation of all the boards by some of the provinces. A reply to of the document and the Union Trust of trade in the three western province the request for increased subsidies was substituted. After April 19, 1904, the lands were the property of the Union

> "The time finally arrived," remarked Mr. Shepley, "when you unwillingly parted with the original lands, as you told us yesterday?"

"In face of my unwillingness, they were parted with," was Mr. Foster's way of putting it. "At that very time the Montague syndicate lands were held by the Union

Trust Company as trustees, subject, of course to the Foresters' mortgage?' "Yes."

"The transaction involved the as-

"Montague himself was a trustee in the Montague syndicate?"

"The Trust Company had ultimately to account to Montague as the trustee of the syndicate?" "This purports to be an absolute re-

ease of the property by the Union Trust Company," said Mr. Shepley. showing Mr. Foster a document dated 31st Dec., 1905.

"I was not aware of it. That document resolved the Montague syndicate into its original elements. This action was an injustice to me. inasmuch as it Continued on Page Two.

RODE INTO OPEN GULLY

B cycle Rider Claims Heavy Damages from the City.

City Clerk Baker today received a two hours here early today. It was the letter from Mr. R. M. C. Toothe, sofirst time in many years that snow has licitor, asking that Mr. Alexander Fitzsimmons be allowed \$50 damages for personal inturies and damages done to a bicycle in an accident on Tues-

day evening. Mr. Fitzsimmons was riding at the began early in the morning and contin-Washington, Oct. 11.—The weather used far into the day. It came from the about 7 o'clock, when his bicycle went into an open gully hole, throwing the rider and damaging the wheel. Mr. Fitzsimmons claims that he sustained bodily injury, and through his solicitor

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Reported at. From. Point Amour...Liverpool Britain Belle Isle Liverpool Bengore Head Father Point Britain