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# The Semi-Weekly Colonist.

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THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST MONDAY, JULY 24, 1899

## Sneers at Province.

Government Says Demand for Cabinet Representation Is a Narrow Idea.

Attempt to Mislead the British Public in Respect to the Yukon Charges.

Mr. P. S. Lampman Appointed Paymaster of First Battalion, Ranking as Captain.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, July 21.-Col. Prior was again to the fore to-day on behalf of Eritish Columbia's interests. In supply question with France, he delivered an able speech, advocating the claims of the province to representation in the cabinet. He expressed the hope that when Minister Fisher next visited British Columbia he would take with him Dr. Montizambert, head of the quarantine service. The people of Britthe danger of bubonic plague, and would like to be assured that everything pos sible had been done to avert such dan ger. Col. Prior showed that the present government had done nothing for the harbor of Victoria. The harbor required some expenditure, and the business done there would amply justify it, but the present estimates contained nothing for

Mr. Fielding expressed regret that Col. Prior thought it necessary to treat the question of cabinet representation from a provincial standpoint. He hoped this narrow idea was dying out among the people of Canada.

Misleading Despatch. despatch sent from Ottawa by the correspondent of Reuter's news agency to England, stating that he had been requested to say that the London Times article condemning the Dominion government for refusing a Yukon investigation caused great surprise in Canada and that Sir—Hibbert Tupper had admitted that his charges were groundless.

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MEETING OF EMPERORS.

a Talk - An Unlikely Report. current here regarding the projected ington, a colored man, was the cause. meeting of the Emperors. It is stated that Emperor Nicholas will meet Em-peror William at Wiesbaden on August 5. A rather improbable story is in circulation to the effect that at the instigation of the Czar a meeting of all the Paris during the exhibition, as a sort of

SERIOUS EPIDEMIC.

People of Gothland Contract Disease

Prevailing Among the Cattle.

Stockholm, July 21.—The epidemic of anthrax prevailing among the cattle on the Island of Cothlead is remained in contract Disease Obline Davies and Ennis Wythoff were fatally injured. The plant was wrecked. Miss O'Donnell regained consciousness long enough to say that she caused the accident. the Island of Gothland is spreading in a most alarming manuer. Forty parishes have become infected, and deaths of

Paris, July 21.-M: Prevost open ed the case of Very la at to-day's sit-

ting of the British emuelan boundary arbitration commission. Maitre Prevost cited authorities on international law to

coast, and Governor Sir Henry Edward McCallum also started on a tour of the southeast coast, in order to familiarize himself with the intricacies of the bait

EXCHANGING COURTESIES.

London, July 21.-The officers of the London, July 21.—The omcers of the marine force at Gostemunde, according to the Hamburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, have invited the officers of the French despatch boat Ibis to a banquet. The Frenchmen have accepted, and in return will offer a banquet to the ish Columbia were a little nervous about and in return will offer a banquet to the German officers.

> OFFICER SUICIDES. London, July 21.-According to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Daily Mail, Naval Lieutenant Boissman, the late Czarewitch's adjutant, commit-ted suicide by shooting himself with a revolver at Abbas Tuomes, in the Cau-casus, after being bitterly upbraided by the Czar for allowing the Czarewitch to

#### AMERICANS SEIZE FISHING BOATS

The privileges committee to-day found further ballots in the West Huron case similar to the 14 bogus ones, thus widening the scope of the enquiry.

STRUCK AN ICEBERG.

Atlantic Liner Returns to St. John's In a Badly Damaged Condition.

St. John's, Nfid., July 20.—The British steamer John Bright, Capt. Keenen, from Batiscan via Quebec July 14 for London, with lumber and general cargo, has arrived here with her bow stove in by collision with an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle. She has a huge to the day found further saked him to loan him \$75 for an hour, until he could make another attempt to redeem his fortunes at a faro game up town. As security for the \$75 cash he would give a check for \$1,000, payable in Dawson City. It can hardly be believed that there is a man living who can read that can be fooled by such a stale old trick, but Johnston was, and when the steamer sailed he refused to give his check to the police, remarking that it might be all right. The check was made payable to George Walker and signed E. W. Berriman, manger, and it was not even endorsed. The old Vancouver smelter plant has by collision with an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle. She has a huge

by collision with an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle. She has a huge fracture in the forward compartment, the hole being many feet wide and extending from above the water-line to the keel. It will be necessary for her to go into dry dock to make extensive repairs before proceeding.

GASPESIA SOLD.

Result of the Long Drift of the Canadian Liner Last Winter.

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sufficient to answer all such slanders."
In a down-town restaurant this morn-MEETING OF EMPERORS. ing Reta King fired three shots from a revolver at Tessie McDonald, one of Duchess of Sutherland gave a reception last night to the Anglo-American league.

Belfast, July 21.—The freedom of the city has been conferred upon Mr. Thos. Henry Ismay, one of the principal own-ers of the White Star Steamship line.

FATAL EXPLOSION. Xenia, Ohio, July 21.—A terrific explosion occurred at the plant of the Xenia Fuse Manufacturing Co. near here to-day. Miss Rose O'Donnell, Mrs.

MANY A LOVER

Condition Of Trade.

station, sailed with his fleet yesterday for Halifax. Commodore George A. Giffard, commanding the fishery squadron, sailed to-day for the French treaty cereals, coffee, raw sugar and some dairy products, are rather firmly held or tend upward, Notably among those advanced are pork products, petroleum, copper, tin-

are pork products, petroleum, copper, tinplates and raw wool, while the list of
products unchanged includes refined sugar,
nides, leather, lead and cotton. Industrial
activity continued at the maximum, skilled
labor being busliy employed; but some troubles are noted among unskilled labor,
notably, the car employees and longshoremen, partiy owing to mischievous agitation,
but also no doubt to restiveness at failure
of prosperous conditions to materialize in
their cases. Crop prespects are encouraging. The movement of grain to market
has re-thed an immense volume, and rallroad chrinings consequently continue to
show large increases over preceding years.
In textile circles the situation is one of
unabated strength, but particularly so in
wool and woollen goods. Manufacturers
are buyers at the East, and their agents
are purchasing heavy at the West. Quotations for fine grades are consequently higher all around. The market for finished
goods orders are of large volume, particultring down consumers' orders, claiming
inability to deliver. The jobbing demand
for dry goods is increasing slowly at the
Bast, and the prospects are regarded as
highly encouraging. Advices from the boot
and shoe trade are generally satisfactory,
and little difficulty is experienced in obtaining the advanced quotations demanded.
Gold receipts from the Klondike point to
an aggregate for the year of about \$18,000,000, which will about offset the total shipments made to Europe this spring."

Chicago, July 21.—The leading futures closed as follows:

SUTHERLANDS ENTERTAIN.

a Talk — An Unlikely Report.

Berlin, July 21.—Various rumors are current here regarding the projected women in the neck, causing a slight wound. Reta King gave herself up to the police. Jealousy over Bert Washington, a colored man, was the cause.

Six hundred guests were present, including Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador, and Mrs. Choate, Sir William Vernon Harcourt and various colored grants ious colonial agents-general.

PINGREE SPEAKS.

Discusses the Resignation of His Po-

litical Partner, General Alger. Detroit, Mich., July 21.-Governor Pingree to-day handed to the Associated Press a prepared signed interview, giving what the Governor asserts are "facts which are absolutely reliable bearing upon the relations between Gen. Alger and President McKinley, with which the public are not familiar."

At the offset the Governor says: "I

MUST KEEP EVEN.

British Navy to Be Kept Equal to Na vies of Russia and France.

London, July 21.-In the House of Commons to-day, discussing the ship building vote, the Right Hon. George Goshen, First Lord of the Admiralty, Agencies.

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Gold From Klondike Will Offset the Heavy Shipments

To Europe.

The policy of foreign governments, and so there was nothing to induce the British government to change theirs, which was to maintain equality with the fleets of Russia and France, in whose programmes, however, he saw no menace to England. Alluding to the use of electricity in the navy, Mr. Goschen said:

"Both the United States and Japan are

Halifax — The Bait Question.

St. John's, Nfid., July 21.—Rear-Admiral Sir Frederick George Denham Bedford, commander-in-chief of the British North American and West Indian station, sailed with his fleet yesterday for Halifax. Commodore George A.

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By Associated Press.

New York, July 21.—Bradstreet's to-mornow naval powers sufficiently important to make us think we ought to have a naval attache in those countries. As an attache to the Washington embassy, the government is going to appoint an officer especially competent to deal with electrical matters."

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trical matters."

During the consideration of the war office vote dealing with—the subject of recruiting Mr. George Wyndham, Parliamentary Secretary to the War Office, and member for Dover, said it was difficult to approach the colonies on the subject, unless they displayed a disposition to volunteer their assistance in sharing the burdens of the Empire. At the present moment, however, proposals were being submitted for Canada's consideration, the nature of which he could not now indicate.

If any, spstained by the Shamrock in grounding off South Rea at the conclusion of yesterday's trial races, with the Britannia. Sir Thomas said:

"We were convinced that yesterday's grounding of the Shamrock was perfectly harmless. We are not even going to have the yacht examined. The Shamrock will sail for Clyde this afternoon," Sir Thomas continued, "and will forthwith be rigged for her trans-Atlantic voyage, upon which she will sail as soon

## The Alaskan Boundary.

American Officials Still Confer ing on an All-Important Question.

Negotiations Between Powers **Guarded with the Utmost** Secrecy.

high commission, had another conference annia. She showed marvellous quali-

Found Hanging Near Kamloops.

Kamloops, July 21.—The unknown man found hanging from a tree yesterday at Scheidam Creek turned out to be a Mr. Lund, of Samon Arm, B. C., who came to Kamloops some time ago with the intention of being treated by a local physician for sickness of some a local p

oring. The general style settled upon is have overhanging eaves and dominant low-pitched roofs. The line of the eaves will be about 50 feet from the ground.

Residents of the District. The exterior surface of the buildings are to be treated free with sculpture and color. The general block plan represents the letter T. The artificial lakes are to the auspices of the department of agriculbe built with connecting streams run-ning to the lake in Delaware park. An electrical tower and fountain are to be the main spectacular features of the Agricultural ball

Lillooet, July 21.—The river is about a standstill. The weather is partly cloudy, with westerly wind.

Quesnelle, July 21.—The river fell 2 inches during the past 24 hours. The weather is cloudy and showery.

HORRORS OF WAR.

At the offset the Governor says: "I have no hesitation in saying the course pursued by the President in the matter is little less than cowardly. It is, to say the least, very unmanly."

Commenting upon the whole matter, the Governor says that General Alger's aboard.

Shamrock Satisfactory,

Owner, Designer and Sailors Satisfied with Her Perfrmances.

Great Hopes fo Taking the America Cup Back to England.

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month. After the trial races this week
both Mr. Fife and myself were convinced that the Shamrock is a magnificent
vessel, and the fastest ever seen on this

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The way in which she ran from the Britannia proves not only that

she is the better boat, but an exceptionally fine racer. You must remember that she was not seen at her best the other day. Tuesday she did not carry as much canvass as the Britannia, while yesterday she had a smaller mainsail than it is intended she shall carry. We

that the statement given to Regress was so false that the agent refused of accept responsibility for it. A spirited acc

and designer of the Shamrock, challeng-er for the America cup, in a letter to his father expresses great satisfaction with Identity of the Man Whose Body Was the result of the Shamrock's trials in the races on Tuesday and Wednesday

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BUFFALO EXPOSITION.

Plans of the Buildings and Grounds Decided Upon by the Arbitration Committee.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 21.—The advisory board of arbitration of the Pan Americal Committee.

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Residents of the District.

Dr. Fletcher opened his lecture tour unde

The meeting was called to order by the president, George Deans, and Mr. J. R. Anderson gave a short address on institute work, after which he introduced Dr. Fletcher, the Dominion entomologist and botanist. Dr. Fletcher in the course of his address told what the besterness of his address told what the besterness of his address. told what the institutes were doing for the farmers in Eastern Canada. The main topic of his address was on "Weeds," a subject which is forcing itself on the farmers more and more each year. He explained the importance of knowing the names and nature of weeds. All weeds he classified as enemies to the farmer, but some much

Commenting upon the whole matter, the Governor says that General Alger's disease are recorded. The military manoeuvres which were to have been celebrated in West Gothland yesterday have been countermanded. Soldiers have been countermanded. Soldiers have been stationed to guard the roads in the infected districts, to prevent people leaving their homes.

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MR. TARTE IN PARIS.

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errible Explosion on a British Torpedo Boat Destroyer During Her Trial Trip.

London, July 21.-An explosion on the orpedo boat destroyer Bullfinch, during her trial trip in the Solent to-day, killed nine and injured four of those on board. It was the worst naval accident of this nature that has occurred in the British nature that has occurred in the British navy in twenty years. The victims were terribly injured, steam and boiling water filling the engine room. The Bullfinch is one of the latest designed 30-knot torpedo-boat destroyers.

While the Bullfinch was running at her full speed of 30 knots the connecting rod of the starboard engine broke and striking the cylinder knocked off the end. The engine room presented a terrend.

SEVERE ELECTRICAL STORM. Many Places Burned in the Country

Districts of New York. Malee, N. Y., July 21.-The most se

THEIR LABORS

boundary dispute, which is now the sole is like a street perfectly empty."

Peace Conference Has Now Only that end, with the hope of forcing appeal to the people, which would be attention of the like a street perfectly empty." to Consider.

pressed regret that the plenary session had been so suddenly summoned, as the British government had intended to make a statement had intended to the present the plenary session would be preferable, but should another election be sprung on the province, politics would not be introduced. The issue the present the pres make a statement regarding dum-dum in Vancouver would be the Deadman's bullets. The conference agreed to leave Island question.

A long discussion ensued as to whether a vote should be taken upon the original proposition, or Captain Crozier's. The letter fully, "Your obedient servant, "R. A. ALGER proposition, or Captain Crozier's. The latter was finally chosen to be voted

Sir Julian Pauncefote announced that he would accept Captain Crozier's proposal, but it was rejected by a vote of "Hon. R. A. Alger, Secretary of War: M. Van Karnebeck's version was then adopted, Great Britain and the United States alone voting against it, and the Portuguese delegate abstained from vot-

The eight countries voting with Capt. Crozier were the United States, Great Britain, Denmark, Greece, Portugal, China and another. All except the two China and another. All except the two first named supported the Crozier proposal only in the hope of securing unanimity in the conference, Capt. Crozier's proposal being more general in its termwhile it was known that the impossibility of obtaining the adhesion of the United States and Great Britain for Karnebeck's version would render futile any convention on this subject. The reany convention on this subject. The remainder of the report was then adopted.

Before the close of the sitting the American delegates announced that they withdrew the article which they had proposed should be added to the Geneva convention. Capt. Mahan explained the reasons for the additional articles and

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# Cotton to Be Sacrificed

Vancouver Ward Committee Decides the Fate of the Finance Minister.

The Politician From Manitoba a Strong Favorite With the Clique.

Would Make Deadman's Island Dispute the Issue of the Election.

From Our Own Correspondent

Vancouver, July 21.—The famous elecof what occurred at the meeting. The most startling announcement was to the effect that the meeting decided to throw Mr. Cotton out and are decided to throw Mr. Cotton out and stand by Mr. Joseph Martin as their deliverer. The informant assured the Colonist representative that this complete change of front had taken place, and the cause was Mr. Semlin's and Mr. Cotton's attitude on the Deadman's Island question. The than it is intended she shall carry. We can set a much larger mainsail in the coming contest, if it should be deemed advisable. We are satisfied that if yesterday's race had been completed, the challenger would have won by half an hour. The Shamrock has realized Mr. Fife's fullest expectations, and I, myself, am more than satisfied. In Tuesday's run before the wind there was a very poor wind to properly test her out, but even then she out-distanced the Brit annia. She showed marvellens are showed that should Mr. Beating bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin, stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin stated at the meeting bound themselves to stick by Mr. Martin stated at the meeting of the city of the people stood by Mr. Martin stated at th was also resolved that, should Mr. Martin be forced out, that the meeting would withdraw their support from Mr. Cotton and use their influence with the other Vancouver members to induce appeal to the people, which would be the means of securing the election of four Vancouver members pledged to support the Deadman's Island mill. It was declared that these men could count

also has been able to tell Secretary Hay some things gleaned by personal observations of the country around Lynn Canal and northward which was covered on his and northward which was covered on his it is impossible to give out any definite it is impossible to give out any definite statement just now on the state of the Mr. William Fife, Jr., nayal architect, and northward will an another Victoria lawyer, because the America cup if we can. Without the slightest doubt, the Sham-rock is magnificent bearing to wind-ward."

The third point, which relates to expanding bullets, occupied the greater panding bullets, occupied the greater of the sitting, owing to the question of the dum-dum bullet used by the British army. Sir Julian Pauncefote expressed regret that the plenary session would be preferable, but should another victoria lawyer, because the more approached the greater of the sitting, owing to the question of the dum-dum bullet used by the British army. Sir Julian Pauncefote expressed regret that the plenary session would be preferable, but should another victoria lawyer, because the more approached the greater of the sitting, owing to the question of the dum-dum bullet used by the British army. Sir Julian Pauncefote expressed regret that the plenary session would be preferable, but should another victoria lawyer, because the more approached the greater of the sitting of the greater of the si

"R. A. ALGER." The President replied: "Executive Mansio "Washington, D. C.,
"July 20, 1899.

"Dear Sir,-Your resignation of the office of secretary of war, under date official relation which has continued for more than two years, I desire to thank you for the faithful service you have rendered the country at a most exacting

"With assurances of high regard and "WILLIAM McKINLEY."

ALGER'S SUCCESSOR. Announced That the President Has Decided Upon Elihu Root of New York.

Washington, July 21.—The name of the successor to General Alger as secretary of war may be announced to-morrow. The President has made his selection, and it is understood that Elihu Root, of New York, is his successor.

BASEBALL At Washington—Firse game, Washington, 3; Cleveland, 3; second game, Washington, 5; Cleveland, 3.