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WEI-HAI-WEI CAPTURED.

Japanese Attack on Chefoo-A Severe Engagement Still in Progress.

Naval Officers-Great Excitement

northern fleet. The Japanese during the vancing upon Chefoo. night of Monday last, February 4, cleared Wei-Hai-Wei harbor of all torpedoes and for and cut the wires connecting the sub- will be renewed in March. marine mines with the shore. When the dangerous obstructions were removed the Japanese torpedo boats made a splendid were continued during the night of February 5, and, as reported, the Chen Yuen, Lai Tuen and other Chinese warships were blown up and the remainder of the Chinese fleet were captured. Following up this splendid success, the Japanese completed the capture of Wei-Hal-Wei yesterday by landing a large force and seizing the island of Kung Tao, which has made a gallant de

fence against heavy odds.

At daybreak on Sunday the Japanese fleet epened fire on the Lankungtao forte, which replied vigorously. The bombardment became terrific. The first Japanese division, including the flagship, directed its force against the eastern island batteries, while the second division shelled Fort Schip. The the forts. The Ting Yuen used her guns without effect, but succeeded in diverting some of the Japanese fire from the forte to herself. The Lai Yuen, a smaller ship, also fought well. There were many casualties. Two Chinese gunboats also assisted but were not badly damaged. These four vessels fought desperately until dark, when the firing ceased on both sides. The Chinese forts, especially Fort Schip, suffered immensed damage. The Chinese fire towards evening indicated that the guns were disabled, that the gunners were killed, or that ammunition was becoming scarce. The sea was rough on Sunday, but, fearing that the Chinese would endeavor to escape, the Japanese feet did not seek shelter, remaining to block

During the night the Japanese learned from a prisoner who had been captured ashore that Admiral Ting, the Chinese naval commander, had ordered the captains of the various ships to remain inside the harbor, even if the islands should be captured, and to endeavor to destroy the Japanese fleet. Every officer was ordered to remain at his post until the last, under pain of dishonor or death. The bombardment was resumed to-day, Sunday's operations being repeated. The fire from Fort Schip er guns were handled with difficulty and

with less spirit.

Toward the close of the fight the great other Chinese vessels were in distress.

CHEFOO, Feb. 8—The Japanese landed a force of troops near here yesterday evening with the intention of capturing this city. The landing was about ten miles eastward of Chefoo, and an immediate advance upon the city was ordered. As this dispatch is sent the Japanese are attacking the forts defending the eastern part of Chefoo. Intense excitement prevails, and it is expected a severe engagement will occur to-day.

New York, Feb. 8 -The World pub lishes the following cable from Chin Klang, China: "There is no truth whatever in the report that any officers of the United States gunboat Concord have been daptured or arrested by the Chinese here. Moreover States gunboar controlled here of any sort there has been no trouble here of any sort in which the Concord's officers or other Americans are involved. (Signed) A. C. Jones, United States Consul." Some Japanese ships which appeared this per are still in Toronto. It is expected the cabinet will consider the Manitoba school storm has been raging all night.

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Lendon, Feb. 8. -The Central News corprevious reports by that agency of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the Chinese warships. He says that during the attack upon the island on Wednesday a Chinese shell exploded about the Tao and the sinking of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the Chinese warships. He says that during the attack upon the island on Wednesday a chinese shell exploded about the Tao and the sinking of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the Chinese warships. He says that during the attack upon the island on Wednesday a chinese shell exploded about the Tao and the sinking of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the Chinese warships. He says that during the attack upon the island on Wednesday a chinese shell exploded about the Tao and the sinking of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the Chinese warships. He says that during the attack upon the island on Wednesday a concession of the capture of Li Kung Tao and the sinking of the capture of the Chinese shell exploded aboard the Japanese eruiser Tsukushi, killing and wounding eight men. To the list of Chinese vessels eight men. To the list of Chinese vessels already reported as sunk the correspondent adds three, but does not give their names. He desies the report of a Japanese attack upon Chefoe. The firing of the city, he says, was presumably by retreating Chinese the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and Ministers requested that troops be landed from the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and Ministers requested that troops be landed from the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and Ministers requested that troops be landed from the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and Ministers requested that troops be landed from the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and Ministers requested that troops be landed from the warship Boston, then in the harbor, and the warship Boston, then in the harbor and the warship Boston, then in th upon Chefoe. The firing of the city, he says, was presumably by retreating Chinese troops. Admiral Ito is trying to ascertain

Koreans have used the Chinese year, most of their transactions being with China, and this has been considered by China a satisfactory proof of vassalage. When Yang Yu, the Chinese minister here, sent the Koreans an official calendar several days ago, it was promptly returned to him with a notice that they had no use for it, as here.

No Trouble Between Chinese and U. S. after they intended to count time as other Tuesday's Gale Has a Precedent Only Improvements at the Terminal City civilized nations.

PARIS, Feb. 8.—The European edition of LOWDON, Feb 8.—A dispatch from Chefoo this afternoon says the Japanese have carried the positions at Wei-Hai-Wei and have with what is left of his squadron, and that

London, Feb. 8.—The Times correspond-Wei-Hai-Wei harbor of all torpedoes and ent in Yokohama, after confirming the re-submarine mines by the skilful use of small port that China had telegraphed a state sorpedo and steam launches from the war. ment of her intention to fully accredit her ships, with which the small craft grappled follow quickly and the negotiations possibly

dash for the harbor and attacked the Chinese fleet with such skill that the battle-Tupper, minister of justice, last night for. C. Wallace, Hon. J. C. Patterson and Hon.

> Sir Charles Tupper made an excellent fighting speech, replying to the arguments of Mr. Laurier and Sir Richard Cartwright. In regard to the Manitoba school question. he stated that until the government had thoroughly considered the decision of the March blizzard of 1888 has such a storm

by the constitution and by what it teaches, and willing to respectfully abide by the verdict of the people.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Marine and Fisheries Department to Be Reorganized-Samuel Wilmot Superannuated.

Additional Honorary A. D. C.'s-Col. Prior on the List-Tremendous Snow Storm.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.-The tack of reorganizing the Department of Marine and Fisheries, which Sir C. H. Tupper had in view during was resumed to-day, Sunday's operations being repeated. The fire from Fort Schip continued weakly. The Chinese men-of. is being energetically talked by Hon. Mr. war were so repeatedly and badly hit that place. The contemplated changes will in ported. battle ships Ting Yuen and Chen Yuen were disabled. They gradually settled down and foundered, amid the shouts of the down and foundered, amid the shouts of the shouts of the down and foundered, amid the shouts of the shouts o

came back to-day.
A tremendous storm raged here all morning, all the trains being delayed.

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 9. - John L. Stevens, Stevens denounced as a direct attack on the government. The Queen having threatened vice in Toronto is paralyzed. mittee requested that troops be landed from the says, was presumably by retreating Chinese troops. Admiral Ito is trying to ascertain the facts.

"The Central News correspondent in Tokic telegraphs that Admiral Ito reports from Wei-Hai Wei, under the date of Feb. 7:

While we were bombarding the forts the enemy's torpedo fleet issued from the harbor. A flying equadron chased them, and disabled twelve of them, either by sinking them or driving them ashore. Captain Samessims reports that in passing Chefoo he witnessed a heavy cannonading directed toward the harbor, into which shells from land guns could be seen dropping. He presumed that this outrage was committed by the retreating Chinese. The English, French, German, Russian and American warships were in the harbor."

The same correspondent saps: "Kai Ping reports mention cannonading in the direction of Ying Kow, where it is supposed new troops are drilling and making ready for the advance. The enemy's soouts frequently approached the Japanese advanced lines from two directions. There are no signs of a Chinese retreate. Evidently the enemy are in camp. More than 30 guns have been counted among them by the Japanese."

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SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 8,-The children of Washington, Feb. 8.—The Koreau legation has served notice on the Chinese minister at Washington that Korea is independent, a fact that he had ignored in sending the Korean Charge d'Affaires a copy of the Chinese almanae for the current year. Ordinarily the presentation of a calendar might not be considered a matter of great importance, but the Chinese years are arbitrarily managed by the Emperor, who has arranged for this year to have thirteen months, including an additional month of the rulers of vassal states, who are commanded to govern their dates Washington, Feb. 8.—The Korean legathe late James G. Fair have decided to con-

by the Emperor's system. Heretofore SWEPT BY FIERCE STORMS.

The Eastern and Middle States and Ex-Magistrate Planta Again Declines Atlantic Provinces of Canada Affected. Langley.

in the Terrible Storm

eaptured or sunk the whole of the Chinese | the majority of the Japanese troops are ad- its departure will rank with that of March 12, 1888. The increasing severity of the about a condition which has practically caged up the island of Manhattan and with it thousands of those who daily come from the suburbs and Brooklyn. The FEDERAL MINISTERS AT TORONTO. | telegraph and telephone, where wires were TORONTO, Feb. 8.—Sir Charles Hibbert to quiet anxiety in numberless out-Tupper, minister of justice, last night formally opened the new rooms of the Toronto Nearly all of the ferries have given up Young Men's Liberal Conservative Club. tempting to force the ice blockade, and the With him were Premier Bowell, Hon. N. enormous portion of Brocklyn's population which moves to New York every John Wood. The Premier spoke but bricfly, explaining that the state of his throat prevented him from making a speech on the political situation.

directed its homeward journey to the East river bridge. The premenade had been described all day. To walk it was heroic work yet great crowds essayed the task. No tuging the political situation. directed its homeward journey to the East yet great crowds essayed the task. No tugi ventured below the Narrows. Vesseli bound out in most cases anchored in the upper bay for more favorable sailing condi-

> thoroughly considered the decision of the Pricy Council they would maintain strict silence on the subject, and while the task which had been placed before them was an extremely difficult one, they would meet it without flinching.
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> In concluding, he said he believed that when the time to speak came the Conservation when the time to speak came the Conservation was absolutely demeralized. From a sould be found ready to stand PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 8.-Not since the every section in Eastern and Central Pennylvania, from Delaware and South New Jersey, come reports of trains stalled in the snowbanks and abandoned by their crews. In this city the snew ceased falling about 4 a.m., after about seventeen inches had fallen. In Central Pennsylvania the storm is still

CHICAGO, Ill., Feb. 8.—There was a general improvement in the weather conditions throughout the Northwestern states to-day. Reports from Wisconsin, Iowa, New Mexico, Nebraska and Colorado also show an improvement in the weather. Cattle on the Montana ranges are suffering severely.

ST. Louis, Feb. 8 -The coldest weather ever recorded by the signal service here in February had the city in its grip last night. Eleven degrees below was the figure. A high wind drove the dry snow in a blinding

NORTH SYDNEY, Feb. 8 -Further repor expected that its reorganization will take eral fishing houses destroyed on the north

S. P. Beauset, obief clerk in the fisheries department. Mr. Wilmot's office will be abolished, the duties being performed by Prol. Prince, commissioner of fisheries.

The financial statement for the seven months makes a bad showing, the expenditure exceeding the revenue by \$800.000.

Eight additional honorary A. D. C's will be gazetted to morrow. Col. Prior is among the number. The proclamation appears in the Canada Gazette to day.

The further prorogation of parliament proforms to March 25 is announced.

The ministers are returning to the city.

Hon. Mr. Haggart, Daly and Montague came back to-day.

Wires are all down and buried in the rocks, and the poles are broken for half a mile. Twenty-two houses and shope have been washed off the beach. Nothing was saved At Middlehead all the fish stores and dry goods stores are gone, as a result of Tuesday's storm.

PORT MORIEN, Feb. 8.—A heavy easterly gale prevailed here all day and the breakwater is flooding the warehouses and doing great damage.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. 8.—The most disastrous storm of the year raged here Tuesday and Wednesday, and no trains arrived

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OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—(Special)—The heavy mails will be forwarded to the Mainland via

Prizzeure, / Feb. 8.—Pittsburg experienced the coldest weather in the past 24 hours it has had for over five years. The mercury fell to 4 below zero and will proba-

keep the various lines open. The storm is matter, that the enclosed re the heaviest of this winter. It will take be immediately acted on.

TORONTO, Feb. 8 -A severe blizzard pre-

SHIP CANALS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The senate com WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The senate committee on commerce to day reported favorably on the amendment to the sundry civil bill of Vilas authorizing the President to appoint a commission to confer with a like commission to be appointed by Great Britain and the Dominion of Canada as to the feasibility of building such canals as will enable vessels engaged in ocean commerce to pass to and from between the great lakes and the Atlantic ocean with an adequate and controllable supply of water for continual use.

pointment of his Pawe, is need over com-porarily pending the adjustment of a dis-pute concerning the distribution of patron-age. The legislature met this afternoon, but beyond hearing the formal announce-ment of the ministry no business was done. An adjournment was taken until April 2.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Bail-Serious Accident at

Ratepayers' Association-Latest From the Mines.

(Special to the COLONISTA)

VANCOUVER, VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 8.-Vancouver's citizens were astonished yesterday by the arrest of J. E. W. MacFarlane, manager of the storm, the wind reaching a velocity of 70 British Columbia Iron Works, on a charge miles an hour at noon, and the accumulation of attempting to bribe Alderman McCraney. of ice in the rivers during the day, brought Tenders were recently called for by the city for the construction of an electric light plant, and the contract was awarded the British Columbia Iron Works. Their tender was not the lowest, and at the time the der was not the lowest, and at the time the Oliver Barber accidentally inflicted a Columbia Iron was added in to council amounced they had awarded it to them on account of their being a home in-dustry. Now it is charged that boodling took place, as recently in Toronto.

The information on which MacFarlane

was arrested was sworn out by W. L. Leonard, agent for the Royal Electric Company, Montreal. He alleges that MacFarlane attempted to bribe McCraney in the sum of \$1,000 to secure the contract. Mac-Farlane was released on \$2 000 ball, his ease coming up Saturday. Both MacFarlane and McCraney deny the charge emphatically. Leonard says he is acting under instructions from his firm. He also hinted that the action never would have been taken if Macdisagreements have arisen between the

VANCOUVER, Feb. 8.—The gaps in the streets are being filled up with handsome brick and stone blocks, and one is not finished before another another is projected. This applies to the eastern portion of the

A ratepayers' association has been formed width of the ore body. Seven feet is the

n South Vancouver after the plan of the last report. Vancouver ratepayers association. Captain T. H. Alcock was elected president and Mr. Geo. Stirton secretary-treasurer. These two officers, together with Mr. W. H. S. Ballsen, will act as an executive committee.

The city council held a special meeting this afternoon to consider a communi from Vancouver's representatives in the local legislature in reference to the Vancouver city charter amendments. The meeting was not open to representatives of the

Large and enthusiastic meetings of the Liberal Conservatives were held in Vancouver and Westminster to-night. At Vancouver a constitution was adopted. Unanimity of sentiment prevailed and the resolutions were of confident tone. A large number of names were reported as added to voters' list by the committee chosen for that purpose. The following statement was made to-day by an interested party: Leonard was by an interested party: Leonard was working with MacFarlane and was to get working with MacFarlane and was to get commission on profits if the scheme went through. The affair did not materialize satisfactorily, and Leonard, not getting his commission, demanded a sum of money. On Mr. C. O'Keefe was unfortunate enough

for the press. I have been served with a subposua, but what is intended to be proved by me I cannot tell." The appended letter has been handed to

the Colonist by Ald. McCraney : "To the Mayor and Council, City of Van couper:

"GENTLEMEN:—As my name has been connected with a case now pending re electric light contract, I deem it advisable to mercury fell to 4 below zero and will probably go lower. A terriffic wind and snow storm has been raging all night.

Montreal, Feb. 8.—The snowstorm here has completely demoralized the street car service, although an effort is being made to keep the various lines open. The storm is the heaviest of this winter. It will take be immediately acted on.

The long expected pump for the Artesian Well Company arrived on Monday, and Mr. Highman is busily engaged getting it into a part of the street car said case that any suspicion attached to me for any connection I may have had in said the heaviest of this winter. It will take be immediately acted on.

The long expected pump for the Artesian Well Company arrived on Monday, and Mr. Highman is busily engaged getting it into the group of the street car said case that any suspicion attached to me for any connection I may have had in said matter, that the enclosed resignation shall be immediately acted on.

"I am, sir, yours truly, (signed) "H. P. McCraney. the personality was sworn as under Varcouvers, Feb. 9.—The alleged bridge and the control of the B.C. Iron Works, is socued of offering Ald. McCraney \$1,000 to induce his under the best of the B.C. Iron Works, is socued of offering Ald. McCraney \$1,000 to induce his under the best of the B.C. Iron Works, is socued of offering Ald. McCraney \$1,000 to induce his under the best of the B.C. Iron Works, is socued of offering Ald. McCraney \$1,000 to induce his under the best of the B.C. Iron Works, is socued of offering Ald. McCraney \$1,000 to induce his under the best of the best VANCOUVER, Feb. 9.—The alleged bribery

trollable supply of water for continual use.

CABINET CONSTRUCTED.

St. John's, Nidd., Feb. 8.—The Whiteway cabinet, as announced yesterday, was gazetted this afternoon, except that the appointment of Eli Dawe, is held over temporarily needing the adjustment of a discovery of the party.

The city ferry boat meets all trains, and carries passengers and baggage from Browns-ville to the city, and there is an agreement to the effect that the railway company will pay \$6 a trip over and above all charges for passengers and freight carried after several interesting matches have already taken place.

Winnipeg, Feb. 8.—The workingmen of winding dyspepsia, constipation, and that afterwards the train has arrived and the passengers have been rowed across the river by fishermen in small boats. On the other hand, the railroad company claim that it has recently been impossible for them to tell at what time the train may in the position of the Dominion government to passe adopted.

Purifies, renovates and regulates the entire system thus curing dyspepsia, constipation, ack heads the biliousnes, rheumatism, drop-network in the system from a common pimple to the other hand, the railroad company claim that it has recently been impossible for them to tell at what time the train may labor law. This report was adopted.

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT for Man

and Beast! Langley & Co., Wholesale Agents for British Columbia.

severe wound on the arm of Alexander Holding, a rancher at Langley, by the axe he was using slipping from his hand when repairing a bridge at Langley. Mr. Hold-ing's friends were so concerned at the seri-For Complicity in Hawaii's ness of the accident that they persuaded the steamer Bon Accord to turn in her route and proceed with all haste with the wounded man to Westminster. Barber has

been accused by some of intentionally greasing his hands so that the axe would allp. He is believed to be of unsound mind NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 9 - Dyking schemes are engaging almost the entire at tention of the Delta council. In all probability they will erect a dyke from the high Farlane had "done the right thing." It is thus suggested that Leonard's company was interested in MacFarlane's tender and that sixteen miles. Part has already been dyked. A system of internal ditches to

NEW DENVER.

contemplated.

(From the Nelson Miner.) A serious accident etcurred at the Alpha to-day. "Red" George Clark was preparting a fuse when the cap exploded in his barland, contractor, on the south-east corner of Westminster avenue and Princess At the same claim ore has been struck in the lower tunnel. Reports vary as to the

> L Alexander has taken a lease of Idaho No. 2, and will work the same during the winter with a small force.
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> The Slocan Star is shipping 28 tons a day to the depot. The concentrator has about 300 tons of

start work at this next week. VERNON

(From the News.) government land office during the month of imploring clemency for the Hawalians.

The sale of the steamboat Penticton will

Mr. E Oliver, of Enderby, has expres himselt as willing to accept the skating challenge issued last week by Mr. A. Birnie. as soon as the conditions are more definitely named. The race will probably take place on the 16th inst., and will prove an inter-

esting contest.

The long expected pump for the Artesian

ment of the late Luc Girouard was duly proved before His Honor Judge Spinks.

\$10,000. The little steamer Fairview, built last

of all kinds Caked Breasts, Eruntions

And all Lameness and

PROMINENT AMERICANS

Are Among Those Sentenced to Death

Their Government Will Fully Investigate the Evidence Before Permitting the Execution.

Latest Uprising.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—President Cleveland to-day transmitted to congress the appended important communications on the latest development of the Hawaiian situation. The documents referred to show a more serious condition of affairs than revealed by the press telegrams. Minister

give an ou flow for the field drains is also Willis says : "The revolt was over on the 9th January, the casualties being-Government, one; Royalists, two. The court-martial convened on the 17th has tried 38 cases, and there are 200 more to be tried, while further arrests are being made daily. Gulick, a former minister, and Seward, minister and major in the Federal army, both Americans, and Rickard, an Englishman, have been sentenced to death; all have heretofore been prominent in politics. Thomas B. Walker, formerly in the United States army, has been sentenced to imprisonment for life and \$5,000 fine. The other sentences are not disclosed, but will probably be death. I have requested copies of the record for our government to determine its duty before final sentence, but have received no answer The concentrator has about 300 tons of oncentrating ore in the bins and expects to tart work at this next week.

There has been much bitter feeling and threats of mob violence, which the arrival of the Philadelphia yesterday may pre-

vent,

"Liliuokalani was made prisoner on the 16th January, and on the 24th relinquished Fifteen pre-emptions were recorded at the all claims, and swore allegiance to the republic, The government replies to Liliuokalani, that this document cannot be taken to ex-The sale of the steamboat Penticton will be held at the Coldstream botel on Wednesday, 13 h inst.

Mr. W. Hereron is building a new frame house on his property in the Mission valley, recently purchased from Mr. J. Conroy.

A healthy sign of the increasing interest taken by the ratepayers in municipal matters is shown in the attendance at the country for the participants.

ency for the participants.
(Signed) "ALBERT S. WILLIS." isfactorily, and Leonard, not getting his commission, demanded a sum of money. On this being refused the present suit was brought. Mr. MacFarlane, who has a gitted edged reputation for honesty in the city, prefers not to talk a great deal for publication beyond most emphatically denying the whole thing as absurd.

Ald. H. P. McCraney said to the Colonsor correspondent to night: "I have heard that threats were made for the last month. All I can say is that Mr. MacFarlane never offered me a bribe for any service nor suggested anything of the kind. He is not that kind of a man—the thing is ridiculous. It is not my place to express any opinion for the press. I have been served with a form of the control of the press. I have been served with a cover for a few days.

Mr. C. O'Keefe was unfortunate enough to lose to this Secretary Gresham replied:

"If the American citizens were condemed to death by a military tribunal, not for actual participation in the reported revolution but for complicity only, or if condemed to death by a tribunal for actual participation, but not after an open and fair trial with opportunity of a few hours shooting.

A Postili brought in a car-load of beef cattle on Tuesday for shipment to the coast upon the death sentence."

(Signed)

U. S. S. "CONCORD" TROUBLE." To this Secretary Gresham replied;
"If the American citizens were condemned to death by a military tribunal, not

LONDON, Feb. 9.-A Hiroshima dispatch ays : "Official—The Japanese Admiral says the Japanese lost no boats or men during the night attack at Wei-Hai-Wei on February 5, but on February 4 the enemy struck and sunk a torpedo boat, killing all on board.
Another boat, after having exploded a torpedo against a Chinese ship, ran into some obstruction and was practically sunk under the enemy's fire. A Japanese lieutenant and two men were frozen to death on February A.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 9—The Chinese peace envoys have applied for permission to return to China, but their government ordered them to remain in Japan until the document clothing them with full power can reach

The U.S. consul at Chin Kiang, in a re-