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The steamer Danube, which arrived here yesterday morning, brought a num-

They found messages written on trees, telling the sad story of privation and suffering. After a time the little search-

suffering. After a time the little searching party came upon the camp of their former comrades. Death had been there before them. On the ground, rolled in his blankets, his form wasted to a mere skeleton, was the corpse of one of the Frenchmen. On a camp stove was a kettle containing a frozen mass that told its own story. It was filled with the rawhide thongs of snow shoes, which the starving men had attempted to boil for food.

"A short distance from the tent, close beside the trail, was found the body of the other Frenchman. The wolverines had stripped every particle of flesh from the bones. A little further on Daly's body was found in a similar condition. Securely buckled around the hollow ribs as if in mockery at its supreme helplessas if in mockery at its supreme helplessness in that solitude death, was a buckskin belt containing \$1,000 in gold dust.

"The bodies were buried as best they could be and a well-hours proposed." could be, and a well-known prospector took charge of the gold and other effects,

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JIM WARDNER'S LATEST.

The Western Romancer Entertains New York With a Story of Cape Nome.

om the New York World. Col. James F. Wardner, promoter, de veloper, prospector and romancer, is in own. He registered at the Marlborough hotel yesterday fresh from a second trip to the for Northwest to-day, and will oday regale his friends with wonder al stories of the Cape Nome region. I've struck it rich this time for cer a," said Col. Wardner last night as pulled a handful of gold nuggets anging in size from a pea to a guinea gg from his pockets and spread the precious metal before his astonished

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"The Klondike region isn't in it with the gold fields of Cape Nome," conjuned Col. Wardner, "why, all you've to do up there is to walk along and circle with the pold.

"I left New York in January last, commissioned to prospect in the Klondike. Salling from Seattle on January 15, I reached Bennett Lake ten days later, pent the winter prospecting through the Milin country, reaching Dawson City on May 1. I soon saw that claims were all saked out, country overrun with miners

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 15.—Three hundred delegates representing \$175,000,000 are attending the fifth annual convention of the National Hardware Association, which opened at the Monongahela House, in this city to-day. The feature of the first session was the introduction of the fraternal delegates from the National Hardware Association of Great Britain and Canada.

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Danube's

Passengers.

the street that hasn't \$1,000 in gold dust in his pockets.

"There is no ground whatever for the fear advanced in some quarters that the people at Cape Nome will suffer from cold and hunger during the winter. There is a good stock of food in the warehouses at Anvil City, and beach wood is within easy reach. There are twelve big saleons there, all supplied with fuel, and the proprietors have assured the miners that the no one need suffer from cold while there is fuel for the big stores."

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"Jim Wardner; or, Thirty Years a
Rustler—a Tale of the Mines, by Him-

Seven Passengers Killed and Many Fatally Injured by Mishap to

this morning. Five persons were killed outright and 20 injured, half of which number sustained injuries from which they cannot recover. The trains in collision were not mail trains.

Two of those injured died late in the day. The Servian minister at London was among the injured.

Paris, Nov. 15.—Daniel Dupus, the engraver who designed the recent ten and five-centime pieces, was shot dead by his wife, who committed suicide. by his wife, who committed suicide. She had for some time past shown signs

of madness. ITALIAN DEPUTIES

Rome, Nov. 15.—The chamber of deputies to-day, by a vote of 198 to 179, elected Signor Colombo, formerly minister of the treasury and the government candidate, to the presidency of the house, against the opposition candidate, Signor Biancheri, formerly president of the chamber.

A DOCTOR'S SACRIFICE.

Lisbon, Nov. 15.—Dr. Pestana, director of the bacteriological institute, died here to-day of plague. He contracted the disease while attending patients. BURGLARS DO WELL.

Winnipeg, Nov. 15.—Demmick Bros.' store at Fleming, Assa., was entered by burglars a few nights ago and the sum of \$560 taken from the cash drawer. The money belonged to one of the ele-

HARDWARE CONVENTION.

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TWENTIETH CENTURY FUND. Reception to Be Held in the James Bay Church This Evening.

CHICAGO GENEROSITY.

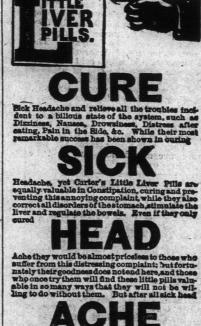
Liverpool, Nov. 15.—The provision trade, at a meeting held here recently subscribed £2,000 to the Transvaal war fund. The president cabled the result to business friends in Chicago, who have now replied that \$5,000 has been subscribed that \$5,000 has been subscribed that more is to follow.

FRENCH POLITICAL OFFENDERS Paris, Nov. 15.—The senate, sitting as a high court, passed the day deliberating on and rejecting various impossible applications on behalf of M. Guerin and other prisoners, whose object apparently was to drag the proceedings.

SHOT BY CRAZY WIFE.

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

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(From Thursday's Daily Edition).

Anniversary Tea.—The fourth anniversary ten meeting of the First Congregational church will be held this evening in Temperance hall, Pandora street. Tea will be served from 6 to 7:30, and this will be followed by a concert, over which Mr. L. P. Duff will preside. Rev. J. C. Speer, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, Mr. J. G. Brown, Mr. Firth, Mr. Scoweroft and others will take part.

British Subjects Roughly Handled by the Boers in the Transvaal.

A Family Affair.—A summons has been issued for the appearance of James Blackst ad in the city police court, the information being laid by his wife and charging vagrancy. Another summons of yesterday is directed to Frederick Payne, a young white man, who is accused of assault upon a Japanese resident named Yapakami. This latter case is set for hearing on the 18th instant.

such a manner as to leave no ground for complaint on the part of the near-by residents or the public generally.

An Autumn Wedding.—The upper windows of the Queen's hotel fairly rained rice and slippers yesterday afternoon, when a ribbon-bedecked carriage stopped Church This Evening.

A reception in connection with the twentieth century thanksgiving scheme is to be held this evening at the James Bay Methodist church. This movement, which was originated in the English conference of the Methodist church, has spread with surprising rapidity and success to most of the colonies, not only in this particular communion, but very happily among many other branches of the Catholic church. The Methodists in this country have determined to raise \$1,000,000 as a thank offering whereby to commemorate the dawn of the twentieth century. That this will

have closed out business entirely, owing to pirates committing raids on them.

To-night's Social Event,-Preparation As a warning, the chorus of the verse is appended:

Cook's church, Duke's church, church of a hundred kings;

There is a little debt upon it, down at Cook's church, Duke's church, bundred kings;
There is a little debt upon it, down at James Bay.

It's trying to do a useful work. Now, what have you to spare?

And shout as the troops swing by, minor details having all been attended to minor details having all been attended to the sale of tickets indicates an unusual with the what have we heard of late, lad? assistance of the courteous officers of the service it is expected that the ball will eclipse all its natural predecessors n the measure of its success. Cars will n the measure of its success. Call the measure of its success with England stung into flame, to their homes, leaving the hall at 1 a. m. They are wasting their speech who arguand 2 a.m. for all parts of the city, as well as at the end of the dance.

Colwood Races.-In order that Victorians may attend the annual races of the Hunt Club at Colwood fie'd next the Hunt Club at Colwood fie'd next Saturday, both economically and conveniently, the management of the E. & N. railway are arranging an excellent special service in connection with the meeting. A train is to leave the Store street depot at 2 o'clock, returning at 5:15; and a fare of only 50 cents will be made. entitling to admission to the races. This will be admitted by everyone to be most satisfactory, and the weather being fine, the crowd will no doubt be a large and a fashionable one. Should it by any unlucky chance be rainy and a postponement be necessary. Should it by any unlucky chance be rainy and a postponement be necessary, notices will be posted on Saturday morning at the offices of the Colonist and Times, as well as at the railway depot.

Norwegian Disasters.—Mr. W. A. Ward, vice-consul for Norway and Sweden in this city, has received a circular telling of two terrible disasters off the coast of Norway, by which several hundred persons lost their lives and many fishing smacks and other property was destroyed. The government immediately gave a sum for distribution amongst those who lost all, in order to enable them to purchase new fishing gear with which to try their luck again. And from all parts of the country contributions are coming in for the relief of the families of the deceased. Collections are being made in all the churches, and everything is being done to lessen the need of the sufferers. Contributions can be sent to "The Society for the Promotion of Norwegian Fisheries," in Bergers and should be received at the office of the Norwegian-Swedish consultate here.

We recaptured, caught in a trap!
Oh. hasten the desperate tidings, Arm, arm, every Bfiton-born, Till the legions meet that shall strangle defeat
And bury it deep with scorn.
If the life be more than raiment, Then honor is more than life!
Let the fierce fight grip, while white to the lip We plunge in the thick of the strife.
And when there is brought the news, lad, of Engiand's victorious stand, We'll praise with the rest of the nation Some feariess, intrepid band.
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The Coal Mines **Arbitration**

Bearing of New Special Rule and Orders Now Subject of Official Inquiry.

Counsel for Collieries Secures Order for Complete Record

of Proceedings.

In the light of a pitiful past! For this is the latest news, lad, And thus will it look on the map; "Twas here—here—the English surrendered,
Were captured, caught in a trap!
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(i.) To establish, promote, incorporate, or concur in establishing, promoting or incorporating any other company, corporation, association or private undertaking, whose objects shall include the acquisition and taking, over of all or any part of the property, or rights of this company, or the earrying out of all or any of the objects of

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(a) To promote, organize, and register, or assist in the promotion, organization or registration of any company or companies businesses or undertakings, either in canada, the United States of America, or elsewhere, having objects wholly or in part similar to those of this Company, with power generally to assist such companies, businesses or undertakings, and in particular by paying or contributing towards the preliminary expenses thereof, or providing the whole or part of the capital thereof, or by taking shares therein, or by lending money thereto, upon debentures or otherwise:

(k.) To subscribe for, take, acquire, hold.

an extent and in such a manner as may be determined:

(z.) To do all or any of the above things either as principals, agents, contractors, trustees or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees or otherwise, with power to appoint a trustee or trustees, personal or corporate, to hold any property on behalf of the Company, and to allow any property to remain outstanding in such trustee or trustees:

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(aa.) To do all such things as are incidental or may be thought conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them, to sell the entire property of the Company, either with or without the intention of purchasing other property, or with or without the intention of winding up the Company.

Company.

Given under my hand and seal of office not Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 21st day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. S. Y. WOOTTON

Registrar of Joint Stock Companies,