NOTICE

is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct, acquire, equip, operate and maintain a railway of either strandard or narrow gauge by either stram, electricity or any other motive power for the conveyance of passengers, freight and merchandise from a point at or near Pyramid Harbor on Chilcat tolet at the head of Lynn Canal in the Province of British Columbia, thence up the Chilcat river to Chilcat summit, thence in a northerly direction by the most feasible route to a point at or near Five Finger rapids on the Lewis river, thence to a point at or near Fort Selkirk in the Northwest Territories; and with power to construct, equip, operate and maintain branch lines, and in connection therewith and with the other objects of the company all necessary roads, elevators and warehouses, and to build, equip, charter, navigate, control, operate and maintain steam and other passenger, freight and ferry steamers and vessels upon the rivers, lakes and streams on or adjacent to the line of said railway or in connection freight and ferry steamers and vessels upon the rivers, lakes and streams on or adjacent to the line of said railway or in connection therewith or with the other operations and works of the company, and to carry on a general express business, and with power to build, equip, operate and maintain tele-graph and telephone lines; and with power to acquire and build and operate all kinds of plant for the purpose of compressing air or generating electricity for lighting, heat-ing and motor purposes; and to utilize ing and motor purposes; and to utilize therefor the natural water power of the dis ing and motor purposes; and to utilize therefor the natural water power of the district; and to sell or otherwise dispose of the same or of the products thereof, and of any surplus electricity or other power generated by the company's works and not required by the company's works and not required by the company for operating its railway or other works. And with power to expropriate lands for the purposes of the company; and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges, or other aid from any government, municipality or other persons or body corporate; and to make traffic and other arrangements and connections with other railways or steamboat companies; and with power to build wagon roads to be used in connection with the construction of such railway or other works of the company and in advance of the same or otherwise, and to levy and collect tolls from all parties using the same or any other roads of the company, whether built before or after the construction of the railway, and from all persons using the said railway, vessels or fenries of the company, and on ail freight passing over any of such roads, railway, ferries, wharves and vessels; and with power to buy, sell, manufacture and deal in all kinds of goods, wares, implements, provisions, chattels and merchandise; to establish and maintain stores and trading posts, and to carry on any other business which may be capable of being carried on to establish and maintain stores and trading posts, and to carry on any other business which may be capable of being carried on in connection with the company's other works; and with power to carry on in all its branches a mining, milling and smelting business and to exercise mining rights and powers, and to erect or acquire all mills and other machinery or contrivances necessary for the purposes, including the erection of saw mills and smelters; and with all other usual, necessary or incidental rights, powers and privileges as may be necessary or conductve to the attainment of the above objects or any of them.

M'CARTHY, OSLER, HOSKIN & CREELMAN,

MAN, Solicitors for the Applicants. Toronto, 1st December, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session by the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario for an act to enable the said company to carry on business anywhere in the Dominion of Canada and to consolidate, define and declare its liabilities, obligations and powers.

E. T. MALONE,
Solicitor for Applicants. Solicitor for Applicants. Dated at Toronto, Dec. 1st, 1897.

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, Limited, for an act conferring on the company the following powers, in addition to those now possessed by them. To purchase or otherwise acquire the whole or any of the property and rights possessed by any railway company incorporated by a charter or charters from the Legislative Assembly of the Povince of British Columbia, and to rarry out and perform the works specified in such charter or charters, and to equip, work, maintain, improve and

to equip, work, maintain, improve and operate the said railways, and to carry on the business of telegraph and telephone companies, and to carry on the business of carriers by land or water, warehousemen and forwarding agents.

BODWELL, IRVING & DUFF, Solicitors for the Canadian Pacific Naylgation Company, Limited. dec9 6w

NOTICE is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land situate in Cassiar district, viz: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of E. M. Sullivan's pre-emption claim at south end of Bennet lake; thence south forty (40) chains; thence morth eighty (80) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains, more or less, to the shore of Bennet lake; thence following the lake shore in a southeasterly direction to the point of commencement, and comprising about three hundred (300) acres, more or less.

H. A. MUNN.

Bennet Lake, B. C., Nov. 4th, 1897. NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date the undersigned intends to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situated on the South Arm of Teslin Lake and on the west side of the Arm or Slough thereof, commencing at the southeast corner post of C. E. Thomas' claim, thence south 40 hains along the west shore of the said Arm or Slough thereof, thence west 40 Thomas' line, thence east 40 chains to JOHN ALEXANDER HINTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following unoccupied land situated on Sharp Point, Sidney Inlet, Clayoquot district. trict, commencing at a post marked J. A. Drinkwater, Jas. B. Thompson, K. Peterson, J. W. Russell, S.E. corner post running forty chains north, thence forty chains west, thence forty chains south, thence forty chains east to point of commencement

mencement.

J. A. DRINKWATER.

JAS. B. THOMSON.

K. PETTERSON.

J. W. RUSSELL.

Clayoquot, B. C., 20th Nov., 1897.

A YOUNG MAN AND WIFE, strong and healthy, desirous of learning farming, would like to arrange with a farmer for board and small remuneration for a year, wife to act as housekeeper. References exchanged. Address W. M. 115 Mansfield street, Montreal, P. Q.

WANTED—Teacher for Sahtlam public school. One that can play the organ pre-ferred, Address, Arthur Robinson, Secre-tary School Board, Sahtlam, Duncan Station R.C. ANY PERSON wishing to send the Victoria

Klondike map and folder to their friend will please furnish a list of the names and addresses to F. Elworthy, Board of Trad Building, and they will be mailed free.

If You Are Energetic and Strong.

If you are above foolish prejudice against canvassing for a good book, write and get my proposition. The information will cost I have put hundreds of men in the way f making money; some of whom are now cn. and good things for you, if you are onerable and will work hard.
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bosses many a body and burdens many a mind. You can't enjoy the food you like because you are bilious. You take all sorts of precautions, and yet the bilious attack leaps on you like a tiger from ambush. You know the feeling! The blocd seeming on fire with a dull heat; the boring pains in the eyes; the head seeming to open and shut; the herrible nausea. You know the irritability which precedes and the languor that follows the attack. It's miserable, isn't it? Why not cure the trouble? There's a pill that will cure biliousness. Dr. J.C. AYER'S PILLS are an acknowledged specific for this derangement.

A. Swanger, Texarkana, Tex., writes:
"For fifteen years I have used Ayer's Pills, and find them very effective in bilious complaints. I have yet to see the case where they have failed to cure."

AYER'S PILS

WAR CLOUDS ARD ALL DISPERSED

Germany's Difficulty With China Over Chan Bay Reported to Be Amicably Settled.

Great Britain and the Chinese Loan-German Warships Arrive at Port Said.

Pekin, Jan. 5.-The Kiao Chau difficulty was settled yesterday at a conferconcessions. Details are expected. London, Jan. 5.—There is a general

feeling in England, and it is reflected on in the Far East is improving. It is ocof £16,000,000 (\$80,000,000) will be guarauteed by the British government, although a final decision will not likely amid tens of timber, bricks, broken furbe reached until the meeting of the cabinet on Monday next.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon the mailed fist ? and says:

purely commercial, are well disposed totrade exclusiveness."

tiated with China simultaneously with J. Pierpont Morgan and other syndicates to-day:

"The Chinese take more dealing with than any other people on earth. I had my loan of £16,000,000 all agreed upon with China and the money arrangements were practically completed in London. According to the terms I paid a deposit of £100,000 into Lloyd's bank, of which Linton Clarke, Stanley Boulter, John Barker and myself put up a quarter each. China demanded that a deposit be put up in Pekin to the order of the Chinese government. Then I stopped. Had I done so, they would have used the money and then if any hitch arose we would have lost it for years. The Chinese are not good enough. No loan can be a success unless the government take a hand. The government should do it,

and promptly. Port Said, Jan. 5.—The German war-ships Deutschland and Gefion, under emmand of Prince Henry of Prussia,

have arrived here on the way to China. I had the rheumatism so badly that I could not get my hand to my head. ried the doctor's medicine without the east benefit. At last I thought of Champerlain's Pain Balm; the first bottle reieved all of the pain, and one-half of the second bottle effected a complete cure.-W. J. HOLLAND, Holland, Va. its and although many of the weaker Chamberlain's Pain Balm is equally good for sprains, swellings and lameness, as well as burns, cuts and bruises. For sale at Langley & Henderson Bros., drug store, Wholesale Agents, Victoria and

BILIOUS- AWFUL TRAGEDY

The Crowded City Hall Collapses and ing parting at a space about ten feet in Death Reaps a Rich Harvest.

Long List of the Dead and Injured-The Terrible Scene Described by Eye Witnesses.

Men Pought Like Fiends in Their Frantic Endeavors to Escape from the Sickening Pit.

terrible tragedy was added to the city's lapse of the city hall, causing deaths to many more to die from injuries re-

It was a gathering to listen to the successful and unsuccessful munic candidates. The hall was old, but supposed to be sound, though it had not been used for dancing lately. It is supposed that the stamping for the candidates loosened the beams and at 9 o'clock part of the floor over the city engineer's office gave way, and a couple of hundred people were precipitated into the room below, where on them fell large beams, and, worse than all, the massive iron safe and steam coil, which crushed and pinned scores of unfortu-

At the time of writing the number reported dead is 29, and it is estimated that the number of injured is at least 150; many of them are hurt fatally.

The Scene Indescribable. The scene in the hall was indescribable. People went half mad trying to get out. The cry of fire started, and the police and firemen were quickly on the spot, and as soon as the horrible slutation was realized the services of both were used in carrying the dead and wounded to the hospitals. Large crowds gathered in the streets, where the confusion and excitement was terrible, no body knowing who might not be among the dead or injured, who were not all secured for two hours. Told by an Ere-Witness.

London, Ont., Jan. 4.-Harry Passmore, an Advertiser reporter, who went down in the crash, thus describes the scene at last night's disaster: "Suddenly there was an ominous crackling as of smashing timbers. Back slid ence at the Tsung Li Yamen (Chinese the reporters' chairs; but there was not foreign office), which made the necessary time to move a limb before there was a tremendous crash and the end of us all seemed to have come. There were three reporters writing at a table when the crash came and carried the floor, platthe Stock Exchange, that the situation form and hundreds of citizens down with it. There was no warning, and the surglieved that the proposed Chinese loan ing mass went down all together. I cannot describe my feelings when I found myself pinned down beneath a seething

niture and an office safe.

mass of humanity, jammed together

Heartrending Scenes. "I never heard more earnest or m refers to the "ascendancy of money over heart-rending cries in all my life than those of the dying and wounded, as they "Great Britain's vessels are anchored lay all around, above and beneath me.
The prayers, groans and entreaties of my off Chemulpo and at Port Arthur, thus fellow-sufferers seemed to continue for quietly implying that Great Britain will ages, while willing hands set about rescuhave a voice in any future arrangement, ing us-so slow does the time pass when Further, the latest telegrams clearly in one is in extremity. In the collapse I dicate that she has plenty of friends to a got separated from my fellow Advertiser Continuing, the Pall Mall Gazette returned over. The legs were straight up marks:

"Aside from the Japanese, nations like being crushed by the table at which we the United States, whose interests are had been writing and which was also

completely turned over, "From above me the blood from thos wards our government and opposed to killed and wounded began to trickle down, and that, with the cries from the Mr. Ernest Terah Hooley, who nego- dying, made an impression on me which shall never forget. It seemed an age before the rescuers could get the unfor tunate fellows out of their troubles, and, not concerned in the present loan, said alas! many were fated not to be taken out alive. I regard my escape as little short of miraculous; as it was my limbs are severely bruised."

> Platform Pitched Forward. Eye-witnesses of the disaster say the platform seemed to pitch forward; the loor around it gave way, and down through the floor the 200 people were hurled to death.

Crashing down upon the heads of the loomed ones came a huge safe and iron steam coils, which were standing in the northeastern corner of the hall. Jagged beams and timbers from broken floors were also hurled down upon the seething mass of humanity.

Seen from above the wall they seem struggling for life like the crew of a sinking ship. Some or those least injur ed dragged themselves painfully to walls and endeavered to reach the floor from which they had fallen. Down in he pit lay scores of motionless figures. Many lads who had climbed behind the nayor's chair as a coign of vantage, were an ong the victims, and their screams for

help in their childish treble added a new terror to the scene, Rush of Excited Men

With the first swaying of the floor there was a rush of excited men towards the doors. Fortunately there were many exones were crushed down and trampled in the fighting for freedom and safety, no one was seriously injured.

Rotten Floor Beam the Cause. The cause of the disaster was the giv-

ing way of a beam which ran from the north to the south of the hall, about 20 feet from the northern end, and directly under the raised stage used as the speak ers' platform. The beam had rotted from the fastenings, and when it fell there was no support for some 400 square feet of space. This gave way, the floor-

front of the platform. Men Fight Like Fiends. Ald. Neil Cooper, who had been the platform, was dragged upwards by an improvised rescue corps, and with half a dozen others less seriously injured conveyed to an ante-chamber,

where they were awaited upon.

An Heroic Old Man.

Fighting and struggling in the pit. frantic men beat down those weaker, and made their bodies stepping stones to attempt their own safety. A couple of the cooler headed among them, old Robert Carruthers, a giant in stature, and another, endeavored to restrain the frantic London, Ont., Jan. 3.-A third very crowd. Bleeding from scalp wounds his clothes torn and hanging from his record of disasters to-night, by the col- back. Carruthers shouted for room, and refused to move himeslf until the bodies of those who lay in front of him had the number of 29 or 30, with probably been saved. Others showed equal heroism, but in the general rout many thought only of themselves. The Dead.

The following are the names of known to be dead: W. T. Smith, ex-street car conductor L.W. Burke, insurance agent. Noble Carrothers, nephew of Ald. Car-

Crawford Beckett, contractor. Ex-Ald. John Turner, carriage maker Ed. Luxton, Centralia. Fred. Heaman, son of ex.Ald. Hea-W. H. Della, baker, West London.

R. S. Leigh, plumber. A. E. Phillips, flour dealer. B. J. Nash, carriage maker. Wm. Edward Talbot, aged 13. Ben. Jaques, cabman. W J. Borland. Steve Williams. James Hallis.

Frank Robinson. Jack Fellows. W. Burridge. George Smith. Boy named McLean. W. H. Bartlett, of London West. Stewart Harris.

The Injured. A partial list of the injured in last light's disaster is as follows: John Whittaker, 551 King street, Henry Whittaker, New York Mail and Express, slightly injured; were visiting the city and went to the hall with his brother John Whittaker Henry Brant, English street, eye badly

. Herriot, R.T.R. carshops A. E. Burwell, Oxford street;

Walter Beecher; face cut Thos. Lang, 797 King street; face cut ind teeth knocked out. John McPherson , scalp wound. W. Taylor, scalp wound. L. Towe, son of Edward Towe, badly

Fifteen-year-old son of John Sissex, head bruised. Wm. Ellwood, chest hurt.

Chas, Kinder, right leg sprained and Wm. Grav, hurt about nose and head. John Bartlett, bruised and back hurt. D. Sweeney, left arm and ribs broken. G. W. Yates, arm broken,

Ald. Carruthers, slightly hurt. Ald. Taylor, badly cut in face. Geo. McNelll, Jr., slightly scratched. Geo. Brett, severely cut in wrist and

Edmund Grant, son of Assessor Commissioner Grant, knee hurt. W. Blake, badly bruised. Jacob Harris, injured slightly. Fred Mountjoy, badly bruised, but not

Richard Graham, bruised leg. D. C. McNaughton, left leg broken. Wm. Fox, hurt internally. Joseph Murray, badly bruised; hurt in-Sidney Glendenning, left leg broken.

Ed. Marshall, right arm broken; head Wm. McKenzie, one bone broken in left

John Thompson, head cut and other in Leigh McBride, aged 17, head cut. Thos. Robinson, head cut and bruised.

Albert Joyce, chest smashed in. Wm. Stone, badly injured internally Gordon McKay, son of Hugh McKay, Son of Mr. John Mattinson, broken

S S. Casey, legs bruised. Walter Ellis, Alexander street, hurt in Jas. Dean, badly ent under chin. Thos, Schofield, internally injured. Moses Miner, spine hurt; possiply fatal E. W. Marshall, right arm fractured in

Reginald Johnson, internal injuries W. Baker, legs broken above knees. Thos. Bartram, injuries to back. At St. Joseph's Hospital-John Arnickle, shaken up and badly bruised: M. Monkin, fractured arm. 3006 114

Running Sore Pronounced Incurable By Eight Doctors Cured by Dr. Chase.

Mr. R. D. Robbins, of 148 Cowan ave., Toronto, says: "I had a bad leg which was simply unsightly. From below the knee to the ankle was one great sore. Eight doctors treated me without benefit. I was induced to try Dr. Chase's Ointment, which cured me, and all that remains to be seen are the

Important Negotiations Are Proceeding in London Relative to Its Flotation.

China and Great Britain Seem Likely to Arrive at an Understanding.

Berlin, Jan. 4.-The Cologne Gazette, n authority from the best informed rters in Paris, announced to-day that since Thursday last important negotiations have been proceeding in London rethe Chinese loan. The attempts made

in Paris and St. Petersburg to arrange a loan having failed, China thereupon offered to contract for £16,000,000 in London, at the same time asking the offices of the British government. China, it appears, contemplates offering as security the land tax, under the control of an Englishman, and, that, furthermore, an Englishman shall succeed Sir Robert Hart, director of the Chinese imperial maritime customs. In addition Great Britain will insist upon a concession of territory, relative to which secreey, according to the informant of the Cologne Gazette, must be temporarily observed. The Cologne Gazette adds it understands that Russia has renewed her

understands that Russia has renewed ner offer to China to conclude a loan with Germany on more favorable terms than are obtainable in Paris or London.

Pekin, Jan. 4.—The ministers and Tsingli Yamen (Chinese foreign office) spent a whole of one night discussing the disposition of the Chinese command-ant of Tsao-Chou, province of Shan Tung, who is accused of having used threatening language to a German sionary. The commandant has not been summoned to Pekin for examination, as previously cabled, the difficulty having been smoothed over. The general situa on remains unchanged. Hostilities are feared. The German

ninister, Baron von Heyking, is understood to be temporizing until the arrival in China of Prince Henry of Prussia.

Hongkong, Jan. 4—The British cruiser
Grafton has sailed northwards. The
bulk of the British freet is reported to be at Chusan, near Ning Po. London, Jan. 4.—The Evening News

says it is reported in the city that nego-tiations for the Chinese loan of £16,000; 000 guaranteed by the British govern ment are practically concluded. FROM THE CAPITAL.

British Mail Matter.

office any letters for points within the Empire, which may be mailed short of postage under Mr. Mulock's 3-cent per ounce proposal of a few week's ago. since possibly some people may not have heard of the cancellation of the postmaster-general's widely announced proposal. For the present short paid letters will be sent forward to their destination. postmasters affixing the stamps necessary to make up the deficiency in post-

adopting the Oliver accourrements for the use of the Canadian infantry and artillery, the total weight of which exclusive of the kit bag is 86 ounces. The patent only is secured from Surgeon-General Oliver. Tenders will be called for the 35,000 or 40,000 necessary for a

complete supply to the forces. The aldermen, who had voted a few months ago to purchase an American fire engine without giving a fair chance to Canadian manufacturers were completely snowed under yesterday, sixteen candidates who condemned the transaction being elected and only eight who endorsed it.

A bonus of \$75,000 to the Ottawa & New York Railway Company to establish workshops here was adopted by property owners by a majority of 9,326.

A SINGULAR COINCIDENCE.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 4 .- At the Lyceum Theatre last night, Ernest Williams, of the Fields & Hanson minitrels, sang: 'Mother. I Love You So" to a large audience. The pathetic melody caught the great crowd and the singer was encored. As the orchestra struck up the prelude for the second time, a telegram was harded to Williams. He read it, hesitated a moment, then staggered to the footlights and repeated the song with the tears streaming down his face. When Williams left the stage, " the manager stepped to the front and explained that the telegram advised the singer of the death of his mother.

DURRANT DOOMED. The Great Murderer's Last Faint Hope Has Vanished.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.-In the United States circuit court to-day Judges Morrow and Dehaven rendered their decision in the Durrant case, submitted to them yesterday. They denied the application for a writ of habeas corpus and also refused to grant Durrant's attorneys leave to appeal from this decision.

Dr. Shields, an eminent physician of Tennessee, says: "I regard Ayer's Sarsaparilla as the best blood medicine on earth, and I know of many wonderful cures effected by its use." Physicans all over the land have made similar

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will vield to the use of Carter's Little Nerve Pills, aid-ed by Carter's Little Liver Pills. They not only relieve present dist's but strengthen the stomach and digestive apparatus.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Montreal, Jan. 4.-It is now stated that the Dominion government will not take over the Drummond County railway. Inercolonial trains were to have been running into this city January 1st, but are nor yet doing so.

lisher, representing the house of Black & Sons, of Glasgow, died yesterday, aged 82, at the residence of his son-in-law, D. Burke. Toronto, Jan. 3 .- The election returns

Mayor Shaw, by a vote of: Shaw, 12,-602; and E. A. Macdonald, 8,416. Edward Hanlan, the oarsman, was elected alderman in Ward 4. The citizens voted on the question of abolishing tax exemptions, and decided to that effect by 11,331 to 1,175.

NEWS OF VANCOUVER.

Imposing Masonic Funeral Given Late David Oppenheimer.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 4 .- (Special)-An imposing masonic funeral was given the late David Oppenheimer this after noon. The Mesouic hall was filled with brethren during the service. The procession to the depot was attended by the mayor and council, school trustees, employees of the city and the leading men of Vancouver. The stores closed at the middle of the day out of respect for the deceased. During the time the body lay in state it was visited by hun dreds. The remains will be shipped to New York to be interred by the side of his wife in the Jewish cemetery.

The C.P.R., feeling that the exemption by-law might be defeated in its present state by a section of the public, have decided to show their earnest intentions by proceeding with the works and will resume negotiations with the city later,

The Great Murderer Cooly Rela the Scene of His Death at San Quentin.

Requests Made by the Condemned Man Concerning His Execution.

San Francisco, Jan. 4 .- Contrary to xpectations the attorneys for W. H. T. Durrant, the condemned murderer of Blanche Lamont did not appear in the Ottawa, Jan. 4-Instructions have been federal court yesterday to renew their efforts to secure a stay of execution on The escort is to be furnished behalf of their client. This action led Canadian government of fifty Canadian to a rumor to the effect that they had abandoned all hope of saving Durrant's

neck, but this they deny.
San Quentin Prison, Cal., Jan. 4.-Theodore Durrant has rehearsed the scene of his death at his own request, made absolutely without emotion. He has therefore been told every incident that will mark the minutes of his last

The book and several papers on religious subjects received at the prison vesterday for Durrant were offerings from a woman who now resides in Toronto. Ont. She was resident at San Francisco three years ago, and has displayed an interest in Durrant's affairs since the arrest of the murderer Blanche Lamont.

Durrant may invite five of the 150 people who will be present, but as Warden Hale will revise the list it is unlikely that any of his attorneys will be seen beside the gallows. The condemned man has made out

the following requests concerning the First-That the rope used to hang him be destroyed immediately after death, so no person can say he holds a piece of it as a memento.

Second-That none of the spectators be allowed to gaze on his features after he is executed. Third-That no autopsy be held after

eath, and that no physicians be allowed to examine the body. Fourth-After he is pronounced dead that the remains be delivered to his par ents as soon as possible.

The father of Durrant has received from Meridian, Tex., the document which purports to be the original of the alleged confession of Jos. E. Blanther to the murder of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams. It will be used in the final efforts to secure a stay of execu-

WEDDING IN HIGH LIFE.

Lady Anne Coventry Married to Prince Dhuleep Singh.

London, Jan. 4.—Lady Anne Coven-try, the third daughter of the Earl of Coventry, was married this afternoon at St. Peter's church, Eaton Square, to O. W. O. Hardman, when sheriff of Prince Dhuleep Singh, son of the late Tyler Co.. W. Va., was at one time, al-Maharajah of Lahore. Lady Anne is a most prostrated with a cold. He used sister-in-law of the Viscountess Deer- Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was hurst, who was Miss Virginia Boninge so much pleased with the quick relief formerly of California, and comes of a and cure it afforded him, that he gave good family. The Earl of Coventry is the following dissolicited testimental: Master of the Buckhounds. Prince "To all who may be interested, I wish Dhuleep Singh's grandfather was known as the "Lion of the Punjaub," Cough Remedy and fird it invaluable for and the prince, whose full name is Vic- coughs and colds." For sale by Langtor Albert Jay Dhulep Singh, is a little ley & Henderson Bros. Who over 31 years of age. He was educated Agents, Victoria and Vancouver. staff of General Sir John Ross, K.C.B., when the latter was in command of the British forces in Canada. The prince became quite prominent at Halifax.

Mr. Maclear, for many years a leading

'tizen of Toronto, where he was a pub-

here to-day resulted in the return of

EXPEDITION Some Mistaken Notions Dispelled-No Danger of Canadian Interests Being Jeopardized.

Mr. Sifton Scored a Distinct Trinmple in Securing Bonding Privileges Through Alaska

Ottawa, Jan. 5 .- (Special)-A misunderstanding exists as to the Yukon relief expedition and the possible mesults from the supplies that will go in. There is apparently an idea on the coast that a large military expedition, taking in an enormous suppy of provisions to be admitted free of duty, can easily be used as a cloak for the importation of American supplies by private individuals, thus injuring legitimate trade and defrauding the Canadian customs.

In the first place no person can persibly object to the sending of relief by civilized government into any territory where starvation is supposed to stare human beings in the face. To impose customs duties on food for starving men would be an outrage to the natural feelings common to manity. The government therefore have undertaken to admit supplies free.

will not be of a military character. It will be in charge of one officer of the United States army, but that is all.

The total quantity of supplies, least than two carloads, will be purchased by the United States government by com tract, probably in New York. It is thoroughy understood in Washington that no private individual nor simples for any private person will be allowed with the expedition. The United States government is responsible for the single object to the pack train they are ing, namely, relief of distress, and the officer in charge will see that the

of the United States government is wet compromised by any one in any way. Unless reasonable co-operation on part of the Cauadian government had been offered and a neighborly feeling displayed and an amicable spirit estab lished between the two governments, is not likely that the important ncession would have been made Washington which Hon, Mr. Siften ch tained, namely, the removal of the obnoxious and vexations regulation which prevented the free passage bond of Canadian goods passing through that part of the head of Lynn canal at present in the custody of the Americans. The withdrawal of the customs inspectors who accompany these goods across the passes at a cost to Camadian goods of six dollars per day an important return for the courtesy which the government is showing in promoting the expedition and should be keenly appreciated in British

Columbia. U. S. Making Preparations.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 4 .- United States Paymaster James McFarland, with 21 pack mules has just arrived from Fort Washikie, Wyoming. He left immeliately for Vancouver barracks, where preparations will be made to proceed to Alaska for the purpose of assisting m taking rations to the Yukon minera. One hundred and two pack mules ship ped to Vancouver barracks by the cor-ernment will be used in this expedition as soon as the contract for supplies in let. Captain B. Eldridge, Lieutenant E. W. Clarke and 50 listed men of the Fourteenth Laf-miry have been detailed for duty in Alaska by General Merriam, department commander.

CABLE NEWS.

Moscow, Jan. 5 - Dr. Zaecharin, The famous physician to Czar Alexander The is dead.