

supplemented by a substantial subvenhundred code numbers and cost no less struction Company, which already holds than \$92.10 for transmission. Yip On the contract for the first section from in the King's libel suit are taken under tion from the state. The system is to be one of insurand his partner, Yip Suh Foy, were told Port Kells to Popkum. a statute six hundred years old. ance by certain trades. to return to the royal commission on This week the construction company The benefits, which will be somewha Monday morning, when further detailed put a gang of 100 men to work near lower than those paid by the strongest examinations will be proceeded with of Hope, and during the summer construcexaminations will be proceeded with of cablegrams which Mr. McCrossan, act-ing for the Dominion government, seeks of the line. Other gangs are now betrade unions, will require the raising of between 5d and 6d per man per week to put on to Yip On or his partner as ing sent to Popkum to work eastward, Insurance cards will be issued, to which tatements will be affixed every week. the author. and construction will be rushed. Good When a workman is discharged he must MAKING HEADWAY As only the rough translation of this take his card to the nearest labor exprogress is being made on the first seclarge cable was done today before adtion from Port Kells to Popkum, and change, which, in conjunction with the journment, it did not transpire what it is stated that it will be ready for nsurance office, will be responsible interpretation would be put upon it by the steel the whole distance between ther for finding him work or for pay- Mr. McCrossan, or what alternative one these two points within a few months. ng him the benefit. by Yip On's able counsel, S. S. Taylor. steel will be laid out of Port Kells More Towns In Honduras Said coastwise fleet, the largest being the It is expected that the plural voting Both Yip On and Yip Suh Foy denied some time in March, and the intention ill will be reintroduced, and the home sending it, and tomorrow both of then ecretary will press forward his amendis to have enough grading on the roadwill be further examined on the sub bed done so that the rail-laying can be d shop hours bill. ject, and also regarding other cable carried on continuously by the railway The usual parliamentary banquets will grams to China sent from New West Cortez gangs during the year. take place on February 4th, the Saturminster. Engineer Gwyer will have charge of lay before the state opening of parlia-H. A. Matier, who, on Thursday re the second section from Ponkum to ent. Mr. Asquith and Lord Crewe are fused to give the name of his Chinese he government hosts, while Mr. Bal-Hope, and, will leave for that division informant, who told him that Wong had

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N. T. R. Contract Deductions.

OTTAWA, Jan. 28 .- Half a mil-

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be in charge of Engineer Gwyer.

will preside at a dinner at the Con- offered \$2000 to anyone who would kill titutional club on February Sth. to David C. Lew, is also to appear again neet Mr. F. E. Smith, M. P., and the before the commission. By that time it onservatives who captured seats at the is expected that Mr. Justice Murphygeneral election. will be in a position to define the extent of his powers- on which matter he is Railway Official Dead consulting the attorney-general-and

VASHINGTON. Jan. 28 .- Colonel should these powers be inclusive, the Russell, vice-president of the judge may act on his expressed opinbile and Ohio Railroad, died of ion and commit Mr. Matier for conpneumonia at 7:10 o'clock tonight at tempt of court, failing, of course, coma hotel here, pliance of that gentleman to give the required information. Mexican Colonel Reported Killed The stupendously long cablegran

EL PASO. Texas, Jan. 28.-A mestranslated yesterday, came out roughly in the following English form, and its sage received tonight from Bisbee, real intent and meaning may form an vrizona, says that Colonel Kosterlitsinteresting puzzle for Sunday reading: commanding the federal rurales in "China, seal, Hindu (or India), come, orthern Sonora, has been killed in a merchant, passport, hold, detained, think ight with insurrectos. This informasome fraud, add, government regulation on came from Cananea, Sonora, in or rule (or Canada), gift (or sent), letter from the wife of a prominent usiness man. Another report from ananea savs it is believed Colonel. island (or Victoria), gate, car (or Vicosterlitsky is confined there in a toria customs), examination, or crosshospital by severe wounds. He mysexamination, cloud, one island, merriously disappeared four days after fight with insurrectos. There are bers, one island, have (or had) tele-10 insurrectos menacing Cananea and graph, viceroy of Canton, self, control,

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Battle With Robbers port, released, transfer, please in turn SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28 .- When notify, Japan (or Empress of Japan), not come, answer immediately to-George Fenstermacher started to argue with three masked men who entered

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been used in the fishing trade. Two steamers are on the way for the Northern Steamship Company, one a

Empire, the other a passenger and freight vessel of 1,200 tons register, and the names of these vessels have not been announced. Probably the British Empire is one of these. Quite a fleet of steamers are on the way to Victoria to be added to the

To Have Fallen Into Their new C. P. R. steamer Princess Mary. which is expected early next month Hands-Will Attack Puerto from the yards of Bow McLachlan & Co., at Paisley, for the C. P. R. service between Victoria, Nanaimo and Comox

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, up to the high standard of the new at the beginning of next week. He will Jan. 28 .- The Honduran revolutionhave an engineering staff to inspect the ary agent here has received advices much. work of the contractors. W. G. Swan that the _ revolutionists have taken Whalers Coming

is the division engineer of the first sec- San Marcos La Paz and Comayagua tion of the road from Fort Kells to Pop- and are marching against Tegucigalpa. The advices also say government It is asserted that another contract troops are joining the insurgents will be awarded by the C. N. P. R. about Dispatches dated Friday say the govthe end of February, covering the route ernment troops defeated the revolufrom Hope to Boston Bar, a distance tionists at San Marcos and several other places. This was according to let within the near future it will also the reports from Tegucigalpa, where, it was stated, hopes were entertained that the revolution would not last long.

CEIBA, Honduras, Jan. 28 .- With the capture of Ceiba, the revolutionists have become exceedingly active ern division of the National Trans- and intend to make an early attack continental Railway in respect to on Puerto Cortez. They do not exover-classification and allowances for pect much resistance at that point. over-break. This is the effect of the Bonilla has arrived in Ceiba from round (or officer), strict, stop, seal, In-dia, merchant, something put away, one Grant for the Transcontinental, B. B. Truxillo by boat Thursday last and the preparations are under his super-Kelleher for the Grand Trunk Pacific, vision. The schooner Romeria. 100

chant, association, meeting, large num-to the government and represents early hour this morning. Her probable destination is Utilla Island. the southernmost side of the Bay Islands. which are now held by revolutionists.

Two schooners and three slow available as transports, and it is in-

SPOKANE, Jan. 28 .- Six boxing transport as many men as possible championships out of a possible eight, within striking distance of Puerto and two wrestling togas out of six

were won by the Spokane Athletic Cortez. Since the fall of Celber General

deck, of 557 tons gross and 237 tons net and rudder. She did not remain fast, register. She is 167.5 feet long, 26.6 being hauled off and beached at Banfeet beam and 11.5 deep. The steamer field Creek where a new propeller was built in 1902 at Garston, and has carried as an emergency wheel on board is being fitted and the steamer is expected to be able to proceed to Victoria tomorrow. Capt. Hunter in small vessel of the type of the British a message to Leeming Bros., owners of the steamer, which is engaged in extensive hearings upon the reciprocity buoy work for the Marine and Fisheries Department, stated that the vessel was not leaking.

> TO INFLUENCE JURY Seattle Millionaire Sends Circulars

To Men Who Are To Try His Case-Contempt Of Court

Profits Extensive

Left High and Dry.

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 .-- C. D. Hillman. millionaire real estate dealer, was found to relieve the steamer City of Naguilty of contempt of court by United naimo, a twin screw steel steamer built States District Judge George Donworth today for having sent circulars to men vessels of this fleet-which is saying summoned to serve on the jury that

of using the mails to defraud. The cir- ment.

Five steam whalers built in Norway culars which many of the jurors refor the Canadian Northern Pacific ceived alleged that the prosecution of Fisheries Company to augment the Hillman by the federal government was whaling fleet are on the way, three of part of a scheme of persecution insti- ened that President Taft's determina them being expected to report at San gated by rival real estate men. Judge Donworth suspended sentence Diego within a few days on their way here, being due about the middle of on Hillman pending his trial on the sion if it becomes necessary to bring next month, and two others are follow- or minal charge, and Hillman was pering close behind them. The fleet has been styled the Rainbows by a shipping man, the vessels being christened to prejudice Hillman's case next week The leaders of the House say frankly A new steamer is being secured by after the criminal charge has been tried sary thus to dispose of the trade agreethe Grand Trunk Pacific Company for by a jury sentence will be passed on ment. If defeat comes, it is expected its northern service from Prince Rupert Hillman for being in contempt.

to the Queen Charlotte islands, and announcement is expected shortly that the steamer has started for Victoria.

HAMBURG, Jan. 28 .- The annual The whaling fleet is being overhaul ed in readiness for the spring hunting teamship Company, made public to-The Orion and St. Lawrence have just day, shows that gross profits for been hauled out by the Victoria Ma-1910 are \$10,000,000. The directors chinery Depot, following the launching of the William Grant and Sebastian total of \$5,750,000 was written off, or The Germania will follow the other carried in the reserve. Liquid assets vessels on the slip.

1909 were \$8,000,000, and a dividend of 6 per cent. was declared. SECOND MATE KILLED

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 28 .- Miss ing his footing at the top of a lad-

steamer Coos Bay, owned by the Pa-cific Steamship Company, which went der leading to the rail of the British steamer Queen Alexandra, Robert

There will be no opening of the bars to all the tariff arguments that might be introduced for and against the new arrangement. Members of the committee believe the facts on the various items were fully elicited in the hearing held during the preparation of the Payne-Aldrich bill, and that to renew agreement would needlessly delay its consideration. The form of the McCall bill is such

that its future consideration is a matter of uncertainty. As a bill to rais revenue it would be subject to amendment and change, unless a rule of cloture is first put through the House prohibiting them and forcing a vote upon the reciprocity agreement as a whole. The negotiations with Canada re sulled in a definite and concrete ar rangement which cannot be changed in any particular without upsetting the whole. For this reason, it is the opin ion that the Ways and Means Committee and the Rules Committee will prepare a rule, providing for its consider will try him next Tuesday on a charge ation as a whole and without amend-

May Be Extra Session

The impression has been strength tion to secure action at this session is such that he will resort to an extra ses mitted to go under bond of \$2,500. The gress. The extra session talk has court said that it would not be fair caused no little worry at the Capitol. in the Senate.

The Democrats of the House, after a fairly careful poll by the minority, are apparently disposed to accept the

agreement and to support it in debate report of the Hamburg-American and with their votes. According to a Democratic member of the Ways and Means Committee the

Democrats are likely to accept the bill se a dividend of 8 per cent. A without serious attempt to amend it. They look upon it both as a tariff are \$12,375,000. The gross profits in change in line with Democratic ideas and as a serious attempt on the part of the Republican president to take the tariff out of politics. Representative

McCall has been the subject of some speculation because he comes from a VENTURA, Cal., Jan. 28 .- The state that has complained bitterly against the free fish provisions of the agreement. Mr. McCall declined to declare himself, but made no secret of his approval of the plan for reciprocity arrangements between the two coun-

> Several members of the co whose positions have also been in doubt have indicated that the Ways and Means Committee will, under no circumstances fail to report promptly, and have given intimations that the report is likely to be favorable to the treaty. The McCall bill after indicating the du-

dian products, provides that these shall ; (Continued on Page 2.)

tries.

ties that are to be levied upon Cana-

tended to mobilize a large force and