JAPS' WIDE MOVEMENT RAILWAY WRECK.

Transferring the Bulk of Their Pacific, Armies to Vladivostock.

AT GUNSHU PASS.

despatch from Gunshu Pass, miles north of Tie Pass, says: situation here is unchanged. Gen.

en for what they are worth, state that the Japanese are leaving before the Russian front only a screen, capable, with the help of the Mukden and Tie Pass fortifications and develop the disposition and strength of the nositions, their attempts at bulk of their fire armies to Vladivostock, and by means of a wide move-ment, through Mongolia to Tsitsihar. Considering the great dis-tances involved, the plan appears too bold, and almost impracticable; but Japanese intoxication from conbut Japanese income interest the continued success, bold initiative, and the determined perseverance must be regarded. The situation affords an opportunity for Russian cavalry, the dispositions in this quarter. The Russians repelled the advance with uncovering their dispositions. etrating the Japanese positions. sumption of drills, keeping the sol-diers occupied in the daytime, and music in the bivouac at pight. An

A FLANK ATTACK.

A despatch from Harbin says—

Business is paralyzed and a general Arthur, in the direction of Vladivostock.

The Russians, after a severe fight. het of confidence is shown. A majority of the women are leaving.

It is believed that the Japanese are preparing a bold turning movement eastward, and the Russian cavalry is operating widely to avoid a repetition of the surprise at Mukden.

A despatch from St. Pelsays: Japanese proclamation

omatic authority for stating there is no truth in the reports that there is no truth in the reports that peace negotiations are in progress or that President Roosevelt is acting as mediator. The paper asserts that up to the present time from Mukden relate that the Japanno step in the direction of peace has been taken by either Russia or tion of Manchuria. They have in-

JAP ATTACK REPULSED:

A despatch to the London Standard from St. Petersburg states that unofficial reports from Harbin and Guntzuling say that Japanese scouts are daily approaching nearer to a state of the Chinese, have taken possession of the Russian administrative buildings, and have established a Japanese road from Port Dalny to Mukden inscouts are daily approaching nearer to a surrow rouse. scouts are daily approaching nearer to a narrow gauge road has been to the Russian advance posts, which are occasionally bombarded. A Japanese three religions of supplies from the state of the state o to the Russian advance posts, which are occasionally bombarded. A Japanese attack on Gen. Mistchenko's by way of Feng-Wang-Cheng, from Seyul and the Japanese are receiving.

Fort Dalny to Mukden, and over the Simmintin Road, which the Japanese are receiving.

A despatch from Gunshu Pass says: Reconnaissances disclose especial activity on the part of the Japanese Carbolic Water Will Ward off

JAPANESE ACTIVE

to a renewal of the Boxer disturhance. The Hun-Yuan-Myn societies
of Mukken and Kirin, and the TsaiLi Society, which is strong in Tsitsihar and Northern Manchuria, are
said to be working to spread, this
agitation among the Manchurian population, and Japanese success is doing much to augment the movement.
Many Chinese bandit chieftains are
leaders in numerous secret societies,
axtending throughout China, and
their influence may have a powerful
affect on the attitude of the Chinese
Sovernment and population.

which is ravaging New York and eastern cities, has been suggested by a
papician of the Health Department.
An atomizer, a little carbolic acid
and water, are the safeguards.

While the most reliable preventive
consists in staying away from infested places, and in perfect cleanliness,
the disinfection of the air passages
should help to, ward off the disease.

"Use an atomizer and spray the
nasal passages and throat with
water containing I per cent of carof the Boxer disturrnment and population.

RUSSIA LOST 435,000 MEN. The Echo de Paris says that of

cial documents show that the 14 fonths of war has cost flussia in Eled, wounded sick and prisoners 35,000 men. Gen. Libevitch con

JAP PRISONERS SUICIDE

says: The Bourse Cazette prints a report that a number of Japanese prisoners at Medved have killed themselves by hari-kari, and with

A despatch from Harbin says: Japanese scouting parties are active in endeavoring to plerce the screen of the Russian vanguard posts and develop the disposition and strength of the positions, their attempts at times verging on the nature of reconnaissances in force. A few Japanese batteries, which have pushed far forward, occasionally drop Shimose shells in suspected places. On mose shells in suspected places. On the Wester Gen. Mistchenko is stationed, where Gen. Mistchenko is stationed, and determined endeavor to make a determined in this quarter, The dispositions in this quarter, The content of those who sustained slight injuries those who sustained slight injuries. The those who sustained slight injuries are maked those who sustained slight injuries. The fact of the sustained slight injuries. The four slight plants is such that the sustained slight injuries. The four slig There were insignificant losses. Aside from these reconnaissances, affairs are generally quiet on the Southern positions.
Chinese state that heavy Japanes

reinforcements are constantly arriving. 6

Paris states that the Japanese have cut the railroad between Harbin and

A despatch from St. Petersburg NO TRUTH IN PEACE REPORTS.

A despatch from London says:

The Standard says that it has high
about the middle of April.

CONTROL OF MANCHURIA.

stalled Japanese officials in place sof

e are reported to have leased. Fresh Japanese troops are reported to be arriving at the front.

A PLAGUE PREVENTIVE.

"Spoted Fever."

It is reported that an anti-foreign
It is reported that an anti-foreign
propaganda is being conducted among
the Chinese, who are being wirred up

("spotted fever"), the dread plague which is ravaging New York and eas-

water containing 1 per cent. of car

TIRED TO KILL TREPOFF.

Assassin Fires at Governor-Gener

uster only 300,990 men. The peniary cost has been \$1,040,000. depatch from St. Petersburg in to the Wilter Talace.

in C. P. R. Accident.

A Winnipeg despatch says: One of the sections of the westbound Colonist extra train on the Canadian Pacific, in charge of Conductor Mc-Donald, of Rat Portage, was derail-Donald, of Rat Portage, was derailed at Dryden, a small station about 200 miles east of Winnipeg, at 7.35 white and red are quoted at \$1.04 to 50n Thursday morning. Two people, Miss Clara Bailey, of Madoc, Ont, and Mrs. Wm. Desaut, of Dundalk, were seriously injured. The other passengers escaped with the exception of 26, who sustained slight injuries.

Lome and Abroad.

Toronto. April 4.—Wheat—No. 2 white and red are quoted at \$1.04 to 50 ceast, Mamitoba wheat is easier, with No. 1 Northern quoted at 99c lake ports at opening of navigation; No. 2 Northern at 95 to 90c.

A despatch from Gunshu Pass, 108 miles north of Tie Pass, says. The situation here is unchanged. Gen Mistchenko has nevered forward into close touch with the Japanese, and keeps up constant skirmishing. Else where everything is quiet.

Gen. Mistchenko, when he learned of the beginning of panic during the retreat from Mukden, though an unhealed wound forbinde his subject. A short time ago, at the request of Japan, the Embassy has not been advised on the cause of the accident. Four healed wound forbinde his walking drove in a carriage to his force, and assumed command, which he has shore retained? though he is unable to ride over the deepty mired roads, which are beginning to dry.

Native reports, which may be taken for what they are worth, state that the Japanese are leaving before the Russian Government under took that the Japanese are leaving before the Russian for the subject should be a deep to the Russian for the subject should be a deep to the first of the subject should be subject to the first of the subject should be subject to the first of the subject should be subject to the first should be subject to the subject should be subject should be subject to the subject should be subject should Calderwood, Brougham; John Langin, Waverton; Edward Lennox, Cornwall, John Bold, Morrisburg; Annie Gibson, Wiarton; Frank Jacobs, Brussels, Thos. O'Leary, Hast-bil.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

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Apples—Choice stock, \$2.50 to \$3 per bbl; cooking apples, \$1.50 per bbl.

the train and all those injured were \$1.60 to \$1.65, and handepicked.

"At present the average production of wheat to the acre is eight bushels, while in Europe the farmers grow thirty. Last year the American wheat crop was sickly and this, indicates that the land refuses to grow wheat any longer on a profitable basis. In order to save the wheat fields of the United States we have sent an expert to the northern part of Norway and Sweden to find legumes which will grow in cold climates.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Finest 1-ID. rolls are quothed at 22 to 28c per Ib.; large rolls was grades at 16 to 18c. Creamery Theorem and the can be prints, 25t to 26c per Ib., and solids can be prints, 25t to 26c per Ib., and solids can be can b

"If the wheat farmers of the great Northwest expect to grow wheat at a profit they must rotate their crops. At present we have no leguminous plants which will grow in the Northwest that can be rotated with wheat. "With a continued decrease in the yield in the Northwest the farmers of lowa, Illinois, Kansas and Nehaaska will heafn growing wheat braska will begin growing wheat again, but they will not do so until they can get at least a dollar a bushel for it."

ENDED LIFE IN CANAL.

Insane Farmer Commits Suicide at

canal and jumped in. body was recovered it was found that his watch had stopped. 9.24 p.m.

SEVENTY PER CENT. DIE.

Fearful Mortality Among Cerebrospinal Meningitis Cases.

A New York despatch says .- Thirty-two cases of ecrebro-spinal meningitis have been reported during one day in the boroughs of Greater New York. Several cases are also preported in Passaic, N.J., where one of the public schools will be closed, two deaths having already resulted among the pupils. The Board of Experts appointed by Health Commister. Darlington continues its labular of the public of the public schools will be closed, but as yet has found no cause he prevalence of the disease. The h rate in well-defined cases amounts to more than 70 per cent.

STAMPEDE FROM- DAWSON Twenty-Five Ounce Nugget Picked

up in Yukon. A Victoria, B. C., despatch says: A Victoria, B. C., despaten says: News was received from Dawson of a rich strike on Big Gold Creek, tri-butary to SixEy Mile River. A stampede resulted when the news ceached Dawson. Two large nuggest, one weighing over 25 ounces, have been found an Hunker Creek.

TRADE CENTRES. and Other Dairy Produce at Home and Abroad.

obs. Brussets. Thos. O Leary, tags.

ngs. Total 28.

The majority of the passengers on the train and all those injured were on their way West on the passengers on the train and all those injured were on the passengers of the passengers of the passengers on the passengers of the passengers of the passengers of the passengers of the passengers on the passengers of the pas

"If the wheat farmers of the great 121c. and twins at 12 orthwest expect to great 121c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Port Dalhousie 5 Northern, \$1.11; No. 2 Northern, depots in ease the market for horses 1.06 to \$1.08, May, 88;c asked.

A Port Dalhousie despatch says:

Rye No. 1, 85 to 85;c. Barley—No.

John McKenzie, a demented farmer, 2, 51cs sample, 38 to 50c. Cornewas found drowned here agout 4 No. 2, 46 to 46;c. May, 47;c asked.

Too MUCH POACHING.

A number of commercial fishermen from Collingwood and Meaford wait-poiceds, he was the waste of the market for horses should decline.

11; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10; Flour GRANTS TO HOSPITALS.

13; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10; Flour GRANTS TO HOSPITALS.

14; No. 1 Northern, \$1.10; Flour GRANTS TO HOSPITALS.

15; Second patents, \$5.70 to \$2.80; first clears, \$4.25 to \$4.35; second clears, \$2.80 to \$2.90. Bran Flourity, \$1.425. The left of the spiritals about the entitled to the sounded in a fight with natives in the spiritals about the entitled to the sounded in a fight with natives in 111; No. 1 Northern, \$1.101; 90 to \$6; second patents; \$5.70 to \$5.80; first clears, \$4.25 to \$4.35; -In bulk, \$14.25

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

ket to-buy we're considerably larger than for some weeks, an active tone dominated the trade and a pronounce of firmness obtained in the prices recorded throughout the day.

Exporters.

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Do., light 4.15 4.40 by bulls 3.25 300 Butchers' Cattle, picked 4.45 bo, choice 4.15 4.70 bo, common 2.275 bo, com

been found an Hunker Creek.

Beston Congrecationalists invite Herkymen and laymen who wish to protest against the acceptance of Mr. John D. Rocketeller's gift of Do. barnyards, per Mr. 5.50

send in their names to cwt. 5.50

Do., Spring, each 3.50

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING Hogs, select, 160 to 200 lbs, off Do., fats, off cars Do., lights, off cars

HIGHEST BRIDGE IN WORLD Completed Over the Zambesi Rive at Victoria Falls.

London despatch says:-The British South Africa Company here has received a cablegram from Victoria line to Goderich crossing the Union Falls announcing that the bridge over the Zambesi River was linked up at The Pere Marquette Railway me-

Mr. Jessop has given notice that he will apply for an order of the House for a return of all corre-spondence between the sheriff of the County of Loncoln and the late Government or any member thereof, respecting the appointment of George Bush as jailor for the County of

Bush as jailor for the County of Lincoln.

Mr. Torrance has given notice of a bill to amend the Municipal Act.

Mr. Preston (Brant) has given no-tice of a bill to amend the Public Parks Act and a bill to amend the

Municipal Act.
Mr. Sutherland has given notice of a bill to amend the Act relating to the speed and operation of motor vehicles on highways.

Mr. Macdiarmid will introduce a bill to amend the Municipal Act.

MINOR AMENDMENTS. Hon. Mr. Hanna, in reply to Mr. Harcourt, said: "It is the intention of the Government to introduce at this session some minor amendments

ments during the retreat throwing.

GREAT SCOUTING EXPLOIT.

A despatch from Gen. Kuroki's during the Field, its Passan search of the terror to the cardy and the form. It is officially stated that —Two detachments of Japanese cavalry have returned to the array long and the modern of the ward, they care the from the field and the states are for January under the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa, and unless the array under the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and care the from the states are for of breakthilly. The search is caused at \$6.0 to \$7. State of the wards are formed to the array of the wards they form the field many under the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and major to cach detachment returned to the search of the war five that the Jussians are strengthening from the form the field many under the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Naganuma and Major Sassegawa and the leadership of Co. Sassegawa and the l

present stell."

Mr. Hanne added; for the benefit of some newspapers which were distributed about the matter, that Mr. Thorne was not and never had been in the employment of the Standard Oil Company.

REMOUNT DEPOTS. Pressed Hogs—Car lots quoted at \$7.75 to \$9 on track. Bacon long clears, \$2 to \$1c per latin case lots; \$7.75 to \$8 on track. Bacon, long clears, \$2 to \$1c per Bt. in case lots; mess pork, \$16; short cut, \$19 to \$10 specified and specified appears soon.

Smoked Meats—Hams, light to medium 13 to 13½c heavy, 12½c rolls.

\$1 to 15c; shoulders, \$1 to \$2 to \$2 to \$3 to \$4 to \$10 to

uis, April 4.—Wheat—Cash ed on the Commissioner of Public May, \$1.04; July, \$33c. Works. They asked that fisheries r. 812c. towards the \$1.04; May, \$1.04; July, 5035. Works. They asked that the September, \$11c.

When the September, \$11c.

Winneapolis, Minn., April 4—Wheat regulations on Georgian Bay be more strictly enforced. At present

> hospitals should be entitled to share German Southwest Africa. the Government grant for the sup-port of hospitals. In the past some private hospitals have been allowed Toronto, April 4.—Though the offerings of cattle at the Western Market to-day were considerably larger than for some weeks, an active tone than for some weeks, an active tone the formulated the trade and a pronounc-

THE WORLD'S MARKETS Calves, per cwt. 3.50 6.26 CONDENSED NEWS ITEMS DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Telegraphic Briefs From Our Own and Other Countries of Re-CANADA.

The D. R. A. meeting will open on August 28 this year. Hamilton has a case of smallp The patient is Thomas Dickson.

The Pere Marquette Railway chanical force is being reduced 15

The Alian Line's new turbine steamer Victorian arrived at Hali-fax on Saturday. Guelph City Council have granted ten acres of land to the Cana-Glue Company as a factory site.

At a meeting at Government House steps were taken to establish in Toronto a receiving home for girl nmigrants. It has been reported to Hon. L. P.

and hydrant extension.

The Ontario Government has definitely decided upon a direct Provincial issue of \$6,000,000 worth of bonds for the Temiskaming Railway. Calgary Board of Trade passed a ducts in the West Indies was growbonds for the Temiskaming Railway. Calgary Board of Trade passed a resolution to petition the new Legissalary for the leader of the Opposi-

who was supposed to have been killed in Winnipeg and his body thrown from a train, offer \$1,000 for the arest and conviction of his murderers, Ottawa City Council have unani-nously decided to buy out the Conmously decided to buy out the Consumers' Electric Company for \$200,000. In this way the city will guard against the creation of any more poly of electric lighting interests.

GREAT BRITAIN

The Torrey-Alexander Mission in ondon ended in a financial loss. King Edward's new yacht is to be

been introduced into the New York State Assembly. For the nine months of the fiscal year the United States Treasury de-

The soft coal operators in central shrinkage, and thereby company cheese moist and tasty.

by hanging himself in his room at the institution on Friday. Mr. Congdon was 67 years old, and had been a sufferer from melancholy for The clown in the circus puts this The clown in the circus puts this heen a sufferer from melancholy for a long time.

GENERAL

As a partial measure of relief the Czar has suspended the conscription the clown insists on the donkey advancing the more persistent are the conkey's movements towards the Minneapolis, Minn., April 4—Wheat
—May, \$1.07\frac{1}{2} to \$1.07\frac{1}{2}, July, \$1.

—May, \$1.07\frac{1}{2} to \$1.07\frac{1}{2}, July, \$1.

—they say the waters are being depopulated by poachers. The Minis—

—10 cents lower, first patents, \$5.

—ter will consider the question.

JEWS SHOT BY TROOPS. Four Were Killed and Forty Wounded in Warsaw.

4.55 ed a change in the system of supervision of grants for roads. They be appointed in each district and 5.50 asked that roads be built in the 4.25 northern part of the counties.

5.00 A.P. Aubirr. West Ninestern.

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER NOTES OF PROCEEDINGS IN

CANADA TEMPERANCE ACT. Mr. Gervais introduced a bill to amend the Canada Temperance Act. The bill proposes to make the right of appeal applicable to the Canada Temperance Act.

COVERNMENT OPDERS Sir Wilfred's motion, that on and after Monday next Government ders should have precedence, im-lately after questions by members was passed.

CENTRE TORONTO.

Sir Wilfrid informed Mr. Borden that the writ for the election in Centre Toronto had been issued. Nominations were to take place on April April 11 and the election on April 16. He had at first thought that it would be necessary to have a regis-tration of the manhood suffrage voters, but upon enquiry had found out that this would not be necessary as last year's lists would be suit-

DAIRY INDUSTRY.

It has been reported to Hon. L. P. Brodeur that spices sold throughout the country are greatly adulterated. London sapitalists are obtaining options on lots with the intention of erecting a first-class hotel in the Forest City.

The Cayuga Lake Co., of Ithica, N.Y., was awarded a contract for 15,000 barrels of cement, by the Hamilton Council.

The Uordon Council will issue \$9,-000 in debentures to cover the cost of the proposed water-works main and hydrant extension.

The Ontario Government has definitely decided upon a direct Provincial issue of \$6,000,000 worth of The demand for Canadian dairy pro-

was spossibly an opportunity for our Canadian farmers to commence the manufacture of soft cheese for home

Mr. Ruddick stated that there can never be any trade in butter between New Zealand or Australia and Canada, with the excessive freight and duty of four cents per pound. The Japanese are commencing to use butter, and there is a prospect of a profitable trade with that country. Canadian butter is also recapturing the market in the Yukon.

Prof. Ruddick believed there was more cheese and butter being produced in Quebec now than in Ontario.

The Torrey-Alexander Mission in London-ended in a financial loss.

King Edward's new yacht is to be built by Inglis, the Scotch builder.

Lord Kelvin, who underwent a surgical operation, is progressing favorably.

Secretary of Wag, Arnold-Foster in the House of Commons said it was impossible to reduce the British army.

UNITED STATES.

A bill to prohibit bucket shops has been introduced into the New York State Assembly.

For the nine months of the fiscal

met with objections in the old country, still it is making its way, and, year the United States Heady ficit is \$24,478,132. Farmers of the United States are warned by the Secretary of Agricul-ture that their wheat fields are fail-ture that their wheat fields are fail-ture that their wheat fields are fail-

The soft coal operators in central Pennsylvania have agreed to pay last year's wage scale; and a strike is thus averted.

A hig Maltese tabby tat has taken charge of a nest of eggs at Cumberland, Md., after driving the hen away. The chicks are expected to appear soon.

President Rooswelt has issued a proclamation inviting the nations of proclamation inviting the nations of large.

ercises. When the clown cries "Forward!" the donkey proceeds backward!" the donkey proceeds wards, and the more energy

Finally the clown is obliged to call out. "Now I know your proper name it is Kuropatkin." Sersems of laughter follow from the authore The police have now ordered the cir cus to be closed, and have arrested the unfortunate fundy man. The fate of the donkey is unknown, but it is feared that he will be exited to

the school buildings would be blown is suffering from awful wounds up.
the head, fractured rbs, and shashed hand, which has been stam 4.25 northern part of the counties.

5.00 A P. Aubin, West Nipissing, in7.35 troduced a delegation from Verner,
asking that a road be opened and lence are visiting private persons and ed on. Four ringleaders of the prior town and Temagami.

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