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NOT A RELIGIOUS QUESTION. We reproduce from the Montreal Ga-

zette of the 30th ultimo a thoughtful, a mode: ate and a timely article. The Gazette in that article deals with a very delicate question and it deals with it most judiciously. It is exceedingly difficult to discuss the political differences, so called, that arise from time to time between Protestants and Catholics without giving offence to extremists of both denominations. It is extremely hard to get men to listen to reason when in their opinion an injury has been done, or is contemplated, to the religious body to which they belong. To many the Manitoba school difficulty is simply a question between Protestants and Catholics. In their opinion good Protestants should range themselves on one side and with the reasoning of the Hon. David faithful Catholics on the other. They Mills, and undertakes to correct that persistently refuse to view the question deeply-read and hard-thinking Liberal in any other than a religious light. leader. It says "the fundamental error tional religion has really nothing to do Mills, in favor of the claim of the Maniand the people of the Dominion are tion that the minority of Manitoba and how hard it is to get two men or two of the constitutional lawyer of Regina. this Dominion is to have peace, moder- ority is entitled to a redress of their ate views must prevail, and they should grievance, and that his reasoning was so

of the electors of this Dominion will have to look upon the question as they look upon a dispute between individuals regarding the conditions of a contract Philadelphia journalist in an intensely or an agreement. The parties to an agreement pledge themselves to do cer- ish with being a "mongrel nation." honesty, when the lime comes to do what they have promised to do. look at home before he again condemned This is where religion really comes in in this Manitoba case, as well as in every themselves by agreements, no matter be as good as their word to keep the covenants they have entered into.

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vinces has entered into an agreement to careful and friendship for the Mother country and tions of that agreement to the letter.

Swedes, Hungarians, French and other to carry out in good faith the agreements on street corners or over the shops of they have made as it is on individuals. New York and Brooklyn testify to the This Confederation is kept together by survival of a strong Dutch element in the federal compact. It is of the very first necessity that the different parties to the compact shall do all that they had states. Of these fifteen millions are

AN EXTREME VIEW.

The Winnipeg Tribune of the 2nd inst. has an article on the Conference. the negotiations, says:

result than that which has been reached. The Dominion commissioners, in order to satisfy the Quebec hierarchy, could accept nothing less fought, and won by such a sweeping majority. Strong and all as the personnel the Greenway government may be, t dare not attempt to make any settlement f the school question that would involve the sacrifice of the principle of national schools. So earnest are the members of the legislature in their adherence to the national school idea and for that school system we will con-

It will be observed that the Tribune them by the Constitution were not of so ridiculously over-estimated the working classes are concerned: the slightest consequence in the esti-strength of Osman Digna's army and mation of the Tribune. The will of the the forces at his disposal that very few land's mation of the Tribune. The will of the forces at his disposal that very lew majority, whether it was in accordance in telligent people will now place the honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that very lew standard, with the Roman Catholic ceives that the constitution lays a duty honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that very lew standard, with the Roman Catholic ceives that the constitution lays a duty honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that very level and the constitution lays a duty honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that the common sense, the honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that the common sense, the honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that the common sense, the honesty of purpose, the unfailing energy prayers substituted for the Protestant whether the forces at his disposal that the common sense, the honesty of purpose are the common sense and the protection of the pr with the Constitution or not, was all slightest reliance on their statements and the administrative ability of the that, in the estimation of the Tribune, was worthy of consideration. Of course that the dervishes have done very little strikingly shown. Finances have been Mr. Laurier is opposed to the bill bein this light it was not possible to Suakim is apparently in no danger. It in the Government has in hand a connegotiate to any purpose.

MR. MILLS CORRECTED.

The Regina Leader does not agree When you tell them that denomina- in the argument of the Hon. David been raised to get Manitoba under the tagonist who, by the way, is not Mr. believes that the Manitoba minority are as he says, by the force of Mr. Mills' refused their rights because they are reasoning that he ought to do so. We Catholics. It can easily be understood do not intend to criticise the lucubration parties who look at the question in this All that we purpose to do is to direct atway to take a moderate, common-sense tention to the fact that the Hon. David cogent and convincing that he made a If we are to have peace the majority convert of Mr. Davin.

A MIXED RACE.

It was only the other day that anti-British article reproached the Brittain things, and they are bound in This, of course, was intended to be both severe and contemptuous. We at the for carrying out the conditions, time advised the anglophobist editor to the British because they are of mixed origin. 'An article by an intensely

from it: protect the denominational minority of the race from which they sprang. But There is, thank God, no difference be- nationalities have produced an essentween Protestants and Catholics as to tially heterogeneous, cosmopolitan nathe duty of keeping faith with those tion unlike any country in the world-a Province of Manitoba has covenanted to protect the denominational minority of only forty-three odd millions. Amongst its inhabitants in their rights, is it not these forty-three odd millions of native- country. the duty of Manitoba to carry out its born Americans, too, an immense num- The Soudan has since the siege of

half, probably, are of pure English and Scotch descent, while the fifteen millions of foreigners include about five millions

It unconsciously shows that the Man-that before the British fleet commenced itoba negotiators were not free agents. the bombardment of Alexaudria the knew were obnoxious to the extreme men of their party. This is what the mother country: for the pro-English men of their party. This is what the mother country; for the pro-English Tribune, after announcing the failure of sympathies and sentiment still linger in the breasts of Americans; but these We do not possibly see how anyone who has studied the case, or understands the circumstances, could expect any other growing cosmopolitan spirit due to the renewed increase of foreign immigra-

Mr. Gossip is not ashamed of the adority, because it was upon this issue politan nation—a veritable olla pod- which a European army would starve.

THE EGYPTIAN CAMPAIGN.

the vanguard of the British expedition and the defenders of the Soudan.

THE SOUDAN.

It might be supposed that in these It might be supposed that in these days of steamships, railroads, telegraphs and globe-trotting generally there would usual stood in the way. The Governnot be a corner of the earth's sur- ment has nevertheless a large and inwith the question which the Parliament toba minority for redress, is the assump- face left unexplored, and that full information relative to the most remote called upon to consider, they listen with Quebec hold their special privileges corner of the wildest part of the earth's an equally thriving state. Egyptian men; the monitor Monterey, 175 men; incredulity, or they refuse to listen at under identical conditions." It is to be surface can be easily obtained by the inall. They know better. The zealous hoped that Mr. Mills will be able to telligent inquirer. But this is very far the most calcable in t Protestant says that the question has meet the objections of his Regina an- from being the case. Whenever public the cultivation of sugar cane yields high thumb of the Roman Catholic hierarchy, Davin. Mr. Davin voted for the second or semi-barbarous country, it is soon the whole life of the country depends, from England for Esquimalt early last and the angry Roman Catholic says and reading of the Remedial bill, convinced, seen how little even the best educated have been steadily improved, and view of the matter in dispute. But, if Mills considers that the Manitoba min the condition and resources of the two ceasing labor reign everywhere." on a war with an active and enterprishig the world. enemv.

To-day, when most persons of inquirng minds want to know something definite and reliable as to the condition ent session has not raised it in the estiof the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan (spelled by the London mation of intelligent and thoughtful of the Soudan mation of intelligent mation of intelligent mation of intelligent mation mation of intelligent mation of intelligent mation mation mation mation mation of intelligent mation ma Times Sudan) their laudable curiosity is United States citizens. They say that ment of the 1896 seal catch to arrive in other case in which men have bound loyal United States citizen, G. H. D. by no means easily gratified. Most it has wasted time, and that what it has shipment, representing the schooner Gossip, in the March number of the people know that it is south of Egypt done has not been in the interests of the Kilmeny's season's work. The passenwhether the agreement is called a cove- Fortnightly Review, maintains that the and they have an idea that a people. They maintain, in fact, that Congers who arrived on the Maude were J. nant, a treaty, a compact, or a ConAmericans are not in sympathy with the great part of its area is desert. gress does not adequately represent the great part of its area is desert. stitution. All religions that deserve the British because they are not really They, too, have a hazy notion that citizens of the Republic, and is very far steamer reports all the sealers out huntstitution. All religions that deserve the name require those who profess them to blood relations. Here is an extract its inhabitants are principally Arabs of blood relations. Here is an extract its inhabitants are principally Arabs of indeed from carrying out their welling.

The Glasgow Weekly Mail of March 21 the fiercest kind. How the people live, understood wishes. Harper's Weekly what kind of Government they have, laments the ineffectiveness of Congress, in No doubt," says Mr. Gossip, "blood what kind of Government they have, laments the Interest of Congress, Imperieuse, recently commissioned as is thicker than water and many Ameri- what are their resources and what and it goes so far as to say, almost in so flagship to Rear Admiral Palliser to reof Manitoba or any other of the protest with a civilized nation are questions ceased to be really a republic. Here is station, was to have had a trial of her test with a civilized nation are questions that are not easily answered. We find that the dervishes, as they are called, on "Our Congress":

machinery at Portsmouth on Wednesday, but her reversing gear gave out and she had to return to dockyard to its inhabitants in the educational rights how many Americans there are of pure that the dervishes, as they are called, on "Our Congress": and privileges they have lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the control of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centres of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centrol of the country is the lawfully acquired, it is the duty—the acknowllinermarriage for more than two centrol of the country is the lawfully acquired to the country quired, it is the duty—the acknowledged religious duty—of both Protestants and Catholics to fulfil the condiduring the past twelve years or so, been through their representatives, and adale to enter the Soudan, Oliver Pain, able to enter the Soudan, Oliver Pain, minister them through their servants.

They make the laws afternoon. The Puebla also brought for this port over 95 tons of freight.

A new vessel has just been built for a half-crazy Frenchman, and all that we This is the theory, and it is a theory the Alaska Improvement Company at are told about him is that his death was which has been sometimes put in prac- San Francisco. The craft is 120 feet the duty of keeping faith with those with whom they deal. They are all taught to be as good as their word, to keep the bargains they have made. And it is just as obligatory on communities—municipalities, provinces, nations—to carry out in good faith the agreements

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The steam schooner Mischief, with the steam schooner Mischief, with the steam schooner Mischief. painful and sudden. At the beginning of the war waged against Egypt by the Mahdi several priests and nuns and gov-Mahdi several priests Among them was Slatin Pasha, enactment the laws Among them was Slatin Pasha, who is now the guide of the expedition. They were allowed opportunity opportunity in the result of incapacity as of leaves and of the expedition. They were allowed opportunity opportunity in the result of incapacity as of leaves on the result tunities during their captivity to observe carelessness and indifference and of a what was going on around them and it is from them and from Egyptian spies affairs—the necessity of sound governpromised. If it can be shown that the foreigners not native-born, and there are that the British Government have been ment to the real and permanent pros-Province of Manitoba has covenanted to seven millions of negroes, so that the able to get what information they pos-

agreement with regard to that minority ber are of foreign parentage, with for- Khartoum been in an unsettled condi- good and that the best its members can without waiting a moment to consider eign proclivities, or of mixed descent, tion. Industry has not flourished and do for the good of the country would whether the minority is Catholic or Prowhether the minority is Catholic or Proguage of the country, the United States testant? There can be no question about it.

what commerce the country has is decaying the country has a Americans, at a rough guess, only about not sufficed to suppress discord. Police posed of the representatives of the bill issue, is that the passage of the and the punishment of crime are scarce- whole nation. "These representatives," measure will kill the party. There is a posed of the representatives of the measure will kill the party. There is a posed of the representatives of the measure will kill the party. There is a posed of the representatives of the measure will kill the party.

ly thought of. Years of crop failures, Harper's Weekly says, "were nominat- sition to the bill is so strong as to in of Germans and Irish. It is quite of pestilence and of increasing wars, ed by party bosses or through intrigue peril the chances of election of any can true blood is thicker than water, and have brought the people to look back to which the people generally did didate who supports it. That is an un the days of Egyptian rule as a time of not understand or did not take the peace and plenty. It is confidently be- trouble to circumvent. Thus nominated the existence among many people of

there is in this description of the inter- were thus limited to a choice between plain meaning of the constitution. W sympathies are gradually getting weaker nal condition of the Soudan. Slatin two evils." Pasha has said that the fighting strength of the dervishes has been ridiculously the Great Republic, but by one of its Church nor its thoughtful pastors exaggerated, and it is very likely that citizens, who evidently has its welfare prove. With us these people are he is right, as he speaks from personal at heart. When a lover of the Republic observation. It is known for certain thus bears strong testimony to the fail- small proportion to the noise they m mixture of other races with the descend- that the dervishes, whether they be ure of the most important of republican than separate schools, and separate schools our government could ants of the pilgrim fathers. He is, on many or few, are very brave, and that institutions, what may be expected of not concede and continue in power. Not the contrary, proud that the Americans they can keep the field and remain in an enemy of republicanism—of govern- do not affect the general result. have become "a heterogeneous cosmo- good fighting trim under conditions in ment by the people and for the people? government of the country would

THE BRITISH IN EGYPT.

any proposal to restore separate schools. Nile is neither rich nor populous. The given as an instance of downright rob- in a late issue says: If the people of Manitoba are united up- dervishes, though brave and hardy, are bery, and the unfortunate Khedives, L'Electeur, Mr. Laurier's principal on any one point, it is that our national school system shall be preserved inviolate. For our school system we have struggled and braved every opposition, large and well equipped army. Their large and well equipped army. Their large and moderately anthropists and patriots may perhaps struggled and braved every opposition, large and well equipped army. Their anthropists and patriots may, perhaps, L'Electeur emphasizes the difference bestrength and their mode of warfare are believe that the British deserve all the tween the clerical schools and the servatives managed in Ontario. It did cies, the expedition against them is sure observers known to be impartial who that is, the school in the management to nullify the misnamed Equal Rights to succeed. The war correspondents say that the British occupation of Egypt of which the priest was supreme, the Agitation which won temporary attendoes not say one word about the merits of many of the newspapers are not of the case. It speaks as if the question of the majority in them cannot resist the temptation of country. This is what an American were one between the majority in them cannot resist the temptation of country. This is what an American ment places the schools under state opposition, in some quarters, Manitoba and the hierarchy in Quebec. attempting to create a scare. But we writer says about the effects of the control by requiring inspection and The rights of the minority secured to think they will not succeed. They have British occupation of Egypt as far as its efficiency, and under popular control

and predictions. It will be observed imperial Englishman have been most is not by any means likely that there siderable sum, obtained through the suchas as yet been an encounter between cessful manipulation of the landed debt. It has been proposed to use this for the construction of a new barrage or irriga-tion dam at Assouan, which would add enormously to the country's arable area. The consent of the six great powers of Europe is, however, necessary for most important financial measures, and in

"The agriculture of the country is in between China and Japan broke out carefully equalized, and the ancient how very few even of the statesmen, the barbarities of corvee and kurbash, how very few even of the statesmen, the savants and the travellers of the world, were in a position to give the reading pubwere in a position to give the reading pubdone away with. The fellaheen are a docile, laborious folk, with little thought lic anything like a correct idea of of politics. Good order, peace and un-

countries? About China particularly This, according to the testimony of a ranization, and to its capacity to carry injury to the inhabitants of the rest of stormy voyage, which lasted 56 days.

UNITED STATES CONGRESS.

The action of Congress during its pres-

failure to recognize the important relation existing between public and private SILVER.

The most intelligent business men in the great cities do not scruple to say that Congress is doing more harm than

It is hard to tell how much truth by another machine, and the people

THE QUEBEC TUNE.

people are Protestants, the preponder Mr. Laurier and his organ sing in Que-A great deal has been said about the bec a very different tune on the Manito- the 4,883,000 people in the country Very little is known about the move- greed of the British for new territory ba school question from that which the cording to the last census, 1,992,017 were ments of the troops in the Soudan. It and their unscrupulousness in seizing Liberals sing in Ontario. In the latter prois certain that the number of the troops the land belonging to weak nations when vince the Liberals find fault with the Catholics. Could the zealots on either under Osman Digna has been greatly they believe it will be of use to them. Government's Remedial bill because it side set two such bodies in opposition exaggerated. It is now known that the The British occupation of Egypt has is too clerical; in Quebec the burden of regular government would become next and to the legislation of 1890, that they would defeat the government on the first vote if the government put forward thing like it. The country of the Upper tion, principally by the French. It is not clerical; in Quebec the burden of is too clerical; in Quebec the burden of is too clerical; in Quebec the burden of impossible. Most fortunately, attempts to been the theme of unending vilification, principally by the French. It is

through giving trustees the duty of local management. The clerical school "Egypt has been the chief of Eng- is what Manitoba abolished and voted cause it would prefer to interfere in a latter-day successes. It is in against; the school of the public school province's affairs. It is because it con prayers in exclusively Roman Catholic districts, is what the bill provides for. with those who look upon the question indeed, so far. Kassala is still safe, and placed on a sound and a prosperous foot-

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

There could not, it is conceded, be a more popular or attractive feature in connection with the coming Queen's the moderate men that the government birthday celebration than to have the United States Pacific Coast squadron present for the occasion. This fleet, comprising some six vessels will accordcomprising some six vessels, will according to Admiral Beardslee who is in Angeles very shortly. In a letter which the Admiral writes to Port Angeles he states that the float will consider the will consider the float will be float with the float will consider the float will consider the float will consider the float will consider the float will be float will consider the float will consider the float will be float will consider the float will consider the float will be float states that the fleet will consist of his flagship the Philadelphia, carrying 550: the coast defence ship Monadnock, 175 the cruiser Alert, 160 men, and probably the cruiser Ranger, 155 men.

THE COMING FLAGSHIP.

attention is directed to any barbarous profits. Irrigation methods, on which H. M. S. Imperiense having sailed month, will not arrive here as soon as seen how little even the best educated modern sanitary and quarantine systems introduced. Taxation is being her machinery she was obliged to put back, and her arrival here now may no be until August. The Royal Arthur will, it is expected, remain until the

A SEALER LOST AT SEA.

News comes to E. B. Marvin & Co. from Capt. J. G. Cox, who is now at the most grotesque blunders were made citizen of the United States, is the way Yokohama, that one of the Vera's seathe most grotesque blunders were made by men who bught, one might suppose, by men who bught, one might suppose, in which Great Britain has used her her passage from Victoria to Japan, and to be in a position to be well informed. opportunities in Egypt, and these are two members of the schooner's crew Statesmen, editors, and military men, the results. It cannot be denied that were obliged to enter hospital upon A Condition that Was Almost as the event proved, were all at sea relato the native Egyptian working classes, these, as also that of the unfortunate tive to the extent of the resources of to the native Egyptian working classes, man lost, were not mentioned in the China, to the nature of its military or- and it is very far indeed from being an letter received. The Vera had a very MARINE NOTES.

> At 4 o'clock yesterday morning the C. P.N. steamer Maude, Captain Roberts, got in from the West Coast and at noon proceeded to Comox for coal. She brought in a small but important the market. There were 92 skins in the sen and wife, and E. Schultz. The Mrs. Irvine Cured by the Great

contains the following paragraph: "The "The most painful and humiliating make good the defects. This will pro-

A new vessel has just been built for

COPPER

WANTED. Compound, and used for kidney trouble disappear and sleeplessness are trooping. and my general health proved. In a word, I am

Write for prices. Give assays, etc. STATE ORE SAMPLING CO., Denver, Colo. ap8s&w-1y

"KILLING THE PARTY

(From the Montreal Gazette, March 30) One claim of the Conservative papers fortunate state of affairs, of course, and in more senses than one. It indicates

and leads them to disregard have the same class of people in () uel whose earnestness takes them into ultr minority whose influence bears their views. They do not decide ele tions, except in isolated instances which next to impossible were the situation While the majority of the Canadian

ance in numbers is not very large. Roman Catholics. The percentage was among Protestants as well as among Catholics. The common sense of mos principle of the Remedial Bill will also fail to accomplish anything serious.

it loves Roman Catholic schools, or beceives that the constitution lays a duty Manitoba' privileges held for twenty years, and guaranteed on the faith of the country. There is in such a position party. There is, rather, when the past is remembered, reason for saying that the adoption of any other course would be to destroy the party. ligious struggles it is the moderthe accredited delegates of the Canadian always, in every country, defeat the demagogues in the end. It is the support of these the government is directing its policy to obtain. Those who accuse it of smashing the party are themselves the smashers. They wish to antagonize 41 per cent. of the population ithout do anything to wi proval of the remaining 59 per cent

The government is not acting because

AT DEATH'S DOOR

FRIENDS THOUGHT THE END WAS NEAR.

Hopeless.

FAILURE FOLLOWED FAILURE.

POUND WAS USED.

Medicine.

AN IMPORTANT LETTER.

At death's door owing to kidney nervousness, sleeplessness and respectively. Mrs. Irvine's friends real fact that she was nearing the grant that the same that the Doctors and their prescriptions break the power of the disease.

A resolve was at last made to give ! Celery Compound a fair and lead to the glorious results, ye can be skeptics! Four bottles of Pa skeptics! Compound effected a cure, and si every sick man and woman shoul Paine's Celery Compound. Mrs. Wm. Irvine, who resides in St N.B. writes thus:

"I have been troubled for the strain upon my system from ing and overwork. I was and my friends said 'I wa death.' I resolved to try

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Vancouver to Send Imperial Tra

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board of trade, whi P R store car runn and Kamloops, aske of the Vancouver box continued as a detrir the board here passed all in their power to board. An official of when interviewed resentative, stated the company was to town to interfere wit car would be disc found that it was

trade The British Columb sociation have asked the Vancouver board ing the high rates cha R. on the Pacific divisi

The board of trade w to the chambers of con of trade of the empire don in June next. suggested, but the boar a Vancouver citizen. The license commis

ing to the council to licenses from \$600 to \$ house licenses from \$20 The report of the commending the accep solidated Tramway an pany's offer to light th per light for 200 light over 200 lights, was a

by the council. A hail storm with shining was a weather this morning.

VANCOUVER, April 9 Hampton, the account pearance at North Ben a few days ago, has bee mon river. The dec North Bend, had lunch was in motion got on express car which whistling of the train mistaken by the lan station signal and he through the bridge 7 The late Mr. Hampto London, Out., where lar. His family wer from London for the o time of the accident.

VANCOUVER. April James Hartney left Creditors, whose claim 000, are anxious as to The Bank of Britis

Dan. McGillivray for R. G. McKay has redeath of an uncle by one-fifth of an estate

WESTMINSTER, Apri ination of a suspected river disclosed a net v net woven into the two nets were confis from which the net w three times the haul boats, showing the regulating the size of William Hogg was

to-day to stand trial seduction of a 15-year-The British Columb Association will hold a at New Westminster 14th inst. The council of West sidering the advisabili dog tax, while the

are informally discussing of killing off a hundred canines and putting up remainder. WESTMINSTER, April formed co-operative tion at Langley is calling the erection of a cream The Royal City art a

ciety will arrange thi thorough and systen the Indian mounds of British Columbia. WESTMINSTER, April are being largely peti local train between .

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have been chartered. A large number of In ing to leave for Kuper big potlach will be held which all the chiefs tribes will deliver speed tion of holding potlache Mr. Chalmers is busy hotel close to the wa townsite of Alberni, an long before the building Last week the steam

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