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Resume Occupation of Damag-

San Francisco, April 23.—The new San

Francisco that will rise from the ashes

of the old city was in its first stages

under Greely's orders.

Law Courts Grind Again.

low and civil cases, such as damage

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SPEND NIGHT IN RAIN.

ing rain fell upon San Francisco last

night. From midnight until 3 o'clock

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## BANDON THE PREFERENCE FOR BENEFIT OF CANADA TO GAIN GERMANY'S TRADE

In Discussion on Detrimental ABUSED GOVI. S GOOD F German Surtax, Members Take Unexpected Attitude-Preference Does Canada no Good.

## **GOVERNMENT TO REPEAL** THE INDEMNITY MEASURE

Ottawa, April 23.-(Special.) - The government has determined to repeal called for Thursday.

since .898 between the government or dritish governments respecting the tariffs of Germany and Canada. He condemned the government as careless and indifferent in the interests of the farmer in not cuitivating trade with Germany. It has been growing gradually less. In 1835 Germany placed a high tariff against Canada amounting to 100 per cent. Our government retailated by placing a surtax of 331-3 per cent. Upon German imports. The minister of agriculture had recently said to a deputation that he had hoped that better trade relations would soon exist, but that if they did not "it would not make any very great difference."

Mr. Armstrong regarded this statement as foolish and irresponsible. On March 1 Germany had put a survax upon goods from Canada that amount. The edito prohibition. The apple trade was survax upon goods from Canada that amount, "We have the deserve all possible publicity. Why, then hide the guilty offers the proposal of the form by the profited by scannel and irresponsible. On March 1 Germany had put a survax upon goods from Canada that amount."

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prohibition. The apple trade was especially affected.

Condemns the Preference. German merchants had written Canadian fruit growers, urging them to do something, but they were unable to in-terest the minister of agriculture. Outside of apples, our exports to Ger-

00 per annum, yet Germany was the second largest consumer of agricultural products in the world. Nothing was gained by the Teitish preference. Canadian goods sell in

England on their merits and not on sentiment, yet it is the British preference that closes to our farmers the ports Mr. Fielding, minister of finance, thought the speeches were unwise, if to-night; not unpatriotic. Informal negotiations Governm

were now in progress between the two countries. He defended the policy of the present government towards Ger-many as having been very popular among the people. They appreciated that Germany had penalized goods from Canada because of the British preference. No foreign country had a right to take offence at this; it was purely a family affair.

this was purely a "family affair," that England and every colony but Canada escaped the surtax.
A Liberal Pledge.

Mr. Sproule (East Grey) said that he Liberals had come into power lledged to reduce taxation. They pledged to reduce taxation. vere to give a preference to Great Britain and thereby decrease taxation. The cry, then, was that they would. from year to year, lower the tariff.
Sir Charles Tupper had pointed out that the preference, if adopted as proposed by the Liberal government. would violate every commercial treaty containing a favored nation clause. He pointed out that Canada would find herself embroiled in commercial with them.'

Lavoist, he says, Our English to the possession of this city and my home, made a prisoner of my portrait and carried it off with them.'

Empress Hotel. Yonge and Gould Sts., R. Dissette, Prop. \$1.50 and \$2.00 per day. would violate every commercial treaty find herself embroiled in commercial war with Germany and Belgium. And found in force a growing trade with wheat and rye. Instead of cultivating this market, we first violated Britain's treaty and then prevailed on Britain to denounce it. Not satisfied with this, we singled out Germany and put a surtax upon all her goods. Is it and wonder that Germany has put a tariff of \$1.50 per barrel upon our apples and 50 cents per bushel upon our wheat. What has been gained in place of this great market thus

German Market is Needed. Mr. Chisholm (East Huron) said that the formers of Ontario were now driven to depend for their living upon dairy products and fruit. Ultimately they would have to rely upon fruit alone, for in that they need not fear

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A few full dress White Vests to clear at \$2.50. Hobberlin's, 153 Yonge-st.

Q. O. R. Men Get in Line. Come to A. Clubb & Sons, 49 West King, and get a military cane; fine assortment-Wangee and Black Cane,

Must Lay Hands, He Says on Trading Company's Promoters.

Montreal, April 23 .- (Special.) -- Hon. Mr. Tarte appears to be convinced that the North Atlantic Trading Company's scandal is a bad business, and that the Mr.Armstrong (East Lambton) concern- government committed a blunder in ing the German surtax precipitated a supporting Mr. Smart's refusal to give general debate on the tariff, including the names. The ex-minister, writing of original investigation. the British preference. Mr. Henderson from Ottawa to La Patrie, says that the British preference. Mr. Henderson (Halton), when challenged to state what he would do, unhesitatingly said that he would vote to abolish this "jughandled" preference. He declared himself a loyal Briton, but for Canada first. The government refused as usual to give any intimation of its views on the tariff, altho many members of the public treasury? If so, but are the arrangements made in 1902 and 1904 fraudulent or not? Do they cover a criminal act, and an audacious plunder of the public treasury? If so,

Mr. Clement (West Kent) urged that somehing be done at once to encourage the growers of tobacco. Thousands of dollars would at once be invested if there was any assurance of adequate protection.

Mr. Armstrong (East Lambton) moved for copies of all correspondence since 1896 between the government of Canada and the German or isritish

While Hon. Mr. Tarte cannot believe that Mr. Preston is compromised, the ex-minister says he is an essential wit-

# terest the minister of agriculture. Outside of apples, our exports to Germany had only amounted to about \$500,-

following correspondence between Earl Grey and the president was given out

Government House, Ottawa, Feb. 7. -My Dear Mr. Fresident,-The fortune of war and the accident of inheritance have made me the owner of the portrait of Franklin, which Major Andre took out of his house in Philathe portrait of Franklin, which Major delphia and gave to his commanding officer, my great-grandfather, General Sir Charles Grey. This portrait, which Franklin stated was "allowed by those who have seen it to have great merit as a picture in every respect," has for over a century occupied the chief place of honor on the walls of my North umbrian home. Mr. Choate has suggested to me that the approaching Franklin bicentennial celebration at Philadelphia on April 20, provides a fitting opportunity for restoring to the American people a picture which they will be glad to recover. I gladly fall

in with his suggestion.
"In a letter from Franklin, written from Philadelphia, Oct. 23, 1788, to Maronto, Modame Lavoisie, he says, 'Our English field, N.J.

"As your English friend, I desire to this was precisely what happened. The present government had blundered. It 130 years, his liberty, and shall be oba final resting place in the White House, but I leave this to your judgment. I field, N.J. remain with great respect and in all

friendship,

"Yours truly, "Grey."

thrown away? Gentlemen on the other side pointed to the British preference. What benefit is the British Preference to the farmers of Canada? We get in return no benefit beyond that freely given by the mother country to our competitors from the Unitthat freely given by the mother country to our competitors from the Unitgest. I shall then formally thank you for your great and thoughtful courtesy. Meanwhile, let me say privately how much I appreciate, not only what you have done but the spirit in which you have done it, and the way in which the manner of doing it adds to it the generosity of the gift itself. I shall have placed on the portrait, which shall, of course, be kept at the White House as you desire, the circumstances of its W. Harper, Customs Broker, 5 Melinds taking and return. With heartiest re-

Sincerely yours, "Theodore Roosevelt."

## STUDENTS PROTEST AWARD AND SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Students Take Up Objections of Boswell and Demand to Know Why He Was Declared Ineligible for Prize.

at the university.

H. F. Dawes, a teacher in the physics department, under Dr. Maclellan. has been awarded the 1851 exhibition scholarship of \$750.

M. W. Boswell, one of several competitors, was recommended by the ex-

Boswell was declared ineligible by the university council, and the others

That the under-graduates were much incensed at the decision of the council, was forthcoming in a largely circulated petition, which was presented to the senate asking them to reconsider their award. sider their award.

The petition mentioned that, should the senate take no action, the matter would be referred to the university commission, and also to the university

bers pointed out that there was great dissatisfaction among the farmers of Ontario.

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And 1904 fraudulent or not? Do they commission, and also to the commission and also to the commission and the commission and also to the commission and also to the commission and also to the commission and the commission and the co

ed a committee of lawyers to look into the matter a little, as the document set forth by the controllers of the scholarship was not very clear. Boswell had no claim whatever. No one thought he had. He was a very good student, and several of the council would have been glad to give it to him. He was, however, quite disqualified by his long absence from the university. The understanding on which the scholarship was placed was that the successful man should be in attendance at the university for at least a year before the thesis words that have reached the businessmen of San Francisco from eastern financial centres, all these things have dispelled the feeling of uncertainty.

Homeless persons were fed to-day in a systematic manner. On the water front, where the immediate construction of buildings in which to resume business at the earliest possible time.

Confidence has been restored. The assurance of the insurance companies, the measures taken by the financial institutions, the prompt and reassuring words that have reached the businessmen of San Francisco from eastern financial centres, all these things have dispelled the feeling of uncertainty.

Fed by System. a year before the thesis was presented for consideration. It was quite na-tural that the exhibition commission should not want to grant a scholarship Ottawa, April 23.—(Special.)—The to any man who was roaming around and not a regular attendant.

Good Candidates. There had not been a word said this year, said the principal, that the competitors for the scholarship, besides Dawes and Boswell, were incapable of original research. There were a number of very fine men presenting theses Prof. Alfred Baker would make no

the university.
Provost Macklem and Chancello Burwash would not be interviewed. "I think that I could have won the cholarship," 'said Boswell, "but in view of the way things are going I do not wish to make any statements."

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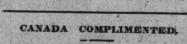
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York Springs high-c ass Ginger Ale, dry and aromatic.

We will occupy our new premises, 5 "The White House, Washington, Feb. West King-street, in a few weeks. All

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WITH APOLOGIES TO GIBSON.

Detroit, April 23.—The Detroit Journal (Rep.) to-night says editorially:

"The first appropriation of the United States Congress for the relief of San Francisco was one million dollars. Canada, which has less than one-twelfth of the population of the United States and a still smaller proportion of resources, granted a government appropriation of one hundred thousand. That the Dominion government should itself take official cognizance of the situation, and make a grant that is proportionately even more generous that that of our own government, on which a special obligation rested, was as unexpected as it was gracious.

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the promptness of the act shows how spontaneous it was. It ought to be remembered as a beautiful incident in the history of two countries which are neighbors in a sense in which no two other nations in the whole world are neighbors. no two other nations in the whole world are neighbors, it no two others occupy a similar relative position toward each other and the rest of the world and the respective interests and people and territories of no other two come in touch along a continuous line, 4000 miles in extent."

a systematic manner. On the waterfront, where the boatloads of provisions of docked, there was an endless procession of carts and drays carrying food to the scores of sub-stations etsablished thruout the city and the parks. At these stations food and drink, comprisingbread, prepared meats and canned goods, milk and a limited amount or hot coffee and even fruit were served to all those who applied.

About 1500 tons of food are moved daily from the waterfront,

Large supplies of blankets, tentings and other material to provide coverings for those who have the first and in the parks and in the parks and open places. Few of these were provided with waterproof clothes, For the most part their only protection from the wet was a thin covering of sheeting tacked upon improvised tents. Thru daily from the waterfront.

Large supplies of blankets, tentings and other material to provide coverings for those who have been scantily supplied are reaching the supply stations rapidly. Barracks have been completed at several points and in these many static pour shed women and infants at several points, and in these many persons have found comfort and shelter in families and old and feeble persons the inclementals of the weather persons have found comfort and shelter against the inclemencies of the weather. The situation in the congested camps, such as Golden Gate Park and the various public squares thruout the city, has been considerably relieved by the department of many persons for rolling and old and feeble persons were in this plight, nothing need be added to describe the misery of their condition. The downpour has aggravated the already unsanitary that institution last night.

Higgins with another convict had parture of many persons for rolling and feeble persons were in this plight, nothing need to describe the misery of the brutar induction. The downpour has aggravated the already unsanitary that institution last night. parture of many persons for points on the other side of the bay. While the number of persons leaving the city is nothing like the vast crowds that packed the ferry building during the first two days of the city building during the first two days of the city building during the first two days of the city that could be done was done by the guards with another convict had been working in a machine shop, from which they had stolen several saw blades.

With wonderful dexterity they suced the ferry building during the first General health conditions are satisfactory. While the number of cases at

the various hospitals has increased each day, sickness is mostly due to exposure and worry.

The most encouraging feature is the absence of anything like contagion or anything like contagion or any nature The most encouraging feature is the absence of anything like contagion or an epidemic of disease of any nature whatever. The somewhat unsatisfactory sanitary arrangements in the various camps, the lack of a variety in diet, and the exposed situation of so ments; and in some places there have been a few cases of such diseases as measles and chickenpox, but probably not more than would develop under ordinary circumstances in a large city.

Enforced Hospitality.

With few exceptions, those who had homes responded readily to the new call made upon them, and where they did not the butt ends of rifles quickly forced a way thru the inhospitable doors. While the storm has added to the difficulties of the general committee, ese, especially of those having in charge the sick, the sanitation of the city, and the housing of the homeless, it has been a spur to even greater of the chaos prevailing. Regular shelter Enforced Hospitality. dinary circumstances in a large city. The primary causes of disease are removed as fast as possible. Gen. A. W. Greely to-day took command of the federal troops at this post, superseding Gen. Frederick Funston, who will not Gen. Frederick Funston, who will act

Hoskins & Westervelt, Chartered Accountants 27 East Wellington St. To onto David Hoskins, F. C. A. W. J. Westervelt, C. A. Legal business will be resumed to-

Legal business will be resumed to morrow. All the superior judges will open their twelve departments in the Jewish synagogue, California and Webster-streets. Criminal cases will have precedence. Probate matters will follow and civil cases such as demage. Bending for Financial Houses. Bonds of every description assumed to credit an official, in a position of trust, with the security he requires. Bonding done for financial institutions. Bonds supplied license holders to meet trials that were progressing at the time of the catastrophe will be recomthe requirements of the excise departments. London Guarantee and Acci-dent Company, Canada Life Building. Phone Main 1642.

For "Better Tailoring," MacLeod Yonge and College Street. San Francisco, April 23.-A drench-

Smoke Osgoode Cigarettes. Greatest value in Canada, twenty for it poured and drizzled at intervals, while a high wind added a males vals, & Sons, 49 West King.

accompaniment, whistling and sighing about the ruins of the buildings in the burned districts. Five days ago Giles', \$22 Yonge street.

# Made Use of.

tive as much so as to the providing

Halifax, April 23.-(Special.)-The annual meeting of St. George's Society took place to-night. One of the most interesting speeches delivered was the Parsons, who said:

Parsons, who said:

"Three years ago I ventured to ruggest the desirability of bringing about an interchange of officers. This suggestion is being acted on, in that officers of Canadian forces are now being detailed for service in various parts of the empire—Australia and India, for example. I should like, however, to go still further and see Canadian of those who welcome him.

Regardless of criticism the prince's personal appearance is inviting. He is not a big man physically, neither is he small. He dresses neatly in dark clothes, limps a little, smiles freely, has fair hear and ruddy complexion and is a man of whom the ladies would say "one would take to." He seems to sincerely appreciate the expressions of those who welcome him.

Greeting at the Station.

sieve; st. John, N.B., April 23.—(Special.)—
When Frank Higgins, sentenced at St. John, Indelian Capt. Wyndham, Capt. Trotter and Mr. Pope then entered their carriage and, escorted by the mounted N.B., to a life term in Dorchester Peni-

could be done was done by the guards two days following the earthquake, be two days following the earthquake, be the relief committee that its task will become less difficult from day to day.

No Epidemic Yet.

General health conditions are satisin garages and barns and those who had saved their homes were called upon to take care of the unfortunates exposed to the storm.

The wall of the high building when ing scale of prices until 1906, when gas is to be sold for 80 cents per thousand cubic feet with only one meter for lighting and cooking gas, while he killed Doherty three years ago. The crime was the most shocking in the history of the province. This is the second attempt he made to escape. His record in penitentiary is bad.

Edwards. Morgan & Company, Chartered Accountants, 26 Wellington-st East. Phone Main 1163.

MARRIAGES. COPP-O'HARA-At the Northern Congregational Church, on Monday, April 23rd, 1906, by Rev. T. B. Hyde, Charles J. Copp, M.D., to Edith Mabel, daughter of Mr. Hy. O'Hara, Rosedale.

HUNTER-EDMONDS-At Central Presbyterian Church, Toronto, by Rev. Dr. McTavish, on April 23, Alice Neary, only daughter of ex-Ald. Thomas Hunter, to John Edmonds, both of Toronto.

VILLIERS-DE PODESTA-At St. Matthew's Church, Riverdale, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. Canon Farncomb, M.A. W. Robert Villiers and Bessle Hazel De Podesta, both of this city.

HUDSON-On Sunday evening, April 22, at his late residence, 179 Ossington-avenue, John W. Hudson, of H. M. customs,

in his 66th year. Funeral 2.30 p.m. Tuesday to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. MUNDEY-At Thornhill, April 23, Joseph Mundey.

Funeral Wednesday to Thornhill Ceme-

Yes, without a peer-" Club Coffee." PARKDALE ROLLER RINK. 246

Makes Friends Rapidly With Thousands of Citizens Who Witnessed His Arrival-State Dinner.

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAM.

Morning—At liberty.

12.30 p.m.—Reviews permanent corps and Army and Navy Veterans at Stanley Barracks.

3.15 p.m.—Prince Arthur will arrive at Queen's Park to inspect the Toronto Cadet Corps. On conclusion of the inspection he will drive to government house. 8 p.m.—Dinner in honor of Prince Arthur at the Toronto Club-

There is no doubt about it, Toronto generally will take a great liking to Prince Arthur of Connaught, altho the welcome to him yesterday in some spots was hardly the enthusiastic gath-BUT RAIN BRINGS MISERY TO HOMELESS ering either in numbers or brightness that Toronto is in the habit of extending to such distinguished visitors. Althe the arrival was during the noon Several Hours' Downpour of Rain hour, when lots of people could get there were not the thousands lined Drenches Refugees in Parks - deep on the sidewalks to view the royal Where Shelter Was Available visitor that would be expected on so Soldiers Saw That it Was short a route, but outside the city hall there was a throng. The prince's dem-

In the history of the Queen City will After several hours of clear weather there was another precipitation at 6 a.m., and again at 9 o'clock the fall was resumed and continued at intervals thruout the day.

Of individual instances of suffering, the number is legion, but one will tell the story of them all. the arrival of his royal highness be SEND HOME TROOPS ABROAD mounted a carpeted stlarway to the large hall upstairs, which was elegantly uniformed in decorative features.

To meet the royal party were His Honor Lieut-Gov. Mortimer Clark,

Regardless of criticism the prince's

dia, for example. I should like, however, to go still further and see Canadian companies of infantry and artillery exercised in large camps in Great Britain and India, and British companies temporarily doing their duty in Canada. Such an interchange would stimulate recruiting, in that there would be a possibility of service abroad and possibilities of active service."

MURDERER TRIES TO ESCAPE

When the Greeting at the Station.

After a short meeting with Lieut.

Gov. Clark, Mr. Whitney and General Otter, the prince left the car and smilingly acknowledged the welcome from the crowd by raising his hat.

The waiting soldiers, composing the guard of honor, presented arms and sang the national anthem as the prince came out of the station. He went thru the formality of inspecting them. They were a mounted squadron from the Dragoons, under Sergt.-Major Brooke, and a large detachment of the Queen's and a large detachment of the Queen's Own Rifles, under Capt. Bryce, Lieuts. Redway and Kleiser.

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MONTREAL GAS PRICES.

Special Committee Submits Terms for Renewal of Franchise.

Montreal, April 23 .- The report prefor manufacturing the price is to be 60 cents.

### A few uncalled-for Trousers to clear at \$2. Hobberlin's, 153 Yonge street. Where English Makers Excel.



English hats are in particular taste and variety this season. There is more shape, variety in height and set of crown and roll, and width of rim than has been in-troduced in recent seasons. Dineen's have im-ported every style. Di-neen's, corner Yonge and Temperance-streets.

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