A STORM IN VANCOUVER.

circles in Vancouver in regard to the injury must awaken surprise. Torpedo. control of the police. The majority of service is the most desperately dangerthe city council favor a certain policy as ous work in all warfare. Not long ago ment cannot be expected to appoint exbearing upon certain moral questions. Mr. F. T. Jane, a well known English tremists on the board. It is well known The police commissioners appointed by naval expert, coolly discussed a thril- that Mr. Grahame is neither a bigot nor the government have already expressed ling aspect of the considerations which has friends contend that his views are as IS IN JURISDICTION themselves as opposed to the course out- move an officer. A torpedo attack is broad as the ocean, and his sympathic lined. Here is a chance for Hon. Charles carried out by sending the boat at full as deep as the sea. He will probably ob-Wilson to get in his finished diplomatic speed—anywhere from 600 to 1,000 ject to the hampering of important inwork. A few weeks ago he stated that yards a minute—towards her prey. Vancouver spoke with the voice of the When the boat is within 1,000 yards she In point of fact, it is strongly suspected whole province when it elected him to can launch her totpedo, but as it is a the Legislature by a handsome majority. tricky weapon, and may deflect and miss, will be to relax the rules under which He, with the assistance of Bowser, se- it is safer to hold on a few seconds the denizens of the submerged stratum cured the amendments to the charter longer and get to within 300 or 400 have been carrying on their operations under which the government of which he yards. Then the torpedo is fired, and for the past year. is a shining light took away from the the assailant swerves and tries to steam will be carefully masked, of course. The city of Vancouver a portion of its rights away into the darkness. Apart from the old story of the impossibility of suppressas a self-governing municipality. Now, nerve and skill needed to manage a vescannot the Attorney-General prove to the sel rushing through the water in the critically retold. It is true it is imposcannot the Attorney-General prove to the satisfaction of the aldermen that he, not they, represents the sentiments of the people of Vancouver? If he can move the pumping out a hail of the can move the death of those victims of the death of the death of those victims of the de the council from its station of contumacy shells, weighing one, three, six or twelve become the chief zones of activity of a was no desire that any particular indihe may with reason claim that he has done something to detract from the reputation for blundering and stupidity the tars through the water is perhaps only tation for blundering and stupidity the tears through the water is perhaps only the small studies of the first station for blundering and stupidity the tears through the water is perhaps only decency prevail yet. Mankind in its library who controls her course and government of which he is a member one man, who controls her course, and has already achieved in British Colum- will fire the torpedo. Mr. Jane says created the machinery to enforce them. should be placed where it belonged. bia. If he cannot we fear a fuller that every torpedo officer will enter an Governments through their instruments. This was firmly in the minds of the out. bia. If he cannot we fear a fuller knowledge by the people of Vancouver of the consequences of the acts now being put in force by the McBride administration, coupled with the indignation of the consequences of the acts now being put in force by the McBride administration, coupled with the indignation of the consequences of the acts now being put in force by the McBride administration, coupled with the indignation of the statutes. But public opinion is overnments through their instruments occasionally connive at the violations of the statutes. But public opinion is overnments through their instruments occasionally connive at the violations of the statutes. But public opinion is overnments through their instruments occasionally connive at the violations of the statutes. But public opinion declares that the laws shall be enforced and the operations of law-breakers restricted as far as postion which has been aroused over the to fire at once will be very great, "In sible."

BORDEN, MONK AND TARTE.

caught a Tarter. The ex-Minister of Public Works found that he could not boss the government. The acclaim with Russia, and gave it to their countrymen, which he was received by the Conservatives when he was told by Sir Wilfrid Four little boots have made useless Laurier to transfer his ill-directed ener- Lulks of ten or twelve million dollars' gies elsewhere filled the political Beelzestand that. He found there were battle the greatest prizes may fall to the that were hostile to him. He resigned example set by Premier McBride in Brit-

The leaders confess that the only chance for the party to succeed in the Dominion lies in the prospect of a great thankfulness that the telling Japanese dealers were exorbitant and they demand another difficulty would be encountered. overturning in the second province. There are either seven or five Tory representatives from that province in the Federal Parliament at the present time. It does not matter greatly which is the correct figure. There are many able and not a few brilliant French-Canadians in the Dominion Parliament, but there is not a single one of them allied with the Conservative party. This is one of the notable features of the political situa-tion in Canada at the present time. The young men are all being attracted round and conducted the "raid," the alleged revered Laurier. Tarte was filled with ambifion to create a rival school. It is now evident that he has merely succeedness were of five. It is surmised that he will at now evident that he has merely succeedness were not launched within British representation of the perminance of th revered Laurier. Tarte was filled with has been called upon to form a govern- ber? It is imperative that the people what course the crown intended to purthe consequence will probably be a fur- take possession of a man when he shakes sible way to establish themselves. If Columbia territory, or, in other words, porting to headquarters that he saw an she is nervous and irritable, feels dragged ther reduction in the Conservative reprebec may join issue with British Columbia for the doubtful honor of instructing one land. The new Premier will be sure to end to the futile agitation for increased Capt. Roberts being an American citizen and stretchers, was hurriedly dispatched political delegate to cast the Conservative vote of the province.

WORK OF TORPEDO BOATS.

The Toronto News has been looking into naval records, and as a result proceeds to correct the alleged popular impression that dashing, daring work with It says torpedo craft have entered harbors and attacked warships for the last forty years. In the American Civil War half a dozen vessels were destroyed by torpedoes of various types. More than one of these exploits required particularly cold-blooded courage, for the weapon then most used was the spar-torpedo, and it was necessary for the boat to steal up to within a few feet of her victim to bring the explosive to bear. The torpedo boat proper, armed with the self-propelling Whitehead torpedo, came into use about 1878. During the Russo-Turkish war, the Russians torpedoed several Turkish ships lying in harbor, displaying pertinacious courage in stealing in under cover of night. In the Franco-Chinese war of 1884 the French sank several Chinese vessels. In 1891 the Chilean Civil War was distinguished by a daring dash into Caldera Bay, and by two torpedo gunboats, the Lynch and the Condell. In 1894 the Brazilian forcing their way into the harbor of Wei-Hai-Wei and sinking the battleship recent years. But he has long been a conspicuous figure in the Conservative Association. He has rendered important enterprise was difficult, for the harbor was protected by a boom and the they kept doggedly at their task and ceive his reward. finally got in. Even then, they made Archur has its close parallel, for nine ed out. a brilliant rush into the harbor, destroy- in the girt of the government. streets of stories floating around the streets of ing Chinese torpedo boats and demoralizing the defenders. In all there were tales of a gossip? Messrs. Russell and previous to this week, twenty-seven in- Grahame are good Conservatives, deeply Ashcroft, are at the Vernon.

and in them twelve ships were sunk.

tion which has been aroused over the police commission business, may have a serious effect upon the popularity of Mc-Bride and his colleagues in the only portion of the province which has hitherto delighted to do them honor.

BORDEN, MONK AND TARTE.

to fire at once will be very great, "In a few seconds more I shall be killed. Better fire before I am killed." Such will be the train of thought flashing through the man's brain. It will take nerve to hold on the course for the few moments needed to reach the surer range.

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The Dominion government has lost Tarte; the Dominion opposition has lieutenents whose names dowld-less associated of the methods of ex-Mayor. Ames of Minneapolis or of other American experts in municipal mismanagement will guilty of manslaughter, one of the most lieutenants, whose names doubtless soon not be tolerated in Victoria. Mayor serious crimes known to the law, it does will be sung all over their home-land, Barnard is on the threshold of his not necessarily follow that proceedings will be sung all over their home-land, but tolerated in Victoria. will be sung all over their home-land, wrested the balance of sea-power from

> It was David and Goliath over again. him, the victim of his skill and daring?" That is the grimly professional point of view. It is possible to sympathize with to land.

DR. JAMESON, PREMIER.

It is reported that there is consterna

tion in the secret places of statesmen in

than Dr. Jameson, the man who planned the banner set up by the gifted and original cause of the Souht African war, the dust (or mud) of Great Britain off the movement to the Northwest con- within the three-mile limit, although pos- insmense cloud of white smoke ascending down, worn out for no reason that she the first exclusively woman's tonic on sentation in the House. Possibly Que- his shoes. This will but add to the em- tinues to grow there will within a few says Canada is the only colony of any note that has made overtures of a preference. New Zealand is not a factor of sufficient importance to be taken into political factors in the Dominion; and it is understood that he at first expressed account in the Imperial circle. Therefore, as Sir Michael Hicks-Beach has case. pointed out, there is no reason why torpedo boats is new feature in warfare. opulent country as the United States, for them to attend to in the intervals bemen under a foreign flag, by recognizing the overtures of the colonies towards manufacturers of British Columbia that, the establishment of closer trade relagot rid of his contempt for "mere colonials," and no doubt many Imperial statesmen consider it a "beastly boah, don't you know," to be pestered with

If we had Dr. Jameson's ear for a few inutes we would strongly advise him to pay strict attention to the internal affairs of the Cape, having particular re gard to measures designed to safeguard and advance the interests of that state. Until the public men of Great Britain have effected the long-for trade arrangement with the United States, or until they realize the futility of their aspirations, it will be useless for a mere colonials to approach them.

THE POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

The Police Commissioners have been more generally known. the destruction of the Blanco Encalada appointed. Those for the city of Victoria are Messrs. George Russell, barber; Harry M. Grahame, gentleman, and G. Civil War was marked by the torpedoing Mayor is the choice of the people; the of the ironclad Aquidaban. During the other two have been chosen for us by with a lively sense of its responsibility war between China and Japan, the the government. Mr. Grahame is well ties. But given such a government as at Japanese torpedo flotillas showed great known, but the majority of the people present rules British Columbia and is itdash and persistence. They completed identity of Mr. Russell. He has never sites, and what can be expected? the destruction of the Chinese navy by been before the ratepayers in any public only safe plan is to treat the police after weather was bitterly cold. The boats organizer of political forces, as a direcmade several unsuccessful efforts to tor of campaigns, and as a manipulator break through, and instances occurred of of the "sinews" upon which the party entire crews being frozen to death. But has chiefly relied for success. It is meet, therefore, that Mr. Russell should re-

What is incomprehensible to us is the sacrifices, and several boats were destroyed by the Chinese fire. The dash of stroyed by the Cunness are. Ine dash of the Japanese torpedo craft into Port salary attached to the job of police commissioner, as has repeatedly been point. He has demonstrated his ability to bring McBride to his knees. Let him Archur has its close parallel, for nine ed out. Yet the competition for the years ago, when Port Arthur was caphonor of serving the city and jealously a saying in the land from which Mr. Rus tured by the Japanese land forces, the guarding its morals is as keen as though tured by the Japanese land forces, the torpedo craft aided the shore attack by the post were one of the most lucrative in the gift of the government. There are should be no spoils, and there will be

stances of torpedo boat attacks on ships, imbued with protectionist principles. We There is a great commotion in civic The escape of the attacking craft from apply their principles in a most liberal Unit 1 manner and protect the good name of the city to the utmost of their ability.

The Colonist admits that the govern-

The movements of the commissioners

statute book are enforced. Introduction of the methods of ex-Mayor Ames of Capt. Roberts with the chief respon cannot afford to make any mistakes.

THE LUMBER INDUSTRY.

tion in Quebec. Mr. Monk could not pedo brought into naval warfare. "In the found there were bettle the greatest prizes may fall to the stand that. He found there were in the party in Quebec certain elements in the party in Quebec certain elements hands of the younger officers. Can any that the agriculturists in Manitoba and sentative Friday afternoon, A. E. Mcthat were hostile to him. He resigned the leadership. Mr. Tarte will follow the leadership. Mr. Tarte will follow the example set by Premier McBride in Britch at which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Britch the Northwest Territories object most strenuously to any suggestions of a cloud that if the boats were launched to the nervous system. There should be a good understanding the strenuously to any suggestions of a cloud that if the boats were launched to the southern the sand other places of anusement and the provincial government at the inquiry, point that which would arise in the tariff. Their represented the provincial government at the inquiry, point that which would arise in the heart of an example set by Premier McBride in Brit.

The explosion was caused by a collision of the southern the sand other places of anusement and the provincial government at the inquiry, point the southern than the southern the sand other places of anusement and the provincial government at the inquiry, point the southern than the southern than the southern than the southern than the south the southern than the south the southern than the south the south the south than the south than the south the south than the south the south than the south than th ish Columbia and force himself upon the officer who, having successfully deliver- ly support their views. And constituents ter would be within Canadian jurisdictives in the House of Commons vigorous vigo Conservatives in the eastern province. When the coup is delivered the Conservatives in the eastern province. When the coup is delivered the Conservatives in the eastern province. When the coup is delivered the Conservatives in the eastern province. The who is a top of the enemy, and members think they can furnish good to the coup is delivered the Conservatives in the eastern province. The would be mecessary for the reasons for their attitude. They were issuance of a flat from the Dominion government before action could be taken. roused only during the past summer by the suspicion that there was a lumber of the suspicion that there was a lumber of the suspicion that the suspicion that there was a lumber of the suspicion that the suspicion th combine on the other side of the Rockies the waters were what could be strictly where building material is in demand. described as local waters this course it, but it is preferable to remember with They believed that the exactions of the might not be required. But then, again, success was not accomplished by great ed that an investigation should be held The fact that Capt. Roberts is an Amloss of life, as the Russian crews escaped by the government. In substantiation of this. Many of the latest comers were render one of their citizens to a foreign

> The facts being as stated, is it any wonder that the governments hesitates to even appear to hamper the operations Inq

The Canadian Lumberman throws out Great Britain should spoil her chance of a suggestion to the mill men of British making a profitable deal with such an Columbia which it might be profitable "We might suggest to the

with a little more effort and perseverance, tions. The average Briton has not yet they could market a larger quantity of lumber in the East. The scarcity hardwood timber is becoming more pro neunced each year and consumers are constantly on the look-out for suitable substitutes. The large implement factories, such as the Massey-Harris Com pany at Toronto and Brantford, the International Harvester Company at Ham on, the Frost & Wood Company at Smith's Falls, and others, have been large isers of hardwoods, and especially ash. The supply of ash is now so small that substitution is inevitable, and for many purposes for which it is used the Douglas fir of British Columbia would probably be found suitable. It can, we think, be laid down in Ontario cheaper than the native ash, and as the supply is well nigh inhimited, consumers would no doubt be glad to adopt it were its characteristics

The present system of police management in the municipalities of the prov-H. Barnard, barrister and Mayor. The ince might be quite satisfactory if there were any power to guarantee government present rules British Columbia and is itservices to that organization, it is said, by reason of his splendid abilities as an the manner in which they perform their

duties. The Vancouver Police Commission appointed by the government refuses to act. Will Mr. Russell make a concession to public-opinion by handing in his resignation? We can assure him he will sell hails that "to the victors belong the

Geo. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson,

A Palagura Manafor Empresamorby

Legal Opinion is That It is Impossible to Extradite Him-Roberts Now in California.

ed to inquire into the circumstances of year of 90,389 tons. the death of those victims of the Clallam be obtained. The presence of counsel But although the jury has shouldered

career, and as he values his future he will be instituted against him. The coroner's report will be presented to the attorney-general's department, if it has not already been handed in, and it depends upon the character of the circu stances to be weighed by that official The people of British Columbia have whether the crown will take any action, gies elsewhere filled the political Beeixebub with such burning zeal that he
iast not long ago dwelt upon the "fresh dustry as it affects British Columbia.

There are a considerable number of international points involved, and, accordternational points involved, and, accord-

erican citizen and the Clallam was an

Inquiry was made at the Attorneybarrassments of the school of statesmen years be such a demand for British Co- boundary, which was an entirely distinct | great height. which at present dominates the mother lumbia lumber as should forever put an matter. Furthermore, Mr. McLean said, and. The new Fremer will be sure to end to the rittile agitation for increased proposes a preference in trade or something of that kind. Sir Charles Dilke Conservative or Liberal, dare listen to case was placed entirely outside the injured, who were laid out in the cause the weak spot demands attention.

> political factors in the Dominion, and it is understood that he at first expressed will understand how to attend to its own an inclination to cross to Victoria and give evidence at the inquest. He consulted local counsel and was advised that such a course would be unwise. Under the circumstances he decided to escaped death or injury. remain on the safe side of the boundary line. Some legal men are of the opinion that no case could be made against him even if he did come and face the music. but there is no likelihood of him running the risk in view of his attitude when re quested to give evidence here.

> > TINDER MARTIAL LAW.

Deputies in Custody Charged With At tempt to Murder President of Spanish Honduras.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 20.-The city nd province of Tegucigalpa, Spanish Honduras, is under martial law as a result of the attempt to kill President Manuel Bonilla, and half-a-dozen of the most prominent members of the Chambe of Deputies are prisoners, charged with the attempted crime. Some days ago several members walk

ed out of the congressional session, broke up a quorum and kept the body from vesterday by fire. Several persons were will make, and continue to make, their chaplains, Rev. S. S. Osterhout, transacting business by remaining away from the sessions. The President issued

DIAMOND POLISHERS STRIKE.

Large Number Are Idle, and the Prices Mutiny of Laborers and Convicts Who Are Likely to Be Shortly Committed Several Murders.

New York, Feb. 20 .- The Times toscarce and dear hereafter, according to dor, recently mutinied and killed Leon-Antwerp and Amsterdam say the able property. The assassins fled in a diamond polishers in three places, to the schooner to Tumaco, on the coast of Cothe employers prescribing a larger num ber of apprentices, which they are de row and probably will be shot. A Ger country only 250 or 300 diamond polish- the mutiny. ers, most of them in this city, and the industry is a comparatively new one

EXPLOSION WRECKED MILLS.

at Wayne, seven miles from here, to-day, caused the death of three men. The P., as leader of the Conservative party in mills were wrecked.

BOUNDARY MINES.

Increased Shipments Compared With Previous Week—Seventeen Thou-sand Tons Sent to Smelters.

Phoenix, Feb. 20.-Boundary ore ship nents for the current week are just 1,000 tons larger than for the irevious week, running over 16,000 tons for the last seven days. Following are the figures of tonna

OF UNITED STATES from the several shipping mines: Granby mines, to Granby smelter, 11,610 tons;

Mother Lode, to Greenwood smelter, and the several shipping mines of the several shipping mines of the several shipping mines. 3,104 tens; Emma mine, to Granby and Greenwood smelters, 561 tens; Senator, o Granby smelter, 264 tons; Oro Denero Granby smelter, 1,155 tons: Athelstan to Granby and Greenwood smelter, 280 tons; Elkhorn, to Greenwood smelter, 30 tons. Total for the week 17,000 tons Total for the year to date, 117,480 tons. This week the Granby smelter treated The verdict of the coroner's jury select- 13,310 tons of ore, making a total for this

Sleigh With Two Companions.

Winnipeg, Feb. 20.-Charles Kerr. who, with two companions named Miller and Clerk, was driving home from omin, was found frozen to death in a sleigh when the party stopped to get

BY AN EXPLOSION

DISASTER THE RESULT OF RAILWAY COLLISION

Wrecked Trains-Great Destruction to Property.

Ogden, Utah, Feb. 20.-Twenty-five persons have been killed, fifteen others maidenhood, on that peculiar border injured, several it is believed fatally, line between maidenhood and woman-and a great amount of railway property hood, should have every care. Parents and a great amount of railway property destroyed by an explosion of a carload of dynamite at Jackson, a telegraph overwork, allowing them to attend par-station on the west end of the Great ties and other places of amusement and

ion between two freight trains due, it is both on the parents' part and that of the said, to the failure of the air-brake ap-

front of the telegraph station. The ex-plosion was terrific. Everything within edition, which will be sent by express by the government. In substantiation of their statements they pointed to the fact their statements the pointed to the fact their statements the pointed to the fact the fact their statements the pointed to the fact the fact their statements the statement that the statement the statement the state their statements they pointed to the their statements they pointed the their statements the t

content to live in sod houses for the time being, in the hope that as their circumstances improved they might be able to stances improved they might be able to any person could lay an information dozen freight cars and two engines were system. During the past thirty-six years the ground upon which the trans was diseases, of the Invelides Hotel the time that I had to use this work being, in the hope that as their circums were competent to deal with the matter.

The ground upon which the trans was diseases, of the Invelides Hotel was restored to work and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., all the time that I had to use this work thousand feet, leaving a great excavation bit upon certain roots, herbs and barks, before I was restored to propose the same of the content of the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the trans the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use this work the time that I had to use th against the captain, but of course the difficulties just enumerated would be met with.

I have to monthly the system. During the past thirty-six years this vegetable compound has sold more was blown to splinters, and the dead and largely than any other medicine intended. injured were scattered for hundreds of only for woman's diseases. It is called of settlers by imposing a duty on lum- General's department this morning as to feet in all directions, most of them hav- Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Few

sibly within the line delimiting the Island from Jackson and spreading out at a can think of. In such cases the body is the market. It has sold more largely in

company's general hospital.

The loss of dife among the Greeks is accounted for by the fact that they occupied suffitting curs, which were standing near the spot where the explosion Of the forty-six persons at Jackson at the time of the explosion only nine

Baggageman Killed.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 20.-Pennsylvania passenger train, No. 6, leaving Chicago about midnight, was wrecked early to-day at Hobart, Ind., forty mile east of Chicago, in a head-on collision with a freight train. Charles Strayer, baggageman, of Chicago, was killed, and Mail Clerks Bricker, Bower and Thomas, and two passengers, F. C. Weisenberge and K. C. Haverin, and S. A. Lindner, fireman of the freight train. Fort Wayne, were all seriously injured. The baggage car and express car were telescoped. and a mail car and both locomotives were badly smashed. A relief train was sent from Chicago and the injured were taken to that city.

BRAVE ELEVATOR BOY.

Muncie, Ind., Feb. 19.-Keller, Brice & Company's clothing store was damaged | Pen

When the fire started there were many a decree dissolving congress, declaring martial law, with himself as supreme saved through the heroism of Otto Although ruler, and then issued notice of an elec-tion for a constitutional convention. This convention will be expected to form a carrying down a load of panic-stricken passengers each time. Loss, \$50,000.

GOVERNOR KILLED.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Feb. 18.-About 200 laborers and convicts at Chathan, day says: "Diamonds are likely to be Galapagos islands, belonging to Ecuanews received by private cable by the arde Reine, the governor of the islands, diamond finishing and polishing firms in and several others. The mutineers also New York yesterday. Their agents in committed robberies and destroyed valunumber of 8,000, have gone on striks. lumbia, where they were captured and The strike is against an ultimatum of handed over to the Ecuadorian authorities. The prisoners will arrive to-mo termined to enforce. There are in this man named Hansen was the leader of

F. D. MONK RETIRING. Gives Up Leadership of Conservatives in Quebec Owing to Ill-Health.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 20.—An explo-ion at the Laffin & Rand powder mills French-Canadian organ, this morning an P., as leader of the Conservative party in this province, on account of ill-health.



The Young American the World's Dispensary Medical Association, the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Fa-

HOW BEST TO PRESERVE HER GOOD LOOKS.

are often to blame for endangering their daughters' health by allowing them to There should be a good understanding paratus to operate.

Eight of the dead and five of the in
Medical Adviser." edited and published jured are Americans, and the others are by Dr. R. V. Pierce, at Buffalo, N. Y., Which can be obtained by sending 31 one-The two trains met head-on almost in cent stamps for the cloth bound, or 21 The town of Terrace, 15 miles to the woman at this time in her life is weightthis. Many of the latest comers were alleged to be the cause of the Washington authorities would surrender one of their citizens to a foreign the scene.

City, eight miles from the scene.

The ground upon which the trains woman's diseases, of the Invalide' Hotel ago, Dr. R. V. Pierce, the specialist in It was in a few months' time. That was

reat height.

A relief train, with doctors, nurses symptoms are telegraphed all over the body by the nerves, which is the tele- the druggist persuade you to try some The weak back, dizzy spells and black | should be careful that the liver is active circles about the eyes are only symptoms. and the poisons are not allowed to clog Go to the source of the trouble and cor-rect the irregularity. Stop the drains on by taking a vegetable laxative occasion the womanly system and the other symp- ally-such as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Peltoms will disappear. This can be done lets. They do not gripe and will not easily and intelligently. So sure of it is harm the most delicate woman.

vorite Prescription, that they offer \$500 reward for women who cannot be cured of leucorrhea, female weakness, prolapsus or falling of the womb. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure. Their financial responsibility is well known to every newspaper publisher and druggist in the United States This wonderful remedy therefore stands absolutely alone as the only one posses ed of such remarkable curative proper ties as would warrant its makers in publishing such a marvellous offer as is It is a medicine which has stood the test of a third of a century and numbers its cures by the thousands. Mrs. L. A. Steadman, 533 Allen Street,

the World's Dispensary Medical Associa-

Appleton, Wis., Grand Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order of Good Templars, writes: "After much suffering, and trying a dozen different remedies, I finally started using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for of womb and ovaries. These troubles had caused me intense suffering and pain, and I really did not care whether and it seemed as though there was no after I had taken a few doses of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I really perfect health. It really seemed too good to be true, but nevertheless it was, for I have now been without pain for six months, and gratefully do I acknowl

The Harm Alcohol Does.

All other compounds intended for

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was the past third of a century than any other medicine for women. so many years' success. Every woman

GRAIN RATES.

Fight Is Now In Progress in Eastern

Territory. New York, Feb. 18.—That there is to be no decrease in the grain rate fight Lodge has decided to meet in 1905 at that has been started in the eastern ter- Vernon and to hold the Twelfth of July ritory by the Pennsylvania railroad was | celebration at Vancouver. The following shown to-day by the posting, as request- officers have been elected: Right worshiped by law, of a new rate by the Penn- ful grand master, Thos. Duke, Vancousylvania, to be effective to-morrow, of ver; deputy grand master, John Wallace, 2.6 cents a bushel from Buffalo to Phila- Victoria; junior deputy grand master, D. delphia, and by the immediate response | C. McLaren, Kamloops; grand chaplain, from the New York railroads, led by the Rev. R. Newton Powell, New York Central, which will make the grand secretary, Edwin Bush, Mission same rate to New York effective also to- City; grand treasurer, John J. Tulk, Van-

The representatives of the New York | New Westminster; grand roads declared to-day that they will meet | ceremonies, Norman Wood, New Westevery cut of the Pennsylvania, and the rate to Philadelphia and Baltimore four | toria; Rev. A. E. Roberts, Enderby; Rev. mills on the bushel less than the New

trying to take some advantage out of the situation, there is little to be gained by the present state of affairs. The fight is all over rails from Buffalo, the ports and the lakes being ice-bound, the traffic at this time is insignificant. This makes the purpose of the fight something of mystery. The only plausible explanation is that Pennsylvania wishes to establish the principle she is contending for, that she shall have the four mill differential to Philadelphia and Balti-more from Buffalo, and wants to get a ent during light traffic times, so that there shall not be a war in which rate cutting would cut into the revenues.

FIREMAN DEAD.

Passed Away From Effects of Inhaling Fumes of Nitric Acid.

Toronto, Feb. 19.-Fireman Frank Potter died at the General hospital this morning from the effects of inhaling the fumes of nitric acid at the fire in the Toronto engraving building. Three other firemen'wer also very seriously affected and their con-dition is regarded critical by the doctors.

MILLION DOLLAR CONTRACT.

Vancouver, Feb. 19 .- J. J. Nickson & Co. of about one million dollars to build twenty | A gentleman from Quebec province is his miles of an irrigation canal near Calgary.

ORANGE GRAND LODGE. Next Meeting to Be Held in Vernon-

The Election of Officers.

Vancouver, Feb. 19.-The Orange couver: grand lecturer. William Dunlop, minster; deputy grand secretary, sylvania officials declare that they Walmsley, Vancouver; deputy grand F. G. Christmas, Cumberland; worshipful grand lecturer of British Although the produce exchange here is America, George McSpadden, Vancouver.

> "A PLEA FOR COLOMBIA." Letters Accusing United States of Bad Faith Published in Book Form.

New York, Feb. 19.—Copies of a paper covered book entitled "The Panama Canal, a Plea for Colombia," c chiefly of letters accusing the United States of bad faith and of violation of the New Granada treaty, are being is sued by a representative Colombian government. The pamphlet is also being sent in quantities of ten to fifteen to the Colombian consuls in Eu-Although the name of the autho and editor is not given, the book is said to have been prepared by a member of the recent Colombian commission to Washington.

AFTER QUARTER OF CENTURY. R. H. Augur, Winnipeg Manager for the Massey-Harris Company, About to Resign.

Winnipeg, Feb. 19.-R. H. Agur, managet of the Massey-Harris Company in this city, is about to resign, and will leave for the south to recuperate his failing health. Mr. Vancouver, have been awarded a contract Agur has been 25 years in the position here.

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APPOINTMENTS MAD FOR THE

Ald. Grahame and George Named Police Commissi City of Victoria

This week's Gazette cor of appointments to the liand the police commissio as follows in the cities: Victoria.

License Commissioners-Vincent and John T. Croot Police Commissioners-Grahame and Geo. H. Ru New Westmins License Commissioners

ley and Geo. Turnbull. Police Commissioners-Holmes and W. Norman B Nanaimo. License Commissioners Barnes and J. E. Piper.

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Greenwood License Commissioners-Neill and E. G. Warren. Police Commissioners-Parker and Jas. Sutherlan Phoenix.

License Commissioners-Byrnie and W. R. William Police Commissioners-Byrnie and W. R. Willia Grand Forks. License Commissioners-

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Police Commissioners-

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Vernon. License Commissioner Glover and J. F. Cameron Police Commissionersand Jas. Stodders. Revelstoke.

S. McCarter and W. S. Ne Police Commission Leod and Robert Gordon, J Kamloops. License Commissioners

Robinson and Jas. A. Gill Police Com Lander and W. F. Wood. Vancouver.

Police Commissioners-Guigan, mayor; Ald. Alex and W. Taylor. The district license com inspectors are as follows:

Esquimalt. H. F. Bullen, of Oakder J.P.; G. R. W. Stuart, of Colwood: John Muir, chief license inspector, St sey, of Victoria.

M. P. Gordon, of Ka John R. Mitchell, of Ka worth F. Wood, of Ka W. Pearse, of Kamloops. Atlin.

Almeron S. Cross, Jules Eggert, of Atlin; J. Atlin, S.M.; chief license in Constable W. Owens, of A Cowichan

David Alexander, of I Norcross, of Somenos, J.F. Pherson, of Cobble Hill; spector, Constable A. Duncan.

North Victor C. W. Cundell, of Salt Washington Grimmer, of Julius Brethour, of North license inspector, Constab of Plumper Pass. West Yale.

William Dodd, of Yale, Turner, of North Bend; J of Hope; chief license i stable J. F. Sayre, of Lytt Alberni. Thomas Kirkpatrick, of

Reid McLaren, of Alberni Alberni; chief license in stable C. A. Cox, of Alber Ashcroft. Frank J. Boulter, of Sp J. T. Smith, of Ashcroft; l of Ashcroft, J.P.; chief lice Constable J. W. Burr, of

North Nanain Thomas Haggart, of Wallis, of Nanoose Bay, A. McMillan, Englishman license inspector, Constabl son, of Nanaimo.

Fernie. Wm. H. Whimster, of I Wellesley Bleadsdell, of Fo Shaw, of Morrissey Mine spector, Chief Consta Mullin, of Fernie. Cranbrook.

James McBride, of Cra Doyle, of Fort Steele; Ed Constable J. H. McMullin, South Victori

Edwin John, of South Sa S. Loveland, of Lake distr clair, of Cadboro Bay; ch spector, Sergeant F. S. M toria.

Thomas A. Wilson, of P M.D.; Alex. C. Cunningh sington; Gordon Lockerby, son; chief license inspec Berryman, of Port Essing Revelstoke

Skeena.

Florence McCarty, o Abraham E. Kincaid, of F Johnson, of Revelstoke; cl