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REHRING SEA CONTROVERSIALISTS

Crosses and Baths.

Tupper, Minor, Talks Tom Sauderson Into the Bath-Canadian-Australian Trade Conference Abandoned - Heavy Decline in Cattle Sales-Mr. Gladstone Seriously Ill.

TO CONTRACTOR London, Dec. 8.-The Behring Sea onors were officially announced to-day. n addition to those already cabled, Sir ohn Thompson's elevation to the Imperial privy council, Sir Charles Russell's and Sir Richard Webster's decoration with the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, Sir Thomas Sanderson was created Knight Commander of the Bath, owing to Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper's warm testimony regarding his services to the tribunal. By a dispatch from Melbourne it is earned that the proposed conference between Canadian and Australian delegates, which Hon, Mr. Bowell had arranged to take place at Ottawa in June next, for the purpose of discussing trade relations, has fallen through. Hon. M. Read, minister of defense for Victoria, will, however, visit Canada during the winter, with the object of arranging for reciprocity between the colonies.

The Canadian cattle trade has closed

for the season. The total shipment have been 82,047 head, a reduction of 4,248 from last year's figures. The derease is attributed to the embargo enforced by the British Board of Agriculture against Canadian cattle.

Mr. Gladstone Very Ill. London, Dec. S.—Right Hon, Mr. Gladstone is very ill. He is suffering from a severe cold.

Crushing the Matabele. Cape Town, Dec. 8.—A Buluwaye dispatch, dated Sunday, says many Matabeles have surrendered to the company. The country with the exception of the part which Lobengula is hiding is quiet. Many followers of King Lobengula are lying of smallpox and starvation.

A Mountain of Debts. Chicago, Dec. 8.—Baroness Blanc, who was suposed to be in Califonia, is living here under her maiden name. She has taken a house at 476 Rush street, where she is acting under the advice of her lawyers, who are trying to extricate her from her mountain of debts. The housekeeping explit of the baroness has created much gossip in the "aristocratic" neighborhood in which she lives.

Paris, Dec. 8.-Richard Goerdeler, the American citizen who arrived at Marien-American citizen who arrived at Marien-werder in July, 1891, and was arrested on a charge of less majeste, for having on a charge of less majeste, for having of the past week have not brought copies of La Presa, the leading among the passengers who left Bremen on December 5th by the Havel for New York. He was released at the request of President Cleveland, In June, 1891. Goerdeler was professor of music at Pennington seminary, New Jersey. The professor had been incarcerated in an cellor and one of the European potent-

Ohlo's "Noble Roman." Columbus, O., Dec. S .- Ex-Senator Alen G. Thurman, who last month celebrated his eightieth birthday, has subscribed \$25,000 to building an opera house to take the place of the Henrietta theatre, burned recently.,

The Itata Case Washington, Dec. 8.-The first and a y claim presented by the Chilean government to the Chilean claims commission, was filed yesterday, the celebrated Itata. The American Steamship Company, having offices at Valparaiso, is the laimant, and wants \$227,000 for damages for seizure and detention of the Itata by the United States authorities.

Bullying the Riffs. Madred, Dec. 8.—Gen. Campos, com-mander of the Spanish troops at Melilla, in the conditions of settlement of the troubles with the Riffs, requires the surender of their rifles and the punishment of all persons Spain considers guilty of being leaders in the movement.

THOMPSON AND TUPPER. Talk on Unrestricted Reciprocity and

Behring Sea Arbitration. Antigonish, N.S., Dec. 8.-Prime Minister Sir John Thompson and Minister of Mrine and Fisheries Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper addressed a big political meeting here to-day. Referring to the negotiations between the Dominion delegates and Mr. Blaine, and the declaration of the American secretary of state that the principle of unrestricted reciprocity was

the only one upon which negotiations for es of their efficacy. a trade treaty could be conducted, Sir Hibbert Tupper declared events had jusified the actions of Canadians in withdrawing from further negotiations. When Mr. Blaine said "You must take our terms of unrestricted reciprocity or nothing," the Canadians answered "We'll take nothing; but the day is fast coming when you will find it advisable in your own interests," "That day has come," said Sir Hibbert, "and under the Wilson bill the United States proposes placing many articles of Canadian products on the free list." Referring to the Behring Sea arbitration, Sir John Thompson said; Results show Canada is in the right, and his been in the right all through. Sir John proceeded to point out that had Canada entered into a treaty of reciprocity in 1891, which involved the application of the McKinley tariff to Canada against the rest of the world, this counry would also have been subjected to the frightful financial, commercial and industrial disasters through which the United States had just passed." The interesting ever brought in the courts in this country, and may lead to libel stats him over the whole story of the conspirpremier further declared the policy of against papers printing such news.

CANADA IN ENGLAND his government was to convince Canadians that their country was safer and more prosperous than the United States, country upon their record and upon a revision of the tariff upon protective principles. He felt confident they would again be victorious.

Curtis' Plans. Austin, Tex., Dec. 8.-Actor M. B. Curtis yesterday secured the Driskill ho tel, giving for it \$350,000 and 1,280 acres of land near Fresno, Cal., Re-Knighted and Bedizened With acres of which is a raisin vineyard. Curtis intends to make this city his home and will next year make an opera house of the hotel. His plans here will not interfere with his theatrical engagements for the next two years.

London, Dec. 7 .- The committee appointed by the government to investigate the action of the military called out to suppress the riotous coal miners at Lord Masham's Featherstone pit, near Pontefract, reported to-day. The members of the committee deplore the fact that no magistrate met the troops at Pontefract station, when they left the train there on August 7. It was also a mistake, they say, that the troops were so divided that no one body was strong enough to overawe the riotous strikers. If a force of adequate strength had been mrached into to rid Brazil of the military despotism Pontefract they think the necessity of firing upon the rioters would have been obviated, as the miners would not have dared to defy a superior force. The committee also urges that an inquiry be made to ascertain whether soldiers called out to quell riots may not be armed with weapons less dangerous than rifles. The committee was composed of Justice Bowen, Sir Albert Rollit, Progressive Conservative M. P. for the Skipton division of Yorkshire, and Richard Haldane, Liberal M. P. for Haddingtonshire. It was appointed by the government at the instance of the radical and labor members among the strikers.

Newark, N.J., Dec. 7 .- The trouble between the Edison United Phonograph Co., the Edison Phonograph works and the American Phonograph Co. was fully aired in the chancery court this morning. The Edison United Phonograph Co. is the owner of the sole right to sell phonographs in foreign countries, and claims that other companies are shipping and selling phonographs in Europe and Australia. The Edison United Phonograph Co. found that phonographs were being sent to Europe and sold there by the other companies, and a temporary injunction was secured against them. The same day that this injunction was secured it was learned that fifty phonographs were on board of a steamer in New York ready to be shipped to Europe, The consul went to Thomas Edison and asked that he order the phonographs to be kept in this country, but Mr. Edison said he did not know of any phonographs to be sent out of the country, nd refused to interfere. The vice-chancellor granted the plaintiffs an order giving them the

privilege of taking testimony in the case. New York, Dec. 6 .- The Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin. in experiences of the past week have not heen encouraging to those who were look ing forward to a development of business during the month of December. true that the threshold of the mouth has barely been passed and that the remaining weeks may show more gratifying results, but so far the day to day course asylum in Germany since about the mid- has only served to emphasize the fact lle of August for writing threatening that buyers have returned to a policy of etters to Emperor William and Chancel- rigid caution. The added influence of or Bismarck. His hallucination was knowledge of the provisions of the prothat he was a victim of the former chan- posed tariff measure has undoubtedly contributed in a major degree to a quieter condition, and checked whatever disposition there was evinced to go ahead immediately after the late auction sale. While business is thus disappointing, the tone remains steady. Stocks are light in the aggregate in all directions. Current production is not expanded to any appreciable extent, if expanding at all, and values all round are on a decidedly lower basis. These are elements of strength, even in a dull time, and sellers are supported by them. changes in prices were noted during the week were in an upward direction, but in each instance were due to the strength of the print cloth market, rather than general conditions. Collections are still an unfavorable factor in the situation, Complaints of backward payments are far more numerous, whilst evidences of extended obligations being met are increasing.

Mrs. Reany's Case. Toronto, Nov. 27 .- Many people here ead with great interest the dispatch sent out from Ashland, Wis., last week concerning Mrs. Reany, a former resident of this city. 'A sister of Mrs. Reany's, living in Toronto, had used Dodd's Kidney Pills and had been much benefitted by them, so she wisely recommended them to her sister, with the result that Mrs. Reany is on the highway to good health because of their use. In a recent et ter to an acquaintance here, Mrs. Reany said. "I never had anything in the shape of medicine to do me so much good. Enquiry among local druggists develops the fact that no medicine is more popular or has bigger sales than Dodd's Kidney Pills. Everybody who has used these pills has found them most beneficial. Not only men and women, but children, also. have been restored to sound health by their use and are to-day grateful witness

After the Fakirs. Spokane, Dec. 7 .- A meeting of the eading citizens was held to-day to deal with an abuse unique in journalism. For three years special correspondents have een manufacturing all sorts of sensations and telegraph reports to eastern newspapers. It is now proposed to stop cords of the telegraph office by judicial order, the intention being then to bring criminal proceedings for libel against two orrespondents known to be responsible for the special service. At first indignation was directed against the Associated Press, belief being general that it was responsible for all the dispatches sent from here. The local correspondent promptly met this by voluntarily giving he committee an order upon the telegraph office to give them free access to anything ever filed for the association.

The case promises to be one of the most

Admiral Mello's Motto in the Present Fight is

DULCE ET DECORUM PRO PATRIA MORI

Military Despotism.

He and His Compatriots are Ready to kee Boat-The Javary Tragedy Ex-

Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 8.—The correspondent of an American newspaper in- did Shortly after the rig was rented terviewed Admiral Mello, of the rebel Dr. Cronin received an urgent call to fleet, on November 26th, in which the go to P. O'Sullivan's icehouse to attend admiral said: "I want to repeat that it never was my intention to restore the prove that the murder did not take place monarchy. The majority of Brazilians are opposed to it. My sole object was which now threatens to prevail. During buggy drive to the door of the cottage, the early days of the revolution I hoped to receive aid from persons on shore. They deceived me, however. My aspirations are for the liberty of all the peo- Then she heard the noise of the overple and not for personal gains. The same sentiments actuate all my adherents.

"I want to deny emphatically that the Javary was sunk by shots from the forts. The sinking was owing to her springing a leak, caused by the concussion resultof parliament, who were incensed at ing from the continuous firing of her what they considered the recklessness of heavy guns. Her gunners were unable the troops in causing bloodshed and death to use the hydraulic loading gear, which had become disabled, and were obliged to load by hand. I think the powder charges used two days before the sinking were too heavy. The Javary had been leaking for two weeks, and the pumps were constantly in use. The ship was old and was not well taken care of. No repairs had been made on her. It was cowardly on the part of the shore troops to fire on my boats when they were rescuing the men from the Javary. It was barbarous.

"I have the Aquidaban, Republica, Jupiter and other armed steamers, which are well fitted with guns; we have ammunition on board to last several menths, while there is no lack of fresh food received daily.

"My hope at present is that the conflict will be ended in about ten days in some decisive way. Perhaps I shall take the Aquidaban, which is able to steam 11 knots an hour, the Tamadadore and several other steamers and endeavor to force a passage across the bar. I feel that my comrades on the foreign naval ships sympathize with me. The action of the foreign government in permitting President Peixoto to buy ships is perfectly legiti-mate. With the Aquidaban and the Republica I don't fear a fight with any ships bought in the United States." newspaper of Buenes Ayres, containing an account of an extraordinary incident in the harbor of Ria. The account says Dr. Barbosa, the Brazilian senator who has been spending some time at Buenos Ayres, was a suspected sympathizer of The authorities of Brazil decided to arrest him when he should arrive on the British steamer Magdalena at Rio. Upon the arrival of the Magdalena an effort was made to get him on a warrant by Peixoto's agents, but Captain William M. Lang, flag officer of the British squadron in the harbor, boarded the Magdalena with 50 armed men from H. M. S. Sirius, accompanied by a rapid-fire gun, and notified the captain of the Magdalena not to deliver Baroosa to the Brazilian authorities. Peixoto's officers then retired. The government, however, forwnarded an order for Barbosa's arrest at Bahia, Barbosa's native state, to which he was en route, and sent two secret agents on board the vessel to keep Barbosa in sight. He finally decided to return to Buenos Ayres, and found his way back in safety. His family and also the friends who called on him in Rio are new in jail. He says Brazil has made a secret loan of \$75,

THE CRONIN TRAGEDY.

Dan Coughlin of the Clan-na-Gael on Trial.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 7.-The trial of Daniel Coughlin for complicity in the murder of Dr. Cronin is going forward rapidly. Much progress was recorded to-day. Kickham Seanlan finished his opening address for the state about noon and Daniel Donohoe occupied the afternoon in setting forth the defence. He concluded late this afternoon, and Judge-Wing, also for the defence, will begin his argument at the opening of the court in

the morning.

Mrs. Coughlin, wife of "Big Dan," clad in black and wearing a thin veil, was in court this morning when her husband's case began. On either side of her sat a number of ladies, all anxious to get look at the pair. Coughlin, however, had his back to the crowd, and was intent, upon the words and actions of the

At the outset of Lawyer Scanlan's address he referred to J. B. Simons, the man who brought the furniture from the Carlson cottage, when he was interrupted by Judge Wing, who objected to the use of the man's name. "The flight of this man Simons, who the prosecution says was a conspirator, cannot be taken as an evidence of gnilt," said Judge Wing, "and therefore I object to any this work by an appeal to the courts. elaboration on the part of the state con-An effort will be made to get at the re- | ceraing him or his alleged part in the conspiracy. Further, his name is not mentioned in the indictment."

After much discussion and reference to parallel cases, Judge Tuthill ruled against the state. Continuing, Mr. Scanlan told of the nysterious, dishonest and dark manner in which defendant and his brother conspirators conducted themselves just prior to the murder of the doctor. He told of Martin Burke renting the cottage from the old man Carlson; of how Burke never occupied the cottage, but always promptly paid the rent. The attorney then impressively carried the jury with

acy. He spoke of iceman O'Sullivan's talk with old man Carlson, and how at first the iceman denied any knowledge of the tenants of the cottage, but afterwards acknowledged that he knew of them and that "He was all right." Mr. Scanlan then told of Dan Coughlin's frequent telephoning from the East Chicago station to O'Sullivan at Lake View and of his frequent visits, "Now we come to Dannie Coughlin's actual appearance

and work in direct connection with the murder," said the attorney. "On the night of May 14, 1889, a man Not For Monarchy but Against appeared at Pat Dinan's livery stable and asked for a horse and buggy. He at first objected to a white horse and also wanted a carriage with side blinds. Both requests were refused by the livery stable proprietor, and finally the man, whose Bleed and Die-With Aquidaban and hat was pulled down over his eyes, took Republica he is Ready for any Yan- the rig and drove north, though he had stated that he desired to go to his aunt's house on South Halstead street. man who rented the rig was sent there by Dan Coughlin, for he himself says so. He told the chief of police that he a man who had been run over by an ice wagon. The defence may attempt to in the Carlson cottage, but I point you to the direction in which the doctor was driven and the testimony of old Mrs. Horton, who saw the white horse and and a man carrying a booklike case, such as physicians have, step out and into the cottage. The description of this man tallies exactly with that of Dr. Croniu. turned furniture, the thud like the fall of something, and groans and cries of "Oh, my God; oh, Jesus!" The cowardly

brutes had done their work. Coughlin here moved uneasily in his chair. He picked up a paper and tried to read it, but put it down. Mr. Scanlan grew dramatic and forceful, and proceeded, every word being taken in by the accused. Half an hour after another buggy was driven up to the cottage. William Meerb will say that the man who drove this second buggy was Daniel Coughlin. Daniel Coughlin had a key and opened the door and went in. and the preparations were made to hide the body. The butchered remains of Dr. Cronin were then placed in a trunk, placed in the buggy that Coughlin drove, and late at night the bloody-handed as sassins set out to conceal the victim of

an atrocious crime. With impassioned utterance the prose cutor traced the windings of the murderers. "Hours after the killing they were seen away out on the North Shore drive. They were seen in other parts of the city. They were frightened by the police, but finally, towards morning, they reached a lonely spot near Lake View, and there in a catch basin in one of the sewers the body was thrust. Hard by a big trunk was found saturated with blood, and then, that same Sunday afternoon, Dr. Cronin's disappearance was reported to the police. But that morning Mr. Conklin, in whose house Dr. Cronin lived, went out to O'Sullivan's house to see what kept the doctor from hour. They spoke about the accident to the keman's employe, but no accident had taken place. Then the police went upon the track of the ssassins. Coughlin had been detailed to the work. The public mind became excited. A most damnable crime had been committed. The white horse incident was reported to the police, and Dinan, the livery man, learning of it, visited the Chicago avenue station to tell what he knew of it. He met Coughlin. "You look agitated," observed Coughlin. "Don't you think I ought to be?" inquired Dinan. "That white horse and buggy was driven by a man you got the rig for. I am going to tell all about it," "What was Coughlin's reply?" asked Mr. Scanlan. "He told Dinan to keep his mouth shut, saying that he and Dr. Cronin had been enemies for four years."

Mr. Scanlan told of the finding of the body eighteen days later, and touched again on the murder in the cottage, say ing he understood the defence was going to question the assertion that Dr. Croning was killed there. In conclusion, he said: "Is Martin Burke dead? Is P. O'Sullivan dead? And where is Dan Coughlin to-day? He sits here in this court room scarcely whipped by justice, whilst his tools who died in prison are in their graves. Gentleman, this in brief is partial statement of what the state expects to prove at the trial. The jury's privilege is almost akin to that of the divinity. They may send Dan Coughlin to the gallows or turn him free to walk

the streets like any other man." At the conclusion of Mr. Scanlan's ad dress a recess was taken until 2 o'clock, when Daniel Donohoe began his argument for the defence.

In the course of his address he said: "This case has once been tried. What a farce, what a mockery in the name of justice and law was that trial! What gigantic and malicious efforts were made to strangle five innocent citizens to death! When we look back on the trial all the indignation of our soul and all the sadness of our heart sit in council together. Mr. Bottome objected to any reference by counsel to the other trial, and the

court ruled that during this trial the pre-

vious hearing should not in any way be

considered, either in speech or other-Counsel then resumed: "What is the charge in this case? Plainly it is that Daniel Coughlin, John F. Beggs, John Kunze, Martin Burke, P. O'Sullivan and others conspired to kill and murder Dr. Cronin. Mr. Scanlan, in his opening mentioned Kunze's name once. John F. Beggs' name was not uttered once. Beggs was acquitted on the for-mer trial. Where did the conspiracy begin? I do not know and I cannot tell from the proof. Was the doctor killed in the Carlson cottage? I do not know and I cannot tell from the proof. Such is my state of mind, and such shall be your state of mind when you have heard all the evidence. Such being the fact,

and to the happiness that beams from the faces of his wife and children." Mr. Donohoe reviewed the case, giving the meaning of "reasonable doubt' all the other points which arise in most murder cases. He severely criticised the speech of Mr. Scanlan, which he characterized as a "bundle of opinions," and to whom he frequently referred as a "man of suspicious." Mr. Donohoe concluded his speech just before the court adjourned for the day.

it will be your duty on your oath and

your privileges as men to restore Daniel

Coughlin to the blessed air of liberty

Judge Wing will speak for the defence

The Brockville Murderer Must Suffer on Thursday.

NO ACTION TAKEN BY THE EXECUTIVE

Dominion Statistics for the Month of November.

Sad Death of a Young Toronto Man-__Montreal People Have a Grievance-Tupper and Thompson Receiving Banquets Everywhere - Young Tupper Not Treated Properly.

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—The reports of Justice Rose on the Luckey murder trial, which took place in Brockville, has not yet been dealt with by the Governor-in-Council, but it will be dealt with in a day or so. There is no hope now that a commutation will be granted, so that Luckey will be executed on the 14th in-

The statement of revenue and expenditure for November is as follows: Revenue, \$3,184,170, an increase over the same month last year of \$176,095; expenditure, \$3,511,522, a decrease of \$220,118. For the five months ended November 30th the revenue has been \$15,600,528, and expenditure \$11,636,-820, showing a surplus of \$3,963,708, as compared with a surplus of \$3,904,987 for the same period last year. The following is the statement of the public debt on November 30; Gross debt, \$300,543,752; assets, \$60,-834,663; net debt, \$239,709,089. shows a comparative increase of \$494,-790 for the month, but a decrease of \$18,970,884 since June 30th. The increase for the month was mostly caused by expenditure on capital account, which amounted to \$443,353; divided as follows: Public works, \$328,190; Dominion lands, \$20,898; railway subsidies, to have him engage 1,000 or 2,000 men

Thompson and Tupper. Ottawa, Dec. 9.-Thompson and Tupper will be banquetted at Halifax on Monday next. They will also be banquetted at Montreal on the 18th on their | there is one against it." return from the Maritime Provinces This latter banquet has been arranged owing to a remark from the juvenile Tupper that his services in the fishery arbitration case did not get that recogmition in Canada which they deserved. Speaking at Antigonish yesterday, Thompson, in some pleasantries over the Winnipeg election, said Mr. Larnier would have a black, meaning Tarte, and yellow, meaning Martin, on each side of him. Thompson also complained of his being persecuted because of his religious belief. Antigonish is a Roman Catholic constituency. Thompson also said McGreevy and Connolly had carried Richilieu for the Liberals, but they paid dear for it.

In Mortal Terror of Arrest. Oakland, Cal., Dec. 9.-When the ten prison island of Saghalien got through their exhibition as freaks in San Francisco they were brought over here and made the main feature of a show on lower Broadway. On Monday three of them were missing. Next day three more had departed, and the manager closed the show in disgust. It seems the exiles were afraid extradition papers from Russia might be served on them, and they wanted to get to some place where they could not easily be found.

The Sea Encroaching. Galveston, Tex., Dec. 8.—Continued erosion of the beach from 50 street as far as East First street is becoming a grave mater with the residents of the Gulf side roads. Property to the amount of \$100,000 has already been swept away. The erosion is attributed to the extension of the south side jetty far out into the Gulf by the United States engineers, which has diverted the coast current from its former course. In front of the Beach hotel the land has been eaten away for more than fifty yards inland, and at Tatlex, at the foot of Seventh street, the waters have forced themselves more than 200 yards inland, sweeping away sand to a depth of five feet and threatening the destruction of the electric car track on Avenue L. It is the opinion of experienced engineers this cannot be remedied unless a sea. connect with the south jetty at least a mile from shore. So far twenty houses have tumbled into the sea and at least

erty been swept away.

Montreal, Dec. 9.-Joseph O. Delisle 244 Alagauchetire street, shot himself and wife at his house last night while under the influence of liquor. Mrs. Delisle is not seriously injured, but he is in Notre Dame hospital and is not expected to recover.

Shot Himself Dead. Toronto ,Dec. 9 .- A sad shotting fatality occurred here this morning. James W. Hawley, express messenger, in charge of the Canadian express car on the G. T. R. train bound west, while taking out his revolver from the safe knocked the trigger in some way and shot himself, death being instantaneous. Hawley was a single young man of exemplary habits. He had been with the has been passed on by the pope, and he express company for several years, and has been offered his old parish back proleaves a widowed mother and several sixters, who live on St. Patrick street. the city will be given him on his return

Spanish Aparchists Arrested. Madrid, Dea 9.-The police to-day raided the houses suspected of being occupied by the anarchist Mesina in Rio Peco, and secured a number of documents. It is believed the movements of members of the anarchist gang throughout Spain have been discovered. The finding of the documents confirms the suspicions of the police that the wide-spread distribution of the anarchist propaganda means dynamite and other outriges. The most important matter growing out of the Rio Peco raid was the discovery of Thomas Altet, the alleged author of the recent dynamite outrage at Villanueva y la Gueltera. Altet told

all he knew of the outrage. his associates were arrested. Three of them had in their possession papers implicating others in the outrage.

SLAIN BY DRINK.

Melancholy End of a Bright Life-A Highland Chief. Vancouver, Dec. 9.—The coroner's jury in the case of Thomas Randle, found dead in his bed at the Leland on Friday, brought in a verdict this afternoon of death from an overdose of laudanum. but they could not say whether it was taken accidentally or with suicidal intent. He had been drunk every night for weeks. Randle came here from Toronto, where he had lost a situation as cashier with Brock & Co., and despondency is said to have caused him to drink. One think about him was that he was always gentlemanly no matter how drunk he was.

A noted Scotchman, A. J. Maclean, of Pennycross, said to be hereditary chieftain of the clan, will leave here for Victoria to-morrow. Maclean is in the province with a view to locating here with his family. He is looking into the fishery business. Vancouver lacrosse team have been in-

vited to Sunset City to play for a trophy against Victoria and Westminster on Canadian day.

The Hawaiian Muddle.

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—No one seems to know the object of Minister Thurston's trip to the west coast from Washington. Charles T. Wilder, the Hawaiian consul here, said last night that he had not been apprised of Minister Thurston's coming. and he did not know whether he was only coming to San Francisco or going to Honolulu. The fact that Minister Thurston conferred with Secretary of State Gresham just before he left seems to give the trip some significance. However, it is known that Thurston is in-terested here. He was at Chicago interested in the Hawaiian cyclorama which is to be exhibited at the Midwinter fair, and it may be a mere business trip. He will be due here next Tuesday, and should he be bound for the islands he will in all probability sail on the Alameda on Thursday. Some time ago the manager of a detective system made some in aid of the Hawaiian government. "Somehow they have got an idea we want men down there," said Censul Wilder, "but we have no use for any men. As it is we have twenty men in favor of the present government where

Severely Reprimanded. Washington, D.C., Dec. 9.-In accordance with the findings of the court-martial sentence which called for a public reprimand of Lieut, Edward D. Bostick, accused of abusing a sentry and giving the countersign in a tone of voice loud enough to destroy its secrety, Secretary McAdoo has issued the following severe reprimand: The sentence of the court this case, though deemed a mild one for the offence committed, has been approved, and in carrying into effect so much of the same as requires that the lieutenant should be publicly reprimanded by the honorable the secretary of the navy, the department deems it proper to call attention to the remarkable fact that an officer of his age, rank and expeof 23 years, should display such ignorance of the duties of a sentinel, such lack of respect for the sacredness of the countersign, and such a thorough disregard of the proper treatment of inferiors. charged with responsible duties. Of equal importance with the prompt and unjuestioning obedience to the orders of a uperior is the necessity for immediate impliance with the orders of an inferior, who, while filling a position of trust without independent authority, has a most delicate duty to perform in compelling the compliance with orders by a superior in rank. It is accordingly enjoined upon Lieutenant Bostick that in his future contact with men he must

service. Ran Into a Landslide. Spokane, Wn., Dec. 9.—Reports from Belton, on the Great Northern, say an east-bound passenger train last night struck a landslide, and the engine, express and baggage cars were thrown down the embankment. Several persons are reported injured, perhaps killed.

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of subordination to the discipline of the

Caused Great Disappointment. • Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 9.—The statement that it was the intention of the United States government to restore Lilinokalani to power was received here wall be constructed from 50th street to with great disappointment. It was not believed the queen would return to power unless she was assured of American support. The Hawaiian Gazette strongffteen blocks of valuable building prop- ly protests against the restoration.

Restriction of a Council's Power. Montreal, Dec. 9.—There was a good deal of talk on the street this morning among the bankers and merchants over the action of the city council in deciding to send a deputation to Quebec to oppose the restriction of the borrowing powers of the city to fifteen per cent, of the total value of taxable property. There was only one opinion expressed, and that was that the council's power should be restricted, and that immediately,

Burtsell and Corrigan. New York, Dec. 9 .- An evening paper says it has news from Rome throug ha trustworthy source that the case of Dr. Burtsell, now in Rome, who was removed from a New York parish and sent to Rondout, N.Y., by Archbishop Corrigan, viding Corrigan consent, but Burtsell has declined. It is stated a church in

if Corrigan agree. Toronto, Dec. 9 .- Ex-Mayor Howland s considered a little better but his condition continues to cause grave anxiety.

