# Baking Powder

# ELY PURE

writing dated 17th of February, signed by Cohen in which Cohen acknowledged receipt of Chapman's watch as securit for indebtedness of \$59, and on which there had since been paid \$36. His lordship refused to hold defendant liable for goods supplied prior to 17th of February and gave judgment for plaintiff for \$23 and costs. G. A. Morphy for plaintiff and G. E. Powell for defendant. William Le Poer Trench et al. sued William White for ejectment. The plaintiffs bought the land situated near Sidney from Joseph Lowen, and when they wen't there the defendant, the caretaker, refused to go out, claiming that there was some money due him, and hence the action. Under the rules the plaint return day-in this case only an ordinary cummons was issued and the action was dismissed. E. V. Bodwell for plaintiff

QUEBEC JUDGES.

and Thornton Fell for defendant

Mr. Tarte's New Move-Mr. Kennedy's Threat of Disclosure

Ottawa, July 3.-Mr. Tarte wrote to the premier to-day stating that he intended to bring up in the house certain charg-es against some of the judges in the province of Quebec.

Kannedy, the ex-superintendent of the achine Canal, has been summoned here o give evidence in the Curran bridge enmiry. He says that he will tell a story that will dethrone some of those high in

Invitations have been sent out for an 'At home" on Parlaiment Hill on Thursday evening. The gathering will include the imperial and colonial delegates. natronesses are the wives of ministers. The colonial conference was sitting all forenoon discussing the Pacific cable It will meet again in the after

THE MARKETS.

Short Summary Covering Articles of Every Day Consumption.

There is a very good trade being done in fresh fruits at the present time and very fair returns are being made to growers. Prices locally have declined as the supply increased and are generally what may be called reasonable. Island eggs are lower again by reason of heavy receipts of eastern eggs. Some of them now retail as low as 25 cents, a fall of 15 cents in less than a month. Trade generally holds to an average established several months ago. Retail prices are below: Albany

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Kingston Election Recount. Kingston, Ont., July 5 .- A recount of the ballots cast at the local election on Tuesday of last week has been in progress here before the county judge. Smythe, Conservative, had a majority of over Hon. Mr. Harty, according to the returning officer's count. Up to date the judge's recount has taken 4 off this majority, the vote now standing: Smythe, 1710; Harty, 1709.

Sufferers from chills and fever, who have used quinine as a remedy, will appropriate the second of the second preciate Ayer's Ague Cure. This preparation, if taken according to directions, is warranted a sure cure. Residents in many arial districts should not be without it.

# FOR SALE.

Having imported a son (Top Pick) of the celebrated Shropshire ram "Blue Blood Yet." 29,686, A. S. R., in 1892, and bred him to some fine half-breed Shropshire ewes. I have now for sale some extra fine ewes. I have now for sale some extra fine each. Also, some good land, improved or unimproved, in lots from 40 to 200 acres, from \$10 an acre up, on terms to suit. Apply to GEO. HEATHERBELL, Hornby Island. july6-4t



VICTORIA, B. C., FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1894.

Traffic Completely Demoralized

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and Sante Fe roads, and from which in the United States.

Alexandria Bay, July 9.—G. M. Pullno and Santa overland was dispatched east on the inception of the strike. Out of the inception of the strike. Out of the inception of the strike. Out of the inception of the strike as so worn and tired that I don't feel able, nor can I say anything. The strike has gone beyond me, and I could say little of interest anyway." George is of the company to dispatch trains useless for the company to dispatch trains us linited States militia have now made an

managers have apparently thrown up the sponge until some settlement of the trouble shall be arrived at in the east. The ble sham be arranged are still as destrikers at Sacramento are still as determined as ever. Many of them are heavily armed with Winchesters and openly threaten to resist any efforts to move

Angeles, July 7.—This afternoon the following communication was issued to J. M. Johnson, chief clerk of the railway mail service, by the government's attorney, in view of the fact that there is port the mans: Sir-I have the honor to request that sport the mails:

you will immediately notify the proper officials of the Southern Pacific that they are required to transport the mails of the United States upon all local trains running out of San Francisco and Oakfand, and that such trains are expected to be run in reasonable manner, and as often as the ordinary business requires. Your attention is further called to section 3964 of the Revised Statutes, making all railroads post roads of the United States. n this connection, I beg leave to say that it may be impracticable for said company to operate trains carrying Pullman cars at the present time, but this does not excuse that company from carrying mails of the United States on all other trains. George R. Dennis, U.S.

McCarthy deemed this action mutiny, ordered the men under arrest, took their arms away and placed a guard over them. At 1:30 p.m. Brigadier-General Curry lined up the company, gave them a lecture and asked them if they would shoot to kill if he ordered to do so.
answered "Yes," and "You bet." Their

arms were returned to them. Washington City, July 7.-The president to-day dealt another and heavy blow at the spirit of lawlessness abroad in the west by causing the issue of sweeping orders to the commanders of the army departments to open up and maintain free communication over the transcontinental railroad lines from the Mississippi river to the Pacific Ocean. Such orders are unique in time of peace, and in themwith great power. As explained in their text, the basis for this action, which may involve the use of United States troops in at least ten States, is the organic law, under which orders were issued by the government. Perhaps the reason which most strongly impelled the administration Lake Erie switchmen and operators

cation to Omaha.

Chicago, July 7.—"And it is further ordered that if any act of hostility be committed, such as firing upon railroad trains, assaulting trainmen, marshals or soldiers, throwing rocks, pieces of iron or other missiles at them, these assaults shall be repelled by the use of firearms." So wrote General Nelson A. Miles in his order issued this afternoon detailing Federal troops to assist the United States marshals in preventing obstruction to the movement of the mail and interstate com-Boston, July 7.—An order was received an agent of the American Railway nion in this city at midnight from Debs, instructing him to appoint a committee and to arrange to bring about a strike on all the railroads leading into Boston at once.

merce trains. Chicago, July 7.—The strikers and the a proclamation. The number of killed and wound-

Dead-John Burke, striker, killed by ayonet thrust through the abdomen. Vounded-Lieutenant Reed, company C, Stock Yards, II., July 9.—The R. I. Company to day distributed colored men in the towers along the road. The strik ackman, shot in back, will die; John ers attempted to get at the negroes, saying they would kill them, and also attempted to burn the towers. They were driven off by the troops. It is said the negroes will die; unknown boy, 17 years old, for through the abdomen, will die; H.

THE GREAT RAILWAY STRIKE | Williams, shot in the left arm; John Ker, shot in mp; Annie Zeigher, left leg amputated; Joseph Rhineberg, three bayonet wounds, may die; Anton Kochminski, shot in shoulder; unknown boy, shot in left leg.

From San Francisco to the Far East.

Several Fatal Riots—The Drastic Measures Taken by Prostdent Cleveland.

San Francisco, July 7.—The only new feature in the situation in California to feature in the situation in California to feature in the raising of the blockade at the strike is settled by 4.

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d States minute in a strikers at San is not the slightest truth in the report urged Mr. Pullman to agree to arbitrate his differences with his employes. Mr. to-day. Pullman is really unable to talk, not feeling well, said Mr. Best.
"How does Mr. Pullman look upon arbitration as a means of settling the

"What is there to arbitrate?" was the reply. "We simply could not get orders for work and had to reduce the men's wages. This was done rather than stop work entirely; as it was we had to send all over the country for a few orders to some complaint that the Southern Pacific keep the men in work even at reduced was not making the proper effort to tranpression is over and we receive the usual quota of orders, just so soon will the wages be better. But the strike has gone far beyond us and extended into

Mr. West impressed on the reporter that he had not the slightest authority to express these sentiments on behalf of Mr. Pullman. They were his own personal views.

"Will Mr. Pullman make any concessions to his men if they return to work?" "I am not in any position to state Mr. Pullman's views," was the reply. Mr. West, speaking for himself, continued: "But let them return to us as they went out, non-union men, and we will then see what amicable arrangements can be made. They were nonunion men when they went out. Most of them have been made union men since other trains. George R. Dennis, U.S. Attorney.

Tacoma, July 7.—The first and second regiments of state militia arrived this forenoon from Woodland encampment, en route home. They sharted tast night, but the strikers had let all the water out of the water tanks along the lines. The trains were compelled to stou at Lake riew last night and this more than the roots to all the strikers had let all the water out of the water tanks along the lines. The trains were compelled to stou at Lake riew last night and this more than their tools and went out.

Then asked how long Mr Pullian the creeks with buckets. On the arrival of the troops at 11 o clock, company G.

> Massillon, Ohio, July 9.-A. R. U. men on the Wheeling & Lake Eric road have refused to obey Debs' order to strike. Washington, July 9 .- Gen. Schofield has received dispatches from Gen. Miles stating there were conflicts at Hammond during the night. Several people were killed. Numbers of rioters were cap-Secretary Herbert has ordered tured. out the entire naval force at Mare Island to assist in preventing rioting at

San Francisco. New York, July 9 .- Stocks opened fractionally lower. London, July 9.-The strikes in Ameri-

is strong in expectation of the total stopunique in time of peace, and in them selves clothe the military commanders page of the American supply.

New York, July 9.—General Howard made a hurried trip to this city from Governor's Island to-day. He refused to say whether his trip had a bearing on

in issuing these orders is the fact that the struck here this morning. Business is strikers have prevented the movement of stopped on the Wheeling belt road, which the United States troops.

Washington, July 7.—General Schofield has sent orders to General Ruger, car of freight can be interchanged from it San Francisco, and General Brooke at one road to another. General Manager Omaha, placing in their charge the entire Blair threatens a complete shut down. Union and Central Pacific systems, with Detroit, Mich., July 9.—Yesterday instructions to open the line of communitral, issued a circular to the employees stating if any employee was not at his post of duty this morning he would be This morning every yardsdismissed.

man and switchman was on duty. Washington, July 9.—Chaplain Milburn referred to the strike and prayed that God might restrain violent lawlessness, Boston, July 9.-At a meeting of the common council yesterday resolutions were passed regretting the delivery of the United States gevernment to the railroad kings.

Peoria, July 9.—The men in the Empo ria yards struck at midnight last night. New York, July 9.—Chauncey M. Depew, in an interview to-day, said he looked for a speedy termination of the present strikes and warmly commended President Cleveland's action in issuing

state authoribies came together this af | Indianapolis, July 9. General Harri-

here: all trains are running. Stock Yards, Ill., July 9:-The R. I. regard thereto.

the war department from General Miles this morning says that three distinct conflicts took place at Hammond, Ind., last night. Several were killed and many wounded and a number of rioters

The naval forces at Mare island have been ordered to be prepared to assist in preventing rioting at San Francisco. Los Angeles, July 9.—The situation is unchanged here this morning. All is quiet, with only a local train running. A rumor is current that Governor Markham goes to San Francisco on the steam-er Santa Rosa to-day. The officials still say it is unknown when an attempt will be made to run San Francisco trains

Chicago, July 9.-Up to noon to-day no outbreak on the part of the strikers occurred here or at Hammon. Quiet reigns at both places. Passengers trains

day. Workingmen remained in effort to overcome the strain there has been no Jose. At Sacramento there has been no land had, through Secretary Herbert, had a quiet night. There has been no land had, through to agree to applying the night. There has been no large the strain thrown up the large day. Buffalo, N. Y., July 9.-The situation

here has not changed since last night's report. That an order to tie up roads in Buffalo has been received is an absolute fact, and that the order will be obeyed if anything can be gained by doing so is certain. San Jose, Cal., July 9.—The situation many in short pants, with

remains unchanged this morning. It is understood no effort will be made to move trains to-day. The sheriff took three leaders of the riotous element into custody yesterday afternoon, and they are in the county jail. It is understood arrests will be made to-day. The militia is still under arms. Vallejo, Cal., July 9.—Captain H. L

val yards, is in receipt of orders from the secretary of the navy to hold marines in readiness for immediate service, but at what particular point the commandant is not informed. Yesterday afternoon there were frequent communications be tween Mare Island and the departmen at Washington, and the commandan summoned Major Jope, commanding U S. marine corps, and Captain Kempt commanding United States monitor Mon terey, to a consultation with him in his office. Sealed orders were also sent to the U. S. S. Thetie and it is believed the intention is to utilize the marine guards of both ships, although owing to the great secrecy observed it is difficult to get at facts. Two hundred men are held in readiness at this port and orders to move any moment are anticipat-

New York, July 9.—The police are on the creeks with buckets. On the arrival that from the creeks with buckets. On the arrival of the troops at 11 s clock, company G, band not decided himself. He might posseond regiment, of Spokane comprising 50 men, notified Lieutenanh Colonel McCarthy that they would not go out on a train manned by non-union men. Col. McCarthy deemed this action mutiny.

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> KOREAN EMBROGLIO. The Natives Are Suspicious of Both the Chinese and Japanese.

The following is given in the Niroku Shimpo: The reason why Min Ei Shun and other ministers of the Korean court applied to China for assistance, when they were well aware of the existing abuses, is because things had just reached that point that the Korean authorities ca are causing much uneasiness. Ameri- were alarmed at the great power of the can stocks are flat. The cattle market Togaku-to. They were enticed by the sweet words of Mr. Yuan, Chinese minster, and applied to China without having time to consider its consequences. The Japanese government did not look on the dispatch of soldiers by the Chinese government unconcernedly; and when the ormer government sent out a comparatively large number of troops obviously for the protection of the legations, consulates and settlers, the Korean authorities began to have some suspicion as to the true motive of this government. It is reported that Korea sent a communication to the government requesting that Japanese soldiers be not sent to Seoul, this request, however, was not considered as a reasonable demand, and was rejected b ythe Japanese government. There is no doubt that the communication was the outcome of the advice of Mr. Yuan. Before the Japanese troops did enter Se oul, the Korean government manifester some alarm, so they must consequently be in a great state of anxiety now that the Japanese soldiers have entered the capital. The paper hears that frequen communications of late have passed between the two governments, and that the Chinese government is also concerned. Is not this the result of the great panic of the Korean government on account of the dispatch of Japanese soldiers. The greater part of the compound brigade which was formed for dispatch to Korea are encamped at Juenchan and Seoul. Samoan Trouble.

Washington, July 9 .- The president today sent to congress a communication received by the German ambassador from Apia, with regard to the recent trouble sult. The number of killed and wound tion of President Cleveland. He said Secretary Gresham, in which the latter ed may never be known, as the mob cartied off a number of men who were seen to fall, or whether they were dead or wounded or how were seen to fall, or whether they were dead or wounded or how were seen to fall, or whether they were dead or wounded or how were seen to fall, or whether they were dead or president had ordered federal troops in the united States have gained unded or how many of them fell is to a state without a request from the nothing by its entering the tripartite ossible at this time to ascertain. As governor of such state and over his pro- agreement for the government of the 35. The complete returns follow: ar as known the casualties are as folcorrespondence tells of a recent outbrea do so, however.

The backbone of the strike is broken in Samoa and asks the United States a to the attitude it is proposed to take

They Elect All Their Candidates on the Island and Some on the Mainland.

Vancouver, New Westminster and Lower Mainland Districts Go Opposition. Returns from the various districts

where elections were held on Saturday show that the government have elected all their candidates on the island, while the lower mainland has gone completely The only island district which full returns have not been received at the time of writing is Co ty certain that Hunter has been elected over Scharschmidt. mor, but as far as heard from it is pret-

There were a few surprises, but no big ones, in this city. It was almost certain from the start that the governnent would be sustained, but few peop believed Dr. Milne would be elected, but the government succeeded during the last ours of the campaign in inducing many who intended to split their votes to vote the straight ticket. Their cry was, "Vote for Victoria," "Vote for your homes." It was after half-past three on Sungay morning before all the Victoria votes were counted. The government supporters, anxious to celebrate, formed a procession at 11.30 and paraded the streets, accompanied by the successful candia band, decorated hacks, and a crowd of enthusiastic young politicians, torches, flags, and even live roosters. On Government street the procession halted and the candidates made short speeches Hon. Mr. Beaven met his first defeat

as a candidate for the legislature, having en returned at every previous general election since confederation.

The result of the election was efficially announced to-day by Sheriff McMillan, Howison, commanding Mare Island na- the returning officer. The figures are:

1	Rejected 5
1	Spoiled
	Government.
	Rithet 250
	Turner
	Braden 216
	Opposition.
3	Milne 82
8	Beaven 76 Cameron 66
	Dutton
	C. C
3	WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.
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New Westminster district give each of the opposition candidates a majority. Richmond riding, about which there was jority of over one hundred. The hard too paralyzed to speak, so he could have work done by the ministers in Delta had no expectation of being returned. The vote stood 431 for McGregor and of press two hundred. Mr. Forster a majority

The same of the sa	Ladner's     141       Clover Valley     55       Brewnsville     55       Shortreed's     37       Eigin     28       Murray's Corners     59       Westham Island     18       Hall's Prairie     19       Port Kells     40       Lochiel     29	63 51 59 19 16 24 6 10 32
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Total ...... 318 SOUTH VICTORIA. In South Victoria Mr. Eberts was elected over Mr. Carey, the latter losing his deposit. Both were government can-

1	Cedar Hill	C
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	NORTH VICTORIA	

didate, polled a much larger vote in the district than was expected by some of his friends. Mr. Booth, the government candidate, was elected by a majority of

Ľ	Booth.	Rober
k	North Saanich 20	
S	Burgoyne Bay 18	
n	Vesuvius Bay         43           Pender Island         7           Mayne Island         23	
h	Total	
3	VANVOUVER CIT	Y.

While the government were celebrating their victory in Victoria the opposition were doing likewise in Vancouver.

Desupplied two of three weeks after. The numbers of the portfolios when placed to find their victory in Victoria the opposition were doing likewise in Vancouver.

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Figaro, Vienna.

cause the A. R. U. refuses to admit negroes to membership.

Washington, July 9. —A dispatch to the war defortment from General Miles

THE GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED

The opposition at the Terminal City made a clean sweep, Mr. Odlum, the government candidate, and Sam Greer, independent, losing their deposits. With Bush Fire. the exception of one or two hundred, every voter in Vancouver cast a ballot.

The returns are: Williams ..... WESTMINSTER CITY.

Mr. Kennedy, opposition, was elected by a majority of 19 over Mr. Curtis. The latter, it is acknowledged, polled a larger vote than any other government candidate could have polled. He received a large number of personal votes. The returns give Kennedy 539, Curtis 574. CARIBOO.

From returns so far received it is evident that two government candidates have been elected. The returns are: 150 Mile House, Adams 6, Rogers 18, Watt 11, McLeese 28, Kinchant 26; Soda Creek, Adams 18, Rogers 14, Watt 7, McLeese 15, Kinchant 7; Quesnelle, Adams 20, Rogers 14, Watt 14, McLeese 7, Kinchant 0; Stanley, Adams 9, Rogers 11, Watt 12, McLeese 8, Kinchant 4; Barkerville, Adams 52, Rogers 63, Watt Watt 146, Rogers 120, Adams 105, Mc-102, McLeese 19, Kinchant 5; Chilcotin, Adams 5, Rogers 2, Watt 17, McLeese 22, Kinchant 20; Alexandria, Adams 20, Rogers 12, Watt 13, McLeese 7, Kinchanti; Forks Quesnelle, Adams 1, Rogers 7, Watt 7, McLeese 16, Kinchant 14; Horsefly, Adams 9, Rogers 6, Watt 1, McLeese 19, Kinchant 16. Total, Watt 147, McLeese 141, Adams 184, Rogers 147, McLeese 141, Adams 140, Kinchant 93. There are two places

THE THREE NANAIMO. Nanaimo, July 9-The election is over, and it is only true to state that it was a surprise to all. During the day Mr. Keith's committee worked hard to win, and had the miners proved true to their own cause there would be no necessity to announce a defeat. At the count the utmost excitement prevailed among the few inside when a tie was time after time announced. Sometimes Keith led by ten votes, when he would be overhauled and his opponent would lead, only to be tied again. It was not until 700 of the votes had been counted that McGreg-or obtained the lead, which he kept until 842 votes had been counted and his election was secure with twenty-votes majority. The opposition had not the money at their back, or even with the split in the ranks of the union they would not have lost the fight. There is one consolation for the defeated to bear in mind—that the 411 votes cast were those of true and noble principled men When the writer congratulated the vicsupposed to be doubt, has given Mr. torious candidates, on the count being Kidd, the opposition candidate, a macommunicated to him, he said he was

Keith, Ralph Smith deserved better treatment in North Nanaimo, but he also met traitors, and in consequence will have to forfeit his deposit. Whether good will forfeit his deposit. result from the defeat of the three labor candidates time alone will tell. Certainly it will take a long time to close the each that has now been made in the ranks of labor in this city.

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e.	Bryden.	Smith
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	Total	132
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	South Nanalmo the votes were:  Five-acre Lots	64 41 16
	Total146	121
ıs.	COMOX DISTRICT.  Hunter, Sch Union	44 59 Valde

POSTPONED ELECTIONS. In East Kootenay and East Lillooet | the elections are being held to-day. The a rush, and a long slide into the platn, candidates in East Kootenay are Colonel up to the station of New Chaman. Baker, government, and N. C. Schou, opposition. Those in East Lilliooet are J. D. Prentice, opposition, and D. A. Stoddart, government. West and North Yale and West Lil-

Yale on the 18th. These dates are very conveniently arranged for the government, who hope that the results on the island will influence the other districts. The friends of the government openly admit that if the elections in the three Yales had been held on Saturday every one of the opposition candidates would have been returned. Even now reports from there are not very encouraging for the government. Hon, Mr. Davie left Wilhelmina rides one when she is at her on Saturday night and Hon, Mr. Turner their colleague, Hon. Mr. Vernon, a and Princes George and Nicholas, of dubious, but the ministers are going to make a desperate fight for it. The min- machine, almost entirely covered with isters will also visit West Kootenay and silver plating. the other districts where their candidates are not receiving encouraging support. In North Yale Mr. Martin is ground, Mr. Wardle stands no chance in East Yale against Mr. Semlin, and Mr. Graham will in all probability defeat Hon. Mr. Vernon in West Yale.

Samples of a very neat portfolio cover for America Photographed can be seen at the Times office. Orders will be received at 65 cents each and covers will ing, sir. be supplied two or three weeks after. The

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Salmon Arm, B. C., July 9.-A large brush fire started at the south end of Salmon Arm valley on the 7th inst. For a distance of five miles and a half not a fence is left standing, making nearly a clean sweep of everything. F. Mc-Gregor lost four acres of potatoes; A. Gregor lost four acres of potatoes; A. Merrill, S. J. Rumball and W. J. Wallace are all out buildings with contents and a large percentage of crops; James Raby, house and crops; W. W. Shaw, three acres of potatoes, house and barn; the barn contained a large amount of agricultural implements and ten hogs. The family barely escaped, only saving what clothing they had on. J. Anderson, was hurned, about the fees son was burned about the face and hands. The fire made a clean sweep of everything on both sides of the road for miles, burning out bridges and blocking the road with fallen trees. The total loss will amount to several thousand dol-

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Col. Powell's Reinstatement-Herbert. Has Not Resigned.

Ottawa, July 9.—Col. Powell resumed his duties as adjutant-general of militia to-day. There is still some talk of Gen. Henbert resigning, although others do not believe he will do so.

Simon Fraser, a delegate to the colo-nial conference from Victoria colony, gave a dinner on Saturday, his guests being principally Nova Scotians. Mr. Fraser was born in Nova Scotia.

MORE BOMBS

Attempt to Blow Up a German Society -One Kalled.

Prague, July 9.—By the explosion of a bomb in front of a hotel in Pilsen, at which the German Society is holding a reunion, the front of the building was lished. A member of the society was killed and several injured. Three other bombs with lighted fuses were discovered and extinguished.

THE KHOJAK TUNNEL.

An Engineering Feat That Strengthen's England's Indian Position.

On the 1st of January, 1892, by a great feat of engineering, England once more strengthened her hold upon north-ern India. The Khojak tunnel was then completed and opened for the public traffic. It has been said that England has her right hand upon the Hindoo-Kush and her left hand upon the Khojak, for by means of the tunnel through the mountains she finds herself within sixty level miles of Candahar. The political signisances of the undertaking is apparent at

and through the same cause. Lare hills beyond it plunges into the side of the mountain. Within the railway yards of New Chaman are sixty miles of railway lines laid up in neat ten-mile packets, with the necessary sleepers and other accessories, ready at a moment's notice to carry the line into Candahar itself, which could be filled in a few days with the red coats and white helmets of the Empress of India. New Chaman is a brand new army post. A few trees have been planted along the new laid streets, the barracks and buildings are freshly painte, and the vegetables are just beginning to show in the public gar-.

> From the little station of Shela Bagh, at the eastern entrance of the tunnel, sp steep is the gradient down to the plain that one of the inspector's little cars, which holds three or four people, can coast the entire distance and swing around the curves at the rate of thirty miles an hour. It is an exciting coast, now rushing from the cool air of the tunnel out of the darkness into the dazzling sunshine, and down the long grades, creeping in some places, flying in others, with the air that roars in ones'ears getting warmer all the time as the valley is neared. Then about the last curve with

If there is to be a struggle between Russia and England at any time in the future, Afghanistan will be the seat of war. Herat, Cabul, Ghazni, and Candahar will be objective points in Rusisa's possible campaign. But at present Eng-West Kootenay on the 17th and East and the tunnel through the Khojak range gives her the control of the fertile valley of the Argand-ab, Candahar as a base of supplies, and all India behind her. -Harper's Weekly.

> The royalties of Europe patronize bicycles with as much energy as the boys of America. The King of the Belgians

castle of Het Loo, and the Czarowitz, left yesterday for the interior to give Princes Waldemar and Carl of Denmark, helping hand. His chances are thought Greece are all bicyclists. The bicycle of the Khedive of Egypt is a gorgeous Professor Lawson Tait tells us that

there are certain orchids that secure the fertilization of their stigmas by making bees drunk. In no other way could they get these insects to cut up the necessary antics to carry a pollen to the proper place. Every such flower is a veritable liquor saloon, licensed by nature. The beverage supplied is distinctly alcoholic.

Dun (to Smith who has just paid an old debt)-There is still ten marks want-

Smith-Oh, I retain them as your share