KAIULANI'S MISSION.

The Princess' Trip to England Believed to Possess Political Significance.

Reported Capture of Antananarive Discredited - Korea's Queen in Danger.

LONDON, Oct. 8 —It is reported that the visit of Princess Kaiulani to England has some political meaning and that renewed efforts are being made to secure the interest of Great Britain in her cause. In addition to Mr. Cleghorn, her father, Col Macfarlane and several other of her adherents are here, including Theophilus Davies, the princess' guardian, and Major and Mrs. Wodehouse. Mr. Cleghorn called at the foreign office yesterday with a letter of introduction from the British minister at Honolulu and had another conference there to-day. The Hawaiian princess is treated with the same formality as a reigning princess would be treated. She has grown to be a tall, fine looking girl, and has been busy ever since her arrival from the continent. On Saturday last the Princess went to Woolwich, and this evening she was present at a lecture. After the lecture she was a member of a supper party at the Savoy hotel, which Mr. Hoofung, late charge d'affaires of Hawaii, gave in her honor. Mr. Cleghorn has been in ill health, and has been ordered to take a perfect rest. He leaves with the Princess for Italy in a fortnight in order to pass the winter in that country.

The amalgamated society of engineers has notified the Belfast ship builders and engineers that unless the demands of the society are conceded, a strike will be commenced on Thursday. The employers state that there is no chance of bringing about a compromise in the matters in dispute. The Clyde shipbuilders, who are working under an understanding with those of Belfast, will it is announced suspend 25 per cent. of their men every week after the strike begins and before the end of the month it is estimated that 50,000 men will be in idleness. A long and severe struggle is anticipated.

Inquiries made at the French war office this afternoon regarding the reported capture of Antananarivo show that while the news is credited there, no particulars have been received, and it is not expected that the report will be officially confirmed before Friday next. The Queen in a speech yesterday is reported to have said: "The French are close upon you. You said you would fight for me, but you have not fought. I will not yield. I shall die at the palace." The Hovas are preparing to make the last stand at Ambonemauga.

A dispatch from Munster, Westphalia, says: "There has been a growing agitation here for some time against the order issued to close the beer gardens and other similar places for obtaining refreshments at a much earlier hour than customary. A number of serious conflicts have taken place between the police and the inhabitants in the streets of this city. Matters finally reached a crisis yesterday, when the gensdarmes and police charged a mob of townspeople with drawn swords, wounding many of the latter. There is a very bitter feeling against the authorities, and it is feared that there will be more trouble before long."

A special despatch received here from San Sebastian says it is thought there that Gen. Potevoja will be selected to assist Captain General Martinez de Campos in the active operations shortly to be undertaken against the insurgents of Cuba. General Potevoja has already seen service in Cuba and is well accustomed to campaigning in that country. He is said to be a very energetic officer, and brave even to the degree of rashness.

The heart of Kosciusko, the Polish patriot and general under Washington, will be transferred on October 15 from Vezla to the museum in the Chateau Raperswijl, near Zeurish.

The Spanish colony in Mexico has notified the Spanish government that it has placed 500 mules at its disposal for use during the military operations against the insurgents of Cuba.

A curious maritime disaster is reported from Malasaguas, near the Colorado reefs, upon which the Christobal Colon recently met with disasters, and where other disasters to shipping have recently occurred. The coasting steamer Triton being in danger of going ashore on the reefs during the recent cyclone, was sunk by her commander, and after the gale was pumped out and floated. One of the officers of the wrecked Spanish cruiser Christobal has arrived here from Mantua on board the steamer Pravino. He confirmed the story of the disaster to that vessel, and added that the Conde de Venadito and Infanta Isabel, aided by the gunboat Maria Cristana, are hard at work trying to save the guns and some of the ammunition of the Christobal Colon, as well as the safe of that cruiser, which contains a considerable sum of money. The cruiser, however, as already announced, will prove a total wreck.

The Berlin Post issues a statement in regard to the disposition of Prince Henry of Prussia, regarding whom there have been many rumors to the effect that he has come under the displeasure of his brother the Emperor William, and had been practically banished from Germany. The Post says that at his own wish, after the conclusion of the court fetes next spring, Prince Henry will go on a long tour in Switzerland and Italy. He will, however, remain in the closest touch with naval affairs. The arrangements made for the distribution of the various commands in the navy show that Prince Henry's absence has for a long time been anticipated.

The Globe this afternoon publishes a dispatch from Berlin, saying that owing to a sudden cold Prince Bismarck is slightly indisposed.

Advices received here from Havana state that the Spaniards met a band of 300 insurgents at Palmas Soriano, led by Castillo. The insurgents were routed, three being killed and many wounded. The Spaniards sustained no loss.

The German society for the promotion of industry has conferred a gold medal on Prof. Howe, of Boston.

The Politische Correspondenz, of Vienna, publishes the note which the representatives of the powers at Constantinople have addressed to the Porte, drawing attention to the state of affairs at Stamboul and advising the Porte to adopt measures for the restoration of order. The note states that the subscribers have their information partly from eye witnesses, and that it shows that private persons who were arrested were beaten and even killed without the peace officers attempting to prevent it; that orderly persons were attacked, and that those who were wounded were taken to the courts, to the police stations and to the prisons and killed in cold blood.

The Moslem quarters of Stamboul have been placarded with a notice inciting the people against the "infidels." The police tear down these placards, but are either unable or unwilling to do so before they have been widely read and have had the effect anticipated upon Mahommedans.

It has been officially stated in London that the recent disturbances at Constantinople will not stop the negotiations which Great Britain and the powers are carrying on with the Turkish government, looking to reform in the administration of Armenia.

A telegram received at Yokohama from Seoul, Korea, says that Tai Ron Kin, the king's father, leader of the anti-reform party, entered the palace at the head of an armed force, and the Queen's life is reported to be in danger.

L'Eclaire, of Paris, this morning delares that the Powers have decided to summon the Porte to submit to the reforms demanded in the administration of Armenia.

Dr. Ellenbogen, of Vienna, Austrian delegate to the Socialist congress now in session at Breslau, Silesia, was arrested this morning on the ground that he was "an obnoxious foreigner."

Arrangements have been almost completed by which the estates of Lord Henry Francis Hope, brother of the Duke of Newcastle, including that of Deepdene, Surrey, will be transferred to an insurance company in consideration of enough to pay his debts at the rate of 10s. in the pound. Deepdene, at which the Prince of Wales has just been entertained by Lord and Lady Wm. Beresford, will partly be sold in building lots. It is expected that Box Hill, which is included in the estate, will be sold to the nation. The trustees of the estate are trying to sell the famous Hope diamond, which is valued at £24,000 An American gentleman recently offered $100,000 for this stone.

The London newspapers profess to see in the increased crowds which attended the anniversary observance of the death of Charles Stewart Parnell in Dublin evidence of the sympathy of the masses of Ireland with the Parnellites and their cause. The Morning Post, alluding to the popular demonstration, says: "Not a McCarthyite dared to show his face among the 200,000 persons who thronged the Irish capital."

The Sultan has twice sent Artin Pasha to the Patriarchate in order to co operate with the Patriarch in the latter's efforts to induce the Armenians who have sought refuge in the churches to return to their homes. All efforts in this direction have, however, proved futile, the Armenians declaring that they have no confidence in the promises of protection made by the Turkish government. In all ninety-five bodies have been delivered to the officials of the Patriarchate by order of the Sultan, and it is claimed that they represent all the Armenians killed during the recent rioting. Fuad Pasha has gone to the Dardanelles in order to inspect the forts there, and a number of torpedoes have been forwarded to the straits.

Dispatches from Barcelona announce serious conflicts between the Liberal and Catholic students of the University. The trouble is due to the fact that the government suspended a professer who published a book declared to be heretical. The riots started in the university and finally reached the street, where the rioters were reinforced by crowds of people. In the conflict between the Catholics and Liberals led by the students, many persons were wounded. The disorder was with difficulty suppressed by the police.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The Vienna correspondent of the Times telegraphs that he hears on good authority that the Russian government is planning a line of fast steamers to run from Vladivostock to Shanghai in connection with the Siberian railway.

A special despatch received here from Berlin says that Prof. Leyden, the specialist, who is in charge of the Czarewitch, has received a telegram notifying him that his patient's illness has assumed an alarming turn.

The Reichsanzeiger publishes a note signed by Chancellor von Hohenlohe and other ministers denying the charge against Dr. von Bottischer, minister of the interior, to the effect that the time when important financial reforms were imminent he borrowed from prominent bankers large sums which he did not intend to repay.

A despatch from Sydney, N.S.W., says that the Australian cricket council has decided to send a team to England and America in 1896.

The representatives of the six powers are to-day still waiting for a definite reply to the communications recently handed to the Turkish government on behalf of their respective governments. The patience of the different European governments interested in the proposed reforms is becoming exhausted and definite action upon their part may be expected. In view of the increasing gravity of the situation, the British Mediterranean squadron remains at Lemnos, within a short distance of the entrance to the Dardanelles. The obstinacy of the Porte under the circumstances is not generally understood. No reply has been received to the request of Sir Phillip Currie, the British ambassador, made shortly after the massacre, that he be allowed to visit the prisons in which the Armenians charged with rioting are confined to take their depositions for transmission to the various European governments interested.

It is reported that in accordance with official advices the British consul at Neuvitas, province of Puerto Principe, has joined the insurgents.

A bill was introduced in the Folkething, the lower house of the Danish Parliament, to-day, to authorize the appointment of twenty paid consuls for Denmark.

A despatch to the Times, from Havana, says: "I have just returned from a long tour through the province of Santa Clara. The bitterness of feeling between the Cubans and Spaniards is growing stronger. Whilst the numbers of insurgents in the province of Santa Clara has largely increased lately, I do not see how it is possible for the insurgents to make an attack upon the Spanish forces unless they obtain a great addition of arms and ammunition.

A LANDSLIDE INTERFERES

VANCOUVER, Oct. 8 —(Special)—A landslide at the Cariboo mine, by which six men were seriously injured, may affect the clean-up for the season, which was to have taken place in a few days.

J. W. Hollinshead, of Chilliwack, while proceeding with his horses to the exhibition at Westminster, was thrown from a horse and severely injured.

Worthy Your Confidence.

The success of Hood's Sarsaparilla in conquering scrofula in whatever way it may manifest itself is vouched for by thousands who were severely afflicted by this prevalent disease, but who now rejoice over a permanent cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Scrofula may appear as a humor, or it may attack the glands of the neck, or break out in dreadful running sores on the body or limbs. Attacking the mucous membrane, it may develop into catarrh or lodging in the lungs lead to consumption. Come as it may, a faithful course of treatment with Hood's Sarsaparilla will overcome it, for working upon the foundation of all diseases, impure blood, the system is clarified and vitalized, and vigor, strength and health restored to the body.

DURRANT'S TESTIMONY.

Volunteer Statement as to His Movements on the Day of the Murder.

All About the Gas Burner and His Sickness in the Church.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 9 —Theodore Durrant was placed on the stand this morning to testify in his own behalf. It had been the intention of the defence to recall Charles T. Lenihan, but Lenihan was not present and Durrant was called. General Dickinson conducted the examination. After telling his age and a few other facts of that kind, the attention of the young medical student was attracted to the events of April 3. On the morning of that day he said he met Blanche Lamont, to whom he had first been introduced at Emanuel church last September. After relating the facts about his trip with Miss Lamont to the Sutter street car, he said he went to Cooper medical college, intending to attend the lecture at 11 o'clock. Dr. Stillman, however, did not lecture, and Durrant said that he and another student named Ross went for a walk. When they returned half an hour later Durrant went to the library to consult some authorities on certain questions under discussion in the class. About one o'clock Durrant said he went for another walk with a student named Diggins. They were absent about half an hour. Returning, Durrant went into the library and remained until 3 30 o'clock, when he went to the class room, where Dr. Cheney was to lecture.

"Was there a roll call at the close of the lecture?" asked General Dickinson. "There was," replied Durrant. "Were you in the class room, and did you answer to your name?" "I was present and answered to my name," he replied. Durrant's answers up to this time had been given in clear well modulated tones, without hesitation or undue haste. Then came a question at which the prisoner hesitated a moment before answering. "Did you take notes at the lecture?" Durrant's eyes were cast down for nearly half a minute; no answer came. Then he raised his head, "I took some notes," he replied, "but they are not very full." Five pages of notes were produced and admitted in evidence. Durrant next told of how he went to church after the close of the lecture to repair the gas fixtures. He said he went on a Sutter street car, transferred to Larkin, from which he transferred to the Mission electric cars, and went within one block of the church. He was not accompanied by anybody on the trip.

Entering the church, Durrant said he took off his coat and vest so that his watch would not fall out of his pocket while at work, and laid the garments in the library. Then he gathered the necessary tools and went to the attic to repair the sun burners. In order to make his testimony more easily understood, a blackboard was brought into court and Durrant traced a diagram of a section of Emanuel church and its tall tower. In order to repair the burners, he said, it was necessary for him to lie at full length on a plank with his head much lower than his feet. The gas was partly turned on in order to test the lighting apparatus. Then Durrant took the gas burner, and stepped down to the jury box, explained to the jury the construction of the burners. The prisoner explained everything with facility, while the jurors leaned over the rail, eager to catch every word that came from Durrant's lips.

After explaining about the burner, Durrant said he descended to the auditorium where he found George King playing the organ. Asked as to what conversation took place, he said: "I said, Hello George, I heard you playing from upstairs." He said something about my looking pale. I told him that he would look pale if he had been through what I had. Then I explained that while I had been fixing the sun burners I had been partly overcome by escaping gas. I felt very sick, rather nauseated, and asked him if he would go to the drug store and get me some bromo-seltzer. I gave him the money and in a few moments he returned with the medicine." After drinking the seltzer, Durrant said he helped King to carry the small organ down stairs. Then he asked King how he looked, and King said he did not look as he did a few moments before. Durrant wanted to see for himself, however, and went to the mirror. When work at the church was finished, Durrant said he walked to Twenty-second and Mission streets with King. He walked a block or two out of his way to accompany King, as he had plenty of time. After leaving King he went home to dinner, but did not eat heartily, as he still felt ill from the effects of the gas, and in the evening he attended service at the church. There he met Mrs. Noble, Blanche Lamont's aunt, and asked her if Blanche was coming to prayer meeting that evening, and Mrs. Noble said she did not think so. Durrant also spoke of a note that he saw Mrs. Noble hand to Mrs. Moore.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

TORONTO, Oct. 9.—Mr. Massey is a little better to-day, and his case is considered less serious. He is suffering from stomach trouble.

HALIFAX, Oct. 9.—The son, aged 19, and daughter, aged 17 years, of Recorder Chesley, of Lunenburg, while returning from an outing at Richards Cove, were drowned from their boat, which capsized in a gale.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Oct. 9.—This was nomination day throughout the province of New Brunswick. There will be no contest in St. John, as the government and opposition came to an agreement to parcel out the constituency on the old lines—four opposition members from the city and two government members from the county. In all the government secured thirteen seats and the opposition five.

TORONTO, Oct. 9.—The executive of the Presbyterian home mission committee met here yesterday and passed grants for $30,000 for services rendered in the field for the last six months. Among the claims passed were: Calgary, $3,442 50; Kamloops, $1 807 50; Westminster, $70 85; Victoria, $980 85. A number of appointments to Presbyteries were made, among them being the following: To the synod of British Columbia, Rev. W. Black, Rev. G. S. Scott, Rev. A. S. Thompson, Rev. J. E. Wallace, M. B. Burkholder, W. L. Atkinson.

A man drops a letter unhesitatingly into the box; a woman re-reads the address, assures herself that the envelope is sealed, the stamp secure, and then throws it violently into the box.

Man is a creature of castiron habits; woman adapts herself to circumstances; this is the foundation of the moral difference between them.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Westminster Burglars Arrested—Escaped Lunatic Rescued From a Watery Grave.

City Council Proceedings at Vancouver—A Remarkable Communication—Kootenay Mines.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Oct. 9.—In reference to the provincial government making over Deadman's island to Vancouver as part of the park, and the communication from Hon. Col. Baker stating that the government desired previous correspondence, if any, on the subject, the council, it is alleged, are able to secure the correspondence desired from F. C. Cotton, M.P.P., and Mr. Horne, ex-M.P.P., which will be forwarded.

While the council were in session on Monday night, Mr. McGeer the recently dismissed milk inspector entered the council chamber and took his seat behind Ald. Clendenning. In a few moments Ald. Clendenning handed a note to the city clerk, which read as follows:—

"After all the abuse I have received at the hands of the late milk inspector, sitting at my back and looking over my shoulder, I ask you to remove James McGeer out of the bar of the council chamber."

At the conclusion of the reading of this remarkable note there was an awkward pause. Finally acting Mayor Brown appealed to the council, but the council declined to act. Acting Mayor Brown then requested Mr. McGeer to retire. Mr. McGeer asked to be allowed to speak, but the privilege was denied him and he retired. Mr. McGeer contends that the dismissal of the milk inspector was not legal, and that consequently he still holds that office and has a right to sit behind the railing which divides the aldermen from the ordinary citizens.

In letting the contract for the reservoir the city neglected to obtain security from the contractors; as a result many of those who supplied material, provisions, etc., were not paid. These citizens have asked the city council to settle this obligation of the contractors, for which they are morally responsible owing to their neglect as mentioned. The city refused, and have now been further asked to submit a by-law to the people for them to decide whether or not they should be paid out of the general funds of the city. The council have thus far again declined.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Oct. 9.—Two burglars were arrested this afternoon for breaking into the houses of George Hawkins and Thomas Wiggins in daylight on Monday. From the former was stolen a large stock of provisions, and from the latter $60 in cash and $200 worth of jewelry.

Two fishermen rescued a drowning man yesterday near Sapperton who was attempting to swim the river. He proved to be an escaped lunatic and was handed back to the authorities.

A man named Jacob Patterson committed suicide yesterday by throwing himself in front of an approaching tram car opposite the power house. The body was brought to Westminster and a coroner's inquest held, a verdict of suicide while insane being returned, with no one blamed. Patterson was an employe of the Westminster & Vancouver Tram Co., and was on construction work when he committed suicide. He was a native of Sweden and was unmarried.

NELSON.

(From the Tribune.)

The owners of the Antoine are sending in a considerable shipment of supplies with a view to vigorous development work.

J. E. Bigham is said to be negotiating for the sale of his "Moonstone group" consisting of five or six valuable claims in the Lardo country.

Mat Oledo of Kaslo has bonded for a nominal consideration to Charles Bjerkness a half interest in his mineral claim "Maky" in the Whitewater basin.

More merchandise was handled this week at Nelson than ever before in the same time. Over 20 carloads were received, and it is safe to say a fourth of it was reshipped to points in southern Kootenay.

The first carload of ore shipped over the Kaslo & Slocan railway was landed at Five-mile point by the steamer Alberta. It was from the Goodenough mine, and invoiced for export at $150 a ton, or $3,000 in all. It goes to the smelter at Everett, Washington, over the Nelson & Fort Sheppard.

Last winter parties connected with one of the big copper companies operating at Butte, Montana, bought the Poorman, a fractional claim between the War Eagle, Josie, Le Roi, and Center Star, at Rossland. They have incorporated a company and capitalized it at $500,000. The property is to be worked.

The following are ore shipments from the mines in Southern Kootenay as reported this week:

	Tons.	Value.
War Eagle mine, Rossland.....	300	15,000
Le Roi mine, Rossland.....	120	6,000
Iron Horse mine, Rossland.....	20	1,000
Goodenough mine, Sandon.....	20	3,000
Total.....	460	$25,000
Total so far for 1895.....	20,759	$1,731,500

Byron N. White, manager of the Slocan Star mine, reports everything about the mine running smoothly, and that the foundation for the concentrator is completed, and the building will be enclosed before the railroad delivers the machinery on the ground.

The Wellington will be among the shipping mines this winter. The ore will probably be sent to Tacoma.

The country to the south of Nelson is attracting the attention of both prospectors and mining men, as the veins discovered on Champion, Lost Sheep, Bear and other creeks all carry ore very much like that from the veins around Rossland. President Corbin of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway has had assays that ran as high as $22 in gold from ore from Champion creek and says that ore of a still higher grade has been obtained from discoveries made between the head of that creek and Salmon Siding.

R. S. Gallop left on Tuesday morning with four men for the Gallop group of claims, near the head of Hauser lake, consisting of the President, California, and Two Brothers claims. He and Hicks are under contract to drive about 200 feet of tunnel for A. W. McCune, of the Skyline, at Ainsworth, to whom the claims have been bonded. The terms are considered favorable, the selling price being $20,000, of which $5,000 is to be paid on the 1st of April, 1896, and the balance of $15,000 on the 1st of October, 1896. The bonders have the privilege of working the claims and shipping the ore, the net proceeds of which are to be paid over on account of the bond.

At the site of the smelter for the Silver King mine ore bins are being erected and excavating for the foundations of the smelter are being pushed; the railway spur is being graded and trestles built, and the tramway is almost completed In all, about one hundred men are employed. It is said that the smelter will be in operation by January 1st.

The press of Spokane attach great importance to the visit of Hornly Lewis, a member of the Liverpool copper firm of John Lewis & Sons, and A. R Ledoux, a member of a New York firm of dealers in copper, who arrived at Nelson on Tuesday night. On Thursday they went to Pilot Bay, A. B. Hendryx and E. H. Tomlinson meeting them at Nelson. Mr. Ledoux is an old friend of Messrs. Hendryx and Tomlinson, and is financially interested in the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway.

CONCERNING KOOTENAY.

(Spokane Review.)

Parties just down from Rossland report a rich strike on the Iron Mask, owned by the War Eagle Company, and adjoining that property. While digging a road a vein of ore was uncovered, the first assay of which, it is said, went $167 in gold. Not being satisfied with this, James Clark, the superintendent, accompanied by his assayer, went down and took samples which, it is said, assayed $256 The vein where discovered is from four to six feet in width.

Red mountain, on which are located the Centre Star, Le Roi, War Eagle, Josie and Cliff, seems to be almost all ore. To be sure much of it is low grade, but with cheap smelting it can be handled with a profit to the owners. But there is so much ore that is rich that will run from $40 to $60 in gold that the baser product is allowed to accumulate on the dump.

J. D. Farrell, manager of the Crown Point and Iron Horse properties, is in the city. Speaking of the development on the Iron Horse, he said: "We are now drifting each way from where the ledge was cut. In the face of the drift there is 22 feet of solid ore, which will average $50 per ton. The initial shipment was made a few days ago, the returns of which have not yet been received. The Iron Horse is one of the most remarkable properties in the district, and is being thoroughly prospected. The Crown Point is now down 65 feet and a drift is being run on a rich body of ore. Bids have been received for the machinery."

E. H. Tomlinson, owner of the Last Chance mine on Noble Five mountain, in the Slocan district, is in the city on his way east. From him it is learned that an incline was run 106 feet into the mountain, and for 30 feet on the roof of the incline there is one to two feet of solid ore. The first 100 tons taken out from this opening ran 184 ounces in silver and 74 per cent lead. As a curiosity several large pieces of ore were taken out, the largest of which weighed from one to three tons. In the mine there is also a product of carbonates mining from 66 to 113 ounces in silver. There is about 15 tons of second class ore on the dump awaiting shipment, from which the assays are 100 ounces of silver and 29½ per cent. lead.

A lower tunnel is also being run and is now in 170 feet in ore all the way. No shipments have been made from this tunnel. They are now mining on a vein from two to four feet in width. This vein carries 80 ounces carbonates and 180 ounces ore. This tunnel at its face has a vertical depth of 150 feet. There is 412 feet of development on the property, and every foot of work on the vein is in ore. The mine has an elevation of 7,500 feet. On Monday last a contract was let to construct a telephone line from Sandon to the mine.

SCARLATINA IN SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, Oct. 9.—The scarlatina epidemic is gradually spreading, despite the prompt action of the board of health in establishing a strict quarantine in the affected districts, and ordering a number of school rooms disinfected. There are now sixteen cases in eleven families. The board of health met yesterday afternoon and fully discussed the situation, which was considered very grave. Various methods of suppression were suggested, the most feasible, according to the opinions of Drs. Miller and Holmes, being the establishment of a fever hospital, where patients should be sent. It was thought that, while this was possibly the best method spoken of, it might receive severe setbacks from parents of affected children, and also from the city government on account of the expense of establishing it. Dr. Miller held, however, that it would not be near so expensive as the present quarantine. "The public," he said, "seems to think that the city should be rid of the epidemic by this time, but the board has done everything that can be done in the matter. I believe the great trouble lies in not calling in the school books used last year, and I am in favor of passing a resolution ordering the secretary of the board to send a communication to the school board requesting it to have destroyed all the books used in the infected schools last year, and if the board of education will not act, this board will take charge of the matter."

A resolution to this effect was adopted.

TO SAIL FOR CHILI.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—The United States steamship Marion has received orders from the navy department to sail on Thursday for Talcuquanna, Chili. It is believed that she is going to enforce several claims that the American consul recently made in behalf of citzens of the United States who have claims against the Chilian government. One of the officers of the Marion said that he believed the purpose of sending the ship to Chili was for the purpose of making a display of force in the hope that such a step might have a tendency to hasten the settlement of the claims against the Chilian government.

RETURN OF THE "RUSH."

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—The revenue cutter Rush arrived to-day after her summer cruise in Behring sea. The Rush cruised almost continuously about the eastern part of the Sea, while the Corwin and Grant went further west. During the season there were 65 sealing schooners in Behring sea and the cutters were kept busy overhauling them. The officers of the Rush say the season's catch will be only about 40,000 skins, or 10,000 less than last year.

FROM HONOLULU.

PORT TOWNSEND, Oct. 8.—The steamer Corona arrived from Honolulu yesterday. She is the first vessel arriving from there that was not sent into quarantine here since the outbreak of the cholera in Honolulu. The Corona brings the news that the contagion is on the decrease, and the scare is rapidly dying out.

Confusion as to the choice of a blood-purifier is unnecessary. There is but one best Sarsaparilla, and that is Ayer's. This important fact was recognized at the World's Fair, Chicago, 1893, being the only blood-purifier admitted to be placed on exhibition.

CAPITAL NOTES.

French Treaty to Be Gazetted Saturday—Provincial Fisheries Case Before Supreme Court.

The Government Declines to Supply Cape Vincent Hatchery With Fish Ova.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 9 —It is expected that the proclamation declaring the French treaty to be in force will appear in the Gazette of Saturday. The matter was under the consideration of the cabinet to-day and the order was passed.

The government has declined to furnish a supply of ova to stock the fish hatchery at Cape Vincent, N.Y. For years the United States fisheries in the great lakes have been in process of depletion and now the different states are seeking Canadian assistance without co-operating in the protection of fisheries.

Hugh John Macdonald's name is mentioned in connection with a portfolio and meets with great acceptance although it is felt to be exceedingly doubtful that he will take office.

Lieut. Alex. McLean, of the 43rd battalion Ottawa, will, it is reported, be A.D.C to General Gascoigne. Lieut. McLean is a son of Alexander McLean proprietor of the Montreal Herald.

Christopher Robinson occupied the major portion of the time of the Supreme court to-day with the provincial fisheries reference. Manitoba was not represented by counsel. J. M. Clark, Toronto, appears for British Columbia.

A delegation of the commanding officers of the city corps waited upon Ministers Dickey and Foster to-day with the object of urging that city battalions this year be paid the full twelve days drill allowance. Colonel Gibson of the 13th Hamilton was the principal spokesman. Both ministers gave assurance that the representations would be carefully considered.

THE TORCH THREATENED.

CHICAGO, Oct. 8.—"If the law is not allowed to take its course concerning our men involved in crime, the torch may be applied in those cities where the outrages occur." These words were uttered at the close of the regular service by Rev. J. M. Townsend, colored, pastor of Quinn chapel, Twenty-fourth street and Wabash avenue. An audience of 1,000 colored people applauded the sentiment and rose to their feet to further show their appreciation of their pastor's stand. Rev. Mr. Townsend's sermon had been called forth by the report in the morning papers of the outrages upon Neal Smith, at Chattanooga. When it was finished the pastor gave out the hymn, "Thou Sleepeth, Justice, Awake!" At the conclusion of the singing, Rev. Mr. Townsend asked the audience to remain a short time. "I want no one to leave the house while I am speaking." He produced a clipping from a morning paper, read the account of the torturing of Neal Smith, and then said: "This must stop in a Christian land."

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SEATTLE, Oct. 9.—The Oregon Improvement Company, through an order made by U. S. Judge Hanford, is now in the hands of C. J. Smith as receiver, who has furnished a bond for $100,000. The proceeding was brought by the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, in consequence of the Oregon Improvement Company's defaulting in interest on its consolidated mortgage bonds. The amount of interest in default is $155,245, for the half year.

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NORRIS—In this city on the 9th inst., the wife of John F. Norris, of a son.

DIED.

LANE—At his parent's residence, 53 Hillside avenue, on the 2nd instant, Ernest, fourth son of Vernon and Ellen Lane, aged 14 years and 6 months.

ELLIOTT—In this city, on the 4th inst., Annie Bannon, beloved wife of John Elliott, a native of Thurlis, County Tipperary, Ireland, aged 65 years.

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