POPE TAKES WALK IN VATICAN GARDEN

PONTIFF HAS ALMOST ENTIRELY RECOVERED

The Two Doctors Continue to Insist on His Holiness Having a Rest.

Rome, Aug. 12.—The Pope this morning left his apartment for the first time since his fainting fit yesterday, going for a drive and walk in the Vatican gardens. He remained in the open air about two hours and returned to the palace feeling much better. All that remains of yesterday's collapse is a slight feeling of lightness in the head.

Doctors Lapponi and Davenzi visited Pope Pius to-day and though they found him almost entirely recovered, they continued to recommend that he should take a rest and an abstention from all work. "But this will mean such an accumulation of work that it will kill me afterwards to catch up with it," said the Pope in reply.

PREPARING FOR RACES.

Shamrock III. Is Now in the Dry Dock Being Cleaned and Repainted.

New York, Aug. 10.—A small army of dock yard employees, besides her own crew and some of the crew of Shamrock I., swarmed about Shamrock III. as she lay in dry dock in Erie basin today and began the task of putting her in trim for the cup races. She will be cleaned, repainted and re-enameled. Capt. Wringe does not expect to get her out of dry dock before next week.

On Wednesday, the day before the first race with the Reliance, she probably will be measured by the official measurer of the New York Yacht Club to ascertain her racing length and whether either boat will have to give the other time allowance.

Stinson Jarvis in a recent dispatch to the Winnipeg Free Press says:

"In the short interval before the first race of the America Cup series the challenger and defender will do practically nothing. Both boats have been sufficiently tested, and the selection of the American representative officially made, so that there is little more to do than to keep the yachts in trim till the first race is called on August 20th. Barr has Reliance at the Herreshoff yards, Bristol, and from her extensive wardrobe is selecting the best of the sails for racing uses and also those which he will take to Sandy Hook to be held in reserve.

"Owing to a weakness being discovered in the racing mast of Shamrock III., this spar will be strengthened internally at the Erie Basin.

"After all the private racing and comparative timing, it is pretty clear that the best speed of the two rivals is too close for much confidence on either side. The best time that the challenger has made for thirty miles is 2.59:20; and the fastest passage of the defender on this cup course distance is 2.58:30; there being a difference of only fifty seconds between the two. If the final contests should pan out on this proportion they will be very satisfactory to the English boat, as she will certainly receive more than fifty seconds time allowance. Commodore Bourne says that the measurement of Reliance will not be made known to the public until Shamrock and Reliance are officially taped just before the first race. Never before in the defence of the cup have the dimensions of an intended defender been concealed till the time of final contest. Mr. Belmont, of Constitution, probably was told privately of the time allowance his boat would receive in the trial races, as she was the only one of the trial trio that was seriously seeking to defeat Reliance. The concealment of the true figures has been so new and unusual that it suggests unusual reasons for same. The last thing the defending club would do would be to prematurely shake public confidence in the American representative, yet some members think that there will be a sudden slump in the national hopes when the true figures have to be finally disclosed. The time allowance which Shamrock will receive will not be as great as was expected by everyone when the first English reports made her out to be a much smaller boat than she is; yet it was noticed that Reliance made Columbia look like a craft of a smaller class, and the cost in time of the new defender's great size and sail spread will certainly be large, and of considerable value to the challenger."

STILL FAVORITE.

Bulk of Money is Going on Jeffries—Corbett in Perfect Condition.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—Betting continues light on the Corbett-Jeffries fight, and up to the time the pools closed last night not more than $2,000 had been wagered. The bulk of this money went at 2 to 1, with Jeffries the favorite. It is believed that the Corbett end will sell to-day at 10 to 4, and that a large amount of money will be bet.

Jeffries and retinue have left Harbin Springs and taken up quarters at Oakland, where he will remain until the day of the fight. Corbett entertained a number of his visitors at his quarters at Alameda and gave a display of his tactics and exhibition of his athletic course of training. He has been examined by the physician of the Yosemite club and has been pronounced in perfect condition.

The demand for seats for the fight is the greatest ever known here, and the hall, which will hold 10,000 people, will not accommodate the crowd.

Greenland never had a printing press until 1861. The first was imported by Dr. Rink.

CANADA CUP CONTEST.

American Boat Wins the Fourth Race—Each Has Two Victories.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—The fourth of the series of yacht races for the Canada Cup took place to-day, the American boat Ironduquoit defeating the defender Strathcona by one minute and seven seconds.

Strathcona won the races on Saturday and Monday, and Ironduquoit took those sailed yesterday and to-day.

ANOTHER COMBINE.

One Company Controls the Principal Refrigerator Car Lines.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—A $1,000,000 combine has been affected by the consolidation of the Hammond refrigerator, the Anglo-American refrigerator and the Kansas City refrigerator, and the Omaha packing and the St. Louis dressed beef and provision companies' car lines under the name of the National Car Line. The general offices will be in Chicago. The consolidation places in the hands of one company absolute control of the principal refrigerator lines used in the transportation of fresh meats and provisions.

MR. CHARLTON'S SPEECH IN FAVOR OF ROAD

It Will Assist in Developing the Great Resources of Northern British Columbia.

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—Mr. Charlton closed his speech on the Grand Trunk Pacific at 3.45 to-day. He spoke for four hours. He did not think that Mr. Blair had given the correct reason as to his resignation. This was shown by his speech at Victoria a year ago when he said Canada was then ready for a transcontinental railway, while to-day he said that the country was proceeding with undue haste. Mr. Blair refused to obey his captain, and tried to give the word of command. He did not succeed, and was now in the ranks. Mr. Charlton spoke strongly in favor of the contract, which he said would be a monument to the Premier when the latter passed away from the scene of action. The Canadian Pacific cost Canada $135,500,000, while the present contract would cost $14,500,000. He spoke highly of the great resources of Northern British Columbia, and the proposed road would develop the same.

Mr. Monk replied to Mr. Charlton, and twitted him about his long speech seeing he was an advocate of short ones.

Selects Land.

The Canadian Pacific has selected all its land in the Northwest, taking 3,000,000 acres of semi-arid land along its main line, and 500,000 along the Manitoba & Northwestern railway.

Invitation to Convention.

Dr. L. P. Gallardet, president of the Union of St. Jean Baptiste Societies of Michigan and Wisconsin, is here to invite Sir Wilfrid Laurier to attend the French-Canadian convention which takes place at Ironwood on June 24th, 1904.

DAMAGE REACHES MILLIONS.

Portions of Jamaica Swept by Hurricane Which Wrought Great Havoc.

Kingston, Jamaica, Aug. 11.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The hurricane, only the fringe of which struck the western end of Jamaica yesterday, and which it was thought had passed, instead of proceeding to the northwest, veered to the south early this morning and struck Jamaica with its full force, inflicting damage which it will take years to recover from. Owing to the interruption of telegraphic communication, it is impossible as yet to estimate the amount of the losses, but they must reach millions of dollars.

Every banana plantation in the eastern half of the island has been devastated. The situation in the western half is unknown. Considerable injury was done to property in Kingston and the suburbs. The roof of the electric light works was blown off, and the machinery was disabled. Railroad traffic was interrupted, and the street cars were stopped. Many houses were damaged by falling trees. No loss of life is yet reported.

PAINTINGS IN HOTEL.

New York Justice Grants Injunction Restraining Tiffany Studio Altering Them.

New York, Aug. 12.—The world says: "Justice McCall, of the Supreme court, granted an injunction yesterday restraining the Tiffany studio from altering the paintings by William de Loftwich Doge as decorations for the new King Edward hotel in Toronto, Ont., the injunction to stand till the justice shall have passed upon the right of Mr. Doge to have his paintings remain as he finished them. Mr. Doge's paintings were to be historical, acceptable to the architect, and were to be retouched by him in Canada. They were approved by Mr. Lennox, architect of the hotel, and now Mr. Lennox wants them changed, and refuses to pay the Tiffany a balance of $25,000 unless the acting artist be permitted to change pictures."

SECURES MONOPOLY.

Korea Has Granted Russian Lumber Company Lease of Land.

London, Aug. 12.—The Times prints a dispatch from Tokio, which says that Korea has granted the Russian lumber company a twenty years' lease of 350 acres at Yonkampo, with right to purchase at reasonable prices all the timber floated down the Yalu by Korean subjects, thereby conferring a practical monopoly of the lumber in the Yalu valley. Thus Russia, while opposing the opening of Wiju, herself secures free access to the Yalu valley and the command of the estuary.

THE SITUATION GROWING WORSE

BULGARIAN OFFICIALS PUT BLAME ON TURKS

Interference of the Powers is Regarded as Only Move to Prevent Disaster.

Salonica, Aug. 12.—It is rumored that the Turkish troops on Monday bombarded and destroyed the village of Ekshisu, 28 miles south of Monastir. According to another rumor, the insurgents who have occupied Krusshevo, after repulsing two assaults by the Turkish troops, offered a conditional surrender. Instructions were asked from Constantinople, and in reply the Turkish commander received orders to give no quarter.

The whole Bulgarian government takes a decidedly pessimistic view of the situation, and the officials freely express themselves that a general massacre of the Christians in Macedonia is inevitable. Meanwhile the government continues to maintain its peaceful attitude, but it believes that a sudden development of affairs across the border may at any time render the authorities powerless to prevent war. The reports from Bulgarian official agents in Macedonia show that affairs are rapidly growing worse. The fact that the Mussulman population is becoming excited and congregating in the mosques, is regarded as a bad feature, indicating the possibility that a massacre may occur within a very short time. It is feared that such a massacre would cover a wide area, and that the Turkish soldiers would prove incapable of restraining the fanatical Mussulman, even if they desired to do so, which is by no means certain. Monastir now contains only two battalions of Turkish troops, and they consist of raw recruits. The troops might even aid the Mussulmans in slaughtering the Christians. The officials here blame Turkey for the present outbreak, attributing it largely to the action of the Porte in instituting a search for arms in the villages.

The Macedonian leaders claim that their followers were being deprived of guns and ammunition, and decided to rise immediately. The Bulgarian government is said to be particularly displeased with Turkey's action because it had urged the Porte to leave the villages in peace, believing that this would result in staving off the trouble till next year, as the insurgents seemed to entertain hopes that the powers would soon intervene.

Mussulmans Gather.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 12.—The Bulgarian foreign office has received very discouraging news from its agent at Uskub. The Mussulmans there are already gathering in the mosques, and it is feared that a massacre of the Christians is impending. Officials here express the belief that the interference of the powers can alone prevent a disaster.

Unprotected.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug. 12.—The Servians of Old Servia are in a state of panic because of the departure of the Turkish troops for Monastir, which removes all protection from the Servians against the vengeance of the Albanians.

The representatives of the Macedonian revolutionary committee announces that the revolution broke out Sunday in the villayet of Adrianople. Telegraphic communication is interrupted. The representatives of the committee also publish a contradiction of the alleged crimes committed by the Bulgarians, and accuse the Turks of attempting to prepare the mind of Europe for the eventual massacre of innocent Christians.

Gen. T. Zonchaff, president of the Macedonian committee, has addressed an appeal to his adherents to assist the insurgents in Macedonia, even by revolutionary means.

Squadron in Readiness.

Rome, Aug. 12.—The Minister of Marine has directed that a squadron be kept in readiness to sail for the East should the complications in Macedonia make it necessary to protect Italian subjects there.

Turks Deserting.

Constantinople, Aug. 12.—It is rumored here that the Turkish troops in Macedonia have become so demoralized by their failure to receive pay that hundreds of them are deserting and selling their rifles to the insurgents in order to obtain provisions.

Notwithstanding the increasing number of reports of outbreaks in the Balkans, official circles begin to manifest a more confident attitude. Serious representations will again be made to Turkey and Bulgaria, which is hoped will prove efficacious. Nevertheless it is admitted that some untoward incident may easily precipitate a disaster.

Wounded.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug 12.—It is reported that Feria Pasha, while leaving Ipek with Turkish troops, was attacked by Albanians and severely wounded.

NEW ENGLAND CATTLE.

Not Sufficient Evidence of Absence of Disease to Remove Prohibition Order.

London, Aug. 11.—In the House of Commons to-day, in reply to the question why, in view of the United States government's notification that the New England states are free from disease, the prohibition of the importation of cattle into this country was maintained, a representative of the board of agriculture replied that the evidence was not sufficient to justify the withdrawal of the prohibition, but detailed information on the subject was shortly expected.

SECRETARY ROOT

Will Place His Resignation in Hands of President Before Going to London.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Before United States Secretary of War Root sails for London to sit with the Alaskan commission, he will place his resignation in the hands of President Roosevelt in order that the President may appoint a secretary of war if it is deemed necessary during Mr. Root's absence. It is expected, however, that the resignation will not be acted on until after congress meets. The appointment of Mr. Root's successor will depend somewhat upon the length of time that Secretary Root will be engaged upon the Alaskan boundary commission.

It has been taken for some time that Secretary Root intended to retire, but he did not wish to leave the department until the general staff bill was in operation and other matters were well under way. It is understood that the matter of his successor has been discussed, and while nothing of an official nature can be obtained, it is believed that the position will be tendered to Governor Taft.

While Secretary Root is in London, matters pertaining to the general staff will be referred to him. If the sitting of the Alaskan commission extends beyond December 1st it is likely the secretary's resignation will be accepted and his successor appointed. If a secretary is needed sooner, action may be taken on the resignation. It is believed here that the Alaskan commissioners may be detained in London several months.

THE MURDER OF CONSUL.

Sultan's Son Calls on Ambassador to Express His Father's Sorrow and Regret.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 11.—The Russian ambassador at Constantinople telegraphed that, by command of the Sultan, his son, Prince Ahmed Effendi, called at the embassy to express the deep distress and regret caused in the name of His Majesty by the murder of the Russian consul at Monastir, and requested the ambassador to notify the Czar of this expression of the Sultan's sorrow.

New Consul.

Constantinople, Aug. 11.—Dr. Mandelstam, acting Russian consul at Uskub, will replace the murdered consul, M Rostkovik, at Monastir.

Inspecting Posts.

Sofia, Aug. 11.—The Premier and minister of the interior have proceeded to Dubnitza, with the intention of inspecting the Bulgarian posts along the Macedonian frontier. This is regarded as additional proof of the government's desire to maintain peace.

The insurgents have blown up a bridge 60 yards long over Gievyeli, on the Salonica Uskub railway.

PHILADELPHIA ACCIDENT.

Actions to Determine Liability For Disaster Which Cost Nine Lives.

Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—May Weaver to-day personally interested himself in the investigation into the cause of the collapse of the promenade at the Philadelphia National league baseball park on Saturday, which resulted in the death of nine spectators and the serious injury of nearly 200 others. In compliance with an order from the mayor, the bureau of building inspection appointed a special committee of expert builders to examine the broken promenade. Their report will be submitted to the coroner.

Robert King died at a hospital to-day from his injuries, making the ninth fatality as a result of the accident.

Two actions at law were instituted to-day to recover damages for injuries received in the accident. The suits are directed against the lessees of the grounds to determine the liability.

LITTLE INTEREST

Taken at Present in the Proceedings in Humbert Case.

Paris, Aug. 11.—The Humbert trial was resumed to-day. M. Parmentier, the lawyer who represents the Crawford brothers in their suits, was examined and said that Henry Crawford told him that one of his relatives died at Nice, leaving the bulk of his fortune to Madame Humbert, but a second will was discovered, changing the disposition of the inheritance.

M. Parmentier maintained his belief that the Crawford brothers actually existed. Madame Theresa frequently denied M. Parmentier's statements.

Little interest is taken in the trial today on account of the tunnel disaster.

TRAIN DERAILED.

Thirty People Reported to Have Been Injured.

Kansas City, Aug. 11.—It is reported from Sedalia that thirty persons were injured, but none killed, by the derailment of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas fast passenger train known as the "Katy Flyer," No. 6, near Shell City, Mo., last night. The train was due at St. Louis at 7:30 this morning and is a through train from Texas points.

EXPORTING WHISKEY.

Kentucky Distillers Will Ship Twenty Thousand Barrels to Hamburg and Bremen.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 12.—Kentucky distillers are making preparations for the exportation of twenty thousand barrels of whiskey to Hamburg and Bremen for storage purposes. It is principally of 1903. This will be the first exportation in the history of Kentucky of any great amount of young whiskey to be matured in Europe.

SECOND VICTORY.

British Golfers Again Defeat the American Players at Hamilton, Mass.

Hamilton, Mass., Aug. 12.—The British golfers won to-day's match with the Americans by a score of 6 to 5, making the total for the two days' play 9 to 7 in favor of the Englishmen.

THREE HUNDRED CLAIMS LOCATED

THE RUSH TO NEW DIGGINGS CONTINUES

Arrivals at White Horse All Bring Favorable News—New Creeks Being Prospected.

Vancouver, Aug. 13.—A special dispatch to the Province from White Horse says:

"James Jones and J. H. Cabbage arrived last night on the steamer Clossett direct from the new diggings. They report very favorably, and give details of sluicing they saw on several creeks. Weisdepp and McMillan on Discovery claim, Ruby creek, are making from ten to fifteen dollars daily. Inspector Richards, of the Mounted Police, says surface dirt pays five cents per pan.

"T. W. Jackson, barrister, White Horse, has also returned. He says no large nuggets have been found as yet, but indications are that coarse gold will be found at bedrock. He says the mountains are rich in quarts. One piece of float assayed twenty thousand dollars per ton. The rush still continues, and parties are taking in sufficient provisions and outfit to last to bedrock. Three hundred claims have been located, and new creeks are being prospected.

"Premier McBride and party travelled in the special car Skagway to Cariboo yesterday, and reached Atlin this morning."

THE POPE.

Decides to Obey Dr. Lapponi and Remain in His Apartments.

Rome, Aug. 11.—Although the Pope, who had a fainting fit during mass this morning, was much better this afternoon, Da. Lapponi, who visited him again, thought it more prudent for His Holiness not to leave his apartments. The doctor further insisted on a suspension of audiences.

The Pontiff seems more docile to the doctor's wishes than his predecessor, although he insisted on transacting some current business, such as the appointment of Alberto Sili, son of the Dean of Grooms, as his personal valet.

Dr. Vavon, speaking about the Pope, said: "If they wish our Pius not to succumb, the Vatican authorities must change their system. They must not oblige him to follow the habits of Pope Leo. The present Pontiff needs, especially, plenty of fresh air. He must not be shut up in a vitiated atmosphere."

Secretary of State.

London, Aug. 11.—The Chronicle's Rome correspondent says this morning that an authority which is frequently well informed says that Cardinal Sebastiane Martinelli will be appointed papal secretary of state.

LINERS' ESCAPE.

Collision Between Steamers Off Sandy Hook Lightship Narrowly Averted.

New York, Aug. 12.—Yesterday afternoon the Hamburg-American line steamer Nubia, from China and Japan, had a narrow escape from collision from the great trans-Atlantic racer Kron Prinz Wilhelm.

The Nubia was feeling her way through dense fog. Capt. Von Hoff estimated that he was about eight miles east of Sandy Hook lightship when he decided to anchor. The Nubia had anchored and had barely changed her steam whistle fog signal to those of bells, when an immense steamer loomed up in the fog, blowing her hoarse blasts and a collision was imminent. Almost instantly the approaching stranger appeared to see the Nubia, gave a sharp sheer to port and passed close under the stern of the anchored vessel. The passing craft was the Kron Prinz Wilhelm, going at full speed outward bound from New York for Bremen.

IN NINETIETH YEAR.

Former Governor of Texas Will Be Married For Third Time.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 10.—It was announced to-day that former Governor Lubbock is to be married next Wednesday. His bride to be is Miss Lou Scott, of Abilene, Texas.

This will be the third time Governor Lubbock has been married. His last wife died one year ago this month. Governor Lubbock is in his ninetieth year, hale and hearty, and the bride is said to be young. He is wealthy.

He was the Confederate governor of Texas; was captured with Jeff Davis and John H. Eagan at the close of the war between the States; served in the state legislature following reconstruction days and was for twenty years, consecutively, state treasurer.

ENGLISHMAN DEPORTED.

Arrived at New York to Open Branch of a London Business House.

New York, Aug. 12.—Wm. Vizer, a young Englishman, who came here on July 22nd to open an American branch of a London business house, and who was held up by immigration authorities as a contract laborer, was deported today on the Germanic. Mr. Vizer was sent back after an appeal to the secretary of the treasury had been decided against him.

COMMUNICATION RESTORED.

New York, Aug. 12.—The Commercial Cable Company to-day announced the restoration of communication with Jamaica by way of Bermuda.

MARTINIQUE STORM-SWEPT.

Number of People Killed While About Five Thousand Are Homeless.

Washington, Aug 11.—The state department to-day received a dispatch from Consul Jewell at Fort de France, Martinique, dated yesterday, confirming the press report of the disastrous cyclone in that island. The dispatch says:

"A terrific cyclone visited the entire island at midnight Saturday. Great damage was done to crops and fruits. Many houses were unroofed, and trees two feet thick uprooted. One person was killed. The consulate is intact.

"At Trinite seven were killed and many houses destroyed. Smaller towns are damaged, rendering 5,000 sufferers of last year's catastrophes again homeless. Reports from the interior of the island are indefinite. There is great discouragement."

KILLED IN RIOTS.

Sixty Deaths Result From Conflicts Between Strikers and Soldiers.

Vienna, Aug. 10.—The strike riots at Cracow, Austrian Poland, have resulted, according to a Cracow newspaper, in sixty deaths since August 5th, through conflicts between the strikers and the troops.

MR. A. G. BLAIR ON NATIONAL HIGHWAY

Says There is No Demand From British Columbia for Transcontinental Road.

Ottawa, Aug. 11.—A. G. Blair spoke in the House this morning on the resolutions for the national transcontinental railway. He severely criticised the measure, and said that it was undertaken with undue haste.

At the start he denied that Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked him to remain quietly in the government, while at the same time feeling hostile to the railway policy. That was not true. He would favor a national line, but the one proposed was not such. He said the Premier stated that time would not wait. He (Blair) asked if Senator Cox would not wait. If parliament did not want to wait the country did. The work, in the opinion of Mr. Blair, was a case of hysteria, as he would not say that any of his colleagues were actuated by other than worthy motives.

Mr. Blair then took up the Premier's statement about the road being necessary for bonding privileges. That was not so. Canada has already two roads, one a government line, which left it independent of bonding privileges, but the United States government knew that the bonding privileges were just as beneficial to them as to Canada. He characterized this as a frenzed appeal to the people because no better argument could be found. He was loth to declare the people of Canada were at the mercy of the United States. He declared that the contract had to be adopted in full or rejected. He said there was no cry for a transcontinental railway from British Columbia, or any of the other provinces. He ridiculed the idea of other lines being able to utilize the government section. The government ought to own and operate it.

KING PETER'S TROUBLES.

The Servian Ministers Have Resigned Owing to Differences Arising Out of Assassination.

London, Aug. 13.—A dispatch to the Central News from Vienna says: "The entire Servian ministry have resigned in consequence of the difference in the personal relations between the army officers who did not participate in the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga and those who took part in the murders."

Telegrams received at Lima, Peru, announce that bubonic plague exists at Mollendo and Pacesmava.

THE FARMER FAILS

In health just as does the city-man, and he fails commonly from the same cause, "stomach trouble." The farm is a wholesome place to live; the farmer's life is a healthy life; but no external advantages can overcome the effects of a diseased stomach. When the stomach and its allied organs of digestion and nutrition are diseased, the food eaten is imperfectly digested and assimilated, and the consequent loss of nurtition results in physical debility.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, and enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of food. It builds up the body with sound flesh and solid muscle.

"I used ten bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and several vials of his 'Pleasant Pellets' a year ago this spring, and have had no trouble with indigestion since," writes Mr. W. T. Thompson, of Townsend, Broadwater Co., Montana. "Words fail to tell how thankful I am for the relief, as I had suffered so much and it seemed that the doctors could do me no good. I got down in weight to one hundred and twenty-five pounds, and was not able to work at all. Now I weigh nearly one hundred and sixty and can do a day's work on the farm. I have recommended your medicine to several, and shall always have a good word to say for Dr. Pierce and his medicines."

The sole motive for substitution is to permit the dealer to make the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines. He gains; you lose, therefore accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery."

NANAIMO NOTES.

Man Commits Suicide in Hotel—Cumberland Trouble May Soon Be Settled.

Nanaimo, Aug. 13.—This morning Ernest Cavelliero, prominent in musical circles, committed suicide at the Occidental hotel in a very determined manner by inhaling gas through a rubber tube procured for the purpose and fastened to his mouth with a string. The deceased has been despondent, being out of work.

Arrivals from Cumberland to-day report that the question at issue between the colliery company and the men is now reduced to the signing of the two-year contract, and that a settlement of the trouble may be looked for at any time.

The Conservative meeting held here last night was but poorly attended, about thirty members being present. Hon. Robert Green, in a lengthy speech, reviewed the situation, taking up each constituency, several of which he conceded to the Liberals. He said an aggressive campaign was being instituted, and that the Conservatives would sweep the country. It was decided to postpone the nomination of a candidate until August the 22nd. It is rumored that Clive-Philipps Wolley will be nominated on the Conservative ticket.

BOY PICKED UP AT SEA.

Found Almost Dead in Open Boat One Hundred Miles Off Coast of Georgia.

New York, Aug. 13.—The Morgan line steamer Edorado, Capt. Prescott, which arrived here to-day from Galveston, had on board a 12-year-old boy who was found adrift in an open boat about 100 miles off the coast of Georgia, on August 10th. He was naked, and almost dead from exposure. After the lad had been revived somewhat he told Captain Prescott that with two other boys he was fishing outside the harbor of Havana, when the boat broke adrift, and they were unable to row it ashore. Two of the lads, seeing the land rapidly receding, plunged into the water and swam for shore. The other boy was unable to swim so far, and remained in the boat without food or water until picked up by the Eldorado. He says he was adrift for five days. Captain Prescott thinks the boat could not have drifted 530 miles from Havana to the point where it was sighted in less than six days and possibly longer.

CAUSED BY WASHOUT.

Several Cars of Passenger Train Wrecked—Fireman Drowned.

Topeka, Kans., Aug. 13.—A well authenticated report has reached here that the West-bound Rock Island passenger train, which left Topeka at midnight, was in a wreck near McFarland. Several passengers are dead and others injured.

Fireman Drowned.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—General Manager Goodnow, of the Rock Island road, started this morning that no passengers were hurt in the wreck, and all the trainmen but the fireman escaped. He was probably drowned.

The train, which left Kansas City at 10:30 last night, ran into a washout two miles west of McFarland about 3 o'clock this morning. The engine, mail car and a combination car went into the opening. The washout was the result of a cloudburst that caused a torrent of water to rush down an ordinary dry bed, which was spanned by a bridge about 20 feet long.

SIFTON ON THE GRAND TRUNK.

Minister of Interior Exposes Hypocrisy of the Opposition.

Ottawa, Aug. 13.—Hon. C. Sifton spoke at length to-day in favor of the national transcontinental railway, making a strong speech in support of it. He disposed of the objections raised by the Conservatives and predicted that the contract would be an excellent thing for the country. He said Conservatives were now approving of Blair, although for years they had been setting forth the ex-Minister of Railways as incompetent, corrupt and incapable. They had successfully dissembled their love for Blair and the Intercolonial.

EVIDENCE OF UNITY.

Conservatives of Nelson Having a Hot Time Over Their Candidate.

Nelson, Aug. 13.—Forty-five Nelson Conservatives last night held an independent meeting and passed resolutions condemning the officers of the local executive for refusing to call a public meeting for the purpose of healing the friction in the ranks, and also scoring John Houston for disloyal utterances in his paper, and determining to ignore the convention called by the executive for to-night, and calling it a gold brick proposition.

CUMBERLAND EXPLOSION.

Inquest Resumed—Matches and Tobacco Were Found on Some of Dead Chinamen.

Cumberland, Aug. 13.—The inquest on the victims of the recent explosion was resumed last night. The jury follows: Stanley Riggs, C. A. Tarbell, Dan. Kilpatrick, Jas. Reid, Duncan Bennie, Alex. McNeil and David Daniels.

The evidence of the foreman and overmen agreed that there was a small pocket of gas near the place of the explosion. Safety lamps were used in this part of the mine. The cause of the explosion must have been by the opening of a lamp, the lighting of a match or a driver going out of his place; the latter has an open light. Matches and tobacco were found on some of the dead Chinamen. A box of cigarettes was found near a broken safety lamp.

Mr. Faulds thought a defective lamp might have ignited gas at the time the big cave fell.

Mr. Kesley said a tilted lamp would break with its own flame. The ventilation was good.

The inquest was adjourned until to-morrow night.

The highest mountain in the moon is at least 35,000 feet in height; that is 6,000 feet higher than Mount Everest.

SAW INDUSTR[illegible] OF TH[illegible]

VISITING PRESS M[illegible] ENJOYED

Took in the Smelter at [illegible] Lumbering at Che[illegible] Profitable Expe[illegible]

(From Tuesday's [illegible])

In pursuance of arrang[illegible] of touring British jour[illegible] this most westerly city [illegible] last evening, arriving [illegible] Yosemite. They were [illegible] wharf by Mayor McC[illegible] Hayward and officers of [illegible] sociation, who escorted [illegible] Driard, where they will s[illegible] visit. Their arrival was [illegible] iscent of the coming of th[illegible] sentatives of the British [illegible] with the difference that [illegible] was considerably larger.

No set function had bee[illegible] last night on the progra[illegible] tainment, but all started [illegible] their arrival to take in th[illegible] capital. Under the guida[illegible] retary of the Tourist Asso[illegible] visited the council chamb[illegible] city fathers were in sess[illegible] nately the civic legislation [illegible] ing enacted at that junctu[illegible] the most interesting char[illegible] world for outsiders, who [illegible] posed to concern themsel[illegible] tricacies of a street pavi[illegible] is a pity some subject o[illegible] tentious nature, somethin[illegible] lamented Craigflower roa[illegible] the celebrated Point Ell[illegible] broglio of former years [illegible] was not on the carpet, fo[illegible] itors would have received [illegible] ing impressions of the f[illegible] possessed by Victoria's mu[illegible] ment.

They next paid a visit [illegible] Here was something more [illegible] grossing. It is not stretc[illegible]ination too far to suggest [illegible] city councils in the Old Co[illegible] they occasionally meet to[illegible] transaction of municipal [illegible] most assuredly there are n[illegible] Victoria's aggregation of A[illegible] ity is always a source of i[illegible] struction to visitors, espec[illegible] whose knowledge of Orie[illegible] has been acquired second h[illegible] be as Li Hung Chang's ne[illegible] route westward, would l[illegible] as a very imperfect imitat[illegible] but it has features that can [illegible] only in the Flowery Kingd[illegible] towns more extensive.

Chief Langley was "guid[illegible] and friend" of the party. [illegible] them to the big opium n[illegible] establishment of Tai Yu[illegible] Government street, Courtes[illegible] explained in detail the ma[illegible] the seductive drug from [illegible] description which only lac[illegible] demonstration to approxima[illegible] in completeness. From the[illegible] down Cormorant street, the [illegible] of the Chinese quarter. La[illegible] houses were visited and [illegible] variety of their stocks inspe[illegible] mired. An opium den w[illegible] taken in, while the Chinese [illegible] formance held the attention [illegible] for a brief spell. After [illegible] enough of Chinatown the vi[illegible] ed to their quarters at the [illegible] had a busy day before them [illegible] to snatch all the rest po[illegible] starting out on to-day's exc[illegible] party consists of the followi[illegible] E. B. Osborn, Morning Po[illegible] Sidney Higham, Graphic, L[illegible] old Rylett, New Age, Lon[illegible] McAliece and Mrs. McAlie[illegible] Express, Birmingham; Arth[illegible] Chronicle, Newcastle-on-Tyne[illegible] ro, The Evening News, Gl[illegible] clay McConkey, Telegraph[illegible] John Derry, Independent, [illegible] Henry Alexander, jr., Free [illegible] deen.

During the visitors' tour o[illegible] last night an interesting lit[illegible] took place at the residence o[illegible] Kow, the government Chi[illegible] preter, who entertained the [illegible] cherche Chinese dinner. [illegible] were Neil Munro, Barclay [illegible] W. J. McAliece, Henry Alex[illegible] H. Ham, descriptive writer [illegible] P. R., and E. J. Coyle, th[illegible] company's passenger agent. [illegible] Kow was an ideal host, and [illegible] his guests most favorable wit[illegible] tesy and intelligent grasp of [illegible] jects.

All the visiting newspaper[illegible] glowingly of their trip throug[illegible] ince. The superb scenery, the [illegible] climate and the incomparable [illegible] ties in general impressed the [illegible] true realization of the greatn[illegible] West. They had read the [illegible] their predecessors of the Brit[illegible] year ago and were prepared [illegible] thing astonishing, but their m[illegible] expectations were surpassed. [illegible] from Vancouver to Victoria e[illegible] especial admiration. Mr. Mun[illegible] scenery along this route rem[illegible] strongly of Scotland.

The party are accompanied [illegible] White, representing the Dom[illegible] ernment, who is in charge, an[illegible] Ham, who represents the C. P[illegible] gentlemen can be depended u[illegible] roll this great Dominion to t[illegible] the visitors in such a manner [illegible] of its magnificent features can [illegible] tention. This morning they [illegible] day's visit to various points [illegible] & N. line. They will return [illegible]

(From Wednesday's Da[illegible])

The British newspapermen [illegible] enjoyed their excursion on the [illegible] line yesterday. This, assur[illegible] commonplace, but it accurately [illegible] the successful character of [illegible] gramme which had been arr[illegible] their entertainment. Although [illegible] limited, enough was shown to [illegible]