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Savagery In Georgia

Black Beast Hanged, Riddled and Chopped Up by White Brethren.

Texas Also Furnishes New Chapter in the War of the Races.

Negroes Burn Church and Kill Three Whites-Vengeance Pursuing.

By Associated Press.

Brinson, Ga., July 25.—Charles Mack, Expedition Makes Its Way to Fortyleader of the gang that has been robbing and raping in this vicinity, was lynched at Staffold to-day and his body cut into hundreds of pieces. Mack was taken to a big oak tree near the Ogletree home, where Sam Simmons met death and strung up. As his feet left the ground hundreds of shots from the mob ground hundreds of shots from the mob of cattle have passed over the trans-were fired into his body. After he was Alaskan military road through the Coast dead the body was taken down and cut into small pieces and distributed among the mob, which numbered about two or three hundred.

Navasota, Texas, July 25 .- A riot oc miles north of here, in which three white men were killed by negroes.

A crowd of negroes burned a church belonging to the white people. Tuck Moody, Will Fuqua and Van Wright, while trying to put out the fire, were shot by a crowd of negroes. White men are in pursuit of the negroes.

THE DREYFUS CONSPIRACY. Great Array of Prominent Public Men Summoned to Court

France: .M. Cavaignac and General Billot, both former ministers of war; Genor Paris; General Chanoine, who succeeded General Zurlinden; General Roget, whose evidence in the first trial of Captain Dreyfus has been published in the Figaro; General Boisdeffre, formerly chief of the general staff; Colonel Picquart, who was sentenced to be dissimised from the army for his championship of Captain Dreyfus; Colonel Paty de Clam, a former member of the war office staff; Major Count Esterhazy; M. Lebon, former minister of the colonies; M. Hanotaux, former prime minister of the colonies with the control of the effects of renewing direct negotiations in Washington is to establish that the Anglo-American commission cannot re-assemble in Quebec on August a week off, and as yet Great Britain has not named a commission to take the place of the late Lord Herschell.

The delegates met this afternoon and the text of the final act, in order to decide how reservations are to be made. It was decided that not only the three conventions but the three conventions Hanotaux, former prime minister: M. Palelogue, a former attache of the foreign office; Madame Henry, widow of the officer who was accused of forging the incriminating document in the Drey-fus case, and Mlle. Pays, reputed to be the mistress of Major Esterhazy.

President Bryan to-day issued a state-

The four Columbia militia companies together with military organizations from Newark and Chicago 600 strong, arrived here to-day to reinforce the soldiers already on guard to preserve peace during the street car strike

FRANCO-AMERICAN TREATY. French Press Not Satisfied That the Bargain Is a Fair One.

Paris, July 25 .- The Republique Francaise, referring to the reciprocity treaty between France and the United States, signed at Washington yesterday, says: "Washington despatches announce the consummation of the Franco-Americantreaty. An enormous blunder, against which we endeavored to put the government on its guard, has been consummated, and MM. Miller and Delcasse have betrayed French industry to the United States. In these two branches of our national production, ruin will be heaped upon ruin. True, the treaty has not been ratified, and we affirm that it will not be without discussion. Industrial and agricultural associations on every side are becoming agitated, and manifold protests are being made, and when the chamber re-assembles the government wil: find itself face to face with an opposition formidably equipped with arguments, and which will energetically

KRUGER PACIFIED.

Raad—Conspiracy Bluff Dropped.

Pretoria, July 25.—Amicable relations between the raad and President Kruger have been restored. The conspiracy cases against ex-British officers have been withdrawn, and the remaining prispense were released to-day.

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San Francisco, July 25.—The steamer Bertha arrived to-day from St. Michael with 979 passengers and about \$1,000,-000 in gold. The largest amount owned by one person was \$75,000. Details of the loss of the Bens expedi

tion are told by the passengers. of a party of seventeen persons who left Port Townsend June 11, 1898, for Americans as Well as British Kotzebue Sound to prospect for gold, only one survives, and that is Mrs. H.
W. Bens, of Clay City, Ky. For 12
weeks she watched over her sick husband, with no one to aid her, and when he died she was left alone in the wilderness. After walking nine miles she found a cabin, in which three fishermen were wintering. She became sick with scurvy, was tenderly cared for, and finally reached St. Michael and took passage for San Francisco on the Bertha.

AN ALASKAN TRAIL.

Mile Through Copper River District.

Washington, July 25-The war department is in receipt of a brief report from Capt. Abercrombie, commanding the Copper River expedition, to the effect that two pack trains and a small herd range of mountains from Port Valdez

WASHINGTON

IS PERSISTENT

Hopes of Reassembling of High Jointers Without Any Alaskan Concession.

oundary situation has been so much Rennes July 25 .- Among the seventy the British charge, Mr. Tower, that witnesses summoned to testify before those who have taken the most active the Dreyfus court martial by the gov- part in the negotiations feel that they ernment commissary are the following: can leave the city for a summer vaca- naval war, be reserver for a future con-M. Casimir-Perier ex-president of tion. Mr. Hay will go within a few days, and Mr. Tower leaves to-morrow night for Newport.
One of the effects of renewing direct

outward evidence of good will.

THE SHAMROCK'S TRIP.

rations are being made for the Sham-rock's Atlantic voyage. She will be the use of the dum-dum bullet.

THE VISITING ATHLETES.

London, July 25.-The Yale-Harvard athletic team to-day visited Cambridge, where they were cordially welcomed. Mr. A. Arthur, president of the Cambridge University Athletic club, conducted the visitors to all points of interest. St. John's and Christ colleges were

BARON RUSSELL'S TREAT.

arguments, and which will energetically lay bare the fatal consequences of the convention which so cruelly betrays french interests."

Paris, July 25.—Baron Russell of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, and a member of the Venzuelan arbitration commission, entertained his col-

sumes Friendly Relations With the THE BEAUTY THAT ATTRACTS MEN

The Hugue.

**Delegates Present Statement** of the Result of Their Efforts for Peace.

Refuse to Abandon the Dumdum,

The Hague, July 24.-The final act

ing the names and qualifications of all the delegates, says: "In a series of meetings in which the above delegates participated, inspired throughout by the desire to realize in the highest possible measure the generous views of its august nitiator, they have been drawn up for the approval of the respective govnments, the series of conventions and declarations appended:

"Convention for the pacific settlement international disputes."

Convention concerning the laws and ustoms of war on land.
"Convention for the adoption of laws against the use of asphyniating or dele-terious gases from balloon projectiles, and for the prohibition of bullets easily expanded in the human body.
"The conference considers that limita

tions of military charges which at present oppress the world are greatly to be desired for the increase of the material and moral welfare of mankind. that the question of the rights and duties of neutrals should be inscribed on the programme of a conference to be held

at an early date. "The conference expresses the opinion that questions relative to the type and calibre of rifles and naval artillery, as examined by it, should be the subject of study by different agents, with a view Washington, July 25.-The Alaskan to arriving at a uniform solution by a future conference.

relieved as a result of the conferences that an early convention be called to rethe British charge, Mr. Tower, that those who have taken the most active private property in war on land and the bombardment of towns or villages in

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New York, July 25.—About three hun-

the purpose of the article. voted against the proposal to prohibit the dum-dum was because their general

The home secretary added that he was not aware of the existence of any reason

HAVANA KEEPS HEALTHY. Conditions Best Known In History of

This Trying Season. Havana, July 24.—The health report visited before luncheon. The athletes for the past two weeks has been the visited King's College chapel, after most favorable ever known in the history which a reception was given them. To-night the team visited the Lyric theatre. The team will spend to-morrow on the duced to the minimum.

it is impossible there should be a yellow fever epidemic here, but are doing every thing possible to avoid such an occur rence. The officials are congratulating themselves upon the success thus far attained, but are not relaxing their eflition in every direction.

ARRITRATION ADOPTED

Third Committee of the Peace Conference Complete Their Labors-The End Near at Hand.

The Hague, July 22.—The third comntittee of the international peace conference held a session to-day, under the presidency of M. Leon Bourgeois, of the French delegation, and adopted article 9 as modified. The article now reads: "In international disputes involving

neither country's honor nor essential interests, and arising from divergency of One of High Jointers Proves opinion on points of fact, the signatory powers deem it advisable that parties which are unable to agree by diplomatic means shall institute, so far as circumstances will permit, an international in-quiry, whose duty it shall be to facilitate the solution of these disputes by clearing up the questions of fact by means of an impartial, conscientious examination."

The committee adopted, with slight medifications article 20 to 56 to 56.

modifications, article 36 to 56 of the modifications, article 36 to 56 of the arbitration scheme, and then adopted the scheme as a whole, bringing the labors of the computer. of the committee to a succ The committee will meet formally on Tuesday next to read the minutes of its proceedings, and afterwards a plen-ary meeting of the conference will be held for the final acceptance of the ar-bitration scheme. The entire proceed-ings are expected to be brought to an end by the latter part of next week

OLD AGE PENSIONERS

Parliamentary Committee Endeavoring to Have a Report Prepared For

London, July 22.-The parliamentary ommittee on old age pensioners is laboring earnestly with a view to presenting a report before the prorogation of parliament. It is understood the of the cable would tend greatly to procommittee arrived at a determination to recommend a pension of five shillings weekly to all attaining the age of 65 years, who have never received parish relief. The proposal will naturally involve a heavy expense. Generally it is estimated at £10,000,000 yearly, which it is proposed will be divided between the Imperial exchanger and local re-

POINT ROBERTS

Americans Arbitrarily Drive Off Fraser Fishermen and Confiscate Their Outfits.

cans lasted several hours. Efforts are fishing on the American side of the now being made to find a suitable word to substitute for the word "duty," craft is towed into Blaine or the nearest landing place, boat and gear confiscated THE CLEVELAND RIOTS.
Further Companies of Soldiers Arrive to iProtect the Street Railway
Property.
Cleveland, July 25.—Bishop Horstman of the diocese of Cleveland to-day issued an address to the Catholic laiety of the diocese of Cleveland to-day issued an address to the Catholic laiety of the city, calling upon the people to offer no resistance to the authorities, and telling them to pray that peace and quiet be the mistress of Major Esterhazy.

New York, July 25.—About three numbers of the purpose of the article.

Washington, July 24.—The United States will not be bound by the reported decision of The Hague conference to the dun-dum bullet in warfare. So far the United States has not been obliged to resort to the use of this bullet, but the ordnance officers have been making experiments to secure an increased "stopping effect" for the small calibre ball used in the official in charge proceeded to run and an address to the Catholic laiety of the city, calling upon the people to offer no resistance to the authorities, and telling the purpose of the article.

Washington, July 24.—The United States will not be bound by the reported decision of The Hague conference to the dun-dum bullet in warfare. So far the United States will not be bound by the reported decision of The Hague conference to the use of the dun-dum bullet, but the ordnance officers have been making experiments to secure an increased "stopping effect" for the small calibre ball used in the succeeding in getting the entire staffs of the dum-dum bullet. The specific reason why Capt. Crozier and the reported dred of the striking boys of the American delegates voted against the proposal to prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum bullet. The proposal to prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the proposal to the prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the prohibit the use of the dun-dum dum to the fill the offices of the dun-dum dum t and the fishermen turned adrift and told were warned that if caught fishing again beyond that point seizures in every case would follow. This proclamation came President Bryan to-day issued a statement on behalf of the strikers Union, disclaiming any part in the recent riots, and expressing a resolution refraining from such acts.

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The dum-dum was because their general the dum-dum wa ruption the privilege of fishing in these now forbidden waters whilst at certain stages of the tide, the greater portion of five Italians last Thursday night.

official wired to Ottawa explaining the situation of things, and asked for assistance in the matter, advising that certain measures should be adopted to prevent any further illegal seizures, and to upon a means of determining the exact location of the boundary line.

To this request came the callous re "No funds or appropriation available." The fishermen are asking why they The fishermen are asking why they are heavily taxed under the rigid system of licenses, if when a small expenditure is required for their protection they are to be told that there are "no funds available," and that the Canadian govnment can do nothing for them.

NANAIMO MILL ACCIDENT. Young Man Loses an Arm as Result of Contact With a Saw.

Nanaimo, July 25.—(Special)—Albert Carter, son of Sir J. Carter, Newfound-land, an employee of the Nanaimo saw-mill, met with an accident to-day which

For Selves

Ministers Raise Their Own Pay But Cannot Afford Fish. eries Protection.

Only Critic of the Pacific Cable.

West Huron Revelations Checked by Action of Liberal Members.

Ottawa, July 25.—There was a regular ove feast in the house to-day over the Pacific cable project, the only discordant note emanating from Mr. John Charlton, whose American proclivities are well known. Mr. Mulock said the revised estimate of cost was \$1,700,000. The project will be managed by a board of eight-three from Great Britain and Australia and two from Canada. Sir Charles Tupper heartily congratulated the government on its action. Col. Prior and Messrs. McNeill, Casey and Bostock also spoke. Col. Prior referred to British Columbia's offer as evidence of the

mote trade with the Antipodes. No Fisheries Protection.

The government caucus had another

QUEEN'S EYESIGHT SAVED.

Louisiana Outrage Engaging the Atten-

tion of the Consulate. Vicksburg, July 24.—Signor Enrico Cavalli, representative of the Italian consulate at New Orleans, visited Tall-

London, July 24.—Letters of adminis London, July 24.—Letters of administration on Augustin Daly's personal estate in England have been granted to Hon. Bernard E. Barrington, private secretary to the Marquis of Salisbury, as secretary of state for foreign affairs At the request of the widow of Mr Daly and the executors of his estate. The gross value of Mr. Daly's personal estate in England is £811.

A GOLF EVENT.

London, July 24.-In the Internation al Golf Tournament at Ganton, York-shire, to-day, Vardon and Ball, representing England, beat Park and Tait, of

VENEZUELA'S INNINGS.

Paris, July 24.-Maitre Provost con tinued argument on behalf of Venezuela to-day before the British-Venezuelan boundary arbitration commission

DO YOU KNOW

THE GREAT YACHTS.

Progress Reports of a Quiet Day

Bristol, R. I., July 24 .- The Columbia was hauled out of the water at the Herreshoff works to-day, for the purpose of having her underbody cleaned and her steel mast stepped. The big Sir Charles Tupper Delivers an racer arrived here yesterday, and work racer arrived here yesterday, and work on her was begun early to-day.

Rothsay, Island of Bute, July 24.—
The cup-challenger Shamrock, which arrived here yesterday, hoisted her canvas to-day and sailed round the bay, but did not do any racing. Many of the local officials were entertained at luncheon by Sir Thomas Lipton, who declared that no expense or skill would be spared in completing the Shamrock for the race for the America's cup. She will proceed to Greenock to-morrow, to

will proceed to Greenock to-morrow, to complete fitting out.

New York, July 24.—It was said at the headquarters of the Brotherhood of Tailors to-day that between 5,000 and 7,000 in Greater New York had gone on strike this morning. The strike has necessarily thrown out the basters, trimmers and others. It seems to have been precipitated by the action of the pressers to the number of 1400 at crease in the scale.

DIAMONDS GROW DEARER. Imports Unprecedented, Notwithstanding High Prices.

New York, July 16.—The English syndicate controlling the rich diamond mines of South and the United States were entitled to she continuous as the account as continuous and the province in favor of the scheme. He believed the construction year's dividend of 20 per cent., and to-day whatever the treaty gave them, and no-more. Sir Charles declared that in his it will make another advance in the price of diamonds of 5 per cent. This will make statesmen he had found that one weak-No fisheries Protection.

Early in the day Col. Prior strongly an advance of one-fourth in the past few months, and a diamond which sold last fall for \$100 will sell to-day for \$125. The States. No doubt this feeling was personal to prove the protection. to prevent poaching by American young man saving up his money to buy a feetly natural, but in this case the Amsolitaire ring had better make his purchase right away, for further advances are com- shown by their refusal ....buit the Sir Wilfrid Laurier hear int no hope of anything being done to the right away, for further advances are com-

ing with it increased demand for costly The privileges committee are making slow progress with the West Huron election case, owing to the senseless obstruction by ministerial members.

articles. Second, the healthy condition of the government take power to provide by proclamation of the Governor-General in council that no mining licenses be issued to any persons not British subjects. articles. Second, the healthy condition of and third, the increased import prices of diamonds, pearls, rubies, emeralds and precious stones generally. On the basis of the cost of precious stones in previous

Afticipating the advance in the prices of a powers powerful glasses of unusually large size, and with black rims, and when she is obliged to use artificial light she prefers a shaded wax candle.

ITALIANS LYNCHED.

Louisiana Outrage Engaging the Attentional Contract of the contract of the prices strong at this port last month, more than strong was more than ever confident that a crime was committed against the inter-Stories come across from London that the

De Beers Consolidated mines are not pro-ducing as many diamonds as formerly, and that the output of these South African mines will steadily decrease. So far experts have been unable to locate mines in other parts of the world, and it now

San Francisco, July 24.-The Transport Morgan City arrived to-day from Manila with returning troops, including those invalided home. She was at once sent to the Angel quarantine station for examination and fumigation.

LAKES OF KILLARNEY.

Dublin, July 22.-Mr. A. G. Peck Cohoes Falls, N. Y., has bought the Muckross Estates on the Lakes of Killarney, about which there has been s much taik. The price was £37,000. Mr. Peck made a fortune in the United States in the manufacture of axes. He s now residing in London.

VISITING OFFICERS.

London, July 24.—Rear-Admiral A. Crowninshield, chief of the bureau of navigation of the United States navy department, and Lieut. Commander Consumption is preventable? Science has proven that, and also that neglect is suicidal. The worst cold or cough can be cured with Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure. Sold on positive guarantary a lieutenant. Presenting Admiral Fair-fax, R. N., after an inspection of the dockyards the American officers visited the for over fifty years. Sold by Henderson Bros.

Alaskan

Boundary.

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Americans Take Advantage of Britain's Unwillingness to

Have a Collision.

Important Speech in the

House of Commons.

Yukon Officials Said to Be Hunting for Gold—Liberal Members Grumbling.

Ottawa, July 22.-In the house to-day

rem Our Own Correspondent.

Sir Charles Tupper delivered an important speech on the question of the Alaskan boundary. He congratulated pressers, to the number of 1,400, who last week made a demand for piece work, 10 hours a day and 20 per cent. 2nd. In the comments that had been made on this matter it had been understood that the meeting of the commis sion was contingent on the Alaskan boundary question being put in a way of settlement. The whole question at issue in this boundary matter was the of anything being done dissipations. The house was engaged all evening discussing the customs appropriations.

Ministers' Pay Raised.

Diamonds have been going up ever since the syndicate got hold of the South African mines, and the syndicate is going right on declaring dividends and advancing against them. This was the reason right on declaring dividends and advancing prices.

The American demand for diamonds and they had proposed to submit the quesprecious stones has grown remarkably in The government caucus had another big row this morning over the cutting down of public works appropriations. Sir Wilfrid Laurier promised to consider the whole question of members' indemnity after the next general election. He asked the opinion of the caucus as to the advisability of increasing the salaries of the ministers of customs and inland revenue from five to seven thousand dollars, and the caucus endorsed the suggestion. Sir Wilfrid Laurier gave notice to-night of the increase, to date from July 1, 1898.

A Chinese Railway.

Dan Mann left for the Coast to-day, en route to China, to look over the project of building a railway from Canton to Hankow. William Mackenzie and he have been offered a contract to build the line.

Afraid of the Tjuth. from Kitimat arm to Dawson, and that

Premier Laurier said the case of Can-Ten Weeks' Course of Treatment Reported to Have Been Successful.

London, July 25.—Truth says to-day:
"The Queen has been undergoing a course of treatment for ten weeks for her eyes, as advised by Professor Pagenstocher of Wiesbaden, and I am rejoiced to say with the most successful results. The Queen's eyesight is no longer in danger. Her Majesty now wears powerful glasses of unusually large size, and with black ribes, and when she is ada was impregnable, and could not be crime was more than ever condent that a crime was committed against the interests of Canada when the Senate rejected the Yukon Railway measure. The proposal of Sir Charles Tupper on the railway question was virtually an offer to give the government power which had formerly been refused. As to excluding American miners from the Yakon, that Forecock, July 23.—Liaberate proposition are being made for the Shamp rations are being made for the Shamp rock's Atlantic voyage. She will be use of the dum-dum bullet.

MRS. MAYBRICK'S WOES.

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London, July 24.—In the House of the strengthened by a novel and specialty designed system of screw braces and trusses. Her hull will be strapped from end to end with heavy stays and screw trusses will then be led from side to side and screwed out until they bear hard against the stays. Similar screws will then be led from was uncommonly good and when all are screwed out until they bear hard against the stays. Similar screws will be led from the bilge to the deck, and when all are screwed up the hull will be screened against all change of the was unable to locate mines in other parts of the world, and it mow as uncommond to count Vinci, called at the grant the fishermen are unable to tell.

MRS. MAYBRICK'S WOES.

London, July 24.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Michael Davitt asked the government if, in view of the fact that the conduct of Mrs. Maybrick is prison was uncommonly good and when all are screwed out until they bear hard against time stays. Similar screws will then be led from the bilge to the deck, and when all are screwed up the hull whether they are in British or American the fact that the conduct of Mrs. Maybrick is prison was uncommonly good the prison of the fisching deep ply their nets around of five Italians last Thursday night.

Washington, July 24.—The Italian last the growing demand must be met by the decreasing South African the grant hard gains a future scarcity on all whether they were still in British water. Matters have so shaped themselves that the growing death of the wast august a suggestion which was a suggestion which the grant hard gains a future scarcity of the state department to-day and had a talk diamonds are a better investment now than government bonds.

BACK FROM MANILA.

BACK FROM MANILA. Premier's speech.

Official Prospectors. In supply, Col. Prior said he had been men sent to improve the Lewes and Yukon rivers were really spending their time hunting for gold.

Mr. Fielding said that the government had no knowledge of such a state of affairs. The men are forbidden to stake claims.

Grits Kicking. At the Liberal caucus this morning there was a big kick from some of the members because they did not get their share of the appropriations now being

voted. Peter Mitchell Better. Hon. Peter Mitchell was greatly im-

PILES FOR FIFTEEN YEARS.

Mr. Jas. Bowles, councillor, Embro, Ont. the the the many remedies I tried all failed. I was

## Sorrows of The Trails

Awful Experiences in Northern Wilderness as Told by Survivors.

Relief Parties Robbing Death of Grim Harvest Along the Stikine.

Klondike Creeks Prove Spotty and Work Out for Less Than Wages.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, July 24.-The steame Rosalic arrived from the North on Sun-Rosalic arrived from the North on Sunday afternoon with 150 returning Klon- At the coroner's inquest the medical test the refusal of the United States to acpurser's report \$125,000 in gold. Wm. boxes of dust weighing 280 pounds. The next in order was H T, Burkitt of Senext in order was H. L. Burkitt of Se-attle, with \$25,000. H. Boulanger, San Francisco, was credited with \$10,000; John Krisha, of San Francisco, \$10,000; and J. Matkocier, Montana, \$10,000. and J. Matkocier, Montana, \$10,000. The rest of the gold was owned in small

Romnes, of Tacoma, stated that the Canadian government had now closed all the creeks in Klondike from the prospectors, for the purpose of leasing to hydraulic companies the claims not

said that while there is a lot of gold in Klondike, there is not more than one-fourth of what the papers say. At Hootalinqua you can scarcely get a color to the pan. No. 15 creek, owned by four Americans, is cleaned out for \$9,000, while \$50,000 was expected. No. 13 is cleaned up for \$4,000, while \$16,000 was expected.—No. 29 paid good wages, and left a fair margin for the wages and left a fair margin for the owners, the total being \$8,000. The owners got a fair rakeoff on 22 below. All other claims did not do much more than pay wages, and many of them left the owners behind. Dominion creek has proved first-class between 13 and 31 be proved first-class between 13 and 31 below, good claims making a margin for owners and good wages. Numbers 1 and 4 and 5 below showed up the best on the creek. The rest did not pan out well. All the best claims were owned by Americans, mostly Frisco men. On the Bonanza there were but a few claims, but they were the richest in the Klondike. Two above on Bonanza, sold by Alex Macdonald to Englishmen, was it was understood that owing to the very rich, while 26 above was the richest in the country; it is owned by Conrad Doyle of Tacoma, and yielded \$1,-000,000. Numbers 25 and 27 and 28 up to 40 were very rich. On Eldorado, from the mouth to 32, proved good, ereeks dozens upon dozens of claims said to be extremely rich did not make wages, and left the owners broke.

—C. L. Maltby, a Dirigo passenger, has reached Vancouver from the North. He says his party of five took 15 months to get over the Edmonton trail to Dawson. They were among the 106 who wintered at Wind City. They left sixteen in Wind City scurvy-stricken. Among them Dr. Mason of Chicago, and W. Gouche, a banker's son, of Chicago, both in a dying state. In March last Indian guides sent to them told them "heap big white man" (Mayor Stewart of Hamilton) had succumbed to scurvy and exposure while at that it had the utmost confidence in him. It is understood, however, that a majority of the members of the raad still differ from the President on the dynamics. tempting to make Peel river. Mr. Malt mean anything, he desires the presentation of the late governor of Manitoba, was stranded at Wind City when he left last January, also E. Harris of Hamilton whose foot was armything to many them, but he could grave them, but he could grave currency to a report that he had resigned owing to differences between himself and members of the xolksraad. President Kruger from the meeting of the executive currency to a report that he had resigned owing to differences between himself and members of the xolksraad. President Kruger from the meeting of the executive currency to a report that he had resigned owing to differences between himself and members of the xolksraad. President Kruger from the meeting of the executive currency to a report that he had resigned owing to differences between himself and members of the xolksraad. President Kruger from the meeting of the executive currency to a report that he had undergone an operation for liver complaint, which was successful.

An unconfirmed report is in circulation of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the public, say that the absence of President Kruger from the meeting of the executive and an ultimatum which could only of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the public, say that the absence of President Kruger from the meeting of the executive and a cablegram from his father in the public as a carrying out a plan of of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the public as a carrying out a plan of of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the absence of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the absence of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the absence of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the absence of the minister of public works, has received a cablegram from his father in the absence of the minister of public wor ton, whose foot was amputated, owing ger, when seen to-night in regard to the to being frozen. The suffering on the matter, denied these rumors, stating trail was appalling, but he believes a positively that they were without foun-thousand must have got through to Dawson over the Edmonton trail. Many

Griesome Tale of Stikine. F. W. Petrie, a French Canadian who arrived here by the Rosalie, after 15 months on the trail to Klondike via the Stikine, is a physical wreck. Petrie and another French Canadian travelled Francisco, in London about two years 80 miles along the Teslin river. They found some very rich diggings on a branch of the Stikine, he says, but lady who is described by one of the mistic views of politicians branch of the Stikine, he says, but scarcely had they started to dig out their fortunes when he was attacked with scurry and violent vomiting. Then, he alleges, he made the awful discovery that bodies had been thrown into the almost stagnant water, which was heing the Louvre. Inspector Albanel, the lamost stagnant water, which was heing the Louvre followed. almost stagnant water, which was being drunk by the miners, and that this had brought on the fatal malady. As they travelled along they saw animals lying ter she passed. The woman was arrest-dead at the water's edge, also, and the very air was tainted. His party crawled away, and, reaching a mountain stream, were able to get nurse water to dript. were able to get pure water to drink, where a number of stolen objects were On their way out they came across a found. On paying for the property the cabin with three dead men in it, and, woman was released, as it is the custom weak as they were, they managed to give them a grave near the pestilential manages when they are foreigners of pool where they died. On meeting some well known. mounted police, they were tenderly cared for and nursed back to a condition enabling them to reach their homes. The diggings will be known some day as among the richest in the country, but at present the Angel of Death is guarding the gold on that rich reach of the Stik-

men were living on the charity of others, and how hundreds lived at all was

### Relief Steamers.

Wrangel, July 20, via Seattle, July 24. The Stikine river steamers Strathcona and Casca have arrived here with 57 pany most affected are in the financial Bell, of Baldur. and Casca have arrived here with 57 survivors of the Edmonton trail. These unfortunates had been on the trail for be paid a flat rate of 2½ cents for each nearly two years. They related tales of hardships and demonstrated the non-feasibility of both the land and water routes overland. Under orders of the Canadian and the levying of 50 cents a week on each constitution of the levying of 50 cents a week on each constitution. The land and water routes overland. Under orders of the constitution of the levying of 50 cents a week on each constitution. Canadian government, the Hudson's boy for clothing shall cease, and that the Bay and other trading companies have sent out relief parties to bring in the several hundred sick and starving still struggling along the Liard and Pelly tacked in the streets and very roughly elevens arrived to-day and were entersent out relief parties to bring in the struggling along the Liard and Pelly tacked is rivers. During the last winter it was handied. rivers. During the last winter it was thought that fifty died of scurvy, and

### MRS. MAYBRIOK AGAIN.

London, July 22 .- A question will be asked in the House of Commons on Monday with regard to Mrs. Maybrick undergoing a sentence of life imprison-ment for the poisoning of her husband and whether, seeing her conduct has been good, Sir Matthew Ridney, the home secretary, will not recommend the exercise of royal elemency in her case.

The eyes of Hope give the wings of

VANCOUVER AFFAIRS.

Miserable End of a Whiskey Degene ate-The Cutch Disabled-The Rosalie Aground.

Vancouver, July 24.-The steamer Nell brings word that the Cutch was disabled on Saturday at River's inlet by the breaking of her reversing gear.

The body of an unknown man was found in the Fraser river near Ewen's

found in the Fraser river near Ewen's cannery, on Saturday night, by the crew, of the steamer Samson.

C. W. Berryman, bartender at King's saloon, appeared in the police court today, on a charge of causing the death of J. Macdonald. Deceased was only released from prison on Saturday morning. In the afternoon he was arrested again, drunk and disorderly. In the evening he appeared ill, and the doctor found him suffering internally, and ordered a quarter of a grain of morphine dered a quarter of a grain of morphine to be given to him. The warden, it is stated, administered seven and a half to the hospital, where he died this morn ing. In his dying deposition he stated that while in King's saloon he had broken a mirror, and the bartender had kick-

Anchors were put out, and as the tide

## TO RESIGN.

Volksraad Won't Back Him Up in His Course of Blind Defiance.

By Associated Press. Pretoria, July 24.-President Kruger opposition shown him by the executive council and the volksraad, regarding the questions of the Johannesburg fort and the dynamite monopoly, he had arrived while from 17 to 29 was very rich. But at the conclusion that he no longer possessed the volksraad's confidence, and

To-day, however, a deputation including General Joubert, the vice-president, Herren Schlak, and Burger, and the chairman of the volksraad, waited upon Herr Kruger and induced him to attend a secret session of the volksraad. Late this evening it was announced that the volksraad had finally assured the Presi-

Paris. July 24.—Despatches received mountains. He is sure they have ished. A young man from Ontario public, say that the absence of President

RICH BUT A THIEF.

American Lady's Escapade In Paris, Where Wealth Saved Her From Prison.

Paris, July 24 .- A sensational case,

URCHINS ON STRIKE.

day as Messenger Boys in New York Dictate

Terms to Postal Company. New York, July 24.-About two hundred messenger boys employed by the Postal Telegraph Company went out on strike to-day. The offices of the com-

THE FRASER.

Quesnelle, July 24.-The river is about at a standstill. The weather is cooler.
Lillooet, July 24.—The river has fallen somewhat since morning. The weath is partly cloudy and warm.

THE FRASER. Lillooet, July 22.-There has been lit-

tle change in the river since morning. The weather is cloudy, with westerly Quesnelle, July 22.—The river is about y 22.—The river is about It is not the house that is painted brightest that holds the most joy.

## Afraid to Arbitrate.

Americans Feel That Their Alaskan Contention Could Not Be Sustained.

While Lynn Canal Must Be Held to Compel Concessions in Yukon.

Suggestion to Appease Canada With Mere Landing Rights of Her Territory.

By Associated Press. Washington, July 24-Inasmuch as the Canadian officials have laid stress upon timony was that Macdonald died from rupture. It seems that Berryman tried to eject the unfortunate man, who was to eject the unfortunate man, who was attempting to secure a free drink, and when Macdonald resisted summoned the policeman, who arrested him. Macdonald is said to have been once a boilermaker in Victoria.

Steamer Rosalie was aground in the Narrows three hours of the soundary. Narrows three hours on Sunday afternoon on her way outward. She was crowded with passengers, and there was quite an excitement on board. When the vessel struck the incoming tide swung her bow around on the rocks. She was then carried broadside on shore and the prospectors, for the purpose of leasing to hydraulic companies the claims not staked.

P. Allord, of South Bridges, Mass., said that while there is a lot of gold in Klondike, there is not more than one-fourth of what the papers say. At Anghors were put out and as the tide. Canada secured a port on Lynn Canal we would be deprived of the only weapon which we now possess for the protection of our miners going into the Klondike from extortion, and perhaps expulsion. It was for this reason that Secretary arbitrate, attended by the contention that in any case Pyramid Harbor should be bestowed upon Canada. Then, too, it was realized that an agreement to arbitrate may be extremely unpopular in the West, so that the officials will be glad to adjust the matter without resort to arbitration, if possible. This has caused a revival of the project to allow Canada free privileges at some specified ports on Lynn Canal—Dyea, Skagway, or Pyramid Harbor, perhaps, while a lowing sovereignty over them to remain in the United States, and this is one of the propositions now engaging attention. It is realized that this plan would meet strong opposition from that element which favors no concession whatever to Canada, but under such an arrangemen American miners might reasonably ex pect to benefit a good deal from the construction of the proposed railway from a free Canadian port on Lynn Canal straight through to Dawson, in the heart of the Klondike.

London, July 24.—Commenting upon London, July 24.—Commenting upon the debate in the Canadian parliament on Saturday on the Alaskan boundary, the St. James Gazette to-day says: "The brisk air of the United States and Canada is conducive to strong vords, which would never pass the lips of a European statesman until an orde to mobilize was on the point of issuing. Nobody thinks of war in connection with the Canadian-American dispute, since it is we who have to fight, if Canada makes a quarrel. We must plead with one of a quarrel. our fellow-subjects to use a quieter style. If Sir Charles Tupper's words mean anything, he desires the presenta-tion of an ultimatum which could only

United States which Great Britain is earnest and anxious to avoid.'

London, July 25 .- The Times this morning, commenting 'editorially upon Saturday's debate in the Canadian par ament on the Alaska boundary matter Charles Tupper expressed says: pimself with unnecessary energy, bu ooking to the present position of the Alaskan negotiations, we hope we may disregard his oratorical fireworks. Wilfrid Laurier's tone was studi Wilfrid Laurier's tone was studiously conciliatory and moderate, and as no encessions will be made in Alaska with there is no room at present for the pess without reference to third parties, t is altogether incredible that the United tates should be unwilling to consent to arbitration when other methods have

MANITORA AND NORTHWEST. olice Relief For Yukon-Accused Por ter Freed-Killed in Washing-

ton Mining Camp.

river at Silver Plains last week has The porter arrested on the charge of theft from an excursionist with the National Editorial party, has been re-

The body of the man drowned in Red

The Northwestern cricket tourney tained by local cricketers to-night. To-morrow Omaha plays Chicago, and Min-nesota meets Manitoba. The Minnesota men played a friendly match with Portage la Prairie to-day and were defeated in a single inning by 39 to 149.

Private despatches from Republic, Wn., received to-night, state that W. Banning, a young ex-Winnipegger, was fatally wounded there yesterday died this morning. One despatch i mates that Banning was murdered. D. H. McFadden, the sitting member ated to-day by Emerscon Co servatives for the legislature.

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MILITIA CALLED OUT.

Fear of Trouble From the Railway

Cleveland, July 22.-Orders were is-

at Cleveland, to do strike duty in the

streets of the city during the present

railway trouble. The decision to call

out the Fifth was made after a long con-

ened the non-union men on the Scoville

the like. The crowd became very threat-ening. The police soon arrived. They

grocery house was shot by a non-union

conductor this afternoon and seriously

up a potato as if ot throw at a car.

The conductor drew a revolver and fired, the bullet passing through the man's

neck and lodging in his shoulder. The

old men who have returned to work

BRITAIN'S DEFENCE.

Being Carried on by the Navy.

play to the sea-going ships.

GOLD COMING IN

Atlin Claim Owners Beginning to Show

Gold For Their Season's Work.

Pine creek diggings were known, and the judge decided that Willow was not

a sufficiently distinct creek to be regard

settlement of a great numb

thereby losing some of his worst-

torpedo-boat destroyers. The

From Our Own Correspondent.

The driver stopped to pick

ounded

enemy,

Strikers and Sympathizers in

Axminsters,

Wiltons,

Victoria, B. C WEILER BROS.

### SIDNEY FISHER FEELS A CHILL

Commons Sidetracks His Latest Enterprise-Lepers of Darcey Island.

Ottawa, July 24.—The house spent nearly the entire day discussing the agricultural votes, apropos of Mr. Fisher's scheme to establish 30 or 40 Fisher's scheme to establish 30 or 40 of the street railway company and the experimental farm plots in different lives of its employees, but for the protecparts of the country. It received the tion of the lives and property of the citicold shoulder from both sides, and the zens, that extra militia service be called, item was allowed to stand.

Col. Prior urged that the Darcey island lepers be transferred to the Tracadie lazaretto, but Mr. Fisher would reserves.

A serious rear-end collision occurred on Ontario street to-day between a Scoville avenue car manned with a non-union avenue car. Mr. McNeill will introduce a nonommittal resolution on the preferential

Four passengers were badly hurt. The Woodland avenue car had stopped to rade question. The West Huron inquiry was confined to-day to the examination of witnesses who said they voted for McLean, at full speed. A big crowd of people quickly surrounded the cars and threatthe Conservative candidate. The railway resolutions will be down Sir Louis Davies said to-night that

### DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

Parliament would sit four or five weeks

pecial to the Colonist.

Speaker Edgar's Illness.

Toronto, July 24.-Before Speaker Edgar left Ottawa Drs. Powell and Roddick thought it necessary to have a consultation as to certain complications in his case. They came to Toronto, met Dr. Cameron, and decided that an imwere denied by the officials of the com-Dr. Cameron, and decided that an immediate operation was necessary for the pany, who say they do not know of any removal of stone in the bladder. The operation was successfully performed at the Speaker's residence in Toronto on Thursday, and the patient derived im-mediate relief. He will be confined to his bed for some weeks, but is now on the way towards restoration to health.

French President's Joke. Montreal, July 24.-Joseph Tarte, son

tion here to-day to the effect that Presi- Atlantic from Halifax, under escort. dent Loubet intends conferring upon Mr.
The enemy sends a fleet to intercept the convoy, and the British send a fleet to the Legion or Honor.

A Quebec Lawsuit.

Quebec, July 24.—News comes from ports for the purpose of harassing the British while he captures the convoy. Francois of a serious flood on the audiere. All the wooden trestle audiere. St Marie and St. British while he captures the convoy. Great Britain, on the other hand, relies upon the torpedo-boat destroyers to ridges at St. Joseph, St. Marie and St. rancois have been carried away.

Mrs. Blake's Holiday. Toronto, July 24.-Mrs. Blake, wife of Hon. Edward Blake, arrived here sterday from England, to spend the summer at Murray bay.

Bracebridge, July 24.—The bodies of Miss Sills and Miss Phillips, who were drowned at Moon Chute on Tuesday, vere recovered on Saturday, and sent

**Bodies Recovered.** 

THE POLITICAL RING.

overnment Parties Picking Favorites

nine, chiefly citizens who were on Mr. Tisdall's pre-election committee, called upon that gentleman to-day and asked him where he stood in the present polilim where Winnipeg, July 24.—(Special)—A party of 50 Northwest Mounted Police will leave shortly for Yukon to take the place of men whose time has expired. It is expected that the militia will be recalled this fall.

In the Motzeoue country well outsted invoices; two through builties of coarse gold, of a total value of a little over \$4.000. On McKee creek C. F. Venosta has formed a syndicate among general of the present government." In other words a training stating s

for the principle, not for the man, according to his convictions.

Mr. Macpherson, who is a very ardent Liberal and enthusiastic advocate of the Deadman's Island scheme, has declared himself for Mr. Martin.

Mr. Widd area he will reserve his Mr. Kidd says he will reserve his decision until the caucus meeting, as he where. At the sitting of the commission towishes to hear Mr. Cotton's explanation

wishes to hear Mr. Cotton's explanation of his stand on the Deadman's Island question and other issues.

DEATH TO THE BLACKS.

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Short tributary of Pine creek, and has shown up some rich diggings. The dis-Georgia Makes Fair Start in War of covery claim was staked long after Negro Extermination.

Bainbridge, Ga., July 24.—Decatur and Early counties are still greatly excited over the recent lynchings of nediscoverer's claim to 100 feet and algroes. One negro has been lynched by hanging, after his body had been mutilated. Two have been found dead, and their scalps are reported to have and their scalps are reported to have been on exhibition at Saffold, while the bodies of two others were found lying near a railroad track in the disturbed districts, the cause of their death being in doubt the right thing. The commissioner's decision as to the rights of claim-holders who staked in error under the North-west laws is expected to be given to day, and it will give the key to the

Crowds are still hunting for the other five negroes who were implicated by Louis Sammons, one of the lynched, for No man ever gave of his best without the assault on the Ogletree family.

### KRUGER YIELDS TO PRESSURE

Not Afraid of Petitions or Argu ments But War Preparations Are Different.

By Associated Press.

London, July 22.-What President Kruger declined to yield to the petitions Resident of Manila Tells of of the Uitlanders and the arguments of the British high commissioner of South Africa, Sir Alfred Milner, he seems inclined to yield to the more forcible hints of the war office, comprised in unobtrusive but obvious military prepara- Native Troops Continually Hartions. The sudden change of front of the volksraad in adopting the seven-year franchise proposition on Tuesday last is a forcible demonstration of the claim that President Kruger can and does From Our Own Correspondent, yield when the proper pressure is applied but not otherwise. As Mr. Chamberlain stated in the course of his speech in the House of Commons on Thursday in regard to the modifications of the franchise law in the Transvaal, the concessions do not end the difficulties, but merely offer a basis for a specific settle ment, and former experiences with the Transvaal have taught the government that it is inadvisable in any way to relax sued to-day for the assembling of four companies of the Fifth regiment, located pressure until the contract is con The military preparations, the have been in no wise relaxed.

COL. INGERSOLL'S FUNERAL.

New York, July 22.—The arrangements for the burial of Col. Ingersoll have not been made entirely, but it will German at Manila, giving the following ference between Major Farley and Director of Police Barrett. It was debe simple, and as privately conducted as account of things there:

possible. Clinton B. Farrall, son-in-law "American officers hold brilliant cided that it was absolutely necessary, not only for the safety of the property

### MR. MAXWELL BACKS MR. MART N

Says the Premier's Reasons for Requesting the Resignation Were Trivial.

Vancouver, July 22 .- G. R. Maxwell. avenue car. There were shouts of Vancouver, July 22.—G. R. Maxwell. "Lynch him," "Break his head," and M. P., has spoken. He states that Mr. Semlin's reasons for asking for Mr. al ship relief. This vessel took a short

> regiment, are to discard the dark blue forest, the rescue of the officers was for the red, that the artillery of this not accomplished, the Filipinos taking city are to be transformed into infantry. The officers here declined to be interviewed on the subject, which gives weight to the accuracy of the re-

conductor's name was not learned.
Rumors to the effect that there had the rumored dissolution of the Alaskan steamboat pool, which is aggravated by the statement that application has been Goods to the Yukon Country. nade to Ottawa for an amendment to he law governing the carrying of passengers and freight from a Canadian of the Canadian customs at Skagway, has oort by an American vessel. Mr. Albert Halder, son of Mr. Halder, interesting Manoeuvres at Present M. E., was painfully burned in the face pers:

London, July 22.-The mobilization of dail's laboratory.
Salmon are very scarce in the Fraser, the huge fleet engaged in the present but old-timers say when the run does quired to furnish for the use come it will be a big one. At Point been caught in the traps since the big in transit for points in British Columbia. catch of Monday last. It is expected that the fish will run strong on July 25. The sewage by-law was discussed the council meeting last night, when it was suggested to raise the sum to be borrowed from \$125,000 to \$150,000. intercept that of their adversary. The allow Mr. Jamieson to charge 50 cents and in every however, relies upon numerous and \$1 at the gate at Brockton Point on the occasion of the visit here of God-frey's band. The by-law governing events at Brockton Point puts the maximum charge at 25 cents. The Goods viz.:

Two certified invoices; two bills of lading. Stating the steamer's name goods are ship-ped on.

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Two certified invoices; two bills of lading. Stating the steamer's name goods are ship-ped on.

upon the torpedo-boat destroyers to cope with the torpedo boats and give council laid the matter over, as a large skagway for points in British. Columbia and Northwest Territories intended to go the famous British band, and Brockton forward from point of shipment to destination. real battle is thus torpedo boats against must be interesting, and must largely control the future policy with regard to the building of torpedo-boat destroyers. intertainment.
The case of Retta King, charged with

WAITING FOR RELIEF.

Men Who Went to Kotzebue Sound Search For Gold Stranded.

as been enlarged until Monday.

Seattle, July 22.-From the steamer Atlin, June 27.-Gold has been coming Brunswick, just arrived here from Alaska, it is learned that a passenger is on his way from Kotzebue Sound to in very freely from the creeks this For the Coming Great Mill.

Week. Miners have been dropping in with pouches containing from \$100 upwards, many of them running as high as \$700 and \$800, representing the relation, chiefly citizens who were on Mr. Cisdall's pre-election committee, called the called that a passenger is on his way from Kotzebue Sound to wards, many of them running as high as \$700 and \$800, representing the results of the past week's or fortnight's send revenue cutters to Kotzebue, and he is provided with proof that unless sluicing. C. F. Venosta brought in Sound to washington in behalf of 1,000 miners signed to pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and Northwest Territories, shipped at Seattle. The will ask the government to send revenue cutters to Kotzebue, and he is provided with proof that unless plucified to pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and Northwest Territories, shipped at Seattle. The will ask the government to send revenue cutters to Kotzebue, and he is provided with proof that unless plucified to pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and Northwest Territories, shipped at Seattle. The will ask the government to send revenue cutters to Kotzebue, and he is provided with proof that unless plucified to pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and the called the pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and the called the pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and the called the pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in British Columbia and the called the pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in Shipments of freight via steamer consistency and the pass over the White Pass & Yukon rallway for points in Shipments of freight via steamer consistency. week. Miners have been dropping in During the past few days I have been gers.

> YEAST CAKES MOST PERFECT MADE

HIGHEST HONORS
WORLDS COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION CHICAGO-III

## America's Hard Task

Germans Have Not a Very High Opinion of Operations in the Philippines.

Efforts of Officers to Pacify Filipinos.

rassing the U. S. Soldiers Officers Captured.

Berlin, July 22.—The Philippine campaign has been alluded to frequently this week. The Kreuz Zeitung says the Americans are making no progress. The Tageblatt says the campaign looks like a farce because the Americans have not sufficient troops in the Philippines to undertake any serious operations

efforts made in Washington to raise new troops, says: "The United States is apparently developing into a military state, after the example of European countries"

The Boers Encourier, referring to the

of Col. Ingersoll, said that a minister ceptions in private houses and in the would not be asked to officiate.

o casino at Malate, to which they invite prominent Filipinos. The last week June there was a great festival at which six hundred were present, and which ended with a ball and fireworks. Four fifths of the guests were Filipinos. A the ladies were invited to appear in pi turesque native costumes. But while it Americans were leading the Filipinos i to fraternizing and feasting, the two mies are fighting. Everywhere the Fil pinos have strong corps close upon the American lines, and whenever a patrol leaves the main body it finds itself in the presence of the enemy, and threatened with being surrounded. The Americans take revenge by having ships fire upon Filipinos wherever a few show themselves in order to bathe. the capture of two officers of the ho the like. The crowd became very threatening. The police soon arrived. They struck a number of people with clubs before the crowd finally gave labeled the c Information has been received here nock got up steam rapidly, but, although the letter that the Second battalion, Fifth she opened fire and raked the shore and The Monad

INSTRUCTIONS TO SHIPPERS

Goods to the Yukon Country. Mr. E. C. Bushby, superintending office

issued the following instruction's to shipby the explosion of some chemicals he was experimenting with in Mr. Ken-Victoria and other Canadian ports, desti Victoria and other Canadian ports, destine for points in British Columbia and in transit for points in British Columb

> One copy of certified invoice; one copy of bill of lading.
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> Papers required for Canadian customs to e addressed to S. P. Brown, general agent White Pass & Yukon railway, Skagway

Point is the only suitable place for the tion in bond, require to be accompanied steamer manifest," containing statemen npting to murder Tessie McDonald, of each consignment so shipped, each consignment addressed to E. S. Bushby, super-intending officer Canadian customs, Skag way, which the purser of the steamer will hand to Mr. Bushby upon arrival of steam

er at Skagway.

Canadian goods destined for entry and consumption at Skagway, shipments of \$190 and upwards in value, require to be certified to by the United States consul at place of origin.

Shipments of freight via steamer consigned to pass over the White Pass & Yuk

signment as shipped will require to acc pany the goods, addressed to E. C. Bushby supervising officer Canadian customs, Skar way, which the purser of steamer will han Bushby on arrival at Skagway. The above regulations will require to be

WARM WEEK IN EUROPE. But the Heat Did Not Stop Her Majesty From Attending a Charity Fair.

strictly adhered to.

London, July 22.—The heat through out the week, both in England and of the Continent, has been unprecedented. The clearest evidence of the heat, how ever, and one which most impresses Englishmen, is the fact that in certain Englishmen, is the fact that in certain courts the judges informed the lawyers that they could dispense with wearing wigs. The judicial permission was gracefully accepted. In spite of the heat the Queen on Thursday drove 12 miles to a garden party bazaar which the Duchess of Connaught had organized for the vectorstep of the county. for the restoration of a church. The Queen visited all the stalls, made numerous purchases at the American stalls, over which the Countess of Coke and the Countess of Dudley presided. Her Majesty also tasted a real American

sherry cobbler, through a straw.

Short Ses

Reports and Co Dealt with by men Last

Reduced Car Fa men on the Electric

The council held a ing meeting last night up for discussion but reports of committee munications. Every

less than an hour. Architect A. C. Ews plans for the new erected by W. J. Per to the council reque the box drain now ru client's property from
to the mud flats chan
of the property will a
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### **Short Session** Of Council.

Reports and Communications Dealt with by the Aldermen Last Evening.

Reduced Car Fare for Workingmen on the Esquimalt Electric Service.

The council held a dull and uninteresting meeting last night, nothing coming up for discussion but the usual weekly reports of committees and a few communications. Everything was over in less than an hour.

to the mud flats changed, as the owners of the property will soon commence the erection of a large building on the The communication was re-

F. H. Eaton, school superintendent informed the council and His Worship the Mayor that the increased expendithe Mayor that the increases was only tures of the school trustees was only \$3.633, and not between \$7,000 and \$8,000, as Hir Worship was reported in one of the local papers to have said not The reason for the addition said, was a larger attendance than former years. The communication

Thomas and E. Speed, of Speed's avenue, wanted the city to construct a box drain through taeir property, and stated if the request was not granted they would take other steps to have it

This request was made before, and was refused on recommendation of the city engineer, but the writers stated hat as the city engineer had only been n the city a short time, he did not seen realize the necessity and importance for the drain being built. Filed. the use of the health department. Adopt-

council, informing them that the respondents costs in the appeal of the cases of Lang and Patterson vs. the Municipality of Victoria were £430 1s.

2d., and £355 6s. 4d. Filed.

(Thirty resident and Patterson vs. the station building; while the little ones in the meantime were enjoying themselves reconnoitering the grounds

ance and a menace to public health. They want the city to tell Mr. Alexander to take his cows and go to some other city engineer submitted the fol-

The finance committee submitted the

way fares:
Your finance committee to whom was referred the request of the Trades & Labor Council for the assistance of the corporation in obtaining reduced rates at certain times on the Esquimalt division of the street railway, have pleasure in reporting that the managers of that company have in contemplation and will shortly give effect to a scheme for reduced fares on that line between the hours of 6 to 8 a.m. and from 6 to 7 p.m., and will also modify in the interests of the travelling public some anomalies in the present system of transfers. way fares:

mended the payment of \$86.40 to George Snider for extra work on the new fire hall on Yates street; \$401.99 for at the reservoir, and \$11,915.65 for cur-

rent expenses. The amendment to the fire prevention by-law was read a third time and passed, after which the council ad-

REORGANIZING THE FIFTH.

Strength of the Local Battalion to Be Cut Down, and Marine Engineers to Be Added.

The authorities have under consideration a scheme looking to the reorganoutlined by the Colonist's Vancouver correspondent in Sunday's issue, to change the Second battalion from artillery to infantry, while the First will be cut down to 200 rank and file, 50 of whom shall be submarine engineers.

These latter, it is assumed, will replace

Several of the general committee to the general committee to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees woodsheds and drag his kennel through the confirmation of the sub-committees and Tacoma to arouse enthusiasm in those cities.

After this had subsided, I settled the correct term of the sub-committee to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be held Tuesday evening to receive and confirm the reports of the sub-committees to be a sub-committees.

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for instruction in submarine mining un-der the instruction of the experts attached to the regulars. This plan is now, evidently, about to be carried out, and it will have the effect of placing the local militia closer in touch with those with whom they would have to work is militia closer in touch with those with whom they would have to work in case of mobilization; in fact it is stated that the intention is to have the volunteers directly under the command of the senior

Very Encouraging News Is Received From the Atlin Gold Fields.

Mr. N. P. Shaw, who arrived in the city on Sunday, left Bennett on the 19th instant, and brings out what is prob-Architect A. C. Ewart. who is making plans for the new paint works to be erected by W. J. Pendray, sent a letter to the council requesting them to have the box drain now running through his aid that he expected the Lieutenant-Governor to Atlin, but did not remain there. He said that he expected the Lieutenant-Governor out immediately and under client's property from Humboldt street to the mud flats changed, as the owners stood that he had already started to the property will soon commence the nor makes close connection he can reach Skagway the same day he leaves Atlin. Mr. Bethune said it was the Governor's intention to sail by the Tees, which is due here on Sunday or Monday next.

He might possibly take an carlier boat when he learned of the doings in political circles here. Mr. Shaw was very much impress with the news from Atlin, which he said was of a very gratifying character. Mr. W. M. Botsford of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax was the latest arrival from that camp with whom he had talked, and he was very outspoken in his praise of the district, which he thinks will make a great showing this year, and

next year will equal all expectations. ST. BARNABAS PICNIC.

Pleasant Time Spent at Sidney

Saturday Afternoon Last. The Sunday school children, together with many of their relatives and older members of St. Barnabas church, held Medical Health Officer Fraser recom-mended the purchase of a formaldehyde day last. The day's proceedings comdisinfecting machine, to cost \$30, for menced by the little folks meeting at the church at 9 a.m., when a short service was held by the rector, after which they John Teague asked that a concrete sidewalk be laid down in front of Mr. Neuberger's new building on Johnson street. His request was filed.

H. M. Grahame, agent for Peter Steele, requested that the surface drain on Bridge street be continued to David street. Filed

street. Filed.

J. McCorkall desired the city to build a new sidewalk from the corner of Clark and North Pembroke streets to Sayward avenue. Filed.

The city solicitor sent a letter to the council, informing them that the recommendation of the council informing them that the red., and £355 6s. 4d. Filed. themselves reconnoitering the grounds Thirty residents of North Chatham near at hand. After lunch, when ample street sent in a petition protesting justice had been done to the cakes, pies against the milk ranch owned and conducted by Thomas Alexander in that locality, and added that it was a nuiswhere the races and other amusements were held. An excellent programme of races for boys and girls, and also elder part of the city. The petition was re-ferred to the sanitary inspector.

(1.) Re petition of W. Moore and others, asking for a box drain on Milne street—I have examined same and would recommend same to be constructed and connected with the Stanley street surface drain; estimated cost, \$44.

the ladies and gentlemen who assisted, (6.) J. P. Burgess, re drain at the intersection of Fourth street and Topaz avenue—I have examined said section and can see no nuisance, and therefore could not proporty recommend any action to be taken with the matter at present. station the national anthem was heartily wing report in regard to street rail- sung by the entire party, and three

August 12.

It is thought there will be over 3,000 people in Victoria on August 12, when a reunion of all the secret societies in the Northwest will be held here, and extensive the downship of Informecount Suphur the downs

the visitors.

Chairman Phil Smith of the general committee appointed to make arrangements for the day, received a letter from Vancouver time, dogs trying to hide behind their yesterday, informing him that a majority of the representatives of the societies in that city had held a meeting for the purpose of discussing the advisability of runpose of discussing the advisability of running an excursion to Victoria on Society
Day, and were unanimous in favor of the
But to return to myself, as the savage plan. A committee was appointed to make cheerfully remarked, when his boomer

An excursion will be run from Nanaimo.

Some years ago a return was will be the nature of the programme, and referen

proposition being to form a detachment others.

RIFLE RANGES.

Sir: I was very much surprised to officer at the barracks.

The proposed change looks like a hardship to the officers of the Second, who
only a few years ago spent months qualifying themselves as artillerymen, and in
addition, have been to heavy outlay in
the way of providing uniforms representing between \$200 and \$300 for each,
which now will be practically useless

SIT: I was very much surprised to
read in your account of the rifle meeting
at Nanaimo that that range is the only
one in the province that is safe for over
600 yards, and besides is the property
of the local club, so that to all intents
and purposes the militia of this district
are absolutely without a range. I was
amused some few months ago by an expose made in some letters published in senting between \$200 and \$300 for each, which now will be practically useless. pose made in some letters published in The number of officers in the First will be reduced to eleven, all told.

THE GOVERNOR'S MOVEMENTS.

amused some few months ago by an exposed to be followed in training the volunteers in this part of the world, and it would now seem as though not only are the men not made training the volunteers in this part of the world, and it would now seem as though not only are the men not made acquainted with the working of modern guns, but they are not even afforded a chance to fire their rifies. Such a state of affairs would seem to point to something radically wrong in the administration of the affairs of this district. My idea of training of the militia was that class-firing was a sine qua non, and as to how Col. Peters can pass year after year the inspections of the corps, knowing that not a single shot is fired, beats my comprehension. Numerous rifle matches, in some cases involving and while it may be objected that Clover Point is not a military range, the fact remains that firing, and in some cases are respected, that the city undertake the foundation and erection of the monument, and as there are nonument is intended to be useful as well as ornamental, I would suggest further that it be placed in the city proper, say at the junction of Yates and Douglas streets. If placed in that position, many thousands who never go to the park would admire its beauty and test its usefulness. As you are well aware, there are no public fountains nearer than the north end of Government street. I would also suggest that a trough for dogs be added, as it is pitiable to see how some people allow their dogs to follow the street cars this hot weather. This is also a hint to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. I may here also draw the restriction of the difference of the give university of the more of the edit undertake the foundation and erection of the city undertake the fountains at the from the ranks of Victoria's old-timers—Mr. W. K. Bull having passed peacefully from the ranks of Victoria's old-timers—Mr. W. K. Bull having passed peacefully from the ranks of Victoria's old-timers—Mr. W. K. Bull having passed peacefully from the ranks of Victoria's old-timers—Mr. W. K. Bull having passed peacefully from the ranks of Victoria's old-timers—Mr. W. K. Bull having passed peacefully from Point is not a military range, the fact remains that firing, and in some cases really good scores are made. Besides, supposing that there is some difficulty lecally, what was to have prevented the Vancouver battalion doing their regula-tion training, for I am informed on the very best authority that the district offi-cer commanding actually stopped them from completing their annual class-firing! It is an open secret that Col. Peters has for some time been ambiti secure the control of the affairs of the British Columbia Rifle Association, and had gone so far as to initiate a move ment to do away with the sending of team to represent this province at Ottawa, all with the mistaken idea of encouraging rifle shooting in this province ut if some little attention were paid to teaching recruits even the most ele entary ideas of the use of the weapon with which they are armed, it is quite ossible that it would lead to more satis-

actory results.
While on this subject may I be per itted to ask where the D. O. C. was during the recent military re-union at Vancouver? Many spectators remarked upon the oddity of two battalions marching past the saluting point with the commander of one of the battalions as inspecting officer. It is regrettable in more ways than one that he was not present to compare the two bodies of en, particularly in view of the results of the just-completed annual inspection. It seems to me that the proposed visit of he general officer commanding has aleady been too long postponed.

MARKSMAN.

NIGHT MUSIC IN VICTORIA.

Sir: That the musical souls of Vic torians have been stirred to their depths lately by the strains of operas and band concerts, goes without saying, and great light has been given to the public by the able, though rather antagonistic, criticisms of "Moderato" and the other gentleman (I forget his name—"Immoder ato," I suppose. There is, however, a region of music, hitherto unexplored, which has escaped the scrutiny of these critics, namely, "the night music of Victoria," and I humbly hope that my attempt to bring the matter forward will be received with due indulgence. The other evening, after sitting outside in the garden, drinking in the dulcet strains of the Salvation Army's band, and wonderevents of the sports was the "candy the Salvation Army's band, and wonder-scrambling." This consisted of a well-filled bag of candies being suspended by a string from a long stick, while a blind-folded wear or with a parties of the companiment of the cornets, I retired to rest "nergy are to sleep." (Shake to rest a shake the script and the salvation Army's band, and wondering why the bass instruments always repeat the "air" to the very extempore a string from a long stick, while a blindthe Stanley street surface drain; estimated cost, \$44.

If the person of the condition of slice would make many value and useless attempts at bursting the bag with another stick would make many value and useless attempts at bursting the bag with its contents of the bag with it fanned them back to life with a hair-brush, and after chloroforming the baby o prevent an alarm of fire being sent in, proceeded to collect my scattered oughts. Then my memory recalled to me that the "Tees" ("Tease" would be more correct and "Torture" more sung by the entire party, and three cheers for the Sunday school superintendent and the rectar terminated the proceedings of a very happily spent day.

appropriate), was to sail that night, and I found myself making mental comparisons between the "Tees going out" and the "Devil coming in," the former not the "Devil coming in," the former not Family Pressure Being Brought to Bear

WILL BE A GREAT DAY.

Three Thousand People to Be Here on of the C. P. N. Co. can enjoy security

of investment in a company owning a whistle which could not be offered to a preparations are being made to extertain the township of Inferno-cum-Sulphur, the visitors.

What kind of men must the officials of

plan. A committee was appointed to make arrangements with a steamer to carry people from the Terminal City, and another meeting will be held to receive the report.

Check the compose myself to rest. The next item on the programme, and the compose myself to rest. The next item on the programme, and the compose myself to rest. however, was supplied by two cats—evidently ladies, as they possessed flexible The affair will be under the auspices of the A.O.F., K. of P. and I.O.O.F. lodges of the Coal City, and the proceeds derived therefrom will be donated to the Nanaimo beautiful to the process of the Coal City and the proceeds derived therefrom will be donated to the Nanaimo beautiful to the phratising and the harmony of gard to the phratising and the harmony of No. 11, more particularly the matter of the Fifth regiment. The idea is, as outlined by the Colonist's Vancouver correspondent in Sunday's issue, to change the Second battalian from the best of the Second battalian for the best of the general committee to be held Traceta and the paraging and the harmony of chords in the higher register, which placed the performance within the reach of adverse criticism. This view was apparently shared by a dog who resides in the next yard, for judging by the

and Taconna to along and the submarine engineers.

These latter, it is assumed, will replace the present submarine detachment of the received letters of inquiry from their sister ment between two scavengers, delivered ment between two scavengers and the scale ment between two scavenge R. M. A., who are shortly to return to lodges asking for information as to what lodges asking for information as to what will be the nature of the programme, and replies have been sent in all cases, and asking for large delegations.

Candor with self creates charity to others.

Tom opposite ends of the street, having reference to the whereabouts of a certain for another Tarte left.

The man will soon be ness.

they discovered that they were on the wrong street.
At last I fell asleep, not without first resolving to call the attention of the musical public to the study of night music, the beauties of which have been ignored by specialists. The field is now

ROBERT BURNS' MONUMENT AND OTHER THINGS.

Sir: The committee in charge of the financial part of the Burns monument are making collection of the cash promised towards that object. Not having heard that any sum has been promised by the city fethers is all been promised. by the city fathers in aid of the would suggest as the monument will be-come city property when erected, that the city undertake the foundation and to Animals. I may here also draw the grate from the Mother Country to Australia attention of the city authorities to the need of places of public convenies This to visitors is a question that ought to be seen to at once. The smallest town in Britain is better provided than JAMES A. GRANT. Victoria.

### DOMINION NEWS NOTES.

Special to the Colonist.

Senator Sanford's Estate. Hamilton, July 22.—The late Senator Sanford's estate is left practically to Mrs. Sanford and her two daughters. Provision is made for Mrs. E. Jackson Sanford and her daughter, and legacies are bequeathed to his nephew. Mrs. Sanford, S. F. Losier, Q. C., Joseph Green, and R. T. Riley, of Winnipeg, are executors. Mrs. Sanford and her daughters attended a private funeral daughters attended a private funeral daughters attended a private funeral service in the cemetery chapel yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. G. F. Salton and Prof. R. E. Revell.

American Challenger. Montreal, July 22.-The yacht Con-

Sewanhaka-Corinthia Cup, arrived at Dominion, near Lachine, by rail this morning, and was at once transferred the waters of the St. Lawrence and towed to the headquarters of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club at Dorval. The contests, the best three out of five, commence on Lake St. Louis on Thurs-

Deliberate Suicide. Georgetown, Ont., July 22.—Yesterday the body of J. H. Hall was found near here with a terrible gunshot wound in the head and an empty gun lying across his body. A memorandum book in his pocket contained his name and a number of messages to his mother and extended.

this morning dissolved the interim injunction prohibiting the city from operating a free ferry to the Island. The city may go ahead. The trial to finally

to Secure Position for Senator

Dandurand. Montreal, July 22.—(Special)—It stated in well-informed Liberal circles that the writ for the bye-election in Vercheres-Chambly county, rendered necessary by the death of Hon. Mr. Geoffrion, will be issued as soon as a governnent candidate has been decided upon. Victor Geoffrion, the youngest brother f the late member, will in all proba-

is reported that Senator Dandu rand will be appointed to the Dominion cabinet to succeed the late Mr. Geoffrion. His work in connection with the Usury bill brought him into prominence. Premier Marchand. Strong family inluence is being brought to bear to secure is appointment.

A FALL ELECTION.

Probability That an Appeal Will Be Made to the Electorate Within a Short Time.

a Short Time.

Toronto, July 22.—(Special)—A

"With very great pleasure and satisfac"With very great pleasure and satisfac-

## The Death of William K. Bull

Pioneer of Australia and of Brit ish Columbia Passes to His Long Rest.

For Many Years Tax Collector and Returning Officer

where he passed the years of his early manhood, removing to Victoria some thirty-five years ago on the moving of the goldfever scenes from that part of the world to this. Since that early period in British Columbia's affairs he had remained closely dentified with Victoria and all its affairs.

He had been in business at first at Sydney, N.S.W., as a linen draper and silk me afterwards engaging in the same trade at Melbourne. Retiring from business after some twenty years of commercial activity in

patriotism found vent at the annual gatherings of the St. George's Society and in many communications to the local press, to which he was a frequent and valued contributor on national and religious affairs... His feelings with regard to the land of

his nativity are well expressed in the fol-lowing short extract from a speech delivered at one of the memorable banquets at which the toast of "Old England: Our Native Land" had been assigned to him.

here with a terrible gunshot wound in the head and an empty gun lying across his body. A memorandum book in his pocket contained his name and a number of messages to his mother and other members of his family. The case is evidently one of deliberate suicide. A small stick was found, with which he is supposed to have discharged his gun. There is no reason for the rash act, and an inquest will be unnecessary.

Looking for Constituency.

Halifax, July 22.—It is reported that Hon. Mr. Fielding will be a candidate in Cape Breton at the next general election. There is also talk of his running in Pictou.

Military Tattoo.

Toronto, July 22.—A military tatoo is to be given in Toronto on July 26 and 27. Bands of the Toronto and Hamilato.

Church Destroyed.

Montreal, July 22.—The Roman Cath.

Montreal, July 22.—The Roma

The funeral is arranged to take place to-morrow from the residence of Mr. Jack-son, and will, no doubt, be attended by all of the few remaining landmarks in the

The citizen's ranks.

BROOKLYN CARS RUNNING. New York, July 22.—The street railway men's strike in Brooklyn has ceased o interrupt the business of the lines. The schedules of various surface railand maintained throughout the city and suburbs.

# Can Run a Ferry. Toronto, July 22.—Judge Falconbridge this mouning discolved the interior

Restores an Ont rio Lady to Perfect Health After Years of Failures with Other

NO OTHER REMEDY CAN SO EF-FECTUALLY MEET THE NEEDS OF DEBILIATED, WEAK, AND **NERVOUS WOMEN.** 

One of the grandest and noblest of medi-

Medicines.

cal triumphs ever given to suffering women s Paine's Celery Compound, a medicine is Paine's Celery Compound, a medicine that has saved thousands of daughters, in San Francisco, to be replaced by i-in-law of family inr to secure in the savet throughout through throughout t aess, irregularities, lack of herre total sine will spend several months in connection with her return, it is and stomach troubles, Paine's Celery Comannounced that a thoroughly capable agent for the banishment of disease and the establishment of permanent health.
Mrs. Hopper, of Thornhill, Ont., one of the establishment of permanent health.

Mrs. Hopper, of Thornhill, Ont., one of the many thousands of women who sing the praises of Paine's Celery Compound, as a blessing to women, says:

"Index the management probably of Mr. Fred. Cooper, to present a series of modern and bright bills at Philharmonic hall. The season is expected to last well into the fall or winter months.

With very great pleasure and satisfactory with very great pleasure and s ier government has decided to appeal to the people in the fall, and it is more the people in the fall, and it is more than probable before the roads break up the dissolution of parliament will have been announced. Your correspondent has it on authority that the Ottawa cabinet had fully decided to make a dash for another lease of power before Mr. Tarte left.

The man who climbs without lifting will soon be lost because of his loneliness.

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Taylor-Wilson.—At St. John's church on Thursday evening, Mr. Ephriam Taylor, of the mechanical staff of the Times, and Miss Marguerite May Wilson, late of Ottawa, were joined in matrimony. Rev. Percival Jenns officiated.

Joined in Marriage.—At Christ Church cathedral, on Wednesday last, Rev. Canon Beanlands united in marriage Mr. M. K. Reynolds of Halifax, N. S., and Miss Brenda Nickells, daughter of Captain John Nickells, of Liverpool. The Wedding was a private one

Seasonable Signs.—Some time during the summer months this year numerous small signs bearing the simple but commanding words, "Keep Off the Grass," will be placed conspicuously throughout Beacon Hill park. The green grass in many places is completely worn away by people walking thereon, and it is intended that the paths shall be used for this purpose in the future.

ser-by threw a lighted "coffin-nail" on the dry grass at the south end of the James Bay bridge. The place immediately caught fire, and a still alarm was sent to the fire department. The fire was extinguished by a bucket brigade of small boys, but not until it had passed over considerable ground. over considerable ground.

The Logan Case Continued .- Constancine Andrews, the young man who lodged in the city gaol Thursday night, pendsome twenty years of commercial activity in the colonies under the Southern Cross, he paid a long promised visit to England, and then indulged in a tour that covered years to the islands of the little-known Southern Seas—Tahiti, Huhaine, Kaitea, Mangiu, Karatonga, Altatuki, Manna, Tutiwalla, Unoln Sayai Wallis Island. New Caledonia

cities of New Zealand.
Coming to Victoria, he for a time pursued his original business here, being established on Fort street in the Free Port days. Then he was a specialist at auction bargain sales, and eventually became collector of taxes and returning officer for the city, in which position he was known to all classes of citzens. His duties as returning officer he retained until about four years ago, when forced to resign all active duties by reason of his advancing years.

First, last and all the time the late Mr. Bull was an enthusiastic Englishman—his particitism found year at the annual gather.

feet, which will allow room for the wag-ons to stand. The work of laying down

Loan Art Exhibit.-The exhibit of decorative art and applied design re-ferred to a week ago has now arrived the voyage. of the kind ever brought to the Pacific Coast, the people of Victoria will no doubt be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity of seeing a very attractive and instructive display of particularly valuable and beautiful designs. They range from the tiniest book plate to pictures several feet across, and include designs for a great variety of purposesceramics, stained-glass windows, astical appurtenances, such as chalice veils, the bishop's chair, memorial tablets, church hangings, wall papers, to-gether with chair backs, plaques, embroideries, silks, friezes, sofa pillows, curtains, rugs, wrought iron gates, electric street car and seriously injured. Hon. J. D. Cameron, attorney-general, overs. There are about 90 of these designs, and each one is a subject for careful study. All are of rare beauty, whether gorgeous and splendid in color effect or more delicate in hue. This exhibition will be open to the public every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday day. July 27, from 3 to 6 p. m.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Chicago, July 22.-Fire broke out in the five-storey building at the northeast the corner of Wabash avenue and Monroe street, occupied by Carroll & Baneaster, couver. carpet dealers, at 1 o'clock to-day, and for a time threatened to consume the block. The loss is \$180,000, covered by insurance.

Returning to Victoria.-As the comic grand, Miss Georgie Cooper is planning for an early return to this city, whe she will spend several months at least. comedy company will be under the management probably

Lighthouse.

Four Transports Chartered to Take Horses and Troops to Manila.

Now that traffic is increasing to points en the West Coast, the necessity for its improved lighting is becoming more Funeral To-day.-The funeral of the urgent. At present there are no light-Funeral To-day.—The funeral of the late Dixi H. Ross will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence, Hillside avenue, and from St. Andrews' Presbyterian Church. Out of respect for the deceased, all the grocers of the city will have their blinds drawn during the funeral. Mr. E. C. Neufelder, a late business partner of Mr. Ross', came over from the Sound last evening to attend the obsequies.

The Dangerous Cigarette.—Another crime was added to the long list of the deadly cigarette yesterday, when a passer-by threw a lighted "coffin-nail" on the dry grass at the south end of the

> FOUR TRANSPORTS CHARTERED Athenian All Engaged to Go to

the Philippines. News comes from Washington that the steamers Garonne and Port Albert Upolu, Savai, Wallis Island, New Caledonia and subsequently the Solomon, Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, Nelson and other day.

Upolu, Savai, Wallis Island, New Caledonia case, which was to come up again yesterday, was continued till next Tues—have been chartered by the United day. -the latter a big tramp steamer now States government for the transport service to Manila, making the fourth vessel of Victoria connection engaged for the purpose within the past few weeks. The Northern Pacific liner Victoria and the D. P. R. special liner Athenian are the ther vessels. The Garonne is Tacoma. She will cross to the British side, coal, and return to Seattle to load horses and supplies the troops in the Philippines shipped from Seattle. The immediate order involves the shipping of horses for eight troops of the third cavalry, together with the subsistence supplies necessary for them en voyage. Some of the Fort Street Improvement.—The difficulty in connection with laying the ficulty in connection with laying the new car track on Fort street complained of by merchants doing business on that thoroughfare has been overcome by City Engineer Topp, and the distance between the street car track and the side walk has been changed from 6 to 9 twelves the street car track and the side walk has been changed from 6 to 9 feet, which will allow room for the wagons to stand. The work of laying down the track will commence next week, and will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible, but Mr. Topp does not think that it can be done in less than seven weeks.

Will Be Repeated — With the completion of the ways later. On August 20 either the Victoria or the Port Albert will sail, and the other of these two will in turn follow five days later.

the science of which he is an exponent. another excursion has been planned by A thoroughly interesting programme has been prepared and will be duly advertised.

another excursion has been planned by the Presbyterian synod of Washington, and the steamer City of Seattle is the vessel that is to corry it. vessel that is to carry it. It will leave Seattle for the North on August 3, and its success is already assured from the

the voyage. THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.

Industrious Porter Relieves the Travelling Pressmen of Their Purses. Winnipeg, July 22.-(Special)-The National Editorial excursion party left

here to-night for Minneapolis. They were royally entertained here by the city council and pressmen.

To-day was the hottest day on record this summer. The thermometer registered 96 degrees in the shade at noon.

This afternoon a laborer named Fred Bulling of Tyndall was struck by an for two weeks, commencing with Thurs-excursion, was arrested to-day, charged day, July 27, from 3 to 6 p.m. excursion, was arrested to-day, charged with the theft of \$200 from one of the excursionists, Mr. Guy Owens. It is be-lieved that he has stolen from other members of the party amounts aggregat-ing \$1,000. He will likely be taken to Coast for trial, as the money

LEAVE TO APPEAL

Privy Council, Will Hear Defendant's Appeal in Hobbs vs. E. & N.

Railway. London, July 22.-Privy Council has granted special leave to appeal against the decision of the Supreme Court of Canada in Hobbs vs. Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company. The Privy Council has refused to allow the Great Northern Transit Company to appeal against the decision in favor of the in-surance companies in the case of the burning of the steamship Baltic at Collingwood

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1899.

THE LATE LOAN.

stock narrowly escaped being a failure. when the tenders were opened required amount by £30,450, the total applied for being only £309,550, as against £340,000, the sum for which subscriptions were asked. Somebody, howthe tenders were opened immediately put in an application for £40,000 at the minimum price of £96, and thus saved cess of the required amount. The regovernment of British Columbia because of the low price at which the tenders were put in, the highest being £98 10s.

that is by the people who were under an a business man's policy. There may loan. The Colonist has not been dis- ford to be made the arena in which poliposed to take a critical attitude in re- ticians will scramble for office, but it is spect to this loan, being anxious to say yet in the very distant future, and the nothing that by any construction could more distant that future is, the better advice the whole government must at he understood as a reflection upon the for us all. It is a melancholy comment financial standing of the province; but upon the condition of what is called pubthe people ought to know that so high lic life here that a government caucus is Mr. Semlin left out. an authority as the Financier regards to be held to settle an unseemly squab-Mr. Cotton's first essay in finance as ble, while some of the principal indus disappointing, and as having been only tries of the province are suffering from saved from being a flat failure by the the errors of the government. promptness of the underwriters.

### VERY LIKE A CRISIS.

are the principal factors:

General to resign.

General (a) neglects his duties; (b) be- from the Anglo-Saxon Review: trays cabinet secrets; (c) publicly mis-The Attorney-General denies the sev-

eral charges and alleges:

support of a majority of the house; (b) That the Premier is an utter failure in office, and has been removed from one

ster have been engaged in a political

have not been made behind closed doors. but have been given all the publicity atanywhere else in the world be regarded as proof positive of a crisis, namely; The government party has been con-

wened in extra-sessional caucus. Will the Columbian kindly let us know what in its opinion would constitute a ministerial crisis, if these things do not? Perhaps our contemporary would regard nothing as a crisis which fell short of armed revolution. If, for example, Mr. task. Martin should lie in wait for Mr. Cotton on James Bay bridge and assail him with dynamite bombs, or Mr. Semlin crisis had arisen, but we should not have suspected that a newspaper printed within full sight of the placid Fraser would insist on conditions of this nature to meet its ideas of a crisis. To most people of ordinary notions a tolerably fair sort of crisis is presented, when a minister defies the Premier, and the party is called together to decide between them.

### THE PACIFIC CABLE.

The government and the opposition seem to be thoroughly in accord in regard to the Pacific cable project, which now is certain to be an accomplished fact in a short time. It is a splendid enquestionably, both by constitutional preterprise, from an impersonal point of view. We join in the congratulations ish Columbia, the Lieutenant-Governor from both sides of the house upon the has the right to require any member of Whether this is anything more than an completion of negetiations and the set- the government to resign, but as he cantlement of the project upon an equitable not constitutionally act except through basis. Canada's share of the cost is to his advisers, it follows that such a disbe the same as that of Great Britain, missal, if not satisfactory to the premnamely, five-eighteenths, the remainder ier, would result immediately in the resbeing borne by the Australian colonies. ignation of the latter and the calling in The new cable will be an improtant step of a first minister to take the responsitowards the consolidation of British pow- bility. For the theory of constitutions er upon the Pacific ocean, and it will tie government is that there must always the remotest parts of the Empire to- be some minister prepared to state and gether by a line, every part of which justify to parliament the reasons for will be upon British soil or under the any act of prerogative. ocean upon which Britain is supreme. The commercial effects of the enterprise What would happen if Mr. Semlir will be excellent, greater we believe, than should resign? The Constitution Act

taken towards the development of the quences. We must have recourse to the history of the world.

BRITISH COLUMBIA IN LONDON. from being enacted Every day evidence multiplies to show

doubtedly put in by the underwriters- by the province of British Columbia is dents established in Great Britain and agreement with the province to float the come a time when the province can af-

WHAT IS A PREMIER?

When Attorney-General Martin de-The Columbian is inclined to be very clared that there was no such thing in and has handled several subjects with they have good reason for it. merry because the Colonist speaks of this country as the office of premier, a great deal of tact and ability. His the present political situation as a crisis. some people thought he had made a new speech on immigration was a very able A crisis is defined by the dictionaries to discovery. Others rushed to the other effort, and although he received rather be "a point at which a change must extreme and proceeded to invest the pocome either for the better or worse." sition with arbitrary and exclusive pow-The definition suits the present situation ers. But Mr. Martin propounded noth- First Minister felt bound to express himas well as if it had been made for it, although we frankly concede some diffiliamentary recognition, but no legal standard out by Col. Prior. He dealt with culty in seeing in what way the change tus, except sufficient to enable its incan be for the worse. One of the things cumbent to draw a little more salary his remarks are likely to receive a great to which the expression may be applied, than other ministers. The word premier deal of consideration, not only in Cantry. Hence the expression, " a minis- Act, nor is there anything synonymous for imperial reasons we must be pre-What are the elements with it. Like ministerial responsibility, pared to treat the Japanese differently which make up what we regard as a the premiership is the product of preministerial crisis in this province? Here cedents. What a premier is depends a great deal upon the man himself. The The Premier calls on the AttorneyThe Premier calls on the AttorneyJapanese immigration will be only less
objectionable than that of Chinese. His
objectionable than that of Chinese. His
views are not extreme. He acknowledges The Attorney-General refuses to re- exclusive responsibility. Lord Salisbury that at present British Columbia would The Premier says that the Attorney- Lord Roseberry in the following extract without Chinese labor, but he thinks

What is a prime minister? That is a question which it would require a pamisson, the province. But the object of this reference is not to apply the Col. Prior's views, but phlet to answer, but in a few sentences it may be possible to remove a few hal-(a) That the Premier never had the to the British mind. To the ordinary the session, and to congratulate Victoria duration of whose power finds its only limit in the House of Commons. So liament. Col. Prior has secured for portfolio to another because of incapaeity:

long as he can weather that storman and deceptive ocean, he is elsewhere suany circumstances from the Conservalong as he can weather that stormful himself certain future recognition under (c) That the Premier and Finance Min- The prime minister, as he is now called, tive party. is technically and practically the chairian of an executive committee of the

olot against him;
(d) That the Finance Minister has deliberately falsified the records of the man of an executive jury. His power is mainly personal, the power of individual influence. That influence, whatever it These charges and counter-charges may be, he has to exert in many direct te has to deal with-he has to masticate armis, the Columbian would think a for these various records must be reconasignificant, is a storm signal.

is he who is held directly and primarily deed. responsible for misfeasance on the part of any member of the ministry. Uncedent and the Constitution Act of Brit-

The question is sometimes asked can be very well prognosticated now. A does not say that the resignation of a new and very important step has been minister carries with it any conse-

ommerce of the Pacific ocean, and the constitutional precedent to answer this Grant's letter are worthy of serious full development of that commerce question. It has long been settled that sideration by the city council. means the inauguration of a new era in the resignation of a premier carries with it the resignation of the whole cabinet. Mr. Semlin is now provincial secretary. He might resign this position and accept The Colonist has been shown a letter the post of president of the council, The government has been pluming it- from the secretary of a British Colum- which is an unsalaried position, yet he self very much upon what is called the bia mining company, written from Lon- would remain premier, and the tenure of Cotton of being on a still hunt for success of the last provincial loan, but don to one of the stockholders here. In office by his cabinet would not thereby constituency, because "in Vancouver they have taken care not to let the public know that it narrowly escaped being British Columbia mining stocks, and should call upon some one outside of the a failure. The Financier of July 11 says that owing to recent legislation and house to form a government, and that to the bad reputation of the present ad- person should undertake to do so, he ministration everything relating to this would not be obliged to accept any of province is "looked at askance." This is the salaried offices to which the Constivery unfortunate, especially because it tution Act authorizes the Lieutenant-Governor's return. Everyhappens just when British Columbia as Governor to appoint. He might remain thing depends on how he views the a field for investment was rapidly com- premier without office. The Lieutenant- crisis. ing into favor. We are sorry to have Governor appoints the provincial secremebody, how- to say this, because it is the interest tary, the finance minister, and all the ever, who was present in the room when and policy of this paper to take an op- other ministers who hold portfolios, but timistic tone in regard to matters of this he exercises this power on the advice kind. But the truth ought to be told, of the minister whom he calls upon to cess is easily the most popular woman in do work of the same kind here. the situation, the total being thus even though it is unpleasant. The soon-brought up to £349,550, or £0,550 in exercise this being wrought by demagogic legislation, power of appointment only through some the sooner they will take steps to get responsible minister. Hence the office of be the more so to the agents of the rid of what has been enacted in this premier in British Columbia is outside province, and prevent any more of it of the Constitution Act entirely, and for the rules applicable to it, for the powers vested in it and the responsibilities at-The bid which saved the loan was un- that the only true policy to be pursued taching to it, we must seek the prece-

COLONEL PRIOR, M. P.

these precedents, the Lieutenant-Gov-

his way clear to accept that gentleman's

once go out of office. There can be no

If asked what member of the opposi tion has advanced the most in a parlia mentary sense during the present ses sion, we should unhesitatingly award the honor to Col. Prior, of Victoria. He has taken a foremost part in the debates bringing the matter up when he did, the to disguise his opinion that unrestricted find it exceedingly difficult to get along there is abundant of it now in the prov-

Our latest advices are that the prospoint of view, are proving to be as good tion. as was anticipated, and that from pres He ent indications it will take seven figures tions before he can have his way. He ent indications it will take seven figures has to deal with the Sovereign, with the tainable by means of the press Upon the top of them all comes what would tainable by means of the press Upon the top of them all comes what would tainable by means of the press Upon the top of them all comes what would their various kinds and degrees. To the popular eye, however, heedless of these there was a misunderstanding as to restrictions, he represents universal power; he is spoken of as if he had ince. When this was settled, a good tions are associated in the discussion of questions. only to lay down his views of policy and adhere to them. That is very far from the case. A first minister has only the influence with the cabinet which is givwhich confusion ultimately resulted. en him by his personal arguments, his Then the Alien Exclusion law came in personal qualities, and his personal weight. But this is not all; all his colleagues he must convince, some he may have to cajole—a harassing, laborious task. Nor is it only his colleagues that he has to deal with—he has to meeticate. he has to deal with—he has to masticate their pledges, given before they joined him, he has to blend their public utter- and the refusal of the government to isshould eject Mr. Martin from office vi et this into the policy of the government; ers' certificates to corporations intending to engage in placer mining. Any disciled, or glossed, or obliterated. A mathematical many dischinery liable to so many grains of sand trict, but one in which people had great equires obviously all the skill and vigi- confidence, would have been completely lance of the best conceivable engineer.

And yet, without the external support of killed by such a series of unfavorable is cabinet, he is disarmed. The resig- events, but Atlin is coming through i nation of a colleague, however relatively all right, and is demonstrating its right to be regarded as one of the most prom-This ought to be of considerable inter- ising mining districts on the continent. est to the government supporters who This is a matter for profound satisfact meet in this city in extra-sessional cau- tion. The proximity of the district t cus to-morrow. At the same time, the the sea and the favorable climate would definition is not exhaustive. It is to the secure its development, if it were only premier that the crown or its represent- moderately rich in gold; but it seems ative looks primarily for advice, and it likely to be shown to be very rich in-

A messenger boys' strike is a novelty; out then this is an age of new things.

It is reported that Japan and China old story revived remains to be proved.

We hardly see the force of the refer ence in the Times to Col Prior and the Darcey Island lepers. Surely, it would be well to remove the unfortunate people to Tracadie, if possible, The best proof possible that the con-

dition of the United States forces in

Manila is serious is the strict censorship exercised over the despatches sent out by newspaper correspondents. If Kruger has resigned, the solution of the Transvaal difficulty will be greatly simplified. The courageous old Boer a hard man to convince, and the

The suggestions in Mr. James A.

Every place visited by the National Editorial Association of the United States made an effort to entertain them,

The air is full of political rumors, but there can be no definite conclusion reached on any point until after the

The Princess of Wales went to the

in this respect. The Globe doubts the story of a car-

elsewhere in the Empire. According to press people having that much money?" ernor, on his return, will deal directly Perhaps they figured up the value of with Mr. Semlin, and if he does not see their railway passes.

Kipling has twenty-three suits on Latching-up of the government, with his works without his permission. Most writers are not troubled in this way. Their difficulty is to get their works printed on any terms.

anxiety among the Southern whites. The latter are very easily alarmed at anything the former may do, but perhaps possible to those who read them." He

new under the sun, but this is just what has taken place in New York, where the garment makers want to work 59 hours week instead of 50, as at present. In their case the more work the more pay.

The St. James' Gazette thinks our regard to international matters. Peraccording to the dictionaries, is a minisis not to be found in the Constitution ada, but elsewhere. He recognizes that of view; but they are small sinners in comparison with the public men of the United States.

> Mormonism is said to be spreading at a remarkable rate. It has a foothold in Colorado, Idaho and Arizona, and is making wonderful progress in Mexico. As a rule, the Mormans are said to make excellent citizens, polygamy not reckoned in.

> General Anderson, U. S. A., says the greatest statesman in the United States should be sent to the Philippines as gov ernor-general. At present the opportun ity for a governor-general to exercise statesmanship in those islands are de

The practice, which the Georgia white people have, of chopping negroes to pieces after having hanged them, and carrying the scraps home in their pockets, is worse than cannibalism. A mis sionary society for the conversion of pects of Atlin, from the gold miners' Georgia would be a useful organiza-

> If it would not be considered as breach of that international courtesy, which we are all so desirous to encourage just now, we would feel disposed to remark that the Seattle Post-Intelligencer has a positive genius for making tions appertaining to Canada.

> "Excrescendo" will find many sympathizing reader. He was extremely lucky in only having the melancholy wail of the Tees to disturb his rest. There are nights when the tortured air is mangled by three or four steamers with sirens loud enough and horrible enough to frighten the dead.

> Very many strikes are reported from the North, and it is now established beyond all reasonable chance of disappointment that the Yukon valley in British Columbia, the Northwest Territories and Alaska will be a great and permanent producer of wealth. Under these circumstances it would seem to be wise policy for the people of Victoria to lay their plans for the future accordingly.

The number of murders committed in Seattle during the last ten years is more than the good people of that city care to count. As yet, not a murderer has been hanged, since the citizens on a certain memorable occasion executed summary justice on three of them. There appears to be a prospect of a hanging at last. In 1892 a man named Nordstron killed a boy. There was never a ghost of a doubt about his guilt but his case has been in the courts ever since. The very latest judgment is that he must be pressed equal to new.

hanged. It is reported that Japan and Russia are likely to come into collision in Korea. Many people have long looked for this for such a conflict seemed inevitable If the two nations must fight, the pres ent is the best time for Japan, becaus ent is the best time for Japan, because if she waits until the Siberian railway is finished, she will be terribly overmatched. The Japanese are not so eager for war as they were after the defeat of China, but if they conclude that they must fight sooner or later, they will probably do so on the first provocation provided their new warships are ready

character, is promptly contradicted.

The latest advices from Bennett, as given elsewhere in to-day's paper, say that Lieutenant-Governor McInnes was expected out immediately from Atlinand that unless he changed his plans he would be down on the Tees, due here on Sunday or Monday next. He may, owing to the mixed political situation. take an earlier boat.

will give Vancouver a second harbor.

The Times has heard about an Eastern The Province says that Mr. Bostock railway ticket agent, who tells people has no intention of representing Van- that Victoria is a place where there is couver, either at Victoria or Ottawa. nothing else but stumps in the streets We suppose, as between Mr. Bostock where a bicycle cannot be used, and the and Vancouver, honors are about even people are mostly Indians. Our contemporary grows very indignant over the matter. This is a mistake. The poor fellow, whoever he may be, probably load of newspaper men being robbed of found his way to the Songhees reserve \$2,000, and asks: "Who ever heard of and went away thinking that was the and went away thinking that was the

Colonist readers, who for years have perused the frequent letters signed W. K. B., will hear with regret that the hand, to stop publishers from printing writer of them has gone to his long rest. An old newspaperman, he loved the work to the very last. It was only a short time ago that as he handed in one of his letters he said, speaking with The Voodoo worshippers among the great difficulty: "This may be my last, Southern negroes are creating much for I feel the end is very near; but if I am spared to write a few more letters, I will try to make them as helpful as kept his promise faithfully.

The Cumberland News takes a novel and interesting view of the difficulties in the cabinet. It says that if some people are given rope enough, they will hang themselves. "No one knew how far he surpassed in brain power Messrs. Cotton and Semlin than Mr. Martin himself," says the News; and it is because public men use over strong language in he presumed upon this superiority that he has got himself into trouble. Mr. haps they do from the Old World point Martin, our contemporary thinks, has proved himself a failure. His legislation is ill-advised, and his conduct in office arbitrary.

MARRIED.

TAYLOR-WILSON-On July 18, at St.
John's church, by Rew. Percival Jenns,
Ephriam Taylor, to Marguerite May Wilson, both of this city.

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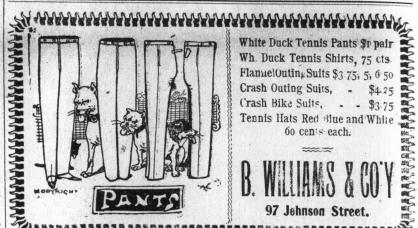
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# about the Alaskan boundary. As we said the other day, every Washington despatch on this subject, of a belligerent character, is promptly contradicted.

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Will Onim Chalebois, of Montreal district, who was last heard of on Fraser river, please write to Frank Chalebois, care Oriental hotel, Victoria, B. C., who is anxious to hear from him.

LICENSE AUTHORIZING AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY TO CARRY NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Miles Canon and White Horse Tramway Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Hunter & Oliver, at No. 21 Bastio street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Monday, the 21st day of August, A.D. 1899, at 11 a.m.

Business: Appointment of directors Business: Appointment of directors, allot ment of shares and the business of the

ral. By order, E. G. TILTON. GEORGE SHAW.

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### Late Advice From

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he will have the line October. He also comes with sible instructions to pro-ings, government whar into the matter of reacting under his instru ler will prepare plans office, court house, gold office, and others of a p is also understood that now given regarding will be followed by mor an early date, so as t ecommenced this fall.

On the way down t Charleson's orders, Marking dam constructed a ing, which gave 12 in over the difficult spot. Preparations are bein workmen on Thirty-Mile blast out the obstructions when the depth of wate work practicable.
Mr. Charleson purcha stern-wheel steamer Str

the Yukon in connection works and telegraph cons BIG SALMON DIG Jerry Galvin Confirms

the Richness of Kette Jerry Galvin, who was

mon country, recently son. He says upon his new diggings some week seven men at work slui creek about four miles 150 to 200 feet wide. called Ketteba creek a of the South Fork. d been appointed, a vin left the entire gulch and as he came out he 40 people pushing in. vises people contemplati-tion of the new strike than 30 days' provisions they will have to prospe if they expect to locate. The bedrock on Kette reached at about four fee of \$80 per day to the m taken out. The gold is one piece weighing \$24 The discovery party were i last summer, and indicatio at that time brought the March of this year.
This particular locality

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### Late Advices From Dawson

Several Small Fires at Klondike During the First Week of July.

Public Works Ordered by the Canadian Government for Yukon.

Mail advices from Dawson up to July 11 were received by the Alpha. Friday was a day of fires in Dawson says the Sun. A hard wind blowing up the river and a spark under the eaves of Smith & Hobbs' two-storey building. used as a carpenter shop and storehouse for lumber, threatened to destroy goodly portion of the town at about 8:30 o'clock in the morning. The heavy wind drove the fire up the roof under the lumber covering, and had gained quite a headway when discovered. A bucket brigade and a small stream of water

two dogs, which were tied back of the building, and he only escaped with a part of his clothing, as the cabin was full of smoke and burning when he awoke. The dogs perished in the flames. J. Norris, Charles Becker and Oscar Hansen, were among the losers. The fire burned around some thirty or forth cabing which were saved by thor. forty cabins, which were saved by thor-oughly wetting the moss chinking and in some few cases back-firing was done.
Some time after noon the fire bell rang an alarm, the cause being a small

guished with but little trouble or dam-Two arrests were made for setting the fire on the hill, and the police are confindent that one of the arrested parties are guilty, but the only witness to show a disposition to shield the guilty

blaze in a cabin back of the Yukon saw

ufficient to put it out. And the last

YUKON PUBLIC WORKS.

Telegraph Line Will Be in Dawson

Bennett will be \$2.15 for the second He also comes with the widest possible instructions to provide public buildings, government wharves, and to inquire ler will prepare plans for a new post

and the fare was cut to \$10 to White Horse and \$65 to Seattle, second-class. This cut was taken advantage of by many, and both the Bonanza King and the Victorian left loaded down with passengers. Indications have for some time pointed to a live rate war on the upper river route, and the present cut was not a surprise to those who have been watching develop-

yesterday became the property of the association. At 3 o'clock a representa-tive gathering was assembled, and Mrs. faylor brothers also lost a cabin and faylor gathering was assembled, and faylor gathering was assembled, and faylor gathering was assembled, and faylor brothers also lost a cabin and faylor gathering was assembled, and faylor brothers also lost a cabin and faylor brothers also lost a cabin, and faylor brothers also lost a cabin and faylor brothers also lost a cabin, and faylor brothers also lost a cabin a and was awakened by the cries of his that one rule be made in its use—that two dogs, which were tied back of the

> generosity she had shown.
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> The rich tones of the instrument were then displayed in a duet by Mrs. Gilbert and Miss Gill, and an excellent pro-gramme of music was carried out during

the afternoon and evening. The best thanks of the committee are A few buckets of water were The best thanks of the committee also given to all those who so kindly gave their assistance. The committee also desire to return thanks to the ladies and desire to return thanks to the ladies and wines Company, Limited. The property was contributed towards blaze of the day was a small one down towards the toll-bridge. It was extingentlemen who have contributed towards the paying of the debt originally incurred in furnishing the present house. This assistance will go far towards encouraging and increasing the excellent sent and send it down. The brick was duly sent and nurround the better was instructed to crush out a brick and send it down. The brick was duly sent and nurround to be the result of work carried on there, and will strengthen the hands of the indefatigable lady superintendent. The following are among those who have contributed: Mesdames Crow Baker, Bryden, Bostock, Herschel-Cohen, Dunsmuir, James Dunsmuir, Flumerfelt, Gillespie, Galletly, Grant, Hasell, Irving, Loewen, Martin, Peters, Rocke Robertson, Down Early in October.

Mr. J. B. Charleson, superintendent of the new government telegraph line from Bennett to Dawson, is in town, says the Sun. He is accompanied by Messrs. Tache, government engineer, and Fuller, government architect, who have work ahead of them in the Yukon. All these gentlemen are connected with the department of public works. By Mr.

Early in October.

Martin, Peters, Rocke Robertson, Perrurier; the Misses Carr and Leitch (collectors); Messrs. Campbell, Clayton, Dupont, Elford, Fell, Hamley, Hibben, Mess, Norris, Rithet, Spencer, Sayward, Sehl, Spratt, Todd, Taylor, R. Ward, Weiler, A. Wilson and the Hudson's Bay Company. It is only right to add that the largest part of the collection has been made by Mrs. Pemberton, to whose zeal and energy the association charleson's last report, the wire had been strung half way down the Thirty-mile river, and no doubt by this time is nearly completed to Hootalinqua. Mr. Charleson says they will use both the ordinary telegraph instruments and the long-distance telephone instruments and the wire. The rate from Dawson to Bennett will be \$2.75 for messages of en words. Mr. Charleson believes that

# Now a Favorite

o'clock in the morning. The heavy wind o'clock in the morning. The heavy wind drove the fire up the roof under the lumber covering, and had gained quite a headway when discovered. A bucket brigade and a small stream of water from the Large and a small stream of water from the Large fire engine was turned on.

About noon a small fire was noticed on the sidehill above the A. C. ware-houses, which in a few minutes was running like a racehorse up and over the hill. Some twenty cabins were destroyed, almong the losers being J. Barr and George H. Crosby, who had just come in from Hunker. They lost their and ceream soda vendors being almost come in from Hunker. They lost their cabin, with its entire contents. William Bonnes and James Clery were also loss and James Clery were also losses and losses there of the washing drinks. They lost their cabin, with its entire contents. Ed, Morrison came in for about the same loss.

The large meeting room had been gaily elevance to make up a live mining camp. It is said the S00 acres comprising the mining camp. It is said the S00 acres comprising the mining camp. It is said the solution and one of the washing and contents. With the remark, "Well, the jig's up," being Thomson.

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Atmstrong was standing on a table the set wishes for success from all the detective, was the detective, was the detective, who were a pair of new plants the was not and sone standing up a lamp, when he turned the detective, with the sample buying freely in the open market for some time, rounding off his purchases on Friday by buying in one block 97,000 shares for \$10,000. Mr. Treat informed the Colonic the Colonist correspondent that in the the Colonist correspondent that it would not be long before the Van Anda would be turning out \$1,000 a day, which would be quite an item for Vancouver and Victoria. Mr. Treat has great faith in the Contraction in the Coast mines, and believes that the Coast cities are not over-building, but

that when capital realizes the mineral possibilities of the Coast, the cities will add many thousands to their present population. ent was instructed to crush out a brick and send it down. The brick was duly sent, and purported to be the result of the milling of so many tons of ore, which The company then sent up one of their directors to watch the process. The director returned with another gold brick valued at something like \$500 and indicating exactly the same results. This gentleman stated to the Colonist correspondent that average ore only was taken, and the ore ran \$13 without concentrates. The work on the property centrates. The work on the property consists of two shafts—one 110 and the other 80 feet-and a tunnel of 80 feet on the side hill, which struck the vein at 20 The company believe that they have three-quarters of a million dollars

of the matter of roads and trails, the matter of under his instructions, Mr. Fulwill prepare plans for a new post will ler will prepare plans for a new post of the city.

THE B. C. LONDON AGENCY.

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From the Rossland Miner.

The niggardly policy displayed by the province of British Columbia toward the awing dame constructed at Caribbo Corossing, which gave 12 inches more water over the difficult spot.

Preparations are being made to house when on Thirty-Mile river, who will be at early the depth of water renders the work practicable.

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### Chicago Jury-briber Returns Thence Stand Trial for His Misdeeds.

Port Angeles, July 24.-William Arm-

Strong C. C., a circles, or Successor.

In the announced that he had come to Forty Algales to river at the properties.

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strengthen the faith of the public. Mr. Treat, as is well known, purchased the interests of the Blewetts at something like three cents a share, and has been buying freely in the open marks for the public of the p

HOTEL CORRIDORS tematic tampering with justice.

CARIBOO.

Indications have for some time pointed to a live rate war on the upper river oute, and the present cut was not a surprise to those who have been watching develop. While the Harper street ditch was being a bar of beans was found a short distance below the surface of the ground. They had been there for some time, and Mr. Oglivie thinks they were cached there by Carmac or some of the ploneers before Dawson was on the length of the street of their confinement of their confinement of their confinement of their confinement of the string of the stri Nelson is about to lose one of its best

him having been lost or destroyed during the years of his confinement.

After his acquittal he returned to Chicago and opened up his famous saloon on Clark street. This saloon, by reason of its location, has for years been the headquarters of the employees of the City hall and the Cook county court house. Coughlin had a large following in politics and it is now believed that he used this influence and his knowledge of curt house affairs to engage in the systematic tampering with justice.

The main building, for gas manufacture of water, the standard control of will be sufficient in which to complete the entire works, on which \$100,000 will be expended. The plans for the buildings and works, together with the diagram of the pipe lines, are completed and may be seen in the temporary office of Resident Engineer Morris, with J. Keith Reid. The main building, for gas manufacture of 1,000 feet, has penetrated the mountain a distance of 500 feet. The conditions look favorable. The formation now encountered is lime and green talc, while the outbuildings for workshops, which gives assays of \$0 cents gold in the long and one of the standard control of the standard lime, brick-clay and lumber.

Great interest is being taken in the progress of the development work on R. A. Brown's famous claim on Volcanie more famous reduced to the small sum of \$70, which it is hoped may be cleared off before another month has gone. A work in debt is always viewed with suspicion, and it is now hoped that the Y. W. C. A. has turned the corner and will now be enabled to develop its sphere of usefulness among the women. Hexter, Pendleton, Ore: Miss Edith and the state of the small sum of \$70, which it is hoped may be cleared off before another month has gone.

It was several months ago in the big damage suit of Thomas Carbine vs. The Illinois Central Railroad Company that evidence of Coughlin's alleged corrupting influence was first discovered. One of the jurors in that case, John F. Taylor, laid before Judge Tuthill, of the late output by while the outputing influence was first discovered. One of the jurors in that case, John F. Taylor, laid before Judge Tuthill, of the will be used in the works. In addition will be used in the works. In addition to the property of the court by the co

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PROVINCIAL NEWS dict of suicide by strangulation whilst The Tennis

GRAND FORKS Grand Forks, July 21.—Manager William White and Land Commissioner L. A. Hamilton, of the C. P. R., are expected here in a few days. They will make a tour of inspection over the line as far as Midway. The rails are now laid to a point 20 miles east of Grand Forks.

Tournament.

Some Exciting Games at the Belcher Street Courts

There has been a great influx of vis-There has been a great influx of visitors, especially from the east, within the last week. The latest arrivals include Wm. Farrell, general manager of the Eastern Township Bank, and H. B. Brown, Q. C., a director, of Sherbrooke, Que. They were accompanied by A. S. McCaw, who will be the accountant in the agency of the bank recently established. in the agency of the bank recently estab-lished here.

which gives assays of S0 cents gold per ton. Mr. Brown has offered a substantial reward to the miner who first strikes ore. A townsite has just been laid out at the foot of Volcanic mountain.

The provincial government has made.

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A gang of men has started to work on the Sunset and the Peter Mascott properties on Hardy mountain four miles form this city. The claims are owned by John Keough, a local mining operator.

ator.

As a result of the recent combine Kootenay Rifles was put in on the Caledonian grounds. Prompt at 7:30 Capt. Vicers lined up some 25 raw recruits and put them through half an hour's drill. Then he appointed Police Officer Gladwin to take charge of half the division, and put them through their facings. M. Simpson's saw mill near this city. The season's output will be ackanage of a foggy night to escape through the window of the same through their facings. M. Simpson's saw mill near this city. The season's output will be required in the construction of the required in the construction of the required in the construction of the reduction works.

John Coryell, C. E., brings news from Deadwood camp of a recent strike on the group of claims owned by the sawmil not consider it he decision of the authorities, which he knew would in all probability be a negative one. He took advantage of a foggy night to escape through the window of the bopital, and has not been heard of since.

It is assumed that he accessed the Dutch frontier, but instructions have been sent to officials all along the route to watch for them.

THE "SUNDOWNER."

Yesterday.

The provincial government has made a large appropriation for increased school accommodation here. Several additions to the teaching staff remedy a deficiency that existed prior to the holidays.

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# Yukon Mails

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Ottawa, July 18.—Fairly
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has given a point blank refusal to a deputation of Liberal members which waited upon him to-day to ask for an extra indemnity. They wanted \$500 extra, and would have been content with \$250, but the Prime Minister said no. As by August 5 members will have darge of copies of all the difficult to keep some of them in Ottawa, so that there is a possibility remore description might be accepted. Sometimes, however, this will soon be determiner, as Mr. Oliver this will soon be determiner, as Mr. Oliver this will soon be determiner, as Mr. Oliver the sum of the same and drift both ways. The C.P.R. has already surveyed as pur to the dump. The advent of the railway will see the installation of a 10-drill compressor and a holst sufficient to sink to a depth of 500 should have charge of copies of all the mans and charts, have a good know-

of the month.

There is plenty of business yet to be done. The Senate resolutions, which are now on the order paper, will take two or three days to dispose of. Then two or three days to dispose of. Then brackets, but when too long might be colston have been awarded the contract. there will certainly be a field day on the immigration vote, as in view of the revelations in West Elgin, the opposition will make it warm for Mr. William T. orandum addressed to the minister of will make it warm for Mr. William T. R. Preston, who is chief inspector of immigration agencies in Europe. Preston has been the principal manipulator of elections in Ontario for some years, and as the creator of "the machine," which in a moment of exultation he enjoined Donald Macnish to hug, he has gained an unenviable notoriety. Then there Donald Macnish to hug, he has gained an unenviable notoriety. Then there are the supplementary estimates to be scrutinized, and the railway resolutions to be considered. The main estimates, was issued to Dominion land surveyors moreover, have not been all adopted, so that it will be seen there is a considerable amount of business for parliament mitted a memorandum In January, 1892, Mr. King, acting surveyor-general, substill to transact. With this bill of fare pointment of a board of geographical till before it, parliament will have all nomenclature, with recommendations can do to complete its work within and in 1896 the geological survey, rail still before it, parliament will have all

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On receiving these replies and others, the committee embodied them in a mem-

minister of the interior being chairman.

regulations and such conditions

would be likely to make it successful,

GRAND FÖRKS BUDGET.

urther Evidences of Prosperity From

This Booming Town In

Boundary.

Grand Forks, July 20.-The remarkabl

rise in the stock of the Granby Consolidated

Smelter & Mining Company, whose smelter

adjoining the Knob Hill and Old Ironsides

in Greenwood camp. They comprise the Phoenix, Aetna, the Victoria and the Fourth

The Grand Forks board of trade is pre-

paring a splendid exhibit of ores of the Kettle river mining division for the Paris

government had shown its appreciation of the importance of British Columbia as a

mining country by reserving one-half of the space allotted to the Canadian mining

exhibit for this province. Other public bodies will prepare similar collections for

the respective districts. The indications

xposition. The affair was taken in hand

There was an interesting discussion a and fisheries departments were invited three weeks. day or two ago in the house with refer-ence to the postal service to the Yukon, two delegates for each such the deputy Members of the opposition warmly criticharacterized the service during the past year. The postmaster-general intimated year. The postmaster-general intimated that it was the policy of his department to transfer, as rapidly as is consistent general submitted another memordanwith safety, this service from the dum to the deputy minister of the intermounted police to contractors. For this reason advertisements have been issued who will tender for the service and put up sufficient security to warrant the department in giving them the contract. Mr. Mulock would prefer not to dispense to work gradually into the hands of the contractors as they satisfy the depart ment that they are competent to do the work. During the coming winter it is be provided by an alternate fortnightly service by the mounted police and by a private contractor. Then if after one year's trial it is found that the private contractors are able to suc ment may feel justified in wholly dispensing with the mounted police and having the entire work done by con-The summer contract been awarded to Capt. Irving of Victoria, the price paid being \$250 for the for the Although the flotation was undertaken priround trip between Bennett and Dawson and \$50 for the round trip between Atlin and Bennett. Mr. Mulock hopes next winter to perform part of the Dawson thinks in this way the expenditure will more efficient, because horses will be able to carry bigger loads and get more quickly over the ground. Mr. Mulock

of July. The development work on them during the past two months has opened some rich ore bodies. expecting a report from the Hudson's any in reference to the relief at the request of the provincial govern-ment. W. F. Robertson, the provincial mineralogist, in addressing a meeting of the board of trade here, said the federal river to relieve the poor fellows who were induced to go prospecting for gold around the headwaters of the Stikine, the Dease and the Liard. In this con-nection Col. Prior has pointed out that before the Hudson's Bay Company were asked to send relief, the provincial agent in that district had prevailed upon the Alaska Trading & Transportation Company to furnish assistance to those who have put a steamer on the route, are very much annoyed that the govern ment should be subsidizing the Hudson' Company to run a steamer up the Stikine in competition with them, and they are claiming compensation. Col. Prior has informed Mr. Sifton that he

to get beyond Lake Tagish, unless dur-

ing this summer a good trail is made around the points where there is run-

ning water which now interrupts the

will raise the issue again at a later date. The Geographical Board of Canada he The Geographical Board of Canada has presented its first annual report to parliament. The board was created in December, 1897, as the outcome of a movement which was long in taking definite shape, though the necessity of official and recognized control over the ficial and orthography of placenames had been urged again and again. In England the same question, not only here on a tour of the Boundary country.

Hon. T. Mayne Daly is in Deadwood the police station yesterday morning, here on a tour of the Boundary country.

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In England the same question, not only hold and was swept down out of sight.

concerned Canada and the rest of The body was not recovered.

Thomas Hibbard has sold out his inter-

mendable example, and there were many opposition members who expressed regret that the minister of militia was kept in his place for nearly thirty hours continuously, owing to the bullheadedness of the minister of finance.

Even although the order paper shows signs of giving out, it hardly seems possible for parliament to conclude its labors before the 10th of August, and it may even run until the 15th. The one thing which may lead to a speedy collapse is the intimation that Sir Wilfrid has given a point blank refusal to a deputation of Liberal members which so that there is a possibility, remote though it may appear just now, that the ledge of English, French and the Insession will close during the first week dian tongues, and should be an author-

Colston have been awarded the contract for supplying fuel to the provincial gaol during the current year. Erskine, Wall & Co. will supply groceries; Porter & Sons, meat, and L. Dickenson, bread.

Enlargement Necessary.—Rock will b lasted at the electric light station next Monday, to make room for the enlarge ment of the building. The work will be inder the supervision of City Enginee Topp.

School Improvements.-Storm door are being built at the main entrance of the South Park school, to be used by the pupils during the winter months, was issued to Dominion land surveyors with a memorandum. In January, 1892, and to assist in keeping the cold from dition to this, the building is receiving thorough overhauling.

Representatives Elected.—The annual congregational meeting of the Centennial Methodist church was held on Thursday evening, to elect seven representatives from the congregation to the quarterly cized the mismanagement which had characterized the service during the past thority was needed to bring the board Messrs. H. G. Hall, Miss Tranter, Mrs.

Foreign Bought Supplies .- Two ior, recommending the amendment of loads of provisions for the original scheme, and asking for the have arrived by the oads of provisions for the Warspit calling for tenders, which must be in order to see whether parties can be got been to London and have from Lipton and shipped through the o carry out the ends in view. Accord-States, by way of drawing closer the bond between the Mother Country and ingly, on the 7th of December, 1897, an order-in-council was approved by His Excellency constituting the board. the colonies. The goods could have been bought better in Victoria.

Chinese Gardening.-There is a Chinese vegetable garden at the corner of Broad and Pandora streets, covering an area of about 25 square feet, in which sixteen Celestials are engaged in weed-

s now building here, would appear to be a good index of appreciation the Eastern a good index of appreciation the Eastern investing public entertain for the Baundary securities. The capital stock is \$900,000. Although the flotation was undertaken privately in Montreal, it was over-subscribed

Tuesday's Garden Fete.—The Y. W. Underthrow in question gave an opportunity, however, and Oddy getting possession passed smartly to C. D. Peele. At 3 p. m. on Tuesday next a present will be given to the association, of which will be given to the association, of which vately in Montreal, it was over-subscribed one million and a half dollars. The par value of the stock is 25 cents a share, but will come to acknowledge the generosity will come to acknowledge the generosity as fine an exhibition of genuine lacrosse, vately in Montreal, it was over-subscribed it is now firmly held at 50 cents per share. it is now firmly held at 50 cents per share.

Recent transactions have taken place on there will be music and entertainments the basis of 55 cents per share. This appression of various kinds. Tea, ice cream and field. the basis of 55 cents per share. This apprehome-made candy will be served from 3 to 10 p. m. ciation is likely due to the fact that the company owns several mining properties

In Fine New Quarters.—One of the finest clothing exhibitions in the city is to be seen at No. 111 Government street, where Mr. M. Marks on Thursday evening opened up in one of the new stores of the Barnsley-Lenz block. The store was brilliant with its many electrical lights, and being large and roomy is certainly a handsome addition to Government was unfortunate in the city is to be seen at No. 111 Government street, where Mr. M. Marks on Thursday evening opened up in one of the end to matters in their district. Blain developed a reputation for gritty acceptance of the ching seldom in danger, and the home proving thoroughly well qualified to attend to matters in their district. Blain developed a reputation for gritty acceptance of the Barnsley-Lenz block. The store was brilliant with its many electrical lights, and being large and roomy is certainly a handsome addition to Govern-In Fine New Quarters.—One of the lights, and being large and roomy is certainly a handsome addition to Government street. Mr. Marks made no pretence at doing business on the opening evening, but simply invited the public to inspect his premises. The Fifth Regiment band was on hand for the occasion, and played within and without the store for upwards of two hours. store for upwards of two hours.

The Wood Will Go Uncut.—William Keller, who was arrested and convicted for cruelty to animals on the 12th of fence; they lacked, however, the rush

Poverty may be necessary to starve loosening in the play, and the passing our passions.

It was Williams who did the honors

### Bays Score a **Glorious Victory**

Great Lacrosse Match Won by Three to Two Thrilling Games.

Illustration of the Canadian National Game at Its Best.

Tennis Fixtures for Opening Day-Vancouver Cricketers Win.

the two thousand or more who were at verdict.

cent game of lacrosse, and played it like win, with luck, training, drilled com-bination and good cartaining to help bination and good captaining to help them\_

the Bays disappointed the expectation of the betting ring, and turned down the long game a trifle better than Vicof the betting ring, and turned down their rivals from the Fraser town by toria, and were playing the lacrosse of the season. Time after time the ball three games to two that were a treat came so close to the Victoria net that

As for the features, they were so As for the features, they were so It never got beyond the "almost" stage, however; Belfry and his brigade scribed as all features. Williams, Belfry, Tite, Lorimer, White, Norman, Stephen-these were the towers

Nor were far behind them the useful Blain, Finlayson, Burns, Smith and

Where all are worthy, particularizing is unnecessary. It is doubtful, how-

White proved second only to Williams in stick-handling; Tite was a yeoman for work, and sure as in his old "best days;" Lorimer played his position jus as it should be played; Norman im proved every opportunity that came his way; and Blain distinguished himself for getting the ball, and putting it where would be most useful whenever it was possible.

As for "Mike" Finlayson, the one or two Westminsters who were looking for rough play, found that he was the wrong man altogether to work to Dewar and Burns were in better altogether to work upon than in any previous match they have played as seniors, and Smith at was brilliant in his catching and shooting-although he was scarcely at his

It was the game of years-and no one who was there will forget it when com-

parisons are sought for in time to come.	
THE TEAMS.	
Victoria. Position. Westminster.	
BelfreyCover PointGalbraith DewarFirst DefenceSnell	
" Miay Sulla Second Defence To Clear	
BurnsThird DefenceC. D. Peele BlainCentreTurnbull	
StephenThird HomeLatham	1
White. First Home. W. Gifford Williams. Outside Home. Geo. Oddy Strick. Inside Home. S Peele	1
Smith Inside Home S Peela	1
G. ColdwellField CaptainJ. Mahoney	

HOW THE GAMES WERE WON. Game the first was something of a surprise to all parties. It had barely commenced when all was over. Blain got the rubber cleverly in the face-off, and took a preliminary sprint. When collared, he passed to Tite, who also had his running shoes on. Tite dodged one or two reds, and sent a swift underhand shot home. That did the business, in something less than half a minute, and the grand-stand settled themsevle with comment that was divided between cheers and the observation: "We didn' know it had started."

That first game was a good omen Everyone accepted it as such except Westminster. The visitors took the sixteen Celestians are Constitution of the plants every evening and watering the plants every evening. To an ordinary person this appears ridiculous, but the Chinamen take as much care of their weeds as a housewife does of her choicest window flowers.

White brought imprecations upon himself by a bad play that gave the enemy a chance—although he amply redeemed himself before the day was over. The play was over. The play was over. The play was over.

It was for the most part a defence game for the visitors, the Victoria flags being seldom in danger, and the home

every pass.

Possibly the Westminsters were quit bodies will prepare similar collections for the respective districts. The indications are that this opportunity for drawing the attention of the world to the vast ore bodies of the Boundary country will not be overlooked.

The board of trade will also prepare a representative exhibit for the Spokane industrial fair.

C. D. Porter, who recently bonded the Lily K, and Twins in Pass creek camp, is a here on a tour of the Boundary country.

Hon. T. Mayne Daly is in Deadwood camp examining the Buckhorn, controlled by Rufus Pope, M.P., and other Eastern capitalists.

A French Canadian named Boulivant, and given one week to pay this month, and given one week to pay this fine of \$20, was brought to the state this month, and given one week to pay the pay to animals on the 12th of this month, and given one week to pay this fine of \$20, was brought to the state the function of the time in this month, and given one week to pay the pay the pay to animals on the 12th of the state of the sta the effective was done, yet there was no loosening in the play, and the passing

In the earlier stages of the fourth the Bays clearly outplayed the visitors, keeping the ball as before in Westminster's defence field. Incidents followed in such rapid succession that keeping count upon them were a useless labor. All parts of the field were well handled, and every player covered himself with honor. After 15 minutes of fighting, the Westminster captain called his men forward for a rush. The rush was effective, George Oddy scorring despite couver team was particularly brilliant. honor. After 15 minutes of fighting, the Westminster captain called his men forward for a rush. The rush was effective, George Oddy scorring despite the heroic effort of Norman, who caught the ball while it was actually passing into the net, but unluckily could not held it from his careful to the second secon

hold it from his position.

Again with the score even, both teams went at the fifth game with a will, the went at the fifth game with a will, the Westminsters devoting themselves particularly to close checking, while Victoria put on their fastest and most effective combination, each pass being studied and executed in an instant—yet the ball going just where it should. It is this class of play that means victory, and Westminster discovered it after 514. Westminster discovered it after 51/2 The advertising specialist of the J. B.

A. A. was right about it—it was "the great match at last," and every one of position handed it to White. The 'second-best stickhandler in the prov-Caledonia park to see it, will endorse the Williams—and a swift over-hand shot Westminster played a truly magnifi-tent game of lacrosse, and played it like thorough gentlemen as well as good and then endeavoring to trip him in a lacrossists, but the Bays were out to run. It required no complaint to the With three to two against them, but

That accounts for the outcome—for ster entered on the unexpired time with in evening of the score seemed inevit-

as persistently. Williams and one or two others of the Victoria home realized Williams and one or also that it was to be a defence battle for Victoria till the call of time, wisely drifted down to the defence end of the field, and gave valuable assistance

that section of the force. It' was a magnificent fight-never in his province has a team worked harder or more intelligently to avert defeat than did the visitors. Their checking, rushing, and all-round attack was flavored with desperation, yet only for an instant did anyone get away from good lacrosse-and the referee as usual saw it immediately.

It was useless. Victoria's good luck—supplemented by good management—

SUMMARY. Game. Won By. Scored By.

Game. Won By. Scored By. Time.

1—Victoria ... Tite ... ½ min.

2—Westminster ... C. D. Peele. 1½ ...

4—Westminster ... Oddy ... 15 ...

5—Victoria ... Williams ... 5½ ...

Referee, Mr. Russel M. Simpson, of Nanalmo; umpires, Messrs. J. Jardine and F. Wilson; timekeepers, Messrs. T. R. Cusack and G. McMurphy; weather, cool and cloudy; attendance, medium. THE LEAGUE STANDING

Games. Won, Lost Games. Won. Lost.

Victoria ... \*6 4 2
Vancouver ... 6 2 4
Nanaimo ... 8 0 3
New Westminster ... 5 4 1

\*One game between Nanaimo and Victoria was won by Nanaimo, but has been protested on the ground that one player had not the necessary residence qualifications, and the game will probably be given to Victoria, It is included in Victoria's wins and Nanaimo's losses in this table.

In view of the outcome of yesterday's game there is sure to be an immense gathering of enthusiasts from the three at Westmins when the return will be played. In con excursion steamer, which will no doub e largely patronized. Yesterday's engagement confirms the opinion form Victoria experts of Westminster's tactic —concentrating their strength in the defence, and trusting to luck in large

neasure for their home to prove of ser

VANCOUVER VS. NANAIMO. Vancouver, July 22.—(Special)—Very little interest centered in the lacrosse match to-day between Vancouver and Nanaimo. In fact the record of the Victoria game as read out from the grand-stand caused much more interest and applause. Loud clapping accompanied each announcement of Victoria's City won by a score of 6 to 4.

A Trophy Shoot. The shoot for the Victoria Gun club's Trophy (silver cup) will take place at Langford plains on the 23rd inst. Shooting will commence at 10 a. m. sharp,

that members will please be on the

grounds early.

both successfully.

BASEBALL. To Meet To-morrow. A special meeting of the Maple Leaf Baseball club is called for to-morrow ev-ening, the peculiar business being to seect a team to represent Victoria in the match at Nanaimo on Tuesday, will be the third game of the season for the Leaves, one having been played with Nanaimo and one with Angeles—

Want an Engagement. To the Editor: Will you kindly men tion in behalf of the plumbers of Vic-toria that they have organized a base-ball club, and would like to make a match with a team from the Albion Iron Works, or the Firemen, or a team from among any other tradesmen. J. CATTERALL.

CRICKET. Collegiates vs. Vancouver.

The juvenile element entertained a large gathering at the Cook Street crick et grounds yesterday afternoon, and en-thusiasm ran high when Mr. Juke's cricket team from Vancouver contested for supremacy with the eleven of the Collegiate school. The game was mark-ed throughout by sensational and startling plays, and the boys kept spectators on tip-toes wondering what the end

Not long ago it was mutually agreed between the two teams to play the games for the championship of the two cities, and another game will now have cities, and another game will now have to be played to decide the question. In the first game the Collegiate School boys walked away with their rivals at the Terminal city, beating them by 1 inning and 22 runs. But yesterday the tables were turned, and the Vancouver team carried off the laurels by superior playing gained by constant practice. playing, gained by constant practice with a score of 19 runs in their favor. at the end of the trying 421/2 minutes.

this time, receiving from Tite for the grand finale.

When the first game was played it was agreed that the three best men of the Victoria team should be taken off at

The bowling of Mr. Jukes of the van-couver team was particularly brilliant, equalling in many respects that of play-ers many years his senior. Esperley, also, of the Vancouver team, rolled in 16 runs in one innings, while Monteith, of the Collegiates, made 6 in each. It has been decided to play two games each year for the championship of the two teams, which will be a special feature and encourage the boys to practice. A majority of the Vancouver contin-

Banks vs. Barracks. A., which was left drawn, neither having a very decided advantage. Chief honors for the Banks rested with G. S. Holt and W. S. Lobb, who played brilliant cricket whilst together. The Gillespie brothers also acquitted themselve well. For the R.N.A., Gunner Frain and Sapper Levick did splendid work.

Appended are the scores:

UNITED BANKS W. C. Hilton, c Barraclough, b Brown
A. Lobb, c Levick, b Hall.
H. Gillespie, l b w Hall.
S. Holt, c Hall, b Barraclough
Gillespie, b Barraclough
Gillespie, b Barraclough
B. Gresley, b Capt. Poole
R. C. Worlock, c and b Poole
Francher a Francher A. Futcher, c Fram, b Barraclough.
A. Taylor, c Trotter, b Poole.
Wilmot, b Barraclough.
M. Miller, not out.

Gr. Frain, not out.

Gr. Sawyer, I b w J. H. Gillespie.....

Corp. Barraclough, b Hilton.

Spr. Levick, v Taylor, b Hilton.

Sgt. Wolfe, b Hilton.

Gr. Brown, not out.

Capt. Poole, Sgt. Kelly, Maj. Trotter,

Gr. Hall and Irving, did not bat.

Total .... LAWN TENNIS. Fixtures for Tournament Week.

The annual club tourney of the Vicoria Lawn Tennis club, opening on Tuesday of this week, promises to be the best yet held by this enterprising club. There are many entries in the various events—and, better still, the players are very evenly balanced. Entries for the open tourney are to be received until Wednesday evening, when it is expected that quite an army of Puget Sound and Mainland talent will be found on the register. The fixtures for the opening day of the club tourney are

the opening day of the club tourney are as below:

11:30 a.m.—F. B. Ward (rec. 3-6 of 15) vs.
11:30 a.m.—P. Higgins (rec. 3-6 of 15) vs.
Lieut. Hay, R.N. (rec. 15).
3:15 p.m.—B. H. T. Drake and Miss Eva Loewen (rec. 3-6 of 15) vs. F. J. Patton and Miss Patton (rec. % of 15).
4:15 p.m.—D. M. Rogers (owe 15) vs. R. H. Pooley (owe 15).
4:15 p.m.—J. F. Foulkes (owe 40) vs. G. C. Johnston (owe 15.3).
4:15 p.m.—L. Crease (rec. 15) vs. C. R. Pooley (rec. 15).
4:15 p.m.—L. Crease (rec. 15) vs. C. R. Pooley (rec. 15).
5:15 p.m.—R. B. Powell (owe 30) vs. B. G. Goward (scratch).
5:15 p.m.—P. S. Lampman (rec. 4-6 of 15) vs. A. J. O'Reilly (rec. 15.3).
5:15 p.m.—E. A. Jacobs (rec. 1-6 of 15) vs. Ward (rec. 4-6 of 15).
6 p.m.—E. A. Jacobs (rec. 1-6 of 15) vs. A. D. Seevers (owe 15.2).
6 p.m.—W. H. Langley (rec 15.2) vs. S. Y. Wootton (rec. 15.3).

1 LIEUT.-GOVERNOR IN ATLIN.

LIEUT.-GOVERNOR IN ATLIN. He Paid a Visit to the Creeks, and Is Enjoying Himself Immensely.

and was accorded a very cordial reception. | water. When asked as to the impression he formed n the short while he had been here, he restretches and towering mountains combining meal. Since his arrival he had heard that the Danube had been raised and was on her way back to Victoria. The townsite of Atlin is an ideal one, and would make the foundation of a magnificent city. The substantial manner in which the town is built in so short a time was astonishing. Anxious see the creeks he had heard so much or Discovery on Pine. At the Junction he left the stage and after a few hours' stay there proceeded on foot. About half a mile this side of Discovery he panned his first pan of gold. The result, he said, he treasured very greatly and it would long remain a keepsake. His object in coming here was to make himself familiar with the country and the conditions prevailing. He believed it was the first time a governor of the province had visited so far North. Wednesday the Governor made a cross-country trip to Fourth of July creek. While he would not care to make the trip again, yet now that it is over he would not have missed it for a great deal. The Governor

FEARS FOR MAUNA LOA. Circumstances Which Point to the Destruction of the Famous Volcano.

San Francisco, July 22.-The officers of the steamer Australia, which arrived yesterday from Hondidu, say that it would time is coming when its a not surprise them to hear that there had enjoy a continental fame. been a fearful explosion of the great volcano, and that Manua Loa is no more.

After leaving Honolulu the ship ran into remarkable cross sea, which the crew hought was caused by a submarine dis-

elling steadily. The inter-Island steamers were crowded with passengers, some of the people were going to view the eruption and others were going to see how their families and relatives were faring. In my only now the whole cross here here the people were going to view the eruption and others were going to see how their families and relatives were faring. In my opinion, the whole crest has been blown off, and if the waters of the sea have found their wa into the crater, then the whole with a score of 19 runs in their favor. remained just as well gauged and heady at the end of the trying 42½ minutes. Island has been shattered. In no other way can I account for the peculiar experience after leaving Honolulu."

A Neglected Panorama of Surprising Scenic Grandeur.

Surf Bathing in the Japan **Current—Chance for** an Hotel.

Vancouver Island, like all the rest of A majority of the Vancouver contingent went home on the Islander this morning, while some will stay over and go home Monday morning. The boys were entertained at tea by Mr. and Mrs.

Coast to the East, there is so much that is mentally afternoon. is beautiful, that is grand, that is ma-A very pleasant match took place yesterday on the Barracks grounds between the United Bank C. C. and the R. M. magnificence of the ever-admirable panorama.

It is perhaps owing to the exceed ing plenteousness of wonderful pictures that the scenic attractions of the West Coast of this island have remained till now unheralded, if properly appreciated. Where there is so much to charm at home, few go afield for masterpieces of nature. And, besides, the men who for the most part visit the West Coast are not on the lookout for magnificent scenery, or for its advertisement. They are more interested in quartz indications, fishery possibilities, farming land, or the

securing of seal hunters.

Yet even they cannot but be impressed with the magnificence of the scenes unfolded from Cape Carmanah north. There is in the panorama an infinite variety in sea and cloud, in mountain and forest cataract, in giant peak and undu-lating valley still undesecrated by the woodsman's axe. Some time - perhaps a century hence - tourists will learn of the wonders of nature that the Wes Coast has to present to their admiring

Days may be spent with profit along the Alberni canal. Its glistening blue waters, many fathoms deep, reach on either side to wooded foothills, which in turn extend to forest-grown mountains of rugged and irregular outline, at times terminating in snow-crowned peaks, of which old Arrowsmith is master, glowing in the sunlight with all the tinted glories of the opal.

Here and there sapphire islands break the surface of the enamel blue—the Thousand Islands park reproduced upon a more lavish and more Western scale Near the entrance there are giant caves to tempt the curious to exploration; and here and there phenomena which are thoroughly well entitled to the special

attention of investigators.

Who has yet described adequately the

would long ere this have been teeming with summer loungers, gay hotels, and enthusiastic surf bather

The sands at either of the spots named is firm and fine, the beach extending into the sea almost level for a full quar Lieutenant-Governor Mclanes arrived in the city Monday last, says the Atlin Claim of July 8. He was accompanied by Mr. Walter Planta, his private secretary, and J. T. Bethune. While in the city the Governor will be the guest of T. R. Billett, manager of the Bank of Commerce.

A Claim man called Thursday afternoon, and was accorded a very cordial recention. Two miles inland is Kennedy lake,

teeming with trout and other spoil for plied that the country far exceeded the the rod, while the deer are so plentiful mental photograph he has made of it. Ever that no day or evening passes without since he left Victoria it has been one succession of surprises. The magnificent water porting themselves on the beach—secure porting themselves on the beach—secure in the isolation of their romping ground. to make a continuous scenic panorama. He was a passenger on the ill-fated Danube, but lost nothing more than his half-finished beaches will be brought into direct touch the continuous scenic panorama. He was a passenger on the ill-fated Danube, but lost nothing more than his half-finished beaches will be brought into direct touch the continuous scenic panorama. with the calling places for Victoria steamers, and it is greatly to be wondered at if some enterprising syndicate does not in the very near future take ad vantage of the opportunity generous Nature has placed at comm vide a seaside hotel for British Colum

Such a resort would be within ton hours' steaming of Victoria, and would possess unrivalled seaside attractions

north of California At present the C. P. N. Company's Willapa is providing an excellent service to the Coast, and all these beauty spots. She is a model, for so small a craft scrupulously clean, well furnished and equipped, and officered by the finest company of men that any transportation of company could well get together.

At their head is Captain Hughes,

avigator of splendid information and the utmost reliability and courtesy, whom in the thoroughness of his know ledge West Coast fogs have no terrors. His chief officer, Mr. Townsend, is a worthy second in urbanity and capabil ity; while the purser and the steward, Mr. Paddon and Mr. Wallis, know their respective duties, as an old miner would say, "from the grass roots down."

The West Coast of Vancouver Island is a new field for pleasure-seekers. The time is coming when its attractions will

The pain that sometimes strikes a man at The pain that sometimes meet is due to adjustion. It may come in the midst of dinner and make the feast a mockery. thought was caused by a submarine disturbance of unusual force. A bluish vapor hing over the water for days and a heavy cloud, shaped like an umbrella, came from the direction of the volcano.

When talking about the eruption of the volcano, Chief Officer Lawless said:

"The afternoon we left Honolulu the evenion apapers contained the news that the lava flow was within ten miles of Hilo and travelling steadily. The inter-island steamers were crowded with passengers, some of the people were going to view the eruption and others were going to see how their line.

Religious waste of money is as sinful

West Coast

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From Our Own Corre The Provincial Rifle meeting came to a ter ing, the programme carried out in its enti ing that once again the greater part of th days' competition led prize of the meeting.

and the following is whom these repres will be chosen by the Gr. Miller, Westminster
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Corp. Richardson, Victo
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Q.M.S. Kennedy, Vanco
Bomb. Bodley, Victoria.
Bomb. Taylor, Vancouve
Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver
Sgt. McDougall, Victoria
Gr. Mortimer, Vancouve
Gr. Butler, Victoria.
Corp. Cunningham, West Gorp. Cunningham, West R. Watson, Nanaimo... C. H. Barker, Nanaimo... Gr. Caven, Victoria... W. H. Wall, Nanaimo... Gr. Burr, Westminster. G. W. Carpenter, Nanai

Gr. Duncan, Victoria compete for a place on the being ninth in the gran no doubt would have hist, but having to retu the afternoon train, he in the concluding mat the team. This was yards, and the long ran disastrous to some of gates, who dropped s the twenty. The wir

500—Gr. Miller, Westm 500—Sgt. Lettice, Victo 400—Lieut. Duff Stuart, 300—Bomb. Bodley, Vic 200—Sgt. Moscrop, Van At noon the annual

of the association was ory, senfor vice-presi The usual reports wer duly adopted, showing the association to be in dition, and several to more complete range whereon the year were adopted. The election of offi place, as usual, it bein of the desirability of vices of additional offi this election at a lat by the members from cities in the proportion lors each from Victor Westminster, and the The matches finished

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### Successful Marksmen.

List of Those Who Will Compose Provincial Team at Ottawa.

Annual Election of Officers Deferred-Yesterday's Prize Winners.

From Our Own Correspondent. The Provincial Rifle Association prize meeting came to a termination this evening, the programme being satisfactorily carried out in its entirety, notwithstanding that once again rain prevailed for the greater part of the time. The three days' competition led up to the great prize of the meeting, the Ottawa team, and the following is the honor list from

whom these representative marksmen

will be chosen by the council: 
 Bomb. Taylor, Vancouver.
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 Sgt. Moscrop, Vancouver.
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the afternoon train, he did not compete in the concluding match for places on This was at 800 and 900 yards, and the long ranges proved rather disastrous to some of the higher aggregates, who dropped several places in the twenty. The winners of the five the twenty. The winners of the five cash prizes offered in this match were as

At noon the annual business meeting of the association was held, Col. Greg-ory, senior vice-president, presiding. The usual reports were presented and duly adopted, showing the affairs of the association to be in a flourishing condition, and several suggestions looking

winners, were as follows: GRAND AGGREGATE. B.C.R.A. gold badge and \$400-Corp. Sloan, Westminster

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TYRO AGGREGATE. P. M. Ferris. Vancouver. ALL-COMERS.

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Five hundred yards; five shots in one ninute—For \$25, presented by Major C. C. Sennett, and \$25 added by the association:

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dition, and several suggestions looking to more complete equipment of the range whereon the meeting is held next year were adopted.

The election of officers did not take the lection of the place, as usual, it being decided, in view of the desirability of enlisting the services of additional officers of the militia ed with having stated that the city of this election at a later date, and made by the members from each of the four cities in the proportion of four councillors each from Victoria, Vancouver and Westminster, and three from Nanaimo.

FRANK HIGGINS.

MAYOR REDFERN REPLIES. To the Editor of the Colonist:

severe brought down by the steamer Portland two years ago, the others having personal fever; some with scurvy, while others was reported to have explained that the root personal fever increase in the rate of taxation by one mill arose through the increased demands of the school trustees, school expenses being by the estimates at some \$7.000 or \$8.000 higher this year than two years ago, the others having personal fever; some with scurvy, while others were frozen to death. The men are all though they brought out some gold, they assert they will never return.

\*\*Prof. S. F. Skidmore, wife and daughter.

by-law this year provided for about \$7,000 more for schools than was provided for by the by-law of last year. I spoke from memory, and on reference to the two bylaws I find that last year the amount provided was \$43,000, while this year it is \$40,250, being an increase of \$6,250.

In the Yukon.

Four Men All That Are Left of a Party of Fourteen.

Peter Jackson the Puglist is in Town to Give Boxing
Exhibitions.

The Pioneer Society, Vancouver-Quadra Lodge of the Masonic craft, and the Washing Country of t

G. S. McConnell, purchasing agent for the Company, has just returned from a trip to Dawson and is registered at the Driard.

At the church Rev. W. Leslie Clay

Westminster, and three from Nanaimo.
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The was in the Philippine Islands is about Jackson, Florence T.

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I therefore fail to see how there can be any objection to the scheme on the the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the Municipal Clauses act the city has full grounds mentioned by the Mayor. Under the chief topic of conversation in the hotel corridors now, and Canadians as well as Dunn, Robert P. Irwin, Mary M. Lowe, Margaret McP. O'Brien, Stuart B. Newcombe, William Speedy conclusion. One man who said he Fraser, Francis J. skeamship, steamboat and railway companies.

At this juncture it is not my intention to go into the merits of the scheme, which will, I am sure, commend itself to the rate-payers of the city when it is properly brought before them. However, I cannot refrain from thinking that it is only fair to the promoters that when the proposition is discussed it should be discussed in a fair and open manner and be permitted to stand or fall on its merits and that no attempt should be made to defeat it on mere technical grounds.

Steamship, steamboat and railway companies.

Should win in the end and hope for a speedy conclusion. One man who said he had kept close tab on the progress of the war and did not favor either side in particular, remarked that the United States would be bankrupt before its termination. He said there is no denying the fact that very little progress is being made by the United States troops, and that the Spanish soldiers held more territory than is now held by the Americans, all of which goes to show that the war will be a long one if fought to the end.

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BOYS' SCHOOL.

Sexsmith, Harvey C.

Gordon, Daniel H.

Gibson, Ralph F.

Sweetland, William F.

Paterson, William.

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Strickland, Roger P.

M. Freeman, H. L. Gongles, John Kula and J. Playout are in the city on their way from the Klondike. They are the remains of a party of fourteen who went North just after the news of the rich discoveries were brought down by the steamer Port

some \$7,000 or \$8,000 higher this year than Prof. S. F. Skidmore, wife and daughter ast."

In reply to the above, I can only say that

Lancaster, Pa., were in the city for a I made no allusion to the demands of school trustees or school expenses, but I did say that an increase in taxation would and agricultural conditions of that country. e necessary, as the Municipal Expenditure They have had their curiosities satisfied

BORNE TO THE GRAVE. Large Cortege Follows the Remains of the Late Dixi H. Ross to Their

Last Resting Place. Very general sorrow was manifested by the community at large at the obsequies of the late Dixi H. Ross yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence on Hillside avenue at 2:30 and half an hour later from St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Out of

the Workmen were all in attendance and largely represented. There were too very large offerings of flowers, the Joseph Ladue Gold Mining & Development hardly providing sufficient room for the

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Smith, Sterling M.
Calderwood, William.

VICTORIA WEST SCHOOL. 

 Tait, Ernest Lyle.
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 Bahlman, Ewald Henry.
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 Crook, Eveline G. M.
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 Patton, Melissa M.
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**Great Day** For Britain.

English College Athletes Vanquished Visitors From This Side of Atlantic.

Immense Attendance and the Wildest Excitement—Events Closely Contested.

By Associated Press.

London, July 22.-England won the

not measured: Daly did 22 feet 3 inches. and the English flag was hoisted to record their first victory.

Throwing the 16-pound hammer was won by W. A. Boal (Harvard); H. J. Brown (Harvard), 2nd; J. Greenshields (Oxford), 3rd. Boal threw the hammer 136 feet 8½ inches, Brown 122 feet 9

inches, and Greenshields 109 feet 6 inches. 100-vard dash-F. J. Quinlan (Harvard) won; G. R. Thomas (Oxford), 2nd; F. A. Blount (Yale), 3rd; and A. L. Hine (Cambridge), 4th. The winner's time was 10 seconds. Blount got away first and led for 40 yards, when Quinlan and Thomas drew level. lan with a splendid spurt won by a half yard. A tremendous waving of American flags and Harvard and Yale ban-

can flags and Harvard and Yale banners followed.
One-mile run—H. H. Hunter (Cambridge), won; A. L. Dawson (Oxford),
2nd; C. B. Spitzer (Yale), 3rd; and P.
Smith (Yale), 4th. Freemantle (Oxford)
also started. Time, 4 minutes 24
seconds. Freemantle took the lead,
going at a good pace, and led for the
first two laps. Hunter closely followed,
with Smith and Spitzer next and Daw-

second; H. R. Parks, Uxtord, third: and J. W. Hallowell, Harvard, fourth. Time, 15¾ seconds. Fox led from the start to the finish, and won by two and a half yards, there being half a yard between Pagett Tomlinson and Parks. There was tremendous cheering from Yale and Harvard stands when it was able in the field of his labors. It can be started as the stands when it was able in the field of his labors. It can be started as the stands when it was able in the field of his labors. Yale and Harvard stands when it was announced that Fox had equalled the be said of him that he did as much for

ham went to the front, and running in splendid style won by about 8 yards, amid excited cheers from the Englishmen and depression and silence on the part of the Americans. Burke did not new location.

finish out, but had to be supported to the payilion and carried upstairs. His trainer says that his stomach had gone back on him.

Davison came up with a tremendous rush on the outside, and won by 5 yards. Boardman rallied considerably near home, making a grand but hopeless struggle. The winning of this race by the Englishman was a great upset, and it was generally agreed that they would now win a majority of the events.

High Jump—Won by A. N. Rice, Har-

High Jump—Won by A. N. Rice, Harvard. He cleared 6 feet. H. S. Adair, Oxford, second, 5 feet 11 inches; C. M. Rotch, Harvard, 5 feet 10 inches; and W. P. Tomlinson, Cambridge, 5 feet 5 for some years are being made. Every sinches.

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played selections from "El Capitan" and the "Bellony." The contestants in the first events were warmly applauded be first events were warmly applauded by judges, referee and time-keeper. The judges, referee and time-keeper. The jump was made just in front of the pavilion and royal box, while simulation and troyal box, while simulation and true and true second and the quarter-mile mile, and three-quarter-mile mile, and three-quarter-mile mile, and three-quarter-mile

9½ inches. On the third trial Vassaill made 22 feet 6 inches and Roche 21 feet made 22 feet 6 inches and Roche 21 feet made 22 feet 6 inches, Bevan 20 feet 4½ inches, and Daly 21 feet 10½ inches. In the fourth trial Vassaill made in the jump of 23 feet, Roche, Bevan and Daly all failed to reach 20 feet. In the fifth and last round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill and Bevan were both under 20 feet; Roche fell back and was round Vassaill waving their napkins. The Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great applause, both from the Americans came in for great appl

erica, was greatly acclaimed as the savior of the home teams.

Pioneers of the West.—Mrs. D. C.
Lyon has arrived from St. Paul, Minn., on an extended visit to her daughter, who is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Palmer of Chemainus. Rering to Mrs. Lyon's departure from St. Paul, the Pioneer-Press of that eity says: "On Tuesday Mrs. D. C. Lyon will close her residence in St. Paul of over thirty years, leaving then for Victoria, B. C., where she intends to remain permanently, to be near her daughter, Miss Fannie Lyon, who is engaged in teaching in that vicinity. Mrs. Lyon, with her husband, Rev. David C. Lyon, came to Minnesota 41 years ago. Mr. Lyon was a missionary of the Presbyterian church and on home sont to the control of the Morthern Belle. The Le Roi compressor machinery was repaired, and the mine started working again on Tuesday last, shipping on the remaining four days 1248 tons. Monday last was Miners' Union day, and no shipments were made. For the week the shipments for the week and year:

Week. Year.

Le Roi ... 1248 45206
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Deer Park ... 18

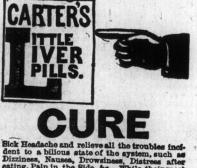
Total ... 3554 73730 Lyon was a missionary of the Presby-terian church, and, on being sent to the Northwest, first settled at Winona, and with his wife had an experience of pio-neer life and some of its hardships. When they arrived at Winona the nearset flouring mill was at Rochester, 40 miles distant, and food supplies of any kind were a serious problem. Although Minnesota is now the wheat and flour granary of the world, Mrs. Lyon says first two laps. Hunter closely followed, with Smith and Spitzer next and Dawson at the rear. At the last Freemantle retired, and Hunter running strong soon put a wide gap between himself and the others, Dawson going up to second place. Entering the straight for home, Spitzer made a gallant attempt for second place and drew level, but after a few yards Dawson again passed him and finished second, Spitzer being third. All the men were greatly exmous Croton aqueduct, which he did not him and finished second, Spitzer being third. All the men were greatly exhausted, especially Spitzer. He was unable to walk, and had to be almost bridge-builder of distinction. Mr. Lyon unable to walk, and had to be almost carried to the pavilion. Hunter won by 30 yards.

Hurdle Race—F. V. Fox, Harvard, won; W. Pagett Tomlinson, Cambridge, second; H. R. Parks, Oxford, third; and J. W. Hallowell, Harvard, fourth.

Second: Fox led from the churdstion of distinction, Mr. Lyon devoted his life to missionary work, and there are scores of towns in Minnesota and Dakota, among them Litchfield and Worthington, Minn., Grand Forks and Bismarck, N. D., where he founded churches, established schools, laying the churdstion of religious and educated announced that Fox had equalled the British amateur record.

Half-mile Run—Won by H. E. H. Graham, Cambridge; C. F. W. Struben, Cambridge, second; J. H. Adams, Yale, third; and T. E. Burke, Harvard, fourth. Time, 1:57½. Struben led for the first lap, followed by Adams, Graham and Burke, in the order mentioned. When this lap had been completed, Graham went to the front, and running in splendid style won by about 8 yards.

Victoria is just now the scene of con-



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### **Plantations** Are Threatened

Vegetation Likely to Suffer From Mount Mauna Loa's Eruption.

**Great Excitement Prevailed Over** Volcano at Honolulu When "Albert" Sailed.

been created, and people were leaving for the scene of the eruption by the hundreds. Passengers could be landed within a few the scene of the eruption by the hundreds. Passengers could be landed within a few the scene of the eruption by the hundreds. Work has been very modestly launched, it will interest all students of Indian lore that the row book in two roll. Whise Vanghan of Seattle, In the

The crew of the Port Albert had only ready. been but a short time at Honolulu, having just completed their first trip in the Puget Sound-Hawaiian service, and they were somewhat longing to return to get a glimpse of the fiery spectacle, when on their arrical here they got orders to proceed to Seattle after vacating the dry dock to load for the Philippines. To some of the ship's of-ficers Mauna Loa is quite familiar, having viewed it when in a quiet state in passing the island. As previously stated, the mount the island. As previously stated, the mountain is 1,400 feet above sea level, and it has a record of two eruptions within the last twenty years, one being in 1881 and the other six years later. The latter was of short duration and quite harmless, but the former was serious, and the city of Hilo narrowly escaped being wiped out

the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner America Maru was still under detention at that un

port, having been quarantined for having a case of black plague on board.

Wyalong gold field in New South Wales.
Less than seven years ago it was simply a
grazing district, consisting largely of crown
the banquet will be a little out of the lands held on lease by pastoralists, the level ordinary. nature of the country, covered with red soil and scrub, causing it to be neglected by prospectors, although the Temora gold field, with its busy population, was only forty miles distant. In July, 1893, a Victorian colonist, named Neeld, and his family, being desirous of obtaining a larger area of land for certification of that was resible under the desirous of obtaining \$\textit{starger}\$ area of land for settlement that was possible under the possible under the was possible under the was possible under the po for settlement that was possible under the loops for her health only three weeks Victorian land laws, crossed the River ago. Her husband is employed in the Murray and made their way to Wyalong, Albion Iron Works. The funeral took tion being attracted by numerous ironstone nodules and loose fragments of quartz. This was at the beginning of August, 1893, and he at once commenced prospecting, but did not succeed in finding gold until about a month after his arrival, when he discovered it in a loose piece of quartz. Other discoveries followed, and a few days later dry prizes won by him while riding under protest may be delivered to him systematic prospecting operations were commenced. Fresh finds were made, and ultimately Mr. Neeld and his sons decided upon was caused by the mis-placing of a lethotsting the red flag and pegging out their ter, which was subsequently found." The officials over the line are apparently 1893, and no sooner had the discovery been under the impression still that Mr. Harreported than the news spread like wildfire, numbers of men riding the same night
towards the scene of the gold discoveries of means. n order to secure claims wherever possible. In January, 1894, there were over 500 men on the field. In the following March the first parcels of ore were crushed at Barmadman, the centre of a quartz mining district, sixteen miles distant, when the marvellous richness of the ore became ascertained.

The result was a great rush to the ground, and about three weeks later the population had increased to about 10,000, but many subsequently left, being unable to secure auriterous land. At the end of 1894 the settled population in the Wyalong and Barsettled population in the Wyalong and Barmedman districts was between 4,000 and
5,600, the number of claims worked being
about 300, of which between 20 and 30 were
on payable stone. In 1895 the quantity of
gold obtained was 25,497 ounces; in 1896 it
was 33,195 ounces; and in 1897, 34,370
ounces, being the largest auriferous outounces, being the largest auriferous outwas a stationary gold did in the colony the next
Waitt & Co.'s, and it is expected that put of any gold field in the colony, the next Waitt & Co.'s, and it is expected that richest being Hillgrove, with 31,886 ounces. The total yield from the Wyalong gold to-morrow. field from its discovery at the end of 1893 sent Victoria in this engagement, and it up to the present has been estimated at should prove beyond a doubt the keenest 130,000 ounces, worth more than half a million sterling. The gold is extremely million sterling. The gold is extremely fine, and sometimes not to be detected without the aid of a pocket lens. No alluvial gold is found, and in this respect the district differs from most of the large gold season on \$400,000 worth of gold dust, shout double the amount they gave up frict differs from most of the large gold fields of the colony. The number and extent of the reefs promise not only a steady increase in the rate of production, but also furnish indications of its permanency. The tour having married a New York school tour having married a New York school. furnish indications of its permanency. The township of Wyatong, which occupies a site practically uninhabited in 1893, now boasts practically uninhabited of about 7,000, court house, banks. public and private schools, branch banks, church, public offices, several large hotels and numerous stores: allso postal, telegraphic and other facilities; all the direct, but unexpected, result of a Victorian set-tler taking up land in New South Wales.

### CANADIAN IRON.

Industries and Iron, London, Eng., observes that "Canada as a factor in the serves that "Canada as a factor in the world's iron supply is a new notion to many people, and beside last year's production of 11.773,934 tons of pig iron in the United States, the exports of the Dominion may appear like an item from a balance sheet from Liliput. But they do exist, and along their present diminudo exist, and along their present diminu-tive course are expanding a good percent-age, if not yet of a large amount. Since 1895 the exports of pig iron from Canada have steadily grown from 295 tons, valued at \$6,200, to \$2,403 tons, valued at \$61,000 practically three-fourths going to the United States, most of the remainder to Great Britain and

Council to Meet.—A meeting of the council of the British Columbia board of trade, the first since the annual meeting of that body, has been called for 11 o'clock this morning, when the annual report will be taken into consideration, revised in accordance with the expressed wishes of the board, and prepared for publication. General business of the board is also listed for transaction.

The Damage Was Settled.—The four men of Her Majesty's service who raised a commotion in a Japanese restaurant on Monday evening, were not required on Monday evening, were not required to appear in the police court dock yesterday. The injured Jap was on hand, of course, and so was an officer, who settled the bill of damages—amounting to \$33 in all. The men will have time, while settling for their fun, to meditate was it a coefficient.

Victoria Clearing House.—The returns

court. It was again before the court. It was again before the magistrate yesterday, when the taking of Mr.

David's Promotion.—The Miner is pav-Hilo narrowly escaped being wiped out by it.

The Port Albert will be in dock until Thursday morning. On the voyage here she passed a big four-masted vessel, apparently heading in this direction, in 32 N. 149% W.

She brings news from Honolulu that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner America Maru was still under detention at that

a case of black plague on board.

THE STORY OF AN AUSTRALIAN GOLD FIELD.

The romance of Australian gold mining is not inaptly illustrated by the history of the August 6, but that date being Sunday the heavest will be held on Monday the heavest will be held on

City of Nanaimo Chartered. - All the great lacrosse match, were effectually disposed of yesterday, when the City of Nanaimo was engaged for the Incidentally there is a ous craft in these waters. She will leave at 7 a.m., arriving at the Royal City before 1, and a rate of but \$1.50 The full team will repre-

purchased not long since by his brother. Charles Worden, \$250,000 being the price paid, according to Stanley senior. Since then Gage has purchased a splendid home at Adams Centre, N. Y. "I will take us about three years to work out our Eldorado mines," the wealthy Klondiker said. "That is, if we work as many men as we did last winter. But we would not have run such a large force had we known the royalty would remain 10 per cent. The Canadian government assured me that it would be clean-up set in, else we may not have

### DOES THIS STRIKE YOU?

Muddy complexion. Nauseating breath tons, valued at \$6.200, to \$2.403 tons, valued at \$61.000, practically three-fourths going to the United States, most of the remainder to Great Britain, and a small quantity to Newfoundland."

Middy complexion, Nauseating breath Blath's two valies, with Mr. Wood's, was comes from chronic constipation. Karl's recovered intact.

Clover Root Tea is an absolute cure and has been sold for fifty years on an absolute guarantee. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by Henderson Bros.

# Northern Placers

Over One Hundred Thousand **Dust Reaches Victoria on** Alpha Yesterday,

Brings Over One Hundred Passengers From Dawson and Atlin.

Little additional information to that already published was received yesterday through the arrival of the freighting steamer Port Albert from Honolulu of the volcano of Mauna Loa, which was in eruption. The steamer left Honolulu on July 13, nine days after the mountain broke out, but no one aboard had the pleasure of yitnessing it, Mount Mauna Loa being over 150 miles distant from the capital. In Honolulu, however, great excitement had been created, and people were leaving for Passengers could be landed within a few hours' ride by stage of the burning mountain, and could, it was said, go right to the cone. The huge streams of lava which were pouring out in different directions was not all finding its way to sea, and the crew of the Port Albert heard that quantities of it were threatening the destruction of several sugar plantations in close proximitry, already some of the residents of the district having deemed it necessary to leave their homes for other parts.

Work has been very modestly launched, it will interest all students of Indian lore to learn that the new book in two volumes by Mr. James Deans, of this city, dealing with the traditions, legends and history of the Northern Pacific coast tribes, is commanding an immediate sale and the crew of the Port Albert heard that only it will interest all students of Indian lore to learn that the new book in two volumes by Mr. James Deans, of this city, dealing with the traditions, legends and history of the Northern Pacific coast tribes, is commanding an immediate sale and information on a subject in which few are so competent to speak authoritative leaves from the interior to report. R. So with the traditions, legends and history of the Northern Pacific coast tribes, is commanding an immediate sale and history of the Northern Pacific coast tribes, is commanding an immediate sale to be valued. The work is ably edited, suitably illustrated, and replete with information on a subject in which few are so competent to speak authoritative limited to 600 volumes, and it is understood to be all but exhausted allowers and history of the Port Albert had only it will interest all students of Indian love to the new book in two volumes and history of the Port Albert heard that the new book in two volumes and two replacement of the post Albert heard that the new book in two volumes and two replacement to the new from Dawson, and write are from Dawson, and write are from Dawson, and write to eather the neighborhood of 100 of the passengers are from D Grant, Mr. Roberts, formerly of ands and works department, James Seeley and wife. All had been from the Victoria clearing house for dabbling some in mining, but none had the week ending yesterday were \$826,705; balances being \$294,502.

dabbling some in mining, but none had as yet accumulated much wealth. Personally he was glad to return to Victoria

have brought out from there considerable of the yellow dust. One of the re-Smith's evidence was completed, and Mr. Switts of his trip to the interior, according to the Skagway-Atlin Budget, has been the purchase of the Olive May, been the purchase of the Olive May, which will be entirely refitted and christhe handy medium-sized boats to his company's fleet, which have been so successful on the upper river. This company has not cut rates. Its prices it has an abundance of business at all times, on account of its reliability.

The Alpha left Skagway at noon o

Thursday, and had an uneventful trip down. Both going and on her return Capt J. D. Warren and his staff of officers were presented with address passengers in recognition of their indness and ability. The following Sept clippings are taken from the Alaskan of July 20, the day the Alpha sailed from

Skagway:
W. M. Botsford, provincial manager
of the Bank of Halifax, came out last night on the train with \$175,000 worth of gold dust, and left on the Humboldt for Vancouver. He accompanied the gold all the way from the branch house at Atlin City, and will personally see it to its destination. This sum represents the Atlin branch's business so far this season, and it is understood that the other banks will soon send out their gold.

layed for several days at Five Fingers, the steamer being unable to ascend the rapids on account of a broken capstan.

### SPEEDY JUSTICE.

Hotel Thief Arrested in the Afternoon

doubts as to a suitable steamer being available for Saturday's excursion to New Westminster, in connection with

action. A guest, Sigmund Blath by name, has been made-which is assurance that had during Sunday afternoon or evening been robbed of two valises containing property to the value of \$200 or more, and the proprietors of the house had no definite information to present calculated to facilitate the work of the law. There had been but one suspicious stranger in the hotel for days—an applicant for

work, whose description was given. It, too, was vague-a man with a grey over coat and glasses.

In the hope that such a man might be Detective Perdue and Mr. McKeon took a stroll, and fortune favoring them, came across the identical party at the corner of Pandora and Douglas streets.

He was asked where he lived and replied at the Osborne House. The officer walked there with him, and at the door

was halted by the stranger—who gave his name as James Williams—with the information that he had been "fooling."

He lived, he said, "wherever he might happen to be-in a boxcar or in the park. "And why did you not say so at first?" was the natural question of the detective.
"Well, I thought you might vag me," vas the ingenious reply. "I guess that's not a bad idea," said the letective, and Williams was walked to

olice headquarters.

When searched his pocket disclosed the nude in art than we can if we get card bearing the name of L. C. Wood, a guest at the Hotel Victoria who had lost valise a week ago. Williams made an immediate attempt to recover this piece of pasteboard, which he falteringly said "a man" had given him. The manner of the defence as much as the matter convinced the detective that he was on the right trail, and Williams—doubtless imagining that he was more effectually cornered than he really was—soon set all doubts at rest "That card gives me dead away, I guess," he said—and he then gave his correct ad-dress. It was quickly verified, and Mr.

dress. It was quickly verified, and Mr. Blath's two valises, with Mr. Wood's, was

SHARES, METALS AND GRAIN.

New York, July 25 .- The stock market only a few stocks to show any mov

Am, Sugar ...
Baltimore & Ohio....
Canadian Pacific ..... C.P.R. in London .. Commercial Cable in Montreal . . . . . 187½
Copper, firm; brokers, \$18.50; exchange, \$18.50. Lead, qulet; brokers, \$4.35; exchange, \$4.45. Tin, unsettled; straits, \$31.25 to \$31.75; plates, firm. Spelter, quiet; domestic, \$6.25. Rosin, steady. Turpentine, steady. Pig iron, firm; Southern, \$17.50 to \$20; Northern, \$18 to \$21.
Chicago, July 25.—Wheat closed: July, 70%; Sept., 73½. Corn, July, 32%; Sept., 32; Dec., 30%. Oats, July, 24%; Sept., 19½; Dec., 19%; May, 21%.

### The Market Exchange.

[Reported for the Colonist by Frank S Taggart & Co.]

Am. Sugar. C. B. & Q. St. Paul. Manhattan Gas R. I Am. Tobacco Atchison pf Atchison com	132½ 118 118½ 119¾ 98 61½ 19¾	197/8	156% 136% 132% 117% 117% 119 97% 61% 19%	137 132¼ 118¾ 118 119½ 97¾ 61¾
U. P. pf	43½ 69½ 73¼ 114⅓	43½ 69¾ 73% 115%	43½ 69 73⅓	43½ 69 73⅓ 115 77½
Wheat Sept	Open.	High.	Low. 701/8	Close.

### LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

[Reported by Cuthbert & Co.]

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TUESDAY, July 25. Some very large sales of Van Andas were made to-day at 11, 11% and 11%; in fact, at

company has a large amount of customs ore already bought.

The machinery is now installed on the Fontenoy mine in Camp McKinney, and is giving every satisfaction. It is understood that a compressor plant will also be installed. This property is fast becoming one of the big mines in Kootenay, and is, well spoken of by everybody who has seen it.

tions are unchanged. "Which is the best-to be lucky or rich?" ucky."-Chicago Record.

Minister-I am sorry I didn't see you at church yesterday, Tammus.

Tammus—Weel, ye see, it wis siccan a wat day it wasna fit to turn oot a dog in. But I sent the wife, sir.—Tit-Bits.

drive a bargain than at present, and the Premier doubted the expediency of doing even that very reasonable thing.

Curate-I never saw such a set of idiots as I had to preach to this morning.

Babel (one of the congregation)—I suppose that is why you kept on calling them "Dearly beloved brethren."—Tit-Bits.

"Have you heard from your son in the Philippines, Mrs. Parkins?"
"Oh, yes, indeed, Mrs. Jones. He writes "And is his heart in this war?" "I dont' exactly know. I judge from what he says that it is in his boots most of the time."-Harper's Bazar.

"I tell you," said the man with the chin whiskers and a silk hat, "it doesn't do to sneer at Chicago as a centre of intellect ind refinement. "All excuse for that has passed, has it?" "I should say so. Boston, nor New York, nor any other town can kick harder against

chance."-Washington Star. The Doctor-Let the little fellow ye all he wants to. Crying causes a baby's lungs to expand.

The Father—Then, by gum, I'm an

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New York, July 23.—The examination of 21 men charged with being implicated in the dynamite plot and explosion at Thirty-Fifth street and Fiftieth avenue, Brooklyn, on Wednesday morning last, took place to day in Adams street police court before men. They threaten to bring suit for false arrest.

Will Play Saturday.—The Maple Leaf baseball team met last evening and decided to go to Nanaimo on Saturday to play the Coal city team.

Customs Appointments.—James Malette and T. A. Allan have been appointed preventive customs officers by Collector Milne. The former succeeds the late James Hogarth at Victoria, while Mr. Allan goes on duty at Bella Coola.

tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis club opens to-day at the courts on
Belcher street, which were never in betto the resolution, the interested residents

W. H. G. Ellison was by resolution ordered in the vicinity to warn persons using the road who might not be familiar with the peculiar conditions—thereby inviting a seri-Belcher street, which were never in better playing condition. The entries are uncommonly numerous, and the fixtures for to-day—published in full in Sunday's issue—give promise of some exceedingly close and exciting matches. Entries for the open tourney, in which Seattle, Portland, Tacoma and the Mainland are almost certain to be well represented. lmost certain to be well represented,

have suffered severely this spring from the early-rising crows, and one of the lady residents of the Gorge neighborhood was bewailing her ill luck with small fruit yesterday. "I don't see where all the crows come from, or what brings them around," she said. "They have prove them around," she said. "They have on side streets crossing the much lineyt. never been such a nuisance "Oh, well, you rest assured there's something to draw them," put in a sym-"Crows never come round in flocks without caws."

van Anda, where the smelter is now running night and day, and it has since the 15th inst., without hitch or stop. Upwards of 50 tons of ore are being handled daily, the matte being extremely valuable—indeed far above what was anticipated. The owners of the smelter are reticent in regard to the value of the gold and silver in each ton treated, but it is known to be high. The copper value may be indeed from a constant of the constant of the smelter are reticent in regard to the value of the gold and silver in each ton treated, but it is known to be high. The copper value may be indeed from a constant of the constant \$50 per ton of ore treated, and all connected with the smelter have just cause to be satisfied. Mr. Treat, who has for years upheld the ultimate success of Van Anda, is of course receiving due recognition for his sagacity in the enterprise of which he is the head.

All In a Fireman's Life.—There are few who realize the dangers that the life of a fireman daily involves—dangers not only in the smoke and flame of a big conflagration, but more prosaic perils incidental to what may be termed rouincidental to what may be termed rou-tine duty. Fireman Percy Bradley, a made to-day at 11, 11½ and 11½; in fact, at one time during the day it looked as if the one time during the day it looked as if the other banks will soon send out their gold.

Mike King, of the V.-Y. T. Co., of Mike King, of the V.-Y. T. Co., of the sellers were brokers who had bought a the sellers were brokers who had bought a the sellers were brokers who had bought a time dury. Fireman Percy Bradley, a substitute who is acting for Fireman Moss during the latter's absence from the city, was the victim of one of these on Sunday. He was driving the chemical, in response to an alarm for a grass fire that looked threatening, and in turning the sellers were brokers who had bought as buildings and fences, some of the latter being scorched.

The Ottawa liar is at it again. This time he tells the United States press that Sir Charles Tupper's speech was "tantamount to a declaration for coalition government on all matters pertain Hotel Thief Arrested in the Afternoon and Sentenced in the Evening.

The world-famed promptitude of British courts to execute justice was well exemplified yesterday, when James Williams was committed to gaol for fifteen months on conviction for a theft accomplished not twenty-four hours before.

Incidentally there is a feather for the cap of Detective Perdue.

The Oriental hotel was the scene of the robbery that brought the police officer into a declaration for coalising the past few weeks, especially one on the Homestake, adjoining the galena Farm, and on the Texas, adjoining the property of the Northwest boundary line. Then he goes on with a fairy tale about Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposing to consult Sir Charles Tupper on all points hereafter. It is hardly necessary to tell Canadian at yesterday's quotation.

An important strike has been made on the Homestake, necessary to tell Canadian readers that this is utter rubbish. Sir Charles' speech was intended to force the government to declare for a certain government to a declaration for coalistic some important strikes of rich ore have been made in the Slocan country during the past few weeks, especially one on the Homestake of a reliable character as to when work will be resumed in the reason on the Homestake of a reliable character as to when work will be resumed in the slocan country during the property of the Northwest boundary line." Then he goes on with a fairy tale about Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposing to consult Sir Charles Tupper on all points hereafter. It is hardly necessary to tell Canadian readers that this is utter rubbish. Sir Charles' speech was intended to force the government to declare for a certain matter of the Northwest boundary line." Then he conviction for a reliable character as to when work will be resumed in the Slocan country during the calena Farm, and the resumed in the Slocan country during the calena Farm, and the resumed in the Slocan country during the canadian readers that this is utter rubbish. Sir Charles Tupper on all points her government considered itself quite able to manage the affairs of the country without any suggestions from the other To be rich. Then you don't have to be side of the house. So far from recom mending a resort to force, Sir Charles only suggested that the government should put itself in a better position to drive a bargain than at present, and the

Clara Barton's advancing years do not apparently diminish her activity, and she insisted on going to Cuba to personally review the work of the Red Cross

LIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

"Clemantine, what did you do with that curtain goods you bought last week?" "Well, it was entirely too loud for curtains, so I made a shirt-waist of it Chicago Record.

"You have been very good this norming, Willie," said the fond mar ma. "Now, what reward would you like?" "I would like to be allowed to be aughty all the afternoon."—Chicago

DYNAMITE FOR STREET CARS. New Terror in Travellers' Path in Cleve land and New York.

Cleveland, July 23.-A Euclid avenue car loaded with passengers, was wrecked by an explosion of nitro-glycerine or gun-cotton shortly before 11 o'clock to-night. Four persons were badly hurt.

New York, July 23.—The examination of

# Road Opened.

Citizens Tear Up New Sidewalks Serving to Barricade the Roadway.

Mass Meeting Decide to Bring Vexed Question to

fit of the property owner concerned.

on side streets crossing the much-in-evivehicular traffic

What the city council of Victoria have been pleased to refer to from time to time as "the Craigflower road question" manias "the Craigflower road question" mani-fests an inconvenient determination not to both Langford and Catherine streets were those in his employ. Out of the estimated cost of the work sufficient has been saved to face the sides of the reservoir and cement the bottom. So nearly complete is the work that to-day or to-morrow the reservoir will be first an inconvenient determination not to be kept down. It is quite as bad as Banquo's ghost in this particular—and while according to the aldermanic flat, the matter resumed saved to face the sides of the reservoir and cement the bottom. So nearly complete is the work that to-day or to-morrow the reservoir will be flushed out.

Banquo's ghost in this particular—and while according to the aldermanic flat, the matter was terminated and closed a few weeks ago,

Then the gathering of regulators adjourned size of the guardians of the law resumed their beats.

The sidewalk wreckers justified their according to the sidewalk wreckers justified their according to the sidewalk wreckers in this particular—and while according to the aldermanic flat, the matter was terminated and closed a few weeks ago, Club Tourney To-day.—The annual W. H. G. Ellison was by resolution ordered

When the by-law passed for the closing of certain portions of Craigflower road it the case might be postponed till the next The Philosophic Crow.—Numerous gardens and orchards in the suburbs that the city would not go to the length snappishly.

"On what ground?" asked the judge, that the city would not go to the length of fencing the land in dispute for the bene-

The carpenters completed their labors Van Anda is Booming.—Mr. Henry Saunders, Jr., returned yesterday from Van Anda, where the smelter is now making was indulged in to a limited extent

on exhibition at Messrs. E. J. Saunders & Company's, the sample weighing 92 pounds, and being 95 per cent. pure copper. The copper alone will give over \$50 per ton of \$200. construction.

few minutes what the carpenters had been hours in accomplishing.

In the most interesting part of the recedings came a forced intermission,
Constable Woods and Special Officer Ju-

son appearing as representatives of the city and of the majesty of the law to arrest the "ringleaders" in the summary pro-

ceedings. This was not a difficult matter to accom-This was not a difficult matter to accomplish, for the agitators for the retention of the open road are eminently respectable and law-ablding citizens.

Mr. William Adams was selected as the

victim of a test case, and marched to police headquarters—his friends, Messrs.

J. E. Painter and T. Redding, accompany-J. E. Painter and L. Reduing, accompanying him as a bodyguard of honor

At the station the officers decided that after all it would be perhaps best to summon Mr. Adams, and proceeded in the usual course when such matters as destruction o or operty require adjustment.

So Mr. Adams and his fellow-citizens went home to find that their associated advo-

cates of the open-door policy had not been

tion by saying that when the new sidewalks were completed no lights were placed

### MADE HIM TIRED.

The other day, toward the close of another case was called on, the leading

morning.
"On what ground?" asked the judge

all day in Court B, and am comp exhausted." 'Very well," said the judge; "we'll

take the next." Another counsel arose and also pleaded What, are you exhausted, too?" enquired the judge, with a snap of his eyelids. "What have you been doing?"
"Me Lud," said the barrister, in a wearied voice, "I have been listening to my learned brother."—Exchange.

Indians Sentenced.-In the speedy trichanged from robbery with violence to assault, and the Indians got off with heavy fines. Mr. and Mrs. Frozentoes fined \$100 each, or in default 3 nonths, and Silwayhim and his son, Thomas Jim. \$50 each, or 6 weeks.

Queen Victoria is preparing for the publication of another

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By Associated Press. London, July 28.-In t mons to-day the colonial ed the Liberals with an debate upon the govern Sir H. Campbell-Banner

er, said he thought that

negotiations pending, reti

must rule in the debate not sympathize with th to the franchise extende from the beginning to the to justify armed interv South Africa with one of be one of the direct The speaker pleaded and prudent action sympathizers at the reason why this should spicuous success, as su done in Canada in time r The secretary of state Mr. Chamberlain, opened reply, to declaring the Bannerman's language vembarrass the action of The grievance of the Ultla erlain said, were adm to be serious, but the mo the outrageous treatment were subjected, and whi settled policy pursued situation was a danger As regards the racial fewar, racial antagonism poisoning the community dissatisfaction in Cape Orange Free State was r action of the Transvas question of a five of se question of a nive of seven but of the power and Empire and of the position in South Africa. Referr of colonial help, Mr. Chi matters were happily ar always be a satisfact time of necessity the coupon the loyalty of the The house adopted the without a division after a

upon the South African In the House of Lords t down called attention situation. The Earl of ers followed, all declar ture from the recogn danger to the position not only in South Africa, the Imperial existence itself. Lord Selborne, for the colonies, made

to that made in the Ho London, July 29.—The mor erally express satisfaction come of yesterday's deba The Times says: "The recussion is all that the maire. If it has done not exploded the delusion that is at variance with Mr. B Salisbury in the Transvaal The Standard echoes the

The Daily News remarks measure of agreement w revealed between the Liber tive parties, and says: "is recognized it ought to effect in South Africa and c powerful settlement.'

MUST PAY GAS Companies May Cut Off

All Property of De London, July 28.-The has dismissed the appeal ment of the Supreme Co in the case of the Moniagainst Cadieux. Their I that a consumer was liab the gas supplied to him, the company was justified the gas from Cadieux's to cause he had not paid for

AERONAUTS' MIS One Alights in a Lake ar Another Killed by

Hillsdale, Mich., July 2

one of them.

hall, of North Adams, M yesterday afternoon. dropped in the middle Streator, Ill., July Thayer, of Niles, Mich., and was fatally injured h His wedding to Miss Co

city, was to have taken i CHICAGO LABOR T Chicago, July 28.-Offic ized labor here announce makers' strike is liable t general walkout of the b

unions, with a force of a Committees from the bric ance began their work to-MANY A LOVE

Has turned with disgust erwise lovable girl with breath. Karl's Clover Rolifes the breath by its act bowels, etc., as nothing els for years on absolute guar 25 cents and 50 cents. Solution Bros.