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Geneva or The Hague May Be

Chosen If Washington Is Not

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Days.

Thus far no decision has been reached. Paris and London have been eliminated from the question. It is understood that the Russian government objects to an Asiatic city, its preference being for some European capital. After objecting to the holding of the conference in Paris, the Japanese government expressed a willingness to consider other places which afforded adequate facilities, although it is assured that Japan's preference would be some Far Eastern city, practically within the theatre of war.

May Meet in Washington.

Finally, however, the selection seems

Ambassadors Reassured.

St. Petersburg, June 15.—(1:30 a. m.)
—Every foreign minister and ambassador now in St. Petersburg attended a reception given by Foreign Minister Lamsdorff yesterday afternoon. Several diplomats who displayed unnecessary nervousness earlier in the day over the concluding clause of the foreign office's communication in the Gazette, saying that "the imperial government has no objection in principle to the meeting of the plenipotentiaries proposed by President Roosevelt if the Japanese choress a desire, therefore were assured that

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NATIONALIST ELECTED.

Dublin, June 14.—Augustine Roche, Nationalist, was elected yesterday with-out opposition to represent Cork city in the House of Commons, succeeding Jas. O'Brien, deceased.

BEWARE COSTA RICA BANANAS. Young Boa Constrictor Found in Bunch of Fruit at Boise.

Boise, Idaho, June 14.—Ben Walker Selected.

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THE MOROCCAN SITUATION.

ASHINGTON, June 14.—Gradually the negotiations for peace in the Far East are nearing a focus. The one point to which the energies of those directly concerned in them are being directed is the choice of a place for holding the conference of plenipotentiaries of the beligerent powers. It is known officially that three cities are now under consideration by Russia and Japan. These cities named in the order of likelihood of their final selection are Washington, The Hague

Thus far no decision has been consideration.

Contractors on Mexican Railroad Find

SITUATION IN SWEDEN. abor Unions Advise Norwegians That They Will Not Take up Arms.

Finally, however, the selection seems to have narrowed down to the three cities named. Objections have been made by the Japanese to The Hague, but it is not believed that these objections are fundamental or unalterable. However, as the situation is, Washington seems the most likely city to be chosen.

An announcement of the place for holding the conference is expected in a few days. So far President Roosevelt has acted only as an intermediary between Russia and Japan in the negotiations regarding the selection of a place of conference. He is in no sense of the term arbiter in the matter, and at this time there is no probability that he will be the arbiter. It is expected that Russia and Japan will be able to reach an agreement without the assistance of an arbiter. Should a deadlock ensue—a condition that is regarded as quite unlikely—it is not improbable that the President may be asked by the two powers to name a place of conference.

Ambassadors Reassured. Stockholm, June 14.—The attitude of the laboring classes is likely to prove a potent factor in overcoming any possible disposition on the part of a section of cepting the dissolution of the union of Norway and Sweden. Swedish labor unions are daily telegraphing to Norway unions saying that they will refuse to take up arms, and the social democratic party has issued a proclamation saying the workingmen will go on strike over the whole country if the Riksdag comes to such a decision.

FORTIFYING KIAOCHOU. Probable That Wei-Hai-Wei Will Receive More Attention.

London, June 14.—The foreign office this afternoon, when shown the Associated Press announcement that Germany had determined to fortify Kiaochou bay (the German concession on the Shintung paninsula, China), which news is not yet published in London, said it was impos-

Will Organize Gigantic Rival to United States Steel Corporation.

The foreign office is in constant communication with Count Cassini, the ambassador at Washington, but beyond the statement that nothing has been arranged, it vouchsafes no information. The chances of the meeting taking place in the United States, however, seem to have vanished. As announced in the Associated Press despatches Sunday the Choice of Russis is Paris. Associated Press despatches Sunday the

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Baron Rosen's instructions remain unchanged. He will proceed to the United States on June 28.

It now appears possible that the question of an armistice may be arranged at or near the seat of war, and it is possible that Pekin may be the place selected for taking up this subject. In any case the negotiations relative to an armistice and the point for the meeting of the plenipotentiaries have reached a stage where a final decision is considered imminent.

Words Cause Comment.

It is reported that the guns are to be replaced by range finders and that similar orders were to be issued regarding other battleships. The news of the victory of Admiral Togo in the battle of the Sea of Japan is said to have influenced the decision to put range finders in place of the one-pounders which have occupied the tops.

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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1905.

remier Refers to Plans for Recon-struction of Fleet

Madrid, June 14.—In the chamber to-day Premier Villaverde made an opti-mistic budget statement. He pointed out that four successive years had closed with a surplus and referred to the plans of the government for the re-construction of the fleet, which, he said, would necessitate an expenditure of \$79,200,000. The surplus the past year was \$9,060,000.

IMPROVING BRITISH WHEAT. Great Results Expected From Experiments Lately Carried Out.

Washington, June 14.—A plan to improve the quality of British wheat has been reported to the department of agriculture by its European agents. The report says that during the past two years experiments likely to reach important practical results have been carried on by the national association of British and Irish millers. The millers hope the declining industry can be revived, successful competition with the best imported wheat made possible and the business of wheat growing in the

Alberni, June 14.—(Special)—A meeting of the Alberni Liberal Association, held Tuesday night for the purpose of determining the line of action in connection with the vacant seat, it was resolved to indicate the choice of the association for a prospective candidate at the coming election.

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MR. McINNES' RESIGNATION

disposed to Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, and welcomed his appointment to the honorable position of Commissioner of the Yukon. Therefore, it will be readily understood that its remarks made in connection with his resignation are not to be construed as in any way a reflection upon that gentleman. It was, however, suggested—not on his authority as far as we know—that there was no necessity for the immediate resignation of his seat in the Legislature, and that, indeed he might even continue to sit in that body. The fact that there is no law against such a procedure does not alter the ethical aspect of his acting in the suggested dual that there is no law against such a procedure does not alter the ethical aspect of his acting in the suggested dual capacity. The law, properly regarded, is only the crystallization of a right principle; or, in other words, gives effect to a line of conduct that ought to be observed, even in the absence of any law. All laws, unfortunately, are not based on such ethical considerations, but, ideally considered, should be. The law abolishing dual representation was passed, because of the manifest anomalies arising out of it. Mr. McInnes, alter a string out of i

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J. F. Bledsoe was chosen by a large majority on the first brilet, and the Pope won. He twitted Colonel Domville about his cables to the Emperor of Japan congratishting him on the choice made unanimous.

Four delegates were chosen to the nominating convention, Messrs. Forrest, Huff, Waterhouse and Redford.

The exact date of the convention is not fixed.

Hon, W. W. B. McInnes arrived in Alberni at noon and is around saying good-bye and receiving congratulations from his many friends.

The BYE-ELECTIONS.

The results in the bye-elections yester-day were favorable to the Government at the contract of the standard of the contract of the contract of the Emperor of Japan and proceeded to give as an instance an occurrence durant of the contract of the contract of the standard of the contract of the con

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LINEVITCH'S REPORT.

Japanese Occupy Village After Battle Dominion

Belief at Anacortes That Similkame Line Will Terminate There.

Anacortes, Wn., June 14.—People here believe that the substantial nature of the Great Northern extension four miles along the waterfront to Barrows bay, indicates that this point will be the

side.

Bellingham, June 14.—Governor Mead of Washington tonight received the third degree of Masonry. The grand lodge's meeting here voted to gather at Spokane next year.

BUYING OFF STRIKES. Chicago Union Leader Tells Grand Jury of Much Crookedness.

Chicago, June 14.—John C. Driscoll, the much-desired witness in the investigation conducted by the states attorney and the grand jury in connection with strike troubles in Chicago, appeared before the inquisitors this afternoon for three hours. The proceedings were kept secret but it was said that Driscoll did not tell all the startling stories of corruption accredited to him yesterday. At the adjournment of the jury tonight Assistant States Attorney Fake said he was well pleased with the results thus far obtained from Driscoll. Before going before the jury Driscoll was in conference with States Attorney Healy. At this meeting Driscoll agreed to tell what he had a process and the states attorney Healy.

SINKING OF ST. KILDA.

Government Requested to Take Action Against Russians.

News Notes

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR.

Separate Schools' Receive But Scant Consideration by General Assembly.

Ontario Minister of Lands and Mines Returned by Acclamation.

Twelve Hundred Men and Boysgo on Strike at Am. herst.

INGSTON, June 14.—At this morning's session of the general assembly, it was aunounced that on endeavor would be made to conclude the business tonight. The notice of motion of Rev. Mr. Mc-Beth regarding separate schools will re-

from congregations to membership and givings.

Hon. Cochrane Returned.

North Bay, Ont., June 14.—Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of lands and mines for Ontario, was elected by acclamation in East Nipissing yesterday.

London, June 14.—Hon. Mr. Hyman's majority in London was 329. The total figures are: Hyman, 4587; and Gray (Cons.), 4253.

Woodstock, June 14.—Smith's majority in North Oxford was 349, the total figures being: Smith, 2855; Wallace, 2506.

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Miners on Strike.

Amherst, June 14.—Twelve hundred:
men and boys employed by the Cumberland Coal and Railway Co. at Springhill, N. S., are on strike because of the
dismissal of a lamp cleaner named
Hyatt, whom the men claimed was unjustly dismissed, and whom the company
claim was incompetent to fill the position.

Reward for Murderer.

Rossland, B. C., June 14.—The provincial authorities have offered a reward of \$500 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the murderer or murderers of the late Michael Clark, whose dead body was found covered with stones near the track of the Red Mountain railway. His skull had been beaten in with a pick handle that was found covered with blood near the body. William H. Bullock Webster, chief provincial constable, has worked on the case unceasingly since the body was found, but so far has no definite clew.

PRESENTED TO KING EDWARD.

Loudon, June 14.—Wilson Marshall, of the New York Yacht Club, owner of the yacht Atlantic, which won the trans-Atlantic race for the cup presented by Emperor William of Germany, was presented to King Edward today.

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June 14. An automobile occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sayer, of Englewood, N. J., and their two sons was struck by an Erietrain near Goshen today. Mr. and Mrs. Sayer were instantly killed and their sons badly injured. They will not live. The chaffeur saved his life by jumping thefore the train struck the automobile.

BRITT AND SULLIVAN.

Baltimore, Mr., June 14.—On behalf Kid Sullivan, his manager, Al Her-

St. Petersburg, June 15.—The Liberal of paper Nashna Shisn, without mentioning may Rear Admiral Nebogatoff, prints promition in the property of inently a translation of Daudet's historical sketch of John Byng, the English additional who in 1757 was shot on the quartity terdeck of his own ship for cowardice. The Admiral Byng commanded an expedit with the blockaded by the French. He make the blockaded by the French. He make the blockaded by the French. He make the dand was accused of cowardice. Was in the Monarque at Portsmouth on Marchant 14, 1757.

If Condemned Can Raise \$700 He Wills II Have Reprieve.

Chicago, June 14.—Johann Hoch, who was sentenced to be hanged Jane 23 for the mu der of one of his numerous wives may be given one more chance to escape the gallows. In a conference held here today Governor Deneen assured counsel for Hoch that in case the state atterney's office is assured by Wednesday, June 21, that sufficient money is forthcoming to provide for taking the ease to the Suppreme court of Illinois, a reprieve will be granted until the October term. The sum is \$700.

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Meeting Place Is Discussed

Both Belligerents Express Will-Ingness to Negotiate Terms of Peace.

Plenipotentiaries and Time and Place Will Soon Be Settled.

Japan's Reply Was Prompt and and More Definite Than Russia's.

Washington, June 12.—Official assurance that the President's efforts in the effort to bring Russia and Japan together to discuss peace will be crowned with success was brought to the White House today by Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, who called by appointment, and in the name of Emperor Nicholas formally accepted the President's offer of good-will.

The following official statement regarding the conference was issued at

The following official statement regarding the conference was issued at the White House: "Ambassador Cassini has called to express the Russian government's assent to the President's proposition and to state that they would appoint plenipotentiaries to meet the plenipotentiaries of Japan to discuss the question of peace. The

discussed."

During the past two weeks the President's efforts have been directed towards bringing the belligerents into amicable contact on the basis of a mutual agreement to consider terms of peace. This he accomplished finally today. It remains now for the belligerent powers to name their plenipotentiaries and agree on a time and place for them to meet to discuss terms and negotiate a treaty of peace. These details are now under consideration with a bright prospect that such minor differences as may exist will be removed within a few days.

Conferences of supreme importance

within a few days.

Conferences of supreme importance were held today in Washington. The blue room of the White House was the scene, and President Roosevelt, Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and Kogoro Takahira, the Japanese minister, were the principal conferees. President Roosevelt now has unequivocal assurances from both Russia and Japan of the acceptance of his proposition that they enter on that they enter on

Negotiations for Peace.
The President likewise is assured of the absolute sincerity of both governments in acceding to his suggestion.

Japan was the first of the two powers to indicate its acceptance of President Roosevelt's proposition. The formal response to his identical note of Thursday last was received from the Japanese government Saturday. Informal assurances of acceptance of the President's suggestion were received from the Russian government a little later; but the assurances from St. Petersburg were not of the definite character as had been received from Tokio. Early today United States Ambassador Meyer at St. Petersburg informed the American government that Russia had accepted the President's proposition and would make representatives with plenary powers to meet plenipotentiaries of Japan. While satisfactory, the response was not in the same definite form as that of Japan. It had been the expectation of the President to publish to the world the replies of the two governments to his identical note, but under the circumstances this could not be done.

Count Cassini's Message.

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Briefly the situation is this: Japan does not want Paris and Russia does not favor Mukden or Chefoo. Both are opposed to Washington for climatic reasons, though neither would oppose the selection of an American watering place, and ambing those already mantioned are

Second Lieut. William G. Blaisdell, navigating officer of the U. S. revenue cutter Rush, who is well known in this city, was drowned in San Francisco bay. The Rush reached San Francisco from Portland a week ago, casting anchor off Sausalito about 8 o'clock Monday evening. Shortly before midnight Lieut. Blaisdell bade his brother officers goodnight, and went on deck clad in his shirt and trousers. Since that time nothing has been heard from him. He was not missed until 2 o'clock, and then a search of the ship was made, but without avail. Neither the boatswain nor the ship'r watch saw the officer, and it is considered certain that he met his death in the waters of the bay.

FIRE AT WALLA WALLA.

Walla Walla, June 12.—Fire which started in East Main street early this morning destroyed the agricultural implement house of John Smith & Co., livery stables of Dr. H. H. Davidson, residence of James McAuliff, small dwelling of Harry Krutz of Seattle, and the Barker building, owned by Jacob Betz of Tacoma. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. Insurance \$15,000.

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called at the White House toxicht by appointment to discuss with the President the selection of a place for the peace conference. This subject had been selection of a place for the peace conference with the Japanese minister during the afternoon. Company, was sine learned from the President Japanese minister during the afternoon. Company, was is understood, communicated this information to his government. On one formation to his government on the point Count Cassini and Minister Takapolitic agreed, and that is the undesirability of Washington for a midsummer conference. What else was talked about at the conference is not known. Situation in Brief. Situation in Brief. Situation in Brief. Situation in Brief. Astounding Tales of the Dover, N. H., June 12.—P. Burrows, and Englishman who had come here, it is charged under contract to be assistant superintendent the new Yelvet Coche Manufacturate to be assistant superintendent to the manufacturate to be assistant superintendent to the manufacturate to be assistant superintendent to be assistant superintendent to be assistant superintendent to be understood, communicated this incomplete to be assistant superintendent to be assi

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ton, Gen. MacKinnon, and the agents general of most of the colonies. The Prince of Wales, who was wearing the uniform of a colonel of the King's Colonials, arrived at the cathedral punctually at noon. "Yea, though I walk through the Valley" was sung by the choir. Immediately on the close of the anthem, the Dean and Chapter moved off in procession to the memorial. As His Royal Highness arrived at the memorial, the guard of honor from the King's Colonials presented arms. The memorial was draped with a large Union Jack, which was held in position by two blue-jackets. Taking from the hands of Princess Louise a silken cord, His Royal Highness drew aside the flag, disclosing the memorial. His Royal Highness said: "To the glory of God and in honored memory of the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the colonial troops who fell in the South African War I unveil this memorial and commit it to the care of the Dean and Chapter of this cathedral for ever." The National Anthem was then played, and imdiately afterwards the cathedral rang to the notes of the "Last Post," blown by the bugiers of the Coldstream Guards. Dean Gregory pronounced two dedicatory prayers, at the close of which the hurders was a the close of which the hurders was a the close of which the hurders are the general of the colonials. The same of the general purchase scould be a such as the colonial to the colonial troops who fell in the South African War I unveil this memorial and commit it to the care of the Dean and Chapter of this cathedral for ever." The National Anthem was then played, and implicately afterwards the cathedral rang to the notes of the "Last Post," blown by the bugiers of the Coldstream Guards.

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by the buglers of the Coldstream Guards. Dean Gregory pronounced two dedicatory prayers, at the close of which the buglers sounded the "Reveille." The procession then returned to the Chancel. the King's Colonials again presenting arms to the Prince as he passed between the ranks.

LUMBER FOR PANAMA.

Bellingham, Wn., June 12.—Today the E. K. Wood Lumber Co. and Bel-lingham Bay Improvement Co. mills here began cutting 7,000,000 feet of

lumber for the Panama canal on contraction the United States government.

NO QUARANTINE AT NOME.

"That Strong Man"

British Press Unstinted in its

No Foreign Power Has Acquired Rights in Danish West Indies.

A FIENDISH OUTRAGE.

Loudon, June 13.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Times says: "It is no exaggeration to say that President Roosevelt is the most popular man in Russia today. The President's rare insight, aided by the skill and tact of his ambassador (Mr. Meyer) enabled him to gauge the proper moment at which to offer advice which the initiator of The Hague peace conference could not refuse." Pittsburg, Pa., June 12.—Two bombs were found today on the premises of the Springfield public school of this city by Lewis Balter, the jauitor. Both were made of zine and in the interior was the usual guncotton, metal tube and powder. They were about two inches in diameter, several inches long and fitted with a brass cap. Both are now in the possession of the authorities. No reason can be given for the selection of the school as the object of any attempted outrage. There are a number of Russian families in the vicinity of the school, many of Hague peace conference could not refuse."

Glowing tributes to President Roosevelt's successful diplomacy again occupy the foremost place in the London morning newspapers. The Morning Post in an editorial characterizes it as both a personal and national triumph and declares that no other man could have ventured to even attempt what President iRoosevelt has accompilshed. Continuing, the Morning Post says: "No President since. Lincoln has impressed himself on the imagination and respect of Europe and Asia. His success implies acknowledgment of the moral position. The Daily Chronicle calls it the splendid beginning of the President's determination to pursue a "world policy," while the Daily Telegraph, again insisting on the in the vicinity of the school, many of whom, it is said, are, so far as Russia is concerned, intensely anarchistic. In view of this the police are conducting their investigations amongst the foreigners.

Union Men and Japanese Decide Take Prices Named.

Senator Mitchell's Attorneys Argue Against Indictment.

Portland, June 12.—(Special)—Attorneys for U. S. Senator Mitchell argued his demurrer against the indictment charging complicity with the land frauds before United States District Judge De Haven here today. He claims the indictment should specify the amounts received for each claim the government alleges he expedited. Senator Mitchell is charged with using his influence with the government officials for a consideration to secure patents to lands which it is alleged should not have been issued. Decision was reserved.

GERMANY IN MOROCCO.

London, June 12.—A despatch from Fez, Morocco, says: "German friend, skip for Morocco has already been warded by several minor commercial commercial commercial commercial second concessions. This is regarded in diploid the suitable of coract compilications if other grants follow, because it would change the state que and perhaps cause France, it is stated that the deep for the works and an angel, the made numberless statements, among the proposed international confirmation of the proposed international confirmation of the proposed international confirmation of the confirmation of the company span for a term years. The company obtained to the company dependent attitude, while the Moorish ship is the count is credited with having the prepared to protect him against France. It is stated that the Moorish officials are reconciled to the possibility of the proposed international confirmation of the confirmation of the company span for a term years. The company obtained for a term years. The company antice the wind was helping several other the wind was helping aga

St. Thomas, D. W. I., June 12.—The governor-general of St. Thomas, Capt. Christian Coild, made the following statement today to the correspondent of the Associated Press: The reports to the effect that a foreign power has acquired righs in St. Thomas or any other place in the Danish West Indies, are void of any truth. The coal wharves and ship repairing workshops here are private business undertakings. War island (where a coaling station is said to have been established by the Hamburg-American Steamship Co.) is owned by a private individual. The incorpect reports are presumably due to the attention which various efforts to improve the harbor of St. Thomas have aroused in competing neighboring islands. Theodore Roosevelt the Most

Deadly Bombs Found at Pittsburg Public School.

ACCEPT CANNERS' OFFER.

proposition.

Peter Molly, a logger, has been killed at Patterson camp. Loughboro inlet. Molly was engaged in the woods when a tree fell on him before he could get out of the way, crushing his legs and injuring him internally. He died in a few minutes.

understood that the great powers are actively engaged in extending views on the stuation, and according to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Telegraph Emperor William is communicating direct with Emperor Nicholas.

An interesting sidelight on the Far Eastern developments comes from Melbourne, where former Premier Deakin has drawn attention to the striking growth of three naval powers, revealed in recept events, namely, the United States, Germany and Japan, and to Australia's comparatively defenceless condition with sixteen foreign naval stations within striking distance of her shores. Mr. Deakin calls on Australians to make sacrifices and extend the defensive armaments on land and on sea. APPEAL TO GREAT POWERS.

Norway Will Shortly Ask for Nationa

Christiania. June 12.—Mr. Loveland, former president of the section of Norwegian council of state at Stockholm, who will be inducted into his new office of foreign minister of Norway on June 15, in an interview with the correspondent of the Associated Press said that a special envoy would within a few weeks be despatched to the great powers to seek the recognition of the diplomatic and consular representatives of Norway. OREGON LAND FRAUDS.

Decision was reserved

Sultan Already Has Granted Some Additional Privileges.

Tokio, June 12.—Official announcement is made at the headquarters of the imperial army that a detachment of Japanese cavalry succeeded in dislodging Russian cavalry in the vicinity of Hsiyingtsu, six miles south of Lioyangwopeng. Hsipingjing, two miles southwest of Hsiyingtsu, was occupied.

Another force defeated the Russians near Siaochengts, 18 miles north of Kangping and Kaochiawopeng, two miles northeast of Siaocheutsu, an eminence was occupied north of Siaopitang, two miles east of Kaochiawopeng, and ten miles west of Liaoyangwopeng.

London, June 12.—In the absence of the cabinet ministers and ambassadors at country places for the Whitsuntide holidays, nothing further was ascertainable here today respecting British action in support of President Rooser veit's efforts to bring about peace negotiations between Russia and Japan. It is understood that besides cordially supporting the steps taken by the President to bring the belligerents together, the British government is urging its ally to submit the most lenient terms which Japan considers possible under the circumstances. The foreign office declined to make a statement in the absence of Foreign Secretary Lansdowne, but probably the House of Commons, on reassembling, will be informed of the action by government.

The lighting penetrated the electric room on the Senate side and destroyed a transformer. There was considerable excitement for the time being, as the smoke penetrated the entire wing.

Nanaimo Strike May Be Averted

Delegate From Western Federation Talks Hopefully of Settlement.

Mr. Hawthornthwalte Suggests a Government Investigation of Troubles.

rom Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, June 12.-J. H. Hawthorn-

Mr. Hawthornthwaite has also written the secretary of the Western Federation of Miners asking that they delay any contemplated action pending his reply from the government.

Proposal to Consolidate Three Corporations Connected With Equitable.

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Harbinger of Peace.

Daniel Livingstone, delegate from the econvention of the Western Federation of Miners, recently held in Salt Lake City, returned home yesterday. In the course of an interview this evening, Mr. Livingstone stated that he was empowered by the executive of the Western Federation of Miners to open negotiations with the Western Fuel Co. for a settlement of the present labor troubles. In pursuance of this, he interviewed Mr. Stockett and Manager Grahame this afternoon, and was informed by those gentleman that the company had under consideration a scheme by which the men could be conveyed to Protection shaft cheaper and more comfortably than they had at first proposed. After this was completed, negotiations would at once be opened between the Western Federation of Miners and the colliery company, and an endeavor be made to reach a settlement, which Mr. Livingstone thinks

Can Be Accomplished.

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**Western Fuel Co. for a settlement of the present labor troubles. In pursuance of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, held by James H. Hyde. Mr. Ryan's plan was reported today to be to consolidate the Equitable Trust, the Mercantic Trust and the Morton Trust companies, all of this city, which has deposits of \$185.

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without much difficulty. Asked as to whether he intended to make a settlement without the assistance of the United Mine Workers, Mr. Livingstone said it was intended to ignore them altogether and whatever arrangements were made with the company would be submitted to all underground men, who individually would be allowed a vote on the question at issue.

In view of the present state of affairs it is expected that the strike will be amicably settled within a very short

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British Columbia Fruit Packers Receive High Compliment From Department.

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LARGE NUGGETS FOUND. wo-ounce Lump From Quartz Picked Up Near Nelson.

Nelson, June 12.—(Special)—A nugget of gold weighing two ounces was found today upon the Greenhorn property, near here, by the proprietors, E. O. Nelson and J. P. Sweborg. The property is situated between the Poorman and Granite, and the vein is white quartz from two to four feet wide. Other nuggets up to a half ounce in weight were found at the same time in a lot of 175 tons of quartz sent for crushing. The discovery has caused some excitement locally.

M. WITTE THE MAN. Russians Look to Celebrated States-man to Conduct Negotiations.

St. Petersburg, June 12.—(7:30 p. m.)

—The warring countries, having both formally agreed to try and conclude thwaite, M. P. P., has submitted to peace, the next step, it is explained peace, the next step, it is explained here, will be the first direct exchange, in which Japan is expected to take the initiative by indicating, doubtless through an intermediary at Washington her views as to the time and place. Take Prices Named.

Vancouver, June 12.—There will be no strike on the Fraser this year. Late Saturday the fishermen's union met and it was decided that if the Japanese accepted the conditions of the canners the white fishermen would do the same. A delegation was appointed to visit the Japanese associated management in the position. The delegation was appointed to visit the Japanese associated that the price of fish will be twelve and a half cents per fish for July, and ten cents afterwards, with a limit of 200 to the boat.

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contemplate also the elimination of control of subsidiary companies by Equitable Life Assurance Society.

MONTREAL GAS QUESTION. Toronto World to Be Sued for Libel Against City Council.

Montreal, June 12.—At a meeting of the city council today, a letter was received from the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co. stating that the company could not, in view of the onerous conditions accept the terms laid down by the city council as a condition for the extension of the company's gas franchise for a term of years. The company objects to the provision made for expropriation of the company's gas plant at the end of any year, and also to the provision that it may be taken over on its value as a going concern, which means without taking into account the value of the franchise. Finally the company announced that it was prepared to negotiate further with the city. It is not very likely that this will be done, as there was much opposition to the terms which the company declared to be unsatisfactory, so that anything the company would declare suitable would be very apt to be even more unsatisfactory to the eftizens. It would be some and the municipal ownership proposition would Montreal, June 12.—At a meeting of

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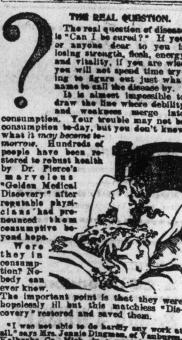
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JUMPED UNDER TRAIN. Newspaper Pressman Who Once Lived Dominion

Prominent Lawyer and Acting Governor or Passes Away in New York.

Seattle, June 13.—Judge H. G. Struve, one of the most prominent lawyers in the Northwest, died thexpectedly while in New York today. He was once acting governor of Washington territory, and a pioneer of Seattle. The body will be brought here for burial.

MITCHELL TO STAND TRIAL.

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Outrage at Everett Damages Officer's

Newspaper Pressman who Unde Lived Here Commits Suicide.

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P. J. Ford, a newspaper pressman, a fugitive from the Sau Francisco police, three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en who lived in Victoria for several months, ford was a functive from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family row three years ago, committed suicide en front of a Northern Pacific train bound from Tacoma to Portland, in a family r

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Mr. McBride pointed out that such a commission would be obliged to sit at Fernie and other points to ascertain whether the Western Fuel Co. has been placed at any real disadvantage by the act or not. Mr. Hawthornthwaite point do ut that the miners here have been locked out of No. 1 mine for the past twelve days on the ground that the company is placed at a distinct disadventage by the act.

The premier in reply stated that no representation of these facts has been made to the government, and suggests that Mr. Hawthornthwaite should go to Victoria tomorrow morning to discuss the matter fully with the government, and ascertain if it is possible to make some settlement that will not be injurious to either the company or the men.

Berlin, June 13—An invested in Millionaire William M. Rice.

A CANADIAN INVASION.

Permission Grande 53rd Regiment to Visit United States.

Augusta, Me., June 13.—Responding States Secretary of State Loomis at Washington, Governor William T. Cobb today granted permission to the state in order that it may participate in a military carnival at Portland, Me.

TO FORTIFY KIAOCHOU.

Germany Gives Order to Erect Forts in Far East.

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PATRICK MUST HANG. Exchange of Communications With the New York Court Declines to Interfere Government.

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Nanaimo, June 13.—Mr. Hawthorn-thwaite stated this afternoon that he had received communications from Premier McBride in regard to his suggestion that a commission be appointed to deal with the matter of settling the coal mine trouble here.

Albany, N. Y., June 13.—The court of appeals today refused to grant a stay of execution of the death sentence on a motion of a rearrangement in the matter of settling the coal mine trouble here.

Negotiations

Russian Government Takes the People Into Its Confidence on Situation.

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The dividing point between the traffic until the millenium is ushered in it is to coming by way of Suez and Panama will be feared that there will always be some

be Singapore; but it is pointed out that the area east of Singapore is teeming with opportunity for Panama cargo, and includes Japan, China, the East Indies, Australia and New Zea'and and the Philippine archipelago. Some of these are new, developing countries, and others are embraced in what is described as "the better his be is to defend himself the both that the whole Pacific coast of South America should be wrested from England, and its banking done through New York instead of London and Hamburg. The attention of the United States is particularly called to the fact that they export only a triffe more than three per cent. of what they manufacture. Their exports to South America should be reserved by the complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to become a professional soldier. The only present \$1 per head of the population, facilities south under the American flag, the adage that "trade follows the finage" out to be handed to make the lack of transportation facilities south under the American flag, the adage that "trade follows the finage" out to be a complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to become a professional soldier. The only prictical results of his experience are that they export only a triffe more than three per cent. of what they manufacture. Their exports to South America flag, the complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hundred it leaves no desire to be complete a term, but in ninety-nine access of a hund

the art of boxing does not make a man heads off; the playing of football does not tend to make men chronic "kickers" An important statement is made as experience, we think, will show quite follows: "By way of Panama, the wa- the contrary in each case. Military ter distance between New York and San training is a superior form of physical Francisco is to be shortened 8,000 miles, training, which should be encouraged in and practically the same to Yokohama, schools as much as possible. It is not Shanghai, the Philippines and Hawaii. only physical, but mental and moral in New Orleans will be benefitted even in its effects. This is true particularly of greater measures. Better still, every the young. It tends to develop alert-town on the Mississippi river from St.

Louis to New Orleans will be endowed other desirable qualities. No one denies

A generation hence the movement of Turning to the national side of the traffic down the Mississippi, on the way question, the art of self-defence is quite to the isthmus, is certain to be enor- as desirable to be learned for the people collectively as individually. In time of peace we must be prepared for war, and

was ever been heard of against Lumley by men who have known him intimately for twelve years.

The whole tenor of the article is obviously and wiffully malicious, and suggests that it was penned for the express purpose of hurting Lumley. It has missed its mark. Everywhere men who up till now were indifferent about the appointment or preferred Ego to Lumley, are loud in their denunications of the dishonest and underhand means used to damage him.

For the sake of an old and important local paper, the honesty of which is called in question. I look anxiously for your promot disavowal of any participation in this matter.

CLIVE PHILLIPPS-WOLLEY, J. P. Pier Island, June 9, 1905.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

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MACLENNAN—At the residence of her son-in-law, J. A. McIntosh, Elford avenue, on the 14th inst., Eliza A. MacLennan, relict of the late James P. MacLennan, a native of Picton, Nova Scotia; aged 79.

WIFFEN—At the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, on the 14th instant, Ellen Martha, relict of the late Charles S. Wiffen, a native of Suffolk, England; aged 81 years. The Sprott-Shaw BUSINESS VANCOUVER, B.C.

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Local*News

(From Tuesday's Daily.) The Alberni Seat—Although Hon. W. W. B. McInnes is now governor of the Yukon he has not yet resigned his seat for Alberni in the local legislature, and a hint has been dropped in local Liberal circles that he will refrain from doing so until such time as the Liberal candidate shall have been selected and given an opportunity to thoroughly canvass the district.

Under New Regime—The first new arrival in the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway service under the new regime came to the residence of Mr. Fred Brown, head agent of the line, on Esquimalt road, on Sunday morning, when a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown.

Indians and Hootch—Provincial Constable Dan Campbell last night arrested two Saanich Indians and a klootchman who were in possession of intoxicants in contravention of the terms of the Indian act, and shortly afterwards Police Constable Fry arrested John Blackmore, who is accused of supplying liquor to the Indians.

Hockings—Richardson—The marriage of Emily Maud Richardson, daughter of J. Richardson, of this city, to John Cornelius Hockings, of Asheroft, took place in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last evening, Rev. W. Leslie Clay officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Maud Fox and Thos. J. Hockings acted as groomsman. Jesse Longfield presided at the organ, and there was a large number of friends and relatives present. The happy couple leave for Ashcroft this morning, where they will take up their residence.

Steel For Big Hotel—A carload of steel girders to be used in the construction of the superstructure of the big C. P. R. tourist hotel has reached the city, and this will be quickly followed by other similar shipments. The contract for the furnishing of the ouilding brick has been awarded to M. Humber & Sons who will supply 2,750,000. This does not include the pressed brick for the facing, which will be obtained elsewhere. A number of men are at present at work at the site, building benches for the use of the stonecutters, who will be put to work at an early date.

Mining Engineers—A meeting of the local branch of the Provincial Mining Association was held yesterday afternoon at the office of Rowland Machin for the purpose of discussing plans for the entertainment of the members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, who meet in convention here the first week in July. It was decided to have a committee, consisting of Frank I. Clarke, the secretary, and Mr. Machin wait on the minister of mines this morning, and request that a classified exhibit of Vancouver Island ores be arranged for, the same ver Island ores be arranged for, the same to be placed in position in the minera

A Shameless Thief—A local journalist went to fish on Sunday at Saanich Arm. but he did not fish. When he arrived at his summer residence, he pushed out his dinghy and rowed across the Arm. He climbed to the top of a bluff to a cabin, that he might have a doze before, he shed his coat and shirt, and left them be saide the boat, together with a pot of inint (taken from the city to repaint the locat), a new rod, and other thiugs. While the newspaper man slept the sleep of the just, some person or persons made 'way with the oars, paint, rod, coat and shirt. The faithful laborer in the cause of humanity came back to the city on Sunday evening wearing a sweater in lieu of shirt and coat, and with a feeling

in his heart that he had been "done

(From Wednesday's Daily.) Bank Clearings—The bank clearings for the week ending the 13th amounted to \$1,616,064, the largest total on record.

A Five-Foot Seam—The news is contained in letters received by Mr. W. F. Best by the Queen City that a five-foot seam of good coal has been struck by Mr. Pearson on the west arm of Quat-

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Offer No. 1.—For one dollar and twenty-five cents we will send the trees and plants named below:

10 peach trees, two each of the following varieties, which are the very best of the new varieties: Carmen, Fitzgerald. Kalamazoo, New Prolific and Greensboro, all hardy and prolific, but if preferred we will send eight apple or pear trees, buyer's selection of variety, in place of the ten peach trees. 2 Climax plum, the wonderful new Japanese plum, largest and best, full crops every year. 2 early Richmond cherry, five trees, best variety. 12 Dunlap strawberry plants, the best variety among all the new strawberries, immensely productive, finest quality.

All the above, fourteen trees and twelve plants, all for one dollar and twenty-five cents. Satisfaction guaranteed. Order before it is too late. Remember, for one dollar and twenty-five cents we send you the twelve plants and fourteen trees. Order now. If you are not satisfied with the trees when you receive them, we will return the money sent for them.

Offer No. 2.—For twenty-five cents we will send, prepaid, one dozen Mammoth Gladioli bulbs from our wonderful collection, embracing every color and kind known, and many new seedlings never sold before. Bulbs equal of this collection have never been sold for less than fifty cents to one dollar per dozen, but for this short time we make this special offer of one dozen Mammoth Gladioli bulbs of this rare collection for twenty-five cents. Order now before our supply is exhausted. If the blooms from these bulbs do not surpass anything you have grown before in the way of Gladioli, we will return the money sent us and you keep the bulbs.

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Ofter No. 3—All the above varieties are the very best to be had anywhere and both orders should be accepted at once by all who want the best fruits and finest flowers, but to make it so liberal that all will try them and thus advertise our low prices and superior stock, we make this remarkably liberal offer. To all who send for both the above orders, we will send, absolutely free, two fine two-year-old Campbell's early grapevines. Campbell's early is the largest, hardiest, most productive, and best quality of all early grapes. For home use or market, Campbell's early is the best of all. Do not miss this opportunity to secure two of these valuable grapevines free. Write to us if you are interested in the best fruit.

STRAWBERRY SPECIAL. For two dollars we will send 1,100 first class strawberry plants as named below. These are strong, first class plants, good as can be grown anywhere and the varieties are the best.

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500 Senator Dun'as, unequalled for a general purpose berry; 500 Babauch, immense in size and yled; 100 General De Wet, best and new late variety, very valuable. Or, if you prefer other varieties, you may select 1,100 plants from the following list: Haveiand, Jessie Warfield, Glen Mary, Clyde, Gandy, Sampie, Brandywine, Crescent, Sharpless, Mitchell's Early, Beederwood, Lovett, Marshall, Gladstone, Wm. Belt, and McKinley.

If a smaller number is preferred, we will send for one dollar 500 plants, our selection of varieties from the above-named varieties. And we will add to these 50 General De Wet plants. Remember the plants are the very best.

SPECIAL GRAPE OFFER.

For sixty cents we will send one dozen grape vines, purchaser's selection of varieties from the list given below. These vines are extra select, two-year vines, first-class in every way. Satisfaction guaranteed. The varieties are Concord, Moores Early, Warden, Moores Diamond, Delaware, Ives Seedling, Catalpa, Salem, Lindley, Niagara, Champion and Elvira and Vergennes. Why do without a good supply of grapes when you can secure the best varieties at these bargain prices?

SPECIAL POEONY OFFER.

In our new Victorian Posony we have the best variegated variety known today. A very profuse bloomer and as hardy as any forest tree. Blooms very large and full, being almost double the size of other

tree. Blooms very large and full, being almost double the size of other posonies.

The color is a beautiful pure white with the centre of the petals striped and dotted with the most beautiful shades. Not only is the color of this variety the most beautiful of all posonies, but added to this is the fact that it has a fragrance as sweet as any tea rose.

What more can be asked for? Hardy anywhere, a never failing bloomer, immense blooms of unrivalled beauty and exquisite fragrance. All this and more may truly be said of our wonderful Victorian Posony.

Variegated posonies are seldom sold for less than 75 cents to \$1.50 each, but, having a goed supply, we make a special price of 35 cents, all charges prepaid. Four posonies for one dollar, as follows: One each red, pink, white and one Variegated Victoria Posony.

Rare Offer—For one dollar we will send, prepaid, ten Fine Hardy Roses. Best varieties, finest colors, extra fine plants. Every plant a hardy, vigorous grower and continual bloomer.

Money may be sent by post office or express money orders, registered letter or bank draft. When sent in any of these ways we will send an extra vine or tree to cover cost of sending. Note.—All prices are given in U. 8. Money.

INDIANAPOLIS NURSERY Co. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., U. S. A.

The best nursery stock at reasonable prices is our motto. Our trees are from insect pests and diseases. We retail at wholesale prices. If you expect to plant a large orchard or only a few trees and plants, it pay you to send us a list of your wants for special prices. When you

New Westminster, to bring their thota to Victoria by a special steamer, leav-ing on the Saturday preceding, so that the Mainland soldiers will have a free day in Victoria before the mobilization

cene of great activity.

Enclosing the Site-A gang of work men were yesterday busy at the job of enclosing the C. P. R. hotel site with a board fence 14 feet in height. This is done for the purpose of ensuring that the workmen will not be interfered with by the sightseers and also to protect the property of the company, tools, etc. The derrick now in position is being utilized to unload the large blocks of stone which are being delivered at the site on a huge dray by Messrs. Bryce & Heaney.

Nanaimo Situation-In connection with the visit of J. H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P. P., to the city for the purpose of conferring with the government in regard to the Nanaimo mining difficulty, Premier McBride was interviewed last regime and the Coloniet informed that evening and the Colonist informed that evening and the Colonist informed that the government is anxious to lend sits best endeavors to effect a settlement of the trouble, and ready to do everything possible in that direction under the cir-cumstances, but no line of action had as

Mining Activity.—The present sea-son promises to be an exceptionally busy one in mining development on the west coast of Vancouver island. The Gladys mine, at Hell's Gate, near Al-Gladys mine, at Hell's Gate, near Alberni, has a force of men at work. This property, which is a copper proposition, is owned by San Francisco capitalists and is in a very promising condition, showing a well-defined lead. The Happy John, also on Alberni canal, is actively at work. The Southern Cross at Uchucklessett, has five men at work taking out some high-grade copper, which will be shipped to Ladysmith.

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Government Control.—The question of the expediency of the government on the expediency of the government assuming full control of the liquor traffic in Canada will be made the subject of an interesting and instructive debate on the evening of the 27th instant, arrangements in this behalf now being made by the officers of Victoria Council No. 2, Royal Templars of Templerance. Dr. Ernest Hall is to mainperance. Dr. Ernest Hall is to mainperance and the properance of the distance of the Russo-Japanese war. Rifles and revolvers were used considerably on board the ship Senator at Vancouver before she Sailed with lumber for South Africa on Monday, according to Vancouver papers. Deserting the prospects of peace do not all refer to the Russo-Japanese war. Some of them refer to the Russo-Japanese war. Some of them refer to the Russo-Japanese war. Rifles and revolvers were used considerably on board the ship Senator at Vancouver before she sailed with lumber for South Africa on Monday, according to Vancouver papers. Deserting the feet for South Africa on Monday, according to Vancouver and South Language of the Russo-Japane

government as see seted while the I. O. G. T., the W. C. T. U. and other active temperance bodies have been invited to nominate champ, ms pro and con, one speaker from each such organization interested.

Sealers Drown
In North Pace

First Stone Arrives—Yesterday the first lot of stone to be used in the construction of the superstructure of the new C. P. R. hotel was delivered at the site. It was brought down from Nelson island a few days ago by seow. The blocks are very large ones, and the stone is of high grade, being the beautiful grey granite for which Nelson island is famous along the coast. Other building material will from now on be arriving every day at the site, which will soon be a scene of great activity. It is understood that a 14-foot fence will be erected along the entire frost, preparations for which were commenced yesterday.

Grand Trunk Terminus—It an in-

coast of Vancouver Island, is again in operation for the season, but the run of fish is backward. A good season is anticipated and the harbor is now a gotiations Experience a Check.

> An Investigation Reveals no **Grounds for Pessimistic**

Washington, June 14.—A note of pe simism was discernible today in the tor of discussion for negotiations for peace in the Far East. So far as it is ascertainable at this time no permanent ground exists for the view that negotiations are not progressing favorably. In both governmental and diplomatic quar-ters it is stated that until the two belli-

the trouble, and ready to do everything possible in that direction under the circumstances, but no line of action had as yet been determined upon.

Wedded in Toronto.—At Toronto yesterday the marriage took place of Mr. Oscar Lucas, of the Times reportorial staff, and Miss B. W. Smith. Only the immediate Toronto friends and relatives were present. A wide circle of friends in Victoria will extend to both best wishes for future happiness. Mr. Lucas is one of the most popular of the local newspaper men, who join in hoping that a long, long period of wedded blibs is before himself and wife.

Island Creameries Prosper. — The product of the various Island creameries is very much in demand amongst those who appreciate good butter, and those in operation in Victoria district, Cowichan and Nanaimo are on a good financial basis. Word comes from the west coast that the Alberni creamery has made a very successful start. Though only at work a little more than two months, it has already an output of nearly 600 pounds of butter per week, and is shipping to outside markets.

Mining Activity.—The present sea-Among members of the diplomatic

Question of a Hitch. As to the question of a hitch having occurred in the peace negotiations, he replied frankly that he had heard of none, adding that the question of peace was not the principal subject of conversation at the conference. So far as he was aware, he said, there had been no change in the favorable stars of the rechange in the favorable status of the ne-gotiations. When it was suggested that the Moroccan question might have been under consideration, he declined either to affirm or deny the accuracy of the suggestion.

In North Pacific

Survivor of Boat's Crew Return ed Yesterday Morning With Tale of Tragedy.

Gerry Heffernan and Johnson Are Lost From Schooner

Section Department in the part of the part

ed, but all vas quiet at the time of their visit. The captain and officers were said to have had considerable trouble with the men shipped on board the vessel.

Alaska Judge's Sweeping Doctor

CAPTAIN CORSI EXPLAINS. Say's Bombardment of Pender Islan Was Pure Accident.

Despite the fact that a certain even ing paper said "Captain Camillo cable his superiors in Rome that the English newspapers had been shan refully vio hnson
newspapers had been shantefully victimized by a correspondent who should
be 'fired by cable' for his poor shooting at the target of truth," the captain
has expressed his regret "over the accident." The Umbria has gone to Seattle from Vancouver. She will revisit
Victoria, it is said, about a week hence.
The Vancouver World says: "A representative of the World who had a conversation with Commander Corsi prior
to the departure of the Umbria, was fuformed that the regret of the whole of
the ship's company over the incident
of Pender island was excessive. A
lengthy cabled enquiry on the subject
arrived from Rome on Monday afternoon. It is unnecessary to state that
the affair was the purest of accidents,
likely to occur to any vessel engaged
at target practice."

Sweeping Decision

Decides That the Claim Owners Must Make Discovery of

Thousand of Properties Held by Speculators May Be Jumped.

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Total \$6,449.69
It will be seen from the above figures that the collections made at the Grand Fork's office far exceed any other in the district.

our new Folders.

What Nanaimo Miners Earn

There are several reasons for the comparatively few miners earning less than \$3 per shift, said Mr. Stockett, among them short actual working hours at the face, inexperience or indifference of the miner, and sometimes to the condition of the place. It is only fair, however, to say that in every mine employing a number of miners there will always be found a percentage who drag behind the average, and who appear incapable of rising above a certain earning, regardless of the conditions. This is so in all avocations.

Mr. Stockett stated that these average daily earnings compare favorably with any mine in the country, and when one considered the earnings per hour for actual time worked or at the face, they show a greater earning per hour than any mine he knew of; in fact, there were few avocations or callings that showed an equal earning. The short hours—or, rather, the short actual working time—was due largely to the natural conditions of the field and the age of the mine. The company did not expect, nor does it expect, the workmen to bear all this handicap, but the company had felt, and still feels, that, in view of the market conditions, it was not unreasonable for the workmen to bear some portion of the time consumed in traveling to and from work, and would have been content to have continued the average and from work, and would have been content to have continued the average and from work, and would have been content to have continued the average.

market conditions, it was not unreasonable for the workmen to bear some portion of the time consumed in traveling to and from work, and would have been content to have continued the system in effect here for so many years, namely, from foot of shaft to foot of shaft, and which practice gave but little over six hours' actual working time at the face, on an average, for the whole mine.

Imputation Refuted.

These daily average earnings, Mr. Stockett continued, were an endorsement of the statements made by Superintendent Graham and himself to the committee last fall, when the mine resumed operations after a period of idleness due to the fire, and constituted a refutation of the statements and semi-general belief that the men had given all and received nothing in return. It had been the university and send a policeman down to fun him out.

TIDE TABLE.

(Hissued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Victoria, B. C., June, 1905. the earning power of the miners, as well as vastly improving the conditions of work, etc. These averages will continue to increase as the mine becomes

MR. JENSON, OLDS, ALTA.

Strongly Recommends Dr. Chase's Kid-ney-Liver Pills as a Cure for Lame Back and Kidney

Mr. James J. Jenson, Olds, Alta., N. W. T., writes: "I have been troubled considerably with lame back, which I supposed came from derangements of the kidneys, and I have never been able to find a treatment that was so prompt and effective in curing this ailment as Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. At two different times in my life this prepara-tion has entirely cured me of this trouble, and of late years I have found it unnecessary to use any medicine whatever. I feel it my duty to add this statement to the many other which I see in recommendation of this excellent medicine."

One pill a dose at hedtime and Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Falls will ensure healthful, regular action of kidneys, liver and bowels; 25 cents a box at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., To-

fully developed and when working to capacity. They also bore self-evident witness of the desire and intention of the company to deal fairly and justly with its employees at all times, and without the interposition of a third party. The officers of the company were always ready or willing to discuss matter ways ready or willing to discuss matter.

Manager Stockett Offers Some
Figures to Elucidate the
Situation.

Statement of Amounts Paid to

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Conference of Diocese of Caledonia Recently Heid at Northern Village.

Busy Day on The Waterfront

Bla Bunch of Steamers Arr ve From and Depart to Various Points.

A Rumor of Impending Change In the Pacific Coast 8, 8. Service.

Yesterday was a busy one on the waterfront. Steamer City of Puebla arrived in the early morning from San Francisco with 201 passengers, 29 for Victoria, and 2,068 tons of freight, 68 for this city; steam colliers Titania and Tricolor arrived, the former from San Francisco for Ladysmith, the latter from San Brancisco for Ladysmith, the latter from San Francisco for Ladysmith, the latter from San Francisco for Ladysmith, and sailed for Sau Francisco: R. M. S. Empress of Japan arrived from Vancouver and sailed an hour later for Yokohama and the usual ports of call in the Orient; steamer Queen City came from Quatsino and way ports on the west coast of Vaucouver Island with about two dozen passengers and a small freight; steamer Tees arrived from Naas, Skidegate, Port Essington and other way ports of the northern B. C. coast; steamer Venture, of the Boscowitz Steamship Co., sailed last night for Naas and the usual cannery ports and settlements of the northern coast with many passengers and a good cargo, including heavy shipments of cannery supplies; steamer Princess May sailed at 11 p. m. for Skagway via Port Simpson.

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GOLDEN SILENCE.

call for the steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, according to a report from San Francisco, owing to the enforcement of new pilotage regulations at the Golden Gate. The **Valley Country** regulations at the Golden Gate. The steamers of the company have been forced by the new pilotage law to take a pilot when entering or leaving San Francisco, which they have not done heretofore. The steamers come under the regulations applying to foreign-going steamers because of their call at Victoria; steamers entering San Francisco from Seattle without calling at Victoria, are not required, as coasters, to take pilots.

Returned Surveyor Brings Favor able Report of the District.

Menogene Petechet Offers Seminary Programs of Petechet Seminary Pe

Mr. Syder, assistant purser, did not go out on the Japan; he is taking a vacation trip to the East, and Mr. C. T. White, of the C. P. R.service, is taking his place.

Above is a free translation of a cable which was received by Captain Corsi Comillo of the Italian cruiser Umbria, now at Vancouver. When news was given in the Colonist of the episode of the shells which were thrown upon Pender island during the target prac-

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Wanted Him to Explain Why

Shelied Farm Lands on

Dender laland

The message came from Rome. It placed me for a time in a most embarrassing position."

The targets of Pender island are said to be buoys which the Egeria's blue-jackets placed in position for use in the hydrographic work in which the vessel as speed was concerned, and, not to design the settlers told of how as speed was concerned, and, not to detract from the performance of the Princess Victoria, which is generally acknowledged to be one which will stand unequalled for years to come, and which will act as a valuable advertisement for the Pacific Northwest with the traveling public, particularly in eastern states. the Italian guners had sent non-explosive practice shells ashore, and bluejackets told of shells which flew into their camp. But no one was killed no property was destroyed.

SOME FAST TRIPS Sound Navigators Grow Reminiscent Because of Victoria's Record.

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N. Y. K. Liner Takes Large Cargo for Ports of the Orient. Steamer Kanagawa Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, sailed yesterday for the Orient with 7,000 tons of freight and a number of passengers, among whom was Sam. B. Trissell, one

KANAGAWA MARU SAILS.

PAGE LAWN FEI

Corruption is charged in the London campaign. Hon. Adam Beck is charged with using a lot of silence to influence the electors, and everybody knows that silence E. G. PRIOR & CO. Limited, Agents, VANCOUVER, VICTORIA and KAMLOOPS is golden.

TIMBER LIC Notice is hereby given after date I intend to ap Commissioner of Lands special license to cut timber from the following treated on the worth side situated on the morth si River, Renfrew District: a post marked M. H. M corner; thence east 1 north 40 chains, thence thence south 40 chains chains to place of commercing 640 acres.
Dated at Port Renfrew of May, 1905.

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Dated at Port Renfrew of May, 1995.
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Action of Dominion Police to Enforce Alien Labor Law Will Affect Many.

If United States Retaliates There May Be Wholesale Exchange of Railway Employees.

The action taken by Colonel Sherwood, chief of the Dominion police, to deport citizens of the United States who are working in Canada, under the Canadian alien labor law, has caused quite a furore among representatives of United States railways in Canada from Victoria to Halifax. The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says in this connection:

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was sent as a representative of the Northern Pacific to a British Columbia town. If this man is sent back here, said Mr. Nadesu, 'he will have been repudiated by the land of his birth and not allowed to work there because he represents a concern in the land of his adoption. He is worse off than if he had never been born.

"Mr. Nadeau suggests a clearing house where exchanges may be made of Canadians in the States for Americans in Canada, which, he says, might be done if the Canadian statute is made effective and the United States statute is construed as retailatory.

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"At the Harriman lines offices Mr. Gills stated that all representation in Canada had been withdrawn except such as was placed in established offices conducted by Canadians, and the enforcement of the law would not affect any of the Harriman agents.

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"A. B. Calder, who was born a Canadian, and who is a naturalized American of the rabid kind, said yesterday that there a no employees in his office who are Americans, but also said that there wanny Canadians on this side of the dary representing Canadian railro. Though the control of the first process, expering agent of the first process.

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Jun Correspondent. New W Statistics, B. C., June 12.—
B. C. L. Brandrith, secretary of the turn fried growers' Association, has rether the was accompanied by Mr. T. W. String, of Kelowna, president of the bassociation; R. M. Palmer, freight reder, commissioner; and Maxwell Smith, inspector of Fruit Marks. Meetings were held in all important centres. Mr. Brandrith reports that indications point

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There is considerable talk about town over the revision of the city statutes. Instead of being done by a solicitor, the work was done by Mr. John C. Brown, and the local paper is openly making charges against the city council in the matter, alleging "star chamber methads." ods.

Mr. W. J. Leary and family passed through the city en route to Victoria. Mr. Leary has received the appointment of manager of the Capital City Canning Co., which necessitates his removal to Victoria from Ladner.

Mr. R. L. Reid, the well known bar-rister and solicitor, yesterday left for Port Essington, where he will hang out his shingle. Mr. Reid will ultimately his shingle. Mr. Reid will ultimatel establish his office at the western terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who decided upon.

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The torpedo boat No. 39, purchased by local people from the British government at the sale of the Esquimalt effects a few months ago, has been refitted as a passenger boat, and as the "Royal City" is licensed to carry 40 passengers. She has been fitted with deck cabins, etc.

Has Busy Night

Trustee Hall Introduces Motion for Abolition of Cadet Corps and Assalls Militarism.

\$30,000 By-law to Be Presented -Trustees Decline Appeal to Supreme Court.

(From Thursday's Daily.) What gives promise of being one of the most interesting and instructive debates in the history of Victoria's municipal bodies was inaugurated at the gathering of the school board yesterday evening, when Dr. Ernest Hall, the latest addition to the ranks of the trustees, pre sented his resolution condemnatory of the cadet corps, and providing for its abolition as an element of militarism incon-sistent with the spirit of civilization and inimical to the highest form of edu-cation along commendable lines. The doctor himself occupied all the time available for consideration of his resolu tion when the disposal of other business permitted its being reached, and it was at his suggestion that further considera-tion of the question in its many phases stood over until the next regular meeting of the board, upon the adjournment of the debate by Trustee Mowat. Sev-eral other distinctly interesting features presented themselves in connection with eral other distinctly interesting features presented themselves in connection with last evening's meeting, the board taking occasion to formally request His Worship the Mayor to have submitted to the qualified ratepayers a bylaw to provide \$30,000 for necessary school buildings and establishment in Victoria West; the board determining to insist upon recognition of its unlimited rights in appropriation in defiance of the city's council's attitude, and refusing the suggestion of Mayor Barnard that the opinion of the Supreme Court be sought as to the extent of power; and it being disclosed incidentally that although the board some time ago placed itself on record by resolution as favoring the twelve monthly payment plan of remunerating teachers, effect has

as favoring the twelve monthly payment plan of remunerating teachers, effect has never been given the resolution by necessary reference to the Council of Public Instruction for approval—in consequence of which it is improbable that the favored plan can come into operation with the beginning of the new school year.

At the imatguration of last evening's meeting, which was attended by Chairman Boggs and Trustees Mowat, Jay, Lewis Hall and Mrs. Jenkins, a communication was received from Miss Mary Gilmore, stating her desire to undertake a class in singing during the forthcoming vacation, five or six weeks' instruction being given and a small fee collected from parents, in the event of the board permitting the use of the assembly hall of the North Ward school for that purpose. It was eventually determined to accord the desired permission upon a guarantee being given that all janitor work will be looked after by the applicant.

and in the following terms:

Referring to the recent resolution passed by the board of trustees pretesting against any limitation being placed by the council upon the amount of expenditure of the board, it has occurred to me that the best way to settle the respective powers of the two bodies would be by obtaining the opinion of the Supreme Court upon a case stated. Unless something is done to settle the question, and if the trustees are now regulating their expenditure upon the basis of their first estimate submitted to the council and continue to do so, the rebasis of their first estimate submitted to the council and continue to do so, the re-suit will be a deadlock later on in the year, with the possible consequences of the schools being closed before the usual time, which I am sure no one desires to see happen. I should therefore be glad if you will bring this letter before your your board at its next meeting with a view to having the matter settled in some such way as above. way as above.

The suggestion of His Worship did not commend itself favorably to the board. Trustee Jay regarded a reference to the Supreme court as entirely unnecessary at the present juncture, and answered the reading of the communication with the following resolution, seconded by Trustee Mowat:

Trustee Mowat:

That the communication be received and His Worship informed that the board does not entertain such doubt of its statutory powers as to admit of any necessity for a reference to the courts, and therefore cannot favorably consider the suggestion contained in the letter.

Briefly, Trustee Jay elaborated his motion. If the council persisted in its attitude, it was a foregone conclusion that the matter in dispute would eventually find its way to the courts for settlement, he would not say in what way. The board was contending for a principle, however, and it would be unwise does not entertain such doubt of its statutory powers as to admit of any necessity for a reference to the courts, and therefore cannot favorably consider the surgestion contained in the letter.

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In seconding the resolution, Trustee Hall's resolution, or the hoard was madvisable until the prospective trouble crystallized later in the year.

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and therefore not a matter in which he might properly be asked for an opinion. A second communication in the same connection was from the city clerk, informing the board that the council cannot see its way clear to make any change in the appropriation for board purposes—which goes upon the file. Still another letter in the series was from Mayor Barnard, bearing date of the 12th instant and in the following terms:

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Trustees Mowat and Jay suggested that the report might better be tabled for intelligent consideration, when members of the board had been provided with copies, and it was eventually so ordered, the report to be taken up at an adjourned meeting next Wednesday evening.

Upon Trustee Mowat's initiative, a committee consisting of himself, Trustees Jay and Mrs. Jenkins were named to prepare the necessary amendments to the bylaws in respect of inaugurating the twelve payment plan, and a second special meeting was arranged for if it shall be found necessary before the close of the term, to arrange for re-staffing for next school year.

Militarism and Cadet Corps.

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CIVIC ASSESSMENTS.

(From Thursday's Daily.) During yesterday's session of the court of revision for the city of Victoria the following reductions and changes were made in the assessment roll:

John Abelson, block 2, section 5, ordered reduced by \$200.

Geo. Cruickshanks, lot 1836, block 62, stands as assessed; improvements reduced by \$200.

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Thos. McConnell, improvements lot 4, block 13, B. F., ordered reduced \$100.

Crease & Crease for G. B. Adams, w. pt. 187, block 1, ordered to stand as assessed. Improvements reduced by \$500.

Part lot 23, block L, reduced \$450. Part of improvements on lot 25, block L, reduced \$500.

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