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charged-Comments in Dublin and New York.

London, Jan. 21.—The debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne was resumed in the House of Commons yesterday. Patrick O'Brien,

The Home Secretary, Sir Matthew White Ridley, said that it would be satisfactory to the government if they could remedy any Irish grievance; but, he added, whatever the motives of the po-

Ivory left that place, and that there was no legal evidence that the prisoner was cognizant of the crime. Therefore it had been decided not to present evidence thereon. Mr. Finlay said that while he felt that the correspondence which had fallen into the hands of the police and

an interview: "They wanted me to implicate William Lyman, president of the lymb National Alliance but that was all nonsense. I refused to have anything to do with it." Ivory said he had no idea of suing the government, but suggested that the United States government might do so. He is going to Dublin in a few days and will depart for the United States in a week

New York, Jan. 21.—The news of Ivory's release, owing to the abandon-ment of the prosecution by the English government, was received with rejoicing by Irish-Americans in this city. William ing campaign,

O'Brien Makes Appeals in the House of Commons for a General Amnesty.

"From the very first I have believed this whole matter a scheme of the British home office and its agents, Scotland Yard. The collapse of the Ivory case indicates plainty for the Volume of the Ivory case indicates plainty for the Ivory case indicates plainty for the Ivory case indicates and its agents, Scotland Yard. dicates plainly to me that Gallagher,
Daly and other prisoners would never
have te in convicted had their friends a
stepped out of the vory case instepped out of the conventional and dared to make a proper defense. The English authorities were permitted to have their way. The Irish National Al-liance determined to act differently and

CROWN POINT FORTRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Representative Foote, of New York, has a project for the securing by the government of the ruins of the police and the movements of Ivory were grounds for the gravest suspicions, there was no evidence justifying the crown in asking for a conviction.

After complimenting the police upon for a conviction.

After complimenting the police upon the intelligence shown in the discharge of a difficult duty. Justice Hawkins directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty. Justice Hawkins advised Ivory strongly to look carefully to his future. Ivory bowed smilingly and left the dock, several friends congratulating him. Ivory was heard to remark, "I knew I should get out of it."

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An editorial in the Chronicle on the Ivory case says: "If it was not a put-up job it is a hideous muddle and we do not know why the Irish members should not demand a parliamentary inquiry."

A dispatch from Dublin says: "The Monroe doctrine; I believe that the withdrawal of the charges against Edward J. Ivory, in the central criminal court of London to-day, is regarded here as being due to the crown's dread of the exposure of Thomas M. Jones, the informer. Two witnesses left this city Saturday in order to testify for the defence in regard to sensational overtures made to them by Jones a week before he appeared at the Bow Street police court to testify against Ivory."

New York, Jan. 21.—The news of Charles Harrison, of this city, ex-Senator the scity, ex-Senator to the month."

The Calcutta correspondent to the Times, after expressing the hope that the parliament will induce the government to deal in a practical way with the problem, prints an unusually outspoken article from the Pioneer, declaring that only 24,000 of the whole British garrison are free from contagious disease in some shape or other and that the utmost extent that civilized, just and self-respecting nations can go, and find the problem to the utmost extent that civilized, just and self-respecting nations can go, and find the problem to the utmost extent that civilized in the find the problem to the total the problem to the utmost extent that civilized in the find the problem to the utmost extent that civilized in the find the problem to the says the Pioneer, declaring that only 24,000 of the whole British garrison are free from contagious disease in some shape or other and that is proposed, as a first step—a very great and anspicious and even the bubonic plague cannot complete the problem to the

Monreal, Jan. 21,-Hon, Mr. Tarte,

Lyman, president of the National Alliance, who sent John McIntyre, assistant district attorney of New York, to aid in Ivory's defense, made the following

Its Period of Navigability and Times of Closing.

Be Employed—Composition

is a very busy man just now, making publishes this afternoon a despatch from an American lawver, had all to do with the abandonment of the prosecution.

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I believe that the conduct of at least one of the resident lawyers retained for livery's defense is open to criticism. For example, Edward Carson, Q.C., endeavored to induce Ivory to plead guilty. His

and exhibition in this city. His Excellency will open the annual exhibition of paintings on the evening of March 9. Offers of assistance are already coming in to the Dominion Rifle Association authorities from Canadian manufacturers to-wards the permanent quarters at Bisley,

vants houses, nine in number. These were promptly set on fire and with their contents—for nothing was allowed to be removed—burned to the ground. In the ANGLO-AMERICAN ARBITRATION. section called the native town, markets and shops and several hundred private PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—In a letter to Charles Harrison, of this city, ex-Sena-will remain closed to the end of the

Canadian Expedition to Ascertain Details of the Slaughter of a Peaceful Expedition in West Africa.

Newfoundland Vessel Likely to British Preparations to Avenge the Outrage-A Bloodthirsty

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waters during the summer, returning to armed in order to impress the King with believed to be a storage place for an im-

Niger coast protectorate and troops are massing at Brass. A steamer has gone to Sierra Leone to bring the West India

London, Jan. 21.—A despatch from the entrance of the river Benin. British Bombay respecting the progress of the officers left Liverpool for the same coast

trance. The only roads leading to it are dense bush paths through which troops pass with the greatest difficulty, and in which they are always exposed to ambuscades. Besides there is a great scarcity of even brackish water, and the climate is most unhealthy.

line of march will clear the way for the London, Jan. 21.—The Evening News stages as the machine guns and rockets ublishes this afternoon a despatch from

World from Madrid says: Despite offiThe affair is looked upon as deserving of sending a punitive expedition to Benin City, which is known as the "City of Blood" on account of its being the seat of the fetish priests of that part of Africa and because human sacrifices and in the Madrid says: Despite offiund diplomatic circles and in the Madrid bushed the soldiers and killed a few. All the while the English flag floated over the island. When a man-orwar hove in sight they sought safety in the mountains. Frequently they amunder the Shand. When a man-orwar hove in sight they sought safety in the mountains. Frequently they amunder the soldiers and killed a few. All the while the English flag floated over the island, when a man-orwar hove in sight they sought safety in the mountains. Frequently they amand diplomatic circles and in the Madrid says: Despite offiwar hove in sight they sought safety in the mountains. Frequently they ambeautiful the mountains. All the while the soldiers and killed a few. All the while the English flag floated over the island. When a man-orwar hove in sight they sought safety in the mountains. Frequently they ambeautiful the mo of Africa and because human sacrifices are of frequent occurrence, the remains of sacrificed slaves being seen bleaching in the sun on all sides.

The British warships Phebe, Widgeon, Alecto, Barossa, Theseus and Borte have already been dispatched to the entrance of the river Benin. British government dispatched a consultant to inform the American government dispatched a consultant to government, quite unofficially, how far the government is disposed to go in the way of colonial reforms, including tariff and commercial concessions to the United States. The impression is also that President Cleveland and Secretary Olney are disposed to leave the settlement of the Cuban question and all Amofficers left Liverpool for the same coast erican claims rising out of the Cuban in-surrection to their successors, McKin-

London, Jan. 21.—The Lampert & Been shot down a time or two by the Holt steamer Buffon arrived to-night French. as she is the largest vessel available at short notice for the operations preparing against Benin city.

Canadian emigrants, who left their northern homes to establish themselves near Santos. The warm climated in a fairly short notice for the operations preparing against Benin city.

The city itself is situated in a fairly open country, but is scattered and only partly stockaded, although it is believed that King Obah has in his possession a large quantity of ammunition and some modern guns of a quick firing type. The base of operations of the expedition will be sarely where there is a vice consular.

and even the bubonic plague cannot compare as a fluman affliction. "A squeamis reserve veiled by dubious hints,"
says the Pioneer, is "no longer appropriate to the emergency."

Charged With Ballot Stuffing.

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Congress Asked by San Francisco Chamber of Commerce to Pass

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New York, Jan. 20.—A special to the the natives would come down and drive them off the island. When a man-of-World from Madrid says: Despite offi- war hove in sight they sought safety in

man-of-war, and advancing under a flag of truce explained the situation, asking that Her Majesty's emblem be hauled down. The old chief listened attentive-ly to the consul and then said: "You ley and Sherman. Spain will, neverthelie; you came in that warship, and you less, carry out the reforms in February.

OFFERS FOR WAR EAGLE.

SPOKANE, Jan. 19 .- The stockholders of the War Eagle mine will hold a lively The city itself is situated in a fairly open country, but is scattered and only partly stockaded, although it is believed that King Obah has in his possession a large quantity of ammunition and some modern guns of a quick firing type. The base of operations of the expedition will be Sapele, where there is a vice-consular station and barracks capable of accommodating about 600 men.

Benin city is some distance from the river and about sixty miles from its entrance. The only roads leading to it are dense bush paths through which troops pass with the greatest difficulty, and in

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—(Special)—Bulldozing articles in the Globe now appearing day by day enter in a general plan discovery of the war Eagle, President Corbin, of the Spokane Falls & Northern railroad, and others, have planned to build a large smelter at Northport, on this side of the line. If

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SELF-RELIANCE THE WATCHWORD.

respective of party, stand ready to enter

they see this for themselves overtures on plenty of wood at hand. our part will only result in exposing the

played the part of de Soto to Tarte's Columbus and on returning said like the Queen of Sheba after her memorable visit to Solomon, "The half has not been told," and out of regard for his reputation for veracity—a most excellent if somewhat rare characteristic of politicians—what rare characteristic of tell the other half. These gentlemen ought to come back again and they should bring Mr. Fielding with the single of the part of color and the proposition of the present bound they should bring Mr. Fielding with the single of the part of color and the part of color and

haps of equal moment. But neither of these things, and possibly not even both struct the world as to the meaning of the business. combined, equal in their potential influent, with its teeming population and its ceive of no line of action in which Canwho rightly labor in it. The oppor-

offered to Colonial leaders. STREET PAVEMENTS.

sidewalks. The latter is not very diffi- is preserved by every race. and which "moderately favorable." cult. The city of Fredericton, N.B., has we call the Deluge, must be placed at a tried a very successful experiment at more remote period than Ussher had set laying asphalt sidewalks. The ground for the creation. is prepared by being levelled up with During the last twenty years a new stituted guardian of American honor earth, and upon this is placed a layer of element has come up for consideration, Americans will, however, take some clean gravel, on which asphalt is put. namely, the bearing of the ruined cities satisfaction out of the reflection that

matter and one upon which there is suggestion as to their origin. The same amount of cackling by hysterical paroom for much difference of opinion, is true of the gigantic statues of Easter The methods most frequently spoken of are the macadam, the asphalt, the vitri-fied brick and the wooden block. Each of these has its advocates. The value of a good macadamized street is very well agood macadamized street is very well many centuries that the myth-fields. It is a state triots.

Island, that solitary speck in the wastes of the wastes of the South Pacific. There stand huge triots.

DROUGHT is reported from Argentines at rain was "held up" by Carlists in Spain, and overheard a Spanish gentleman who was overcome with fright murmuring to be short the price of grain will go still wife and babies; oh, it is sad and I haven't even had my breakfast."—London Tit

into any reasonable arrangement for re- some purposes; but they afford such with many grains of salt.

Dominion to misrepresentation. The Dominion has managed to get along very well for thirty years without reciprocity, and if need be it can get along without it for thirty years more.

If we correctly appreciate the situation, the Dominion government would allow his coast to import, paving the content of t

gentlemen ought to come back again and they should bring Mr. Fielding with them, and they should take a good long look across the ocean. They will them, and they should take a good long look across the ocean. They will then the future of Canada lies in this direct of the future of Canada lies in this direct tuth. In truth there has never come to the public men gf Canada greater opportunity than that which now presents itself. That the Atlantic seaboard of immense importance to momercial future of our country. That the greatest is more to a suspicion of infidelities to the south of us is personal power. The public lies to the south of us is personal power of the power of the power to assume a public lies to the south of us is personal power. The public lies to the south of us is personal power of the power of the

When the Egyptologists began to inence upon Canadian destiny the fact sity for leaving the question of the earlirecords of the Nile country, the necesthat our Pacific seaboard faces the Ori- est historical dates an open one became exhaustless possibilities. We can conof the dry bones of chronology confined to the events recorded in the Scriptures. adian statesmen can hope to achieve We soon learned that we must unlearn grander results, no field of labor that what we had accepted beyond a doubt in promises more enduring fame to those Greek and Roman history and be willing to take the dates assigned to any events tunity is one such as has never been occurring more than 500 years before Christ as at best only approximations and in many cases as little more than

Canada's position as a part of the Brit- do not like them. If one watches a as to the antiquity of human records, it coal supply. He shows that the French ish Empire. It will be a part of the horse hauling a load or trotting along a is satisfactory to know that the explora- cruisers are practically limited to a raduty of the next congress to deal with vitrified brick street, he will see that the tions now in progress in Babylonia are dius of 2,000 miles, which is not suffithe foreign trade of the United animal's feet slip a little at every step. fixing the dawn of civilization with some cient to enable a fleet, making the States, and reciprocity is a feature This greatly reduces the draught power slight approach to accuracy. Professor French coast its basis of operations, to of the Republican programme. of the animal and will cause him to Hilprecht, the historian of the most re- reach any of the colonies. If France Under these circumstances we sug- break down sooner than he otherwise cent exploratory expedition, says that should establish coaling stations abroad, gest that it would be more consistent would. Moreover, every so-called vitri- "we can no longer hesitate to date the they would serve to indicate to the Britwith the dignity of Canada for the min- fied brick is not fit for paving. A special founding of the temple of Bel and the ish navy where to look for the ememy's istry to wait for overtures than to make quality of clay is needed and before first settlements in Nippur somewhere cruisers, and those points could be them. If in the opinion of the Ways the city council decide to adopt this plan between 6,000 and 7,000 B.C., and prob- watched with a superior fleet, so that and Means committee of the House of they ought to be quite certain that the ably earlier." The chief source from the cruiser seeking a new coal supply Representatives it is desirable that Can- needed variety is available. For noise- which this conclusion is drawn is a li- would be almost certain to be captured. ada should be embraced in any general lessness, traction qualities and cost the scheme of reciprocity, proposals to that wooden pavement appears to advantage found in the Babylonian ruins. A very plies with greater force to every other effect will be forthcoming. Reciprocity when compared with asphalt or brick, significant fact is that in the oldest ruins country. with Canada would be as good a thing for the foundation ought to be substanfor our neighbors as for us, and until tially the same in each case. We have beneath a series of ruined cities and A MOVEMENT is on foot in New Brunshence must be older than these. above wick to erect a memorial to the late Sir The claim is made that it would pay them, the inscriptions show that some Leonard Tilley. For forty years Sir Dominion to misrepresentation. The blocks from Australia, where a very of writing. They are not simply pictor-

USITED STATES CONSUL BELL, writing foundation, which must be much in the seem atters? If so the evidence of the fact is not manifest. If it be asked what the government green to the government green to the government private enterprise in this matter, we reply that it is the province of the government to discover this. We are not disposed to be unreasonable and believe that the ministry should be given time to formulate a policy; but we think that in view of the fact that in view of the fact

guesses. The Egyptian records were dency to an advance in prices as com-The best method of paving the streets continuous for so many centuries as to pared with those prevailing a year ago; of Victoria is now before the taxpayers, make it perfectly clear that the date of but does not feel able to state the situation of Canadians, it is time to conand connected with it is the matter of the great catastrophe, the story of which tion more strongly than to say it is

The cost per square yard is under 40 of Central America and the adjacent the senator from Alabama has cried cents and the sidewalk is as good as can portions of South America upon the wolf pretty often of late, when there was he wanted. Victoria is very well adapt- early history of mankind. Here are the not even so much as a yellow dog in remains of cities so ancient that the sight. Since the geese saved the Roman The paving of the streets is another legends of the Indian tribes contain no citadel, there has been a needless

known, and all will admit that it can be ology of Polynesia preserves not A writer in one of the late reviews excellent street, but is open to the ob- explorer claims to have discovered and British commerce in the event of war, jection that if it is made hard enough to deciphered an ancient Mayan record, and reaches the very comfortable conresist the wear of heavy traffic it is apt which gives some general historic data, clusion that it could accomplish less than to be too hard to give a sure footing to from which it appears that the Central was possible in the old days of sailing The desirability at this particular horses. But when everything is taken American ruins antedate those of Egypt, ships, and that statistics show was practime of any overtures on the part of into account, it must be conceded that the latter being in fact the work of a tically nothing, so far as the total volume Canada looking to reciprocity with the asphalt would go far towards solving the colony sent out from the ancient Mayan of trade done by the British merchant United States, may be questioned. It paving problem here. If we had much nation. This claim is supported by the marine was concerned. The reason of is already well understood at Washing- frosty weather this statement would Egyptian story of Atlantis, but there is this is that the sailing ships could go ton that the people of this country, ir- have te be considerably modified. Vitrified bricks make a good street for to receive the claims of the Frenchman ports to which to resort for food and ciprocal trade that is consistent with poor footbold for horses that teamsters In the midst of so much uncertainty a steamship is necessarily limited by its water; while the sphere of operations of

Schoolboy—I alwas envied Cæsar. Teacher—Well, he was a great general. Schoolboy—Yes; and he didn't have to study Latin.—Somerville Journal. Some poets write off inspiration, but most of them write on an empty stomach.— "How is it that Watley has so many new

How is that watery has so many new suits? He gets a small salary."

"Oh, he is an electrician, and his clothes are all charged."—Detroit Free Press.

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Citizens Are Anxiously Wa See What the New Con Will Do.

Mayor Redfern Favors Macadam-Experience in Other Cities of Paving Material.

almost, affords some new evidence that the trade of the Orient is rapidly growing. In the last twelvemonth four or five large steamship organizations have been seeking termini upon this side the Pacific. Is the government keepoff the Pacific. Is the government keepoff in touch with these matters? If so the evidence of the fact is not manifest.

asy make its mind easy. Canadian legislatures are not given to passing laws to drive anyone out of the country who wishes to remain in it and do an honest business.

Two or A KIND.

The result of election trials in Canada so business.

Trestated in an Ottawa dispatch to the Montreal Gazette that if the United States congress adopts the proposed measure for the exclusion of non-resident Gandians from obtaining employment in that country, Parliament will be asked to enact a law which will be word for word with the American statute, and is added that under such an arrangement Canada would not get the worst of the measure for his in that country. Parliament will be asked to enact a law which will be word of the country of the preservation of our own markets in that country, Parliament will be asked to enact a law which will be word of the country of the country of the country of the country of the preservation of our own asked to enact a law which will be word of the country of the cou

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in paving has been the experience of Seattle, and through the courtesy of Mr. Will H. Parry, the city comptroller, the Colonist has been furnished with the following information on the methods followed there and the cost of the work:

"During the past two

"During the past two years there has been constructed in this city 31,635 square yards of vitrified brick pavement at an average cost of \$2.20 per square yard for

doundation, granite curbs, catch basins to sewers, the topping itself and all incidentals, aggregate something like \$3.70 per square yard. Some of this pavement has now been under heavy traffic for nearly two years and is still in perfect condition.

"As to the cost and details and construction where wooden blocks are used, I am not prepared to give much information. We have just laid on Cherry street 1.143 square yards of this class of payes.

two courses being used, the bottom one laid flat, the top course on edge at right angles with a coat of sand between. No foundation is used except rolling the earth solidly, and then placing on it four inches of sand. Some of this paving had been down for twelve years, and not a cent had been needed for repairs. The cost was bebeen needed for repairs. The cost was be tween \$1.30 and \$1.60 a square yard.

LE ROI MINE.

London, Jan. 23.—An English syndicate with headquarters in this city is ikely shortly to own the Le Roi mine. It made an offer of £750,000, but the owners asked £850,000. An effort is now being made to split the difference.

Amendment in the House mons Censuring the Gov for Releasing Irish

Panie in Bombay as Bad Distress in the Ar

London, Jan. 22.-A Can natch to the Daily Mail ports have been received mine exists in Rhodesia. terribly emaciated native wor the nat. ve office at Bulawayo for food. Natives are flock wayo and exhuming the care tle which died from the rind which were buried six m They devour these and, as a co a terrible mortality prevai

sir Henry Howarth's ame the House of Commons cer government for releasing prisoners caused an unexpe Sir Henry Howarth is a master of a biting style of spoke of "star chambers," cisions," and used other miters were shamming me then read extracts from Irish newspapers to the acco

A dispatch from Bombay Mail says: "Fifty doctors o medical service will arrive he There are now four thousan gaged in cleansing and put town. The panichere is as gr The appalling suddenness of the plague drives the native fear. No further cases have and this is taken as a strong in favor of similar measure

Great distress prevails in districts of Argentine, own The American line steam which lost one of her prop signalled off the Lizard at 12 this morning. The Paris New York on the 13th inst., one of her propellers. She sl at Southampton this mornin

INDIAN RELIEF WO JHYLUM, Punjaub, Jan. 22.-

correspondent who is visiting ine-stricken districts in Inc panying the official mission the same work, has arrived exhaustive inspection was m vast relief word known as t Canal, about which no less coolies are congregated. Of 12,000 persous, either aged just quitting work, and the called the spectacle of a gre mela. The preponderance and children was noticeable. After visiting the tent the the mission traversed the baz along a double line of mat with grass. The market wa grain dealers, and heaps of ley, maize and millet were p ground in front of the huts. was remarked, had fallen sl the recent rains, causing a for the better in the strice but in spite of this prices ask vere terribly high, the cheap ing double the nominal price. lar traders are furnished wit

of charge, and from out of th flesh and other luxuries were to customers, such as officials

ernment and those who were

to indulge in them.

Hospital tents have been for the care of the sick, h present there has been no use them. The officials of have made an inspection of quarter consisting of long row huts thirty feet apart. They on both sides of a broad and are kept scrupulous Each hut is built to acc fifty persons, who are under supervision of differen At the canal works a marve was witnessed. About 28,00 women were buisly at work. digging, and others were car the excavated earth in bas their heads. The worker healthy, vigorous, cheerful lo most of them singing as they with the tasks allotted then and then glancing at their ch were playing about in the v parently as strong as their par At the registering departm iting officials had another experience, four clerks seated bamboo platform, were giving rivals in search of relief work paper qualifying them for en on the works. On these slip cribed the names, caste, and amount of wages to be workers, who were in turn the different sections of The greatest order and dison all sides, and a cheerfulness and regularity whole proceedings which refleupon all concerned. Finally sion officials visited the huts for the belpless non-worker again there was evidence of on the part of the governmen The same extreme cleanliness in and about the huts, and ev those needing attention. Many babies have already

these infants are maintain charge, receive extra pay whilineapacitated from doing hard are also allowed extra pay for are also allowed extra pay lot tenance of their babies. Deser or babies whose mothers are suckle them are fed from both densed milk by the medical s

MONTREAL, Jan. 21.-At banquet to-night Hon. Mr. that better trade relation United States were desirable, price was to be any hostili Mother Country Canadians w

/ TO LIVE THE CHEAPEST?

a question we are answering All our customers know that the choicest Groceries at the rices. Anyone can see that by ver the following prices:

st Granulated Sugar, \$1. Potatoes at \$1 a sack. anned Goods, 13 tins for \$1. les, 8 lbs. for 25c. Mustard, 2 large tins for 25c. from reliable farmers, 2 doz. for 55e

ernment St.

TORONTO. .Concrete... 1.50 .Concrete... 2.60 .Concrete... 2.44 brick has come much into use and in a great many towns in States, its durability being given to twenty years. t recent experiment on the Coast

through the courtesy of Mr arry, the city comptroller, the has been furnished with the fol-promation on the methods followed the cost of the work:

the past two years there has ructed in this city 31,635 square itrified brick pavement at an \$10 f \$2.20 per source year for

of \$2.20 per square yard for only, including concrete foun-nches in thickness. The brick and the average contract price are as follows: Clearing and catch basins one inlet \$47 each s two inlets \$.6 each; pavement vard \$2.18. 'Pavement' in-

d cleaning.
done under the above prices cost
holders as follows: For lots 60
age and 120 feet depth, \$480, the
the pavement absolutely paid for
operty holders being 19½ feet,
ts being 90 feet in width, is divided
to Sidewalk on both sides 18 s being 39 feet in width, is divided, is sidewalk, on both sides, 16 through centre, required to be maintained by street railway, 19 feet; strips on both sides of ranchise, 19½ feet. Front the will see that the total cost of including grading. including grading, concrete, granite curves, catch basins to topping itself and all incidentetopping isself and all incident gate something like \$3.70 per d. Some of this pavement has under heavy traffic for nearly and is still in perfect condition. The cost and details and constructive wooden blocks are used, I am red to give much information. ared to give much informa-have just laid on Cherry street e nave just laid on Cherry street lare yards of this class of pave-lf of which is of cedar and half of pavement is laid upon concrete on six inches in depth, prepared as pavement; but there is no sand between the concrete founda-the blocks as is the case with the rement, and all joints between the nent, and all joints between the cks are filled with pavers' pitch; the case of brick, dried sand is grouting the joints. ground the joints. The vitrified brick used in our is averages about \$16.50 per M, rmed. I have not been able to the price the contractors pay for oden blocks. The cost of the lock payement, I am informed by the prispensive description with that

r, is nearly identical with that person who had something to n, the manager of the British Pottery Co.

with much interest," he said, rial in this morning's Colonist ject of street pavements, and, gree with much there stated, I leave to differ with some of the n the subject of asphalt sidenthe first place I do not think cople of Victoria want to try any operiments' in this material.

e. I think, already convinced s by sundry and costly experiperiments' in this material.
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s by sundry and costly experitis not a success here, whatever
elsewhere. In the second place,
to doubt that any pavement, laid ement of the earth filling the there would in most aire to be a good deal, would, I all probability, cause the surface walk to crack and break up, as led in many instances; and the vould be a source of danger to lity of the pavement, as they ap look upon under the sidewalk as desirable location in the city. You bly not aware that the city authorrire a substantial fe require a substantial foundation filling and concrete under any per-sidewalk, which of course consid-percases the first cost, though it thoroughly good and reliable job ne properly. I should like to call ntion to a piece of vitrified brick manufactufed and laid by the opposite the Five Sisters' Block, months ago. It ison a stone and foundation, as required by the neer, and cost, including every-50 per square yard, put down by I am inclined to think the remarks which are ily made to me and by are qualified to pass an such work, that it is already to be a success.
regard to brick paving for streets

eased to give anyone taking an this subject all the information my disposal." m showed several specimens of g, and stated that his company material here for making street is as could be had elsewhere, ty were prepared to do several treets, the company would b put in a plant for making the ving bricks, and could furnish bries, and could furnish ee believed a price just as cheap as secured in the East. He showed rom F. F. Cooke, Mayor of Galesnois, stating that that city has 17 treets paved with vitrified brick, we shair a und the heterospace. eing used, the bottom one top course on edge at right coat of sand between. No used except rolling the earth of for repairs. The cost of and \$1.60 a square yard.

tates in this direction a matter

d the general verdict seems to

of brick paving in preference to material for city streets. I shall

LE ROI MINE.

n, Jan. 23.—An English syndiheadquarters in this city is ortly to own the Le Roi mine. an offer of £750,000, but the sked £850,000. An effort is now de to split the difference.

FAMINE IN RHODESIA.

Amendment in the House of Commons Censuring the Government for Releasing Irishmen.

Panic in Bombay as Bad as Ever-Distress in the Argentine.

but in spite of this prices asked for grain were terribly high, the cheapest kind be ing double the nominal price. The reguof charge, and from out of the hut goat's flesh and other luxuries were dispense to customers, such as officials of the government and those who were rich enough

to indulge in them. Hospital tents have been erected here for the care of the sick, but up to the present there has been no necessity to use them. The officials of the mission have made an inspection of the coolie quarter consisting of long rows of mat huts thirty feet apart. They are ranged on both sides of a broad sandy stre and are kept scrupulously clean. Each hut is built to accommodate At the canal works a marvellous scene

were playing about in the vicinity apparently as strong as their parents.

At the registering department the visiting officials had another interesting sources.

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"Interference on the part of the Ambamboo platform, were giving new arrivals in search of relief work the slip of We can have the glory of being an Amrivals in search of relief work the sup of paper qualifying them for employment on the works. On these slips were instituted the names, caste, description and amount of wages to be paid to the workers, who were in turn taken to the different sections of the canal.

The greatest order and discipline prevailed on all sides, and there was a cheerfulness and regularity about the whole preceedings which reflected credit upon all concerned. Finally the mis ion officials visited the huts set apart

Many babies have already been porn while, while an electric root the trial trip, these infants are maintained free of the company's engineers constructed the company's engineers constructed the company's engineers constructed the company's engineers constructed the felt. charge, receive extra pay while they are inexpacitated from doing hard work and two larger locomotives, and it is one of are also allowed extra pay for the maintenance of their babies. Deserted babies or babies whose mothers are unable to power. suckle them are fed from bottles of con-

Montreal, Jan. 21.—At the Mayor's stead of four or five. It is safer than banquet to-night Hon. Mr. Laurier said that better trade relations with the United States were desirable, but if the price was to be any hostility to the Mother Country Canadians would have Mother Country Canadians would have

U.S. ALIEN LABOR LAW.

Washington, Jan. 22. The immigration bill has been agreed upon by all the members of the senate and the of the house committee in charge of the subject. The most important provisions of the measures are as follows: "It ing a citizen of the United States, or to come regularly or habitually into the United States by land or water for the

stantinople in finding excuses for putting things off, but recently they were
brought to the point of having the
blundering police whomade the arrests
severely reprimanded. This action was
communicated to Curtis, whom it should
have made perfectly happy, but word
reached Berne that he is still discontented, and the business of exchanging
diplomatic notes has been recommenced
with great vigor. The suspicion is beginning to take hold of the Swiss government that Curtis wants dollars rather
than apologies and reprimands. If that struggle will be indefinitely prolonged.

CUBA INDEPENDENCE.

New Yerk, Jan. 22.—The Sun corres pondent in Manzanilla, Cuba, writing under date of Jan. 13, says: "A trustworthy person of this city who is in women were buisly at work. Some were direct communication with the insurdigging, and others were carrying away the excavated earth in baskets upon ago with General Calixto Garcia, the excavated earth in baskets upon their heads. The workers were a healthy, wigorous, cheerful lot of people, most of them singing as they progressed with the tasks allotted them, and now and then glancing at their children, who were playing about in the vicinity apparently as strong as their parents.

Juarez to free Mexico from an European monarch.

ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVES.

London, Jan. 19 .- A new electric locomotive of large dimensions, calculated sion officials visited the huts set apart for the helpless non-workers. There again there was evidence of good work on the part of the government officials. The same extreme cleanliness prevailed in and about the huts, and every medical care possible was bestowed upon those needing attention.

Many babies have already been born at the canal works and the mothers of the same will attend to find the mothers of the same will a throughout the huts are apart of the government of this kind were was least of the same extreme cleanlines prevailed to ordinary engines at the rate of sixty-two miles an hour, has been tried with success on the Western railroad of a French line. The first experiments of this kind were was presented, which threatened to destroy the bill. An inquiry should be started. This movement of Mr. Rodriville, with an electric locomotive, which

In spite of its size it will wear out rails less than ordinary locomotives, as the weight is distributed on six axles in-

His Antagonistic Oloquence to Great Britain.

Certain Letter.

than apologies and reprimands. If that termined that the pending Nicaragua proves to be the case the diplomatic canal bill was not to be allowed to pass. That was a remarkable threat, and yet it was so in line with previous executive acts that Mr. Morgan said he felt quite

prepared for the interference.

Mr. Morgan continuing said that the letter of Mr. Rodriguez was in effect a notice to the Senate not to pass the Nicaragua canal bill. With this threat "flouted in our faces" and the Anglo-American treaty standing ahead of us close its work and surrender its functions as to accept the views of this min-ister about whom the Senate knows

nothing.
Mr. Hale insisted that Mr. Rodrigues was fully recognized; the letter of Secretary Olney termed him "Minister of the Central America Republic." Mr. Hale held that the minister's protest was of the gravest consequence.

Mr. Morgan replied that the entire plan of building the canal might as well be abandoned if this theat of Mr. Rodriguez was heeded. Would the next step be to ratify a treaty which further hedged and protected Great Britain? That might satisfy some gentlemen who liked foreign titles and decorations and aristocracy. but it did

decorations and aristocracy, but it did not suit him and he would never approve Why has Nicaragua come in at the last hour, just as the bill is about to pass?" asked Morgan. "It is because she has some strong power standing behind her." He said that this was a ser-

consider the assertion justified. He felt, too, that the word "blackmail" was illchosen and that Nicaragua's motives were not open to such insinuat MONTBEAL, Jan. 21.-A movement is

house, except Mr. Bartholdi, chairman Senator Morgan Once Move Addresses Sir Henry Strong Appointed—Canadian Mayors to Be Knighted -Cecil Rhodes.

shall hereafter be unlawful for any male alien, who has not in good faith made a declaration before the proper court to record his intention of becom-Property.

A displaced, room, someway to the July 1 modellost service will arrive here shortly, There are now four thousand people early time the particle of the purpose of dealt room. The appalling moderness of dealt room is a possible of the purpose of dealt room in favor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of securing exclusive on in favor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of securing exclusive on infavor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of securing exclusive on the purpose of devices the native and this is taken as a strong argument in favor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of securing exclusive on the purpose of devices the native and this is taken as a strong argument in favor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of devices the native and this is taken as a strong argument in favor of similar measures on a large speed by the purpose of devices the native and the purpose of devices the purpose of devices the native and the purpose of devices the purpose of devices the purpose of devices the native and the purpose of devices of the purpose of devices the pu

meeting. Premier Senor Canovas Del Castillo declared that although they had full confidence in the success of military perations of Cubu, the government was prepared to grant reforms and submit a lecree with that object is view to the council of state.

The police of Prague, Bohemia, have discovered the existence of a secret association named the Ezechia. The prociation named the Ezechia. The programment of the members is partly (Zgeh gramme of the members is partly Czech and partly anarchist. The members, who are mostly apprentices, are armed with daggers and revolvers. Seven of the conspirators have been arrested.

A Rome dispatch to the Standard says that in order to avoid post mortem disoutes the Pope is ready to put his three

ANGLO-AMERICAN TREATY.

o-day there was a discussion on the new Lokoja. They found the Foulah army Anglo-American peace treaty, notwith- dispersed and in flight when they ar- ney, of Boston, president of the Dominstanding the rule referring to treaties that they are only to be considered in executive session. Mr. Hoar precipitated the discuision in presenting a petition from the chamber of commerce favoring the speedy ratification of the treaty. The Massachusetts senator added some observations on the public pressure being brought to bear on the senate. "While no man is more desirous than myself to see an era of 'peace on earth and good will toward man,'" added Mr. Hoar, "yet I wish to enter my protest against the meddling with the serious data and 2,000 cavalry.

Tived at Kabba. The expedition consisted of 500 Haussa troops, six Maxim a capies for \$69,000 issued in a civil suit to-day. Mr. Whitney promptly furnished bonds and was released from custics, headed by Sir George Goldie and accompanied by the Royal Niger Company's fotilla of armed stern-wheel steamers. The quarrel between the powerful Emir Nupe and the Niger Company is an old one and arose from the Emir's raiding the company's territory for slaves. The Foulah force at drawing to a close. The verdict may be given to-morrow. standing the rule referring to treaties rived at Kabba. The expedition con- ion Coal Co., was placed under arrest on see an era of 'peace on earth and good will toward man,'" added Mr. Hoar, "'yet I wish to enter my protest against the meddling with the serious duty of senators, either by sermons or prof signal lecturers."

Mr. Sherman followed Mr. Hoar. "No

time, the treaty is one involving such grave considerations that it should have the most careful, mature and dispassionate consideration. That was the present purpose of the commission on for eign relations and the members of that commission are about to take up the treaty and consider it article by article with the greatest care."

A LUCKY BABY.

Paris, Jan. 19.—The young son of the Countess Castellaine, and a scion of French-American alliance, nobility and London, Jan. 22.—A Capetown disparts to the Daily Mail says that reparts have been received there that farms remaine exists in Rhodesia. Thousands of terricity emaciated native women besiege from the native office at Bulawayo clamoring for food. Natives are flocking to Bulawayo and exhuming the carcases of cattle which died from the rinderpest, and which were buried six months ago.

United States by land or water for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical rate or manual labor for wages or sallary, returning from time to time to a tet this afternoon. Mr. Sherman created a sensation by presenting and have the mainting from the minister of the Grown Correspondent.)

United States by land or water for the purpose of engaging in any mechanical rate or manual labor for wages or sallary, returning from time to time to a tet this afternoon. Mr. Sherman created a sensation by presenting and have the ated as ensual one. The figures of receipts and working expenses into the U.S., violating the foragoing provision, but the employement of sallors, dock hands or other employes of vessels or railroad was taken up by the senator of the Suprement of Court of Canada, has been appointed a set this afternoon. Mr. Sherman created a sensation by presenting and have at the atendance of the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony, and for weeks an avalanche of priceless in the American colony. It is is understood that on the occasion of the Queen's celebration Her Majesty will knight the mayors of Montreal, Baring Brothers have been offering golden spoo wealth may be said to be born with a

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which were buried six months ago.
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Canal, about which no less than 40,000 cooles are congregated. Of this number 12,000 persons, either aged or blind, are classed as non-workers. As the correspondent arrived here the cooles were just quitting work, and the scene recalled the spectacle of a great or icnetal and children was noticeable.

London, Jan. 19.—Mr. Curtis, librarian of coagress at Washington, is a gentlem and children was noticeable.

Alter visiting the tent the officials of the mission traversed three times during a little trip and on this matter the Union had sently along a double line of mat huts floored with grass. The market was filled with grain dealers, and heaps of wheat, barriey, maize and millet were piled on the satisfaction of being released with grass. The market was filled with grain dealers, and heaps of wheat, barriey, maize and millet were piled on the satisfaction of being released with grain dealers, and heaps of wheat, barriey, maize and millet were piled on the satisfaction of the huts. Prices, it was remarked, had fallen slightly since the recent rains, causing a slight change for the better in the stricken district, but in spite of this prices saked for grain better the correspondent arrived here the cooles were producted and the price of sevillates as the severe weather has resulted the satus at the severe weather has resulted in great distress especially in the proveing of Sevilla status. Nicaragua was formerly represented by a minister, Dr. Gusman, but shade the sevene were the satus and entered the system are district.

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London, Jan. 23.—The attempt of Sir William Rose, eldest son of the late shad of the stricks have the severe weather has resulted in great distress especially in th A special from Teheran, Persia, says 2,500 persons perished in the earthquake on Kisham island January 11. Kisham island, the largest in the Persian gulf, is stuated about fitteen miles from the entrance. The population is estimated at 50,000 mostly Arabs. A special from Bombay says three severe earthquakes have occurred there.

At the close of Wednesday's cabinet meeting. Premier Senor Canovas Del

ON TO KHARTOUM!

London, Jan. 23.—The latest news I from Cairo indicate that the start of the to and by Trout lake and to Lardeau on The secretary of the admiralty, W. E. Anglo-Indian expedition to Khartoum Arrow lake. Ellison McCartney, M.P., replying in the House of Commons to a question Preliminaries are to be expedited, and whether the government proposed to act on the suggestion of the royal secretary of Canada and secure a unification of time, said that any alteration in the astronomical day must be preceded by astronomical day must be preceded by the control of ten thousand British astronomical day must be preceded by the control of ten thousand British the Control of the commencement and completion of its railway, and for power to extend from Calgary to Lethbridge, thence to the international bounday, and to build a branch from Lethbridge to a point on the commencement and completion of its railway. astronomical day must be preceded by at the head of ten thousand British an international agreement. He added troops who are going to stiffen the backthat the foreign powers in 1895 had rejected the proposed change, and hence the nautical almanac for 1901 would be the nautical almanac for 1901 would be 1839, but it is felt a change is needed at gevin to present himself as a candidate to make the important advance about to be undertaken. It is understood, however, that the command of the army will be given to Sir Herbert Kitchene

AGAINST THE SLAVE TRAFFIC.

nephews in possession of their respective portions of his personal property. Brass, Guinea Coast, Jan. 22.—News has just been received here from the ex-Washington, Jan. 22.—In the senate pany against the Emir of Nupe, from minister of public works. and 2,000 cavalry.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.



Deficits on the Intercolonial and P.E.I. Roads-A Great Financial Institution.

Chinese Poll .Tax-Pelagic Sealing Not Condemned by British Commission

ernment last year from the Chinese immigration poll tax was \$88,800. Of this

\$58,182,407, compared with \$57,098,026 in 1895. The duty collected for the last \$9.683.690. compare six months was

with \$9,976,827 for the same time in the previous year. A Macleod company is to apply for a charter for a railway from Kaslo by Kootenay Lake to Lardo, then to a point near the Southern and Upper Kootenay ake; thence along the shore of Koote nay lake to or near the mouth of the river to its headwaters, with a branch line beginning near the mouth of the Lardo river, by the most feasible route

The Rocky Mountain Railway and Coal Company want to extend the time the C. & E. railway.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

(Special to the Colonist.) MONTREAL, Jan. 22.-Mr. Tarte in Le Cultivateur challenges Archbishop Lan-

Toronto, Jan. 22. - The executive committee of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association at a meeting held here yes-terday decided to ask for legislation the coming session of the Dominion parlia

to carry bicycles free for travellers. MONTREAL, Jan. 22.-Hon. Mr. Tarte states in Le Cultivateur that he has no

HALIFAX, Jan. 22.-Henry M. Whit-

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 22.—The finding of an ore body composed of pyrrhotite identical with that of British Columbia just reported. It promises to be very MONTREAL, Jan. 22.—La Patrie states

that no mandement will be read in Quebec, but Mgr. Langevin will send forth one of serious import to Manitoba, con-demning the acceptance of the settlement under pain of excommunication

Makes a Pretty Launch

Yesterday.

chased-Cargo of the Outward

Bound "Tacoma."

Seabrook was present at the launch yesterday, and which has the contract for

the building of the vessel, will lose no time in completing their undertaking,

and will place the machinery in the

Grant Gowan Syndicate Purchase Several of the Channe Mining Company's Claims.

That the coast mining districts of British Columbia are coming to the front | their

two of the other claims owned by them.
Upon the White Pine considerable development work has already been done
It was for a time bonded by Seattle peo ole but they failed to meet their bond

into a remarkably good prospect from
the work done upon it. The Channe
mines are situated in the vicinity of
Phillips and Fredericks Arms, and their
Term—The Retiring Presi-

mineralization has increased very much. The ore looks exceedingly well, and there appears to be a great deal of it. It extends entirely across the bottom of the shaft. The developments of the next week will be watched with interest. as the permanent character of the ore may

in that time be determined.

The showing on the Golden Drip is certainly very encouraging. It is a rose quartz of the most beautiful description.

Secretary's salary, expenses, audit, manager of the O.K., who was he visitors at the mine. All the Free gold was quickly detected by J. L.

ton pyrites and will concentrate well.

The very rich ore has been a good deal oxidized. Much of it has gold protruding from every part of its surface like so many pinheads. It has to be taken out cayune's special from Amite, La., says:

tended towards a ledge 125 feet away from the point of beginning. The fine body of ore opened up some time ago is not being followed, but the tunnel is being driven straight ahead. Some ore is now coming into the face and it looks as though a good chute might be encountered at any moment.

KOOTENAY RAILWAY.

The strong public sentiment in the Tug "Mamie' of Vancouver Pur The Size of the Sale-Will Direct
Increased Attention to
Coast Mines.

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The strong public sentiment in the coast cities of the province for a direct line from the coast to the southern portion of Kootenay, has resulted in the promoters of the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern railway and the Fraser Valley & Kootenay railway coming together to & Kootenay railway coming together to see whether they cannot amalgamate their interests. This would do away new cannery steamer for Findlay Dur-British Columbia are coming to the front and attracting the notice of capitalists is shown by a large sale that was completed yesterday. This was the purchase by the Grant Govan syndicate of several claims, including the Bobbie Burns and Ingersoll, from the Channe Mining Co. The price paid is \$135,000. It is only nine months since Mr. G. W. Willis, the superintendent of the Channe Co., started in to open up what are now well known as the Channe mines, and couver and Eastern road. The result of the Channe Co., started in to open up what are now well known as the Channe mines, and couver and Eastern road. The result of the channe couver and Eastern road. The result of the channe and attracting the notice of capitalists is with the rivalry between them, and it was believed by the promoters of both was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them, and it was believed by the promoters of both roads that if they could combine them are now in the colonism, and attracting the notice of the Seamen's Association beg thankfully to acknowledge the following subscriptions: Mesra. P. McQuade & Co., \$25; the Times, daily; and H. Saunders, \$10.

A special adjustment of the Col well known as the Channe mines, and the sale now completed proves that the coast has mines that before long will be quite as extensively known as those of the sale now completed proves that the two forces will combine quite as extensively known as those of the sale now completed proves that the two forces will combine that the two forces will combine to ask at the coming session of the legiscoast has mines that before long will be quite as extensively known as those of the Kootenay.

Mr. Willis, who is at present staying at the Driard, remarked yesterday that his company were this week starting up the Coast through Southern Kootenay to his company were this week starting up the Coast through Southern Kootenay to his company were this week starting up the Coast through Southern Kootenay to his company were this week starting up the Coast through Southern Kootenay to his company were this week starting up the Coast through Southern Kootenay to the Uncertainty about launching. They included the principal parties interested.

It was a pretty sight and much approaching session of the legislature, with a view to the operation of telephone lines between the Coast through Southern Kootenay to the Uncertainty about launching. They included the principal parties interested.

PRACTICAL CHARITY.

and the Channe company relieved them of the property and will develop it in a business-like way.

The White Pine has already developed

The B. C. Benevolent Society Complete a Quarter Century of Useful Work.

the company are: Ald. Moses McGregor,
C. E. Clarke, Robert Erskine, S. Schoen,
A. J. W. Bridgman, John Taylor and
Ald. Alexander Stewart.

Here are the complete list of new

Here are the members:

Here are the mem A. J. W. Bridgman, John Taylor and Ald. Alexander Stewart.

Here are the complete list of new companies for the week, the first being composed of those organized under the Provincial Companies' Act, and the lattern of the secretary. At the last annual meeting the question of amalgamatic to the secretary. At the last annual Companies' Act of 1862:

Caledonia General Mining Association, of Victoria: capitalized at \$1.500,000.

Givesham Gold Exploring Co., of Rossland; \$1,000,000.

Gresham Gold Exploring Co., of London; \$200,000.

Gold Reefs Mining and Milling Co., of Rossland; \$1,000,000.

Gold Concourer; \$1,000,000.

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Meetsmi Miocene Gravel Mining Co., of New Westminster: \$300,000.

Novelty Gold Mining Co., of Spokane; \$1,000,000.

Ploneer Development and Evaluation in distribution of canvassers for charitable societies during the dull times now upon us has at least dampened our ardor. The ladies of the Friendly Help receive a donation, more or less large from the distribution.

\$1,000,000.
Sadie Gold Mining Co., of Rossland; \$1,000,000.
Terminal City Mining & Development
Co., of Vancouver; \$800,000. Atlantic-Pacific Exploration Syndicate, Limited; \$97,400.

Randolph-Elmore Quartz Mining and Milling Co. of Fairvfew, B. C., Victoria; \$750,000.

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sides \$878 derived from the ladies' Dall and the public market concert, whereas in 1896 the total receipts were from members \$306, exclusive of a legacy of \$232. It is extremely desirable that this old society should be maintained, and it will be well to appoint officers who have its welfare at heart, and who may be

(From the Rossland Miner.)

The Norway is a mile or more south of the O. K. When work was started on it a short time ago a good looking quartz ledge was opened near the surface, but it carried little mineral. A shaft was sunk on this showing and it is now down in quartz of a mixed character.

Iron pyrites have come in, and the ore looks as though it might turn into a regular sulphide. A striking change has occurred during the last few days. The mineralization has increased very much.

In the very rich ore has been a good deal oxidized. Much of it has gold protructing from every part of its surface like so many pinheads. It has to be taken out: which great care in order that all the gold may be saved. No blasting is done, but the ore is removed by gads and immediate the eremoved by gads and immediate the ore is removed by gads and immediate the filter beds was found by a mode and lynched. John Johnson and Archie Joiner who, according to the other United Smelting Company's works at Great Falls. Mont., as it is too rich to the United Smelting Company's works at Great Falls. Mont., as it is too rich to the United Smelting Company's works at Great Falls. Mont., as it is too rich to the United Smelting Company's works at Great Falls. Mont., as it is too rich to the ore will run at least \$20,000 a ton.

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IOUISIANA LYNCHINGS.

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THE CITY.

HEBBERT R. TOWNSEND, of Rossland, New Craft From the Clyde Yard OLIVER GEORGE DENNIS, of Kaslo has

been gazetted assessor, collector and registrar under the Marriage Act. The proceeds of the concert given at Semple's hall for the benefit of Mrs.

Murdock MacLaughlin, totalled the Justices Walkem and Drake Now handsome amount of \$113.75.

Mr. H. E. A. Robertson gives notice in this week's Gazette of an application to revive the Delta, New Westminster Just seventeen days from the day her and Eastern Railway Company's Act of

Quite a number of witnesses were ex-Vanderbilt, testified as to the catches of his vessel during 1886 and other years.

Witnesses were heard including Charles

Spring and William Turpel.

Lagranian Consolidation in the statutes is highly important and necessary, and requiring as it does a vast amount of labor and research, its completion is looked forward to with great interest.

millips and Fredericks at the present of the gradient of the water solves the question of transportation very simply, for hipping by water gives an enormous advantage in cheapness over railway transportation.

MINING DEVELOPMENT.

The Biffish Columbia Benevolent Society esterday completed their twenty-fifth year of active philanthropic work, tans another long list of newly incorporated companies organized to prose-cute mining operations within the province. The list is headed by an incorporated companies organized to present manual meeting being held as usual in Pieneer hall, under the chairmanship of the Caledonia General Mining Association, Ltd.—whose primary object is "to purchase certain leases of mining properties and water rights on the long of the current year—the society will containing properties and water rights on the long of the current year—the society will containing properties and water rights on the long of the current year—the society will containing properties and water rights on the long of the top in the warm of th

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Free gold was quickly detected by J. L.

Warner, manager of the O.K., who was one of the visitors at the mine. All the or the visitors at the mine. All the or the society during 1897 are:

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Chief Justice Davie Has Completed His Draft of the Consolidated Provincial Laws.

Associated With Him to Check and Revise the Work.

talk about the issuance of a restraining order to prevent the carrying out of the sale. The highest War Eagle stock sold for on open market was \$1.62. The pretaining for on open market was \$1.62. The pretaining the first commission was entrusted, he has formally returned his commission additional \$50,000 for assets and credits will increase the value to 10 or 12½ centermore per share. and a new one has been issued appoint- will increase the value cents more per share. constructed frame it is, it would have A special adjourned meeting of the Mr. Justice Walkem and Mr. Justice THE QUARANTINE REGULATIONS.

lature of British Columbia making it lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor to 1. Each country shall appoint a commission for the revision and consolidation of the statutes of the province and also of the statute laws of England in force and applicable to the province of British Columbia.

Chief Justice Davie was appointed as Chief Justice Davie was appointed as his first report was presented at the last session of the legislature, the draft

the uncertainty about launching. They included the principal parties interested. The vessel is the third built after a model which Mr. Stephens exhibited, and with which he took first prize at the agricultural fair in 1893. The steamer has not yet been christened, this ceremony being deferred until the time of her trial in the near future. The Albion Iron Works, whose representative Mr.

Only Penticton.

Mr. S. J. Prits, who for many years carried on business as one of the leading session of the legislature, the draft volume containing over 1,000 pages. The second volume of a similar character is now finished and is understood to be in the press. It is to examine these two volumes that the present commissioners have already entered upon their duties and are now busily pushing volume containing over 1,000 pages.

The second volume of a similar character imported from Europe or from ter is now finished and is understood to any other country in which contagious their duties and are now busily pushing amined yesterday before the Behring sea claims commission, principally in the Winnifred, Oscar & Hattie and Henri-

was built in 1887 and has been engaged almost ever since in towing logs for her former owners' sawmill. She is a vessel of 61 tons register or 96 tons gross. Her dimensions are as follows: Keel, 89 feet. Beaker, Hon. D. M. Eberts, Hon. Col. beam, 20 feet; depth of hold, 8 feet. She is a staunch craft, and her suitability for the canning service, which she now enters, is easily recognized since, for her size, she has a very spacious deck, that

mate results. Yesterday three of the fleet cleared on their annual cruise, two being the siwash schooners Amateur and Whiteley's, in Westbourne Grove, and after whether the animals may be admitted.

alle to give it their heart, and who may be also desirable to able to give it their heart, and uniffing apport. It may be also desirable to apport, It may be also desirable to graph and the general public have confidently proposed resistant the police, the doctors and the general public have confidently proposed and and and revivitying our ancient and well appreciated organization. It is appleasing duty to return thanks to all those who have subscribed to our funds, and who as committeemen have devoted their time to our work of relieving the subscriptions, donations and beso greatly and the sick of this community. The secretary-tressurer in his statement for the expired term thus summarized the association's financial transactions:

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the balance in ninety days; also giving 10 per cent. of stock in the new company when organized. The stockholders wrestled with the three propositions all the afternoon and again at the night meeting. Finch, Clark and the other majority interests finally, at ten o'clock, secured a vote, resulting in the acceptance of the Gooderham proposition The vote stood 267,000 for Gooder

172.000 for Henage and scattering for Burbridge. A second vote was taken authorizing the board of directors to accept Gooderham's proposition. Papers will be immediately drawn and upon their execution the new syndicate takes possession. The minority stockholders talk about the issuance of a restraining

The agreement between the secretary f agriculture and the Canadian minister of agriculture, relating to the quarantine

1. Each country shall accept the veterinary certificate of the other.
2. That the chief of the bureau of commissioner under this authority and or of disease in animals imported from

pleuro-pneumonia is known to exist; a fifteen-day quarantine shall be enforced upon all ruminants and swine imported rom countries where foot and mouth disease has existed within six months and upon all swine imported from all

other countries.

Breeding cattle admitted to this country must be accompanied by a certificate that they have been subjected to the tuberculine test and found free from tuberculosis; otherwise they shall be detained in quarantine one week and subjected to the tuberculine test. All cattle found to have tuberculosis must be returned to the country whence shipped

or slaughtered without compensation.

Cattle for feeding or stocking ranches must be accompanied by a certificate showing that they are free from any contagious disease, and that (excepting tu berculosis) no such disease exists in the district whence they came.

Cattle in transit will be admitted at port of the United States and Canada, in bond, for exportation by sea from any Canadian port, or from Portland, Boston and New York in the United States. No animals covered by this memorandum may be placed on board the cars till the litter from previous loads has been removed and the car thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.

Anti-Mongolian Agitation couver-Townsite of Nels Without a Council

Boundary Creek Mines-The

Bonded to Canadian Cap ists-Clean-up.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, Jan. 21.-An expedient is being adopted by tlers on the verge of the Nelson with a view of evading the re on settlement within the Indian The reserve is open for min but not for residential ownersh of the white squatters on it h fore sunk mine shafts on t premises hoping to count in the as mine buildings. A little g to have been found in some of but the expedient will not, it pass muster with the authori

The mass meeting in conn the Mongolian agitation will on February 5. Every M.P. mayor, reeve and other pro cial in British Columbia will to attend. It is claimed that and Japanese are now invading mining industry. Meanwhile tions to the Dominion House mons continue to be signed fr big roll of names will be hand n the coming Dominion sess Another of the Bruce-Crei

was run to earth last nig police. The man whose in Wright is uncerstood to member of the burglars' c and was wearing a suit of lieved to have been stolen ner, Wash.
Prizes for long distance pig

100 miles, will be given by ver Dog, Poultry and Pet ciation, the first one being a \$7.50, and the second a cup v Christ Church Boy's Briga entertainment on Tuesday interested in the brigade. evening Captain Lacey R. Jo Lieutenant Holmes were each with a gold mounted "Beaver cane as a token of the apprec by the boys for the energy and those gentlemen have devote ing the brigade to its present of efficiency. The gentlemen v pletely taken by surprise and edged the gifts, and the spirit entation evinced in feelin C. W. Murray, secretary of

board, has received a lette provincial secretary announci provincial government have be o grant a charter of incorporat ate and politic under the name of the board of governors of couver college.

The council of the board of

hold a special meeting to-nig ceive a report from the jo committee.

The retiring school board

night and wound up the busin past year. Mayor Templeton the work accomplished by the thanked the members for the and assistance they had given ing his occupancy of the chairman. The newly electe subsequently when Trustee on was elected chairman Murray re-elected secretary husiness was transacted, apr passed, the truant officer conf McGuigan appointed trus of the High school and men affiliation board, after which ing adjourned.

A temperance campaign i ranged by the Total Abstinand the details will be gone semi-annual meeting on Frid The Dominion Developing Company held their annua meeting yesterday at the offi company, when reports wer from the president and second opted. The new board of elected for the ensuing year a J. T. Carroll, M.D., J. MacQu Harris, Vancouver; B. Dot Westminster; Hon. W. H. Ottawa; R. A. Pyne, Toronto Henwood, M.D., Brantford,

The Liberal party of Vancou lighted at the success of Mayo ton, its active chairman and o izer, in the recent mayoral Politics were not openly bro front in the contest, but it ha certained that almost every Liberal in Vancouver conspic participation in the recent election, put in quiet but effe for Mr. Templeton and the c mediately after the announce victory M. G. R. Maxwell, M. culated a large gathering

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LINSCOTT, Manager, Toronto, Ont.

THE VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST MONDAY JANUARY 25 1897.

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The Liberal party of Vancouver is delighted at the success of Mayor. Temple-

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couver, has arranged another tournament, the first heat in which was played to-night between Messrs. A. W. H. Curtis and J. Diamond.

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WESTMINSTER.

Vancouver, and is known as the Blackwater crand at present is to Seymour, through the Cache company and across the Pemberton meadows. The camp is situated in a valley and is most picturesque. At townsite consisting of thousands of acres of perfectly level ground has been chosen in proximity to the claims. A stream called the Blackwater creek runs through the camp into Black lake and encircling the camp is a range.

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ages 100 ounces in silver, though picked pieces of galena are very rich in silver. At the 100-foot level Supt. Oliver is hav-

The Liberal party of Vancouver is deplicated at the success of Mayor Templeton, its active chairman and chief organization, it has been ascertained that almost every prominent Liberal in Vancouver conspicuous by his participation in the recent Dominion election, put in quiet but effective work for Mr. Templeton and the cause. Immediately after the announcement of the victory M. G. R. Maxwell, M.P., congradulated a large gathering on the good work done.

Much comment has been caused in mining circles here by certain articles sent to the Mining Journal, of London, Eng., by its Western Ontario correspondent. In these he disparages the gold and silver opportunities of British Columbia, almost entirely ignoring the many free milling gold propositions of the Pacific Province, and alleging also that the lead and copper intermingled.

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McMillan, sr., F. Eaton, J. Hogan, P. Acton and J. Renaldi.

Mark Willer, day nurse of the Nanaimo hospital, found a ledge of quartz on the Little Mountain, overlooking the fifth and the Mountain, overlooking the fifth and the mass meeting in connection with the Mongollian agitation will be held on February 5. Every M.P., M.P.P., mayor, reeve and other prominent official in British Columbia will be invited to attend. It is claimed that the Chinese and Japanese are new invading the gold mining industry. Meanwhile the petitions to the Dominion House of Commons continue to be signed freely, and a big foll of names will be handed in early in the coming Dominion session.

Another of the Bruce-Creighton gang was run to earth last night by the police. The man whose name is Frank Wright is uncerstood to be the fourth member of the burglars' organization, and was wearing a suit of clothes believed to have been stolen from Laconner, Wash.

Prizes for long distance pigeon flying, country."

The Mirovte Otgloski says: "Italy, France and Austria have taken precautions. History has shown that Russia is always the country that suffers most from the pest. Russian doctors should go at the plagmatricker districts and outputs." as we cannot rely on the reports of the English, whose commercial interests have eaten into the humanitarian instincts of all nations. The world should unite to form a cordon around the devastated plague districts. All preparations are related to the residual of the cordon around the devastated plague districts. All preparations are related to the residual of the cordon around the devastated plague districts. All preparations are related to the related

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STARVING IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGM, Jan. 22.—Men, women and hildren are starving in Chicago in sight relief because the county commission ers do not alow the county agent enough help to distribute supplies. The county New Westminster, Jan. 21.—Mr. N.

M. D. McDonald, brother of Mr. J. D.

B. McDonald, of the Douglas hotel, died yesterday. Mr. McDonald had been ill for a long time and was brought down from Kamloops a couple of weeks ago.

A session of the Supreme court was held yesterday, when several cases were and Mr. Justice McCoil.

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IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

TO THE EDITOR: -This deep, far reach-Boundary Creek Mines—The Calumet Bonde to Canadian Capitalist—Clean-up.

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quietly securing business outposts in every part of the globe, and maintaining

are under consideration. Doctors have been sent to keep a proper guard on the Persian and Afghan frontiers. Committees in aid of the Indian famine have been instituted by the governors of St. Petersburg, Moscow and Odessa.

CALCUTTA, Jan. 22.—The government has ordered the stoppage after February I of all pilgrim traffic from Bombay and Karachi, on account of the plague. There are now 1,750,000 persons on the relief works, and about 150,000 are receiving gratuitous relief. The principal increase in the number of persons relieved is in Bengal and the Northwest. The cost of the relief works is nearly two lakhs rupees dafly. The exodus height. Great Britain can only con

two lakhs rupees dafly. The exodus from Karachi continues. There have been 543 cases of plague there and 498 deaths. At Bombay the plague mortal-

Sickly Women!

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DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

Vice Chancellor Sir W. PAGE WOOD stated publicly in court that Dr. J. Collis Browne was undoubtedly the inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the defendant Freeman was literally untrue, and he regretted to say that it had been sworn to.—Times, July 13, 1864. DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE 19—THE BEST AND MOST CERTAIN REMEDY IN COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA. CONSUMPTION, NEURALGIA. RHEUMATISM, &c.
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Repairs to the Tacoma Delay Hor Departure-West Coast Ore for 'Frisco.

The steamship Tacoma's departure will be delayed several days more than was expected, owing to repair work be-

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Wisconsin, accompanies him. Mr. Humbird in talking over the business outlook in Minnesota, said that he had noticed little change either for better or worse in the last few months, and as he had not been on the coast for a long time, till he reached Seattle the day before, he did not yet feel prepared to discuss the lumber outlook on the seattle. cuss the lumber outlook on the coast.

W. H. Phipps, land commissioner of the Northern Pacific, is in town. He came over from the Sound yesterday ernoon and is staying at the Diard He evie its to return home to St. Paul by way of Tacrma.

A New Company Organized at Yokohama to Compete for Trans-Pacific Trade.

A LETTER from Clinton contains the news that Edward Dougherty, a well-to-do rancher of the interior, residing at Maiden Creek, died from an attack of pneumonia last Friday. Mr. Dougherty and was one of the first settlers in that part of the country and was very highly esteemed by his neighbors.

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In response to a petition bearing many signatures, Mayor Redfern has advertised a public meeting for Tuesday evening next at the city hall, "for the pur-

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beck having gone to a neighbor's. Yes-terday Mrs. Caubbeck had her husband well enough to sit.

BY WAY OF VARIETY.

Artist—How do you like the portrait? "Well, I don't exactly like the nose." Artist—Neither do I—but it's yours. Darling," he cried, in tender tones,
"I never loved but thee!"
Then we must part," the maid replied;
"no amateurs for me."

A damsel of Biddeford, Me.. Has driven some fellows inse., Their love not requiting. The verses they're writing Are copilus, sad and ine Are copious, sad and ine

British and American Counsel Exchange Expressions of Mutual

through the East and the mining districts of Kootenay, is very well satisfied Among the arrivals at the Driard last night were J. A. and Mrs. Humbird of St. Paul. Mr. Humbird has come to attend the annual meeting of the Victoria Lumber Co. to be held on Monday. His brother Mr. D. Humbird of Wisconsin, accompanies him. Mr. Humbird of Hudson, Humbird in talking over the business well as investors directing their attendance of the Victoria Lumber Co. to be held on Monday. His brother Mr. D. Humbird of Hudson, Humbird in talking over the business well as investors directing their attendance of the Victoria Lumber Co. to be held on Monday. His brother Mr. D. Humbird in talking over the business well as investors directing their attendance of the Victoria Lumber Co. to be held on Monday. His brother Mr. D. Humbird in talking over the business well as investors directing their attendance of the Victoria Lumber Co. to be held on Monday. His brother Mr. D. Humbird of Hudson, Wisconsin, accompanies him. Mr. Wisconsin, accompanies him. Mr. Well enough to sit.

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[From THE DAILY COLONIST, Jan. 24.] THE CITY.

1897 last night—and their list run in 1897 last night—and then the cause of the alarm was a very small affair indeed. The blaze was list a two story house on Pandora street, and it was extinguished even without the use of the

ing next at the city hall, "for the purpose of obtaining an expression of public opinion as to the necessity and desirability of a railway being built from the Coast into the Kootenay country."

It is a little rough on the sealers, but three or four cases that have engaged the attention of the city police court during the past week or so have been satisfing the pa

and the prisoner was declared not guilty

thing British Columbian, munulacturers as well as investors directing their attention to the interior of this province as a most attractive field for the display of their business enterprises. The one thing needful is a road that will bring Rossland within twenty - four hours of Victoria, by way of the Boundary district. His own company, Mr. Cuthbert says, propose to invest \$100,000 this year in the development of their properties in all parts of the province—but they want to see something done at once in the way of improving the avenues of communication.

Mining Companies' office stationery a specialty at the Colonist office.

The own colonian munulacturers and it is impossible to tell when industry in the North, which was the field for the mines as they will be resumed. The miners of the mines here conditions industry in the North, which was the fiesture of last season's operations, promises to produce a number of new canneties this year at advantageous fishing points. One of the latest to embark in the business, according to Mr. Frank well business, according to Mr. Frank own company. Mr. Cuthbert says, propose to invest \$100,000 this year in the desture of last season's operations, promises to produce a number of new cannetists to produce of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemises this year at advantageous fishing points. One of the latest to embark in the business, according to Mr. Frank own company, Mr. Cuthbert says, propose to invest \$100,000 this year in the deature of last season's operations, products to produce of the Brotherhood of Locomotive firemises."

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The next examination in music in connection with the Victoria College of Music (London) will take place in April. Lemon Creek and Fairview Give THE firemen had their first run in Promise of Being Heavy Producers of Wealth.

> the Earth-The Salmon Market and Supply.

HEARD IN THE HOTELS

Cousin of the Man Who Wants

Lemon creek, which empties into the Slocan river about six miles above Slocan City, is in the opinion of Mr. D. R.

Chatting last night about the immense impetus which has pushed mining so quickly to the front in this province, Mr. Paul Gaston remarked that it was wonderful how Victorians had become imbued with the mining spirit. "Why," he said, "I notice a big difference even since I was here a month ago Of course."

Canneries being at present in course of erection on the Fraser. One of these, just below the Beaver, is a co-operative concern, some forty of the best fishermen on the river having pooled their interests, each contributing \$500 to the general capital.

Mr. David Oppenheimer of Vancouver does not think the coeff attitude. since I was here a month ago. Of course, men talked mines then, but since I have come to the Driard this time every man stopping there I'll bet has some mining interest. There is not a man in the place who does not have a piece of ore in his macket?"

Goes not think the coast cities are getting as much of the trade of the mining districts as they should. Chatting over business prospects last night at the Driard, Mr. Oppenheimer was very much in favor of a direct road from the coast to Southern Kesteney are the

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Nanaimo's Famous Hornets strate That They Have Lost Their Sting.

A Great Football Game-Fa Awkward Tackle-Rifle to Meet.

The long looked for match Victoria and the Nanaimo Ho contested yesterday afternoo Caledonia grounds and witne large concourse of football lov siasts. The play, as far as the of both sides were concerned. good exhibition from start to that is to say, when the warr on dry land, for it goes withou that good form is an impossib

morass, which a portion of the certainly was.

The Hornets winning the t toria kicked off facing the play ensuing until Goward in breaking away on one of tho is famous, carried the ball of ets' line, the leather unforti ing kicked beyond the dead tory. From the twenty-five kibath was partaken of as a who were now fairly pushing ponents almost as they like "lads in red" had to touch do

defence. On resuming, Victoria, with much determination, ret compliment by a pretty comb seeking refuge in a similar ma The sterling worth of the pla ing the name of the triple-sti vas now demonstrated, Stew attempt to obtain the major

sulting.
This success was greeted cheers by the spectators, esp the Hornets had just previous enced bad luck in failing to con a similar effort which ended beere's decision "touch in goal.

On resuming after the inte until the end of the game t forwards had it all their own great credit is due to the keeping such a very strong scoring again. Mud again was feature in the second half, and dition of the ball for handling

can well be imagined.

There is no doubt that the b won, though only by the sm sible majority, and it must be mind that after a fifteen ha well together to lose a c upsetting, especially two da the most important match of t Mr. A. D. Crease, who was

mand of the team, was evide his element and made severa takes, though it is only fair scrimmage, where he is invitake the place of Mr. Miller three-quarters, where the st is as different from his old p proverbial chalk from chees The Hornets have a fifteen t of, and as one cannot congra

game against so formidable SKATING.

complimented on playing

The International Skating U ing allotted their annual work pionship meeting for 1897 to agement of the Amateur Skal held Feb. 5 and 6 on the grou Montreal Amateur Athletic A There will be two concentriaveraging 437.44 yards (400 r circuit, and only two starters lowed in any heat. Each man on one course and at a design change to the other and so on tracks at each circuit until t the race. Each path is meas the starting and finishing poin race so established that each skate exactly the same distant opponent; neither will have vantage of track if one of should be faster than as the men are never same path at once. Each be timed separately in each the prizes will be awar led in a with the times made by the me trials so that there will be heats, and fast time is assur man is forced to do his best cannot know how fast some of heats may be skated. The races will be 500 meters and ers, and for the second day and 10,000 meters. Gold bronze medals will be given t ond and third men in each r any competitor wins three races he will receive the medal and the official title champion of the world in dist

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The Victoria Garrison A

at the drill hall on February executive committee will report and the election of take place. The spoons and during the year will be pre

The Semi-Weekly Color

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meeting of the Fruit Growers' B.C., will be held in Victoria on 9th day of January, 1897, at 11

G. EARL, President H. B. MACGOWAN, Secretary

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nen's Association of B.C., will be ity Hall, Victoria, on Thursday, beginning at 11 a.m. vitation is extended to all who Dairying t, G. H. HADWEN, angley.

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ne salmon packing industry rity upon it, is somewhat of overproduction this no fewer than ten new ng at present in course of Fraser. One of these. Beaver, is a co-operative forty of the best fishermen naving pooled their inter-tributing \$500 to the gen-

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Jan. 22-A union meeting rhood of Locomotive Fire ng New York, Pennsylsey, Illinois, Indiana and d to order here yesterday h First Vice-Grand Master eoria, in the chair. The h will be in session to-day, is held behind closed the most important ques-en up at this meeting is roposed federation of all oyes organized, into one bject will undoubtedly

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A principal control of a mails between the control of the control ers, and for the second day 1,500 meters and 10,000 meters. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be given to first, second and third men in each race, and if any competitor wins three of the four races he will receive the grand gold medal and the official title "Amateur champion of the world in distance skat-

Mr. Fall being thereby saved from wha Mr. Fall being thereby saved from might have been a fatal encounter.

Falconer, the strong half-back who rendered signal service for the Wan ers a few seasons ago, has returned to Victoria from Seattle and was seen on the field with his old companions for the first time vesterday, when they engaged in a practice match with the Y.M.C.A.'s also play with the Wanderers in all which closed last night at Ranke's hall, probability, when they meet the Bar- resulted in the organization of the Washracks team in the next championship

fixture of the season.

The Victoria Garrison Artillery Rifle Association hold their annual meeting at the drill hall on February 6, when the executive committee will present their report and the election of officers will take place. The spoons and badges won during the year will be presented at the

The Semi-Weekly Colonist leads.

LE ROI MAKES A STRIKE.

Rossland, Jan. 22.—(Special)—The Miner this morning announces a very mportant strike in the Le Roi on the the west after passing through some barren ground which was cut off from the A Great Football Game—Fall in an Awkward Tackle—Riflemen

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| Camp—Texada Island Claims | Camp—Texada Island makes it of very great importance.

The new War Eagle Consolidated Co.
took charge of the War Eagle mine ves-

to say to his fellow passengers.

AGAINST SECRET SOCIETIES. session of the Anti-Secrecy convention, societies. The constitution is as follows: "This association declares itself op-posed to all secret societies, Freemasonry in particular.
"We believe these secret associations

midst these evil associations.'

RISH BLOCK THE WAY NEWS OF THE PROVINCE day night was a great success. Sixty couples attended.

The Daughters of England gave a successful dance last night at St. Barnabas

Forward to-Wilhelm and the Bismarcks.

ernment Measures to Cope With the Plague.

heats may be skated. The first day's brought nearly 3,300 tons. To this crease of the plague in the winter, but races will be 500 meters and 5,000 meters and for the second day 1,500 meters are anxious to give the government was hopeful that the quick dispatch, but Navigating Offimees adopted were beginning to

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A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

NOTES AND GOSSIP OF MANY SPORTS.

Mr. C. S. Fall, the well known footballer of Cowichan station, met with a serious accident on Friday afternoon last, being knocked down by a Jersey bull, and both gored and trampled upon. The accident was witnessed by Mr. May ow ho at once went to the rescue, Mr. Fall being thereby saved from what vostock and who is going to Paris on a trace of the plague. The latter on the plague. The latter of the plague. The plague. The plague. The plague. The recent appointment of Mgr. Luigi the plague. The plague and is taken as indicating that His the plague. The plague. The plague and is taken as indicating that His the plague. The plague. The plague and is taken as indicating that His the plague. The plague. The plague. The plague and is the

vostock and who is going to Paris on a pleasure tour. He speaks very little English and has therefore had very little to say to his fallow passances. early in June. He brings some magnificent presents for the Queen in whose

AGAINST SECRET SOCIETIES.

jubilee fees he is to figure.

Hall Caine has declined a request to accept a seat in the House of Commons, on the ground that, as a writer, he al-ready has a large and exacting constituency demanding all his time A Daily News dispatch from Rome

tures. Senor Quesada, mayor of Havana, has resigned. The Diario de la Marina proto be very injurious to society.
"We will do what we can to withstand, oppose and remove from our

Another Profitess Session Looked Vancouver's Public Library-Golden Cache-Coal at the Terminal

> Camp—Texada Island Claims -Ore Shipments.

City-The Mines.

those behind the Vancouver, Victoria the made an offer to purchase the Silver and Eastern railroad route to Rossland.

Dr. Milne of Victoria will accompany Mr. Maxwell, M.P., and D. G. McDonell Owing to spreading rails the passenger Cline in the prices of Irish products. He and Eastern railroad route to Rossiand.
Dr. Milne of Victoria will accompany
Mr. Maxwell, M.P., and D. G. McDonell
to Ottawa, and instead of, as before, antagonizing, these gentlemen work hand
in hand with them. The mutual deal is
understood to be complete, Dr. Milne
having arranged good terms on which he
and his associates are to enter the Vancouver combination.

In the words of a local wag the city is couver combination.

In the words of a local wag the city is

was a supplication to the baggage car and

In the words of a local wag the city is going to the dogs, but only for revenue. Poundkeeper Rae declares that he will make at least a thousand dogs pay \$2 each to the city this year or suffer death in default. Last year only 240 canines out of a dog population of at least 2,000 paid the required tribute. In the meantime many of the poorer dogowners rather resent the poundkeeper's phenomenal activity and think that he should give them a little more breathing time in which to raise the dog money.

They meanwhile suggest that he might pay a little more attention to the swell dogdom in the West End.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Jan. 23 .- The provin-

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Jan. 22. - The following claims have been recorded from Texada island: Uncle Sam, located by Wm. McDonald; Bay View, C. R. Miller; Acme, H. McCluskey, of Nanaimo; Bonaparte, Malcolm Galbratth; Czar and Hamilton, J. W. Spring; and the Home Stake, Thomas R. Jones.

closely the ore from the Slocan mines. A shaft is down 26 feet, and the ledge is six feet wide at that depth. The claim

PUTTING ON THE SCREWS.

ington State Association, the declared says the government has purchased the purpose of which is opposition to secret specialized. The constitution is as follows:

A Daily News dispatch from Rome call tax collector of the New Westmin-ster district issued 26 summonses in the purpose of which is opposition to secret the seculp-district issued 26 summonses in the district issued 26 summonses in the purpose of which is opposition to secret the seculp-district court yesterday, but most of the Davit presented a long resolution prodefendants paid before their cases were viding for the expulsion of anyone pub-The funeral of the late Norman Mcmajority of the party in meeting or in poses that a military man should be appointed in his place.

The luneral of the late Norman Mcpointed in his place.

Sir Henry Irving is convalescing at Brighton.

The King of Pills is Beecham's—BE CHAM'S

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One of the Most Remarkable Cures of IT which the History of Medicine Records.

irs. Frood of Renfrew, After Ailing For Thirteen Years, the Last Two Years' Seriously Sick, Is Restored to Maiden

the property.

A truce has evidently been arranged between the promoters of the Fraser Valley and Burrard Inlet railroad and those behind the Vancouver, Victoria the made an offer to purchase the Silver Rt.-Hon. John Atkinson, Conservative of the property and the same of the property and the same of the property and the propert

INSURGENT DEFEATS. HAVANA, Jan. 22.-Brigadier-General Molina, by a series of combined operations, has defeated the insurgents at Zarabanda, province of Matanzas, at Punsa Guano, where he defeated them in the hills, dislodging them from their lies closer to Armstrong than to this city. The ore has been examined by a number of mining men, all of whom pronounce it to be a splendid property.

The citam position, and later he decidedly defeared them at lumbadero. Several of the insurgents who jumped into the water pronounce it to be a splendid property. lost two men killed and seven wounded A column of troops under Co LONDON, Jan. 23.—At a meeting of the advanced along the left side of the Cauto

St. PAUL, Jan. 22.—Dispatches from Manitoba, North Dakota and North-

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motices, 50 cents extra.

Where converse the street of the continue of the Coast that they ought not to allow
their interest and enthusiasm over
Kootenay to blind them to the opportumotices, 50 cents extra.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

has made a fierce attack upon the Nicaraguan canal project, as advocated by the company now seeking congressional assistance. Concerning the desirability of the canal as an inter-oceanic waterpress and in congress shows a singular misconception of the real status of the enterprise. The practice is to speak of it as though it were a canal within the States, whereas, in point of fact, every has no sovereign rights whatever. There ing into the district with the expectaare no valid reasons why the United tion of finding competition for their ser-States government may not make any arrangements it chooses for advancing the money required to the few steamers. Last year fully 150 would have reason to rejoice at it and would quickly experience its benefits.—

Iton of miding competition for their ser-compared with what it is now. Even if the old arrangement were renewed be would have reason to rejoice at it and would quickly experience its benefits.—

Ottom Clisical arrangement in the country by steamer were unable to do so and are still there. of this kind can convey any greater port duty upon the lead contents of silrights than the canal company possess and these are held subject to the territorial rights of Nicaragua and Costa It says the American smelters need the Rica. Others might be acquired by wet ores of the Slocan in order to treat treaty, such as the rights to fortify the their own dry ores economically and are the ports at the termini of the canal, now practically paying a premium for the exclusive use of the canal for certain them. The export duty, the Miner purposes by United States vessels and so thinks, would stimulate smelting in ceeded as though congress were in a position to pass an act vesting the control of the canal and everything appur-trol of the canal and everything appur-trol of the canal and everything appur-trol of the canal and everything appur-discussion by experts in the business trol of the canal and everything appur- discussion by experts in the business tenant to it in the United States as a than by newspapers; but all will agree sovereign power, whereas all it can do that anything which will promote the is to legislate so that the government may enter the relation of a stockholder in a domestic corporation doing business it a foreign country.

GREATER CANADA.

survey, who visited the country lying south of James Bay and north of the watershed which separates the rivers flowing into the Great Lakes from those which reach the ocean by way of Hudwight remain unredeemed it. If the certificate should remain unredeemed for three should remain unredeemed for three health of the home of a large agricultural community. It only needs railway connection to be speedily colonized, is Dr.

bear high interest so as to make it an object for investors to buy it, and for the taxpayer to redeem it. If the certificate should remain unredeemed for three days (Biting one)—And, by general advice to the average man intending to go to the Yukon gold district is to stay out. Many men go there every year and suffer hardship, failure, loss of capital and sometimes of health. If any one undertakes the trip he should take with him enough supplies to last him as long as he intends to stay more is breaking up housekeeping. Gadman—That can't be; he's very busy these days deciding divorce cases. Gilboy.—Well sin't that what I said? Roxbury Gazette.

Bellows (greatly delighted)—I'm so district is to stay out. Many men go there every year and suffer hardship, failure, loss of capital and sometimes of health. If any one undertakes the trip more is breaking up housekeeping. Gadman—That can't be; he's very busy these days deciding divorce cases. Gilboy.—Well sin't that what I said? Roxbury Gazette. watershed which separates the rivers Bell's conclusion, and he adds that his discovery is important because it shows the Dominion to possess breadth as well as length.

J. B. Tyrell, of the same branch of the government service, spent last summer in the country west of the Nelson river, which flows into Hudson's Bay. The region which he traversed lies northwest of the outlet of Lake Winnipeg and south of the waters of the Churchill. The 55th parallel of latitude passes through it, that is to say, it is in about the same latitude of Fort Simpson. It is further south than the Peace river valley, and of course considerably further east. He says of it:

I found a well-wooded country, intersperced with stretches of prairie; a soil of rich clay loam, with clay subsoil. Great stretches that were a few years ago heavily timbered with spruce have felt the deadly effects of fire, and are now a blackened stubble of dead trees. There are large areas of rich, cultivable lands west of the Nelson, and though wheat is not grown simply had though wheat is not grown, simply be-cause it would be of no value, all varie-ties of vegetables are produced in the gardens of the Hudson Bay Company posts, and prove hardy. Large stretches of prairie also occur, and I have stood on the banks of the Burntwood river and taining to the locality in which it is gazed on just such rich stretches as printed. -land that will be wan and Assimbolic—land that will be good for agricultural purposes and excellent for stock-raising some time, though now it is practically inaccessible.

report gives ground for the hope that when the vast region-fully 120,000 ery and that of Dr. Bell has been thoroughly explored it may be found to conain much land available for coloniza-

Not far to the west of Mr, Tyrell's explorations is the valuable country sur- the state of Washington to protest. rounding Prince Albert, and the best authorities say that there is substantiof Central British Columbia.

shall have been fully explored, it may for our silver mines. be found that an area of value from the standpoint either of the farmer, the stockraiser or the miner, and approxi- NIST's suggestion that the government mately five hundred miles in average should meet the house with a well-debreadth, extends across the continent fined policy a menace to the province. from ocean to ocean. This area lies in It translates it as meaning that "a cut the same latitude as the British Isles, and dried scheme" has been prepared, Denmark, Prussia, Southern Scandinavia and Central Russia. A great var- ture. This will be news to the governiety of climatic conditions must necessarily be looked for over so extensive a region, but a comparatively small portion of it has more severe winters than those of Quebec, Montana or North over the senatorial election in the State fields, says Prof. Spurr, will have a hard of Washington. This is better than into the country are considerable. Innstructions inserted till ordered out.

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> THE Nelson Miner advocates an exver-lead ores to the amount of onefourth of a cent per pound upon the lead. erection of smelters in the province and has no counterbalancing objection is the name for it. worthy of the promptest consideration.

THE Seattle Post-Intelligencer in treat-Dr. Bell, of the Canadian geological survey, who visited the country lying south of James Bay and north of the be put up at auction, the certificate to surveyed which contents of the put up at auction, the certificate to surveyed which contents of the put up at auction, the certificate to surveyed which contents of the surveyed which conte

> KOOTENAY wants a resident judge. Perhaps it does; but even if so, there does not seem any reason for making this demand as if it was something that was held on Monday last, there being was being maliciously withheld. Koot- present the Reeve, T. A. Wood, and enay wants many things, and in good time will doubtless get them all, but the

number of the Overland Monthly is a paper entitled "Exploring in Northern were appointed finance committee by Jungles," by Rev. W. W. Bolton and the Reeve, and Councillor W. H. Eking-Mr. J. W. Laing, the latter a resident of Victoria. This paper, which is No. 1

A suggestion of Councillor Herd for and has for a sub-head "Across Van-couver, from Alert Bay to Tahsis Canal," is gracefully written and admirably il-

-week paper published at the town whose name it bears by Messrs. Johnson & Pettipiece. It will devote itself chiefly to mining matters and to subjects per- and Bell's road.

advises the people of the island to drop health inspector reported on the town-their flirtations with American cable All previous ideas of the region thus promoters and set to work to discover described were to the effect that it was how they can best obtain connection with regard to scavenging for the present practically of no value, and Mr. Tyrell's with the line from Canada to Australia. year.

THE Spokane Chronicle does not believe there is any real danger of a law square miles—lying between his discov- being passed in British Columbia prohibiting the ownership of mining claims by foreigners, for the reason that "the Canadians of the West are not fossils." hardly lie in the mouth of a resident of

THE New York Tribune has a London ally no waste land between Prince Al- dispatch to the effect that the Indian bert and the Rocky Mountains. Be- mints may be re-opened to the coinage tween the Rockies and the Coast we find of silver. This would mean, it is said, the fertile lands of the Nechaco and an advance of from 12 to 16 cents an other valleys and the vast grazing lands ounce in the value of silver. This is survey ounce in the value of silver. This is survey sent out a party headed by J. Edward Spurr to thoroughly examine the gold field, the truth concerning

> THE Columbian discovers in the Colowhich is to be forced upon the legisla-

discrimination." This would be a ser-

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QUARANTINE OR A DUTY. The Kootenay trade means more to filled, we may look forward with the utmost confidence to mining developof cattle which, while unsuitable for the long shipments to the British markets, is, as far as meat is concerned, as good as the best. For these cattle the only market we have is the home market, i.e Alberta. Kootenay is now taking these cattle at the rate of 500 head per month, at a figure which pays both ranchers and dealers. The removal of the quarantine has knocked \$5 per head off the price of

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A JUDGE FOR KOOTENAY. There should be a resident judge of the Supreme court within the district, or the County court judge should be given the powers of a Supreme court judge, similar to those now exercised by Judges Hawisan and Balanti the score. Harrison and Bole at the coast.—Koo

BY WAY OF VARIETY.

Rich Old Maid—Do you love me, Henry? Henry (enthusiastically but truthfully) -Love you? Why, my darling, love isn't cat thinks he can sing.

She (drowsily)—Very likely. He ate the canary this morning.

without food and were obliged to travel down the Yukon over the ice to St.

Michael's in the dead of winter, a terri-

be put up at auction, the certificate to bear high interest so as to make it an biscuits my mother baked twenty years have been impossible.

Mr. Bellows—Oh, wife, these look like the My general advice the land.

NORTH COWICHAN.

municipal council meeting of the year likely to be entirely inadequate. Councillors H. Bonsall, W.H. Elkington, W. C. Duncan and W. Herd, the new

district must recollect that Rome was not built in a day, if some of their thriving mining camps were.

An attractive feature of the December

the district must recollect that Rome was as last year.

The municipal officers were re-appointed in clerk, assessor and collector, road inspector, secretary of local board of health, health officer and pound-keeper. keeper. Councillors H. Bonsall and W. Herd

warded the balance sheet for 1896, and THE Revelstoke Herald is a new twice-week paper published at the town The road inspector reported the recertified the correctness of the municipair of the Maple Bay wharf. He was instructed to prepare estimates for the improvement of the streets of Duncan

and Bell's road.

The council decided to insure the municipal hall, to continue the bounty on THE Hawaiian Commercial Journal advises the people of the island to don't have been advises the people of the island to don't have been advised to the country on blue jays, and the tax on dogs.

Mr. W. C. Duncan was re-elected chairman of the board of health. The secretary was instructed to ascertain the wishes of the householders of Duncin

If such a law should be passed it would fortune to be gained is ahead of him. The Chicago Times-Herald recently pubrces of the Yukon country

pestilence of ancient Egypt. In A SPIRITED contest is in progress be-

> steamer is expensive, and of late year lo so and are still there

there are quite enough in the Yukon district already. Probably ninety-nine out of every hundred men are unfitted by nature for such a life as Yukon mining nake the attempt. The hundredth ma must be a miner and frontiersman by nature, strong and patient, a hard worker and a lover of a secluded life. Even such a man will likely fail, on ac-count of the large element of chance, this house.

Sportsman — Ever hit it? — London be disastrous, on account of the strictly limited food supply and the lack of facilities for transportation. The result would be famine, disorder and failure.

again, if necessary, and should start early enough in the season to enable him to return up the river if he intends Somenos Jan. 21,—(Special)—The first to come out the some year, for the facilities for transportation by steamers are

TUBERCULOSIS INFECTIOUS.

impatient residents of that ambitious councillor for Somenos Ward, and the district must recollect that Rome was not built in a day if some of their t disease and physicians and heads of hospitals and other such institutions, whether private or public, are to be required hereafter to report all new cases of this disease within a week after diagnosis. This will be put in legal shape as an amendment to the code.



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Close to the waters of the Yukon river lies what the U.S. government now ronounces to be the coming gold min ing centre of the world. The geological These facts indicate that when Canada needless to say would be a grand thing which has hitherto been veiled in mys-

There is little that is attractive in the intry besides its mineral wealth. In the short summer clouds of mosquitoes descend on the yellow land, like the ong winter the cold is so severe that ning can only be carried on during the sunshiny days. Yet Prof. Spurr says that this is a country which for placer mining will exceed California's palmiest days. To gather the gold, however, and wean it from the surroundings in which nature has placed it, much

valuable machinery is necessary.

The seeker of wealth who tries his into the country are considerable. In-dians must be hired to do a part or a The Nelson Miner says the people of across the Chilkoot Pass at very high Slocan are "taxed under a system of wages, and the cost of the necessary outfit is in itself considerable. On arriving at the diggings provisions are often not obtainable at any price; or if they are to

obtainable at any price; or if they are to be had the variety is slight. The supply is always uncertain, depending upon the lateness of the spring and the fall.

Owing to the difficulty of bringing in supplied, prices are very high at the river post and much higher in the digings. The freight alone from the coast to the diggings over as high as 50 coast. to the diggings costs as high as 50 cents a pound, so that when one eats potatoes at \$1 a pound and bacon at \$5 cents a pound, other things in proportion, the cost of living is enormous, and even employment at \$10 a day for sixty days out market we have is the home market, i.e. of the year will not enable a man to grow rich very rapidly. Employment, moreover, is scarce, there being several applicants for every job. Owing to the high price of supplies, no claim that does not pay at least \$10 a day to each man working can be worked except at a the animal that will be shipped to Koot-enay. The quarantine was a sanitary as gage in mining here and work faithfully experience failure and are unable to earn enough to buy provisions.

In such a situation it is very difficult to make one's way out of the country, for the journey up the river along the United States statistics shows that the usual route requires upward of thirty days' hard work, and provisions must be brought for the trip. The trip down the river and back to civilization by though our population then was small the number seeking to get out in that compared with what it is now. Even if way has exceeded the carrying capacity

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General Quarantin Sudden Deaths Cause Great

LONDON, Jan. 25. from Bombay is not government sanitary reported seriously on Englishmen regard plague getting a footho ain as being remote o lent sanitary conditi continent the feeling of increased during the continental press d rigorous inspection ported from India

Some excitement w during the week by small steamer, bound about four miles north is said that the ste with the plague an had on board carpets But it transp cargo had been stored ast six months, an llowed her to procethe unsanitary ports ranean littoral grave that the plague will the steamers from Ind ordered large quanti

At a meeting of the struck in a remark t carpets may already h nto the French capita moreover, stated that lague reaching Euro that the preventive m existed in rudimentar could no nothing to

of the plague and c These grave remark deep impression, and council to-day the mi affairs, M. Hanotaux eagues and itary measures add Senegambia for Mece President Faure has si ing severe penalti tation of merchandise ports of India through rseilles, St. Nazaire

and Algiers. The Italian sanitary sidered the situation. stood that its advices for a general quarantin In Germany the through anglop ritain is attacked to be lulled into a feeli by the Indian authorit bay press, which is char to conceal the real dang A special from Mila the arrival from Brine train, a second class ca by the Italian govern lishman from Bombay carriage, was refused the frontier. The car shunted to a siding, pending government i MARSEILLES, Jan. feeling of alarm prevail masses of the population number of sudden de occurred in one street. ago a report was circu case of bubonic plague

This was promptly de tions taken to guard a duction of the plague w pecially where the mar congregates. In those seamen and others from world are to be found in and in the vicinity of the ially, the streets a the extreme, lined old, over-populated h every way unhealthy stone roadway, as a rule through which vile drain the alarm, steps have clean the streets as mu and domiciliary measu made by the health offic

dangerous quarters. Under the circumstan traordinary that the a greatly alarmed when th spread that a case of bubeen discovered, but it day that the general frightened. It was ann sudden deaths had occi within a few days, ar in every case. The l public is very far from

RELIEF FOR THE

CHICAGO, Jan. 25 .- Ma issued an appeal for aid big packers, coal dealers for contributions and su lief of the suffering. In the proclamation was heavy contributions ke day. On the floor of t subscription paper several thousand dolla few minutes. Two big d dry goods merchan \$500 and \$1,000.

PORT ELGIN, Jan. 25.— (x-M.P., and one of the (1 Bruce county, died las