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VICTORIA, B. C., TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 1904.

FORTY-FIFTH YEAR.

### Day's Doings At Ottawa

Grey.

Lord Dundonald May Run As An Independent Member For Commons.

Dominion Rifle Association Decide Not to Send a Team to Seugirt.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, June 11.—No confirmation has been received at Government house of the reported appointment of Earl Grey as the hext Governor-General.

Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Clarke, Wade and Wark visited Alexandria today and discussed the Grand Trunk Pacific before a gathering of a thousand Glengarians for the benefit of the new regiment of Highlanders now being formed. They made capital speeches and the crowd was equally divided.

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The report is current today that it Lord Dundonald is dismissed from the command of the militia he may run for the House of Commons as an independent candidate. Candidate.

Thomas Black of Amherst has been led to the Senate.

Messrs. Courtenay & Company, of London, who were sending out gented pupils to farms in Canada, have been repudiated by Chief Justice Sifton and Lieut. Governor Forget, the firm using the names of these gentlemen without authority as both state they are not acquainted with the firm.

OPTION ON HOTEL

Winnipeg, June 10.—M. J. Clark, a New York millionaire, has an option on the Queen's hotel property at \$2,000 a foot for a month.

MISS MORTON DEAD.

Paris, June 10.—Miss Lena Morton daughter of Levi P. Morton, of New York, died this morning from bleed poisoning which followed an operation for appendicitis.

MRS. ELLIS RELEASED.

ew York, June 10.—Mrs. Has., held on a charge of extors discharged from custody this

### STATE OF INSURRECTION AND REBELLION EXISTS

No Confirmation of the Reported This The Declaration of Governor Peabody of Colorado -Many Officials Are Driven Out-A War Against All The Unions.

DENVER, COLO., JUNE 10.—Governor Peabody today said: "I have not declared martial law in any community in Colorado. I have only decided it to be in a state of insurrection and rebellion, and the newspapers have used the term martial law in describing our proclamation.

"I believe in stamping out this set of dynamiters, and I intend it shall be done. The Supreme court has granted me the power that policemen and sheriffs have, and I am exercising that power."

The following Teller county officials are driven from their homes and will not return to Cripple Creek while the military are in power, owing to reports that the citizens' committee, which is co-operating with the military, intend to force them to resign their offices: District Judge Seed, County Judge A. Frost, County Assessor P. Devault, County Treasurer D. McNeill and County Clerk Mannex.

The executive board of the Western Federation of Miners decided today to appeal to President Roosevelt to investigate the condition in Colorado. They decided that a history of the labor trouble in Colorado shall be taken to Washington by an emissary and placed in the President's hands. It was also voted to appeal President Moyers' habeas corpus case to the United States

Another Retreat.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Miners' Union has been forbidden by the

Joseph Hamilton, chairman of the Democratic county convention appeared believed in unions, and was told that he must leave camp within the next four The committee in charge of the petition being circulated among the mermeeting with a list of objections because the printers pressmen, stereotypers volve the suspension of the Cripple Creek Times and the Evening Star, which All day a long limited with the federation and this would intemploy union labor.

St. Petersburg, June 10.

The Japanese have taken Siu Yen, driving out the Russians. The enemy appears to be advancing on the Cripple Creek Times and the Evening Star, which pany guarding the flank and another company posted on London.

All day a long line of women besieged the "bull pen" here and in Victor, begging the armed guards for permission to see husbands, fathers, brothers and sweethearts. Admittance was denied during the forenoon, but all these were allowed to see the prisoners in the afternoon.

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SMALLPOX IN ONTARIO. London, June 11.—A case of small-pox has been discovered at the military samp at Carling Heights, where 2,300 officers and men from all parts of the district are under canyas. The victim has been isolated, and every member of the tent which he occupied has been receivanted.

BRITISH SAILORS FETED.

### Battle at Siu Yen

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St. Petersburg, June 10.

forced to retire with heavy loss. Meanwhile the Japanese infantry advanced apon the hill occupied by the Cossacks, to whose assistance three companies were successfully sent up. After a gallant fight of two hours the Russians retired, but it was a barren victory for the Japanese. The Russian artillery was turned on the hill vacated by the Cossacks and the Japanese found the position untenable and were forced to fiee.

### SCANDALOUS ATTACK ON LORD DUNDONALD

Premier Laurier Calls Him a "Foreigner" And The Impression is That Commander of Militia Will Resign at an Early Date.

OTTAWA, JUNE 10.—The besetting vice of Hon. Sydney Fisher is lo dog to "sie 'em" and got the worst of the rough and tumble, Mr. Fisher decidedly got the worst of it today. Had he kept his mouth shut after his original attempt to house, it would simply have been his word against Dundonada's. After the severe strictures from Colonel Hughes, Mr. Sydney could not sit still. He got up and wagged his tongue and wagged it to such an extent that he gave the whole case away and frankly admitted the truth of the allegations of Ford Dundonald in his Mon treal address. His lordship withdrew nothing of his previous statement; and there is but one impression around the lebbies touight, namely, that the day is not far distant when, by reason of the strained relations between the ministers and the G. O. C., the latter will un-

Norton, Kas., June 11.—A. G. Jenkins was shot dead by his eleven-year old daughter today. Jenkins was insane and had often threatened to kill his whole family. He was whipping his wife today when his daughter killed today ki

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Lord Dundonald's statement was read, in which he admitted substantially the accuracy of the reports of his Montreal speech. Mr. Fisher thereupon made a denial. Mr. Hughes followed with a memorandum from Lord Dundonald, which he had asked for, and scored the minister severely.

Mr. Fisher then got up fighting mad and admitted the whole thing. He said he was not going to have the regiment a hotbed of Toryism or organization.

Mr. Borden slashed Mr. Fisher for his inconsistency. The debate lasted all day. Sir Wilfrid Laurier called Lord Dundonald a foreigner, but withdress the remark after protests. He further said the government was not going to be dragooned, and Lord Dundonald must understand this was a responsible government. The general impression is, after today's debate, the honors are distinctly with the G. O. C.

Premier Parent of Quebec, ex-Governor McClellan of New Brunswick, and ex-Premier Greenway of Manitoha, are spoken of as members of the commission to construct the national transcontinental railway.

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If has been decided to refer the fisher's dispute between the Dominion and provincial governments to arbitration. This will give a job to favored friends to the espective governments.

UNCLEANLINESS A CRIME.

Montreal, June 10.—A local baker who neglected washing his hands be one beginning work today, was fined to be divided to the endiversing judgment the recorder said hat the offence was one almost amounting to a crime.

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Report That The Final Struggle For Port Arthur Commenced Yesterday Morning After Daily Bombardment by Togo's Fleet.

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### Mr. Fisher's Misapprehension

Premier Laurier Promises Explanation of the Dundonald Episode Today.

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### "DEATH TO THE UNIONS" CRIPPLE CREEK'S SLOGAN

Citizens' Alliance Secures Pledges From All Merchants And Business Men Not to Employ Members of Any Labor Organization.

### To Port Arthur By the Wireless

Report That Russian Comman. der Communicates With a Neutral City.

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Is No Longer to Be Number Among the Barbarian Nations.

Empress of Japan Taking Lead In the Good Work.

"Japan's real victory," wrote an a erican missionary in Tokio to a lauese newspaper when the treaty Shimonoseki had been signed in 18 "was not over the Chinese, but o herself. She has shown the world t she is no longer to be numbered am the barbarian nations."

He referred generary, says the N York Sun, to the civanzed and hum methods by which, on the whole, methods by which, on the war against Cama was N

more particularly to the hero.sm devotion of the Japanese Aed Cro Many stories are told in Japan of deeds of doctors and nurses curing campaign of 1894-55 and the advan to the relief of the legations at king.

During the first fight, at Haichi the Chinese forces suffered severe and many dead and wounded were on the ground after their retreat. Japanese doctors and nurses worlamping them while the battle was a raging and bullets were sweeping ground. But their greatest dan was from the wounded men whom the tried to succor. was from the wounded men whom the tried to succor.

A young girl of nineteen, the bray and best of all the nurses, according the Japanese who tell the story, kn down beside a banner man, who right arm had been almost torn aw by a shell. His life was ebbing fa and nothing could be done for him, be his eyes gleamed with hatred when saw the woman of the enemy.

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Slowly his uninjured hand stole to belt and drew a sharp, broad-blad knife. With one quick, spasmod movement he thrust it upward a stabbed the woman to the heart. Har ly had she fallen over on the ground when a Japanese soldier rushed up a knocked out the brains of the Chine with the butt end of his rifle.

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Such were the risks to which the nurses were constantly exposed that campaign. On several occasion wounded Chinese tried to murde them, but that was the only time the purpose was achieved. Several do tors and nurses were wounded while a tending wounded sowers under fire. One of these doctors, named Oto Tamerada, distinguished himself at the land attack on Wei-hai-wei by herefusal to give up his work.

At the outset of the battle he was slightly wounded in the face by spent bullet. He was directing a star of nurses at the time, and he woul hardly stop even to bandage his head. Then he marched up to the rear of the firing line with the ambulance, an was twice wounded, in the right arm and the shoulder, within a few minutes. Two of the bearers rushed up with a stretcher and wanted to carry him back to the field hospital, but he refused to several constants.

wounds, issuing supplies to the nurses and generally directing the medical work. His own wounds bled freely, and at last he sank exhausted to the ground. Still he refused to go on the sick list, and continued to give instructions and to exercise supervision.

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One of the nurses called the attention of one of the Japanese General to him, and that General sharply or dered him to go to the rear and be properly treated. As a matter of military discipline he had to obey, but he stayed a few minutes to tell another doctor where he would find some necessary medical supplies, and while doing so went off into a dead faint.

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heroic deeds on the Japanese and Chinese ships alike. Hundreds of men performed acts which, had they been British sailors, might justly have won for them the Victoria Cross. But none of them surpassed that of a surgeon on the Japanese flagship Matsuhima.

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Two hospital attendants immediately scampered off to cover, but the doctor, without an instant's delay, picked up the shell, staggered to the side with it, and threw it overboard, where it exploded harmlessly. Then he calmly returned to his work, with unshaken nerves, as if he were used to playing ball with bombs every day of his life.

There is an old doctor named Orisuka Masusama, who has served in all Japan's campaigns since the days of reconstruction, and who now holds an important position in the Red Cross organization. He was with the Mikado's army during the suppression

organization. He was with the Mikado's army during the suppression of the Satsuma rebellion, altrough he was not then a qualified surgeon in the Western sense. In one of the battles of that campaign he was attacked by two of the Satsuma samurai while attending to one of their wounded comrades. They did not understand his business, and imagined that he was about to murder the wounded man. Before he could explain, he was obliged to wound the foremost in the leg with his revolver.

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"When they discovered that they had attacked a man who was trying to help their comrade," the old doctor said, in telling the story to an American friend, "they were so humiliated that they declared that their honor was hopelessly stained, and they wanted to atone to me by committing harikari on the spot.

"I had to argue with them for a quarter of an hour before I could persiade them that it was all a mistake and that they were really not to bame. Then they helped me to carry their comrade into our lines for better treatment, although by so doing they became our prisoners."

According to the latest Japaness newspapers to hand, several women of the noblest families have gone to the front what the troops as Red Cross unress, as they did during the war with thina and the Peking relief expedition. There is great enthusiasm over the Red Cross work. Generous gifts of money and supplies are pouring in from all classes of the people, and the offers of voluntary service are far more numerous than can be accepted.

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As usual, the Empress of Japan is taking the lead. She is the patron and principal supporter of the Red Cross movement, which owes much of its success to her active help and enthusiasm. She gives money generously, but she insists on also making bandages and other medical comforts for the wounded soldiers with her own hands. The faddes of her court and the women all ladies of her court and the women gives a support of the support of the soldiers with her own hands. over Japan are following her example

"I wasn't always in this condition," said the ossified man in the dime museum. "How did it happen?" asked the obese lady. "A girl once gave me the marble heart, and it spread," explained the hardened from Fr.

### Port Arthur By the Wireless

ort That Russian Comman. Communicates With a Neutral City.

Question of International Law Raised if Rumor Proves True.

Petersburg, June 9.—One of the prominent of the officials of the fice informs the Associated Press aportant news from the front is ed within three days.

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AT TALIENWAN.

June 9.—Official reports show e first section of Talienwan bay of completely cleared of mines, we have been found and explodithe force under Admiral Ka-Two Russians ships were found water about 1,200 yards west of n island, one of which is beto be the cruiser Boyarin. Other vessels have been found south the same island.

AT LONG CHAMPS.

June 9.—W. K. Vanderbilt's won the prix Seymour at the

### MINSTER LEAVES LEAGUE

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Resignation Stands. r Own Correspondent. uver, June 9.-The British Coacrosse Association met today

ver. The chief business was eration of the resignation of thdraw the resignation if Vanplayed off the tie game to dechampionship of 1903, and if b would put up a forfeit of \$100-aid if either club defaulted the

ancouver and Victoria delegates ot agree to these conditions, and gnation of the Westminster club epted by the association.

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For a distance of fifty miles or more between the international boundary line and Hediey there are large areas of excellent fruir lands, at present being used for pasture, which will be utilized to grow fie luscious grape and peach.

Water can be taken from the tributaties of the Similkameen for irrigation purposes, and large tracts over which cattle how foam will be tilled and made to blossom like the rose. Orchards now bearing show plainly the latent possibilities of the soil, and the almost ideal climate is certain to attract hundreds of settlers.

At present the land in the Similkameen is largely held by pioneers, who have devoted their attention to raising cattle, with the result that many of them are now in extremely comfortable circumstances. A number of these large estates will be cut up by the owners and sold in ten and twenty acre lots when the demand is sufficiently large.

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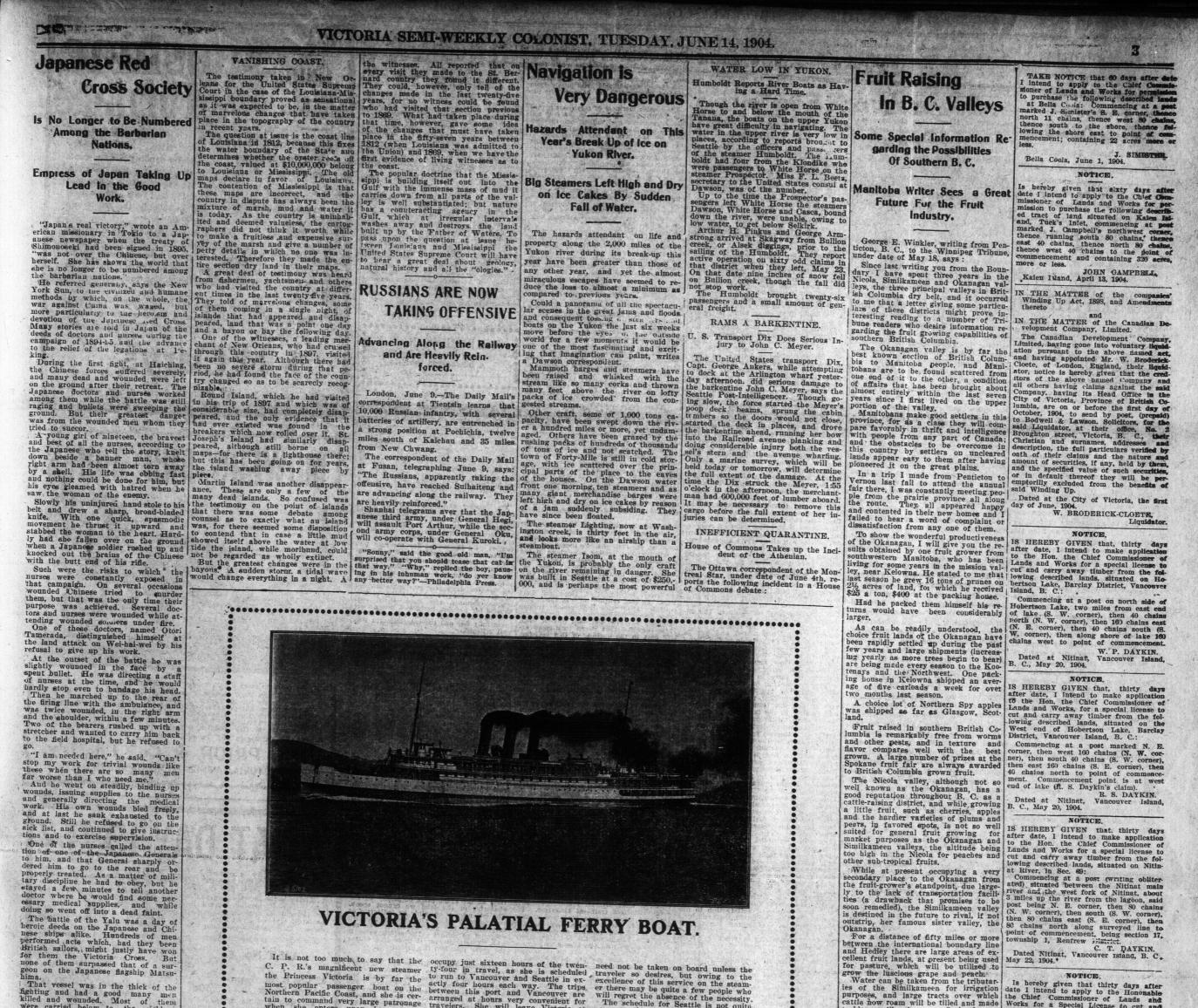
One great advantage the Similkameen will have over other B. C. fruit districts will be that of a ready market right at hand in the form of a large and the erection of a suit able plant for the treatment of their ores.

Higher up the valley, near Princeton, large seams of gold and rich bodies of copper and gold ores are being opened up, and will some day give employment to great number of men.

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A MAGNETIC GIRL.

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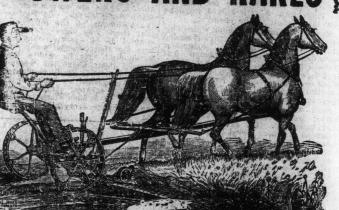


It is not too much to say that the C. P. R.'s magnificent new steamer the Princess Victoria is by far the most popular passenger boat on the Northern Pacific Coast, and she is certain to command very large patronage when she enters upon her summer schedule on the 13th inst. As mentioned in these columns a short time ago, this schedule provides for a triple daily run between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle, which the Princess Victoria at 11:30—in good time for luncheon. Returning, she leaves at 1 p. m., and gets in here at 5 p. m. This will do away with the necessity for taking a way with the necessity for taking a better and the Sound. She will leave for sattle is not quite so convenient, but nevertheless the steamer is certain to receive a large share of the passenger traffic between his port and Vancouver are arranged at hours very convenient for travelers. She will leave Victoria at 7:30 a. m. and reach the Terminal City at 11:30—in good time for luncheon. Returning, she leaves at 1 p. m., and gets in here at 5 p. m. This will do away with the necessity for taking a way with the necessity for taking a better and the Sound. She will leave for sattle is not quite returning, she leaves at 1 p. m., and seattle at 7 p. m., and will sail again at midnight, ver, as at present and reduces therefor the cost of the trip. Meals, too.

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### The Colonist.

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Mr. Willard Thompson, McNeill's Mills, F.I., writes us as follows: "I wish to tate to you what Burdock Blood Bitters ias done for me. Some time ago my blood got out of order and many boils appeared by my nieck, legs and arms. They were so painful that I could not sleep at sight. After having tried many different remedies without any success, I finally decided, on the advice of a friend, to use Burdock Bleed Bitters. Before I had quite used two bottles the boils had completely disappeared, and I wish to emphasize the fact that I think Burdock Blood Bitters the best blood purifier on the market in a success." I think Burdock Blood blood purifier on the market

(From Friday's daily.) Fall Fair.—The following speciprizes have been offered for the beloaf of bread made from Moffet's Be Patent flour, \$15; and for the secon \$10, by the Columbia Flouring Mil Go., Ltd., per F. Moffet, Esq.

Sealskins Shlpped.—A letter has be received from Capt. LeBlanc, who in charge of one of the Munsie flee reporting all well on board and the 5,000 skins had been shipped from Po Stanley to the London market.

Settlement Expected.—The four sharing the Bark Autiope Company, Limite seized by the sheriff in accordance wind write issued by the Supreme court in the action of Frazer vs. Murray, we not offered for sale yesterday, as a vertised, as offers were received which are expected to result in a settlement today.

A Naval Mishap.—On the conclusion of the lort firing practice at Esquimal on Wednesday evening an unfortunat mishap occurred. One of the large steam launches from the Grafton, in the darkness prevailing, ran ashore of a rock way back of the Anglican church She struck hard and drove well up. The rock where the little vessel came to grief is one that has previously been the scene of marine misfortunes.

Its First Election.—There is consider Its First Election.—There is considerable excitement at Ladysmith over the approaching municipal elections. The probable candidates for mayor are J. W. Coburn, managing director of the Ladysmith Lumber Co., Ltd., George Haworth and John Bickle, The general feeling is in favor of Mr. Coburn. He was mayor of Wellington some years ago, and thoroughly understands the duties of the office. Seven aldermen are to be elected.

Fruit Marks' Act.—Maxwell Smith, Dominion inspector under the Fruit Marks' Act, spent yesterday in the city. He reports that the law is being well observed in British Columbia, the recent convictions for violations of the act having apparently had a most salutary effect. Mr. Smith thinks the outlook for the fruit-raising industry in this province is excellent, particularly in the Okanagan valley, where many farmers from the Northwest have recently taken up land.

Ladysmith Lively. — Ladysmith, the thriving town on the line of the E. & N. railway, presents quite a lively appearance these days. Building is going on apace, and each day the lumber wagons may be seen hauling material for new houses. Lots are also being sold from day to day, and many handsome residences are in progress of erection. some residences are in progress of erection. Mr. Watson's new house being one of the best in the town. There are several barges and sailing ships in the harbor now for coal, and the mines at Extension are working to their full capacity.

Flour For Port Arthur.—That the Japanese expect to reduce Port Arthur within a very short time is very evident. The Mikado's government is at the present time buying wheat and flour in the state of Washington and negotiating for more in British Columbia cities. An interesting feature of the purchases is that flour is being secured on contract to be delivered at Port Arthur within the next six weeks. Agents of the government are assuring shippers that there will be no difficulty about making an easy landing at Port Arthur by the time the cargoes reach the other side of the Pacific. About 10,000 tons is being purchased for the present shipments.

Horticultural Society.—The following section, taken from the rules of the Victoria Horticultural Society, may be of interest to intending exhibitors at the flower show of the society, to be held on the 5th and 6th of Augustinext: "Persons subscribing \$2.00 and unwards are entitled to free admission to the show on both days, and if amateurs, to compete for prizes in all or any of the entries in classes B and C, free of charge. Exhibitors not being members will be charged 25 cents for each entry, and will have to nay for members will be charged 25 cents for each entry, and will have to pay for their admission to the show." Prize lists may now be obtained from Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s book store, or from the secretary. Subscriptions should be addressed to the secretary, 115 Toronto street.

Trade With Australia.—Mr. Charles Holdsworth, general manager of the Union Steamship Company, of Dunedin, New Zealand, discussing the prospects of the All-Red route from Australia to England, via Vancouver, expresses the opinion that should Canadian merchants and manufacturers take full advantage of trade opportunities existing in New Zealand and Australia the route is destined to become an extremely important one from a shipping point of view. He laments that at present trade between the countries appears to be exceedingly slack and the vessels on the route are receiving poor cargoes, poorer from Australia than from Caning and a. Because of this poor traffic government subsidies in the way of bonuses for transportation of mails are required. It is his hope that trade between the countries will show an improvement consequent upon the impetus given by the exchange of preferential tariff courtesies.

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APPEARED ON NECK, LEGS AND ARMS.

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## \* LOCAL NEWS \*

Settlement Expected.—The four shares in the Bark Antiope Company, Limited, seized ly the sheriff in accordance with writs issued by the Supreme court in the action of Frazer vs. Mutray, were not offered for sale yesterday, as advertised, as offers were received which are expected to result in a settlement.

Literary Woman Jailed.—Word has been received from Dawson that Mrs. well-known Vancouver and Ontario literary woman, has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment for stenling.

Ladysmith Celebration.—The Calculation of the control of t

A Naval Mishap.—On the conclusion of the lort firing practice at Esquimalt on Wednesday evening an unfortunate mishap occurred. One of the large steam launches from the Grafton, in the darkness prevailing, ran ashore on a rock way back of the Anglican church. She struck hard and drove well up. The rock where the little vessel came to grief is one that has previously been the scene of marine misfortunes.

from the secretary. Subscriptions should be addressed to the secretary, 115 Toronto street.

Fall Fair.—For the fall fair a special prize of a gold-mounted L. E. Water man fountain pen (value \$6.00) has been given by the Victoria Book and Stationery Company, Limited, per H. S. Henderson, Esq.

Appropriation Inadequate.—In consequent under the sound and an annufacturers take full and vantage of trade opportunities existing in New Zealand and Australia to route is destined to become an extrement of view. He laments that at present to be exceedingly slack and the vessels on the route are receiving poor carpos, poorer from Australia than from Canada. Because of this poor traffic government subsidies in the way of bonuses for transportation of mails are required. It is his hope that trade between the countries will show an improvement consequent upon the impetus given by the exchange of preferential tariff courtesies.

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Blood Bitters

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Salt Spring Creamery is proving a most profitable venture. It is situated at the most beautiful spot on the island, Ganges harbor; it is built of stone, and is fitted up with the most modern appliances for butter making that can be secured. The demand for the butter made by the creamery is growing by leaps and bounds, its excellent quality being its best advertisement. The size of some of the dairies on the island can be judged from the fact that the largest shareholder in the fact that I could not sleep at sight.

Mr. Willard Thompson, McNeill's Mills, p.E.I., writes us as follows: "I wish to late to you what Burdock Blood Bitters as done for me. Some time ago my blood for out of order and many boils appeared on my neck, legs and arms. They were so painful that I could not sleep at sight. The having tried many different remedies without any success, I finally decided, on the advice of a friend, to use Burdock Blood Bitters before I had quite used the boils had completely dispersed, and I wish to emphasize the fact that I think Burdock Blood Bitters the best blood purifier on the market to-day."

It is well-known to all that bad blood is the fact that I think Burdock Blood Bitters the best blood purifier on the market to-day."

Fall Fair.—The following special prizes have been offered for the best loaf of bread made from Moffet's Best Patent flour, \$15; and for the second, \$10, by the Columbia Flouring Mills Co., Ltd., per F. Moffet, Esq.

Ladysmith Celebration.—The Colonist staff is in receipt of an invitation to visit Ladysmith on July 1st. The celebration committee is making elaborate preparations for honoring Dominion Ddy. A splendid programme is working provided, and the committee is working energetically in the matter.

(From Sunday's Dally.)

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AND ARMS.

Party for Cassiar.—J. W. Lockhardt is making up a big party which will shoutly be leaving this city for Berry creek, in the Cassiar country. In the party there will be twenty-five or thirty men. They will embark on the Cottage City at the outer wharf, transfer to the steamer Mount Royal at Wrain gel, proceed to the head of navigation on the Stikine, then take mule train to Dease lake, and continuing their journey by water to Berry creek. Mr. Lockhardt has been engaged to look after the machinery of a small sawmill which the H.nfield-Pike Mining Company will install this year.

Salt Spring Creamery.—The Salt not oured.

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Was That Imposed By Ketchikan Collector on Steamer Princess May.

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Doan's Kidney Pills

ured Mr. George Graves, Pitte Ferry, nt., of a very bad case of kidney trouble.

He tells about the cure in the following words: "I cannot recommend Doan's Kidney Pills too highly. I never took anything that did me se much good. I had a severe pain in the small of my back and could scarcely get up or down without help. I could hardly urinate, but when I did the pain was terrible. I was in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston, last winter and when I came out I was some better but not cured. It was then I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised. Since taking them I have been completely cured and have not had any trouble with my kidneys since."

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THE DOAN KIDNEY PILL Cd.,

Maison Explains

The Pleiades, of the Boston Steamship Company's Oriental fleet, which broke down at sea 500 miles off Cape Flattery two weeks ago, went into the Quartermaster harbor dry dock yesterday for repairs, says the Post-lutelligencer. A survey of the craft is now in progress. However, it is not believed that this will reveal more than a broken shaft. The latter has been ordered from the Bast. As soon as the repairs are made the vessel will resume her run between Puget sound and the Orient.

The Pleiades has the distinction of having been the only American vessel in the harbor of Port Arthur during the first naval engagement between the Japanese and Russians. She was there all through the bombardment of the Russian stronghold, and was several times hit by flying shells from the Japanese guns. Lays Blame For Failure of Ne-gotiations on Shoulders of Unsecured Creditors.

A Part of finding-first or extended and the company of the company

cific Railway), and delivered at Vancouver at noon on March 7. During the journey across the continent, notwithstanding the rigorous weather and low temperature en route, only five more birds died, which shows the care and attention of the officials of the express company. The fifty-eight surviving birds arrived sound and hardy. It had been our intention that one of our members should personally take care of the shipment, but he was unfortunately detained, so the birds traveled under the care of the officers of the Allan liner, and then the employees of the express company, who gave them every attention, and carefully carried out their instructions as to food and water. The birds were turned down in three lots, seven brace at Bort Langley, and the remainder on Sea Island. Reports show that the birds have paired, and those that have been seen are reported strong and rather wild. We are satisfied that given a fair trial they should thrive in all these localities. As our winters are wet and mild, and there is always plenty of food and roots in the districts named, the birds will never require artificial feeding. Pheasants which were imported to the Mainland of British Columbia some seventeen years ago, have done exceedingly well. The total number of birds turned down was less than seventy-five. They are now plentiful all through the Fraser valley to a distance of sixty miles from the coast, and it is safe to say that they will never be shot out, no matter how badly the game laws are enforced.

F. M. CHALDECOTT, J. L. G. ABBOTT, For the Amalgamated Game Association of the Mainland of British Columbia.

CLOSE TO PORT ARTHUR.

Chefoo, June 12.—(Noon.)—Chinese arriving from Port Arthur state a battle was fought June 9 within seven miles of the inner forts of Port Arthur. The Japanese fleets supported the Japanese army from the coast of the Liaotung peninsula. Conditions in Port Arthur are still said to be unchanged. CHURCH UNION FAVORED.

Toronto, June 10.—A strong resolution in favor of church union was introduced in the Anglican synod of Toronto yesterday, and will be discussed later. The resolution congratulates the Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists on the success which has attended their efforts to bring about a corporate union of the churches in the Dominion. EXPENSIVE TARGET.

Target practice is obviously a subject upon which most nations are silent as to details, and, therefore, verittle has been made public concerning a most remarkable target practice help order of the French government of Toulon. The turret of the battleship is unit of the Massena. A battleship in commission fully manned and equipped, representing millions of dollars, was thus deliberately made a target for Lother ship. The idea was to ascertain what would be the effect of impact of shots upon the turret of a mode n battleship. The range was short in order to minimize

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Wash His Hands of Affair.

holders would impair the value of their own shares, and that the commission of \$150,000 asked by the liquidator for finding \$500,000 was unnecessarily high. Mr. Matson has, therefore, gone back, and unless he finds that the creditors are prepared to meet him in a more conciliatory spirit he announces his intention of washing his hands of the whole affair. As to the value of the mine and whether it would justify the proposed capital, we are not in a position at present to express an opinion, but the proposed sum of £30,000 for working capital is without doubt inadequate for the mine and smelter, and a company brought out on such a basis would seen find itself, financially embarrassed."

GOSSIP FROM GOLDEN.

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GOIden, B. C., June S.—Our fine were ther has been succeeded by storms of your wind and rain. There was a frost last night, but tender crops would scarcely the sufficiently grown to be much injured to be sufficiently grown to be much injured. There is plenty of snow on the mountain yet. It adds to their grand appeared although it interferes with a prospecting and mining development. The co-operative Mining Company is sending an increased force of men up to the Good Luck, their mine on the Selkirks near town.

The steamer Ptarmigan has an excursion on the Columbia and the Selkirks near town.

The steamer Ptarmigan has an excursion on the Columbia hall this evening will be another amusement arranged by the Quadrille Glub.

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On His Way From London to

ton, will accompany Messrs. Shutt Anderson on the upper Mainland. THE HOTTEST SPOT ON EARTH.

A Fine Record.—At Winnipeg a few days ago an officer of the Esquimalt fleet said, regarding the Shearwater's long steaming record: "In these two years her station has extended from the Behring Sea to Cape Horn and the South Sea Islands. Make this trip two or three times, and then take your geography, and I'll wager you'll find it measures up nearer 80,000 than 70,000 miles. And, mind, never in all these cruises for these two years has she had an accident. That's a record-breaker.

Truscott Launches

R. HUTCHISON

Bahrin Is Eleven Degrees Higher Than Death Valley.

of the Republican national convention the commission will meet in Chicago, and will then visit the other principal lake cities. The work on the great lakes will probably be finished by July 2nd. I shall go immediately to Seattle, and the commission will probably be thereby the 14th of the month. Hearings will be given at Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and San Francisco."

Representative Humphrey will have charge of the itinerary of the commission on the Pacific coast, and at his suggestion the four places mentioned were designated.

Death Valley.

St. Louis Globe Democrat.

"Death Valley, in southern Califormia, is usually referred to as the hortest spot on earth, but it isn't quite that." Mr. Ralph Erling tells me.

"This rather unpleasant distinction belongs to a portion of the shore of the Persian Gulf at and in the vicinity of Bahrin.

"Statistics prove that the mean annual temperature of the Persian Gulf furnace is 11 degrees higher than that of Death Valley, and the aridness of both places is about on a par, though I am inclined to believe, if my recollection of the records is not blunted, that a little brackish water has been found in a few isolated springs on the alkill surface of Death Valley, whereasthere, is no water at all to be found on the shore of the Gulf anywhere within a radius of nearly 200 miles.

"Yet, while Death Valley is inhabited by practically none and permanent life there is deemed well nigh impossible. Bahrin has a population of several thousand people and has had an existence as a village for many centuries.

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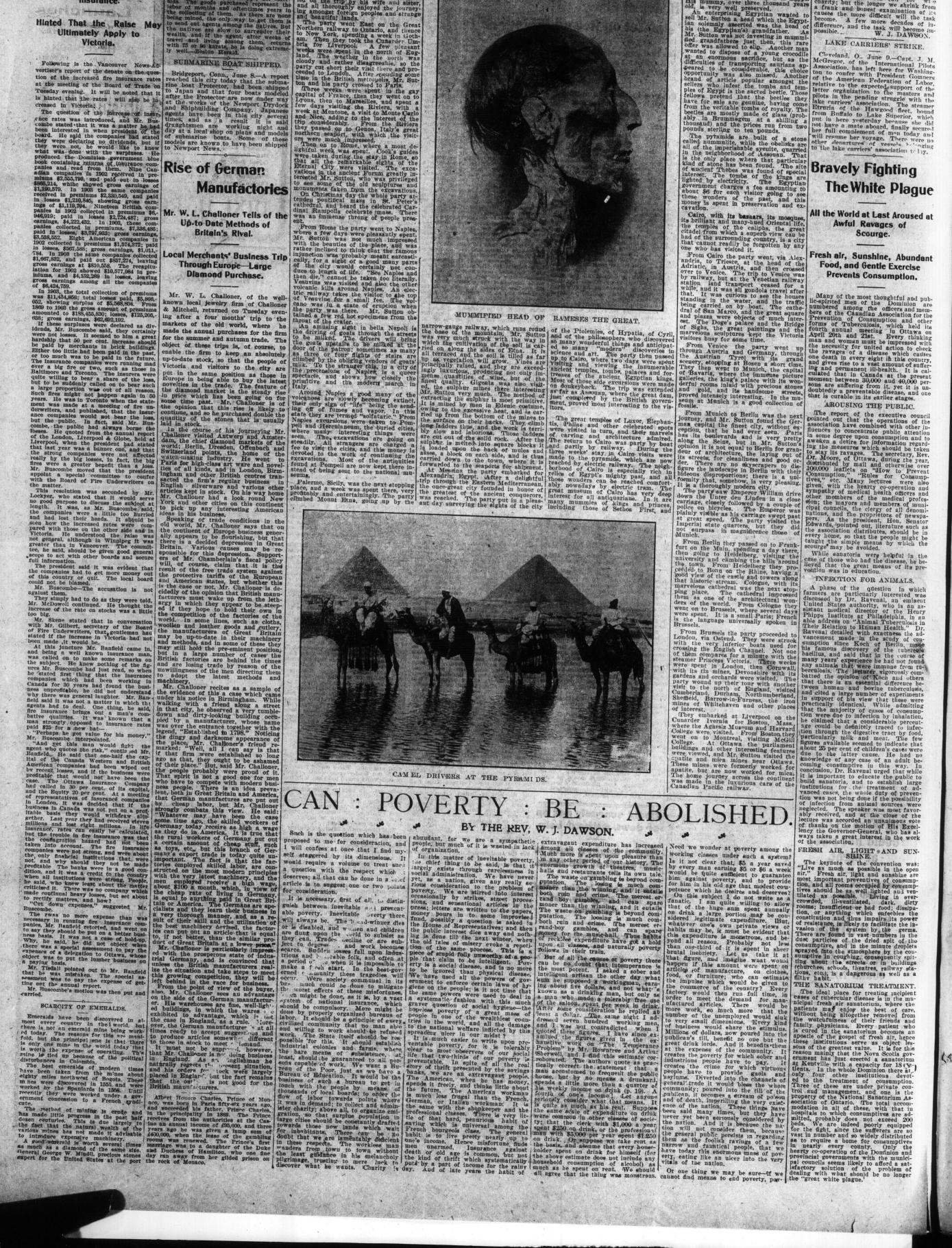
### Resisting the Increased Rates

Vancouver Board of Trade to Institute Enquiry re Fire Insurance.

Hinted That the Raise May Ultimately Apply to Victoria.

# Victorians in the Land of the Pharoahs.





Rameses the Great, the man who built many of the greatest temples of Egypt. His mummy, over three thousand years old, is very well preserved.

An enterprising Egyptian wanted to sell Mr. Sutton a head which the Egyptian solemally asserted was the head of his (the Egyptian's) grandfather. As Mr. Sutton was not investing in mummified grandfathers just then, this rare offer was allowed to slip. Another man wanted to dispose of a young crocodile at an enormous sacrifice, but as the difficulties of transporting saurians appeared to be considerable, this choice opportunity was also missed. Another brand of article popular amongst the sellers who infest the tombs and temples of Egypt is the sacred beetle. Those fellows pretend that the beetles they have for sale are genuine, having come from the veritable tombs of royalty. The beetles are mostly made of glass (probably in Brummagem at a shilling a thousand) and the prices run from two pounds sterling to ten pounds.

The pryfamids are built of a stone called nummulite, while the obelisks are all of the imperishable syenite, quarried in the neighborhood of Assouan. That is the only place where that particular kind of stone has been found. The site of succient Thebes was found of special interest. The tombs of the kings are lighted by electricity. The Egyptian government charges a fee amounting to about 36 for each visitor going to see these wonders of the past, and this money is spent in preservation and excavation.

Cairo, with its bazaars, its mosques, its brilliant and many-hued Oriental life.

### The Biggest Dam **Ever Constructed**

Wonderful Transformation o Assouan and Its immediate Neighborhood.

Description of the Giant Nile bam By Famous English Writer.

By H. Rider Haggard in London Daily

which has now been in operation for about two years, is to be obtained from the consideration of the consideration that would be required to complete the mighty enterprise.

Also the question remains—Is the work worth doing? It depends, I presume, upon who would be benefited. Probably not the fellaheen, at least directly, as owing to lack of capital they are not in a position to take up new lands that require cleaning and providing with causis. This would be done by the rich, and to them must go most of the profit. Still, the result would be to increase the population of Egypt? Would the world be any better if there existed another ten millions of fanatical Mahommedan fellaheen? The question is one that I do not pretend to

Extraordinary qualities are possessed by the River Tinto, in Spain. It hardens and petrifies the sand in its bed, and if a stone falls in the stream and alights upon an-other in a few months they unite and be-some one stone. Fish cannot live in its waters.

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### avely Fighting The White Plague

he World at Last Aroused at Awful Ravages of Scourge.

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ny of the most thoughtful and pubrited men of the Dominion are red among the officers and memfit the Canadian Association for the ntion of Consumption and other of Tuberculosis, which held its annual meeting in Ottawa on 20th and 21st. Every thinking nd woman must be impressed with the essity for united action to check wages of a disease which causes each in every eight in this compare

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AIR, LIGHT AND SUN-SHINE.

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al place for treating incipient tubercular disease is in the mnesh air sanatorium, where the may enjoy the best of care, being altogether removed from hituness of their friends and hysicians. Every patient who in the sanatorium becomes an the gospel of fresh air, hence titutions serve as object lesse greatest value. It is for this linky that the Nova Scotia govinas just erected a sanatorium lile with a capacity for 18 (was a treatment of consumption there are under private commanagement, and one is the first hysician streament of consumption in all of these, with that in to which consumptives are adobably does not exceed 200; are indeed poorly equipped the since the sufferers are so mber and so widely distributed lire a home for consumptives every county. Only the operation of the Dominion and governments with the municis seems likely to afford a sat-solution of the problem of the what should be no longer white plague. NATORIUM TREATMENT.

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Per L. M. C. Agent.
Dated, 17th May, 1904.

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F. C. VERNON,

Dated 17th May 1904.

H. P. BEIII,
Per L. M. C. Agent.
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### Trip Through The Okanagan

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Fight Will Be Continued Untill From Country.

TROUBLES OF THE LAKE CARRIERS

Not Likely Big Strike Will Spread A Race For Death Between Na-

BRANDON WATERWORKS.

Winnipeg, June 10.—Brandon rate-payers have voted favorably on the water works and school by-laws, involv-ing an expenditure of \$132,000, the ma-jority being 198. GRAND FORKS RACES.

Grand Forks, B. C., June 11.—The annual summer race meeting of the Grand Forks Driving and Athletic Association will be held here on August 25th, 26th and 27th. Over \$3,000 will be offered in purses and other prizes.

The principal event will be the Grand Forks Derby, seven-eights of a mile, for the Seagram cup and \$500 added.

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Morocco Incident Near Settlement

Attitude of Authorities Satisfactory to the United States.

GOOD REPORTS

FROM THE TANANA

First Steamer Reaches Dawson
City With a Gold Ship.

The Yollowers of John Alexander Dowle arrived here this morning from Holland and made a tour of the hotels, accompanied by his wife and son and escorted by deacons, in search of accommodation. Everywhere he met with a fraid of a repetition of the rowdyism which marked his former stay here. Ultimately, being unable to find lodgings, Dowle proceeded to the Zionist headquarters. These have been connected with the police telephones in anticipation of a possible onslaught by the mob.

NEW ORIENTAL BANK.

San Francisco, June 11.—Negotiations have been in progress for some time in San Francisco, it is said, looking to the organisation of an international banking corporation by local capitalists and a Japanese syndicate, headed by President Asano, of the Toyo Kyes Kalsha. As planned, the institution is to have a capital of \$10,000,000 and to be the dominating influence in international relations between the United States and the Orient.

VANCOUVER LOST.

In Contest for Next Convention of Orange Grand Lodge.

Picton, Ont., June 11.—The Grand Orange Lodge of British America concluded its session here last night after passing a resolution reasserting its complete independence of all supreme grand lodges. The order decided to build walface memorial hall. A satisfactory statement of the operations of the Orange mutual benefit fund was submit ted, and it was decided to further extend the usefulness of this feature by having a \$500 policy, and by making some provision for those who may be partially or permaneutly disabled. Owen Sounds was selected as the next place of meeting after a sphirted contest between that place and Vancouver. The former place only won by two votes.

Spring seem to be the time of year when the vitantly of the human system sea trying time. Either as a result of colds or as the effects of indoor life at the use of indoor life in the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods or as the effects of indoor life in the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods or as the effects of indoor life in the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods or as the effects of indoor life in the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods, and the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods, and the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods, and the use of artificial foods, the system gets run down and exhausted, the blood becomes thin and waters and the use of artificial foods, the system gets run dods, and the use of artificial foods, the system gets run d

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The Day At Ottawa

Proposal to Extend Lead Boun to Exported Ores Not Accepted.

Lord Aylmer Takes Temporar

Charge of Dundonald's Office. The Debate on Mr. Borden's Amendment Ended

Last Night. From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, June 15.—In the Senate to day on the lead bounty bill, Senator Templeman answering Senator Macdonald said no action had been taken on the proposal to extend the bounty to one exported. Sir Mackenzie Bowell hoped it would not be granted. Senator Templeman stated one result of the bounty was that all lead pipe used in Canada would in a few years be manufactured in British Columbia.

Senator Lougheed—Why not convert the bounty into a duty?

Senator Templeman—It would not have the same effect. The mines in British Columbia can produce more lead than can be used in Canada. The bill passed.

Senator Bostock took the oath and his iseat today.

Lord Dundonald was notified by telegraph last evening that he had been relieved of the office of general officer commanding. In the natural course of events Premier Laurier announced to the House the order in council would be passed, relieving Lord Dundonald of his position. All correspondence will be brought down and then there will be a full dress debate.

Colonel Hughes scouted the idea of any officer or men signing a protest us that would be playing Mr. Fisher's same.

The Budget debate terminated to-

New York, June 15.—Mrs. Nan Patterson, the former actress, against whom an indictment of murder in the first degree in connection with Book-maker Caesar Young was returned by the grand jury yesterday, today entered a plea of not guilty before Judge Newherger in the court of general sessions. The plea was made with leave to withcraw by next Friday, and in the meanwhile her counsel will serve on the district attorney notice that he will move to inspect the minutes of the server of the serv

SOWING MORE MINES AT PORT ARTHUR

Japanese Flotilla Successfully Encumbers Channel and Is Chased.

egram from Tokio, dated today: "Adbiegram from Tokio, dated today. Admiral Togo reports that our torpedo boat fleet proceeded to Port Arthur on the night of the 13th and succeeded in laying mines at certain points and safe-lay returned. About noon of the 16th, when any special destroyer florille, and en our second destroyer flotilla and Shampingtao for the purpose of facilitating the reconnaisance of our army, the enemy's cruiser Novik with ten destroyers came out from Port Arthur and some sharp firing was exchanged. Our fotlihas tried to entice the enemy by gradually retiring, but at 3 p. m. the enemy withdrew. No damage was done to our ships. Our cruiser Chitose heard explosions and the sound of heavy firing at 4 p. m. of the same day in the direction of Port Arthur.

TO GIVE UP WEIHAIWEI. London, June 15.—It appears from a question and answer in the House of Commons today that the fall of Port Arthur will mark the end of British tenancy of Weihaiwei, ou the Shantung promontory. Earl Percy, the under foreign secretary, informed the louse today that under an Anglo-Chinese convention of 1898 Great Britain's lease of this Chinese port was only walid so long as Port Arthur remained in the possession of Russia.

Philadelphia, June 15.—The commencement exercises of the University of Pennsylvania were held today. Besides the 650 students who received diplomas, seven distinguished men were poresented with honorary degrees. Among them were: Doctor on Laws, Bir Frederick Treves, surgeon in ordinary to King Edward, and Jean Adrien, Antone Jules Jusserrud. ambassador of France to the United States.

