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At Last Old World and New Communicate Through the Air.

Italian Scientist Has Accomplished Greatest Discovery

Receives Wireless Message at Newfoundland from Cornwall England.

London, Dec. 14—The home office to-day notified counsel for Miss Josephine Bastwick, of Philadelphia, who pleaded guilty on November 18, to forging railroad certificates, and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment, that the petition for her paradon, on the ground of insanity, could not be granted. No reason is given.

### ROSSLAND OUTPUT.

Ore Shipments for Week-Monday is Pay Day.

Rossland, Dec. 14.—Rossland camp produced the same amount of ore for the week ending tonight as was shipped during the previous week. The total is 5,750 tons, as follows: Le Roi, 4,200; Le Roi No. 2, 1,250 tons; Rossland Great Western, 300. Monday will be a lively day because of the pay roll distribution. The wage list will aggregate close to \$70,000.

# Ottawa Is **Favorable**

**Dominion Government Willing** to Assist British Columbia's Policy of Development.

Hon W. C. Wells Pleased With Results of Visit to Eastern Canada.

Bright Outlook For the Pulp Industry, Mining and General

plished Greatest Discovery of Modern Times.

Across the Ocean.

St. John's, Nid., Dec. 14.—Signor Marconi Informs the Person of Marconi Informs the Person Marconi Informs

similar propositions now before the government, which it is hoped will be brought to as successful a termination within the next few months. The government are losing no opportunity of inducing immigration, but they feel that certain requirements must be considered and provided for before a great stream of immigration can be reasonably expected. There are three distinct features to be dealt with—the anid lands of the dry belts, which must be irrigated; the Fraser river lands, at present embraced in the dyking system; and the timber areas. The importance of determining just what can be placed at the disposal of immigrants cannot be overestimated, and to encourage immigration under improper conditions might prove more disastrous than otherwise. The imm gration question must be handled not only advisedly, but on well considered plans, that will contribute to advantageous settlement. It can scarcely be claimed that British Columbia is situated, in this respect, as favorably as portions of the North West Territories requiring for that reason all the more careful consideration of the government.

Mr. Wells found, everywhere, a great

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# Growing Commerce

Canada's Foreign Trade For November 8hows Another Big Increase.

For Five Months Aggregate Far **Exceeds Similar Period** Last Year.

Col. Evans Keeping Vacancies In Mounted Rifles For Yukoners.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.-Sir Wilfrid Laurier fice, today, stating that Lord Strathcona

During Nevember the exports of Canada amounted to \$24,148,419, an increase of \$2,373,277. The imports were valued at \$17,448,239 an increase of \$3,643,086. The aggregate trade for five mouths was \$189,843,132, an increase of over \$13,-

Col. Evans has reserved a few va-cancies in the Mounted Rifles for some Yukon volunteers now on their way out. Over 350 applications have been received for commissions in the Mounted

A cable to His Excellency today announced the death at Thaba N'chu of Trooper R. S. Tooke, of St. Helens, Ont., from enteric fever.

BANK CLEARINGS. All Canadian Cities Show Increases for The Police Have Information the Week.

### CALLING OUT CONSCRIPTS. Will Take Chili Taking Precautions Against Trouble With Argentine Republic. London, Dec. 13.—The Times, in its second edition- today publishes a de spatch from Valparaiso, under today's date, announcing that decrees have been published calling out a sufficient number of conscripts and territorial guards to place 30,000 men at the disposal of Chili to protect the mountain passes. More Men

Three Hundred Addition to Contingent Accepted by the War Office.

DEPOSIT REFUNDED.

From Montreal.

COLLEGE COMBINE.

Move to Amalgamate Maritime Province

Institutions.

Coast.

Connors Gets Most of His Money Back Two Transports Required to Montreal, Dec. 13.—The harbor commissioners this morning decided to refund W. J. Connors, the Buffalo elevator promoter, \$47,000 of the \$50,000 which he deposited as evidence of good faith when a site was granted him on the harbor front for a million bushel elevator, but which he subsequently failed to build, after having broken ground, owing to the failure of the syndicate to obtain money to carry out the project. Carry Force of Nine Hundred to Africa.

Victoria is Omitted From Places Where Recruiting Will Be Done.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 14.-The Imperial government today cabled accepting 306 additional men for the Mounted Rifles.

Halifax, Dec. 13.—The governors of King's college, together with representatives of every leading college in the Maritime provinces, held a meeting behind closed doors yesterday to discuss the advisability of the amalgamation of their interests and forming a Maritime Province college, which would compare with McGill university, Montreal. A committee was appointed to look into the question.

Selling Whiskey

To Indians

additional men for the Mounted Rifles.

Recruiting in the West will commence on dates given as follows:

Vancouver, Dec. 24; Revelstoke, Dec. 25; Rossland, Dec. 23; Nelson, Dec. 24; Fort Steele, Dec. 25; Rossland, Dec. 26; Rossland, Dec

Victoria is not included in the list of. recruiting stations for additional men.

The reason assigned is that so many good men were rejected at other places it is thought advisable to take them.

PASS WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 14.—(Special.)— The Western contingent of the new Mounted Rifles reached here this after-noon en route to Halifax with the

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**UP-TO-DATE** 

Too High to Supply Canadian Article at the War Office

Final Census Returns For Dominion Will Not Be Ready For Month.

LORD STRATHCONA.

Cable From London Says He is Better

nd making excellent progress. He was ble to leave his room for a short time CHARGED WITH MURDER. Miner Killed Fellow Workman in

Quebec, Dec. 12.—Odillon Gregoire has been sent to jail to await trial on a charge of murder. Gregoire, it is asserted, got into a row with a fellow employee, Edmund Landry at the Ford mines and struck him on the head with a hammer, Landry dying from the effects of the blow.

A MURDERER'S WISH.

The Manitoba

Liquor Act

Full Text of the Judgment Delivered By Privy Council.

Following is the full text of the indgment of the judicial committee of the privy council in the Manitoba Liquor Act appeal case. Judgment was delivered by Lord Macnaghten and concurred in by Lords Hobhouse, Davey, Robertson and Lindley:

"In July, 1900, an Act was passed by the legislature of Manitoba for the suppression of the liquor traffic in that province. The act, which was known by ince.

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Of Fall Goods in the Upholstering, Dran-ery and Curtain line are now on sale, and we can only say that for coloring, artistic effect and value we have sur-passed ourselves in these last purchas-

Latest Novelties Fro

PARIS,

The time is drawing near when the people will live in the town and live on the country. The country will always deed the town, of course, but it must first better organize its resources than they are organized today, before it can make its fair profit at the business. That means that sagacious business mem will bring farming into the great combination of industrial resources that are the keynotes of modern commercialism, and that, in consequence, most of the men who will surrender their acres to accept employment on them will fare far better than they do today. It means that the future holds in store a development of Vermout's farming interests that will make the team "rural state" mean as much to the great world of commerce as terms now familiar such as "oil regions," "coal regions," "iron regions," and so on. Do not lose sight of the fact that farming, the oldest of human occupations, is still a great overwhelming undeveloped possibility.

The lesson of this speculation to the young farmer is: If you like your business and want to stay in it, make a serious life-study of it. If you do, it will be money in your pocket when the change strikes your acres. There is just as promising a future for the young farmer as for the young man in other walks of life. Keep up with the times.

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U. S. Exports in Iron and Steel Goods Far Behind Great Britain.

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P. O. Box 347, Vancouver, B. C.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works at Victoria, for a Reense to prospect for coal on the following described lands, situate on the east side of the Kishpiax river, in Skeena Mining Division, in Cassiar District, that is to say: Commencing at a point marked M. McPhatter, southwest corner, adjoining A. D. McDonald's southwest corner, thence eighty chains east, thence eighty chains south, the containing six place of commencement, containing six

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### MR. WELL'S VISIT. If nothing more comes of the visit

paid by Mr. Wells, Chief Commis

glad he went East. It is especially are to be impatient of criticism, and to we can see, touch, taste, smell or hear grad ne went mast. It is especially confuse their own notions with true pubable to report an awakening of interest lic opinion. Certainly the three gentleon the part of the federal government men above named are able to approach without law. But surely this must be in everything pertaining to the develop- the consideration of municipal ques- an error. We have no reason for supthe consideration of municipal questions with perfectly open minds, and as the mission of Messrs. Dunsmuir and Eberts to Ottawa last winter did more than anything else in recent years to attract the attention of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues to this part of Canada, and it is easy to understand how much the work of those gentlemen smoothed the way for Mr. Wells in his discussions with the ministers. What discussions with the ministers. What to secure their services in the Con discussions with the ministers. What Mr. Wells was able to say about the Coast-Kootenay line is of great interest, for it indicates that the construction of that important artery of trade is of the construction of the construc within reasonable distance of accomplishment. We can very well understand that the ministers who spoke on such subjects would much appreciate the foresight of the provincial government in ordering the Hope Monntain survey, for it is well known to some people that those ministers upon whose recommendation only a subsidy could be brought down, were very much at sea as to the nature of the passes through those mountains, and that one of the first mountains, and that one of the first questions likely to be propounded, when an application was made for a specific subsidy, would be if any one could speak with confidence as to the feasibility from a transportation point of view of such a railway. Mr. Dewdney's report has not been made public, but Mr. Wells us that the survey "puts the question of a feasible pass b-yond the realm of doubt," a statement of very great value and the first disease.

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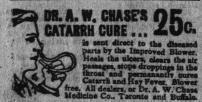
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The remarks of Mr. Wells in regard to the pulp industry are of special value, and they have the advantage of bringing take two little seeds that you can hard-ticular line, but we believe no sound



tood and the very favorable terms under which they can be exploited are made known, we may look with confi-

In regard to the New Westminster Bridge, it is only reasonable that the monplace than that salmon hatched in ederal government should contribute a certain stream will go out to sea and nothing is more certain than that hope

glad to hear any suggestion that he may things that are at hand every day, we have to make looking to that end. The will see that we are surrounded by in-said: CHECEMI-WEEKIY COLONIST which need not be here an doubtless ways and off-hand an explanation of the exact reand the Minister has done exceedingly Creator. well to give its his particular attention. On the whole, the result of Mr. Wells' visit to the East, although it was not strictly an official tour, will be of benefit to the province. He has brought perience hope, and hope maketh not-several very grave questions under the ashamed. And now abideth faith, hope, the very favorable impression produced by his colleagues, when they visited Ot- and steadfast. We are saved by hope."

Mr. Bodwell by representing him as victim for Colonist assaults on account of the way he transacts his private him. tawa last winter.

### THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

We print this morning the cards of much more than this. It means confi- and instead of running it over-time, as Messrs. Barnard, Grahame and Luxton, dence in the future, and not simply this, is has been doing, reproduce some of the timonials sent entirely unsolicited to who are offering for election as aldemen, one of them in each ward in the city. Mr. Barnard will be a candilis the kind that keeps many a man jects to which Mr. Bodwell addressed date in South Ward, Mr. Luxton in cheery under misfortune, because he Centre Ward, and Mr. Grahame in feels sure that something will turn up. articles cannot be told too often. And North Ward. We think all who know Micawber-like, they are always waiting what is more, the people seem never to these gentlemen will concede that they for something, which never comes. Such grow tired of reading or hearing about will make excellent aldermen. If elected they will introduce a new element to the Council, by which we mean that they the reflection that it might be worse. ist on June 11, describing the country to are representatives of a part of the community which has not much concerned itself with municipal affairs, namely, the the kind that maketh not ashamed, that colonist, it might look back to its early younger business element. The Colonist has often urged the younger men of faith and charity, that makes us rise ters dealing with the same deeply interto come forward and take up a share of superior to all the ills of life, that supthe public burden, and if those appeals have in any way contributed to the canditure of the gentlemen named, we are of Job expresses the true hope when he wins or loses in his political venture, it more than repaid, for the beginning thus made will lead to a great increase in the triarch the words: "I know that my paring the public mind for such legislainterest which the younger men will take in affairs. The events of the last few weeks have

an aldermanic board as we can secure. They have also demonstrated that it is a good thing to have an infusion of new something substantial. When it tlemen, whose integrity cannot be im- ual, or whatever adjective you choose peached, to allow themselves to be mis- to apply to phenomena that are not maof Lands and Works, than he has felt led as to their public duty. They also terial, as actual entities. The practice

value and, one that is likely, more than this article is being written. Far longer gree of altruism, which may almost be anything else that can be said or done ago the sunshine fell upon the earth, called charity. But there is no reason regard to the Coast-Kootenay line has pressure was slowly converted into coal, proof of the divinity within us, and like been well known for some time, and it is distinctly favorable.

The new transcontinental line is now tr fairly in the field, and must be very the engine, which turns the wheels of may have no place in it for charity. But shortly dealt with by the legislature. Mr. Wells was able to say that this project meets with great favor in the East, and while another portion of the coal is almost linger. The flame may be exceedwe are confident that he might have add- ready burning in the furnace to gener- ingly feeble, but it never dies out. Se ed that the federal government recog- ate the steam, which will drive the en- true is that none of the writers, who nizes that it has a duty to perform in gine to turn the press upon which the have attempted to describe despair give that connection. This line is likely to paper will be printed, and the water it more than a limited significance. Milsolve the questica of railway construc-tion on Vancouver Island, even if the

ninently forward a subject that has ly distinguish without careful examin-mental condition is possible in which not been as fully discussed as its importance would justify. It is highly satisfactory that he feels able to anticipate appearance. If you grind them to powwer take them shows that we have a favorable results from the legislation of last session in this regard. When once the value of the pulp-wood forests of British Columbia are thoroughly under- to precisely the same treatment. When ture of hope. autumn comes you gather the root of one, and it is nourishing and healthful; only to touch the merest fringe of this you gather the fruit of the other and it subject, and our only excuse for doing

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mething towards this very important return to that stream again and to no and costly structure. We can under- other, after a considerable period of ing the human race. For, as Paul says: stand that the federal ministers might time, probably two or three years. There is nothing more commonplace than the this salvation not to mean something definitely in respect to it. They are not process by which an egg is converted into a chicken, yet all the wisdom of all the thing transpiring here and now. If our to a chicken, yet all the wisdom of all homes are lofty and our faith strong all even if they were, they would not be the wise men in all the ages has never likely to make any promise at this date. explained how the thing is done. The Mr. Wells has done good service in books tell us the processes through which sible to us. pressing the matter for consideration. the egg passes, but no one can discover THE TIMES' FICTION FACTORY. In speaking of the settlement of the the force which does the work. We reprovince by immigrants, Mr. Wells fer to extraordinary, that is unusual, couches upon a question of prime im- occurrences as wonderful, but if we Times? It seems to have lost all seuse portance, and the people will be very only take the trouble to look at the of responsibility for its utterances colonization of British Columbia is not explicable marvels, and yet there are "That Mr. Bodwell was to be cen a very easy matter, for various reasons, some people who have the profoundest which need not be here mentioned in decontempt for the man who cannot give miles at each end of the V. V. & E." means by which it can be carried out, lations existing between himself and his

energy at his command, and it would "Patience worketh experience, and exthink it showed a very miserable spirit, if it should attempt to do so. What does our contemporary mean? It canattention of those who only can solve charity. If in this life only we have hem, and he has been able to strengthen hope, we are of all men most miserable. Mr. Bodwell by representing him as a of the way he transacts his private busi-The word hope has several meanings. ness, because every one knows that the Thus it means simply anticipation, or Colonist does not talk about such mat-

expectation, or even simply guessing. As ters. We suggest that our contemporary used in the above quotation, it means should close down its fiction factory, but an intelligent confidence. There is articles, which the Colonist has printed Dr. Hartman by grateful men and woa species of hope that is a weakness. It in advocacy of the development of prohimself. The facts contained in those people let things drift, and when the them. It might begin by republishing crash comes comfort themselves with an article, which appeared in the Colon-This may be a very amiable trait of be traversed by the Canadian Northern, character, but this sort of hope is not or if it does not like to copy from the is bracketted with the God-like virtues files of 1897, where it will find some let esting subject. Suppose our neighbor ports the soul amid storm and tempest, drops fiction and gets down to these and that is our salvation. The writer facts, and then whether Mr. Bodwell places in the mouth of the afflicted Pa- will have done something towards pre-Redeemer (of Vindicator, as some trans- tion as may be necessary for the carrylations have it,) liveth." This hope is ing out of that great undertaking. not the easy-going confidence of the inshown the desirability of having as good dolent. It is the absolute assurance of "Thermometers?" the salesman asked, She answered: "Yes, sir," please; I want one that will keep a room At seventy degrees." the energetic and determined.

Hope to be substantial must rest upon blood. The proceedings in connection founded, it is as much a part of God's with the Point Effice bridge contract Universe as are the stars. Perhaps too demonstrate how very easy it is for gen- few people look at mental, ethical, spiritfree to tell the newspapers, the people of British Columbia have reason to feel show how prone aldermen, who have is to divide up what the Creator has been retained in office for a term or two, formed, and while admitting that what.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is unlike any treatment you ever used. It does not act as a stimulant to whip up the tired nerves into exhausting action, nor, on the other hand, does it deaden and destroy the feeble nerve tissues, but by filling the shrivelled arteries with rich, red, life-sustaining blood, it repairs the waste and revitalizes and restores the body to health and strength. As a permanent cure for nervous headache, nervous dyspepsia, sleeplessness, irritability and the weakness and irregularities which accompany an exhausted nervous

this is utterly commonplace, but can But surely a quality which inspires re-

is a deadly poison. This also is ex-ceedingly wonderful? who may carry the thought above sug-You take two pausy roots. No analy- gested further than we have done. If soil, shone on by the same sun, wet by the same rain, treated in every way ex-

thetic, which is useful to dull our senses when they are suffering from disappointment? Or is it the glimmer of a higher life, by which we should steer our course across the ocean of Time? The ques has been the great elevating force affect "Ye are saved by hope," and we take

> Catarrhal Diseases are Most Prevalent in Winter.

### IS THERE NO WAY OF **ESCAPE FROM THEM?**

Pe-ru-na Never Fails to Cure Catarrh Wherever Located.

There are some things which are as sure as fate, and can be relied on to occur temporary knew it was not true. The to at least one-half of the human family unless means are taken to prevent. First, the climate of winter is sure t sure Mr. Bodwell for presenting a case

bring colds. Second, colds not promptly cured as sure to cause catarrh.

Third, catarrh improperly treated i sure to make life short and miserable. Catarrh spares no organ or function of the body. It is capable of destroying sight, taste, smell, hearing, digestion secretion, assimilation and excretion. It pervades every part of the huma body, head, throat, stomach, bowels, bronchial tubes, lungs, liver, kidneys

bladder and other pelvic organs. ocated is attested by the following tes men who have been cured by Peruna:

Catarrh of The Head. Mr. D. R. Ramsey writes in a recent etter from Pine Bluff, Ark., the fol-

age, suffered with catarrh of the head for eighteen or twenty months. He took one bottle of your Peruna and could hear as good as ever."—D. R. RAMSEY. Catarrie of The Nose

Mr. Herman Ehlke, 952 Orchard street,

"I was troubled with catarrh of the urethra and bladder for two years. At Graves.

"I am entirely cured of my catarrh of the time I wrote to you I was under the Pelvic Catarrh. Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

the nose by your Peruna. My case was a severe one."—Herman Ehlke. Catarrh of The Throat. B. H. Runyan, Salesville, O., writes: "I suffered with catarrh of the throat

Peruna. I have used five bottles and am perfectly well."-B. H. Runyan. Catarrh of The Ear.

for five years. I was induced to try

Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

the middle ear. Ifeel better than I have Peruna I felt like a new man."—Henry to any address by The Peruna Medicine for several years." Archie Godin.

Notice Is hareby given that thirty dater date I intend to apply to the Chommissioner of Lands and Works at Virla, for a license to prospect for coal e following described lands, situated to west side of the Kishplax river, keena Mining Division, in Oasslar I

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atea this fourteenth day of October, 1907 (Signed) W. J. SMITH.

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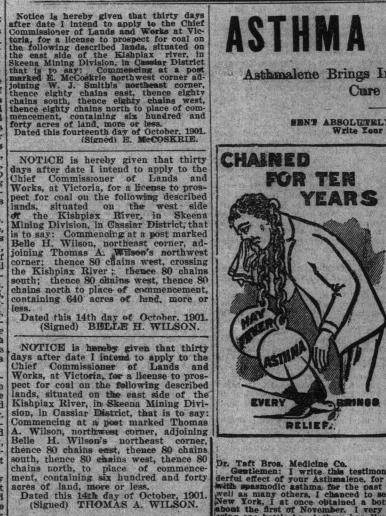
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A By=Law of the said Debentures being of the amount of \$1,000, or its steriling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such Debentures said Corporation, and signed by the Mayor

5. The said Debentures shall bear date the 2nd day of December, 1901, and shall be payable in fifty years from the said date, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest; and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed. To Enable the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Raise the Sum of \$100,000 for Sewerage

6. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent, per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payab'c half-yearly, at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the Debenture and coupon. Whereas certain extensive areas within the city limits, hereinafter referred to, containing large numbers of private residences and buildings, remain at the present time to appear to the completion of the cutsting sewerage scheme many of such private residences and buildings will be supplied with sewer conveniences, and other private residences and buildings for the cause of the conveniences.

8. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to dispose of the said Debentures at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the

11. For the purpose of raising annually the sum required for the payment of the interest on the said Debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$4,000, and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid, for the payment of the debt at maturity, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$886.

13. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation, in the manner provided for in the "Municipal Clauses Act," and shall take effect on the 15th day of October, 1901.

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LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

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other private residences and buildings, for the drainage and sewerage of which the present scheme is inapplicable, can be dealt with by inaugurating a system of Septic Tank treatment:

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And whereas, for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created, an annual special rate of one-third of a mill in the foliar will be required:

12. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned, there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of one-third of a mill in the dollar on all the ratable land and improvements in the city of Victoria, during the continuance of the said Debentures, or any of them.

# Seven Seamen Were Drowned

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eek went ashove north of Grays or, is breaking up and will become a! wreck. Her crew is expected to a Hoquian on Thursday.

e C. F. Sargent, the first of the dised vessels to return, is to be towed a today, having been repaired and a seaworthy at Esquimalf. She a cargo of 2,400 tons of coal, loaded acoma for San Francisco. The ent is owned by the same firm as lost Highland Light, which found-off the West Coast during the a. What with the loss of the Highland, stranding of the Ernest Reyer Point Granville, 20 miles above sharbor, and other marine casual-the underwriters are suffering this

was cabled from London to Victoria shipping firms. She had been reinsured at 50 per cent. for two weeks past, and a 'few hours before she was reported the reinsurance had jumped to 75 per

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Off Coast.

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Shore—Ernest Reyer
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The Norwegian ship Anglia, 158 days out from Newcastle, Australia, for Panama, has been advanced 10 per cent., now being quoted at 80 per cent.
Two more overdues were added to the list on Tuesday. They are the German ship Glenericht, 10 days from San Francisco for Portland, 20 per cent. and the Alstrufer, 150 days out from Hamburg for Seattle, 10 per cent. Other overdues are the Renfield, 70 days out from Pissare the Renfield, 70 days out from Hamburg for Seattle, 10 per cent.

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sion, has followed the instructions of the federal government.

This decision, which is the result of the recent conference in London, clearly indicates two things: (1) That the attitude of Canada in this matter has carried the day; and (2) that the proposal for an Imperial Court of Appeal (to which Australia, was well disposed) is for the time being, shelved.

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How shall we accomplish the change? There is a growing surplus in the Unitive distance of stealing \$1 form the proprietress of the carbon steret. Spain resisted arrest, and it was with a great deal of difficulty that fhe detectives placed by m behind the bars. It is alleged that he took the money from the safe in the hotel.

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Bus ness and Pleasure.—Columbia and the cabinets who knows a congressman or senator, or who has a friend who late turn to the old members who seldom attend lodge. The first underwriters are suffering this shad as they did last, and again, well attended meeting last evening the hard of the proposed alteration of the old-timers. The production of leaf for the month of system of payi

# **Would Purchase** Yukon And Atlin

Wild Scheme Advanced by a Jingo Attorney of

pioneers to make an effort to place them under the protection of the Stars and Stripes.

The boundary line as it now stands is a barrier to the development of the country on both sides of the line. So long as it remains where it is it will be a continual antisance, requiring an increasing force and expense to maintain. There is no doubt that the Canadians would favorably consider this proposition, since they have about given up all hope of securing a seaport on Lynn canal. They are sensible and realize that they cannot utilize or develop this country without such seaport.

They realize also what the great growth and development of the United States, as compared with Canada, means to them. They also know that England is becoming absorbed in her South Arrican enterprises to such an extent that her American dependencies are going to be neglected. They do not feel the same affection for the old country since the death of their queen, hence the British subjects living within the proposed purchase will not make any vigorous protest against coming under our flag; in fact, many of them, seeing the attendant advantages, will welcome the change. They will make excellent citizens as well.

How shall we accomplish the change?

The collier Matteawan is long overdue at San Francisco from Nanaimo. A despatch from San Francisco under Tuesday's date says: "Up to tonight no word of the steamer Matteawan has been received at the Merchants' Exchange or by her managing owner, James Jerome. The Matteawan has been nine days out from Nanaimo for this port with a cargo of 4,800 tons of coal. Hereforore the vessel has usually made the trip in four days. Naturally great apprehension is fe't for the safety of the steamer, though Jerome expressed the belief today that the vessel would arrive tomorrow, when it would be as certained that she had either suffered a mishap to her machinery or had been delayed by towing some distressed vessel to port. Capt. Croscop, of Oakiand, is master of the Matteawan."

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who did exhaustive work in connec-with the inquiry into designs for ships as. His calculations in regard to matconsidered and devised. His sphere of in-fluence, so to say widened with his next, appointment, that of secretary to the coun-cil of Construction at the Admiralty. For many years he was busy in connection with various naval types being built at the time; Devastation, Dreadnought, Inflexible

The plaintiffs in Lowenberg et al. vs. Dunsmuir, secured a verdict in the Supreme court yesterday, the special jury inding that they were entitled to compensation in the sum of \$9,067.62, their original claim being for \$20,000. The claim was for damages and disbursements in connection with negotiations for the sale of the Wellington Colliery, which the plaintiffs alleged the defendant commissioned them to sell, but afterwards repudiated the agreement. The trial had lasted for several days, and was the third time the case had been before the court.

When court assembled yesterday morning Mr. Justice Walkem charged the jury and they retired to consider their verdict about noon. The learned judge submitted a series of questions, which they were to answer in giving their verdict, and when they returned into court about 3 o'clock, the foreman read the following:

THE VERDICT.

1. Did the defendant, Mrs. Dunsmuir, verbally authorize the plaintiff, say in the middle of 1890, "to do his best" to sell her mine and if so was any correspondence mentioned at the time?

Answer—(A) In view of the concessions made subsequently, we believe there was. (B) A promise of fair treatment in case of no sale.

2.—When the 6.2 ansents which were dated later, viz., on the 18th September, 1890, and 18th January, 1892, which provided that the plaintiff was to be paid a commission of 5 per cent., which was to "include all expenses," in the event of his effecting a sale, intended to represent all the terms agreed upon between the parties with respect to a sale and to compensation to the plaintiff Answer—Yes, had sale been effected.

3.— If you should be of opinion that the above documents were not intended to represent the whole agreement between the parties, what agreement was come to?

Answer—Answer to question number one expresses our views on this point.

4.—Is the plaintiff entitled to any

# The Officials

Proclamation in Yesterday's Issue of the Provincial Gazette.

Change In the Positions of the Courts of Revision.

given in yesterday's issue of the Provincial Gazette, to cantel all appointments of courts of revision and appeal, under the Assessment act, and to appoint the under-mentioned peasons to be courts of revision and appeal for the assessment districts set opposite their respective names, namely:

Eli Harrison, ir., S. M.—Victoria, Nanaimo, South Nanaimo, Cowichan, Alberni, Comox, Pender Island, Galiano Island, Mayne Island, Salt Spring Island; Charles G. Major—Vancouver, New Westminster; J. L. G. Abbott, Rossland; C. W. McAnn, K. C., Slocan, J. A. Turner, S. M., Nelson; Daniel Rabbitt, Kettle River, Vernou; Alex. D. Macintyre, Princeton, Nicola and Kamloops; W. J. Dickey, Revelstoke; John Lawrence, J. P., Ashcroft; Fred'k. Soues, Lillooet; John E. Griffith, S. M., Golden; J. F. Armstrong, S. M., Fort Steele; John Bowron, Quesnel Forks and Barkerville; E. M. N. Woods, S. M., Atlin. Such cancellations and appointments are to take effect on and from the 1st of December, 1901.

The officials of the Provincial government besides having Christmas and New Year days as holidays, are to have the day before and the day after Christmas, and the day after New Year, an order to that effect being published in the Gazette.

The list of successful candidates at the recent exomination for assayers, as

The list of successful candidates at the recent exomination for assayers, as published in the Colonist some days ago, is given in the Gazette this week.

New Westminster, mean temperature. 44.8; highest, 55.5 on 27th; lowest 33.8 on Vancouver, highest 56.9 on 15th, lowest, 31.0 on 17th.

Duncans, highest 57.0 on 8th, 9th, lowest,
25.0 on 25th.

French Creek, highest, 58.0 on 5th; lowest,
40.0 on 2nd., 3rd. 4th.

Kamloops, mean temperature, 40.3; highest, 53.7 on 27th; lowest, 26.0 on 2nd.

Nanaimo, highest, 59.5 on 28th; lowest,
31.9 on 2nd.

Chilliwack, highest, 56.0 on 5th; lowest,
32.0 on 8th.

Number of hours bright sunshine at Nanaimo, 40 hours 18 minutes.

BIG MINING SUIT.

Trouble Growing Out of Old Mining

Rossland, B. C., Dec. 11.—The first gun was fired here today in a legal fight involving the ownership of silver-lead ore valued at \$300,000. The contestants are the Slocan Star company, plaintiffs and the Byron N. White company, defendants. The point at issue relates to the wexed question of following mineral veins from their apex into ground belonging to other parties as was permitted under the old mineral act. The suit will be bitterly contested. The plaintiffs have secured an order to examine the defendant's workings.

ANOTHER BRUSSELS STORY.

Report That Some of the Powers Are Willing to Intervene.

London, Dec. 12.—The Brussels correspondent of the Standard cables that Mr. Kruger has been informed of the wiliugness of some of the powers to intervene in South Africa, if the Boer leaders will accept autonomy under the supremacy of Great Britain.

Money Is

Confiscated

Cash Seized in Gambling House Goes to the City

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in the matter of John Stephen, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the official administrators' act.

Notice is hereby given that under an ordinance dated the 30th day of November, 1901, made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Drake, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator, of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of above-named deceased. Parties having chaims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of December, 1901, and parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

WM. MONTEITH,

Official Administrator.

Dated 2nd day of Dec., 1901.



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## **Bridge Over** Fraser River

Plans and Specifications Complete and Ready For Inspection by Tenderers.

Double Deck Structure Which Will Accommodate All Classes of Traffic.

The difficulty regarding the plans for the New Westminster bridge between His Majesty custems and the Depart-ment of Lands and Works, having been satisfactorily settled, the plans and speci-fications for the structure were opened for the inspection of tenderers yester-day. The time for receiving tenders has been extended up to and including Janu-vary 25 1902

The general description of the work is as follows:

The bridge will be located in the city of New Westminster, the bridge tangent being placed about where a continuation of Dufferin street would strike the bank of the Fraser river. The tangent will be as nearly as possible at right angles to the direction of the current. The bridge will cross overhead the track of the Canadian Pacific railway on the New Westminster side of the river, and that of the Great Northern on the South Westminster side, both tracks being close to the river's banks.

The bridge will be a "double decker" carrying wagon and pedestrian traffic on the upper deck and steam and electric railway traffic on the lower deck. At a point on the lower deck about 300 feet from the water's edge on the New Westminster side, the railway track divides, turning to night and left on 12 degrees 30 minutes curves, thus forming a Thead. On this account the shore span, while only 19 feet wide between centres of pedestals over pier No. 2. Beginning at pier No. 2, and proceeding toward the south bank of the river, there will be the following spaces: One through fixed span of 380 feet, one through sixed span of 380 feet, five through swing span of 380 feet, five through swing span of 380 feet, five through swing span of 380 feet, one through sixed spans of 159 feet each. Next there will be rwooden trestle carrying separately highway, railway and motor traffic, and extending across the Great Northern track.

Beginning at pier No. 2 and proceeding toward the north or New Westminster bank of the river, there will be rwooden trestle carrying separately highway, railway and motor traffic, and extending across the Great Northern track.

Beginning at pier No. 2 and proceeding toward the north or New Westminster bank of the river, there will be the following spans: East arm of T.—two deck, plate girder, skew span of 35 feet, one deck, plate girder, skew span of 55 feet, one deck, plate girder, skew span of 40 feet.

Highway Structure—One deck, plate girder, the plate gird

thone deck, plate girder, skew span 40 feet.
Lighway Structure—One deck, plate lier, span of 98 feet, two deck, plate ler, spans of 40 feet each.
Lighway spans that cross the railway ck and for the three highway spans the north end of the structure, othere all spans will be supported on marry or concrete piers and abutments. The clear roadway for both railway it the highway will be 16 feet, thus king the perpendicular distance becen central planes of trusses 19 feet the 380 feet spans and 18 feet for 159 foot spans.
The swing span is to be operated by a horse power gasoline engine located.

tractor will be required to pay his workmen at the rates of wages current at the time the contract is closed. No Asiatic labor of any kind will under any circumstances be permitted on the work. The consulting engineers have obtained by investigation the following rates of wages at New Westminster for the summer of 1901, but each bidder must verify them for himself, as the government cannot be bound in any way by the information thus given.

common labor, \$2 per day of nine hours.

Masons and stonecutters, \$4 per day of eight hours.

Blacksmiths, \$2 to \$2.50 per day of eight hours.

Blacksmiths he bers, \$1.50.

Boiler makers, \$2.75.

Holders-up, \$1.75 to \$2.00.

Boiler makers helpers, \$1.75.

Heaters, \$2.50.

The substructure will be of the most substantial and permanent description. Beginning at the New Westminster end there will be three abutments, two of them having long wing walls. These are to be either of concrete or masonry. There will be 11 piers which will consist of concrete or first class masonry, resting on timber cribs filled with piles and concrete. The piles will have to be sunk by a combined hammer, and powerful water jet. Their length will be from 60 to 75 feet.

The entire work must be finished on or hefore February 1, 1903, barring accidents. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish a satisfactory bond in the sum of \$50,000 for the due performance of the work.

The appearance of the bridge, according to the plans, gives more of an impression of strength and solidity than or ornament. Designers of steel bridges may see beauty in the lives of their creations but to the ordinary observer they present a grim and tar from attractvic aspect. The Fraser river bridge is designed on the most approved principles and care has been taken that every detail of its construction shall be as perfect and enduring as modern engineering skill can suggest.

THE SUFFERINGS OF JOB.

If the agonies of Job were any worse than the tortures of itching piles from which so many people are now suffering he had much to endure. The difference is that there is no reason for any one to endure the miseries of piles for a single day. Dr. Chase's Ointment has curred tens of thousands of cases, and is absolutely guaranteed to cure each and ers or by mail from Edmanson, Bates & every case of piles. 60 cents at all dealers, or by mail from Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

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Rio Tinto Too Strong for Rockefeller to Fight.

London, Dec. 13.—The directors of the Rio Tinto company have been meeting here daily, though quite informally, since the copper crisis became acute. A reporter of the Associated Press was officially informed after today's meeting that whatever settlement may be arrived at now lies entirely with the amalgamated company. The Rio Tinto company has made a proposition, but so far has received no indication of the action the amalgamated company proposes to take. A feeling prevails that the conditions will not be altered in the immediate future.

The Pail Mail Carette core that

The Pall Mall Gazette says that if Mr. Rockefeller has really thrown down the gamulet to the Rothschilds, which the paper thinks improbable, there can

be little doubt of the Rothschilds vic-tory. The Pall Mall Gazette adds: "The Bio Tinto company are in the position to regard with equanimity a further drop of twenty shillings per ton, but not so the Standard Oil company, who have to consider the possibility of a general smash of the American market."

Rio Tintos fell three-eighths at the opening today, but subsequently regain-ed this and slightly improved on last night's price.

Make a note of it, when you are leaving home to buy "The D. & L." Menthol Plaster. It is guaranteed to cure the worst case of backache, headache, stitches. Avoid everything said to be just as good. Get the genuine made by Davis & Lawrence Co., Irid.

or within about a milion dollars of the circulation of the Bank of Montreal. Public deposits have grown to \$51,679,-

TO JOIN CHURCH.

Montreal, Dec. 13.—T. B. Brown, a well known business man of this city, has decided to accept the pastorate of the Baptist church at Sherbrooke, Que. He will give up business and enter the ministry. His ordination will take off ons and stonecutters, \$4 per day of ministry. His or place in January.

OFF FOR HALIFAX.

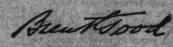
Ontario and Quebec Troopers Pass Lewis.

Quebec, Dec. 13.—A special on the Intercolonial with Ontario and Montreal men for the Mounted Riffes on board, reached Lewis at 3:40 this afternoon, Fourteen Quebec men joined the train, which left in a few minutes for Halifes.

MRS. McCARTHY HELD UP. Toronto Street Robber Grabs Her Purse and Bolts

Toronto, Dec. 13.—(Special)—As Mrs. Dalton McCarthy alighted from the belt line car at Sussex avenue, last night, a man grabbed her arm and snatched away her muff, which contained her purse. The miscreant bolted down a nearby lane and got away.

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# Survivors of The Matteawan

Manzanita Leaves For Distruction Island Where Signals of Distress Were Seen.

Missing Collier Sighted Laboring Heavily During Gale of December Third

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San Francisco, kept a close look-out for her, but saw no signs of the missing craft and the steamer City of Puebla due today, was also instructed to keep a sharp look out. Five other steamers are taking special courses between the Straits and San Francisco in the hope that they may find the vessel, should she be still affoat and disabled. Those steamers are the Washtenaw and Progreso and the Asuncion, bound horth, and the South Portland and the Edith, bound south.

Among the wreckage that was found along the northern coast was a medicine chest with the name of the missing steamer painted on it. This chest was carried in the captain's room in the

TELEGRAPH OPERATORS. Movement on Foot to Equalize Wage on Canadian Systems.

TUNNEL VENTILATION.

From the Lancet.

There is no doubt that the measures adopted on the Central London railway for the ventilation of the "tube" are, in face of the enormous number of people daily traveling on the line, inadequate. We pointed out some time ago that it is well known that the air of the "tube" has not grown pleasanter as the popularity of the system has increased. Even on passing the booking offices of the stations or the lift exits an unpleasant sickly whiff is experienced. Our remarks are now fully borne out by the results of a series of interesting experiments made by Mr. A. Wynter Blyth, the medical officer of health of St. Marylebone, and his son.

VICTUMS OF THE STORM. Leyland Brothers Puts in to San Fran

Jacobies and the storms that she became help-less in the storms that she raped along the northern coast for the past two weeks.

Insurance men have little hope for the vessel ever being seen again. Yesterday reinsurance was quoted at 70 per caminad no one was willing to take the gain the past two mentals and the lower foretop sally and and the main of the past two mentals and the lower foretop sally and and the main of the past two mentals and the lower foretop sally were carried away. Sight deck damage was also done. Upon the past few methods and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few methods and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few methods. The less than the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few methods and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few methods and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few methods and the lower foretop sally and the main of the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the lower foretop sally and and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the past few main on the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few main of the past few main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the main of the past few more and the lower foretop sally and the lower foretop sally

Current Works Channel Under the Bark Ernest Reyer.

A' despatch from Hoquian says the cause of the breaking up of the French bark Ernest Reyer on the beach at the No substitute for "The D. & L." Menthal Plaster, although some unscrupulous dealers may say there is. Recommended by doctors, by hospitals, by the clergy, by averybody, for stiffness, pleuriev. &c. Made by Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd.

SEASONABLE APPOINTMENT. Ottawa Dec. 13—(Special)—Senator Snowball is to be the next lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick.

**Burned to Death** In Their Shack

Mrs. Keeler and Child Lose Their Lives in Fire at Ross Bay.

Old Man Escapes in His Night Clothes Just in Time.

family went out to Cedar Hill district, and after Mr. Gray lost his life by falling over the cliff on Dallas road, they moved to his cabin amongst the clump of trees facing the roadway, half-way down the hill from Clover point to Ross Bay cemetery.

ABSURD MAIL REGULATIONS.

Asstralian's Invention Put to a Practitical Test.

Parcels Must Go to Vancouver to Be Despatched on Outdound Steamers From Victoria.

The ridiculous mail regulations enforced in this city—a feature of which was recorded yesterday morning regarding the delay of Northern mails—is again illustrated in the matter of the rules governing parcels forwarded by mail. As in the case of the Northern mails, sharouver is made the distributing point, and although steamers may sail from Victoria with the mail, that mail, when it is classed as parcel post, caumot be put on beard the steamer here. It must be send to Vancouver and the regulations of the parcels mailed at the Victoria post office a carried none of the parcels mailed at the Victoria post office have the absundities of red tape. Thus when the steamer Miowers sailed yesterday be to be despatched to Vancouver in time to catch the M were there, and the regulations forbid of their being placed on the steamer at the outer wharf last night with the letter mail. Thus, through the ridical post of the postal armagements Victoria is post armagements Victoria is for the postal armagements Victoria is a post of the postal armagements Victoria is a few postal armagements Victoria is before the mail she brought about as that told of yesterday when the steamer at the content of the postal armagements Victoria is a conten

hours before the mail she brought from the North, owing to its delay at Vancouve.

REPORT ON LE ROI.

Mr. Frecheville's Opinion on the Property—Value of Ore in Sight.

The report of R. J. Frecheville, to the directors of the Le Roi mine, has been made public. It shows that the gross, value of the ore in sight is \$5,687,000, and that there is enough ore now in sight to give a net profit of \$1,221,000. The tonnage in reserve is estimated at 484, and on the lowest level the is about the normal rate of shipment, there is enough ore in sight to keep the mine running for two years, even though no fresh ore supplies are opened. Mr. Frecheville says that on the lowest level there is an ore body 24 feet wide, averaging \$15 a ton. The average value of all the ore in the mine is \$11.75 a ton, and that the total cost of treating it in future should be not more than \$9.

Mr. Frecheville further says: "Auditors make the profit from mine and smelting works for the year ending June 30, \$585,000. This was used for improvements. All the plant is first class. I estimate the reserve of ore at the initial class and the plant is first class. I estimate the reserve of ore at the initial class and the plant is first class. I estimate the reserve of ore at the lowest level in the mine, so far as driven, shows a chute of ore 170 feet in length and 24 feet in width. It assays on an average \$15.75 per ton. The shaft is down 1,050 feet. Will start driving row and matte on hand and in transit and supplies worth \$1,645,000. At the mine of 200 yards. The other marksman, or 1900 tons are and matte on hand and in transit and supplies worth \$1,645,000. At the mine of 200 yards. The other marksman, or 200 yards.

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