

Trying to Save Them
Thrilling Scenes at Attempted Rescue of People on Stranded Steamer.
Passengers and Crew Number More Than a Hundred in all.
Life Boat Capsizes in Attempting to Reach the Wreck.

Marshall, Jan. 9.—Every effort was put forward to-day to rescue the passengers and crew of the French mail steamer *Russie*, which went ashore on Monday night.

When night fell yesterday, quite a number of the fore-riggers and deck-men, making despatching signals for the life-boat, were seen from the shore, which they were withdrawing from her position, there was danger of a serious clash. It is likely that the steamer *Russie* will be called to Ottawa in a few days.

The Dominion Public Accounts
Blue Book Just Issued Covering Financial Operations of Last Year.
Men Volunteering for South Africa May Attest in Canada.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The public accounts blue book, covering the financial operations of the year ended June 30 last, has just been issued from the government printer. It shows a surplus of \$3,000,000 of revenue over the consolidated fund expenditure. Deducting from this the expenditure of capital account and allowing for the interest, there is left a balance to the good of about \$7,000,000 to be distributed to the public debt.

The militia department has received from the War Office a list of 63 names of men volunteering for service in the South African constabulary. The rates of pay are as follows: Sergeant (warrant officer) receives \$5 shillings per day; staff sergeant, 10 shillings; sergeant, 8 shillings; second-class sergeant, 5 shillings; private, 4 shillings; and third-class private, 3 shillings.

SHIP CANALS
Large Schemes to be Undertaken in Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 8.—The diet was opened to-day in the name of Emperor William, who presided from a high throne. The imperial chancellor, Count von Bülow, who read the speech from the throne.

GERMANS AND CHINESE
Two Fights Reported, in Which the Orientals Lose Heavily.

Winnipeg, Jan. 9.—(Special)—Hannu, to-day fire destroyed Marshall & Brown's livery stable, Rex & Flewitt's store, Brocades, a jewelry store, Scott's grocery store, Ely's butcher shop, and Haines' insurance office; total loss about \$12,000.

VON WALTERSEEE'S REPORT.
Tells About the Recent Operations Against Boxers.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—The war office has received the following despatch from Gen. von Waldersee: "Peking, Jan. 9.—The news of No. 1, which returned on January 8, was the headquarters of the newly-organized' bands of Boxers. Over one thousand had mobilized in the district, and they were planning to march on Yen King and Chuan Ping."

ACCEPTED CALL.
Rev. Dr. Hutchinson Will Be Pastor of Montezuma Church.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 7.—Rev. Dr. Hutchinson has accepted a call to the Baptist church of Montezuma, N.B.

MANUAL TRAINING.
Lord and Lady Minto Open Macdonald School in Brockville.
Brockville, Ont., Jan. 9.—Lord and Lady Minto visited Brockville to-day and opened the Macdonald manual training school. They were given a great reception.

FRISIA IN DISTRESS.
German Steamer Disabled and Making for Queenstown.

Queenstown, Jan. 9.—The German steamer *Frissia*, Capt. Schmidt, which sailed from Hamburg on December 29, for Boston, is heading for Queenstown. A despatch from Frankfurt announces she is in a disabled condition and under reduced steam. Two tugs have gone to her assistance.

IMMIGRATION ACT.
How the Provisional Act is Viewed in Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—Some concern is expressed here at the fact that the province of British Columbia has re-enacted the immigration act, which is in violation of the Natal Act, which practically excludes any Chinaman who cannot make a written declaration in his own European language. The Dominion law prescribes a language to Chinamen on payment of the poll tax of \$100, and it is felt that unless the province modifies its regulations, withdrawal from her position, there is danger of a serious clash. It is likely that the steamer *Russie* will be called to Ottawa in a few days.

HE JUSTIFIES THE LOOTING.
French Missionary Archbishop Speaks of the Conditions in Peking.

Paris, Jan. 8.—Archbishop Favre, the head of the French mission in North China, has arrived in Paris. In an interview he said that the conditions in Peking are very serious, and that the French missionaries would return to Peking in the spring, when order will be completely restored. The archbishop adds, "It is not just that the missionaries should be expelled from Peking, but that they should be given time to resume the direction of affairs. In the meanwhile, the missionaries should be completely excluded from the city, and the last bands of Boxers and looters dispersed. Europe must not try to reach the city, but must confine itself to the protection of its consulates and its missionaries."

LOSES A MINISTER.
Member of New Australian Cabinet Dead.

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 10.—Sir James Robert Dickinson, minister of defence in the new federal cabinet, died to-day.

ARMOUR'S FUNERAL.
It Was of Simple Character According to His Wishes.

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Phillip Danforth Armour, the great packer, who died on Sunday, was buried to-day. The services were held at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Armour, in the city of Chicago.

TROM NAINAMO.
Died of the Result of Injuries—Quarantine Accounts.

Nainamo, Jan. 9.—(Special)—Frank Fulton, formerly an employee in Spencer's hardware store, who was killed in a fire at Graby on December 31, at McKinstry's boarding house in Brockville, has been a native of Washington, aged 45 years.

A special meeting of the city council has taken place to-day to consider the will of the late Mr. Fulton, who died of injuries sustained through the smallpox quarantine. It cost the city \$2,068.79 for quarantine.

FIRES.
Merchants Burnt Out at Graby—Loss at St. Johns.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—(Special)—At Graby, where a fire broke out in the evening, the loss is \$15,000, covered by insurance. The fire was probably caused by a gas leak.

St. Johns, Que., Jan. 9.—(Special)—Fire was discovered this morning in the Canadian Baling Co.'s works, and the building will be almost a total loss. The press and machinery are badly damaged. The loss is probably \$50,000.

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Landing The Men
Soldiers of Second Contingent Leave Halifax for Their Homes.
Chaplain of Mounted Rifles Receives a Testimonial From the Corps.
Section of Radical English Press Endorses Laurier as Peace Maker.

Halifax, Jan. 9.—(Special)—The *Rossie* landed at noon and paraded the streets, escorted by the Third Special Service Regiment, after which they were sent to the barracks. The men of the contingent were given a testimonial from the corps, and the chaplain received a testimonial from the corps.

SIR EDWARD SPENCE SYMS.
Chief Secretary of Burma Shoots Himself in the Head.

Rangoon, British Burma, Jan. 8.—Sir Edward Spence Syms, chief secretary of the government of Burma since 1890 and a member of the executive council of India, shot himself in the head in a carriage to-day. He is lingering between life and death.

ONTARIO BENCH.
Toronto Bar Do Not Want Political Appointments to the Bench.

Toronto, Jan. 8.—(Special)—An important deputation from the Ontario bar, which was in Toronto to attend the bar dinner, and presented a memorial as follows: "The Ontario bar do not want political appointments to the bench. They believe that the highest quality of the judiciary is essential for the maintenance of the rule of law, and that political considerations should not be allowed to influence the appointment of judges."

And (Changes Hoops to Cheers by His Many Honorable Speech.
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MR. SHAUGHNESSY'S VIEWS.
Thinks Division of Crow's Nest Coal to the United States Would Hurt British Columbia.

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TO PROTECT PANAMA.
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Back Again To Canada
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Two Deaths Occurred on the Voyage.

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United States Representatives to Be Increased For the Next Ten Years.
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GOVERNMENT.
B. J. Redmond Dies of Pneumonia in Montreal.

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—(Special)—Mr. E. J. Redmond, president of the Redmond-Greenlee Co., Ltd., Montreal and Winnipeg, died suddenly of pneumonia in Montreal to-day.

LEFT TO BOBS.
Lord Roberts Will Deal With General Colville's Case.

London, Jan. 8.—The case of Major General Sir Henry Colville, whose resignation was asked by the war office, is now before the general court-martial. Lord Roberts will deal with the case.

PREACHER BEATEN.
Cobourg Clergyman Horsewhipped by an Irrate Horse.

Cobourg, Ont., Jan. 8.—Rev. Melville Shaver, who preached in a crowded church on Sunday on "Wrongs in Cobourg which must be made right," during the course of his remarks referred to some of Cobourg's leading industries as going to the local shooting gallery. His remarks were such as to cause considerable indignation among the parties referred to, and last evening he was accompanied by his husband, who publicly horse-whipped Shaver. The affair has caused intense excitement in town.

IRON WORKS Purchased
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Plant and Operations Will Be Increased on a Large Scale.
From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Jan. 8.—There were rumors on the street to-day regarding the sale of Armstrong & Morrison's iron works to English capitalists. Those who professed to be in possession of the inside facts stated that the iron works had been sold to the Vancouver Iron Works Co., a company organized by Mr. H. H. Davies & Co., of Honolulu and Liverpool, for a sum of \$2,000,000. The works are being increased on a large scale, and a substantial deposit had already been made to bind the bargain, and that extensive stock-taking had been going on for some time.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

All new advertisements and charges of advertising, to ensure their being inserted should be handed in to the business office not later than 6 p. m. Advertising will be accepted up to 8 p. m. at the business office, but insertion cannot be guaranteed.

THE SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Three School Trustees are to be elected in the course of a few days. As a rule not very much consideration is given to this subject by the people, not nearly so much as its importance demands. Nevertheless fairly representative school boards have usually been chosen.

THE PROGRESS OF CANADA.

The people of the United States congratulate themselves that the population of that country has increased nearly fifteen-fold since the beginning of the last century. It is certainly very remarkable, and to many people it may be news to learn that the population of Canada has gained even more rapidly.

private financial institutions and our commercial communities rank among the best. That we have accomplished so much, although situated side by side with such a progressive and aggressive country as the United States, speaks volumes for Canada and its people.

THE HEALTH OF THE CITY.

We print a report by Dr. Fagan, the provincial health officer, on the health of the city. The facts brought out are by no means alarming, but they are at the same time worthy of immediate attention.

CITY BY-LAW NO. 233.

The number of the license must be displayed in a conspicuous place upon every vehicle used in the sale or delivery of milk, and every milk can must bear the name of the person who supplied the milk to the licensee.

THE POLICE FORCE.

One of the questions that will engage the attention of "the powers that be" during the next few weeks will be the improvement of the city police force.

MR. DUNSMUIR'S MISSION.

Referring to the observations of the Colonist in regard to Mr. Dunsmuir's mission to Ottawa, the Vancouver World says that the Colonist is Mr. Dunsmuir's personal organ. We think we ought to correct our contemporary in this. It will read the article from which it quotes, it will see that the Colonist expressly disclaimed that it was speaking in any other way than as an observer of current events.

"Do what you think is right," is his usual reply when asked how he should deal with the public question should be approached. These could be no public man less self-seeking or less desirous to dictate to others than he.

The World says it is not very clear what we meant by saying that Mr. Dunsmuir ought to ascertain the policy of the government in regard to railways having territorial jurisdiction in the possession of the United States. The reference was to proposed railways from points in territory belonging to Canada to the sea at points in territory claimed by the United States and in the possession of that country, that is to the projected railways from Astor, Bennett and the Chilkat, to points on what is called the Alaskan Coast. At the last session of the local house, two bills of this nature were thrown out by the railway committee, because the government declared itself opposed to the construction of such railways.

AUTOMATIC VOTING.

The complete success Monday at the Ottawa, Ont., municipal election of the Imperial Automatic Voting Machine seems likely to inaugurate a new era in the history of the franchise in British Columbia. This machine is a British Columbia invention and is owned by a British Columbia company, Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia have passed laws for the use of voting machines, and Ottawa is the first city in Canada to try the experiment.

MR. J. H. TURNER.

The Times has a relapse to its old disease of Turberphobia, and, like many other cases of illness, there is no apparent cause for it. One day last week it said: "But it may be opportune to point out at this time that the old spirit, which Turberism used to be, is in a measure suppressed in the government of this province, and in the country, seems to be dominant."

THE CHINESE SITUATION.

The situation in China does not improve. The features at present exciting most attention are the refusal of the imperial court to assent to the terms imposed by the powers, and the German expedition which are moving about the country. The former is said to be due to the hostility of the southern viceroys; the latter look very much like an effort on the part of the Germans to get a little practice in fighting.

necessitated by the development of the province, including the construction of the Parliament Buildings, not a single financial scandal has occurred, although all over the Western portion of the United States, where similar progress has taken place, defalcation has followed defalcation, and gross scandals of every nature possible in connection with public expenditures have been disgracefully frequent.

The above are the things which are associated with Mr. Turner's record as a public man. The whole credit for bringing into force the system which led to the admirable financial standing of the province in London belongs to Mr. Turner, although he has always freely admitted that it was largely by the advice of leading financiers in London. The effect of his financial arrangements was such that the credit of the province went almost to the very front rank of the Colonies, and this enabled the government to procure money on extremely favorable terms to carry out an extensive program of improvements.

THE IMMIGRATION LAW.

The arrest of an incoming Chinaman for violation of the provincial law, which came into force on January 1, will undoubtedly lead to a determination of the legal question involved in the Act. The court will, we suppose, be immediately called upon to determine whether or not such a conviction is within the powers of the local legislature. This renders it inadvisable for the papers to debate the question, and to confine themselves simply to chronicling the facts.

SETTLE IS REJOICING OVER THE FACT THAT ONE OF THE NEW UNITED STATES BATTLESHIPS IS TO BE BUILT THERE AT A COST OF \$3,000,000.

Seattle is rejoicing over the fact that one of the new United States battleships is to be built there at a cost of \$3,000,000. We congratulate our neighbors. They have heaps of pluck, and deserve all they get.

IS THERE ONLY TEN TIMES AS MUCH PERSONAL PROPERTY IN VICTORIA AS IN VANCOUVER, AS THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS ALLEGEDLY WILL OR, VANCOUVER CONTEMPORARIES KINDLY GRAPPLE WITH THIS QUESTION?

Is there only ten times as much personal property in Victoria as in Vancouver, as the assessment rolls allegedly will or, Vancouver contemporaries kindly grapple with this question? Will the Times take the first convenient day and explain the editorial paragraph about the annual report of the Chief of Police and the detectives? We are unable to make out its meaning.

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Annual Reports Submitted

Meeting of the Police Commissioners Held Tuesday Morning.

Reports of Chief Langley and Detective Palmer Were Considered.

A special meeting of the board of police commissioners was held on Tuesday morning to receive the reports for the past year. Chief Langley's report, enclosing a report from the detectives and the statistics published a few days ago, was received and ordered printed, and the commissioners paid the Chief a well deserved compliment for the manner in which he had attended to the duties of his office. Action was deferred on the petition of the members of the force for an increase in salary.

The Chief's report follows: "The annual meeting of the board of police commissioners was held on Tuesday morning, January 2, 1901. The Chairman and Board of Police Commissioners, City of Victoria, B. C.: Gentlemen—I have the honor to submit to you my first annual report of the police department of the City of Victoria, B. C. On taking charge of the department on the 2nd of January, 1900, I found it to consist of 1 chief, 2 sergeants, 15 patrolmen and 40 gaoles, and 2 detectives. On investigating the force, it was found that the force was inadequate, so on my recommendation to your honorable board, the force was increased to 1 chief, 2 sergeants, 25 patrolmen and 12 detectives. During the year there has been considerable success in the maintenance of law and order, and at the present time, I am pleased to report they are in good health. On investigation of the force, it was found that the force was inadequate, so on my recommendation to your honorable board, the force was increased to 1 chief, 2 sergeants, 25 patrolmen and 12 detectives. During the year there has been considerable success in the maintenance of law and order, and at the present time, I am pleased to report they are in good health."

Tacoma Brings Details of how Cruiser Yosemite was Lost.

Wind Blew Over Hundred Miles an Hour - Damage Ashore.

Details were received by the steamer Tacoma of the wreck of the United States cutter Yosemite on the 20th of December. The cruiser was lost near the mouth of the Columbia river. The vessel was driven ashore by a gale of wind which blew over a hundred miles an hour. The crew was rescued and the vessel was completely wrecked. The damage to the shore was considerable, and many buildings were destroyed.

Police court fines for the year 1900: \$275,225. Increase over 1899: \$3,010,225. Total: \$3,285,450.

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MINERAL ACT, 1896. (Form F.) CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

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CHARM OF LIVING NEAR GREAT ARTIST TESTED.

From New York Times.

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Stock Taking

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MUNICIPALITY OF COWICHAN

Tax Payers Hold Their Annual Meeting and Discuss Public Affairs.

Cowichan, Jan. 8.—The taxpayers of North Cowichan held their annual meeting in the municipal hall, Duncan, on Saturday night last. There was a fair attendance, which spoke well for the interest taken in municipal affairs...

ROSSLAND OUTPUT.

Rosslund, Jan. 5.—A feature of the week was the increase made in the force employed in the War Eagle of about 100 men. The mine resumed shipping this week, after a cessation of about ten months...

THE ROCHESTER Asylum Fire

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 8.—Not since the great lantern works fire of 1888, in which many persons met their deaths and many more were injured, has such an awful catastrophe visited Rochester...

BORN.

MATHIWS—On the 7th inst. at "The Pine," Esquimalt, the wife of G. F. Mathews of a son.

MARRIED.

TAYLOR-THOMAS—At Wellington, Dec. 24th, 1900, by the Rev. Percy J. Jones, Charles Edward Tisdall, of Vancouver, second son of the late Capt. D. H. Tisdall, of the House of Commons, and Edith Taylor, of Wellington, daughter of E. White, of Gorge Road.

DIED.

GILCHRIST—On the 8th inst., at No. 85 Kings Road, Collis Alexander, beloved husband of M. E. Gilchrist, aged 25 years, and a native of Orillia, Ontario.

LODGES AND SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. O. E., meet 3rd Wednesday of each month at 8 o'clock, in the hall of the B. O. C. at 100 West Broadway.

EDUCATIONAL.

EDUCATIONAL—Miss G. G. Fox has opened her school, at 86 Mason street, 21.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL—15 Broad street.

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—A small diamond ring, set with a small diamond and the other a sapphire, found near the corner of the Westside. Finder please return to Dr. Williams' Hotel.

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WANTED—Girl for housework; 24 South Turner street. WANTED—By young Englishman, well educated, situation in office or store. Good references. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency.

Tired and Depressed

Hundreds of young girls and women have to depend upon their own efforts to gain a livelihood, and there is no class more widely admired for their independence and pluck. But whether it be behind the counter, in the office, the factory, or in the home, work means close confinement—often in badly ventilated rooms.



There is a strain on the nerves; the blood becomes impoverished; the cheeks pale or sallow; frequent headaches; a constant tiredness; a rapid palpitation of the heart on slight exertion; perhaps wrinkles and a prematurely aged appearance. If the first symptoms are neglected it may lead to a complete breakdown and perhaps that most dreaded of all diseases—Consumption. A tonic is needed and for this purpose Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are without an equal.

PROOF OF CURE.

Miss Emma Chaput, Lake Talon, Ont., writes: "I cannot thank you enough for the good I have derived through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I honestly believe that but for them I would now be in my grave."

But you must get the genuine, and only the genuine have the full name "Dr. Williams Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box.

Victoria Arm—5 acres, all under cultivation, bath, hot and cold water; well drained; lot 180 feet deep; \$1,400; very easy terms. Apply 40 Government street.

Richardson Street—Full lot and 7 roomed cottage, \$2,000; easy terms. Apply 40 Government street, B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited.

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